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One door east of A. Steketee

Holland City News.

SATURDAY, December 7, 1895.

Holland, - - Mich.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Grand Haven.

William Boet, one of the parties implicated in the Jackson prison riot the other day, and who knocked down one of the guards, is a convict sent up from this city for a robbery committed near Highland Park some time ago. He was sentenced for two years and six months.

The Grand Haven cornet band is in danger of losing its instruments.

The life saving station closes on Tuesday, Dec. 10.

A great honor has been conferred upon a Grand Haven young lady by the election of Miss Louise Stickney, president of the Woman's League in the University of Michigan. This is the highest honor possible among the lady students of the university.

A call has been extended by the Second Ref. church to Rev. Albert S. Badger of Lansing. His wife is well known by many of our old residents. Years ago she was teacher of the old Beech Tree school. Her name was then Miss Crow.—Tribune.

The match factory has passed into other hands. G. W. A. Smith and H. Reed are the purchasers, and with others have formed a stock company, with Mr. Smith as manager.

A letter has been received by Mrs. Rev. P. De Bruyn, announcing that her sister, Miss Lizzie Cappon, has moved into her new quarters, in Chiang Chin, China. A former dwelling, in process of erection, was razed to the ground, because of the superstition that its foundation rested on the tail of the great dragon. The man that sold the lot and the builders of the dwelling have been imprisoned and beaten severely. Everything is now quiet.

At a recent meeting of the fire department Joseph Palmer was nominated chief and John Fisher ass't. chief. The common council however failed to confirm the nomination for chief, and elected Baltus Pellegrom as such.

Henry Nyland, formerly of this city is now chief engineer, on one of the F. & P. M. steamers running between Ludington and Milwaukee.

The contract for the placing of storm windows in the court house, which was let to Pfaff Bros., has been completed and the work satisfactorily performed.

The C. E. Society of the First Ref. church have elected the following officers: Pres., Henry Albers; vice pres., Mrs. P. De Bruyn; sec., Miss Sena Albers; treas., Miss Jennie De Kiep; organist, Miss Jennie Bottje.

Corinthian Chapter No. 84 R. A. M. have elected the following officers:

H. P.—Chas. N. Dickinson.
King.—Wm. J. Summers.
Scribe.—John M. Lockie.
C. of H.—Fred Pfaff.
P. S.—Ed. Van den Berg.
C. of G.—Wm. Wolf.
Treas.—W. J. H. Saunders.
Sec.—Chas. T. Pagelson.
Sentinel.—Wm. Sleutei.

The Odd Fellows held their annual election Monday night with the following result: N. G. Chas. Verwey; V. G., David E. Willet; sec., Esai Van den Berg; treas., James Barns.

Ottawa County.

Geo. A. Farr has sold his farm in Polkton, known as the Van Slyck farm, one of the most valuable in the county, to parties of Alpine, Kent county.

Sheriff Keppel arrested on last Saturday A. Brothersmith, of Wright township, for larceny from a dwelling house. He had his examination and was bound over to the January term of the circuit court.

The Courier-Journal says: "But few arrests are made by the local police these days, which is an evidence that there is but little lawlessness. All the criminal happenings now come from Zeeland, oftentimes called the Sunday school town of Ottawa."

The Berlin Fair Association at its annual meeting elected the following officers: Pres., S. A. Sheldon; vice pres., D. C. Wells; treas., Joseph Raymond; sec., Charles Wells.

Spring Lake.

Supervisor Bilz has recovered from a week's illness.

Rev. M. Kolyn of Orange City, Ia., formerly a pastor of the Ref. church here, made the town a flying visit.

Parties from Chicago are ready to build a dozen or more cottages on the south side of Spring Lake, next to our village, if they can buy the property right. If this property was laid out into lots, and the village would lay out a nice drive to it, it would soon make a big addition to our village.

Saugatuck.

The steam barge Root is expected to arrive within a few days. She is the only one of the home fleet now out.

Kalamazoo lake froze over for the first time this season last Tuesday night. There has been ice in the river bays for a week.

Rev. J. T. Walker of Alpine has been called to the Congregational church at Douglas.

The Masonic lodge of this place elected officers for the ensuing year last Tuesday evening, as follows: R. C. Brittain, W. M.; R. T. Rogers, S. W.; J. F. Metzgar, J. W.; S. C. Reed, treas.; C. W. Durham, sec'y; J. B. Brown, S. D.; T. Kleeman, J. D.; F. Wade, tyler.

Joseph S. Holmes, a pioneer resident of this section, has sold his fine farm in the southern part of Lake-town township and purchased one near West Olive, Ottawa county.

Col. Lydecker has recommended an appropriation of \$35,000 for this harbor for the purpose of rebuilding and extending the south pier. There is enough money on hand to provide for dredging for a year or two to come, and if an appropriation to rebuild the south pier can be secured, it will doubtless give us a better harbor than we have had for some years past. The necessary dredging in the river chan-

nel will be provided for by a special appropriation for that purpose.—Commercial.

Zeeland.

The snow plowing for the season has been let to A. Romeyn.

Ben Kamps has left for Atlanta, Georgia, to attend the Brickmaker's Convention.

The H. C. Ref. church of Drenthe, has called Rev. J. B. Hoekstra of Muskegon.

S. Brouwer and wife expect to visit the Netherlands next spring.

Rev. T. Boone and son of Pentwater visited relatives here Wednesday.

Rev. Dr. E. C. Oggel spent Friday in the village, calling upon friends and relatives.

A temporary depot building has been erected, which will have to serve until next spring, when the company will put up a suitable structure.

J. D. Werkman is about to occupy his new dwelling.

A large party of hunters started out for foxes Friday. In the swamp just north of Borculo, the dogs were attacked by a huge animal. Three of the four dogs were killed and terribly mangled. John and Sylvester Dolma caught sight of the brute, but could not tell what it was. From their description it must have been either a panther or a lynx. The animal's jumps were twenty-five to thirty feet long, and its screams could be heard for miles.

It is rumored that Rev. M. Kolyn, at present on a visit here for his health, may join an excursion party to the Holy Land on or about January 1st.

Mrs. Jacob Glerum, who gave birth to a child about two weeks ago, died suddenly Sunday morning, aged 48 years.

News: A great many of Holland's young folks were in town Thanksgiving Day, and some of Holland's rather too smart "Jays" gave the sociable boys of Zeeland a chance to pick up a "fuss." Some of the smarters were dressed in girl's clothing and imagined they were doing bravely in representing the "fairer sex."

Born to a four-year-old cow of D. Van Loon, on Wednesday, two calves, both of the male sex. They are reported to be fine looking calves.

Allegan County.

Circuit court opened Monday. The calendar is very light, embracing only fourteen criminal cases, of which twelve are local-option, five civil jury, and two each of the first and fourth class chancery causes.

At a recent temperance meeting prosecuting attorney Fish, one of the speakers, gave it as his opinion that the sale of intoxicants would be greatly decreased if the law required druggists to publish at least once each week in a reliable newspaper within their counties the names of all purchasers of liquors and poisons, with the quantity of the article purchased and the purpose for which the buyer said he wished it.

A family of Holland emigrants from South Dakota spent Wednesday night near M. A. Ross, Monterey. They had about fourteen miles further to go and would be at the woman's father's home for Thanksgiving dinner. They think Michigan is good enough for them.

J. H. Crane and D. W. Hinman, two Fennville fruit growers, were in Grand Rapids last week to interview the C. & W. M. officials about next year's fruit shipments and the prospects of better shipping facilities. The fruit growers of Fennville will next year diversify their crops, as in addition to the peach trees set out this fall, a large number of plum and pear trees were also planted.

"Damascus Lodge" is the name under which a new Masonic order in Fennville will sail, and it starts with the most favorable prospects. The lodge was organized Nov. 9. The officers are Dr. Forrest, master; Dr. Andrews, senior warden; W. H. McCormick, junior warden; Edward Hawley, treasurer; Henry Hawley, secretary; John Whitbeck, senior deacon; George Leland, junior deacon; Chas. G. Abbott, tyler. The furnishings for the lodge room have arrived and as soon as the room is settled the lodge will have the nicest equipped lodge room in the county.—Herald.

The business men and farmers of Overisel will organize a co-operative creamery.

Port Sheldon.

The late blows on the lake caused piles of shingles, lumber and lath to come ashore on the beach between Muskegon and Holland harbors. And the beach combers have had a lively time picking up the wreckage.

Mr. and Mrs. Nooks on Town Line had a caney pull on Thursday last and invitations were issued to many of our young folks who availed themselves and had a very enjoyable evening. When time came to go home it rained and snowed which kept them there until the small hours of the morning.

The bridge across Owens creek which was destroyed by fire some time ago has not yet been replaced and the mail carrier and many of the farmers have to make a round-about circuit in order to reach Grand Haven.

Wood in these parts is becoming very scarce although on account of the good sleighing more is being hauled into the Holland market than customary at this season of the year.

West Olive.

The roads were nearly impassable for a couple of days last week, on account of snow drifts, and our teacher could not get to the school house Tuesday morning. Mr. De Spelder of Muskegon, a "drummer," drove in here Wednesday evening with a horse and cutter, coming from Grand Haven via Bass River and Olive Centre, and said he tipped over eight times between Olive Centre and here. He left his rig at this place and took the evening train home in order to be in time for turkey.

S. Mountford's family ate dinner with Mrs. and Miss Gokey, Thanksgiving.

T. L. Norton shipped a car load of straw to Watson & Frost, Grand Rapids, Saturday, and Peck & Slager

shipped two car loads of kit stuff to S. Kilbourn of Grand Haven, the same day.

Miss Gokey gave a pleasant party to a few friends Friday evening. Peck & Demorest's orchestra discoursed sweet music to which the rest kept time until 12 o'clock.

Mrs. J. W. and Fay Norton arrived home from Charlevoix Saturday, having been away over three months. Fay was engaged as bookkeeper there for a milling firm, and may return in the spring.

John Bedell moved to Blendon this week, to run a lumber camp for H. J. Nibbelink, near Bayer's Corners.

Tuesday evening, in spite of the blinding snow storm, several neighbors walked into the residence of Henry Goodman with the intent of making themselves at home there that evening, and a very pleasant evening was the result.

Our local orchestra went to Ottawa Station Friday night, to play for a dance at George Hyde's in the Tubb's house.

Two of our business men footed it to Grand Haven, Tuesday.

Eight people from Grand Rapids got off the train here Monday, as they supposed to answer a summons to a funeral. They found the supposed corpse unusually well.

Real Estate Transfers.

Charles H. Emmors and wife to John Umier 1/4 ne 1/4, Wright, \$2500.

Anthony Van Koeveering to B. Wolters lots 1 and 2 Pyl & Buwalda's ad. 1, Zeeland, \$800.

C. H. Schols and wife to D. Van Bemmelen part lot 2, block 9, Howard's add, Holland, \$100.

Geertje Bolling to Jennie Werkman et al lot 12 block 47, Holland, \$1,000.

Mary W. Kollen et al to Louisa L. McKay lot 8 Tannery add, Holland, \$237.50.

Marriage Licenses.

John Merkins 22 Naulca, Jessie Sharwood 17, Naulca.

Frank E. Johnson 31 Holland, Myra L. Myers 21 Charlotte.

Jesse G. Tripp 21 Robinson, Ida A. Cooper 17, Allendale.

J. Solomon Millen 22 Spring Lake, Rayvena Miller 19, St. Joseph.

John Stoddard 48 Agnew, Arvesta Baker 17 Agnew.

Ladies wool hose 15c and up at M. NOTIER.

Holiday goods at Stevenson's Jewellery Store.

Job lot of ladies 50c underwear for 32c at M. NOTIER.

Come and pick out your Holiday Presents from C. A. Stevenson's large stock of Watches, Jewelry, Silverware and Diamonds.

Have you seen that fine 25c underwear at M. Notier?

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking these little pills.

LAWRENCE KRAMER.

No excuse for sleepless night when you can procure One Minute Cough Cure. This will relieve all annoyances, cure the most severe cough and give you rest and health. Can you afford to do without out?

LAWRENCE KRAMER.

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If suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character, and if instructions (which are simple) are carried out, a cure will result. We have tested this in numerous cases, and always with like results. It never fails.

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LAWRENCE KRAMER.

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LAWRENCE KRAMER.

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House to rent, on the corner of River and Fifteenth streets. Apply to J. VAN PUTTEN.

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

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MICHIGAN.

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P. A. LATTA,

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STATE NEWS.

Paragraphs Full of Interest for the Residents of Michigan.

At her recent election Coldwater rejected the blanket charter.

In Bay City the compulsory education law has been enforced in over 150 cases.

Near Honor Edwin Bates, aged 24 years, was recently killed by a falling tree.

The Michigan State Grange will meet in representative hall, Lansing, December 10.

Hay buyers at Carsonville are unable to secure cars enough to ship their purchases.

The table factory at Saginaw, which has been idle for months, has resumed operations.

Seymour Lape, a farmer near Ovid, was instantly killed while operating a stump pulling machine.

This year's ore shipment from the Menominee range amounts to 2,000,000 tons, double that of last year.

Branch county farmers have started a novel scheme—that of placing their names in large letters on their barns.

Judge George H. Durand, of Flint, is spoken of as candidate for delegate-at-large to the next democratic national convention.

A bald eagle, measuring seven feet from tip to tip of wings, was shot in Gilead. The bird is a rare specimen in Michigan.

Although the apple crop has been reported very large in the state, it is difficult to secure any of that fruit in Sanilac county.

In the vicinity of Houghton black and gray squirrels are very numerous this season, although remarkably scarce for a number of years.

A new system of waterworks will be erected at Wayne, an issue of \$25,000 in bonds having been voted for that purpose at a recent election.

The grading of the new Manistee & Luther railroad is nearly completed to Copemish. The road will be extended to within two miles of Tustin.

Hon. Orman Clark, who recently died at his home in Lyndon township, Jackson county, had lived on the same farm continuously since the year 1835.

The sum of \$1,000 to purchase clothing and shoes for needy persons has been appropriated from Bay City's liquor fund by the common council.

It is estimated that the loss in the death of hogs from hog cholera in the vicinity of Blissfield is over \$200,000, and there appears to be no abatement of the plague.

Potatoes have actually become a drug upon the Edmore market, and they are hardly worth hauling in town. Prices now range from nine to fourteen cents and buyers find a slow market even at these figures.

First Rally for Foreign Missions.

Lansing, Dec. 3.—The American board of foreign missions of the Congregational church has arranged for a series of foreign missionary rallies to be held throughout the state for the purpose of awakening interest in the cause of foreign missions. The first rally was held here Monday night and was largely attended, delegates being present from all the churches of central Michigan. President Sperry, of Olivet college, presided, and addresses were made by President Angell, of the University of Michigan, Gen. Byron M. Cutcheon, of Grand Rapids; Dr. W. H. Davis, of Detroit; Rev. W. E. Strong, of Jackson, and Dr. J. W. Bradshaw, of Ann Arbor.

To Meet at Detroit.

Detroit, Dec. 3.—A national conference of colored leaders will be held in this city on the 12th inst. The conference will be a gathering of representative colored men from all sections of the country to discuss the industrial, social and political interests of the race. A permanent organization will probably be completed.

A Lumberman Killed.

Saginaw, Nov. 30.—Isaac Bearinger, the millionaire lumberman of this city, received word Friday that his brother, Henry Bearinger, who represents him in his lumber operations at Pantha, W. Va., had been killed by a pile of lumber falling on him. Deceased was well known in Michigan lumber circles.

George W. Smith for Judge.

Lansing, Nov. 29.—Gov. Rich has announced his intention to appoint George W. Smith, of Pontiac, judge of the Sixth judicial circuit, comprising the counties of Lapeer and Oakland, to succeed Joseph B. Moore, who will become justice of the supreme court January 1.

Horticulturalists Meet.

Adrian, Dec. 4.—The 25th annual meeting of the Michigan State Horticultural society was inaugurated here Tuesday under the auspices of the Lenawee county auxiliary. A large number of distinguished pomologists, many of them from abroad, were present.

Diver Breaks All Records.

Detroit, Dec. 2.—Prof. Enoth, an aquatic performer at Wonderland theater, Saturday evening accomplished the feat of staying under water four minutes and eight seconds, which he claims breaks all previous records in that line.

Census of Traverse City.

Traverse City, Dec. 1.—A special census just completed gives the population of this city as 8,633, including 1,167 inmates of the Northern Michigan asylum. The census taken last year showed a population of 7,500.

Linton Wins Distinction.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—Representative Linton, of Michigan, has the distinction of having introduced the first bill in the house of the 54th congress. It is in the interest of the railway postal clerks.

Lavigne Wins.

Maspeth, L. I., Dec. 3.—Kild Lavigne, of Saginaw, Mich., lasted 15 rounds before Joe Walcott, the Boston colored boy, Monday night and was awarded the decision.

BLIND VETERAN REWARDED.

Rev. Couden's Election as House Chaplain Pleases Michigan People.

Port Huron, Dec. 3.—The election of Rev. Henry N. Couden, the blind expatriate of the Universalist church in this city, as chaplain of the national house of representatives is a fitting reward for a brave man. Port Huron people of all denominations have worked hard for his appointment. Mr. Couden lost his sight in the service of the union. He enlisted at the age of 18, when the first call for volunteers was made, serving in the Sixth Ohio infantry, and reenlisted for three years when his term was out. He was with McClellan in the West Virginia campaign, and took part in the battle of Shiloh. In February, 1863, he was transferred to the First Mississippi marine brigade. Near Austin, Miss., he received a charge of small shot in his eyes, causing total blindness. After an honorable discharge Mr. Couden found there was no hope of recovering his eyesight. He entered the blind school at Columbus, O., taking a course of seven years. Afterward he entered the theological seminary at Canton, N. Y. His first pastorate was at Madrid, N. Y.; later he preached at Wiloughby, O., Chatham, Mass., and four years ago came to Port Huron. Mr. Couden's pastorate here was highly successful. He increased the membership of the Universalist church and brought about the erection of a fine new edifice several months ago. He is a man of scholarly tastes, lovable character and great spirituality.

BLOW TO LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

Michigan Societies Seriously Affected by a Court Decision.

Houghton, Dec. 4.—In the suit of the Northern Michigan Building and Loan association against Mary H. Gottstein, brought to secure a deficiency judgment, the mortgaged property having been previously foreclosed, Judge Hubbell directed the jury to find for the defendant. The case is one of far-reaching importance, it being held by the court that Mrs. Gottstein, as a married woman, could not legally bind herself to pay more than simple interest on a loan, and hence she could not legally hold borrowed stock in a building and loan association. If Judge Hubbell's ruling is upheld by the supreme bench every building and loan association in Michigan will be seriously affected.

TRAGEDY AT CHURCH.

Colored Men at Detroit Killed by Members of Their Own Race.

Detroit, Dec. 1.—William Glover, a prominent negro, was shot and killed Saturday afternoon by Isom Hess, also colored. The difficulty occurred at a church meeting and was witnessed by the pastor and congregation. Glover had been expelled from membership some time ago and called upon the church officials to explain why he was dismissed. A difficulty arose between him and Hess, who is one of the church officials, which resulted in the shooting of Glover. Hess was conveyed to Monticello for safe keeping.

Fire Near Morley.

Morley, Nov. 29.—Fire Thursday morning destroyed Nicholas Higbee's farm home, five miles northwest of this place. The residence, which was completely destroyed with all its contents, was one of the finest in this part of the state. A large, two-story hall, one boarding house and two storehouses were also destroyed. Loss on buildings and contents will reach \$20,000; insured for \$6,000. The fire caught from a furnace in the residence.

A Cowardly Murder.

Bessemer, Nov. 29.—Matt Pelander, a leading and influential Finlander, was stabbed to death by an unknown man, who jumped on him from behind, and stabbed him in the abdomen. He reeled backward and fell in the snow, where he was found dead when the officers arrived. A posse was immediately organized and the guilty parties tracked to an Italian house, at the Anville mine, and arrested.

Pardoned on Thanksgiving Day.

Lansing, Nov. 30.—Gov. Rich pardoned Ollie J. Watkins, sent from Detroit June 12, 1894, to Jackson, for three years for forgery; also pardoned John M. Dewitt, sent from Isosco county December 3, 1892, to Ionia for four years for larceny of a boat. The sentence of Stephen Kosmitzki, sent from Detroit January 31, 1894, to Ionia for four years for larceny, was commuted so as to expire Thanksgiving day.

Free Home for War Veterans.

Niles, Dec. 3.—C. Wire, living near Berrien Springs, has erected a building on his farm in which he has established a retreat for old soldiers. The home has been furnished with everything necessary for the welfare of the veterans. Already several homeless soldiers are enjoying the hospitality of the retreat and others are invited.

Holds Grain for Seventeen Years.

Decatur, Nov. 30.—Seventeen years ago Curry brothers became dissatisfied with the ruling prices for wheat and decided not to thrash their grain until its value increased. Year after year the stacks increased until this season, when they were all thrashed out, the older stacks yielded considerable marketable grain.

Was Postmaster for Twelve Years.

Battle Creek, Dec. 4.—William Wallace, a resident of this city since 1843, is dead, aged 83 years. He was a prominent figure in Michigan republicanism many years, and postmaster here under Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Arthur and for 18 months under Cleveland.

Buried with High Honors.

Saginaw, Dec. 4.—Judge R. B. McKnight, who died at sea, was buried with masonic honors here. The entire grand commandery of the state was present.

Straw Kills Horses.

Wakarusa, Dec. 3.—About a dozen horses have died here this winter and many more are sick from the effects of eating straw.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 4.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	\$3.50 @ 4.60
Sheep	2.00 @ 3.25
Cows	1.50 @ 2.15
FLOUR—Winter Patents	3.50 @ 3.70
City Mill Patents	4.10 @ 4.25
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	65 1/2 @ 68 1/2
No. 1 Hard	68 1/2 @ 69 1/2
COAL—No. 2	33 1/2 @ 35 1/2
December	34 1/2 @ 36 1/2
OATS—No. 2	22 1/2 @ 23 1/2
PORK—Mess.	9 25 @ 9 75
LARD—Western Steam	5 00 @ 5 50
BUTTER—Western Creamery	15 @ 24 1/2
Western Dairy	11 @ 16
EGGS	21 @ 23
CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Beeves	\$3.20 @ 5.00
Stockers and Feeders	2 1/2 @ 3 1/2
Cows	2 1/2 @ 2 70
Texas Steers	2 70 @ 2 30
HOGS—Light	3 45 @ 2 65
Rough Packing	3 40 @ 3 50
SHEEP	1 75 @ 2 30
BUTTER—Creamery	11 @ 24
Dairy	11 @ 20
Packing Stock	6 @ 12
EGGS—Fresh	15 @ 21
GRAND WHOLE (per ton)	20 00 @ 25 00
POTATOES (per bu.)	15 @ 23
PORK—Mess.	7 75 @ 7 87 1/2
LARD—Steam	5 35 @ 5 87 1/2
FLOUR—Spring Patents	2 15 @ 2 50
Winter Patents	2 65 @ 2 90
Winter Straights	3 00 @ 3 20
GRAIN—Wheat, December	56 1/2 @ 57 1/2
Oats, No. 2	17 1/2 @ 17 3/4
Rye, No. 2	26 @ 26 1/2
Barley, Good to Choice	32 @ 35
MILWAUKEE.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 1/2	57 1/2 @ 58
Corn, No. 2	20 1/2 @ 20 3/4
Oats, No. 2 White	15 @ 15 1/2
Rye, No. 4	37 1/2 @ 37 3/4
Barley, No. 2	25 @ 25 1/2
POT. Mess.	7 1/2 @ 7 3/4
LARD	5 15 @ 5 20
ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Native Steers	\$3.00 @ 4.50
TEXAS	2 00 @ 3 75
HOGS	3 00 @ 3 50
SHEEP	2 25 @ 2 40
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Steers	\$3.00 @ 2 50
Feeders	2 50 @ 2 50
HOGS—Light and mixed	3 25 @ 3 45
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SHEEP	2 25 @ 2 50

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Holland City News.

SATURDAY, Dec. 7.

G. VAN SCHELVEN, Editor.

Taxes.

On Monday the tax rolls of the city of Holland were placed in the hands of the city treasurer for collection.

The tax rate this year is \$3.81 on every \$100 valuation, the same as last year.

The total amount of the rolls' foots up \$50,842, as against \$49,740 last year, an increase for 1895 of \$1,102. The following comparative table shows the difference in the several taxes:

TAXES.	1895.	1894.
State	\$ 4,624 06	\$ 2,478 32
County	3 880 56	5,638 95
City	20,383 00	19,394 32
School	17,633 00	17,033 00
Special	4,133 77	5,218 30
	\$50,842 39	\$49,740 70

The items for state, county and school purposes explain themselves. The amount of city tax, \$20,382, as apportioned among the several general funds, and compared with last year, is as follows:

FUNDS.	1895.	1894.
General	\$ 9,417 00	\$ 7,128 47
Fire Dept	1,450 00	1,450 00
Poor	2,000 00	1,800 00
Library	300 00	200 00
Water	3,000 00	1,322 78
Light	1,400 00	1,446 87
Int and Sinking	2,463 00	1,970 00
Parks	400 00	800 00
	\$20,382 00	\$19,394 32

The Ottawa and Allegan Agricultural Society.

The annual meeting of the Society was held in Bergen Hall Tuesday forenoon, with an attendance somewhat better than usual, and with President Van Hees in the chair.

The treasurer's report this year was the most satisfactory the Society ever had presented to it:

On hand, Nov. 4, 1894.....	\$ 26 49
Receipts.....	1,533 96
Total.....	1,560 45
Paid out.....	1,354 83
On hand.....	\$ 205 62

The report of the retiring secretary was very complete, and is as follows:

In presenting the annual report of the S. O. W. A. Agr. Ass'n, I cannot refrain from thanking the present board of directors, the superintendents of the various departments and the press of our territory who have so ably and unreservedly helped to make this year's fair meeting a success.

At our last annual meeting the following were elected as members of the board of directors for one year:

John Op'thoit, Drenthe; H. Koolker, Overisel; Fred Wade, Saugatuck; Their time, and also that of J. H. Boone, of Zeeland, and of M. Van Zoeren, of Vriesland, expires to-day. You will therefore have to elect five members of the board of directors for the term of two years.

The proper resolution having passed at the annual meeting of 1894 the name of the Society will henceforth be "The Ottawa and Allegan Agricultural Society."

The term of the following officers also expires:

President, A. G. Van Hees; vice president, G. Rooks; secretary, John Kerkhof; treasurer, Otto Breyman.

According to the treasurer's report the whole amount of receipts for the year was \$1,533.96, being an increase of nearly \$200 above last year. The showing here made unmistakably points out the fact that the people will continue to patronize an honestly conducted fair.

The disbursements for the year have been as follows:

Speed premiums.....	\$325 37
Sundry labor.....	32 68
Police and gate keepers.....	48 30
Lumber and shingles.....	72 30
Hardware.....	21 42
Hay, straw and water.....	30 00
Stationery.....	6 25
Secretary and assistant, and treasurer.....	148 00
Note at Holland City State Bank.....	159 00
Medal for trap shooting.....	10 00
Advertising and printing.....	34 15
Premiums to date.....	323 47
Orders outstanding not presented for payment.....	39 45
Total.....	\$1,560 45

This leaves a balance on hand of \$205.62.

The amount of interest due on our mortgaged indebtedness is \$345.50.

We believe that the improvements made during the last two years have been greatly to the interest of the society and that our buildings and grounds are in as good a condition as can be, with the limited means at our disposal. The new judges' stand and the addition to the dining hall, put up during the present year, were a necessity.

The needs of our society at present are one large building, where suitable display of art and manufactures can be made; also an addition to our grand stand, giving it a seating capacity treble of what it now possesses. With the return of better times, and as we hope increased wages for the mechanic, and more remunerative prices for all farm produce, both of these improvements will be but a question of a few years.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN KERKHOF, Sec'y.

The mortgage indebtedness of the society is \$2,300, with back interest amounting to \$345. To relieve the board of directors of this last named item a committee was appointed with J. Kuite as chairman, to solicit subscriptions to the amount of \$250, to pay up the interest to date. A list was opened and \$60 subscribed on the spot.

An informal discussion as to the condition and future of the society was indulged in. For the past two years the annual premiums had been paid in full, and confidence was again restored. There had been an increase in last year's attendance and in exhibits, and with renewed effort this increase can

and ought to be continued. A thorough canvass of the territory recently added was essential. This should be done next summer. The attention of the authorities of the city and township of Holland was directed to the bridge across the creek on the highway leading to the fair grounds, with a view of having it widened, so as to admit of teams meeting each other and a safe passage for those on foot. A meeting is to be called in the spring to enlist a general co-operation for the next fair.

A. G. Van Hees was re-elected president. J. Kerkhof declined a re-election as secretary and G. J. Van Duren was again elected to that position. G. Rooks as vice president, and O. Breyman as treasurer were also re-elected. The following were elected as directors: J. Op'thoit, Drenthe; H. Koolker, Overisel; F. Raymond, Fennville; J. H. Boone, Zeeland; M. Van Zoeren, Vriesland.

G. J. Van Duren, having been elected secretary, resigned as a director and the vacancy was filled by the election of J. Kuite Sr.

"De Hollander."

In his last issue Mr. W. Benjaminse announced his paper, the Hollander, for sale, together with the outfit. The next day he found a purchaser in Mr. L. Mulder, publisher of the Grondwet. The paper will be continued by Mr. Benjaminse until the close of the year, after which date it will cease to exist.

The Hollander was not only the oldest paper published in the Holland language in the United States, but the first paper published in Ottawa county. It was started in 1850, in this place, by Messrs. Hawks & Bassett of Allegan, and printed partly in English and partly in Dutch. At that time Muskegon county was still a part of Ottawa county and the real object of the enterprise was the publication of the annual tax list, which at that period was very large. Among its first editors were G. Vandewall and H. D. Post. In 1853 the paper was sold to the late H. Doesburg, who owned it until 1863, when it passed into the hands of H. Van Eyck. In '68 a syndicate relieved Mr. Van Eyck of the responsibility and they in turn passed it over to Mr. Benjaminse, the present owner. The Hollander was started as a Democratic paper, and has always remained so. With its demise the Grondwet of this city is now not only the leading, but also the oldest Dutch paper published in the United States, and it is hinted that this prerogative, of being the oldest Dutch paper, was the leading motive that impelled its publisher Mr. L. Mulder to take the plant off Mr. Benjaminse's hands. This demise also leaves the Times the only real Democratic organ in Ottawa county.

Tuesday evening President and Mrs. G. J. Kollen tendered a reception to the members of faculties of Hope College and the Western Theol. Seminary and their ladies, and the students of both institutions. It was the first formal event of the kind since Dr. Kollen's occupancy of the President's house, and what rendered the occasion especially pleasant and satisfactory was that the health of Mrs. Kollen had so far improved as to render the festive occasion possible. The official residence of Hope College was planned evidently with the occasional recurrence of such social happenings in view. If so, those in charge of its construction could hardly have been more successful in securing the object of their endeavors. The floral decorations, as well as the choice selections by Lambert's Orchestra contributed largely to the festive character of the evening, while the refreshments served were among the most forcible exponents of the hospitality tendered. Good cheer and a social comingling of those present, which included also a few outside guests, characterized the occasion throughout.

Thursday forenoon Judge Goodrich was in the city to act in the matter of Hendrik Schaftenaar, in whose behalf application had been made to be adjudged as an insane person. Mr. S. is 29 years of age, has a wife and two children, and has a home on Sixteenth street. Three years ago he had a severe attack of grippe and according to the statements made he has never been the same active, industrious man since. He grew indifferent, and neglected his business, and at times there were strong indications of a mental derangement. This continued to increase, until a few weeks ago it became evident that other steps had to be taken. The legal process was gone through with and on Thursday afternoon he was committed by the Judge to the asylum at Kalamazoo, and conveyed there by dep. sheriff F. Van Ry.

Roy Stevenson, after a six months absence at Laporte, Ind., and Chicago in pursuit of a thorough course of studies in optics, has returned to this city and established himself permanently as an optician. He has provided a complete outfit of optical appliances, the best to be had, and will devote himself to this business especially. His office will be at the jewelry store of his father, C. A. Stevenson.

Allegan's Big Fire.

Allegan experienced another disastrous conflagration on Wednesday night which destroyed the Chaffee block, the pride of the village, and consumed property to the value of \$80,000. The block was built in 1870 at a cost of \$84,000 and was owned by the Kellogg and Rossman estates and the Baptist College of Kalamazoo. There was only \$13,000 insurance.

A dozen or more firms who occupied store rooms in the building had their stocks destroyed. The local fire department performed some gallant service in preventing the flames from communicating with adjoining properties. Three firemen were injured and many of the inmates of the burned block were rescued in their night clothes and taken down ladders, the stairway being on fire. One lady is in a critical condition from burns received while making her escape.

At the time it was believed that control would be lost of the fire and a telegram was sent to this city for a hose cart and 1500 feet of hose, but later the call was countermanded. Chief Dinkeloo, as soon as he received the telegram, ordered out Hose Co. No. 2, and although it took some time to awaken the boys they responded promptly and were at the train ready to leave for the scene of the fire when a second dispatch came saying that the flames were under control and that their services would not be required.

The Benton Harbor News is authority for the statement that the government is robbing the Pottowatome Indians of nearly \$50,000. Instead of \$64,000, which they will receive, they should be paid \$146,250. Three years ago they obtained a judgment against the government for that sum. In 1896, they were paid \$39,000. The original treaty, made with Chief Simon Pokagon in 1833, in Chicago, called for \$200,000 and money for school houses, blacksmith shops, and farming utensils, for which the Indians deeded the government 5,000,000 acres of land lying between Chicago and Grand River, Michigan. The shortage means a loss of nearly \$150 to each member of the tribe.

"Laughing Charlie," as he is usually called, an employe of the West Michigan furniture factory, created a serious disturbance at his boarding house Thursday evening, by making a furibund assault upon his landlady, Mrs. Thos. Wareham. Charlie is more or less eccentric. One of his oddities is a delight in daily counting his money. On Thursday evening after supper he went to his room to again engage in his favorite pastime, but found his cash missing—it amounted to \$285. He accused his landlady of stealing it, and struck her on the head with a stick of wood, producing an ugly scalp wound. The presumption is that the theft was committed while all were at supper, and that the thief found his way to Charlie's room on the second floor by the aid of a ladder, which was found standing against the house. Charlie was taken into custody and is awaiting the return of Pros. Atty. Visscher, who is absent to-day on official business at Berlin.

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Lost, on Thursday afternoon, about 4 o'clock, between the City Hotel and River street, a diamond ring. Finder will please return to City Hotel and receive reward.

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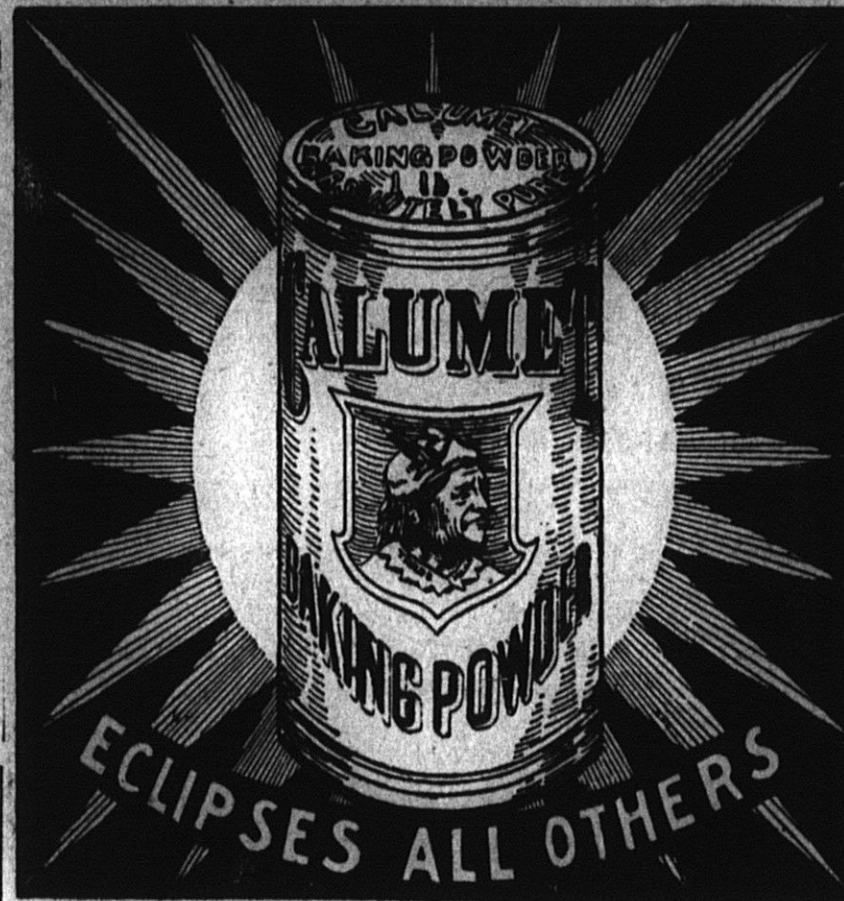
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Gee Whiz! Look at this! Another Sale!

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1 lb. Pepper	10
1 lb. Van's B. Powder	25
2 Bars Soap	10
1 lb. Crackers	07
1 lb. Mixed Nuts	15
1 Can Corn	10

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Mister, may I ride?

Correspondents will please send in their notes not later than Wednesday.

Rev. Dr. E. C. Oggel will preach in the Third Ref. church Sunday evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Prof. S. G. Jenkes, nee Visscher, at Kalamazoo, on Monday—a son.

The library board has just issued an addition to its catalogue embracing the recent addition of over 200 new volumes.

Marine Van Putten has a very fine assortment of subscription books to select from at his news stand. They are by standard authors and will be appreciated in the way of holiday gifts.

Dr. J. G. Huizinga is still at Rose-land, Ill., where he went to take charge of his brother's patients during the absence of the latter to the Atlanta exposition. It is rumored that the doctor may decide to permanently locate there.

Charles Hanson, an employe of the Cappon & Bertsch Leather Co., accidentally fell into a leach containing scalding water Tuesday, and had both feet and the lower part of his limbs badly blistered. He will be unable to work for a week or ten days.

O. J. East of Allegan, who has had quite an extended experience in the laundry business, has moved to Holland and purchased an interest in the Holland City steam laundry and will operate the same in company with G. J. Pessink.

Deputy Game Warden C. E. Brewster passed through the city on Wednesday on his way into Allegan county, to take into custody a man charged with illegally catching trout in the northern part of the state. He was arrested on the same charge before, but managed to evade justice by some technicality in the writ.

At an adjourned meeting of the Ottawa & Allegan Farmers Mutual Insurance Co., held at Zeeland on Wednesday, Gradus Meengs was elected vice president, in place of Gillis Wabeke deceased. The proposed amendment to the constitution permitting the payment of losses caused by traction engines under certain conditions and restrictions, for the consideration of which the meeting had been called, was adopted. Heretofore claims of this character were not allowed.

For the January term of the Ottawa county circuit court the following have been drawn as jurors:

Abraham Lawrence, Crockery.
Ohas. Ladeweg, T. B. Curtis, Georgetown.
Henry Baldwin, Paul Mastenbrook, Grand Haven town.
John Krusinga, Wm. Hayes, Holland city.
John Meyer, Holland town.
James Brandt, Jamestown.
Albert C. Munn, Olive.
Henry Flagel, Polkton.
David McCarty, Robinson.
Orin D. White, Spring Lake.
F. R. Sayers, Tallmadge.
Patrick Burk, Wright.
Johannes Roek, Zeeland.
Harry Stevens, Allendale.
Henry A. Vink, Blendon.
James Darling, Charles Hagon, Oyster.
Jas. Van der Zalm, S. Kilbourn, B. Van den Boomgard, Tys Walsema, Grand Haven city.

Rev. W. Duiker, of Sioux City, Ia., has accepted a call to Fulton, Ill.

Our merchants are generally preparing for the holiday season and they look for a good trade.

Photographer Himes, who was formerly engaged in business in Holland, and who left here under peculiar circumstances, has located in Allegan.

Mrs. J. Labbezo and children desire to express their gratitude to the Y. L. A. S. of the Market str. H. C. Ref. church for financial aid so kindly rendered.

The Bay View Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. C. C. Wheeler (the Thompson house), on Ninth street, Tuesday, Dec. 10, at the usual hour. Roll call responses and December quotations.

Notwithstanding the recent rains and the heavy fall of snow the creeks and streamlets throughout the country continue to be dry, and in many localities farmers still have to cart their water from distant sources.

Harry De Graff of Grand Rapids, was in the city on Wednesday and drove to Macatawa Park, to look after his cottages there. He predicts that more improvements will be made at the resorts next season than there were during 1895.

Work is still in progress on the re-ventment work at the piers and will be continued for some weeks yet. Col. D. C. Wickham who is in charge of the work, has received no intimation from headquarters as to when operations will be discontinued.

As a set-off against the hospitality of the saloons the Congregationalists of Flint have authorized their pastor to throw open the doors of the church on Saturday afternoons, in order that farmers and strangers who come into town may have a warm place to stay. Music will be provided, and a cordial welcome extended to all.

The end of the Slagh-Smith incendiary-perjury cases is not yet. Bert Slagh, dissatisfied with his four months' sentence at Jackson, has applied through his attorneys, Messrs. Dunham & Preston of Grand Rapids for a discharge from that institution, alleging irregularity in the manner in which he was sentenced. The case was to be heard in the supreme court at Lansing the latter part of this week.

At a meeting of the Holland Athletic Club held Tuesday, it was decided to reduce the membership fee to one dollar during the month of December. Any person wishing to become a member of the club can fill an application with Frank Charter. The entertainments at the club rooms are for members only. There will be a wrestling-match and other events at the club-room the latter part of the month.

Quite a large audience listened to the sermon "Why I Believe the Bible," preached by Rev. C. D. Steele in the Opera House on Sunday evening. One man who conducted himself very improperly and aimed to disturb the meeting and ridicule the speaker, was called down in a very clever way and given to understand that he must either keep quiet or leave the house. He kept quiet. The subject for next Sunday evening is: "Is Christianity a Delusion?" Services begin at 7:30 at the same place. Everybody invited.

For some time the congregation of Grace Episcopal church has had under consideration the advisability of calling a permanent pastor and a short time ago a call was extended to Rev. W. H. Van Antwerp, D. D., of New York, who has signified his intention of accepting. It has been several years since this church has had a regular rector, although the pulpit has frequently been supplied by ministers from neighboring congregations. Mr. Van Antwerp expects to reach here with his family in a few weeks, and will no doubt be welcomed received in the social circles of Holland.

In the way of appointments, equipment, decorations and furniture, the Knights of Pythias have the most comfortable and commodious lodge rooms in Holland. They are located over Jonkman & Dykema's, brief mention of which was made in the News last week. The floor is divided up into a meeting room, commissary department, vestibule, and coat room, all handsomely furnished in antique quarter-cut oak of special designs, purchased from the Grand Rapids Chair Co. Upon the floors are tapestry carpets, woven in designs emblematic of the order, while the kitchen is provided with all the necessary utensils, dishes, etc., for impromptu lunches and banquets. The frescoing of the entire interior, the work of N. Van Zanten, attracts much attention. Castle Lodge has a membership of 65, although in existence but a short period. New applications are coming in faster than they can be handled. Officers will be elected for the ensuing year at a meeting to be held this (Friday) evening. It is expected that the new quarters will be formally dedicated early in January, when outside members of the order will be invited to participate in a banquet.

Wednesday was pension day.

W. I. Little of Grand Haven was in the city Friday.

Geo. Ballard is in the city and will remain over Sunday.

Pros. Atty Visscher was called to Berlin Friday in behalf of "The People."

The Y.M.C.A. gospel meeting Sunday afternoon will be lead by Rev. C. D. Steele.

Ex-Gov. Luce is being strongly urged for the presidency of the state agricultural society.

Seats are reserved at Breyman's on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, for the concert on the following evening.

A. Visscher and others have purchased the property of the Vaupell estate on Eighth street. Consideration \$3,000.

The "Jolly Five Driving Club" will give a masquerade at Lyceum Opera House this (Friday) evening. Music by Thomas' orchestra.

Mayor Diekema attended the Van Buren county annual S. S. convention at Bangor on Wednesday, and was the guest of his friend Ex-Representative Cross.

Mrs. Sarah A. Alcott celebrated her 63rd birthday Wednesday. In the evening a group of friendly neighbors invaded her home on Tenth str. to remind her of the event.

A large quantity of lumber and shingles has been picked up on the lake shore between Holland and Port Sheldon, which is supposed to be from the steamer Frank Woods.

The engagement is announced of Mrs. Dr. Wm. Van Putten of this city and Prof. G. Hemkes, of the Theol. school at Grand Rapids. The wedding is to take place in the early part of the new year.

The Republican Club of Hope College was addressed Wednesday evening by G. J. Diekema. The meeting was well attended and the mention of McKinley's name was most enthusiastically received by the boys.

Wm. Schuurman and A. Bosman will sail for Europe Dec. 28, with the steamer Amsterdam. They expect to be absent three months. The tickets were purchased from Messrs. Mulder & Verwey, steamboat agents.

The Ladies Singing Club will meet for rehearsal on Thursday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock, in Lyceum Opera House. All members who expect to take part in the concert in the evening must attend this rehearsal.

Sheriff Stratton of Allegan county has dismissed under-sheriff Wlag, and deputies Aaron and William Jones of Dorr, Williams of Plainwell, and Shoemaker of Saugatuck. The sheriff did not approve of their work in the Pennville train robbery case.

It is usual for the common council at their first meeting in December to allow a large amount of bills, but the number allowed this year is a record breaker. It took City Clerk Sipp just about two days to issue the required orders, amounting to one hundred and fifty-three.

Mrs. E. Van der Veen is very low and reported dying. Thursday the children residing in Grand Rapids and Muskegon were all summoned to her bedside; also Dr. A. Van der Veen of Grand Haven.—LATER. She died at 2:30 p. m., Friday. The funeral will be on Monday afternoon.

At the annual Sunday school meeting of the Ninth street H. C. Ref. church, Thursday evening, the following officer were elected: I. Marshall, asst. supt.; A. C. Rinck, Secy.; Miss Kate De Vries, treas.; Miss Kate Doctor, asst. treas.; H. D. Werkman, A. Bosman, H. Van Ry, librarians.

Jacob Van Ry, he of the unfortunate shooting affair, died Thursday morning, at the home of his father. Since his return from Chicago a few weeks ago he had been gradually sinking, both mentally and physically. A visit from his wife a few days ago, who promised in case of his recovery to again live with him, appeared to revive his spirits some, but it was only temporary. The deceased had reached the age of twenty-six years. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon from the home of Capt. B. Van Ry, on College Avenue.

Holiday season is here, and one cannot help but notice this fact by the appearance of the show windows in the leading stores of the city. Among them all—the one of Jas. A. Brouwer is not the least, and his display of fine rockers and chairs and other goods certainly ought to leave nobody at a loss what to buy for a Christmas present. See ad on 4th page.

If you want something useful and substantial in the way of a holiday present it will be well worth your while to call and see what Rinck & Co. have to offer. Just glance over their advertisement, which appears in another column. You can buy anything from a richly upholstered parlor suit to a boy's hand sled at prices that are in keeping with the times.



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A Rare Opportunity Before Christmas.
For Week of DEC. 9.

We are not overstocked, nor have we any old goods to work off but do this as a special inducement to make you better acquainted with our DRESS GOODS department.

Our line of 15c Dress Goods Sale Price	12c yd.
Our line of 25c " " " "	20c yd.
Our line of 35c " " " "	29c yd.
A line of new 25c figured Dress Goods Sale Price	16c yd.
A line of new 25c Plaids for Waists	15c yd.
All our \$1.00 and 1.25 Cold Dress Goods	75c yd.
50 inch Black Serge Regular Price 60c	53c yd.
All Wool Blk. Henrietta worth 35c	29c yd.
An extra Heavy Dress Flannel	29c yd.

A beautiful line of new Collarettes just received, see display in our show window. Would advise as far as convenient forenoon trading during this sale in order to avoid the rush of the afternoon.

We do just as we Advertise.

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Holland, Mich

N. B. Our store will be open evenings till after the Holidays.

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

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

Fur cloak trimming at M. NOTIER.

Horse Clipping.

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

We will clip him to your satisfaction, price right.


H. NIBBELINK & Son Livery.

TOUR OF MEXICO.
SPECIAL TRAIN EXCURSION.
On January 20th, 1896, a special sleeping car will leave Grand Rapids via the C. & W. M. R. V., connecting at Chicago with a special train of sleeping and dining cars for a 30 day Tour of Mexico, under the personal direction of an experienced Mexican traveler. All the principal cities and attractions of Mexico will be visited.
Round trip rate from Grand Rapids will be about \$325.00, which will include all expenses for railroad fare, hotel, dining and sleeping car expenses, etc., etc.
Full particulars may be had upon application to C. & W. M. R. V. & N. R. V. agents, or to GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A., Grand Rapids.

TAXES.
To the Tax Payers of the City of Holland:
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Assessment Rolls of the several Supervisor Districts of the City of Holland have been placed in my hands as treasurer of said city for collection, and that the taxes therein levied can be paid to me at my office, in the clothing clothing of Wm. Brusse & Co., River street, on every week-day before January 1st next, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 o'clock p. m. without any charge for collection, but that five per cent collection fee will be charged upon all taxes remaining unpaid on and after said 1st day of January.
Dated Holland, Dec. 2, A. D. 1895.
WM. BRUSSE, City Treas.

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M. NOTIER.

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Call on—
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Cor. 8th and River Sts., above Holland City State Bank.

Chicago Nov. 24, 1895.
AND WEST MICHIGAN RY.

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Grand Rapids	8:30	1:25	6:25	11:36
Grandville	8:45	1:40	6:40	11:51
Jenison	9:00	1:55	6:55	12:06
Hudsonville	9:15	2:10	7:10	12:21
Vriesland	9:30	2:25	7:25	12:36
Zeeland	9:45	2:40	7:40	12:51
Ar. Waverly	9:55	2:50	7:50	1:01
Holland	10:10	3:05	8:05	1:16
Hartford	10:25	3:20	8:20	1:31
St. Joseph	10:40	3:35	8:35	1:46
New Buffalo	10:55	3:50	8:50	1:61
Chicago	11:10	4:05	9:05	1:16

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Chicago	7:20	10:15	6:15	9:10
New Buffalo	7:35	10:30	6:30	9:25
St. Joseph	7:50	10:45	6:45	9:40
Hartford	8:05	11:00	7:00	9:55
Holland	8:20	11:15	7:15	10:10
Waverly	8:35	11:30	7:30	10:25
Zeeland	8:50	11:45	7:45	10:40
Vriesland	9:05	12:00	7:55	10:55
Hudsonville	9:20	12:15	8:10	11:10
Jenison	9:35	12:30	8:25	11:25
Grandville	9:50	12:45	8:40	11:40
Ar. Grand Rapids	10:05	1:00	8:55	11:55

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Ar. Big Rapids	4:15	7:30	10:15	1:30
Macletoe	4:30	7:45	10:30	1:45
Traverse City	4:45	8:00	10:45	1:60
Charlevoix	5:00	8:15	11:00	1:75
Petoskey	5:15	8:30	11:15	1:90
Bay View	5:30	8:45	11:30	2:05

Allegan and Muskegon Division

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Pentwater	5:30	8:45	1:30	4:45
Muskegon	5:45	9:00	1:45	5:00
Grand Haven	6:00	9:15	2:00	5:15
Ar. Waverly	6:15	9:30	2:15	5:30
Holland	6:30	9:45	2:30	5:45
Allegan	6:45	10:00	2:45	6:00

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Allegan	6:15	9:30	2:15	5:30
Holland	6:30	9:45	2:30	5:45
Waverly	6:45	10:00	2:45	6:00
Grand Haven	7:00	10:15	3:00	6:15
Lv. Muskegon	7:15	10:30	3:15	6:30
Ar. Pentwater	7:30	10:45	3:30	6:45

Muskegon and Big Rapids.

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Muskegon	7:30	10:45	3:30	6:45
Fremont	7:45	11:00	3:45	7:00
Ar. Big Rapids	8:00	11:15	4:00	7:15

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Big Rapids	8:15	11:30	4:15	7:30
Fremont	8:30	11:45	4:30	7:45
Ar. Grand Rapids	8:45	12:00	4:45	8:00

Trains arrive at Grand Rapids from the north at 1:50 p. m. and 10:50 p. m.
Sleepers on all night trains.
Detroit, Nov. 24, 1895.
LANSING & NORTHERN R. R.

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Grand Rapids	7:00	1:30	6:30	1:00
Grand Ledge	7:15	1:45	6:45	1:15
Lansing	7:30	1:55	7:00	1:25
Howell	7:45	2:10	7:15	1:40
Detroit	8:00	2:25	7:30	1:55

	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
Lv. Detroit	7:40	1:10	6:10	1:00
Howell	7:55	1:25	6:25	1:15
Lansing	8:10	1:40	6:40	1:30
Grand Ledge	8:25	1:55	6:55	1:45
Ar. Grand Rapids	8:40	2:10	7:10	1:55

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DECEMBER—1895.

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The News Condensed.
Important Intelligence From All Parts.
CONGRESSIONAL.
The Proceedings of the First Session.
The 54th congress convened its first session on the 2d. The senate was called to order by Vice President Stevenson and the new senators and those who had been re-elected were sworn in. A committee was appointed to notify the president... In the house Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, was chosen as speaker. A committee was named to join a like committee on the part of the senate to wait upon the president. Several bills were introduced in the interest of railway postal clerks and letter carriers.

DOMESTIC.
The motorcycle contest in Chicago over a 54-mile course for purses amounting to \$5,000 was won by the Charles L. Duryea gasoline motorcycle of Springfield, Mass., which made the distance in ten hours.
The Cherokee Indian legislature passed a bill making it impossible hereafter for any white man to obtain property rights by marrying Indian women.
Eight Perry detectives, implicated in the shooting of innocent Frank White, while seeking his criminal brother, were indicted in Chicago by the grand jury on counts charging murder.
The report that Harry Hayward had confessed in Minneapolis to the murder of Catherine Ging was said to be untrue.
Peter McGeoch, the millionaire speculator, whose deals and attempt to corner the provision markets at various times startled the world, committed suicide in Milwaukee because of family troubles. He was 61 years old.
Gen. Flagler, chief of ordnance, in his annual report calls attention to the insufficiency of the appropriations and suggests that congress should permit the ordnance bureau to replace old arms now in use with weapons of serviceable type and uniform character.


Secretary Hoke Smith of the interior department in his annual report calls attention to the strict enforcement which has been given to civil-service reform; estimates the amount of public lands undisposed of to be 600,000,000 acres and says the total receipts during the year for public lands amounted to over \$2,000,000; says an intelligent treatment of the Indians will make them self-supporting; and upon the subject of forests says that 17,000,000 acres are now included within forest reserves, the object being to preserve them for future use.
Dispatches from all over the United States note a general observance of Thanksgiving day in the usual manner.
Roman Bohrer and Sadie Henschen, who were soon to be married, were both killed by the cars at Arcola, Ind., while going to a dance.
S. C. Martin, the ossified man, who has lain on his back for seven years unable to move a joint, died near Bryan, Tex.
At noon on Thanksgiving day in Cleveland over 3,000 members of Christian Endeavor societies prayed for the salvation of the soul of Col. Ingersoll.
Later advices say that the loss to the oil interests in Ohio and Indiana by the recent blizzard would amount to over \$1,000,000.
Three men were fatally hurt and several seriously injured in a wreck on the Norfolk & Western railroad at Canterbury, W. Va.
Football games in Chicago resulted as follows: University of Michigan, 12; University of Chicago, 0; Boston and Chicago Athletic associations, a tie, 4 to 4. At Kansas City—University of Missouri, 10; University of Kansas, 6.
The Chattahoochee national bank at Columbus, Ga., closed its doors.
The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 29th aggregated \$870,444,182, against \$1,126,226,638 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 8.0.
There were 288 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 29th, against 320 the week previous and 223 in the corresponding time of 1894.
At Nashville, Tenn., John S. Johnson lowered the one-mile flying start bicycle record from 2:16 to 2:10 1-5. The two-mile flying start record was lowered by A. F. Senn, of Illion, Ky., from 4:49 2-5 to 4:48 3-5.
Joseph Robinson and Ozias McGahey, both negroes, were taken from the jail at Fayetteville, Tenn., and hanged by a mob. The colored men were charged with an attempted assault upon a white girl.
Secretary of War Lamont in his annual report gives the expenditures for the fiscal year ended June 30 last as \$52,287,789.34. The appropriations for the same period were \$43,466,571.75. He says the year has been undisturbed by Indian outbreaks, domestic violence or troubles on the border, and that the army is better fed, housed and clothed than ever before. The total force of the army is 25,700. The total expenditures for the improvement of rivers and harbors was \$18,812,517. He says that the condition of our seacoast and lake frontiers should be strengthened.


A conference of senators favorable to the free coinage of silver was held in Washington and it was decided to keep up agitation for free coinage.
President Collier announced that the Atlanta exposition would close finally and forever on December 31.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.
Mrs. David Lamb, the largest woman in Indiana, was buried at her home in New Middleton. She weighed 503 pounds.
The official returns of the election of 1895 in Iowa show 401,292 votes to have been cast, of which Drake, republican nominee for governor, received 208,689; Babb (dem.), 149,433; Crane (pop.), 32,118, and Bacon (pro.), 11,052.
A. W. Wayman, senior bishop of the African Methodist church in the United States dropped dead from paralysis at his home in Baltimore.
Thomas Brackett Reed was nominated for the speakership of the 54th congress by the republican caucus in Washington and the democratic caucus renominated Speaker Crisp.
Col. Smith A. Whitfield, first assistant postmaster general during the latter part of President Harrison's term, died in Chicago, aged 49 years.
William Cobb, a centenarian, died at King's Mountain, N. C. A peculiarity of his was to devour a chicken every day for the past 50 years.
William Bennett, a hero of the Crimean war and of the Sepoy mutiny in India, died at his home in Chicago, aged 76 years.

FOREIGN.
It was said that the Hawaiian government would make a strong effort to bring the annexation question before the next United States congress.
The Northern Pacific steamship Strathnevis, en route from Victoria, B. C., to Yokohama with about 125 Chinese passengers, a crew of 50 and 3,000 tons of general cargo, was given up as lost.
Cuban insurgents wrecked a train carrying Spanish soldiers near Cienfuegos, and the engineer, fireman and 31 soldiers were killed and 50 others were injured, some fatally.
Count Eduard von Taffe, ex-premier of Austria, died at Elshausen, aged 62 years.
The pope presided at the secret consistory in Rome and created nine cardinals, among them being Mgr. Satolli, the papal delegate to the Roman Catholic church in the United States.
Knights of Labor in Montreal, Ontario and Quebec decided to secede from the general assembly and form a purely Canadian order.
During severe storms in the vicinity of Odessa, Russia, 500 persons were either drowned or frozen to death.
Maximo Gomez and his army of insurgents utterly failed in their attempt to reach Villas, Cuba. His forces sustained great loss, his ranks were broken and his men were dispersed.
President Pierola convoked the Peruvian congress in extra session on account of the crisis caused by the resignation of the cabinet.
In the state of Oajaca, Mexico, earthquakes had occurred daily for some time. The mountains rocked and the whole region was a mass of seismic activity.
The German government was taking steps to prevent the growing emigration of the younger generation to America.
Gen. Julio Sanguilly, an American citizen, was sentenced at Havana to imprisonment for life for having committed illegal acts against the Spanish government.

LATER.
The president's message, made public on the 3d, is devoted to two subjects and about equally divided between the two, foreign affairs and financial affairs. In regard to other matters he is content to refer congress to the departmental reports with a general concurrence in their statements of facts and their recommendations.
Stevenson, Alexander & Co., boot and shoe jobbers at Baltimore, made an assignment with liabilities of \$150,000.
At a negro cake walk in Roseborough, Ark., the negroes ate at their supper a portion of a hog that had been fed by its owner on strychnine and 12 died and a half dozen others were dangerously ill.
The Pennsylvania Investment company at Kansas City, Mo., failed for \$365,000.
The president nominated Rufus W. Peckham, of Albany, N. Y., to be associate justice of the United States supreme court to succeed the late Howell E. Jackson, of Tennessee.
Seven of the largest wholesale establishments in Indianapolis were destroyed by fire, the total loss being \$500,000.
Advices from Turkey say that the sultan had resolved to break all diplomatic relations if the powers force the Dardanelles.
Washington, Dec. 4.—In the United States senate yesterday the president's message was read. There were 272 bills and 16 resolutions introduced, but a majority were reprints of measures which failed to pass last session. Among the bills were the following: To establish a uniform system of bankruptcy; for the compulsory education of Indian children; for the exclusion of alien anarchists; for the amendment of the tariff laws, so as to admit free of duty all material used in the construction or equipment of vessels built in the United States; to limit the president's term to six years without reelection, and repealing all laws permitting the issuance of bonds. In the house the president's message was read, after which bills were introduced to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy; to amend the immigration laws; to equalize pensions on account of service in the Mexican war; to provide that no alien shall be admitted to citizenship who has not for the continued term of five years preceding his admission resided within the United States, and who cannot speak, read and write the English language.

Epilepsy 20 Years.
Cured by Dr. Miles' Nervine.
A few years ago, Mr. L. W. Gallaher, was an extensive, successful expert manufacturer of lumber products. Attacked with epilepsy, he was obliged to give up his business. The attacks came upon him most inopportunely. One time falling from a carriage, at another down stairs, and often in the street. Once he fell down a shaft in the mill, his injuries nearly proving fatal. Mr. Gallaher writes from Milwaukee, Feb. 14, '96.

"There are none more miserable than epileptics. For 20 years I suffered with epileptic fits, having as high as five in one night. I tried any number of physicians, paying to one alone, a fee of \$500.00 and have done little for years but search for something to help me, and have taken all the leading remedies, but received no benefit. A year ago my son, Chas. S. Gallaher, druggist at 191 Reed St., Milwaukee, gave me Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, and I tried it with gratifying results. Have had but two fits since I began taking it. I am better now in every way than I have been in 20 years."
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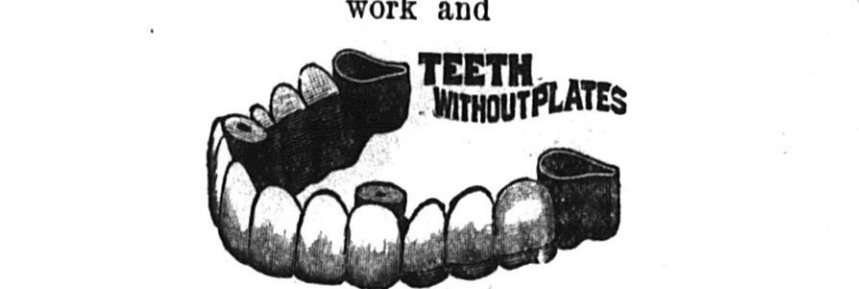
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MICHIGAN ESTIMATES.

Appropriations Asked for Rivers, Harbors and Buildings.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—In the estimates presented for cost of construction of public buildings, improvements on rivers, harbors, etc., the following are for Michigan. For continuing improvements on rivers and canals the sums asked are as follows:

Black river, \$8,000; Clinton river, \$2,500; Detroit river, \$30,000; Saginaw river, \$40,000; Rouge river, \$5,000; St. Joseph river, \$500; waterway from Keweenaw bay to Lake Superior, \$75,000.

The appropriations asked for continuing the improvement of the mouth of harbors were as follows:

Alpena, \$2,500; Charlevoix, \$25,000; Cheboygan, \$15,000; Frankfort, \$10,000; Grand Haven, \$10,000; Grand Marais, \$30,000; Holland, \$10,000; Ludington, \$5,000; Manistee, \$15,000; Marquette, \$30,000; Monroe, \$5,000; Muskegon, \$30,000; Ontonagon, \$7,000; Pentwater, \$2,500; Petoskey, \$10,000; Portage Lake, \$15,000; St. Joseph, \$30,000; Sand Beach, \$20,000; Saugatuck, \$10,000; South Haven, \$10,000; White Lake, \$2,500; and Menominee, \$7,150.

Other appropriations asked are:

For a public building at Detroit, \$125,364; for Manistique light, \$32,000; for Poe Reef light ship, Straits of Mackinaw, \$25,000.

MAJ. POST TO TAKE CHARGE.

Directed by Secretary Lamont to Oversee Public Works at Detroit.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—On the recommendation of Gen. Craighill, chief of engineers, the secretary of war has directed Maj. J. C. Post, corps of engineers, to take charge of all the public works in the vicinity of Detroit, formerly in charge of Col. O. E. Poe, deceased. These works include the improvements in progress on the St. Mary's river and canal, the St. Clair flats ship canal, the Detroit river, the ship canal connecting the waters of the great lakes between Chicago, Duluth and Buffalo, the dry dock at St. Mary's Falls and the dredging of Crosse Point channel, St. Clair flats ship canal and St. Mary's Falls canal.

MRS. HOLLAN SENTENCED.

Convicted Ex-Postmistress Fined and Given a Two-Years' Sentence.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 30.—In the United States circuit court Judge Severens sentenced Mrs. Addie B. Hollan, ex-postmistress of North Grand Rapids, convicted of embezzling money order funds, to serve two years in the Detroit house of correction, and to pay a fine of \$250. Fred M. Hollan, her son, who confessed to having presented fraudulent money orders issued by his mother, for payment at various offices, was next arraigned for sentence. After giving the young man some good advice the judge deferred passing sentence for a few days.

Sued for \$50,000 Damages.

Lansing, Dec. 4.—B. B. and A. J. Blake, of Racine, Wis., have been made defendants in a \$50,000 damage suit, to be commenced in the United States court at Milwaukee by the North-Molitor Manufacturing company of Lansing. The latter asserts that the Racine firm has caused many of its customers to cancel orders by wiring letters reflecting on the business and goods of the plaintiff.

Game Law Saves the Deer.

Lansing, Dec. 4.—State Game Warden Osborn reports that the application of the new law requiring deer hunters to be licensed has resulted in a great saving of game during the open season this year. He has been informed by the Wisconsin warden that the effect of the license law was to flood that state with hunters from Ohio and Indiana, who heretofore camped in Michigan.

Packers Back a Big Tannery.

Alpena, Nov. 30.—The Alpena Hide and Leather company has started to work its new plant here, one of the largest hemlock tanning concerns in existence. The plant is tanning 1,000 hides a day to start with. It is understood Kansas City and other western packers are backing this concern to get rid of their hides without selling them to the trust.

Will Raise Mint.

Hopertown, Dec. 2.—A Chicago syndicate which owns nearly 600 acres of marsh land near here, Allegan county, last year cleared nearly 250 acres, after raising an immense amount of garden truck during the summer. The concern has now decided to put its entire tract to mint and will put a large force of men at work in the spring.

Albert Waters Murdered.

Detroit, Dec. 1.—Lemuel Armstrong and Albert Waters, colored men, quarreled in a house at 192 Willis avenue, east, at 11 o'clock Saturday night. During the melee Armstrong drew a knife and began cutting his opponent. He finally plunged the knife into Waters' heart. Waters dropped dead. Armstrong ran away.

Earnings of Michigan Railways.

Lansing, Nov. 30.—The earnings in Michigan of railroad companies in September were \$2,793,807.88, as against \$2,602,000.65 in September, 1914. Up to October 1, this year, the aggregate earnings were \$22,447,779.04, an increase of \$1,553,916.41, or 7.44 per cent. over the same period of last year.

State Federation of Labor.

Saginaw, Dec. 4.—The eighth annual convention of the Michigan Federation of Labor began Tuesday. President Flanagan's address took up the entire session. He condemned the last legislature as hostile to labor and advocated more stringent laws relative to child labor.

Diphtheria, Raging.

Benton Harbor, Nov. 30.—Diphtheria is raging in this vicinity to an alarming extent. Several country schools near town are closed. Forty cases have been reported within two weeks, with six deaths. Hydrogen peroxide spray is used successfully in treatment.

Hold on to the Fees.

Cheboygan, Nov. 30.—The county clerks of northern Michigan will not pay over to the auditor general of the state the fees received for hunting licenses. They claim the fees as their own perquisites.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Tuesday, the nineteenth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

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

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

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

Thereupon it is ordered, That Wednesday, the

Fifteenth day of January next,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
(A true copy, Attest.)

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,
Judge of Probate.

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 Wednesday, the fourth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

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

In the matter of the estate of John Knoll, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Hermanus Knoll and Harm Knoll, executors, praying for the examination and allowance of their final account, that they may be discharged from their trust, have their bond cancelled and said estate closed.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Tuesday, the

Fourteenth day of January, next,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
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JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,
Judge of Probate.

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 Wednesday, the 4th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

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

In the matter of the estate of Luther Martin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles A. Martin, son and legatee named in the will of said deceased, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing filed in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of himself as executor thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Thursday, the

Ninth day of January, 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, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
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JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,
Judge of Probate.

HARLEY PHILLIPS, Probate Clerk.

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 30th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

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

In the matter of the estate of Nanning Rozema, deceased.

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

Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the

Sixth day of January, 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, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
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Rye.....	23
Barley 9 cwt.....	26
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Flour 9 barrel.....	4 50
Flour 9 barrel.....	3 80
Ground feed.....	80
Middlings 9 cwt.....	75
Bean 9 cwt.....	10 00
Hay 1 ton.....	12 00
Honey.....	16
Butter.....	20
Eggs 9 dozen.....	30
Pork.....	4
Wood, hard, dry 9 cord.....	1 75
Chickens, dressed, 10 (live 4) 10.....	90
Ground Oil Cake.....	1 00
Dressed Beef.....	4
Veal.....	4
Mutton.....	4
Lard.....	7
Hams.....	8 1/2
Shoulders.....	6 1/2
Tallow.....	4

Marine Items.

The steamer Wisconsin is in the dry dock at Detroit.

The stmr. City of Milwaukee has been laid up at Grand Haven.

The steamer Osceola has taken her place on the winter line between Grand Haven and Milwaukee.

The steamer Atlanta of the Chicago and Grand Haven line will be provided with an additional boiler this winter.

Wind signals are discontinued for the season at all lake ports except Chicago, Milwaukee, Manistee, Ludington and Grand Haven.

The steamer City of Milwaukee during the season of 1895 has made ninety-four round trips from Grand Haven to Milwaukee and seventy-three round trips from Grand Haven to Muskegon.

The fleet that has gone into winter quarters at this port includes the stmr. Soo City, City of Holland, Music, Bon Voyage, and Lizzie Walsh, and the schooners Addie, Kate E. Howard and Wonder. The Maggie Plugger which usually winters here will lay up at Muskegon this year.

A committee of citizens from St. Joseph have been in conference with Col. Lydecker in regard to their harbor improvement and report that he will recommend an appropriation of \$110,000 and the extension of the north pier 800 feet and the south pier 200 feet.

The plan to sell the whaleback excursion steamer Christopher Columbus of Chicago to parties in New York city or have her taken to the sea coast seems to have fallen through, as it is now given out that she will again be placed on the Chicago-Milwaukee route next season.

The surface of the water at the outlet of the St. Joseph river into Lake Michigan, is covered with dead minnows, which are being brought down by the current by the bushel. Theories that explosives are being used to kill large fish is advanced as the cause by some, while others think poison has been thrown into the stream.

The Crosby Transportation Company, has closed a contract with the Muskegon, Grand Rapids & Indiana, and Chicago & West Michigan railways to carry their freight across to Milwaukee and Chicago this winter. The big steamship Nyack will begin making trips the first of the week, between Muskegon and Milwaukee, and another steamer will be added later. A government dredge is at work at Muskegon harbor deepening the channel.

Capt. J. S. Dunham, the well-known vessel owner, says that Chicago has practically had her day as a lake port. This is largely owing to the condition of the river with its old bridges and shallow water over the tunnels. It would cost too much to lower the tunnels and the foundations of the docks and bridges would not admit of the channel being dredged to a depth of 20 feet to correspond with the new deep water vessel. Other ports being situated so that they can be improved to accommodate the new boats now building will get the commerce. Capt. Dunham points out in detail how Chicago has gradually lost the northwestern flour trade, the lumber trade and the coal trade. Some of it may be saved, however, by going to South Chicago.

The U. S. commissioner of navigation in his annual report has this to say on the matter of taxing vessel

Prof. Enoch, an aquatic performer at Detroit, accomplished the feat of staying under water four minutes and eight seconds, breaking all previous records in that line.

Senator David B. Hill's lecture tour in the northwest proved a failure, and the senator while in Minneapolis canceled all future engagements and returned to New York.

A passenger train ran into an open switch at Preble, N. Y., killing the engineer and fatally injuring the fireman.

In round figures the government deficit for November was \$1,000,000 and the expenditures \$27,000,000. The deficit for the five months of the current fiscal year stands at \$17,500,000.

H. H. Holmes, who was convicted in Philadelphia of the murder of B. F. Pitel, was refused a new trial and sentenced to death. Gov. Hastings would fix the day of execution.

Joseph Reimean and his daughter and Ernst Neiver were killed by the cars at Air Line Junction, O.

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Common Council.

Holland, Dec. 3rd, 1895.

The common council met in regular session and, in the absence of the mayor, was called to order by the president pro tem.

Present, Alds. Schouten, Lokker, Flieman, Schoon, Bosman, Dalman, Kuite and Harrington, and the clerk.

Reading of minutes and the regular order of business was suspended in order to give Mr. Bernard Riksen, contractor for grading, grading and otherwise improving First Avenue, an opportunity to make a verbal request for an extension of time in which to complete the work and that he be allowed to place gravel upon the street while there was good sleighing.—Permission given to place gravel as requested and time extended until April 15th, 1896.

Mayor Diekema and Ald. Vischer appeared during the discussion of the above requests and took their seats.

Ald. Schouten was excused from further attendance.

The council returned to the regular order of business.

Minutes of meetings of October 1st and 8th were read and approved.

PETITIONS AND ACCOUNTS.

The following bills were presented and allowed, viz:

George H. Sipp, sal as city clerk	\$ 75 00
F Van Ry do marshal	43 75
Wm Brusse do treasurer	20 17
A Klaverlinga do str commr	35 42
R v d Berg do night pol	18 75
G. Van Schelven, 54 1/2 days service as supervisor	109 00

John Kerkhof, 29 days service as supervisor and 1 days service and railroad fare to Grand Haven for copies of plats of additions 61 80 || J A Ter Vree 12 days team work | 27 00 |
C Prins 13 do	29 25
J v d Ploeg 20 hours labor on streets	2 50
O Meertens 12 1/2 do	1 62
S Werkman 12 1/2 do	1 60
Kanters Bros. nails and sewer pipe	16 96
T Koppel cement	13 24
J d Foyter drayage booths	8 25

F J Schouten serv inspector of election 3 00 || J Lokker do | 3 00 |
J To Roller do	3 00
P v d Tak do	3 00
J W Flieman do	3 00
L Schoon do	3 00
P Schoon do	3 00
A B Bosman do	3 00
Geo Dalman do	3 00
J Dykema do	3 00
J Elfordink do	3 00
G W Mokma do	3 00
J Kuite do	3 00
A A Finch do	3 00
A Harrington do	3 00
A Vischer do	3 00
I H Garvelink do	3 00
Simon Kleyen do	3 00
H Dykhuys do	3 00
P de Spelder do	3 00
Simon Bos do	3 00
C A Doestburg do	3 00
C J Lokker gatekeeper at election	2 00
J Dinkeloo do	2 00
A v d Nagel do	2 00
A v Baalte do	2 00
I Fairbanks do	2 00
I H Fairbanks do	2 00
A Kuite do	2 00
W Butkan do	2 00
E B M Westerhof do	2 00
R A Cook putt'g up & tak'g down booths	1 00
I H Fairbanks do	1 00
L Schoon do	1 00
I H Garvelink do	1 00
A Kuite do & rm rent	1 00
I Fairbanks room rent	6 00
I H Garvelink do	6 00

Mr. Alberti for one-half of the exp of bury'g 11 00 || Mr. J. Schakelaar do | 2 00 |
M Notier pd 1 pr order	45
Boot & Kramer 2 brns for horse co no. 1	1 75
A Harrington 1 ord wd do	4 95
J d Boer tm wrk for parks	24 00
G v Schelven serv on spec assessm't rolls	24 00
J Kerkhof do	24 00
G H Sipp do	24 00
Holland City News print'g legal notices	4 48
J Huntley stks for 1st ave improve'mt	3 00

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on streets and bridges, to whom was intrusted the opening up and improving Christina street, reported that they in connection with the highway commissioner, had caused the work to be done, and recommended the payment of the following bills, viz:

Mr. Griswell 3 1/2 days labor	\$ 9 92
H Wildeboer 2 days 1 hr lab	2 88
E Brink 6 1/2 days team wrk	14 62
J v d Ploeg 10 1/2 days lab	11 76
O Meertens 1 1/2 do	1 68
T v Landegroot tiling	9 08
Making a total with the \$81.75 previously paid of \$75.15.	

Approved and warrants ordered issued on the city treasurer for the several amounts as recommended.

The committee on poor reported, presenting the semi-monthly report of the director of the poor and said committee, recommending \$52.00 for the support of the poor for the two weeks ending Dec. 18, 1895, and having rendered temporary aid to the amount of \$27.00. Approved and warrants ordered issued.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

The street commissioner reported his doings for the month of Nov., 1895.

Filed.

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

Kanters Bros gen supplies	\$ 33 34
Buffalo Spec Mfg co 10 lbs alc bit dressg	3 50
Westinghouse elec & mfg co 6 metres	84 00
Montgomery, Ward & Co forge, anvil, stock & dir's	19 98
C J d Roo frght & cartg on tools	1 12
J d Foyter drayg	75
G H Sipp pd exp and postg	5 60
J Huntley lumb & glass	6 10
Walsh-De Roo millg co fire clay & belt glue 1 82	
Boot & Kramer oil, brooms basket candl's & 3 81	
L R Brink drayg	65

A J Ward lab self & 4 men 20 63 || J Salet 11 days on elect system | 13 75 |
J D Nies 25 do	31 25
F Kooyers 26 do	31 25
D Steketee, 30 dys wrk as extra fireman	37 50
Fred Gileky, second asst engneer Nov. '95 and 2 1/2 dys extra time	48 75
F W Fairfield, smpt	70 00
G Hanson ch'f engr	65 00
G Winter, engr	50 00
H H Dekker, fireman	40 00
G Blom frght & dryg	6 82
A Huntley mat & mach wrk	34 57
J B Clow & Sons lead for caulking	12 64
A Huntley mat & mach wrk	5 10
A Brynzel, 9-10 days lab on wat systm	1 12
G Wastra 9-10 do	1 12
S Credore 9-10 do	1 12
A d Young 18-10 do	2 25
C Woodruff 2 do	2 50
E Blom 3 1/2 do	4 68
J Fik 9 do	11 25
W Wierenga 9 do	11 25
A M Cosgrove 10 1/2 do	28 25
M Jansen tappg mains & rep tappg mach	3 00
G Winter 9 hrs ext wrk	1 62
E Winter blacksmithing	6 45

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The city marshal reported having caused a sidewalk to be constructed in front and adjacent to the sw 1/4 of lot 6, block 83, owned by Mrs. J. N. Andrews at an expense as follows:

J R Kieyn lumber	\$ 11 72
Kanters Bros nails	8 88
G Nauta labor	2 60

Approved ordered placed on file, and warrants ordered issued on the city treasurer in payment of material and labor.

The board of assessors of the city of Holland reported assessment roll of First avenue special street assessment district, No. 2, for the payment of the first installment of the special assessment made in and for said district and falling due February 1, 1896. Said roll was confirmed and directed to the city treasurer for collection, pursuant to section 25 of title XXVII of the city charter.

The city marshal reported having collected for the month of October, electric light rents amounting to \$983.81, and receipt of the city treasurer for same.—Filed.

Adjourned.

GEO. H. SIPP, Clerk.

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The Yellow Jacket Polka;
Last Night;
Beatrice;
The Sweetest Girl of All;
University Polka;
Adelaide Polka Mazurka;
Ben Bolt;
Over the Moonlit Sea;
Love's, But a Dream;
Marie Waltz, etc., etc.

All given away at

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The largest stock of Elgin watches in the city, at H. Wykhuyzen. 46 3w

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Bicycle riders, football players, and athletes generally, find a sovereign remedy for the sprains and bruises and cuts to which they are constantly liable, in Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

Only ONE WEEK MORE

In which to Buy SHOES at way down prices at

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Ladies with small feet will be given the preference.

SHOES

SIZES 2 1/2—3—3 1/2—4—4 1/2 and 5 that have heretofore been selling at \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, and \$5, of such well known makes as Mears, Pingree and Smith, Gokey & Sons and others equally as good will be offered for \$1.75

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TO BUY 50 pairs of Parks & Hazzard's goods, sizes 7—8—9—10, former price \$4.50 and \$5.00 at \$2.50 and \$3.00.

150 Pairs

CHILDS & LEE'S patent leather tips square toes in lady's sizes from 2 1/2 to 5 1/2 at \$1.50.

Saturday, Dec. 14

WILL BE the last day of the sale. A special feature on this day will be Boston Rubber Boots at the remarkable low figure of \$2.48.

These goods are standard and warranted to wear. Do not for a moment think they are old and shop worn

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That we can supply you with the most useful Christmas Gifts that are offered for Sale. Just glance over this list. Easy Chairs, Writing Desks, Upholstered Rockers, Parlor Suits, Hanging Lamps, Water Colors, Landscapes, Easels, Children's Sleighs. Look over their Stock and inquire about Prices.

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