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# Holland City News.

VOL. XXIII.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1894.

NO. 45.

## Holland City News.

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

MULDER BROS., Publishers.

Rates of advertising made known on application.  
HOLLAND CITY NEWS Printing House, Van der Veen Block, Eighth St., Holland, Mich.

## J. G. HUIZINGA, M. D.,

Physician and Surgeon.  
Is now permanently located in Holland.  
Office and Residence on River Street, one door South of H. Meyer & Son's Music Store, where I can be found day or night.

OFFICE HOURS: 11:30 A. M. to 5:00 P. M., and 6:30 to 9:00 P. M. 25-1-2y.

## THE MARKETS.

Wheat	per bushel	54
Barley	per cwt.	10
Corn	per bushel	38
Oats	per bushel	30
Clover seed	per bushel	4.50
Potatoes	per bushel	3.00
Flour	per barrel	1.80
Cornmeal	per barrel	1.10
Ground feed	per barrel	1.10
Middlings	per cwt.	.85
Brass	per cwt.	.85
Hay	per ton	7.00
Honey	per gallon	16
Butter	per lb.	16
Eggs	per dozen	20
Pork	per lb.	6 1/2
Wood, hard, dry	per cord	1.75
Chickens, dressed	per lb.	.10
Beans	per bushel	1.00

## CITY AND VICINITY.

Wheat 54 cents.  
The News office is better than ever prepared to do your job printing.

The Michigan University will dedicate December 14, a new \$15,000 organ.

The mud cleaning process on our business streets has been vigorously prosecuted during the week.

W. A. Holley, head-miller at the Walsh-De Roo Standard Mills, has bought the residence of D. Bertsch on Tenth street.

The Goodrich Steamboat Co. are building new docks of their own at Muskegon, at a cost of \$10,000, to be completed May 1.

The assessment rolls for 1894 will be placed in the hands of the city treasurer on Monday. As a sort of teaser there will also be a dog list attached.

There was a collision at Muskegon Saturday between the midnight C. & W. M. train and an electric car, the latter being badly smashed. Nobody was injured.

G. J. Diekema is spending a large portion of his time at Lansing, as a member of the municipal commission appointed to revise the laws of this state on cities and villages.

Sportsmen and lovers of hunting will do well to observe the attractions offered by E. Van der Veen, in their line of goods. There are some bargains to be had there. See new adv.

Chicago is thoroughly aroused on the matter of municipal reform, and in imitation of the cities of New York, and Brooklyn, its civic association, composed of leading citizens, is reading Mayor Hopkins the riot act.

Col. Bob Ingersoll should sit down some day and devote a few minutes of his valuable time to the calm consideration of the question which of the two is doing the most real good in the world—himself or Gen. Booth of the Salvation army.

In the "fifties" Don M. Dickinson was fireman on one of the Detroit steamers owned by Capt. Ward, and U. S. Senator James McMillan was bossing the workmen building the Detroit & Milwaukee railroad wharf at Grand Haven.—G. R. Democrat.

The board of supervisors of Manitowish county went to Two Rivers in a body to congratulate Capt. Dionne and his crew of life-savers upon their bravery and the success which crowned their efforts in rescuing the crew of the steamer W. M. Wetmore when she stranded at Centerville a few weeks ago. The number of lives endangered was 13.

The engine of the old Grand River steamer Barrett, which was recently burned at Grand Rapids, is to be taken out and repaired and put into a new stern wheel boat, which is to be built this winter. It is absolutely essential for the continued agitation of the Grand river improvement scheme, that at least one boat should occasionally ply up and down that stream.

The agents of Seigel, Cooper & Co. of Chicago have purchased the most of an entire business block in the heart of New York city, and will erect the largest retail store in the world. The ground will cost \$3,000,000. Marshall Field & Co. are said to be the backers in the enterprise. John Wanamaker tried to secure the same property, but would not pay the price asked.

From and after Dec. 20 all engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen, baggage men and all others employed in handling trains on the C. & W. M. must provide themselves with watches, and not only that, but the watches must be of a grade which will not vary more than five seconds a month. They must be full jeweled and right up to the handle of modern excellence. Heretofore trainmen have never been required to carry any kind of watch at all, or if they have, the law has not been enforced. Some of them have valuable watches, which are not, however, up to the requirements, and which they will have to dispose of.

Beautiful winter weather this week. Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Blok, of Grand Rapids, a son.

In parts of the Upper Peninsula wolves are said to be unusually fierce and hungry this season.

J. D. S. Hanson, of the Hart Journal, was in the city this week, and favored us with a fraternal call.

The common council rooms will be renovated and their appearance greatly improved. They needed it.

Fifty Battle Creek ladies have signed a pledge to take off their hats with two-story trimmings at the theatre.

The largest buck ever killed in Emmet county in this state, was shot near Brutus this season. It weighed 380 pounds disemboweled.

Married in this city, by Rev. H. G. Birchby, at the home of the bride's parents on Seventh street, Wednesday evening, Gerrit Adrian Wanrooy and Miss Emma Mary Balduis.

Mrs. M. Bertsch, being more than satisfied with her fall and winter trade thus far, has decided to close out the balance of her stock at reduced figures. Unusual attractions are being offered. See new adv.

The Walsh-De Roo Standard Mills, since their recent enlargement, are especially equipped for the grinding of feed. They made it a Thanksgiving feature to reduce the price of the article \$2.00 a ton. See new adv.

The will of the late Thomas D. Gilbert was filed for probate at Grand Rapids Monday. The estate is set down at a valuation of \$300,000 and upward. Relatives get it all but \$5,000, which goes to the Union Benevolent Association, of Grand Rapids.

The G. R. Times has changed hands, and John G. Lee, an old Grand Haven newspaper man, is publisher and editor. John says it will be run "strictly Democratic". Whatever that may stand for in these days—anyway, here's success to you, John!

The schooner D. S. Austin, which went on the beach at Ludington the other day, was so badly broken up by the continued gale that she is a total loss, and has been abandoned to the underwriters by her captain, who was her owner. She was insured for \$2,500.

New buildings and rumors of new buildings for next year appear to be on the order of the day, especially in the line of business blocks. Among the latest probabilities are that Boot & Kramer and R. N. De Merrell will each put up a new brick block early in the season.

A report from the commissioner of immigration at New York states that twenty-six diamond polishers had arrived there from Amsterdam. Also that of the 10,000 diamond cutters in Holland fully 5,000 are out of employment and that many are coming to the United States, the inference being that the diamond cutting industry is largely being transferred from Amsterdam to New York and Chicago.

Sportsmen in this state are moving for an amendment to the game law requiring the game and fish warden to have his office in the city of Grand Rapids, and to have him devote his entire time to duties of his office. Also that no person except citizens of this state shall shoot or catch deer in any of the counties of this state, unless he shall have first taken out a license from the county in which said deer are found, for which license he shall pay the sum of \$50.

G. R. Herald: State senator-elect J. M. Jamison, of this city, is looking for the views of his constituents—especially his church-going constituents—relative to taxation and exemption of church property, and has been kept busy discussing the question with men of all varieties of religious belief and unbelief. Said he last night: "I have kept tab on it, and more than half of all the men I have talked with are in favor of no exemption at all. The Hollanders think that way to a man almost. With them it is not a matter of opposition to any particular sect, but their experience in the mother country has taught them to fear any union of church and state, and they would like to see the two absolutely and utterly divorced. Without an exception every one I have talked with has argued with me that there ought to be some change in the existing laws relative to taxation of church property. The minority who favor exemption are about equally divided between favoring the exemption of the church edifice and the lot on which it stands, and the exemption of all church property under a given limit of \$10,000, \$20,000 or \$30,000."

## Congress meets Monday.

The hickory-nut crop is light this year.

The Board of Correction and Charities will hold its 13th annual convention at Adrian, Dec. 4 and 5.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Third Reformed church will give an anniversary social on Tuesday evening next.

Klaas Van den Berg, north of the city, has brought suit against the C. & W. M. for fences and meadows destroyed by fire caused from sparks of a passing freight train, and obtained a judgement against the company for \$84.80 and costs.

Within a week after the break in the south pier of our harbor, Col. Leydecker, engineer in charge, visited the scene, and he at once gave orders for temporary repairs. The hole in the pier is near the shore line and about 30 feet in length. This has been filled in with sand-boxes, 6 and 8 feet in size, fitting close together, and these are kept in position by a super-filling of stone.

Prof. R. L. Cumcock, of the Northwestern University, has been secured by the same committee under whose auspices Rev. Joseph Cook appeared before our public the other day, for an evening's entertainment in this city. The gentleman has been here before, and it is at the earnest solicitation of those that heard him that he will visit us again. The time has been fixed for Monday, December 17. Further particulars next week.

The new catalogue of the Public Library, which is out, and can be obtained of the librarian, Mrs. R. A. Slipp, shows a remarkable increase. It has now reached 1,455 volumes. The books are classified under the following headings, with the number in each:

Literature in general	55
History	150
Bibliography	100
Civil War Stories	25
Novels	145
Arts	20
Natural Science	150
Philosophy	10
Religion	25
Sociology	35
Poetry	30
Poems	10
Essays	10
Fiction	690

The appearance of the books are the best indication as to the extent to which they are used and appreciated. The new system for the government of the library, which places it in charge of a library board, works satisfactory, and at the hands of its present members its interests are not neglected. In due course of time, and with proper attention and devotion, our Public Library will become an object of pride of the city, as it should be.

The West Michigan Independent has changed its day of publication to Tuesday.

The schr. Kate E. Howard brought in a cargo of lumber this week from Manistee, for the Phoenix planing mill.

The college campus has been adorned with several wide, substantial gravel walks, connecting Graves Library with Van Vleet Hall.

The stmr. Lizzie Walsh and its consort came in Saturday with another cargo of 80,000 ft. of lumber for the Holland Furniture factory.

The new Vaupell block is practically enclosed. It is not only attractive in appearance, but generally conceded to be one of the best constructed business blocks in the city.

Now that lumbering at Muskegon is nearly played out, it is proposed to inaugurate a sort of gleaming process, by gathering in the logs that have gone to the bottom of Muskegon Lake and River. It is estimated that there are 400,000,000 feet thus sunken.

D. Bertsch and family will leave for California the first part of next week. The remnant of his stock of goods, not disposed of, he will take with him. The store vacated by him is to be renovated at once, and will be ready for occupancy by C. L. Streng & Son, between Jan. 1 and 15 next.

Rev. H. G. Birchby, Miss Margaret Post, and Edward Post are in attendance at the Fourth district convention of the Y. P. S. C. E., in session at Grand Rapids, as delegates of the Hope church C. E. society. Rev. Birchby is to deliver an address Saturday morning on "The Pledge." Mrs. Wm. Birchby, with a number of juniors, will attend the convention Saturday morning.

A Greenville lady has for some time been troubled with a pain in her arm, and when she consulted a doctor that person looked wise and pronounced it rheumatism, and prescribed accordingly. The pain continued, however, and soon after the point of a needle pushed its way through the skin and was removed. The lady cannot recollect when, where or how the needle entered her arm.

Official returns of moneys expended in connection with the recent election, by candidates and committees, have been made as follows: Ot-tawa county Republican committee, \$597; Geo. D. Turner, \$36; Charles H. Clark, \$65; Henry Pelgrim, \$46; B. D. Keppel, \$60; A. Vischer, \$36; I. Marsille, \$26.50; C. K. Hoyt, \$31; Fifth Dist. Peoples' Party committee, \$90.75; H. T. Root, \$38.50; C. L. Brundage, \$155; L. G. Rutherford, \$275.85; Kent County Rep. Committee, \$2,319.88; Rep. State Committee, \$19,677.48.

## Its Fame Will Live.



The World's Columbian Exposition marked the climax of human achievement. It will live in memory of the crowning glory of modern times. No other development of the closing century can compare with it in practical benefit to mankind.

Who that exhibited is not proud of it? Who that failed to exhibit does not regret the omission? The former are the people of to-day. The latter are relics of the past.

No honor so high as that embodied in an award at the fair. Competition was world-wide, the fruits of ripest experience and noblest endeavors were submitted for examination.

Honest tribunals, composed of eminent scientists, examined and passed upon the claims of exhibitors. Their judgement based on inquiry and justice, proves conclusively the value of any article they commend.

Their approval was stamped on

## Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

It received the highest award at the fair from a jury headed by the Chief Chemist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Dr. Price's was officially commended for highest leavening power, purity, keeping qualities and general excellence.

# WHY THE PUSH IS OUR WAY!

## What we are Doing And How We are Doing It.

## These are the Prices That Draw the CROWDS!!!

## Dress Goods.

American Made Goods.	Imported Goods.
20c Cashmere and Flannels.....14c	50c Henriettas.....40c
25c " " ".....17c	75c " " ".....59c
30c " " ".....23c	1.00 " " ".....78c
35c " " ".....27c	1.25 " " ".....\$1.00
50c " " ".....32c	

## NOVELTY GOODS

of all descriptions at cost.

ALL DRESS TRIMMINGS SUCH AS GIMPS, JETS, BRAIDS, ETC., AT COST.

## Linens.

Table Linens.	Toweling.
25c Quality for.....19c	7c Unbleached Crash.....4c
35c " " ".....27c	10c " " ".....7c
45c " " ".....34c	10c Bleached ".....7c
50c " " ".....37c	12c " " ".....9c
60c " " ".....44c	15c " " ".....11c
75c " " ".....59c	20c " " ".....15c
\$1.00 " " ".....78c	25c " " ".....19c
\$1.25 " " ".....\$1.00	

## Underwear, Hosiery.

\$4.00 Ladies Union Suits.....\$3.00	85c Heavy Fine Ribbed.....67c
3.00 " " ".....2.25	75c " " ".....57c
2.50 " " ".....1.93	75c Cashmere.....57c
2.25 " " ".....2.00	50c Cashmere and Worsted.....41c
1.00 Vests and drawers.....78	35c " " ".....26c
75 " " ".....57	25c " " ".....21c
50 " " ".....37 1/2	

## Bedding, Bed Spreads.

Bedding.	Bed Spreads.
Extra fine all wool bed blankets, former price \$4.00; now \$3.00.	\$1.00 Quality.....\$ 75
Extra heavy all wool red bed blanket, former price, \$4.00; now \$3.00.	1.25 ".....94
Extra heavy white and gray wool blankets, former price \$2.00; now \$1.55.	2.00 ".....1 50

Ready made sheets at less than actual cost of production. Look at this. Fruit of Loom Sheets, 24 vds. long by 24 yds. wide, 50c. The material alone would cost more than 50c say nothing of making.

## OUR STOCK

# Must Be REDUCED

TO THE LOWEST POSSIBLE POINT BY

## JANUARY 1.

When we are to move into our new quarters formerly occupied by D. Bertsch.

# C. L. Streng & Son



Holland City News.  
SATURDAY, DEC. 1, 1894.  
Holland, Mich.  
SOCIETIES.

K. O. T. M.  
Crescent Tent, No. 88, meets in K. O. T. M. Hall at 7:30 p. m., on Monday night next. All Sir Knights are cordially invited to attend. Cheapest Life Insurance Office known. Full particulars given on application.  
AUSTIN BARRINGTON, Commander.  
W. A. HOLLEY, R. E.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Attorneys.  
DIRKEMA, G. J., Attorney at Law, Collections promptly attended to. Office, over First State Bank.  
McBRIDE, P. H., Attorney, Real Estate and Insurance. Office, McBride's Block.

POST, J. C., Attorney and Counselor at Law. Real Estate and Collections. Office, Post's Block.

Banks.

FIRST STATE BANK. Commercial and Savings Dep't. I. Cappon, President. Germ W. McKim, Cashier. Capital Stock \$50,000.

HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK. Commercial and Savings Dep't. J. Van Putten, Pres., Q. Vanshure, Cashier. Capital stock \$50,000.

Clothing.

BOSMAN BROTHERS. Merchant Tailors and Dealers in Ready Made. Gent's Furnishing Goods a Specialty.

Dry Goods and Groceries.

BERTSCH, D., Dealer in Dry Goods, Fancy Goods and Furnishing Goods. Eighth Street.

BOOT & KRAMER. Dealers in Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., Eighth Street.

VAN PUTTEN, G. & SONS, General Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Hats, and Caps, Flour, Produce, etc. River Street.

Drugs and Medicines.

DOBBERG, J. O., Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Paints and Oils, Toilet Articles, Imported and Domestic Cigars. Eighth Street.

WALSH, HEBER, Druggist and Pharmacist; a full stock of goods pertaining to the business. City Drug Store, Eighth Street.

Hardware.

VAN OORT, J. B., General Hardware and Shoes. Repairing promptly attended to. Eighth Street.

Manufactories, Shops, Etc.

FLEEMAN, J., Wagon and Carriage Manufactory and Blacksmith and Repair Shop. Dealer in Agricultural Implements. River St.

HUNTLEY, A., Practical Machinist, Mill and Engine Repairs a specialty. Shop on Seventh street, near River.

Meat Markets.

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

WILL VAN DER VEERE, Dealer in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats. Market on Eighth Street.

Miscellaneous.

KEPPEL, T., Dealer in Wood and Coal, lath, shingles, salt, land and calcined plaster. Corner Eight and Cedar Streets.

GRANDALL, S. R., Dealer in Fancy Notions, Department and Bazaar Goods and Tinware. Eighth Street.

Painters.

DE MAAT, R., House, Carriage, and Sign Painting, plain and ornamental paper hanging. Shop at residence, on seventh St., near R. Depot.

Boots and Shoes.

HEROLD M., Dealer in Boots and Shoes, successor to E. Harold & Co.

Physicians.

KEMERS, H., Physician and Surgeon. Residence on Twelfth street, corner of Market, Office at drug store, Eighth Street.

Saloons.

BLOM, C., River Street. Liquors, Wine and Beer. Bottling Works next door. Orders promptly delivered.

Watches and Jewelry.

BREYMAN, O., & SON, Watchmakers and Jewelers, and Dealers in Silverware. Repairing promptly executed. Cor. River and Market Sts.

\$500 REWARD!

We will pay the above reward for any case of Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Sick headache, Indigestion, Constipation, or Obstinacy we cannot cure with Dr. W. W. W. Vegetable Liver Pills, when the directions are strictly complied with. They are purely Vegetable, and never fail to give satisfaction. Sugar coated. Large boxes 25c. Beware of counterfeits and imitations. The genuine manufactured only by THE JOHN C. W. & CO., Chicago, Ill.

GOING TO BUILD?

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt-Rheum, Fever Sore, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, 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 Druggist."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Money to Loan.

The Ottawa County Building and Loan Association has money to loan on real estate security. Apply to the secretary.  
2 tf C. A. STEVENSON.

Nathan Hale.

The story of Capt. Nathan Hale, the soldier and patriot of the American War of the Revolution, who gave all that he could for the freedom of the Colonies, is one that every American youth should be acquainted with.

It has been said by one of our most able writers that Hale furnished the most conspicuous example of patriotism that the history of the Revolution has left us; that he was but a boy, not quite twenty-one years of age, that he was entrusted by Washington with a commission of great importance to the patriotic cause, that he was captured by the British and hung as a spy—these few facts, together with the words of his dying speech, "My only regret is that I have only one life to give to my country," is all that is generally mentioned of the youthful hero.

Nathan Hale was born in Coventry, Connecticut, in 1755. He was of sturdy New England ancestry, of the yeoman stock which produced Putnam, Green and Stark, and many other of the Revolutionary worthies. Educated at Yale college, he was a teacher in New London, with the ultimate purpose of entering the ministry, when the news came from Boston of the battle of Lexington, where the first blood was shed for American independence. Full of patriotic ardor, he was one of the first to enlist. By his earnest appeals he induced others to enlist, and the next morning after they had heard the news Hale and his companions were on their way to Boston. "Let us march immediately," he said, "and not lay down our arms until we have obtained our independence."

He was then nineteen years old, just entering upon a useful professional life, and engaged to be married to a beautiful and estimable young lady. But he thought only of his country; he was not a man to think of himself in that hour of his country's crisis.

He was a perfect athlete. Like Washington, he could leap the highest and throw a stone further than any of his companions. In fact, he was one of the finest looking men in the army, so says one who knew him well.

In 1776 the battle of Long Island was fought, the result of which was disastrous to the American arms. Washington retreated across the river to Harlem Heights, and the British General Howe and his army of twenty-five thousand men, flushed with victory, occupied Brooklyn and New York, while a great fleet of British warships lay at anchor in the harbor. At this juncture it was necessary that Washington should know the intentions of the British commander-in-chief. Upon this knowledge perhaps depended the salvation of the American army.

Washington called a council and summoned before him a number of young officers to whom he revealed his plans, and asked if there was one who would volunteer to attempt the hazardous enterprise. For awhile there was silence, and Washington was about turning from the group of reluctant officers in disappointment, when a tall, stout young man, with light blue eyes, soft, brown hair, and a complexion as fair as a girl's, but with a look of determination on his lips and a brave light in his eye, stepped forward, and in thrilling tones said, "I will do it." It was Captain Nathan Hale.

Washington had heard of him before. The preceding spring the young patriot had been the leader of a small party, that under cover of night and in a row-boat, boarded and took a British vessel filled with army supplies from under the guns of a sixty-four-gun ship, anchored only a few rods off, and brought the vessel, with its crew fastened in its hold as prisoners, safely to the wharf. The stores had been a valuable acquisition to the patriot army, and the valiant deed was in men's mouths for weeks.

It was a dangerous and despised, as well as an important mission that young Hale had undertaken. It was to penetrate in disguise the enemy's camp, ascertain their number and distribution, and, if possible, learn their plans of attack. In fact, it was simply to be a spy. His friends tried to persuade him to desist from the attempt. A classmate, Captain Hull, afterwards a famous general, remonstrated with him.

"If you seek to sacrifice your life for America," he said, "seek it in doing a soldier's duty, and not that of a spy."

The brave young patriot answered: "I know what my fate will be if I am discovered, but I am not to be deterred. Every kind of service necessary for the public good becomes honorable by being necessary. If the exigencies of my country demand a peculiar service, its claims to the performance of that service are imperious."

Did ever a Roman hero speak nobler words? No wonder, that the Colonies won their independence with such men for defenders.

Procuring the garb of a schoolteacher, Hale quitted the American camp at Harlem Heights and made his way to Norfolk, Conn. There he put on a brown suit and a broad-brimmed hat, crossed the sound in a sloop, and landed at a point called the Cedars, in Huntington Bay, from which place he boldly advanced into the enemy's lines.

It was in the month of September. In a fortnight's time he had successfully performed his errand. He had made full drawings of the British camp and a memoranda of all the desired information. No one suspected him, and he repassed the lines safely with his papers hidden between his foot and his stocking. But while waiting for a boat at Huntington he was seen and recognized by a Tory relative, who betrayed him to the captain of a British sloop in the bay. He was arrested. The tell-tale papers were found upon his person, and he was carried before General Howe.

The sturdy patriot denied nothing. He admitted that he was a captain in the American army and that he was a spy, and calmly awaited his sentence. In a few moments it was pronounced by General Howe in these words: "William Cunningham, Provost Marshal of the British army in New York, is directed to receive into his custody the body of Nathan Hale, a captain in the rebel army, convicted as a spy, and to see him hanged by the neck until dead, tomorrow at daybreak."

While the sentence was doubtless in accord with the rules of war, there could be no excuse however, for the severity with which Hale was treated during the brief time which elapsed before his execution. It is related that he was denied the services of a clergyman and even the privilege of reading the Bible, and the letters written by him to his mother, his sister and his betrothed, through the kindness of an officer who furnished him with pen and ink, was torn up by the British provost marshal.

The rest of the sad story is told in a few words. The morning came—the 22d of September, 1776. Securely pinioned, the young patriot was marched to the place of execution, not far from the present Court House in the city of New York. There, as the light came up from the east in the early autumn morning, he stood with a white cap drawn over his head, the noose around his neck, and his coffin—a rough pine-board box—at his feet in front of him.

"Have you anything to say, young rebel?" asked Cunningham, scoffingly.

"Only this," answered Hale, with a quiet impressiveness that silenced the jibes of the spectators, "that I regret to have but one life to lose for my country."

The next moment he was swung into eternity. Half an hour afterwards his body was taken down and buried, probably not far from where he suffered death. The site was unmarked, and when at the close of the contest, the British retired from New York, no one knew Hale's resting place. But the story of his heroic death, and the immortal words that he spoke under the gallows, will never be forgotten.

The fate of Hale made a striking and lasting impression on the patriot army—but an impression very different from what the British hoped for and expected. The American troops were animated by admiration for his heroism and a resolution to emulate the unselfish courage which he had so nobly displayed. At the same time there was a righteous feeling of indignation for the maltreatment to which he had been subjected.

That his death was deeply remembered is shown by the fact that, about four years later while Major Andre, a British officer, was a prisoner, awaiting the decision of the court martial that tried him as a spy, he asked Colonel Tallmadge, the American officer who had charge of him, what the doom was likely to be, and Tallmadge avoided a direct reply by reminding Andre of the fate of Nathan Hale.

Last year an imposing monument was erected to his memory in New York city, on the very spot where he gave up his life for his country. The silent statue will speak eloquently to the present and to future generations of the sacrifices of those who laid the foundations of the American Union. It will teach the youth of our land that passing years have not obliterated from the American mind the sacred memories of the Revolution, and that those who offered their lives for the Republic will never be forgotten while the American nation remains true to its history and true to the principles for which Nathan Hale suffered and died.

Olive Center.

Olive Center Grange No. 652 held its first annual fair, at their hall, on Nov. 17. The exhibits were very fine, and there were nearly all kinds of grains, fruits, and vegetables, also a fine display of pies, cake, butter, fancy work, etc. All were very tastefully arranged, in departments. A lovely motto was made by Dwight Cheeseman, Rocaeha Miers and Nellie Green. Premiums were awarded to the following persons—the first named receiving 1st premium, and the next second premium:

Red Wheat, Levi Fellows, Thomas Watson.  
Silver chaff buckwheat, Levi Fellows.  
Oats, Thomas Watson.  
Sodder Corn, Burton Welton, Levi Fellows.  
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Red Rice pop corn, Edgar Welton.  
Field beans, Edgar Welton, Levi Fellows.  
Red Wethersfield onions, Burton Welton, Thomas Watson.  
Parsnips, Thomas Watson.  
Empire State potatoes, George Soerherder.  
Mangle Wurtzels, Maria Fellows.  
Conehead cabbage, Thomas Watson.  
Drumhead cabbage, Thomas Watson.  
Large late flat dutch cabbage, Burton Welton.  
Field pumpkin, Dr. I. J. Bruinma, Thomas Watson.  
Half long carrot, Levi Fellows, Burton Welton.  
Long orange carrot, Maria Fellows.  
Tomatoes, Nora Fellows, Thomas Watson.  
Falla Water apples, Roy Merritt, Burton Welton.  
Bl. Gl. Flower apples, Roy Merritt.  
Wagner apples, Roy Merritt.  
Tallman Sweet apples, Thomas Watson.  
Romanites apples, Levi Fellows.  
Northern Spy apples, Roy Merritt.  
R. I. Greening apples, Levi Fellows, Thomas Watson.  
Ben Davis apples, Edward Watson.  
Wine sap apples, Edward Watson.  
Baldwin apples, Edward Watson, Levi Fellows.  
Phoenix apples, Thomas Watson.  
Canned cherries 10 years old, Rocaeha Miers.  
Canned pears, Alice Jacques.  
Spiced pears, Lilla Watson.  
Canned peaches, Lilla Watson.  
Canned Plums, Lilla Watson.  
Canned Citrons, Alice Jacques.  
Dried apples, Nora Fellows.  
Roll butter, Thomas Watson, Nora Fellows.  
Honey in comb, Reuben Baxter, Thomas Watson.  
Layer cake, Elvora Watson, Belle Conklin.  
Layer cake, Carrie Watson, Nellie Green.  
Pumpkin Pie, Carrie Watson, Lilla Watson.  
Mince Pie, Alice Jacques.  
Grange Mottos, Rocaeha Miers, Nellie Green, Dwight Cheeseman.  
Silk crazy quilt, Reuben Baxter.  
Silk table scarf.  
Tidy, Lilla Watson.  
Head rest, Carrie Watson.  
Fish Tail.  
Pin cushion, Alice Jacques, Nora Fellows.  
Crocket work by a child 3 yrs. 3 mo. old, Nora Fellows.  
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### SHOT BY A MASKED MAN.

Farmer Wickwire and His Sister Victims of an Assassin.

BATTLE CREEK, Nov. 23.—An unknown masked man early Wednesday evening shot and fatally wounded William Wickwire, a farmer living near Climax, and also shot and slightly wounded Miss Wickwire, a sister of the farmer. At 7 o'clock a man knocked at the door of Wickwire's farmhouse, 3 miles south of Climax. An adopted son answered the knock, and a man whose clothes were concealed by a long rubber coat and his features by a pillowcase, entered and asked for the man of the house. He passed by the lad into the sitting-room, where Wickwire's sister was sitting. She noticed that he was masked and carried a revolver, and she jumped up and grabbed the trigger. At this he pulled the trigger, the ball striking her in the side of the neck, making a slight flesh wound. He fired again, but this time the shot missed its mark. Wickwire, who was in the parlor adjoining, rushed out and grabbed the man. The murderer turned on him and fired one shot, the ball striking him in the mouth and passing directly through his head. The second ball glanced around his eye; a third struck him in the stomach, and a fourth missed him. Mrs. Wickwire ran out of the parlor and endeavored to tear the mask off the murderer's face. He fought her desperately, however, and tried to back out of the room. Just as he was leaving Wickwire, who had partly recovered consciousness, raised a chair and struck him over the head. The blow stunned him and he half-dropped to the floor, but rallied and ran from the place. Wickwire is fatally injured. His sister's wound is not fatal. It is alleged that a relative and neighbor is suspected of the crime, and that it was committed for revenge.

### ASPIRE TO THE BENCH.

Many Want to Succeed Judge McGrath in the Supreme Court.

LANSING, Nov. 24.—It will be remembered that the last legislature passed a law increasing the salaries of members of the supreme court to \$7,000 a year. This makes a position on the bench much more desirable than ever before and candidates are springing up all over the state. Judge McGrath's term expires next year, and the voters next spring will be called upon to select his successor. Judge Morse, of Leapeer, is already in the field with Judge Cahill, of Lansing, a close second. Hon. H. H. Hatch and ex-District Attorney T. F. Shepard, of Bay City, have yearnings for this honor, while Philip T. Van Zile, of Detroit; Judge Victor H. Lane, of Adrian; Judge E. D. Kinnie, of Ann Arbor; Judge Aaron V. McElvay, of Manistee, and Judge Buck, of Kalamazoo, are favorably mentioned.

### HIS SKULL CRUSHED.

A Manistee Millman Meets a Terrible Death.

MANISTEE, Nov. 21.—Lawrence Hill the night foreman at the Buckley & Douglas mill, was the victim of a terrible accident Wednesday which resulted in his death. Hill had climbed a ladder and with a stick was attempting to throw off the belt from a pulley. In some manner the stick caught, and, being whirled around, struck the unfortunate man on the forehead, causing a fracture of the skull. The force of the blow hurled him to the floor below and a second fracture was made at the base of the brain. Mr. Hill left a wife and two children.

### CONVENT ABANDONED.

Its Occupants Sent to Joliet, Ill., the Home of the Order.

HARBOR SPRINGS, Nov. 23.—The famous Cross Village convent, after an existence of fifty years, has passed out of existence, the eleven nuns, with Father Bernardino Abbink, having just left the place for Joliet, Ill., the home of the order. The nuns are all old women and but one or two of them have been outside the convent grounds for thirty-five years. Some of them had never traveled on or seen a railroad car until their departure from here and had to be almost forced to board the cars.

### Will of Thomas D. Gilbert.

GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 24.—The will of Thomas D. Gilbert was filed for probate Friday. The real estate is valued at \$100,000 and upward and the personal property at \$300,000 and upward, but a conservative estimate of the estate places it at over \$500,000. The only public bequest is \$5,000 to the Union Benevolent association. He provides for his wife and remembers his two sisters and about thirty nephews and nieces. While living he gave freely to charity and the church.

### Leading Democrats Confer.

DETROIT, Nov. 24.—On Friday a number of prominent democrats of this state held an informal conference at the Hotel Cadillac. Measures for promoting the cause of free silver and considering the future of democracy in Michigan were discussed. It was decided to conduct a vigorous correspondence with all the leading democrats in the state and hold a formal conference later on.

### Judgment for Michigan Carriers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 27.—The court of claims has rendered judgment in the cases of seventy-seven letter carriers, arising under the eight-hour law. Of these sixteen are from Lansing, forty-two from Detroit, fourteen from Bay City, one from Flint, Mich., and one from New York.

### Down on Tobacco Users.

LANSING, Nov. 26.—The legislative committee of the Michigan Teachers' association will ask the legislature to prohibit the issuance of teachers' certificates to any person who uses tobacco in any form.

### Fell in a Vat of Boiling Paup.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Nov. 26.—John McDonald, an employee of the Botsford paper mill in Otsego, fell into a vat of boiling pulp and died in a short time.

### STATE NEWS.

Interesting Bits of News from Localities in Michigan.

The masons of Pontiac contemplate the erection of a temple to cost \$25,000. The tower of the new city hall at Bay City will become the resting place of a 6,000-pound bell now en route.

S. S. Hastings, one of the founders of the town of St. Louis, died recently. Saginaw river was completely frozen over Tuesday morning, the earliest in ten years.

Owing to low prices the output of hardwood in the Saginaw district this winter will be very small.

Dr. John Buell White, one of the oldest practitioners of Michigan, died of blood poisoning at Saginaw Wednesday.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Christian Missionary association, district No. 2, will be held at Bangor, December 6 to 10.

The supervisors of Eaton county will be convened to call a special election to vote on a proposition to repeal the local option law.

The furnaces of the Spring Lake Iron company will be started next week and will employ directly and indirectly about 400 men.

Hundreds of acres of potatoes on the low lands around McDonald, Van Buren county, which had not been dug have been ruined by the recent freezing weather.

In the federal court at Grand Rapids, Teft, Weller & Co., of New York, were given a verdict of \$2,871 against Livingston & Block, of Kalamazoo, a fraudulent failure being alleged.

Rev. Conrad Volz, of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church at Saginaw, celebrated the fortieth anniversary of his pastorate Monday. His record shows 5,320 baptisms, 1,370 confirmations, 1,494 marriages, 1,994 burials.

C. G. Ramsey, living near Hilledale, shot and killed himself.

Dr. H. L. Obetz, dean of the Homeopathic college at Ann Arbor, has resigned.

It has been discovered that the infant son of Joseph Guerin, of Bay City, died of opium unwittingly administered in ipecac.

The lawyers of western Michigan gave Judge Taft of the United States circuit court a reception at the Peninsular club in Grand Rapids.

Arthur Musselman, of Mendon, is suing Mrs. Solomon Dill for breach of promise. He alleges that she proposed to him and now repudiates the engagement.

Bert Samson, a colored inmate at the state house of correction at Ionia, attacked Foreman Fred Menhenick, of the cabinet room, knocking him down with his fist against a lumber pile and cutting his head.

Decatur voted adversely on a proposition to bond itself for \$10,000 for a waterworks plant.

In a quarrel over a goose won at a raffle Louis Elsey fatally cut the throat of his brother Charles at Detroit early Sunday morning.

Buchanan voted down a proposition to issue bonds for \$10,000 for power for waterworks.

The case of the city of Menominee against John C. Larson and others for \$35,000 damages on a broken sewer contract was decided for the defendants.

Thomas Black, of Coldwater, drove under a wire clothes line in the dark and it caught him in the mouth, breaking the upper jaw on both sides, cutting off the soft palate and causing other injuries.

Gov. Altgeld, of Illinois, issued a requisition on the governor of Michigan for William Gill, wanted at Chicago for grand larceny and under arrest at Albion.

### DEATH OF WILLARD PARKER.

A Prominent Detroit Business Man Expires at Richmond.

DETROIT, Nov. 23.—Willard Parker, of the firm of Parker, Webb & Co., of this city, died at Richmond Sunday evening. Mr. Parker was 76 years of age. He left his place of business on Friday evening at 5 o'clock, but did not go to his home as was his custom. Search was made for him and he was located at Richmond, where he was taken ill while on the way to his old home. Mr. Parker was a prominent citizen and a pioneer in the packing-house business in Detroit, having organized the Willard Parker Packing company forty years ago. This company was merged into the present one some years ago.

### Woman Sued for Breach of Promise.

CENTREVILLE, Mich., Nov. 24.—The unique spectacle of a man suing a woman for breach of promise of marriage has created a sensation here. Arthur Musselman, of Mendon, claims that Mrs. Solomon Dill encouraged his attentions and finally proposed marriage to him, but now declares there was no engagement between them. Musselman sued for damages.

### Said to Have Used Canceled Stamps.

FLINT, Nov. 27.—On complaint of Postoffice Inspector Eugene Parsell, Louisa Hohn, of this city, was arrested Monday by United States Marshal William A. Miller for using canceled postage stamps. She waived examination and will be tried at the December term of the United States court.

### Entire Fire Force Quits.

SPRING LAKE, Mich., Nov. 24.—The entire fire department resigned because President Blitz, of the village council, would not reinstate Foreman Nichols and Mason who were discharged for profanity at a fire.

### Found Dead in Bed.

BATTLE CREEK, Nov. 27.—Joshua Wade, a farmer living 3 miles north of here, was found dead in his bed Monday morning under suspicious circumstances.

### Quash Nine of the Counts.

DETROIT, Nov. 27.—United States Judge Swan decided to quash nine of the thirty-three counts in the indictment against ex-Bank Cashier Marvin.

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## Holland City News.

G. VAN SCHELVEN, Editor.

SATURDAY, DEC. 1.

### Thanksgiving.

Between the different agencies and combinations that set out to do a kindly act for the poor during Thanksgiving week this year, the latter have not been neglected, and in many a household there was tangible ground for a hearty appreciation of the real object of the day.

The religious services in the several churches were well attended.

In the Public Schools and Hope College the lessons were suspended until Monday morning next.

The weather was such as to enjoy a good Thanksgiving fire at the family hearth.

The annual Thanksgiving offerings in the Holland churches this year were in keeping with the very creditable reputation these societies have established for themselves in the past. The Ninth Street Christian Reformed Church gathered in \$183.66, to be divided among the poor, the cause of missions and the theological seminary at Grand Rapids. In the Market Street Holland Christian Reformed Church \$141 was collected for the poor proper. This amount is exclusive of what has been done during the week in the way of special charities. The collection in the union service of the First and Third Reformed churches netted \$40.

The entertainment at the rooms of the Y. W. C. T., Tuesday evening, by the Ladies' Aid Society of Hope Church, in behalf of its charities, was also a successful affair. Eight tables were set, each in charge of two or more ladies, and a large number of our citizens, with their families, responded to the invitation. The social features of the occasion were as pleasing as the service at the table was excellent. For a real enjoyable hour or evening it seems that the spacious rooms of the Y. W. C. A. are essential. The proceeds of the evening were \$50.

In accordance with an established custom, annual congregational meetings were held in several of the Holland churches of this city, for the election of officers. In the Market Street H. C. Ref. church Henry Geerling, Jacob DeBoe and Mr. Garvelink were elected, and J. H. Tuls was re-elected as elders, Messrs. G. W. Mokma and Matt Notter declining a re-election. Jas. A. Brouwer, C. Van Vyven, J. Toppen, and Wm. Verhoef were chosen deacons, the first three being re-elected.

In the Ninth Street Holland Christian Reformed church the retiring officials were re-elected. Elders: J. A. Peyster, T. Keppel, B. Kruidenier, and H. Takken; Deacons: H. Hiddink and L. Beuwkes. The question of a new organ, new pews and improvement of the church yard was also discussed, and postponed to the congregational meeting to be held on New Year.

### Church Items.

The Third Ref. church, at a congregational meeting held on Monday evening, by a vote of 41 out of 46, extended a call to Rev. P. Moerdyke of Chicago.

The Theol. seminary of the Holl. Chr. Ref. Church at Grand Rapids mourns the loss of one of its teachers, Prof. G. Berkhof, who has been connected with that institution for seven years as scholar and teacher. Last June he graduated and was at once called to the professorship in the literary department. Although then in poor health, he accepted the call, hoping after a few months' of much needed rest to assume his duties. He went to New Mexico, where a brother was also staying, for his health, and died there last week. His remains were brought to Grand Rapids for interment.

The Y. M. C. A. gospel meetings in this city, Sunday afternoon, are increasing in attendance and interest. The leader next Sunday afternoon will be Prof. J. H. Gillespie.

At the annual election of officers of the Y. P. S. O. E. of the Third Ref. church the following officers were elected: Jacob Geerlings, president; Henry Van Ark, vice president; Miss Martha Prakken, secretary; Miss Dehlla Van Dyk, treasurer. The presidents of the various committees are: Lookout, Miss Jennie Kremers; prayer meeting, Mrs. Geo. E. Kollen; social, Miss Anna Van Putten; mission, Miss Hannah Te Roller.

The College Y. M. C. A., as well as its sister organization in the city, is in a flourishing condition and its work is being greatly blessed. Says the secretary: "Our object is to promote a genuine christian fellowship and a strong feeling of brotherhood among the boys. In Y. M. C. A. work there are no class distinctions. In entering upon another year's work, and seeing the great needs and opportunities awaiting us we are not idle but up and doing. Our work is not limited to the institution, but in the past as well as in the present it is exerting an influence for good in the surrounding region. Under its auspices are con-

ducted four Sunday schools, with an average attendance of over 250. Among the members of the association, comprising 75 active and 30 associate, three Bible classes are in operation, worked on the inductive plan. The average attendance is 24. Last, but not least, is the mission band, composed of students whose desire, God willing, is to become foreign missionaries. The band numbers about eight active members. The regular meetings of our Y. M. C. A. are held every Tuesday and Thursday evenings, from seven to eight o'clock. On Tuesday we hold the weekly prayer meetings and Thursday the regular Y. M. C. A. meeting. All the meetings are open to visitors, and we cordially invite your presence."

At the annual business meeting of the Third Ref. church Sunday school A. Visscher was re-elected superintendent, P. Gunst, secretary and treasurer, and H. Van Ark and E. Van der Veen, librarians.

### Personal Mention.

H. P. Streng spent Thanksgiving in Grand Rapids.

Wm. H. Finch, the aged veteran, is on the sick list.

J. Wise has returned from Chicago with a new stock of goods.

Van R. Gillmore came from Detroit to spend Thanksgiving with his mother.

Mrs. L. E. Van Drezer and children are making a visit to relatives in St. Paul, Minn.

Jacob Prakken came from Grand Rapids to be with his parents on Thanksgiving.

Aart Van Duren, of the Michigan University, came home to enjoy Thanksgiving.

Miss Nellie Walker, with Corl, Knott & Co., of Grand Rapids, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. John Noise, a former resident of this city, is visiting her son, John Astle, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Misner of Grand Haven spent Thanksgiving with their daughter D. L. McLeod.

Rev. T. W. Mullenburg and wife visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Slooter, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Werkman, of Hull, Iowa, formerly residents here, will spend the winter at Lebanon, Mo., for their health.

Miss Lena Kollen, of the Grand Rapids Public Schools, spent Thanksgiving vacation with her uncle President Kollen.

Miss Katie Wagner was in Grand Rapids on business this week, in the interest of Mrs. M. Bertsch's millinery establishment.

Mrs. N. G. Squire and daughter Maude, of Grand Haven, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Van Schelven Thanksgiving.

B. D. Keppel and wife, and Mrs. A. Van Raalte, of Grand Haven, spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Van Putten.

### ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

A large number of our citizens attended the shooting match at Zeeland Thursday afternoon, the result of which is given in our Zeeland correspondence.

Among the recommendations for harbor improvements submitted to Congress are Holland for \$18,000, and Saugatuck for \$35,000, with \$234,000 for its completion.

We learn that negotiations are pending by which the stmr. Mable Bradshaw will establish a tri-weekly line next summer between Chicago, Montague and Pentwater.

H. De Kruij Jr., the Zeeland agricultural implement dealer, has been duly preparing for his winter trade and will have something to announce in that line in next week's issue of the News.

Navigation has closed and the following boats have been laid up here for the winter: Steamers City of Holland, Soo City, Mabel Bradshaw, Music and Lizzie Walsh; schooners R. Kanter, Addie, Rambler, and Kate E. Howard.

Miss Nellie Jonkman, who has been an invalid for some time, on Monday last submitted to an operation for appendicitis at the hands of Dr. S. C. Graves of Grand Rapids. The operation seems to be a success and the friends and parents are to be congratulated upon the prospects of the speedy recovery of this popular young lady.

A very pleasant social gathering was held at the home of Mrs. O. E. Yates on Monday evening. About forty people met in an entirely informal way and listened to a short program consisting of reading, singing and instrumental music, after which a light, plain repast was served. The company voted the experiment a success and decided to continue to hold fortnightly meetings at the homes of the members. The meetings are strictly private and the plan is the result of considerable thought and comparing of notes by the parties interested.

The Goodrich line between Muskegon, Grand Haven and Chicago will suspend Sunday.

Geo. S. Harrington, charged with hunting deer with dogs, was tried before an Allegan justice this week, found guilty, and paid a fine of \$50. The Oosting boys had a similar experience recently in Lake county.

The North-west Classical Academy at Orange City, Iowa, of which Rev. Jas. F. Zwemer is principal, dedicated its new building Tuesday. Prof. J. W. Beardslee, of this city, was present and on the program of exercises for an address.

The next discussion in the economic series at Bergen Hall will be on Monday evening next. Subject: "The Co-operative system, or profit sharing." Among those that will take part in the discussion will be Prof. John H. Kleinhekkel, Louis Neumeister, I. Marsille, D. L. Boyd, and Geo. E. Kollen, with others to follow. Discussion and admission open to all.

Among our visitors this week was Mr. Hermanus Koning, at one time a resident of this city. He left about 15 years ago for Kansas and moved from there to Martinsville, 35 miles from Indianapolis, Ind., where he now resides, on a 200-acre farm. Mr. Koning expresses himself as much surprised at the rapid strides made by this city in late years and in the improvement of the country surrounding, especially north of us.

The Sons of Veterans of this city have arranged with the Dunbar Lyceum Bureau for the entertainment on Saturday evening, Dec. 8, at Lyceum Opera House. The artists are Miss Cornelia May, reader, Miss Laura McManis, soloist, and Miss Alice McManis, pianist. They come well recommended, having elicited the highest praises wherever they have performed. Tickets 35 cents; no extra charge for reserved seats.

A very interesting case is pending in one of our local courts, wherein Jas. A. Brouwer, the River street furniture dealer, figures as defendant. It involves a roll of carpeting, valued at \$58.23. It appears that the goods were duly ordered from a Cincinnati firm through a traveling salesman, shipped from the factory in Pennsylvania and received for by the Union R. R. line. It is claimed further that the goods arrived at the C. & W. M. freight house in this city, at any rate Mr. Brouwer receipted for the same, while on the other hand he positively denies ever having received the goods. The query is, what has become of that roll of carpet, and who is to pay for it?

### Common Council.

HOLLAND, Mich., Nov. 27, 1894.

The common council met pursuant to adjournment and, in the absence of the Mayor,

On motion of Ald. Dalman

Ald. Habermann was appointed to preside for the time being.

Present: Alds. Lokker, Schouten, Schoon, Flieman, Dalman, Habermann, Mokma, and Harrington, and the Clerk.

Reading of minutes was suspended.

### PETITIONS AND ACCOUNTS.

The following bills were allowed, viz:

E. Van der Veen, hardware ..... \$ 3 15

Jas. Huntley, grade stakes and glass for election booths ..... 2 50

J. & H. De Yong, paid one poor order ..... 3 00

Lokker & Rutgers, three ..... 4 50

### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Holland.

GENTLEMEN:—

Your special committee on Block "A" beg leave to report that they have had a conference with the owners of land adjoining Fourteenth and Thirteenth streets if extended due east to the boundaries of the city limits, and that they are willing to deed to the city, free of charge, the ground for 66 ft. streets through Block "A" to the eastern limits of the city

so as to extend Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets to lines parallel with their present courses; provided, the city will pay the sum of one hundred and thirty dollars for removing the dwelling house now on Thirteenth street. We think that this is a reasonable proposition for the city to bear, and recommend that the proposition of said property holders be accepted.

J. LOKKER.  
H. H. HABERMANN.  
A. HARRINGTON.  
G. J. DRUKEMA.  
City Attorney,  
Committee.

On motion Ald. Schoon,

The report was adopted and recommendations ordered carried out, by yeas and nays, as follows:

Yeas: Lokker, Schouten, Schoon, Flieman, Dalman, Habermann, Mokma, Harrington. Nays:—

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

The Board of Assessors of the City of Holland reported the following special assessment rolls for the payment of the several installments falling due February 1, 1894: Thirteenth, Land, Maple, Pine, Central, Eleventh, West Ninth, Fourteenth, West Tenth, East Eleventh, West Eleventh, Fish, and Sixth, and East Twelfth street.

Said rolls were confirmed and directed to the supervisors according to section 26 of title 27 of the city charter.

Ald. Mokma was excused from further attendance at this session of the council.

The city marshal reported the collection of the following light fund moneys and receipt of the city treasurer for same:

To construction work at the Holland Furniture factory ..... \$233 75

To lights ..... 4 50

—Filed.

The following claims, approved by the board of public works Nov. 26th, 1894, were certified to the common council for payment, viz:

Electric Appliance Co., supplies ..... \$ 4 47

Geo. H. Slipp, paid express and freight charges ..... 4 95

Holland City News, printing ..... 6 03

H. Vaupeil, straps for climbers ..... 75

E. Bouwman, 4 hours labor on canal ..... 50

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## THE WALSH-DE ROO MILLING CO.

Holland, Nov. 27, 1894.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen:—At a meeting of the Board of Public Works of the City of Holland, Mich., held Nov. 26th, 1894 the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, that the clerk be and hereby is instructed to present a copy of the report of the superintendent regarding the insufficient capacity of the present incandescent dynamo for supplying the inhabitants of the city with electric lighting and recommend to the council that authority be given the board of public works to advertise for bids for an incandescent dynamo as stated in the report of the superintendent and to award contract for same.

The report of the superintendent to which the above resolution refers, is as follows:

HOLLAND, Mich., Nov. 26th, 1894.

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works of the City of Holland.

Gentlemen:—I beg leave to call your attention to the fact that the incandescent dynamo now in use is very much overloaded, and further that there is a call for more lights from prospective customers than under present conditions we are able to furnish.

The above mentioned dynamo is of 750 light capacity or 87½ amperes and at present has maximum load in from 40 to 45 amperes every evening. Some means should be taken to furnish increased capacity and I beg leave to submit herewith an approximate estimate of the cost of replacing present machine with one of 1200 to 1600 light capacity. Cost of dynamo, switch board instruments, etc., 1200 to 1600 lights, \$1800 to \$2000.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. H. Slipp,

Clerk Board of Public Works.

Ald. Bosman here appeared and took his seat.

By Ald. Lokker,

Resolved that the communication be, and hereby is accepted and the recommendations of the board granted, insofar that they advertise in the Holland City News one week that sealed proposals will be received by the board of Public Works of the City of Holland for an alternating current incandescent dynamo of 1200 to 1600 light capacity and that the clerk be instructed to write to each person as have furnished approximate figures of the cost of dynamo and to all other parties who are engaged in the sale of same; the terms of payment to be fixed at the time of letting contract; the board, when the bids are in, to submit same to common council before contract is awarded; and the right to reject any and all bids reserved.

Adjourned

Geo. H. Slipp, City Clerk.

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Don't forget what the great closing price on an Overcoat means to you. Don't forget what the great closing price on a Suit means to you. Don't forget what the great closing price on a Child's Suit, Child's Overcoat, Child's Reefer, Child's Ulster, and in fact everything a child wears means to you. Don't forget what the great closing price in Furnishings means to you. Don't forget that if you need to clothe up yourself or your boys, it will pay you to come a hundred miles to see us. Every article in our immense stock a bargain to be proven by talking to anyone who has visited our great advance sale, or by you coming and seeing for yourself

## HOUSEMAN, DONALLY & JONES, Monroe Street Cor. Waterloo. GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

### First Thanksgiving on Manhattan Island.

There are those who would make it appear that Thanksgiving Day was distinctly a New England festival in its origin, but it is not so. That its first footprint appears on the soil of New Plymouth cannot be disputed. The festival was observed there as a harvest feast and special thanksgiving to the Lord for the bounteous harvests of the year. But Thanksgiving days were celebrated elsewhere than in New England. In New Amsterdam there is a deep footprint.

The Dutch settled New York in 1614, six years before there was a single Englishman on the soil of New England. They gave the name of New Amsterdam to the little colony, in remembrance of their old home near the Zuyder Zee. The growth of the settlement was slow at first. New Amsterdam was a very trivial, quiet place. Thirty years after its settlement the Dutch village did not number more than two hundred full-grown male citizens, besides the fifty or sixty soldiers in the garrison.

One cause of this slow progress was the troubles with the Indians. More than once the infant settlement came near going up in smoke and down in ashes. The inefficient management of Governor William Kieft, whom Washington Irving condemned to lasting ridicule in his Knickerbocker history, finally brought the affairs of the colony to its lowest ebb. An annalist of those times thus writes:

"Parties of Indians prowled about day and night over Manhattan Island, killing the Dutch not a thousand paces from Fort Amsterdam. No one dared to move a foot of fetch a stick of firewood without a strong escort. The women and children lay concealed in straw huts, while their husbands and fathers mounted guard on the crumbling ramparts above. For the fort itself was almost defenceless. It resembled rather a mole hill than a fortress against an enemy."

The winter of 1643-44 was especially dark and disheartening. The previous summer had been one of Indian terror and depredation, and the harvests had not all been gathered by the husbandman who planted them. The cattle that had escaped destruction were huddled within the walls, and were already beginning to starve for want of forage. Food was doled out with a sparing hand, and famine seemed hovering near. Many had not sufficient clothing for their necessities. Early in spring a vessel, belonging to the great Patroon, Van Rensselaer, arrived at Manhattan, and

Gov. Kieft purchased a number of pairs of shoes for his soldiers. For the protection of the few cattle that remained the whole colony turned out and built a stout fence "from the great Bowery, or farm, across the Emanuel plantation," near the site of the present Wall street.

Several expeditions were planned against the Indians. Only one of these came to anything. Captain John Underhill, of Plymouth, was at New Amsterdam, the same gallant soldier famous in Whittier's lays of the Merrimack, as:

"Captain John Underhill, bearing scars,  
From Indian ambush and Flemish wars."

He was selected to lead the forces of the Dutch against the Connecticut Indians in the vicinity of Greenwich. One hundred and fifty-three men in vessels, with Ensign Van Dyck as second in command, sailed away from New Amsterdam one spring day. The expedition landed at Greenwich and the men toiled through the deep snow to Stamford, where six hundred Indian warriors were gathered in a strongly palisaded village.

It was a clear, cold night, March 12, 1644, and the moon shone brightly. It was midnight when the whites approached the Indian village. The wigwams were built in three rows, and their pyramidal shallows stretched across the white snow in the moonlight. The savages had been celebrating one of their annual festivals, and it was late when the village sank into quietness.

When all was still the Dutch advanced, discharged a volley of bullets into the doomed village, and charged sword in hand. The savages made a desperate resistance, but the Dutch succeeded at last in firing the combustible wigwams. The red warriors were shot down in the light of their blazing lodges. More than six hundred Indians perished. Of those who crowded the little village at nightfall, but eight escaped. None of the white were killed and only a few wounded. The victors bivouacked in the snow until daylight, when they set out upon their return, arriving at New Amsterdam like Roman conquerors, the second day afterwards.

For this decided and brilliant victory over their dreaded foes it was felt that ordinary methods of celebration would not suffice. Gov. Kieft accordingly proclaimed a day of public thanksgiving. March 15th was the day set apart for that purpose, and it was the first Thanksgiving that was ever kept in New Amsterdam. We

can go back in imagination to the little village as it existed at that far-off time. There are the long palisades, erected as a defence against the Indians. Above them rises the windmills with their long arms, like the wings of hugh birds, and there are the quaint gable ends and tall chimneys of the Dutch houses, built like those in the old country.

Along the twisting, narrow streets we can see the Dutch settlers complacently walking to the queer little church. They walk, like figures out of Diederich Knickerbocker's pages, the governor and the dignitaries in their short, quilted doublets, baggy breeches, low-crowned, broad-brimmed hats and Spanish shoes; and there are the buxom, rosy Dutch women in their voluminous petticoats, long cloaks and scarlet hoods.

And there goes the good Domine, his Bible and hymn book under his arms. Last of all the young folks, perfect fac-similes in dress of their sires, who took back seats. The streets of New Amsterdam must have been emptied. At the palisades alone the grim sentinels stood with loaded matchlocks, keeping eyes and ears open, lest the war-whoops of dusky warriors should alarm the worshippers and disturb the observance of that Thanksgiving Day.

It was a day of sober quiet and solemn devotion. All conviviality, games and labor were forbidden. The little Dutch boys could not play ball or go fishing, and even the steady burghers, for once, I imagine, laid aside their long-stemmed tobacco-pipes. It was a devout Thanksgiving Day, indeed, in New Amsterdam.—Fred Myron Colby, in *Chr. Intelligence*.

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Holland, Mich., Nov. 15, 1894.  
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ANTS AGAINST SNAKE.

Numbers Won in a Long and Exciting Battle.

"While camping in Alabama during the late war," said Col. H. C. Crossman of Dayton, O., according to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, "I witnessed an attack of a band of black ants upon a striped snake."

"One evening, while I was trying to go to sleep, after a long day's march, I felt something move under my head. I lifted one corner of the blanket and found a snake between three and four feet in length. I quickly hit it with a small stick, but the reptile seemed hardly stunned by the blow, so I picked it up on the end of the stick and threw it about fifteen feet away. The snake landed on a large ant hill. Almost instantly the ants poured forth from their nest, which was underneath, and began a vigorous attack upon the intruder, who was soon covered by scores of his assailants, biting him fearfully. The battle raged with fury, the snake writhing about in torture."

"The contest at first seemed an unequal one, for the snake was rapidly thinning out his persecutors, but on the other hand the ants were numerous and quick in their aggressive movements. The snake with one blow of his tail would kill or wound a long line of ants, but the active little creatures were soon reinforced by fresh troops and fought with a desperation wonderful to behold. I was astonished beyond measure to see the tactics of the ants. When they saw their numbers were being lessened they dispatched couriers for fresh relays of soldiers, who appeared on the scene in due time to replace the killed or wounded."

"The moon after a time lit up the scene, but as there appeared no near termination of the struggle I gave up watching it and, stretching myself again on my blanket, went to sleep. Before striking tents the next morning I went to look at the battle ground. The slain insects were scattered in every direction, but there were six or seven watchful ants upon the back of the snake, which lay stretched out dead near the ant hill."

HEALTH IN CORN BREAD.

This Accounts for the Good Condition of the Southern Laborer.

Behold the average colored laborer on a southern plantation, said Hon. P. B. Winston, of Minnesota and Virginia, recently. How fat and sleek he looks; how his shining eyes and smooth, ebony skin reveal the robust physical man. He is a type of perfect health, and to what does he owe his superb condition? I'll tell you in two words—corn bread. There is the grandest food product in the world, and all honor to the noble American who is trying to teach the old world people the various delicious uses of corn bread and the many palatable ways it can be prepared for the table.

If it were not for corn I don't know how many of the poor people of Virginia, white and black, would exist. It is in reality the mainstay of life in many localities of the old state. But to really love corn bread I think one must be born to it from childhood. Southern-born men of the old regime commenced gnawing on corn "pones" when they were babies; as they grew older the pone accompanied them on every hunting and fishing expedition, and so, when maturity was reached, corn in some form or other was wanted at the table three times a day. This fact will, I think, militate against any extensive use of the cereal as food among the people of Europe—they haven't been used to it. It has always puzzled me that our own people, outside of the south, fail to appreciate the glories of maize. In the great corn-growing states of the west its use is very limited, and the eastern mind, so far as corn is concerned, is a howling wilderness.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Some Cardinal Points of Difference Between the Sexes.

Women always show by their actions that they enjoy going to church; men are less demonstrative. When a woman becomes flurried she feels for a fan; when a man becomes flurried he feels for a cigar. Women jump at conclusions and generally hit, says the New York Advertiser; men reason things out logically and generally miss the truth. Some women can't pass a millinery shop without looking in; some men can't pass a public house without going in. A woman never sees a baby without wanting to run to it; a man never sees a baby without wanting to run away from it. Women love admiration, approbation, self-immolation on the part of others; are often weak, vain and frivolous. Ditto men. A woman always carries her purse in her hand, so that other women will see it; a man carries his in his inside pocket, so that his wife won't see it. A woman can sit in a theater for three hours without getting all cramped up, catching the toothache or becoming faint for want of fresh air; a man can't. A woman, from her sex and character, has a claim to many things besides her shelter, food and clothing. She is not less a woman for being veiled; and the man who is fit to be trusted with a good wife recollects all which this implies, and shows himself at all times chivalrous, sweet-spirited, considerate and deferential.

Liliputian Cattle.

The Samoan Islands are the natural habitat of the most diminutive species of variety of the genus bos now known to the naturalist. The average weight of the males of these liliputian cattle seldom exceed two hundred pounds, the average being not greater than one hundred and fifty pounds. The females usually average about one hundred pounds larger, are very "stocky built, seldom being taller than a merino sheep." These dwarf cattle are nearly all of the same color—reddish mouse color marked with white. They have very large heads as compared with their bodies and their horns are of exceptional length.

EVEN THE KING.

Had to Make a Return Like a Common Citizen.

Of all the extraordinary communications that have ever reached King Humbert since he ascended to the throne, says a Rome letter, one which he received the other day for the purpose of inquiring in all seriousness whether he could read or write was perhaps the most extraordinary. And, to make matters worse, he was informed that he was required to give proof that he possessed a certain amount of education to do so. The letter in question was not the work of some irresponsible crank, but was a full-fledged communication bearing the signature of the burgo-master, or mayor, of the little town of Rheme Notre Dame, in Piedmont, where King Humbert happened to own some landed property.

As a land owner of the district the name of the king figures on the electoral register, and every citizen, before he is permitted to cast his vote, is obliged to furnish satisfactory evidence that he can read and write. Of course King Humbert has complied with the demands of the burgo-master, and has set an example to his subjects by performing his duties as a citizen.

Italy is about the only country where such an incident could occur, since in other monarchical countries, particularly England, the sovereign and the prince of the blood are subjected to the same restrictions as the peers of the realm, and are debarred from casting votes at the polls for the lower house of the legislature, the theory being that, possessing by virtue of their birth seats in the house of lords, it is not proper that they should in any way influence the elections to the lower chamber.

THIS MAN'S SIN.

His Single Aim Was to Get an Advertisement and He Succeeded.

Stand in the public thoroughfare gazing at anything real or imaginary and the dozens who gather round you will multiply soon into hundreds, and, if you stick to it, perhaps thousands. A crowd as big as the street could hold for a block gathered round a sign painter. They rallied in curious excitement and dispersed in disappointed disgust.

"My Sin," in huge flaming letters, was what the painter had already printed. If ever a crowd was bent on anything it was on the discovery of what that sin was. They asked each other what it might be and hazarded guesses while the man laid by his red paint pot and brought forth a green instead.

What would the next word be? The crowd grew so excited they called to the man: "What is it?" "Tell us." "Go on." "Hurry." "Paint quick if you won't talk," until it seemed he might grow too bothered to print anything. But he did.

He printed out in small green letters, added to the gigantic "Sin," the syllable "gle," and when the sign was done it read: "My single aim is to sell at a nominal profit."

SAWED A SALOON IN TWO.

Straddling a State Line, It Made a Lot of Trouble.

Bill Lewis, one of the first to settle in Kansas City, and one of the wickedest men that ever lived there, died a few days ago, says a western exchange. Since 1866 he has been known as the king of Toad-a-Loup, a district which harbored about all the known criminals in town. The saloon he kept in Toad-a-Loup was hardly less notorious than himself. It was built exactly on the state line between Kansas and Missouri and was furnished with a movable bar. Lewis paid no license, and when the Missouri tax collector called upon him he moved his bar over in Kansas. When the authorities of the latter state attempted to arrest him he transferred his business in a minute to Missouri. He was arrested many times, but had to be released. Concerted action on the part of the authorities of both states finally ended the career of Lewis' bar-room in Toad-a-Loup. The direction of the state line was chalked off on the saloon and the structure was sawed in two from roof to cellar with an immense cross-cut saw.

HE KNEW A TENDERFOOT.

A Jerseyman's Exciting Experience with a Pennsylvania Mine Mate.

Patrick Murray, of Perth Amboy, N. J., had an exciting experience a few days ago with a mine mate at Summit Hill, Pa., which he will never forget, says the New York Post. When he reached the bottom of the slope and proceeded to explore the gangway he attracted the attention of one of the mules. He is at a loss to know what angered the animal, but the beast came for him at full speed, and Murray started for a "heading" with nothing but the light of a miner's lamp to guide him.

It was a race for life. The mule was rapidly closing the gap, when the Jerseyman reached two mine cars. He plunged between them. The mule counter-marched and began using his hind feet with terrible effect. He kicked the stout oak planks of the car into kindling wood, and while he was occupied in this manner Murray made his escape and returned to the surface. He is fully satisfied that the mine mule is not to be trifled with, especially if you are a tenderfoot with a red necktie.

Something She Could Palate.

Mme. d'Albertin, one of the lesser painters of France, was as conceited about her artistic ability as she was notorious for her excessive use of cosmetics. On one occasion, a certain count, who held her in much disesteem, lost a bet to her. "And what will madame choose?" he asked, with mock courtesy. "Something in my art," she smirked; "something I can paint." "Very well, madame," he replied, bowing himself out. A day later madame received a package from the count, which, upon being opened, revealed a life-size drawing of her own face in oil.

A LUCKY CHANCE.

The Good Fortune of an Ocean Traveler Who Liked to Bet.

A well-known Washingtonian of sporting proclivities who has recently returned from Europe spends about half his time telling his friends the story of how he made a big winning while crossing the pond, says the Washington News.

"We had been out three days," says he, "and had exhausted nearly every means of amusement, when far away on the horizon we sighted the smoke of an approaching steamer. Speculation among the sporting element at once took the form of the nationality of the vessel. At length some one suggested that we each put one hundred dollars into a pool, and eight of us did so. Miniature flags of the eight principal maritime nations were deposited in a bag, and each of us took a draw."

"Well, you can imagine my feelings when I found that the one I had taken was that of Italy. The smallness of her navy and merchant marine became painfully apparent to me, and visions of a cool century gone in a moment began to roll up before my eyes. The English flag, by some sort of hog luck, had fallen to an Englishman, and in his mind's eye he had that eight hundred dollars dead sure. And how he did chaff us."

"Well, I had nothing to say, and you can bet I played my part well until the vessel got alongside of us. Then I almost went into hysterics, for there at her mast flew the banner of Sunny Italy. I was so overcome by my extraordinary luck that I spent nearly half of my winnings in pledging Italy in the best of wines before we landed in New York. The captain of our vessel told me afterward that this was the first Italian ship he had met on the high seas for five years."

A WHISTLING SNAKE.

It Is One of the Deadliest Serpents Found in New Guinea.

The discovery of the Horn expedition to the McDowell ranges in Australia of a remarkable specimen of natural history called a "whistling snake," whose peculiarity consists in producing a whistling noise by the simple operation of drawing its fore leg across its jaw, seems at the moment to be outstanding. Sir William Macgregor, the administrator of British New Guinea, is now in the field with another extraordinary discovery—a whistling snake. In his latest report Sir William says that a large number of deaths occurred early this year in the Rigo district of New Guinea from snake bite. The administrator points out that the island is infested by a small species of black snake, which is very fierce. The natives declare that whenever a man goes near one it rushes at him, uttering sounds which they describe as resembling a whistle. "Shortly before I was at the government station," writes Sir William Macgregor, "one of these reptiles attacked the government agent, but was killed before it did any harm. A little while before a boy of fourteen years was in the bush near the station, when one of these snakes made a rush at him with the usual peculiar whistling sound. The boy thought the noise emanated from some cockatoos in a tree and began to look for them. He did not discover his mistake until he received a bite from the reptile, from which he died in a little while in great agony."

HISTORIC FAT WOMEN.

Celebrities Who Were More or Less Disposed to Embonpoint.

From ancient, medieval and modern history the following facts about fat women are gleaned: Agrippina, Nero's mother, was fat. Cleopatra, the serpent of the Nile, as Marc Antony called her, was small and fat. Laura, Petrarch's muse, was fat, fair, with blonde hair. The Marie Fiammetta whom Boccaccio loved intensely was a brunette and fat. Elizabeth, the virgin queen, was tall and fat, with thick red hair. Marguerite of Navarre was fat. All Rubens' women, except his wife, were fat. All Titian's women, except the Madonna, were fat. Catherine of Russia was tall and fat; Louisa Strozzi, for whom Alexandre di Medici died, was rather stout. Josephine Beauharnais, the indolent Creole, afterward empress of the French, was fat and perfumed; Mme. Roland also. The unfortunate Marie Antoinette was tall of stature, majestic and fat; Mme. de Staël, small, dark and fat, with a small viper's head. George Sand had a beautiful head, but was fat and small. Heine said of her: "The build of her body has the appearance of being a little too fat, or at least a little too short; the head alone bears the cachet of the ideal." Queen Isabella of Spain is fat; Queen Victoria the same; Queen Margherita of Italy is certainly going on the same way, and most of the great singers have been noted for their embonpoint.

Wasted Forests.

Reckless waste is the thing that shocks the beholder in the Adirondack forests. It is partly the reckless waste of men, partly that of prodigal nature. Trees cut down are left to rot, corded wood neglected for years, large pines felled and burned where they lay for hunters' fires, all proclaim the wastefulness of the human denizen or visitor. Every forest, even close up on the edge of civilization, is a tangle of fallen trunks, blown or rotted down. They lie in every direction, some still intact for their whole length, others mingled with the soil, buried in leaves and vegetation.

No Law Against It.

A prisoner in India recently, on being released, revenged himself on the assistant commissioner who had sentenced him by cutting off one-half of his mustache while he was sleeping out of doors on a hot night. It was then found that there was no way of punishing him under the penal code, for, while cutting the hair of a native is punishable as dishonoring the person, there is no such provision for Englishmen, and the bodily harm done was too slight to be considered an offense.

ABOUT EMBLEMS.

The Significance of Many of Them Shrouded in Mystery.

What the learned Dr. Alken once called "A Visible Image of an Invisible Thing," in fact the emblem, has so little record in modern times, that even the encyclopedias give concerning it only the dictionary definition. Yet two centuries ago it formed the subject for the work of some of the best writers, painters and engravers of Europe; while antiquity has illustrated it in a myriad of forms, the meaning of which is in thousands of instances lost to us in the mystery and darkness that overshadows the history of so much of human life.

Any object which presents at a glance a meaning beyond its mere appearance is an emblem. The torch for Illumination, the scales for Justice, the anchor for Hope, the owl for Wisdom, the butterfly for the Soul, the scythe and hour-glass for death. The first attempt at writing was emblematical, and Chinese writing is so to this day. So were the Egyptian hieroglyphics and the same can be said of our own Indian picture writing.

All coinage, from the first Hebrew shekel to the latest American dollar; all the flags of all nations; all state or national seals, are emblematical of something. The cross, the crown, the scepter, the mitre, every church steeple in every land, mosque, minaret and pagoda, temple and shrine, idol and fetish, all are emblems.

Every letter in every language, every figure, the sign of every trade and profession, the roses of England, the lilies of France, Ireland's shamrock and Scotland's thistle, are all emblems. And yet, strangely enough, it is only by persistent search that one can find out even the least about the origin of this class of art, the meaning of its varied forms, the hidden sense being often lost utterly while only the form remains.

HIS LEG WAS BROKEN.

But It Was a Wooden Leg and Didn't Hurt Him Seriously.

Police officers detailed in charge of postal wagons see more of the woes and ills of suffering humanity than most people. Late one night a short time ago a Chicago saloonkeeper called for the ambulance from the West Chicago avenue station, saying there was a man lying on the sidewalk near Carpenter and Front streets badly injured and unconscious. The unfortunate was bundled into the ambulance and landed in the examining room at the county hospital. On the way to the hospital the sufferer became partially conscious and indicated that his right leg was the cause of great discomfort. He could not speak English, but the officers understood that his right leg had been injured. In the examining room he made an extremely wry face when the physician approached, and it was then discovered he had been drinking heavily. The physician felt the man's right leg between the knee and ankle without drawing up the pantaloons or exposing the skin, and found the bone broken badly four or five inches above the ankle, and the patient was then removed to the operating room. Here a more complete examination was made, and it was learned the man's right leg was broken in the most terrible manner. When the patient saw the condition of his leg he actually shed tears. It was a wooden leg, and he was drunk and bemoaning the expense to be incurred in the purchase of another leg.

HOME VIEWS OF EDISON.

Some of His Neighbors Don't Believe That He Is Such a Wonder, After All.

Prophets are not the only great people without honor in their own country, said a man who had spent some time at Menlo Park looking for Thomas A. Edison. I wanted to see the experimental apparatus on which the American wizard is at work with a view to reducing iron ore by electricity. The workmen told me I could see it only with the permission of Mr. Edison, whom I could find somewhere about the place. To my disappointment I failed to find him, but I had an instructive search. The people thereabouts do not think the inventor of the kinetoscope is such a very great man. "He only got it (the idea) accidentally," said one woman.

On my way out I met a locomotive engineer who knew Edison, and he told me with great glee of a really practical accomplishment of the inventor's ability to run a locomotive.

"Edison once rode in my cab," he said, "and he told me how, when he was a train dispatcher, he once forgot orders and allowed two trains on the same section of track. He corrected his mistake, but not so soon that the escape from collision was due to him, and he was discharged. While waiting for a train to the next town—it was in the west—an accident happened to an engineer who was to take an important train up the road. No one to replace him was at hand, and Edison took his place and ran the train. Think of that!" added the engineer.

A BISHOP'S BAD NIGHT.

Popped Into a "Spare Bed" in Which He Was Stowed.

An eminent bishop who was quartered in the house of the wealthiest resident in a certain village, while his host's wife was away, occupied the "spare bed." He is a thin man, and when his host inquired in the morning how he had slept and hoped he had passed an agreeable night, he answered, with some vehemence: "No, I did not; I passed a very disagreeable night, indeed."

The bishop departed, and when the wife of his host returned she naturally inquired who had been in the house in her absence.

"Bishop P—," said the husband.

"Bishop P—! Where did you put him to sleep?"

"In the spare bed, of course."

"In the spare bed?" shrieked the horrified matron. "Why, I put all the silver under the mattress before I went away."

BREWERS' HORSES.

They Are, as a Rule, Fat from Eating Brewery Grain.

Did you ever see a thin, square, cadaverous, bony horse pulling a brewery wagon? Probably not in New York, though such a thing could happen, though it would not pass without notice. The reason for it is simple, says the New York Sun. These horses are fed on what is known as "brewers' grain," the residue of the brewing process, a nourishing but unsalable product of the brewery. When the labor of beer making is ended gallons of these grains in liquid form are poured into closed wagons and carted to the stables, where they are fed to the horses. "They are fattening, and give brewery cart horses that rotundity which is the marvel of many, who do not understand the true cause of it. It is estimated that nearly seventy per cent. of brewers' grains are water and unavailable for transport, except at large expense, for considerable distance, and more than this, they spoil easily, so must be used at once as they come from the brewery, hot and steaming. In some places, especially out of New York, these brewers' grains are fed to cattle with very good result, but in this city the supply is taken up chiefly in the stables of the largest breweries."

Very few persons have stopped to compute the extent to which horses are necessary in the brewery business. The largest of the city breweries has two hundred and fifty horses constantly in use in delivering kegs of beer to customers distributed about New York city and Brooklyn. The next largest has two hundred horses, and so on down the list, the total number of brewery horses in the city footing up five thousand.

SILK FROM WOOD.

A Recent Discovery of Great Commercial Importance.

At Bradford, England, silk has been made from wood pulp so much like the real thing that it bids fair to occupy a place in commerce and use. It is produced by subjecting vegetable fiber to the action of various acids, the result being a product said to be identical with the filament of the worm, having its lightness, luster and all its qualities, including that of durability. Commercially speaking, says the Philadelphia Ledger, the importance of the discovery can hardly be overestimated, and it is possible that it will produce the most revolutionary consequence in the trade in that commodity everywhere. The world's stock of silk, both woven and raw, is immense and has always held a staple value likely to be much shaken and disturbed by the intrusion of a new supply which can be cheaply and abundantly produced. Samples of yarn, fringe, braid, gimps, sewing silks, handkerchiefs, brocades and other fabrics, dyed in various colors, have been exhibited by the Bradford makers to the trade and pronounced all right and up to the commercial standard in all respects. With artificial diamonds and rubies such as are now being turned out in great abundance, modern society will doubtless take on a style of splendor hitherto unknown, outshining the courts of Solomon or the queen of Sheba or the retinues of Mahmoud or Haroun Al Raschid.

AN AMERICAN AIR.

A German Band Leader's Idea of the Proper Thing.

A good story was told by a Boston man who was in Antwerp while the preparations were in progress for the exposition. Representatives of all nations were there preparing exhibits from their respective countries. In the evening, says the Washington Star, all the visitors were in the habit of gathering in a large hall on the grounds to listen to the band play. Out of compliment to the visitors the national airs of the different countries were played, and received an ovation from the group of that nationality in the hall. The night that our Boston friend attended the band performance this playing of national airs was on the programme. All were played, but not a thing that could be twisted into an air for the bird of freedom. A delegation of the Americans went up to the leader and told him that they felt slighted that their country had not been recognized. With profuse apologies the leader said it was clearly an oversight, and promised to give them the American air at once. He distributed the music, and, waving his baton, the band broke loose, not with any familiar patriotic air, but "The Man That Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo." Amusement among the Americans finally gave away to visions of "Old Boss" Hovey and his song, and when the band finished the tumultuous applause from the American delegation elicited an encore.

DANGERS OF PILGRIMS.

Some of Them That Are Encountered on Journeys to Mecca.

The risks of a pilgrimage to Mecca may well make the most earnest Muslim hesitate to undertake that pious duty. Of the sixty-six thousand pilgrims who have sailed from various Oriental ports for this sacred spot during the last six years some twenty-two thousand have never returned, says the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. A few, it is thought, may possibly find their way back by other routes. Many, it is feared, are murdered by gangs of bad-mashers, who are believed to travel regularly by the Jeddah steamers, marking down pilgrims who are possessed of valuables and attacking them when favorable opportunity occurs.

It is said, however, that by far the greater number fall by the wayside on the long tramp from Jeddah to Mecca or Medina. So far as the sea voyage is concerned the return journey is for obvious reasons the more dangerous.

The overland tramp to and from the sacred cities has the effect of lowering the vitality of the traveler, and he arrives at Jeddah in a state which predisposes him to the attacks of epidemic diseases, engendered by the overcrowding and unspeakable filth of the pilgrim vessels.

ACID FOR MAKING SUGAR.

A Curious Process Which Has Met with Some Success in France.

A very novel method of making sugar has been patented in France by M. Pellegrini, says the American Architect. Sugar is, chemically, a compound of carbon, oxygen and hydrogen, in such proportions that if carbonic acid, water and certain kinds of illuminating gas could be persuaded to unite, in the proper quantities, the composition of sugar would be exactly imitated. Hitherto no one has been able to make sugar by mixing water with two kinds of gas, but M. Pellegrini claims to have succeeded. The apparatus he uses consists of a large block of pumice stone, cleansed by soaking, first in sulphuric acid and then in water, which is set in an iron box plated with nickel inside. The length of the box is three times that of the pumice stone block, which is tightly fitted into the middle, and pipes are arranged to convey the ingredients to the empty ends of the box, as required. Two of them enter from the sides, and serve to bring carbonic acid and hydro-carbon gas, while another pipe from above branches so as to reach both empty portions of the box and conveys steam. All the pipes are fitted with valve and pressure gauges.

Another pipe, at the bottom of the box, serves as an outlet. At first this pipe is closed, as is also the steam pipe from above, and carbonic acid is forced into one end of the box, while ethylene gas is forced into the other, under equal pressure and in equal volumes. A few minutes later the steam valve above is opened and the steam forced in under the same pressure. As the gases unite the pressure falls, so that the supply of each must be kept constant. At the end of half an hour the supply of gas is shut off, the outlet pipe is opened and one of the chambers is found to be filling with syrup, containing twenty-five per cent. of sugar. The syrup is drawn off for refining, and as soon as the apparatus is cool it is ready for a fresh charge. The ethylene gas can be obtained by roasting rosin or grease, but M. Pellegrini's patent covers other hydro-carbons, such as petroleum products. The explanation is that the three gases are condensed in the pores of the pumice stone and there unite; but M. Mammene, who has made some experiments, declares this to be doubtful, and in Cosmos expresses doubt as to the success of the process.

STORIES FROM THE SKY.

Historical and Traditional Stories of the Fall of Aerolites.

Every country and every age has its historical, semi-historical or traditional stories concerning immense stones falling from the sky; or, more properly, from space. Levi tells of a whole shower of aerolites which fell on the mountains near Rome in the year 63 B. C. The Arundel Marbles (marble tablets giving the events of the Grecian history from 1583 B. C. to 624 B. C. in chronological order) give an account of a great stone which "fell down from heaven" at Aegostami about the year 497 B. C. Pliny, who died in the year 79 A. D., says that in his time the "great air-stone" mentioned in the foregoing was still to be seen on the Hellespont; "and," he quaintly adds, "it is even now of the bigness of a wagon."

Since the opening of the present century there have been several well attested instances of falls of stone from the regions of space. In the year 1803 a perfect shower of litho-missiles fell in the farming country adjacent to L'Aigle, France, upwards of three thousand separate stones falling upon a wedge-shaped section of country eight miles long by about four miles wide.

Aerolites, or "meteorites," as they are sometimes called; usually fall singly, sometimes in pairs, and, less frequently, in showers, as was the case at New Concordia, O., in 1880, when nearly two hundred red-hot stones fell in a field in broad daylight.

Up to January 1, 1894, there had been between three hundred and three hundred and fifty recorded instances of stones falling from the unknown regions outside of our atmosphere, and in eight of these the fall was in the shape of "showers," the individual missiles numbering from ten to five thousand, and of all sizes, from that of an orange to immense blocks of strange combinations of minerals weighing hundreds of tons.

PROFITABLE BAZARS.

England and America Have Both Raised Large Sums by Them.

On May 5, 1845, a bazar was opened in the Covent Garden theater which realized \$25,040, says London Tid-Bits. The object of it was to obtain funds for the Anti-Corn Law league. The whole area of the pit and stage was boarded over and transformed into a Norman Gothic hall, filled to overflowing with products of manufacturing industry. About 100,000 persons visited the bazar during the seventeen days that it lasted. The stalls were attended to by 400 ladies, the wives and daughters of leading free traders. A bazar for the same object was opened at Manchester on February 2, 1842, when the receipts amounted to £10,000; £22,000 were realized at a bazar in the Free Trade hall, Manchester, in aid of the Children's hospital in that city; £21,000 were raised at a bazar in Dublin in May, 1892, in celebration of the centenary of the Masonic female orphan school. No fewer than 113,044 people passed through the doors during the five days that it was open. Twenty thousand pounds were raised in November, 1890, at a bazar in Edinburgh on behalf of the same object. The sum of £10,000 was realized at a bazar held at Glasgow, in 1890, in aid of a similar object at the university.

On May 17, 1894, at the close of the Metropolitan fair held in New York, John H. Gourlie, chairman of the finance committee, transferred to George T. Strong, treasurer of the United States sanitary commission, the sum of \$1,000,000 as the "first installment" of the proceeds of the fair. He expected \$100,000 to be added later.



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### OUR NEIGHBORS.

#### Saugatuck.

A recent sudden death of Mrs. A. C. Zwemer, the Commercial has this to say: The community was shocked last Wednesday to learn of the death of Mrs. A. C. Zwemer, an event not only unexpected by her nearest friends, but her illness was of so short a duration that many were not aware that her condition was serious. She was taken sick on Thursday of last week and not until a short time before her death, which occurred on Tuesday night at 9 o'clock, was it realized that her recovery was not to be hoped for. Indeed, on Tuesday morning she showed much sign of improvement and the physician and attendants were encouraged to hope that a final change for the better had come; but later in the day she began sinking and passed away as related. Her ailment was paralysis of the heart and brain. She leaves a husband, five sons and one daughter.

Mrs. Mary Pauls, an indigent widow, 81 years old, was taken to the county home this week.

A sonic hall is receiving a thorough renovating and will be made as cheerful as possible for the meeting of the craft the coming winter.

#### Fennville.

Will Du Vall, agent for the C. & W. M. railway at Allegan, is soon to exchange stations with Mr. Hooper of this place.

The real value of hardwood ashes as a fertilizer for orchards will be tested quite fully this next year. C. H. Loomis has shipped in over forty tons of Canadian hardwood unleached ashes, and several of the most prominent growers are using them around their trees and small fruits. The expense is about \$9 a ton, and it is believed that the use of ashes will be productive of better results than the same amount of money spent on commercial fertilizers. However, the economical use of fertilizers requires a perfect knowledge of the several parts that enter into the growth of the crops to be raised; also which of the substances are lacking in the soil that must be replaced by the fertilizer.

Several more carloads of peach trees and other nursery stock are being delivered here this week. The number of trees being set in this belt certainly indicates that this will continue to be the greatest producing belt in the world.

Miss Hattie Pearl, formerly of this place but now of Holland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Eugene Falmadge.

While Mrs. Farr was going out of doors she slipped and fell, catching hold of the door casing. The door slammed by the draft through the house and the third finger on Mrs. Farr's hand was caught and cut off at the third joint. —Journal.

#### Allegan County.

Congressman Thomas declares that his campaign cost him \$925.

Postmaster A. C. Fassett, of Watson Corners, was awakened at an early hour one morning last week by someone moving about in the grocery store where the postoffice is kept. He lives in the building and, reconnoitering, found a man working at the safe. Fassett crept around the building, but alarmed the burglar, and they met at the front door, exchanging several shots. As nobody was hit Fassett soon tired of it and bucked into his man a la wrestling tactics. Mr. Burglar was the stronger and, after laying his antagonist out with care on a show case, escaped.

School commissioner Humphrey has changed his office day at the county seat to Monday of each week during the winter.

The annual meeting of the Allegan county agricultural society will be held Wednesday, Dec. 5, in the supervisors' room in the court house.

The recent county Sunday school convention at Wayland is reported to have been a very successful affair. It was decided to hold two conventions the coming year. One in the spring at Fennville, and the regular fall meeting at Allegan.

Cucumbers are becoming a staple product in the vicinity of South Haven. This year 10,000 bushels were purchased there, at 37 cents per bushel, yielding the growers the net sum of \$3,750. They could be grown in other localities just as successfully, if there were only factories to utilize them.

The benefit of having a restrictive game law and its rigid enforcement is shown in the case of the Allegan and Van Buren county special act forbidding the killing of deer for three years. When the law went into effect deer were very scarce, and nearly exhausted, and now, at the opening of the season, there were from seventy-five to one hundred ranging in the swamps of Clyde and scrub oak forests of Pine Plains.

John McDonald, while walking a plank over a vat of hot water in the paper mill at Otsego, fell in, scalding himself very badly up to the waist.

#### Grand Haven.

Mayor and Mrs. John Vaupell gave a reception at their home on Franklin street Saturday evening.

Some of our citizens still insist that the Spring Lake bridge ought to be made free.

The steamers Mary H. Boyce and McGregor arrived this week and have gone into winter quarters.

One of our merchants, Mr. Addison, some time ago gave an order for books and eyes. He supposed he had ordered 144 doz., but received 1,725 doz. The matter has been in court off and on, and last week it was tried in the circuit. Mr. Addison had to pay.

The strmr. Osceola will go on the winter route between this harbor and Milwaukee this week. It takes the place of the steamer Roanoke, which was burned on Lake Superior last summer.

Gerrit Balgooyen was found dead in

bed at his home on Fulton street, near the C. & W. M. track Tuesday morning. He went to bed in usual good health and had been talking to friends before retiring. He leaves a wife and son, John. He was 76 years old.

C. M. Steffens of Holland preached in the Second Ref. church, Thanksgiving evening.

#### Zeeland.

The Misses Della and Annie De Kruff entertained a party of friends at their home Thursday evening. The evening was enjoyably spent with games and music.

A. G. Van Hees went to Big Rapids Saturday morning, to spend a few days with his son.

Miss Janie Prulm, who has been spending the past three weeks with her sister at Ventura, returned Saturday.

Dr. J. G. Huizinga, of Holland, called on friends Wednesday.

M. L. De Korne, of Grand Rapids, is spending a few weeks with his parents.

Mr. Koffers and wife, of Grand Haven, called on friends Tuesday.

The gunshot Thursday afternoon between Holland and Zeeland, resulted in a victory for Zeeland by a score of 90 to 63.

Miss Hannah Van Leuwen, of Holland, spent a few days with Miss Katte.

Mrs. R. Ogden, of Ottawa Beach, called on friends Wednesday.

Mr. Emery, of Spring Lake, was in town Tuesday, on business.

Miss Jennie Karsten returned from Grand Rapids Monday.

Miss Minnie Bosch is visiting with her sister, Mrs. C. J. Den Herder.

D. Huizinga, of Hope College, is at his uncle, F. Boonstra, spending a few days.

The versatile and talented comedian Tom Ricketts will make his reappearance in this city Monday, Dec. 3, appearing as Colonel Jack Foxglove, in the musical comedy "Colonel Jack," supported by the Ricketts Troubadours. This support embraces a clever aggregation of talent, selected with great care. High class specialties will be introduced among which are the "Lightning Dance" by Miss Gretchen Doerk, a story of the Storm, told in pantomime, music and dance, and the Coster songs and imitations of Mittle Ethel, a dainty and talented Miss.

#### To the Ladies of Holland.

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DOMESTIC.

THE eighth annual session of the fraternal congress opened at Buffalo, N. Y., with fraternal beneficiary organizations represented having 3,000,000 members and an aggregate insurance of about \$2,400,000,000.

SUBSIDIARY 210 pieces of skin on Mrs. Florence Fitzpatrick, who was terribly burned several months ago in Chicago, and 800 more will be required.

E. T. CHAMBERLAIN, chief of the bureau of navigation, in his annual report shows that the merchant marine of the United States comprises 23,580 vessels of 4,444,024 tons.

WHEELMAN JOHNSON lowered four records at Louisville, Ky. His time for the mile, flying start, was 1:47 3-5. SEVERAL slight shocks of earthquake were felt at Tacoma, Wash.

ARRANGEMENTS were nearly completed for beginning construction of the American Methodist university in Washington.

SECRETARY GRESHAM authorized Ministers Denby and Dun to conduct negotiations for peace between China and Japan.

A. HALLONAN and W. Downing, prisoners in the jail at Tahlequah, I. T., fired the building and were cremated.

REV. C. L. PADDOCK, of Macedon, N. Y., was given judgment for \$10 against Mrs. William Bennett for a funeral sermon.

REV. H. S. HARRISON, editor of the Advance, a Congregational weekly, was struck by a train at La Grange, Ill., and instantly killed.

A SPECIAL train over the Pennsylvania road covered the 126 miles between Morrisville and Harrisburg in 104 minutes.

THE general assembly Knights of Labor in session at New Orleans decided that lawyers and barkeepers were not eligible to membership.

THE most terrific and destructive windstorm known in twenty years did great damage at Dunkirk, N. Y., and vicinity.

WILLIAM WICKWIRE and his sister, who lived 5 miles south of Galesburg, Mich., were murdered by tramps.

CAPT. PHILIP H. COOPER, the new superintendent of the United States naval academy at Annapolis, Md., issued an order prohibiting hazing.

EXTREME simplicity marked the funeral of Robert C. Winthrop at Boston. There were no pallbearers or words of eulogy.

J. L. M. PIERCE, of Yankton, S. D., was said to have disappeared with \$1,000,000 secured from English capitalists on spurious paper.

THE national fraternal congress in session at Buffalo, N. Y., barred newspaper artists from its sessions owing to the printing of a caricature of its president.

J. D. BROWN, a farmer living near Aurora, Ill., was robbed of \$2,800 in Chicago by two colored women by the panel game.

THE report of Paymaster General Edwin Stewart of the navy for the fiscal year ended June 30 last shows that the total amount expended during the year was \$31,370,144.

THE Indian boys at the Seminole high school at Eufaula, I. T., set the buildings on fire for the third time within two years.

WILLIAM P. HAZEN, the chief of the secret service of the treasury department, in his annual report shows that during the year the total number of arrests made was 487, nearly all of which were for violations of the statutes relating to counterfeiting United States money. The amount of altered or counterfeit notes captured during the year was \$21,300.

WOMEN of the Christian Temperance league of Keokuk, Ia., criticised Mrs. Cleveland for christening the steamer St. Louis with wine.

THE dean and six students of Cotter university at Lincoln, Neb., were arrested for grave robbing.

THE Knights of Labor in national convention at New Orleans decided that none but the American flag should be carried in their parades.

ROBERT FITZSIMMONS was exonerated by the coroner's jury at Syracuse, N. Y., from any criminal intent in the death of Con. Blodgett.

H. D. MORGAN, treasurer of the United States, in his annual report says the net ordinary revenues for the fiscal year ended June 30 were \$297,722,019, a decrease of \$88,097,809 as compared with the year before. The net ordinary expenditures were \$267,535,674. Including the public debt the total receipts were \$724,008,538 and the expenditures \$698,808,532.

HUKER BECH, a Hungarian emigrant bound from Buda Pesth to North Dakota, landed in New York with his family of three and a fortune of \$120,000.

THE Citizens' national bank of Spokane, Wash., which failed in 1893 and then resumed, has gone into liquidation. Assets, \$425,000; liabilities, \$240,000.

In attempting to separate Thomas and Michael Neill, fighting in the street at Cheyenne, Wyo., Charles Brulter killed them both.

The remains of Gen. John C. Fremont were placed in the Rockland cemetery at Spaulding, N. Y.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 29d aggregated \$1,019,959,895, against \$1,019,302,328 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 7.3.

FIRE at Eldon, Ia., destroyed the Rock Island chutes, 1,000 tons of coal, several cars and two residences. Total loss, \$120,000.

THE chairman of the Oklahoma territory executive committee called a statehood convention to be held at El Reno November 28.

A NEW counterfeit \$20 United States note bearing the vignette of Hamilton was forwarded to the treasury department from Newark, N. J.

SECRETARY GRESHAM for the United States and Minister Kurino for Japan have signed the new commercial treaty.

THERE were 322 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 29d, against 270 the week previous and 385 in the corresponding time in 1893.

HENRY G. SIBLE, ex-president of the First national bank of Minneapolis, has made an assignment, with liabilities of \$100,000.

A NEGRO was lynched at Landrum, S. C., for assaulting a white girl.

At Sacred Heart, O. T., a wild hog killed a 14-months-old babe and seriously injured its mother in her fight to save it.

Violent windstorms swept portions of Mississippi and in the vicinity of Meridian great damage was done to houses and trees.

WHILE drying dynamite before a fire at Charleston, W. Va., workmen caused an explosion and two men were killed and two injured.

At Hastings, Col., Mrs. Martino left her children, aged 4 and 3 years, alone in the house, which caught fire, cremating them.

THE Brown national bank at Spokane, Wash., suspended payment.

MYRON B. KENT, who caused his wife to be killed in order to secure her life insurance, was condemned to hang at Mandan, N. D.

FIVE students of a medical college at Kansas City, Mo., were arrested while robbing a grave in a neighboring town.

EARTHQUAKE shocks were felt in Connecticut at Groton, Mystic Lynn and Mystic. No damage was done.

THE cases were commenced against the United States by sugar growers, whose bounty was cut off by the new tariff bill.

GEN. CANN, chief of engineers of the war department, urges the securing of fortification sites at all large seaports.

THE barns of the Traction company at Allegheny, Pa., were burned, and forty-nine horses perished in the flames.

FOREST fires in the Okaw river bottoms near Pana, Ill., burned ten dwellings.

CARSON, Ia., was visited by fire, one of the principal business streets being swept away.

CHARLES E. ALLEN, aged 60, of Crawfordville, Ind., rendered despondent by his aged wife's approaching death, cut his throat.

SAMUEL CARSON, an escaped convict, who had been a Chicago cabman for ten years, has fallen heir to \$10,000 and surrendered himself.

THE annual report of Superintendent Stump, of the immigration bureau, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1894, shows that 338,090 immigrants arrived in this country. The report says that more foreigners are leaving the country than are coming in.

THE centennial of the birth of William Cullen Bryant, the poet, was celebrated at Princeton, Ill.

FIRE caused by a defective flue destroyed a block of dwellings in Kansas City, Mo., the loss being \$100,000.

ACCORDING to Rev. C. W. Blodgett the ratio of divorces to marriages is greater in Galesburg, Ill., than in any city in the country.

At Louisville John S. Johnson cut the 3-mile bicycle record from 4:01 to 3:54 4-5.

It was discovered that for nine years Samuel C. Seely, bookkeeper of the Shoe and Leather bank in New York, had been robbing that institution, his stealings aggregating \$354,000.

THREE miners convicted of incendiarism in the Pennsylvania strikes last June were sentenced to seven years' solitary confinement and hard labor.

THREE-FOURTHS of the winter wheat sown in the western third of Kansas was ruined by a drought.

ONE man lost his life and scores of horses were burned in an incendiary fire at Springfield, Ill.

SIX men were injured in the Yale-Harvard football game at Springfield, Mass., which was one of the most fiercely contested ever played, Yale being the winner.

FRANCIS MURPHY appeared before an immense audience at Pittsburgh, Pa., the occasion being the eighteenth anniversary of the inauguration of the "blue ribbon movement" in that city.

THREE citizens of Brookside, Ala., were fatally shot by moonshiners, who took them for officers.

DURING a quarrel Jacob Mohow shot Mrs. Kate Doman at Lancaster, Pa., and then killed himself.

EX-CONGRESSMAN WALTER H. BUTLER, principal of the normal college at Oelwein, Ia., disappeared mysteriously.

A NEW and dangerous counterfeit \$3 silver certificate made its appearance in Omaha. It bears the portrait of William Windom, and the signatures of W. S. Rosecrans, register of the treasury, and E. H. Nebeker, treasurer of the United States, series of 1891.

ISAAC TAYLOR and wife and Miss Kidwell were run down and killed by a train on a bridge at South Branch, Md., while on their way to church.

ALMOST the entire business portion of Marion, N. C., was burned, the loss being estimated at \$125,000.

In his annual report Postmaster General Bissell recommends the extension of the free delivery system, quickening of railroad transportation and revision of the law as to second-class matter. The revenue for the year was \$75,050,479; expenditures, \$84,324,444; leaving a deficiency of \$9,243,965.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THREE counties in Kansas failed to cast 200 votes at the recent election and will lose their representatives. Mrs. MARY KENNEDY died at Ashland, Ill., at the age of 100.

ADAM VANELL, who served through the Blackhawk war with Abraham Lincoln, died at Santa Rosa, Cal.

THE democratic majority in Kentucky at the recent election, as compiled by the secretary of state, is 3,173.

WILLIAM T. WALTERS, the noted art collector and philanthropist, died at his home in Baltimore, aged 74 years.

GEN. WILLIAM HANBY GIBSON, the celebrated orator, died at his home in Tiffin, O., after a brief illness, aged 74 years.

REPUBLICAN state senators in session at Indianapolis decided to reapportion the state congressional districts.

THE official vote of Wisconsin for governor at the recent election was: Upham (rep.), 190,493; Peck (dem.), 149,140; Powell (pop.), 28,618; Cleg-horn (pro.), 11,000; Upham's plurality, 54,307.

JOHN H. SICKLES, inventor of a hand fire engine, died at his home in Port Chester, N. Y., of paralysis, aged 76 years.

Mrs. BRIDGET DUFFY, 101 years old, died in Denver, Col.

E. S. HAMLIN, founder of the Cleveland (O.) Leader and a member of congress half a century ago, died in Washington, aged 86 years.

CARLETON B. HUTCHINS, inventor of a refrigerator car and a large manufacturer, died in Detroit of heart failure.

JAMES COCHRANE, the richest man in Fayette county and the pioneer in the coke business in the Connelville region, died at his home in Dawson, Pa.

FOREIGN.

MONTREAL is to have a world's fair in 1896. A London syndicate has agreed to furnish the necessary funds.

CANADA is said to be willing to give Uncle Sam free use of her canals if he will pay for their maintenance.

JOSE SALVADOR FRANCO, the man who threw the dynamite bomb at the Liceo theater in Barcelona, Spain, on November 7, 1893, killing twenty persons and wounding fifty others, was executed by the garrote.

PRESIDENT MORAN issued a decree granting amnesty to all political offenders in Brazil.

WHILE searching for a missing brother a Mexican discovered near Churintitla the bodies of thirty persons who had been murdered and hidden in a cave.

C. E. WYMONS, a Chicago reporter, was expelled from Hawaii for alleged plotting with the royalists.

KANAKAS on the islands near New Guinea were in revolt and scores of European settlers were said to have been murdered.

CHINA sent an officer to Japan to arrange terms of peace. It was said the government was willing to pay \$175,000,000.

EARTHQUAKE shocks left only twenty-four houses uninjured in Reggio, Italy, and crowds of homeless people were forced to live on the streets.

FRANK PAYSON and George Brill, American prospectors, discovered an old Spanish gold mine of fabulous richness 60 miles north of Sierra Mojada, Mexico.

By the explosion of a boiler in a saw-mill at Monticello, Ont., two men were killed and a number seriously injured.

DISPATCHES from Chee Foo announced that the Japanese had taken Port Arthur, the great Chinese stronghold.

It was estimated that 20,000 Chinese soldiers were killed at the defense of Port Arthur. The Japanese loss was not heavy.

SEVERE earthquake shocks were felt in several provinces of Venezuela. The town of Caracas was destroyed.

LATER.

THE firm of Switzer, New, Witter & Co., one of the largest dry goods houses in Vicksburg, Miss., failed for \$148,000.

CAR NICHOLAS II. was married at St. Petersburg to Princess Alix of Hesse-Darmstadt.

HARRY and Eugene Sanders, of Mauch Chunk, Pa., aged 11 and 12 years, were killed by the cars while picking up coal on the tracks.

SECRETARY CARLISLE awarded the new \$50,000,000 issue of bonds to the Stewart syndicate of New York.

BECAUSE of numerous quarrels Mrs. Godfrey Weinholts killed her brother, Ernest Weisner, at Eldora, Ia., and then poisoned herself.

NEAL BROTHERS, of Portland, the heaviest millers in eastern Indiana, failed for \$100,000 and no assets.

The legislative committee of the Michigan Teachers' association will ask the legislature to prohibit the issuance of teachers' certificates to any person who uses tobacco in any form.

BANDITS tried to hold up a train near Bragg Station, I. T., but were foiled by the engineer putting on full steam.

HERBERT D. GLYNN, who died in New York, opened the gates of Castle Garden in 1855 to the first immigrant who passed through it.

FIRE destroyed the business part of Marion, N. C.

Mrs. SARAH ULLRICH KELLY, of Honesdale, Pa., announced her candidacy for the unexpired term of the late Myron B. Wright, member of congress from the Fifteenth district.

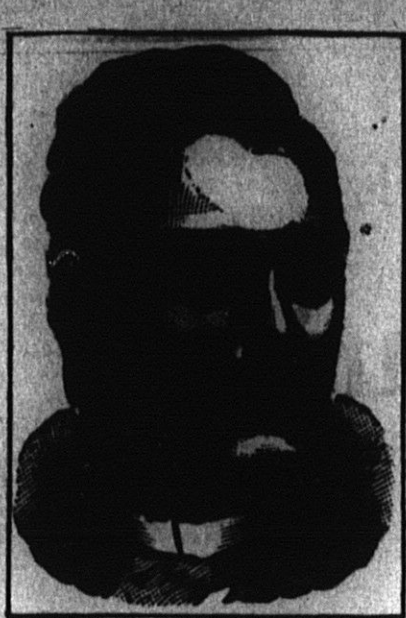
AMERICAN newspapers have been debarred from circulation in Turkey, owing to their attitude on the Armenian question.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 26th was: Wheat, 88,944,000 bushels; corn, 3,842,000 bushels; oats, 9,191,000 bushels; rye, 442,000 bushels; barley, 3,949,000 bushels.

SAMUEL G. SEELY, charged with defrauding the Shoe and Leather bank of New York, would, it was said, surrender and make a confession, involving several prominent men.

Mrs. MARY OCKANDER, aged 18 years, and a younger sister were drowned while skating on a pond at Bancroft, Neb.

THE four military companies at Selma, Ala., were ordered to hold themselves in readiness to move to Montgomery at a moment's notice to resist an attack on the state capital in case the Kolb faction of the populist party tried to take possession and seat Kolb as governor.



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For Chicago.....	12:30	8:15	2:00	9:35
" Grand Rapids.....	7:15	9:45	2:00	9:35
" Muskegon and Grand Haven.....	8:15	7:55	2:00	6:25 9:25
" Hart and Pentwater.....	7:15	.....	.....	6:25
" Manistee.....	5:15	.....	2:00	.....
" Big Rapids.....	5:15	.....	2:00	.....
" Traverse City.....	5:15	.....	2:00	.....
" Allegan.....	6:30	.....	6:35	.....
" Charlevoix, Petoskey.....	6:15	.....	2:00	.....

Trains arrive at Holland.

	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
From Chicago.....	7:15	8:15	2:00	9:35
" Grand Rapids.....	12:40	8:15	2:00	6:25
" Muskegon and Grand Haven.....	8:30	9:45	2:40	11:35 9:25
" Manistee.....	12:30	.....	2:00	.....
" Big Rapids.....	11:35	2:00	11:35	a.m.
" Traverse City.....	12:30	.....	2:00	.....
" Allegan.....	7:55	.....	5:55	.....
" Petoskey.....	12:30	.....	2:00	.....

\*Every day. Other trains week days only.

DET. IT Oct. 28, 1894  
LANSING & NORTHERN R.R.

	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
L'v Grand Rapids.....	7:30	7:30	5:35	5:35
Ar. Grand Lodge.....	8:25	2:25	7:05	7:05
" Lansing.....	8:45	2:45	7:25	7:25
" Howell.....	9:40	3:40	8:25	8:25
" Detroit.....	11:45	5:40	10:10	10:10
L'v Grand Rapids.....	7:40	5:00	.....	.....
Ar. Howard City.....	9:40	6:05	.....	.....
" Edmore.....	9:47	6:10	.....	.....
" Alma.....	10:35	7:00	.....	.....
" St. Louis.....	10:38	8:02	.....	.....
" Saginaw.....	11:58	9:27	.....	.....

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## LABOR IN MICHIGAN.

Percent of the Bureau's Forthcoming

**LANSING, Nov. 24.**—The Michigan  
labor bureau in this year making a  
specialty in gathering statistics of  
farms and farm labor. To this and the  
census have obtained nearly \$16,000  
personal schedules from farm em-  
ployees, both male and female. The  
questions are relative to residence,  
nativity, social condition, work, wages,  
cost of living, homes, immigration  
and insurance. These schedules are  
being tabulated and will form an in-  
teresting part of the forthcoming an-  
nual report from this bureau. In ad-  
dition to this over 1,000 representative  
farmers have been interviewed, and  
schedules relative to their diverse  
industries have been filled. The  
bureau will also publish complete  
statistics on the dairy industry,  
the fruit interests and other  
important matters connected with  
the farm and farm labor. Labor  
Commissioner Morse has decided to  
add a new feature to the report this  
year which will give it additional in-  
terest, especially to the farmer.  
Under the law 4,000 copies of the re-  
port will be distributed, and two-  
thirds of this number will be sent  
to the farmers. It will be ready  
for distribution about February 1.

**ARE WILLING TO RUN.**

Many Candidates for Supreme Court Jus-

ties.

**DETROIT, Nov. 26.**—In view of the  
majorities which the republicans  
rolled up in this state seeking after  
the nomination for justice of the state  
supreme court, who is to be elected at  
the spring election, are numerous.  
Among the candidates are the fol-  
lowing: Judge Joseph B. Moore,  
of Lapeer; ex-Judge Edward Ca-  
hill, of Lansing; ex-Congressman  
H. H. Hatch, of Bay City; T. F.  
Shepherd, of West Bay City; Philip T.  
Van Zile, of Detroit; Judge E. D.  
Kinn, of Ann Arbor; Judge Victor H.  
Lane, of Adrian; Judge Aaron V. Mc-  
Alvay, of Manistee; Judge George M.  
Buck, of Kalamazoo; D. H. Ball, of  
Marquette, and ex-Judge Byron Jud-  
kins, of Reed City. The regents of the  
state university are to be elected in  
April, but no mention has been made  
of any names for the republican nom-  
ination.

**SOLD FOR JUNK.**

Documents That Belonged to Michigan's

First Senator Come to Light.

**GRAND RAPIDS, Nov. 26.**—A collec-  
tion of valuable old papers, documents  
and pamphlets, which belonged to  
Lucius Lyon, the first senator from  
Michigan, has just come to light.  
Lyon's sister died a few weeks ago  
and the executor of her estate sold  
800 pounds of old paper for junk. The  
transaction was heard about and be-  
fore the old paper was found and  
carefully examined. Many rare  
documents relating to the early his-  
tory of Michigan, and especially re-  
garding the admission of the state to  
the union and the boundary line dis-  
pute between Michigan and Ohio, were  
rescued. A map of Detroit of 1830, one  
of Milwaukee of 1835, and Philadel-  
phia in 1813 were also found.

**FOR THE SHORT TERM.**

Four Candidates in the Field for Senator

Stockbridge's Seat.

**LANSING, Nov. 26.**—Francis B. Stock-  
bridge, elected to the United States  
senate from Michigan two years ago,  
died last spring in Chicago, and his  
seat in the United States sen-  
ate bids fair to be vigorously  
fought for. Four candidates are  
now in the field. They are  
Schuyler S. Olds, John J. Patton, Jr.,  
who now fills the place by appoint-  
ment by Gov. Rich until the legisla-  
ture should convene; Congressman  
Julius C. Burrows and Congressman  
Samuel Stephenson. Senator McMil-  
lan's term has also expired and the  
legislature will be called upon to se-  
lect his successor. It is considered by  
many that Senator McMillan will be  
again chosen.

**Wants a \$10,000 Building.**

**LANSING, Nov. 26.**—One of the inno-  
vations introduced at the agricultural  
college by Prof. C. D. Smith is a dairy  
school. Twenty-five students received  
instruction last winter and now there  
are fifty applications for next term.  
The demand for scientific butter and  
cheese makers has been increasing  
and this school seems to have supplied  
a distinct want. The state board of  
agriculture has decided to ask the next  
legislature for an appropriation of \$10,000 for a dairy building.

**Republicans to Meet.**

**DETROIT, Nov. 24.**—A meeting of the  
republican state central committee  
was held Friday afternoon, Chairman  
McMillan presiding. The purpose of  
the meeting was to determine the  
time and place for the republican con-  
vention to nominate a candidate for  
justice of the supreme court and two  
regents of the university, and it was  
decided to hold it here February 21,  
the day before the Michigan club's an-  
nual banquet.

**Ill-Gotten Gains Recovered.**

**CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 24.**—About \$11,000  
of the hundreds of thousands that  
Charles Delaney and Mrs. Harris, of  
the Pennsylvania Land & Lumber  
company, are alleged to have swindled  
out of Bay City and Saginaw (Mich.)  
lumbermen, has been recovered in this  
city.

**Witnesses Refuse to Testify.**

**BATTLE CREEK, Nov. 23.**—In the trial  
of the train wreckers, Boldwig and  
Knowles, two of the men implicated,  
refused to testify. It is understood  
that the other three will do the same  
when they are given a chance. This  
leaves the prosecution without any  
witness.

**Death of C. B. Hutchins.**

**DETROIT, Nov. 24.**—Carleton B.  
Hutchins, president of the Hutchins  
Refrigerator Car company, Chicago,  
died of heart failure at his home in  
this city, aged 61 years.

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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 Thurs-

day the fifteenth day of November, in the year one

thousand eight hundred and ninety four.

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

In the matter of the estate of Albert Nienhuis,

deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified,

of Wiepke Diekema, administrator of the estate of said

deceased, praying for the license of this court to sell

certain land belonging to said deceased in said petition

described, for purposes therein set forth.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Wednesday, the

Twelfth day of December next,

at ten 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,

be 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,

on Saturday, the seventeenth day of November, in the year

one thousand eight hundred and ninety four.

Pr set, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hermann Dossburg,

deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified,

of Isaac Marselle, executor of the will and estate of said

deceased, praying for the examination and allowance of his final

account as such executor, and that he may be discharged from his

trust, have his bond cancelled and said estate closed;

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the

Seventeenth day of December next,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the

hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said

deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate,

be required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the

Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county,

and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate,

of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS

a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy. Attest.)

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

**MILNER P. GOODRICH,** Probate Clerk. 43-3w

## 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 Saturday, the

seventeenth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety four.

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

In the matter of the estate of Elanaj Rouwhorst,

deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified,

of Elanaj Rouwhorst, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, praying for the examination and allowance of his final

account as such administrator, that he may be discharged from his trust, have his bond cancelled

and said estate closed;

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the

Seventeenth day of December next,

at ten 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,

be 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,

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## Mortgage Sale.

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Femke Van Duiet his wife, of the township of

Zeeland, county of Ottawa and state of Michigan,

parties of the first part, to Johannes G. Van

Hees of the same place, party of the second

part, dated the 19th day of March, A. D. 1885, and

recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of

Ottawa County, Michigan, on the 28th day of

March, A. D. 1885, in liber 81 of mortgages, on

page 191; which said mortgage was on the 5th

day of December, A. D. 1891, duly assigned by

J. George Van Hees as administrator with the

will annexed of the estate of said Johannes Van

Hees deceased, to Albertus G. Van Hees of said

township of Zeeland; which said assignment was

on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1894, duly re-

corded in said Ottawa County Register's office in

liber 83 of mortgages on page 78; on which

mortgage there is claimed to be due at the time

of this notice the sum of Two Hundred (Twenty)

Dollars and Fifty-nine cents (\$270.59), besides an

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