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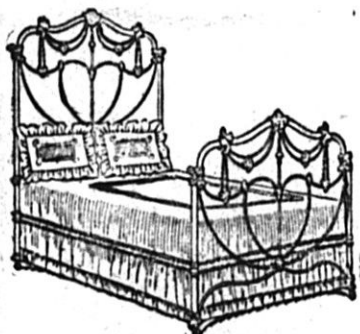
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1908

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showers of handsome things and showers of low prices here now pillar extension tables, library tables in french, colonial or mission designs, couches with solid oak frames, and heavy steel coil springs, elegantly upholstered, brass and iron beds in all the latest styles and color, attractive for the home at the big store with the little price, where you can buy now and pay now and then.



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Four barrels and a box containing the contributions of the Hope church Ladies' Aid society and the local W. C. T. U. were shipped to the Benlah Home for boys at Boyne City Tuesday.

Practically the only business done by the board of supervisors at the meeting in Grand Haven Friday, was the election of the county canvassers, members Cook and Stiles being re-elected and Frank V. Farr of Grand Haven taking the third place on the board.

Milo Palmer of Hamilton, a deaf mute, missed his footing while getting off on interurban car on Eighth street Sunday afternoon and sustained some painful bruises about the shoulders. He was taken into the hotel where a physician was summoned. He soon recovered.

Hereafter pensioners will not have to pay postage on the vouchers they return to the pension department. A government envelope will be enclosed in the voucher envelope, and this will convey the voucher back to the pension agent. The new arrangement will go into effect at the December payment of pensions.

Last week Friday morning a small herd of deer was seen in the vicinity of Nunica. Track of them was soon lost in the shrubbery. It is believed that owing to the forest fires in the northern part of the state, some of the wild animals migrated to the southern part of the state and are roaming about the lake region.—Coopersville Observer.

Little Margaret Riksen the seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ryk Riksen of 27 East Seventh St., was severely burned upon her head, arms and body Friday noon while playing with matches. Cornelius Blokmyer smothered the flames with a blanket and saved the child's life, severely burning his hands in so doing. The little girl was taken to her home where Dr. Cook dressed the burns. Although the wounds are serious the doctor believes that the child will not be disfigured.

Following is the new winter schedule which went into effect Wednesday morning, Oct. 21, on the Grand Rapids, Holland & Chicago Interurban. Leave for Grand Rapids as at present. For the park, cars leave Holland at 5:25, 7:40, 9:40, 11:00 a. m.; 1:40, 3:40, 5:40; 7:35, 9:40, 10:55 p. m. Leave the Park at 6:15, 7:40, 9:40, 11:07, 1:07, 3:07, 5:07, 6:10, 6:15, 7:07, 7:45, 9:10, 10:00 p. m. and for Holland only at 11:30 p. m. Leave Saugatuck for Grand Rapids at 6:35, 8:35, 10:35, a. m.; 12:35, 2:35, 4:35, 6:35, 8:25; for Holland only at 10:50 p. m.

The water in the river between Saugatuck and Allegan was the lowest in years last Saturday a week ago. As the water in the Trobridge dam had been released early in the week in order to make some repairs, the water was consequently high for a while and there was more water than the Allegan dam could hold so it had to be released from the Allegan dam. When the Trobridge dam was repaired it held all the water it could get for a while and the Allegan dam did the same so there was a scant supply below the county seat. Henry Perkins who went up the river with his boat to get Chas. Floyd and the Grand Rapids reporter, Mr. Hunter, could only get as far as the Calkins bridge, so had to drive to Allegan to get his party.

Ottawa county has been getting a touch of the forest fire scare this week. During the past several days fires have started in the big marsh in Robinson and also in the remaining woods of that township, and for several days the farmers in some of the neighborhoods have been fighting the fires night and day. The flames crept so near the home of Sidney Clark on the river road that there was fear for a time that the burning embers would start a blaze in the buildings on the Clark farm but the buildings were finally saved so far as known no buildings have been destroyed. Considerable standing wood and young timber has been burned over and the fire in the township will be quite considerable with danger of further spreading unless rain should come. A fire in the big marsh covers a considerable area and the smoke is being sent into the atmosphere from the burning district gives it an impressive appearance. The residents of Robinson are hoping for the only thing that will relieve the existing condition.

Why Am I a Republican and What Has Made Me a Stronger One?

By B. A. MULDER

This question has been asked of me on several occasions, and my Democratic friends no doubt will smile and say, "Ben is because his father was," or that he is "too black and biased to see the good in any other party." That I am a strong party man I will admit; that the Republican party is not without faults, is also true; the same as no human being is without his weaknesses.

The reason why I am a Republican can be given in a few words.

The Republican party has been a party of progress and of great men, and these great men have been the power that has pushed this country to where it now is—the greatest Republic, and most prosperous nation on the globe, a country respected by all nations.

To be sure, not all our Republican presidents have been equally good;



but when a party produces such men as Lincoln, Grant, Garfield, Harrison, McKinley and Roosevelt, men who have made this nation's history, have made this country great, and have made its people prosperous, that party is good enough for me. To be sure the prosperity has not always been at the same high water mark; but taken on the average, who can deny but that the people as a whole have prospered? Take our little city of Holland for example: In what country besides this can you find better homes occupied and owned by either employee or employer. Look at our savings deposits, the best criterion of our local prosperity. Our three local banks have on deposit in this department \$1,700,341.86. The savings deposits are not the savings of business men, for they need their money in business; it represents the hoardings of the rank and file in a city of eleven thousand.

When was this money saved? During the period of the administration of some other party? Not much.

These are a few of the reasons why I am a Republican, but that which has made me a stronger Republican than ever, "if such is possible," as my Democratic friends would say, is an article written by F. Hopkinson Smith for the Ladies Home Journal of October. As we all know this popular publication is one of the cleanest, and most wholesome of home papers, reliable in what it says because it has the cream of literary ability on its editorial staff. In his article entitled "American Mud" I read among other things the vilification of our great men, mentioned above,—men who although they were Republicans are now representatives of the ideals of all parties and the heritage of a nation. Would it not make a stronger Republican of you, my Republican friend, if the names of Lincoln, Garfield, Grant or McKinley were defamed and assailed by the opposition? Still this has been done again and again, as is seen in Mr. Smith's article in which he refers to mud slinging at great men.

"These attacks," says the writer, "are seldom made on the common man—the man with the hoe or the dinner-pail—but on those whose official positions make it impossible for them to strike back. The man with the hoe could seek out the writer and break his head with its handle, but the man with a name for good breeding and official dignity must continue to suffer in silence."

"The excuse offered by these looters of good men's names, is first, that the whole world is engaged in the same diversion—which is untrue; and second, that their mud will wash off in time—which is true."

"But think of the humiliation while it lasts. Lincoln, sitting alone through the night, his very soul torn with the injustice meted out to him by the very men he was giving his heart's blood to save from annihilation; Grant, his great

spirit crushed and broken by ill-deserved comments on his financial ruins; McKinley, his tender, kindly nature misunderstood, his courage and loyalty denied, his unselfish devotion to the cause of peace and mercy ridiculed and laughed at—and this day after day, while the blood of thousands of men was dependent upon the stroke of his pen.

"The attacks on Mr. Lincoln and General Grant are historical, and can be studied in any one of their biographies."

"The attacks on McKinley will soon be part of the history of our time, but the following editorial from a paper claiming over half a million circulation will give an idea of both the bitterness and the vulgarity of one among many of the assaults. It bears date April 13, 1898, and was written at a time when both Mr. McKinley's mind and body were worn with anxieties, not the least of which was his grave concern over the health of his wife."

"This is the birthday of Thomas Jefferson. Contrast that president of the United States with the present White House inhabitant."

"Jefferson was tall and lean

"McKinley is squat and puffy."

"Jefferson's fine head was set well forward on his shoulders, his neck was long his eyes keen, his mouth and chin firm, his forehead high, his hands long and powerful, his whole build that of a man; his complexion ruddy, his health wonderful even into his old age."

"McKinley's anxious common head is fastened to a short, half-bred, apoplectic neck. His face is sallow, his expression weak, and uncertain, his general aspect that of a biscuit half done. The distance from his head to his heels is far exceeded by the distance round his stomach, and his pudgy little white hands with the soft linings that have never done harder work than shake hands tell of the man made to skimpish for office and then disgrace the office afterward."

"Thomas Jefferson was afraid of nothing. When the votes of a few men in Congress could have kept him from the Presidency he refused to make any deal or to promise anything."

"McKinley is afraid of everything and when he was running for the Presidency he would make any promise to anybody, from a negro delegate down to Hanna."

"A big country like this produces all sorts of animals, from fine race horses to



rats. It produces all kinds of men, unfortunately, from Jeffersons to McKinleys. In spite of all efforts the rats will get into the stable and the McKinleys will get into the White House."

"Old Jefferson, with the sandy hair, is a thing of the past, and McKinley, with the black, greasy head and cringing ways is a thing of the present, and we must make the best of it until 1900."

"The difference in the appearance of the two men is dwelt upon here, because that is interesting. There is no use in attempting any comparison between the men mentally. As well compare the mental qualities and the instincts of a wheezy pug-dog and a wolf-hound."

This much for the president whose delay in signing the declaration of war between the United States and Spain saved the lives of thousands of our soldiers, bringing it to a speedy close after we were prepared to fight. This much for the man who has been a martyr in his country's cause. Mr. Smith says further in reference to President Roosevelt:

"Within the past year the nozzle of Squirt (his hands were too small for this last job) has been turned in the direction of another president of the United States. This one grew up in our midst. From boyhood down to the present hour he has been known to be absolutely honest, absolutely truthful and absolutely fearless. His official record for the past twenty-three years shows only the patriot in the broadest sense. He neither truckles, cringes, equivocates, excuses nor argues; he strikes straight from the shoulder. What is right is right and what is wrong is wrong! And that ends it."

"Back of this virile force is a virile brain. He thinks quickly, acts quickly, and stays put. Up to the time he got the heel of justice on the corn of corruption the only sounds heard were of praise."

"The highest type of American Manhood."

"A man of courage and conviction—'The peacemaker of the world'—'Eternity will rise up and bless him.'"

"Then as the pain increased, there began the squirming and yelling; and then came the mud."

After reading these articles I was very much impressed and it happened to dawn upon my mind that we have had in our peaceful Holland a record of vilifications of great men, and among others no less a man than President Roosevelt.

He was not a president then, no,

even a vice-president. Nevertheless he was a great man, having been governor of New York and nominated as Vice president on the Republican ticket, the running mate of William McKinley.

It was on the 8th of September, 1900, that this distinguished visitor was with us. We all remember it well. The mammoth meeting was held in Centennial Park. Roosevelt was introduced by Dr. G. J. Kollen, president of Hope College. Nothing occurred seemingly to mar the exercises of the day, until up loomed a little hand-bill. (I still have one of them in my possession.) This little hand-bill was spread broad cast throughout that vast audience, and in some deft way one was also handed to Mr. Roosevelt.

What did that circular contain? It contained that which has made me a stronger Republican than ever I was before. It contained "American Mud" as Mr. Smith would label it. This is what it said:

"Volunteer Soldiers—Don't fail to hear the man who captured San Juan Hill, and in his official report, for which he was retired by Gen. Alger, said that each rough rider was equal to three of any of you."

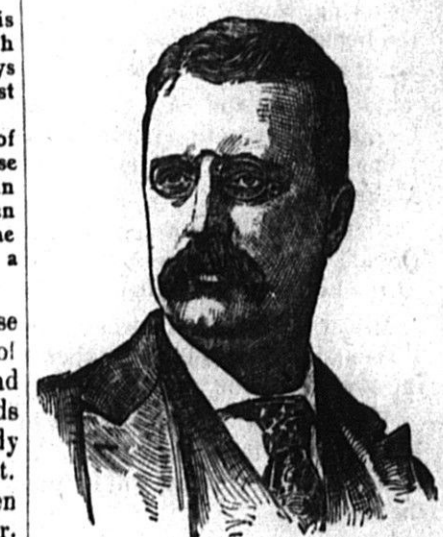
"Farmers and mechanics of Holland and vicinity—Don't fail to see this great man with his cowboy hat, who in his book published in 1898, page 505, says you this handsome compliment: 'When drunk on the villainous whiskey of the frontier towns, the cowboys are much better fellows and pleasanter companions than the small farmers or laborers; nor are the mechanics of the great cities to be mentioned in the same breath.'"

"Democrats and Republicans—Do not fail to hear this great exponent of imperialism and high-minded statesmanship who in his recent St. Paul speech will tell you every Democrat stands for lawlessness and disaster at home, cowardice and dishonor abroad. This will amuse Democrats and disgust decent Republicans."

"Hollanders—Hear this hero who boasts that he shot a man in the back. He will appeal to your vanity by telling you that you are the most wonderful people in the world, expecting this silly taffy to offset his party's cruel indifference to the crushing of the liberties of your South African brothers."

What further can I say? I leave this to Mr. Smith who greatly improves on anything I might or could express, when he says:

"But the Mills of the Gods still continue to grind. There are men now alive whose names can be found in forgotten newspapers, who vilified Abraham Lincoln. What must their thoughts be when they realize the injustice they have done his memory? What must their remorse be when they consider that many of the shafts which perhaps sank deepest into his noble breast were of their own fashioning? And there are those among us



now who will live to see the day when they will want to cover their faces in shame for the attacks they are making on men who are the Republic's noblest heritage."

The Holland fair directors held a meeting at the Holland City News office Monday afternoon to wind up the financial end of the fair, to pass on the various bills and to close the books for the year. The report of the treasurer showed that \$852 had been paid out by the association for premiums. This is the largest sum ever paid out for premiums by the association. There were only two days of the fair in which the gate receipts could be considered satisfactory. In these two days there were 7,498 paid admissions and the total receipts of the association were approximately \$2,000, not including the concessions. The report showed that after all expenses had been paid the association was still ahead of the game financially. During the year \$300 was spent on permanent improvements. One of the important actions taken by the association was to set the date much earlier for next year.



Zeeland

G. Lage was in Holland on business Friday.

Peter Van Wingen is building a fine new house on his farm.

Mrs. D. P. DeJong went to Holland to visit friends Thursday.

Johanna J. Heyhoer is spending a week with Mrs. Hockstable.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Veneklassen were in Grand Rapids Thursday.

Anna Heyboer is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Heyboer.

A. Schipper of Grand Rapids is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Schipper.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brinks on McKinley street—a daughter.

G. Posthumus, the tombstone dealer of Holland was in town Monday on business.

Bertha Ten Hope of Holland visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. DeGroot Thursday.

Mrs. M. Lookes has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Kalamazoo.

While playing at school last week Carl Schermer of Vriesland accidentally broke his arm. Principal Albert DeBoer took the little fellow home.

Rev. J. P. DeJong, P. Ossewaarde, Wm. Kamperman, Anne Ossewaarde, Anna Benjamin and John Schipper attended the Sabbath school convention at Grand Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Colgrove of the Rescue Mission of Kalamazoo visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. De Pree. Mr. and Mrs. Colgrove came to attend a farewell for the children of Dr. C. K. Lahuis, who left for New Mexico this week.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Tannis at Drenthe Wednesday afternoon when their son Benjamin Tannis was united in marriage to Miss Maggie Seinen. Many guests were present. Rev. Van Vessem performed the ceremony. They will make their future home near South Drenthe.

Mrs. S. Bussard of Pullman was in this city today to visit her children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Northuis Thursday.

James Veneklassen was in Benton Harbor on business Thursday.

A wedding took place Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Alderink on McKinley street when their daughter Bertha was united in marriage to Albert Renink a printer of Holland. Only a few relatives were present. Rev. R. L. Haan of Holland performed the ceremony.

Henry DeKruif has returned from Levering, Mich., after visiting at the home of his brother, Wm. De Kruif the hardware dealer.

A. Teunis and A. Jonker of Grand Rapids were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Jonker Monday.

Richard Schilleman and his son Donald of Holland spent Monday at the home of C. Schilleman.

Mrs. J. P. DeJong returned from Roseland, Ill. Tuesday after spending a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Jager expect to leave shortly for Washington. C. Barendse of Beaverdam will occupy the farm.

East Saugatuck

Ben Bouman of Chicago is the guest of relatives here.

Mrs. A. Deur of Holland visited her parents here last Friday.

Miss Hattie Brink is in Holland with her sister Mrs. H. Van Huis.

Gerrit Weagerink and girl friend of Holland spent Sunday with his parents.

Leonard Brink and Miss T. Molenaar were united in marriage last Thursday. They will live on G. Brink's farm.

Mrs. T. Brink and daughter Gertrude were in Grand Rapids last Sunday.

Gerrit Glupker and Miss Reka Zoerhof were united in marriage in Allegan last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenters from Holland were the guests of C. P. Zwemmer and family Thursday.

Arzeenus Devries of Grand Rapids was the guest of his sister Mrs. J. Vork and family over Sunday.

Mrs. Y. Hartger and child of Grand Rapids are the guests of the former's sister Mrs. G. Schrotenboer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Schutt and

child of Grand Rapids are the guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Sebelink.

Mr. and Mrs. Reberg of New Richmond left for Chicago Saturday where they will reside. Mrs. Reberg formerly was Miss Martha Brink of this place.

Overisel

The Overisel Creamery has been open only four days a week, owing to repairs.

John Nykerk and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Kortering.

Miss Fanny Knoiker, who is a student at Hope College was home Sunday.

Invitations are out announcing the wedding of Miss Trude Brower to John Van Melle of Hamilton.

Rev. and Mrs. Dangremond of Newark, N. Y., have been visiting relatives here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman were in Grand Haven last Tuesday to attend the Sunday School Convention.

Last Saturday, Mr. John Eterbeck and family, moved to Zeeland where they expect to make their future home.

Miss D. Beltem was in Allegan last Thursday and Friday.

East Holland

Mrs. John Terpstra has returned from a brief visit with her daughter in Kalamazoo.

John Stegenhuis is at present employed at H. Terpstra's.

Messrs. William Thiel, Simon and George Sluyter and John Rooks were delightfully entertained at the home of Peter Prins Thursday evening.

Miss Allie Dyk is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Leonard Terpstra was here Sunday.

Miss Minnie Mulder gave a farewell party Wednesday evening. A large crowd was present and all reported a most pleasant time. She will leave this week for Plainwell.

Hamilton

Frank Helmer and his two daughters of Diamond Springs were visitors at the home of William Burnett in this village last Sunday.

Several members of the Woman's Relief Corp of this village, visited the Allegan Corp recently.

Dr. Cook a dentist of Grand Rapids was a visitor here Saturday.

An assault and battery case between Mr. O'Connor and Mr. Lemoin was tried before Justice Dalton last Saturday when the former was found guilty. Hoffman and Montague of Allegan tried the case and the former won.

John Kolvoord, jr., of this village, recently married, will move into the Miskotten house near the railroad track.

Arrangements are being made this week to secure good speakers for a series of lectures to be given here this winter and John Kolvoord, Jr. is chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Drenten of near this village, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kuhlman and family in Holland last Sunday.

Simon Hellenenthal is still studying law in Ann Arbor. He will return home next month.

The brick yard of Veneklassen, in this village was shut down this week.

Master John Karsten of near this village will spend the winter at the home of John Teusink and will attend the school near that place.

John Wentzel visited relatives in Vriesland over Sunday.

Jacob Oosterhouse, was kicked on the knee by a wild western animal, causing a very lame leg. He expects to be about in a few days.

Holland Markets.

Prices Paid to Farmers.

PRODUCE.	
Butter, dairy per lb.	24
" Creamery per lb.	28
Eggs, per doz.	23
Potatoes, per bu. new	55
BEEF, PORK, ETC.	
Chickens, live per lb.	8
" spring per lb.	10
Lard	11
Pork, dressed, per lb.	8
Lamb	10
Mutton, dressed	7
Beef	5-6
GRAIN.	
Wheat	95
Oats, white choice	52
Rye	67
Corn, Bus.	83
Barley	130
FLOUR AND FEED	
Price to consumers.	
"Little Wonder" flour, per barrel	5.85
Ground Feed 180 per hundred, 35.00 per ton	
Corn Meal, unbolted, 1.75 per hundred, 33.00 per ton	
Corn Meal, bolted per barrel	4.80
Middlings 1.53 per hundred	28
Bran per 145 hundred,	26

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Below is a partial list of the places we offer for sale or exchange. In asking for further information on any of these please mention the number, or call at our office where we will be glad to give you any information you want regarding the below described property, or any other we have for sale.

No. 21	117 A. located about 4 miles south from Coopersville, 1-2 mile from a church and school. Good roads, soil a gravelly clay loam, excellent buildings, 12 A. hard maple timber, 6 A. orchard. Price.....	\$6000.00
No. 55	82 A. 3-4 miles from East Saugatuck, 3-4 mile from interurban line, good buildings all in first class shape, about 14 A. all kinds of fruit, balance of soil adapted to raising all kinds of crops. Price.....	\$6700.00
No. 59	80 A. 6 miles north from Holland, all black sandy loam, near a church, school and creamery, good buildings, also silo, will take some city property in exchange. Price.....	\$5000.00
No. 61	25 A. south of Fennville, good sandy loam, also 5 A. muck, good buildings, steel windmill, all this years crops, also stock and tools. This is a bargain at.....	\$2150.00
No. 69	320 A. about 135 miles north from Grand Rapids, good soil gently rolling, some improvements, some buildings, partly fenced. Will take city property in exchange, or sell with \$400.00 down, balance at 6 per cent..	\$3200.00
No. 80	40 A. good land, about 6 miles from Allegan good buildings, some orchards, all stock, tools and crops with this place.....	3700.00
No. 81	80 A. fine gravelly clay loam, 2 1-2 ml. from Allegan, good large buildings, silo etc., will take \$800 down and balance at 6 per cent long time.....	\$6200.00
No. 82	80 A. 2 miles from Allegan, fair house and barn, some clay loam, some good sandy soil, will take \$500 down, balance at 6 per cent long time.....	\$3700.00
No. 83	400 A. on Kalamazoo River near Allegan, some fine river bottom, balance tillable, and will raise good crops, two sets of small buildings in fair shape, will sell with \$500 down and balance at 6 per cent.....	\$6000.00
No. 86	40 A. 1-2 miles from Fennville, sandy loam all fenced, no buildings, plenty of timber for wood. Will sell on easy terms, or take city property in exchange.....	\$800.00
No. 88	160 A. 3 miles East of West Olive, good and large buildings, all improved except 60 acres which is heavy green timber. Will take cheap house as part payment.....	\$8,000.00
No. 90	One of the finest 160 A. farms near Fillmore Centre, fine large buildings, up-to-date out buildings, etc. Very good soil. Will sell crops, stock and tools with it at a reasonable figure..	\$10,700.00
No. 97	33 A. near New Richmond, gently rolling clay, new house, fair barn, good orchard of about 900 trees, good water supplied by mill.....	\$2500.00
No. 99	60 A. 3 miles from Holland, fair buildings, soil a sandy loam, nearly level, fairly fenced, some fruit.....	\$3,000.00
No. 02	80 acres in Allendale township, fenced around, 30 acres under cultivation (no buildings) will take \$400 down balance at 6 percent or also trade for city property.....	\$1600.00
No. 106	120 acres, good sandy loam, with good buildings, near Nunica, close to Muskegon interurban, will trade for city property.....	\$5000.00
No. 107	80 acres 1 1/2 miles from Nunica, sandy loam, all under cultivation some fruit, good fences, and buildings....	\$3200.00
No. 112	80 acres with good buildings near the North Holland church, soil good clay loam gently rolling.....	\$7200.00
No. 116	80 acres, 8 miles north from Holland good barn, small house, 30 acres cleared, balance brush and wood, \$1000 cash balance time.....	\$2400.00
No. 119	20 acres, good sandy loam, with fair buildings, about 4 miles south of Holland, will sell on easy terms.....	\$1800.00
No. 123	40 acres in Blendon township, all under cultivation good fences small buildings, \$750 cash, balance six per cent.....	\$1750.00
No. 124	120 acres, 2 miles from West Olive, with good buildings, land all improved and everything in good shape. Will trade for city property, or sell on easy terms.....	\$3200.00
No. 126	33 acres of good garden soil, about 4 1/2 miles from city, no buildings, will trade for city property, or sell with \$200 down, balance time.....	\$1250.00
No. 129	80 acres about 7 miles north from city, good buildings, all improved, except 20 acres.....	2400.00
No. 136	40 acres in Antrim county, fine settled country, good new house, fair barn, good gravelly clay loam, 25 acres under cultivation plenty of wood for fire. Will trade for city property, or sell on easy terms.....	1400.00
No. 137	40 acres about 2 1/2 miles northeast of city, black sandy loam, good buildings fences, etc., will trade for cheap house as part payment.....	\$2400.00
No. 138	130 acres, 7 miles south of Holland, will sell whole 130, or 90 or 50 acres good soil, large barns, fair house, will sell on easy terms to right party. Prices will differ to the amount of land wanted.....	
No. 141	65 acres on interurban line between Holland and Saugatuck, New house small barn, good young peach orchard also an older orchard. Will trade for city property or sell on easy terms..	\$3000.00
No. 142	80 acres, 3 miles from Holland, on fine gravel road, good buildings, good sandy loam, will sell with all stock, tools, crops, etc.	\$5200.00
No. 148	160 acres, near the Rusk church, good large buildings which are good as new, about 75 acres under cultivation, plenty of wood for home use, good black sand loam, will also sell stock and tools, etc. reasonable. This is a bargain at \$4500 only \$1500 cash balance at 6 per cent.	

If this list does not give you what you want give us call and let us know what you are looking for, possibly we can fill the bill.

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Attention is called to the rapid progress being made by Supt. DeYoung and his men in the work at the city lighting plant by the action of the board of public works at its Monday night meeting, when the payment of \$6,192 to the Allis-Chalmers company was authorized. By the terms of the contract made with the big Milwaukee machinery firm, a third of the cost price of the new equipment must be paid upon delivery, another third within 30 days, and the balance of the \$18,577 within a month after the plant has been tested satisfactorily.

As a matter of fact, the new unit power plant and dynamo, which will almost double the present electrical capacity of the city station, has been here for some time, and the work of setting up has begun. Putting in the foundations for the heavy turbine was a big job, but it was finished successfully last week, concrete abutments which will nullify all vibration being run down a considerable distance. The task of setting up the unit is a long one, and Supt. DeYoung has had seven men at work. The Allis-Chalmers company is represented by one of its engineering experts, and when the work of remodeling the switchboard begins, several other workmen will come from Milwaukee. The switchboard must be greatly enlarged and shifted, a task of considerable delicacy when the rest of the plant is running at full capacity and delivering current to the local consumers.

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Woman's Literary Club

The Woman's Literary club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. A. Damer, 47 East Fourteenth street. There was a large attendance. Responses to roll call were current events, a favorite topic for roll call with the members of the club and as usual there were a large number of interesting responses.

The first paper of the afternoon was an interesting sketch of Alfred the Great, by Mrs. E. J. Blekkink. Alfred was the son of Ethelwolf and succeeded to the throne of early Britain in 872. It is said by historians that few monarchs at any time have shown more zeal for the instruction of their people or have done more for the independence of the country.

Two other papers which brought out much interesting discussion were on St. Dunstan and the Danish king, Canute. The paper on St. Dunstan was prepared by Mrs. Thomson and read by Mrs. Dregman. The paper on Canute was prepared and read by Mrs. Medes. The musical number of the program was the old English Air "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes" arranged for ladies' trio and sung by Mrs. J. Oostema Miss Yates and Mrs. J. A. Vanderveen.

Century Club

The Century club was entertained Monday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Kremers on West Fourteenth street. Some 60 members and visitors were present. The rooms were decorated with smilax and white chrysanthemums. The program was an interesting one and opened with a vocal duet by Mrs. G. W. Van Verst and Prof. J. B. Nykerk, who sang "Etudiantina" accompanied by Mrs. Kremers. Prof. H. R. Brush told interestingly of a summer spent in France, "a country," says Prof. Brush, "where civic improvement has made great strides, where a river is made beautiful in every possible way instead of being lined with unsightly warehouses and half-rotten wharves and running with slime like most of our American rivers. Such things as forest fires are unknown in France," says Prof. Brush, "as the trees are given most careful protection and the peasant takes as much pride in his trees as in his garden."

Prof. Nykerk sang, "A Little Irish Girl," very effectively after which President Kleinhekel introduced Miss Stafford of Chicago, who is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Mersen and who read a delightful October budget, the sentiment of which was in-

spired by a week spent in the Waukegan woods.

Another duet by Mrs. Van Verst and Prof. Nykerk "The Passage Birds Farewell" closed the program.

Refreshments were served by the Mesdames O. E. Yates, W. H. Beach, R. H. Post and B. B. Godfrey.

Young People's Societies Meet

The Union meeting of Young People's societies held in the First Reformed church Monday evening was largely attended. About 300 young people, representing the C. E. societies of the First, Hope, Third, and Fourth Reformed churches and the Epworth league of the M. E. church of this city and the First and Second Reformed churches, of Zeeland, were present. The C. E. society of Hope church had the banner attendance at the meeting, 95 being present; Rev. J. M. Vander Meulen gave an interesting address of the work of the social committee and Rev. J. Alexander Brown of Grand Rapids also gave an able talk. Vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. J. Oostema and Miss Melva Moordyke.

The various committees reported and James Veneklasen of Zeeland was elected delegate to the state C. E. convention to be held at Kalamazoo November 5, 6, 7, and 8. After the meeting a social hour was enjoyed and punch and wafers were served. Rev. A. L. Warnshuis offered to present a banner to the society raising the largest sum for missions during the coming year.

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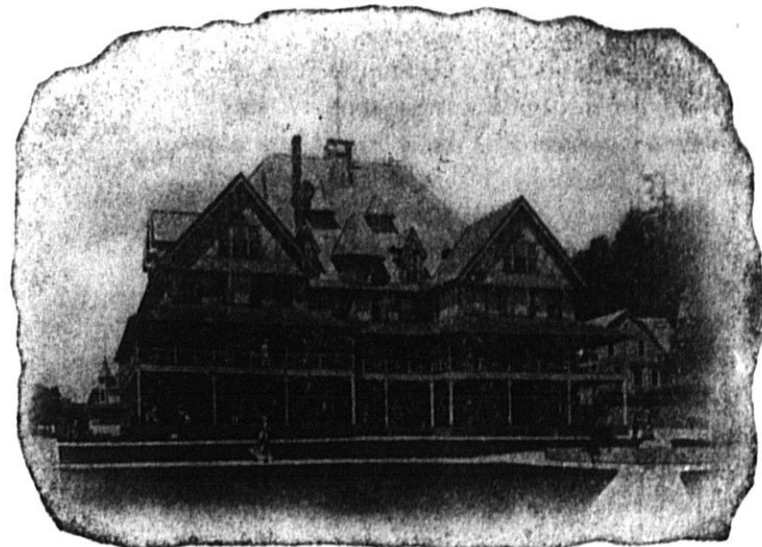
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Mr. Hemans and the Golden Rule

Mr. Hemans, the Democratic candidate for governor, is seeking to persuade the Republicans of Michigan that liberality should be exercised toward him, that partisanship should be put aside and that they should forget party lines so far as he is concerned. But it is worthy of notice that Mr. Hemans is pleading for votes for Bryan as against Taft, that he is denouncing every plank of the Republican national platform and is urging the adoption of all of Mr. Bryan's peculiar purposes. Mr. Hemans is doing his best to secure the election of Democratic state and county candidates, and it is not on record that he ever exercised the generosity towards any Republican candidate that he is now demanding in his own behalf. There is not a Republican in Michigan who does not know that the interests of our state and the interests of the community in which he lives will be better preserved through an unquestioned Republican's victory, including Mr. Hemans' opponent on the Republican ticket.

Bryan and A Republican Senate

There are some who fancy that the election of Bryan would be merely a halt in which neither party would have full control of the government, and that this would be a restful period for the country. How little the persons who hold this view have considered the practical features of such a situation, and Bryan's qualities as an agitator. Recently he was questioned as to what he could do as president with a Republican Senate to reckon with and he replied at some length in a speech at Buffalo. He said he could make a beginning by presenting measures of tariff reform, for the regulation of corporations and railroads, for the guarantee of bank deposits, for declaring the ultimate independence of the Filipino, and for setting in motion all that is in-

cluded in the Denver platform. One of the things in that platform is greenbacks as emergency currency; though Mr. Bryan was careful not to give this fact particular mention. He is a free trader, and there is not the slightest doubt that he would show it in his tariff proceedings. His messages, all marked by his personal and party bias, would be incessant according to his rash habit with the issues he takes up from time to time.

A president has extensive powers of his own and weighty methods of influencing even an opposition Congress. After March 4 next Mr. Bryan would call Congress in extra session and it is probable that, along with his election, the House would be Democratic. His vast resources in patronage would be applied to break down what remained of Republican control and to hasten the day when all departments of the government would be Democratic. He said at Buffalo: "It is reasonable to assume that the Republicans in the Senate will recognize the force of public opinion and see the folly of putting themselves in opposition to the deliberate judgment of voters." A Republican Senate under Bryan would be on the defensive at every point from the moment of Bryan's inauguration. He would treat it as a body repudiated by the people and lagging superfluous on the stage. His messages would be planned to discredit it with the country, and he would adroitly try to saddle upon it the responsibility for his own mistakes and failures. Whatever went wrong, his ready excuse would be that the Republican Senate crippled his policies and that all would be as rosy as his accustomed promises if his party had full power to act.

Diplomacy in Every Day Life

Those who are active in public life, who deal with men at close range, and who do things, are apt to be diplomatic. Success is often measured by ability to handle men in a sane way. Therefore we do not expect much else but diplomacy from one who has occasion to hew his own pathway to success in business, in politics or in any of the professions. But there are occasions in private life which call for the exercise of tact in dealing even with an individual. Whatever our personal opinions may be we should so conduct our conversations and actions as to give offence in no way to those with whom we deal, whether in social or business intercourse.

In this connection we are reminded of a conversation recently overheard in the office of one of Holland's business men. Two young men were discussing the merits of a prominent newspaper man who has upon considerable distinction by his clever portrayal of men and events in a humorous style. One was endeavoring to uphold his merits, the other sought to tear them to pieces, as is often the case when the work of a person known to the public is discussed. The one who could see nothing in this man's favor was not content to malign his work but resorted to attacks upon his character and even to abuse of the young man, who in a polite way, differed with him.

To support his argument the second youth said: "but you must admit that there is a certain point to his poetry and that it is very well written." The other contemptuously sniffed and said, "if you had ever studied the classics you would know better than to call such trash poetry," insinuating that to call it such was nothing less than ignorance. What the first young man did mean was that the writers verse was well written. It deeply injured him to have his error so brazenly disclosed.

Those who heard the conversation and witnessed this display of pedantry could scarcely forbear from passing remarks after the young man had left the building which were in no way creditable to the speaker. He was a person sufficiently educated to know that "true art is to conceal art." He should not have made a show of

his learning at the expense of another.

We meet such people every day. They are always ready to say harsh, unkind, and even untrue things, derogatory to those upon whom the people have placed the stamp of approval. They never hesitate to take advantage of the mistakes of others and make use of such opportunities to advance themselves. How well they succeed everyone knows. We see them on every street corner and sad to say too often in higher life. People like this should learn to avoid being too positive in their views. They should learn to know that to treat a man like a man they must be manly.

The way to lose a job and shut up the shop is to vote for Bryan. He is the storm center of public and business distrust.

The International Reform bureau is talking of making Mr. Roosevelt "president of the world." That's all right, but what's the platform to be?

Judging from the rocks he throws Gov. Haskell has fallen back upon the Rockies. At all events he has struck a rocky road.

"Rats no longer are worn in the hair" says a woman's magazine. No they seem to have been supplanted by those little rows of mice.

In St. Petersburg "400 students have been arrested for riot." In this country we should call it only the decorous and traditional observance of, maybe, an athletic victory.

Well, it's good to see the "quarter back run" and "ten yards through the center" and dislocated collarbones in the sporting pages again, anyway

Col. Henry Watterson is fearful of another civil war as the result of continued Republican supremacy. In his perusal of the book of fate the colonel has evidently reached the smeared yellow leaf.

The election of Taft will give an impulse to all new enterprises; the election of Bryan would be a hold-up of business, perhaps for years. What good seaman fails to slow up in a fog?

Mr. Taft may not be confidently looking for electoral votes in his Southern tour, but he is a man who would value a friendly feeling and clear headed politics in any part of Uncle Sam's domain.

It is said that the organization of which Mr. Gompers is the official head contains, by count, 700,000 voters but the claim that it votes automatically when Mr. Gompers touches the button is not credited by the American people.

When the Hope College Bryan Club sang that wonderfully original song "For Sweet will go to Congress Just the Same," even Sweet became embarrassed. The boys in appropriating this song doubtless were living up to the Omar Khayyam, "Ah, fill me with the old familiar juice."

Henry Rottschaefer Objects

In spite of the Democratic demonstrations Saturday night, a good number of citizens found time to attend the Socialist lecture at Macabee Hall. And with due consideration for the abilities of Mr. Hemans, we make bold to say that whoever missed the lecture of Prof. Bohn, missed a very great deal. And this is not a feather in the cap of Socialism either.

The success or rather the notoriety element of it was furnished, not by the speaker, but by the audience. In the course of his remarks Prof. Bohn made the statement that Christianity had been an absolute failure in solving the economic problems of the world. Instantly Prof. John Dice Maclaren of Hope College took issue with him, and the two held a rapid fire debate that lasted for some twenty minutes. Prof. Maclaren had rather the best of the argument, and Prof. Bohn qualified his statement by saying that the methods of Christianity were inadequate to remedy present-day evils. The discussion was afterwards taken up by other members of the audience who championed the economic principles as enunciated by Jesus Christ and their bearing on present day problems.

One of the speakers, in attempt to show that the church helps the poor,

asked "Who of you Socialists will dig down into his pocket and give a dollar to his poor brother?" It was evidently a rhetorical question, but one enthusiast in the back of the hall took it literally and shambled over several rows of chairs to hand a silver dollar to the speaker.

But Henry Rottschaefer, a member of the Senior class of Hope college, succeeded in putting a climax even on top of this series of climaxes. When the speech was finished and the others had had their say, he arose and asked Prof. Bohn if the speech was meant as an argument.

"No, rather an exposition of Socialism," said Mr. Bohn. "On account of the many interruptions I was compelled to compress the argument into a short paragraph."

"Well," said Rottschaefer, unabashed, "I'm glad it was compressed, because there was hot air enough already as it was. I was greatly disappointed in the speech and it was not what I was looking for from a man of your supposed calibre."

He then went on to state the faults he found with the lecture. The objections were very well taken and showed that Mr. Rottschaefer had a grasp of the subject such as few older men have. Prof. Bohn took Rottschaefer's address and said he wished to correspond with him on the subject.

WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER

35 Years ago To-day.

The Republicans of this city met pursuant to notice at the common council room Tuesday evening Oct. 14th to elect delegates to attend the county convention which was held at Grand Haven Oct 16th. The following named gentlemen were duly elected as such delegates. For the city at large E. J. Harrington, Henry D. Post, and S. L. Morris. For the 1st ward, John Roost; 2nd ward, Geo. Lauder; 3rd ward, R. K. Heald, 4th ward, G. H. Sipp. Power was granted such portion of the delegation as would attend the county convention to cost the entire vote for this city.

WHAT YOU SAW 30 YEARS AGO

Sheriff Verplanke successfully followed up and captured two men, named Charles and Lewis Gillette, who are charged with stealing a buggy, lap-robe and single harness. He traced them to Chagrin Falls, Ohio, took them and a rived with them in Grand Haven on Thursday of last week. The stolen property belonged to a farmer in Jamestown, this county.

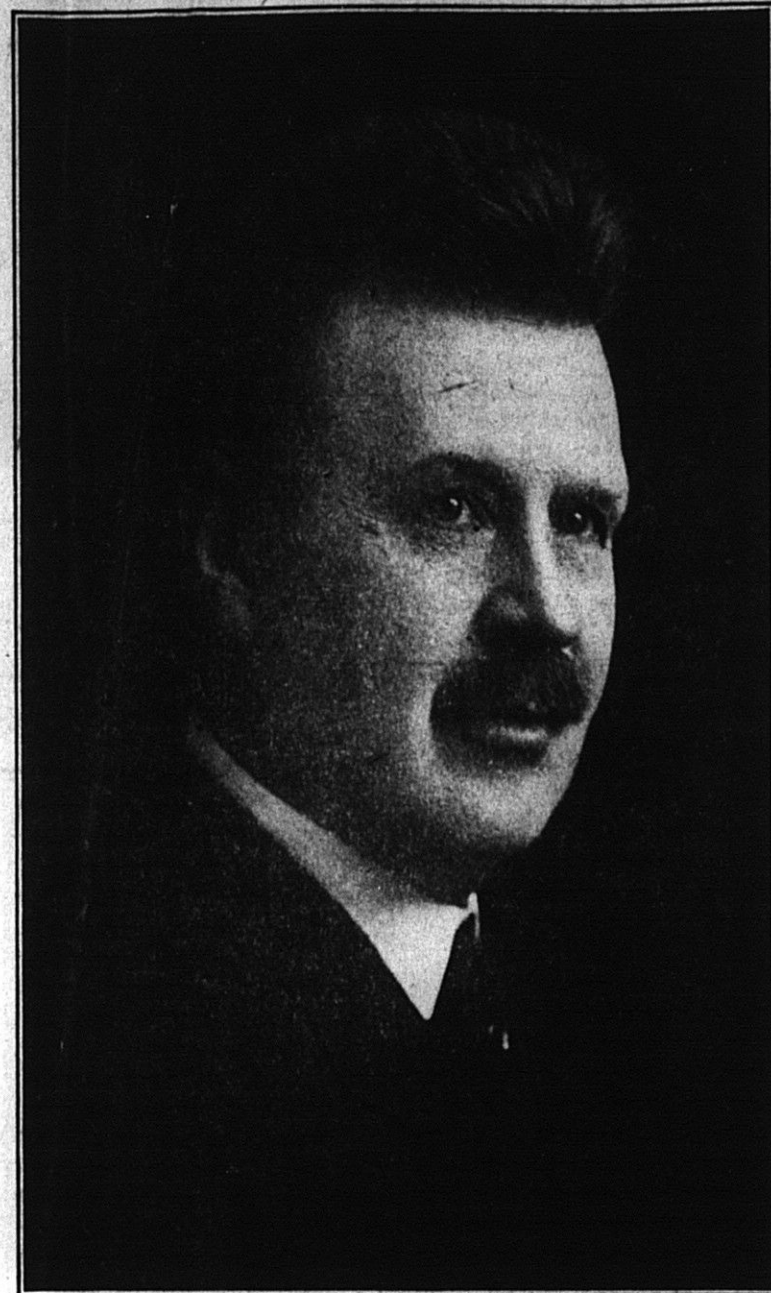
As we announced in our last issue Rev. Daniel Van Pelt preached in the 2nd Reformed Church on Sunday last to a large congregation. As far as we have been able to ascertain he has made a very favorable impression personally, and the doctrine advocated by his sermons proves Rutgers College to be as sound as the strictest orthodox could wish. Rev. H. Uiterwyk commenced his services in the English language on Sunday evening last to a vast audience. He was beautifully supported by a large choir. These services bid fair to become popular, and may eventually lead to more strenuous efforts from Hope church. Why can't Hope Church have a good large choir. She contains some of the best talent in this city, and if organized on a basis of outliving a long vacation, could be made one of the best choirs in the County.

WHAT YOU SAW 25 YEARS AGO

The "line men" will be in this city next Thursday for the purpose of putting in the telephones and running the lines for the telephone exchange for our place. All who desire telephones should take them then as there will be no extra charge for putting in the instrument. It is expected that the Holland exchange will start up with about twenty "phones." This is a pretty good start and we hope soon to see them in every prominent place of business in our city.

ZEELAND ITEMS

One of the most notable social events of this season was the marriage reception of Dr. T. G. Huizinga to Miss Henrietta De Pree, both of this place, on Thursday evening, October 18. At eight o'clock the guests began to assemble at the capacious residence of Mr. John De Pree, brother of the bride, and in a short time nearly two hundred people were present. Rev. Peter De Pree, of Grand Rapids, opened with prayer and then proceeded to join the happy couple in the holy bonds of matrimony. After the ceremony a prayer was offered by Rev. James DePree of East Orange, Iowa, which was followed by a toast by Rev. J. Kremers, of this village. The congratulations of the company were then extended. As the bountiful repast was being enjoyed by those present they were startled by the sweet strains of music which broke in upon them, furnished by the Zeeland Cornet Band, and with all the choice eatables and fine music a



Congressman Diekema of the Fifth Michigan District is the peer of any member of the House of equal service in that body. Courageous, and ever on the alert to defend the best interests of his constituents. On his entry into Congress he took hold of momentous questions before the country and handled them with the skill of a statesman that surprised his most enthusiastic admirers. With the experience he has had in the House he is able to represent his district intelligently, and conserve the best interest of his people. All hail, Diekema—Cedar Springs Clipper.

most enjoyable evening was spent. The presents received by the newly married couple were numerous and some of them were very costly. At twelve o'clock the guests departed, wishing the happy pair a prosperous journey through life. That their blessings in wedded life may be many is the sincere wish of your correspondent.

WHAT YOU SAW 20 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Clorind Hudson, wife of Homer E. Hudson of Hudsonville, departed this life at the residence in this city of her son, Homer Hudson, a well known citizen, on the 18th inst. at the age of 59. Her death occurred on the 40th anniversary of their marriage. Her parents were Daniel and Statia Burt, two of the earliest pioneers of Ohio, the state in which she was born. Mr. Hudson came here to reside in 1846 and brought his bride in 1848. In 1850 they removed into the Holland colony just outside of the now city of Holland, and there started the first nursery in Ottawa county. Many of the Hollanders, even then, were living in huts covered with hemlock boughs or with blankets. It was a time of general privation among them. Strangers, to our language, customs and country, almost their only means of communication with us was by Mr. and Mrs. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Post and the missionary and employees of the mission among the Ottawa Indians. Her womanly kindness, tenderness and benevolence was then continually appealed to on every side by the distress of those victims of religious persecution driven forth into the forests of the new world in the nineteenth century by intolerable religions, bigotry, and persecutions. These calls though numerous and onerous were never unheeded. The remembrance of her ministrations of mercy and charity among those Dutch pioneers are yet held by the survivors in grateful remembrance.

WHAT YOU SAW 15 YEARS AGO

The "Holland Furniture Company" is the name under which the new furniture factory of this city will hereafter be operated. The articles were drawn up Saturday, and signed by the following stockholders: Jacob G. Van Patten, Albert H. Meyer, John Vander Veen, G. Van Ark, H. Van Ark, Albert Kolvoord, Wm. Ten Hagen, Edward Vaupell, Derk J. TeRoller, Wm. Vanden Berg, M. Notier, J. Verschure, all of Holland, city and town; R. Veneklassen, of Zeeland; B. D. Keppel, of Grand Haven; and N. Knooihuizen, of Sheridan. A board of directors was chosen which includes H. Van Ark, R. Veneklassen, A. H. Meyer, J. G. Van Patten, J. Vander Veen, Ed. Vaupell, A. Kolvoord. The authorized capital of the company is \$50,000; amount subscribed at present \$32,000. The contract for the factory building, dry kiln and engine house was closed with Messrs. Van Ark and Strovenjans, for \$10,000. The construction of the buildings is

WHAT YOU SAW 10 YEARS AGO

The city council of Grand Rapids, on Monday evening, by a vote of 13 to 19, passed the Interurban ordinance so called. This is the ordinance granting a franchise for the proposed electric line from Grand Rapids to Macatawa Park. As passed, however the ordinance is not acceptable to Mr. Wm. T. Van Hess and his associates, the projectors of the road, it containing a provision that the interurban road shall terminate at the intersection on Grandville avenue, up to which point the Grand Rapids street car company known as the Consolidated Company, has been or will be authorized to extend its tracks.

Relief for Northern Fire Sufferers

The committee appointed by the Mayor to solicit, receive and forward aid for the relief of the sufferers from the forest fires in the northern part of the State, would inform the public of this city and vicinity that supplies of any and all kinds can be left at the flower store of C. S. Dutton, Central Avenue frontage, where they will be received and forwarded with the least possible delay.

Contributions of all kinds—furniture, clothing, bedding, shoes, in fact anything except perishable articles, will be gratefully accepted.

All supplies will be forwarded by the Pere Marquette R. R. to Grand Rapids, at which point carloads are made up and sent on to Alpena, for distribution to the various points of suffering, under direction of Mr. J. D. Hawks, Pres. of Detroit and Mackinaw R. R.

The soliciting of cash subscriptions will be postponed for one or more days, in order to enable us to become more fully acquainted with the extent to which our aid will be needed.

The committee intends to canvass the city for this purpose and solicit individual subscriptions.

In due season proper acknowledgment will be made of all contributions.

The receiving depot on Central Ave. will be in charge of W. H. Vande Water, and open from 8 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m.

G. Van Schelven,
Henry Geerlings,
D. R. Drukker,
Committee

Holland, Mich., Oct. 22, 1908.

LOST—A string of gold beads was lost in Holland yesterday afternoon. Finder please return to Holland City News office and receive reward.

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IN SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Harris are visiting in New York City.

Frank Thurber of Escanaba is visiting his mother, Mrs. L. M. Thurber.

Rev. Albert Oltmans preached in the Third Reformed church Sunday evening.

The Misses Maude Williams, Mabel Huntley, Florence Kruienza and Agnes Mohr saw Ethel Barry, more at Powers' theatre Saturday night.

Miss M. Balgooyen and Miss Ella Balgooyen were in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Mrs. W. T. Bishop entertained the Original Embroidery club Monday afternoon.

Miss Marie Blom has accepted the position of teacher at the Laketown school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Barkema of Grand Rapids visited relatives in the city Monday.

The Intermediate Christian Endeavor society of Hope church will hold a social in the church parlors Thursday evening.

Rev. D. R. Drukker, pastor of the Fourteenth street Christian Reformed church, announced to his congregation Sunday morning that he had declined the call from the Third Christian Reformed church at Muskegon.

Joseph A. Gunn, who has been spending the summer at Mrs. Taille's cottage on the North side, has returned to his home in Tascogoula, Miss.

Miss Allie Kuite has accepted a position as saleslady at Du Mez Bros.

Mrs. E. Klein left Monday for Englewood, Col., where she will spend the winter.

Bernard De Vries of Ann Arbor is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. J. De Vries.

Miss Leah Moore will leave in a few days for Millbrook, N. Y., where she will enter the Bennett school.

Word has been received that Rev. Harry P. Boot, who sailed a few weeks ago for China, has arrived at Honolulu.

Miss Elizabeth Van den Berg left Tuesday for Prairie View, Kan., for a three months' visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hall left for Benton Harbor Friday night. Mrs. Hall expects to remain several weeks.

Gerrit Brinks and family of East Saugatuck have moved to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rotschaefter visited last week in Chicago.

Henry B. Baker of Gibson is among the season's new employees at the Sugar factory.

Miss Hattie Brink of East Saugatuck is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Van Huis.

Herbert Van Oort has gone to Montague to fill out the season as surferman at the life saving station.

Mrs. M. A. Ryder and daughter, Mrs. James Whelan, left Wednesday for Palm Beach, Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Miss Kate Ver Schure is visiting friends in Chicago.

Miss Harriet Postma of Wilmette, Ill., is visiting relatives in the city.

The Hope-Taft club were the guests of Willis A. Diekema, son of Congressman G. J. Diekema at the Diekema home on West Twelfth street Tuesday evening.

Prof. J. E. Kuizenga, I. Van Westbrugge and David Van Strien left Tuesday afternoon for Columbus, O., to attend the Bible Study conference being held there.

Rev. Motiero Ohgimi of Tokio, Japan, who has been spending some weeks in this city, left yesterday for New York in the interests of a school for the blind which he established a few years ago in Tokio. Rev. Ohgimi will return to this city later before leaving for Japan.

Mrs. R. N. De Merell, Mrs. G. J. Van Duren and Mrs. J. C. Post left Tuesday for Traverse City to attend the annual convention of the Michigan federation of Womens' Clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vandersluijs of Big Rapids visited relatives in this city last week.

Mrs. D. S. Snyder left Friday for Chicago.

Katherine De Kraker was pleasantly surprised Friday afternoon, her twelfth birthday. The afternoon was spent in games. She was the recipient of a beautiful gold bracelet. Those present were Nellie Altena, Bertha Sloat, Cornelia Kaashoek, Dora De Kraker, Jeanette De Koster, Josie Luidens, Ethel Luidens, Henrietta Bomers, Anna Bomers, Nellie Van Vyven, Grace Van Vyven and Anna De Goed.

Rev. W. Hazenberg of this city addressed a good audience Friday night in Peoples' hall, Grand Rapids. His subject was "The Lord's Healing of the Sick."

The Mesdames F. A. Boot, Minnie Nash, J. H. Wise, Mae Hiler and H. J. Cronkright returned Thursday evening from Hastings, where they attended the fifteenth annual convention of the Women's relief corps of the fifth district. Mrs. Wise was elected district vice president at one of the business meetings.

Mrs. J. B. Hadden pleasantly entertained about 60 of her friends with a Thimble party Thursday afternoon at her home on West Eleventh street. The rooms were beautifully decorated with cut flowers and a delicious menu was served by the Mesdames John Rosman, S. E. Blackman, I. Goldman, James Whelan and J. H. Raven and the Misses Sylvia Hadden and Olive Armaier. Miss Ethel Metz gave several readings which delighted her hearers.

DEATHS

Alonzo H. Brayman died early Wednesday morning at the home of his daughter Mrs. M. H. Nixon, 130 East Fourteenth street. Deceased was a veteran of the civil war, having served over a year in Co. I, Twelfth Michigan Volunteers. At the time of his death he was 86 years old.

The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon under the auspices of A. C. Van Raalte post. G. A. R. of which the dead veteran was a member. There will be a short service at 1:15 from the house and at 2 o'clock from the M. E. church.

Captain Martin DeBoe, for a long time a resident of Holland, died at 8 o'clock Friday evening in the Soldiers Home hospital at Grand Rapids at the age of 72 years. Death was caused from an old wound in his hand. After the hand was amputated some time ago Captain DeBoe went to the Grand Rapids Soldiers Home hospital.

Martin DeBoe was born in the Netherlands, coming to America with his parents in 1847 and settling on a farm near Grand Rapids. Later he came to Holland. He enlisted early in the civil war and receiving a wound at the battle of Fair Oaks in 1862 was honorably discharged. Later he re-enlisted and rose to the rank of captain. He won for himself great distinction by his bravery and was respected by his comrades.

A widow and six children survive him: John, William, George, Peter, James and Mae, and two sisters. The remains arrived here Saturday and the funeral services were held Tuesday under the auspices of the surviving members of Co. I, of which company he was an officer.

News has come to this city of the death at her home in Peabody, Kansas last Thursday of Mrs. H. G. Birchby, the wife of Rev. Birchby formerly pastor of Hope Church, by accidental burning. Mrs. Birchby had just returned to her home after spending a few weeks in Colorado Springs where she had gone for a rest while recovering from a severe illness.

The funeral services were held Monday from the First Presbyterian church at Peabody of which Mr. Birchby is pastor.

NOTICE—We have some broken risk on hand. Fine for feed, cheaper than grain for chickens and other stock. Holland Rusk Company.

Notes of Sport

FOOT BALL.

Hope college is in a class. The boys of the orange and blue demonstrated that fact in the game with Benton Harbor on the campus Saturday. Although the score was against them—19 to 15 in favor of Benton Harbor college—the locals outplayed their opponents after the first ten minutes of play in every department of the game. Benton Harbor made its first touch downs in the first ten minutes. The name of their opponents had preceded them and the Hopites, who seemed to be thinking of their 54 to 0 defeat at the hands of Benton Harbor last year, were unable to make a stand. Two touchdowns were scored by the Benton Harborites in quick succession. Score 11 to 0.

But it only lasted ten minutes. Then the students of Hope on the side lines woke up and cheered for their team. The boys of Hope on the gridiron took heart and began to play foot ball. Big Vruink threw the ball on a forward pass to little Vruink and little Vruink tore away thirty yards for a touch down. Damson smashed; Rotschaefter circled around end and went through the opponents line as if it were paper; Veemaker grabbed the ball out of the air on forward passes and ripped off yard after yard for his college. Coach Helmer's well oiled machine got into action and the whole team started.

That was the story. From the first ten minutes of play the invincible Benton Harborites were battered about like a ship in a storm. Never once was Hope's goal line crossed for a touchdown after they got into the game and had it not been for lucky kicks by which the Benton Harbor men scored 8 points the game would have been won by superior foot-ball playing on the part of Hope. Besides this the Benton Harbor punter had a shade the better of Damson.

The game was somewhat marred by disputes on the part of Benton Harborites, who threatened at one time to leave the field. When manager Roest told them to stay and play or go and foot their own bills they came back to the game. Furthermore they adopted unsportsmanlike tactics and blows struck by the Benton Harborites that could be felt by the Hope players could be plainly seen from the side lines.

In spite of it all the boys of Hope put up an article of foot ball that would do credit to a larger institution. After Saturday's contest nothing should keep them out of the intercollegiate next year. All praise is due to coach Helmer who has given his time and put forth every effort to put Hope in a class. How well he has succeeded everyone knows who saw Saturday's game.

The opening game played by the local High School Saturday against Allegan High before the Hope-Benton Harbor game was a good one. The local lads won 11 to 0. They were determined to make up for their defeat at Allegan and played furiously. Although the Allegan line was a trifle heavier than Holland's it could not withstand the fierce rushes of the Hol-

land backs. Time and again they broke through for gaps of from eight and ten to fifteen yards.

Allegan's longest gain came on an end run. Captain Nichols got away from the crowd with good interference and a clear field except for Capt. Lacy of Holland who was playing defensive full. How Lacy got through and nailed his man is a mystery. But he did it with a spectacular flying tackle and Holland's goal was saved. That was the only time throughout the game that the local goal was in danger.

Holland's eleven points came on a safety when the Allegan full back was caught behind the line with the ball by Whelan, a goal from placement by Whelan, and a touch down by Captain Lacy.

The team played together in excellent style. Hadden made long gains on forward passes by getting the ball away well. Deto, Lacy, Whelan, Blom and Price made good gains throughout the game. The boys are encouraged over their victory and expect to hold Grand Haven when they come here for a game next month.

GOOD BYE TOMATOES TILL NEXT SUMMER; FEW SMALL PEACHES.

APPLES SCARCE AND HIGH

Verdict Seems to Be That Potatoes Will Be Almost a Luxury Before Long; Some Hot-House Stuff.

The frosts have put an end to the tomato crop. A few tomatoes were seen in the local markets early in the week selling for 50 cents a bushel but it's farewell now to the luscious tomato until next season. Peaches are also a thing of the past. A few late Smocks come straggling into market but they are small and of an inferior quality. Winter pears will be on the market for two weeks yet and are selling at 50 to 75 cents per bushel. Pumpkins, turnips, carrots, squash onions, cauliflower and late cabbage are on the market now and celery is plentiful. Hot-house radishes and lettuce were seen in town last Saturday.

The prospects are that potatoes and apples will be high this year. Buyers are getting hold of the potatoes now say dealers, paying farmers as low as 40 cents per bushel for them and it is rumored that by Xmas they may be \$1 per bushel. In apples Greenings, Tolman Sweets, Baldwins, Snows, Maiden Blush, and English stripes have been selling this week anywhere from 80 cents to \$1.50 per bushel. Northern Spies will be a scarce article this year and what few there are will bring a high price. Most of the apples so far have come from near Fennville and Bangor, the orchards in this vicinity being in poor condition this year. There will be some russets and but few of the delicious Jonathans which unfortunately seem to be little known in this section of the country.

Sweet potatoes have been plentiful and of good quality this year. Cranberries of fair size are also in and quince are large, and there is a good sized crop.

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The Biggest and Best

"The biggest and best ever" is the way the members of the Diekema club described their meeting last night at which the principal speaker of the evening was Henry M. Rose, secretary of the United Senate, a forceful speaker, well versed in the political situation and a most interesting talker. Mr. Rose carries conviction with his argument and talks with telling effect, but wholly without biased attacks on "the other fellow."

The Princess rink was filled from front to back and from side to side last night, there not being seating capacity for all who came. It was "candidate night" and they were on hand in force. The candidates occupied seats facing the audience and three or four gave brief informal talks during the evening. Messrs. Stephan and Conkright delighted the club with piano duets.

Besides Mr. Rose, George W. Mc Bride, of Grand Haven, A. J. WarJ, register of deeds, and D. B. K. Van Raalte nominee for the legislature addressed the gathering.

Saturday will doubtless be the banner night of the Republican campaign thus far when Judge T. P. Sadler of Chicago will be on hand to address a mass meeting in the Lyceum rink on Seventh street. Judge Sadler is in great demand almost the year round for lectures and addresses of various natures, but particularly strong is he in political speeches. Holland as a whole may well feel honored to secure the presence of so distinguished a man as Judge Sadler who is judge of Chicago's Municipal courts and one of that city's ablest lawyers and most competent jurists. He is a forceful orator and a man of sound principle.

Chairman Diekema of the State Central committee says he will also have here for Saturday night a prominent Michigan man and with both these as drawing cards there is every reason to expect the biggest turnout of the year. The Hope College Tatt club will march to the Lyceum in a body and give its new yells.

Health Officers Get Busy

Moved to action by the strenuous protests made by residents in the western and northern parts of the city, where carloads of manure have been commonly unloaded, the board of health took action in the matter at its last meeting and ordered that the practice be stopped at once.

It has been the custom of the railroad companies to ship carload lots of the fertilizer to the pickle factory and to other points in the West end, where it was unloaded and distributed to the farmers. As the winds are prevailing westerly, an odor of distressing badness and power is spread all over that section of the city at such times. Repeated complaints have been made, especially, by the workers in the shoe and sugar factories.

The matter was brought up before the board by Health Officer Leenhouts, and on motion of member Kramer, the board prohibited the dumping of manure from freight cars at any point within the city limits after Jan. 1, 1909, and made the order applicable immediately in the northern and western parts of the city.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FORGO ONE OF THE OLD TIME CUSTOMS

Practically the only business done by the board of supervisors at the meeting in Grand Haven yesterday, was the election of the county canvassers, Members Cook and Stiles being re-elected and Frank V. Farr of Grand Haven taking the third place on the board.

A time honored custom of the board has been cut out at this meeting, the usual trip to the county poor farm at Eastmanville being dropped from the program. This involved the disappearance of the annual country dinner there, and along with several other economies of time and money, is in line with the general policy of saving instituted by the board. Here after the board meetings will have as few frills as possible.

GOOD HOME RECIPE

Get from any good prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime.

The above is considered as the most certain prescription ever written to relieve Backache; Kidney Trouble, Weak Bladder and all forms of Urinary difficulties. This mixture acts promptly on the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, enabling them to filter and strain the uric acid and other waste matter from the blood which causes Rheumatism.

Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising, the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended. It is the prescription of an eminent authority, whose entire reputation, it is said, was established by it.

A druggist here at home, when asked, stated that he could either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription for our readers, also recommends it as harmless.

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LOST—A string of gold beads was lost in Holland yesterday afternoon. Finder please return to Holland City News office and receive reward.

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SHE WAS SO SHY.

Woman Who Objected To Being Winked At Declared Insane.

Albion, Mich., Oct. 17.—Mrs. Nellie Bishop, who caused great excitement by rising in her seat in the midst of a sermon in the Simpson Methodist church in Detroit and loudly declaring that Frank F. Fitchett, a graduate of the college here, winked at her, has been sent to the asylum at Elosie.

After being taken into custody the woman constantly moaned about having no money, but when an attendant searched her \$22.42.65 was found sewed about in her clothing.

PUZZLES THE JURY.

Muskegon Stabbing Affair Being Fought in Court.

Muskegon, Mich., Oct. 17.—The trial of Charles Rutledge for the murder of George Mitchell was concluded last night and the case was given to the jury at 6 o'clock. They were locked up but up to a late hour had not reached a verdict.

The trial was bitterly fought on both sides, the defense maintaining that Mitchell attacked Rutledge with a knife and club when the latter returned and found Dollie King in Mitchell's room under the influence of a drug or doped whiskey which she said Mitchell gave her out of a bottle.

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Two fine lots on south side of 17th St., and corner of Pine St. Corner lot has 50 feet frontage, other one 44 on 17th St.

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LOCALS

"To the people of the City of Holland:

"The northern part of this state of Michigan has just been swept by forest fires of most appalling magnitude.

"Many have lost their lives and thousands are homeless, hungry and destitute, and the devastation and loss of property is practically beyond estimation. And still the end has not come; the fire is still raging in parts and more are being made homeless hourly.

"The condition of the survivors is pitiful in the extreme. With all their possessions gone, homeless, clothless, they face the wintry blasts so near at hand.

"These sufferers need friends who will send food clothing and money to provide shelter. They are our brothers; they need us. We surely cannot stand idly by and see them suffer for the barest necessities of life. Knowing your liberality and temperament, I urge upon you to give unto these sufferers, according to your blessings, comfort and wealth. The need is a crying one. It cannot be overestimated. The proper committees will take charge of the distribution.

"Given under my hand and seal this Twenty-first day of October, 1908.

"HENRY BRUSSE,
Mayor."

Frank Bacon, aged 14, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Bacon, living on West Fourteenth street, while chopping wood in the back yard Wednesday, accidentally struck the axe against the clothes line and the axe rebounding struck him on the head cutting a deep gash which while painful is not serious. The young man is getting along nicely.

Leonard VanHoven of Zeeland, who has for the last few months been employed as bookkeeper for a lumber firm in Grand Rapids, has secured a fine position as bookkeeper at Dighton, Mich., for a large lumber firm there. Last winter Mr. Van Hoven worked for several months in the office of Breen & Halliday at Dighton, and his record there secured him the present fine position.

Dr. Fred Brouwer paid \$17.45 for the privilege of speeding his auto down Eighth street one day last month. Justice Van Duren assessed the doctor a fine of \$8 and the costs when he appeared before him for sentence Tuesday morning. Dr. Brouwer paid the fine, and thus let the case drop. There had been rumors of an appeal and a test case backed by the local autoists. The jury took but five minutes to find the doctor guilty when the case was tried last Friday.

Sunday morning Rev. D. R. Druker, pastor of the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church announced to his congregation that he had declined the call recently extended to him by the Third Reformed church of Muskegon. Rev. Druker has been pastor in his present charge since the church was organized and the joy the people here expressed at his decision witness to his continued popularity.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vanden Bosch and family of Zeeland will leave next week for their new home in Arkansas. Mr. Vanden Bosch has for many years been a prominent merchant of Zeeland and a large number of friends regret his departure. He went to Arkansas last year to inspect conditions there and was so favorably impressed with the country that he bought a farm and determined to make it his future home. Mrs. Vanden Bosch is a sister of Mrs. L. Mulder of this city.

Rev. Henry Mulder of Zeeland preached a farewell sermon in the North Street Christian Reformed church of that city Sunday evening. Rev. Mulder graduated from the Christian Reformed Seminary at Grand Rapids last June and has accepted a call to the church at Plainfield, Michigan. The peculiarity about his accepting this call, in spite of the fact that he had several other calls from larger charges, is that it was in this church that he delivered his first sermon, and in this church he has worked a great deal during his student days. The church at Plainfield, is an organization only a few years old and Rev. Mulder will be its first minister. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Mulder of Zeeland. Mr. Mulder will preach his inaugural sermon Sunday.

John Douma who left for New Brunswick in September, to take up a course in the Seminary there has returned to this city expecting to stay about a week when he will resume his studies.

A school boy being requested to write a composition on the subject of "pins" produced the following: "Pins" are very useful. They have saved lives of a great many men women and children—in fact whole families. "How so," asked the puzzled teacher and the boy replied "Why by not swallowing them." This matches the story of the other boy who defined salt as "the stuff that makes potatoes taste bad when you don't put any on."

While leaning from the steps of his way-car watching his track ahead John Rank of this city, a freight conductor on the LaCrosse division of the Pere Marquette, met with a peculiar accident last Saturday. He was leaning over looking for a possible hot box on the way-car, when his head struck a crossing sign which protruded over the track. Mr. Rank's face and head were badly bruised by the impact and his nose broken. He was taken into Benton Harbor, where the engine of an extra which was about to leave Benton Harbor, was hitched to a way-car and the injured man hurried to this city where the company's surgeon dressed his wounds.

A few days ago some of the high school boys jumped into the lime-light by engaging in some hazing stunts in which they mildly attempted to imitate their Ann Arbor brethren. The hazing malady had affected these upper class men of the high school only in its very lightest forms and instead of sending forth their victims a la nude, they simply clipped hair and decorated their faces with various colors. To make the latter process a success, however, it was found necessary to get some ink and a few of the hazers appropriated some from the school building, presumably by climbing through a window. And thereby hangs the tale of this hazing experience. The school board do not quite catch the humor of the stunt and look upon the breaking into the school as a criminal act which they are determined to punish. They have started more ado about the matter than the boys had figured on and are making every possible attempt to fix the blame upon the perpetrators. Monday morning the board suspended several of the foot ball players. The notice served on the boys reads as follows: "This is to give notice of your suspension from the high school awaiting an investigation of questions now before the board of education. The questions referred to will cover: First, hazing of schoolmates; second, acting as principal in the first or second degree to the offense of breaking in or entering a school building at night." Yesterday the boys were all reinstated on probation.

Seminary Notes.

The Seminary sends no delegation to the Bible Study convention which is being held at Columbus, Ohio.

The reception given last Tuesday evening by Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Zwemer at their home, was a happy event in the life of all Seminary Professors, students and those of the city pastors with their wives who were present. A regular program was not rendered, although several students, who had been preaching during the summer vacation, were called upon to relate experience on this field. Willard P. Van der Laan favored the assembled guests with two vocal solos. Then Revs. Ohgimi of Japan, Blekkink, Veldman and Dr. Karsten gave valuable suggestions along the line of pastoral work.

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Read These Profitless Quotations:

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Men's and young men's suits and overcoats bought for this season's business of the Rochester make go as follows:

\$22.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$17.50
20.00 " " "	16.00
18.00 " " "	14.50
15.00 " " "	12.00
12.00 " " "	9.50
10.00 " " "	7.39

A lot of Men's Suits, one of a kind such as we had from a previous season and sold at \$10.00, 12.00 and 15.00 at **\$4.63**

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Soft and Stiff Hats in all the newest Styles and Shades

\$4.00 Stetson	\$3.25
3.50 " "	2.75
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2.00 quality at	1.50
1.50 " "	1.13
1.00 " "	.82

Men's Caps

\$1.50 quality at	\$1.13
1.00 " "	.79
.50 " "	.42
Odd caps	.19

Collars and Cuffs

Linen collars	10c
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Pr. Cuffs	20c

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Odd Vests, mostly sizes 35 to 38. \$1.00 to \$2.00 qualities **.75c**

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Work Shirts	42c
Black Sateen, best 50c shirt on the market	42c
Dress shirt	42c
\$1.00 grade	82c
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For Men and Boys 21c, 42c, 82c
\$1.13 and **\$1.62**

Underwear

A discount of 10 per cent on all of the celebrated Staley underwear and Overshirts.

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\$1.00 Woolen Underwear at	\$.82
1.50 " " "	1.13
2.00 " " "	1.62
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Neckwear

50c quality	42c
25c " "	19c

Sweater Coats

\$1.00 quality	.75
1.25 " "	1.00
1.50 " "	1.15
2.00 " "	1.65
2.50 " "	1.87
3.00 " "	2.25
4.00 " "	3.25

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Red and blue handkerchiefs **.3c**

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\$10.00 Quality at **\$ 8.00**
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