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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXVII.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1898.

NO. 38

Special for Next Week

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Beginning Saturday, October 8, 1898, and will continue for one week only. We will place on sale two lots of Ladies Capes at prices that have never been known to the public.

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The Cloak opening for the season will be on Friday, October 14. A representative of an eastern house will be here with a complete line of the latest styles in

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CITY AND VICINITY.

The board of supervisors meets on Monday.

L. Jenison and Peter Danhof are the Ottawa county members of the Democratic congressional committee.

Sunday, October 9, will be the 27th anniversary of the great fire that laid Holland, Chicago, and Peshtigo, Wis., in ashes.

G. J. Diekema has agreed to deliver four speeches in the Fourth Congressional district, in the interest of Washington Gardner, the Republican candidate for congress.

The returned volunteers were given a reception and social evening, Wednesday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Nies, Eighth street. Nearly all of them attended and the occasion was made a very pleasant one.

It has been arranged that the next annual meeting of the Particular Synod of Chicago, of the Reformed Church, will be held in this city. This will occur in May next, and the session will be held in the Third Reformed church.

Supervisor Dykema attended a meeting of the county jail building committee at Grand Haven Monday. It is expected that the new jail will be so far completed that the job can be accepted by the board of supervisors at the session which opens on Monday next.

Legal proceedings have been begun in the Ottawa circuit court by Harry Bliss against 13, through J. C. Post as next friend, against C. L. King & Co. for damages sustained August 10 last, in losing a part of his right hand while operating a cut-off saw in the basket factory. G. J. Diekema is the attorney for the plaintiff and A. Visscher for the defendants. The case will be called up for trial at the November term of court.

The Seventh Day Adventists propose, as fast as possible, to open schools of their own, and have their children taught by their own teachers. They have been conducting a summer school at Battle Creek for the instruction of teachers. The school has just closed, and last week forty-five teachers who have been trained according to their notion of teaching left for various parts of the country to open and conduct denominational schools. What would become of our grand American Public School system if all denominations were to do likewise?

Only a few more days and the peach crop of '98 will be a thing of the past.

The general offices of the C. & W. M., at Grand Rapids, have been moved to the Michigan Trust building.

John Haverkate, of Whitehall, is the Democratic-Silver candidate for the legislature in the second district of Muskegon county.

A. Boerman will conduct the services in the German church Sunday, in the morning in English and in the evening in Dutch.

W. A. Holley, formerly head-miller in the Walsh-De Roo flouring mills, has a similar position now with Darrah Bros. & Co., Big Rapids. He was in town last week and left again on Saturday. His family will follow later on.

Mrs. Jennie Lind Gibbs, widow of the late Col. Gibbs, a former county treasurer of Ottawa county, will be married on the 19th inst., at Lansing, to Col. C. V. B. Pond, adjutant-general of the G. A. R. of the dept. of Michigan.

During the absence of the rector, Rev. Dr. W. H. Van Antwerp, who left on Monday to attend the convention of the Episcopal church at Washington, D. C., the morning services in Grace church will be conducted by Mr. C. A. Stevenson. No service in the evening.

The steamer City of Holland will make her last trip this season on Sunday, and upon her return will be laid up. The Soo City will continue to make tri-weekly trips until the close of navigation, leaving Holland Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and Chicago Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

The following is from Camp Poland, Tenn.: Col. Gardener entertained a number of the young ladies of Knoxville at brigade headquarters last evening, assisted by the officers of the Thirty-first. A toothsome lunch was served, after which a most enjoyable dance was held, to the music of the regimental band.

The Marine Review publishes an interesting description of the life-saving exhibit at the Omaha exposition, with illustrations of the drill and portraits of the crew. Among the latter is Frank Johnson, one of the surfmen of Holland harbor. The daily drill at Omaha is one of the attractive features of the exposition and witnessed by thousands of people.

Several settlements in Ottawa county are located so close to the edge of the line that they lap over into the adjoining one. There is Macatawa Park, the greater part of which is in Allegan. Hanley in Jamestown, Jenison in Georgetown, and Lisbon and Gooding in Chester are partly in Kent county. Another burgh in Chester, designated as Six Corners, is largely located in Muskegon county.

In the case of Mary E. Hunt vs. Barney Riksen and G. J. Boone, known as the gravel suit, tried a few months ago, Judge Padgham has filed his decision. The complainant claimed to have sold to Riksen and Boone the gravel off a few acres of land, while the deed she executed covered the entire farm, at the Scholten bridge. The suit was brought to set aside this deed. The judge held the deed valid.

Among our visitors last week was Dr. J. H. Berkhof, and daughter, of Middelbarnia, Netherlands. He was accompanied by his brother Mr. Geo. Berkhof, Sr., of Chicago, and they were the guests of Prof. and Mrs. H. Boers. The Doctor and his daughter have spent three months in this country and expect to sail for home on the 15th. On the way to New York they will take in the Falls, the Hudson and Washington.

The annual tea meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church will be held in the church parlors Tuesday, Oct. 11. The business meeting will begin at 2 o'clock sharp. Officers and chairmen of committees will please hand in their reports, that the business of the year may be finished up. This will be followed by the election of officers. Tea will be served from 4 to 5 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come to the annual tea.

A vote this fall for the Republican ticket will be considered by our own people and those of other nations as a vote to sustain the administration of President McKinley; and a vote for the opposition ticket will be construed as a vote to condemn that administration. On the same principle Gen. Joe Wheeler of Alabama will get the solid vote of his district for member of congress, his service in connection with the war being appreciated to such an extent that the Republicans have formally endorsed his nomination.

The season for quail, partridges and similar game is now open.

Jay Cochran has the job of painting the Dutch church at Hamilton.

J. Wise, of the bee-hive, this week, blends his patriotism with his keen sense of advertising.

The Ladies of Hope Church Aid Society will open their market Saturday afternoon at three o'clock at Will Botsford & Co.

The Y. W. C. A. Gospel meeting will be held Saturday evening at the rooms. Leader, Miss Minnie Riksen. Subject, Christ our example.

Gardella Brothers, the Eighth street fruit dealers, have quit the business. There is too much fruit raised here and sold at the houses to make it pay.

Mrs. B. Van Dam, who resides four miles north of the city, died on Wednesday, aged 18 years. She was a daughter of C. Riemersma and leaves a husband and one child.

The council on Tuesday evening transacted much street business, and among other matters they granted the electric street car line a connection with the C. & W. M. along Harrison avenue.

The new dynamo for the city electric lighting plant has arrived. It will be unloaded from the car as soon as the foundation on which it is to be placed has been put down, the material for which is already on the grounds.

The grand jury in the U. S. Court has under consideration to-day the case of Geo. Smeenge, charged with maliciously destroying an Iron U. S. letter box, in this city. In case a true bill is found he will be tried at the present term of court, and be defended by G. J. Diekema.

The Young People's society of the First Reformed church, held its semi-annual business meeting Tuesday evening, when the following officers were elected: President, Henry Van der Ploeg; vice president, John Verwey; secretary, Ellen Winter; treasurer, Jacob Yonker.

List of advertised letters for the week ending Oct. 7: at the Holland Mich. postoffice: D. Bales, Miss K. Broas, Miss Lena Broas, Mrs. Broas, John Broman, G. Fandyke, Fred Johnson, S. A. Niekerson, Miss Lena Pilgrim, Mrs. C. Sherman.

Cor. DE KEYSER, P. M.

Fred Crabbe arrived home at Grand Rapids on Tuesday. He was a member of the regular army signal corps, to which he had been transferred from the 32nd Mich. Infy., and was among the first to land at Ponce, Porto Rico. Fred has not been mustered out yet, but is home on a furlough.

A union service will be held in the Third Reformed Church Sunday evening, to be addressed by Rev. Walter C. Roe, a missionary of the Reformed church among the Choctaw Indians at Colony, Oklahoma. Mrs. Roe, wife of the missionary, will conduct a meeting in Hope church, for ladies only, in the afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

John Zwemer, a veteran of the 19th Mich. Infy., went to Kalamazoo Thursday, in answer to a general invitation addressed to the surviving members of that regiment to form an escort for Maj. Gen. Shafter, who will be in that city to-day. The General served as Major of the 19th during the civil war, and the boys will be only too glad to meet him and by their presence manifest their satisfaction of his splendid campaign at Santiago.

For the HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

To the Good People of Holland.

A meeting will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Saturday evening, of this week, to decide whether the society shall be continued in Holland or the work abandoned.

In view of the fact that our city has more than 1200 young men at work in its factories, many of whom have no place open to them, in which to spend their evenings, except the saloons, it certainly seems to be the duty of the Christian people of Holland to maintain the work.

If the churches of the city will take charge of the work and keep its lights burning, they will have an opportunity to do most effective home missionary work.

At this meeting plans will be proposed for the reorganization of the association; and the success, or failure, of the meeting will determine what relation the society will bear to the city.

Every person desiring to advance the work of Christ in Holland is earnestly invited to attend this meeting. Holland, Oct. 5, 1898.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

By reason of the union meeting to be held in the Third Ref. church Sunday evening, there will be no service in Hope church.

Muskegon mourns the death of nine of its volunteers. The latest to die was John Essenburg, Jr., who visited here some days ago.

The weather has been unusually fine for fall fishing, and large strings of blue gills were a common sight during the first part of the week.

The steamer Mabel Bradshaw which has been running between Whitehall, Pentwater and Chicago, is laid up at Bradshaw's place, on Macatawa Bay.

Married in this city, on Wednesday, Oct. 5, Miss Dena Beltman and John Ten Brink, Jr. They will be at their new home, 200 W. 12th street, after Oct. 12.

Rev. N. M. Steffens, D. D., at present professor in theology in a Presbyterian seminary in Dubuque, Iowa, has accepted the call from the Reformed church at Orange City, Iowa.

After an illness of only a few days Mrs. Martin Dykema, nee Tubbergen, died on Monday at her home on Thirteenth street, from heart trouble. She was 19 years old and leaves a husband and one little daughter. The funeral took place on Thursday, from Hope church, the pastor Rev. H. G. Birch officiating.

The beautiful fall weather we are enjoying has this drawback for the large vineyards along the north shore of the bayou, that the grapes are ripening all at once. By reason of their location the grape crop in that vicinity is always a late one, and it enabled its owners to market them after the regular grape season was over. This fall it has been so warm that it has ripened the crop too early to be profitable.

Mrs. Anna Kok, widow of the late Hermanus Kok, died on Saturday, at her home on Columbia ave., aged 64 years. The family came here from the Netherlands in '73. For over a year Mrs. Kok had suffered from a cancerous tumor. Her death is mourned by eight sons—Cornelius, Egbert, James, John, Gerard, Rokus, Barney, Herman; also one daughter, Mrs. G. Van Os. The funeral was held on Tuesday, from the old church on Ninth street.

The Misses Jennie and Hattie Werkman gave a reception Thursday evening, at their home on Eleventh street, in honor of Miss Lizzie Cappon. An entertaining feature of the occasion was the music. Mrs. G. J. Diekema rendering some of her choicest solos in her usual acceptable manner. The honors of the occasion were intended also to be shared by Mrs. Nellie Zwemer, whose absence was accounted for by the intelligence from New York that the condition of her brother, Rev. P. Zwemer, who is ill in the hospital there, had become more critical.

Reproduced from the Files of the News.

Twenty-five Years Ago.

A special election has been called to elect a congressman, vice Wilder D. Foster deceased.

The Allegan Journal, published by Don C. Henderson, was awarded the premium at the state fair for a file of the best arranged and printed local newspapers in the state.

Rev. C. Van der Veen left with his family for Colorado, for his health, to be absent a year.

The Episcopal church is completed and services were held there for the first time on Oct. 18. Rev. J. Rice Taylor rector.

Rice House at Grand Haven burned. E. J. Harrington, H. D. Post, S. L. Morris, J. Root, Geo. Lauder, R. K. Heald, G. H. Sipp were elected delegates to the Republican county convention. The Grandwet kicks and says it was a packed caucus.

W. B. Williams of Allegan was nominated for congress by the Republicans. It required 12 ballots. In the convention Allegan had 9 votes, Ionia 6, Muskegon 3, Kent 12, and Ottawa 6.

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Holland City News.

FRIDAY, October 7.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Saugatuck.

The tug Pup went to Chicago last Friday night and was put in the dry dock to receive some repairs.

A new directory of the Saugatuck & Ganges Telephone Co. (limited) has been issued, showing that at the present time there are 163 phones in use on the company lines. Of this number Fennville central has the largest number, 40, though Ganges central is a close second with 39. Saugatuck has 32, Glenn 23, Douglas 20 and Spring Grove 9. The service is very good and the company is getting quite a reputation throughout the country. In a recent issue of the Scientific American this line was prominently mentioned as one of the few stock company lines now being successfully run by farmers. The new board of directors are doing well with the management, but they have not yet been able to do what the old board failed to accomplish—pay \$15 of debt with a \$12 assessment. If more phones are not added the rate per year will have to be raised to about \$15.

Grand Haven.

Tribune: Ed. Pagelson, a well known Grand Haven boy, has been appointed assistant examiner of patents at Washington, D. C., and he is now there to take charge of his duties. Ed. has been engaged in engineering in southern Louisiana lately.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Edward S. Ferry of Salt Lake City, Utah, to Miss Mabel Edie, daughter of Dr. James Orbel Edie of Grand Rapids. The marriage will take place the 19th of October.

In the severe electric storm of early Friday morning the First Christian Reformed church on Fulton street was struck by lightning. The bolt came through the chimney, knocking off many bricks, through the ceiling, and down to the pulpit via the metal chains that hold the lamps. Pieces of wood were chipped out of the pulpit and also out of a desk beneath the pulpit. These chips were thrown about the church. The pulpit was badly charred. This is the fourth time this church has been struck by lightning.

A citizen who knows what he is talking about says there are three hundred or more pig pens in this city and that if the board of health would have them removed, diphtheria would be unknown to the city. There is no reason why Grand Haven cannot have an ordinance like other cities, compelling owners of hogs to keep them in pens at least eight rods from any dwelling house.

A night school in the Bignell district, Grand Haven township, is talked of. It is the intention to teach both old and young. There are a large number of Germans of the neighborhood that are anxious to make themselves proficient scholars in English. If all foreigners were given a chance—through night school—to learn to read English they would be better citizens. With our free schools and other educational advantages offered in this state, it would seem impossible for any one to reside here forty or fifty years without learning to read, but it's a fact. A system of night schools in connection with the public schools, especially where there is a foreign population would be a good thing.—Tribune.

County clerk Hoyt is on the sick list. He is troubled with heart disease.

Our apple trees are again blossoming.

Zeeland.

Record: Miss Anna Everhard has been promoted to the position of assistant principal of the school.

The English services held every Sunday evening in the Ref. church are attended by many people from the surrounding country.

In general it seems that country fairs have seen their most prosperous days, still we believe that if they could be made a success anywhere it would be in our own village. Zeeland is certainly located in one of the best farming districts of the state.

The school teachers were all invited to the farm of Mr. D. Elenbaas Wednesday night to eat grapes.

John Berghorst hired a rig some day last week at the livery stable of D. Van Benneam, claiming he was going to Blenden. It was found however, in Coopersville by C. Noordhuis, and in a very bad condition. The horse was completely worn out and from all appearances had been used most brutally. It was also learned that four had been riding in a single buggy. Mr. Noordhuis took the rig home with him. Something is liable to follow.

Otto Byema of the 32nd regiment, arrived at his home at Beaverdam Saturday night. His friends are all glad to welcome him home.

The new creamery at Beaverdam reopened Friday morning with L. Hinkens as buttermaker. The new building is a great improvement over the old one.

Ottawa County.

Crockery: Rev. L. A. Witham's new barn burned last week with contents, some thirty ton of hay, one horse and some farm implements. He barely saved two horses. It is the general opinion that this fire is the work of some one who wished Rev. Witham harm.

Hudsonville: Albert Labuis of Zeeland and W. De Hope of Vriesland each loaded a carload of onions at this place Wednesday.

Ferrysburg: The steamer Wisconsin is at the Johnston Bros. Boiler Works dock, undergoing extensive repairs, which include two new boilers and entire new upper cabins of steel.

Spring Lake: Our fruit evaporating establishment is in full blast and is being worked to its utmost capacity. The proceeds of the seven thousand bushels of fall apples consumed so far are just so much clear gain to this community, as most of them would have been allowed to go to waste had this establishment not been located here.

Twenty-two marriage licenses were issued last month, and the grand total for the year is now 237. Holland city leads, having had 75 persons interested in licenses issued by county clerk Hoyt. Grand Haven had 62, Polkton 41, Zeeland 38, Jamestown 29, Blenden 24, Olive 21, Crockery 13, Spring Lake 19, Allendale 13, Georgetown 15, Chester 17, Wright 16, Tallmadge 5, Grand Haven town 9, Holland town 6, Robinson 4.

Charlie Hammond, the Spring Lake boy who enlisted in Company F, and who came home from Ferdinandina several weeks ago, continue very sick. His life has been despaired of several times recently.

Mrs. Shears, of this county, is endeavoring to secure a pardon for her son Hiram Shears, who a years ago was sentenced in the Muskegon circuit court to one year and three months in prison for having placed an obstruction on a railway track. Last week she strode into the circuit court room and after shaking hands with Judge Russell, she asked for his good offices in getting a pardon for the boy, but the request was denied. The boy's term has nearly expired.

The following jury men have been drawn for the November term of circuit court:

Caspar Broene, Allendale.
Derk Walters, Blenden.
John Lachman, Chester.
Wm. Ernst, Crockery.
Herbert Alward, Georgetown.
Henry Nierling, Grand Haven.
Peter Vogel, Holland town.
Albert Elliott, Jamestown.
John Orens, Olive.
Edward Harris, Nicholas Baldus, Polkton.
A. Peiton, Thomas Graham, Robinson.
E. Gardener, Thomas Finch, Spring Lake.
H. S. Dickerson, Tallmadge.
Nelson W. Williams, Wright.
John Schippers, Zeeland.
N. Vyn, E. Stanton, M. Poel, H. Greengood, Grand Haven city.
G. J. Nykerk, Antonie Steketee, Holland city.

More rye was grown and harvested in Grand Haven township this year than ever before. One farmer, Wm. Straburg, living on the Grandville road, threshed 682 bushels. Most of the rye crop is grown in a territory that has hitherto been called poor land.

Allegan County.

The first settlement in Allegan county was at the mouth of the Kalamazoo river, by Wm. G. Butler in the fall of 1839. The county seat was laid out in 1834, and the first county election held in 1836. Under territorial government the county had four townships: Plainfield, range 11; Otsego, range 12; Allegan, ranges 13 and 14; Newark, ranges 15, 16 and 17.

At the Democratic county convention the following ticket was placed in nomination: Sheriff, J. W. Yeakey of Wayland; clerk, Chas. E. Stuck, Otsego; register, Geo. Oliver, Allegan; pros. att'y, Hannibal Hart, Allegan; treasurer, John W. Pieters, Fennville; cl. et. coms., W. Warner and W. H. Dorgan, Allegan; surveyor, E. T. Waterman, Allegan. For representative—first district, Alva H. Tracy of Ganges; second district, Henry Strabbing of Graafschap.

The circuit court opened its October term on Monday with the following calendar: Criminal cases 8; civil, jury, 6; civil, non-jury, 2; chancery 12.

Gazette: Several weeks ago, surveyors for the C. & W. M. railway company were in Allegan looking over various routes by which entrance to the business and manufacturing part of the town could be made, with the idea of extending the company's track. The route which would run across the river near the fairgrounds was thought to be impracticable by the surveyors and they so reported to President Thomas. They said a trestle forty feet in height would be required. As to the other proposed routes they have as yet made no report, and the question of having a down-town railway seems to rest where it has the past eight or ten years. President Thomas is very enthusiastic over the extension and is willing to do all he can to help accomplish it. He thinks that the best thing for the railroad company as well as for the people of Allegan would be to extend the line to Grand Junction, which would require the building of seventeen miles of track, thus giving us a direct line to Chicago.

Dogs are creating havoc among sheep in Otsego and Alamo townships. One night recently, in the former, they wounded three and carried off one. The damage was assessed at \$10. The same night dogs were in three flocks in Alamo and fully twenty-five sheep were killed or injured.

Robert Mabbs, a member of the Nineteenth Michigan infantry, has received a letter from C. A. Conner of Kalamazoo, secretary and treasurer of the Nineteenth's organization, stating

that arrangements were making "to have the boys of the old Nineteenth act as escort for Gen. Shafter at the Kalamazoo street fair to be held this week."

Hamilton: The Reformed people are enlarging and reseating their church, a much needed improvement. Rev. Boer's people are using the Presbyterian church until their's is finished.

Allegan has three new representatives at the university this year, Miss Edith Perrigo, Frack Stegeman, and Arnold Killian.

So many applicants for teachers certificates failed to pass at recent examinations that there were not enough qualified teachers to fill the schools of this county.

In a contest for a \$150 purse between Allegan and Otsego horse teams, the latter won the race in one minute and 35 seconds.

Graafschap.

It may not be objectionable to the readers of the News to infuse some new blood in the items that appear weekly from this neighborhood. Graafschap every year is drawing closer to Holland, in fact as far as its citizens is concerned it has become an important part of the city, and as fast as vacancies arise in the metropolis of "the Colony," Graafschap can fill them. Your correspondent however is not an applicant.

The village is still prospering and our retail stores are having a good fall trade.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Keizer entertained the young people of the Christian Reformed congregation at the parsonage on Tuesday evening.

The harvest is about over. Farmers are husking corn, which is a fair crop. Potatoes are dug and the yield is an average one.

G. Hartger is building a new addition to his house. The work is done by Sterenberg Bros.

General Items.

Railroad Commissioner Wesselus has ordered all railroad companies of the state to equip hand-cars and other track vehicles with lights. The order will entail considerable expense upon the railroads.

John McNally of Paw Paw was found guilty in the Van Buren circuit court of having guided 450 peach trees belonging to H. M. Pegely, and was sentenced to serve two years at Jackson.

Three Rivers is trying to raise a \$30,000 bonus to secure the removal of a large steel mill from Chicago, employing 400 hands.

Allegan Democrat: There is talk of running the D. T. & M. trains into Grand Haven again. Some little trouble over the lease was the cause of the discontinuation, and when that is adjusted the trains will again be put on.

Mrs. Julia Hill of Keeler, Van Buren county, was killed by a bicycle while walking along the street last Sunday evening. The wheelman ran into her, knocking her down, the bicycle striking her above the eyes, and she died in a few hours. She was sixty-four years old.

Postmasters have received orders from headquarters that hereafter no second, third or fourth class mail matter should be forwarded to the people. If the matter appears of some value the consignee will be notified and then if no stamps are sent for forwarding, it will be sent to the dead letter office or fired in the waste basket. If you should change your address be sure and notify all publishers of any papers you may be taking or you will fail to receive your paper.

The merchants and barbers of Bangor have agreed to close their places of business at eight o'clock until April.

On the Grand Trunk railroad, each passenger on giving the conductor his ticket receives a hat check, by which the conductor knows without asking the passengers where they are going. The destination of a passenger is indicated by the card in his hat, but known only to the conductor.

First Postmaster General Heath, has authorized postmasters to issue money orders payable at their own offices. This new departure is equivalent to the introduction of the postal saving bank system.

In the Black Hills there is a cave compared to which the famous Mammoth Cave of Kentucky is a baby. The mouth of this cave is located twelve miles from Hot Springs in Fall county. It has been explored a distance of 98 miles and there is not yet any sign of an end.

The Muskegon county Democrats nominated William Moore for representative from the First District, and John Haverkate of Whitehall from the Second District.

Ex-Senator T. W. Palmer has accepted the invitation of the Blair statue commission to officiate as president of the day at the unveiling of the Blair monument in Lansing October 12. The citizens' committee has been doing some good work for the success of the occasion and there is every indication that the event will be a notable one in the history of the state.

A Saginaw man whose name is withheld has given Alma college \$15,000, to be used as a permanent endowment for the chair of the woman principal.

John Marshall, aged 100 years, and founder of the town of Marshall, Calhoun county, died last week at the county asylum in Mishawaka, Ind. He was once immensely wealthy, but imprudence in speculations drove him to poverty.

The title dealers who purchased tax deeds at the last sale at the county seat of lands delinquent for taxes are beginning to receive their deeds from the auditor general. Under the law of 1897 it is necessary for these purchasers to serve notice of their purchase on the original owners of the property, mortgagees or other parties in interest, any of whom is given six months in which to settle with the purchaser by paying him his outlay together with an advance of 100 per cent.

Considerable excitement was created in the cemetery at Homer the other day when a horse broke loose and ran away, tearing up headstones and monuments.

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One of the saddest home comings of a Santiago soldier was that of William H. Gage, of Muskegon, of the Second Infantry. His mother died just a few weeks previous to his return, but he did not know of this until he reached home. His father died some years ago. The sorrow and disappointment together with his exposure in the Cuban campaign rendered him ill and he is now at the home of Mr. Ellis, in Norton township just beyond Mona Lake, on the Grand Haven road.

When Capt. Graves, Company I, Thirty-Third Michigan volunteers, of Benton Harbor, went to war he was justice of the peace. The council declared the office vacant, and was about to order a special election when an opinion was received from Attorney General Maynard to the effect that Graves did not vacate the office of justice when he entered the army.

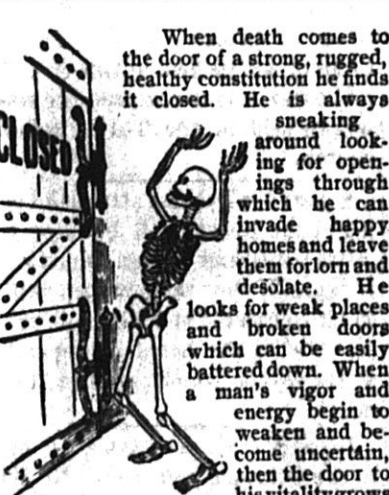
A wolf has been raiding the farmers' flocks in the vicinity of Paw Paw for several weeks past and many valuable sheep have been killed by the beast. A reward was offered for its destruction, but until yesterday, all efforts in that direction had been futile. The brute was finally caught in a trap, which it dragged for a couple of miles, before it was discovered and killed.

Fire at Grandville Tuesday afternoon consumed McCoy's store and Choral Union Hall, Colwell's meat market and living rooms upstairs, and the house and barn of Station Agent R. S. Phipps. The bucket brigade saved the remainder of the town. Loss, 6,000.

The request of Capt. Lloyd Clark, of St. Joseph, through his brother, Capt. Clark, of the Oregon, for one of the two Spanish pet cats taken from the wrecked Spanish warship Cristobal Colon, has been granted, and Capt. Clark received the valuable pet by express this week. Attached to the basket which contained the cat, was a card containing the following: To a good American—Treat me kindly and give me food, as I am a prisoner of war of the Cristobal Colon.

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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 24th day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

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

In the matter of the estate of Bridget Healy, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Dennis Ferris administrator with the will annexed, of said estate, praying for the license of this court to sell certain real estate of said deceased, in said petition described, for purposes therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the Twenty-fourth 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.

A true copy, Attest.

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,
Judge of Probate.

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WEEKLY WAR HISTORY.

Complete Record of Events Told in a Few Lines Covering All Important News.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23.

The United States peace commission went into session in Paris.

Gen. Merritt's report of the battle of Manila has been received at the war department.

There are only three regiments in Camp Wikoff, Long Island, which a month or two ago had 25,000 men.

Secretary Alger returned to Washington and said he was much gratified with the conditions of the camps he had inspected.

The Spanish government cabled to Gen. Blanco instructing him to disband all the local volunteers and auxiliaries in Cuba.

The transport Chester sailed from New York for Ponce and Santiago de Cuba with 100 tons of medical stores and 250 tons of subsistence stores.

The royal Spanish standard that was hauled down from the governor's palace in Manila after the surrender of the city was received at the navy department from Admiral Dewey.

Official reports received by the war department show that the total number of deaths in the American army of 263,000 men in the war with Spain has been 2,624, or a little less than one per cent.

The war department has decided that states are entitled to reimbursement for expenses incurred from the date the national guard responded to the call for volunteers until they were mustered out.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23.

A Paris dispatch says Premier Sagasta has asked the United States to pay \$400,000 for the Philippines.

Capt. Gen. Blanco has ordered the release of all the political prisoners now undergoing confinement in Cuba.

The American and Spanish peace commissioners met for the first time in Paris. The meeting was purely of a social character.

The administration has ordered that all sick soldiers of Gen. Brooke's army in Puerto Rico be transported to the United States.

Surgeon General Sternberg says reports received at the war department show that mortality in the army camp is decreasing rapidly.

Capt. Gen. Blanco has issued an order for the Spanish troops to concentrate at the ports in Cuba from which they will sail for Spain.

The war department has issued an order that sick or wounded soldiers granted furloughs are entitled to \$1.50 per day commutation and transportation when traveling.

The war department received information from the evacuation commission in Cuba that by October 7 all the Spanish soldiers will have been removed from Manzanillo.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1.

It has been decided that the American army shall begin its movement into the island of Cuba as early as October 15, if possible.

Admiral Dewey reports that Manila is far from being an unhealthy city, and says the climate is as fine as that of any place in the tropics.

The United States peace commission has taken possession of its working quarters in Paris, a suite of seven rooms on the ground floor of the Hotel Continental.

Gen. Shafter in a letter says the attacks of portions of the press upon him and others of the administration are simply outrageous, and that the articles are filled with untruths.

The movement of troops from Camp Meade, at Middletown, Pa., to the south will begin October 15 and be pushed rapidly. Secretary Alger is anxious to get them away before the cold weather sets in.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 2.

Gen. Shafter reached New York, and will take charge of the department of the east.

Rev. Thaddeus S. K. Freeman, of Logansport, Ind., chaplain of the cruiser Baltimore, died at Manila.

The war department has decided to send officers to Cuba to investigate and report upon locations of camps for the army of occupation.

Impressive military services were held over the graves of the soldiers buried in the detention hospital cemetery in Camp Wikoff, Long Island.

Agonillo and Lopez, the representatives of Aguinaldo, the Philippine insurgent leader, called at the white house and had a private conference with President McKinley.

The president issued an order creating the territory of Puerto Rico into a new military department, to be known as the "Department of Puerto Rico," with Maj. Gen. John R. Brooke in command.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4.

The war department has decided to send more troops to Puerto Rico at once.

Augusta, Ga., will be the headquarters of the army corps which is to be stationed in Georgia and South Carolina.

The American authorities in Manila have invited all the school-teachers to resume the instruction of their classes.

Savannah, Ga., has been selected as the point of embarkation of all troops which may hereafter be sent to Cuba or Puerto Rico.

Gen. Otis reports the number of deaths among the American troops in the Philippines since July 1 at four officers and 83 privates.

Maj. Gen. Merritt, who commanded the American troops at Manila, arrived in Paris to appear before the peace commissioners.

It is reported that the American peace commissioners in Paris have formally demanded the cession by Spain of the entire Philippine group. This took the representatives of Madrid by surprise, and they asked time to secure instructions from the Sagasta cabinet.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5.

Ger. Wood proposes to inaugurate a system of municipal taxation in Santiago de Cuba.

Twelve hundred Spanish troops sailed for Spain from San Juan and two transports were being loaded with men as rapidly as possible.

The Infanta Maria Teresa will soon be ready to sail for the United States from Guantanamo, Cuba. Lieut. Hobson says he is confident he can save the Colon also.

Following out its policy to materially reduce the war strength of the navy, the navy department has directed that the monitors Puritan and Terror be withdrawn from active service.

Gen. Joseph Wheeler testified before the war investigating committee in Washington that there was no shortage of food or medicines for soldiers, and declared many reports to the contrary were false.

DEED OF A DISAPPOINTED HUSBAND.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 3.—A special to the Bee from Essex, Ia., says: Walter J. Yates on Sunday shot and dangerously wounded his wife and her friend, Mrs. E. J. Brown, and then shot himself through the head. Domestic infelicity, caused by Yates' dissipation, brought about the tragedy.

HANGED HIMSELF.

Pana, Ill., Oct. 5.—Vallé Hamel, a wealthy and prominent citizen of Assumption township, suicided by hanging himself with a halter strap in the barn of his son-in-law, Jacob Batton. Hamel leaves a wife and several children. Despondency was the cause.

FUNERAL OF T. F. BAYARD.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 3.—With flags at half mast and draped in mourning, with the closing of business houses and with other demonstrations of sorrow, Wilmington committed to the grave on Saturday the mortal remains of Thomas Francis Bayard.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

For the Week Ending Oct. 5.

Heavy snowstorms prevailed in Minnesota and North Dakota.

Snow and rain have checked the progress of the forest fires in Colorado.

Yellow fever is practically epidemic over the entire state of Mississippi.

A ferryboat capsized at Mittun Kote, India, and 100 of the passengers were drowned.

An incendiary fire destroyed the larger portion of the business district of Lowell, Ind.

J. B. Connor, of Evansville, Ind., shot and killed his wife and her paramour, Charles Williams.

William Ballard, Burt Puvis and John Gatlin were suffocated by gas in a well at Somerset, Kan.

John Hollingsworth, a murderer, and some of his friends killed five men near Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Mrs. Sabrina Shoemaker celebrated her one hundred and third birthday at her home near Covington, Ind.

The Colorado middle-of-the-road populists nominated Simon Guggenheim, of Denver, for governor.

United States Senator Quay and his son gave ball in Philadelphia on a charge of conspiracy to rob the state.

The democrats in the Fourth district of Wisconsin have nominated Joseph G. Donnelly, of Milwaukee, for congress.

Robert Lesh shot and killed his wife at Indianapolis, Ind., and then killed himself. Domestic troubles were the cause.

Samuel H. Dickerson shot and killed Mrs. Blanche Winship and killed himself in Cleveland, O. Jealousy was the cause.

James L. High, one of the leading members of the Chicago bar and a lawyer of national reputation, died in Chicago, aged 54 years.

The Massachusetts democratic state convention at Worcester nominated a ticket headed by Alexander B. Bruce, of that city, for governor.

Caroline Miskel Hoyt, the well-known actress, wife of Charles H. Hoyt, the playwright and manager, died in New York, aged 25 years.

Rear Admiral Montgomery Sicard was retired, having reached the age of 62 years, but he is to retain his place at the head of the promotion board.

Dr. Frederick A. Todd, aged 33, assistant superintendent of the Ohio state hospital for the insane at Toledo, died of hydrophobia in a Chicago hospital.

The Wisconsin battleship commission has chosen Miss Elizabeth Stephenson, of Marinette, to christen the new war vessel which is to bear the name of Wisconsin.

The warships Baltimore and Petrel have been ordered to China to safeguard American interests and protect the life and property of American citizens in the event of an outbreak in the interior.

THE ILLINOIS AFLOAT.

The First-Class Battleship Slides Off the Ways Into the Sea at Newport News.

Newport News, Va., Oct. 5.—Amid the enthusiastic plaudits of nearly 40,000 intensely interested people, the shrill salutation of steam whistles from many boats and tugs and the strains of "The Star Spangled Banner," the first-class battleship Illinois slid into the water Tuesday. The launch was a brilliant success in every particular, the mechanical preparations being perfect and the assemblage of spectators unprecedented in the history of the Newport News Shipbuilding & Drydock company. The sponsor of the vessel, Miss Nannie Leiter, of Chicago, was accompanied by Gov. Tanner, of Illinois, his staff in full uniform and a crowd of distinguished Chicagoans.

Back from Hawaii.

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—United States Senators Cullom and Morgan and Congressman Hitt, members of the Hawaiian commission, arrived here from Honolulu and left for Washington.

Madam Carnot Dead.

Paris, Oct. 3.—Mme. Carnot, widow of President Carnot, who was assassinated by an Italian anarchist at Lyons on June 24, 1894, died at the Chateau de Presle.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Oct. 5.

LIVE STOCK.—Steers..... \$4.40 @ 5.50
Hogs..... 4.00 @ 4.20
Sheep..... 3.00 @ 4.00

WHEAT.—No. 2 Hard..... 72 1/2 @ 73 1/2
No. 2 Red May..... 67 1/2 @ 68 1/2
CORN.—No. 2..... 24 1/2 @ 25 1/2
OATS.—No. 2..... 20 1/2 @ 21 1/2
BUTTER.—Western..... 14 1/2 @ 15 1/2
Factory..... 14 1/2 @ 15 1/2
CHEESE..... 10 1/2 @ 11 1/2
EGGS..... 15 1/2 @ 17

CHICAGO.

CATTLE.—Shipping Steers..... \$4.90 @ 5.25
Texas Steers..... 3.75 @ 4.00
Stockers..... 3.10 @ 3.30
Feeders..... 4.00 @ 4.50
Bulls..... 2.50 @ 3.00
HOGS.—Light..... 3.25 @ 3.55
Fair to Choice..... 3.20 @ 3.65
SHEEP..... 5.00 @ 6.00
BUTTER.—Extras..... 19 @ 19 1/2
Dairy..... 12 @ 17
EGGS..... 12 @ 14 1/2
POTATOES.—New (per bu.)..... 27 @ 33
PORK.—January..... 4.82 1/2 @ 4.87 1/2
LARD.—January..... 4.65 @ 4.75
GRAIN.—Wheat..... 65 1/2 @ 67 1/2
Corn, December..... 20 1/2 @ 21 1/2
Rye, October..... 44 @ 44 1/2
Barley, Feed..... 33 @ 35 1/2

MILWAUKEE.

GRAIN.—Wheat, Northern..... 62 1/2 @ 63
Oats..... 22 1/2 @ 24 1/2
Rye, No. 1..... 45 @ 45 1/2
Barley, No. 2..... 44 @ 44 1/2
Sample..... 55 @ 57

KANSAS CITY.

GRAIN.—Wheat, No. 2 Spring..... 57 @ 58
No. 2 Hard..... 58 @ 61
Corn, No. 2 Mixed..... 20 1/2 @ 21 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White..... 21 1/2 @ 22 1/2
Rye, No. 2..... 44 @ 45 1/2

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE.—Shipping Steers..... \$4.70 @ 5.75
Texas Steers..... 3.10 @ 4.20
HOGS.—Packers..... 3.20 @ 3.65
Butchers..... 3.20 @ 3.65
SHEEP..... 5.00 @ 6.00

OMAHA.

CATTLE.—Native Steers..... \$4.30 @ 5.30
Cows and Heifers..... 3.00 @ 3.50
Western Steers..... 3.70 @ 4.50
HOGS..... 3.20 @ 3.65
SHEEP..... 5.00 @ 6.00

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Holland City News.

FRIDAY, Oct. 7, 1898

G. VAN SCHELVEN, Editor.

Republican Nominations.

State Ticket.

For Governor—
HAKEN S. FINGREE, of Wayne.
Lieutenant Governor—
O. W. ROBINSON, of Houghton.
For Secretary of State—
J. S. STEARNS, of Ledingen.
For State Treasurer—
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For Auditor General—
BOSCOE D. DIX, of Berrien.
For Attorney General—
HORACE M. OREN, of Sault Ste Marie.
For Commissioner of State Land Office—
WILLIAM A. FRENCH, of Presque Isle.
For Sup. of Public Instruction—
JASON E. HAMMOND, of Hilledale.
For Members of State Board of Education—
F. A. PLATT, of Genesee.
E. F. JOHNSON, of Washtenaw.
For Regents of the University—
J. BYRON JUDKINS, of Kent.
ELI R. SUTTON, of Detroit.

Congressional Ticket.

For Member of Congress, Fifth District—
WILLIAM A. SMITH,
of Grand Rapids.

Legislative Ticket.

For State Senator, Twenty-third District—
SUEL A. SHELDON.
For Representative, First District—
LUKE LUGERS.
For Representative, Second District—
ROBERT ALWARD.

County Ticket.

For Sheriff—FRANK VAN RY.
For Clerk—CHARLES E. HOYT.
For Register—PETER BRUSSE.
For Treasurer—ELBERT LYNN.
For Prosecuting Attorney—P. H. McBRIDE.
For Clk. of Ct. Com.—DAN. F. PAGELSON, GEORGE
E. KOLLEN.
For Coroners—OSCAR E. YATES, JOHN MAS-
TENBROEK.
For Surveyor—EMMET H. PECK.

A Formal And Hearty Wel- come!

The formal welcome and reception tendered the Soldiers of '98 by the citizens of Holland upon their return home, on Friday evening, was a happy affair. It enabled the people by their presence to testify their due appreciation of the spirit in which the boys had responded and the manner in which they had conducted themselves while absent. As our representatives they were the object of our pride as well as of our solicitude. Notwithstanding the short notice in which the festivities were planned and executed the exercises in the church and the gathering at the banquet table evidenced that they fully answered the object in view.

The church had been suitably though not profusely decorated, sufficient to blend the character of the stately old edifice with the spirit of the occasion. The entrance of the volunteers as they marched up the aisle was the signal for a hearty applause, which was gracefully repeated for the veterans of '61. The church was filled.

The meeting was in charge of Mayor Mokma, while the music was furnished by a quartette composed of Prof. J. B. Nykerk, Dr. B. J. De Vries, J. Van der Sluis and Dr. A. C. V. R. Gilmore, with Prof. H. Vechte as accompanist. The program laid out by the committee was carried out in full:

Music—"Praise God, from whom all blessings
flow."
Invocation—Rev. K. Van Goor.
Opening Remarks, by the Mayor.
Music—"Star Spangled Banner."
Address—Hon. G. J. Diekema.
Address—Mr. J. C. Haddock.
Music—"Heroes Brave."
Address—Rev. J. Van Houte. (Dutch).
Address—Prof. J. T. Bergen.
Music—"America."
Benediction—Rev. Adam Clarke.

Mayor Mokma in his opening welcome, struck the right keynote: Achting hearts and tear-stained pillows marked your departure from our fire-sides. As you tarried in camp, or faced the enemy at Santiago, our prayers ascended to God for your safe return. We scanned the daily papers and read your letters as they appeared in the local press with interest and anxiety, lest they might be the last. Thanks be to God, you have all been returned to us, and while some of your number may still be lingering on beds for sickness, we cherish a fond hope of their speedy recovery. To but few cities and villages a like privilege has been secured, and all through the land the joy at the victorious ending of the war is mingled with the sobs of grief.

But one sentiment in Holland tonight, and that of thanksgiving. In behalf of the city, whose people I here officially represent, I bid you a welcome home. Your patriotism and readiness to enlist has reflected credit upon yourselves and upon your city, and you have returned without a stain of dishonor upon your record. We are proud of you, and hereafter you will take your position side by side with the defenders of the Union. While but few of you may have seen active service you are all entitled to equal recognition, for all showed the same readiness and devotion. Patriotism has acquired a new meaning to you, and remember now that your country needs true, manly men as much in times of peace as in war.

The next speaker was Hon. G. J.

Diekema: I have only the warmest of sentiments in welcoming you home, here, in this historic building; here, where the boys of '61-'65 received their last farewell; where during the darkest hours of the civil war the warmest petitions were sent up to the throne of grace, and where the heroes of that war were greeted with words of welcome. It is fitting that the boys of '98 and the veterans of '61 should sit side by side on this occasion—the flower of life next to the silvery gray.

Since the treacherous sinking of the Maine raised the clamor for war, the nation has rejoiced that at its helm was a man of God. We did not strike out for revenge, but with our christian sentiments we could no longer endure to see our neighbors tantalized in a spirit foreign to the march of centuries. Thus we fought for principles, and God in heaven fought with us. We accomplished what we started out for. Cuba is free, and the new Maine, now being built, will hereafter ride with safety in the harbor of Havana.

The nation has become unified. The fear lest religious sympathy might prevent the Roman Catholic population from responding to the cause of the government, has proven to be groundless. Prior to the outbreak of the war a class hatred had begun to develop, but no sooner had the call been sounded, when a Roosevelt and an Astor in the field and a Helen Gould in the hospital, were found side by side with the humblest of the land. Our naval heroes have provided Spain with a sub-marine navy, whose motto is, "plenty of room at the bottom of the sea." New names have become illustrious—Dewey, Sampson, Schley, Shafter, Miles, Wheeler, Lee.

We have assumed new responsibilities and Dewey's rapid firing guns have blocked out new duties. Spain is no longer fitted to possess a single colony as long as "liberty enlightens the world." America has taught the world a lesson in humanity, to love your enemy even in the midst of war. A manly man is noble even in carnage. Think of the kind words and acts of Capt. Phillips.

For all that has been accomplished you, young men, come in for your share, even if some of you were compelled to stand waiting. Of the noble army that achieved honor and glory, you formed a part.

In behalf of the veterans of '61, Mr. J. C. Haddock, adjutant of A. C. Van Raalte Post, G. A. R., next addressed the boys:

It is fitting we gather in this sacred place, where in days gone by other scenes similar to this have occurred, and it is eminently proper that the "Grand Army of the Republic," should extend a cordial welcome to the Volunteers of 1898.

I have been requested by your Citizens Committee to extend a cordial welcome from A. C. Van Raalte post, to these young men who have come back to us from camp life—Volunteers. But a few short months ago we sent you forth, full of life, and in the pride of young manhood, asking the blessing of Almighty God to go with you and keep you, and to give our arms success. The God of battle has been very merciful to many of you in the days of summer heat in a southern climate, and has returned you to us, for which we give him thanks.

You have been permitted to see many interesting and wonderful things in that part of our glorious republic. Your ideas of life and men have expanded. You have learned lessons of wisdom, I trust, and I hope you have learned lessons of obedience.

Young men of '98, Volunteers in the United States Army, let me advise you to profit by the army discipline you have been subjected to, and may not only your walk and bearing be erect and manly, but your characters be disciplined and made more noble. If ever called upon to take the field again, let obedience to rules and regulations mark your conduct, and show proper respect to those in authority. But if permitted to return to the paths of civil life, may the same patriotic spirit and devotion to duty, make you good citizens.

Are you impressed with the feeling that your service has been too short, and you have not been given the opportunities you anticipated of showing your valor, let me answer, you did all you were asked to do; you obeyed your country's call for Volunteers, to maintain the honor of our flag, in defense of a poor and oppressed people fighting for liberty; and you showed by your readiness to go, the true patriotic young American spirit.

When your trembling hand signed the enlistment roll, you crossed the threshold and the door was shut to other ambitions behind you. No escape then short of dishonor for two years or during the war. None of you have brought disgrace upon your city, but all went courageously forth to face wounds, disease or death. Who could prophesy your return, save God alone? No one. Then feel, young men, that you have won an honorable record in the eyes of your fellow citizens, although you have not left an arm or leg on the field of battle.

Some of you have been in the midst of the battle, and have heard the pit-

pat, of the Mauser bullet as it flew swiftly past you, and have heard the unearthly scream of shells as they passed through your ranks, leaving death and destruction in their wake.

Others have had to bear the tedious days of summer drill, and waiting in camp for orders to march—which never came, until you faced homeward. Many have been stricken with disease and have come home wan and emaciated. Some will never come again—they lie under green mounds on the hill tops or in the valleys, and our welcome home is unheeded.

But to you, to whom it is permitted to see this day, and are furloughed home, to you is this welcome extended by the veterans of the Civil War.

I come to you then as a representative of that Grand Army of '61 to '68 which gave 400,000 lives as a sacrifice upon the altar of its country, and which left 300,000 soldiers and sailors maimed and crippled for life—I come and say to you welcome, welcome home, welcome into that brotherhood of comrades who have worn the blue and given their services for their country. Welcome, welcome home!

Rev. J. Van Houte, whose privilege it was to count among the returned volunteers his own son, had been requested to make his address in Dutch:

The sight of these flags, and these warriors, old and young, if nothing more, would be sufficient to force an admission of my unbounded love for America, the land of the free. Notwithstanding its drawbacks, and in spite of hostile criticisms from abroad this country is the best in the world. And why? Because it is so large? No; China is large also. Because of its population? No; Russia's population is still greater. Because of its civilization? No; Europe enjoys this to the same degree. Why then? Because it is the home of liberty, in a sense in which this cannot be said of any other country on the globe. In the old world birth and pedigree often carry one along as on a wheelbarrow. Thou sands die there, in the lower spheres, who, if they had had the liberty, the opportunity, to develop their God-given capabilities, could have risen to position and influence. Here anyone, within his sphere, can grow to be an oak; not that an idiot can attain to genius, or a snail reach the height of an eagle, but American liberty and American opportunities enable each one to come up to the utmost of whatever is in him. No chicken needs to smother in its shell, there is room for it to get out.

The Dutch, here, are in evidence, to verify what I maintain, and hence it is that the Holland-American cherishes this land above all others, including his native land. As Hollanders, too, it is our bounden duty to be a blessing to this country, and observe our duties towards it. When Lincoln, in '61, called for volunteers the sons of the colonists said, here we are. Of this our maimed and war-stained veterans are the living witnesses. Again is '98 our sons, when called upon, come and asked our consent to go. We said, go, God be with you. While we hope that this may be the last war in which our country is ever to engage, there are other duties from which as citizens we will never be relieved. In peace, let education and religion be the rapid-firing guns of our armor as citizens. A few days more and our boys will lay aside their military uniform. May they never abandon the livery of Heaven, in which to serve the best interests of humanity, which is to serve God.

The last speaker on the program was Prof. J. T. Bergen: This flag of ours, from now on, means a thousand-fold more to the world than it ever did before, and every one beneath its folds is to enjoy its blessings. We are proud of the part Michigan has borne in the late war. The hero of Santiago is a Michigan man, and we honor the name of Shafter. When the report of the battle reached us in New York city on that hot July morning, I thought of the boys from Holland that were there, and the stories of blood to follow. One of them that was there told me that everything around him that day reminded him of Michigan, and that even the Mauser bullet as it whizzed past him shouted Kalamazoo. Staff officers from foreign armies sneered at us for trying to take Santiago with untrained and inexperienced troops and without heavy artillery, but it had to be done and it was done, and it proved to the world that America can do whatever it attempts in the name and in behalf of liberty. The speaker then detailed the parts taken by Michigan troops and affirmed that the work of the 33rd and 34th regiments, when written, will redound to the credit of the state.

Spain dies hard and is not dead yet. She is a nation of oppression. The cross she carries on her banner does not belong there. To her colonies she never gave the rights humanity is entitled to, and whatever progress they have made was in spite of the mother country. Even her Columbus died in prison, kept there by the power of the Spanish throne. Show me one act in history where Spain has upheld truth and right. The nation that

lifts its head and hand against liberty must go down. The hope and prayer of Americans is that their peace commissioners at Paris may hold out so that Spain will not retain a single island in the Philippine group. What right has she to hold colonies? She stands as the criminal among the nations of the earth.

Principles are powerful—God made them so. It were not the heavy batteries, as Napoleon said, that won at Santiago. It was the spirit of God. America, thy sun is still in the east, and rising. May God give it grace ever to keep rising!

Rev. K. Van Goor, the pastor of the church, who at the opening had en-joined the audience from giving way to any demonstration, thanked them for their decorous behavior and heartily forgave those who had violated the injunction, adding that it was a cause of great satisfaction to him to have a meeting of this kind held in his church.

At the close of these public exercises in the church, the honored guests of the evening gathered at the New City Hotel where the spacious dining hall had been converted into a banquet hall, and an elegant spread was awaiting them. The music here was furnished by Breyman's orchestra. It was appropriate to the occasion, being a reflection of patriotic and national airs, rendered in admirable style. Over a hundred plates had been set, and all were taken. It was nearly eleven o'clock when the tables were cleared and Hon. G. J. Diekema assumed his task as toastmaster. This part of the program, although it was not mapped out, was as happy as it was informal, rendered the more so perhaps by the selection of Comrad A. J. Ward, the veritable story-teller, to lead off. He was followed by J. Roost of the 32nd, Dr. J. A. Mabbs, Chas. F. Hiller of the 33rd, Rev. A. Clarke, J. Nies, Rev. Dr. P. De Pree, Gerrit Van Houte of the 32nd, G. Van Schelven, Mayor Mokma, P. De Feyter, Rev. J. Van Houte, and Chas. Hiller, Sr.

Much as we desired to give a synopsis of what was spoken here, we are compelled to cut short. The volunteers in their remarks give expression of thanks and appreciation at the reception accorded them, and gave a few reminiscences of their experience while in the field. Short as their period of service may have been, to them it was quite a schooling, and they are inclined to consider it in that light.

The only feature that in any way marred the joy of the occasion was the absence of six of the boys by reason of illness—Louis Hadden, Tennis Van De Water, William Hiller, Bud Smith, Hans Dykhuis and Henry Van Lente. The first two named are still absent from home, but the latest report from all of them are that they are improving.

Marine Items.

The steamer City of Kalamazoo has been taken from the South Haven and Chicago run and is now on the Milwaukee and Grand Haven run. All the officers and crew are new excepting steward and clerk.

Not in a score of years has Chicago river been in such a frightful condition as it is now. The water is as black as ink, and the smell is sickening to the crews of vessels traversing it. The cause of the trouble is that the pumping works at Bridgeport have broken down and the sewers have all been flushed into the river by the recent rains.

The heavy losses sustained by the insurance companies on account of a large number of accidents within the past week, are causing some anxiety among vesselmen regarding hull insurance next year, especially on wooden vessels. It is predicted in some quarters that there will be no insurance on wooden vessels next year, and that the rates on steel hulls will be marked up.

A new steamboat line along the west shore of Lake Michigan, with Kenosha and Waukegan as the objective points, will be established by the Goodrich Transportation Co., next season. It is the purpose of the company to develop largely a short excursion business to Waukegan, and gardens and picnic grounds will be added as attractions.

Capt. Carris, of the Goodrich steamer Georgia, was before Commissioner Blodgood Friday morning to answer to a charge of assaulting a seaman, which in the eye of the law is a serious offense. The charge was made by John O'Brien, a deckhand who alleges that the captain struck him while the steamer was lying at the Goodrich dock in this city. Capt. Carris was bound over to appear before the grand jury and his bond was fixed at \$2,500.—Evening Wisconsin.

Fifty steamers and schooners of the great lakes are being chartered by the Atlantic Transportation Company of New York, for transfer to the Atlantic coast trade. Of this number fifteen have already been secured and will be on the seaboard in a month. The charter is for a term of three years, with privilege of purchase at the end of that time at a fixed price.

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A Short But Practical Campaign.

The large audience that gathered at Lyceum Opera House Wednesday evening to hear Congressman McCleary of Minnesota, patiently submitted to a delay of one and a half hour, occasioned by the non-arrival of the speaker. It was found impossible by him to make the necessary railroad connections from Indianapolis, where he was the previous evening, and reach Holland in time; and he would not have been here at all, had it not been that his friend and colleague, Hon. William Alden Smith, brought him here from Grand Rapids on a special train. The interval in the hall however, thanks to the kind offices of the West Michigan band, was made pleasant by the rendering of several selections of fine music.

It was 9:30 when the spell was broken and the chairman of the evening, Mr. G. J. Diekema, presented the honorable gentleman to the meeting as "Minnesota's leading Congressman, who had come here to speak a good word for the best Congressman from Michigan—our own Wm. Alden Smith."

The speaker after explaining the unavoidable causes that led to the delay expressed his satisfaction in finally reaching Holland, a city founded by men from the land which had just crowned a noble young woman as its queen, adding that "while you may love that land for what it has been to you, you love this land more for what it WILL do for you."

The lateness of the hour, and the brief time remaining prevented Mr. McCleary, who in Congress is considered authority on the great finan-

cial questions of our day, from entering fully and connectedly upon the various phases of the subject. As to these problems, he said, some of them hold over from the last election, while others have come up since. By a succinct line of reasoning he answered the question, so naturally put by the man who labors at a fixed scale of prices or wages, why it is for his interest to maintain the gold standard, and not adopt the free and unlimited coinage of silver, notwithstanding the charm there lies in the term "free."

He cited how gold and silver came to be used and coined, and what were the essentials to constitute value: 1st, the article must be an object of human desire, for unless people want it, it has no value; 2nd, it must be limited; 3rd, it must be transferable, in a commercial sense. This he applied to the relations gold and silver coin bear to the world, at this time.

Next he explained the difference between coining on private account and government account. At present, even in the year 1898, silver is coined on government account, and what the free silver advocate wants is to have it coined on private account, that is, for the individual citizen. Whenever the latter is done the value of the coin becomes reduced to the value of the metal in the coin, which, with the present market price of silver, would make the silver dollar a forty-cent dollar. Take Uncle Sam away from behind the silver dollar, so that he cannot control the quantity, and you get a cheap dollar, the worst thing that can befall the laboring classes. This is what our friends on the other side propose to do, coining on private account, and make that coinage free and unlimited. Along this and similar lines he made it clear how it is to the interest of the laboring man to keep the dollar in which he is paid limited in quantity, so that it retains its value and purchasing power.

The speaker also dwelled upon the relation of the price of silver to that of wheat, and how the theory of the free silver advocates, advanced to the farmers in the campaign of '96, had been exploded, and then launched out briefly upon some of the problems still before us, how in view of the enlarged future of American trade it has become necessary to firmly establish American credit abroad by placing it on an established basis recognized by the commercial world. This, he said, is the next problem before Congress, and what each Congressman needs is an enlightened constituency behind him, so as to encourage him to do what is right.

Mr. McCleary next stated that one object in his coming to Holland was to speak a good word for his friend and fellow-congressman, Wm. Alden Smith. He complimented the Fifth district upon their selection. The House, he said, is slow in discovering a strong man among its new members. Still, whenever Mr. Smith takes the floor, he invariably receives attention. You have sent him twice, I advise you to send him again, and back him up with a good majority. With us in Minnesota whenever they send a Popocrat to Congress it means calamity, and as a rule he represents a disgruntled community. Your district is not one of that kind. Not only for Mr. Smith's sake, but for your sake and more than that, for the country's sake, send him back to the House. President McKinley has merited it at the hands of the people that Michigan by its votes in November shall say: we trust our President, and hence we give him a House and a Senate that will back him.

Although the hour was late Mr. Smith was induced to add a few words. It was not his intention to do so, inasmuch as he will spend an evening with us later in the campaign.

Referring to his colleague from Minnesota Mr. Smith paid him a compliment by stating that his great speech in the House two years ago, was made the key-note of the campaign of '96. Both were anxious to be here this evening, because they had promised to, and as good Republicans they were bound to make their promise good, if it got to be a little late. Besides, Mr. Smith wanted him to get acquainted

with a people that were clamoring for 18 feet of water in their harbor, that wanted piers extended, etc. [Laughter.]

Not a word of what we pledged you in '96, said the speaker, has been left unfulfilled, while the threats of the opposition as to the dire results of a gold standard have not realized. The hum of industry is heard, men are employed, confidence is restored, and the American flag is respected wherever it floats.

Mr. Smith then briefly referred to the current of recent events and how he felt more like making a patriotic address than a political speech. He cited some of the miseries and horrors that fell under his observation while in Cuba, how they justified America in entering upon the war, and how this country had a duty to perform in rescuing the Cuban people. He thought that eventually Cuba would become a part of this country. The country is growing and the trade of the Orient is ours. Let the close of the present century be a fitting prelude to the opening of the next.

In spite of the drawbacks the meeting was in every way satisfactory. The people showed deep interest and paid close attention to the main address, and their Congressman met with a most gratifying reception.

This evening Mr. McCleary speaks in Grand Rapids.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Merrill sign and Carriage painting 45 E. 12 st. Bell phone 99.

Geo. Haverkate, Comp. C, 34th Mich. Infy, is still ill in the hospital at New York.

At A. I. Kramer's the line that receives special attention just now is cloaks. See adv.

A passenger train on the D. & M. railroad killed a brakeman near Detroit, Wednesday evening.

The Berlin and Allegan fairs, held this week, have been very successful, and a large attendance is reported at each of them.

Although accidents from the trolley cars are few, there is one to be reported this week. Orin McFall, who resides on the Grand Haven road, had his horse tied on Eighth street Tuesday, when it took fright at a car that came up from the rear, broke away, and before it was caught the shafts of the buggy were broken, the horse also receiving some slight injuries.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Geo. P. Hummer returned Tuesday from a visit to the Omaha exposition. Mrs. G. Van Schelven and son Louis H. returned on Tuesday morning's boat from a visit to Chicago.

P. Volmarie of Grand Rapids was in the city over Sunday.

Mrs. E. Everhard is visiting with her son at Zeeland.

Prof. Geo. N. Ellis, who fills the chair of Latin at Olivet College, was in town this week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McLean.

J. Wise was in Chicago this week, looking for bargains.

Chas. Genshaw, a former resident of this city, but now of Petoskey, arrived in town Wednesday and will spend a few days calling upon old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Pessink, Misses Nellie Koning, Miss Nellie Verschure, J. Van der Sluis, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Kamferbeek took in the Kalamazoo street fair.

Jac. Lokker was in Grand Rapids Tuesday, on court business.

D. Gilmore has taken a position at the Walsh-De Roo flouring mills.

P. H. McBride was an attendant at the Berlin fair Thursday.

Mrs. Rev. W. H. Van Antwerp has accompanied her husband on his visit to Washington.

Attorney Kollen attended the opening of the circuit court at Allegan Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boone spent Sunday at Fennville with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pieters.

Supervisor Rutgers took in the excursion to Chicago Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Zwemer of Grand Haven spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Zwemer.

Anthony Pauels of Grand Rapids visited with his parents in this city Sunday.

Austin Mabbs and wife, of Deadwood S. D., an uncle and aunt of Dr. Mabbs, and Mrs. Robert Mabbs, the mother of Dr. Mabbs, of Allegan, were the guests this week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Mabbs.

Mrs. F. H. Hall of Allegan visited with her son F. C. Hall this week. She returned home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Van Drezer are visiting at Saranac this week.

Dr. G. J. Kollen and wife are at Orange City, Ia., and will be absent about two weeks.

Mrs. Jas. Westveer has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Rev. G. J. Hekhuis, at Roseland, Ill., and friends at Cedar Grove and Sheboygan, Wis.

L. De Wit will celebrate his 85th birthday Monday.

John Cook, city treasurer of Grand Haven, was in the city this week, to attend the funeral of his mother. His brother Egbert and family arrived from Vriesland, Minn., on the same sorrowful mission.

JUST BEFORE DEATH.

The First Impressions of Life Are the Last to Fade from Memory.

In the account of Mr. Gladstone's death given in the London Telegraph it was stated that during the last two days, whenever he was delirious, his broken sentences, even his muttered prayers, were spoken in French. It is probable that during his earliest childhood his nurse was French, and that she had taught him to pray in her language.

It is a fact established by physicians that the mind, after a lingering illness, just before death, frequently goes back to its earliest experiences. The first impressions of life are the last to fade from the memory. Aged women who have long been grandmothers, when propped up on their death-beds to sign a will, have been known to write the maiden name, unused for half a century.

The vicious old roisterer, Falstaff, in his dying hour "babbled o' green fields;" and Napoleon went forth to meet the grim conqueror of all kings, not a poor prisoner surrounded by his jailers, but at the head of his armies—again young, dominant, victorious.

Dr. Valmy, a surgeon in the Confederate army during the civil war, once stated that it was not uncommon for men who died on the field from gunshot wounds to forget the battle raging near them and in their thoughts to go back home. No matter how furious the passion of the fight had been, the touch of death swept it away, and they muttered of "mother," or some prayer which they had long ago learned from her. None of us can pierce the awful mystery of death; yet it sometimes seems as if the soul, going out again into the darkness, passed into the unknown from which it came, and found at its exit the dear, familiar faces and thoughts which welcomed it here waiting to bid it Godspeed upon its journey.

FREAKS OF THE MAUSER.

The Queer Courses Followed by the Bullets After They Struck Our Soldiers.

"Those Mauser bullets did some mighty queer things," said a wounded soldier the other day, according to the New York Commercial Advertiser. "As long as they were flying through the air they went straight enough, but when one struck a man's body there was no telling what it would do. Sometimes it would be straight through him, bones and all, and go zipping on to plug some poor fellow half a mile away, perhaps. And then again it might chase around inside him like a hen with her head cut off. "I saw a man who was hit in the right eye by a Mauser. The ball, instead of lodging in his brain, went through his temple and down the side of his face in front of his ear, just under the skin. It kept on, leaving a red track all the way, went down the side of the neck, over his shoulder and down his back. Near his waist it came out. Another man was shot in the left breast. The ball went through his chest, turned down, went through his liver, plowed its way through the muscles of his right thigh, and came out near his right knee. It's mighty queer the way those balls go sometimes. I suppose they hit bones and glance, but that won't account for it always. Another queer thing is that most all the men were hit between the belt and the knee. The Spanish fired low."

EMPRESS AND PIANIST.

Josef Hofmann Wouldn't Await Royalty's Leisure When the Skating Was Fine.

Josef Hofmann, the famous young pianist, is fond of all sorts of sports, especially of skating, in which, as a boy, he excelled. "When visiting St. Petersburg a year or two ago," writes Mary B. Mullett, in Ladies' Home Journal, "Josef was summoned to play before the ex-empress, the hour named being from three to four in the afternoon. It was a perfect day. The Neva was frozen over, of course, and the skating was at its height. Immediately after luncheon Josef's father found his son dressing as if to go to the palace."

"Where are you going?" he demanded.

"To play for the empress."

"But you were not to go until three o'clock."

"Three o'clock! If I wait until then it will be too late to go skating. I'm going now!"

"He went. And it is not a surprise to anyone who knows Hofmann to learn that he played for the ex-empress as soon as he reached the palace, and that he then went off and skated the rest of the afternoon."

To Remember Faces.

To remember a face, as a person is called, the rule is not difficult to follow. Pick out some feature or peculiarity by which you can distinguish that face or person from all other faces or persons and associate the name with that feature or peculiarity. No two countenances or figures are alike, and it is by noting how they differ one from another that you will remember them.

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A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D.: "Was taken cold, settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at Heber Walsh of Holland and Van Bree & Son of Zeeland. Regular size 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed or price refunded.

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No. 193. An Ordinance

To amend section nine of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting to Charles M. Humphrey, and to his assigns, and to a corporation hereafter to be organized under the provisions of Chapter ninety-five of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended, and to its successors and assigns, to which corporation, when so organized, the said grantee shall assign this ordinance the right to construct, maintain and operate street railways on certain streets, avenues and public places in the City of Holland and on such other streets, avenues and public places in said city as may be hereafter designated," approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as amended by an ordinance passed January fourth, A. D. one thousand eight hundred ninety-eight, and approved January fifth, A. D. one thousand eight hundred ninety-eight, and as further amended by an ordinance passed May twenty-seventh, A. D. one thousand eight hundred ninety-eight, and approved May twenty-eighth, A. D. one thousand eight hundred ninety-eight.

THE CITY OF HOLLAND ORDINANCE:

SECTION 1. That section nine of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting to Charles M. Humphrey, and to his assigns, and to a corporation hereafter to be organized under the provisions of Chapter ninety-five of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended, and to its successors and assigns, to which corporation, when so organized, the said grantee shall assign this ordinance the right to construct, maintain and operate street railways on certain streets, avenues and public places in the City of Holland and on such other streets, avenues and public places in said city as may be hereafter designated," approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as amended by an ordinance passed January fourth, A. D. one thousand eight hundred ninety-eight, and approved January fifth, A. D. one thousand eight hundred ninety-eight, and as further

ther amended by an ordinance passed May twenty-seventh, A. D. one thousand eight hundred ninety-eight, and approved May twenty-eighth, A. D. one thousand eight hundred ninety-eight, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 9. This ordinance is also granted with the understanding that said road may be operated for the purpose of carrying baggage, express and U. S. mail as well as passengers; and said grantees, their successors and assigns are hereby authorized to charge for carrying baggage and express whatever amounts may be reasonable therefor, except such parcels which passengers may conveniently carry with them on the cars, and to enter into contracts for carrying express and U. S. mail; provided however, such express shall only be carried in modern combination express and passenger cars. The rates of fare for passengers for a single ride for a continuous trip any distance in one direction over the line or route hereinafter described, shall not be more than five cents, for which the passenger shall be entitled to such ride and to a ticket or transfer check, to be given such passenger before leaving the car, good for a ride over any other line or route operated by said grantees, their successors or assigns, within said city of Holland, provided such transfer ticket is presented on the next regular car of such other route within one hour after such passenger leaves the car on which he paid the five cent fare and received such transfer ticket, if there be such car within said hour; and if not, then on the first car thereafter; which rate of fare shall not be reduced during the life of this ordinance without the consent of said grantees, their successors or assigns; provided, further, that during a period of three years from and after the passage of this ordinance, and no longer, said road may be operated between the hours of five o'clock in the afternoon and eight o'clock of the following morning, on all that part of Harrison avenue lying between Sixteenth street and the side track of the Chicago & West Michigan Railway Company, running along the south shore of Black Lake, and on all that part of Sixteenth street lying west of Harrison avenue, for the purpose of carrying farm produce, garden truck, milk, merchandise and other light freight as well as passengers, baggage, express and United States mail.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take immediate effect.

Passed October 4, A. D. 1898.

Approved October 5, A. D. 1898.

GERM W. MOERMA, Mayor.

Attest: WM. O. VAN DYCK, City Clerk.

Notice of Special Assessment.

CLERK'S OFFICE,
Holland, Mich., Sept. 28, 1898.

To M. Schooneman, Chicago & West Michigan Railway, Mrs. J. Kleyen, J. W. Bosman, A. Van Hute, J. W. Bosman, L. Van Hute, J. Pool, E. Tubbett, H. Karel, B. Huisman, Scott-Lagers Lumber Company, A. B. Bosman, J. W. Bosman, A. Roos, Kryn Kolkema, Jr., L. De Kraker, Mrs. J. Kerkhof, B. Grootenhuys Estate, Chicago & West Michigan Railway, A. Thomas, J. W. Bosman, J. Beutema, G. Vander Vliet, H. Bidding, J. W. Bosman, Scott-Lagers Lumber Company, J. P. Grimes, Blom & Takken, Cor. Wieringa, M. Poppe, P. S. Vandenberg, Johanna Kerkhof, Fred Kerkhof, Johanna Kerkhof, Cor. Kerkhof, Mrs. L. Vandenberg, H. De Fouw, P. Sierma, E. Kraal, W. Westhoek, A. Huisenga, John Yonkman, Sr. Hm. Kragt, A. Harrington, C. J. De Roo, C. A. Dutton Estate, D. J. Doornik, Henry Kremers, J. Prince, E. Kleyen, H. De Post Estate, Frank Haven, E. B. Blyveld, E. Drolling, H. Mol, G. Bask, J. Guldebeck, A. Van den Bosch, G. Zagers, A. Vanden Bosch, L. Muppeling, J. W. Bosman, L. Post, J. W. Bosman, J. H. Boone, A. Vanden Bosch, Paul Steketee, N. Hansen, O. Pottersom, H. Kautzen, M. H. Kautzen Estate, E. H. Beekman, Age De Vries, C. Trine, Nicholas Unema, C. Bos, C. De Jongh, Sr., Jacob Stroop, Albert Moppeling, G. M. Van Tubbergen, Isaac Cappon, Mrs. A. Nyssen, Tennis Ten Houten, H. Schaatsenaar, E. Van der Veen, Mrs. C. Van den Heuvel, Sr., E. Kleyen, Arend Vlescher, H. Rafenaud, Henry Van Ry, Benjamin Van Slooten, Dick Heedeman, Mrs. C. Van den Heuvel, Sr., C. Van den Heuvel, Marinus Verhelst, Mrs. C. Gilmore, Mary Kollen, Hope College, Pope, Garrod and Post, Chris. M. Hansen, Estate of L. Mulder, L. Van Slooten, Mrs. G. Schaatsenaar and all other persons interested.

TAKE NOTICE: That the roll of the special assessment heretofore made by the board of assessors for the purpose of defraying that part of the cost which the council decided should be paid and borne by special assessment for grading and otherwise improving Sixteenth street is now on file in the office of the city clerk for public inspection.

Notice is also hereby given, that the council and board of assessors of the city of Holland will meet at the council rooms in said city on Tuesday, October 19, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., to review said assessment, at which time and place opportunity will be given all persons interested, to be heard.

WILLIAM O. VAN DYCK, City Clerk.

Calumet Baking Powder

has turned the tables on high price baking powders. The directions on High Price cans are the same as on Calumet cans, viz.: 2 teaspoonsful to a quart of flour, but they say that one can of High Price will go three times as far as any other. Can any claim be more ridiculous? The frantic cry of adulteration, danger and poison made by the high price baking powder people is a blind to intimidate the public and induce them to pay fancy prices for their goods—also to divert attention from this defect in their own goods.

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LAYMEN WILL SUCCEED.

Question of Equal Representation Will Be Carried Before Methodist General Conference.

BIG VOTE RECORDED IN FAVOR OF IT.

Rock River Conference in Session at Chicago—Triennial Council of Protestant Episcopal Church Opens at Washington—Subjects of Vital Importance to Be Discussed.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—While Methodist preachers were gathered in annual conference at the South Park Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago, prominent laymen, engaged in the campaign for equal representation in the general conference of the denomination, were gathered in the First Baptist church, two blocks farther north. The latter gathering adopted resolutions thanking the ministers for submitting the proposition toward attaining the object the laity has in view and elected new officers for the laymen's association of the Rock River conference. The conference opened with the sacramental service. It lasted until ten o'clock, when the fifty-ninth annual business session was opened, with Bishop Henry W. Warren, D. D., LL. D., presiding.

At two o'clock in the afternoon the laymen and the ministers met together. The afternoon was given over to the free discussion of the equal representation

INCENSED AT MILITIA.

Citizens and Striking Miners at Pana Complain Because Soldiers Aid the Sheriff.

Pana, Ill., Oct. 5.—The militia, deputies and rough riders patrolled the city during the entire night and are still on duty, but no trouble has occurred. More negroes are on the street than usual. The miners congregate in small squads and converse in low tones. The citizens, together with miners, are greatly incensed at the stand the militia are taking. Notwithstanding Gov. Tanner's command to them not to guard negroes or the mines, but the citizens and property, they are following out the dictation of the sheriff. A committee of the State Federation of Labor is in the city looking over the field preparatory to reporting to the governor. It was current report that Sheriff Coburn will ask Gov. Tanner to place the city under martial law, and Lieut. Henry says the request will be granted. Capt. Craig will then be in absolute control and the local police and deputies will be superseded by the soldiers.

State Secretary and Treasurer W. D. Ryan, of the miners' organization, has arrived to confer with the miners and look after their interests.

HARD TO FORTIFY.

Protection of Honolulu Must Be by Coast Defense Vessels Rather Than Land Fortifications.

San Francisco, Oct. 5.—On the next steamer from Honolulu Maj. Gen. Merriam expects a report from the United States engineers regarding camp sites and fortifications. It is said that the

DIES IN A BATHTUB.

Shocking Death of Hon. William Strutt, Son of Lord Belper, of England.

St. Louis, Oct. 5.—Hon. William Strutt, aged about 25 years, son of Lord Belper of Kingston, Derbyshire, England, and nephew of the earl of Dunmore, a Scotch peer, who is lord in waiting to Queen Victoria, was found dead in the bathtub in his apartments at the West End hotel, at eight a. m. His body was entirely submerged in the water that filled the tub. The last seen of the young man was at two o'clock Monday afternoon. It is not yet known what caused his death. The remains have been removed to the morgue to await the inquest. The remains were discovered by Herman Alweise and Lottie Piper, man and maid servant, respectively, of the young man, who occupied a suite of apartments on the fifth floor of the fashionable West End hotel. From its condition the body must have been in the tub for some time. The hotel people were immediately notified and the coroner took charge of the remains for the purpose of learning the cause of death. The countess of Dunmore, who is stopping with friends in the city, is an aunt of the dead man. She was notified of his death, but as her whereabouts are kept a secret, nothing could be learned from her concerning Mr. Strutt. She attended the Veiled Prophets' ball Tuesday night.

Deceased came to this city August 15 and took apartments at the hotel where he died. He was here apparently on a pleasure and sight-seeing tour, and not very much was known about him.

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TO PREVENT COAL THEFTS.

A Mine Owner's Clever Device to Protect Himself from Petty Pilferers.

The stealing of coal on railroads is a very active industry. In districts where railroad competition is brisk the roads find it worth their while to stand the loss due to thefts of coal from their cars. In other districts, where mines are scarce and a brand of coal is well advertised, the dealers will stand the loss. In other districts, again, as in the state of Kentucky, where mines are numerous and the competition is heavy, the onus of the thefts falls on the mine operator. A large mine owner, who had to bear losses of this kind finally bethought himself of a practical plan of stopping them. He built a car consisting of an ordinary gondola car, covered by a sectional roof, divided into four folding doors upon each side of the car, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

The doors are so equipped that they can be turned back, one at a time, or convenient for loading. When the car is loaded, the doors are locked and sealed by one operation. The car is then weighed and is sure of being delivered and paid for at mine weight. Protection is also thus given the coal from rain, ice and snow, and the train crew are not under the necessity of climbing over an open loaded car of coal in doing their work. The unloading is perfectly simple. The doors are thrown back, each in turn, as the unloading progresses. Should the car not be fully unloaded at night, the doors can be closed and locked by padlock, and it can be left on the track until daylight without fear of thieves.

SPAIN AND THE SPANIARDS.

What Causes the Insecurity of the National Status—An Indolent Race.

It is not true that the Spaniard is naturally cruel, declares David Han-nay in the Pall Mall Magazine. The ferocities of which he has unquestionably been guilty have come from his unbusiness-like indolence. He lets trouble come from want of precaution in time, and it finds him unprepared. Then he falls into the rage of the indolent man who is aroused out of his indolence, and strikes savagely. Conduct of that kind proves his incapacity for government, and is seen at its worst where he has to deal with Creoles, who repeat his own faults in an exaggerated form, and with half-breeds. For that reason, among others, he has lost his colonial empire. It would be a mistake, however, to suppose that Spain is decaying. The population has nearly, if not quite, doubled in the present century, and the country itself is infinitely better off than it was a hundred years ago. The loss of Cuba will be no evil for Spain, but a gain, for it will stop a dreadful drain of life and treasure. When there is no colonial market to think of, the immense resources of the country itself will probably be better worked. The mere mineral wealth of Spain ought to be enough to make it rich. If it has begun to understand the consequences of bad administration it may well be one of the most prosperous parts of Europe in another generation.

DEPENDS ON THE CAPTAIN.

Whether the Life of a Private Is a Torture or Not—Most Officers Are Kind.

I rode a hundred miles the other night in the smoking compartment of a passenger coach, along with a number of Uncle Sam's regulars. Two of them had been in Cuba, and were going home on furloughs, says a writer in the Philadelphia Item.

The other passengers were anxious for reminiscences of Santiago, and kept the two who had been at the front recounting their experiences. One of the two, whose thin frame showed the ravages of typhoid fever, I found to be very intelligent and an interesting talker.

"The regular army," he said, "is all right if you have the right captain and lieutenants. If the captain is a humane man, one with sympathy for his men, and is quick to prevent the other officers from imposing on them, a regular soldier has a comfortable life. "If, however, the captain's head is bigger than his heart, then the life of a regular is trial and torture.

"Most of the officers," he said, "are kind to their men, and make their lot as comfortable as possible. But occasionally there is one cruel, pompous and tyrannical. The slightest infraction of discipline leads to extra duty. It is from such commands that most of the desertions take place."

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Were liable to create sad havoc among our troops at Cuba, but there is an element in our midst that is equally as destructive to property as bullets are to human life. Breastworks and fortifications protect our boys from shot and shell, but the Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Company protects all from loss by the ravages of the fire fiend. The Grand Rapids Fire Insurance Company does the largest business in Michigan of any Michigan Company. J. O. Duesberg, Agent, Holland

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CHICAGO HALF FARE EXCURSION

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Administrators Sale.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel Weymar deceased.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Tuesday the Twentieth day of September, A. D. 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the store building on the premises hereinafter described in the city of Holland, in the county of Ottawa, in the state of Michigan, pursuant to license and authority granted to me on the Twenty-fifth day of July, A. D. 1898, by the probate court of Ottawa county, Michigan, all of the estate, right, title and interest of the said deceased of, in and to the real estate situated and being in the city of Holland, in the county of Ottawa, in the state of Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: All that part of lot nine (9) in block thirty-two (32) in said city of Holland, which is bounded on the north and south sides by the north and south lines of said lot. Bounded on the east side by a line running parallel with the east line of said lot and twenty-five (25) feet west therefrom. Bounded on the west side by a line running parallel with the east line of said lot nine (9) and fifty (50) feet west therefrom.

Terms of payment will be made known at time and place of sale.

Dated August 2nd, A. D. 1898.

30-7v ISAAC MARSHALL, Administrator.

"UNCLE SAM IS TREADING ON THE TOES OF EUROPE."



tion proposition, which started from this conference.

A year ago the Rock River conference set the ball rolling by submitting to the other conferences a proposition to give laymen as large representation at the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which meets every four years and which is the lawmaking body of the church. Since then the proposition has gone the rounds of the annual conferences, has been voted on favorably by most of them, and has come back to the Rock River body for a vote. The total vote to-day is 7,579 for and 1,431 against. A three-fourths vote is necessary to carry the proposition before the general conference, and these figures show 3,508 over the necessary three-fourths. It would take 1,169 more negatives to defeat the proposition. The Rock River conference is in favor of it, and will pass it, perhaps by a unanimous vote.

EPISCOPALIANS MEET.

Triennial Council of the Church Opens at Washington.

Washington, Oct. 5.—With impressive ceremonies the triennial council of the Protestant Episcopal church of the United States opened at 11 o'clock in the morning at the old landmark of Episcopal worship at the national capital, Epiphany church. The sessions beginning Wednesday have a far-reaching interest and importance to the Episcopal organization of the country, and, indeed, to the church world at large, for, aside from the distinguished personnel of the bishops, clergymen and laymen, the subjects which will engage the attention of the two governing bodies of the church have a present and vital interest to the church in general and to the Episcopal church in particular.

Promptly at 11 o'clock the strains of the great church organ and the mixed voices of the choir floated through the edifice, initiating the council with the imposing entrance of the bishops. Following the choir came the stately body of ecclesiastics occupying the highest places in the church.

Bishop Whipple conducted the service and in fervent tones led the opening prayers.

Then followed the service of the Episcopal church. Bishop Neely reading the epistle, Bishop Wilmer the gospel, and all the bishops uniting in repeating the creed. Rev. Dr. McKim, of Epiphany, made the announcement of Dr. Williams' absence and that Bishop Whipple would preside over the assemblage of bishops until a presiding officer was chosen. The business sessions of both houses were announced to begin at 3:30 p. m.

Bishop Tuttle, of Missouri, then ascended the pulpit and delivered the sermon.

Magnificent carnivals are being held in St. Louis, Kansas City and Omaha.

report will be more in the nature of a study than voicing any conclusions. Gen. Merriam, when asked about the matter, said:

"Honolulu's proper defense from an enemy's fleet is a very important and serious question. The coral reefs forming the narrow harbor are low. The site of the city is also low and the city is close to the ocean. I am not prepared to say what can or cannot be done in the way of land fortifications. The outlook is not promising. I am inclined to think that the city must depend for most of its protection from an enemy's attacks upon ships of the coast defense type. In that case there will be no necessity for a large permanent camp at Honolulu."

BOILER WENT DRY.

Engineer Filled It with Cold Water—Result: Two Dead, Three Injured, Building Destroyed.

Reno, Nev., Oct. 5.—A fatal boiler explosion occurred at the sawmill of Liberty & Lee, located six miles from Verdi, Nev., in which two lives were lost and three persons seriously injured. The entire plant was completely destroyed and not a fragment of the boiler was to be found.

The explosion was caused by the engineer allowing the boiler to run dry and attempting to fill it with cold water.

No Cause for Alarm.

Quebec, Can., Oct. 5.—Anxious inquiries still continue to come to the commission from the United States concerning the reported cession of United States territory in the settlement of the Alaskan boundary question. The American commissioners answer them with the assurance that no definite proposition has been made to cede any part of Uncle Sam's domain, and that there is no cause for alarm in that direction on the part of the American people.

Wisconsin State Bankers.

Milwaukee, Oct. 5.—The sixth annual convention of the Wisconsin State Bankers' association opened at Hotel Pfister. The first session was taken up with an address of welcome by Mayor D. S. Rose, the address of W. K. Coffin, of Eau Claire, president of the association, and the reception of reports. About 150 delegates and guests are in attendance.

Negro Rapist Shot.

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 5.—Wright Smith (colored), who attempted an assault on Mrs. Morrison, the wife of Capt. James Morrison, of the Third district, residing near Jones Station, was taken from jail shortly after two o'clock in the morning and shot.

Gorgeous Pageant.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 5.—"Kween Karnation," succeeding Pallas Athene of Monday, held forth and, heading a gorgeous pageant of flower-bedecked vehicles, was drawn through the streets, the wonder and admiration of the thousands of sightseers.

A prominent citizen with whom the deceased dined recently is of the opinion that Mr. Strutt died of heart disease. The man, he said, was traveling for his health, and he thinks the shock received in taking a cold bath had a fatal effect.

A Musical Invention.

Cincinnati, Oct. 5.—A patent has been allowed to Dr. S. A. Hageman, of this city, on his invention which is designed to correct the false intonation of the "tempered" scale in which all pianos now play, so as to make the piano render music in the true scale, raising that instrument to the level of the violin and other stringed instruments in this respect. Dr. Hageman is a half brother to the late Rev. David Swing, of Chicago. The problem which his invention claims to have solved is one that has puzzled the musical world ever since the piano has been in existence.

Ohio Republican Campaign Opened.

Columbus, O., Oct. 5.—The republicans opened their state campaign Wednesday with meetings in 18 of the 21 congressional districts. No meetings were held in the two districts at Cincinnati for local reasons. As the nominations in the Nineteenth district, known as the "Old Giddings, Wade, Garfield district," were not made until Tuesday.

First Football Game of Season.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 5.—The Kansas state university and the Kansas City medics eleven played the first game of football of the season here at Exposition park in the forenoon. A great crowd was in attendance and the conditions were favorable. The game resulted: Kansas university, 6; medics, 0, the scoring being made in the first half.

Elect Officers.

San Francisco, Oct. 5.—At the annual meeting of the American Beet Sugar association, held in this city, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Henry T. Oxnard, Nebraska, president; J. Ross Clark, Montana, vice president; James Coffin, California, secretary and treasurer.

To Retire Grade of Vice Admiral.

New York, Oct. 5.—A special from Washington to the Herald says: President McKinley and Secretary of the Navy Long have determined to recommend to congress the revival of the grade of vice admiral, to be filled by the promotion of Rear Admiral Dewey.

Peace Jubilee at Denver.

Denver, Col., Oct. 5.—A peace jubilee was the feature of the second day of the festival of mountain and plain. A patriotic parade in which returned soldiers, local military and other organizations participated was followed by exercises at the grand stand.

SOCIETIES.

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Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by Pieter Oosting and Francena Oosting his wife, of the city of Holland, county of Ottawa and state of Michigan, parties of the first part, to the Ottawa County Building & Loan Association of Holland, Michigan, a corporation, party of the second part dated the 5th day of October, A. D. 1905 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa county, Michigan, on the 16th day of October, A. D. 1905, in Liber 47 of Mortgages on page 370, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time of this notice the sum of Five Hundred Eighty-nine and 84/100 dollars (\$589.84), bond of an attorney fee of Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) provided for by law; and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part of it, and the whole of the principal sum of said mortgage together with all arrearages of interest thereon having become due and payable by reason of default in the payment of interest and installments of principal and fines imposed according to the by-laws of said Association on said mortgage on the days when the same became due and payable, and the non-payment of such interest, installments and fines being in default for the space of more than six months after the same became due and payable; wherefore under the conditions of the said mortgage the whole amount of the principal sum of said mortgage with all arrearages of interest thereon at the option of the said party of the second part became due and payable immediately thereafter; and the said Ottawa County Building & Loan Association of Holland, Michigan, hereby declares its election and option to consider the whole amount of said principal sum of said mortgage due and payable.

Notice is therefore hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and the statute in such cases made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue of the mortgaged premises, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage with said costs of foreclosure and sale including said attorney fee of Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). Said sale to take place at the north outer door of the Ottawa County Court House in the city of Grand Haven, Ottawa county, Michigan (that being the place where the circuit court for the county of Ottawa is held), on Monday, the Fourteenth day of November, A. D. 1906, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day. The said mortgage premises to be sold being described in said mortgage as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated and being in the city of Holland, county of Ottawa and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Lots numbered three (3), four (4), and fifteen (15) in block numbered eight (8) in the south west addition to said city, except a part of lot three (3) described and bounded as follows: commencing at the north east corner of said lot three (3), thence south on the east line of said lot, ninety (90) feet; thence west twelve (12) feet; thence north ninety (90) feet to the north line of said lot; thence east twelve (12) feet to the place of beginning, according to the recorded plat of said city. Dated Holland, Aug. 18, 1906.
OTTAWA COUNTY BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee.
G. J. DIEREMA, Atty for Mortgagee.

Chancery Sale.

In pursuance and by virtue of an order and decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, In Chancery, in the state of Michigan, made and dated on the 18th day of November, A. D. 1897, in a certain cause therein pending wherein the Brunswick-Balke-Collerand Co., a corporation doing business under the laws of the state of Illinois is complainant, and Isaac Goldman is defendant.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Grand Haven, Ottawa county, state of Michigan, said court house being the place of the holding of the circuit court of the said county, on Tuesday the 11th day of October, A. D. 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise the amount due to the said complainant for principal, interest and costs in this cause, of the following described parcel of land, to-wit: The south half of southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section three (3), town eight (8) north, range sixteen (16) west, and the southeast quarter of northwest quarter, otherwise known as lot two (2) in section (5) town eight (8) north, range sixteen (16) west, except a strip twenty rods off the south side thereof and also except a strip off the north side, being all that portion north of the lake or bayou, and north of a certain creek or ravine which enters said land at the western boundary, being forty acres more or less, all in Ottawa county, Michigan.

Dated August 27th, A. D. 1898.
GEORGE E. KOLLEN,
Circuit Court Commissioner,
in and for Ottawa county, Michigan.
WALTER I. LILLIE,
Solicitor for Complainant.

SWEEP BY FOREST FIRES

Damage Done in Northern Wisconsin Is Widespread and Cannot Be Estimated.

DESOLATION IS VISIBLE EVERYWHERE.

Hundreds of Families Are Homeless and Destitute—Over 100 Persons Missing and Many Dead Bodies Found—Gov. Scofield Issues an Appeal to the People for Aid.

Turtle Lake, Wis., Oct. 3.—The damage done by the forest fires of the last few days cannot be estimated or overestimated. Hundreds of families are homeless, many are almost naked, and in a few days all will want for food, as the small supplies in the towns are not sufficient. The people are in no condition to pay for what there is. The devastation wrought by the fire is so great that it cannot be comprehended by anyone not on the ground.

A correspondent drove for 30 miles through the burned district Saturday, and everywhere along the roads were the homeless fire sufferers, some sitting beside the few household articles which they had saved, many nursing burns and nearly all suffering from sore eyes from fighting the flames. Many of them are totally blind. The ruins of the forest show how fierce the fire must have been. Great numbers of cattle and horses perished.

Chippewa Falls District.
Eau Claire, Wis., Oct. 3.—It is reported that the timber near Graves wood is on fire. At Livermore dwellings, barns, granaries and crops have been burned. At Chippewa Falls it is reported that all the camp outfits on Cedar lake have been destroyed, and it is feared that several lives have been lost. Men and horses of August Mason's outfit only escaped by plunging into the lake and staying there for hours, almost suffocated by the smoke. At Stout's camp 500 oxen perished. Hundreds of people are homeless. The loss of farm property in Clark, Barron and Chippewa counties is estimated at \$300,000. The latest reports say that all hopes of checking the flames have been abandoned. Nothing but rain will save the remaining property.

Charred Bodies Found.
Cumberland, Wis., Oct. 3.—From reports received here, nine people have perished.

A dispatch from Rice Lake says that many unidentified bodies have been found charred in the woods, and that so far as heard from there are over 100 persons missing. Advice from Rice Lake state that the fires in the neighborhood are worse than ever, and that the loss of life will be much greater than it was supposed it would be.

The property loss in this county will aggregate \$400,000 besides the farm buildings and crops. A large amount of stock has been burned and much hardwood timber has been destroyed.

Gov. Scofield's Appeal.

Madison, Wis., Oct. 3.—In response to calls for assistance from the forest fire sufferers of the northern part of the state, Gov. Scofield has issued the following public call for their relief: To the People of Wisconsin: Forest fires have again devastated a portion of our state and rendered homeless several hundred people, and a request has come for assistance. These people require clothing, food and shelter, and they will have their needs than these which it will be necessary to meet in order to enable them to undertake again their own support. The people of Wisconsin have always given a ready response to calls of this kind for help, and I feel confident that this demand upon them will be generously met.

Col. William J. Boyle, Milwaukee, will receive contributions of provisions, clothing and money for the fire sufferers, and is hereby appointed to take charge of the contributions and attend to their distribution. The people in any part of the state who desire to help the fire sufferers can communicate by telegraph or mail with Col. Boyle at Milwaukee.

Send Supplies to Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Oct. 3.—Col. William J. Boyle, who has been appointed by Gov. Scofield to receive contributions and take charge of the relief work among the families who have lost everything by the forest fires in northern Wisconsin, has completed his plans for the work. Quarters will be opened in this city to-day, where supplies of clothing, food, furniture and money will be received. The first shipment of supplies will go north over the Chicago & Northwestern road at six o'clock to-night, and other shipments as fast as carload lots can be made up. Col. Boyle says that supplies from all over the state should be sent to Milwaukee to be distributed systematically from here.

Big Bank Falls.

New York, Oct. 3.—With \$2,000,000 due to small tradesmen depositors, the Tradesmen's national bank closed its doors yesterday. The vice president said the bank would pay depositors 100 cents on the dollar.

BattleShip Wisconsin.

San Francisco, Oct. 5.—The battleship Wisconsin is to be launched from the Union Iron works on November 26, and preparations for the event are already under way. It will be made a gala occasion.

A New Assistant.

Washington, Oct. 4.—The president has appointed Dr. David J. Hill, of Rochester, N. Y., first assistant secretary of state, to succeed John Bassett Moore, resigned.

Big Fire in Colorado.

Colorado Springs, Col., Oct. 3.—Eight blocks of the best portion of this city were destroyed by fire, including the famous Antlers hotel. The loss is \$1,000,000.

Killed Her Mother.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 3.—Despondent over the death of her father, Bertha Beilstein killed her mother in this city and then took her own life.

GENEROSITY AMONG SOLDIERS

There Seems to Exist a Sort of Rivalry to See Who Can Do the Most Good.

The sight of war cured the writer of one notion—that the military profession may tend to make those who follow it brutal and cruel, says the Boston Transcript. On the contrary, it seems to make them more generous and kind. It is not to be supposed that it is war that makes them so; it is probable that the removal of the professional soldier from the field of competition for existence among independent workers and "business men" leaves him little chance to fall into that hungry and fox-like instinctive hostility to one's fellows that is developed by the social struggle of existence. All soldiers, whether officers or privates, seem to be engaged, on the other hand, in a kind of competition of generosity. It is a great point with them—a kind of invariable rule of conduct—to be ready to share what they have with others. This rule of generosity does not, of course, save them from doing cruel things occasionally. They have not ordinarily a very delicate sensibility to one another's pain. They do not seem to waste much pity on one another's physical sufferings. They bear their own without complaint, and seldom ask favors when they are suffering. But when it comes to "grub" or shelter they will give a comrade, or even a stranger, better than they have themselves, if they possibly can. And the work of an officer, even in the most active and terrible campaigning, seems to be easily consistent with the finest manliness and most delicate sympathy. And yet we should not encourage war in the expectation of cultivating fine sentiments any more than we should invite yellow fever epidemics simply because a yellow fever epidemic develops fine cases of heroic self-sacrifice.

FANCY NAMES FOR POISONS.

Danger to Health and Life Lurks in Many of the So-Called Headache Remedies.

In his quarterly report on the health of the borough of Chorley, Lancashire, Dr. J. A. Harris, the medical officer for the district, calls attention to the indiscriminate sale and purchase of the various so-called headache powders. He states, says the British Medical Journal, that under his direction the county police obtained six or seven samples from the different shops in the town and had them submitted to analysis. In every case the quantity of the active ingredient was found to be in excess of the maximum dose of the drug allowed in the British pharmacopoeia. These remedies belong to the class of analgesics, the members of the group in common use for the purpose being acetanilide or phenylacetamide, phazones and phenacetin or para-acet-phenetidin. Their properties were fully considered in the section of pharmacology and therapeutics at the meeting at Edinburgh, where Prof. Stockman (Glasgow) opened a discussion on the "Therapeutic Value of Recent Synthetic Analgesics; Their Benefits and Attendant Risks." There was a general expression of opinion that these drugs required to be handled with the greatest possible care, and that a slight error of judgment with regard to dosage might be followed by disastrous results. All these substances depress the heart's action, and in toxic doses diminish the force of the respiratory act. The danger is not obviated by selling a poisonous drug under a fanciful name.

Ending a Suicide Epidemic.

Medical men are uniting in the opinion that suicide may easily become epidemic, especially at times of excitement or when weather conditions are depressing. Plagues of suicide such as Moreau described after the French revolution, are rare, of course, but when one or two cases of self-destruction are recorded in a community it often is the case that a number of others follow. This is especially true in continental Europe. In ancient times one of the Greek cities, Miletus, was the scene of an epidemic of suicide among young women, until the magistrate proclaimed that the body of the next victim would be exposed nude in the marketplace. This harsh decree, so contrary to the instincts of our modern civilization, promptly put an end to the appalling craze.

Mosaic Regulation of Dress.

Bishop Alfred Willis, of Honolulu, recently disapproved of women wearing the cassock and cotta in vested choir, because, according to the book of Deuteronomy, God declares that "The women shall not wear that which pertaineth unto a man;" whereupon a Hawaiian paper reminded him that in the same book it is commanded that "Thou shalt not wear a mingled stuff, wool and linen, together. Thou shalt make three fringes upon the four borders of thy vesture." If the Mosaic law is to regulate the dress of choir girls it wants to know why it shall not be held to regulate the dress of everybody in general, in which case the good bishop would have to make himself conspicuous by wearing a fringe on his hat, waistcoat and trousers.

Big East Indian Tin Factory.

The largest tin factory in the world is situated on Sulo Brani, an island on the Bay of Singapore. It turns out monthly 1,200 tons of tin, more than the product of Cornwall and more than that of Australia. The ore comes from Selangor and Perak in Malacca.

Insects Equipped with Oars.

An insect known as the water boatman has a regular pair of oars, his legs being used as such. He swims on his back, as in that position there is less resistance to his progress.

A Young Life Saved.

This is a story of a parents' devotion and gratitude. Their fond daughter was seriously ill. The disease baffled eminent physicians. Finally the specific was found, used and perfect health followed.

Florence, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sturdivant, of Grindstone, N. Y., was prostrated by a complication of ailments.

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"The difficulty seemed to baffle the efforts of the physician."

"Finally at the end of four months of treatment, she was completely prostrated."

"We called an eminent physician. He agreed with the diagnosis of our physician."

"He prescribed a course of treatment and we followed it faithfully for three months."

"Instead of improving, Florence failed."

"A brother of my wife, who resided in

Canada, but was visiting us, advised trying Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"I purchased a box of the pills and began to give them to Florence."

"After using the pills a short time we could see an improvement."

"Her strength began to return and her appetite was restored."

"When she had taken one box the pains in her back and stomach ceased and her recovery seemed certain."

"We eagerly purchased a second box of pills and watched with delight the change for the better that was being wrought daily."

"Florence finally became strong enough to walk a little. She gained in flesh and strength rapidly."

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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 Kent and state of Michigan, in favor of Arthur R. Hood, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Peter Braam, William Kloekse and Jacob Van Zoeren, in the county of Ottawa and the state of Michigan, to me directed and delivered, I did on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1898, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said William Kloekse in that certain piece or parcel of land described as follows: The south half of the south half of the north-east quarter of section 33, town 9 north, range 14 west, being in the township of Polkton, 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 for holding the said circuit court in said county of Ottawa) on Saturday, the 17th day of September, A. D. 1898 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

ROD & HINDMAN, Attys for Plaintiff.

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Chancery Sale.

In pursuance, and by virtue of an order and decree of the circuit court for the county of Ottawa, in chancery, in the State of Michigan, made and dated on the Seventeenth (17th) day of August, A. D. 1898, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein the Ottawa County Building & Loan Association of Holland, Michigan, a corporation, is complainant, and William L. Hopkins is administrator of the estate of Kate Hopkins, and William D. Hopkins as defendant.

Notice is hereby given, that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the court house in the city of Grand Haven, Ottawa county, state of Michigan, said court house being the place of the holding of the circuit court of the said county, on Tuesday, the Twenty-fifth (25th) day of October, A. D. 1898, at ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon, all or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise the amount due to the said complainant for principal, interest and cost in this cause, of the following described parcels of land, to-wit: all those certain pieces or parcels of land situated in the township of Holland, county of Ottawa and state of Michigan, and described as follows: Lots numbered three (3) and eight (8), in block numbered five (5) in Howard's Addition to the city of Holland, according to the recorded map thereof.

Dated September 8, A. D. 1898.

Geo. E. KOLLEN,

Circuit Court Commissioner in and for Ottawa County, Mich.

GERRIT J. DIEREMA,

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