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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXVIII.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1899.

NO. 40

## SPECIALS

—IN OUR—

### Cloak Department Next Week



Beginning to-morrow (Saturday) morning, we will place on sale the following lots of

**LADIES FALL and WINTER CAPES.**

**Lot No. 1.** 10 Astrackan and Cloth Capes, full lengths and widths, fur trimming, special for the coming week.....\$2 19

**Lot No. 2.** Five Ladies Plush Capes with fur trimming. A bargain at \$5.50. Special for the week only \$2 95

**Lot No. 3.** Eight Ladies Plush Capes in plain and crushed plush, 30 ins. long, 100 ins. wide, with fur trimmings, for coming week.....\$5 95

This is the greatest opportunity of the season to buy a Cape. Try and be the first and get the benefit of the bargains.

**A. I. KRAMER,**

34 W. Eighth St., - HOLLAND.

## Square Washing Machines

at \$2.24 each, for a few days.

**KANTERS BROS.**

## Merchant

## Tailoring.

Call and get our special prices on Early Fall Orders.

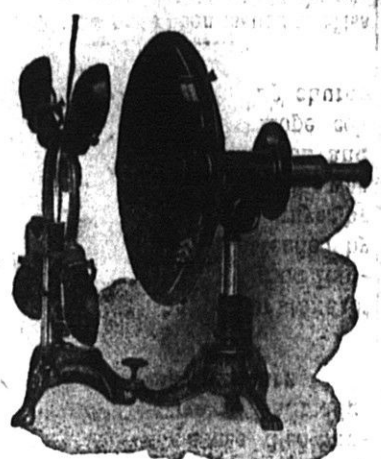
New Goods Now In

**Wm Brusse & Co.**

### Dr. D. G. Cook.

Has moved his office from the Postoffice block to the Van der Veen block, corner River and 8th Streets. Office hours 9 to 10 A. M., 3 to 5 and 7 to 8 P. M.  
Citizens Phone both at office and residence.

### THE Ophthalmometer.



We have the very latest and best instrument ever invented, THE OPHTHALMOMETER, for the examination of the eyes in cases of Astigmatism, that defect of the eyes which causes more headache and trouble than all other defects of vision put together.

EXAMINATION FREE.  
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

### W. R. STEVENSON,

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

### Holland City News.

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

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### CITY AND VICINITY.

Theological student, C. Kuiper, delivered a sermon at Grand Haven Sunday.

Fred Kamferbeek sold his residence on Fifteenth street to Mrs. Hoffman last Tuesday. Consideration \$700.

Mrs. Hattie L. Norton has been appointed postmistress at West Olive, in the place of Samuel Mountford resigned.

Ben Fanner, one of the oldest inmates of the county house, died Sunday. He was a native of Tallmadge and had been in the infirmary for 34 years.

The laying of the corner stone of the Grace Ref. church, of Grand Rapids, last Friday night was attended by about 1,000 people. After prayer by Rev. Van DeErve the corner stone was laid. The choir sang a selection and Professor J. T. Bergen, of Hope college, gave an able talk on the church and its work.

Invitations have been issued to Miss Nellie Ryder's dancing school which will be held at Hotel Holland every Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. The first session will begin Saturday, November 4 at 2 p. m., and as many pupils have signified an intention to join the class, a large attendance is expected. Miss Ryder will be assisted by Miss Jeanette Blom and Miss Mabel Allen.

Rob De Pree is in receipt of a postal signed by the Holland students at Ann Arbor which contains the news that Ellisha Sayad, formerly of Hope College, is doing great foot-ball playing at that place. He plays center for the scrubs and was given a place at the training table last Tuesday. This means that he stands a good chance of qualifying for admission to the regular eleven. Mr. Sayad is a native of Persia and is now taking a medical course at Ann Arbor.

The L. O. T. M. will give a pedro party and a dance Tuesday evening, Oct. 24. All are invited.

List of advertised letters at the Holland postoffice for the week ending Oct. 20, 1899: Jas. G. Richards, W. C. Sheffer.

Rev. P. Jonker, of Jamestown, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Third Christian Reformed church of Muskegon.

The compiled laws of 1897 and the public acts of 1899 are being distributed to the persons, officers, libraries, corporations, and societies throughout the state, that are entitled to a copy.

Herman Johnson, a young man who is subject to violent fits of insanity and whose home is in Port Sheldon, was adjudged insane by the probate judge Saturday, and was taken to Kalamazoo by Officer Hieftje, of Grand Haven.

The funeral services of Cornelius DeNys was held Tuesday in the Reformed church at Zeeland. Mr. DeNys was born at Nieuwduin, province of Zeeland, in the Netherlands, and came here in 1837. He was nearly 85 years old, and one of Zeeland's pioneers.

Despite Governor Pingree's veto of the bounty appropriation bill, beet sugar manufacturers have gone ahead and there will be nine factories in operation in Michigan to handle this season's crop. Their output is estimated a 60,000,000 pounds, within 15-20,000,000 of the annual consumption for Michigan.

So far this fall 21 cars of Olive grown rye have been shipped from West Olive, and it is believed that the harvest in the township amounted to 35,000 bushels of that grain. With rye at 54 cents a bushel one can easily figure what a large amount of cash comes into the town. There are fully 15 farmers in Olive who have 100 acres each planted to rye.

Robert Van der Nagel, John Clarke and Jacob Van Vuren were arrested Tuesday by deputy sheriff Ford and were arraigned before Justice Van Duren on the charge of using profane and indecent language on the street near the Ottawa Furniture factory Sunday night. They pleaded guilty and each paid a fine of \$5 and costs of prosecution.

As a party of merry hunters were hupward bound on the Saugatuck car Tuesday evening, a courteous but unwelcome deputy game warden boarded the car and searched the game bags of the sportsmen. No quail or other out-of-season game were found, only a few rabbits, bagged in the underbrush to the south, rewarded the vigilance of the minion of the law.

At the meeting of the High school Alumni held last Friday evening at the High school the following officers were elected for the ensuing year. President, Egbert Winter; vice-president, Miss Louise Markham; secretary, Miss Minnie Bird; treasurer, Dr. Frank De Vries. A delightful program was rendered consisting of solos by Miss Nellie Pfanstiel and Grace Yates and a short talk by Prof. Remold, principal of the High school.

The club formed by the farmers of West Olive to keep sportsmen off their lands during the quail season now has a membership of 70. The territory covered by the club is nearly six miles square and includes the eastern part of Olive township. The officers are President, Dr. Brulsma; vice president, Frank Johnson; secretary, John Ridder; treasurer, Henry Jonker. A membership fee of 10 cents is charged and to each member is issued a card permitting him to hunt on any land where signs are up. Each member is granted the privilege of taking one friend with him.

Henry Van Dommelen, died last Wednesday morning at the home of his daughter 125 East Eighth street, after a severe illness. Mr. Van Dommelen was born in the province of South Holland, Netherlands, 65 years ago and came to this country in 1886. He resided on his farm in East Holland until last April when he removed to this city, where he lived with his daughter. Mr. Van Dommelen was a devout church member and had been an elder in Nykerk church for 25 years. He leaves a wife and four children, Bert Van Dommelen, of Grand Haven, Mrs. Derk Warner, of Fillmore, Mrs. Peter Prins, and Mrs. John Douma, of this city. The funeral will be held from the home of Mrs. Peter Prins Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock and from the Central Avenue Reformed church at 2 o'clock, Rev. Van Hoogen will officiate.

Mrs. D. Te Roller, of East Tenth street, celebrated her 76th birthday last Saturday.

Mr. Gabriel Van Putten, proprietor of the River street grocery, celebrated his 76th birthday, Monday.

Rev. J. Van Houte delivered a sermon at Chicago last Sunday. His pulpit here was occupied by Dr. H. E. Dosker.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will hold a tea at the residence of Mrs. Frank Robinson, 120 East Fourteenth street, next Tuesday, Oct. 24. A good attendance is desired.

The Adelpic society met last Friday evening at Rev. Dr. Winter's home and listened to Dr. Beardslee's paper on the "Higher Criticism" which he recently delivered before the Pan-Presbyterian alliance at Washington.

The 39th annual convention of the Michigan State Sunday School Association will be held in the Tabernacle, Battle Creek, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, Nov. 14, 15 and 16. Every county and township association in the state is entitled to two delegates each, and it is expected that every Sunday school in the state will send its pastor and superintendent.

The Cantata of the "Rose Maiden" to be given at Winants Chapel, Oct. 26, promises to be one of the leading musical events of the season. A chorus of sixty voices will take part in the rendition of the program. One of Grand Rapids' best quartettes has been secured to render the world-famous "Rubayat" of Omar Khayyam, commonly entitled the "Persian Gardener," as a prelude to the "Rose Maiden." Seats can be reserved at Breyman & Hardie's, Oct. 24 and 25 at 1 p. m.

The members of the Aid Society of the M. E. church are requested to take their dinner and go to Mrs. John Kooyers to the comforters Wednesday, October 25, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Let there be a large attendance as there will be plenty of work for all who will attend and of course there will be plenty of fun. A short business session will be held in the afternoon when appointment of committees will be made known and other business transacted.

At the meeting of the common council held last Tuesday evening the committee on fire department recommended the appointment of E. Gierum as driver at Engine house No. 2, at a salary to be hereafter determined by the council and to begin work when services are required. W. J. Scott was elected driver at Engine house No. 1. Both drivers are capable men and were highly recommended by the members of the fire department who are all pleased with the action of the council. The official report of the council proceedings will be found in another column.

While Mrs. Ingersoll, of West Olive, was driving on Tenth street Monday noon, the horse was frightened by leaves thrown by school children. The two-wheeled cart was overturned, throwing Mrs. Ingersoll violently against the cement walk. The injured woman was carried to the residence of Mr. Thole where Drs. Kremers and Godfrey were called. They found Mrs. Ingersoll suffering from a severe blow on the head that partially deranged her. For a time her condition was considered serious, but she is rapidly recovering from the shock and yesterday morning was removed to the rooms of her daughter, who is attending High school in this city.

The Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. gave their first social for this season at the Y. M. C. A. hall, last Tuesday evening. It was a delightful affair, and was attended by over one hundred people who were entertained by an excellent program. Prof. J. T. Bergen amused the gathering with a humorous reading, a vocal solo was rendered by Miss Ballantine, instructor of music in the public schools, and Lewis McKay entertained with two piano solos. J. C. Post was master of ceremonies. After the program coffee and cake were served, stories were told and games played until a late hour. It was a very good beginning of the Y. M. C. A. year and foretells a prosperous and happy season for that organization.

Oom Paul was 74 years old October 9th.

The quail season opens to-day and closes November 30. Sportsmen are anticipating some good shooting as flocks are very numerous.

The examination of applicants for teachers' certificates for Ottawa county, began yesterday at Grand Haven. Only second and third grade certificates will be granted. The examination will close to-day.

Miss Elsie Snyder, who is visiting friends in Allegan, had quite an adventure a few days ago. While out rowing accompanied with another girl the boat capsized. Luckily a steam launch was near by and the girls were rescued by its occupants.

The reception at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. De Roo last Friday evening was a very delightful social affair. The house was beautifully decorated and brightly illuminated for the occasion. Music was furnished by Breyman's orchestra, refreshments were served and the 150 guests present had a very enjoyable time.

The W. M. M. S. of the M. E. church have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. J. Reeves; vice president, Mrs. J. Baldwin; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. Belcher; recording secretary, Mrs. F. Glesky; assistant secretary, Mrs. A. McClain. Mrs. J. Elferdink, Jr., was elected delegate to the convention at Shelby.

The November meeting of Hope church Missionary society will be held in Hope church, Wednesday afternoon Oct. 25, at three o'clock. This will be a union meeting of the societies of the Third and Hope churches and will be addressed by Miss Peake. A cordial invitation is extended to all ladies who would like to hear from one of our own missionaries, the story of her work and experiences in Japan.

About three weeks ago, thieves stole the sidelights, anchor, pails, and lines from Dave Blom's yacht Mamie S. The same time Fred Kamferbeek missed his row boat, and the canvas was taken from the sloop Yellow Kid and Dr. Ledebor's yacht Ethel L. A few days ago Mr. Wright found the stolen articles ashore near Central Park. It seems that the thieves deserted the boat to escape threatened detection as the officers were keeping a sharp lookout.

Yesterday afternoon C. H. Abbott living near Fennville, was struck and killed by the engine of passenger train No. 3, which arrives here from the south at 4:25 p. m. Mr. Abbott was on the track near the cattle guard this side of Fennville when he was struck by the engine. It appears that in attempting to pass the cattle guard he became confused and stepped in front of the approaching train. Mr. Abbott was about 65 years of age.

Beginning next Sunday the Second Reformed Church of Grand Rapids will hold a four days celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of its organization. Several Holland pastors will take part in the program Monday evening. Prof. Dosker, D. D., of the Western Theological seminary, will tell of the experiences of his father, Rev. N. H. Dosker, while he was pastor of the church. Prof. Egbert Winter, D. D., formerly a pastor of the church, will describe his experiences in the pastorate. Rev. Van der Meulen, of Graafschap, will also give a sketch of his father's work as pastor of the church.

When C. n. Van den Bosch, of Grand Haven, was here during the fair he seemed to be very anxious to arrange a race with some of Holland's flyers for the championship of Ottawa County. Just to accommodate him Frank Pifer announced that he was willing to race Van der Bosch any distance from 1 to 20 miles for from \$10 to \$50 a side. To this no answer was made, then Pifer deposited \$25 with a stakeholder in this city to bind a match with Van den Bosch. A letter was written to the Grand Haven racer stating the above facts and challenging him to race at the fair grounds in this city. He has not replied to this letter and Holland sports are wondering if he meant business about racing, or if he was "just talking".

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ABSOLUTELY PURE  
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome  
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.



FRIDAY, Oct. 20.

## Lake and Marne.

The steamer W. P. Ketcham ran down the little schooner Typo, in Lake Huron last Saturday morning. The Typo was instantly sunk, and four of the crew were drowned. Their names are as follows: Henry Ledford, mate of the Typo; Dan Carr, seaman; John Campbell, seaman; Mrs. Adams, cook. The captain of the vessel and two seamen managed to escape from the wreck and were picked up by the Ketcham. The Ketcham was bound down from Chicago to Buffalo with a cargo of grain. The Typo was met with off Middle Island, near Alpena, at 4 o'clock in the morning. The impact of the two boats, which sunk the smaller, only resulted in a few scratches on the steamer's cabin. After picking up the survivors, the Ketcham continued on her voyage and put in at Harbor Beach. The Typo was owned by J. P. Nagle, of Toledo. She measured 385 gross tons and was built in 1873. The Ketcham belongs to the Chicago Transit Co., and is commanded by Capt. Carter.

The report to the effect that President J. Graham, of the Graham & Morton Transportation Co., has his eye on the Detroit-Buffalo route is entirely without foundation. It has been published in local papers and copied in marine papers all over the lakes. Mr. Graham has no idea of going outside of the Chicago-St. Joseph route for many years to come, and so expressed himself to The Free Press representative on the occasion of his visit to Detroit a week ago.—Detroit Free Press.

In response to a constantly increasing stream of inquiries, the secretary of the Anthony Polak memorial prize, for the best device for saving life in cases of disaster at sea, furnishes the following explanation: All models, specifications, etc., must be sent to the jury of award in Paris. The jury will be international in character, but it is not yet appointed. The latest date for the reception of models, etc., has not yet been fixed. All models will be given actual test in the water. It is not necessary that the inventor should appear in person to demonstrate the working of his invention. Models must be of a size sufficient to permit of a practical working test being made. When the jury of award shall have fixed the date for the closing of entries, due notice will be given.

Moved by the many recent accidents at sea, with the resulting loss of life, Charles Elias, who lives at Great Neck, Long Island, N. Y., has invented a life-saving buoy, which he claims will make it possible for shipwrecked mariners to float on the surface of the water for more than two weeks without danger to life. It consists of an aluminum case, shaped like a barrel, seven feet in length and weighing but twelve pounds. It is weighted at the bottom to keep it in an upright position, and is built in two halves, which open on rubber hinges on one side and fasten together on the other. The case is fitted with pockets on the inside, which holds supplies of food and water for twenty days. At the top a flag floats as a signal to passing vessels.

A new life saving station at Milwaukee depends on the favorable action of the Milwaukee city council at its next meeting, when it will consider a request for a site at the foot of Erie street. Lieut. Reinberg, assistant inspector for the Eleventh light-house district, presented the request and will superintend the construction of the building. The station will be moved from the south to the north side of the river, and will permit of the lifeboat reaching the "Harbor of Refuge" at least five minutes quicker than from the old station. It will save a pull of about 1,500 feet around the river piers.

The fact that the tug Andy of the Graham & Morton line left St. Joseph for the Milwaukee steamship drydocks where she will undergo many minor repairs, including the enlarging of propeller and caking, is being advanced among marine circles as evidence that the Graham & Morton Transportation Company intends to place a winter line between St. Joseph and Milwaukee, and that the Andy will be used to keep the St. Joe harbor free from ice during the winter season.

## OUR NEIGHBORS.

## Ottawa County.

County Clerk Hoyt will represent the local members of the now defunct Preferred Bankers Assurance company at the meeting of members to be held in Detroit October 28.

The large barn and contents belonging to Thomas Wilde, residing three miles east of Coopersville, was burned early last Monday morning. Four horses, three cows and a large quantity of grain and tools were destroyed. Origin of fire unknown. Partly insured.

A banquet will be tendered Dr. Edward Hofma by the Fellowship club, of Grand Haven, at the Cutler tomorrow evening. It is expected that

## Saved My Life.



Mr. P. W. Hebebrand, Pres. Ohio Pipe Covering Co., Cleveland, Ohio, says: "I am satisfied Dr. Miles' Nervine saved my life. I was a nervous wreck and unable to attend to my business. Doctors failed to benefit me and I decided to try Dr. Miles' Nervine. It gave me prompt relief and finally effected a complete cure. I am in good health now and have gained several pounds in flesh."

## Dr. Miles' Nervine

is sold by all druggists on guarantee, first bottle benefits or money back. Book on heart and nerves sent free.

Dr. Miles Medical Company, Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Hofma will read a paper on his recent trip to the arctic with the Wellman expedition.

The new house which N. Robbins, Jr., is building at the corner of Franklin and Fifth streets, Grand Haven, will cost about \$10,000.

Daniel W. Smith, of Spring Lake, has been granted a pension of \$8 per month.

A meeting of the North Ottawa Teachers' Association will be held in Coopersville, October 21.

## Allegan County.

The Patrons' Mutual Fire Insurance company, Limited, has opened in office in room No. 7, Sherwood & Griswold block, Allegan. Secretary Root will be in his office on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays of each week.

Governor Pingree has appointed John Crispe, of Plainwell, a member of the board of control of the school for the deaf for a period of six years.

George Ridgley, of Cheshire township, sustained a very severe loss by fire last Friday night. His barn, granary and tool house were destroyed and the origin of the fire is a mystery. The barn and contents were insured for \$1,100, but his loss is not known.

About two o'clock Sunday morning lightning struck the barn on the farm of Almon Pierce, in Hopkins township. The flames gained rapid headway and all efforts to extinguish them proved futile. The building cost Mr. Pierce \$1,100 and it contained tools and a quantity of hay and grain, making his loss about \$1,500. The property was insured in the Allegan and Ottawa Mutual for \$625.

A ministerial association has been organized in Allegan, composed of all the ministers in the village. They hold their meetings once a month, and discuss items of interest. The president is Rev. W. Lindsay, and Rev. J. E. Littell is secretary.

The Allegan High school football team played the Otsego team at Allegan last Saturday afternoon. The teams were well matched. Captain Weeks of the Allegans did some remarkably good punting against the wind. Otsego's fullback, John Drew, bucked the line for five yards every time they had the ball. The game was well played on both sides. Score 11 to 0 in Allegan's favor.

The twenty-fifth annual convention of the Kalamazoo district association of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church at Plainwell October 24, 25 and 26.

Probate Judge Williams visited the lake shore this week in company with H. D. Moore. It is not often now that this section gets a glimpse of him, as his official duties keep him pretty close at home. The probate business of this county has increased rapidly, about 200 new cases being commenced each year, while there are over 500 estates in process of settlement.—Fennville Herald.

## General Items.

L. Jandfield, a well-to-do farmer of Hagar, picked and delivered to parties in St. Joseph last Saturday a box of Haverland strawberries. Had the freeze of ten days held off he would have put on the market a big shipment of this variety.

Charles Olson, who had a 50-acre farm near Cadillac, Mich., advertised for a wife. Lottie Summers, of Boyne City, Mich., answered the advertisement, and the two began corresponding in February. Three weeks ago they met and Miss Summers agreed to marry Olson on condition that he give her \$500 with which to start in the millinery business. He agreed, and the two went to Chicago and stopped at separate hotels. Olson says he gave her \$500, representing all his savings, and the two agreed that they should be married Wednesday afternoon, but Miss Summers disappeared Tuesday night.

A young man in Hillsdale is learning the insurance business. In his firm both fire and life insurance are handled. This is a conversation in which he participated one day this week while soliciting business: "Mr. Blank, I would like to write you a nice life policy in this company of ours," etc. "Well," replies Mr. Blank, "I would like to take it; but the truth of the matter is, I have been rejected by the life insurance com-

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Insist on LION COFFEE, in 1 lb. pkgs.These articles mailed FREE in  
exchange for lion heads cut from  
front of 1 lb. LION COFFEE pkgs.

## Gold Collar Button.

Mailed free for 5 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. Made of rolled gold and with mother-of-pearl back; suitable alike for ladies and gentlemen. This shape is handy and popular.



## Daisy Neck-Pin.

Genuine Hard-Enamel and Gold.



For 18 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. The illustration is only two-thirds actual size. Color a delicate pink, with jewel setting and gold trimmings. Best enamel finish, stylish and durable.

## "The Lion's Bride."



Mailed free for 12 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. An unusually fine picture, from the brush of the noted German artist, Gabriel Max. It is founded on Chamisso's poem, "The Lion's Bride." The story is interesting, and we send with each picture a handsome folder, containing copy of the poem and telling all about it. Size, 15x26 inches.

## "Dorothy and Her Friends."



## A bright, cheery picture.

For 8 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

A bright, cheery picture, representing a little girl playing with her chickens and her rabbits. The predominating colors are rich red and green. Size, 14x28 inches.

For 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp we will mail it hanging, ready for hanging.

## Stylish Belt-Buckle.



Handsomely gold-plated, with Roman finish, and set with ruby colored jewel in the center. This will be welcomed for "dressed-up" occasions by the ladies who like to wear different colored sashes. The gold-finish goes well with any of them. Given for 20 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

## Ladies' Apron.



Made of good quality lawn, with alternate reversing and tucks; broad hem at bottom, and is neatly gathered at waist; a very superior and stylish article. Size, 36x40 inches.

Given for 20 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

## Fruit Picture.



Size, 16x24 inches. Given for 8 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

## 50-Foot Clothes Line.



Given for 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

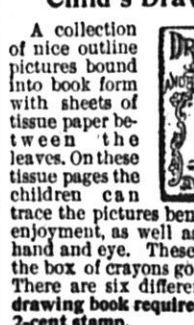
Made of closely braided cotton threads, strong, and will give the best of satisfaction.

## Box of Colored Crayons.



For 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Fine wax crayons, fifteen different colors, accompanied with outline pictures for coloring. Each crayon is wrapped with strong paper, to prevent breaking.

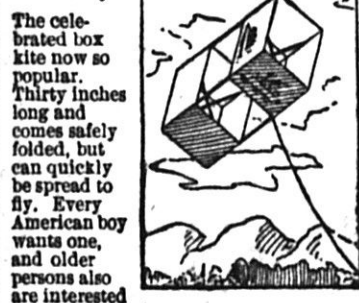
## Child's Drawing Book.



A collection of nice outline pictures bound into book form with sheets of tissue paper between the leaves. On these tissue pages the children can trace the pictures beneath, thus affording enjoyment, as well as instruction to the hand and eye. These drawing books and the box of crayons go very well together. There are six different kinds, and each drawing book requires 6 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

## Naval Box Kite.

## See it Fly!



The celebrated box kite now so popular. Thirty inches long and comes safely folded, but can quickly be spread to fly. Every American boy wants one, and older persons also are interested.

Mailed free for 40 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp.

## Mantel Clock.



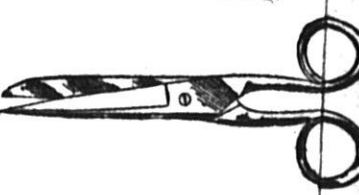
By express, prepaid, for 110 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Frame beautifully finished with gilt. Stands 6 inches high. A beauty and good time-keeper.

## Alarm Clock.



Sent by express, prepaid, for 60 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. When ordering either clock, please name your nearest Express Office, if there is no express office located in your town.

## Ladies' Scissors.



Length, five inches, suitable for cutting, trimming and general household use. Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

## Razor.



Given for 35 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. A first-class razor, made of best English steel, and extra hollow-ground.

## Rubber Dressing Com.



For 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Length, 7 inches, full size and light. Made of genuine India rubber, beautifully finished. Appropriate for a ladies' dressing-case or for use in the household.

## Game "India."



Similar to Parcheesi, which has been played in eastern countries before the era of history. Illustration shows plan of the game with usual count, dice and accompanying pieces. never tire of playing. Given for 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

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When writing for premiums send your letter in the same envelope or package with the lion heads. If more than 15 lion heads are a you can save postage by trimming down the margin. Ask your grocer for large illustrated premium list. Address all letters to the

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phones, because I am troubled with an ailment which is soon going to cause my death." "Oh, I see," replies the young hustler for business, "it's some of our fire insurance that you need!"—Hillsdale Democrat.

The Cheboygan News says that the new courthouse that this city doubly deserves its name, to judge from the number of young couples who hold down the doorsteps after dark.

A bashful Coldwater youth who has been keeping company with one of Coldwater's sweetest girls for about a year was somewhat perplexed this week when she sent him an ear of popcorn for a birthday present.—Coldwater Courier. Goodness gracious, are Coldwater young men so slow as to be puzzled over the meaning of a hint like that?—Detroit Free Press.

A test of sugar beets from the fields near Three Rivers shows them to be worth \$5 per ton, according to the scale of prices paid by the factories. This is the first crop of beets ever grown in St. Joseph county.

The potato harvest in Alcona county is nearly over and the farmers report about half a crop. Those who have not contracted for their tubers at twenty-five cents per bushel expect to realize fancy prices.

## A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Grotton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which 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 to my Savior, 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 10 cents at Heber Walsh; Holland, and Van Bree and Son, Zeeland, drug stores. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

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## "West Michigan R'y."

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Every month thousands—every year millions—are hurried to untimely graves by insidious, deadly consumption. First the neglected cold, then the persistent cough, then the rapid decline to the inevitable end. Don't trifle with your cold, your cough or your lung trouble. Cleveland's Lung Healer will cure you—quickly and surely. It has a longer record of perfect cures than any other lung remedy in the world. We will give you a free sample bottle. Large bottles, 25 cents, at Heber Walsh.

## Probate Order.

## STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Haven, said county, on Monday, the Ninth day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

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

In the matter of the estate of Martin Van den Bosch, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Johanna Van den Bosch, widow of said deceased, representing that Martin Van den Bosch, of the village of Zeeland, in said County, lately died intestate leaving estate to be administered and praying for the appointment of herself as the Administratrix thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the Sixth day of November 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 petition 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. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

## Probate der.

## STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Haven, said county, on Wednesday, the Eleventh day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

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

In the matter of the estate of Martin Van den Bosch, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Johanna Van den Bosch, widow of said deceased, representing that Martin Van den Bosch, of the village of Zeeland, in said County, lately died intestate leaving estate to be administered and praying for the appointment of herself as the Administratrix thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Tuesday, the Sixth day of November next,

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**MICHIGAN STATE LAND OFFICE.**

LANSING, MICH., Oct. 1, 1899.

Notice is hereby given, that the following described land, Certificate No. 208, N-W 1/4 of N-E 1/4, Section 10, Town 9 N., Range 18 W., situate in Ottawa County, forfeited for non-payment of interest, will be offered for sale at public auction at this office on the 9th day of November, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M., unless previously redeemed according to law.

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## NATIVES FLY BEFORE HIM

**Gen. Otis Reports That the Movements of Gen. Schwan's Forces Are Successful.**

**THE INSURGENT ARMY LOSES HEAVILY.**

**Plot to Burn Manila Discovered by the Americans and Prompt Doubling of the Guards Prevents the Massacre Planned—Rebels Attack City of Angeles.**

Washington, Oct. 16.—The following cablegram from Gen. Otis has been received at the war department:

"Manila, Oct. 14.—Schwan's column swung into Imus from Das Marinas yesterday morning; camped at Bacoor last night; has scattered insurgents who probably retiring by detachments on Indang. Condition of roads prevented further pursuit; 125 men thirty-seventh volunteers, Maj. Chatham, drove insurgents south and westward from lake town of Muntinlupa yesterday, pursuing several miles, and retired to Bacoor last night by Zapote river road; loss three men killed, two wounded, one missing. Schwan's movement very successful; inflicted heavy loss on men and property of southern insurgent army; he reports their casualties at 200 killed and 400 wounded; their stored supplies destroyed. Young moving from Arayat north and westward yesterday, scattered insurgents who retired northwest; his casualties three slightly wounded; considerable store of grain captured."

**An Outbreak Prevented.**

Manila, Oct. 16.—The authorities were informed Saturday from reliable sources that an outbreak in the poorer districts of Manila had been carefully planned for daylight on Sunday. It failed to occur, probably on account of the vigorous measures enforced. Many natives of the Tondo district left, taking their valuables. All the small shops, which the guards usually forced to close at 8:30 p. m., were shut at sunset. A general feeling of uneasiness was apparent. The guards of the city were doubled and a strong force stationed at the slaughter house, the center of an unruly section. Two guns of the Sixth artillery were stationed near by at a point commanding the native quarter. The commanders of the reserve troops were ordered to be prepared for a call at daylight.

**Angeles Attacked.**

Manila, Oct. 17.—The insurgents made an attack upon Angeles at 2:30 Monday morning. One American was killed and seven were wounded. The Filipinos used artillery, a few shells exploding. The Seventeenth, Ninth and Thirtieth regiments engaged the enemy, who retired at 5:30 a. m.

**Capital Moved Again.**

Manila, Oct. 17.—The insurgent capital has been moved again, according to reports brought here by escaped prisoners. It has been taken from Tarlac, and Aguinaldo has set up his government in the mountains to the west of that city.

**Lawton Goes North.**

Manila, Oct. 18.—Gen. Lawton has gone north from Arayat toward San Isidro with about 2,000 men. He will occupy San Isidro and make it a base of supplies for further operations. Lawton's column consists of the Twenty-fourth infantry, two battalions of the Twenty-second, a company of the Twenty-seventh, 600 of the Fourth cavalry, mounted, and 100 dismounted, and 200 Macabebe scouts.

**Driven from Porac.**

Manila, Oct. 18.—Col. Bell's regiment moved from northwest of Bacoor and again drove the rebels out of Porac. It is reported that one American was killed and one wounded. The rebels lost about 20 killed and one wounded. The Americans captured two bullock carts loaded with ammunition.

**DEWEY IN BOSTON.**

Heartily Welcomed by the Citizens and at a Banquet Is Presented with a Watch.

Boston, Oct. 14.—Upon arriving in this city yesterday Admiral Dewey was heartily welcomed and rode at the head of a column of 10,000 war veterans through the principal streets to the Hotel Touraine, which will be his home during his three days' stay.

Boston, Oct. 16.—Residents of this city and other New England localities gave Admiral Dewey a grand reception Saturday and Mayor Quincy presented the naval hero with a magnificent watch, a gift from the city.

Amid the cheers of 10,000 persons Admiral Dewey departed Sunday night for Washington.

**Anti-Expansionists Meet.**

Chicago, Oct. 15.—The task of organizing a national league of anti-imperialists to oppose the administration policy in the Philippines was taken up by the anti-imperialist conference, which held its first session at Apollo hall, in Central Music hall. Among those who were present to assist in the organization and took a directing hand in its formation were W. Burke Cockran, Edward Atkinson, Carl Schurz, Senator William E. Mason, Rev. H. S. Bigelow, of Cincinnati, and J. Sterling Morton.

**Army Has 100,000 Men.**

Washington, Oct. 18.—Reports received at the war department show that the army has reached its maximum strength of 100,000 enlisted men, of whom 65,000 are regulars and 35,000 volunteers. All volunteer recruiting stations have been closed. According to the present plans of Gen. Otis a forward movement against the enemy will not be commenced on a large scale until at least half of these volunteers have reached Manila.

**Big Strike Ordered.**

Spring Valley, Ill., Oct. 18.—At a mass meeting attended by 2,000 miners of Spring Valley Tuesday afternoon a strike of all the miners of the Spring Valley Coal company was ordered.

## MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

**For the Week Ending Oct. 18.**

The gunboat Marietta sailed from Norfolk, Va., for Manila.

The taking of the census throughout the island of Cuba has begun.

Secretary Root has ordered all the available chaplains in the army to the Philippines.

George Thurston, aged 19, of Neenah, Wis., was killed in a football game at Delphos, Kan.

The transport Victoria sailed from San Francisco for Manila with 3,000 tons of freight.

The cruiser Brooklyn left Old Point Comfort, Va., for Manila to reinforce Admiral Watson.

Ex-United States Senator John T. Harris died at his home in Harrisburg, Va., aged 70 years.

During a snowstorm in the mountains surrounding Leadville, Col., thousands of sheep perished.

The empress has chosen Pu Tsuan, aged nine, son of Duke Tsailan, to succeed the emperor of China.

Robert D. Schultz, millionaire soap manufacturer, died suddenly in Zanesville, O., from heart trouble.

Fire destroyed a large cotton warehouse in Brooklyn, N. Y., owned by the Bush Co., the loss being \$500,000.

James Whitewater, chief of the Otse Indians, died in Guthrie, O. T. He was 90 years old and a civil war veteran.

Mrs. Charlotte Embden, sister of the famous German poet, Heinrich Heine, died in Hamburg at the age of 100 years.

William Wallace Thayer, formerly governor and chief justice of Oregon, died at his home near Portland, aged 72 years.

At Providence, R. I., Rev. William Herbert Perry Faunce, D. D., was inaugurated ninth president of Brown university.

While addressing a socialist women's meeting in New York Mrs. Florentine Lange, aged 55, was stricken with apoplexy and died.

St. Paul commandery, Knights Templar, of North Adams, Mass., has elected President McKinley an honorary member of the body.

Oscar Everhardt, a musician, shot his wife through the head and then killed himself in New Orleans. Domestic trouble was the cause.

A. M. Atkinson, a prominent capitalist and churchman of Wabash, Ind., dropped dead in Cincinnati, O., while speaking at a religious meeting.

Fire in Chicago destroyed the W. C. Ritchie paper box factory, the loss being \$165,000, and A. McMasters, the superintendent, was burned to death.

Five thousand coal miners met in Carlinville, Ill., and unveiled a monument erected to the memory of miners slain in a battle at Virden a year ago.

The supposedly extinct volcano San Martin, near the town of Catemaco, Mexico, has again become active, and molten lava is pouring from the crater.

In the Ninth congressional district of Pennsylvania the republicans have nominated J. S. Parvin for congress and the democrats have named H. D. Greene.

Constables James Gilmore and L. H. Ladd, two of the oldest officers in Murray county, were assassinated on the highway three miles from Mount Pleasant, Tenn., by negroes.

News comes from Kabul that all prominent Afghans who can be fleeing to save their lives. The monarch is said to be insane and many high dignitaries have been put to death for no cause.

**BASEBALL SEASON ENDS.**

**Brooklyn Wins the National League Pennant for 1899—Standing of the Various Clubs.**

With the games played on Sunday the National league season of 1899 came to a close, with various clubs occupying the following positions:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Brooklyn	101	47	.682
Boston	95	57	.624
Philadelphia	94	58	.618
Baltimore	86	62	.581
St. Louis	84	67	.556
Cincinnati	83	67	.553
Pittsburgh	76	73	.510
Chicago	75	73	.507
Louisville	75	77	.494
New York	69	90	.436
Washington	54	98	.350
Cleveland	20	124	.120

**Taxes in Illinois.**

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 18.—The total assessments in the state outside of Cook county, as returned by the local assessors, is \$517,043,119, against \$513,402,544 last year, an increase of \$3,571,550. The assessment of Cook county, as revised by the board of review, is \$378,000,000, against \$180,041,062 last year, an increase of \$198,958,938 in 1898. The total assessment of the state this year, therefore, is \$895,043,119, against \$693,443,606 last year, as returned by the local assessors, an increase of \$201,599,513 from last year.

**A Sudden Call.**

Columbus, O., Oct. 17.—Prof. Edward F. Orton, first president of the Ohio state university and since occupying the chair of geology, died suddenly at his home while sitting in his chair at 3:35 p. m. Monday. He was 70 years of age.

**Wins the Championship.**

Philadelphia, Oct. 16.—Miss Underhill defeated Mrs. Fox in the finals of the women's golf championship tournament, and won the championship of the United States. Score: Miss Underhill, out, 52; in, 49. Mrs. Fox, out, 55; in, 48.

**Champions Defeated.**

Philadelphia, Oct. 18.—The champions of the National league and the Phillies played the first of a series of exhibition games yesterday on the local grounds, the Quakers winning by a score of 7 to 4.

**Shafter Retired.**

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—Gen. William R. Shafter has been placed on the retired list on account of age, but will remain in command of the department of the Pacific until relieved by order of the president.

## ORIGIN OF AUCTION POOL.

**An American Invention That Became a Popular System with Bettors.**

"I suppose many people do not know the origin of auction pool selling," said Frank L. Herdie, the famous pool seller from Williamsport, Pa., to an interested group at the Hotel Rivers during his last visit to New York. "It's of American invention, and before it was started betting on races was, perforce, between individuals, on honor between acquaintances, and by depositing the stakes with a third person, known to each, among strangers."

"In the winter of 1869 there was a race meeting at New Orleans, and one day several men around the gambling house kept by the late Price McGrath wanted to bet on a certain race, but they all fancied the same horse, which, by the way, was 'Lucky' Baldwin's old stallion Rutherford."

"McGrath suggested that as this horse was such a great favorite he should be sold at auction, and the other horses as well, the aggregate sum to be put in a pool for the winner's backers."

"This was the first auction pool, but shortly afterward this method was adopted on all the race tracks in America, the pool seller taking five per cent. of the total for expenses and compensation."

"It was very popular, and many of the 'old-timers' regard its passing into disuse as a bad thing. It's a good thing as far as fairness is concerned, but there were many scandals when it was in general use, as those who ran the pool boxes were known at times, after the betting was over, to have turned on the crank—that is, marked up the number of tickets sold on the winning horse, so that the winners would get but a small portion of what rightly belonged to them."

"But to see the crowds anxious to buy pools at the grand circuit races, it looks as though auction pool selling is still a popular method with the betting public."

**BOTH SURPRISED.**

**But It Is Safe to Say the American Was the More So of the Two.**

There is no method of telling by simply looking at a Chinaman how far advanced he is in his knowledge of the English language, says the Philadelphia Record. An incident that illustrates this point happened recently on one of the streets leading to the export exposition. A party of young people were making their way toward the grounds when a Chinaman, dressed in the conventional garb of the Flowery kingdom, with hat pulled well down over his eyes, leaned idly against the corner of a building, puffing away at a cigarette. He looked as if the whole world was a bore to him, and one of the party suggested that an attempt be made to engage him in conversation and ascertain thereby just how much English he really knew.

The first advance was made by a young man with a mercurial disposition, who always goes at things with a rush. "Slay, John," he yelled, in imitation of pidgin English, "do you speake de Melican talkee?" and he slapped the Chinaman on the shoulder. The reply dazed all hands. Calmly blowing a cloud of smoke into the air, the Celestial turned slowly and said, in a peculiarly sweet voice, in the purest of English: "I beg your pardon, sir, but were you addressing your remarks to me?" It transpired afterward in the course of conversation that the Chinaman was a graduate of Yale.

**"YEP" OR "YUP."**

**An English Criticism of an Americanism Which Is Justly Deserved.**

A curious American colloquism, of which I certainly cannot see the advantage, is the substitution of "yep," or "yup," for "yes," and of "nope" for "no," says a writer in Pall Mall Gazette. No doubt we have in England the coarser "yuss," but one hears even educated Americans now and then using "yep," or some other corruption of "yes," scarcely to be indicated by the ordinary alphabetical symbols. It seems to me a pity. Educated Americans, too, will often say "somewheres," and "a long ways." I have little doubt that this "s" has a grammatical history of its own. Probably it is an old case-ending; just as "he goes out nights," on which Andrew Lang is so severe, is a survival of the "o' nights," which Shakespeare puts in the mouth of Julius Caesar. ("Sleep-headed men, and such as sleep o' nights.") At the same time, as "somewheres" has become irremediably a vulgarism in England, it would, I think, be a graceful concession on the part of educated Americans to drop the "s." After all, "somewhere" does not jar in America, and "somewheres" very distinctly jars in England.

**France Honors Her Bravery.**

Jennie Creok, now 16 years of age, the youngest member of the Humane society of France, and the youngest person ever awarded a medal by the French Legion of Honor, lives in the little village of Milgrove, Ind., near the Blackford-Delaware county line, within a few yards of the spot where her presence of mind prevented a disastrous wreck in 1893. She was then ten years old. She discovered a railroad bridge burning, and, hearing the whistle of an engine, took off her red petticoat and ran up the track waving it. Several French noblemen were passengers on the train. They took her name, and through them the gold star which she now wears was conferred upon her by the French Legion of Honor. She and her foster parents have received invitations to be the guests of France at the Paris show next year, but will not go.

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Pabst Pure Milwaukee Beer	.....	1 doz. quart bottles \$1 00
" " " " " "	.....	1 doz. pint " 50
Pabst Export Beer	.....	1 doz. quart " 1 50
" " " " " "	.....	1 doz. pint " 75

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### The Holland Sugar Factory is Nearly Completed.

Though the contractors have been greatly handicapped owing to the difficulty experienced in getting material, the Holland Sugar factory is nearly completed, and about the first week in November the manufacturing of sugar will commence. All of the heavy iron work is in place and experienced workmen are busily engaged in the work of putting the smaller parts of the machinery in position. With true business enterprise the men in charge of the affairs of this company have left nothing undone that would add to the facilities of the factory. The long shed for storing purposes is a model of its kind and renders it possible to receive tons of beets handily, both by the carload and the wagon load. The driveways will be enclosed to insure comfort to the men and horses. A coal shed 14x184 feet has been erected for the storage of coal to be used in case of emergencies caused by a shortage of coal, or in case of a strike or a shipping blockade.

The entire plant is above the average in every particular, and the same business ability and foresight used in the planning and construction of the factory will be used in taking care of the beet crop and manufacturing the sugar. That the farmers are pleased with the results thus far and have confidence in the success of the Sugar company is proved by the fact that they are all anxious to increase their acreage for the coming year.

### Electric Road from Holland to Grand Rapids.

Charles Humphrey, of Ironwood, president of the Holland and Lake Michigan Ry company was in the city this week.

He was in Chicago recently in consultation with the promoters of the electric road that is to be run in connection with the electric road, of this city, and the Consolidated street railway of Grand Rapids. They informed him that the company expected to begin the work of construction in a short time and would build the road from Grand Rapids to Grandville this fall. Next spring the road will be built to this city and by next summer cars will be in operation.

The company is composed of Chicago and Eastern capitalists and has made contracts with the Holland and Grand Rapids companies for the use of both roads to run their cars in this city and Grand Rapids, thus making through connections.

This seems to be the only company in the field at present as the company of capitalists represented by William T. Hess did not comply with the conditions of the franchise offered by the Grand Rapids common council. The conditions of the franchise granted Mr. Hess, provided that he put up \$1,000 as a guarantee that the road be built and that he should have six months from that date to put up the money and accept. The six months expired last Tuesday and Mr. Hess asked that an amendment be made granting an extension of 90 days in which to accept the franchise. The motion to amend was lost by a tie vote of 10 to 10.

Mr. Hess did not deposit the necessary \$1,000 with the city clerk Tuesday and the capitalists he represented forfeited their franchise by default. The council required the deposit from the promoters as an evidence of good faith to show that they intended to build the road.

Mr. Hess' reasons for refusing to accept the franchise are many, but chief among them is his unwillingness to obligate himself and his associates to build within a certain time or pay a forfeit. He says that the road will be built notwithstanding the action of the council in not giving them an extension of time.

### Century Club.

The Century Club held its first meeting last Friday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Post. It was simply a business meeting called for the purpose of electing officers, appointing committees, and organizing for the coming year.

J. C. Post was elected president, Dr. J. W. Beardslee, vice president, and Mrs. L. M. Thurber, secretary. Mrs. Gilmore and Prof. Boers were elected officers of the executive committee, and a committee consisting of Prof. Ladd, Mrs. G. J. Diekema, Mrs. Dregman, Mr. G. E. Kollen, Prof. Kleinhekel, Mrs. Oggel, and Mr. J. C. Post, was appointed to prepare programs for the year. The club met at the home of Mrs. John Oggel last Monday evening and enjoyed the first literary and social meeting of the year. Five new members, Prof. and Mrs. J. T. Bergen, Prof. and Mrs. F. D. Haddock, and Prof. Doeburg, were admitted, making a total membership of 100. As the club is limited to this number, several applicants are waiting for withdrawal.

The following program was rendered and the club adjourned to meet again October 30, at the home of Professor Kleinhekel: Reading, Prof. Boers; Duet, Miss Grace Yates and Prof. Nykerk; Paper, "The Shrine of St. Anne near Quebec," Mrs. J. C. Post; Solo, Miss Ballantine; Reading, "Dreyfus," Miss J. C. Van Raalte; Spice box, Mrs. Dregman.

### Grand Rapids—Rockford—Zeeland vs. Holland.

The Holland base ball club showed they are not quitters by playing ball last Saturday afternoon at Zeeland against a nine composed of players from Grand Rapids, Rockford and Zeeland. It was a nerve-racking game and furnished glorious sport to a large number of enthusiastic fans, who journeyed to Zeeland to see the boys from the city meet an aggregation that was 3-9 Grand Rapids, 2-9 Rockford and 4-9 Zeeland. And to say that they were surprised with the excellent showing made by their favorite club is putting it lightly, for the boys not only frightened the hired tossers opposed to them, but they made the game a matter of doubt until the last inning, when the outsiders by a run of good luck brought in the winning tally and were declared victors by a score of 11 to 10.

Rademaker, the ex-western league catcher, and Van der Wege, the crack Rockford pitcher, formed the battery for the unclaimed; but the Holland boys found the ball hard and often, and as "Big Joe" remarked after the game, "they gave him the hardest pounding he received this season". Muir, Ver Berg and Johnson, the other imports, put up a good game in their respective positions; but the excuses from Zeeland, with the exception of the first baseman, did nothing but act as fixtures, and gave the Zeeland rooters a slight excuse to indulge in the falsehood that it was a Zeeland nine.

The Holland boys did not play their usual errorless game, in fact the game was lost on account of costly errors made at critical moments, but considering the condition of the grounds and the array of imported talent the boys had to face, they did remarkably well and like true sportsmen, have no excuses to offer for their defeat.

Their attitude in this regard is in striking contrast to the Zeelanders who never miss an opportunity to play the baby-act. This Zeeland weakness was demonstrated in the recent issues of the papers from that neighborhood and by the actions of some of the people who cheered and booed when their nine won on Market Day; but who jeered and hounded the Holland boys and treated them in an ungentlemanly, discourteous and insulting manner when they taught the Juniors how to play ball to the tune of 24 to 7 the 7th of October.

As a sample of smallness of spirit, note the following silly vapors from one of the papers of that village:

"Our Juniors having been deceived by the Holland baseball cranks as often as they have challenged a Holland team, and having found that they must play the 'real thing' no matter what nine they challenge have decided to ask the 'real thing' itself to come down and play a game of ball. The defeat of last Saturday was unfair and now they will play the strongest team in Ottawa county. With the combined force of the best players of the City team, the College team and, yes, the team that really agreed to play (the High School team) they succeeded in showing happy faces 'after the ball is over.' In fact, about half of the team, not including the umpire, were members of the City team."

Your Juniors have been deceived, have they? Poor little dears! Did somebody sell them a gold brick? So "the defeat of last Saturday was unfair." Why? Because they would not favor the innocents from Zeeland by giving them the game to keep them from crying.

As to having the best players from the city team, why didn't they let Leapple play? He was on the grounds. Why didn't they let Ver Schure or Van Putten pitch? They "beefed," the babies, and to mollify them, Ver Schure was put in the field, Van Putten was put on third and Leapple was put out of the game. And still a paper that should try and give a correct view of the incidents of the day, has the audacity to make the above absurd statements.

Why, everyone knows that Holland was not represented by its best team on that day for they all heard the mournful wailings of Manager De Pree as he walked up and down the line, kicking in typical infant fashion against the makeup of the visiting nine. As a matter of fact, the Juniors never won from the regular Holland nine. They won from the Night Hawks, they won from nines composed of second rate players slightly strengthened by a player or two from the Holland or Hope College clubs; but just the moment they met a nine strengthened by four regular players, their conceit suffered a severe blow.

"Now they will play the strongest team in Ottawa County." Who? The Juniors? The writer must have known that it was not the Juniors but a hired nine playing under Zeeland colors.

Another Zeeland sheet is responsible for the following outburst:

"There will be a great game of ball next Saturday on the new grounds between the Holland City team and Zeeland. The contest will be for the championship of Ottawa County and will doubtless be stubbornly fought on both sides."

Now the writer of these lines should have known that the game was not going to be between Holland and Zeeland, for it was public property that Zeeland intended to hire players from outside. If in this day of enlightenment he was ignorant of that fact, pity should be felt for him, but if he knowingly misrepresented the facts, he should be severely condemned. As to playing for the championship, how could residents of Grand Rapids and Rockford play for the championship of Ottawa County? If the residents of the village to the east of Holland expect to be classed with the square sports they had better call a halt on all persons who place them in such an unfavorable light. Communications conveying wrong impressions were also sent to the Grand Rapids papers before the game, and at its close Zeeland was again disgraced by an item inspired by that village, which said that Zeeland won the county championship, and in the same item exposed the falseness of the statement by saying that the Rockford players did good work.

Considering the friendly relations that should always exist between Holland and Zeeland the news is glad to say that the foregoing does not apply to the large majority of the people of that place. For some of the most prominent and enlightened business and professional men remarked that Holland deserved credit for the showing made and that Zeeland had no reason to feel proud over its questionable victory. And the rooters did not feel proud. Did anyone propose three cheers for the winning team? No, because they did not know who to cheer for—Grand Rapids, Rockford or Zeeland. They all felt greatly embarrassed and no one ventured the assertion that Zeeland won the game. All that they could consistently say was, "Well Holland was beaten." Holland fans admit that that their nine was beaten, and they are not ashamed of it. They offer no excuse, but they protest emphatically against the willful misrepresentations made in connection with the game.

Now if the Zeelanders really thought they had the best ball club why didn't they prove it by accepting the following propositions: \$100 to \$50 that the Holland base ball club can defeat any nine composed of players living in Zeeland, no players to establish a residence there for the purpose of taking part in the game; \$100 even that seven of the Holland players can defeat nine Zeeland players; and \$50 even that the Holland nine can defeat the nine they played Saturday, games to be played on the Holland diamond.

These propositions were made on the Zeeland grounds last Saturday, appeared in Monday's Sentinel, and were repeated during the week, but were entirely ignored, and still the Zeeland News in its write up of the game says that it was for the championship of Ottawa county and that Zeeland won the trophy. What trophy? It also tells of the work done by the Zeeland pitcher. Isn't the pitcher's name Van der Wege? Doesn't he hail from Rockford? Isn't he a fugitive player that will toss the ball for any town that will pay him the price?

By misleading statements they try to prove that Zeeland's ball club can beat the Holland base ball club, but are afraid to compete for the championship in a sportsmanlike manner. Seeing that they are afraid to accept the foregoing challenges, Holland will play them on the following terms: \$25 to \$1 that the Holland club can defeat the Zeeland base ball club, outsiders barred.

If the fans of that neighborhood will not accept this offer, the Holland club will come down to their callibre and play them for 15 cts a side. If they decline this chance the Holland club will play the Zeeland nine for nothing and pay their fare to Holland. Accept either of the last propositions or retire in disgrace from the field of sports.

### Died on Duty.

Edward Johnson, the well known C. & W. M. Ry. conductor died suddenly at Agnew at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The freight train in his charge was made up at Muskegon about noon, and reached Agnew 1:45. Mr. Johnson was apparently in good health and did not complain of illness to any of his associates. As the train pulled out from Agnew, head-brake-man Phillips boarded the rear platform of the way car to give conductor Johnson the orders received at the station. As Phillips opened the caboose door the conductor fell against him. Phillips caught Johnson in his arms and gently laying him on the seat was surprised to find that life was extinct. When the train reached West Olive

a telegram was sent to Dr. Yates, the company physician, asking him to meet the train at Holland. He did so and upon examination said that Mr. Johnson had died of heart trouble. Many of Mr. Johnson's friends and fellow workmen gathered at the depot to view the remains before the body was sent to Grand Rapids on the 4:25 train.

Mr. Johnson will be remembered by patrons of the road as one of the most jovial and popular conductors in the employ of the C. & W. M. Ry. company. The last few years he has been conductor on freight trains but previous to that time he was a passenger conductor. His heart action had given him considerable trouble for a long time and about three years ago he had a similar attack to the one which proved fatal yesterday. Mr. Johnson resided at 602 Wealthy avenue, Grand Rapids, and leaves a wife and a 18-year-old son.

### Spain's Greatest Need.

R. P. Oliva, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold by Heber Walsh Holland, and Van Bree & Son, Zeeland.

### \$50 Reward.

\$50.00 reward will be paid to anyone for information which will lead to conviction of thief or thieves who stole from the cottages situated at between Jenison Park and Harrington's Landing. Goods stolen last Spring and Winter.

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In Capes a bargain at \$2.79, \$3.75, \$4.98, \$7.50, and \$8.50.

What is not sold by Saturday evening at 9 o'clock is returned. If you want a bargain come in.

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are alarm bells announcing the certain approach of deafness. A constant buzzing, ringing, singing noise in the head and ears is a positive indication that a disease has been making progress that may, eventually, destroy the delicate and intricate parts of the organ, and place it beyond repair. Heed the warning and take action before it is too late. Dr. McOmber cures every case not totally destroyed.

### Foul Smelling Discharges

Insidiously, but with positive certainty, the destruction of the ear and deafness follows chronic discharges of foul-smelling corruption that feeds from the internal parts of the ear. These tender and delicate parts, once bathed in this foul matter, soon ulcerate, slough and run out. Go to Dr. McOmber, a specialist with great skill and ability, who always cures this loathsome and dangerous malady.

### Gross Eyes—Strabismus—

does more to mar the expression, distort the features and make a countenance homely than can hardly be realized. The sight of one eye becomes deficient if not nearly blind. If both eyes are crossed the vision is weak or near-sighted, become inflamed and irritated easily, eye-lids contract, eye-balls converge. By his painless, lightning method Dr. McOmber straightens them in one minute. No chloroform, no pain, no bandage.



### EXPERIENCE GIVES ABILITY.

For thirty years Dr. McOmber has been actively engaged in special work. From day to day his enormous experience with patients from every state in this country, and many from other countries, and with every variety of chronic maladies has constantly added to his wonderful skill in determining the nature and cause of diseases, as well as increasing his vast knowledge of methods, means, agents, remedies and new discoveries for their alleviation and cure.

That he cures the most obstinate and obscure diseases seemingly with the greatest ease, and especially after patients had spent large sums of money with physicians of fame, is too apparent to be questioned.

Ladies in this city and adjoining towns and country, whose afflictions had baffled the skill of good doctors for years, and when their conditions were worse than ever before, cannot understand why their cases should have been found by Dr. McOmber so different than they had always supposed they were, and after so long a struggle with other doctors, were so readily and quickly cured by his advanced methods of treatment.

The same can be said of diseases of men: young, middle-aged and old. No matter of how long standing or with how many bitter disappointments you have met in the past, go and have a talk with Dr. McOmber.

He is equally successful in the treatment of Chronic Diseases of Children. Girls, entering womanhood, who from abnormal conditions grow pale and thin, and sometimes with but little warning are firmly in the clutches of the dreaded disease consumption, find in Dr. McOmber's system of treatments a quick and happy cure.

Delays are dangerous. Do not say: "I will wait until he comes again," but go now and get his opinion free of charge before it is too late. He has cured thousands who had suffered exactly as you do.

### Strength is Health, Weakness is Disease.

If in poor health you are weak, and the reason you are weak is because you are losing strength. If half your strength is gone you are half dead, if three-fourths gone you are three-fourths dead, if all gone you are all dead. If you have a little strength, that is your foundation on which to build, and to regain strength, vigor, vitality, vital force and healing energy, it is not wise that you choose the best methods or treatments at any cost to regain that which means a return to health.

To increase strength, give tone, vigor and vitality once more to the system, the cause of your depletion and weakness must be determined and removed, and if this is not done and the proper treatment employed to rebuild, enrich the blood, nourish, feed the nerves and repair damage to diseased organs and tissues then all is given over to the chances of life. Act wisely, go to one who has had immense experience in the treatment of those who have suffered as you do and who now bless the name of Dr. McOmber.

ARE YOU Losing Flesh and Strength, Growing Weaker, Getting Pale and Thin from Suffering and Disease, and Have You Failed to Get Relief or Cure?

ARE YOU SUFFERING FROM Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis, or a tendency to Consumption?

ARE YOU TROUBLED WITH Deafness, Hard of Hearing, Ringing Noises in Head and Ears?

HAVE YOU Weak, Sore, Inflamed Eyes, Cataract or other Growths?

IS Your Blood Impure, Have You Pimples on Face and Back. Do You Suffer From Rheumatism?

ARE YOU Cross-Eyed, and would You Like to Have Them Made Straight in a Minute Without Pain, Chloroform or Bandage?

HAVE YOU Any Disease for Which You Have Failed to Find a Cure?

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**ADDITIONAL LOCALS**

The regular meeting of the Y. W.  
C. A. will be held in their rooms next  
Tuesday evening, October 24 at 7:30  
o'clock.

The Epworth League of the M. E.  
church will be led on Sunday, October  
29 by Dr. J. A. Mabbs. The topic for  
the evening is "An Old Time Mission-  
ary." All are invited. Come!

Dr. McOmber will make his 16th  
monthly visit to this city the 1st part  
of November. He will be at Hotel  
Holland Wednesday, Thursday and  
Friday Nov., 1, 2, and 3. Office hours  
from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Rev. G. H. Dubbink's mother died  
last Wednesday evening, at the age  
of 71. She will be buried from the  
Reformed church in Overisel on Sat-  
urday, at 2 p. m. Nine children sur-  
vive her, six of her own, and three of  
her step-children.

Don't fail to go and see the new line  
of dress goods just received at John  
Vandersluis. The latest can always  
be found at this store. Tomorrow,  
Saturday, Mr. Vandersluis will have a  
line of ladies jackets & capes at his  
store on which he will save you big  
money.

The addition to Lokker & Rutgers  
store is completed and this company  
is in a position to carry a larger stock  
than ever before. They have one of  
the largest and best stores in the city  
and invite inspection of their care-  
fully selected stock of clothing, gent's,  
furnishings and footwear.

That the Hope College Juniors and  
the High school foot ball elevens in-  
tend to get to the front in athletic  
sports, was proved last Friday after-  
noon when they met on the college  
grounds for their first match game of  
the season. Both elevens did excel-  
lent work. The College team out-  
weighed the High school boys but aided  
by good gains made possible by  
excellent team work the score stood  
10 to 7 in favor of the kickers from  
the High school when the last half  
was finished. The line up was as fol-  
lows: High school—l c, Boot; l t, Mc-  
Kay; l g, Mabbs; c, Olson; r g, Green;  
r t, Phernambucq; r e, Nies; g, Kre-  
mers; l h b, Lindsay; r h b, Wise; f b,  
Pfanstiehl. College Juniors—l e, Kar-  
reman; l t, Pool and H. Hyink; l g,  
Van der Laan; c, De Hollander; r g,  
Nichols; r t, De Pree; r e, Zandstra; g,  
Langland; l h b, B. Hyink; r h b, Kel-  
der; f b, Schouten. Umpire, C. Hoo-  
genstyn; referee, P. Ver Burg.

Owing to professional engagements  
Paul P. Davis will not be in Holland  
next Thursday, but will be here on  
the day following, Friday October 27.

Circulars giving full information in  
regard to harvesting, topping and  
cleaning sugar beets will be issued by  
Manager McLean, of the Holland Sug-  
ar company, in a few days, so that  
farmers who have raised them for the  
first time may know how to proceed  
with that part of the work.

The rough weather and high seas of  
the past week has interfered greatly  
with the work on the piers. Two  
drivers are at work on the sheet piling  
and a force of carpenters are repair-  
ing the cribs. A number of men will  
be employed during the winter get-  
ting timbers ready for crib-work in  
the spring. The contractor is not  
complaining but is confident that the  
improvements will be completed with-  
in a reasonable time.

Holland's foot ball eleven is trained  
to the hour and will make the St. An-  
drews foot ball boys, of Grand Rapids,  
exert themselves if they expect to win.  
It will be a great game and will take  
place at the foot ball grounds, corner  
of 16th and River streets to-morrow  
afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Following  
is the line up of the Holland eleven:  
L e, Van Putten; l t, Hyink; l g,  
Klien; c, Howell; r g, Crispel; r t,  
Van Houte. r e, Damson; quarterback  
Davidson; r b, Steketee; l b, Van der  
Veen; fullback, De Pree; Substitutes  
Green and Olson.

Will Kremers, who has had charge  
of Dr. H. Kremers drug store the past  
summer, was offered a position in the  
chemical department of the Wisc-  
onson University yesterday morning. It  
will not be possible for him to accept  
this position as he is now assistant  
chemist of the Holland Sugar com-  
pany. His place at the drug store has  
been taken by Jacob Haan of Grand  
Rapids, a registered pharmacist. Mr.  
Kremers is a graduate of the High  
school of this city, and the Univer-  
sity of Michigan, and the honor ten-  
dered him by the University of Wis-  
consin shows that his record at Ann  
Arbor ranked with the best.

Dr. Jacob Vander Meulen will preach  
in Hope church on Sunday evening  
Oct. 22. Dr. Vander Meulen is pas-  
tor of the Reformed church of  
Graafschap. For many years he was  
pastor of the Third Reformed Church  
of this city, during which time he was  
accounted one of the eloquent men of  
the Reformed Church in the West.  
Although distinctly a Holland preach-  
er, Dr. Vander Meulen is none the  
less an able English speaker. Well  
advanced in years, he is still full of  
life and originality. His was a con-  
spicuous and commanding figure at  
the last meeting of the General Synod.  
We bespeak for him a large attend-  
ance on Sunday evening.

The new rector of St. John's church,  
Dr. Van Antwerp, conducted the ser-  
vices at that church on Sunday. The  
attendance at the morning service  
was quite large and the sermon able  
and interesting, telling the church  
workers that all should take an inter-  
est in all that goes to the upbuilding  
of the church, Sunday school and so-  
cieties of the church. He spoke in a  
feeling and able manner for unity  
and good will between all church  
people. He paid a lovely tribute to  
Dr. Wilkinson, late rector of this parish  
for the splendid and good work he  
has done in the many years he had  
been connected with this church. . . .  
Olive is a grand and prolific town-  
ship. She raises more rye than any  
other in Michigan, she has the oldest  
person in Michigan and now she comes  
forward with a man who is a parent  
more times than any one else in the  
state. Mr. J. E. Giles of Olive is  
father of 29 children. Who can beat  
that? By the way Mr. Giles was in  
town today.—Grand Haven Tribune.

The trial of the case of Peter Boyer,  
Vs. the Grand Rapids Insurance com-  
pany for the collection of insurance  
on Mr. Boyer's store burned at Hol-  
land, was finished last Saturday morn-  
ing in Judge Grove's court at Grand  
Rapids after a hard fought legal  
battle in which several citizens of this  
city appeared as witnesses. In the  
course of the trial an attempt was  
made to prove that the reputation at  
Holland of Deputy Sheriff Ford, the  
chief witness for the insurance com-  
pany, for truth and veracity was not  
good. The attempt was fruitless as  
several reputable citizens of this city  
testified that the reputation of Mr.  
Ford for truth and veracity was un-  
questioned. Judge Grove directed a  
verdict in favor of the defendant.  
The case was taken from the jury on  
the ground that the policy under  
which the plaintiff sought to collect  
the insurance on his store, contained  
a clause prohibiting the storing of  
gasoline, and that the testimony  
showed this clause was violated, which  
rendered the policy void under the  
reading of the law. Two other cases  
begun by Mr. Boyer, one against the  
Capital Fire Insurance company and  
another against the Hanover company  
were continued over the term. These  
cases are similar to the case decided  
Saturday in favor of the Grand Rap-  
ids company.

The will of the late Luman Jenison  
was received for probate in Grand  
Haven last Tuesday. Most of the  
property of the twin brothers was dis-  
posed of by a trust deed, filed a year  
ago in Ottawa and Kent counties.  
The value of the property mentioned  
in the petition is \$2,000, but in reality  
it is much greater. The date of the  
document is December 3, 1898, and it  
is substantially the same as the will  
of Lucius Jenison, filed six months ago.  
The first clause provides for the pay-  
of \$500 to a cousin, Sarah A. Jenison.  
The second bequest is \$250 to a broth-  
er-in-law, Star Etheridge of Grand  
Rapids. A life interest in all the  
stock, agricultural implements, tools,  
etc., on the homestead is given to his  
brother, Lucius Jenison, and in case  
the latter's death this property goes  
to two nephews, Douglas M. and Hi-  
ram E. Jenison. By trust deed before  
mentioned these nephews were given  
the farm also; and the two gifts are  
worth \$10,000. All other property, in  
case of death of his twin brother be-  
fore the testator, is to go to Mrs.  
Bessie Husband Hanchett, of Grand  
Rapids and Mrs. Margaret J. Husband,  
her mother, of Jenison. Mrs. Han-  
chett and Mrs. Husband are appointed  
administratrix under the will without  
bonds. The trust deed disposed of  
the Jenison park property at Holland,  
the store, grist mill and old factory  
building at Jenison, and about 400  
acres of farming lands in Ottawa and  
Kent counties. This deed was signed  
by both the brothers and provided  
that after the death of the survivor  
of the twins the property should go to  
Mrs. Hanchett and to her mother,  
Mrs. Margaret J. Husband. The broth-  
ers owned the Country club property  
at Grand Rapids, as well as much  
other valuable real estate there. They  
are said to have left about \$60,000 in  
debts, but good judges estimate that  
Mrs. B. S. Hanchett and her mother  
will receive \$150,000 after all claims  
are paid.—G. R. Herald.

**Holland accepts Grand Ha-  
ven's Challenge.**

"A CHALLENGE—The Grand Haven  
Independent football team hereby  
challenges any team in the county  
for the Ottawa championship. Hol-  
land preferred. A game with the  
Grand Haven high school team is also  
sought after. Now is the time to  
learn to play, boys!"

INDEPENDENT TEAM.  
The above challenge is accepted by  
the Holland football team. Address  
all communications to Dr. Frank De  
Vries, who will make arrangements  
for the game.

**The Hon. John Hay on Omar  
Khayyam.**

The address of our representative at  
the Court of St. James, at the Omar  
Khayyam Club's dinner in London,  
last December, is said to have been a  
"masterpiece of literary oratory."  
Such as intend to hear Liza Leh-  
mann's musical setting of the Khay-  
yam, Fitz Gerald's Rubaiyat, at the  
College Chapel next Thursday, the  
26th of October, will be pleased to  
read the following excerpt from the  
above named address.

"The exquisite beauty, the faultless  
form, the singular grace of those amaz-  
ing stanzas, were not more wonder-  
ful than the depth and breadth of  
their profound philosophy, their knowl-  
edge of life, their dauntless courage,  
their serene facing of the ultimate  
problems of life and of death. Of  
course the doubt did not spare me,  
which has assailed many as ignorant as  
I was of the literature of the East,  
whether it was the poet or the trans-  
lator to whom was due this splendid  
result. Was it, in fact, a reproduction  
of an antique song, or a mystification  
of a great modern, careless of fame,  
and scornful of his time? Could it be  
possible that in the eleventh century,  
so far away as Khorassan, so accom-  
plished a man-of-letters lived, with  
such distinction, such breadth, such  
insight, such calm disillusion, such  
cheerful and joyous despair? Was  
this Weltanschauung, which we thought

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a malady of our day, endemic in Persia  
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poem was its fidelity to the original.

"Wherever the English speech is  
spoken or read the Rubaiyat have  
taken their place as a classic. There  
is not a title post in India, nor a vil-  
lage in England, where there is not a  
coterie to whom Omar Khayyam is a  
familiar friend and a bond of union.  
In America he has an equal following  
in many regions and conditions. In  
the Eastern states his adepts form an  
esoteric sect. In the cities of the West  
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most thoroughly read books in every  
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once in one of the most lonely and  
desolate spots of the high Rockies."

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### BIG CROWDS GREET HIM EVERYWHERE.

**Helps to Greet the First South Dakota Volunteers, Just Home from the Philippines—Thanks Them for Long and Faithful Service—Scenes and Events in Other Places.**

Aberdeen, S. D., Oct. 16. — At eight o'clock Saturday morning President McKinley's special arrived in this city. At the depot a large crowd gathered to see the first president of the United States who has ever visited the Dakotas since statehood. The principal part of the throng was the First South Dakota volunteers, who had just arrived from the Philippines. At the corn palace addresses were made by President McKinley and the cabinet, Gov. Lee and others. The president said:

"Mr. Mayor, Members of the First South Dakota Volunteers and Fellow Citizens: It gives me very great pleasure to join with your fellow citizens of the state of South Dakota, your friends, your families, your neighbors in this welcome to your home. We are a nation of hero worshipers, and yet we are a nation of 70,000,000 grateful people who love valor and reward the heroic deeds of our soldiers and I think I appreciate quite as much if not more than most of my fellow citizens the value of the services this regiment with its associates of the Eighth corps rendered the country in its hour of great emergency."

"And I am here to speak not for myself alone, but for the whole American people, in expression of gratitude and thanks for your heroic action in the island of Luzon. I have with me this morning a dispatch just received from your commander, the major general commanding in the Philippines, telling me of the gallantry of Col. Frost and his First regiment, telling me that from early in February until late in June you stood on the firing line; no enemy could resist your onslaughts upon them. Nor can I forget, soldiers of the republic, that when the treaty of peace was pending, when negotiations were being conducted in Paris, when the ratification of the treaty was awaiting the action of the senate, and finally when we were awaiting the exchange of the ratification with Spain—I do not forget that when that time came every one of you was entitled to be numbered out of the regiment of the United States, and I can never express the joy you gave my heart when you sent word that you would remain until a new army could be formed to take your places."

"That, members of the First South Dakota, was an example of personal sacrifice and public consecration rarely known in the annals of war, but it is just like the American soldier. No matter where he comes from he never lays down his arms in the presence of an enemy and he never lowers the flag of his country until he has triumphed over enemies who assail it. (A voice: "We will never leave there until they are all killed.")"

The train bearing the presidential party left Aberdeen at 11:30 a. m. for Huron, S. D.

**At Huron.**  
Huron, S. D., Oct. 16. — At 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon the presidential train halted for a few minutes in this city. In the square surrounding the depot a large crowd had gathered. The president was vociferously cheered as he emerged from the car for a minute talk. He said, in part:

"The so-called burdens which this war placed upon the American people, unthought and unexpected for anybody in the United States dreamed 18 months ago that the Philippine archipelago would become a part of the United States—came not to us of our seeking, but as one of the inevitable and unescapable results of that war. When Dewey went into Manila bay under orders and destroyed the Spanish fleet, from that hour we were responsible for the peace of the Philippine islands. And from that hour we could not escape with honor to ourselves or from obligations to the nations of the world."

**At Sioux Falls.**  
Sioux Falls, S. D., Oct. 16. — The presidential special arrived Saturday night shortly after seven o'clock.

Fully 15,000 persons crowded around the speakers' stand and President McKinley's speech was cheered to the echo, as were also the short addresses made by members of the cabinet.

**At Yankton.**  
Yankton, S. D., Oct. 16. — President McKinley and party disembarked from the special train here Saturday night at 10:30 o'clock. Despite the lateness of the hour nearly 10,000 people greeted the chief executive. After the speaking was concluded the president and party left for Sioux City, Ia.

**Sunday at Sioux City.**  
Sioux City, Ia., Oct. 16. — Sunday was a quiet day for the presidential party. President McKinley and wife attended services at the First Methodist church. The president was urged to attend receptions and other functions of a public character, but steadfastly refused, preferring to spend Sunday quietly. The train left for the east soon after ten o'clock.

**His Trip Through Iowa.**  
Iowa Falls, Ia., Oct. 17. — Before the sun was up yesterday the presidential train was greeted by Iowans assembled at the stations along the line of the Central road. In his first speech made here the president said that the country had expanded, and the new territory came in the providence of God. "It is ours with all the responsibilities that belong to it."

At Ackley the president said: "The flag represents not tyranny, but liberty and civilization, and stands for hope to humanity."

At Parkersburg he repeated the same sentence concerning the flag, and in conclusion said: "Wherever it is assaulted the whole nation rises up to defend it."

He said at Cedar Falls that the flag had been raised not for national gain or territorial aggrandizement, but for civilization and humanity, "and let them lower it who will."

At Manchester he declared that the American people would not allow their flag to be dishonored anywhere.

At Independence the president said that he had not the power to alienate territory if he was disposed to do so, which he was not. "The sovereignty of the United States in the Philippines cannot be given away by a president,"

spoke the executive. "That sovereignty belongs to the people."

The president said at Waterloo that the question was: "Shall we stand together until the war is finished?" The flag would not be withdrawn from the Philippines or taken down "because the territory over which it floats belongs to the United States by every tenet of international law and by the sacred sanction of the constitution of the United States."

At Dubuque Senator Allison introduced the president, and in his remarks he praised the patriotism of the people of Iowa and the valor of her soldiers.

**Reception at Madison.**  
Madison, Wis., Oct. 17. — Nearly 10,000 persons were massed in front of the state capitol here Monday afternoon to hear President McKinley speak. He said, in part:

"This subject of expansion is not a new one. It was the gospel of the early statesmen and patriots of this country. It found substantial realization in the magnificent achievement of that illustrious statesman Thomas Jefferson. It was the dream of Marcy. In 1853 he sought to acquire the Hawaiian Islands. It was the dream of Seward. It was the dream of Douglas. Let me read you what Stephen A. Douglas said in 1858—41 years ago:

"It is idle to tell me or you that we have land enough. Our fathers supposed that we had enough when our territory extended to the Mississippi river, but a few years' growth and expansion satisfied them that we needed more, and the Louisiana territory, from the west branch of the Mississippi to the British possessions was acquired. Then we acquired Oregon, then California and New Mexico. We have enough now for the present. But this is a young and growing nation. It swarms as often as a hive of bees, and as new swarms are turned out each year there must be places in which they can gather and make their home."

In less than 15 years this distinguished statesman said, "this country will be occupied. Will you not increase and multiply and expand is the law of this nation's existence. You cannot limit this great republic by mere boundary lines, saying: 'Thus far shalt thou go and no farther.' Any one of you gentlemen might as well say to a son 12 years old that he is big enough and must not grow any larger."

"With our natural increase, growing with a rapidity unknown in any other part of the globe, with the tide of immigration that is fleeing from despotism in the old world to seek refuge in our own, there is a constant torrent pouring into this country that requires more land, more territory, more space, and just as fast as our interests and our destiny require additional territory in the north, or in the south, or on the islands of the ocean (said Stephen A. Douglas) I am for it."

**Greetings at Milwaukee.**

Milwaukee, Oct. 17. — The special train bearing President McKinley and party arrived in this city at seven o'clock last evening and the greeting he received from many thousand people was most enthusiastic and appropriate to the occasion. Following the public reception the party returned to the Hotel Pfister to participate in a banquet, at which the president spoke in part as follows:

"The toast you have given is the president of the United States. Some people seem disturbed about the president's policy. The president has no policy against the will of the people. The best policy in this world for men or nations is the duty, and wherever that duty calls we should follow. We should not halt—we should not hesitate. Responsibility born of duty cannot be evaded with honor. We are in the Philippines; our flag is there, the first requirement. The indispensable requirement is peace. No terms until the undisputed authority of the United States shall be acknowledged in every foot of territory of the archipelago. After that, congress will make a government under the sovereignty of the United States. In no other way, gentlemen, can we give peace to the national conscience or peace to the world."

**In Michigan.**  
Jackson, Mich., Oct. 18. — President McKinley's trip from Milwaukee, Wis., to this city yesterday was a pleasant one. At every station where the train stopped the people for miles around had assembled to greet the nation's chief executive. His brief speeches were interrupted with enthusiastic cheers. His references to his policy in the Philippines met with a hearty reception, and every reference to the American flag was cheered to the echo. Mention of the bravery of the army and the navy in the Philippines was tremendously applauded.

The president's train reached Jackson at 10:35 p. m., and the president spoke from a stand which had been erected at some distance from the station.

Before leaving Milwaukee he delivered an address to 5,000 people at the national soldiers' home. He also spoke at Racine and Kenosha and Waukegan, and Evanston, Ill., and at Kalamazoo, Three Oaks, Buchanan, Niles and Battle Creek.

**Presents Its Estimates.**

Washington, Oct. 17. — The interior department estimates, completed Monday, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901, aggregate a grand total of \$170,500,000. This amount includes \$145,172,000 for the entire pension service, of which \$144,000,000 is for all army and navy pensions, the remainder being for agencies, salaries, etc.; the census bureau, \$9,664,000; Indian service, \$6,800,526; the general land office, \$1,690,000; patent office, \$1,051,190; and geological survey, \$500,000.

**Ousts woman Officeholder.**

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 18. — The supreme court entered a judgment of ouster against Mrs. Merrie H. Abbott, prosecuting attorney of Ogemaw county, thus holding that a woman is ineligible to hold elective office in Michigan unless the statutes or constitution expressly stipulate that she may do so.

**Schooner Ran Down.**

Harbor Beach, Mich., Oct. 16. — The steamer W. P. Ketcham ran down the little schooner Typo in Lake Huron and the Typo was instantly sunk and four of the crew were drowned. Their names follow: Mrs. Adams, the cook; Henry Ledford, the mate; John Campbell and Daniel Carr, seamen.

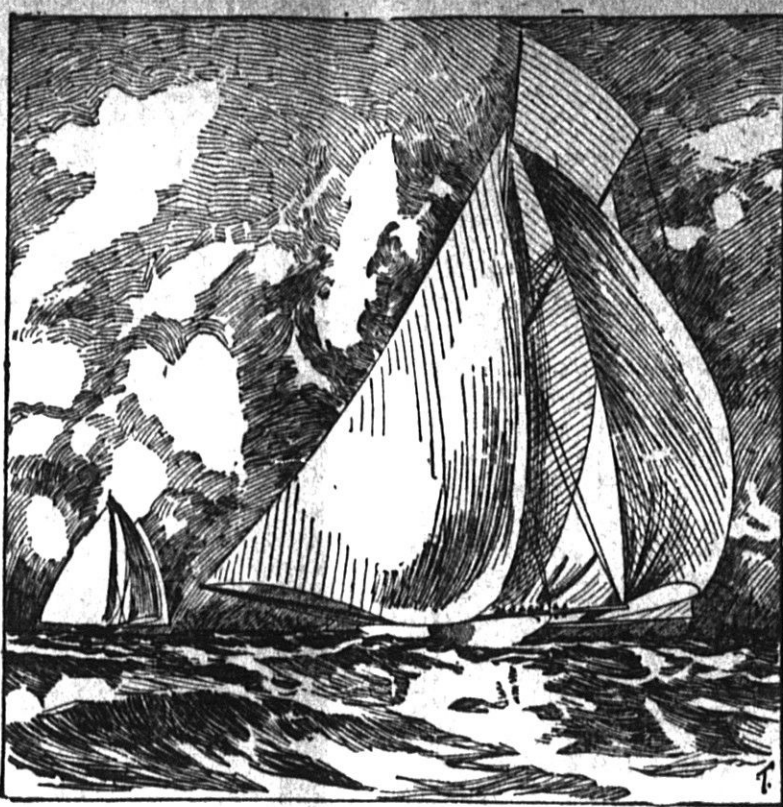
**Parliament Meets.**

London, Oct. 18. — Parliament met in extraordinary session yesterday for the purpose of providing supplies for a military campaign in South Africa.

**Training School Burned.**

Chicago, Oct. 16. — St. Mary's training school at Feenahville burned Sunday. Loss estimated at \$200,000.

## COLUMBIA WINNING THE FIRST RACE.



Columbia passing the home stake boat (Sandy Hook Lightship) 10 minutes and 8 seconds (corrected time) in the lead of the Shamrock.

### STEAMER BURNED.

**The Nutmeg State Destroyed in Long Island Sound and Twelve Persons Lose Their Lives.**

New York, Oct. 16. — The Bridgeport line steamer Nutmeg State was burned in Long Island sound, off Sands point, L. I., at sunrise Saturday morning, and twelve persons were burned to death or drowned. The dead are: Samuel Jaynes, baggage master; Nils Nilsen, Charles Anderson, Patrick Coffee, Bernard Hendry, Thomas Murphy and John Connors, members of the crew, and five unknown passengers.

The burning of the steamer was replete with horror, heroism, brutality and self-sacrifice. Few if any lives would have been lost had not a swarm of maddened freight handlers darted up from the furnace below decks and swept women and children into the water in their mad rush for safety. These men, great, rough, brawny fellows, whose stock in trade was their strength, spared nobody. They fought their way to the steamer's bow, which was not on fire, and swept into the huddled crowd there, pushing many over the side into the sea. Until their advent the crew had behaved fairly well, the captain's orders were being obeyed and the boats were being filled with women and children. But the rush of the freight handlers upset all plans.

### POWERFUL ENGINES.

**Interesting Figures Giving Dimensions of Modern High-Class Freight Locomotives.**

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad has ordered 30 "three cylinder compound consolidation" freight locomotives from the Baldwin Locomotive Works for December and January delivery. These machines, when completed, will represent the highest class of heavy freight power, both in pulling capacity and economy in operation, ever built in this country. The cylinders are to be 15 inches and 25 inches in diameter with 30-inch stroke. The total weight of engine, exclusive of tender, is to be 176,000 pounds. The drivers are 54 inches in diameter, with a driving wheel base of 15 feet 4 inches, and total wheel base of 23 feet 8 inches. The tenders will have 5,000-gallon water capacity, eight tons coal capacity, and weigh 95,000 pounds. The boilers are to be of the extended wagon top type, 64 inches in diameter at front end. The firebox is to be 41 inches wide and 118 inches long. When these locomotives are completed the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will have 137 freight engines, each exceeding in weight 175,000 pounds.

### SHE NEEDED SILVERWARE.

**That Was Why She Celebrated Her Silver Wedding Without a Husband.**

A South side woman whose name is not Mrs. Jones has created a veritable sensation in a large circle of acquaintances. On the face of it, says the Chicago Tribune, there was nothing to excite her friends when they received an invitation to help her celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of her wedding. But as a matter of fact her friends all supposed that she and her husband had been separated for several years; consequently the invitation set all the gossiping tongues to wagging furiously.

"Humph!" said one woman; "so she's made up with that old skinflint! I'd see myself doing that! Why, I'd rather starve!"

"She swore she'd never live with him again, and I heard her with my own ears," chimed in another.

"Why, I heard that Mr. Jones was dead," added a third. "He died somewhere out in California, more'n two years ago."

Naturally the women could not stand the suspense, and the very next day three of them met on the doorsteps of Mrs. Jones, determined to solve the mystery of a friendly call and an offer to help in the celebration. As soon as possible they began to congratulate their hostess upon her reunion with her husband and the approaching celebration.

"Oh," said Mrs. Jones, "where did you get such an idea? Live with that man again? Why, I'd rather starve. Besides, he's dead—died two years ago. But, you see, I've been married 25 years, just the same. And, besides, I need some silverware."

### A TRAIN ROBBED.

**Bold Work of Masked Men on the Northwestern Road Forty-Seven Miles from Chicago.**

Chicago, Oct. 14. — Five masked robbers held up train No. 9 of the Northwestern railroad shortly before midnight at Tower W, between Maple Park and De Kalb, 47 miles west of Chicago, shot at Dan White, the engineer, ran away with the engine, and blew open the express car and safes. When the robbers had rifled the car they disappeared.

At three o'clock this morning General Manager Antisdel, of the American Express company, said the robbers had secured at least \$25,000 in cash, in addition to an amount of jewelry and other valuables.

Chicago, Oct. 16. — Not a single lead developed yesterday that gives hope of an early capture of the bandits who robbed the Pacific fast mail Friday night. Clews and theories are numerous, but none is strong enough as yet to justify the police and detectives in saying that it is the one to follow to the end. The railway company has offered a reward of \$5,000 for the capture of the bandits.

### THE COLUMBIA WINS.

**Takes the First of the Series of Races with the Shamrock in the International Contest.**

New York, Oct. 17. — The Columbia yesterday won the first of the series of races with the Shamrock for the international championship and the America's cup. In a glorious breeze, over a windward and leeward course of 30 miles, the Columbia bounded across the finish line fully a mile and a half ahead of the challenger, defeating her by ten minutes and fourteen seconds actual time, or ten minutes and eight seconds corrected time, after allowing the six seconds handicap which the Columbia must concede to the challenger on account of her longer water line. It was a decisive contest, a magnificent race, magnificently sailed and magnificently won.

New York, Oct. 18. — The Columbia won the second of the international yacht races, the Shamrock breaking her topmast during the race.

### A Widow's Revenge.

Niles, O., Oct. 16. — Frank Augusta was shot and killed Sunday evening in the Italian quarter by Mrs. Tauro, who was arrested and lodged in jail at Warren. About four months ago Dominick Tauro was fatally stabbed in a fight and on his deathbed told his wife Augusta had stabbed him. The shooting of Augusta is the sequel. Mrs. Tauro has a five-months-old baby, which she took to jail with her.

### Rural Free Delivery.

Washington, Oct. 16. — Rural free delivery of mails has been ordered established on October 23 at Merriam, Kan., and Ripon, Wis.

### THE MARKETS.

New York, Oct. 18.  
LIVE STOCK—Steers..... \$4.62 1/2 @ 6.00  
Hogs..... 4.70 @ 4.85  
Sheep..... 4.15 @ 4.25  
FLOUR—Winter Straights..... 2.40 @ 2.55  
Minnesota Patents..... 3.95 @ 4.25  
WHEAT—No. 2 Red..... 74 1/2 @ 76 1/2  
December..... 76 @ 78 1/2  
CORN—No. 2..... 33 1/2 @ 34 1/2  
December..... 33 1/2 @ 34 1/2  
OATS—No. 2..... 29 @ 29 1/2  
BUTTER—Creamery..... 17 @ 24  
Factory..... 14 1/2 @ 17  
CHEESE..... 11 1/2 @ 12 1/2  
EGGS..... 15 @ 16

CHICAGO.  
CATTLE—Prime Steers..... \$5.60 @ 7.00  
Texas..... 2.25 @ 4.90  
Stockers..... 2.75 @ 4.00  
Feeders..... 4.10 @ 4.80  
Hogs..... 3.00 @ 4.40  
HOGS—Light..... 4.10 @ 4.45  
Rough Packing..... 4.00 @ 4.25  
SHEEP..... 3.20 @ 4.30  
BUTTER—Creameries..... 14 1/2 @ 22  
Dairies..... 15 @ 18  
EGGS..... 13 @ 16 1/2  
POTATOES—(per bu.)..... 23 @ 30  
PORK—January..... 3.32 1/2 @ 3.74  
LARD—January..... 5.32 1/2 @ 5.35  
RIBS—January..... 4.74 @ 4.94  
GRAIN—Wheat, December..... 70 1/2 @ 71  
Corn, May..... 31 1/2 @ 31 3/4  
Oats, May..... 23 1/2 @ 24 1/2  
Rye, No. 2..... 55 @ 55 1/2  
Barley, Malt..... 39 @ 44

MILWAUKEE.  
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n..... 64 1/2 @ 70 1/2  
Oats..... 24 @ 25 1/2  
Rye, No. 1..... 58 @ 58 1/2  
Barley, No. 1..... 46 @ 47

KANSAS CITY.  
GRAIN—Wheat, December..... 64 1/2 @ 64 1/2  
Corn, December..... 26 1/2 @ 26 1/2  
Oats, No. 2 White..... 24 @ 24 1/2  
Rye, No. 2..... 54 @ 55  
ST. LOUIS.  
CATTLE—Beef Steers..... \$3.35 @ 6.40  
Texas..... 4.15 @ 4.25  
HOGS—Packer's..... 4.15 @ 4.25  
Butchers'..... 4.20 @ 4.40  
SHEEP—Native Muttons..... 3.40 @ 3.55  
OMAHA.  
CATTLE—Native Steers..... \$4.90 @ 6.30  
Cows and Heifers..... 3.25 @ 4.25  
Stockers and Feeders..... 2.70 @ 4.00  
HOGS—Mixed..... 4.15 @ 4.25  
SHEEP—Western Muttons..... 3.60 @ 3.80

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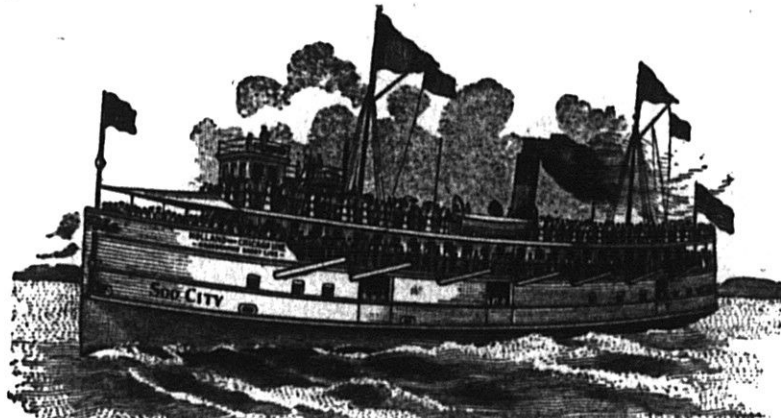
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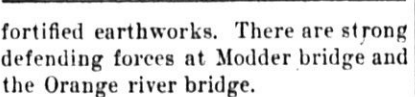
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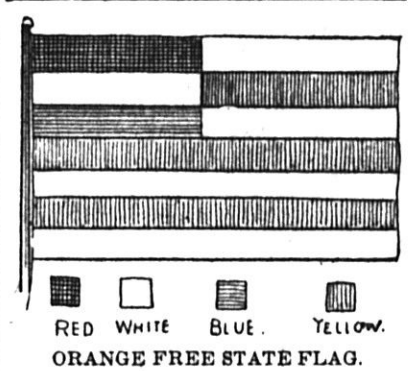
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**WAR DECLARED BY BOERS**  
South African Republic Commences Hostilities Against the Government of Great Britain.  
**HAVE SUPPORT OF ORANGE FREE STATE.**  
The Town of Kimberley Besieged and Railway and Telegraph Communication Cut Off—Transvaal Troops Occupy Newcastle—Latest News Concerning the War.  
London, Oct. 16.—The Daily Mail's Cape Town correspondent, telegraphing Sunday evening, says: Kimberley is besieged and the Boers are massing in force. No details, however, are obtainable. The Boers have cut the railway at Belmont, have seized the Spytfontein railway station and constructed



fortified earthworks. There are strong defending forces at Modder bridge and the Orange river bridge.  
**Are After Rhodes.**  
The object of these energetic operations is believed to be the capture of Cecil Rhodes. Kimberley is now isolated, both railway and telegraphic communication being cut.  
Dispatches from Cape Colony say that the burghers have offered a reward of £5,000 for Cecil Rhodes, dead or alive.  
**Boers Occupy Newcastle.**  
London, Oct. 16.—The Daily Mail's Glencoe Camp correspondent, under date of Sunday, says: A force under Commandant Viljoen, from Spitzkop, occupied Newcastle Saturday afternoon and it is reported, planted their flag over the town hall.  
Durban, Oct. 16.—The Boers who have occupied Newcastle consist of Trans-



vaalers, Free Staters and 400 Hollanders. Gen. Joubert is believed to be at Laing's Nek, which he is fortifying.  
**Kimberley in Peril.**  
London, Oct. 16.—The only salient facts in the morning's telegrams are that the Boers have advanced beyond Newcastle and formed a laager near Rannhauser, about 12 miles north of Dundee, and that Kimberley is isolated and probably invested.  
**Completely Cut Off.**  
Washington, Oct. 17.—The state department has been informed by the cable companies that telegraphic communication with the Transvaal has been completely interrupted. The department is thus cut off from communication with United States Consul Marcum, at Pretoria.  
**Boers Meet Defeat.**  
London, Oct. 18.—A special dispatch from Cape Town says that 300 Boers and 18 British have been killed in a battle at Mafeking.  
Col. Baden-Powell made a sortie from Mafeking in force and attacked the Boers, who were investing the town. After fierce fighting, the British carried the day.

**Boers Killed by Armored Train.**  
Kimberley, Oct. 18.—An armored train, while reconnoitering near Spytfontein, engaged the Boers, killing five and wounding seven.  
**New Labor Organization.**  
Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 16.—The American Equal Wage union, recently incorporated under the laws of Missouri, with headquarters in Kansas City, has adopted a constitution and will immediately commence active missionary work. The organization departs from the methods of older unions in that it omits the word "strike" from its constitution, proposes to accomplish reforms through the ballot, work to offset the activity of corporation lobbies and declares for equal pay for equal work for women.  
**Jury Disagreed.**  
Maryville, Mo., Oct. 18.—C. G. Jesse, druggist, who killed Editor Frank Griffin because of an offensive paragraph published in the Maryville Daily Review, must be tried a second time for the killing. After having been out 91 hours the jury before whom Jesse has been on the trial reported a disagreement and Judge Craig ordered a retrial.  
**Combination in Britain.**  
London, Oct. 16.—A combination of all the firms engaged in the calico printing trade in Lancashire and Scotland is announced. The capital involved is about £10,000,000 (\$50,000,000). The undertaking is due to price-cutting in New York.

**GET AT THE CAUSE**  
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The error of the day in medical treatment is the "doctoring" of effects instead of getting at the cause. A powder for headache, a tablet for indigestion, and a plaster for backache. These may afford slight temporary relief, but next day the old trouble is back again. Besides, think of the effect of a drug strong enough to stop headaches almost immediately.  
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**COST OF LIVING.**  
A Comparison of the Various Capitals of Europe Shows Vienna to Be the Cheapest.  
An investigation into the comparative cost of living at the various European capitals resulted in the following facts: At Vienna the prices of most articles of food are lowest; at Madrid they are dearer than in any other capital, and such things as bread, meat, sugar and coal are very expensive indeed. At St. Petersburg also the price of bread is still considered a luxury above the means of the working classes. Next to Vienna Brussels is an expensive city; Paris is a little higher in the scale, while London is still more expensive. An American spends on an average \$50 a year for food, a Frenchman \$48, a German \$45, a Spaniard \$35, an Italian \$24 and a Russian \$40. Of meat the American eats 109 pounds a year, the Frenchman 87 pounds, the German 64 pounds, the Italian 28 pounds and the Russian 51 pounds. Of bread the American consumes 380 pounds, the Frenchman 540 pounds, the German 560 pounds, the Spaniard 480 pounds, the Italian 400 pounds and the Russian 655 pounds. Outside of Europe, in times of peace, Manila is cheaper to live in than any other city in the world.

**Made His Fortune.**  
The prince of Wales, while shooting in Austria, caused temporary trouble and ultimately made the fortune of the nearest ladies' tailor, by stipulating that all ladies receiving invitations to shoot with him should come in correct shooting costumes. This, in Austria, consists of a short skirt coming half way between the knees and ankle and a short, tight-fitting jacket, with waistcoat of another color, boots of brown leather and a Tyrolean hat with a feather. None of the ladies had just these clothes at hand, and the tailor had to double his force to supply them.  
**Oom Paul's Frugality.**  
President Kruger maintains his domestic establishment on an allowance of \$2,000 of what is called "coffee money," out of which he also requires Mrs. Kruger to sequester her pin money.  
**Good Customers of Peoria.**  
The greatest customers the Peoria distillers have are the Japanese.

**Execution Sale.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN  
THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OTTAWA.  
Carl G. A. Voigt, William G. Herpolsheimer, John S. Seltzer, and Henry B. Herpolsheimer, Plaintiffs, vs. John Kruisinga, Defendant.  
Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in favor of Carl G. A. Voigt, William G. Herpolsheimer, John S. Seltzer, and Henry B. Herpolsheimer, plaintiffs, against the goods, chattels and real estate of John Kruisinga, defendant, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did on April 18th, A. D. 1899, levy on and take all the right, title and interest of the said John Kruisinga, in and to the following described real estate, that is to say, "All John Kruisinga's right, title and interest in an island lying in the south part of section twenty (20) and in the north part of section twenty-nine (29), Township five (5) North of Range fifteen (15) West, and being bounded on the North, South, East and West by Black River," all in Ottawa county, Michigan, all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in Grand Haven, in said Ottawa county, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.  
Dated this 16th day of October, A. D. 1899.  
FRANK VAN RY,  
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WILL E. RYAN, Attorney for Plaintiffs.  
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#### PERSONAL MENTION.

A. H. Meyer was in Grand Rapids yesterday on business.

Miss Kate Kanters is visiting the family of Geo. P. Hummer in Grand Rapids.

Alderman De Merrill, and Andrew Steketee are in Kalamazoo on business connected with the fire department special committee.

J. C. Post left Wednesday on a business trip to Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Steketee left Wednesday for a visit to Kalamazoo.

Henry Greengood, of Grand Haven, was in the city Wednesday.

Fred J. Addison, of Muskegon, factory inspector, was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. D. Van Kolken, who had been visiting relatives in this city, has returned to her home in Grand Rapids.

George Huizenga has returned from a visit to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Bosman and daughter, of Grand Rapids, visited relatives in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. B. P. Dillingham visited friends in Grand Rapids Wednesday and Thursday.

Manager McLean is in Caro, on business connected with the Holland Sugar company.

Miss Lena De Pree is visiting friends in Grand Rapids.

Mr. E. Hall returned last week from Minnesota. He is visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. T. Strong of Evanston Park.

P. Brook and J. Steinenberg, of Hope College, visited friends in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Postmaster Van Schelven spent Monday in Grand Haven.

Bert Jarvis, of Waukegan, Ill., is visiting friends in this city.

Charles M. Humphrey, president of the Holland and Lake Michigan line, was in the city this week.

Steve Bradford, who has been working for the Bell Telephone company in the upper peninsula, returned home Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kochlin are visiting relatives in Fremont.

J. J. Van Dyke Jr., of Fond Du Lac, Wis., spent Sunday in this city.

Richard H. Post returned last Friday from a trip to Chicago.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk attended the meeting of the South Ottawa Teachers association at Zeeland Saturday.

Rev. R. Van Kampen has gone to Bloomington, Ill., where he will pursue a course of study in Sociology.

The Misses Edna Duffy and Winona Riegel left this afternoon for Hastings, where they will attend the Epworth League Convention as representatives of the Holland League.

Mrs. F. W. Gilsky, and Master Harry left Thursday morning for a two-weeks visit with relatives at Monroe.

State superintendent of public instruction Hammond was in the city today, the guest of Prof. J. B. Nykerk.

More than 13,000 farmers raised beets this year for the first time, and are consequently novices to a certain extent. They are setting great store by the returns they are to receive, and in order that they may not be disappointed the Agricultural college authorities have issued instructions relative to the best means of keeping the beets until ordered in by the contractors, and preparing them for the factory. This authority says that the grower should be impressed with the importance of properly cutting off the top and cleaning the beets. Insufficient topping and careless shaking off of the dirt makes a loss that has to be deducted at the factory from the gross weight of the beets. Only beets that are topped at the proper place and are free from dirt produce the requisite percentage of sugar. The place where the beets should be topped is at the base of the lower leaves. To deliver beets in a clean condition, farmers are advised to avoid pulling them when the soil is wet and sticky. When beets are pulled from a dry field and thereafter shaken and properly topped hardly any tare will result.

Hereafter the Michigan Telephone company will charge for telephone service by the minute, on the long distance phones. Up to the present time the charge has been made for a five-minute conversation, although as a rule the use of the line was for considerably less time. Under the new system the patron pays for the exact time which he spends in talking over the wire. Experts say that on an average 100 to 150 words can be transmitted in a minute.

#### Board of Supervisors.

Friday was election day in the board of supervisors.

The office of drain commissioner was the first talloted on. The first ballot resulted in no election. William Whipple received 11 votes, William Walter 10, and blank 1. On the next ballot Mr. Whipple was re-elected, getting 12 votes to 10 for Mr. Walter. Mr. Whipple has made a splendid official and his election was certainly merited by his record in the office.

Nelson Stanton, a Forest Grove teacher, was elected member of the county board of school examiners after four ballots. The ballots resulted as follows: First, Cilley 11, Stanton 6, Harrison 5; second, Cilley 8, Stanton 7, Harrison 7; third, Cilley 5, Stanton 9, Harrison 8; fourth, Cilley 3, Farrell 4, Stanton 11, Harrison 2.

Alexander Noble was re-elected superintendent of the poor by acclamation.

The board voted to visit the county poor farm Tuesday. Mr. Pruim was opposed to the entire board going, thinking that a day could be better devoted to the board to hearing the state tax commissioner. However, the board thought differently and decided to take the annual junket.

Never disappoints housekeepers: Sunlight and Baby Flour.

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The board adjourned until 8 o'clock Saturday.

Saturday the board decided not to build a curbing this year and adjourned until Monday.

At the meeting held Monday the report of the soldiers relief commission was received. Five hundred dollars was raised for their relief next year.

Tuesday the members of the Board spent the day at the county farm. Wednesday they were busily engaged in getting the county equalization matter straightened out. There was considerable debate, both in open board and in committee. The original report of the committee was referred back and with some amendments was finally presented by Mr. Souter and passed.

The matter of purchasing a book typewriter for the county clerk was deemed inadvisable by the committee having that matter under consideration.

It was voted to pay the deputy county game warden \$2 a day when employed.

At its session Thursday the board heard and adopted the report of the finance committee. The amount in the county treasury Sept. 30 as shown by the report was \$14,368.58 as against \$12,499.51 a year ago. The balance on hand in the different funds is as follows: General \$5,492.05; poor \$2,794.83; insane \$1,100.33; soldiers relief \$63. The following salaries will be paid the coming year: Judge of probate \$1,500; clerk \$1,000; prosecuting attorney \$1,000; treasurer \$1,200; commissioner of schools \$1,000; janitor \$500. The following amounts were recommended for the different funds: General, \$13,000; poor, \$3,000; insane, \$2,000; salary, \$6,200; soldier's relief, \$500. The board voted to put a ladder in the dam owned by W. S. Root on Sand Creek and an adjournment was taken until this morning.

#### End of the Trip Through the County.

Mr. Editor: In answer to your request I enclose the remainder of the account of our trip through the county.

Going one mile to the west we entered the land of the festive bull-frog and watersnake, the big marsh of Robinson, and here our troubles began. After traveling what seemed about ten miles to the northward, which chairman Fox declared was east, we ran up against a barbed wire fence which seemed to give us the choice of going east three miles to the village of Robinson or west a number of miles towards nowhere in particular. We chose the latter, as the intuitive instinct of four hungry men seemed to tell us that a westerly course would bring us the soonest to a place where we could get something to eat. So we took the direction of the star of empire and after wandering through old slashings for some time we struck a German settlement, and shortly after we came out on the road to Supervisor Chas. E. Stearns where we in due time pulled up in pretty fair order.

We found a right royal welcome awaiting us and though it was long after the noon hour we were soon seated at a well loaded table of good substantial food to which we did ample justice.

After resting and looking over the farm of Mr. Stearns we started for the city of Grand Haven, most of the way being through a country covered with white oak groves where Van Noord, unable longer to hold it, declared that so far as he could see the land was thin enough and loose enough to farm without a plow, and therefore could be worked very cheap, but at the same time remarked that as for him he would rather live in Jamestown where they had to work to raise crops.

On the river road we ran into a party of jolly hunters from Grand Haven who seemed to have more of the good things of life than they knew

what to do with, and after a few minutes that we left them to the enjoyment of camp life and soon after arrived at the county seat without further incident, pulling up at the Cutler.

After partaking of supper we took a stroll through the city and falling in with supervisor Pellegroni we visited Supervisor Parks where we passed a pleasant hour.

After sleeping the sleep of the just we shook hands the next morning with the county officials generally, heard a little about the tin gutters and valleys on the Court house, heard how the committee felt in regard to the matter, examined the new cement walks which seemed to be all right, but tin gutters makes us suspicious, and then left for Spring Lake where we called on the irrepressible Pruim.

After chatting a few minutes with our friend Pruim we started for Nunica, passing through much poor, sandy land devoted mostly to raising small fruits where anything was raised. Coming to a vineyard, Chairman Fox ordered your correspondent to make a foraging trip and he always respects the chair; result, a hat full of grapes. Nearing the village of Nunica we found some very good farms with fine buildings. We found Supervisor Brown, of Crocker, comfortably situated as the owner of a fine flour and saw mill and doing a good business. We received a hearty welcome from Bruin and his good wife and accepted their hospitality for dinner, when after being introduced to a number of the business men of Nunica we bade farewell to our friends and took our departure.

Going some distance to the north we passed through some very fine country leaving little to be desired. After turning to the eastward some distance we came to the old Penoyer farm, which is a fine old place with spacious buildings which however begin to show the ravages of time, and is now occupied by one of the daughters who is now a Mrs. Gibbs, she formerly taught in the city schools. The place is on an old state road which we followed from there to near Coopersville through some fine country.

We then came into the so called poor part of Polkton where we saw some fine stumps but looked in vain for any dunes.

We took in the village of Coopersville as the horses were thirsty. After shaking hands with Supervisor Cole and a few other notables of the big village we started for the Rio Grand going south past the fair grounds. Here we found some of the finest land it has ever been our lot to see and which brought exclamations of surprise and pleasure from all four of us, who all appreciate and enjoy the sight of good and well kept farms.

In due time we reached the river at Eastmanville and crossing over on the Ferry arrived at about sundown at Chairman Fox's and saw Frank again joined in his idols in the shape of his wife and little Frank.

After enjoying their hospitality for the night and leaving him to the prosy and plebian work of drilling in wheat, the next morning we started out toward home coming through the western part of Allendale, which is supposed to be the poorest part of the township. We found some rather light soil but on the whole the country through which we passed was very fair and some excellent, as indicated by the buildings and other evidences which are generally a fair index in such matters. Passing out of Allendale just southeast of Rusk post office we came to the town line between Olive and Blendon. Here we found that the farms were on a larger scale, few less than 160 acres, and some a great deal more, most of these farms have immense barns which are a necessity as two tons of hay and 60 bushels of oats to an acre is the usual crop. This continues for a number of miles on each side of the town line to near the lines between them and the

towns of Holland and Zeeland.

Leaving the town line we turned to the westward, passing the 300 acre farm of John Ovens who was operating the first 12 foot grain drill, it has been your correspondents lot to see. John has a fine farm and knows how to farm it. Coming through to the line directly north of Noordeloos we saw the beautiful home and well kept farm of Jacob Lieveense, and others that might be mentioned but for fear we weary you.

Coming south we passed into Holland township near the farm of Albert Raak, when it began to rain and we made haste to get in out of the wet and so arrived home at Souter's about 1 p. m., Van Noord taking dinner there, and being afraid that he would forget how to milk his jersey we went home the same evening through the rain and this ended our second trip through the country.

GEORGE H. SOUTER.

#### Common Council.

HOLLAND, MICH., Oct. 17, 1899.

The common council met in regular session and in the absence of the Mayor, was called to order by President proteus Van Patten. Present:—President proteus Van Patten, Ald. Kanters, Ward, De Merell, Schoon, Takken, Sprietema, Habermann, Kooyers and Riksen and the city clerk.

The minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved.

#### PETITIONS AND ACCOUNTS.

Jelte Beldema and 14 others petitioned for an arc light at the corner of First avenue and Fifteenth street.

Referred to the committee on Public Lighting.

Henry Groenewoud and five others petitioned to have the ditch on Eighteenth street between Central avenue and River street filled in.

Referred to the committee on sewers, drains, and water courses.

A number of bills were presented, and warrants ordered issued.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on poor reported presenting the semi-monthly report of the direct x of the poor and said committee, recommending for the support of the poor for the three weeks ending Nov. 7, 1899, the sum of \$68.25, and having rendered temporary aid to the amount of \$20.50. Adopted and warrants ordered issued.

The committee on fire department reported recommending that E. Gierum be appointed as driver at engine house No. 2 at a salary to be hereafter determined by the council, and to be paid when actual services are required.

Report adopted by yeas and nays as follows: Yeas—Ald. Kanters, De Merell, Takken, Sprietema, Habermann, Kooyers and Riksen—7.

Nays—Ward, Schoon, Van Patten—3.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

Justice Post reported the collection of \$15.00 justice fines and receipt of the treasurer for the amount.

Accepted and treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Holland.

Gentlemen:—Pursuant to the resolution passed by your Honorable Body on Sept. 12, 1899 instructing me to take the necessary measures to procure the title of that part of Twentieth street, lying between west section line of section 34 and the line of Harrison ave. I proceeded to see all the parties owning lands needed to open said street, and in said resolution directed. I have obtained consent of each and all the parties and the lands will be deeded to the city free of charge upon condition that the necessary fences be constructed on both sides of said street on the line of said street without any expense to the property owners.

I think this condition a very reasonable one and advise its adoption. Deeds will be executed in each case as soon as fences have been changed. Respectfully,

GEO. E. KOLLER, City Atty

Adopted and recommendations ordered carried out.

The city attorney reported that there were no obstructions on the street running from the intersection of First avenue and Eighth street in a northwesterly direction to the lake. Filed.

The city attorney reported contract lease with the Holland Sugar Co., relative to Lake street. Adopted.

The street commissioner reported that he had repaired the sidewalk adjacent east 66 feet of lot 8 block 24, belonging to A. King, at an expense of \$1.45 and that said amount had been paid by the city.

The report was adopted and referred to the board of assessors for special assessment.

The city marshal reported the collection of \$509.11 electric light rentals for the month ending August 8, 1899, and receipt of the treasurer for the amount.

Accepted, and treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

The city clerk reported statement from the county treasurer of delinquent taxes credited to the city of Holland for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1899, amounting to \$83.35.

Accepted, and treasurer charged with the amount.

The city clerk reported the collection of \$32.47 water and light fund moneys, and receipt of the treasurer for the amount.

Accepted, and treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

The city clerk reported the collection of \$32.47 for city licenses and receipt of the treasurer for the amount.

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To the Honorable the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Holland.

Gentlemen:—At a meeting of the Board of Public works held Oct. 16, 1899, a number of bills were approved and the clerk instructed to certify the same to the Common Council for payment.

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The clerk presented a request from the board of Public works to have the surveyor give the lines of College avenue between Sixteenth and Nineteenth streets. Granted.

The clerk reported that he had given notice of the filing in his office of the plan, diagram, estimate and profile for the proposed improvement of West Fourteenth street and that no objections had been filed in the clerk's office to said plan, diagram, profile and estimate and assessment district.

By Ald. Habermann.

Resolved that the grade of West Fourteenth street between the west line of Hope College addition and the center of Harrison avenue be and is hereby established according to survey, and profile reported by the city surveyor, that the grading and graveling of said part of said Fourteenth street be and is hereby ordered in accordance with resolution passed by the common council Sept. 27, 1899. Carried.

The clerk reported the following bids for grading and graveling West Fourteenth street: H. Coetting, price per cubic yard of cut, 12 cents, gravel per cubic yard 66 cents, proposed bondsmen Ralph and Jacob Westveld; B. Kammeraad, price per cubic yard of cut, 8 1/2 cents, gravel per cubic yard, 59 1/2 cents, proposed bondsmen J. C. Post and D. Medema.

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Resolved, that the contract for grading and graveling West Fourteenth street be awarded to B. Kammeraad as per his bid, that the city surveyor be instructed to stake out the work, that the city attorney be instructed to draw up the necessary bonds at once, and that the mayor be authorized to approve said bonds if he should deem them sufficient. Carried.

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NOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Ald. Ward.

Resolved, that the city surveyor be authorized, and instructed to report the obstructions on Lake street and Fourth street. Carried.

By Ald. Takken.

Whereas Maple street, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets has been dedicated to the City, and

Whereas said dedication has been accepted by the Common Council, and

Whereas a number of parties have acquired property and are now building homes on Seventeenth street near Maple, and

Whereas said Maple street is practically impassable, and the different parties can only with extreme difficulty get to their homes over said street, therefore,

Resolved, that the street commissioner be and hereby is instructed to forthwith remove all obstructions out of said part of Maple street, so as to make the same passable, the full width of said street. Carried.

By Ald. Sprietema.

Resolved, that the street commissioner be instructed to construct the necessary fences on both sides of Twentieth street lying between the west section line of section 32 and the line of Harrison avenue, and that the city surveyor be instructed to give lines for said fences. Carried.

By Ald. Riksen.

Resolved, that the bonds of Sixteenth street special street assessment district number 2 be sold to C. J. De Roo at par. Carried.

By Ald. Schoon.

Resolved, that the council proceed to ballot for driver at engine house number 1. Carried.

On the second ballot, W. J. Scott having received six votes was declared elected driver at engine house No. 1.

By Ald. Schoon.

Resolved, that the board of assessors be and are hereby instructed to make a special assessment roll for West Fourteenth street special assessment district to defray the cost and expense of grading and graveling said part of said street, and that said special assessment be made pro rata according to frontage on all the lots, lands and premises abutting upon said part of said Fourteenth street included in said assessment district, each foot of frontage to be assessed alike unless on account of the shape or size of any lot a different number of feet would be equitable, that the total amount to be assessed in said special assessment district shall be the amount of \$300, that the lands and lots to be assessed be those heretofore designated, said assessment district to be known as "West Fourteenth street special street assessment district" in the city of Holland. Carried, all voting aye.

Adjournd.

WM. O. VAN EYCK, City Clerk.

#### A Strange Will.

Was that of Dr. A. W. Chase, by which he set the price of Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills at 25 cents a box, thus making it possible for suffering men and women to obtain the world's greatest kidney cure at a price within reach of all. Prove their wonderful efficiency if you have backache, kidney disease, liver or bladder troubles.