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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL XXXIV

HOLLAND, MICH., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1905

NO. 41



The
Greatest
Bargain

EVER OFFERED IN

Side-
boards

The manufacturer's loss is your gain.

They wanted the money.

We TOOK the goods.

It made us blush to make the offer to them, but—well here they are.

Genuine Quartered Oak

\$14.90

Do You Want One?

THIS elegant Sideboard, just like cut, genuine quartered sawed oak, elaborately carved, rubbed and polished, with an 18x40 French Plate Mirror, well made and sold everywhere at \$28.00, our price, while they last, \$14.90.

JAS. A. BROUWER

212-214 River Street, HOLLAND, MICH.

GENUINE GAS COKE

THE BEST AND CHEAPEST

DOMESTIC FUEL

Goes just as far, ton for ton, as hard coal and gives more heat, and

It Costs One-Third Less

Cleaner than Coal

Quicker to Start

Lighter to Handle

Contains more Heat Units

No Clinkers

Gives no Odor

Absolutely Smokeless

Has very little Ash

Give Genuine Gas Coke a Trial and there can be but one result

Holland City Gas Company

Citizens Phone 42

10 E. Eighth St.

GOOD



GLASSES

are the salvation,
bad ones the de-
struction of the
eyes. :: :: ::

Let us examine your eyes carefully so that you may not be taking any chances, and fit them with glasses that will give you comfort.

We Please Particular People

Eyes Examined Free

W. R. STEVENSON

Optical Specialist

24 E. 8th Street, Holland.

The Movement
Is The Thing

to be considered first when selecting a watch.

A handsome case doesn't make the watch any more than clothes make the man. We can supply you with a thoroughly reliable time piece at a perfectly satisfactory price, and in any case that suits you. Both works and case doubly guaranteed by the makers and by us.

Hardie

The Jeweler

Fine House, Cheap

A most desirable modern residence on West 12th street, between Maple and First. Furnace, bath, electric lights, gas, beautiful lawn and garden. Large sealed barn. Lot 82 1/2 x 132. This is one of the finest homes in Holland. The price is low, terms easy—\$4,200. R. H. Post.

COAL AND WOOD

Order it now at the lowest Price. All coal guaranteed well screened and clean.

A Good Team of Horses for Sale, or will sell separately.

H. P. ZWEMER,

COAL AND WOOD

Phone 460 275 E 8th St.

For Sale Cheap

Beautiful home located at 222 West 12th street. Reasons for selling are health impaired in this climate, inquire at the above number for information.

To Prevent a Cold Any Day

take a Ramon's Pill at first indication—arouse the liver, quicken the circulation and go along about your work. Any druggist will refund the price if not satisfied. 25 cents.

Holland City News.

Published Every Friday. Terms, \$1.50 per Year with a discount of 50 c to those paying in Advance.

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CITY AND VICINITY.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Feyen, Graafschap, Monday—a son.

Fred Baker's right hand came in contact with a drawbar while employed last Friday on the Interurban railway and the index finger was badly crushed.

The Aid society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. E. C. Taylor, 48 West 16th street for the regular monthly tea meeting Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 24. Mrs. McClinton's committee will serve.

C. D. Wise has been transferred from Traverse City, where he has been employed since last May by the Pere Marquette Railway company, to Waverly where he takes the position of night yard master.

Mrs. John Oonk died Saturday at her home on East 23rd street of typhoid fever after a long illness. Her age was 37 years. She leaves a husband and six children. The funeral services were held Tuesday at the Fourth Reformed church, Rev. Wm. Wolvius officiating.

The death of Benjamin Rypma occurred Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Rypma, East Tenth street. He was 24 years of age and had been troubled with tuberculosis the last few years. The funeral services were held yesterday at the Central Avenue church, Rev. R. L. Haan and Rev. D. R. Drukker officiating.

The well-trained eleven from St. James High school of Grand Rapids could not withstand the skill and brawn of the Holland Junior Independents and were defeated on the local gridiron last Saturday afternoon by a score of 22 to 0. Rigaud shone in end runs and Bosman, VanAnrooy, Ederly and Olsen excelled in line smashes.

During the coming winter the City of Chicago, of the Graham & Morton line, will be lengthened 28 feet, at the Manitowoc shipyards. Steel arches will also be put in to strengthen the ship, and with an entire refitting the Chicago will be practically a new boat when she goes into service on the Chicago. St. Joseph run next season. The additional length will bring the steamer up even with the City of Benton Harbor and will add 1,000 to the number of passengers carried. The freight carrying capacity of the boat will be increased one-third, and it is expected that the change will increase the speed from one to two miles per hour. The cost will be about \$30,000.

"Holland's Biggest Sale" is the term that is applied to the closing out sale of A. B. Bosman, for many years one of Holland's leading clothiers, by those who have had occasion to call at his store. Not only are the throngs of shoppers larger, but the bargains offered eclipse all others. One man bought a mackintosh for 98 cents that cost \$6.80 and he thought he had a bargain. Another well known citizen who likes to drive a good horse bought an ulster for \$6.75 that hitherto was sold for \$16.00 and he too was proud of his bargain. But the proudest of them all was the man who bought a child's vest costing a dollar for three cents. He is the envy of them all.

E. E. Dryden of Grand Rapids owner of the sailing yacht Zeta, made a record breaking trip from Ottawa Beach to Grand Haven Sunday which he would have been perfectly willing to have made under less strenuous conditions. Shortly after leaving the Holland pier a terrific southeast gale came up accompanied by a torrent of rain which blotted out the land. With the first gust the mainstay parted, the main sheet ripped loose from its lashings to the mast and the spinaker was carried away. C. S. Hester, Robert Matheson and P. B. Schraivesand accompanied Mr. Dryden. When the rain storm passed sufficiently to show them a sight of land they were amazed to find themselves before the Grand Haven piers just 1 hour and 25 minutes after leaving Ottawa Beach. They succeeded in making the Grand Haven harbor after two ineffectual attempts.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Van Alsburg, West 15th street, Monday—a son.

Henry and Otis Haylett of Douglas have secured employment in this city and will move here.

The Holland Sugar company has awarded to B. Riksen the contract for disposing of the sugar beet pulp of the factory.

Capt. L. S. Brittain of Saugatuck has succeeded Capt. Alfred Partidge as master of the steamer J. S. Crouse.

John Koning, of Saugatuck, well known in this city, has been elected trustee of the village of Saugatuck to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Trustee R. C. Brittain.

Klass Wezeman has exchanged his twenty-acres of land in Lake-town township near Macatawa with Albert Poelstra of Chicago for a grocery store and stock, and will move to Chicago. Mr. Poelstra will move to the farm.

At the hearing in Justice Van Duren's court last Thursday of the case of Will VanOort, charged with arson, VanOort was bound over to the circuit court for trial. He is now out on bail furnished by Tiemen Slagh and Wm. Harkeema, the amount of the bonds being \$2,000.

John H. McCormick, 22 years of age, son of Nathan McCormick of Fennville died last Friday of malignant remittent fever. The young man was a graduate of McLachlin's Business college and had lived in Grand Rapids for some time till brought home sick a few weeks since.

On Thursday evening a reception was given in honor of Rev. H. Hoppers, principal of the Wisconsin Memorial Academy. All the pupils and their parents attended. Those who took part in the program were R. Meengs, Rev. Klerk and Mrs. Gilmore of Holland, Mich.—Cedar Grove Correspondent to Sheboygan (Wis.) Herald.

The recent storm on the lake has raised havoc with the government pier work at Grand Haven. At the break near the end of the south revetment a great deal of the timber work had been placed and high seas washed it out. The timber was all saved but several days labor were lost. The work is being done by government builders.

Isaac Spores of Chester, who is awaiting trial in circuit court for a serious charge brought by a minor girl of the same township, showed signs of an unbalanced mind at the county jail. He does not seem to care about eating and he does not sleep well. His actions are some times strange and it is believed that his mind is going back on him as he is suffering a severe depression of mind. He was taken to the insane asylum at Kalamazoo Tuesday.

Daniel McDuffee has begun suit in the circuit court against the Grand Rapids, Holland & Chicago railway company to recover damages of \$5,000 for alleged personal injuries. The plaintiff claims that he was driving over a crossing on the right of way of the defendant at Jamestown, when his wagon was struck by a car. His wagon was demolished, one of his horses killed and he sustained permanent injuries, he claims. He charges negligence on the part of the company, concluding that he was given no warning of the approaching car.

At Zeeland has been started an organization known as the Young Men's Development Association and modeled after the Y. M. C. A. Following are the officers: Henry Karsten, president; Angus De Kruij, vice president and chairman of the social committee; Fred C. Coggeshall, secretary; Robt. Leenhouts, treasurer; Ed. Everhard, chairman of finance committee; L. W. Thurston, chairman physical committee; Theodore Moerdyke, chairman membership committee; John VerLee, chairman educational committee. The officers of the association are negotiating for a suitable room in which to equip a gymnasium. It is the purpose of the association to enlarge its membership so as to include all the young men of the town who will comply with the rules of the association, and wish to receive moral, social and physical development.

A Fair Week
BARGAIN

We have purchased a special sample lot of \$2.50 and \$3.00 Razors which we will sell while they last, at

87 Cents Each

Every Razor Guaranteed

And that means the same warrant usually put on a \$3.00 Razor. You cannot afford to miss this bonafide sale of bonafide goods.

Gon De Pree
Drug Store

Herbert H. Menery of Port Huron has taken a position as pharmacist in Martin's drug store.

Rev. W. H. DuMoulin, Rector of Grace Episcopal church, conducted services in Saugatuck last Sunday.

John Bruin of Coopersville has opened a barber shop near L. Knoll's meat market on West Fourteenth street.

Mrs. J. W. Bosman celebrated her 76th birthday anniversary last Friday. Dr. J. W. Bosman of Kalamazoo was here to take part in the family reunion and although Mrs. Bosman was quite ill the circle was a happy one.

Bert Hall has returned from New Buffalo where he moved several months ago to take a position as yardmaster on the Pere Marquette. He is now living in the Kruisenga building on East Eighth street.

Ira Welch, while running an elevator at the Buss Machine shop last Friday, got the index and middle fingers of one of his hands caught in the mechanism, and was so badly injured that he will not be able to use his hand for a couple of weeks.

Al Finch of Holland, who is to do the plastering in the Sherwood building for Lee Smith, has arrived and work has begun. A portion of the fronts are completed and the plate glass has been ordered. The cement block work on the front is being washed and pointed.—Otsego Union.

The forty-first annual reunion of the old Thirteenth Michigan regiment of Michigan volunteers will be held in Kalamazoo, Oct. 26 and 27. Several members of this regiment are living in Allegan county and included in the list of vice presidents are H. S. Stratton of Otsego, George Nelson of Martin, Levi Wilson of Allegan, John Starling of Monterey, John Hoffmaster of Hopkins Station, W. H. McCormick of Fennville, R. C. Waterman of Diamond Springs, and W. T. Gilpin of Lee.

Last Monday night Rev. J. P. DeJong took a trip across Lake Michigan to Chicago, intending to return the next night with his brother, D. P. DeJong, who had spent about three weeks in Chicago visiting his children. Rev. DeJong spent most of the day in Roseland at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Madderom, Mr. Madderom, feeling somewhat indisposed, in the afternoon called on a physician, who took him under medical treatment and advised him not to venture out again until he should have recovered. As nothing more serious than a cold seemed to trouble their brother-in-law the two brothers recrossed Lake Michigan Tuesday night arriving at Zeeland Wednesday morning. At ten o'clock a. m., however, a message came to Rev. DeJong that Mr. A. P. Madderom had suddenly died in the morning, the funeral to take place on Saturday. Mr. Madderom was the oldest son of P. Madderom formerly of Zeeland and Noordeloos, Mich., well known to older residents here; he had reached the age of nearly 71 years and leaves besides the sorrowing wife two sons and four daughters all of them married.—Zeeland Record.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Gathered Weekly By Our Many Correspondents

Zeeland

Last Monday John Mulder succeeded Cornelius Zwagman as engineer of the Zeeland Milling Co.

Elder Wirze Bush is making a effort to dispose of his horses a teamster's outfit and expects to re move to Indiana, with his family, where he will devote his entire at tention to gospel work.

The old lady DeVroe of South St. accidentally fell to the floor at her home about a week ago, bruising her limbs to such an extent that she is still unable to leave her bed. Mrs. DeVroe is the oldest resident of the village and her advanced age makes her recovery doubtful. She is ninety-one years of age.

Henry Siekman and Ida Sietze ma were united in marriage at Eastmanville last Thursday after noon. The groom is a Zeeland boy. He conducts the ferry over Grand River at Eastmanville.

Saugatuck

Work on the new bridge is de layed on account of the contractors not being able to get cement. Four fifths of the cement work is already finished.

Geo. W. Goshorn represented Saugatuck Lodge No. 196, I. O. O. F., at the annual session of the Grand Lodge of Michigan, at Ben ton Harbor, Oct. 16 to 19. Mrs. Goshorn represented Bee Hive Rebekah Lodge at the Rebekah Assembly at the same time and place.

Papers are made out for the sale of the dock property at the end of Hoffman street to Patrick Noud of Manistee who is one of the principal owners of the Michigan Steamship Company. S. D. Upham sells his interests including three lots for \$5,000 and the Whitney & Bird property consisting of three lots brings \$2,500. This transaction probably means that the Michigan Steamship Co. will run boats in here as soon as the harbor is com pleted.

The O. R. Johnson saw mill, an old land mark of Saugatuck, has been torn down.

Mrs. Harry Wilmot returned Thursday after a ten days visit at Burnips corners to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Collins.

Geo. Kurtz is building a large ad dition to Frank Hayes house.

Mr. M. E. Braithwaite spent Sunday with his family at Sauga tuck.

Mr. Lewis Purdy and Miss Martha Kremmen of Fennville were married by Rev. Fathar Ryan at the residence of Mr. N. Fisch Sunday noon Oct. 15 at Douglas.

Mrs. Lizzie Hauke left Wednes day for Boston to spend the winter with her daughter Mrs. J. Gallager.

Commissioner of Highway D. T. Barber says he will not be a candi date for re-election.

Overisel

The township of Overisel has let the contract for the construction of a bridge over Rabbitt river in the southeast corner of the township. The bridge will be 110 feet long and will cost \$2,500. The grading for the approaches will be done by B. Riksen, of Holland, for which he will receive \$1,000. Mr. Riksen is now advertising for teams to do the work. B. Riksen, of Holland, sawed 600,080 feet of lumber from his big timber tract in this town ship. He also has 2,000 cords of wood cut and has 3,000 cords still standing. Mr. Riksen is disposing of the lumber to the Holland fac tories.

Laketown News

Jno. Tripp brother of J. H. Tripp has moved from McBain to the Dick Roach farm.

Fred Carter is working at the store in Gibson building chimneys and doing other mason work.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Meyerink Oct. 18th, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams are getting ready to go to Chicago where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Argo will go to Chi cago in about a week to remain this winter.

It looks as if something was go ing to happen down to the Meyers Bros. They are putting a new roof on their house and are fixing up things in general. Lookout girls.

Jno. Nyland and Albert Kuippers have the beautiful new house of Geo. Babcock nearly completed.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Camp bell, Oct. 7th, a girl.

Mrs. Argo had a husking bee last

week and a spite of the wind an rain about 25 of her friends and neighbors responded. They husk ed everything in sight and then wen in the house where a most delici ous supper awaited them and all sa down to the heavy laden tables. Mr. Erikson won the 1st gent's prize and Geo. Stratton second. Mrs. Erikson 1st ladies prize and Mrs. Spenser second. Music was furnished and some splendid piano soos were rendered by the Misses Parrish and Oloson. The fishing contest was won by Mrs. Geo Stratton who received a beautiful lace handkerchief. Many other games were indulged in until about one o'clock when the guests left for their respective homes.

Happy Results

Have Made Many Holland Resi dents Enthusiastic

No wonder scores of Holland citizens grow enthusiastic, it is enough to make any one happy to find relief after years of suffering. Public statements like the follow ing are but truthful representations of the daily work done in Holland by Doan's Kidney Pills.

J. H. Streur, farmer three miles south of the city says: "I was bothered more or less for years with pains through my loins, never sufficiently severe to lay me up, but it was distressing and annoying. If I over exerted myself, or had been driving long, my back became so tired and ached so much that I could not rest nights. I had often heard Doan's Kidney Pills so high ly recommended that I got a box at J. O. Doesburg's drug store and used them. They relieved me im mediately, soon banished all my aches and pain and rendered the kidney secretions healthy and nat ural."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Bur dock Blood Bitters cured me"—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggists sell it.

A Regular Circus

Trying to Give a Little Girl Cod Liver Oil

An interesting incident was told in Con DePree's drug store the other evening.

A man came in and bought a bottle of Vinol and while waiting for change engaged the clerk in conversation.

Said he: "We were told to give our little girl cod liver oil. I bought a bottle and took it home. We had a regular circus trying to get the child to take it. Then it did not agree with her at all, the oil up et her stomach. She did not get any better, so I told the doctor how we had failed, and he at once recom mended your Vinol, saying that it contained all of the curative, heal ing and strengthening properties of cod liver oil without a drop of oil, and that children all love its taste."

"I took home a bottle and we be gan to give it to our child right away. She said it was delicious and wanted more. Almost from the first dose we noticed a change, and she has gained flesh, strength and ap petite and sleeps well every night."

"I don't believe any one should give a delicate child old-fashioned, nauseating cod liver oil or emulsions when Vinol is so de licious, and it will do so much more good than any other tonic. It is simply a wonderful medicine for weak, puny children, and I am recommending it to my friends."

"We guarantee Vinol will make weak, puny children strong, robust and rosy, strengthen and invigorate old people and build up the run down, tired and debilitated as nothing else can. If it fails we will return every dollar paid for it." Con DePree, Druggist.

Constipation causes headache, nausea, dizziness, languor, heart palpitation. Drastic physics gripe, sicken, weaken the bowels and don't cure. Doan's Regulents act gently and cure constipation. 25 cents. Ask your druggist.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

For the Week Ending Oct. 17.

Six men were indicted for alleged election frauds at Joliet, Ill.

The Northwestern Saengerfest will be held in St. Paul from July 26 to 29, 1906.

William Mills Ivins has accepted the republican nomination for mayor of New York.

Fire at St. Cloud, Minn., destroyed St. Raphael's hospital. The inmates were gotten out safely. Loss, \$85,000.

Dr. Morris Wiener, a physician, playwright and novelist of note, died in Baltimore, Md. He was 94 years old.

The department of justice will make an independent inquiry into the charges that Judge Francis E. Baker violated the civil service law.

J. W. Denton, a well-known horse man of Bloomington, Ill., who was kicked by a horse during the horse show, died from his injuries.

According to the report of Assignee Brickenstein, of the defunct bank of Alamosa, Cal., its liabilities are fully \$150,000 in excess of the assets.

Germany takes seriously the report that England planned an invasion, and a movement for increased expenditure in naval construction has resulted.

August Hemery, for France, won the Vanderbilt cup in the 283-mile automo bile race over the Long Island course, which was covered in 276 minutes.

The street car lines have resumed operations in Moscow and the work men in many factories, which have been closed by the strike, returned to work.

James H. Hyde has returned to New York city prepared to testify fully be fore the insurance investigating com mittee whenever he may be called upon to do so.

The sum of \$10,000 has been received at Rome from J. Pierpont Morgan for the benefit of the sufferers from the recent earthquakes in the province of Calabria.

Isaac Taylor, Indian fighter, scout, stage coach driver and one of the first men to make a trip overland from Kan sas to the Pacific coast, died in Kansas City, Mo., aged 84 years.

Martin Paulsgrove, charged with the murder of Miss Mary Newman, his sweetheart, a school teacher in Andrew county, Mo., last January, was convicted of murder in the first degree.

Flames swept the crowded grounds at the county fair at Bucyrus, O., while the races were on. In the panic which fol lowed 600 persons were injured. Sev eral acres of exhibits were destroyed.

J. A. Erickson, ex-president of the defunct Second national bank, of Minot, S. D., on a plea of guilty, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for making false returns to the controller of the currency.

While on her way to the funeral at Louisville of Fred Schurch, who com mitted suicide two days after his mar riage, Mrs. Charles Wittwer was thrown from a buggy in a runaway and her neck broken. She lived only a few minutes.

While her boarders were at dinner, Mrs. Caroline Buehler, of St. George, Staten Island, suddenly excused herself and, going to her room, shot herself through the head with a revolver. De spondency over the death of a son is supposed to be the cause.

Artillery horses attached to limber wagons of the guns of the Twenty ninth U. S. artillery stampeded during target practice at Junction City, Kan., and jumped over a car, carrying their riders and the wagons with them. One soldier was killed and several injured.

E. M. Johnson, president of the defunct Fidelity Savings association, of Denver, Col., was taken to the penitentiary at Canon City to serve an in determinate sentence of two to three years for having misrepresented the financial condition of the association in his official reports.

As a reward for winning the Ameri can league baseball championship pen nant, the 18 players of the Philadelphia club were presented by President Shibe with \$8,131.49 to be divided equally among the men. They also received \$6,848.46 as their portion of the receipts of the world's series allotted to them by the national commission.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Oct. 17.
LIVESTOCK—Steers..... \$4 65 @ 5 65
Hogs, State..... 4 40 @ 5 10
Sheep..... 3 00 @ 4 75
FLOUR—Minn. Patents..... 4 65 @ 5 15
May..... 50 1/2 @ 50 3/4
CORN—December..... 53 1/2 @ 53 3/4
RICE—No. 2 Western..... 74 @ 74 1/4
CHICKENS..... 16 1/2 @ 21
EGGS..... 20 @ 21

CHICAGO.
CATTLE—Choice Steers..... \$5 30 @ 6 35
Common to Good Steers..... 4 00 @ 5 10
Infr' to Common Steers..... 3 10 @ 4 00
Yearlings..... 4 90 @ 6 00
Bulls, Common to Choice..... 2 50 @ 4 00
Calves..... 3 75 @ 7 00
HOGS—Light Mixed..... 5 30 @ 5 45
Heavy Packing..... 4 70 @ 5 20
Heavy Mixed..... 5 20 @ 5 40
BUTTER—Creamery..... 17 1/2 @ 18
Dairy..... 16 1/2 @ 17
EGGS—Fresh..... 12 @ 17 1/2
LIVE POULTRY..... 15 1/2 @ 17 1/2
GRAIN—Wheat, December..... 85 1/2 @ 86 1/4
May..... 87 1/2 @ 88 1/4
Corn, December..... 42 1/2 @ 43 1/4
May..... 25 1/2 @ 26 1/4
Rye, September..... 60 @ 61

MILWAUKEE.
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n..... 85 @ 87 1/2
Corn, May..... 42 1/2 @ 43 1/4
Oats, Standard..... 25 1/2 @ 26 1/4
Rye, No. 1..... 60 @ 61

KANSAS CITY.
GRAIN—Wheat, December..... 76 1/2 @ 77 1/4
May..... 78 1/2 @ 79 1/4
Corn..... 25 1/2 @ 26 1/4
Oats, No. 3 White..... 24 1/2 @ 25 1/4

ST. LOUIS.
CATTLE—Beef Steers..... \$2 00 @ 3 50
Texas Steers..... 2 50 @ 3 50
HOGS—Packers..... 5 00 @ 5 40
Butchers..... 5 30 @ 5 50
SHEEP—Natives..... 4 00 @ 5 00

OMAHA.
CATTLE—Native Steers..... \$4 00 @ 5 55
Stockers and Feeders..... 2 25 @ 4 10
Cows and Heifers..... 2 00 @ 3 50
HOGS—Heavy..... 4 90 @ 5 20
SHEEP—Wethers..... 4 75 @ 5 10

Holland Markets

Prices Paid to Farmers.

PRODUCE.

Butter, per lb..... 19
Eggs, per doz..... 21
Potatoes, per bu..... 50
Beans, hand picked, per bu..... 1 00

GRAIN.

Wheat..... 78
Oats, white..... 30
Rye..... 35
Buckwheat..... 50
Corn, No. 2..... 61
Barley, 100 lb..... 1 00
Clover Seed, per bu..... 5 00
Timothy Seed..... 2 00

MEAT, POULTRY, ETC.

Chickens, live per lb..... 4-9
Ducks, live per lb..... 5-9
Pork, dressed, per lb..... 6 1/2-7
Mutton, dressed..... 7
Veal..... 5-8
Lamb..... 10-10
Turkey's live..... 14

LOUR AND FEED.

Price to consumers.

Hay..... per 100, 0 00
Flour Sunlight " fancy Patent" per barrel..... 8 20
Flour 1st say "Patent" per barrel..... 8 00
Ground Feed 1 30 per hundred, 24 00 per ton
Corn Meal, unbolted, 1 30 per hundred, 24 00 per ton
Corn Meal, bolted per barrel..... 3 40
Middlings 1 15 per hundred 21 00 per ton
Middlings 1 10 per hundred 20 00 per ton
Bran 1 00 per hundred, 19 00 per ton

Public Sale.

On Tuesday Oct. 24th, 1905, be ginning at 9 o'clock a.m. at the farm of John Weersing 8 miles north of Holland or 1/2 mile north and 1/2 mile west of Nienhuis store at Crisp the following goods and chattels will be sold at auction: 4 work horses, 2 of which are grade percherons 3 and 4 years old (both mares.) 1 colt 1 1/2 years. 8 cows of which 4 are new milked, 1 grade Holstein Bull, 4 heifers 3 calves, 9 hogs and some chickens. Also about 500 bu good white Swedish Oats, 15 bu wheat, 50 bu potatoes, 25 tons hay, 20 loads of straw, 16 acres good corn in shocks, 1 binder, 1 mower, 1 horse rake, 1 Farmers Favorite fertilizer grain and Beet drill, good as new, 1 Osborne Springtooth harrow, 1 60-tooth harrow, 2 plows, 1 Dutchcune and 3 1-horse cultivators, 1 hand roller, 1 shovelpow, 1 cornsheller, 1 open buggy, 1 top buggy, 1 road cart, 2 lumber wagons, 1 belnap sleigh, 1 Portland cutter, 2 sets wagon springs, 5 work harness, 2 buggy harness and some stovewood, lum ber, posts and wire. Also some house hold goods including 1 6-Octave Peerless organ (sold by Meyer) good as new, 1 bed lounge, 2 stoves and numerous smaller articles.

One years time will be given with out interest on approval on sums of \$5 or over, with 6 percent discount for cash. Below \$5 cash.

A part of the farm will also be offered for sale or rent at the same time.

D. D. Schilleman } Auctioneers
Henry Lugers }

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or scald. Be prepared. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil instantly re lieves the pain—quickly cures the wound.

Barn Shingles and Cedar Posts

If you want good barn shingles and cedar pos s at right prices go to the old Harrington Dock south of the Ottawa Fur Co.

Holland Lumber Co.

Plans to Get Rich

are often frustrated by sudden breakdown, due to dyspepsia or constipation. Brace up and take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They take out the materials which are clogging your energies, and give you a new start. Cure headache and dizziness too. At W. C. Walsh drug store; 25c guaranteed.

New Cure For Cancer

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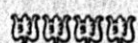
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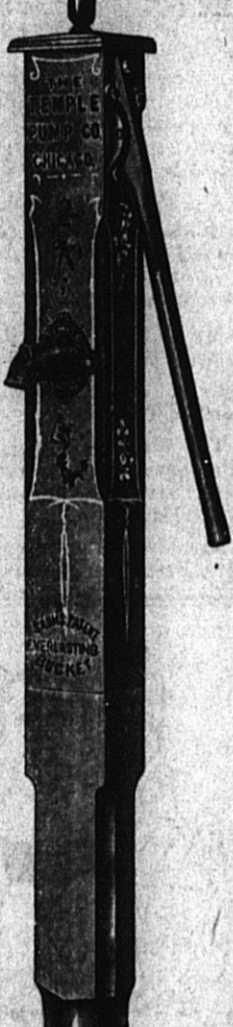
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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER:

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned it has been made to appear that The PEOPLES STATE BANK of Holland, in the City of Holland in the County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, has complied with all the provisions of the General Banking law of the State of Michigan required to be complied with before a corporation shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking.

NOW THEREFORE, I, George W. Moore, commissioner of the State Banking Department do hereby certify that The PEOPLES STATE BANK of Holland, in the City of Holland in the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section seven of the General Banking law of the State of Michigan.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of Office at Lansing this ninth day of September, 1905.

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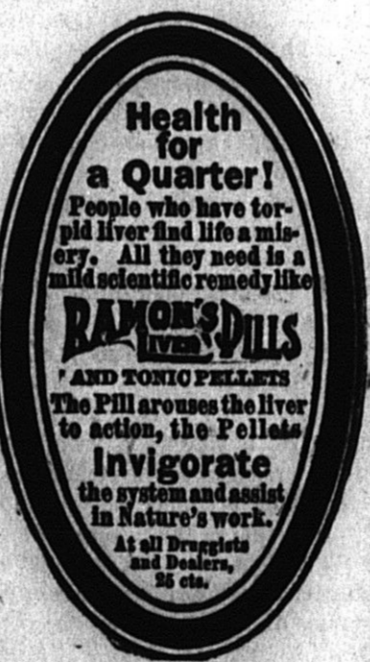
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PEORIA BANKER FACES DISGRACE

OLIVER J. BAILEY, CHARGED WITH MALFEASANCE, IS INDICTED.

Action Is Result of Investigation Into the Defalcations of Dougherty—Bailey Associated with Him on School Board.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 13.—O. J. Bailey, chairman of the finance committee of the school board, president of the Dime Savings and Trust bank and one of the most prominent business men in Peoria, was on Thursday afternoon arrested charged with malfeasance in office by the grand jury, and this morning will face an indictment for an offense the penalty for which is a fine not exceeding \$10,000. This latest development in the Dougherty embezzlement scandal has created a sensation in this city.

The indictment charges as follows: "Failing and neglecting to perform his duties as such public officer and suffering and permitting one Newton C. Dougherty to misappropriate and unlawfully convert to his own use the school moneys to a large amount, and neglecting and failing to perform his duties as such public officer by permitting the payment of school moneys and funds for school purposes to Newton C. Dougherty, the said Dougherty being a person not legally authorized to receive the same."

Financial Crisis Is Feared.
The fact that Bailey is president of the Dime Savings and Trust bank and a director and heavy stockholder in the Central bank has caused more uneasiness in the banking world, and fears that the public may be aroused are entertained.

Bank Official Dies.
Heartbroken over the wrecking of the Peoria national bank by Prof. Newton C. Dougherty, its president, Calvin C. Lines, for 51 years bookkeeper and officer of the bank, died Thursday night at his home on Perry avenue. Mr. Lines sank rapidly and all efforts to restore him to his usual frame of mind failed.

Long a Prominent Figure.
Mr. Bailey has been a prominent figure in Peoria for more than 25 years. He has been connected with many large business interests in this city. He was also largely instrumental in the building of Bradley Polytechnic institute, which is affiliated with the University of Chicago, and he is a close friend of Dr. Harper. He is a leader in the Y. M. C. A. and is president of the Cottage hospital. As president of the Dime Savings bank and a big stockholder and director of the Central bank he is a recognized leader of the finances of the city. Never before has he been questioned in any of his dealings.

New Dougherty Indictments.
Forty-three indictments will be returned against Dougherty this morning, and they will cover defalcations showing a loss to the school board of \$280,000 since January 1, 1903. It is now expected that the total loss to the board will mount up to \$500,000, and possibly \$750,000. It is reported that his bond will be increased to \$200,000, and his attorneys say that no attempt will be made to give this amount. The trial of Dougherty will take place in November.

Government Takes a Hand.
Peoria, Ill., Oct. 17.—To investigate charges of corruption in the Peoria national bank, Judge Bethea, of the United States district court, and Assistant District Attorney Robert Childs came to Peoria from Chicago Monday. N. C. Dougherty, who stole \$500,000 from the Peoria school fund, was president of the bank. A special grand jury is planned to probe charges affecting officials of the bank. These allegations have been turned over to the federal authorities by State's Attorney Robert Scholes, who believes that the national banking laws have been violated. Rumors that several prominent men hitherto untouched by scandal would be involved in charges connected with irregularities in the bank were circulated. The approach of the federal investigation caused the city to tremble to its financial foundations.

Runaway Proves Fatal.
Plymouth, Wis., Oct. 16.—H. H. Crogan, a well-known resident of this city, was killed and Mrs. Crogan and two children were injured in a runaway accident Sunday. Mr. Crogan and his family were driving when the horse became frightened at a passing train. A little daughter, five years old, is suffering from concussion of the brain, but will probably recover. A young son had a leg broken.

Withdraws His Gift.

La Crosse, Wis., Oct. 14.—After offering a donation of \$10,000 to North La Crosse for a public library, Andrew Carnegie, after the city had complied with the conditions, has refused to give the money for the library. Mr. Carnegie gives as his reason for a change of mind that the city of La Crosse now has a good library and that it is the duty of the city to provide library facilities for the suburbs.

Must Appear As Witness.
Milwaukee, Oct. 17.—Judge Charles decided that Frank G. Bigelow, defuncting ex-president of the First national bank of this city, must be brought back from Fort Leavenworth penitentiary as a witness at the trial of Henry G. Goll, formerly assistant cashier of the bank. Bigelow is serving a ten-years' sentence. The formal order for his appearance November 21 was signed.

Miriam Leslie's Proposal

By HARRY I. HORTON

"DON'T care if it's unmaliciously. I'm going to do it. I know the man loves me, and what is leap year for if it isn't to give the girls an opportunity to help out those of the other sex who don't know how to help themselves? So here goes! He can't do more than refuse, and he won't do that; but, whatever the verdict, I know that he is too honorable ever to breathe a word of the affair."

When Miriam Leslie had concluded the delivery of this speech, which had only Miriam Leslie for an attentive audience, she sat down at her desk at once and began to write the letter which she had planned the night before, after Frank Webster had left the house. She had parted from him with a smile on her lips, but the smile had lasted only long enough for the door to close upon him, and as Miriam had entered her room she looked far from happy.

She had enjoyed Frank's call, but it had ended as unsatisfactorily as had all the others, in that words which she believed had been almost upon his lips many times had again remained unspoken. If the man she loved wouldn't take a hint, he must be given something broader than a hint; and when Miriam went to sleep, it was with the determination to write a letter to the morrow that even a stupid man might understand.

Strangely enough, as she admitted to herself, the morning found her mind unchanged, with determination fixed to take advantage of her leap-year prerogatives.

The writer of the letter had gone over in her mind its prospective contents a number of times, and, as a result, her editorial revision had "boiled down" until it was brief and to the point. It ran as follows:

Dear Frank: You have been coming to see me for several years, and the happy evenings we have enjoyed have made me think how pleasant it would be if we could go on spending them together the rest of our lives. Has the idea ever occurred to you?

The girl heard her brother pass her door, preparatory to starting for business, and she no longer waited for the ink to dry, but grabbed a piece of blotting-paper, and the letter was soon in his hands. He was told that it was important, and that it must be posted by him when on the way to his office. Her brother's departure was timely, as Miriam had begun to weaken in her determination, and as she gave him the letter she said to herself: "Now I haven't a chance to change my mind."

She did, however, have many changes of mind through the day, which seemed to her one of unusual length. Soon after her brother had left she was tempted to telephone to him to try to get the letter back from the post office, but she didn't know if that would be possible, and, besides, the request would cause him to ask a good many questions which it would be awkward for her to answer, and so the request was not made.

By the afternoon post Miriam received a letter addressed in the well-known handwriting of the young man to whom she had proposed. Is it possible that he had answered so quickly? she asked herself, as she held the envelope in her hand, fearing to open it.

She had had a little experience as a writer, and knew that quick returns usually meant no sales, and her first thought was that Frank had declined the honor of being her husband. That was a mortifying thought in itself, and the continuation of the train of thought suggested by the comparison of her offer with the manuscript was not a comforting one.

She had offered herself, even as she had been wont to submit a story or poem to an editor. The only consolation she could get out of the comparison was found in the thought that she wasn't exactly placing herself on the market, as if one editor, Frank Webster by name, declined, she wouldn't offer herself to another.

When Miriam thought to look at the postmark, she was convinced that the letter had been posted before Frank could have received her letter. With trembling fingers, this maid, who had had so much courage a few hours before, opened the envelope, and read as follows:

My Dear Miriam: I see you so often that it seems cowardly to write what I might speak; but, although many times when in your presence I have tried to say certain words, courage has always failed me. Resolutions made when alone have not been kept when I found myself by your side.

I think you know what has been in my heart for a long time, and I have occasionally felt that you cared for me; but if you have, you have never made the least attempt to help me out. I should have forgiven you if you had made it easier for me, and should have blessed you for having done so, and yet, after all, dear, I love you all the more for your womanly reserve, and have always contrasted it with the actions of some of your sex, who seem ever ready to say: "This is so sudden!" I hope, dear, that you do care enough for me, or feel that you can care enough some day to make me the happiest man on earth. I know they all say that; but forgive my lack of originality, and remember that there is something original about my statement, as I really mean on the day you say you will be my wife I shall be happier than anybody in this or any other neighborhood.

Don't answer this letter in a hurry, unless you can at once reply to my question: "Will you be my wife?" by saying "Yes." If you can send that answer I shall have no cause to complain of your haste. But I feel that I must have the right answer to my question, and if you cannot give it

at once, I want you to take all the time that you need in order that you may arrive at the favorable verdict so necessary to my happiness.

It is hardly necessary to say that I shall not call again before receiving your reply; but when you say the word "Come!" it will not take any great length of time for me to accept the welcome invitation. I hope that you will be able to say that word. Yours with love, FRANK.

Miriam's mingled feelings of misery and joy when she read the letter may be imagined. "Why did I write that miserable letter? Why didn't I give him one more day, after all these years? Oh, why wasn't I too ill to get up this morning?" were some of the questions that the poor girl asked herself, when the feelings of misery were in control, as they were during nearly all the rest of the afternoon, the happiness which she had felt for a short time giving way under the influence of the thought that she might have been happy without the loss of her self-respect.

"But perhaps there is yet a chance to save it," thought Miriam, as once more came to her mind that friend of mankind and womanhood telephone. She would try to get Frank at his office, and if by any chance he had not received the letter, or had not read it, if he had received it, she would make him promise to return it without reading. But she realized that the hope was a faint one, as there was almost no chance that the letter had not been received; and if he had received it—well, she would like to see him leave a letter of hers unopened for more than a minute!

And so this contradictory woman went to the telephone with a weak voice and a faint heart, hoping against hope that Frank had been away from the office, and that the letter had arrived in his absence. The reply to her inquiry for Mr. Webster gave her momentary comfort, as she was told that he was out; but when she asked further questions she learned that he had been in the office until a few minutes before the time of her telephone call. As she hung up the receiver, Miriam said to herself, with a sad smile, that she wished she could hang herself as easily.

The next half-hour was one of the most miserable that the girl had ever spent. She again read her lover's letter; but instead of finding any comfort for her troubles, the reading only added to her misery.

"He thought me so modest and womanly, and contrasted my conduct with that of others who were not so modest! But what does he think now



THE NEXT HALF-HOUR WAS ONE OF THE MOST MISERABLE THAT THE GIRL HAD EVER SPENT.

that he has read my letter? Modest girls don't propose to men, even if the men haven't nerve enough to propose themselves."

Miriam was still in a most unhappy frame of mind when her brother returned at night from business. He had a shame-faced look as he approached her.

"I'm sorry, sis, after all you said about the importance of that letter, but—well, I've had an awful busy day of it, and I forgot to post it. Here it is."

Her arms were around his neck in an instant.

"You dear, darling, forgetful, absent-minded brother!" she cried, as he looked at her in amazement. "Now that you have forgotten to post the letter, just forget another thing, forget that I asked you to post it!"

And her brother, who dearly loved Miriam, and knew from her earnestness that it was important to her that he should say nothing about the letter, kept her secret faithfully. He marveled as days went by at her continued sweetness to him, until she told him of her engagement, and then he explained the problem to himself by saying that there was nothing like required love to change a woman's disposition.

And to this day Miriam's brother believes that her happiness in loving and being loved saved him from a scolding the day he forgot to post her letter.

Miriam has been married for ten years, and in all that time has kept only one thing from her husband, that is, the dark secret of the letter that her brother forgot to post.

FOR HER.

For her, what marvels he would do! For her what dangerous paths pursued! What valorous ambitions striven! For her!

No worldly station is too proud. The echoing plaudits of the crowd. Are worth the pain—though sharp the spur— For her!

And yet, remote from fame's unrest, Love smiles and seems to thrive the best. And life is sweet, she will ever, For her!

Though fortune's gifts be strangely few Her tender woman's heart and true Feels that he pleads without demerit For her!

—Washington Star.

"Lost On the Steamer Alpena" Story Of Wreck

Taken from files of Holland City News Oct. 23 and Oct. 30, 1880.

Twenty-five years ago this week occurred the wreck of the steamer Alpena, one of the most terrible marine disasters of Lake Michigan. Much of the wreckage from the doomed steamer came ashore near Holland harbor. The piano and other wreckage came ashore on the site of Alpena Beach and it is said that the resort received its name from that incident. From the files of the Holland City News we print the following account of the disaster:

"The steamer Alpena was apparently one of the finest, and she was certainly the fastest boat of the Goodrich Transportation company. She left Grand Haven for Chicago on Friday evening last, about 9:30 p. m., with a list of passengers, estimated to be about 45, by prominent citizens of Grand Haven, who were aboard of the Alpena, chatting with some of the passengers until the moment of her departure. The crew is estimated to number about 25 persons. But no record of passengers or crew is kept, except on board of the steamer, and that is now lost, and therefore it will perhaps never be known exactly how many, or who were aboard.

The steamer left Grand Haven while the weather was beautiful, but the barometer predicted a violent storm, and the storm signals were out. She was met on her way by the steamer Muskegon at about one o'clock in the morning, all right, steering her course. All seem to agree that the worst gale that ever swept over Lake Michigan, struck her at about 3 o'clock on Saturday morning, or a few minutes thereafter. Subsequent news from her, shows that she, nor nothing else could keep her course in the face of such a hurricane, but is seen at six, seven and eight o'clock by the schooner Irish, and by Capt. George Boomsliuter, of the barge City of Grand Haven, off Kenosha, at an estimated distance of about 35 miles from the west shore, laboring heavily to crawl to the windward.

She has been seen later in the same locality by other vessel captains one of whom reported that she was lying on one side, with one of her paddles out of the water. This would indicate that her cargo had shifted, and thus become unmanageable.

She must have drifted the rest of that day, and perhaps until Sunday morning, at the mercy of the wind and waves, well over to this shore—say 15 or 20 miles—when the wind shifted to the westward, or nearly northwest, and brought the debris of the wreck on our beach near our harbor, and it is now believed that she did not break up until near the east shore.

The wreck is complete. She is broken into small fragments. The stern part of her hull lies near the harbor. The whole coast for twenty miles is strewn with the debris, freight, etc.

So far as known the crew consisted of Nelson W. Napier, captain, St. Joseph; J. H. Kelley, first mate, Green Bay, R. W. Johnson, first engineer, Grand Haven; Robt. Patton, second engineer, Chicago; John Brown, steward, Chicago; Arthur E. Hayes, clerk, Chicago.

All the names which could be ascertained at Grand Haven, as being among the passengers, were:

N. A. McGilvrey, of St. Joseph, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne and three children.

Capt. Heber V. Squires, jr.

Mrs. B. F. Curtis.

Mr. M. Crossman, foreman of the Stearns Manufacturing company, of Grand Haven.

W. S. Benham, editor of the Grand Haven Herald, and wife.

Mrs. Newton Bradley, Miss Kate Bradley, and Miss A. L. Bradley, of New Mexico. They had been spending the summer in Grand Haven. Miss Kate Bradley had been very ill there for several weeks, and was in a worn-out condition.

C. Kusterer, Fred Spait, G. Hutter, of Grand Rapids.

L. Landreth, of Muskegon.

The following names are on the Cutler House register, and the owners are supposed to have gone on the Alpena:

L. D. Priton, New York; Harry L. St. Clair, Chicago; W. C. Pettibone, of Chicago; Mrs. S. B. Cole, of some place in Illinois; a Jew by the name of Boblinsky, residence unknown.

The piano of the Alpena came ashore early on Monday morning, and it being very heavy and barely able to float, our sailors concluded that she did not come very far. And the arrival of other heavy pieces of the wreck would seem to corroborate this idea.

On Tuesday evening the body of a lady was found, who was at first supposed to be Mrs. Bradley, of Santa Fe, New Mexico, but this was proved a mistake. The lady has the appearance of European birth, Irish, we think seems to be about 45 years

of age, had four rings on her fingers, three of which were decidedly European; she also had \$43 in her purse. Her complexion was florid, full, fleshy, seemed to have been hale and hearty, and of about 160 pounds weight. It is now thought that her name is Mrs. McConnell, of Wisconsin.

An inquest was held on the body of the lady on Wednesday and Dr. Wm. VanPutten was summoned for expert testimony. He swore the lady had come to her death by drowning, etc. Mr. F. Souter, justice of the peace, officiated. Her remains were buried, with religious services by Rev. Terwilliger, on Thursday last.

A full description of the appearance of this body is on file at this office.

On Wednesday the body of the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Osborne came ashore and was identified. He had on a life preserver. The lady not.

When the news became known throughout the surrounding county that the Alpena was actually gone under, the excitement rose higher and higher. A special train loaded with anxious relatives and friends of the supposed lost ones, came from Grand Haven, and each day brings more and more of them.

Our livery stables are doing an immense business. But we are sorry to learn that some of them had the gall to overcharge.

Our hotels are crowded, and will undoubtedly remain so until the last hope of finding a wife, a mother, a father, or a child, or a sister has vanished.

The whole scene and situation is simply appalling. It is unparalleled here, at least.

The Lady Elgin disaster may have been still worse, but not a great deal.

Capt. Butlin arrived here as soon as steam could carry him, and appointed reliable people to patrol the shore. The dead will be taken care of, and every particle of their clothing, money, valuables, or anything else to which a despairing relative may cling with his forlorn hope will be sacredly preserved for them.

Capt. Butlin is superintendent of the whole line, and seems to take it to heart more than anybody we have seen. He is evidently an old tar with a heart as big as an ocean steamer.

The Chicago press is very enterprising and energetic; among the most diligent we noticed Mr. Hicks—specially sent by the Chicago Tribune—risking his health and comfort to get accurate, complete accounts from the beach to the telegraph office as fast as possible, to let the world "know the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth."

On Thursday the excitement was somewhat going down; although a large number of the bereaved remained here to await developments.

The U. S. steam tug Graham went out of Grand Haven on Thursday and picked up three bodies, one of whom was reported to be that of Mr. Crossman, the engineer of the Stearns Manufacturing company; the other one was Mrs. Cole of Muskegon, and another one.

Another body—that of a man, was found on the beach about 10 miles north of this harbor, and was identified as that of Fred Spait, of Grand Rapids. A piece of paper was also found, on which was written, in fresh ink, evidently in a hurry—"we are having a terrible time of it, the steamer is all breaking up."—Perhaps death prevented him from finishing the sentence.

Everybody seems to become strengthened in the belief that most of the bodies are drifting along the bottom outside the bars, and are prevented from being washed ashore by the waves, because the current is too strong either from the north or the south; and this is corroborated by the finding of the bodies by the U. S. tug on Thursday.

We notice that some very anxious "penny-a-liners" are sending falsehoods to the daily papers, instead of dispatches, and blame our Lake Shore people, who are above anything of the kind, of pilfering, along the beach. This pilfering is being done by people living at a distance, and who came down here for nothing else. How is it about that little hooker lying at the harbor? They are not Lake Shore people!

At this hour (Friday morning) we must go to press, and close our article.

Our heartiest sympathies go out to the bereaved ones. All possible efforts are made night and day to discover and recover the cherished dead, and our office has been turned into a half-way telegraph and intelligence office by the many telegrams inquiring and instructing about the missing.

Since we went to press last week only two more bodies have been found of the ill fated Alpena, viz: one of the deck hands was picked up by a tow-boat, about 8 miles from shore; and a colored boy, of about 16

years of age, was found 10 miles north of South Haven; both had a life preserver on, marked steamer Alpena.

The woman first found has been fully identified as Mrs. McConnell, of Oconto, Wis., by her nephew, and by Mr. Worms, of Grand Haven, who sold her a trunk on the fatal Friday.

The goods of any value to the Goodrich Transportation Co. have been collected and shipped to Chicago.

The waves were so powerful during the late gale that our south pier has settled down in bad shape, and the lighthouse was moved out of place. The government is now having the pier light moved further in. Mr. C. Blom took the job to do it.

The schooner Joses, Capt. Schadelee, rode out the gale, at an anchor, before Lincoln Park, and after the gale was over went about her business to Muskegon. The schr. Plugger, Capt. B. Van Rij, was out in all of the gale, weathered it nobly and reached Michigan City on Tuesday morning, minus her deck load. The staunch new schooner of Messrs. Cutler & Savidge—the Hunter Savidge—on which Messrs. Gerrit S. Doesburg and Al. Fisher of this city, are sailing, weathered out the whole storm and arrived in Michigan City on Tuesday morning. All report, however, that it was the hardest blow they had ever experienced.

The barge City of Grand Haven, Capt. Boomsliuter, was out during all the gale, weathered it nobly, and brought up in this harbor with the loss of a few sails and part of the deck load. The schr. H. B. Moore, rode out the gale at Pigeon Creek, to an anchor; lost her mizzen and flying jib, part of her deck load, broke an anchor and was towed in on Tuesday morning.

Board Of Supervisors

At Friday's session of the board of supervisors, Nelson Stanton of North Holland was re-elected county school examiner over Glenn Grieves of Coopersville by a vote of 21 to 1. Mr. Stanton has served several years and has made a very good officer.

In the race for county drain commissioner, the contest was a little more lively although no strenuous balloting was called for. It required two ballots to do the trick and the final vote stood as follows: Edwin Fellows, Olive, 12; W. W. Dickerson, Tallmadge, 8; Fred E. Stone of Olive, 2.

Mr. Fellows was declared to be the choice of the board, and he has received the congratulations of the members. Alexander Noble, the grand old man of the board of poor superintendents, who has served long and faithfully for many years refused to again become a candidate for a position on the board and Henry Garrison of Eastmanville was elected to fill the vacancy. This choice was made unanimously.

Probate Judge Kirby reported that at the time of the last annual report, there were nine inmates of the state insane asylum who were county charges. Sixteen have been admitted during the year of whom five have been transferred. One died in the asylum and six were discharged as cured. There were thirteen patients in the state asylum on October 1st, who are charges against the county. Judge Kirby suggested that \$1,500 should be raised by the board for this expense this year. The report was adopted.

Prosecuting Attorney Dan. M. Pagelsen will not receive the raise of \$600 in salary he asked of the board. The finance committee, composed of Supervisors Geerlings, Van Noord, Gorcor, Harris and Parks, reported unfavorably on the proposition and were sustained by the other members of the board.

The board adopted the report of the committee on equalization. The sum of \$368,619 was deducted from the assessors' figures on the real estate of Holland, leaving the valuation of the city as equalized at \$5,090,351, which is practically the same as last year, and the city has the advantage of the numerous improvements made during the year.

The sum of \$88,629 was deducted from Grand Haven's assessment, the valuation as equalized being \$2,080,516. The personal assessment of Grand Haven, with all its millions, is only \$578,760, while the personal assessment of Holland is \$1,471,025.

The committee added \$10,082 to the township of Chester, \$13,125 to Grand Haven township, \$11,291 to Jamestown, \$3,335 to Olive, \$13,020 to Polkton, \$66,276 to Spring Lake, \$19,916 to Tallmadge, \$28,903 to Zeeland. The sum of \$8,367 was deducted from Allendale, \$22,087 from Blendon, \$595 from Crocker, \$427 from Georgetown, \$29,766 from Holland township, \$4,506 from Polkton, \$151,640 from Wright.

The total assessed valuation of the county is placed at \$22,057,242.

Supervisor Watson of Georgetown has a unique plan for putting an end to the hobo problem, which has been bothering Ottawa and other counties for several years. Mr. Watson constructed his plan into a resolution, which was introduced to the board of supervisors at Monday morning's session. The resolution was received favorably by the board and referred to Prosecuting Attorney Pagelsen for his opinion as to the legality of the proceedings.

"Make the hoboes uncomfortable and they will cease to come" is Mr. Watson's idea and the resolution is based upon that plan. In the resolution it is stated that many means have been tried to stop the hobo evil, but in vain. In order to make the hobo business unprofitable, the hoboes must be made scarce, and this is the way Mr. Watson proposes to do it: Set off a portion of the jail to be used strictly as a hobo pen, which shall be heated to a temperature of not over fifty five degrees. To assure this temperature and no more, the resolution proposes, that a member of the board be appointed as a jail inspector to look after the matter.

Mr. Watson's resolution was passed with a few minor changes. The resolution as it now stands requires all persons, not residents of the county, arrested for drunkenness, vagrancy, jumping on or off of moving trains, or begging, to be confined in the lower block of cells at the jail here. The cells shall be arranged for the purpose and a temperature not to exceed 55 degrees maintained. The sheriff shall be required to see that this regulation is strictly enforced.

The committee on roads, drains and ferries reported. They recommended that the drain tax as suggested by the county drain commissioner be spread upon the rolls of the several districts. The committee also recommended that the charter for the ferry across Grand river at Lamont be granted to D. D. Morsemann. The board adopted the report.

Chairman Henry Geerlings, mayor of Holland, submitted the report of the finance committee yesterday.

The report shows that on September 30, last, there was a balance in the county treasury of \$2,325.60. The orders drawn on the general fund at the present session will amount to \$7,800. The committee recommended an appropriation of \$20,000 to carry the county expenses another year.

Of the amounts ordered by the committee to be charged to the several towns and cities in the county for maintaining persons at the county infirmary Holland has to pay \$179.49, Grand Haven \$383.08, Zeeland \$196.19, Holland township \$53.13.

Upon the recommendation of the finance committee the salary of Commissioner of Schools C. E. Kelly was raised from \$1,000 to \$1,200, the new law providing that where a commissioner has not less than 125 schools under his supervision his compensation shall be not less than \$1,200. Commissioner Kelly has 155 schools under his care and is therefore entitled to a salary of \$1,200.

The salary of the several county officers were fixed as follows, upon recommendation of the finance committee: County clerk, \$1,000; treasurer, \$1,200; prosecuting attorney, \$1,000; commissioner of schools, \$1,200; janitor, \$680; probate judge, \$2,000; probate clerk, \$300.

The following amounts were recommended by the committee to be raised for the fiscal year to defray the expenses of the county. General fund, \$20,000; poor fund, \$5,000; insane fund, \$1,500; soldier relief fund, \$400; salary fund, \$7,380; total, \$34,280.

At yesterday's session the most important business was the adoption of the report of the committee on miscellaneous claims and accounts. In this report there were fewer rejections than had been expected and those creditors who had bills in contagious disease cases were the principal sufferers. Dr. John T. Cooper's old bill for \$129.50 for services while he was health officer of Grand Haven was again wholly rejected. Attorney C. O. Smedley's bill for legal services to the board in the contagious disease controversy was cut from \$133.40 to \$83.40. All of the bills for game wardens' services were rejected and William Whipple's bills for taking a juvenile offender to the reform school were rejected. In the yellow fever case of Godfrey Limburg, Dr. Hughes' bill of \$42 was referred to the open board and finally allowed.

Death Of George Eccles

The death of George Eccles, one of Holland's well known citizens, occurred last Friday after a short illness. Mr. Eccles had reached the age of 83 years and to this advanced age his death is attributable.

He was a member of the Second Michigan Cavalry during the civil war, enlisting at Muskegon. His

record was characterized by faithful service and unflinching devotion to duty. He was one of the best known members of A. C. Van Raalte Post, G. A. R. and was active in promoting the general welfare of the post.

The immediate relatives surviving are his wife, two daughters, Mrs. L. C. Bradford, of this city, Mrs. J. Knapp, of Seattle, Wash., and one son E. J. Eccles of Alexander, Ind.

The funeral was held Tuesday forenoon under the auspices of the G. A. R., services being conducted by Rev. DuMoulin, rector of Grace Episcopal church. A quartet composed of Mrs. G. W. Pardee, of Grand Haven, Mrs. J. E. Murray, James Price and Otto P. Kramer sang, accompanied by Miss Minnie Kramer. A. C. Van Raalte Post, G. A. R., attended in a body, and the pall bearers were P. H. McBride, D. Van den Berg, M. Van Regenmorter, B. Van Raalte, E. Tripp and H. F. TerSlegter.

A \$100,000 Gift For Hope College

Before Dr. G. J. Kollen left for the East the first of the week it was announced that a friend in the East had presented Hope college with \$100,000.

Included in this sum is the \$30,000 promised some time ago for the ladies dormitory but at the request of the donor \$35,000 will be expended for the dormitory and \$65,000 will be added to the college endowment fund.

Of late Hope has been especially favored and this latest acquisition makes still more secure its solid financial basis.

Hope College News.

President G. J. Kollen, D. D., and Prof. J. T. Bergen, D. D., left Monday for New York City in the interest of the college.

Tonight will occur the annual joint reception of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. A splendid program has been prepared to meet the occasion, and an agreeable social time is insured to all who attend.

No Adelpic Society was held last Tuesday on account of the lecture given in Winant's chapel by Governor Lafollette of Wisconsin.

The Western Theological Seminary will be represented next Sunday as follows: B. F. Brinkman, Zeeland (1st); J. J. Hollebrandt, Kalamazoo (4th); J. VanZomeran, Holland (4th evening).

Rev. A. J. Benjamin of Wisconsin, conducted chapel exercises Monday morning.

Marriage Licenses

Elze DeRoo, 27, Boreulo; Ellie Kampen, 30, Zeeland.

John P. Wahle, 20, Zeeland; Christiana Marlink, 20, Zeeland.

Common Council.

The common council last evening adopted the report of the committee on streets and crosswalks recommending that the laying of crosswalks on east side of Columbia avenue across 16th street be deferred till the spring of 1906.

The surveyor reported plans and specifications and estimate of cost of lateral sewer on River street between 8th and 6th street.

The plans and specifications were provisionally adopted and said sewer ordered constructed according to same, the cost of construction of such sewer to be paid for by special assessment upon the adjacent property, less one-sixth to be paid by the city at large as follows: Estimated cost, \$780.00; amount to be paid by special assessment, \$650.00; amount to be paid by the city at large, \$130.00. The private lots, lands and premises were declared to constitute a special assessment district to be known as River street special sewer assessment district.

Alderman Stephan gave notice that at the next regular meeting of the council he would introduce an ordinance relative to Justices of the

Peace of the city of Holland.

The committee on fire department reported necessity of purchasing additional horse for Company No. 2.

The committee was instructed to purchase one horse or to sell one horse and purchase team.

John S. Dykstra has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

H. van der Ploeg returned Saturday from a visit to friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Dahhof have moved to Grand Rapids.

Miss Hazel Wing has entered the conservatory of music at Olivet.

Mrs. D. S. Snyder is visiting relatives in Benton Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Purdy and daughter Carolyn have returned from their western trip.

Dr. George Eaker of Hopkins Station was in the city this week.

Dr. J. A. Mabbs has returned from a professional trip to Monroe City.

K. DeWitt has returned from a visit to Grand Rapids.

Mrs. W. J. Olive was in Grand Rapids last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Betts, who have been visiting the former's parents at Hastings for several weeks, have returned here and are now at the home of C. Markham.

Arthur R. Lewis, a former resident of this city, accompanied by his wife, was the guest of friends here last week. Mr. Lewis will engage in the drug business at Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. James Laoste, of New York City, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Browning. Mr. and Mrs. Laoste spent last winter with Mr. and Mrs. Browning in California.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Huling are visiting relatives in Southern Indiana.

Dr. J. Mastenbrook was in Grand Haven last Thursday.

The Misses Ellen and Sarah Robinson, who have been the guests of relatives here, have returned to their home in South Haven.

Mrs. Owen was the guest this week of Mrs. Fred Haan of Ganges.



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HOLLAND, MICH.

The big standpipe at the water-station is being painted.

Delivery of beets to the Holland Sugar Company began last Friday.

Attorney G. J. Diekema is in Washington on business connected with the Spanish Claims Commission.

F. W. Ealden, Henry Brusse, Ross Cooper, and L. E. Van Drezer will go to Lansing today to attend a meeting of the Mystic Shrine.

Dr. M. J. Cook will join a party of campers from Allegan and Gobelville on a two week's outing trip down Kalamazoo river. The start will be made October 23.

Prof. John M. VanderMeulen will occupy the pulpit of Hope church next Sunday morning and evening in place of the pastor Rev. J. T. Bergen, who has gone east to attend a conference.

The Holland Gas company will send a representative to Saugatuck Saturday to give demonstrations in the using of coke for fuel. The demonstration will take place at Richard Roda's store Saturday afternoon from 3 to 8 o'clock.

The barn on the farm of W. L. Wright of Mill grove township, three miles northwest of Allegan was struck by lightning Tuesday evening during the severe electrical storm and burned to the ground, together with the contents. Mr. Wright succeeded in saving his live stock all but one calf. The loss is \$900.

The jury in the \$5,000 damage case of Harry Brown vs. Isaac D. Evans for alienation of wife's affections, brought in a verdict of not guilty yesterday in the Allegan circuit court. That case was tried once before and a verdict of \$2,000 given for Brown and re-tried on error.

John TerBeek was arrested last night by Officer Arie Zanting on a charge of rape. It is alleged the offense was committed August 19. The girl is Miss Wilma King of Waverly, aged 15. TerBeek was arraigned before Justice VanDuren last night. He demanded an examination which will take place next Tuesday. He furnished bail to the amount of \$2,000.

Mr. C. E. Ripley has been appointed manager of the Michigan State Telephone Company's Holland exchange, succeeding Mr. W. B. Kellogg, who has resigned. Mr. Ripley has been connected with the company's exchange at Grand Rapids and is an efficient telephone man. Mr. Kellogg expects to engage in the telephone business in Ohio and will leave for the scene of his new position in a few days.

Governor LaFollette of Wisconsin spoke to a crowded house at Winants Chapel last Tuesday evening. His oratory is highly tinged with the dramatic and his merciless arraignment of the railroads, of graft in legislation and of abuses in municipal affairs was delivered with telling effect. A great deal of time was devoted to a recital of conditions in Wisconsin and he spoke of the bribery that he had to fight. He said that a vast portion of the press of Wisconsin was subsidized by the railway companies and that that also made his fight an uphill one. One part of the lecture that brought applause was his reference to President Roosevelt.

A fine chance exists to embellish your home with something useful, ornamental and convenient. It is nothing more or less than by placing therein a sideboard purchased at Jas. A. Brouwer's. But you must make the purchase quickly or your neighbor will get ahead of you, for the bargain is one after which all will reach. The manufacturers had to part with the sideboards at a sacrifice and now Mr. Brouwer gives his customers a chance to profit. The original selling price of them is \$28.00 but this price is slashed to \$14.90. They are marvelously cheap and it is negligence to fail to buy. Cash or credit.

Harry F. Wilkinson, of Wyandotte, at present employed in the Brooklyn navy yard, has patented a device to be placed on steamships to prevent loss of life in case of the sinking of the boat. The device is formed with hollow tubes and takes the place of the rail along the promenades of the boat. Netting is placed between the top and bottom like the ordinary rails. These rails are released by the turning of a lever in the pilot house and fall in the water. Life lines are attached to the affair and the sections are buoyant enough so support all who can get hold of them. The device has been patented and has already been adopted by the New York Red Cross life savers.

John Vandersluis calls special attention to his new stock of furs and cloaks just received which will be sold at very reasonable prices. An inspection is solicited.

The Crowds Continue at A. B. Bosman's

A good many people were skeptical regarding this sale before its opening I think I have convinced them that this is a bonafide sale. I am completely sold out of some lines in furnishing goods but have a good assortment left.

Did You See Our Crowds Last week?
Did you see our prices?
And did you see me?

We Have Used the Pencil and Knife Again
and marked down some of our Men's Suits, new ones, and added them to our all wool suits at \$4.65

MEN'S SUITS

We have sold more suits in the past five days than a good many merchants have in stock. We have a good many left. Some are a little off in pattern and can be had for 25 cents on the dollar. Some are just in, the latest things, and can be bought for cost, and I will pay the freight. Others from 25 to 50 per cent off. I want to sell them all.

A merchant from the country called in and bought a line of these suits, saying they were cheaper than he could buy them now at wholesale as the price of wool is higher. We bought some of these before the sale. You can buy them as cheap as this merchant did. Your money is as good to me as his, and he intends to make a profit on them, and I am sure he will at the price he bought them at.

Men's \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.00, and \$25.00 Suits, the best makes in the country, marked to go in this sale at.....\$11.98
Men's Blue Handkerchiefs......02
Boy's Suits, knee pants, a lot of all wool goods in Cassimere, assorted colors were \$1.25, \$2.00, \$2.50 values, to close at......89
All Wool Hose......19
Men's shirts, soft and stiff bosoms, white and colors, values from 50c to \$1.50, to close at.....21c, 38c and 79c
Men's all wool Suits—black and in colors worth \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00, to go at.....4.65
Odd Vests, good staple colors, up from......25
Mackintoshes, all sizes and colors, up from......89
Men's white Linen Handkerchiefs, 25c. values......07
The celebrated Kingsbury Hat, sold in Holland for years, everybody knows them, guaranteed \$3.00 and \$3.50 values... 2.29
Men's Suspenders, good strong web, fancy colors, 25c., 35c. and 50c. patterns, now go at......19
The King Hat, made by Parrotte Beals & Co. of Chicago, one of America's largest hat makers, and one of their best hats, worth \$2.50, now.....1.97
Boy's Knee Pants, odds and ends, have been sorted out, just the thing for a boy to wear after school, and save a good pair, marked down to.....10c. 17c. and .19
Hats for Boys and Men, all sorted out.....\$.07

YOUTHS' SUITS

We still have a large assortment of Youths' suits in sizes from 12 to 20 years, long pants, all wool, in all colors, from \$1.89 up. See them. They are money savers.

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SWEATERS

A good assortment of sweaters still left. We may not have what you want but if we do you get them cheap. No new ones will be bought as we are closing out and mean it.

UMBRELLAS

We are almost sold out and we had a large stock of them. The odd ones that are left have been cut in price again to make them go.

Men's heavy work Shirts, in dark colors, strongly made, good yoke, full length, 50c. and 75c. values, now......39
At \$8.98 each, Men's Suits worth from \$12.00 to \$18.00. Each garment hand tailored and warranted to keep its shape, equal to the best custom tailored garment, single and double breasted, shoulders hand padded, hand made collar, which all combined, give these garments that distinguished look which characterizes good clothing.....8.98
Men's Suspenders, 75c. and \$1.00 values......39
Men's black Socks, 25c. values......07
The Challenge Bargain in this sale—and we challenge any merchant to compete. Men's \$15.00 and \$16.00 Suits, worsted and Cassimere.....7.69
Men's String Neckties, good colors, 15c. values......01
Men's Caps 50c. and 75c. values, NEW WINTER and a few left over from this summer......37
Silk Handkerchiefs, assorted 25c., 35c. and 50c. values at......19
Canvas Gloves, good quality, now......07
Men's heavy, colored socks, 15c. value at......07
Men's fancy Shirts in soft and stiff bosoms Mohairs and Silk bosoms, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 values......69
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I am still open for a lease on the building as soon as the sale is completed. Several parties have been in to see me but no one has rented the store as yet. My show cases and fixtures are also for sale and

I want merchants to come in and look them over

Parties owing me will please come in and settle. Some have come in but not enough, as I want to close up my book accounts

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

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county on the 23rd day of October, A. D., 1905.

Present: HON. EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Adam Hilzey, Deceased.

Henry J. Hilzey, as guardian, having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Henry J. Hilzey or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 30th day of October, A. D. 1905,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.) FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Blischop, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 29th day of September, A. D., 1905, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven in said county, on or before the 29th day of January, A. D., 1906, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 29th day of January, A. D., 1906, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September 29th A. D., 1905.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.) FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 29th day of September, A. D., 1905.

Present, Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Gerrit Bekman, deceased,

Geortruuda Bekman, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 30th day of October, A. D. 1905,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.) FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN } COUNTY OF OTTAWA }

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Please to take notice that the Holland Improvement Company, a Michigan Corporation, has filed its petition in the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, asking for the vacating of all that part of A. C. Van Rant's addition No. 2 to the Village of Holland lying north of the south line of lots 15-16-17 and 18, except the part heretofore sold and west of State street in said city, which said petition will be brought on to be heard on Monday, the 6th day of November, A. D., 1905, at the courthouse in the city of Grand Haven at the opening of the Circuit Court for Ottawa County on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

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Dated September 29th 1905

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TALE OF DEATH AND SUFFERING

AWFUL EXPERIENCE OF EIGHT SURVIVORS OF A SHIP-WRECKED VESSEL.

SCHOONER IS WRECKED OFF CAROLINA COAST

Only Two of Luckless Sailors Alive When Help Finally Arrives—Adrift on Raft Without Food and Little Water for Ten Days.

Boston, Oct. 17.—A story of a North Atlantic shipwreck, in which eight seamen suffered so fearfully from exposure, hunger and thirst that six of them either died outright, were washed away, or, crazed by their fearful experience, threw themselves into the sea, was told Monday by the two survivors of the coasting schooner Van Name and King, of New Haven, which was beaten to pieces by a gale off the South Carolina coast on October 6.

The two men who lived through the five days and were rescued by the schooner Stillman F. Kelly, which arrived here late Monday, are William Thomas and William G. Warnock, both about 29 years old, six feet, three inches tall, and hail from Antigua, British West Indies. The six who, one by one, succumbed were: Capt. William A. Maxwell, of New Jersey; Mate E. A. Chase, home unknown; engineer, a German, name unknown; colored steward, name unknown; colored seamen, William Grizell and Alfred Arthur, both of Jamaica.

The Van Name and King, which has been plying up and down the coast since 1886, left Charleston, S. C., for New York on October 3, with a cargo of hard pine. Two days later she ran into a heavy gale and, after wallowing about in the great seas for several hours, sprang a leak. The pumps were started, but within a short time the engine room was flooded and the pumps choked. At eight o'clock on the morning of October 6, with her hold nearly full of water, the little schooner was hove down on her beam ends. The crew clambered up on the weather side and lashed themselves to the bulwarks. There they remained washed by the seas that broke mercilessly over them all day Friday.

Awful Suffering.

That night the storm increased in fury and one great wave crashed aboard, breaking both legs of Seamen Arthur and sweeping Grizell from his fastenings. Arthur's companions could do nothing to ease his sufferings, but when on Saturday the schooner turned completely over, they managed to cut his lashings and drag him on a piece of the afterhouse. It was several hours before they were all huddled together on their little raft. That night Arthur died in the arms of Capt. Maxwell, and his body was dropped overboard. Sunday brought a ray of hope, when a craft was sighted, but the gloom shut in again as she passed without heeding the little group of seamen who frantically signalled her. That night the waves subsided and a little rain fell, which was eagerly caught in a tarpaulin and brought some slight relief. It was only temporary, and not long after Mate Chase's mind gave way entirely, and the craft was again lightened when he jumped into the sea.

The next victim was Capt. Maxwell, who, on Monday forenoon, became violently insane and followed his mate's example of self-destruction as a relief to his sufferings. The spectacle of two men throwing themselves into the sea proved too much for the German engineer and a few hours after Capt. Maxwell's death he, too, leaped to his death. The last victim was the colored steward, who died Monday night and whose body was consigned to the waters by the two remaining seamen.

Relief came 12 hours later, when the schooner Stillman F. Kelly, bound up the coast from Ceylon, Ga., to this port, sighted the little craft and hove to alongside. Both Thomas and Warnock had to be taken off in slings, and for two days were unable to move. The rescue took place off Cape Lookout. The Kelly arrived here Monday afternoon, but the seamen were still too exhausted to land.

Still Undecided.

New York, Oct. 17.—Members of the isthmian canal commission and the board of consulting engineers, returning from a tour of inspection of the Panama canal, arrived here Tuesday on the steamer Havana from Colon. Gen. George W. Davis, chairman of the consulting engineers, said that although the party had made a careful inspection of the proposed route for the canal no decision had been reached as to the sea level plan.

Printers Battle with Police.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 17.—In an encounter between the police and striking printers at the government bureau of printing and engraving Tuesday afternoon 40 persons were injured, but none seriously. The printers attempted to hold a meeting against the command of Minister of Finance Kokovsov, who requisitioned police and the strikers were driven from the building.

Missionary Meeting.

Worcester, Mass., Oct. 17.—Prominent clergymen and laymen, chiefly of the Congregational denomination, gathered in this city Tuesday for the fifty-ninth annual meeting of the American Missionary association. The sessions will continue for three days.

PEACE IS ANNOUNCED.

Mikado Issues Imperial Rescript—Russian Concessions to Japan Worth \$650,000,000.

Tokio, Oct. 17.—The mikado on Monday issued an imperial rescript announcing the conclusion of peace with Russia and explaining why peace was made. The rescript asserts that Japan's arms have achieved a glorious success and that the position of the empire has been strengthened after 20 months of war. The emperor admonishes the Japanese people against vainglorious pride, and urges them to take up the avocations of peace in order to maintain the prosperity of the country.

Accompanying the emperor's rescript is the full text of the treaty, which was published here Monday as it was in St. Petersburg by agreement. The full text reveals nothing that has not been printed in the outlines already made public.

London, Oct. 17.—By the terms of the peace treaty concluded between Japan and Russia September 5 at Portsmouth, N. H., which went into effect Sunday and was made public here Monday, the gains for Japan in actual property seem much more substantial than the first outline indicated. Besides gaining what amounts to absolute authority over Korea, the cession of Port Arthur and Dalny and the southern half of the island of Sakhalin Japan secures tangible property to the estimated value of \$650,000,000, as follows:

Russian works in Port Arthur and Dalny	\$100,000,000
Railroad from Port Arthur to Changchunfu	150,000,000
Coal mines of Yental region	300,000,000
Fishing rights on Siberian coast	100,000,000

Total \$650,000,000

These fishing rights, in the opinion of those having knowledge of the matter, will be worth to Japan at least \$10,000,000 a year.

TAGGART GIVEN DIVORCE.

Judge at Wooster, O., Renders Decision in Case Which Attracted Much Attention.

Wooster, O., Oct. 14.—Judge Eason, who heard the divorce case of Capt. Elmore E. Taggart against his wife, rendered his decision Friday afternoon. The court grants Capt. Taggart the divorce and the custody of the two children, Culver, aged 11, and Charles, aged seven. Although Mrs. Taggart is denied possession of the children, she will be permitted to see them. The trial lasted seven weeks. A case went to the court a month ago. The suit was first started in July, 1904, by Capt. Taggart, who filed petition for divorce, charging his wife with conduct unbecoming a wife and alleging the excessive use of intoxicants. Mrs. Taggart heard of the proceedings in San Francisco several weeks later and immediately started for Wooster, the home of the Taggarts, where she filed a counter petition for divorce against Capt. Taggart on the grounds of cruelty and neglect. The case has been of exceptional interest because of statements during the trial by Capt. Taggart that the use of intoxicants in the army was so common as to be almost the custom. A number of prominent army officers were named in Capt. Taggart's petition as having been more or less the cause of the domestic troubles between Capt. and Mrs. Taggart.

THE THRONE OF NORWAY.

Question of Who Shall Be Its Occupant May Be Settled Very Soon.

Christiania, Norway, Oct. 17.—King Oscar's official refusal of the offer of the Norwegian throne for a prince of the house of Bernadotte is expected very soon, when the government will immediately ask the storting to authorize an invitation to Prince Charles of Denmark to become king. It is said that the reply will be favorable and that immediately on its receipt the storting will proceed to his election. The republicans are making desperate efforts to secure a plebiscite. They have published a manifesto protesting against the election of a king and favoring a republican form of government. It is understood that the republicans now control 30 votes in the storting, and it is feared that Prince Charles will decline if the republican minority is sufficiently strong to be worthy of consideration. In government circles, however, it is declared that the question will be settled before the end of the present week.

Bankers Adjourn.

Washington, Oct. 14.—The thirty-first annual convention of the American Bankers' association ended Friday with the record of having been the largest attended and most successful, from a business standpoint, in the history of the association. The registration of arriving members continued until Friday, when the total of 3,400 was reached. John L. Hamilton, of Hoopeston, Ill., was made president.

Evacuation to Begin.

Tokio, Oct. 16.—It is believed that the government has sent an order to Manchurian headquarters to commence the evacuation of Japanese troops at once. It is expected that Japan will effect a complete withdrawal of her troops in six months.

New York Wins Championship.

New York, Oct. 16.—New York national league team won the world's baseball championship, defeating Philadelphia American leaguers in the fifth game by a score of 2 to 0 on the Polo grounds.

McCURDY AGAIN ON THE STAND

PRESIDENT OF MUTUAL LIFE RESUMES TESTIMONY BEFORE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

OFFICIAL HAS TILT WITH COUNSEL HUGHES

Refusal of Witness to Answer Questions Causes Comment—Heads of Leading Banks of Germany and England Receive Lower Salaries.

New York, Oct. 17.—With Richard A. McCurdy, president of the Mutual Life Insurance company, and James H. Hyde, former vice president of the Equitable Life Assurance society, in the city ready to be called as witnesses, the legislative committee appointed to investigate the insurance business resumed its sessions Tuesday. The committee adjourned last week as a mark of respect to the memory of S. Fred Nixon, the speaker of the state assembly. Mr. Hyde has not been served with a subpoena, as he has notified the committee that he is ready to appear any time he is wanted and to answer all questions unreservedly.

President McCurdy, of the Mutual Life, was the first witness. He protested against the inquiry being turned into an "inquisition," and said Counsel Hughes was trying to prove him a fool. Mr. Hughes retorted that he would not comment on "that which obviously required no comment." Mr. McCurdy testified he knew nothing about his company's advertising or the reduction of dividends on policies. Mr. McCurdy was questioned at great length concerning a steady reduction in the dividends paid to policy holders by the Mutual Life, but he declined to discuss the question, saying the company's actuary was the proper person to give information on that subject.

McCurdy Is Defiant.

The defiant attitude of President McCurdy while on the stand during the investigation caused much comment. The failure of the committee to compel the witness to answer was also the subject of much comment, and Chairman Armstrong was asked for a statement. He said Mr. McCurdy's attitude has not escaped the observation of the committee. "We can get the information we desired from him from another source," said Chairman Armstrong. "When it comes to a point that a witness can but will not supply information we desire then it will be necessary for us to direct the witness to answer. Then if he refuses we can secure his indictment for a misdemeanor if the legislature is not in session and for contempt if it is in session. The committee thinks, under the circumstances, that Mr. McCurdy has put himself in a less favorable light than if we had compelled him to answer."

It developed at the session that the Mutual Life Insurance company paid house rent at Albany for A. C. Fields, an employee of the company, during the legislative session. Richard A. McCurdy, president of the company, testified that Mr. Fields was in Albany on legislative matters. Mr. McCurdy said he did not know Andrew Hamilton, of Albany, and was surprised to learn that the Mutual Life Insurance company had paid money to Hamilton.

Beck Proved in Error.

Before President McCurdy was called James McKeen, associate counsel to the committee, put in evidence for the records a statement of the assets of the Mutual Life Insurance company and of the banks of England, France and Germany. James M. Beck, of counsel for the Mutual Life Insurance company, claimed last Tuesday before the committee that the assets of the Mutual Life exceeded the combined assets of the Banks of France, Germany and England. By cable Mr. McKeen said he had ascertained the combined assets of those institutions were \$2,226,574,725, while those of the Mutual Life were \$440,983,371. Further, said Mr. McKeen, he had found the salary of the president of the Bank of Germany to be \$30,000 per annum and that of the chief governor of the Bank of England to be \$10,000. He had been unable to ascertain the salary of the president of the Bank of France.

At the afternoon session Mr. McCurdy was questioned concerning a payment of \$5,000 to William A. Fricke, former insurance commissioner of Wisconsin. Mr. McCurdy testified that this payment was made after the receipt of a letter from Charlton T. Lewis saying that Mr. Fricke would accept a retainer "to see that the interests of the Mutual Life should come to no harm" in that state. Mr. McCurdy authorized the payment of the money. Mr. McCurdy also testified that William Barnes, Sr., of Albany, was retained to appear before a legislative committee last winter. A bill and letter from Mr. Barnes to Mr. McCurdy were presented. In his letter Mr. Barnes said he had received \$1,000 from Judge Hamilton on behalf of the New York Life Insurance company, and the bill to the Mutual Life was for the same amount. The bill was paid.

Must Appear as Witness.

Milwaukee, Oct. 17.—Judge Quarles decided that Frank G. Bigelow, defaulting ex-president of the First national bank of this city, must be brought back from Fort Leavenworth penitentiary as a witness at the trial of Henry G. Goll, formerly assistant cashier of the bank. Bigelow is serving a ten-years' sentence. The formal order for his appearance November 20, was signed.



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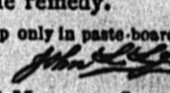
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 16th day of October A. D. 1905.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas W. Brown, Deceased.

Josephine L. Brown having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to George A. Brown or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 13th day of November, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 16th day of October, A. D. 1905.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Johann Sieber, Deceased.

John Y. Huisenga having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the 6th day of November, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven, in said County on the 10th day of October, A. D. 1905.

Present: HON. EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alberta Brat, Deceased.

Gerrit J. Diekmann having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of November, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

FANNY DICKINSON, Probate Clerk.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on the 16th day of October, A. D. 1905.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Barclay, Deceased.

L. D. Barclay having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to James Brandt or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 13th day of November, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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HUGH WAVE CREATES PANIC ON
BOARD BIG LINER
CAMPANIA.

Five Passengers Are Swept Overboard
and Lost, While Thirty or More Are
Badly Injured—Death List May
Prove Larger.

New York, Oct. 16.—Five lives are known to have been lost and more than 30 persons injured, one of them fatally, on the Cunard Line steamer Campana last Wednesday when a gigantic wave rolled over the steamer and swept across a deck thick with steerage passengers. So sudden was the coming of the disaster and so great the confusion which attended and followed it that even the officers of the steamer themselves were unable Saturday upon the vessel's arrival here to estimate the full extent of the tragedy. It is possible that the five persons known to be missing from the steerage may not constitute the full number of dead.

John Graham, of Milwaukee, was one of the passengers washed overboard and lost. He was traveling in the steerage. The others who are known to have lost their lives were two Irish girls and two other women. When the Campana reached quarantine ten of the injured passengers were still in the ship's hospital, some of them seriously hurt, and a score of others were nursing minor injuries.

Comes Without Warning.
The Campana was plowing along under full headway last Wednesday afternoon. A heavy quattering sea was running, but the weather conditions were far from unpleasant and the big boat's decks were crowded with passengers. The steerage deck was covered with merry-makers and there was nothing to indicate the approaching disaster when suddenly the big steamer lurched to port and scooped up an enormous sea. The wave boarded the steamer about midships on the port side and swept clear across the steerage deck, completely filling the space between that deck and the deck above and carrying everything with it. The steamer's side was buried so deep that the passengers on the deck above the steerage were submerged to their waists as the immense volume of water rolled aft and then surged forward. All the cabin passengers on the upper deck succeeded in clinging to supports while the waters surged around them, and were saved, but the unfortunate on the steerage deck found themselves utterly helpless. The irresistible rush of waters, sweeping toward the forward part of the ship, carried everything before it. Nettings, heavy railings and other obstructions which had been arranged near the railings to prevent passengers being washed overboard, served their purpose only in part. So great was the volume and force of the rushing waters that a door in the rail was smashed and through this opening five of the helpless ones who had been caught by the wave, were swept to their death. Others, dashed against the rails and other like obstructions, escaped death, but many of them received severe injuries. One young woman had both legs broken at the thigh and several persons suffered broken arms and ribs while more than a score were bruised and battered.

From one of the steerage passengers it was learned that the lives of several children were saved by a stewardess, Miss Cotes, and a deck steward. The little ones were playing about the deck when they were caught in the swirl of water and carried aft with the others. On the return rush of the wave the children were being carried directly toward the open door through which the five who lost their lives had been carried, when Miss Cotes and the steward rushed to their rescue and dragged them back to safety.

Wednesday's disaster marks the first time in the Cunard line's history of more than 60 years that a passenger has been lost from one of its steamers by accident.

FATAL DISASTER.

Passenger Train Strikes Coal Car Near
Springfield, Ill.—One Killed,
Several Injured.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 16.—One woman was killed and over a score of other persons were injured in the wreck of a west-bound Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern passenger train in the outskirts of Springfield. The dead passenger is Mrs. Mary Muesch, of Virginia, Ill. The accident occurred just west of the city limits at a coal mine switch. The wind had blown an empty coal car from a siding close to the main track. Traveling at a rate of 15 miles an hour, the engine of the passenger train struck the coal car. The force of the collision broke the coupling between the tender and baggage car, and as the engine plunged ahead the coal car rebounded and struck the middle of the baggage car. Baggage car, smoker, and day coach were overturned in succession.

Millions Saved to Shippers.
St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 13.—According to the annual report of the Great Northern Railway company that company has saved to shippers by reason of reductions made on freight charges since 1881 the enormous sum of \$676,963,820.

Oscar Resumes Throne.
Stockholm, Oct. 16.—King Oscar formally resumed the duties of government Saturday. The king of Sweden on August 10 last appointed Crown Prince Gustave to be regent while his majesty went to Marstrand for his health.

HOW DOTHT THE BUSY LITTLE MOTH—



INDIANAPOLIS NEWS

SIR HENRY IRVING DIES SUDDENLY

FAMOUS ACTOR EXPIRES FROM
ATTACK OF SYNCOPE AT
BRADFORD, ENG.

Had Just Returned to His Hotel at
the Close of Evening Performance
at the Theater—May Rest in West-
minster.

London, Oct. 14.—The English speaking world has suffered an irreparable loss by the sudden death Friday night of Sir Henry Irving, who was universally regarded as the most representative English actor of contemporary times. Sir Henry died literally in harness. He was giving a series of farewell performances in the English provinces and this week was playing an engagement at Bradford, appearing in several favorite roles. Friday night, before an enthusiastic audience, he portrayed one of his most characteristically intellectual parts, the title role in his own stage adaptation of Lord Tenyson's "Becket," with marked success.

After the performance Sir Henry returned to his hotel, reaching his rooms at 11:30 o'clock, when it was observed that he was in great pain. Physicians were immediately summoned, but before they could arrive, Sir Henry was seized with an attack of syncope and expired without a word.

To Rest in Westminster.
London, Oct. 17.—The dean of Westminster, Very Rev. Joseph Armitage Robinson, announced Monday evening that, having received a request signed by leading members of the dramatic profession and other persons of distinction, he had consented to the interment of the body of Sir Henry Irving in Westminster Abbey.

Two Killed by Molten Metal.
Chicago, Oct. 17.—Five tons of molten metal exploded Tuesday at the Joliet plant of the Illinois Steel company, falling in a shower of death on a band of workmen about the converter. Two men are dead, three are fatally burned, and half a dozen injured so badly they may die. The accident came without warning, and the explosion shook the whole plant, sending panic into every corner of the great works. Half a hundred men who were within range of the rain of liquid metal were endangered.

Jerry Simpson Near Death.
Wichita, Kan., Oct. 17.—Ex-Congressman Jerry Simpson, who is ill at a local hospital, is at death's door, according to a statement issued early Tuesday by his physicians. The end may come at any hour, they say. At best they consider it hardly probable that the patient can survive another 24 hours. Mrs. Simpson has given up hope of her husband's recovery and has telegraphed their only son, at Roswell, N. M., to come immediately.

Mayor Dunne Again Loses.
Chicago, Oct. 17.—On a motion in the city council to suspend the rules and pass an order offered by Mayor Dunne, directing the local transportation committee to cease all negotiations with the street railway companies excepting those looking to the purchase of their properties, the vote was 27, nays 27.

Stockyards Burned.
Joliet, Ill., Oct. 16.—Fire on Sunday destroyed the stockyards of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway. Loss, \$10,000. The yards were empty.

BOTH SIGN PEACE TREATY.

Czar and Mikado Attach Signatures to
Portsmouth Document and War
Is Officially Ended.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The emperor of Russia and the emperor of Japan Saturday morning signed their respective copies of the peace treaty, thus officially ending the war. Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador, called at the state department Saturday to tell Secretary Root that the emperor of Russia had early in the day affixed his signature to the copy of the treaty drawn at Portsmouth. A few minutes after noon Minister Takahira appeared at the state department with a message stating that the emperor of Japan had signed the treaty at Tokio. So both copies of the treaty having been duly signed, the Russo-Japanese war, which began February 8, 1904, with the attack by Togo's fleet upon the Russian ships at Port Arthur, terminated officially October 14. Little remains to be done to meet the official requirements. At a later date, probably in the course of a month or two, copies of the treaties will be actually exchanged, probably in Washington, by the Russian ambassador and the Japanese minister.

COW ON THE TRACK.

Heavy Train Is Derailed at Seaton,
Ill., and Five Men Are
Killed.

Oskaloosa, Ia., Oct. 16.—Five trainmen were killed Sunday at Seaton, Ill., when a heavy, double-header freight train, east-bound, on the Iowa Central railroad ran into a cow on the track at a speed of 20 miles an hour. Both locomotives and 11 freight cars loaded with grain and lumber were piled in a heap beside the track. The dead are: George A. Caffal, engineer; Harry Summers, engineer; Harry Barr, fireman; L. H. Briley, fireman; P. T. Morgan, brakeman. All the men killed lived in Oskaloosa except Briley, whose home was in Monmouth, Ill. Brakeman Morgan was driven into the earth beneath the end of a box car. Fireman Briley was found dead, but apparently unharmed beside the tangled steel of the locomotives. Engineer Summers was caught in the cab of his locomotive and cooked by steam and water from the boiler. He lived several hours although large pieces of cooked flesh fell from the bone.

SEVERELY PUNISHED.

Congressman Williamson, of Oregon,
Convicted of Land Frauds,
Sent to Prison.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 16.—Convicted of conspiracy to suborn perjury and to acquire government lands fraudulently, Congressman J. N. Williamson was denied a new trial by Federal Judge Hunt, sentenced to imprisonment for ten months and fined \$500. Marion R. Biggs, former United States commissioner at Pineville, was sentenced to ten months and fined \$500. Dr. Vangeneser, Williamson's partner in the sheep business, was given a five-month imprisonment and assessed \$1,000 fine. Execution was stayed until the defendants can perfect an appeal.

Negro Named As Minister.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The resignation of William F. Powell as United States minister to Hayti has been submitted to the president and accepted. As his successor the president has determined upon Dr. H. W. Furnish, of Indianapolis, Ind., a prominent negro. Dr. Furnish is the present consul to Bahia, Brazil. He will assume his duties as minister to Hayti about November 15.

Starch Factories to Merge.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Oct. 14.—As a result of competition between starch factories in Prescott and Edwardsburg, Ontario, a syndicate has been formed to merge all the Canadian factories.

Sent to Prison.

Sioux City, Ia., Oct. 14.—W. E. Brown, president of the failed First national bank of Storm Lake, Ia., was sentenced to five years in prison for fraudulent banking.

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Teacher's Examination

There will be an examination of teachers at the court house in Grand Haven Thursday, October 19th at 8:30 a. m.

Examination in reading will be based upon, "Oration at the Laying of the Corner Stone of Bunker Hill Monument"—Webster.

Only 2nd and 3rd grade certificates can be granted at this examination.

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Additional Local

Dr. A. J. Benjimen of Oshkosh, Wis., preached in Hope church last Sunday.

H. Ten Broeke has been granted the contract for the erection of a house for Ralph Scales on West 17th street.

When a resident of Holland wishes to buy a motor car he goes to a shop and asks for a "snellpaardelooszoon-deerspoorwegpittroolrijting." This word means literally "the rapid-horseless-without-rails-driven-by-petroleum-thing."—Ex.

Deputy County Clerk Fred F. McEachron will be in Holland next week to issue deer licenses to the hunters who desire to go to upper Michigan from this city and vicinity. A number expect to go north from Ottawa county this year.

John Bange, aged 73 a resident of Olive township for many years, was buried Monday, the funeral being held from the New Holland church, Rev. John Wesselink officiating. A widow, two sons and one daughter survive.

N. Klungel, aged 52 years, died last Friday at his home, Sixteenth and Land streets, leaving a wife and six children. He came here from the Netherlands two years ago, and has been in poor health during that period. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, Rev. A. Keizer officiating.

Bulbs for fall planting. We have Dutch tulips in five different colors. Hyacinths in 2 colors and Chinese sacred lillies. Call early. Candies at 10 cents per pound and 10 cents per half pound that are usually sold at twice the price. Try either variety at the 5 and 10 cents store, 56 E. Eighth street. We carry higher priced articles on our second floor.

In speaking of the picture of the old Grand Haven life saving crew in the Tribune window, it was stated that all were dead save two. This is not true. At least four are in the land of the living. Asa Alcott is in business in Cleveland. His sister is Mrs. Gerrit J. Diekema of Holland. Orrie Koning for years a character around Zeeland and Holland is now in the Soldiers Home at Grand Rapids.—G. H. Tribune.

Robert Currie the horseman who was arrested in Grand Rapids Saturday on a charge of forgery by Sheriff Woodbury, appeared in Justice Hunton's court at Grand Haven Monday afternoon and demanded an examination. The case was adjourned until October 24, and the amount of the bail was fixed at \$600. Currie was committed to jail for failure to secure bail. He declares that he will take his life if he is given an opportunity. He says he is good for nothing in the world and might better be out of it.

The finance committee of the Allegan county fair has decided to pay premiums of seventy five cents on the dollar and take the \$200, or about the sum, which would be left and make a payment on the indebtedness. This will not meet with the favor of exhibitors who think that premiums should be paid by all means even if the money would have to be borrowed. They dislike the idea of seeing the money that should come to them spent for other purposes and some of them are protesting hard.

An elephant belonging to a carnival company was given nine quarts of whisky in a saloon at Wichita last week. It became intoxicated and when more liquor was refused it reached across the bar with its trunk and swept the glasses from the sideboard. The beast then secured a large decanter of whisky, whirled it over its head, and broke a hole in the top of the bar. Then it threatened to tear down the saloon, but finally sat down on its haunches and went to sleep. After its spree had been slept off the beast went back to quarters.

"A. J. Ward, who helps represent the city of Holland on the board of supervisors, is the king story teller in that sedate body," says the Grand Haven Tribune. "Mr. Ward is always ready with a good one and a new one and he has the happy art of springing them when they are most needed. Often when things are looking dark and the members are bordering on an open break over some important matter Mr. Ward rises with all the solemnity due the occasion and throws the assembly into wild laughter by one of his pat stories. Then the crisis is over and the body goes to work again. Mr. Ward is a clear minded man, as well as a joker and his work on the board has been very valuable. He was the contractor who built the court-house and his service on the committee on buildings and grounds has been splendid."

Jacob Paul has bought of Gerrit Heneveld a lot on West Sixteenth street upon which he will build a house.

Prof. L. S. Bliss, superintendent of the summer sanitarium at Eastman Springs, Benton Harbor, would like to establish a sanitarium in this city for giving treatment in electricity, massage, salt baths etc.

Deputy Sheriff Salsbury is meeting with a little difficulty in enforcing the truancy law throughout the county, but the majority of the people are glad to give their children an opportunity of getting an education.

Lost: Pocketbook, containing a razor with the name of R. Warnhuis on it. Also some small change. Lost between River and Ninth street and East Holland. Finder return to 54 West Ninth street and receive reward.

The funeral of Mrs. G. Yskes, who died last Thursday at her home, 404 Pine street, was held Saturday afternoon from the house. Rev. S. Van der Werf conducted the services. Mrs. Yskes was 71 years of age and is survived by two daughters and one son.

Cigarettes caused the disbanding of a kid football team in Grand Haven. In most cases the players were ordered out of the game by physicians because the organs most necessary to the robust exercises of football had been ruined by the use of the coffin nails. Cigaretts generally mean failure in all walks of life.

Will Bosman has taken a position as clerk in John Pieters store at Fennville. A number of years ago Mr. Pieters was employed by Will's grandfather J. W. Bosman of this city and, says the Fennville Herald, "the pleasant relations then established have culminated in the present arrangement."

In the case of C. Kruithoff, the Drenthe farmer who was killed by stepping off a moving car at Vriesland, the coroner's jury consisting of Thomas Van Eenennaam, A. De Kruif, Isaac Ver Lee, John J. DePree, John Bouwens and Cornelius Zwagerman, brought in a verdict of accidental death at the inquest conducted by Coroner Mastenbroek at Zeeland last Saturday.

As an outcome of the trouble between Captain Adam Weckler and the life saving crew at Ludington the resignation of Capt. Weckler has been accepted by the treasury department. Two months ago the seven surfmen resigned in a body, refusing to remain longer in the service if the present keeper was retained. They preferred various charges against him, and an official investigation soon followed. The keeper's discharge is the third and last step. Another keeper will be appointed immediately and the old crew will be retained.

Articles of association of DeGere-formeerde Amerikaan company of this city have been filed with the county clerk. The organization is in connection with DeWachter, and is formed for the purpose of furtherance of the principles of the Christian Reformed church. It is capitalized at \$2,000 of which \$1,600 is subscribed, the stock being taken up as follows: Jacob Manni, East Saugatuck, 93 shares; Jacob Wygaarden, New Era, 23 shares; John A. Brink, Muskegon, 23 shares; Henry Beets, Grand Rapids 23 shares.

Charles Beckler, who was recently sent to the county jail from Holland for drunkenness, was released from the jail last Friday. The first thing he did was to get drunk again and then he began to raise a disturbance on the street, yelling at everyone and doing all of the other funny stunts that came into his head. He was picked up by the officers and in Justice Hoyt's court he stated that he wanted a home where he could quit drinking and work steadily. The justice then assigned him to the Detroit house of correction for 90 days where he could get all the home and all the work he wanted.

That buyers were not entirely crazy this summer, when they bought apple orchards here at good prices, must be inferred by one who is in touch with the apple market at present. N. L. Gage bought for Wm. Ellis & Co. of Chicago the Morley apple orchard of about 18 acres for \$2,450. The crop is now estimated at about 2,200 barrels, besides the cider apples. This week he sold 140 barrels of the Hubbardston None-such to the Williamson Produce Co. of Quincy, Ill. for \$3.50 per barrel on board cars here. The orchard contains about 400 barrels of Northern Spy apples of finest quality and they will be held for \$8 per barrel. Mr. Gage thinks his house will make a clean profit on this orchard of \$3,500. Anyone in search of a good investment had better come to Fennville and grow apples.—Fennville Herald.

C. M. Phernambucq has moved into his new house on East Sixth street.

John S. Dykstra has added to his bazaar stock the stock recently carried by Paul A. Steketee.

November 11, Grand Haven and Holland, historic rivals, will clash on the gridiron at Grand Haven.

Fred Stratton is making improvements to the Stratton livery barn. A two story structure will be erected on the lot adjoining the barn and the first floor will be used for horse stalls and the second floor for storage.

Dr. H. Kremers and Dr. E. D. Kremers were summoned Tuesday to attend Mrs. J. Woldering who was injured on her right shoulder by a fall on the sidewalk at Sixth street and Columbia avenue at 6 o'clock. Mrs. Woldering, who is 65 years of age, threatens to sue the city for damages.

Twenty bushels of potatoes and a ton of coal were consumed by a fire in the barn on the premises owned by Jacob Kuite, sr., on Twentieth and Pine street, Tuesday afternoon. Edward Evenhuis was the owner of the destroyed property. The loss on the barn is estimated at \$100, and is covered by insurance.

The third annual convention of the Degree of Honor for the eighth district will be held in Holland tomorrow afternoon in I. O. O. F. hall. Eight lodges are included in the district, and from 10 to 12 representatives are expected from each lodge. Ludington, Muskegon and Grand Rapids are embraced in the district.

Sietsa Van der Woude died Tuesday at Ventura, at the age of 93. The surviving relatives are the widow, who is 81 years old, two daughters and two sons: Mrs. D. Van der Veen of this city, Mrs. A. Munn of Marion, Henry, who lived with his parents, and Edward of this city. The funeral will be held this noon from the house and at 1 o'clock from the Ventura church.

The annual Sunday school convention of the Reformed churches will be held in Third church Friday, October 27. The program follows: Address of welcome, A. Visscher; Relation of the Sunday School to the church, Rev. John Sietsma; Influence of the Sunday School Upon the Youth, Rev. A. VanArendonk; Aim of the Sunday School, Teacher, Rev. B. Hoffman; Relative Value of Sunday School Instruction in the Church, Prof. J. E. Kleinheksel; Relation of Sunday School to Mission Work, Rev. J. Kruidenier. The morning session will open at 10 o'clock and close at noon and the afternoon session will open at 2:45 and close at 7:30.

Local hunters who journey North to the upper peninsula to hunt deer each fall are beginning to prepare for the opening of the season Nov. 10th. Reports from the north woods indicate that deer are more plentiful than for several seasons past which insures good sport for hunters. Licenses are already being issued at the county clerk's office. Ross Cooper has received word that a deputy clerk will visit Holland some time next week, presumably Monday the 23rd, to issue licenses to those of this city and vicinity who wish them and do not care to make the trip to the county seat. Those who have declared their intention of going from here are Capt. Austin Harrington, A. Breyman, Will Damson, Ross Cooper, C. Meyers, E. De Feyter, D. Melhorn and Jacob Flieman.

Sheriff Woodbury and Deputy Sheriff Salsbury had a fierce encounter with a colored man, wanted for assault and battery, and who locked himself in a toilet room on the steamer Indiana Saturday night at Grand Haven. The officers attempted to burst in the door with out avail and Capt. Taylor finally ordered an axe and told the officers to cut down the door. Then the fugitive began to threaten. He warned the officers that if they broke down the door he would surely shoot some one. At that remark the crowd which had gathered began to scatter. But the officers would not let up and while one chopped the other stood in front of the door with a leveled gun. Meanwhile the fugitive was continuing his threats. At last the door gave way. The officers were in upon him in a hurry and there was a battle for a few minutes to drag him out. They smashed him with their billies but it never phased Bill. He bent the hand cuffs and twisted the "come alongs" until they were practically useless. It was the hardest fight the officers have had during their term of office, but they subdued their powerful man at last and after some strenuous work they got him to the jail.



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