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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXXII.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1903.

NO. 44

Special Sale!

On Ladies' Plush and Cloth Capes. Beginning, Saturday, Nov. 14th, we will place on sale, our entire line of plain and crushed plush capes, prices ranging from \$5 to \$10.00.

Cloth Capes!

Prices ranging from \$5 to \$15. For one week we will give a discount of 10c off from the dollar. This is worth considering at this time of the year.

A. J. Kramer.

Jas. A. Brouwer,

212-214 River Street.

"Love will Find a Way," and having found a way, the home will be the next thought. This is where we meet you half way. We sell good FURNITURE, CARPETS AND DRAPERIES, and we sell them right. Don't wait until you have the money, come and see us and we will furnish your home, with only a little down and balance on easy payments.

Jas. A. Brouwer,

212-214 RIVER STREET,

Holland, - - Michigan.

The Watch Store

All Kind,
All Qualities,
All Prices.

and each watch the best of its kind, whatever the kind.

WE REPAIR WATCHES,
WE REPAIR JEWELRY,
WE REPAIR SPECTACLES,
WE TEST EYES AT

Geo. H. Huizinga,

The Reliable Jeweler.

HOLLAND, MICH., 36 East 8th Street.



THE BEST HELP FOR THE EYES

Is found in properly fitted glasses, and the best fitting of glasses results from the careful, scientific examinations we make.

LET US HELP YOU

Examination Free.
Satisfaction Guaranteed.

W. R. STEVENSON,

OPTICAL SPECIALIST

24 East Eighth St. Holland.



PEERLESS

S. A. MARTIN'S DRUG and BOOK STORE

Is Headquarters for New and Second-Hand

School Books

School supplies of all kinds

Post Block

Corner 8th and River Sts.,
HOLLAND, MICH.

THE MOST DELICATE

Perfumes

FINE TOILET SOAPS
HAND BRUSHES
HAIR BRUSHES
BATH BRUSHES
SPONGES

AND ALL TOILET REQUISITES.

John W. Kramer.

DRUGGIST,
200 River St.

Thanksgiving China

It is so near Thanksgiving that it is none too early to make preparations for entertaining guests.

Look through your China Closet

See if there are not a few fine pieces you need. We have an elegant line of

Chop plates, Cake plates,
cups and saucers, Olive
and Pickle dishes, salad
bowls, Etc.

at most reasonable prices.

Hardie,

THE JEWELER.

Holland City News.

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

MULDER BROS. & WHELAN, Pubs.

Rates of advertising made known on application.

HOLLAND CITY NEWS Printing House, Root & Kramer Bldg., Eighth St., Holland, Mich.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Fremont Brown, county clerk, is hunting deer in the north woods.

Next Sunday will be observed in this city as Temperance Sunday and the sermons in the several churches will be on Temperance.

Simon Lievense and Peter Lievense, his son, left Monday for a deer hunting trip to Dryburg in the upper peninsula. While there they will be the guests of John Elferdink, jr.

Deputy-Sheriff Dark Overweg arrested two men Saturday for raising a disturbance in the waiting room of the G. R. H. & L. M. railway, and they were found guilty in Justice Devries' court of a disorderly charge and paid \$14 fine and costs.

News was received Monday by Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Higgins of the death Sunday morning in Chicago of their grand-daughter Ruth, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Higgins. The little girl had been ill a year.

Allegan Gazette: F. A. Langdon has sold his stock of musical instruments to A. H. Meyer of Holland. Mr. Meyer will take them to his Holland store.... Edward VandenTak will next week move his household goods to Holland.

Harry Schuurman, the 12-year old boy who left the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Schuurman last week because he was dissatisfied with their efforts to have him go to school, returned to his home last Friday evening. During his absence he lived at the home of Mr. Beckman south of the city, and when Mr. Beckman found out that his parents were searching for him he returned the boy to them.

A. Visscher has had three hundred and fifty shade trees set out around Visscher's addition in the Fifth ward. This will add greatly to the attractiveness of the property and will enhance the value of the lots. With the fifth ward growing in favor rapidly as a place of residence it is a question of only a short time when these lots will be occupied by handsome residences and then the shade trees will be appreciated.

J. H. Karsten in last week's Christian Intelligencer has the following regarding the progress of the city of Holland: "The city of Holland has during the last summer shown remarkable evidence of progress. The paving of Eighth street, the principal business thoroughfare, about completed, proves that the days of small things for Holland have gone. Several three story business blocks on that street are in course of construction. Until a few years ago the growth of the place was slow. Later on there seemed to spring up a forward movement along the whole line and in every direction. All this points to larger development in the future."

In spite of the handicap of a dislocated shoulder received in the early part of the season, Jim DePree has a chance to make good on the U. of M. foot ball team. An Ann Arbor dispatch regarding the game to be played next Saturday at Ann Arbor with Wisconsin has the following: "The game will be the more interesting for western Michigan people as James DePree, the Holland boy, will be given a chance to play. He has entirely recovered from his broken shoulder and is again playing a hard game at practice, with Heston as his running mate at halfback. DePree is also doing well at drop kicking under the tutelage of Prosecuting Attorney Duffy of Washenaw county, at one time Michigan's star in this stunt."

A Zeeland dispatch says: "David Wolfe, trustee for the Great Western Novelty works, which made an assignment recently, has disposed of the assets of the company to Christian DeJonge and Jacob Van den Bosch for \$1,250, and the purchasers will continue the business. The liabilities of the company amount to \$5,200, and creditors will receive 20 cents on the dollar. The defunct company was engaged in the manufacture of a variety of game boards, dressing tables and other articles, and the rough material on hand will be manufactured by the purchasers. If they find that the business is profitable they will invest considerable capital and continue it on an extensive scale. The factory was operated in a building owned by DeJonge."

Charles F. Post of South Bend, Ind., was here this week visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Post was a resident of Holland for a number of years but left here a couple of years ago with his wife and daughter Maggie to join his son Charles, who is a prosperous business man in South Bend, being a member and manager of the South Bend Paper company. About a year ago, it will be remembered, Mr. Post's wife was struck by a train in South Bend and instantly killed.

Prof. John M. Vander Meulen preached in the Presbyterian church at Allegan last Sunday.

Rev. S. Van der Heide of Beaver Dam has been extended a call by the First Christian Reformed church of Grand Haven.

Mrs. M. E. King of this city, while visiting friends in Centerville last week, had the misfortune to fracture one of the bones of her wrist.

Members of Company I, 25th Michigan Infantry, who desire photographs of the regiment taken at Schoolcraft during the recent reunion, may inquire of John Kramer.

Fred Wade has been re-appointed postmaster at Saugatuck and Wm. Glerum has been appointed postmaster at Zeeland in place of E. J. Pruim, resigned.

The M. E. church choir will give an entertainment this evening in the M. E. church parlors. A literary and musical program will be carried out by some of the best known local talent.

Senator Burrows has introduced a bill to raise the pay of rural mail carriers to \$900 a year without extra for horse and cart. Representative Fordney has introduced one to pay \$700, and horse keeping extra.

Poole Bros. printing plant and the Catholic church are going up in the southern part of the city, while in the business part of the city several business blocks are in course of construction. Taken all together Holland is growing.

The state advisory board of pardons has denied clemency in the case of Orrin Pearl of this city, serving a term of twenty years for criminal assault. Pearl was sent up from this county eleven or twelve years ago for a particularly atrocious crime.

The horse attached to G. Blom's dray attempted to run away Tuesday forenoon near the corner of River and Eighth streets and was stopped by James S. Whelan, but not, however, until a stove had been dislodged from the lead and thrown to the ground. The damage to the stove was slight.

George De Weerd, the contractor, is remodeling and improving the house recently purchased by Mrs. M. A. Ryder from James and Fred Doyle and moved from the corner of Eleventh and Pine streets to a lot on Fifteenth street. Mrs. Ryder intends to erect a handsome modern residence on the lot vacated.

Jake Allen, the well known dealer in horses and cattle, returned this week from a business trip to Dakota. He brought a car load of horses to Chicago and disposed of the before coming here. Mr. Allen lives at the fair grounds, which he has rented for a year, and intends to deal extensively in horses and cattle.

A bill for divorce has been filed in the county clerk's office by May Schultz against Albert Schultz of this city. The couple were married September 23, 1902. The plaintiff charges Schultz with brutality and desertion. She claims that he has not contributed to her support and she is now obliged to earn her living at the Walsh-De Roo mills.

Orders have been issued by the management of the Pere Marquette railroad for equipment with electric lights four through trains operated by the road between Grand Rapids and Chicago, the cost of the change and the additional equipment which will be put in service to be about \$400,000. The first of the electric lighted trains will probably be placed in operation as soon as the new Chicago extension is completed.

Jacob Van Weelden, No. 1 surman in Grand Haven life saving crew, has been appointed keeper of the South Manitou station and leaves for there next week. He will succeed Capt. Lofburg, who goes to Racine. Surman Van Weelden is the oldest man in the life saving service in the Grand Haven crew, and had the honor of serving in the exhibition life saving crews at the Omaha and Buffalo exhibitions. He is also in-law of Mr. and Mrs. John Zwemer of this city.

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A String On It...

When you buy a bottle of our

Pine Tree Tar and Cheery Cough Syrup For 25c.

You have a string fastened to your money and you keep hold of the other end. If it fails to satisfy, you have only to pull the string and your money comes back. Try a bottle at our risk, 32 doses 25c. Keep hold of our string.

Con De Pree's Drug Store.

Elton D. Fuller, formerly editor of the Grand Haven Press, died last Friday at his home in Fremont, where he had been living the last year.

Of this year's trotters Billy Buck won the most fast heats having fifteen to his credit in 2:10 or better, while McKinley, H. Boone's trotter, was a close second with eleven.

The regular Nov. meeting of the Ladies Aid society of Hope church will meet on Wednesday afternoon, the 18th, at the home of Mrs. Chas. Doesburg on East Tenth street.

Isabelle S. Deremo has filed a bill for divorce against John Q. Deremo a well known resident of Grand Haven township. Some of the charges made in the bill are unprintable. The couple were married in 1878 and have five children.

Prof. Edwin Hoek, of Grand Rapids, instructor of violin, piano and organ, who formerly conducted a class in this city, will give his second student recital at Odd Fellows hall corner of Stocking and Fifth streets, Grand Rapids, Tuesday evening, November 17. Prof. Hoek will be assisted by P. A. TenHaaf, tenor.

Monday evening, Nov. 23, the annual congregational meeting of the Third Reformed church will be held in the lecture room of the church. Officers will be elected in the place of E. Vander Veen and P. Gunst, elders, and H. Van Ark, John Kerkhof and John Pessink, deacons, whose terms of office expire, and the annual report will be submitted.

Tienman Slagh went to Grand Rapids Tuesday to see the contractor who has charge of the work of putting the glass front in the new Slagh & Zuidewind building. Although the building will not be ready for tenants for some time Messrs. Slagh & Zuidewind have already received many applications from persons who wish to rent stores and offices.

A new stock of table linens and napkins especially for Thanksgiving at John Vandersluis'. On next Wednesday for one day only Mr. Vandersluis will give a special discount of 1/4 off the price of any piece of black or colored dress goods in the store. That means 15c goods for 11c, 25c goods for 19c, 50c goods for 37c and so on through the entire stock. Remember this is for Wednesday only.

John E. Klekentveld has sold his bazaar stock to Earnest Fairbanks, who will continue the business at 11 West Eighth street. Mr. Fairbanks is very busy this week making many improvements and preparing for the accommodation of a much larger stock. Mr. Klekentveld will go to New York, where he will live in the future, and where he has a very good position. His many friends here wish him success in his new home.

Miss Jennie Voorhorst, who recently completed a two years' course in religious training at the Moody Institute in Chicago, has been appointed as missionary to the Mountain Whites in Kentucky by the Women's Board of Domestic Missions of the Reformed church, and will leave for Kentucky in about ten days. She will go to McKee, Jackson county, where Miss Ruth Kerkhof of this city is stationed. Miss Voorhorst is a sister of Mrs. A. Oltmans, missionary to Japan, and a cousin of Prof. J. H. Klinkenberg.

Holland City News.

FRIDAY, NOV. 13

NEIGHBORING TOWNS

Filmore

B. Lemon sr., is confined to his house by sickness.

K. Dykhuis is greatly improving the inside of his barn where he has built the floor of cement and also the mangers and the water troughs of cement.

Mr. Douwstra of the Western Theological Seminary will preach at Ebenezer Sunday.

H. Lubbers, sr., has shipped over 100 barrels of apples the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Borgman of Hamilton visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. Bousema last Sunday.

Our Commissioner of Highways, H. Reimink, made a call on the overseers of the township to see if they had done their duty the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pas of South Dakota will soon be in our midst as they are expected to arrive Saturday night at the home of their brother Jacob Pas and stay with him during the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Pas will try to buy a farm here in Michigan and make this state their future home.

HOLLAND MARKETS.

Prices Paid to Farmers.

PRODUCE.	
Butter, per lb.	18
Eggs, per doz.	24
Dried Apples, per lb.	8
Potatoes, per bu.	55
Bona, hand picked, per bu.	25
Onions	45

GRAIN.

Wheat, per bu.	50
Oats, per bu., white.	Best 38c, No. 3, 36
Rye	38-36
Barley, per bu.	55
Corn per bushel, mixed.	49
Corn per bushel, choice yellow.	50
Barley per 100.	1.00
Clover seed, per bu.	5.00
Timothy seed, per bu. (to consumers).	2.00

BEEF, PORK, ETC.

Chickens, dressed, per lb.	10
Chickens, live, per lb.	7
Spring Chickens live	8
Tallow, per lb.	5
Lard, per lb.	10
Beef, dressed per lb.	6 1/2
Pork, dressed per lb.	6 1/4
Mutton, dressed per lb.	6
Veal, per lb.	5 1/2
Lamb	8

FLOUR AND FEED.

Price to consumers.

Flour, "Sunlight," patent per barrel	4.90
Flour "Daisy," straight, per barrel	4.40
Ground Feed 1 1/2 per hundred, 2 1/2 per ton	
Corn Meal, unbolted, 1 1/2 per hundred, 2 1/2 per ton	
Corn Meal, bolted per 30 barrel	
Middlings 1 30 per hundred 22 80 per ton	
Bran 1 05 per hundred, 10 80 per ton	
Linseed Meal \$1.10 per hundred.	

HIDES.

Prices paid by the Caspary & Bertsch Leather Co	
No 1 cured hide	8
No 1 green hide	7
No 1 tallow	6

WOOL.

Unwashed	12 to 15
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THANKSGIVING RATES.

Tickets will be on sale at all stations, good going November 25th and 26th, and good returning up to and including November 30th, at rate of one and one third fare for the round trip. Ask agents for particulars. H. F. Mueller, G. P. A.

LIVE STOCK SHOW, CHICAGO, NOVEMBER 28, to DECEMBER 5

Tickets will be sold from all stations on November 29th and 30th and December 1st, at rate of one fare plus \$2 for the round trip. Good to return until December 7th. H. F. Mueller, G. P. A.

FOOT BALL SPECIAL

ANN ARBOR & Ret. \$3.54.

MICHIGAN vs WISCONSIN

SATURDAY, NOV. 14th.

Holland foot ball enthusiasts who desire to witness the contest between Michigan and Wisconsin at Ann Arbor, Saturday, Nov. 14th can leave Holland at 5:25 a. m., arriving in Grand Rapids in time to connect with fast special train leaving Union station 6:45 a. m., arriving at Ann Arbor 10:15 a. m., on above special; returning special train will leave Ann Arbor 7:30 p. m., arriving Grand Rapids 11 p. m., Holland 12:25 a. m. Tickets will be good on all regular trains up to and including Monday, Nov. 16th. Round trip rate from Holland \$3.54. Parlor car attached to special train. Notify Agent Holland if you wish to join the Grand Rapids delegation.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

FOR SALE—Farm of 80 acres, 2 miles west of Coopersville, 30 acres improved; small peach orchard, part suitable for growing celery. Inquire of H. J. Bostick, R. F. D. No. 1 Hudsonville, Mich.

What's the secret of happy, vigorous health? Simply keeping the bowels, the stomach, the liver and kidneys strong and active. Burdock Blood Bitters does it.

Diphtheria relieved in twenty minutes. Almost miraculous. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

News-Job Printing

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

For the Week Ending November 11.

King Edward celebrated his sixty-second birthday in London. October fire losses in the United States and Canada totaled \$10,409,800. The state bank at Parkers Prairie, Minn., was robbed by burglars of \$3,000. Bessie Knecht, the "sleeping girl," is dead at Salt Lake City, Utah, after 47 days' sleep.

Terrible earthquakes have occurred at Turshiz, Persia, and 350 persons were killed and numbers injured.

Carrie Nation appeared in Elizabeth, N. J., as the star in a new version of "Ten Nights in a Barroom."

The old Red Lake reservation near Thief River Falls, Minn., has been thrown open for settlement.

President Roosevelt appointed Frank Wyman postmaster in St. Louis, thus settling a long factional fight.

Treasury secret service men are to investigate the issuance of fiat money by merchants in Webster City, Ia.

Ninety-six young Filipinos, sent to the United States to perfect their education, arrived in San Francisco.

Under rush orders to proceed to Colon, the United States battleship Maine sailed from Newport News, Va.

Sutter Brothers, an old tobacco house in Chicago, went into a receiver's hands with liabilities of \$1,800,000.

Speaker Cannon selected as his secretary L. W. Busbey, well known as a political writer throughout Illinois.

Frank Pickett, a Boston reporter, died at Detroit as a result of a 51 days' fast undertaken to cure stomach trouble.

The president has appointed Daniel Thew Wright, of Cincinnati, to be justice of the supreme court of the District of Columbia.

Lieut. General Young has decided that the garrison in the Philippines shall consist of four regiments of cavalry and nine of infantry.

J. W. Warr, secretary of the Moline (Ill.) Building, Savings and Loan association, is said to be short \$27,000 in his accounts.

Dr. W. E. Light, a prominent dentist of Saginaw, Mich., committed suicide after fatally shooting his wife and daughter, aged 18 years.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani arrived at San Francisco from Honolulu on her way to Washington to prosecute her claim against the United States.

Lieut. Albert M. Beecher, ordnance officer on the battleship Maine, fell from the forward turret, a distance of 40 feet, at Newport, R. I., and was killed.

Samuel Adams, a negro, was lynched by a mob at Pass Christian, Miss., for assaulting the wife of one of the most prominent residents of the place.

A new counterfeit five dollar silver certificate, series of 1899, check letter A, plate No. 161; Lyons, registrar; Roberts, treasurer, has been discovered.

A plan to protect Denver, Col., girls from maulers has been launched by Miss Louise L. Hardin, of the Business Woman's club. A street patrol of girls is planned.

It is reported in New York that the Rockefeller interests have secured control of the steel trust, and that as a result the ship building scandal will be squelched.

James Murphy, Monongahela, Pa., aged 12, was shot to death, and John Johnson, aged 11, wounded by Earl Flory, 13 years old, who was angered by calling names.

Crump Bros., leaf tobacco dealers at 207 Randolph street, Chicago, were placed in a receiver's hands as the result of the Sutter failure. Liabilities, \$225,000; assets, \$150,000.

Two earthquake shocks were felt at St. Louis and buildings rocked and the telephone service was disarranged. Shocks were also felt at Memphis, Louisville and in Illinois.

Mrs. Ida F. Guller, of Bunker Hill, Ill., accused of giving poisoned candy to a son of James W. Checkfield, causing his death, was acquitted by a jury in the county court at Carlinville.

As a result of the special election in the Eleventh congressional district of Kentucky Monday Dr. Godfrey W. Hunter (rep.) claims 1,000 plurality.

D. G. Edwards, also a republican, claims a majority of 1,500. The contest will be carried to Washington.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Nov. 11.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	\$3.75 @ 5.25
Hogs, State, Penn.	5.50 @ 5.60
Sheep	2.00 @ 3.75
FLOUR—Minn. Patents	4.60 @ 4.75
WHEAT—December	85 1/2 @ 85 3/4
WHEAT—State and Jersey	56 @ 57 1/2
CORN—December	50 1/2 @ 50 3/4
OATS—Track White	41 1/2 @ 45 1/2
BUTTER	15 @ 22 1/2
CHEESE	10 1/2 @ 11 1/2
EGGS	20 @ 21

CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Fancy Bees	\$5.45 @ 5.75
Texas Steers	3.40 @ 4.00
Medium Beef Steers	3.30 @ 4.25
Plain Beef Steers	3.60 @ 3.85
Common to Rough	3.80 @ 3.75
HOGS—Assorted Light	4.85 @ 5.05
Heavy Shipping	4.75 @ 4.95
Heavy Mixed	4.10 @ 4.35
SHEEP	3.15 @ 4.30
BUTTER—Creamery	14 @ 21 1/2
Dairy	14 @ 20 1/2
EGGS—Fresh	21 @ 23
POTATOES (per bu.)	52 @ 61
MESS PORK—Cash	11.50 @ 11.62
LARD—Cash	6.85 @ 6.97
GRAIN—Wheat, December	77 1/2 @ 77 3/4
Corn, May	42 1/2 @ 43
Oats, May	35 1/2 @ 36
Barley, Fancy	57 @ 60
Rye, May	56 1/2 @ 56 3/4

MILWAUKEE.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nov 1	\$1.40 @ 1.42
Corn, December	27 1/2 @ 27 3/4
Oats Standard	27 1/2 @ 27 3/4
Rye, No. 1	56 1/2 @ 57

KANSAS CITY.	
GRAIN—Wheat, December	67 1/2 @ 67
Corn, December	36 1/2 @ 36 3/4
Oats, No. 2 White	35 @ 35 1/2
Rye, No. 2	45 1/2 @ 46

ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Beef Steers	\$3.35 @ 5.15
Texas Steers	2.40 @ 3.75
HOGS—Packers	4.00 @ 4.25
Butchers' Best Heavy	4.80 @ 5.00
SHEEP—Natives	3.00 @ 3.50

OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Native Steers	\$3.75 @ 5.40
Cows and Heifers	3.00 @ 3.80
Stockers and Feeders	2.50 @ 3.00
HOGS—Heavy	4.60 @ 4.70
SHEEP—Wethers	3.00 @ 3.25

GEN. HALL REPORTS ON ARMY

He Deals with Every Phase of the Military Establishment.

Actual Strength of Army—Satisfactory Work of Attaches Abroad—Recommendations Made.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The annual report of Acting Adj. Gen. Hall, of the army, was made public Wednesday. It deals with every phase of the military establishment. The actual strength of the army on October 15, 1903, was 3,681 officers and 55,500 enlisted men. There were lost to the army during the year ended June 30, 1903, 29,279 men, as follows: One hundred and thirty-eight officers, of whom 25 were killed in action or died of wounds or disease; 28,141 enlisted men, of whom 837 were killed in action or died of wounds or disease, the remainder representing men discharged for expiration of term of service, for disability, by sentence of court-martial, desertions and retirements.

Attention is directed to the work of military attaches abroad, which the report states has been very satisfactory, and proves the wisdom of selecting officers peculiarly adapted to this delicate semi-diplomatic work, which secures to the army the most recent, authentic and valuable information at a minimum cost.

Over one-half of the report is devoted to the militia and it gives a detailed account of the workings of the act to promote the efficiency of the militia passed at the last session of congress.

Several recommendations regarding the organized militia are made.

RUSH OF LAND SEEKERS.

Nearly a Thousand Persons Try to File Claims at Government Offices at Crookston, Minn.

Crookston, Minn., Nov. 11.—With women protesting against being crushed to death and both men and women fainting and falling under the feet of the greedy land hunters, nearly 1,000 persons on Tuesday packed the government land office and through the halls of the building, up to the second floor, on which the office is located, awaiting the formal opening of about 500,000 acres of land in the Red Lake Indian reservation. It was the biggest crush for land ever known in the northwest, and the number of entries was the largest of any previous day.

The rush of land seekers was renewed when the United States land office opened for business Wednesday. Before midnight a long line of men and women formed in front of the office and waited patiently until daylight. One woman stood in line several hours, after she had spent the night walking 30 miles through the woods from near Red Lake to Bagley, where she took the train. She was rewarded by finding her land clear. Wednesday 150 filings were received from outside points, but only 40 were placed on record. The rest had been secured by other parties Tuesday.

Kills Her Husband.

Dover, Del., Nov. 11.—Mrs. Edith Jackson Hollis, a member of an influential Camden (Del.) family, murdered her husband, Delaware T. Hollis, by shooting him early Wednesday. Hollis was asleep in a chair when his wife placed the revolver to his head and blew out his brains. Tuesday night the husband consented to his wife being sent to an asylum for the insane, and the wife believed from that moment that her husband had turned against her. Mrs. Hollis was committed to jail until a jury passes upon her sanity.

Tragedy in Michigan.

Marquette, Mich., Nov. 11.—At Michigan Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Napoleon Beauvais was shot and almost instantly killed by her stepson, Napoleon Beauvais, Jr., who then committed suicide. Sitting on the edge of his bed, he placed the muzzle of a rifle in his mouth and pulled the trigger, blowing off his head. His motive is unknown.

Production of Corn.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Preliminary returns to the chief of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture on the production of corn in 1903, indicate a total yield of about 2,313,000,000 bushels, or an average of 25.8 bushels per acre, as compared with an average yield of 26.8 bushels one year ago, 16.7 bushels in 1901, and a ten-year average of 23.9 bushels.

Troops Only to Restore Order.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 11.—A dispatch from Port Arthur received here says, in reference to the statement on the subject published in the foreign press: "It is declared here that the 400 troops ordered to Mukden were sent there solely for the purpose of restoring order. No other measures have been taken."

Butchers Strike.

Cincinnati, Nov. 11.—Between 700 and 800 butchers struck here Wednesday for an increase of ten per cent. and double pay for Sundays and holidays. All of the 23 local packing firms that refused to recognize the Amalgamated Meat Cutters' and Butchers' Workmen's union are affected.

Troops Arrive.

Berlin, Nov. 11.—The governor of German Southwest Africa cables that 330 mounted troops, with four guns, have arrived in the vicinity of Warmbad, but he does not mention any fighting with the rebellious natives, who, seemingly, are not contesting the advance of the troops.

Report Denied.

New York, Nov. 11.—At the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. it was said Wednesday that Mr. Morgan had no intention whatever of retiring from active business and that reports that he had such intention were entirely incorrect.

Facts Are Stubborn

IF HOLLAND PEOPLE ARE NOT CONVINCED BY LOCAL TESTIMONY, THEY DIFFER FROM OTHER PEOPLE

Facts are stubborn; Some may be disputed, None can be disproved. A fact is always hedged about with proof; Has to stand the test of investigation or it drifts to the realm of doubt. Investigate closely the following. The closer the scrutiny the more convincing the results. A Holland citizen speaks here; Speaks from experience and conviction:

John Lockhart, of 28th street, near Central Avenue, says: "I had a constant aching in my limbs and kidneys so that at times I could hardly keep around. I could not rest comfortably in any position and after a restless night would get up feeling as tired as when I went to bed. The kidney secretions became irregular, frequent and unnatural. I used different remedies but did not receive any benefit. Seeing Dan's Kidney Pills advertised I procured a box at J. O. Doesburg's drug store and tried them. They did me so much good that I got another box and then another. They cured me."

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"Little Colds" neglected—thousands of lives sacrificed every year—Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures little colds—cures big colds too, down to the very verge of consumption.

Years of suffering relieved in a night. Itching piles yield at once to the curative properties of Doan's Ointment. Never fails. At and drug store. 50 cents.

THE MODERN ART OF WAR.

Methods of Fighting Have Steadily Adapted Themselves to the Instrumentalities.

Changes in the art of war are now proceeding so rapidly as to suggest that before long entirely new phrases of popular description will be necessary. The standing of soldiers "elbow to elbow" in battle line, must soon be regarded as the language of poetry, says Youth's Companion.

With modern projectiles fighting takes place at great distances. This has led to the use of an instrument, known as the range-finder, by which one army ascertains the firing-line of the other. Soldiers can adjust their weapons accordingly. In order to frustrate the enemy using the range-finder, the "ragged-line formation" has been devised. A zigzag partially destroys the usefulness of the instrument.

Modern drill books direct the individual to seek cover wherever he can do so to the best advantage; they give detailed instructions as to the use of rocks, mounds of earth, trees and houses in affording protection, and at the same time giving the soldier a chance to fire. The least possible exposure of the body consistent with effective work is now the rule.

In the civil war each army had its companies, more or less famous, of sharpshooters; but to-day, through unceasing target practice and other drill, the endeavor is to make every soldier an expert marksman.

The lifting of smoke from the battlefield had far-reaching effects. Monsieur Bloch, the famous Polish writer on war, speaks of the smoke of gunpowder as "the screen behind which for 400 years human beings have fought and died." A clear view of the enemy subjects the soldier's courage to great strain.

Methods of fighting have steadily adapted themselves to the instrumentalities. The bayonet charge is now almost as much a thing of the past as the Macedonian phalanx. War itself will yet yield to better methods of settling disputes. Modern weapons are constantly making it a more and more impracticable, as well as terrible, tribunal.

Sultana Cocoa.

Remove the stems and wash one-half pound of Sultana raisins; bruise them and cover with one quart boiling water or milk; let stand on the back of the range one hour or longer; strain water through a cheesecloth and use for making cocoa. Take three tablespoonfuls cocoa and mix with three tablespoonfuls sugar and a few grains of salt, add sufficient boiling water to form a smooth paste, stirring constantly; add the remainder of three-quarters cupful boiling water and cook two minutes. Pour this mixture into boiling raisin water; mix thoroughly. Serve with whipped cream.—Housekeeper.

Unfeeling Brute.

Mrs. Larrabee—No, I never quarrel with my husband. I can't get any satisfaction out of it.

Mrs. Montrose—Why? Won't he let you have the last word?

"O, it isn't that. He just sits there like a dummy and never says a word. One might as well try to argue with a post. It's awfully wearing, I assure you."—Stray Stories.

Hemorrhage.

To stop hemorrhage of the lung wrap the thighs and arms above the elbows with small strong cords tightly drawn and tied. This will stop the flow of blood almost instantly. — Housekeeper.

Not Pretty.

Fred—Of course, she poses a good deal, but she's awfully pretty.

May—Oh, did you hear of the mean trick Mr. Kammerer played on her?

Fred—No. What was it?

May—He took a snapshot of her while she was in the act of eating corn off the cob.—Philadelphia Press.

THOSE WHO WON PREMIUMS AT THE HOLLAND FAIR

Following is a list of the premiums awarded by the S. O. & W. A. A. S. at the Holland fair. Owing to the length of the list it will be continued from week to week until finished;

DEPARTMENT G.—POMOLOGICAL.

G. A. Poole,	Holland,	1st, Flemish beauty
J. Peeks,	"	1st, Howell
Klaas Koster,	"	2nd, "
N. Venhuizen,	"	1st, Goodale
G. Vredeveld,	"	1st, coll. peaches
"	"	1st, " 5 var.
Klaas Koster,	"	1st, Crawford late
R. Wieghmink,	"	2nd, "
Klaas Koster,	"	1st, golden drop
R. Wieghmink,	"	2nd, "
"	"	1st, late red rare ripe
G. Vredeveld,	"	1st, white morris
R. Wieghmink,	"	1st, smock free
J. Peeks,	"	2nd, "
Klaas Koster,	"	1st, Kalamazoo
"	"	1st, eleberta
G. J. Deur,	"	1st, salway
"	"	1st, coll. plums
"	"	1st, Bradshaw
"	"	1st, Duane's purple
"	"	1st, green gage
"	"	1st, Lombard
"	"	1st, Smith's Orleans
J. J. Van Dyke,	"	1st, Shipper's Pride
D. Bertsch,	"	1st, coll. grapes
G. J. Deur,	"	2nd, "
"	"	1st, eight var. grapes
D. Bertsch,	"	2nd, " " "
Geo. H. Souter,	"	1st, Agawam
G. J. Deur,	"	2nd, "
"	"	1st, Concord
J. J. Van Dyke,	"	2nd, "
D. Bertsch,	"	1st, Deleware
Geo. H. Souter,	"	2nd, "
D. Bertsch,	"	1st, Vergennes
G. J. Deur,	"	2nd, "
G. Vredeveld,	"	1st, Moore
G. J. Deur,	"	2nd, "
J. Peeks,	"	1st, Niagara
G. A. Poole,	"	2nd, "
G. J. Deur,	"	1st, Pcklington
G. H. Souter,	"	1st, Salem
G. J. Deur,	"	2nd, "
J. J. Van Dyke,	"	1st, Wilder
G. J. Deur,	"	2nd, "
J. J. Van Dyke,	"	1st, Worden
G. J. Deur,	"	2nd, "
Geo. H. Souter,	"	1st, Diamond
J. J. Van Dyke,	"	1st, Martha
G. J. Duer,	"	2nd, Isabelle

DEPARTMENT H. FLOWERS.

J. A. Kooyers,	Holland,	1st, best general coll. plants, etc.
C. S. Dutton,	"	2nd, " " " " "

Nature's Restorative
MALTA PURA GIVES MARVELOUS RESULTS IN EVERY CASE, THOUSANDS TESTIMONIALS RECEIVED NOTE WHAT THEY SAY.

It is impossible to publish in the columns of this paper testimonials which will give even the faintest conception of the popular favor which is bestowed on Malta Pura everywhere. Not only do the people who try it speak its praises, but physicians, not a few but in every city welcome it and prescribe it as nature's tonic and a valuable adjunct to the practice of medicine. One lady writes from Los Angeles, California: "I was discouraged. My energy seemed entirely gone. When I awakened in the morning I felt tired, and I had no ambition to work or take any interest in life. My husband heard of Malta Pura, purchased a bottle and this year I am so ambitious I keep everybody on the stir. I certainly feel like a new person."

Another testimonial comes from a young man who had lung trouble in St. Johns, New Brunswick. "Physicians had given me no encouragement except possible relief by change of climate. My brother who was in Boston, heard of Malta Pura and bought a bottle. I felt better almost from the first dose. I have taken fifteen bottles within the past year, but I have gained 30 pounds in weight and am as healthy as a horse. My lungs seem to be all right." Another comes from a working girl in Providence, Rhode Island. "Overwork broke my nervous system and I was a wreck. I gave up and was ready to die. I began taking Malta Pura and today I am well and strong." A physician in Battle Creek says: "I have prescribed Malta Pura in numerous cases of pulmonary trouble, nervous debility, and when a general tonic is required and the results are extremely satisfactory." We never publish names but keep the original letters on file in our office. We will furnish names of those endorsing Malta Pura to any person writing us. Malta Pura is for sale by all leading druggists at a special price of \$1.00 per bottle. Manufactured by Battle Creek Health Beverage Co. Lt.—Battle Creek, Mich.

A Boy's Wild Ride For Life
With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles 10c at Heber Walsh's drug store.

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A girl's "complexion" may be stamped on her lover's heart, but most of the "complexion" comes off unless put there by Rocky Mountain Tea. "Powder's a bad thing."

A Love Letter
Would not interest you if you're looking for a guaranteed Salve for Sores, Burns or Piles, Oute Dodd, of Ponder, Mo. writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It's the best Salve on earth. 25c at Heber Walsh's Drug store."

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MET DEATH IN A BURNING MINE

The Terrible Disaster Occurs in the Kearsarge Mine Near Virginia City, Mont.

Nine Men Known to Have Lost Their Lives in the Shaft, Among Them the Superintendent, Who Gave His Life for Others—Names of Those Who Perished.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 7.—A Virginia City special to the Miner says fire in the Kearsarge mine, six miles from Virginia City, killed nine men. The damage to surface buildings is slight. Among the dead is Superintendent R. B. Turner, of Butte, one of the best known mining men in the northwest. Four bodies have been recovered.

The Victims.
The dead are R. B. Turner, superintendent of the Kearsarge mine; George Allen, stationary engineer; John Tobin, James Powers, Edward Lahredy, William Fleming, Robert Donnelly and two unknown men, all miners. All the dead miners are from Butte and were single men. The Kearsarge is one of the principal gold mines of the state, and

UNCLE SAM RECOGNIZES PANAMA.



is considered very valuable. It is operated by the Alder Mining company.

Superintendent Killed.
Superintendent Turner gave his life for his men. He was at breakfast and partially dressed when the alarm came. Dashing into the house in his shirt sleeves, with another miner whose name has not been learned, Turner made his way into the main tunnel. Here they found everything ablaze. They groped their way down and dragged out five bodies, including Tobin's. In a second attempt they did not come out and were later brought forth dead by the rescuers, the man who so heroically aided Turner perishing with him.

Inquest Held.
As soon as the news reached Virginia City every one hurried to Summit County Attorney Duncan and Acting Coroner N. D. Johnson, who started out to hold an inquest on John Tobin, remained to perform a like duty over the bodies of the others. Superintendent Turner had a wife and one child, a boy, who were living at the mine.

Labor's Leaders Meet.
Boston, Nov. 10.—The twenty-third annual convention of the American Federation of Labor, which was opened in this city yesterday and which will continue probably for at least 14 days, got into working order before an adjournment was taken late in the afternoon. President Samuel Gompers delivered his annual address to the delegates and Secretary Frank Morrison and Treasurer John B. Lennon presented their annual statements.

Marries a Duke.
New York, Nov. 11.—The marriage of Miss May Golet, only daughter of Mrs. Ogden Golet and one of the richest of American heiresses, to Henry John Innes-Ker, eighth duke of Roxburgh, was solemnized yesterday at St. Thomas' church in this city. Bishop William Croswell Doane, of Albany, assisted by Rev. Ernest M. Stires, of St. Thomas' church, performed the ceremony.

Two Killed by Gas Explosion.
Pittsburg, Nov. 7.—An explosion of gas in a pit at the repair shops of the Pennsylvania railroad here Friday killed William Skiles, aged 18, and Stewart R. Breit, aged 30, almost instantly. The men were at work in the pit repairing a hydraulic jack, when the gas formed from chemicals used in operating the jack ignited from a lighted torch. Both men were terribly burned.

Production of Corn.
Washington, Nov. 11.—Preliminary returns to the chief of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture on the production of corn in 1903, indicate a total yield of about 2,313,000,000 bushels, or an average of 25.8 bushels per acre, as compared with an average yield of 26.8 bushels one year ago.

Emperor Under Surgeon's Knife.
Berlin, Nov. 9.—Emperor William underwent an operation Saturday for the removal of a growth from his larynx. The operation was not a serious one

PUPILS IN SCHOOLS.

The Average Daily Attendance Is the Largest That Has Ever Been Reported.

Washington, Nov. 6.—The report of the commissioner of education for the last fiscal year places the total number of pupils enrolled in the common schools during the year at 15,925,887, or over 20 per cent. of the entire population. The average daily attendance for 1902 was 10,993,273, being 69 per cent. of the total number enrolled. This is the largest average attendance on the number enrolled ever reported in the United States. The actual average number of days attended by each pupil enrolled reached 100 days, which was 22 days in excess of that of 1870.

The average school term for the first time in the history of the United States reached 145 days. The average monthly wages of teachers for 1902 were \$49 for men and about \$40 for women. Less than 28 per cent. of the teachers were men, or 122,392 out of a total of 439,196.

The private schools are tabulated at 1,103,901 for the elementary schools and 168,636 for academies and other secondary schools.

The public high schools enrolled 75 per cent. of the entire number of secondary students. The value of the school property of the high schools of the United States amounted to near

MAKES A STRONG PLEA FOR CUBA

President Roosevelt on the Need of Legislation for the Cuban Republic.

Says Proposed Reciprocal Arrangements Will Be to Our Advantage Also—The Whole People of the United States Will Be Benefited—Sees Danger in Failure.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The following is President Roosevelt's message to the extraordinary session of congress:

To the Senate and House of Representatives: I have convened the congress that it may consider the legislation necessary to put into operation the commercial treaty with Cuba, which was ratified by the senate at its last session and subsequently by the Cuban government. I deem such legislation demanded, not only by our interest, but by our honor. We cannot with propriety abandon the course upon which we have so wisely embarked. When the acceptance of the Platt amendment was required from Cuba by the action of congress of the United States, this government thereby definitely committed itself to the policy of treating Cuba as occupying a unique position as regards this country. It was provided that when the island became a free and independent republic she should stand in such close relations with us as in certain respects to come within our system of international policy; and it necessarily followed that she must also to a certain degree become included within the lines of our economic policy. Situated as Cuba is it would not be possible for this country to permit the strategic abuse of the plan by any foreign military power. It is for this reason that certain limitations have been imposed upon her financial policy and that naval stations have been conceded by her to the United States. The negotiations as to the details of these naval stations are on the eve of completion. They are so situated as to prevent any idea that there is the intention ever to use them against Cuba, or otherwise than for the protection of Cuba from the assaults of foreign foes, and for the better safeguarding of American interests in the waters south of us.

Good Faith of Cuba Shown.

These interests have been largely increased by the consequences of the war with Spain, and will be still further increased by the building of the Isthmian canal. They are both military and economic. The granting to us by Cuba of the naval stations above alluded to is of the utmost importance from a military standpoint and is proof of the good faith with which Cuba is treating us. Cuba has made great progress since her independence was established. She has advanced steadily in every way. She already stands high among her sister republics of the new world. She is loyally observing her obligations to us; and she is entitled to like treatment by us.

Treaty Stands Alone.

This reciprocity treaty stands by itself. It is demanded on consideration of broad national policy as well as by our economic interest. It will do harm to no industry. It will benefit many industries. It is in the interest of our people as a whole, both because of its importance from the broad standpoint of international policy and because economically it intimately concerns us to develop and secure the rich Cuban market for our farmers, artisans, merchants and manufacturers. Finally, it is desirable as a guaranty of the good faith of our nation towards her young sister republic to the south, whose welfare must ever be closely bound with ours. We gave her liberty. We are knit to her by the memories of the blood and the courage of our soldiers who fought for her in war; by the memories of the wisdom and integrity of our administrators who saved her in peace and who started her so well on the difficult path of self-government. We must help her onward and upward; and in helping her we shall help ourselves.

The foregoing considerations caused the negotiation of the treaty with Cuba and its ratification by the senate. They now with equal force support the legislation by the congress which by the terms of the treaty is necessary to render it operative. A failure to enact such legislation would come perilously near a repudiation of the pledged faith of the nation. I transmit herewith the treaty, as amended by the senate and ratified by the Cuban government.

White House, Nov. 10, 1903.
THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Entire Family Murdered.

Marianna, Fla., Nov. 10.—The dead bodies of five negroes, badly mutilated, have been discovered in a cabin eight miles from this place. The bodies have been identified as Henry Kelly, his wife and three small children.

Sawmill Burned.

La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 7.—The N. B. Holway sawmill, in this city, was totally destroyed by fire between four and six o'clock. The loss is \$60,000. Insurance amount.

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Might be Unanimous

If the tide setting towards President Roosevelt does not stop soon his election to the presidency of the United States in the next campaign may be unanimous.

First it was rumored persistently that Wall street would get some one in his own party to enter the lists against him for the nomination; but this rumor has been relegated to dreamland by the announcement that Senator Hanna will join hands with Roosevelt and aid in his election. For Wall street cannot find a candidate strong enough to make it interesting for a Roosevelt-Hanna combination.

Next it was rumored that the agitation of W. Randolph Hearst and his sensational papers would lead to an arraying of the labor element against the President; but the men who work for a living appreciate the sterling worth of Roosevelt and admire his courage, and they have said nay to the siren-voiced manipulators who have sought, for selfish motives, to array them against the President.

Democratic leaders like Gorman, Cleveland and Bryan show, it is true, no inclination to join the host and shout for Roosevelt; but their followers in all parts of the country are growing restless under the lash of the perpetual bickerings of the different leaders and one by one they are leaving the shadow of democratic promises for the substance of republican fulfillment.

If Bryan, Gorman and Cleveland would take a vacation on election day Roosevelt's election might be unanimous.

Spain, Columbia, Panama and The Canal

Paradoxical as it may sound, it is true that Uncle Sam is under obligations to Spain for a great many things. During the war with Spain great problems had to be handled and great problems are still up for solution as the result of the war. For the experience gained through these problems we owe Spain thanks. One thing this experience taught Uncle Sam, and that is to act quickly when the emergency demands quickness.

As an example, take the case of Columbia and Panama in South America. No one can tell just why the various South American states are troubled with revolutions every change of the moon. These revolutions occur so often that the world ceases to study the why or wherefore of them. The one the other day is no exception. A mixture of restlessness and maladministration, tinged with a dash of tyranny and cruelty, and the whole shaken well by the fiery southern temper, brought about the revolution, and the people involved settled the question with the most exasperating nonchalance. When the smoke from the battle of words and of proclamations cleared away it was found that a new republic named Panama had been born.

The United States is concerned in the situation in the country of revolutions in a neighborly sort of a way and in a canal sort of a way. Columbia, many times befriended by the United States, was, by the bill authorizing the purchase of the Isthmian canal, placed in a position to do the graceful in the reciprocity line. In consideration of the many favors received and of a large sum of money, it was asked to give Uncle Sam the right to build the big ditch. The scent of money was too much for the sensitive Columbians and a little clique of them put their heads together to squeeze Uncle Sam for a larger amount than was offered. This clique, banded together by the opportunities for boodle and graft, held up the canal project in an effort to hold up Uncle Sam, and the nations on the other side of the ocean laughed at Uncle Sam's predicament. No canal said the world.

Then something happened. A quarrel among themselves over the attitude of Columbia on the canal question, mixed with innumerable other things that these South American republics always have on tap to quarrel about gave Panama the opportunity to secede. Panama seceded, declared its independence and announced to the world that it was ready to enter the republic business on its own hook. The United States, thanks to the experience it has been

having since the war with Spain with international affairs, acted with lightning-like quickness. The republic of Panama was recognized, notice was served that treaty rights would be enforced, which practically means that the two doughy republics cannot go to war, and incidentally the canal project is many steps nearer to realization, for Panama, realizing the good that the canal will do for Panama, will deal more fairly with Uncle Sam than would Columbia.

John Mitchell Says

John Mitchell says: "Labor unions must be kept strictly apart from politics, and just as soon as they become political machines they must die. In endorsing one candidate we would have to endorse others perhaps less worthy of support, and so it would continue until an endorsement would stand for nothing but graft."

It is safe to assert that the majority of the labor union men agrees with the foregoing sentiment of the great labor leader.

Farewell to Miss Grace Hoekje

Farewells to Miss Grace Hoekje, the missionary to Japan, occupied the attention of the students and the faculty of Hope college the first of the week. Never in the history of Hope was greater tribute paid to an alumnus, and never was tribute so richly deserved. Meetings at which farewells were spoken were held Monday afternoon and evening, among those who gathered being the members of Miss Hoekje's Sunday school class from the Town hall school, and the members of the Volunteer Band, of which Miss Hoekje was a member. Monday evening a social was given in her honor under the auspices of the college Y. W. C. A. at the home of Miss Lottie Hoyt and she was presented with a handsome ring. The round of farewells ended Tuesday when students and faculty assembled at the Pere Marquette depot to bid a last adieu.

One of the prettiest incidents at the Pere Marquette station, occurred just as the train was pulling out. The college students had just ceased their lusty rendering of the college yells, when some one started to sing the words,

"God be with you till we meet again,
By his council guide, uphold you," etc.
and all joined in the song. Then followed the stanzas beginning with,
"Blessed be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love,
When we sever part, it gives us inward pain;
But we shall still be joined in heart, and hope to meet again."

As the last words of the song died away there was scarcely a dry eye in the crowd.

Miss Hoekje left for Chicago, where she will be the guest of Rev. William Moordyke and family for several days before going to San Francisco. She will leave for San Francisco on the steamer Corea for Nagasaki, Nov. 18. The Second Reformed church of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., will assume the support of the new missionary.

Miss Hoekje is the oldest daughter of Rev. John Hoekje, pastor of the Reformed church at Fremont, and graduate of Hope College. A sister, Miss Hannah, and two brothers, John and Willis, are students of Hope.

Lecture at The Seminary.

The Rev. John N. McCormick, D. D., of St. Mark's Episcopal church, Grand Rapids, will deliver a lecture in Semelink Hall on Tuesday evening next, Nov. 17, at 7:45 p. m. Topic: "The Episcopal Church and its mission." He will be followed later on by the Rev. R. G. Lewis, D. D., of the Division street M. E. church; the Rev. L. H. Davis of the First Presbyterian church; and the Rev. R. W. McLaughlin, D. D., of the Park Place Congregational church, who will speak for their own denominations and their work.

This course is designed to furnish information as to these great churches and what they are doing to build up the kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ in all the world. The public is invited and urged to attend.

Paving Accepted.

Holland's first big paving contract, calling for brick pavement on Eighth street, was finished by Contractor Prange this week. Wednesday the fire department flooded the street with water to discover the weak spots, and Wednesday and Thursday the mayor and the common council inspected the work. They pronounced it satisfactory. Five or six weak spots were found and Mr. Prange was given the alternative of having \$500 kept out of the contract price until next spring to bind him to the fixing of these weak spots, or to be paid in full and fix the weak spots now. He will announce his decision at Tuesday night's council meeting. The contract price is \$36,848.20.

The paving is as good a job as has ever been done in this part of

the state and compares more than favorably with the brick pavements in Grand Rapids. Eighth street now presents a handsome appearance and property owners have reason to feel proud of it.

General Items

A local teacher, instructing a class in composition, said: "Do not attempt any flights of fancy; be yourselves and write what is in you." The following day a bright pupil handed in the following: "We should not attempt any flights of fancy, write what is in us. In me there is my stomach, my heart, lungs, liver, two apples, one piece of mince pie, three sticks of candy, a hull lot of peanuts, and my dinner."—Tower Hill, Ill. Breeze.

Ginseng, the plant that the Chinese have prized for ages as a valuable medicine, is to be cultivated by a Grand Rapids company just organized. The name of the concern will be the Michigan Ginseng Farm Co. It is said that the plant has become nearly extinct in China.

Some weeks ago a Traverse City man's house was burglarized and among the articles taken was a certificate of deposit on a local bank. Realizing that he could not cash it, the obliging burglar, instead of tearing up the paper, brought it back one night last week and slipped it under the door of the owner's house.

The inopportune ringing of an alarm clock caused the arrest of Robert Flynn at Owosso. Mrs. Kate Knapp, who conducts a downtown restaurant, called in Officer Frank Smith and described Flynn, whom she suspected of stealing the time piece. Almost the first man the officer met was Flynn. While he was hesitating to arrest him the alarm clock in Flynn's pocket rang lustily, and the man was promptly gathered in.

Circuit Court

The November term of the circuit court began Monday with Judge Padgham on the bench. All of the jury on the panel were present with the exception of Max Konke of Grand Haven town, T. L. Morris of Olive, who were excused by the judge, and Wells Parish of Allendale, who did not put in an appearance.

Frank Harris, charged with burglary, who was bound over to circuit court by Judge Pagelson, appeared before Judge Padgham and asked to be tried at this term. He made no plea and a plea of not guilty was ordered by the court. Harris having no means, Arthur J. VanDuren of Holland was appointed to defend him.

Fyko Droost of Polkton was given his citizen's paper Monday. The new oath was given to Mr. Droost for the first time in this court. It is much longer than the old one and deals particularly with anarchy.

Adrian VerBerkmoes was convicted of adultery Tuesday morning. The jury was out but a short time and the evidence was apparently heavily against the defendant, Alta Wood of Grand Rapids, who is the woman mentioned in the complaint, and Ella McElfish of Muskegon testified against the defendant. The case of the people was handled by Prosecutor McBride, and Dan F. Pagelson was appointed by the court to look after the defense.

In the case of Cornelius Blom against Edward Sheutemar, a default case, a judgement for \$356.21 in favor of the plaintiff was given. Ann Barlow was granted a decree of divorce from Alezas Barlow.

In the case of Bird E. Palmer vs Clarence Palmer and the case of Roy Corbett vs Mary Corbett divorces were granted. Attorney Arthur VanDuren appeared for complainants in both cases.

John Fileman charged with robbing Tim Tansey was found guilty at Thursday's session. Fileman, it was charged, got on a drunk with Tansey in this city and then relieved him of his coat, shoes, hat and money. Attorney Dan Pagelson, who defended Fileman, contended that the articles and money were not stolen, but that the young men were out for a time and merely exchanged clothes.

Today, Fileman was sentenced to Jackson for not less than seven years nor more than 10 years.

Harry Bos, who pleaded guilty to stealing a revolver, was sentenced to Ionia prison, for not less than one and one-half years or more than 2 years.

John P. DePree, Jr., and John F. X., the Zealand club men who pleaded guilty in circuit court to violating the liquor law, were sentenced today to pay a fine of \$100 and costs amounting to \$111.38 and to spend 30 days in the county jail.

Cornelius Prins while working in the West Michigan furniture factory yesterday afternoon, had the thumb and the first finger of his right hand so badly injured that amputation of the thumb and part of the finger was necessary. Dr. Imus performed the operation.

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Dave McKnight, while working on the "Willy" on the Interurban railway yesterday bruised one of his hands so badly that it was necessary for him to take a lay-off. He and his wife left today for a short visit with friends in Detroit.

Farmers Institute Meetings

The Ottawa Co. Farmers Institute society will hold one day meetings this year in the second week in December beginning at Spring Lake on Tuesday Dec. 8; Coopersville, Dec. 9; Lamont, Dec. 10; Hudsonville, Dec. 11; New Holland, Dec. 12.

Two state speakers will be at these meetings.

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The old farmhouse I see again;
In its low dark eaves the twittering wren
It nested long ago;
And I breathe once more the south wind's
balm,
And sit and watch in the twilight's calm,
The bat flit to and fro.

The white cows lie at the pasture bars,
And the dairy cool, with its tins and jars,
Is stored with curds and cream;
There's somebody putting the things to
right,
And through the windows I see a light,
From the tallow candle gleam.

The garden is rich with its old-time bloom,
And I catch, in fancy, the faint perfume
Of blossoms dank with dew;
And over it all is the starlit dome,
And round about it the peace of home—
How it all comes back to view!

The night wind stirs in elm and oak,
And up from the mill pond comes the croak
Of the bullfrog's rich bassoon;
And I catch the gleam, as over the brink
There peeps with tremulous, shivering
blink
The rim of the crescent moon.

It all comes back from the dusk of time,
With the mournful cadence and swell of
rhyme
That is half remembered still—
Like a measure from some forgotten
strain,
That hauntingly comes and flees again,
And under a dusky twilight sky
It, mingling, floats with the plaintive cry
Of the desolate whip-poor-will.
—Hollis W. Field, in Quincy Whig.

Aunt Sarah's Will

By
Cyrus Derickson

AUNT SARAH SNOWDEN had never married, and furthermore she had always been a burden on her relatives. That is to say, she had worked about twice as hard as any paid hand for her board and clothes, and was still at it when she was 50 years old.

She was called "Aunt" as a term of derision, and as she was irascible and sour-tempered her life was not overburdened with sunny days. At 50 she was expecting nothing but to drudge along for the rest of her days and be known as a poor relation, when a most unexpected event happened.

At 30 years of age Aunt Sarah had almost been engaged to an old bachelor. She had been so near to it that he had seen her home from church on several occasions and "sat up" with her in the evening. She had also accompanied him to a circus and a camp meeting, and a marriage might have resulted had they not fallen into a dispute over some trifling matter.

Both were "set" in their opinions, and after some hot words the bachelor withdrew and left the maiden all forlorn. He passed out of her sight to die 20 years later and leave her \$30,000 by will.

The news of Aunt Sarah's windfall threw the hamlet of Rosedale into a flutter that did not quiet down for months.

Of course, nine-tenths of the people, including her brother Ben and his wife, hoped it wasn't true, but a lawyer came on to prove her claim and finally hand her over the cash, and then nine-tenths of the people made a lightning change. From being the drudge of the family, Aunt Sarah was exalted to the post of guest.

That \$30,000 looked bigger than Taylor's hill to the farmers and villagers, and it was an astounding thing that it should come to a little old woman who wouldn't know what to do with it.

In one week everybody who knew the old maid had called to congratulate and advise, and inside of another at least a score of people who had



Called to Congratulate.

never spoken to her called to borrow or to interest her in plans and schemes.

From brother Ben, who wanted to build a new barn and buy four more cows, to Rev. Mr. Johnson, who had been for years hoping to raise enough money to build a Baptist church, there was some one after portions of that money day and night.

Aunt Sarah did not lose her head. She bought herself a new alpaca dress and a bonnet of a style not over three years old, and set up housekeeping for herself. She neither gave away nor loaned a dollar, but after awhile made an announcement.

As the money had come to her by will, it should go to others in the same way. The doctors had told her that she had a weak heart, and was liable to drop dead any hour, and she did not expect to live over four or five years at the most. The Baptist church, brother Ben and all the rest must wait for her demise to benefit.

This was looked upon as a sinful trick by some, and there were whispered criticisms behind each door, but Aunt Sarah was obdurate and there was nothing to do but wait.

Thirty thousand dollars is a sum to bow down to. The people bowed down. Aunt Sarah was flattered and cajoled. Two or three old widowers came

"spooking around" to talk marriage, and speculators came from a distance to offer ground-floor shares in gold mines and oil wells.

She had the best pew when she went to church, the politest attention when she called at the post office or the dry-goods store, and everybody made up his or her mind to be mentioned in her last will.

The woman lived in clover for five years and then died. The term "clover" should be interpreted to mean that so many custards, pumpkin pies, glasses of jelly, fruit of preserves, fresh eggs, baskets of fruit and spring chickens were sent in to her by neighbors that she lived high without buying much, and the women were so kind about dressmaking that her clothes cost her next to nothing.

About 500 people were on the tip-toe of expectation regarding the will. It was the largest funeral ever known in Branch county. The woman had made her will and was dead, but it seemed as if some folks hoped to come in for something by attending the funeral.

There was weeping at the house—something of a rivalry between certain women as to who should weep the hardest—and there was weeping at the church. The mile-long funeral procession moved at a slow and dignified pace, and there was no undue haste to get back home.

The executors named did not live in Rosedale at all, but they were on hand to let the provisions of the will be known.

"Firstly," read the document, so long waited for, "I give and bequeath to my brother Benjamin the sum of \$1,000, but as I drugged for his family 18 years without pay I direct my executors to put in a claim for \$1,500 as an offset."

"To Mary Snowden, wife of Benjamin Snowden, who hardly ever gave me a decent word until I got my money, I give and bequeath my three best dresses, minus the sleeves and buttons."

"To Rev. Mr. Johnson, with which to build a new Baptist church, I leave the sum of \$3,000, but I threaten that before coming into possession of it he shall preach ten sermons, during which no one shall fall asleep, and that he shall never attempt to sing in public again."

There were 50 bequests in all, and it must have taken Aunt Sarah a year to study them out to her satisfaction. She had about 20 relatives, none of whom had shown her much consideration during her days of loveliness and hard work, and while she had left a bequest to each and every one it was under such conditions that none could accept. Every woman in the village who had ever rubbed her fur the wrong way was duly remembered, but little good did it do them.

The only bequest without a proviso read:

"To Job Sanderson, the village cooper, who once helped me over a mud-hole without asking me why I never got married, and who didn't recommend a cure for freckles and wrinkles, I bequeath the sum of \$2,000, and may it do him much good."

The residue of her estate, which meant all but the \$3,000 above named, was bequeathed to a charity and went there, and then the smile on Aunt Sarah's face as she lay dead was explained.

Before the reading of the will it was whispered that she had been talking with the angels. After the reading it was announced in loud tones that the angels were somebody else—somebody with tails and hoofs.—Boston Globe.

SETTING A LAWYER DOWN.

Attempted to Measure Wits with a Reporter and Was Badly Worsted.

Not long ago a prominent contributor to the columns of the Philadelphia newspapers was a witness in a trivial case in court and was being harried by a bumptious county lawyer, who asked:

"So you are a writer, are you? Well, sir, with what great paper or magazine are you connected?"

"With none," was the modest reply. "Then why do you call yourself a writer? What do you write—novels, scientific works, histories or what?"

"I write anything and everything that occurs to me as likely to be worth reading or to sell, whether it is worth reading or not."

"Well, then, for whom or for what do you write? You say you are not connected with any paper or magazine."

"Yes, sir. I so stated. I am an unattached writer, for the general market."

"Just so. You write anything that occurs to you. Well, now, do you ever write up the proceedings of courts?"

"I have done so occasionally."

"Can you state to the judge and jury what particular kind of a court proceeding you would deem worthy of your pen?"

"Yes. If I saw a young lawyer treating a respectable witness in a very rude and disrespectful manner and making an ass of himself generally I should think that possibly worth writing up."

The court and jury smiled audibly. The judge took the witness in hand for a moment.

"How much do you think a scene like this, for instance, ought to bring if it were well written up?"

"It would depend upon the actors. If the lawyer were a person of any note or character possibly five or ten dollars."

"What would you expect to receive should you write the facts of this particular instance?"

"About 75 cents, your honor." Counsel for the defense had no more questions to ask.

Society and Personal.

Delightful Reception.

One of the most delightful receptions of the season was held yesterday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, when Mrs. B. Keppel, Mrs. J. G. Van Putten and Mrs. A. C. Van Raalte entertained at the home of Mrs. B. Keppel, 36 East Twelfth street. Over one hundred guests were present.

Mrs. Albert Diekema, and Miss Minnie Van Raalte assisted in receiving the guests, and dainty refreshments were served by the Misses Minnie and Addie Bell and Kate Pfantstiel. The Misses Helene Keppel and Vera Kleinheksel presided at the punch bowl.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with palms chrysantheums, and carnations, forming a brilliant setting for the handsomely gowned women.

Mrs. Gus Kraus gave a shower yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Allys Purdy, who will be married next Tuesday to Geo. Van Landegent. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable afternoon was spent.

Miss Myrtle Johnson gave a shower Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Allys Purdy. Dainty refreshments were served and an enjoyable afternoon was passed. Miss Purdy received many handsome presents.

Miss Susie Glass and John Moilegra were united in marriage yesterday afternoon.

Invitations have been issued to a dancing party to be given Tuesday evening, November 24, at Odd Fellows hall in the Vander Veen block. A symphony orchestra will furnish the music. The reception committee consists of the Misses Martha Blom, Eline Kleaver, Agnes Mohr, and Florence Krusega.

At a meeting of the young people's literary and social club formed a few weeks ago, held at the home of the Misses Jean and Belle Steffens, 133 West Eleventh street, Monday evening, it was decided that the new organization be called the Ottawa club. The literary and musical program carried out was very pleasing, the Misses Steffens, Yates and Kleyn contributing an instrumental selection, and Miss Steffens giving a vocal number. Miss Yates and Miss Steffens gave a piano duet and Miss Pfantstiel and J. W. Heardslee gave readings. Dainty refreshments were served. The Ottawa club will be entertained Nov. 23, by Attorney L. Y. Devries at 50 West Twelfth street.

Henry VanLente was the guest of friends in Howard City Sunday.

Calvin McKinley of West Olive and Elsie Barlow of Ottawa Station were in the city on business, Monday.

Miss Pearl Winters, formerly of Agnew, is now employed in Hotel Holland.

Dr. J. Mastenbroek made a business trip to Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Rev. S. C. Nettinga of Spring Lake was the guest Tuesday of Rev. and Mrs. James F. Zwemer.

F. A. Miller and R. C. Miller left Wednesday for a trip to Chicago in the interests of the German Gelatine company.

C. J. DeRoo, was in Chicago, Thursday on business.

John Jackson, of Grand Rapids, formerly of Olive, was in the city, Thursday.

Ed DeGraaf of this city has been employed by Wm. Glerum & Bros. of Zeeland to make rucks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Thomas left Wednesday for a week's visit with friends in Hartford. Incidentally Mr. Thomas will shoot a few rabbits while away.

Rev. James F. Zwemer returned Saturday from a western trip in the interests of the Western Theological seminary.

J. E. Murray visited friends and relatives in Chicago this week.

Miss Nellie DeVries was the guest of relatives in Grand Rapids Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Marshall were the guests of friends in Grand Rapids this week.

C. Blom, Jr., was in Grand Haven Monday.

Attorney J. C. Post was in Chicago the first of the week.

John S. Holmes, editor of the Hamilton Echo, visited relatives and friends in this city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Raven and daughter were the guests Sunday of relatives in McDonald.

Will Rosenboom and Will Vanden Berg left yesterday for Indianapolis to take a course in the Indianapolis Business college.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Butler and son of Shelby were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swift.

W. O. VanEyk, city clerk, was in Grand Haven Tuesday.

T. W. Oakley, manager of the H. J. Heinz Co., plant in this city made a business trip to Chicago the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harmon left Monday for a visit with relatives in Hartford.

John F. Dryden of Allegan was in the city Sunday the guest of relatives.

Herman Vaapel of Allegan was the guest Sunday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vaapel.

J. H. Boone of Zeeland was in the city Monday.

Charles Parreant, the leader of the band and orchestra at Jenison Park last summer, was the guest of friends in this city this week.

John Pieters of Fennville was the guest of H. Boone, sr., Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Hall and family were the guests of relatives in Fennville Sunday.

Miss Jeanne Blom was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bertsch of Mill Creek the first of the week.

Mrs. J. S. Dykstra and Mrs. P. F. Schuilke were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

A. VanPutten made a business trip to Chicago this week.

Miss Jennie Knoll, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. S. Dykstra, has returned to her home in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. George Hunt of Milwaukee, who has been the guest of relatives here, has returned home.

Miss Mary Peimulder of Orange City, Iowa, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Van Antrooy, West Thirtieth street.

Mrs. Peter Burgh visited friends in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mrs. J. F. White and two children returned Tuesday from a visit with Mrs. White's parents of Stanwood.

H. Boone, sr., attended to business in Grand Haven Tuesday.

Mrs. Lemma, of Fennville, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Dusen, has returned home.

James A. Brouwer is again in the field with a convincing advocacy to the effect that at the time that people have occasion to furnish their new home the place for them to turn to naturally is Brouwer's big furniture store. There they will be given an opportunity to buy a fine outfit of furniture, carpets, and draperies at prices that are right and there they will be given to understand how to take the first step in money-saving. And the best of it all is that in the beginning it is not absolutely necessary to have the money for the house will be furnished by Brouwer if you only pay a little down and pay the balance on easy payments.

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Cornelia Van Sloeten to Martinus Schipper pt lot 6 blk 10 sw add Holland..... 850
Derk Steketee and wife to Simon Meeuwen e 1-2 lot 5 blk 26 Holland..... 750
Arie Lagesteet and wife to Simon Bos pt e 1-2 sw 1-4 ne 1-4 ne 1-4 sec 9 trwp Holland..... 3000
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REVOLUTIONISTS BOMBARD CITY

News from Santo Domingo Reports Commerce of the Republic Paralyzed.

DIPLOMATIC CORPS NOTIFIED IN ADVANCE OF SHELLING OF CITY

Situation Said to Be Critical and the Presence of More Warships Urgently Required—Minister Powell Has Narrow Escape from Death—Rumor of Capitulation.

San Domingo, Republic of Santo Domingo, Tuesday, Nov. 10.—The city is closely besieged by the revolutionists and commerce is paralyzed. Firing around San Domingo continues. Many shells are falling into the city. The political situation is unchanged. The German warships Panther and Gazelle are here.

Previous to beginning the bombardment of San Domingo the revolutionists notified the diplomatic corps and the consular officers that they had previously served notice on the Dominican government that the forces of the revolution intended to adopt all means, including bombardment, in their efforts to capture the city. The representatives of the powers met to-day and concluded that they could only hold communication with the legally established government of the country.

Situation Becoming Critical.
The situation here is becoming very critical and the presence of more warships in San Domingo is urgently required.

The guard for the German consulate, which was landed from the cruisers of Germany now in port, is in constant communication with the latter by means of a signal station which has been erected over the consulate.

The German steamer Athens, which was prevented some days ago from landing her cargo at San Pedro de Macoris, was, under the protection of the German cruiser, succeeded in landing her cargo at that port, and has proceeded to the northern ports of Santo Domingo, where she has cargo and passengers. Athens has a German escort with her in order to facilitate the discharge of her freight.

Heavy Government Losses.
New York, Nov. 11.—A dispatch from Santo Domingo dated November 9 says that the attack on the city by the revolutionists, which began last Friday, was still in force Monday.

During last Saturday night, the dispatch continues, the insurgents attacked the outposts with small arms and also delivered a rather heavy shell fire. The government, however, succeeded in repelling the attack, although with considerable loss. The losses of the revolutionists were slight. Some foreign non-combatants were killed.

During the attack on Sunday afternoon an insurgent shell passed within a few feet of Mr. Powell, the American minister at the legation.

A sortie was made by 140 government troops, but they were ambushed and compelled to retire within the walls, leaving their dead and wounded on the field.

Early Sunday night there was another heavy attack, but the rebels were again repulsed. The losses are unknown.

Rumor of Capitulation.
Cape Haytien, Hayti, Nov. 11.—Further advices from Monte Cristi, Santo Domingo, from which place it was reported Tuesday that the capital of that republic, San Domingo, had capitulated to the revolutionists and that Gen. Jimenez had been proclaimed president. It is said that during the last hours of the fighting the city of San Domingo was threatened with bombardment as a result of the resistance of the government troops.

To Prevent Further Bombardment.
Washington, Nov. 11.—Capt. Briggs, commanding the cruiser Baltimore, cabled the navy department Wednesday from Puerto Plata that the Baltimore left there that morning for Macoris and San Domingo City. It is said at the state department that the instructions to the American naval officers are of a character to prevent any further bombardment by the government or insurgent forces of any San Domingo port where American interests are involved without the notice required by international law.

Death of Naval Veteran.
Augusta, Ga., Nov. 11.—Rear Admiral Lester Anthony Beardslee, U. S. N., retired, died suddenly Tuesday night of apoplexy at Chateau-Levert, the country home of Col. D. L. Dyer. The admiral was in the city most of the day attending the street fair, and until 11 o'clock at night there was no sign of illness. The body will leave Augusta for Washington to-day, where it will be cremated. Admiral Beardslee entered the navy in 1850. He became rear admiral in 1895, and was retired in 1898. He was born in New York.

A Sweeping Decision.
Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 11.—Attorney General Prout has rendered an opinion against the St. Louis Fair Guessing company, a Hastings, Neb., concern, and upon his advice the state banking board has refused to permit the company to transact business. The opinion is so sweeping as to cover all guessing concerns operating upon this plan.

To Reduce Wages.
Fall River, Mass., Nov. 11.—Notices were posted Wednesday in the cotton mills of this city announcing a general reduction of ten per cent. in wages, to take effect November 23. About 30,000 operatives are employed.

COLOMBIA PROTESTS.

Complains of Course Taken by the United States—Embarking of Troops Prohibited.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The United States of Colombia has lodged a protest with the state department against the action of the United States in connection with the events which have occurred on the Isthmus of Panama. The terms of the protest could not be ascertained, but it is known that strong objection is made to the attitude of the United States in general and against interpretations made by this government of the treaty of 1846 between the United States of America and the United States of Colombia.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Embarking of Colombian troops from Buena Ventura or any other Colombian port for the Isthmus will not be permitted by the Washington government and American warships will be ordered to any port upon receipt of an intimation that Colombian troops will attempt to sail for the Isthmus. The Washington government holds that this policy is in the interest of the general good.

Berlin, Nov. 10.—The foreign office says Germany will, of course, recognize the republic of Panama after the United States' formal recognition. The German government has not yet requested the United States to protect German citizens and their property, because, apparently, they are not in danger.

Colon, Nov. 11.—The provisional government at Panama has received a telegram from President Marroquin, of the Republic of Colombia, giving assurances that the Panama canal bill would most certainly pass congress next August and that Gen. Reyes was on his way to the Isthmus to make proposals looking to peace and the saving of the national honor.

BOILER EXPLODES.

Fatal Accident Occurs at Agricultural College at Columbus, O.—Engineer Is Killed.

Columbus, O., Nov. 7.—While students of the agricultural college at the Ohio state university were witnessing the harvesting of a field of corn for ensilage purposes by a machine, operated by an old traction engine shortly before ten o'clock Friday, the boiler blew up. The hurling pieces of iron tore through the crowd of students. The engineer, Charles Pepper, was blown about 50 feet from the engine and his body was terribly mangled by the debris and slaid by the hot water from the boiler. Eight persons were injured.

Prof. Vernon H. Davis, assistant professor in horticulture, had his hand badly cut and mashed.

MOTION IS GRANTED.

United States Supreme Court Advances Case of Minnesota vs. Northern Securities Company.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The United States supreme court Monday granted the motion recently made on behalf of the state of Minnesota to advance the hearing of the case of that state vs. the Northern Securities company, and named the 4th of January, after other cases already set for that date, as the time for hearing the case.

The state has asked that the case be set for hearing in connection with the proceeding of the national government against the securities company, for which December 14 already has been designated.

Cashiers Arrested.

Jordan, Minn., Nov. 9.—H. S. Schreiner, cashier, and A. G. Schaeffer, assistant cashier, of the Scott County bank, which closed its doors a week ago, have been arrested, pending an investigation into the affairs of the concern. It is alleged they received deposits after the bank was insolvent. They were released on \$2,000 bail bonds each. The total assets of the bank amount to \$143,881, the liabilities \$154,054.27.

Death of William L. Elkins.

New York, Nov. 9.—William L. Elkins, master of millions and one of the noted, picturesque duo of financial giants who made the coupled names of Widener-Elkins famous for great enterprises in both America, in Europe and even in Africa and the far east, died Saturday night at his suburban mansion, at Ashborne, near Philadelphia. He was 71 years old.

Showed Their Feeling.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 7.—As showing the depth of resentment over the success of the United States in the Alaska boundary matter, during the performance of a minstrel troupe here the music of the American anthem was vigorously hissed. When the flag formed itself in the stage lights, the expressions of dissent became so loud that the curtain was hastily rung down.

Anarchist to Be Deported.

New York, Nov. 9.—Judge Lacombe, of the federal court in New York, ordered the deportation of John Turner, the English anarchist, being the first application of the new law forbidding "reds" entrance here.

Strike Ordered.

New York, Nov. 9.—President Frank Buchanan, of the Bridge and Structural Iron Workers of America, has ordered a strike the country over on all contracts held by the Iron League of New York.

Seed Merchants Assign.

Philadelphia, Nov. 9.—A receiver has been appointed for D. Landreth & Sons, seed merchants. The liabilities are about \$750,000, and the assets much less. The house is one of the oldest in the country.

Parks Sentenced.

New York, Nov. 7.—Sam Parks has been sentenced to two years and three months in Sing Sing prison. This sentence was passed on the charge of extorting \$500 from the Tiffany studios.

EXTRA SESSION CALLED TO ORDER

Congress Convenes in Washington in Accordance with Proclamation of the President.

At the Roll Call Seventy Senators Answered—Joseph G. Cannon Chosen Speaker of the House—Several Bills Are Introduced and Other Business Is Transacted.

Washington, Nov. 10.—With galleries crowded, with the chamber a mass of elaborate floral tributes and nearly every senator in his seat, the gavel of President Pro-tem. Frye sounded at noon Yesterday calling the senate together in the second extraordinary session of the Fifty-eighth congress. At the roll-call 70 senators answered, and President Pro-tem. Frye declared a quorum present.

Senator Hoar and Senator Gorman were appointed a committee to join a committee appointed by the house to inform the president congress had organized and was ready to receive any communication he had to make.

A resolution offered by Senator Culom fixing 12 o'clock, noon, as the hour for convening daily sessions was adopted, after which the senate, at 12:14 p. m., adjourned.

The Second Day.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Tuesday's session of the senate was devoted exclusively to the reading of the president's message in support of reciprocity with Cuba and to the routine incident to the receipt of the message. The message received the careful attention of the senators, and when its reading had been concluded it was referred to the committee on foreign affairs.

In the House.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The house of representatives of the Fifty-eighth congress yesterday held its first session and except for the naming of committees, which will follow later, organization was completed. Joseph G. Cannon, of Illinois, whose elevation to the speakership was assured months ago, was formally elected speaker and inducted into office.

Many Bills Introduced.

Several hundred bills were introduced in the house, among them being the following: Admission of New Mexico as a state; restoring the army cadet; giving congress the right to regulate the trusts; to increase the pay of rural free delivery carriers; providing a territorial form of government for Alaska; to abolish government by injunction; to elect senators by popular vote; prescribing the death penalty for the crime of killing the president of the United States, the vice president, ambassadors or ministers of foreign countries accredited to the United States. Adjourned.

Hear the Message.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Speaker Cannon called the house to order promptly at 12 o'clock yesterday and the president's message was received and read. Resolutions of respect to the memory of Mr. Forrester, of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Roreing, of Kentucky, were adopted and as a further mark of respect the house at 12:27 adjourned.

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.

Children Play with Can Which Had Contained Nitroglycerin and Four Are Killed.

Lancaster, O., Nov. 9.—Four children were instantly killed by an explosion of nitroglycerin at Buck's Run, in Hocking county, Sunday. The dead are Oscar Bohn, and Charles Bohn, aged 14 and 12; their eight-year-old sister and the nine-year-old son of Robert Conrad. The children were playing with a can which had contained nitroglycerin and it is supposed struck it with a stone. The home of the Bohns was partially wrecked. The bodies of the children were terribly mutilated.

State Bank Robbed.

Parkers Prairie, Minn., Nov. 10.—The State bank was robbed Sunday night, the safe being looted of every dollar it contained. The burglars blew a hole large enough to let them through the outer wall door and blew the inner safe all to pieces. As nearly as can be ascertained they secured a little over \$3,000. They used nitroglycerin and knew just how to handle it. The bank carried burglar insurance. There is no clew.

Bryan Loses.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 7.—Judge Livingston W. Cleveland, of the probate court, handed down a decision in the Philo S. Bennett will case, holding that the secret letter directing Mrs. Bennett, the widow, to pay William J. Bryan \$50,000, was not a part of the will. The effect of this is to prevent Mr. Bryan from obtaining the money mentioned in the letter.

Memorial to Victoria.

London, Nov. 9.—In memory of the "best of mothers-in-law," is the tribute to the late Queen Victoria, inscribed on a memorial just erected at the royal mausoleum at Frogmore. The memorial is a beautiful statue of the Saviour, 17 feet high, sculptured and sent from Denmark at the expense of Queen Alexandra.

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Emperor to Participate.

Berlin, Nov. 7.—Emperor William's schooner yacht Meteor will go to the United States in the spring to take part in the ocean yacht race for the Emperor's cup.

Consumption

Salt pork is a famous old-fashioned remedy for consumption. "Eat plenty of pork," was the advice to the consumptive 50 and 100 years ago.

Salt pork is good if a man can stomach it. The idea behind it is that fat is the food the consumptive needs most.

Scott's Emulsion is the modern method of feeding fat to the consumptive. Pork is too rough for sensitive stomachs. Scott's Emulsion is the most refined of fats, especially prepared for easy digestion.

Feeding him fat in this way, which is often the only way, is half the battle, but Scott's Emulsion does more than that. There is something about the combination of cod liver oil and hypophosphites in Scott's Emulsion that puts new life into the weak parts and has a special action on the diseased lungs.



A sample will be sent free upon request.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if they fail to cure. E. W. Groves' signature on every box.

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Dr. E. De Vries' Anti Diuretic

May be worth to you more than 10 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. \$1.00 Sold by Heber Walsh druggist, Holland, Mich.

Mrs. C. E. Roberts, San Francisco, Cal., Would not be without Rocky Mountain Tea in our house. It's a great family remedy. Makes and keeps us well. Haan Bros.

Doesn't Respect Old Age

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maudlin no matter how severe and irrespective of old age, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever, Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill. 25c. at Heber Walsh's Drug store.

It's like a "dip in the fountain of youth." Touches the cheek so gently that youth lingers on the face of old age. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents. Haan Bros.

FOR SALE—Some Buff Rock chickens, chicken coop, and wire netting. Apply at 91 West Fourteenth street, or at De Grand wet office.

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Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure cold in one day. Nature, no pay Price 25 cents. 10-ly

A Runaway Bicycle

Termed and with an angry cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, F. A. Kin, Grove, Ill. He developed a case of lockjaw, holding a bad case of lockjaw for four years. The doctor at the time said that the only way to cure it was to cut the jaw. The doctor at the time said that the only way to cure it was to cut the jaw. The doctor at the time said that the only way to cure it was to cut the jaw.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Attorneys.

DEKEMA, G. J., Attorney at Law, collections promptly attended to. Office over First State Bank.
POST, J. C., Attorney and Counselor at Law, Real Estate and Collection. Office, Post's Block.
MCBRIDE, P. H., Attorney, Real Estate and Insurance. Office, McBride Block.

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HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK, Commercial and Savings Dept. D. B. K. Van Raalte, Pres. O. Ver Schure, Cash. Capital Stock \$50,000.

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Physicians.

KEMERS, H., Physician and Surgeon, Residence Corner Central avenue and twelfth street. Office at Drug Store, Eighth street.

Drugs and Medicines.

DOESBURG, J. O., Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Paints and Oils, Toilet Articles, Imported and Domestic Cigars. Eighth street.
WALSH, Robert, Druggist and Pharmacist, full stock of goods pertaining to the business. City Drug Store, Eighth street.

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ELIEMAN, J., Wagon and Carriage Manu- factory and Blacksmith and Repair Shop, Dealer in Agricultural Implements. River street.
HUNTLEY, A., Practical Machinist, Mill and Engine Repairs a specialty. Shop on Seventh street, near River.

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DEKRAKER & DE KOSTER, Dealers in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats. Market on River street.

A. C. Van Raalte Gilmore, DENTIST.

Vaupell Block. 21 W. Eighth St.

Hearing of Claims.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, made on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1900 six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Jan H. Wilk, late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, for examination and allowance, on or before the 4th day of December, next, and that such claims will be heard before said court, on Friday, the 4th day of December next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day. Dated at the City of Grand Haven June 4, A. D. 1900.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Ottawa
In the matter of the estate of Frederick J. Zwemer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 23rd day of October, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against the 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 23rd day of February, A. D. 1901, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated October 23rd, A. D. 1900

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

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

In the matter of the estate of Philippus Vinkemulder deceased.
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 13th day of October, A. D. 1900 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 13th day of February, A. D. 1901, and that said claims will be heard by said court, on Saturday, the 13th day of February, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated October 13th A. D. 1900

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

F. S. LEDEBOER, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon.

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The best of work guaranteed and the price is reasonable. See me before you let your contract. JOHN B. J. K. City Phone 549.

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Muskegon, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Line.

Steamers leave daily, Sunday excepted, for Milwaukee. Grand Haven 11 p. m., arriving in Milwaukee at 6 a. m. Returning, leave Milwaukee 9:15 p. m. daily, Saturdays excepted, arriving at Grand Haven, 8 a. m.

Grand Haven, Muskegon, Sheboygan and Manitowish Line.

Steamer leaves Grand Haven 2:15 p. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, arriving at Sheboygan 4 a. m. and Manitowish 10 a. m.

Seven

Diseases Caused by Measles.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Tonic and

Nervine Cured After Thirty-one Years.

"I was a perfectly healthy young man up to February 1885. When my regiment was in Camp Randall I was taken sick with the measles and I did not enjoy good health up to the time I used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and Tonic in 1896. Doctors have told me it came from inactivity of the liver. I cannot say how many physicians did treat me but have had all kinds. Dieting has never helped me. Biliousness, attacks of headache, rheumatism, nasal catarrh, hay fever, asthma, and chronic diarrhoea; have all taken their turn with me. Thanks to the Nervine and Tonic I am completely restored to health. I have also used Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills with good results and I think that the Dr. Miles Remedies are perfect."—Rev. Hiram Bender, Sparta, Wis.

"I want to say a few good words for Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. I have been troubled very much with insomnia since I made the change to the new paper and on account of this have tried various remedies without relief. I was finally induced by a wholesale druggist, a personal friend of mine, to try Nervine. I can assure you it has done me a lot of good. I do not find it necessary to use it regularly now but occasionally when I find that I am excessively nervous and restless I again take it up as I always keep a supply on hand. It has never failed to give me the desired relief."—A. Hueglin, Publisher "Daily Free-Press" Milwaukee, Wis.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

SAND-FLY LIVES BUT A DAY.

Delicate Little Insect Furnishes an Interesting Study to the Scientists.

Here is a tragic story of the sand fly.

It has but a day to live in the light. In order to earn the right to that day of life it lives from one to three years in darkness, down in the mud at the bottom of lakes or rivers. Moreover, the sand fly is perfectly harmless. It cannot even bite. It has no sting. It cannot even eat. All it can do is to flit about for a few hours enjoying the light of day or the glare of an electric lamp.

Professor C. B. Davenport, of the University of Chicago, told the other day, says the Inter-Ocean, about the delicate, beautiful little insects which prove a pest to a great many people.

The sand fly is known to scientists familiarly as the May fly. In scientific terms it is called Ephemera. This name is taken from the Greek word Ephemeros, which means lasting only for a day. To the scientists the sand fly is one of the most interesting and beautiful of insects.

The fly lives but a day at most, but before it sees light it has lived for from one to three years under the water in the form of what the scientists call a nymph. This nymph can both walk and swim. As it grows it molts and after about the ninth molt tiny wings appear on its thorax. These grow larger until the insect comes forth from the water a sand fly. It then has but one duty, to lay its eggs. This done the sand fly zigzags through the air until its brief life is ended.

The popular idea that the sand flies are blown across the lake to Chicago is wrong, according to the university scientists. The sand fly could not live to be blown that far, and, besides, the insect always flies against the wind and not with it.

OUR RAILROAD INDUSTRY.

Million and a Quarter Workers on American Payrolls and Their Number Increasing.

The railroads of this country are employing more persons than ever before in their history. According to statistics in the report of the Interstate commerce commission there were 534 railroad employes for every hundred miles of tracks last year, and there were 1,189,315 employes altogether, reports the New York Sun.

In the year before there were only 1,071,169 railroad employes, and the average was only 548 for every hundred miles of line, so that independently of the increase in mileage the number of workers employed has increased 46 for each hundred miles of line.

Since these statistics were collected there has been a correspondingly large increase in the number of employes, if railroad statistics are to be believed, so that the number of men on the railroad payroll in this country is considerably over a million and a quarter.

The good times and the extension improvements set on foot by the railroad companies as the result of their prosperity are responsible for this increase in employment. Eight years ago the number of railroad workers was only 41 for every hundred miles, so that should a return to that standard be possible it would mean the laying off of 312,000 workers, to say nothing of the consequent reduction in the wage standards.

ONE OF THE ARTISTS.

Wanted to Contribute His Services as Well as the Rest of the "Talent."

Billy's sister is the organist of the church in the country town where the family spends its summers, and Billy blows the old-fashioned instrument upon which his big sister performs, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger. Some day, however, Billy will be an artist himself if his present spirit of

pride in his work persists. Still, although he enjoys his task, the 25 cents he earns every Sunday is much appreciated by him.

A concert was given in the church in aid of a local charity, and the singers and quite a number of "artists" who summer in the village, and whose services usually command big remuneration, volunteered their services.

When the concert was over, the choir-master came to Billy, who had enjoyed greatly the importance of the occasion and his share in it, and held out a quarter to pay the boy for his work.

Billy looked up in griefed surprise. "Why, say," said he, "aren't the rest of the talent giving their services for nothing?"

BRAIN WEIGHT AND GREATNESS

Evidence Added That There Really Is a Relation Existing Between Them.

Within the last few years the impression has gained ground that the weight of a man's brain gives little indication of his mental gifts, says the New York Tribune. It has been suggested that there might be some relation between the thickness of the layer of gray matter which is believed to be associated with the higher functions, and the quality of the owner's work. It is sometimes conceded that the number of convolutions, or small lobes, which are revealed by post-mortem examination may also have a good deal of significance. But that weight alone is important has been questioned. It has been pointed out that the brains of idiots are often as heavy as those of sages and poets.

Dr. Edward A. Spitzka, of this city, in a recent number of the Philadelphia Medical Journal, discusses the question in an interesting fashion. He declares that many of the brains of imbeciles and criminals that have been referred to in such comparisons were unnaturally enlarged by disease, and therefore did not prove anything. He insists that only healthy brains ought to be considered. Again, in a number of instances the brains of really great men had shrunk considerably in consequence of wasting sickness in the last year or two of their lives, and did not fit the skull. The marked size of the cavity, though, would give some hint of the original size. When proper allowance has been made for such alterations, Dr. Spitzka is convinced that the testimony is decidedly in favor of the old doctrine.

Several other influences affect brain weight. Stature and build, nationality and other factors enter into the problem. Dr. Spitzka does not consider these, though he has deemed it necessary to remind his readers of them. He makes up a table containing figures for 96 well-known men. At the head of the list stands Ivan Turgeneff, the Russian novelist, whose brain weighed 2,012 grammes, and at the foot F. J. Gall, anatomist, who is credited with only 1,198 grammes, though his skull had a capacity of 1,692 grammes. The table shows an average of 1,473 grammes, which is from 75 to 125 more than the weight of the average European brain.

Carrying his analysis further, the writer says that the greatest brain weights on the whole are exhibited by men devoted to mathematics and other exact sciences, while natural science comes next, art, literature and philosophy third, and "men of action" in politics and military affairs rank fourth. That classification might be considerably altered, however, if the weight of these men's bodies at the most active periods of their lives were known and if the percentage of brain weight to avoirdupois were ascertained. Such data seems to be unavailable now, but if it were secured in the case of men now living, and whose brains have been bespoken, the world might yet have a more accurate idea of the professions in which brain weight counts for the most.

SCOTLAND'S GREAT CANAL.

Undertaking Will Save Hundreds of Miles and Cost \$50,000,000—Big Engineering Feat.

As was recently stated in a cable dispatch, the plans for the construction of a ship canal between the Firth of Forth, on the east of Scotland, across to the River Clyde, on the west, have been definitely arranged. The canal will cost \$50,000,000, but powerful support is expected from the British government. One of the great engineering features of the scheme will be the carrying of the canal near the Loch Lomond end. Frequent passing places will be made.

An indication of the saving in distance that would be effected by the canal, says an exchange, will be gained from the following figures: From the Clyde to ports on the east coast of Scotland, northeast of England, and northwest of Europe the distance saved would be from 529 miles to 238 miles. From the Firth of Forth to ports on the west coast of Scotland, northwest of England, Ireland, America and the Mediterranean the distance saved would be from 487 to 141 miles. From Tyne ports to the St. Lawrence river the distance saved would be 150 miles. From the west of Britain and northeast of Ireland to middle western ports of the continent the distance saved would be from 377 to 93 miles.

RECORD-BREAKING RUN.

Engineer Was Offered Fifty Dollars a Minute for Every Minute Gained Over the Schedule.

There is a little story connected with the record-breaking run of the Lowe special over the Santa Fe, Chicago to Los Angeles, in less than 53 hours, which is not generally known. It is related that Mr. Lowe offered the engineer who hauled the train from

San Bernardino to Los Angeles—on the home-stretch of 60 miles—the sum of \$50 a minute for every minute gained over the schedule. Engineer Warboy turned the wheels at a 50-second clip for each mile to Pasadena, but had to slow down in the suburbs of Los Angeles. He pulled into La Grande station, Los Angeles, just 62 minutes after leaving San Bernardino, gaining nine minutes on the whirlwind schedule and thereby earning \$450 extra pin money.

The Santa Fe passenger department will soon publish a pamphlet giving full details of the swift flight of the Lowe special, which in several instances exceeded 90 miles an hour. An average of nearly 43 miles an hour was maintained, in the face of having to cross four high ranges of the Rockies, and with little previous selection of engines or crews.

MENACE OF THE FOREST.

Continued Will Dry Up if Present Destructive Processes Continue—Experience of Old World.

The climatic history of the old world will repeat itself in America, says the National Magazine. If forest destruction, at its present rate of recklessness, should continue much longer, our continent will have to dry up. So will an orator who should venture to urge that fact upon a boodle legislature, in this era of lumber trusts. But the fact remains, and its significance may be inferred from the experience of the Mediterranean coast lands, where thousands of god gardens have been turned into Gehennas of wretchedness and desolation. By tree destruction alone a territory of 4,500,000 square miles has been withdrawn from the habitable area of our planet. The physical history of the eastern hemisphere is the history of a desert that originated somewhere near the cradle of the Caucasian race—in Bactria, perhaps, and, spreading westward and southward, has blighted the Edens of three continents like a devouring fire and is now scorching the west coast of Africa and sending its warning sand clouds far out to seaward.

FORTUNE HUNTERS.

Marriages of Many American Girls of Wealth to Titled Foreigners Turn Out Unfavorably.

The marriage of many American girls of wealth to titled foreigners is just now receiving more than usual attention. The disclosures regarding the post-wedding experience of some of the brides who have left their homes and native land to become the wives of real or bogus noblemen of Europe are in many cases humiliating and distressing.

Margaret Van Etten in a cabled article from Vienna gives a few of the names of American women who have come to grief by such foreign alliances. There are thirteen on her list, and the number might be increased by a thorough study of the newspaper files. Every woman mentioned married a title, and most, if not all of them, were subjects of extensive newspaper notice when their weddings occurred. Their triumph was in the blaze of publicity; their humiliation and suffering have been chiefly in private. In every case cited these women have either secured divorces or are living apart from their husbands.

Some of the daughters of Americans of wealth, says the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle, have contracted happy marriages with foreigners and by their subsequent lives have reflected honor upon their native land in their new homes. There is no reason why an English nobleman should not fall in love with a rich American girl and marry her, precisely as he might have loved and married a poor English girl. It is not such cases which are open to criticism, but the numerous alliances which are clearly the product of fortune-hunting negotiators.

THE MODERN INDIAN.

Charges White Man an Advertiser Fee if He Wants to See Moki Snake Dance.

The Indians are rapidly "catching on" to the ways of the white man. The Moki snake dance for 1903 at Wolpi, Arizona, on the Santa Fe, is a good example of how the modern commercial spirit is spreading. Until now visitors have been permitted to witness this spectacle without money and without price, the Indians being content with what they could pick up from the camera funds for posing, and from the tourists generally for baskets, pottery and blankets. This year each visitor was charged a dollar, with a sliding scale of special favors like going down into the kiva where the snakes are kept.

The dance was just as weird as ever and the spectators more than got the worth of their money; but the old-timers sadly viewed the change and predicted that the dance will be discontinued before many seasons have passed. You would better go to the next one, or it may be too late to see this most remarkable pagan ceremony.

The Santa Fe has on exhibition in its Chicago office a notable painting by Cross of a snake dancer, based on a sketch made by him while in Mokiland in 1853. The difference between then and to-day is quite evident in minor details of costume, but the main features are much the same.

IMPUDENT ANSWER.

Bobby—What's the matter with Jimmy Jones?
Benny—He went out in the farmer's field to shoot birds.
Bobby—Did the farmer kick?
Benny—No, but the gun did.—Chicago Daily News.

THE WOMAN OF IT.

The girl who keeps her birthday. When a merry little elf, keeps it still when she grows up—She keeps it to herself.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

DEVICE FOR LUNCH CARDS.

Considerable Ingenuity Displayed in Arranging for Fashionable Country House Affair in the East.

At a luncheon recently given at a fashionable country house the place cards were prettily suggestive of the various nationalities of the young women guests, says the Chicago Chronicle. Each card was an oblong of white drawing paper and painted in water colors with a bar of music from a song characteristic of the particular country, an appropriate bit of landscape being combined with it. Thus the young woman of English descent had a bar of "God Save the King" on her card, and above it a tiny hedge with wild roses painted at the edge of a meadow. The German young woman had the "Watch on the Rhine" for her bar of music, and a miniature view of the famous river and one of its famous castles.

The girl who had a noted French ancestor received a card having a bar of the "Marsellaise" painted on it and a bit of bridge over the Seine. The Scotch lassie had "Here's a Health to Prince Charlie" for her song, and a tiny figure of a highlander crossing a moor on her card. The girl of Irish extraction had a bar of the "Wearing of the Green" and a border of shamrocks. The American girls received "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," and a sketch of the Reliance at anchor as a card decoration. Several of the girls were of New York Knickerbocker stock, and a bar of an old Dutch song, with a sketch of a historical New York locality, were cleverly put together to make up their cards. A bow of orange ribbon tied them.

FIERCE BAND OF INDIANS.

Some of the Curious Beliefs Concerning Our Government Entertained by the Night Hawks.

The Night Hawks are a band of Indians in the Cherokee nation who are incorrigibly opposed to the abolishment of tribal relations. We gather from a story in the Vinita Chieftain the following beliefs of these Indians: They say they will not file on their lands, because they did not enroll when the Dawes commissioners took the census. They claim the United States government has nothing to do with them, and that the secretary of the interior has no power, and that England will come across the water and destroy this government. England will bring suit against the United States for them, and that Uncle Sam will give them back their courts, and that England, Germany, Spain and Cuba will see that this is done.

They claim to have a secret attorney in Washington, and that the president of the United States and Mr. Hitchcock do not know who he is. They claim their attorney is from London. They say this country will never be allotted without their consent. They pin their faith to the old treaty of 1767.

They say they have a treaty with Great Britain dated 1117, on the 41st day of February. Any one who reveals a secret is to be killed like a dog. Some of them claim the Night Hawks will be in Asia next year. Those of them who voted this year are to be exiled to New Mexico. Their lawyer in Washington will have the Indian agent order the Indian police to remove them.

SMALLEST STATE IN EUROPE.

Recently Lost Its Identity by Being Annexed to Belgium—Had Only 1,200 Inhabitants.

Few people are aware that the smallest state in Europe has just ceased to exist, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger. The minute country in question was neither Monaco, nor San Marino, nor Andorra, nor yet Liechtenstein, but Moresnet—a small scrap of territory between Belgium and Prussia, not far from Aix-la-Chapelle. The independence of Moresnet dates from 1815, and it was only a few days ago that the two neighboring states at last arrived at any agreement for its absorption.

Moresnet has now been annexed by Belgium, while Prussia receives a pecuniary indemnity. The amount of the latter should be large, for neutral Moresnet contained the most valuable deposits of zinc in the world. The decision was hastened by the establishment of a gambling hell there, which was stopped by the Belgium government.

The inhabitants, who paid no taxes and were free from military service, will be the losers by their compulsory incorporation in the Belgian kingdom. But as there are only 1,200 of them they could not resist the act of annexation. Had they, like San Marino, declined the dangerous gift of a casino they might have remained neutral and obscure.

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"Aren't there some jealousies in your progressive euchre club?"
"No, indeed," answered young Mrs. Torkins; "when we buy prizes we are always careful to select things that no one really wants, so that the winner will not be an object of envy."—Washington Star.

ONE OR THE OTHER.

"Gee whizz!" exclaimed the nervy caller, "I haven't another match, and my cigarette has gone out."
"Well," replied the polite young woman, who could stand it no longer, "you would have had to if it hadn't."—Catholic Standard and Times.

SAW HIS FINISH.

Bifkins—So Mrs. Boswick is going to marry again, eh?
Mifkins—Yes; and her fiancé boasts of being a self-made man.
Bifkins—Well, it's doughnuts to fudge she'll make him over again.—Chicago Daily News.



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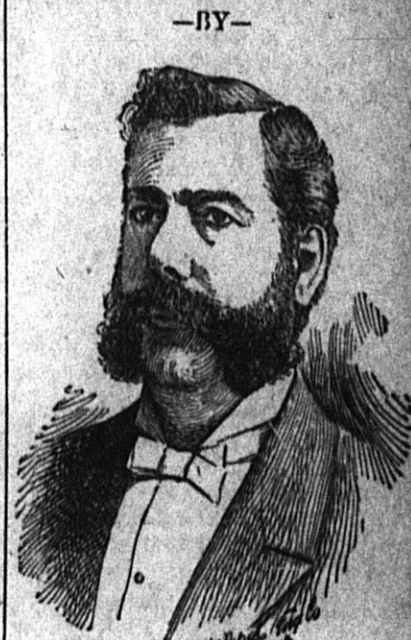
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Add itional Local.

Derk Miedema celebrated his 80th birthday anniversary yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Kammeraad, East Sixteenth street, Thursday—a daughter.

W. F. Duiker, solicitor for the Holland Gas Company, is confined to his room by illness.

Rev. Lammers, for many years pastor of the Reformed church at Forest Grove, has entered the service of the American tract society.

Henry Dellinger will next week move with his family to Holland, where he has a position of night watchman in one of the factories.—Allegan Gazette.

C. P. Ludwig of Holland, visited Saugatuck friends Tuesday. We are glad to know that "The Dutch" have not entirely forgotten us.—Saugatuck Commercial.

How dear to our hearts is the cash on subscription, when our subscribers present it to view; but the man who don't pay we refrain from description, for perhaps gentle reader that man might be you.

Everyone interested in temperance should not fail to attend the meetings at the Hope church Saturday evening and the Hope, Methodist and Third Reformed churches, Sunday morning and evening. A Lincoln Legion club will be formed and all temperance workers ought to become members.

Henry Zwemer, who is in the coal, wood and shipping business at 271 East Eighth street, is the banner apple shipper of this section, having shipped thus far nearly 19,000 bushels of apples to western points. His extensive dealings in apples is a criterion of the business done here this year. It has been one of the best apple seasons in years.

According to the apportionment of primary school money made Tuesday, Ottawa county will get \$34,172.50; Allegan \$39,627.50; Muskegon \$33,017.50. The city of Holland with 2419 pupils will receive \$6047.80; Holland township; 1208 pupils, \$3020.00; Olive, 643 pupils, \$1607.50; Zeeland, 1236 pupils, \$3335.00; Grand Haven City, 1337 pupils, \$4092.50; Grand Haven township, 457 pupils, \$1717.50.

Harry Bos, a young man about 19 years of age, was arrested last Tuesday night by Deputy Marshal Brown on a warrant charging him with the larceny of a revolver from Wm. Bourton's second hand store. E. D. Birns, a commission firm agent, stood across the street at the time of the alleged theft, and claimed that he saw Bos take the revolver from the showcase. Bos at first denied all knowledge of the theft, even when confronted by Birns, but a search by Officer Brown revealed that the revolver was hidden in Bos's stocking, and the young man when arraigned in Justice Van Duren's court, pleaded guilty to a charge of petty larceny.

Two men well known in this city took part in the rescue of two sailors from the barge A. T. Bliss last week by the Ludington life saving crew. They are Captain Adam Weckler, the keeper, and George C. Robinson, one of the crew. Both these men were formerly members of the Holland crew and before he went to Ludington Capt. Weckler was keeper here. Three former Grand Haven men are also members of the crew. They are Will DeYoung, Geo. Gattfield and Fred Dykema. The rescue of the two sailors from the Bliss was one of the most thrilling midnight rescues ever recorded. The life boat was towed to the scene of the wreck off Ludington harbor by Pere Marquette car ferry No. 18, Capt. Kilty in command. The wind was blowing a gale and the seas were rolling mountain high. The life savers cut their lifeline from the car ferry about a mile to windward of the barge and then drifted down towards her. Meanwhile Capt. Kilty on the ferry operated his search light to good advantage, throwing it first on the barge, where the two sailors could be seen hovering on the stern with every sea washing over them and drenching them with the icy water, and next on the lifeboat, which was being handled with splendid skill although completely engulfed and hidden from sight at times in the great waves. The life savers decided to run close by under the stern and let the men jump aboard if possible. This attempt was not successful however and it became necessary to cast a heavy line to the men on the barge. The first line did not hold, but a second one was made fast, although considerable distance intervened between the life boat and the barge. Another line was cast and this was fastened about the body of one of the sailors and he was ordered to jump into the lake. He did so and was hauled through the icy water in safety to the lifeboat. The other sailor was rescued in a similar manner. The Bliss sank about nine o'clock in the morning.

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The condition of Geo. W. Brown, who has been ill the last couple of weeks, is improved slightly.

John Lansing and John Reedy paid \$1 and costs in Justice McBride's court Tuesday for being drunk and disorderly.

A bazaar and oyster supper will be given by the ladies of Hope church in the church parlor Friday afternoon and evening, December 11th.

A fire at New Richmond yesterday, that threatened to destroy the town, burned the postoffice and contents excepting the mail.

The condition of the Dr. C. J. Fisher, who has been sick for about ten days, has not improved and he is still seriously ill.

Roy Heath will give the third number of the series of socialist lectures at De Grandwet hall tonight. His subject will be "Educational Advantages under Socialism."

H. VanTongeren now has one of the best and most completely equipped cigar stores in the western part of the state. Some of the fixtures and the stock of the B. J. Reynolds & Co. cigar store, which were bought by Mr. VanTongeren, have been placed in his cigar store, taxing its capacity to the utmost.

Sheriff Dykhuis was here the latter part of last week investigating the burglary of Stern-Goldman's clothing store. Some time last week, presumably Thursday night, 25 pairs of trousers were stolen from the store. How the burglars gained entrance is a mystery as there were no evidences of the forcing open of doors or windows.

The schools savings system is working to good advantage in Grand Haven as the following from the Grand Haven Tribune shows: "A glance into the corridor of the State Bank of Grand Haven this morning was enough to give assurance that the school saving system was working in splendid shape. At eleven o'clock this morning about seventy five names had been written upon the register and a large amount of money had been deposited in stamps at the window. Some of the little tots were obliged to stand upon a box to sign their names. The officials of the bank announced that the deposits for the first week are three or four times larger than expected. Harold Little is acting as teller in the new department."

John Quinn, alias King, who has been serving a sentence at Kalamazoo jail for carrying concealed weapons, escaped from Deputy Sheriff Hans Dykhuis just as the train from Kalamazoo was entering the south yards at Grand Rapids last Tuesday night at 12 o'clock. Quinn was being brought to Grand Haven to testify in the Harris burglary case and he still had forty days to serve at Kalamazoo jail. The deputy took the advice of Sheriff Shipman of Kalamazoo and did not handcuff his prisoner and just as they reached Grand Rapids Quinn jumped out of his seat, exclaiming "Here's where we leave." He ran out of the car and leaped to the ground ran under some freight cars. Deputy Sheriff Dykhuis was unable to find him. The escape of Quinn will lessen the chances of the prosecution in the Harris case as he was the people's strongest witness. Harris is accused of stealing \$25 worth of whips from Fileman's blacksmith shop in this city. Attorney Arthur Van Duren has been appointed by the court to defend him.

Hope College News.

Education agent, Rev. J. J. Van Zanten, led chapel exercises on Monday.

Leonard VanderSchoor visited his parents at Grand Rapids this week.

J. DeKrales was called home by the sudden illness and death of his cousin at Grand Rapids.

A farewell reception was held at the home of Miss Hoyt in honor of Miss Grace Hoekje, missionary to Japan.

Rev. DeJong of Zeeland conducted Chapel exercises on Tuesday morning.

At a meeting of the student body held Wednesday morning in the chapel, A. J. Muste was elected as delegate to the convention of the State Oratorical contest. It will be remembered that Mr. Muste won the laurels of the state contest at Olivet last year, and won second place in the Inter-collegiate contest.

Much good is experienced during this college week of prayer. Leaders, such as Rev. J. J. VanZanten, Dr. Bergen, Prof. Vander Meulen, Mr. Hurry, and others full of enthusiasm and earnestness gave vent to such ennobling thought that this week will be remembered as a week of special blessings.

Students of the Seminary will on Nov. 15 preach as follows: J. Stuenkel, Jamestown; John Vander Heide, Grandville; E. Doustra, Ebenezer; G. Doustra, (Dalton, Ill.); Rev. Oltmans of Japan, North Blendon.

LOST—Ladies cluster diamond ring with ruby in center. Return to this office and receive liberal reward.

Obituary.

Mrs. MARY E. STREETER.

Mary E. Streeter was born at Mendon, N. Y., January 17, 1829, and departed this life at the home of her son, 73 West Eighth street, Holland, Mich. Nov. 4, 1903.

She was married to George Simmons in 1845, at Parma, N. Y. To them two children were born, Franklin R., of Pocahontas, Idaho, and a little daughter who died in infancy. Three years later she was left a widow. Oct. 23, 1854 she was married to G. W. Streeter at Greece, N. Y. to which union were born five sons—George W., William H. and James E. of Holland, Morris T. of St. Johns and Charles, who died at the age of one and one-half years. April 5, 1872, she was again left to mourn the loss of her husband. In 1880 she moved with her sons to Allegan, Mich., where she lived till seven years ago when they came to this city. She has been in poor health most of the time since coming here, taking to her bed about five weeks ago. At times her sufferings were intense but she was very brave and patient through it all, being conscious most of the time to the last.

The funeral was held at the residence Nov. 7, her four sons acting as pall bearers.

Rev. Luther of the M. E. church officiated.

In Mrs. Streeter's bible were found the following lines with instructions that they be sung at her funeral:

"Fear not, I am with thee Oh, be not dismayed. I am thy God and will still give thee aid. I'll strengthen thee, help thee and cause thee to stand;

Upheld by the righteous, omnipotent hand. When through the deep waters I call thee to go. The rivers of grief shall not overflow. For I will be with thee thy troubles to bless, And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress."

Death of Rev. D. Broek.

At Grandville Wednesday afternoon Rev. D. Broek, prominent in this part of the state in Reformed church circles, and well known as a leading minister of the Reformed church, died after an illness of several weeks at the age of 68 years. Death was due to liver trouble.

Rev. Broek was pastor of the First Reformed church at Grandville for eleven years. Previous to going to Grandville he was pastor of the Third Reformed church of this city for a number of years.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. D. G. Cook of this city and Miss Christina Broek of Grandville, and three sons, Rev. Albertus Broek, who was married to Miss Grace Yates in this city several weeks ago, and who is now pastor of a church in Newburgh, N. J., Jacob, of Grandville, and John Y. Broek, a student of Hope college.

Funeral services will be held in Grandville Monday forenoon and the body will be taken to this city for burial. Services will be held in the First Reformed church here, Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, pastors of some of the local churches officiating.

Temperance Rally and Temperance Services

Representatives of the anti-saloon league will be in the city Saturday and Sunday for the purpose of holding temperance rallies, aiding the anti-saloon movement, and organizing the Lincoln League, a temperance organization.

Sunday all of the churches in the city will pay particular attention to the temperance question. The order of services in the Third Reformed church, M. E. church and Hope church follow:

Third Reformed—Morning: Rev. L. B. Bissell, state superintendent of Michigan. Subject: "The Church and the League." Evening: Ex-senator J. W. Humphrey, legislative superintendent at Lansing. Subject: "The American Problem."

Hope church—Morning: Ex-Senator Humphrey. Subject: "The Second Commandment." Evening: Rev. E. Saunderson, D. D., state superintendent of Indiana. Subject will be announced.

M. E. church—Morning: Rev. E. G. Saunderson, D. D. Evening: Rev. L. B. Bissell. Subject: "The Modern Moloch."

The Michigan anti saloon league has organized a gospel temperance department called the Lincoln League. It is a pledge movement. The National Legion was organized Oct. 21 and 22, 1903.

Rev. E. G. Saunderson, D. D., state superintendent of Indiana, will be at Hope church parlor Saturday evening at 7:30, and desires to meet the pastors, Sunday school superintendents, teachers and temperance workers in young people societies, and all who are interested in the temperance movement. He desires to explain the genius and plan of the new movement, and if it meets the approval of pastors and Sunday school superintendents, to have it presented to the various Sunday schools the next day. Do not fail to be at Hope church parlor Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

Sporting News

The Grand Haven High school team is still working on the Louitt field every afternoon after school. A strong second team is giving the regulars some good practice and the men will benefit by the strong tussels with the second man. New men are being added to the regulars all of the time and several new giant linemen have been added to the ranks. In the next game several new faces will be seen in the line up. The team is somewhat heavier than when it met Holland and decidedly speedier. The old White school is being used for training quarters and the squad runs from there out to their field and back every afternoon.—G. H. Tribune.

Big Game Tomorrow, Holland Independents vs Grand Rapids Independents.

A game that will recall the days when Jim DePree, John Schouten, Pete Steketee, Stanley McKay, Olsen and Pransthiel and other stars, won high honors on the gridiron, will be played tomorrow afternoon on the Holland grounds between the Holland Independents and the Grand Rapids Independents.

The Grand Rapids Independents have been organized all season and have met some of the best Independent teams in the state, among them being the Detroit Athletic club team, the Muskegon, and the Detroit Medical college team. They are fast as lightning and scrappier than is good for the average citizen.

The Holland Independents have been organized for some time, although they have had no big games. They are in good trim however and the lineup comprises Hollands fastest and scrappiest.

The lineup follows:

Holland	Grand Rapids
Steketee or Mulder.....	Whitman
Steketee or Bosman.....	Crabb
Wilms.....	Clutter
Nies.....	Baxter
Olsen.....	W. Sproat
Ederley.....	Andrews
VandenBerg.....	Thomas
Pransthiel.....	McNeal
McKay.....	Rice
Lindsey.....	E. Sproat
Schouten.....	Kiegan
Subs—Scott.....	Knecht, Beke

The average weight of the Holland team is 146 pounds; average height, 5 ft 7 1/2 in. Average weight of Grand Rapids, 148; average height 5 ft. 7 1/2 in. Game will be called at 2:30 o'clock at base ball grounds.

Holland's goal has not been crossed in two years.

A Western Trip

(Continued)

From Geo. H. Souter.

At the foot of Mt. Shasta as we wind around and up the mountain sides the scenery constantly changes and increases in interest to the lover of nature in its rough hewn grandeur, but I must not go too much into particulars.

At 11 a. m. we came in sight of Castle Crags looking for all the world like some old ruined castle towering thousands of feet above and to the left of us just visible through the canopy of green. Then in a few minutes we came into full view of the Crags from the left side of the train, a sight never to be forgotten, a succession of massive towers of a grayish white granite shimmering in the sunlight and sending its myriad pinnacles towering upwards toward the zenith and there blending with the deep blue of the summer sky; and down on the other side and far below us the turbulent Sacramento tumbling, seething and boiling in its mad rush towards the wider plains below, and then before we had time to rest our eyes we came into full view of the great Shasta with its snow streaked summit to the northwest and for the next two hours we had views of this glorious and majestic mountain peak which rears its hoary head to a height of 14400 feet above sea level.

From nearly every point of the compass we circled around mountains and shot through canyons in our effort to reach the divide of the Shasta Range, when on rounding a sharper curve than usual we came into full view of the wonderful Shasta Springs which are for the healing of the nations, as we neared the great soda springs where invalids gather to drink and bathe in the waters. The whole mountain side was sparkling and dancing with little falls and cataracts and leaping and shooting geysers the waters tumbling hundreds and for aught I know thousands of feet down the dr covered mountain till it reached the little rivulet by our side and gurgled along as if with joy at its escape from its rocky fastnesses till it reached the Sacramento' hundreds of feet below. And now for the waters. The train came to a standstill just abreast of the soda spring and we all partook of this wonderful water; but onward is the word and we soon rolled away again to the north, passing the divide at Cantara and entered the Shasta valley.

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The death of John F. Pathuis occurred yesterday afternoon at his home, 150 East Fifth street after a long illness at the age of 53 years. Mr. Pathuis was one of Holland's well known citizens, and for a number of years was in the draying business. He leaves a wife and five children. The funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Keizer officiating.

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