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Let every elector attend the charter meeting to-night, if he can.

By the 1st of January the News office will be located on the second floor of Boot & Kramer's new block.

L. H. Davidson, dentist from Big Rapids, will enter the office of Dr. F. M. Gillespie next week, as assistant.

List of advertised letters for the week ending Nov. 22nd, at the Holland, Mich. post office: Mrs. E. Birdall, Ed. F. Brown, W. Falkema, Mrs. L. A. Smith, H. G. Vos, Miss Maria Woodruff, H. P. Yeager.

C. DE KEYSER, P. M.

The postoffice department has decided that a request to pay a bill can be sent on a postal card, but it must contain no threat or intimation of what will be done if the debt is not paid.

Miss Lizzie De Pree, sister of Cor. De Pree of this city, has entered the Training School for Nurses at Grand Rapids, with a view to accompany Dr. Otte on his return to establish the Amoy Hospital, China, and thereby one of his assistants.

Under the auspices of Mr. F. B. Davidson of Big Rapids a branch has been organized in this city of the National Reserve Association, a fraternal beneficiary order. The lodge starts out with 38 charter members. It admits both men and women.

The general appearance of C. A. Stevenson's jewelry store attracts much attention, as it is one of the most cheerful and inviting business places in the city. Now that the show cases are filled with holiday goods it is indeed a treat to go there and look at the novelties offered. Those who come early will have the best stock to select from.

Douglas Record: Grand Rapids papers think that the sale of peaches on the streets of their city as late as now, is miraculous. It undoubtedly is, in a land where they principally raise turnips and long-eared editors, but down here in the fruit belt, every grower is expected to have large, luscious peaches on his Christmas dinner table, and is not in the social swim if he fails so to do.

The number of accidents and casualties, by hunting parties, is unusually large this fall. On Monday a very sad tragedy was reported from Benton Harbor. Eben Ireland, the fifteen-year-old son of Charles Ireland, a prominent lumber dealer there, was accidentally killed by the discharge of a gun in the hands of a boy friend while out hunting in the woods. The shot entered the boy's side, passing through the liver and bowels. He lived only a few hours and exonerated his comrad from all blame.

With the advanced price of hay, the feeding of grain in the most practicable and most economical way has been forced upon the attention of the farmer, more so at present than ever before. To help him out in this matter H. De Kruif Jr., the well-known dealer in agricultural implements at Zeeland, has made a specialty of mills, shellers and cutters, and it will pay our granger friends not to overlook this but examine his assorted stock, especially his latest machine known as "The Hero."

Charter meeting to-night.

Congress will meet a week from next Monday.

The present term of the circuit court has been a long one.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wakker of Grand Rapids, celebrated their silver wedding Saturday of last week.

Married, at the M. E. parsonage, Nov. 20, by Rev. C. A. Jacques, William Otto and Theresa Wright, both of Holland.

Lumbering on Muskegon river has not entirely played out yet. The put-out for 1896 will be not less than 75 million feet.

Rev. K. Van Goor celebrated his 47th birthday Saturday and the event was not overlooked by some of the ladies of his congregation, who presented him with an elegant cane.

Rev. J. Van Houte of this city has been invited to deliver an address before the Holland Reading Association of Grand Haven, on the occasion of their third anniversary, Wednesday evening, Dec. 11.

President Kollen has returned from his eastern trip. He reports that in his contact with the people there he met everywhere the best of sentiment towards the institution of which he is at present the efficient head.

The Holland Furniture Co. this week forwarded a car loaded with their goods to Los Angeles, Cal. Due care was taken to label the outside of the car so as to inform the way-farer whence it came.

The supper and social at the Y. W. C. A. rooms, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of Hope church, Tuesday evening, was well patronized, and more than this, it was a social in the full sense of the word.

The annual inspection of A. C. Van Raalte Post, G. A. R., will be made at the next regular meeting of the Post, on Wednesday, Nov. 27. The Asst. Inspector of the Dept. of Michigan will be here to officiate.

The union service in the Third Ref. church Sunday evening, in behalf of the city and college Y. M. C. A.'s, was largely attended and much interest shown. Large as this church is, it could not accommodate all that desired to attend.

Ed Van Drezgr has had the interior of his restaurant decorated in lighter colors, and it presents a more cheerful appearance than ever before. His collection of steamship pictures which hang on the wall attract much attention, especially from new patrons.

Allie Van Raalte and L. A. Stratton, dealers in agricultural implements, have dissolved co-partnership. The former will continue the business at the old stand, on Seventh street, while Mr. Stratton will open a feed stable in the barn heretofore occupied by Mr. Hadden, on the corner of Market and Seventh streets.

Louis De Kraker has so far recovered from the injuries sustained by a fall one day last week as to be about his place of business again. The accident occurred while walking home one dark evening, on College avenue, when he stepped off the walk and fell. He was seriously hurt on the breast, and his face considerably disfigured.

The board of education have rented the second story of B. Van Raalte's agricultural implement store on the corner of River and Ninth streets, to accommodate the overflow of pupils. Two rooms are fitted up, and an additional teacher assigned to each. Seats have been placed for 125 children. School will open Monday morning. The new teachers engaged are

Oscar Smalley, the young man arrested at Oklahoma for alleged complicity in the Fenville train robbery and the killing of Detective Powers, is again a free man. The Allegan and the Kent authorities both failed to establish his identity, and on Thursday they restored him to liberty. Oscar passed through this city in the evening on his way to Mt. Clemens, and while waiting at the depot for his train was tendered a sort of informal reception.

Ye editor on his birthday last Saturday was surprised by an unexpected visit in the evening from a number of his comrades of A. C. Van Raalte Post, G. A. R., re-inforced by a delegation of the Women's Relief Corps. As a rule the "boys" do not come empty-handed when out on a raid-like this. The time for subsisting on the territory they occupy is past, and the coffee they "cool" with the supplies that are estimated for the occasion are legitimately drawn from their own commissary. "We" reciprocated as best we could, bidding them to come again, and again.

Miss May Souter of this city is teaching school near Shelby, Oceana Co.

The estimated value of the celery crop harvested in the vicinity of Kalamazoo this season is \$1,750,000.

Senator Hill of New York is going on the lecture platform and will make his debut in Chicago, Dec. 6. His subject will be "Liberty."

A. L. Holmes, the hydraulic contractor, was in the city Friday, and expressed his astonishment at the growth of Holland.

Rev. J. Van Hoven, pastor-elect of the H. C. Ref. church on Market street, is expected here with his family the first part of next month.

Rt. Rev. G. D. Gillespie, D. D., bishop of the diocese, will hold services in Grace Episc church next Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. J. G. Fagg, well known to many of us in this vicinity, has received a very flattering call from the Collegiate Ref. church of New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. James Huntley contemplate making a trip shortly to the Pacific coast. It is intimated that others will join them, making a party of twelve or more.

Albert Timmer was tried before Justice Kollen on Saturday on the charge of assault and battery upon Martin W. Kremer, and acquitted. Both parties reside west of the city.

G. J. Van Duren expects to conclude his services as a juror in the U. S. court this week. George evidently prefers to serve the government as postmaster rather than as a juror.

The improvement of First avenue, where it intersects with Lake street, has completely revolutionized the appearance of that part of the city, and reflects creditably upon the work of our city surveyor.

The ladies of Crescent Hive, K. O. T. M., of this city, were delightfully entertained by their sisters at Fennville, Tuesday afternoon and evening. There were also present a large number from the Hive at Bangor.

The U. S. government continues to furnish head stones for the graves of deceased soldiers. Last week one was received for the here late William Blom. It was placed in position by the members of the G. A. R. post.

The engines lately in use by the Wolverine Co. in connection with their electric light plant have been sold to the village of Shelby, to do similar service there, the village having just voted to establish a municipal lighting plant.

Mayor Diekema and Henry Geertlings attended the State Sunday school convention at Detroit this week. On Wednesday evening the former addressed the convention on the subject of "The Sunday school and the Unreached Masses."

The articles of association of the new Carriage and Bending Works, of this city, were filed this week in the office of the secretary of state. Notwithstanding the early advent of winter and the delays caused by the recent heavy fall of snow, steady progress is made with the factory and the main building is already under roof.

When two weeks ago Jacob Praken passed his 23rd birthday, it was readily to be inferred that he would not live to see another, and he so advised his parents, brothers, sisters and friends. Nevertheless, when on Wednesday morning the hour dawned that transplanted him from his home here below to that of his Heavenly Father above, the shock was still sudden. Jake had left home about three years ago, in the prime of his young manhood, to enter in the employ of Messrs. Foster, Stevens & Co., Grand Rapids. There, as well as at home he was the same attentive, dutiful, and promising youth, enlisting the good will of his employers and all those with whom he was associated. Last May he had an attack of the grippe and came home sick, with pneumonia, which developed into consumption. During the summer he continued to linger until a few weeks ago, when final hope for his ultimate recovery was given up. The home circle of mourners includes his father and mother, three brothers and three sisters. The interment will take place on Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, from the Third Baf. church. Revs. G. Dabink and H. G. Birchby of this city and Rev. Wm. Hall Williams of Grand Rapids, the pastor of the departed, will officiate. The pallbearers, designated by the deceased shortly before his death from the circle of his friends at Grand Rapids, are P. Meeuwen, Jas. Leenhouts, Robert Leenhouts, T. Zylman, P. Louwerse, Jas. Winter.



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The Common Council has called a public meeting to be held this (Friday) evening, in Lyceum Opera Hall, to discuss the merits of the general charter. It is the most practical way of bringing the details involved before the attention of the electors, and hence the attendance should be general.

December 9 has been set apart as Michigan day at the Atlanta exposition.

R. G. Milne has been appointed postmaster at Rusk, Allendale, vice C. D. Fox resigned.

Thursday the head of Black Lake was frozen over for a distance of a mile or more.

The foundation walls for the new plant of the West Michigan Seating Co., are nearly up.

From present appearances it looks as though we might enjoy sleighing on Thanksgiving.

G. E. De Kruit of Grand Rapids, a veteran of the 25th Mich. Infy., has had an increase of pension.

On Thanksgiving the Post Office will be open from 7 a. m. to 12 noon, and from 4 to 6 p. m.

C. DE KEYSER, P. M.

A. Lahuis of Zee and will be in charge of a party of excursionists to Texas that expect to leave from there on next Tuesday.

The Ladies Singing Club will give a recital on Thursday evening, Dec. 12. The music-loving public may expect a treat. The chorus consists of about sixty members.

For half a year and over Mr. Wiepke Diekema of Holland town has been troubled with a partial paralysis of the right arm and limb, causing his friends considerable anxiety, in view of its stealthy increase. On Thursday morning, while at home, reading his paper, he was suddenly attacked by what was feared to be apoplexy, but upon medical examination was pronounced congestion of the brain. For a while Mr. Diekema was unconscious and without the use of any of his limbs. However, he soon rallied and at this writing (Friday noon) is very comfortable.

The new time card on the C. & W. M. did not take effect last Sunday, as announced in the News, but will become operative a week later, on Sunday next. The important changes are as follows: The morning train for Chicago will leave Holland at 9:25 a. m., instead of 8:55 a. m. The Allegan train will leave at 9:30 a. m., instead of 8:25 a. m. The train north to Muskegon will leave here at 9:00 a. m., instead of 8:30 a. m., and the train to Pontwater at 5:15 a. m. This last train will be daily, but on Sundays it will not go north farther than Muskegon. The corrected time card will appear next week.

Texas Excursion Nov. 26; see adv.

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1 Doz. Ladies Heavy Irish Fries Fancy, Reg. \$5.50.....3.98
1 Doz. Ladies Fine Beaver Double Capes, Reg. \$7.50.....4.98
1 Doz. Ladies Assorted Fancy Fur Trimmed, Reg. \$12 to \$18...\$8 to \$12

LADIES JACKETS.

1 Doz. \$7.50 Very Stylish Boucle Effects.....\$5.47
1 Doz. \$10.00 Heavy Stylish Boucle Effects.....7.23
1 Doz. Asst. \$12 to \$18 Boucle and Kersey 4 Button Effects.....9.23

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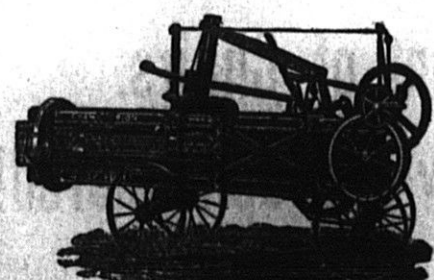
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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

The National Grange Patrons of Husbandry opened its 29th annual session in Worcester, Mass.

The Marinette iron works at West Duluth, Minn., went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of \$300,000.

In session at Tallapoosa, I. T., the Cherokee council passed a bill which prohibits the employment of others than Cherokee citizens, as managers, clerks or bookkeepers in any mercantile establishment.

The steamboat James W. Boyle foundered off Rockaway inlet, near New York, and the five persons on board were drowned.

Gov. O'Ferrall will ask the Virginia legislature to pass a law making the bondsmen of sheriffs liable to the heirs of men who are lynched.

The National Reform association will meet at Baltimore on December 12 and 13.

The revenue cutter Bear, Capt. Healey, arrived at San Francisco from her summer cruise in the arctic.

High winds and heavy seas did extensive damage among summer resorts along the New Jersey coast.

Postmaster General Wilson directed all postmasters to mark mail sent to lottery companies as fraudulent and return it to the senders.

As the result of an investigation 16 better carriers in Chicago were discharged for disobeying rules and 90 were suspended for from one to 30 days.

The Williams & England Banking company of Salem, Ore., closed its doors. The bank was a depository for the city treasurer and of several large corporations.

The general missionary committee of the M. E. church in annual session at Denver announced that the receipts for the year were \$1,174,554 and the expenditures \$1,237,345. One million dollars were appropriated for the work of the society for the coming year.

Fire on the premises of the Empire Distillery company in Boston destroyed \$100,000 worth of property.

Kim Taw Etaw, a Miami Indian, committed suicide at Wabash, Ind., by shooting. He had squandered a fortune of \$10,000 in drink.

Twenty-five immigrants en route to California from Oklahoma were said to be starting on the Colorado desert.

At the session of the Knights of Labor in Washington the right to vote in the general assembly was taken from T. V. Powderly, formerly general master workman.

Capt. Hughes, of the Texas rangers, scouting on the Upper Rio Grande near Yuleta, reported much lawlessness and smuggling.

The lumber cut of the Duluth (Minn.) district for the season just closed reaches a total of 461,000,000 feet, exceeding the cut of previous years by nearly 100,000 feet.

F. Schlatter, who had gained great prominence as a divine healer, disappeared mysteriously from Denver.

At Bisbee, A. T., Frederick Romero and James Montague fought a duel in which each received fatal injuries.

Sixty newspaper men, representing the agricultural press of the country, met in Chicago and organized the Agricultural Press league with M. J. Lawrence, of Cleveland, as president.

The State Insurance company of Salem, Ore., went into a receiver's hands.

A horseless wagon was started from New York to Chicago. This is said to be the longest trip ever undertaken by a road vehicle propelled by a motor.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 15th aggregated \$1,170,366,164, against \$1,121,504,739 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 14.5.

Augusta college, the most historic building in Augusta, Ga., was destroyed by fire.

John Koch, while drunk and jealous, shot his wife and then himself at Cincinnati.

Six incendiary fires occurred in Ilwaco, Wis., in 24 hours.

The British steamer Leo foundered off the coast of Denmark and 15 persons on board were drowned.

There were 279 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 15th, against 280 the week previous and 280 in the corresponding time of 1894.

At Phoenixville, Pa., Thomas Elwin cut the throats of his two children, aged four and six years, with a razor, and then committed suicide in the same manner.

In October 32,890 immigrants reached the United States, against 27,209 for the same month in 1894.

Ferdinand Kennett, ex-chief of police of St. Louis, who killed Detective A. B. Lawson at Los Angeles, Cal., was sentenced to ten years in prison.

In just seven minutes after an application for divorce was made at Sioux City, Ia., Mrs. Sarah J. Wallace was separated from W. J. Wallace.

The little town of Lamora, Neb., was practically wiped out by fire.

G. Dupree (colored) was hanged at Devall's Bluff, Ark., for the murder of Robert Harris (colored) on June 15, 1894.

The preliminary report of the treasury department on our foreign trade for October shows an excess of exports over imports to the amount of \$11,960,000.

An electric motor went through the draw bridge of the central viaduct at Cleveland, O., falling 100 feet, and 15 persons were known to have been killed and four others were missing.

Fire destroyed the sash, door and blind factory at Meridian, Miss., the loss being \$112,000.

At Cincinnati the Banner brewery was burned, the loss being \$175,000.

Superintendent Kimball, of the life-saving service, in his annual report states that at the close of the last fiscal year the establishment embraced 251 stations. The crews saved during the year 379 vessels, valued, with their cargoes, at \$3,561,665, and 5,382 persons. The cost of the maintenance of the service during the year was \$1,345,324.40.

Charles G. Hoffman, assistant cashier of the New Orleans Brewing association, was said to be an embezzler to the extent of \$20,000.

Ward Leonard, aged 60 years, was drowned in the Wabash river at Vincennes, Ind. His father, mother, two brothers and a sister were drowned in the Ohio river at different times.

The Linz block at Sherman, Tex., was burned, causing a loss of \$100,000.

James Goings (colored), who assaulted Miss Lillie Jones near Frederick, Md., was taken from the jail by a mob of 300 men and hanged.

The Chicago Evening Journal and the Evening Press were consolidated and placed under the management of the Evening Press company.

Nine of the men engaged in the recent riots at Spring Valley, Ill., were found guilty and sent to prison.

Eight of the detectives of the Berry agency concerned in the shooting of Frank White in Chicago were held to the grand jury on the charge of murder.

Frank Baker, John Kinch and William Keen were drowned at Clayton, N. Y., by the upsetting of a skiff.

White railroad men at Moss Bluff, Fla., who resented the introduction of negro laborers, raided their cabins, killing three and wounding many more.

The Choctaw Indian council has passed a bill making it treason, punishable by death, to sell land to a noncitizen or to urge a change in the present government.

The duke and duchess of Marlborough sailed from New York for England by the steamship Fulda.

Reuben Davis, John Wagner and Agnes Yette lost their lives in a burning factory at Detroit, Mich.

The annual report of the secretary of agriculture shows the total number of animals inspected at slaughter-houses during the past year exceeded 18,000,000. Over 1,360,000 animals, cattle and sheep, were inspected for foreign markets, of which 675,000 were exported. Over 45,000,000 pounds of pork was inspected and exported, against 35,000,000 in 1894.

John White, a prisoner in the county jail at New Martinsville, W. Va., escaped, and fatally shot three men who attempted to capture him.

The work of the United States weather bureau for the past year cost \$878,439, and the warnings of cold waves secured from freezing more than \$2,275,000 worth of agricultural products.

Albert England, a post office robber, was lynched near Velonia, Ark., by nine men to prevent him telling about a large number of robberies.

A forest fire burned over 50,000 acres near Santa Rosa, Cal., destroying houses and barns and other property.

The argument for a new trial in the case of the convicted murderer, Holmes, was heard in Philadelphia, and during the proceedings Mr. Shoemaker, one of Holmes' counsel, was found to have introduced a false affidavit and was held to answer.

At Fountain Ferry, Ky., E. J. Berlo, of Boston, broke the two-mile bicycle record, making the distance in 3:43 1-5.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 18th was: Wheat, 60,350,000 bushels; corn, 4,306,000 bushels; oats, 5,972,000 bushels; rye, 1,287,000 bushels; barley, 4,047,000 bushels.

The Nez Perces Indian reservation in the state of Washington was opened for settlement.

Sun Chief, principal chief of the Pawnees in Oklahoma, is dead, and the whole tribe was mourning.

Chief Hazen of the secret service, in his annual report shows that during the year 803 arrests were made, with few exceptions for violations of the statutes against counterfeiting. Altered and counterfeit notes, counterfeit coins and the like were captured having an aggregate face value of almost \$5,000,000.

A convention to consider the question of statehood for Oklahoma will be held at Shawnee on December 4 next.

Earthquake shocks were felt in portions of Missouri and Colorado.

The Henry O. Shepard company, one of the best-known printing firms in Chicago, failed for \$100,000.

A Great Northern train crowded with passengers was held up four miles west of Clear Lake, Minn., but the bandits were scared away without obtaining booty.

In a test case Judge Ricks, of the United States circuit court, sitting at Cleveland, decided that a receiver of a defunct bank can assess stockholders and recover in suits from those who refuse to pay.

A bright comet was discovered in the constellation Virgo by Prof. Perrine, of the Lick observatory at San Francisco.

Fire destroyed the livery stable of J. P. Koons and five dwellings in San Francisco and 30 horses were cremated.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Grier, of Wilmet, Wis., died within an hour of each other. The husband was aged 73 and the wife 70. Last April they celebrated their golden wedding.

David Henderson, a young colored school teacher at Dunlop, Kan., who assaulted Dora Ray, one of his pupils, was cited to appear before the school board, and while there fatally wounded Samuel Ray and his wife and two other persons with a hatchet.

The National Grange in session at Worcester, Mass., reelected J. H. Brigham, of Delta, O., as national master to serve his fourth term.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Samuel Faze, aged 64 years, of Cuyahoga Falls, O., was wedded to Miss Elsie Miller, aged 16, of Akron. The groom is a bachelor and worth \$75,000.

The official count of the vote in Kentucky in the recent election for governor is as follows: Bradley (rep.), 172,436; Hardin (dem.), 163,962; Pettit (pop.), 16,911; Demaree (pro.), 4,102; Bradley's plurality, 8,474.

W. H. Evans, the oldest democratic editor in southern Indiana, died at his home in Oakland City, aged 60 years.

Ottway Davis, a negro, celebrated his 102d birthday at Knoxville, Tenn.

Eben D. Jordan, head of the great dry goods firm of Jordan, Marsh & Co., died at his home in Boston, aged 73 years.

Dr. T. N. Jamieson, of Cook county, was elected to succeed John R. Tanner, of Clay county, as chairman of the republican state committee of Illinois.

Rev. Dr. Samuel Francis Smith, the venerable author of the national hymn, "America," and of the missionary song, "The Morning Light is Breaking," died suddenly in a railway station in Boston. He was born in Boston October 21, 1808.

Mrs. Amelia Darwin, aged 103, died at Black River Falls, Wis. Her husband, who is still alive, is 107 years of age.

The official plurality of Gov.-Elect Bushnell, of Ohio, is 92,138.

FOREIGN.

Five Russian warships were ordered to the Mediterranean to join fleets sent by England, Italy, France and Greece to take part in the naval demonstration arising out of the Armenian question.

It was announced that the rebellion in Cuba was costing Spain \$150,000 a day.

In St. Petersburg a daughter was born to the czar and czarina. Both mother and child were doing well.

The launch of the British cruiser Edgar sank off Nagasaki, China, and 43 lives were lost.

The board of directors of the Societe Generale, a big banking institution at Brussels, discovered that it had been robbed of \$2,500,000.

Advices from Turkey say that fully 20,000 Armenians were killed during the recent massacre.

Dispatches received in London say that the Armenians were being massacred everywhere in Asia Minor, and that over 100,000 were dying of starvation and exposure.

Dispatches from Constantinople announce that the anti-Christian agitation was extending throughout northern Syria and that many Christians had been murdered at Aleppo.

Indians to the number of 200 were caught by troops in a canyon near Bogota, South America, and killed to a man by rolling stones on them from above.

Advices from Port Barrios say that American negroes live a terrible life in that country working on the railroads. Many of them have been beaten to death, and recently five of them were found hanging to a tree.

Manager Short of the Commercial bank at Sale, Victoria, shot his wife and two children and then killed himself.

LATER.

The funeral services over the body of Rev. S. F. Smith, D. D., famous as the author of the national hymn, "America," were held at the First Baptist church in Newton, Mass.

Daniel H. Brenizer, cashier of the Citizens' Trust and Surety company in Philadelphia, was said to be short \$25,000 in his accounts.

The president has appointed John L. Peak, of Kansas City, Mo., United States minister to Switzerland, to succeed Minister Broadhead, resigned.

At Purcell, I. T., 32 buildings were burned at a loss of \$150,000, and two merchants were arrested for arson.

Jesus Vialpando and Feliciano Chavez, convicted of murdering and burning the body of young Tomas Martinez, were hanged at Santa Fe, N. M.

The magnificent new battle ship Indiana was accepted by the government from the builders.

A great forest fire was raging on the Little Kanawha near Parkersburg, W. Va., and large tracts of woods and barns and fencing had been burned.

Two earthquake shocks frightened the residents of Cairo, Ill., but did no damage.

The Texas Paper company and the Deering Harvester company lost their plants by fire at Dallas, Tex., the total loss being \$125,000.

The catch of the Gloucester (Mass.) mackerel fleet the past season was only 25,000 barrels, against 50,000 last year.

Four boys wrecked a train on the New York Central road near Rome, N. Y., and N. N. Hager, the engineer, and an unknown man were killed.

The Italian bark Brom Carlo was lost off Cape Horn and 15 persons were drowned.

It was said that a new gold-bearing region had been found in Archuleta county, Col., which would eclipse anything known in the world.

Assistant Secretary Reynolds, of the interior department, has decided that where a pension has been obtained fraudulently the attorney procuring the pension is not entitled to the fee and must refund it.

Fire in the Parker block at Lowell, Mass., caused a loss of \$350,000.

At the 27th annual banquet of the chamber of commerce of the city of New York Secretary Carlisle spoke on national finances. He said the legal tender note was the fundamental vice of our currency system, was responsible for many vagaries, and should be retired.

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	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Lv. Grand Rapids	6:00	1:25	6:30	1:10
Grandville	6:11	1:35	6:44	1:22
Jenison	6:19	1:43	6:52	1:30
Hudsonville	6:21	1:45	6:54	1:32
Vriesland	6:30	1:54	7:03	1:41
Zeeland	6:38	2:02	7:11	1:49
Ar. Waverly	6:45	2:09	7:18	1:56
Holland	6:56	2:20	7:29	2:07
Hartford	7:21	2:45	7:54	2:32
St. Joseph	7:05	2:37	7:38	2:24
New Buffalo	10:0	4:40	10:05	4:45
Chicago	12:05	6:50	12:10	6:55
	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	a.m.
Lv. Chicago	7:20	5:00	7:15	4:45
New Buffalo	9:25	7:10	9:20	7:00
St. Joseph	10:15	7:55	10:10	7:45
Hartford	10:57	8:37	10:52	8:27
Holland	10:35	8:15	10:30	8:05
Waverly	10:40	12:30	10:35	12:20
Zeeland	10:47	12:37	10:42	12:27
Vriesland	10:50	12:40	10:45	12:30
Hudsonville	11:04	12:50	10:59	12:49
Jenison	11:11	1:00	11:06	1:00
Grandville	11:14	1:10	11:09	1:10
Ar. Grand Rapids	11:34	1:30	11:29	1:25
Lv. Grand Rapids	1:35	8:05	1:30	8:00
Ar. Big Rapids	6:15	10:50	6:10	10:45
Manistee	6:15	12:25	6:10	12:20
Traverse City	8:45	1:30	8:40	1:25
Charlevoix	11:05	3:50	11:00	3:45
Petoskey	11:35	4:20	11:30	4:15
Bay View	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.

Allegan and Muskegon Division.

	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.
Lv. Pentwater	7:55	9:07	12:35	1:35
Muskegon	8:29	9:41	1:01	2:01
Grand Haven	8:39	9:51	1:11	2:11
Ar. Waverly	9:10	10:22	1:42	2:42
Holland	9:20	10:32	1:52	2:52
Allegan	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.
Allegan	9:25	10:37	1:47	2:47
Holland	9:35	10:47	1:57	2:57
Waverly	9:50	11:02	2:12	3:12
Grand Haven	10:25	11:37	2:47	3:47
Lv. Muskegon	10:55	12:07	3:17	4:17
Ar. Pentwater	11:30	12:42	3:52	4:52
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.

Muskegon and Big Rapids.

	a.m.	p.m.
Lv. Muskegon	8:05	3:25
Freemont	9:30	4:40
Ar. Big Rapids	10:50	6:15
	a.m.	p.m.
Lv. Big Rapids	8:58	7:05
Freemont	10:31	8:38
Ar. Muskegon	11:47	9:45

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	a.m.	p.m.
Lv. Grand Rapids	7:05	1:30
Ar. Grand Rapids	8:25	3:50
Lansing	8:54	4:19
Howell	9:58	5:23
Detroit	11:40	7:05
	a.m.	p.m.
Lv. Detroit	7:40	1:10
Howell	8:30	2:00
Lansing	10:37	3:56
Grand Rapids	11:00	4:20
Ar. Grand Rapids	12:30	5:35
	p.m.	p.m.

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MURDERED BY TRAMPS.

Luther H. Beecher Killed and Then Placed on a Railroad Track.

Lapeer, Mich., Nov. 16.—The engineer of a north-bound Michigan Central train saw a man on the track about three miles south of here Wednesday night. The train could not be stopped, but was run back and the body picked up. The head was cut off and the remains greatly mangled. Shortly after the body was brought to this city it was identified as that of Luther H. Beecher, the grandson of the late Luther Beecher, a millionaire of Detroit. Developments show that young Beecher had been waylaid and murdered by tramps, his valuables taken away and the body placed on the track. Two tramps were seen near the place about the time Beecher's body was discovered, and the men are known to have taken a freight train to Saginaw.

Young Beecher was in poor health, and as a means of recreation and pleasure was in the habit of journeying about the state on his bicycle, stopping wherever night overtook him. He had nothing to do and plenty of money, and preferred to spend his time this way. The Beecher estate, of which the young man would have had a large slice on the death of his father, has no interest that would have called him to Lapeer. No trace of his bicycle has been found, although officers have searched diligently for it and for the two tramps.

INDICT THE ENGINEER.

Held Responsible for the Larned Street Boiler Explosion in Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 18.—The grand jury which Friday started an investigation of the Larned street boiler explosion Saturday afternoon returned an indictment against Thomas M. Thompson, the engineer in charge of the boilers operating the Journal plant, charging him with manslaughter in having caused the death of Hattie Hiller, one of the victims of the disaster. Engineer Thompson was brought to court from Grace hospital and arraigned. His attorneys asked for 20 days in which to plead to the indictment, which was granted, and the prisoner was returned to the hospital.

Needed for Michigan Harbors.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—The annual report of Gen. Craighill, chief of engineers, to the secretary of war has been made public. Estimates for continuing the work on Michigan river and harbor projects are submitted as follows, the amount to be expended in the next fiscal year: Portage Lake and Superior canal, \$75,000; Michigan City harbor, \$95,000; St. Joseph harbor, \$30,000; Grand Haven, \$25,000; Muskegon harbor, \$30,000; Charlevoix harbor, \$25,000; Saginaw river, \$40,000; Sand Beach, \$20,000; Detroit river, \$30,000.

Burrows for Chairman.

Detroit, Nov. 15.—The News says Senator Burrows is being urged by his friends for the temporary or permanent chairmanship of the republican national convention, and that Gen. Alger is likely to head the Michigan delegation. Gen. Alger will be a probable candidate for secretary of war, a position which he had anticipated under the Harrison administration.

Lack of Miners Is Serious.

Bessemer, Nov. 18.—Miners are so scarce on the Gogebic range that the companies have been compelled to offer an increase of about 15 per cent. in wages. Still there is a scarcity. If this continues it will be a serious drawback to the expected activity next season, which is expected to eclipse the palmy days of 1888 and 1889 on the Gogebic.

Will Issue Bonds.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 18.—The Detroit Railway company filed a trust mortgage Saturday morning for \$1,800,000 to secure an issue of bonds which is to be made immediately. The mortgage is dated November 1, 1895, and runs to the Cleveland Trust company, of Cleveland, and draws interest at the rate of five per cent., payable semi-annually.

For a Deaconess' Home.

Lansing, Nov. 15.—At the concluding session of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, of Michigan, it was voted to raise \$500 for the Aldrich Deaconess' home in Grand Rapids for the coming year. Mrs. A. A. Knappen, of Albion, was elected president. The next session will be held in Ionia.

Thinks His Sister Was Murdered.

St. Clair, Nov. 19.—The probate court for the county of St. Clair has granted to Horace M. Carleton the administration of the estate of Miss Olive Carleton, who met her death in a mysterious manner a month ago. The estate is valued at \$7,500. The administrator of the estate still insists that his sister was murdered.

Product of Pingree's Farm.

Detroit, Nov. 20.—Mayor Pingree's famous potato farm has this year yielded 61,340 bushels of potatoes, 1,000 bushels of beans, 3,000 of turnips, 1,000 of beets, 420 of corn, 4,668 heads of cabbage, 400 squashes and 500 pumpkins. At present market prices the total value is \$1,997.30.

Bankers Enter Suit.

Bay City, Nov. 19.—Orrin Bump, president of the old Second national bank of Bay City, has sued Estey & Calkins for \$17,000. The suit is the result of the recent failure of that firm. Mr. Bump claims the security given his bank is worthless.

Arm Ground to Pulp.

Manistee, Nov. 15.—Dollie Crowley, employed on the Daily News, had her right arm drawn into the cogs of a press. The flesh was ground to a pulp above the elbow. She wore balloon sleeves, and these were the cause of her misfortune.

Dividend Declared.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—The comptroller of the currency has declared a dividend of 15 per cent. in favor of the creditors of the Northern national bank of Big Rapids, Mich.

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
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 Tuesday, the nineteenth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

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

In the matter of the estate of Peter Snider, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Julius Rathman, administrator of said estate, praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond cancelled, and said estate closed.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Wednesday, the

Fifteenth day of January 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.

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JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,

Judge of Probate.

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Now that Holland as a municipal corporation owns and operates one of the best combined and most improved water works and electric light systems in the United States, for a city of its population, the citizens and tax payers will no doubt take interest in a review of its details, how and when it was first established and the manner in which it is being conducted. But few realize the magnitude of the undertaking and a perusal of the various operations from beginning to finish ought to delight the tax payers.

Early in the Eighty's, when the city began to show renewed evidences of progress and improvement, the necessity of a water works system for domestic use and especially for fire protection was seriously felt and agitated. The old fire wells and hand engines had outlived their usefulness and it was feared that it would only be a matter of time that the city might pass through another disastrous conflagration similar to that of 1871. The outcome was that in 1884 the electors, in spite of strenuous opposition, voted an appropriation of \$22,000 for the construction of a water system, and the contract for putting in the machinery, mains, pumps and wells were let to Mr. Walker of Port Huron, and A. L. Holmes of Grand Haven.

As the city continued to grow and there was an increased demand for an extension of mains and more hydrants, additional bond issues were made as follows. In 1886, \$3,000; 1887, \$600; 1890, \$3,000; 1891, \$17,950; 1894, \$1,800; 1895, \$6,000. Besides these amounts there was raised by direct taxation close to \$10,000, so that the total outlay for the water works up to the present time will be close to \$62,000. For this outlay the city now owns its own system; is not at the mercy of an independent corporation; has over 10 miles of 10, 8, 6 and 4-inch mains; 80 hydrants; an abundant supply of good water; and close to 400 consumers.

For the five years immediately preceding the combination of the water with the electric light system, the water plant has paid all its running expenses, while for the interest on the bonds the city at large has received ample return in all needed water for fire protection. The value of this cannot be overestimated. Besides the contracting firms heretofore mentioned, acceptable work was also performed by Porter & Mann of Dowagiac, Mich., the Cincinnati & Newport Pipe Co., and the Addison Pipe Co., of Birmingham, Alabama.

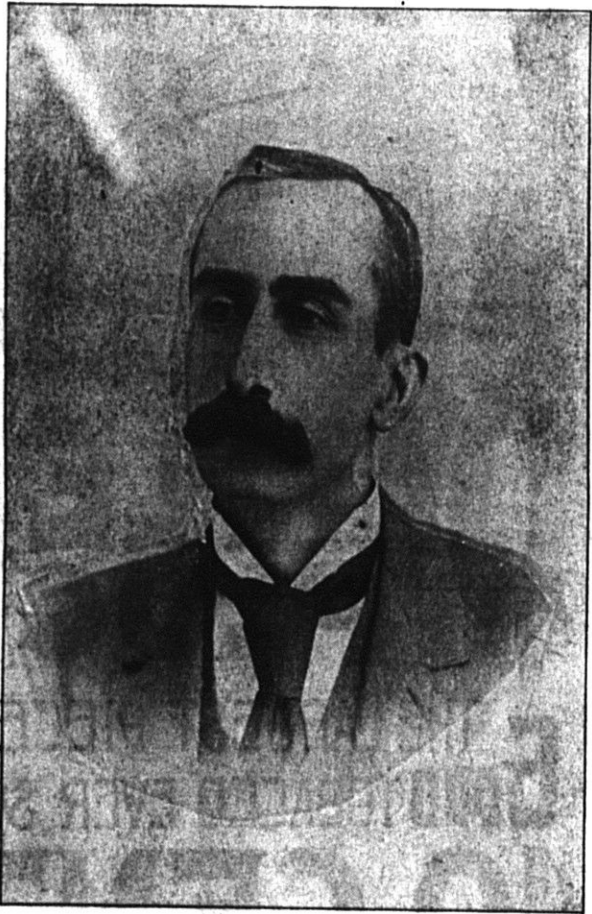
From the time of its establishment and up to the adoption of the charter of 1893, when a board of public works was created, the water works were under the control of a board of water commissioners composed of three men. In this connection also it is but fair to note that to Mr. W. H. Beach, the only one of our citizens who has had the honor of serving the city three consecutive terms as mayor, much credit is due for the inauguration and successful completion of the water works plant. He worked faithfully and unrelentingly from the very start and was the means of convincing many who were otherwise opposed to the practicability of such a system.

A few years ago, when our streets were lighted by fire-fly lamps, and the merchants were becoming disgusted with the old time kerosene burner, a few of our more enterprising citizens began to agitate electric lighting. The result of this agitation was that the Huntley & Holley Electric Light Co. was organized and on Dec. 23, 1890, a plant was started upon Seventh street, between Eighth and River streets. At this time the company had two Edison No. 4 machines, with a combined capacity of 375 16-candle lights, a 45-horse power Atlas automatic high speed engine, with boilers, and other necessary machinery.

Among the first of our citizens to introduce the new lighters in their places of business were Yates & Kane, Kanters Bros., J. W. Bosman, C. Blom Jr., E. Herold, C. J. Richardson, Grandet Publishing House, Skating Rink, A. C. Stevenson, Masonic Hall, A. Henderson, J. Kuite, A. Woltman, Lyceum Opera House, Notler & Verschure, C. Blom Sr., Ed Van Drezer, Mrs. M. Bertsch, Harry Tindall, P. De Kraker, J. Pessink, and the News. The new system gave very good satisfaction from the start and in a very short time it was demonstrated that the capacity of the plant was not sufficient to supply the demand for lights.

In March 1892 the Huntley & Holley Co. was merged into the Wolverine Electric Light Co., with James Huntley as president; J. W. Beardslee, vice president; A. McNabb, secretary and treasurer; and A. Huntley, manager. Steps were at once taken to increase the capacity. Two machines of 30 kilowatts each and a capacity of about 1,200 16-candle power lights were added, also a 100-horse power high speed high pressure automatic Chambersburg engine, a 100-horse power high pressure Erie boiler, a Wainwright heater and Hughes duplex pump. New poles were set and additional wires were run, so that when in complete working order the company had nine miles of main line and seven miles of feeders in operation.

The original price of lights furnished by the Huntley & Holley Co., was 70 cents each per month for 16-candle power lights, or one cent per hour by meter. The Wolverine Co.'s rate was reduced to 67 cents per month or one cent per hour by meter. Office lights were put in for 50 cents per month, and arc lamps for \$5.00 per month or two for \$8.50. Here it might be well to state that the cost price of incandescent lamps at that time was 70c each, and of copper wire 20c to 22c a pound. Now these same lamps are



C. J. DE ROO, President of the Board of Public Works.

worth 16c and the same wire from 12 to 16 cents a pound. The Wolverine Co. continued to operate its plant and to maintain the same prices until last spring, when it was disposed of to the city and merged into the present municipal system.

Two years ago some of our energetic and public spirited citizens began to consider the advisability of operating an electric light plant in connection with the water works, and diligent inquiry was made as to the estimated cost of maintaining such a lighting system. While the Wolverine Co. at the time was giving very good satisfaction in the way of commercial lighting, it was the question of street lighting that stared the community in the face. The annoyance of some one or more of the old corner lamps not being lighted, or failing to burn not only for one night but for several in succession, got to be an old, old story and there was a general demand for a new and more modern system of illuminating the streets.

After due consideration of the matter the council of 1891 reached the conclusion that it would be cheaper for the city to own its own plant, and it was decided to submit the matter to a vote of the people at the April election of 1892. The proposition was accepted by a decisive vote, and an issue of \$12,000 was ordered. The following year some more funds were raised, either by loan or taxation, all of which, with the \$12,000 in bonds voted at the last April election, represents a total outlay of \$38,735 now invested by the city of Holland in its municipal plant for electric lighting.

Early this summer, after the issue of the \$12,000 in bonds just voted, negotiations were opened by the board of public works with the Wolverine Co., with a view to purchasing its machinery, lines, customers and good will. These negotiations culminated favorably and the plant was bought for a consideration of \$6,000,

the object being to consolidate the same with the one being operated by the city. In the meantime during the course of the present season the remainder of the appropriation has been laid out in the way of new machinery and enlarged buildings for the increased service. The work which has been in progress several months is expected to be completed, and all connections made on Saturday of this week, the last of the Wolverine machinery having been moved to the "Water and Electric Station" on Thursday.

The new plant as it now stands has an electric room 52x68, boiler room 30x48, and pump room 30x39, with 16 feet ceilings. The boiler room, which furnishes the power that operates the entire machinery, contains four tubular boilers, two of 100-horse power each and two of 35-horse power each. In the pump room, which joins it to the southward, can be found two Walker pumps, the first in use, with a capacity of 1,000,000 gallons every 24 hours, and a Nordburg compound condensing pump with a capacity of 1,500,000 gallons every 24 hours, which in case of necessity can be crowded to 2,000,000 gallons. Hereafter the former pumps will only be used in case of emergency, as the latter can be operated more economically.

The electrical room, which is roomy and well lighted, contains two Edison dynamos of 600 sixteen-candle power lights each; two Edison dynamos of 160 sixteen-candle power each; one National Alternator of 1000 sixteen-candle power lights and a Standard machine of 65 two thousand-candle power capacity; all operated from a steel shaft four inches in diameter and 37 feet in length. This shafting is set in motion by a ponderous 225-horse power Nordburg cross compound condensing engine and a 120 horse power four valve low pressure engine. There is also a Nordburg independent condenser, which does the work for both these engines. The work of setting up all the new machinery has been under the direction of John Hoyer, a representative of the Nordburg Co., of Milwaukee.

Early in the week contractor Smith of Grand Rapids began preparations for the transfer of the dynamos and other machinery from the Wolverine Co.'s building on Seventh street to the city power house, and on the whole the work has been satisfactorily accomplished without interfering very materially with the customers' circuits.

The News was informed by electrician Fairfield that there are now in use in the city in the neighborhood of 2,000 sixteen candle power lights (over 130 new lights having been put in during the past month) in addition to the 42 arc lamps for street lighting. There is ample room in the new building for more dynamos and the capacity of the plant can be increased to meet the demands of consumers without additional power for some time to come.

In gathering the facts as above presented the News is under many obligations to City Clerk Geo. H. Sippy, Electrician and Inspector F. W. Fairfield, Chief Engineer H. G. Hanson, and A. Huntley of the Wolverine Co. Those who are connected with Messrs. Fairfield and Hanson in operating the water works and electric plant are First Ass't engineer G. Winter, Second Ass't F. Gilskey, firemen H. H. Dekker, and D. Steketee. Their salaries average from \$70 to \$85 per month and their total monthly pay aggregates \$305.

During the month of October over \$700 was collected from electric light consumers, the largest amount ever received in one month. It is but fair to state however that October is not a fair average month on which to base the receipts for the year, the hours during which lighting is required being above the month's average for the year, and merchants inclined to complain about the increase in price over other months should realize that their lights are frequently in use from 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon to the close in the evening.

A correct estimate of the value to the city owning its own plant for the purpose of street lighting is perhaps difficult to ascertain as yet, inasmuch as the accounts do not show and can hardly be made to show what proportion of the expenditures are properly chargeable to the running expenses, to the construction account, and to the water plant proper. Neither can the question be satisfactorily answered to-day whether the present rate paid by consumers in commercial houses, offices, factories, and private residences is equitable. All this remains to be seen and demonstrated later on.

That the future will demonstrate the wise policy of the Board of Public Works in urging the consolidation of the two systems, there seems but little room for doubt. The undertaking was a delicate one, in view of past friction, and required the exercise of much discretion. It was not more than right that the city should be relieved from the ignoble position of fighting one of its home institutions.

Last spring the electors were appealed to to vote an additional \$12,

000. This amount by itself was far in excess of the sum that it was first estimated the plant would cost. Nevertheless the people showed that they had the utmost confidence in the board.

The proposition was supported by a vote of 713 to 249. To the president of the board, Mr. C. J. De Roo, whose cut the News presents with this article, much credit is due for bringing about this desired result. He was thoroughly convinced that considering the remarkable and unprecedented growth of the city, the dual system would continue to be one of the most knotty and important problems the municipality had to contend with and solve. He worked at it indefatigably, and with the co-operation of the other members of the board, Messrs. John Kramer, James De Young, Johannes Dykema and A. J. Ward, succeeded in bringing about the present happy solution. The task for all concerned was by no means a light one, as it involved the re-adjustment of a municipal water and electric light plant in which the citizens of Holland have invested to-day, in round numbers, the sum of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Our Fire Protection.

Tuesday's session of the common council was relieved of its perfunctory business routine by the presentation of a majority and a minority report by two of its standing committees acting jointly on a matter affecting the efficiency of our fire department. Of late the attempt has been made to add team service to the department during the night. This addition would entail upon the city the expense of remodeling the engine house selected for that purpose. This item of expense however is not the only objective point in the matter, for out of it grows the contention which of the two engine houses, with the hose company occupying it, shall be thus designated.

The issue involved was squarely presented before the common council by the two reports mentioned. See proceedings in another column.

A number of our citizens and leading manufacturers, whose attention had been directed to this matter by the statement in last week's News, were present, with the intention of being heard upon a topic of such vital importance, not only to them, but to the entire city.

Ald. Kuite set the ball in motion by attacking the correctness of the estimate of cost given in the majority report, and backed it up by an offer of P. Oosting, that all the changes to be made in the Second ward engine house could be let for \$449.

Ald. Lokker thereupon explained the majority report, stating the work could not be done for the figures quoted by Ald. Kuite, inasmuch as it required an entire new front. In which statement he was duly supported by Ald. Schoon.

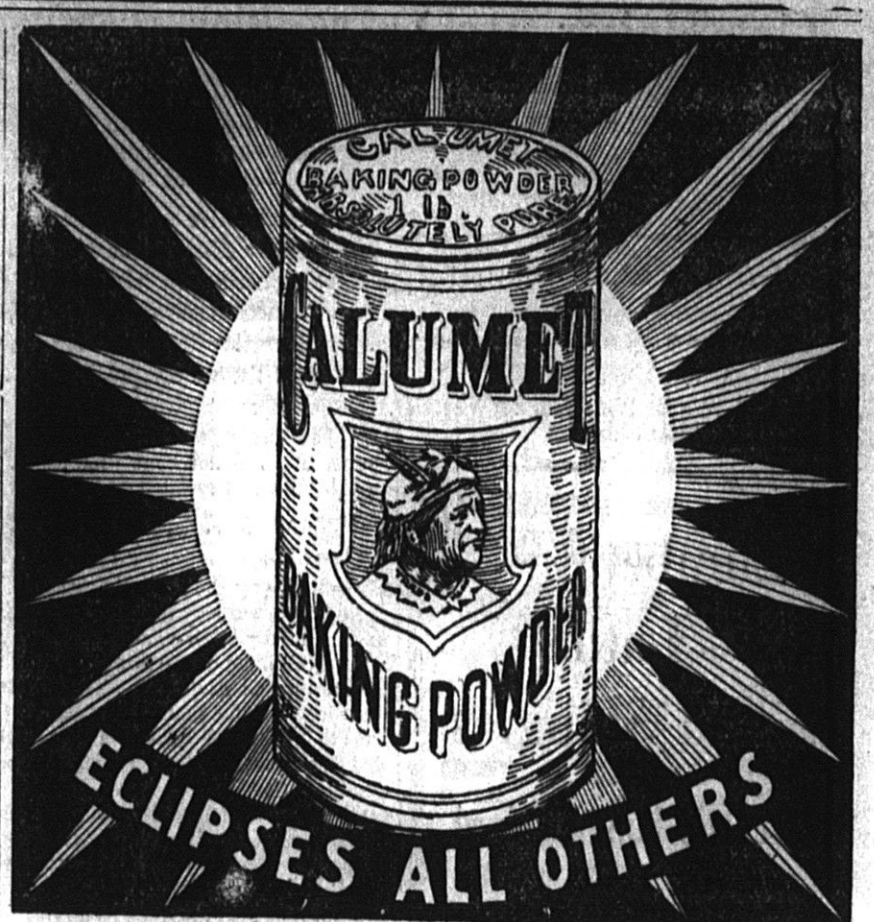
In reply to a question by Ald. Visscher it was stated that the majority report intended to stable a team of horses in the First ward engine house; that the building was constructed with this object in view, and E. Takken, the builder, was quoted as standing ready to make the changes involved for \$150. Ald. Visscher further hinted that a horse stable in such close proximity to the august council chamber might prove very objectionable and offensive.

At the invitation of the mayor, Mr. J. Cappon stated his views: Having noticed your proposed action in the local press I was astonished that the council would even so much as consider a proposition such as is introduced here. The difference in cost is not to be mentioned, in view of the interests at stake in the western part of the city. It is a first requisite for the city to protect its manufacturing. I do not see how any alderman can be in doubt about this matter. Were it to cost three times the amount, the city can afford to pay that. In case of a fire the first minutes are precious and may save one of our manufacturing plants from destruction.

Jacob G. Van Putehen, of the Holland Furniture Co., after fully endorsing the views of ex-mayor Cappon, thought it would be a mistake to make the engine house in the First ward the headquarters of the fire department of the city. The same question had been up a year ago; we protested then, and were in hopes it was settled.

Ald. Visscher arose and explained how the council had lately been endeavoring to obtain horse service for the fire department, and how they had failed, because it invariably involved a large expense in making alterations in the engine houses. If this matter of cost could be eliminated the question of location would be very simple. I am ready to admit that the Second ward engine house is the most suitable, but it is a question of economy and not of location. If it is to cost too much the whole thing will fall through again.

Ex-mayor Hummer then took a hand in: The manufacturers of this city are unanimous that the First ward engine house is not the best place for the stabling of horses for use by the department. They may



not be united as to hiring horses at all, but upon the question of location they are. Distances and the growth of our city will soon demand the permanent use and the whole service of a team. The Second ward engine house is most centrally located in the heart of the business and of the manufacturing district of the city. One thoroughly well organized company or department in the center of the city is better and will prove more efficient than two or three companies scattered along the outskirts. It is also less expensive. Another hose company and engine house in the Fourth ward, as is proposed, is all wrong. What we need is concentration. As a citizen and as a manufacturer I desire to see our business centre protected.

Geo. W. Browning of the Ottawa Furniture Co. coincided fully with the views expressed by the preceding speaker and would be very much surprised and disappointed to see the council take the action proposed by the majority report.

Ald. Lokker: If the council had funds at its disposal, the committee would perhaps have acted different. This year we are very limited as to means for this object.

Ald. Schoon: The difficulty is that as yet we are too small for a paid fire department. The expense of maintaining it would be too much for us. Hence all the committee had in view was night service by a team of horses stabled in the engine house.

Mayor Diekema suggested it would be better to obtain definite plans of the changes to be made and then receive tangible bids thereon. This would enable the council to see whether the expenditures involved came within their reach.

After some more desultory talk the suggestion of the Mayor was formulated into a resolution and adopted, and the clerk entrusted with the execution thereof.

The impression received from the debate is this, that while the committee may not have contemplated anything permanent in the way of establishing horse service in the First Ward engine house, still the sentiment on the part of those particularly interested is that nothing should be done which has a tendency to establish the headquarters of the fire department outside the manufacturing district. This sentiment is positive, aggressive and right.

When the Second Ward engine house was built it was believed by many to be premature. Since then however the growth of the city and especially the locating of our manufacturing plants has made it a central point. This being a recognized fact, the question admits of no further debate, and the cost involved becomes secondary and insignificant.

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Lansing, Nov. 1, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that certain lands situated in the County of Ottawa, bid off to the State for taxes of 1892 and previous years, and described in statements which will hereafter be forwarded to the office of the Treasurer of said County, will be sold at public auction by said Treasurer at the County S at, on the first Monday of December next, at the time and place designated for the Annual Tax Sales, if not previously redeemed or canceled according to law.

Said statements contain a full description of each parcel of said lands and may be seen on application at the office of the County Treasurer after they are received by him.

STANLEY W. TURNER,
Auditor General.

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Texas Excursion Nov. 26; see adv.

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Holland's Progress.

From time to time the News has mentioned the Buss Machine Co. But few people however realize what a plant of this kind means to the city. Skilled labor is kept in constant employ. At first only a few men were needed, but now about twenty or more are kept at work. A new addition has been made to the works 11x 65, which will be used as a pattern room and office.

The firm has already more home work than it can attend to, besides keeping up with orders from other points in Michigan, Illinois, and Wisconsin. Mr. George Gee, the pattern maker, is at present at work on a new tub lathe for A. Van Putten & Co., which is a very ingenious contrivance and will aid materially toward placing upon the market the products of this well known manufacturing establishment.

In its edition issued Nov. 10, "The Furniture Trade Review" of New York, the recognized furniture medium of the country, gives the following complimentary notice:

"This lively city (Holland) the best one on the west shore of Lake Michigan, and which has grown more rapidly than any other city in the state for the past three years, has just secured another factory. The Buss Machine Co., manufacturers of wood working machinery. The manager, W. R. Buss, is a gentleman known all over the country as a builder of first-class machinery. The company will build a new plant in the spring, and is now at work on several new wood working machines that will be out very soon."

"The great factory of the West Michigan Furniture Co. is running full time and turning out suits by the thousand. It is a pleasure for anybody having business with this concern to visit this factory; one does not have to pass his card through a little glass window or stand on the outside of a high railing before he is admitted. The visitor feels at home at once and the manager, Mr. Geo. P. Hummer, is never so busy but that he can spare a few moments time for strangers."

Zeeland to the Front.

The burning of the C. & W. M. depot at Zeeland on Thursday night was followed up by three burglaries on the succeeding night. The first in the order of time is supposed to have been at the hardware store of W. De Pree & Bros., where some tools were stolen. These were used in effecting an entrance in the general store of A. Lahuis. The last victim was Jac. Van den Bosch, also a general dealer. Here the safe was opened (the night lock was not on) and \$10 abstracted. The amount of goods taken at either of the three stores was not large, as but few articles were found missing.

At first suspicion was fixed upon "local talent," it being evident that somewhere in this vicinity there is a gang of petty thieves, that are gradually enlarging upon the character and circuit of their exploits. Then again, taken in connection with the depredations and the derailment of the passenger train two years ago, it confirmed the idea entertained by some, that there must be some parties in Zeeland that have a grievance against the railway company, and whose mischievous efforts are chiefly directed towards the company's property.

On the face of it it appears as though there is some friction between the C. & W. M. and Zeeland. The people there complain bitterly about the manner in which they have been discriminated against as regards the running of trains, and charge this up as an act of hostility on the part of the company for the position the people of Zeeland have taken in the matter of running Sunday excursion trains.

On the same night of the robberies a hand car of the C. & W. M. was taken from the station at Allegan and abandoned near Hamilton, while at Zeeland also a hand car was taken and side-tracked at Jenison. At this latter place a horse and wagon were stolen, and tracked towards Grand Rapids. Beyond this no clues have been reported.

Marriage Licenses.

Jacob Van de Lier 45, Zeeland, and Mary Fowles 39, Grand Rapids.
Wm. John Lundis 23, Blenden, and Nettie Baker 19, Holland.
Peter J. Smith 30, New Holland, and Jennie Nyenbrink 19, New Holland.
William Otto 35, Holland, and Theresa Wright 27, Holland.

Marine Items.

The schr. Avery left Wednesday for South Haven, to lay up.

The water in the great lakes is now 2 1/2 feet below mean low water.

There will be a rush of vessels to Chicago this fall, to store grain for the winter.

Capt. Brittain of Saugatuck has sold his steam-yacht Mina, alleged to have been worth \$10,000, to Chicago parties for \$2,500.

The schr. W. H. Chapman arrived Wednesday with hard wood lumber for the Holland Furniture Co., and cleared Thursday for Ludington, to lay up.

The number of tugs in Chicago harbor has been reduced one-half in the last five years, owing largely to the diversion of traffic from that port to the head of the lakes.

Capt. Thos. Thompson, owner of the Schr. Kate E. Howard, is in the city, awaiting the arrival of his vessel, which will be laid up here. The captain intends to spend the winter in Holland.

The schrs. Chapman, Kate E. Howard and Lizzie Walsh and consort came in from the north this week laden with lumber. The entire fleet has concluded its season's work, which has been fairly profitable, and they will lay up here for the winter.

The work at Holland harbor this fall has been greatly delayed by unfavorable weather, which has necessitated the postponement of all efforts at times for several days. We have often wondered why it is that the latest, the closing weeks in the season are deemed the most suitable to operate in when it concerns the harbor at Holland.

For some time the Graham & Morton Co., of St. Joseph has been quietly fitting out the tugs Sanford and Payne to renew the search for the steamer Chicora. After every blow newly broken pieces of the steamer come ashore to the southward and the company have a theory that she lies within a radius of eight miles off St. Joseph harbor. The search will begin at a point opposite Hotel St. Joseph, where a Free Press correspondent saw red lights glimmering through the storm about 9 o'clock the night she should have reached port. Work will continue southerly as far as Grand Marais, and extend five miles into the lake.

The annual report of the U. S. chief of engineers has been made public. The total amount expended on rivers and harbors during the year (exclusive of Mississippi and Missouri river improvements) is nearly \$16,000,000. The estimates for the improvement of waterways throughout the United States during the next two years foot up \$21,000,000. Harbors on the east shore of Lake Michigan are recommended for the following amounts:

Michigan City.....\$95,000
St. Joseph.....30,000
South Haven.....20,000
Saugatuck.....10,000
Holland.....10,000
Grand Haven.....25,000
Muskegon.....30,000
Charlevoix.....25,000
Petoskey.....10,000

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Rev. G. Dubbink spent the week at her old home in Overisel.

John Beucus of Cedar Springs Sundayed with his mother Mrs. Anna Dyk.

Miss Anna Toren of the Kindergarten dept. of our Public Schools visited the Grand Rapids schools Friday.

Mrs. H. Toren, with her daughter Anna, spent Sunday at Grand Rapids, the guest of her sister Mrs. Geo. Van Hess.

Mrs. Martha Carroll and Mrs. C. E. Wolfinger of Hopkins spent Sunday in Holland with their brother Dr. G. Baker.

Geo. Birkhoff Jr., of Chicago, was in the city on Saturday and Sunday, the guest of his sister Mrs. Prof. H. Boers.

Mrs. W. Verbeek and daughter Fannie helped to celebrate the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wakker at Grand Rapids, Saturday.

Mrs. D. Kruidenier, of Pella, Iowa, after an absence of six years, is making a visit with her sisters, Mrs. Geo. P. Hummer and Mrs. Rev. E. C. Oggel.

Chris Miller, a former resident of this city, but now of Shelby, is visiting his mother, in Holland town. Chris says he'd hardly know Holland any more.

The following were unavoidably omitted from last week's issue of the News:

Ex-revenue collector John Steketee was in the city Saturday.

Capt. Wm. B. Griffin of Saugatuck was in the city Wednesday.

Rev. H. K. Boer of Hamilton has gone to Maurice, Iowa, on a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. J. Van Putten Sr., is visiting with her daughter Mrs. C. Nyland, at Grand Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Hoffman of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with their brother, H. P. Streng.

W. J. Struunt, representing the Singer Sewing Machine Co. here, Sundayed with his family at Muskegon.

Fred Wade, of the Saugatuck Commercial, and his wife, were in the city Monday, on their way to the Atlanta exposition.

Mrs. W. E. Russell of Flint, Mich., is visiting her husband. The latter is superintending the work on the new carriage and bending factory.

W. G. F. Beeuwkes was 80 years old Wednesday, and a happy circle of children and grandchildren gathered around him in the evening at the old home, to celebrate the event.

E. C. Westerveld of South Bend, Ind., was in the city for a few hours this week in connection with his interests in the Macatawa Park Association. He went from here to Ludington.

Mrs. D. C. Wickham of Pentwater spent a portion of the week at the harbor with her husband, Col. D. C. Wickham, who is in charge of the government work now in progress there.

Congressman Thomas and wife of Allegan, on Thursday, spent the evening with Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Mabbs. They were on their way to Atlanta and Washington and left on the midnight train going south.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Van der Stoep of Grand Rapids, father and mother of Mrs. John Vandersluis, are about to move to Holland. Mr. Vanderstoep will engage in the manufacture of cigars.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

The Ladies Singing Club will meet next Wednesday evening, at 7:30 p. m. in the Y. W. C. A. rooms.

There will be a Thanksgiving service at the M. E. church, Thursday evening, Nov. 28, at 7:30 p. m. All are invited.

Special gospel services will be held in Lyceum Opera House on Sunday evening, Nov. 24 at 7:30 o'clock, by Rev. C. D. Steele, the California evangelist. Subject, "The Cross: the World's Center." Non church goers especially invited.

The meeting of the Monday Night club will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Arend Visscher on Monday evening next. Carryalls will transport members from the city, leaving from the residences of Profs. Bergin and Boers, at 7:35 p. m.

The time honored custom of observing Thanksgiving will be kept up by most of our citizens. C. L. Streng & Son are making arrangement to observe the entire week by making a special Thanksgiving offering. See what they have to say in their special space.

"Sell the right class of goods, at the right prices, and you can't help but be busy," seems to be the experience of our new dry goods merchant John Vandersluis. And this is all he has to say this week, a press of business preventing him from sending in a new adv.

Zeeland's new organ "The Weekly News," has made its appearance. In common with all good papers it is intended to fill a "long felt want." Judging from the first issue there is music in the air for Zeeland, and it will be a struggle for the survival of the fittest between the News and its elder rival the *Expositor*.

The Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations of this city, acting jointly, the same as last year, will receive Thanksgiving donations for distribution among the poor, at their respective rooms on Wednesday of next week. A special request is made to have all articles delivered before two o'clock p. m. It is unnecessary to state that everything that will bring joy to the suffering and awaken thanks with the needy, will be received, be it money, clothing, provisions or whatever else.

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Our 19c Underwear and 38c Overshirts are such well known bargains that we hardly need to mention them.

Suits and Overcoats

AT ASTONISHING LOW PRICES!

THE STERN-GOLDMAN CLO. CO.

ONE PRICE STRICTLY.

We're Too Busy

Selling goods to write an add this week but were not too busy to show you the new Novelties in Dress Goods we are daily receiving.

No Old Goods Found With Us!!

Not a store in the City that will show you such a clean stock of

New Dry Goods

as we do. We have no use for old stagers. Every day something new that's what you want in a thriving City like ours. We have something special to show you during next week. Yours for New Goods

JOHN - VANDERSLUIS.

Holland, Mich

N. B. Incidentally we want to call your attention to the fact that we have the best values in Black Dress Goods in the city.

Ladies all wool knitted underwear in black, white and gray colors reduced from \$1.25 to 75c. at M. NOTIER.

Go to C.A. Stevenson's Jewelry store for your presents!

Fur cloak trimming at M. NOTIER.

Horse Clipping.

If you want that coat of hair taken from your horse get it done now and he will have a nice growth by New Years.

We will clip him to your satisfaction, price right.

J. H. NIBBELINK & SON Livery.

Holland City News.

SATURDAY, November 16, 1895.

Holland, - - Mich.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Saugatuck.

Railroads and rumors of new railroads continue to agitate our people. S. E. Kirk, a representative of Calvin S. Brice was here one day last week in company with Mr. Sutton and others and spent the day in looking over the two villages, Saugatuck and Douglas, and the surrounding country. As is well known Mr. Brice is the controlling owner of the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw railway, and the present visit of his representative is to ascertain the advantages, if any, of extending the line from Allegan to Saugatuck. The *Gazette* supplements this with the following: "And now comes the report that an agent for the C. J. & M. railway, backed by the Goulds, has been in Allegan, the vicinity of Swan Creek, and Saugatuck, looking over the ground for an extension of that railway to the lake shore. Rivalry in railway matters is a good thing. Mr. Makin will need to hustle to get his road through first. He has not yet returned to Allegan, and people begin to think he is having a hard time raising the money with which to build the Metropolitan Electric and Power Company's dam."

The Commercial gives the following details of the sad suicide of Leo Francis last week. Secretively he took a gun from the home and went to his father's slaughter house about a mile out of town, when he tied a string to the lock of the gun, and after placing himself and it in proper position, by some means he succeeded in pulling the string and sent the charges of both barrels through his head. He was found by his father a short time after the shooting. The boy had developed a melancholy state of mind, and those who knew him felt that despondency mastering a young judgment, is the explanation of his tragic ending. He had the confidence and love of those who knew him, especially of his schoolmates.

About 100 fruit-growers, vessel owners and business men met in Masonic Hall last week to formulate action for the improvement of the harbor, and a general committee was appointed composed of the following: Capt. R. C. Brittain, D. W. Willey, Jas. G. Williams, M. E. Williams, E. E. Weed, Calvin Whitney, John Koning, Jonas Crouse, William White, John Dykema, C. W. Welch, D. L. Barber, D. M. Gerber, Frank Kirby, and Alexander Gibson. It is the business of this committee to see that Saugatuck harbor receives due attention at the hands of congress next winter.

Record: Douglas has about as many secret societies as any town of its population in the state. But it seems that there is need of another one, and effort is being made to organize an Old Bachelor's Club. The Old Maids are so mad about it that they probably will retaliate by perfecting a similar organization.

Allegan County.

Unless the citizens of Allegan village do something to keep it, there is danger they will lose their paper mill. Want of room and lack of power may cause it to be removed to Niles.

The prospects for an extension of the C. & W. M. into the village are not so bright as they have been. The village trustees have concluded not to call a special election to bond the town, as such action would be illegal.

Judge H. F. Severens will make another experiment on his Allegan county farm which will be watched with interest by farmers in this section of the state, where peppermint is abundant. He has purchased fifty head of cattle and will feed them on peppermint plants from which the oil has been extracted, instead of clover hay, to see if the former is as nutritious as the latter. Cattle eat the peppermint with as much apparent relish as they do clover.

Jake Van Putten is selling wood at his mill in New Richmond for 50c per cord and everybody in the village is getting their winter's supply. Jake also donated four cords of wood to the church and Buel Barker donated the delivery of the same. Jake would make an excellent deacon.

The last quarterly report of Station Agent Duornate, of New Richmond, showed an increase of \$150 over the corresponding quarter of last year, which is attributed to the stopping of the fast train at that station. The depot building there has long been inadequate to business and is now in a very dilapidated condition. The company promises to put up a new building there in 18—.

Fennville Herald: According to present indications there is going to be a lively scramble among political leaders of the Fourth district for the congressional nomination, when Congressman Thomas finishes his present term. Among the list of candidates for nomination are: Seator Jewell of Dowagiac, Judge Peeler of Three Rivers, Judge Heckett of Paw Paw, Lawyers Grace of Benton Harbor, Hamilton of Niles and Fyfe of St. Joseph and the present incumbent, Dr. H. F. Thomas of Allegan. As far as this section is concerned we believe the feeling is almost unanimous that Dr. Thomas should be kept right where he is. He has proved his ability as a worker and that is the kind of a man this district needs in congress.—*Fennville Herald.*

A man by the name of Hines, soliciting for Photographer McDermand, borrowed a buggy of Joshua J. Brown, a harness of Doc Heath, and a lap robe and buffalo robe of Ed. Lownd, and took a watch belonging to Miller Robinson. He had a horse of his own. He has failed to return.—The foregoing is from the Allegan *Gazette*, and is supplemented by a card from Mr. McDermand in the Saugatuck *Commercial* which reads as follows: "R. B. Himes, the so called agent of the Boston Photo Co., who misled and deceived many, and left numerous accounts unsettled, in justice to myself, will say he is in no way connected with the Robinson Art Gallery, or McDermand the photographer."

The prospect for a telephone exchange in Allegan village, eventually

connected with the village of Douglas, is very bright.

Ottawa County.

Johannes Cats of Zeeland paid \$18.95 last week to Justice Fellows at Jenison, for borrowing some tools out of a blacksmith shop without first asking permission.

Alfred Rindge, who formerly conducted the Zeeland *Expositor*, has gone to Eau Claire, Wis.

D. P. De Jong of Zeeland submitted to an operation last week Thursday in the hopes of saving his eyesight. Drs. T. G. and J. G. Hulzinga performed the operation.

Justices Lowing and Fellows held court at Jenison Hall Saturday. The case was Luman and Lucius Jenison vs. Nate Smith. Albert Oastland looked after Jenison's side of the case and Lawyer Holmes of Grand Rapids defended Smith. The court took four days to decide the matter.

The pension board went down to West Olive last week and examined Nelson Neels, an old colored veteran, who served in Co. F of the 2nd Kansas Colored Infantry.

A romance was brought to light at the home of George R. Weller, a farmer in Tallmadge this week, by the sudden arrival of Ami McLeod, Mrs. Weller's father, whose face she had never before seen. It seems that McLeod in the early sixties lived in southern Illinois, where he married his young wife. Before the honeymoon was fairly over he responded to his country's call for troops and enlisted. At the battle of Mission Ridge he was severely wounded and left on the battlefield for dead, but the enemy found him alive. He was thrown in prison, where the wound in his head healed up, leaving the skull pressing upon his brain. Many years were blank to him, but three years ago a young physician of Richmond, Va., where McLeod was making a living doing odd jobs, interested himself in McLeod's case, raising the part of the skull that was resting on the brain until the patient was in full possession of his senses. Of the thirty odd years that had elapsed since the injury he knows nothing. In the meantime he had been reported dead and the young bride he had left behind died after the birth of their daughter. This daughter lived with her mother's sister till 1880, when she was married to a young machinist named Hyde and with him moved to Pullman, Ill., where Hyde died from an injury. Hatie, the widow, met Geo. R. Weller, her present husband, and after a brief courtship they were married. They moved to Michigan in 1889 and settled in Tallmadge. Only by accident the father found his child. Some legal steps were found necessary to perfect the title to some property. Her signature was needed, so she was finally traced by means of advertisements. The Wellers are well off and gladly welcome the veteran father to a good home for the balance of his days.

Frank Jenison, who had settled at Manton, died suddenly Thursday of last week from an attack of apoplexy. The remains were taken to his old home in Jenison and buried with Masonic honors in the Jenison cemetery. Deceased was 53 years of age, and leaves a wife and one daughter.

Hog cholera seems to have reached Coopersville.

Grand Haven.

Samuel L. Tate, a former citizen of this place, and judge of probate, is said to be prospering in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. He is associated with U. S. Senator Pettigrew, and is secretary of the Sioux Falls Stock Yards Co.

A visit to the Hancock greenhouse now reveals a pretty sight. One house is entirely devoted to chrysanthemums of all shades and colors, while a number of greenhouses contain the always beautiful carnation. Mr. Hancock's flowers are taking premiums at all the flower shows.

Fennville.

Will Stedman's new war drama "The Confederate spy," will be presented in South Haven, Paw Paw, and Kalamazoo during the coming winter. His latest effort in play writing entitled "A candidate from Vermont," will probably be dedicated to the use of the Knights of Maccabees, in whose interest it was written.

The Masons are preparing to dedicate their new lodge hall in the near future. They have bought a costly lot of furnishings of Grand Rapids parties and when it is completed will have one of the finest equipped rooms in the county.

Dr. Sessions has begun suit against the C. & W. M. to recover an alleged bill for professional work.

Thieves have been quite busy in the territory between Fennville and the lake shore. Monday night some sneak thief walked off with a quantity of underwear that was hanging on the line.

Graafschap.

Miss Jennie Pool has returned from Grand Haven, where she has been visiting relatives and friends for a week.

Born, Friday, to Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Brink, a daughter.

John Smith of Muskegon is visiting relatives and friends here.

Acts at once, never fails. One Minute Cough Cure. A remedy for asthma, and that feverish condition which accompanies a severe cold. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results.

LAWRENCE KRAMER.

Notice of Special Assessment.

To Mrs. C. Schols, Mrs. A. Geerlings, Mrs. Cornelia Andrews, James Connell, Jacob M. De Feyter, and Lyman Rockwood, and to all other persons interested, take notice: That the roll of the special assessment heretofore made by the board of assessors for the purpose of defraying that part of the cost which the council decided should be paid and borne by special assessment for the repairing and construction of sidewalks in front of and adjacent to the following described premises, in the City of Holland, to-wit: S 90 ft. of E 31 ft. of W 41 ft. lot numbered 11, in block numbered 38; E 4 ft.

lot numbered 15, in block numbered 38; N 44 ft. of E 95 ft. of lot numbered 8, in block numbered 65; E 19 ft. of lot numbered 15 and W. 25 ft. of lot numbered 16 in block numbered H in the west addition, lot numbered 15 in block numbered 10 in the south west addition, and lot numbered 1, in block numbered 5, in the south west addition, is now on file in my office for public inspection.

Notice is also hereby given, that the council and board of assessors of the City of Holland will meet at the council room in said city, on Tuesday, the 26th day of November, A. D. 1895, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., to review said assessment, at which time and place opportunity will be given all persons interested to be heard.

Dated Holland, Nov. 6th, 1895.
GEO. H. SIPP, City Clerk.

Election Notice.

CLERK'S OFFICE, CITY OF HOLLAND.
November 6th, A. D. 1895.

To the Electors of the City of Holland:

Whereas, on the 31st day of October, A. D. 1895, a petition was filed with the Council of the City by more than fifty qualified voters thereof, praying that an election of the qualified voters of the City be called to determine the question as to whether the City shall remain incorporated under the special act under which it was incorporated, and by which it is governed at this time, or whether it shall become subject to the provisions of Act No. 215, of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan of the year A. D. 1895, entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation of Cities of the Fourth Class;"

Therefore be it Resolved by the Council, that a special election of the qualified voters of the City be called, to be held on Monday, the 25th day of November, A. D. 1895, to determine such election;

And be it further Resolved, that the places in said City and in the various wards thereof, where such election shall be held, be and the same are designated as follows:

In the First Ward, at the Engine House, under the Common Council Rooms;

In the Second Ward, at Engine House No. 1, on Eighth street, west;

In the Third Ward, at the office of Isaac Fairbanks, on River street;

In the Fourth Ward, at the house of Adriaan Kuite, on the south-west corner of Pine Street and Ninth Street.

In the Fifth Ward, at the house of Irving Garveling, on the corner of State street and Twenty-fourth street;

And that the polls shall be open between the hours of eight o'clock a. m. and five o'clock p. m. of said Twenty-fifth day of November, A. D. 1895.

And be it further Resolved, that the Clerk of the City be directed to give notice of the holding of such election, and of the question to be voted upon, by the posting of such notices in five of the most public places in each Ward of the City at least two weeks before such election, and by publishing a copy thereof in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper published in the City, the same length of time before the election; and that he set forth in said notice the object of the election as fully as the same is set forth in this resolution.

And be it further Resolved, that the City Clerk deliver or cause to be delivered to the inspectors of election in each ward of the City, a notice signed by him, specifying the question and proposition to be voted upon.

No registration shall be necessary for the holding of such election, and only those whose names shall appear in the registration books used at the next previous annual city election shall be entitled to vote at such election. If a majority of all the votes cast at such election are in favor of remaining incorporated under such special act by which such city is governed at the time of the filing of such petition then such city shall not be reincorporated under the provisions of this act, but shall remain incorporated under such special act which shall remain in full force and effect as if this law had not been enacted. If a majority of the votes cast at such election shall be in favor of reincorporation under the provisions of this act, then such city shall become reincorporated under and made subject to the provisions of this act on the first day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred ninety-six, the same as if no special election had been held.

The ballots used at such election shall contain the instructions required by the general election laws of the State, and the proposition to be submitted shall be in the following language:

For becoming reincorporated under the general law.... Yes. []

For becoming reincorporated under the general law.... No. []

GEO. H. SIPP, City Clerk.

Witt's Little Salve

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Juts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt-Rheum, Fever Sore, Tetters, Chapped Hands, Chillsblains Corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Heber Walsh "The Drug-gist."

Two Small Houses on 12th street for sale on easy terms.
Also one acre of land in 5th ward.
Apply to
C. A. STEVENSON,
8th st., Holland.

Say why don't you try De Witt's Little Early Risers? Those little pills cure headach, indigestions and constipation. They are small, but do the work.
LAWRENCE KRAMER.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

Most Perfect Made.
It's just as easy to try One Minute Cough Cure as easy to try else. It's easier to cure a severe cough or cold with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Cure. Better medicine; better results. Better try it.
LAWRENCE KRAMER.

THE NEW MAN!

In the next century may be able to dispense with the article called by some

Trousers,
Pantaloons,
Pants or
Breeches.

But in this year of grace it is not policy for him to do so.

The MODEL is imbued with the above fact, and as we are overstocked with

Three, Four and Five Dollar Pants

we will sell them for the next two weeks at a sacrifice. Dont buy until you note our bargains.

Our **Overcoats** are superior to any on the market and will be sold cheap as we must sell.

Our **All Wool** Clay worsted suits of \$15 we will sell for the next two weeks for \$10

Call and examine our stock before you buy elsewhere.

Yours for Bargains

Jonkmam & Dijkema,

Eighth Street,

HOLLAND,

MICHIGAN.

Notice of Special Assessment.

To John C. Post, G. F. Griener, K. Schaddelée, J. N. McKay, I. Cappon, James Huntley, Wm. Brusse, J. Van der Hill, Jacob De Boe, Charles Piper, W. C. Walsh, G. J. Krommeyer, James Baarman, Geo. H. Sipp, Geo. H. Cathcart, Mrs. A. L. Vissers, Hans Hansen, John De Boer, heirs of S. De Boer, P. J. Zalsman, City of Holland, Henry Schepers, Mary Kollen, Anna Kleinhekel and to all other persons interested, take notice:

That the roll of the special assessment heretofore made by the board of assessors for the purpose of defraying that part of the cost which the council decided should be paid and borne by special assessment for the grading, graveling and otherwise improving of "First Avenue Special Street Assessment District," in the City of Holland, is now on file in my office for public inspection.

Notice is also hereby given, that the council and board of assessors of the city of Holland will meet at the council room in said city on Tuesday, the 26th day of November, A. D. 1895, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., to review said assessment, at which time and place opportunity will be given all persons interested to be heard.

Dated Holland, November 6th, 1895.
GEO. H. SIPP, City Clerk.

Masons and builders are requested to examine the stock of lath, and prices, at Scott's lumber yard, River str., opposite the Standard Roller Mills. tr

MEATS

LAUGH AND GROW FAT!
You will if you get your meat at

De Kraker and De Koster.

And get the finest in Holland and as much for \$1 as \$2 buys anywhere else.

MRS. M. BERTSCH,

WALKING HATS

and SAILORS.

A Complete Stock of

Fall and Winter Millinery.

Here is a Chance of a Lifetime.

BOOT & KRAMER

have moved into their New Store on Eighth Street, near River, where they would be pleased to have all their old time customers and New ones to call upon them. House-keepers will find that they always have on hand the finest of Staple and Fancy Groceries and their Dry Goods department is kept well stocked.

Go and see their New Store even if you do not want to buy.



M. NOTIER

Is daily receiving new consignments of

Capes, Cloaks & Jackets.
Muffs and Furs.

Cloaks made to order. Also a full and fresh line of Flannels, Shawls, Dress Materials, Ladies Gloves and Mittens, Facinators, Skirts, Underwear, Blankets, Comforters, Quilts and everything in the line of Dry Goods. These will all be sold at

The Lowest Possible Prices.

MICHIGAN MATTERS.

Interesting Bits of News from Various Parts of the State.

Twelve counties in Michigan have decided to set prisoners at work.

Gerrit Douwma, aged 18, son of a farmer in Ottawa county, committed suicide by shooting.

At the special election held in Cadillac the blanket charter was rejected by a vote of 267 to 85.

Knights of Macabees in Michigan now number 200,125, while the Lady Macabees have 48,840 members.

An auditorium capable of holding 6,000 persons is to be built, it is said, at Ann Arbor. It will be used for musical purposes.

Alfred Kinney, who killed George Betts in a Port Sanilac saloon row, waived examination and will be tried in January.

Pauline Oesterle has sued the village of Chelsea for \$10,000 damages sustained last winter by a fall on a defective sidewalk.

The Ludington board of trade is considering how the town can secure a new railroad, new depot, new hotel and a few new factories.

Men are boring for coal about six miles from East Jordan. They struck a four-foot vein and will begin active mining operations.

Harry Jacks, of Niles, has begun the publication of a new paper called "The Stamp." It is devoted wholly to the interests of stamp collectors.

The Manistee & Luther Railroad company have resumed work on the road, which is now nearing completion. The track is laid within eight miles of Luther.

The recent heavy freeze caught many farmers in Manistee county with their late potatoes yet undug, and the loss is variously estimated at from 12,000 to 15,000 bushels.

The report of the secretary of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. churches in the state shows the memberships to be 1,162. Last year \$2,500 was raised for missionary purposes.

Previous to the earthquake Coldwater lake had risen four inches. Since that time it has been falling rapidly. On the other hand, creeks and rivers near Bronson and Tekonsha that were nearly dry are gradually rising.

A movement is on foot at Niles looking to the pardon of Guy Bathrick, who killed his father in December, 1892, and is serving a seven-years' sentence at Ionia therefor. The deed was committed while protecting his mother from the assaults of her husband.

May Renew the Fight.

Detroit, Nov. 19.—Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, O., president of the Detroit Citizens' Street Railway company, announced on Monday that unless the city would within a few days agree to a readjustment of his company's franchises the company would hereafter charge straight five-cent fares and give no transfers except those required by the company's ordinances. The raise in fares, it is expected, will cause a renewal of street-railway hostilities.

Arrested for the Kramer Murder.

Hancock, Nov. 16.—Sheriff Dunn arrested John Griff, who runs a small sawmill on Portage lake, in West Hancock, for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Kramer, four weeks ago. The crime was a brutal one. Both had their throats cut from ear to ear, and the woman's face was butchered beyond recognition with a hatchet. The evidence collected apparently weaves a net around Griff which he can hardly escape from.

Church to Rival Saloon.

Flint, Nov. 16.—The trustees of the Congregational church of this city have given the pastor authority to open the church doors on Saturday afternoons and invite farmers and all others who come to the city to trade to enter and warm themselves and spend a pleasant hour instead of going to the saloons. Music will be provided, and a committee of women will be present to entertain all the callers.

Flower Show at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 16.—The first annual chrysanthemum show under the auspices of the Grand Rapids Florist club and for the benefit of the children's home and hospital opened Thursday night in Lockerby hall. There are 12 exhibitors, representing nearly all the florists in West Michigan. The display is large and brilliant.

Becomes Part of a University.

Kalamazoo, Nov. 20.—By arrangements which have practically been completed, the Kalamazoo college will become affiliated with the University of Chicago. The latter institution will furnish lecturers and teachers to supplement the work of the college, and will lend its apparatus and books when needed.

Give Up Racing at Lansing.

Lansing, Nov. 19.—The Lansing Driving association will dispose of its property and retire from the field. Although it has one of the best tracks in the country, it has failed to make the business pay expenses.

Michigan Horticulturists.

Allegan, Nov. 18.—Secretary Edwy Reid, of the Michigan Horticultural society, has issued a circular announcing that the next meeting will be held at Adrian, December 3, 4 and 5.

Chosen by the President.

Holland, Nov. 14.—Lane T. Kanters was appointed by President Cleveland to the newly created office of deputy collector of customs for this port.

Michigan Poultry Exhibit.

Saginaw, Nov. 16.—The Michigan Poultry and Pet Stock association will hold its annual poultry exhibit in Jeffers' hall in this city December 10 to 13, inclusive.

Convicts Paroled.

Lansing, Nov. 15.—Gov. Rich paroled nine convicts, eight of the men being inmates of the state prison.

ANOTHER HORROR.

Detroit Match Factory Burned and Three Lives Lost.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 18.—Another fire, attended with terrible fatalities, occurred about 3:30 o'clock Saturday morning, when the factory of the Improved Match company at Bellevue avenue and Frederick street was burned and three lives lost. The dead are:

Reuben Davis, night foreman, 24 years old; single.

John Wagner, night watchman; an elderly man; married.

Agnes Yettke, 17 years old.

After destroying the main building and gutting the smaller one the fire burned itself out. The bodies of Davis and Miss Yettke were recovered, burned beyond recognition. The building, machinery and stock destroyed were valued at \$60,000; insured for \$6,000.

The factory has been working night and day. About 3:30 a shift of 30 hands were busily employed, when the fire suddenly started, probably by friction. The flames spread with great rapidity. All the employees except the above escaped.

Davis and Wagner, assisted by the Yettke girl, secured the fire hose and attempted to put out the fire. Before they were aware of their danger flames sprang up all around them and they were unable to escape.

The Improved Match company is a new concern not in the trust, which was organized by a number of Detroit citizens and filed articles of incorporation last week.

BOMB WRECKS DRUG STORE.

Desperate Attempt to Kill Dr. John Sweetland at Mottville.

Constantine, Nov. 15.—At Mottville, a small place six miles southwest of here, at ten o'clock Wednesday night some fiend threw a dynamite cartridge through the window of Dr. John J. Sweetland's drug store in the main street. The cartridge exploded with terrific force, and the heavy front door was blown clear across the street. The explosion also tore a hole three feet in diameter in the floor, slivered heavy joists, and demolished everything in the building. Dr. Sweetland miraculously escaped injury, but one of his patients, Andrew Gray, who was present, was not so lucky. Gray received serious injuries from flying timbers and lies in a dazed and precarious condition at his home. Dr. Sweetland is said to have made many enemies, owing to a long-standing feud, and it is thought one of these tried to blow him up.

For Good Roads in Michigan.

Lansing, Nov. 20.—Gov. Rich is daily in receipt of petitions asking him to call a mass meeting of citizens of Michigan who are interested in the subject of good roads, the meeting to be held in this city at a date to be selected by the executive, the object being to organize a state league to agitate the desirability of improving the highways of the state. The governor has not yet taken any action in the matter, but will doubtless grant the request.

Detroit's Big Street Railway Mortgage.

Detroit, Nov. 18.—The Detroit railway, the three-cent-fare company, has filed a trust mortgage for \$1,800,000 to secure an issue of bonds to that amount which is to be made immediately. The mortgage runs to the Cleveland Trust company, of Cleveland. The capital stock of the Detroit railway is \$1,000,000, and, according to its attorney, \$1,700,000 has been expended in equipping the system.

Earthquake Makes Him Insane.

Niles, Nov. 18.—The recent earthquake disturbance has caused D. L. Pierson, a prosperous resident of New Buffalo, to become insane. When the earthquake occurred Mr. Pierson was suddenly aroused and in his frightened state imagined that the end of the world had come. Since then he has been unable to recover from the hallucination, and was placed in an asylum.

Detroit Swells the Fund.

Detroit, Nov. 18.—Two concerts were given at the Auditorium Sunday afternoon and evening in aid of the fund for the survivors of the victims in the Journal disaster. Both concerts were attended by crowded houses. Local talent furnished high-grade programmes, and the fund received a big boost. The amount raised from all sources will approximate \$25,000.

Smalley Will Be Released.

Niles, Nov. 20.—Oscar Smalley, now confined in jail at Allegan, charged with being implicated in the train robbery at Pennville, and also suspected being connected with the gang that robbed a Lake Shore train at Kessler, Ind., two years ago, will probably be given his release, the authorities having no evidence that he was connected with the robbery.

Sale of Forfeited Lands.

Lansing, Nov. 16.—Commissioner French conducted the annual sale of the forfeited homestead lands and forfeited part-paid lands of all classes at the state land office Thursday afternoon. There were very few bidders and no competition. Each bidder got the description he was after at the minimum price of \$1.25 per acre.

Big Sawmills Closed.

Ontonagon, Nov. 17.—The Diamond Match company has closed down its two big mills for the season. During the year the company has cut 76,000,000 feet of pine and shipped 60,000,000 feet. It has left 140,000,000 feet of logs in the river, and consequently will be obliged to do little or no work in the woods this winter.

Accidentally Killed.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 18.—Eben Ireland, 15 years old, son of Charles Ireland, was accidentally shot and killed by the premature discharge of a gun in the hands of a boy companion.

Acquitted.

Red Jacket, Nov. 16.—Klomitz Brothers, arrested and tried for attempting to burn their store on October 29, have been acquitted.

K&K-DRS. K&K-DRS. K&K-DRS. K&K

SINFUL HABITS IN YOUTH

LATER EXCESSES IN MANHOOD

MAKE NERVOUS, DISEASED MEN

THE RESULT of ignorance and folly in youth, overexertion of mind and body induced by lust and exposure are constantly wrecking the lives and future happiness of thousands of promising young men. Some fade and wither at an early age, the blossom of manhood, while others are forced to drag out a weary, fruitless and melancholy existence. Others reach matrimony but find no solace or comfort there. The victims are found in all stations of life—The farm, the office, the workshop, the pulpit, the trades and the professions.

RESTORED TO MANHOOD BY DRS. K. & K.

WM. A. WALKER, WM. A. WALKER, MRS. CHAS. FERRY, CHAS. FERRY.

BEFORE TREATMENT AFTER TREATMENT

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