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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XXVIII.

HOLLAND, MICH., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1899.

NO. 45

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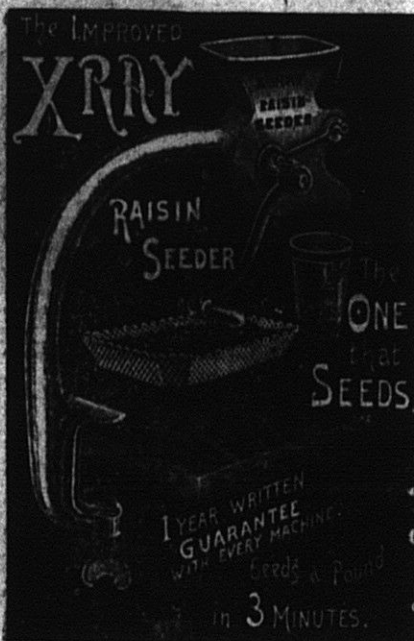
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CITY AND VICINITY.

The new hotel to be built at Harrington's Landing by P. T. McCarthy, of Chicago, will be completed by July 1, 1900.

List of advertised letters at the Holland postoffice for the week ending November 24: Joe Bakker, Dr. W. C. Cox, Edward Cooker, Duplex Pen Co. Harry Haven, Wm. Welhe.

J. C. Post with characteristic patriotism has presented the Holland Sugar factory with an American flag. It was unfurled to the breeze last Tuesday to celebrate the beginning of the work of manufacturing sugar.

Mrs. Sylvia Duran, Ottawa county's second centenarian was 103 years old yesterday. Mrs. Duran is still a lively old lady and possessed of good health. She was born in New York state and has been a resident of Coopersville for 44 years.

E. G. Watson, one of the earliest settlers of Olive township, died last Sunday at the age of 81 years. The funeral was held Wednesday. He leaves three children, two sons who live in Olive township, and one daughter, who resides in Ohio.

The 25th anniversary of the founding of the diocese of Western Michigan of the Episcopal church, and the 25th anniversary of Bishop Gillespie's consecration will be celebrated in St. Mark's church, in Grand Rapids, December 6 and 7. A number of bishops and many of the clergy will be present and the laity of the diocese will be well represented.

Hunters who have been down in Ottawa county says, the G. R. Press, report the same convictions against Sunday hunting among the sturdy old Hollanders in and around Zeeland as was encountered last year. Most of the farms are posted, and it is simply impossible to get permission to slip in on Sunday. Many of the farmers are so against Sunday desecration too, that they will not sell a bowl of bread and milk on that day.

Born, to Mrs. and Mr. Seth Nibbink, Friday—a son.

Ernest G. Klock, formerly editor of the Lawrence Times, has started a new weekly paper in Eau Claire, The Bulletin.

Thanksgiving Day the post office will be open from 7 A. M. until 12 M. Two deliveries of mail will be made in business and one in residence districts. Collections from all street letter boxes at 5 P. M.

Dr. R. Samuel Martin will deliver three free illustrated lectures in the Opera House, Nov. 27 and 28 in the interest of one of the greatest reforms of the present century—the Viatic Movement.

Peter De Bie, who recently conducted a confectionary and fruit store on River street has bought the stock, confectionary and fruit business of Alvin Jackson, of Grand Haven, and is now in business at that place.

The following students of the Theological Seminary supplied pulpits last Sunday: C. Kuyper at Saugatuck; J. J. Banninga at Muskegon in the Second Reformed church; A. Klerk at New Era; Gerrit Te Kolsta at Pine Creek school.

John Zwemer Jr., of Reyneer, Oregon, son of John Zwemer of this city, had his thumb and for finger sawed so badly that amputation was necessary. The accident occurred while he was running a wood machine for the Railroad company at that place.

Upon his return from Cuba, President McKinley after a special interview of over two hours with Dr. R. Samuel Martin complimented him on giving the clearest and most interesting report of any one to whom he had listened upon Cuba, its products, people and possibilities.

Alice Parkhurst died Friday night at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. Parkhurst, Fourteenth street. Her age was eleven years and from infancy she had suffered with organic heart trouble which finally caused her death. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

John S. Raum, of this city, and a former student of Hope College, who affiliated himself with the Church of Christ, this fall, has assumed the pastorate of the First Church of Christ at Traverse city. Since October Mr. Raum has been engaged in evangelistic work in the different churches of that persuasion in this state.

At the Friday night's meeting of the Mystery Club held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pifer, Mrs. G. H. Shaw and Will Boyd won the first prizes at progressive pedro and Mrs. Con De Pree and George Medes captured the consolations. Light refreshments were served and all present spent a very enjoyable evening.

The examination of C. Blom, Sr., on the charge of keeping his saloon open on Sunday took place before Justice McBride last Friday afternoon. The defendant was bound over to the circuit court for trial. He was represented by Attorney Carroll, of Grand Rapids and Prosecutor McBride appeared for the People.

Isaac Cappon, Dr. G. J. Koller, Prof. J. T. Bergen, Hon. G. J. Diezema and J. G. Van Putten, the committee appointed at the recent mass meeting to secure aid for the Red Cross labor in connection with the war in South Africa, will go to Grand Rapids tomorrow and confer with Congressman William Alden Smith regarding the presentation of the resolutions to President McKinley.

A molder at Dowagiac remarked the other day: "I don't know much about politics, but I do know that I would be a fool to vote for a change. Three years ago I was complaining because I could get nothing to do, and my only complaint now is that I can't get an occasional half day off." And as there are thousands of men with the same experience to relate, it augurs well for republican supremacy and a continuation of prosperity next time.—Grand Rapids Herald.

All kinds of leather in the United States and Canada have taken a sudden jump in price because of a general scarcity of the raw and manufactured material, putting the markets almost in a state of panic. The Transvaal war is helping to drain the low available supplies of American leather and add to the famine process. American leather and hides have been exported to England in large quantities lately and the demand from across the water is on the increase. For three days last week the price of No. 1 leather for belting purposes rose one cent a day per pound. No one predicting what the price next week will be.

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Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Bernath Sherwood, of Allegan, has taken a position as book-keeper in the Holland Sugar factory.

Albert Vegter, the River street cigar manufacturer, has moved his stock into the building recently occupied by Arthur Baumgartel.

Remember the cake and doughnut sale at Van Dyke's store, the day before Thanksgiving at 3:00 o'clock, by the Ladies Aid Society of Hope church.

The family of W. A. Holley arrived early this morning from Big Rapids. They will again occupy their home on west 10th street. Mr. Holley is head miller of the Walsh De Roo Milling Co.

Thomas Hickey, national organizer of the Socialist Labor party, will speak at the Lyceum Opera house tomorrow night on the subject of "Wages and how to raise them". The meeting will begin at 7:30 and a cordial invitation to attend is extended to all who are interested in the labor question.

Edwy Reid, editor and publisher of the Allegan Gazette, was in the city yesterday. He is secretary of the State Horticultural society and came here to confer with the different committees in the arrangement of program, and the perfecting of plans for the meeting.

Registered physicians who desire to avail themselves of the privileges conferred upon them by clause 1, section 3, of the new law for the registration of physicians and surgeons, must do so before the 13th day of December next, otherwise they will have to go before the state board of medical examiners.

About twenty-five of her young friends sprung a pleasant surprise on Miss Martha Schoon last Friday evening, at her home on West Seventh street. A most enjoyable evening was spent at games and in pleasant social chat. Light refreshments were served and all the self-invited visitors returned home well satisfied with the hospitality of their unsuspecting entertainers.

On Thanksgiving Day the Holland football team will play the Allegan team at Allegan. The line up will be practically the same as in the Muskegon game. Allegan will try hard for a victory to counterbalance the defeat received from the Holland team during the fair, and the boys from this city will try to make amends for the game they lost at Muskegon, so an interesting day's sport may be looked for.

The petition of Louis Brill to run a bowling alley, was granted by the common council Tuesday night. He also presented a petition signed by a number of citizens asking that the license be reduced, the age limit changed, and that the time of closing be changed from 10 until 11 o'clock at night. The petition was placed on file. The official report of the council proceedings will be found in another column.

Mayor Mokma has served notice on all owners of Manhattan pool tables in the city that they would have to comply with the ordinance and take out a license before they would be permitted to use the tables in their saloons or billiard halls. This order was a surprise to those who were running pool and billiard tables, as they thought their license permitted the operation of a Manhattan pool table in connection with the others. As the profits from the new game of pool have been rather small, no petitions for license were received at the Tuesday night's meeting of the common council.

Judge Adsit, of Grand Rapids last Monday granted the motion made by the attorneys of Gen. W. L. White to set aside the order made some time ago declaring the service made upon Edwy C. Reid, of Allegan, ineffectual and releasing his bondsman. This action of the court in reversing the former decision will have the effect of placing both parties in the suit in precisely the situation in which they were after Reid had been arrested and had supplied bondsmen. The sureties on the editor's bonds who were released and are again placed upon the bond are John W. Blodgett and C. W. Garfield.

Benj. Chapin at W. ant's chapel to night.

Charles Smith, drunk and disorderly, was sentenced to 20 days in the county jail by Justice Van Duren last Monday.

Dr. Kollen was in Grand Rapids Tuesday, where he attended the meeting of the Western Social Conference held at the Fifth Reformed church.

The Epworth League topic for Sunday evening is "Our return for the Lord's benefits." All are invited to come and help make the meeting a success.

The November tea meeting of the M. E. church Aid society will be held at the home of Mrs. Darison, 61 13th street, Tuesday Nov. 28 from 2:30 to 5:30 p. m.

P. M. Johnson, of this city, has taken the contract to build the addition to the Kalamazoo House, owned by Ed Liendecker, of Saugatuck. When completed it will cost \$14,000.

The Epworth League will hold a six o'clock prayer meeting on Thanksgiving morning and give a free supper in the evening in the church parlors. Come and help us make each other happy.

Word has been received from Rev. Martin Filipe, of Passaic, N. J., declining the call recently extended to him by the congregation of the First Reformed church, Spring and Myrtle streets, Muskegon. This is the second call he has received and declined from this church.

Miss Jennie Miering and Herman Bultman were married Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents in Norderdoo. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Krielen and was attended by a large number of relatives and friends. Many valuable presents were received, and among the wedding guests were about twenty friends and relatives from this city.

Rev. H. G. Birchby, for many years pastor of Hope church, has resigned the pastorate and has under consideration a call from the First Presbyterian church of Westerville, a suburb of Columbus, Ohio. The resignation will take effect December 7, and thus far no arrangements for another pastor have been made. Prof. J. T. Bergen, who has been occupying the pulpit during Rev. Birchby's absence will continue in the position until further notice, and will conduct services as usual every Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Birchby resigned on account of the severe illness of his wife. The climate here does not agree with her and at present she and her husband are in New York where they went in the hope that Mrs. Birchby's health would be benefited. The change has done her good and it was not considered good policy to impair her health by returning to Holland. Rev. Birchby is a pastor of rare ability. He is a gifted scholar and an accomplished speaker and the congregation that secures his services will be fortunate.

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Holland City News.

FRIDAY, Nov. 24.

Lake and Marine.

Sailors' wages have advanced another 25 cents per day. The rate is now \$3 per day for sailing vessels and \$2.75 for barges. Last summer the rate was \$1.50 in rapid succession it has been marked up to \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.75 and now \$3. The advance is due to the extra peril and labor resulting from the heavy weather encountered in the fall months. The vessel owners have met every advance in wages by an equal advance in freight rates.

Capt. Charles E. Young, formerly lightkeeper at Algoma, has been appointed to succeed Capt. Hans Hansen as keeper of the light and fog signal station at Menominee.

Insurance on all wooden vessels expires at midnight November 30, provided the vessel is in port of safety, otherwise the insurance holds until the vessel reaches port. Insurance on the big boats, those of steel and of the first class, expires two weeks later.

A new danger has come to light for the mariners who go down in lake schooners. Since the schooner City of Chicago collided with the Randolph street bridge, the peril of electrocution is added to risks of the sea for the schooner men who trade in Chicago river. When the schooner's jibboom poked into the bridge structure, it turned up the cable carrying electric power to swing the bridge. A brilliant display of electric fireworks followed and all of the crew had a narrow escape from being shocked.

The annual report of the commissioner of navigation for the fiscal year ending June 30, last shows the number of vessels on the great lakes to be 3,169 as against 3,256 for the previous year, a loss of 87. The tonnage increased, however, from 1,437,500 to 1,446,348 gross tons. The average size of vessels on the great lakes is shown to be almost double the average of those in other portions of the country. The average measurement of the lake vessels is 480 tons; on the Atlantic coast, 160 tons; on the Pacific coast, 260 tons, and on the rivers, 200 tons.

Fourteen steam vessels were constructed and put in commission on the Great Lakes this year.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Ottawa County.

There was 37 deaths in Ottawa county in October divided as follows: Holland city 2, Grand Haven 4, Polkton 4, Zeeland 4, Spring Lake 2, Blenden 3, Chester 2, Georgetown 2, Holland town, 6, Jamestown 4, Olive 2, Wright 3.

Grand Haven has 15 students at the University of Michigan, Ferrysburg has one and Spring Lake two.

Muskegon's second foot ball team defeated the Spring Lake team by a score of 16 to 0 last Saturday.

The new glass factory at Grand Rapids will get its sand from Grand Haven.

Senator Suel A. Sheldon paid Grand Haven a visit Saturday, it is said for the purpose of distributing his political lightning rod patronage. He was closed for a long time in earnest consultation at the red brick.....

Jesse E. Giles a well known Olive township farmer, was a Grand Haven visitor today. Mr. Giles has the proud distinction of being the father of twenty-nine children, nearly all of whom are living. He is 67 years of age and looks good for 33 more years, and has been married four times. Mr. Giles is a native Michiganian too, his native home being in Oakland county. Only nine

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of his children are at home, the others being scattered over the union, one a minister, Rev. Alexander Giles, being in northern Michigan. Mr. Giles has lived in Olive about five years. He followed blacksmithing for nearly fifty years. Last Christmas he sent a \$30 gold piece to ten of the children whom he knew the address of. Mr. Giles says he is proud to know that he contributes to Olive's greatness. That township produces more rye than any other in Michigan, it has a resident the oldest white lady in America and in Mr. Giles it has a citizen who has been a father more times than any other man in the state. Olive is all right.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Grand Haven and Spring Lake foot ball teams will meet on the gridiron at Grand Haven next Saturday.

Allegan County.

Rev. T. A. Scott, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of Allegan, surprised his congregation Sunday morning by tendering his resignation, which takes effect soon, he having accepted a call to the Presbyterian church, of White Pigeon.

Plainwell High school football eleven defeated the Grand Rapids eleven Saturday. A large crowd witnessed the game and it was one of the best contests ever seen in the county. The score was 28 to 5 in Plainwell's favor.

The Lutherans of Dorr are raising funds with which to erect a church.

Mrs. J. H. Madden, of Plainwell, will be in Allegan Saturday, the 25th inst., to inspect the W. R. C.

The Teachers' Reading Circle for the townships of Dorr, Leighton, Hopkins and Wayland, will meet at Moline Saturday of this week.

Allegan's new orchestra will give a select dancing party at the opera house Thanksgiving evening.

General Items.

The surveying of the route of the proposed electric railroad from Traverse City to Old Mission has been completed. The road will be seventeen miles long and will be a great factor in developing the peninsula which it will traverse.

A lady in Oakland township is the mother of twins—a girl and a boy. She has named the boy Henry and the girl Etta, and when she speaks of them collectively she calls them Henrietta.—Oxford Leader.

At their institute at Nottawa Saturday the teachers of east St. Joseph county discussed the subject "Teachers' Wages as a Factor in the School Problem," and decided that the low wages now prevailing are the result of teachers underbidding one another in order to secure positions.

The five barbers of this town have formed a trust says a dispatch from Marshall, Mich., to the Chicago Inter Ocean. A meeting was held last week and it was agreed to abolish the 10-cent haircut and to charge 5 cents extra on Saturdays for shaving necks.

As the barbers have been enjoying a big trade in neck work their customers are up in arms, and it is probable that the fight will result disastrously for the tonsorial artists. Friday and yesterday more razors and strops were sold by the dealers than for many months before. Not one is left in town for sale. This indicates that the whilom patron of the barber intends to do his own shaving. So bitter is the feeling that unless the dealers lay in a new supply a good portion of the male population will allow their beards to grow rather than patronize the enemy. One of the leading merchants, while attempting to shave the back of his neck this morning, dislocated his right shoulder and nearly severed his right ear. He intends to sue the trust for damages. There is a social side to the complication, also. The society young ladies declare they will ostracize all young men who wear whiskers. As the men are loyal in their anti-trust principles the result is awaited with interest.

Port Sheldon.

The funeral of the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Brown occurred last Sunday and was largely attended by friends and neighbors, who express great sympathy for the sorrowing parents for their bereavement, in the sudden death of their son. Mr. and Mrs. L. Lievens of Holland attended the funeral.

Everyone is taking advantage of the fine weather and are doing all the fall work possible.

Mat Quick is spending a few days here.

Mrs. L. Klyn is able to be around.

Miss Abbe Connell spent a few days visiting in Holland.

We have no more kicking over school. The teacher is doing well.

Fred Miles attends school in Holland.

Mrs. Minnie Buzen called on friends here this week.

Common Council.

HOLLAND, MICH., Nov. 21, 1890.

The common council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present:—Mayor McKim, Alds. Ward, Schoon, Takken, Sprittema, Habermann, Van Patten, Kooyers and Riksen and the city clerk.

PETITIONS AND ACCOUNTS.

Louis Brill petitioned for license to run bowling alley at 73 E. Eighth street.

Granted, subject to ordinance.

Joseph Warner and 27 others petitioned for change in the ordinance relative to bowling alleys. Filed.

M. Bepkens and two others petitioned for the grading and graveling of Third street east of River street.

Referred to the committee on streets and crosswalks.

A number of bills were presented and allowed and warrants ordered issued. (E.A.)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on streets and crosswalks reported the completion of the grading and graveling of West Fourteenth street and recommended that said job be accepted and that the mayor and clerk be authorized to issue a warrant in favor of the contractor, B. Kammeraad upon a proper certificate of the city surveyor being filed.

Adopted and recommendations ordered carried out.

The committee on streets and crosswalks reported recommending that the H. & L. M. Ry. Co. be allowed to fill their track between the

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to die several times, yet I am spared to tell how I was saved," writes Mrs. A. A. Stowe, 237 N. 4th St., San Jose, Cal. "I had valvular heart trouble so severe that I was pronounced 'gone' two different times. The valves of my heart failed to work properly, and circulation was so sluggish that the slightest exertion produced fainting. There is no hope," said my physician, so I decided to try Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and the result I consider miraculous. I am satisfied it saved my life."

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rails on West Sixteenth street from Harrison avenue westward, with eliders. A'opted.

The committee on poor reported presenting the semi-monthly report of the director of the poor and said committee recommending for the support of the poor for the two weeks ending Dec. 5, 1890, the sum of \$43.50, and having rendered temporary aid of \$10.50.

Adopted and warrants ordered issued.

The committee on sewers, drains and water courses to whom had been referred the petition of K. Bourne, and C. Kammeraad relative to closing ditch on section line near First avenue between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, reported recommending that the prayer of the petitioner be granted, and that said ditch be closed up under the supervision of the street commissioner.

Adopted and recommendations ordered carried out.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM BOARDS AND CITY OFFICERS.

The clerk reported the collection of \$123.06 general, water and light fund moneys and receipt of the city treasurer for the amount. Accepted and treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

Bills of the Board of Public Works were presented and allowed and warrants ordered issued. (Ed.)

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Ald. Habermann. Resolved, that the hours at which the city treasurer shall be at his office for the collection of taxes are hereby directed to be from 8:00 o'clock a. m., to 7:30 o'clock p. m. of every week day during the month of December, after the first Monday of said month. Carried.

Council adjourned.

WM. O. VAN DYCK, City Clerk.

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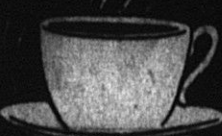
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lovers of America buy millions of pounds of ARBUCKLES' COFFEE in prefer-

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ARBUCKLES' Roasted Coffee

It is prepared by an individual firm who value their reputation too highly to endanger it by lowering the standard of their coffee. It is hermetically sealed and put up in packages by people of many years experience and utmost reliability. It is not ground because ground coffee loses two-thirds of its flavor before reaching the consumer. It is not sold in bulk because of the possibilities of adulteration. It is not sold at a high price because it is better to sell millions of pounds of coffee at a small profit than hundreds of pounds at a large profit.

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\$2.00 for a well-made, perfectly shaped shoe, conveys nothing to your mind, unless you see how much value and style we have in this Shoe at the price.

Men's Shoes at.....98c to \$4.00.
Ladies' Shoes at.....98c to \$3.75.
Boy's Shoes at.....98c to \$2.00.
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Immediately after the plaster is applied, you feel its warming, soothing influence. Its healing remedies quickly penetrate down deep into the inflamed tissues. Pain is quieted, soreness is relieved and strength imparted.
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Execution Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.
THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OTTAWA.
Carl G. A. Voigt, William G. Herpolsheimer, John Sautseder, and Henry B. Herpolsheimer, Plaintiffs, vs. John Krusings, Defendant.
Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in favor of Carl G. A. Voigt, William G. Herpolsheimer, John Sautseder, and Henry B. Herpolsheimer, plaintiffs, against the goods, chattels and real estate of John Krusings, defendant, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did on April 12th, A. D. 1899, levy on and take all the right, title and interest of the said John Krusings, in and to the following described real estate, that is to say, "All John Krusings' right, title and interest in and to a lot in the south part of section twenty (20) and in the north part of section twenty-nine (29), Township five (5) North of Range fifteen (15) West, and being bounded on the North, South, East and West by Black River," all in Ottawa county, Michigan, all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction, or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in Grand Haven, in said Ottawa county, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.
Dated this 19th day of October, A. D. 1899.
FRANK VAN DYK,
Sheriff of Ottawa County.
WILLIAM E. RYAN, Attorney for Plaintiff.
Grand Rapids, Mich. 40-79

THE SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

Situation in the Light of the Latest News from the Battlefields in the Transvaal.

REPORTS FROM THE FRONT CONFLICTING

Bombardment of Ladysmith Night and Day—British Advance Attended with Great Danger—Transvaal Forces May Draw Back into the Mountainous Country.

London, Nov. 18.—Special dispatches from Pietermaritzburg and Lourenco Marques say that Ladysmith is bombarded night and day and hard pressed. On November 9, having during the night placed men close to the town, the Boers, after a heavy bombardment, began an assault, but were repulsed at every point with heavy losses. The Boers have destroyed one of the bridges over the Tugela river.

Reports Conflicting.

London, Nov. 20.—Official dispatches from Gen. Buller throw very little light on the situation in South Africa. Reports from various sources as to the movements on either side are very conflicting. It is apparent the British advance is attended with great danger, but at the same time it is rumored the Boers may draw back into the more mountainous country, where the British will find it more difficult to follow.

Boers Repulsed.

London, Nov. 20.—Saturday morning the Boers attempted to rush Estcourt from the northwest, but a shot from a naval gun and several long range volleys fired by the Dublin fusiliers, however, caused them to retire hurriedly and withdraw their guns from the surrounding ridges.

Reports Discredited.

London, Nov. 21.—Reports of recent serious fighting about Ladysmith are generally discredited. The British are actively preparing for the hard march north and the Boers meantime are continuing their invasion of Cape Colony. There was prospect of a native uprising in Cape Colony in sympathy with the Boers.

Move with Caution.

London, Nov. 22.—A dispatch says that fear of being caught in Boer traps is causing the British to move with great caution. Boers seem to be very numerous on every side, but according to recent dispatches there has been no battle of any consequence. It is believed the British are about to move northward in three divisions.

Want a Marriage Law.

Washington, Nov. 22.—The general missionary committee of the Methodist church has placed itself on record against the seating of Representative-elect Brigham H. Roberts, of Utah, in congress. The resolution, which asked congressmen to expel Roberts from the house, proposed an amendment to the national constitution which should confine legal marriage to monogamy and making polygamy a crime against the United States, punishable by severe penalties, including disfranchisement.

Situation in Kentucky.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 21.—The democratic state campaign committee concedes that Taylor (rep.) has a majority for governor on the face of the returns, but bases a hope of the election of the democratic ticket on throwing out the vote of Louisville. Democratic newspaper figures now give Taylor a plurality of nearly 2,000 on the state.

Starved to Death.

New York, Nov. 21.—Evelyn Adams, author of "Is Marriage a Failure?" starved to death Sunday in a little dark room in the Windermere apartments. For years she has sought a publisher for her third book—the story of her own life—called "The Wandering Sisters."

Seek Home Rule.

Havana, Nov. 20.—Influential Cubans will ask congress to provide an independent government for the island, with president, congress and judiciary elected by the people, the United States to maintain 5,000 troops for preservation of order.

Leather Prices Rise.

Chicago, Nov. 20.—All kinds of leather and hides in the United States and Canada have taken a sudden jump in price because of a general scarcity of the raw and manufactured material, putting the markets almost in a state of panic.

Tar and Feathers.

West Liberty, O., Nov. 20.—Edward Jackson and his wife and Daniel Richmond (all colored) were taken from jail here by a mob and tarred and feathered and driven from town. The victims were charged with incendiarism.

Troops and Citizens Fight.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 22.—Negro soldiers at Fort Ringgold, Tex., were attacked by citizens who resented their presence. A pitched battle followed. Fifteen hundred shots were fired. Only one man was wounded.

An Ultimatum.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Employers in the building industry in this city have given notice to employes that after January 1 next no limitations will be recognized as to work, who shall do it or how it shall be done.

Last of the Name.

Milton, Mass., Nov. 20.—George Harvey Chickering, the last of the famous piano-makers of that name, died at his home here, aged 70 years.

King of the Gypsies.

Philadelphia, Nov. 20.—Seth Lovell, the king of the gypsies in this country, died in this city, aged 100 years.

THE DEWEY HOME.

Another Transfer Makes the Son of the Admiral the Owner of the Gift Property.

Washington, Nov. 22.—George Goodwin Dewey, Admiral Dewey's only son, is now the owner of the residence presented to the admiral by the American people. In explanation of the transaction a relative of the Dewey family made this statement:

"Admiral and Mrs. Dewey have transferred to the former's son, George Goodwin Dewey, the title to the house presented to the admiral by the people of this country. It will continue to be the home of the admiral and Mrs. Dewey so long as he may live. It may be desirable now to say that it was the wish of both the admiral and Mrs. Dewey to provide for a proper succession to the property. The transfer of today completes the transaction begun yesterday, and is the carrying out only of the original intention of both the admiral and Mrs. Dewey. By all those interested in the matter, the method of transfer adopted was considered the best and safest that could have been adopted. It is to be considered, finally, that the transfer was to be the act of Mrs. Dewey, as well as of the admiral. It was her desire that she should release any claim she might have to the property through her marriage to the admiral, and to do this the transfer was made through her to the admiral's son as soon as was practicable. Through the method adopted, no dispute ever can arise over the disposition of the property."

DEED OF A COWARD.

Calls a Minneapolis Woman to Her Door and Shoots Her Down—She Will Die.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Jennie L. Fitkin answered a summons to the front door of her residence Tuesday evening, only to be shot down by an unknown man standing in the darkness outside. "Here's a box for you," said the man, and as Mrs. Fitkin opened the door and before she could reach for it he drew a revolver and fired three times. Two of the shots took effect, one of them entering the woman's head and the other in her back below the left shoulder blade. The woman cannot recover. The police are searching for August Lutter, a German who once persecuted the woman with his attentions and threatened to shoot her unless she eloped with him.

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

An Insane Father in Chicago Kills Three Children, Shoots Another, and Commits Suicide.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Cornelius Corcoran, aged 49, yesterday shot four of his children, killing three, and then ended his own life. The dead are: Margaret, aged five; John, aged seven, and Lizzie, aged three. Kate, aged 14, may die. Corcoran was injured three years ago in a collision with a cable car while driving a mail wagon, and it is said his brain was affected. Six months ago Corcoran's wife became insane and since then has been an inmate of the asylum at Kankakee.

Served Long and Faithfully.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 22.—At the fiftieth annual encampment of the grand encampment of Illinois Odd Fellows Tuesday Gen. John C. Smith, of Chicago, who has held the office of grand scribe for 25 years, and John P. Foss, of Chicago, who has held the office of grand treasurer for 15 years, declined to serve further, and H. C. Feltham, of Salem, was elected to succeed Gen. Smith and Julius Raible, of Alton, to succeed Mr. Foss.

Think Football Dangerous.

St. Louis, Nov. 21.—After spending several days investigating the death of John Allen, right tackle of the football team of the Christian Brothers' college, who was injured on November 11 in a game with the St. Louis university eleven, the coroner's jury returned a verdict of death by accident. The verdict announces belief that the game is dangerous and should be prohibited.

The Corbett-Jeffries Fight.

New York, Nov. 22.—James J. Jeffries and James J. Corbett were Tuesday afternoon matched to fight a 25-round go or to a finish, if the law permits, on or about September 15 next. The fight will be under Queensbury rules.

Six Men Killed.

Humboldt, S. D., Nov. 20.—Six men were killed and four seriously if not fatally injured in a railway accident here.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Nov. 22.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	\$4 40 @ 5 00
Sheep	4 25 @ 4 40
Stocks	2 50 @ 4 10
FLOUR—Winter Straights	2 40 @ 2 55
Minnesota Patents	3 75 @ 4 00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	72 @ 73 1/2
December	72 1/2 @ 73 1/2
CORN—No. 2	40 1/2 @ 41 1/2
December	39 1/2 @ 40 1/2
OATS—No. 2 White	31 1/2 @ 32 1/2
BUTTER—Creamery	20 @ 26
Factory	15 1/2 @ 17
CHEESE	11 1/2 @ 12 1/2
EGGS	14 @ 20
CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Prime Beef	\$5 50 @ 6 55
Stocks	2 35 @ 2 55
Feeder	2 10 @ 2 35
Bulls	2 60 @ 2 80
HOGS—Light	3 85 @ 4 00
Rough Packing	3 25 @ 3 74
BUTTER—Creameries	15 1/2 @ 25
Dairies	16 @ 22
EGGS	14 @ 18
PORK—(per bu.)	12 1/2 @ 13 1/2
LARD—January	9 1/2 @ 9 7 1/2
RIBS—January	5 07 1/2 @ 5 10
GRAIN—Wheat, May	71 @ 71 1/2
Oats, May	37 1/2 @ 38 1/2
Rye, No. 2	49 1/2 @ 50
Barley, Malt	37 @ 43
MILWAUKEE.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n	\$7 67 @ 67 1/2
Oats	24 1/2 @ 25 1/2
Rye, No. 1	57 1/2 @ 58 1/2
Barley, No. 2	44 @ 45
KANSAS CITY.	
GRAIN—Wheat, December	61 1/2 @ 61 1/2
Oats, December	25 1/2 @ 26 1/2
Rye, No. 2	48 1/2 @ 49 1/2
ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Native Steers	\$3 50 @ 5 50
Texas Steers	3 40 @ 4 45
HOGS—Packers	3 55 @ 3 85
Butchers	3 55 @ 3 85
SHEEP—Native Muttons	3 15 @ 4 00
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Native Steers	\$4 00 @ 5 50
Cows and Heifers	3 00 @ 3 50
HOGS—Mixed	3 00 @ 3 75
SHEEP—Western Muttons	1 50 @ 2 15

OATH OF THE BOERS.

The Holy Covenant Which Binds Burgers of the Transvaal in Peace and War.

This peculiar solemn pledge was subscribed at a meeting held by them on April 12, 1879, Wonderfontein, in the Transvaal, and is given as reproduced in the Natal Witness:

"In the presence of Almighty God, the Searcher of Hearts, and praying for His gracious assistance and mercy, we, burghers of the South African republic, have solemnly agreed for us and our children to unite in a holy covenant, which we confirm with a solemn oath. It is now 40 years ago since our fathers left the Cape Colony to become a free and independent people. These 40 years were 40 years of sorrow and suffering. We have founded Natal, the Orange Free State and the South African republic (Transvaal), and three times has the English government trampled on our liberty, and our flag, baptized with the blood and tears of our fathers, has been pulled down. As by a thief in the night has our free republic been stolen from us. We cannot suffer this, and we may not. It is the will of God that the unity of our fathers and our love to our children should oblige us to deliver unto our children, unblemished, the heritage of our fathers. It is for this reason that we here unite and give each other the hand as men and brethren, solemnly promising to be faithful to our country and people, and, looking unto God, to work together unto death for the restoration of the liberty of our republic. So truly help us, God Almighty."

TEA CARAVANS FROM CHINA.

The Enormous Business That Is Done on the Caravan Route Through Siberia.

The newspaper published in Tomsk, called the Siberian Latest News, gives some very curious details about the Russian tea caravans that transport thousands of tons of tea from China and distribute it in various parts of Siberia and Russia. During the first 20 days of January, last 19,000 sleighs laden with tea passed through the city of Tomsk. The ordinary size of these tea caravans is from 50 to 70 sleighs, though sometimes from 200 to 300 are included in one caravan. The average load is five bales, each weighing from 70 to 120 pounds.

Five sledges are fastened together drawn by one horse, and one man attends to the detachment. To the rear sledge of each group are tied a bundle of hay and a measure of oats, so that the horses may feed during the march. This facilitates progress, for the caravan does not need to halt for the purpose of baiting the horses. As the horse in front, however, does not have anything to eat before him his place in the caravan must be changed occasionally to give him an opportunity to eat his lunch.

The caravans travel night and day. The only halts during the 24 hours are in the villages where the weary horses are exchanged for fresh animals. The drivers sleep on the sledges, while traveling, in spite of the severe cold.

POWER FROM A DISTANCE.

Southern California Has the Most Notable Electric Transmission Plant in Existence.

To-day the most notable transmission plant in existence, says Cassier's Magazine, is that of the Southern California Power company, designed to carry 10,000 horse-power at 33,000 volts over 83 miles of line from the power house to the town of Los Angeles. The Southern California power house is situated at the base of the San Bernardino mountains, on the Santa Ana river, and the power water intake is at the junction of Bear creek and the Santa Ana river, about seven miles below the famous Bear creek dam. The water in this river, like all waters in southern California, is owned by water companies, and as soon as it reaches the valley it is led off in irrigation ditches in different directions. Under these conditions, any power company using the water must not interrupt the flow, and the regulation of the water wheels, which are used, must be by deflecting nozzles. The water is carried about 2 1/2 miles, 80 per cent. of which is through tunnels, and the rest of the canal is open masonry and wooden flumes. The elevation at the intake is 3,422 feet above sea level, and that of the power house 2,670 feet. The difference, less the grade of the canal, gives a static head of 735 feet on the wheels.

JUSTICE BY WIRE.

A Case in Kansas That Was Conducted Over the Long-Distance Telephone.

This country is right up to date in its legal methods, says the Abilene (Kan.) Reflector. Lately a warrant was issued from Chapman for the arrest of a party charged with assault and battery. The defendant heard of it, but was not arrested, keeping out of the way. He employed Senator Hessin, of Manhattan, to take care of the case for him. It was not a serious matter and the defendant was guilty. So Mr. Hessin called up on the long-distance telephone the justice of the peace in Chapman who had jurisdiction of the case and inquired if the case was pending, and learned that it was. He then called County Attorney Smith, at Abilene, who in turn called the justice into a conference. The result was that Mr. Hessin entered the appearance of the defendant at Chapman, 33 miles away, by 'phone; pleaded guilty for him by 'phone and the justice imposed a fine of five dollars and costs by 'phone, and Mr. Hessin remitted it by draft in afternoon mail. Presumably justice may be dispensed after awhile without court-houses or the formality of trials thereto.

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Robinson Co. Bourbon	1 40 "
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Pure Blackberry Wine	1 00 "
Pure Claret Wine	1 00 "
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Pabst Pure Milwaukee Beer 1 doz. quart bottles	\$1 00
" " " " " " " " 1 doz. pint	50
Pabst Export Beer 1 doz. quart	1 50
" " " " " " " " 1 doz. pint	75

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Are Making Sugar at the Holland Factory.

Last Tuesday, just ten months from the date of the first meeting held to consider the proposition of building a sugar factory, the work of making sugar was begun at the Holland factory. When the immense sum of money involved is taken into consideration and the greatness of the enterprise is realized, it is easy to understand why Holland and its enterprising business men are receiving words of praise from every part of the state for placing this new industry in operation upon a solid financial basis with capital largely advanced by local stockholders.

The process of making sugar is very interesting and every part of the work is done in a systematic manner. Simple but perfect arrangements are made for the receiving and weighing of the beets. As the farmers drive up to the sheds samples are taken from each load, marked and sent to the laboratory. The load is then dumped into the big bins which are V-shaped and run downward to a concrete sluice which is connected with the main building. This sluice is filled with running water pumped from Black Lake, and the stream of water carries the beets into the main department where the sugar making is done.

The beets are first put through an immense beet washer and thoroughly cleaned. A conveyer in the form of an endless chain carries them to a slicer where they are cut into slices resembling potato strings. Then they are forced by machinery into cells of diffusion batteries where the part that is finally converted into sugar is leached from the other part by hot water, and in the form of juice is sent into the measuring tank where the supply to be sent to the rest of the machinery may be regulated.

The juice is heated and pumped into the carbonators where it is purified and clarified by lime and carbonic acid gas. It is then pumped to the filter presses and sent to the second carbonators where it is re-purified, then filtered and forced to the sulphurators where it is treated with sulphurous gases, filtered again, and then sent to evaporating tanks, where it passes through four processes and is then pumped into the vacuum pan in the form of syrup.

In this vacuum pan crystallization and granulation takes place and for the first time the sugary form is noticeable. From this pan the crystallized mass is dropped into the mixer and thoroughly shaken and mixed. Then the mass of syrup and sugar is forced into the centrifugals where the sugar is separated from the syrup. The syrup is sent into large vats and the sugar is conveyed to the drier. It then is passed through large flues down to the barreling department, where it is barreled and rolled into the warehouse ready for shipment.

The immense building where the above change from beets to sugar takes place resembles a huge laboratory. The men in charge of the different machines must be skilled and careful in order that the best results may be obtained. It takes three or four days to put the raw material through the several changes therefore it will take until tomorrow to produce the first sugar.

If they desired to close the factory for one day, two days before the close the juice would have to be taken care of and it would take three days to get ready for the finishing part, therefore the factory must be operated every day in the week, for a stop of one day would mean the loss of five additional days, and the waste of a large amount of labor, money and material.

From 350 to 400 tons of beets a day can be taken care of at the factory and from this number of tons about 200 barrels of sugar is obtained. The plant is so constructed that the capacity of it can be doubled by placing additional machinery without enlarging the buildings, as they were constructed with a view to doubling the capacity of the plant some time in the near future. The farmers are realizing from \$4.00 to \$4.50 per ton for their beets and as some of the land produces 20 tons to the acre a nice profit is assured to the up-to-date farmer.

Murder and Suicide.

This city was the scene of a terrible tragedy last Tuesday afternoon. Driven to desperation by jealousy and domestic troubles and deadened to all sense of honor and right by the excessive use of strong drink, Alexander Crawford killed his wife and then sent a bullet crashing through his own brain.

Mrs. Eva Crawford was at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. Jansen about the noon hour when her husband called there by appointment to deny reports that had been circulated derogatory to his wife's character, and state before witnesses that he did not believe such reports. Undoubtedly

this was not his real intention but was a subterfuge he resorted to in order to accomplish an entirely different purpose, her murder and his suicide.

When Mrs. Jansen saw him coming she closed the front door and refused to admit him, but he came to the side door and asked his wife to come out on the porch and converse with him. Contrary to the advice of Mrs. Jansen, who suspected trouble she went out and began talking with her husband. Soon Mrs. Jansen heard calls for help and saw that they were engaged in a terrible struggle. She was horrified to see Mr. Crawford pull a revolver from his pocket and while his wife was struggling for her life he placed the revolver near her left



MRS. CRAWFORD.

temple and fired. She sank fainting to the ground, but another and still another shot was fired. The last two bullets flew wide of the mark but the first one was enough for the deadly work, and Mrs. Crawford soon ceased to struggle.

Then the murderer added suicide to his catalogue of crimes by shooting himself in the head.

By this time a crowd, attracted by the shots had gathered, and in response to cries for police, Prof. J. B. Nykerk stepped to the phone in Mr. Wheeler's residence and called up Marshal Dykhuis. When the Marshal arrived on the scene the principals in the tragedy were lying on the ground about six feet apart. The revolver, a 38 calibre, was still grasped in the hands of the murderer.

Doctors Kremers and Mabbs were summoned and the woman was carried into the Jansen house. Upon examination Dr. Kremers discovered that she was shot in the head and that the wound was fatal. With the aid of drugs he vainly tried to stimulate the heart action but all of his efforts were futile and within 20 minutes after the first shot was fired Mrs. Crawford breathed her last. She did not recover consciousness after receiving the fatal wound.

In the meantime the Marshal assisted by some of the bystanders carried Mr. Crawford to Engine House No. 2. Dr. Mabbs who attended him saw that there was no hope as the bullet had entered the head near the temple. The man lingered between life and death until 1 o'clock when he died. And a tragical indeed was that death. After standing his hands with two crimes, there he lay exposed to the gaze of the morbidly curious, friendless and unmourned. But he never recovered consciousness and when death came, a sigh of relief told eloquently that not a spectator was sorry that the end had come.

The tragedy was the outcome of domestic troubles occasioned by Mr. Crawford's refusal to support his wife, and his strong love for intoxicating liquors. As a result of these troubles the couple did not live together. Mrs. Crawford came here from Fennville last July and has spent most of her time in this city and Fennville the past few months.

For the past couple of weeks previous to the murder she had been boarding at the residence of Mr. Solon Farrer, 202 Columbia Avenue, where she rented a room for dressmaking purposes. She had been working at the home of Mrs. Robinson near Fennville for a few days and returned to her room in this city last Saturday.

Mr. Crawford came here from New York about three weeks ago and worked in the West Michigan factory a few days. He had been drinking continually of late and made himself quite obnoxious to the residents of the business portion of the city. The first day that he came to town he called upon his wife but she refused to see him until Deputy Sheriff Ford came to the house in response to a call from Mr. Farrer who feared trouble.

Deputy Ford advised Mrs. Crawford to make out a complaint and have her husband give bonds to keep the peace, but she refused to do so, although her husband repeatedly threatened to kill her, and had annoyed and frightened her while she was with the Robinson family.

Mr. Crawford boarded at the residence of Mr. Charles Freeman and the shooting was done with his revolver which the murderer appropriated for the occasion. It seems that when Mrs. Crawford promised to meet her husband Tuesday she did so thinking that he would proclaim, in the pres-

ence of the Freemans and before them all that he did not believe the scandalous reports about her. But murder was his motive and he was undoubtedly nerve to it by brooding over the scandalous stories circulated by some of the meddling gossips who claimed to be actuated by friendly motives in repeating malicious falsehoods.

Mrs. Crawford was about 35 years of age and had lived with her husband in Fennville and vicinity for some years. Since coming to Holland she has lived the life of an honest, respected and hard working dressmaker and did not deserve the cruel death caused by her brutal husband. Little is known of him except that his actions previous to the murder and suicide were very questionable. His moral sensibilities seemed to be blunted by worry and liquor and he made many conflicting statements regarding his past history and his present purposes. One daughter survives them. She lives in Hastings and was immediately notified of the double crime that bereft her of father and mother.

An inquest was held Tuesday evening with Justice Van Duren presiding in the absence of Dr. Yates, who was attending a patient that required constant personal attention. Prof. J. B. Nykerk, Mrs. Jennie Jansen, Hendrik Toren, Lena Brandt, Clifford Williams, H. J. Dykhuis, Deputy Ford, Charles Freeman, Solon Farrer and Dr. H. Kremers were summoned as witnesses and related the details of the tragedy substantially as stated above. The jury consisting of John J. Rutgers, Albert C. Keppel, Peter Kleis, Gerrit Van Haften, Tleman Slagh and Ray Knooyhuizen, brought in a verdict to the effect: "That the said Eva Crawford came to her death as the result of a shot from a pistol in the hands of Aleck Crawford, her husband."

Word was received Wednesday from a brother of Mr. Crawford, who lives in Freeport. He said that on account of the severe illness of his mother who was at the point of death, it was impossible for him to come here at once, but that he would be here to-day, and instructed those in authority to take proper care of the body, put it in a suitable casket, and upon his arrival here he would pay all expenses. The body is in the undertaking establishment of Notier & Thole.

Mrs. Claude Rogers, the daughter of Mrs. Crawford, came to the city Thursday and took the remains of her mother to Hastings for burial. Mrs. Rogers was accompanied by her husband. She is the step-daughter of the late Mr. Crawford. Her mother was formerly the wife of Mr. Van Buren, but was divorced from him and married Crawford.

The Late Rokus Kanters.

Death has again entered the journalistic ranks of this city and removed from our circle its senior member Rokus Kanters, who since 1886 has been publisher of De Hope, the Hol-

land organ of the Reformed church in the West, and of -Hope college.

His illness dates back to the early part of the summer, and was caused by a stricture of the esophagus where by the stomach was prevented from obtaining the required amount of nourishment. It was only a few weeks ago that he was compelled to abandon his labors, since which the inroads of the disease upon his otherwise strong constitution began to tell for the worse, and on Wednesday forenoon terminated his earthly career.

Rokus Kanters was born January 5, 1826, at 's Gravenmoer, Province of N. Brabant, Netherlands. At an early age he identified himself, first as laborer and afterwards as contractor with the construction of fascine works along the coasts and harbors of the

North Sea known as the Dutch system. It was during the period of our Civil War, in 1862, that he emigrated to this country. Upon his arrival here he at first followed various pursuits, among others that of dealing in bark and staves, until in due season the opportunity presented itself of inaugurating in this country the construction of hydraulic works upon the same plan followed by little Holland in protecting itself against the encroachments of the sea. His first work was at a own harbor, where he operated in conjunction with the late John Roost. This in time was followed by more extensive contracts at Lincoln Park, Chicago, Pascavale and Brazos River, Texas, and along the water front of the Lehigh Valley R. R. at Buffalo, N. Y.

Although for years Mr. Kanters had been indirectly identified with the publication of De Hope, it was not until 1886 that he became its responsible publisher, from which time also the financial success of the paper may be properly dated.

The deceased was a worthy and enthusiastic citizen of the land of his adoption and of the city he made his home. In all matters pertaining to the welfare and growth he took an unselfish interest. Four years he served the municipality as alderman and one year as mayor. He was a member of the board of trustees of Pilgrim Home Cemetery and at the time of his death its president. A kinder-hearted friend and neighbor than the departed would be difficult to find. He was generous to a fault and where he will be missed most is in those circles of which it will be known least.

In 1849, April 5, Mr. Kanters was married to Christina Roos, who died Oct. 31, 1896. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. U. De Vries and Miss Jennie Kanters; five sons, Abraham M., Leendert T., Rokus A., John D. and Gerard A. With these should also be grouped his nephew Adrian K. Roos, who since early boyhood had his home with the family of the deceased.

The funeral will be held this afternoon, from the First Reformed church of which Mr. Kanters had been a

staunch and faithful member and toward the continuance of which organization, in the troublesome days of 1882, he bore his part manfully and liberally. The address will be delivered by Rev. U. M. Steffens, D. D., of Orange City, Iowa, an intimate friend of the deceased and former pastor of the church, who also performed a like duty on the occasion of the funeral of Mrs. R. Kanters. The other clergymen who are to take part in the services are the pastor, Rev. J. Van Houte, Rev. John Van der Meulen, D. D., Prof. H. E. Dosker and J. T. Bergen.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Grace Playford, of Hillsdale, is the guest of her uncle, Deputy Sheriff Ford. She will spend the winter in this city.

Henry Beukus, of Chicago, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. A. Dyke, Sunday.

Mrs. S. Holman, of Grand Haven,



ROKUS KANTERS.

is in the city, the guest of her brother Albert Bouman.

Miss Nellie Ryder is in Grand Rapids, the guest of Miss Ida Mae Kearns. Chester Boyle has returned to his home in Grand Rapids.

Geo. E. Kollen was in Grand Haven on legal business Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Tobin, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Doyle, the past week has returned to her home in Muskegon.

Mart Dykema, Joe Borgman, Andrew Ver Schure and Ben Scott accompanied the foot ball team to Muskegon last Saturday.

John Van Der Veen was in Muskegon last Saturday.

Mrs. Bert Houtley, of Ionia, is visiting relatives in this city.

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Black Ash 40 ins. long for heading not split.....\$2.25 per cd.
Black Ash 27 ins. long for heading not split.....\$2.15 per cd.
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J. C. Post, G. J. Diekema and George P. Hummer were in Grand Haven Tuesday and Wednesday.

Henry Harmon, of New Buffalo, is in the city.

J. E. Cochran, Jr., of Chester, Pa., treasurer of the Holland & Lake Michigan Electric Ry., was in the city this week.

D. J. Sluyter transacted business in Grand Rapids yesterday.

James Van der Sluis and Deris Schram, of the Standaard of Grand Rapids, are here, today attending the funeral of Mr. Kanters.

Some Tonics Make Drunkards.

but Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea contains no alcohol—it is purely vegetable. Steep it in hot water and it is ready. It is as pure and harmless as milk, but it is the quickest and surest cure in the world for Nervous Prostrations, Exhaustion, Constipation, Indigestion and all diseases of the Blood, Kidneys, Liver, Stomach and the Skin. There is health and vigor in every ounce of it. We will give you a free trial package. Large packages, 25 cents at Heber Walsh.

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Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25 cents at Heber Walsh, Holland, and Van Bree & Son, Zeeland.

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Are grand, but Skig Eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them, also Old Running and Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, Warts, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chilblains. Best Pile cure on earth. Drives out Pains and Aches. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Heber Walsh, Holland, and Van Bree & Son, Zeeland, druggists.

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Holland City News.

MULDER BROS. & WHELAN.

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS

While in the city Dr. R. Samuel Martin the distinguished author and speaker, will stop at Hotel Holland.

A few good seats for the Chapin lectures at Winant's chapel can be obtained at Breyman & Hardie's or at the door to night.

Dr. Mc Omber, the specialist, will be at Hotel Holland. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, November 28, 29 and 30.

Anything you want can be found at John Vandersluis' dry goods store. Already lots of useful articles for the holidays are shown at this busy store where it keeps 5 clerks busy waiting on trade.

Ardis & Warnock, proprietors of the Arcade, are always offering something new to their customers. They are right in touch with the times in all matters pertaining to dry goods. Read their advertisement.

Mrs. A. O. Bannister entertained her Sunday school class of ten little girls last Saturday afternoon. The time was pleasantly passed in singing, recitations and games. A dainty supper was served at 5 o'clock.

Prof. J. T. Bergen will preach in Hope church next Sunday morning and Rev. Dosker in the evening. Thanksgiving services will be held Thursday. Rev. Bergen will be in charge and will deliver the sermon.

William H. Cooper, the Hope College impersonator, delivered one of his interesting series of humorous and pathetic recitations at the East Congregational church of Grand Rapids yesterday evening. His programs are becoming more popular right along, as is shown by the numerous engagements he has to fill in the near future. About two weeks hence the Second Methodist church of that city will have the privilege of hearing Mr. Cooper.

Tuesday evening, the Y. M. C. A. was addressed by H. J. McCreary, one of the state travelling secretaries, who spoke to the students on "Loyalty and Love." Mr. MacCreary being a student himself at the state university, was well informed on the dangers of student life and was able to give some practical warnings to the young men. He made a strong appeal to them to be loyal to the banner under which they enlisted and to rejoice in the difficulties which would be met in the attempt.

Gifts for distribution on Thanksgiving Eve will be received at the Y. M. C. A. rooms above Benjamin Sisters' millinery store next Wednesday afternoon. A committee of young ladies from the Y. W. C. A. will be present to receive and care for the gifts. All articles of clothing, provisions and everything of value will be gladly accepted. The christian young men and women manifest a commendable spirit of thoughtfulness in looking after the welfare of the poor of the city and their efforts should be rewarded with liberal donations.

To those who contemplate purchasing Holiday Presents, we would recommend a visit to C. A. Stevenson's old reliable jewelry store. He is showing elegant new designs in Lady's and Gent's gold and gold filled watches with handsome chains and charms to match. Beautiful Diamonds, fine gold rings, chains, pins, sleeve buttons, etc., sterling silver and ebony novelties in endless variety. In all past seasons Mr. Stevenson has never purchased so liberally for the holiday season, and his customers may rely upon getting what they pay for, and at bottom prices. 45-5w.

Jacob Snyder, of Jamestown, gave an exhibition of fast driving yesterday evening. He was driving down Eighth street at a furious rate and just after he turned the corner of River street his team collided with L. Viessers delivery wagon. The intoxicated driver was gathered in by Marshal Dykhuus and Deputy Ford and this morning was arraigned before Justice Van Duren on the charge of fast driving. He pleaded guilty and paid a fine and costs amounting in all to \$16. He also paid \$1.10 to Mr. L. Viessers for damaging his delivery wagon.

If the scheme now under consideration by the Cincinnati Northern Railway company—purchase or lease of the Allegan-Holland branch of the C. & W. M. railway—is carried into effect it will make a great difference to Allegan merchants and business men generally, as it will cause the eventual removal of about thirty families from the village. This would probably include all the present C. & W. M. force and part of the Cincinnati Northern men, as Allegan would be merely a local station then instead of the railway's terminus, and train crews that now stay here nights would be obliged to remain elsewhere.—Allegan Gazette.

In pursuance of orders from the Postmaster General and in respect to the memory of late Vice President Hobart, the postoffice in this city will be closed on Saturday, Nov. 25, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m. This will not interfere however with the regular delivery and collection of mails.

A rare treat is in store for the citizens of Holland in the addresses to be given in the Opera House Nov. 27 and 28 by the celebrated author and speaker, Dr. R. Samuel Martin, of San Francisco. Dr. Martin is the last appointed U. S. Consul to the West Indies and for three consecutive years opened the World's Fair Museum lecture course.

J. C. Post presented a very able paper on Municipal Ownership at Monday night's meeting of the Economic Club. It was an exhaustive review of the question and told of the success of the system where it had been tried in Glasgow and Birmingham, across the sea. Mr. Post advanced many sound arguments in favor of city ownership of gas and light plants, electric roads and water supply. He contended that business men should pay more attention to Municipal elections and endeavor to make good character and sound business ability the requisite qualifications of office holders. As a rule caucuses do not give the right man a chance, and the idea of nominating candidates by petition was advocated. So broad was the field covered by Mr. Post in his paper and so numerous were the arguments advanced that wide scope was left for discussion and one of the most spirited debates of the Club's history followed. The Economic Club is doing very good work in stimulating investigation of the leading questions of the day and encouraging the people to keep pace with the times.

C. H. W. Towns, the founder of the "Prison Gates" mission in New York was in the city this week in the interest of a mission home to be established in Kalamazoo. He delivered two sermons Sunday, one at the M. E. church in the morning, and the other at Hope church in the evening. He traced the cause of crime and said that charity, love and hope worked wonders in the reformation of criminals. "To preserve the sanctity of the home children should not be allowed upon the streets after 8:00 o'clock and pernicious literature should be banished from the home circle. For the men behind the bars, hope is the best medicine; to a man who is compelled to submit to degradation by the law, the thing he needs is to be convinced that he can once more be a man if given the opportunity. Inspire in him the hope of leading a better life, give him the lowly Nazarene as an example, teach him to hope for a better existence and you can feel certain he will not easily be led into crime again." In order to encourage the men who leave the prison at the termination of their sentence, Mr. Towns has received subscriptions from every corner of Michigan, to be expended in building and maintaining a mission house in Kalamazoo, where the men are given employment and aided in every possible way to gain the respect of the community and obtain a foothold in the busy world.

Important Meeting of State Horticultural Society.

At a meeting held in the News office last Friday afternoon committees were appointed and preliminary arrangements made for the annual meeting of the State Horticultural Society which will be held in this city December 5, 6 and 7. Postmaster G. Van Schelven acted as chairman of the meeting and M. G. Manting as secretary. Everything in connection with the coming meeting was freely discussed and it was determined that the men in charge would do all possible to make the coming visit of the society an unqualified success.

The following committees were appointed: Finance—C. J. Lokker, George H. Souter, A. B. Bosman. Music—Prof. J. B. Nykerk, Dr. A. C. V. R. Gilmore. Program and Entertainment—G. Van Schelven, L. Lugers, Dr. Kollen. Hall, fuel and light—L. T. Kanters, M. G. Manting, J. C. Post.

The study of horticulture has not received the care and attention that has been devoted to other departments of agriculture in this section of Michigan and the coming meeting will prove of vast importance to the farmers of this vicinity. The arrangement of the program indicates that the meeting will be decidedly interesting and that every live question pertaining to farming communities will be freely discussed. Good roads, shade trees, the preservation of forests, rural mail delivery, and in fact every debatable question concerning the advancement of the farmer will receive due consideration. Short papers will be read by experts on the several subjects proposed and each paper will be followed by a general discussion. As men of ability and experience from every part of the state will be present, interesting and instructive sessions will be the rule.

Arrangements have been made to take ample care of all visitors and nothing will be left undone to make their stay pleasant as well as profitable.

Benjamin Chapin at Winant's Chapel to-night.

To-night at Winant's Chapel Benjamin Chapin will give one of his delightful dramatic interpretations. In "A card from the management," the Clayton Lyceum Bureau pays the following tribute to Mr. Chapin: "We have presented for several seasons Mr. Benjamin Chapin in dramatic monologue programs. 'To interpret,' Mr. Chapin has stated, 'as best I can, the power of language, the charm of dramatic action and, above all, the spirit of the characters in a repertoire of the best comedy and drama, is my effort.' That he is succeeding is known to many. For the past six seasons he has from Maine to California, in thirty-eight states of the Union, won the confidence of the American public. To those who are not familiar with Mr. Chapin's work we, as managers wish to state that, in our experience of twenty-seven years as a Lyceum Bureau, we have never booked any other public reader who gave such universal satisfaction, and we wish further to state that in range of dramatic power and artistic attainment we believe Mr. Chapin stands today without an equal in his profession."

Of his success in the interpretation of "Nicholas Nickleby," President W. C. Whitford, Ex-State Superintendent of the Wisconsin Public schools says:

"I cannot better express my appreciation of your appearance in 'Nicholas Nickleby' than in the words from The Milton Journal of Jan. 29, '95:

"The entertainment given at the college last night was of the highest order. It is putting it very mildly to say that he just captivated the audience. Barely is anyone found who can sway the feelings of his hearers as Mr. Chapin did last night. He would be very cordially received by a full house if he were booked here again."

Did Not Pardon Wright.

The meeting of the state board of pardons at the state house of correction at Ionia Tuesday was attended by the full board and a public hearing was given in connection with the case of Wright, the wealthy Benzie county lumberman who is now serving a life sentence at Jackson for the murder of Dr. Thurber and deputy sheriff Marshall of that county about nine years ago. The report that Wright was to be pardoned, however, seems to have aroused the indignation of relatives of the murdered men and several attended the meeting. The main argument was made by United States District Attorney Covell, who spoke bitterly against granting the pardon. Mr. Waite, son-in-law of one of the murdered men, was also present and six or eight others from Benzie county. The entire forenoon was taken up with the hearing.

It is said that immediately after the arguments were heard and the board went into executive session, Mr. Burns of Grand Rapids made a formal motion that the application for pardon or commutation be denied. The other members did not favor immediate action and it was finally agreed that another meeting be held in Lansing next Tuesday evening at which time Mr. Burns will insist upon final action upon the Wright application. Burns time expires November 29, and the other members will defer action if possible in the hope that Governor Pingree will not re-appoint Burns. It is more than probable, however, that the members of the board who are banking upon the turning down of Burns by the governor will be sorely disappointed. Mr. Burns will be re-appointed. His commission will be issued before his time expires and he will not be off the board for a minute. The pressure of public sentiment from all over the state has been strong, and the governor has been flooded with letters endorsing the attitude of Burns and condemning the other members who voted even "informally" to extend clemency to the wealthy lifer. The governor has said that Burns will be re-appointed. A petition urging the Governor to re-appoint Mr. Burns is being circulated in Grand Rapids. It is signed by every prominent business man of that city and shows that the stand taken by Burns is favored by the people.

EXCURSION NOTICE

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Are now on sale by Agents of the Chicago & West Michigan Ry. Round trip reduced rates to points in California, Florida and other Southern and Southwestern states. Apply to Agents or to the General Passenger Agent at Grand Rapids for full information. 43-3w

LUMBER SCHOONERS.

There Are Not Many of This Kind of Craft Now Seen in the Chicago River.

"Have you noticed the great falling off in the number of lumber schooners in the Chicago river?" said the old bridgetender as he leaned on the rail of his bridge and watched a mighty steel steamer majestically sweep through the murky water with thousands of tons of ore in her hold. "A few years ago, comparatively, the old wooden schooners with their tapering masts showed up in the distance almost every time the tug whistles sounded for a bridge to open. Now we are warned by the deep cough of a steamer, says the Chicago Chronicle. The lumber carriers, which used to plod slowly down the stream laden almost to the water's edge with sawed lumber, shingles, cedar posts and all that sort of stuff from Michigan forests, are not here any more. Not one in five of the old fleet of lumber schooners makes Chicago as they did. Well? One reason is that the Michigan forests are getting played out and the Wisconsin lumbermen are floating their logs down the Wisconsin rivers to the Mississippi country and cutting them there, giving Chicago the go-by. A whole lot of the trade has been diverted in that way, and again lots of it goes to South Chicago. That Calumet country is rapidly filling up with lumber yards, because the river hauls are shorter and the tug bills are, therefore, less. If the Chicago lumber men don't do something to help matters they will find themselves up a stump before long."

MALTREATED STORE CLERKS.

They Are Subjected to Great Injustice by Thoughtless Women Shoppers.

The reputation which some large stores get for being disobedient to their customers or having uncivil clerks could in the majority of cases be traced directly back to the shoppers themselves, writes Edward Bok in Ladies' Home Journal. I make no claim of perfection for the clerks who stand behind the counters of our great stores where women shop. They are only common mortals, full of faults. But, considering what they are called upon to go through and endure at the hands of thoughtless women, the constant wonder is that they are so civil and obliging. If the truth could be known it would be found that they suffer far more than they inflict suffering. If the roll could be called of hard-working, innocent girls who have lost their positions because of ill-founded complaints made by "influential" customers whose accounts the firm could not afford to lose, it would be a roll of disgrace to American shoppers. The girls behind the counter are human—although from the actions of some women we might believe, otherwise—human in their faults, but also in their finer feelings. Very often they represent better families, better breeding, than that which is revealed to them from the other side of the counter.

THE MAN WHO DRAWS.

This One Thinks He Has His Trials with the Rest of the World.

The woman writer is a great trial to the man illustrator of her stories. It is all very well to illustrate a story for a man. He doesn't care a rap, often, about the details of the gowns his heroines wear in the pictures if they only have the general effect that is desired and the women themselves look as pretty as his pen picture has made them. But it is not so with the woman writer, says the New York Times.

"Good gracious!" says a man who illustrated a number of stories for a popular woman writer, "I did not know but the work would send me to the insane asylum or that I should have to go as a dressmaker's apprentice before I could complete it. That woman wanted every fold of the gown to hang just so. She was particular about the tie of the bow her women wore at the neck and she would have the hair dressed in just such style. I thought I knew before that an artist's education needed to be comprehensive and included a good many things not mentioned in works of art, but it looked to me for a time as if the only thing for me was to be born again and to be born a wearer of petticoats."

Started Too High.

In her book, "The Last of the Great Scouts," his sister relates this story of "Buffalo Bill's" visit to a little church he had helped to build at North Platte: His wife and sister were in the congregation, and this ought to have not only kept him awake, but it should have insured perfect decorum on his part. The opening hymn commenced with the words: "Oh, for ten thousand tongues to sing," etc. The organist, who played "by ear," started the tune in too high a key to be followed by the choir and congregation, and had to try again. A second attempt ended, like the first, in failure. "Oh, for ten thousand tongues to sing, my blest—" came the opening words for the third time, followed by a squeak from the organ and a relapse into painful silence. Will could contain himself no longer, and blurted out: "Start it at five thousand, and mumble some of the rest of us can get in."

Books in Japan. The Japanese now publish three times as many books as the Italians, whose literary powers seem to have faded almost entirely away. Out of 25,000 volumes published last year in the Land of Flowers no less than 5,000 were law books and 1,300 treated of religion, which shows that the romantic little nation has not yet taken kindly to any written form of romance.

Dr. J. W. Batts. Of Carfu, N. Y., writes as follows: "As soon as I saw the formula of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve and Blood Pills I concluded that it would be an excellent specific for weak, watery blood and an exhausted nervous system. During the past year I have prescribed them frequently and am more than pleased with the results. For pale weak women and girls just merging into womanhood I consider them far superior to any other preparation. Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve and Blood Pills contain the very elements required to create pure, rich blood and new nerve force, and I can most heartily endorse their use."

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Wheat per bushel.....	55
Rye.....	54
Buckwheat.....	50
Barley per cwt.....	25
Corn per bu. hel.....	25 3/4
Oats.....	20 3/4
Clover Seed.....	1 1/2
Timothy seed.....	1 1/2
Potatoes.....	4 1/2
Flour per barrel.....	4 1/2
Cornmeal, bolted.....	1 1/2
Cornmeal, unbolted.....	1 1/2
Ground feed.....	20
Midlings.....	20
Brans.....	10
Hay.....	6 00
Butter per lb.....	15
Eggs per dozen.....	35
Flour per lb.....	5
Wood hams, dry per cwt.....	2 00
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VICE PRESIDENT IS DEAD.

The Long Illness of Garret Augustus Hobart Ends at His Home at Paterson, N. J.

SAD EVENT BRINGS SORROW TO MANY.

Bells of the City Toll and Flags Are Placed at Half-Mast—President McKinley Issues a Proclamation Expressing the Nation's Sorrow—Sketch of His Career.

New York, Nov. 22.—Garret A. Hobart, vice president of the United States, died at his home in Paterson, N. J., at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. At his bedside were Mrs. Hobart and his son, Garret A. Hobart, Jr., together with Dr. William K. Newton and his wife and Private Secretary Evans. Mr. Hobart's death had been expected for some hours. The beginning of the end came Monday afternoon, when there was a sudden failure of the heart, and from this attack Mr. Hobart never rallied. He had been sick for a long time, and had suffered frequently from heart failure, and his strength had been undermined. Gradually the failure of the heart's action became more apparent, and



VICE PRESIDENT HOBART.

soon after midnight Monday night Mr. Hobart became unconscious. He remained in that condition until his death. Mr. Hobart's death was due directly to angina pectoris.

Flags Half-Masted. The flags of the city and other public buildings were half-masted when the news of the vice president's death became known. Flags on many private buildings and dwellings were also hung at half-mast.

The bell on the city hall was tolled at intervals during the forenoon. The Passaic county court adjourned in token of respect to the dead vice president.

Mourning at Washington.

Washington, Nov. 22.—All the flags in Washington are half-masted out of respect to the memory of Vice President Hobart. The announcement of the vice president's death, while not unexpected, came as a distinct shock and cast a deep gloom over the city where he was loved and honored. The news was first received at the white house ten minutes before nine o'clock in a private message from Paterson. The flag over the executive mansion was immediately hauled down to half-mast and the doors of the mansion closed to the public.

The president was deeply affected by the telegram announcing his colleague's death and at once dispatched a telegram conveying the sympathy and consolation of himself and Mrs. McKinley to Mrs. Hobart. Meantime the sad intelligence had been bulletined by all the newspaper offices and the whole city was soon mourning the loss of the vice president.

Proclamation by the President.

After the cabinet meeting the president issued the following proclamation:

"By the President of the United States—A Proclamation to the People of the United States: Garret Augustus Hobart, vice president of the United States, died at his home in Paterson, N. J., at 8:30 o'clock this morning. In him the nation has lost one of its most illustrious citizens and one of its most faithful servants. His participation in the business life and the lawmaking body of his native state was marked by unswerving fidelity and by a high order of talents and attainments, and his too brief career as vice president of the United States and president of the senate exhibited the loftiest qualities of upright and sagacious statesmanship. In the world of affairs he has few equals among his contemporaries. His private character was gentle and noble. He will long be mourned by his friends as a man of singular purity and attractiveness, whose sweetness of disposition won all hearts, while his elevated position won all hearts, while his elevated purposes, his unbending integrity and whole-hearted devotion to the public good deserved and acquired universal respect and esteem.

"In sorrowful testimony of the loss which has fallen upon the country, I direct that on the day of the funeral the executive offices of the United States shall be closed and all stations of the army and navy shall display the national flag at half-mast, and that the representatives of the United States in foreign countries shall pay appropriate tribute to the illustrious dead for a period of 30 days.

"In witness whereof, I have set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

(Seal) "Done at the city of Washington, this twenty-first day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-fourth.

(Signed) "WILLIAM MCKINLEY.

"By the President, John Hay, Secretary of State."

Office Will Remain Vacant.

By the death of Mr. Hobart the office of vice president of the United States

became vacant for the rest of President McKinley's term, as the law provides no succession. A president pro tempore of the senate will be elected by that body when congress assembles, who will hold the office until March, 1901.

Senator William P. Frye, of Maine, is now president pro tempore of the senate. He will call that body to order when it assembles on December 4 and preside until a successor is chosen.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

For the Week Ending Nov. 22.

William Burke died at Marengo, Ill., aged 110 years.

Mrs. Mary Carey, 111 years old, died at Washington, N. J.

Brazil celebrated the tenth anniversary of the proclamation of the republic.

Two masked men broke into the State bank at Parker, Kan., and secured \$1,000.

President Loubet unveiled in Paris a statue symbolizing the triumph of the republic.

Mrs. Bamberger, a St. Louis midwife, has been indicted on a charge of four murders.

Four robbers blew open the safe of the bank at Carl Junction, Mo., and secured \$4,000 in cash.

The transports Hancock and City of Puebla sailed from San Francisco for Manila with troops.

The United States supreme court has adjourned for the usual Thanksgiving recess of two weeks.

The one hundred and thirty-first annual banquet of the chamber of commerce was held in New York.

William Simons, of Syracuse, N. Y., a returning Klondiker, was robbed of \$1,500 in a panel house in Chicago.

Thomas Ayres, aged 100 years and 4 months, died at Maxom's Mills, Ky. He leaves eight daughters and ten sons.

Mormon elders, John M. Myler and F. P. Carlisle, were whipped by a mob in Butler county, Ky., and warned to leave.

The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse arrived in New York from Southampton after a passage of 5 days, 17 hours and 11 minutes.

A telegram received in Madrid from the Spanish consul at Manila says that Aguinaldo has liberated 800 Spanish prisoners.

Col. Denby, of the Philippine commission, says the full report of the commission will be ready about the middle of next month.

Rev. Daniel Hill, aged 82, one of the most prominent members of the Society of Friends in the west, died in Richmond, Ind.

Thirty Mormon elders arrived at Chattanooga, Tenn., from Utah for assignment to work in Ohio and the southern states.

Senator John M. Thurston, of Nebraska, and Miss Lola Purman, of Washington, were married at the residence of the bride.

The United States mint at Philadelphia will soon begin striking the La Fayette dollar authorized by congress in aid of the monument.

The wives of 100 representatives have signed a petition calling on their husbands to refuse a seat in congress to Mr. Roberts, of Utah.

Maj. William Dickey, one of the best known men of Maine, and a member of the legislature for 35 years, died at Fort Kent.

Hattie Smith, the 18-year-old daughter of a retired farmer, Thomas Smith, of Stevens Point, Wis., has been chosen as heiress to \$1,000,000 by her uncle, Richard Smith, of Glasgow, Scotland.

Emil Rollinger Hanged. Chicago, Nov. 18.—Emil Rollinger, the wife murderer, declared on the gallows with his last breath that he was an innocent man and that if a lawyer, whom he would not name, had not robbed him of his money he would be walking the streets a free man. The drop fell at 12:08 o'clock, breaking his neck instantly, and nine minutes later the jury of physicians pronounced him dead.

Apple Crop Small. Omaha, Neb., Nov. 22.—Reports from southwestern Iowa which is one of the heaviest apple producing sections of the country, indicate that dealers have suffered heavy losses through the sweating and subsequent rotting of apples. The unusually warm weather for this season of the year is responsible for the loss.

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That he will succeed himself is generally conceded.

Sixth to Die in Office.

Mr. Hobart is the sixth vice president to die in office, his predecessors in this regard being George Clinton, of New York, Elbridge Gerry, of Massachusetts, William R. King, of Alabama, Henry Wilson, of Massachusetts, and Thomas A. Hendricks, of Indiana. Only four vice presidents have succeeded to the presidency.

Curious Coincidence.

Attention is drawn to the fact of the curious coincidence in the death of four out of the six vice presidents who were stricken while in office. Mr. Hobart died on November 21. Henry Wilson on November 22, Elbridge Gerry on November 23, and Thomas A. Hendricks on November 24. George Clinton died on April 20 and William R. King on April 17.

Governor Issues Proclamation.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 22.—Gov. Voorhees has issued a proclamation on the death of Vice President Hobart. After eulogizing the dead statesman, the governor directs that the public buildings be draped in mourning for 30 days, and that until and including the day of his burial the flags thereon be placed at half-mast and that during the funeral services the public offices be closed.

Sketch of Hobart's Life.

Garret A. Hobart was eminently successful, both in business and politics. His reputation as a man of affairs and as one of the shrewdest business men in the country was, perhaps, greater than his reputation as a political leader and as a statesman until his election to the vice presidency three years ago. Mr. Hobart was born in 1844 at Long Branch, N. J. His ancestors on his father's side were English and on his mother's side Dutch.

Thirty-three years ago he was graduated from Rutgers' college and began teaching school. Three months later he entered upon the study of law with Socrates Tuttle, a prominent lawyer in Passaic county, N. J., and who was at that time mayor of Paterson. Young Hobart is said to have arrived at Paterson with but \$150 in his pocket, and from this small beginning he made his way unaided to wealth and prominence.

In 1869 he was admitted to the bar, and the same year he married the daughter of Mr. Tuttle. Mr. Hobart made his way rapidly at the bar of his native state, and his bent led him early into politics. In 1871 he was made city attorney of Paterson and in 1872 was elected to the state assembly, of which body he was chosen speaker in the following year.

From 1884 to 1896 he was a member of the national republican executive committee, and had much to do with the management of the national campaigns during those 12 years. During all these years his business connections became broader and broader. His keen insight into affairs made his advice and counsel of such value that he was sought after by some of the largest corporations in the country and at the time of his election as vice president he was a director in no less than 60 different companies.

The Hobart residence during the last two years has been the scene of many delightful social affairs. Socially the vice president and his charming wife divided the honors with the president and Mrs. McKinley. Vice President Hobart's genial temperament and charming personality made him very popular not only in the senate, over which he presided with dignity and ability, but with all who came in contact with him.

Mr. Hobart left but one child, Garret A. Hobart, Jr., a boy of 14. Fanny, a girl of 22, died in 1885, in Italy, while there with her parents.

VOTES COUNTED.

Official Canvass of Election in Ohio Shows Plurality for Nash of 49,023.

Columbus, O., Nov. 21.—The canvass of the official vote in Ohio was completed Monday afternoon. It shows that Judge Nash's plurality is 49,023. The total vote cast was 908,159, divided as follows among the six candidates for governor: George K. Nash (rep.), 417,199; John R. McLean (dem.), 368,176; Seth H. Ellis (union-reform), 7,799; George H. Hammel (pro.), 5,825; Robert Bandlow (socialist labor), 2,439; Samuel M. Jones (nonpartisan), 106,721.

Will Rest in American Soil.

Washington, Nov. 22.—The navy department has about concluded arrangements for bringing to this country the bodies of the 166 sailors of the Maine, now interred in Colon cemetery, Havana. It is proposed to assign a warship to this duty between December and February next. The bodies will be brought to Washington and interred in Arlington National cemetery with suitable honors.

May Quit Work.

Northfield, Mass., Nov. 22.—It seems likely that Dwight L. Moody, the famous evangelist, will have to give up his pulpit work. After an examination by his physicians it was stated that he was afflicted with heart trouble akin to fatty degeneration. Mrs. Moody will insist that her husband abandon forever his hard work.

Ex-Bank President Sentenced.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 20.—David V. Rieger, former president of the Missouri national bank, which failed in November, 1896, owing depositors \$1,500,000, was, in the United States district court, found guilty of misapplying the bank's funds and sentenced by Judge Adams, of St. Louis, to six years in the penitentiary.

Blow Open a Safe.

Marshalltown, Ia., Nov. 21.—Burglars blew open the safe of the Southwestern Insurance company in the courthouse basement at noon and secured over \$2,500 in cash and certificates of deposit. There were many people about the courthouse at the time, but the burglars escaped.

Castro Government Recognized.

Caracas, Venezuela, Nov. 21.—The United States government has officially recognized the de facto government headed by Gen. Cipriano Castro, the victorious revolutionary leader.

Bank Robbed.

Brooklyn, Mich., Nov. 22.—The safe in the Exchange savings bank here was blown open by burglars and \$3,000 in currency stolen.

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The Filipinos Are Dazed by Rapid Movements of the United States Soldiers.

EXPEDITION SO FAR COMPLETE SUCCESS

Country from Manila to Dagupan Now Well in Control of the American Troops—Natives Welcome Gen. MacArthur—Country Rapidly Drying Out.

Manila, Nov. 20.—The American occupation of the country between Manila and Dagupan is proceeding with a rush. Gen. MacArthur is within five miles of Dagupan, which place Gen. Wheaton or Gen. Lawton will probably occupy. The railroad is practically intact beyond Bataan except for a distance of five miles north, and the rails for that portion have been discovered. Large quantities of rolling stock have, however, been destroyed. Gen. MacArthur is moving his troops by train and the roads within Gen. Lawton's territory are becoming passable.

Captured Them All.
Capt. Leonhauser accomplished one of the best coups of the war. Reaching O'Donnell by a night march from Capas on November 18 he surprised the insurgent forces, numbering 200, and captured all of them, with their arms, 10,000 rounds of ammunition and four tons of subsistence. One Filipino was killed, but there were no American casualties.

Insurgents Are Dazed.
A continuous procession of refugees is entering Panique from the north, indicating the proximity of other American troops, probably off the railroad line. These refugees say that the insurgents have not known which way to turn with the Americans occupying so many places in the north.

A Complete Success.
The expedition so far is characterized as a complete success. In the words of Gen. MacArthur: "We seem to be entering a different political atmosphere," wherein the people are less attached to Aguinaldo. The natives are almost uniformly friendly to the American troops and are doing all in their power to assist them in their campaign against the insurgent Tagalos. The weather continues favorable. The sun shines uninterruptedly and the country is rapidly drying out.

Of Great Importance.
Manila, Nov. 21.—Zamboanga is now in possession of American troops. This acquisition is of great importance from a military point of view. It is the principal city of Mindanao, and dominates the entire southern half of that island, which is second in importance only to Luzon. It has a population of nearly 22,000 people and is well fortified, so that a small garrison of troops could hold it indefinitely against native attacks. In addition, it is a naval station, where the Spaniards used to rendezvous their ships in the southern archipelago.

Wheeler Will Stay.
Gen. Wheeler has decided not to return to Congress. He is writing a letter to President McKinley, with a request that it be forwarded to the house of representatives. In the course of an interview he said: "Congress, if it occupies the first day of the session, in passing a resolution declaring in unmistakable terms that the sovereignty of the United States is to be maintained in the Philippines, thus dispelling Aguinaldo's delusion that the anti-imperialists can assist him, will be performing a sacred duty. Such a resolution would save the lives of many American soldiers and of thousands of deluded Filipinos, would avert famine, suffering and desolation from these islands, and would render unnecessary the expenditure of hundreds of millions of dollars."

In Hot Pursuit.
Manila, Nov. 22.—The gunboat Helena, which arrived here with the crew of the cruiser Charleston, reports that when off Lingayan gulf she saw the battleship Oregon, which signaled that Gens. Wheaton, Young and Lawton had joined forces. Aguinaldo, with 12 officials, had escaped northward via Santo Tomas, a town on the northeast coast of Lingayan gulf. A troop of cavalry was in hot pursuit.

A Prosperous Year.
Washington, Nov. 20.—The annual report of Mr. Chamberlain, the commissioner of navigation, shows that American shipping industries shared in the general prosperity of the country during the past fiscal year. The returns disclose more satisfactory conditions than those of any former year in the bureau's history.

Killed His Wife.
Holland, Mich., Nov. 22.—Alexander Crawford Tuesday night shot his wife and then sent a bullet into his own head. Mrs. Crawford is dead and her husband is dying. The couple had not been living together, owing, it is alleged, to Crawford's dissolute habits.

Three Men Killed.
Doakesville, I. T., Nov. 21.—Deputy United States Marshals Ennis and Everidge and John Kelly were killed near here by two men named Bishop and Frey, whom the officers were trying to arrest.

Long Service Ended.
Brooklyn, Nov. 20.—Rev. Dr. Richard S. Storrs, for 33 years pastor of the Church of the Pilgrims in this city, has resigned because of failing health. He is 79 years old.

Warmly Welcomed.
Windsor, Nov. 21.—The emperor and empress of Germany and their party arrived here and Queen Victoria warmly welcomed her grandson.

Died of Paralysis.
London, Nov. 21.—Lady Salisbury, wife of the British prime minister died yesterday of paralysis.

EAGLE AND LOBSTER.

Rider Haggard's Brother Tells of a Most Remarkable Battle in the Air.

Lieut. Col. Andrew C. P. Haggard, an elder brother of Rider Haggard, the novelist, recently returned from a trip to Newfoundland, and tells of a remarkable sight he saw while sitting on the seashore with a guide with whom he had been fishing for salmon in the Terra Nova river. They had been watching for some time the evolutions of a white-headed eagle, called by the Newfoundlanders a "grip." After soaring round in several circles above and in front of them the eagle suddenly dashed down into a pool of water near them on the beach and reappeared holding an enormous lobster in his talons.

It was an old lobster, with a huge claw, white with barnacles. The eagle had him clutched firmly around the back, and at first the huge claw hung helplessly down, the barnacles shining white in the sunlight. This was only for a second, though. The ripples on the recently disturbed pool had not yet died away when the captive lobster suddenly awoke to the seriousness of the situation, and to think was to act. Up moved the great white barnacled claw until it seized the eagle round the neck. There was a furious fluttering and beating of the eagle's wings, a melancholy squawk from his choking throat, and then, tumbling and rolling head over heels in the air in a confused mass, down came the eagle and lobster again splash back into the pool.

The two spectators of the scene rushed forward, thinking that they could perhaps in some way secure both combatants, for the splashing of the conflict continued in shallow water. But they had hardly time to pick up a stone apiece to throw at the eagle before the lobster, feeling himself at home again, let go his hold. With his neck all torn and devoid of feathers, away flew the bedraggled eagle, in most melancholy guise, to a neighboring cliff, while the lobster, to give Col. Haggard's own words, "still brandishing his enormous claw in defiance, remained smiling at the bottom of the pool."

CHRONIC LOSER OF TICKETS.

A Profitable Scheme Worked by an Indigent Old Woman on the Traveling Public.

A respectably dressed old woman, apparently in deep distress, was noticed standing at the foot of the steps of an elevated railroad station the other day just at the hour when the rush was at its height. The woman had apparently lost something of value. She searched her pockets, shook out her skirts and scanned the ground on every side. Of course, it was not long before her distress attracted the notice of passersby. "I have lost my ticket," she said, in answer to the query of a man who stopped for a moment in his rush for the train. "I don't know what to do, for I have not a nickel with me and I live away uptown."

The man, says the New York Sun, pulled a string of tickets from his pocket, tore off one, handed it to the woman and resumed his rush without waiting for her thanks. But the woman did not follow. She merely moved across to the flight of steps on the other side. Here she resumed her search, with the result that a nickel was transferred to her pocket by a passing woman. Next she crossed the avenue and gathered some more nickels and tickets from the passengers going in the opposite direction, finally returning to her original stand where her plight attracted as much compassion as before. While the observer was looking on, the woman made two rounds of the stairs, each round occupying about ten minutes. Sometimes she was able to conduct three or four successful operations without changing her position. It is probable that her average earnings were at the rate of two dollars in nickels and negotiable tickets an hour.

BRITISH REGIMENTS.

Dublin Fusiliers Raised in India and the Royal Rifles Organized in New York.

The names of the British regiments are not to be taken as indicating much. The Royal Dublin fusiliers, to which, according to one dispatch, the credit for the capture of the Boers' position should be accorded, is a regiment raised in India some 200 years ago, which in all probability has never been in Ireland. It got the name probably for the reason that at the time of the reorganization of the army in 1881 three battalions of Irish militia were attached to it as its reserve.

The Royal Rifle corps, which is reported to have lost heavily in its charge on the Boers, is a famous regiment which was organized in New York in 1775. It was originally known as the "Sixty-second Royal American regiment of foot." One hundred years ago the regiment was famous for the marksmanship of its members. To-day it is famous for the same reason, and notorious from the fact that it includes any number of "bad boys" who were enlisted to be straightened out. It is an interesting reminder of our own little trouble with Great Britain.

A Monarch Induced.
The emperor of China has some strange duties. One of these is the ordering of the seasons. In China it is summer when the emperor says it is summer. All domestic arrangements are made to suit the season, as proclaimed by the emperor, although they may not suit the individual at all.

Work of an Eyelid.
A scientist has calculated that the eyelids of the average man open and shut no fewer than 4,000,000 times in the course of a single year of his existence.

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thursday, the Ninth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.
Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Frederick Enslin deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Albert Enslin, son and one of the legatees named in the will of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing, filed in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Frederick Enslin, deceased, and for the appointment of Germ. W. Mokma, executor named in said will, as the executor thereof.
Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the Fourth day of December, next,
at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
(A true copy. Attest.)
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Hope College News.

Though Holland was not especially favored with showers of shooting stars during the recent display of stellar pyrotechnics, yet the appearance of the college campus on last Friday morning, after the heaviest shower occurred, would have delighted any lithologist. In his search for rare specimens of Zealand brick or Waverly stone he would have had to wind his way with great difficulty through the labyrinth of meteors and aerolites that lay scattered about profusely, in particular upon the paths. Miraculous must have been the manner in which some of these eccentric heavenly bodies found their way on to window sills and chimney-tops. One particularly fine specimen entered an open window in the astronomy room and found a safe resting place on the professor's table, innocently awaiting scientific demolition or removal to an appropriate niche in the museum, where in the future it will satisfy the curious gaze of visitors. However, repetitions of such heavenly (?) agitations are not desired by our good-natured janitor, who is too well occupied with other duties to busy himself with such Titanic tasks as the removal of comet-tails and meteor-fragments from the college walks.

No issue of the Anchor was ever so eagerly looked for as the December number which in all probability will appear next week before college closes for its Thanksgiving recess. Though the readers of that paper are aware of the novelty that awaits them, it will be of interest to all interested in Hope to know that the coming issue will mark a new departure in the work of the college paper. Hesitating somewhat from modesty, but joyful at the opportunity given them to show people what they can do, the young ladies of the college have assumed complete control of the Anchor for December. The staff which was selected to pilot the Ladies Literary League on its first venture on the seas of journalism consists of the following: Henrietta Zwemer, editor-in-chief; Amy Yates, Bertha Veneklassen, assistants; Minnie De Feyer, society; Minnie Van der Ploeg, alumni; Lottie Hoyt, Anna Rickens, local.

Dr. Winter addressed the Y. M. C. A. yesterday evening on the "Proper Aim of Collegiate Education." The speaker said that we should all seek to be men of a definite purpose, which is the prime essential to the highest success. We should not go to college because we are sent; neither for the selfish purpose of reaching some ideal, grasping some honor; nor should we strive after knowledge merely for its own sake. We should have a loftier aim than any of these,—we should try to fill the place in the great chain of eternity planned for us in harmony with other men and places; we should answer the purpose of God and make the most of our high privileges. We should study to form character, a perfect balance of intellectual, moral and spiritual developments in order that we may be useful to our fellow man

and attain the ultimate purpose of man, the glorifying of God.

Muskegon Wins.

Holland met Muskegon on the Sawdust City gridiron last Saturday afternoon and was defeated after some of the hardest and swiftest playing of the season. Muskegon kicked off in the first half and sent the ball far into Holland's territory. The boys from this city were full of pluck and by straight line bucking worked steadily towards Muskegon's goal. De Pree was signaled back for a punt and lifted the ball in beautiful style.

At that stage of the game Holland stock was high for Muskegon could not stop the advance of the sympathizers of Oom Paul. But when the lads from the Open Port City captured the ball and by a series of clever plays advanced towards Holland's goal the visitors realized that they were contending with boys who, thanks to Coach Robinson, were past-masters in the art of making great holes in the lines for big gains. After thirteen minutes of heart-breaking work Muskegon carried the ball over the line for a touchdown, goal was successfully kicked and the score was six to nothing and so it remained until the close of the first half.

Holland still hoped to win and played with dogged determination, until the referee ended the agony with the words "time up," but their plucky brace was of no avail and they were defeated by a score of 23 to 0.

In the latter half the playing was fast, furious and scientific on the part of Muskegon. They tore through the lines for touchdowns, they revolved and criss-crossed around the ends for another, and to round out the days brilliant work Jiroch made a grand run down the field for four more points. Most of the last half was played in darkness and as Muskegon had the ball the largeness of the score is accounted for.

Though defeated the Holland boys made many friends in Muskegon and gained the good will of all by their clever individual playing. And they deserve all the good will, for they are a gentlemanly crowd of square sports and when it is remembered that they have played the entire season without the services of a coach their excellent showing against trained teams commands admiration. They have nothing but words of praise for the Muskegon boys and unanimously resolved that as worthy opponents they rank with the best. Christie of Muskegon was badly injured in the last half and it is reported that he is suffering from a fractured rib, but otherwise the game was free from accidents.

Circuit Court.

HON. PHILIP PADGHAM, CIRCUIT JUDGE
From Friday of last week until Wednesday of this week the attention of the circuit court officials was taken up with the damage suit of Joseph Nilsen against the West Michigan Furniture company. It was a hard fought legal battle from start to finish, and every witness in the case was severely cross-examined by the opposing coun-

sel. The jury in the case was here Saturday in charge of the sheriff, looking over the machinery of the factory that caused the injury to the young man. The closing arguments in the case were made last Monday evening. Judge Padgham charged the jury Tuesday and at 7 o'clock in the evening they brought in a verdict of damages to the amount of \$300 for the complainant and assessed the costs of suit upon the defendant.

Wednesday in the case of Henry De Kniff vs. Rolof Brouwer, judgement was rendered the complainant in the sum of \$475.41.

Elizabeth Bressin, whose home is in West Olive, was granted a decree of divorce from Fred Bressin Monday on account of extreme cruelty. She was given the custody of her three children. D. F. Hutton was attorney for the complainant.

The trial of the illegal fishing case of the People vs. Van Zanten, Fisher and Obeck was finished Wednesday. The Judge ordered the jury to render a verdict of guilty.

The jury for the November term was discharged Wednesday afternoon after one of the longest terms in years.

Thursday the non-jury Dunlevy-Benson case was put on for trial with Chas. E. Soule for Dunlevy and W. I. Lillie for Benson.

Interesting Program.

TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL MEETING OF
M. H. S. DECEMBER 5, 6 and 7.

The twenty-ninth annual meeting of the Michigan State Horticultural society will be held in Holland, Dec. 5, 6 and 7, next, and an attractive program has been prepared for the occasion, which is expected to bring together a very large number of western Michigan's most intelligent and experienced pomologists. Among those who will have papers or addresses are Messrs. R. D. Graham, Chas. W. Garfield, and S. B. Smith of Grand Rapids; Prof. L. R. Taft and Mr. Thomas Gunson of Michigan Agricultural college; C. J. Monroe and Rufus Brunson of South Haven; Profs Ladd Mast, Kleinbcksel, and Yntema of Hope College; W. W. Tracy of Detroit, Edward Hutchins of Ganges, Prof. P. A. Latta of Saugatuck, D. R. Waters of Spring Lake, C. L. Barrett of Allegan, C. F. Hale of Shelby, Walter Phillips of Grand Haven; B. Gebhart of Hart, R. M. Kellogg of Three Rivers, and others equally capable. These will present the following subjects, those concerning forestry being designed to fill an evening lyceum:

The art view of forestry: (a) the city's responsibility concerning its tree life; (b) preserving the tree beauty of the country; (c) tree vandalism of corporations and means for checking it. The utilitarian view: (a) when shall trees be harvested; (b) profits in woodlands; (c) advantages of a reasonable proportion of forest growth.

Our state forestry commission, its duties and aspirations.

Value of tree culture in rural districts.

The kind of education needed on the farm.

Valuable experiments on the farm.

Track farming.

Good roads.

Science with relation to horticulture.

The farmer as a practical scientist.

Ornamentation of highways and school yards.

Some general ideas regarding the markets.

Bulls, their kinds and culture.

How would we dispose of a large peach crop next year?

Spraying small fruits.

Fertilizers: what, when, and how to apply to orchards.

Will the future demand for plums justify us in growing them for profit?

Balanced rations and their economical use.

One season's experience with sugar-beets.

Reports of delegates to American pomological meeting.

How can we lessen the cost of producing good peaches?

Apple-raising and marketing.

Opportunity will be given to visit the Holland beet-sugar factory, which will then be in full operation. The evening sessions will have the added attractions of illustrations by means of stereoscopic views. Further details will be announced in the official program, for copy of which, address the secretary, Edwy C. Reid of Allegan.

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Diseases of Head and Throat

Are either a form of Catarrh or diseases resulting from it. The Catarrh usually starts from a cold and, if not cured, soon becomes chronic and invades the mucous membrane of the nose, throat, and sinuses, until untold mischief is done. You spit up slime. Your nose is stopped up. Your breath is offensive. You ache all over. Dull pain across the eyes. Sometimes more at night. Voice is not clear. Have tickling in the throat. And sneeze frequently. Discharge from the nose. Losing sense of taste and smell. Pain across the forehead. Nose is tender and sore. Crusts and scabs form in nose. There is a dropping in throat. Nose bleeds easily. Frequent pain in back of neck.

Ear Diseases and Deafness

Diseases of ears—caused more frequently from catarrh than otherwise—usually result in deafness. Only one who has made a life study and that understands thoroughly the nature of ear diseases can, with any possible certainty, treat these delicate organs scientifically and intelligently, as well as with assurance of success. Dr. McComber's experience and success in curing all manner of ear affections and deafness has been phenomenal. Read elsewhere what has been said of him. Those approaching deafness may find some of their symptoms in the following: Buzzing and other noises in ears. A certain approach of deafness. The hearing fails gradually. It is hard for you to understand. Ears discharge and smell disgustingly. They are often dry and scaly. Sometimes itch and burn. Pain in ears, and throbbing behind them. Hearing usually worse in cloudy weather and worse still when you have a cold. Sounds are varied—cracking, whistling, sounds of steam, roaring of waterfall, throbbing, and other sounds that often keep you awake nights. Pain in ears, hurt when noise is blown.

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Diseases of Bronchial Tubes

Catarrh, by its spreading, creeping, and reaching for more soil for its poisonous germs, very naturally and easily invades the air passages of the lungs. The example of prostration has been before you all your life. It should not be necessary to say: "Don't put off too long—go now and consult the only specialist who never makes a failure in curing catarrh in all its varied and worst forms. See if any of the following symptoms fit your case: You have a tickling in throat and windpipe caused by irritation, creating cough. Cough usually worse at night and morning. You sometimes cough and gag and you feel low spirited. Your shoulders ache. Appetite poor and you are growing weaker and weaker, and about put off no longer the great duty you owe to yourself and family to consult the most successful specialist to be found, who is Dr. F. McComber.

Catarrh of Stomach

Dyspepsia and other stomach diseases are frequently, but not suspected or even surmised to be, a result of catarrh, but the constant dropping and swallowing of nauseous mucus from the posterior nares does, with mathematical certainty, poison and infect the mucous membrane of the stomach, deplete and impair its functions the same as it does the delicate membranous tissue of the Eustachian tubes that leads to destruction of the delicate structures of the ears. Dr. McComber removes the cause with ease, and with his new improved and wonderful treatment, gives tone, strength, vitality, and increased power of digestion. All

this must be accomplished or there can be no cure. If your stomach is diseased from catarrh some of the symptoms below will be promptly recognized. You are constipated. Sometimes nauseated, vomit and belch up gas. You bloated. Tongue most always coated and you have bad taste in mouth. Sometimes dizzy, light-headed. You hawk and spit and you have water-brash. Often have distress, sometimes after eating. No appetite for breakfast. Throat fits with slime and you have diarrhoea at times. Feel faint when stomach is empty, oppressed when it is full. Have evening sweats. Rush of blood to head, and don't know why you don't gain strength. Dr. McComber can cure you.

Catarrh of Liver and Kidneys

Many of the same symptoms are present in catarrh of the liver and kidneys as are enumerated in catarrh of the stomach, and, in most cases, they require very similar treatment. Sometimes a throbbing in stomach; a feeling of lassitude. Palpitation of the heart. Skin sallow and pale, or dry, sometimes has a waxy look. Your legs feel heavy and your feet get "puffy." Hands perspire and feel swollen and joints ache and pain. Eyes dull and listless—dark rings around them. Urine cloudy and has sediment. Soreness in neck of bladder, and you have frequent desire to urinate. These two maladies besiege the skill of the best physicians, especially catarrh of the kidneys. Were it not for his great experience, backed up by the most successful treatment of the present age, Dr. McComber would not be able to accomplish such wonderful cures as he does. No matter how severe the case, he invites you all to investigate and consult him.

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