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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. I.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1872.

NO. 7.

THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS,
PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY MORNING AT
HOLLAND, OTTAWA CO., MICH.
BY S. L. MORRIS.

Terms--\$2.00 Per Year.

Office in Harrison's Block, 8th St.

Business Directory.

Cards in this column, of three lines or less, \$2.00 per year. Each additional line 50c.

ALING, J. Bakery, Confectionery, and Provision, Cor. 7th and River Sts.

ANIS, T. E. Physician, Residence S. W. Cor. Public Square.

BROWN, A. Attorney and Notary Public, Market St.

BAKER, J. O. Manufacturer of and Dealer in Boots and Shoes, 5th St.

BREYER, DANIEL, General Dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Raisins, Canned Goods, 5th St.

BRAND, C. Restaurant, Warm meals at all hours. Choice Wines and Liquors, Eighth St.

BRENNAN, W. W. Publisher of the Holland City News, 8th St. and River St.

CLOUTING, A. Book Binder, and Dealer in Books and Stationery, River St.

DE JONG, H. Dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Groceries, Flour and Feed, 5th St.

DE RIG, J. Dealer in Hardware, Tools, Saddles, Whips, Robes, etc., 5th St.

DE VRIES, A. B. Wagon and Blacksmith Shop, Horse shoeing and all kinds of repairing done, River St.

DURAND, O. O. Dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Hats, Caps, Clothing and Feed, River St.

DUNN, F. W. Attorney and Counselor at Law and Solicitor in Chancery, Office with E. J. Harrington, in Harrison's Block, 8th St.

FLIRMAN, J. Wagon and Blacksmith Shop, Horse shoeing and all kinds of repairing done, Cash paid for Pans.

HEROLD, R. Manufacturer of and dealer in Boots and Shoes, Leather, Findings etc. 5th St.

HARRINGTON, E. J. Notary Public, Collector of Accounts, also Dealer in Lath Plaster and Lime, Office on 8th St.

HEALD, R. K. Manufacturer of Pumps, Agricultural Implements, and Commission Agent for Mowing Machines, Cor. 10th & River Sts.

HOWARD, M. D. Claim Agent, Attorney and Notary Public, River St.

JACOBSEN, S. B. Photo and Ornamental Plastering, All orders promptly attended to. Call at Residence, Cor. 15th & Maple Sts.

KANTERS, R. Dealer in Staves, Wood and Bark; Office at his Residence on 8th St.

KANTERS, L. T. & CO., Dealers in Stationery, Books, Toys, Notions and Candles, Agents for Roofing, 5th St.

KRAKER & CO., Dealers in Fresh, Salt and Smoked Meats and Vegetables, River St.

KROON, G. J. Dealer in Hardware, Stores and Farming Implements, 5th St.

KENYON, NATHAN, Banking and Collection. Office at his residence, 11th St.

MC BRIDE, G. W., Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Chancery, Office with M. D. Howard, 8th St.

POST, HENRY D., Notary Public and Insurance Agent, Notary Public and Commissioner, Collections made in Holland and vicinity, N. E. Cor. 8th and River Sts.

REYNOLDS, J. H., Proprietor of the Phoenix Hotel, 5th St. near C. & M. S. R. R. Depot.

SPIETSMA & SON, Manufacturers of and Dealers in Boots, Shoes and Findings, 8th St.

SCOTT, W. J., Plastering, Painting, Scaffolding and Moulding, River St.

TE ROLLER, G. J., General Dealer in Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Pipes, etc., 8th St.

VANDER VEEN, C. Dealer in General Hardware, Cor. River & 8th Sts.

VAN PUTTEN, W. M., Dealer in Paints, Oils, Drugs, Medicines etc., 8th St.

VAN DEN HAAR, H., Dealer in Fresh, Salt and Smoked Meats and Vegetables, 8th St.

VORST, U., Publisher of the Wachter, Organ of the W. H. Holland Gen. Church.

WALSH, HERB, Druggist and Pharmacist, A full stock of all goods pertaining to the business. See advertisement.

WALSH, M., Notary Public, Conveyancer, Insurance and Real Estate Office, 8th St.

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WIRE, M., Attorney and Counselor at Law, Office at his Residence, 8th St.

Railroads

Chicago & Mich. Lake Shore R. R.

GOING NORTH.				GOING SOUTH.			
Night Ex.	Mail.	STATIONS.	Mail.	Mail.	Ex. Ex.	Mail.	Ex. Ex.
8.30	6.18	Chicago.	8.47	6.00			
11.55	8.55	New Buffalo.	7.05	8.00			
8.50	12.70	Gr. Junction.	12.00	11.47			
4.45	1.10	Fennaville.	11.17	11.53			
	1.30	Maasius.					
5.00	1.25	Richmond.	11.00	10.50			
	1.50	E. Saginaw.	10.35				
5.50	2.25	Holland.	10.10	10.10			
	2.40	New Holland.	9.44				
	3.00	Oliver.	9.35				
	3.05	Ottawa.	9.30				
	3.20	Robinson.	9.20				
	3.35	Spoonville.	9.07				
1.30	5.40	Grand Rapids.	9.04	8.10			
5.10	7.25	Grand Rapids.	8.10	8.40			
8.40	9.07	Grand Rapids.	8.10	8.10			
9.30	9.15	Holland.	8.05	7.15			

Grand Rapids & Holland R. R.

GOING NORTH.				GOING SOUTH.			
Express.	Mail.	STATIONS.	Mail.	Express.	Mail.	Express.	Mail.
6.00	5.15	Holland.	10.00	10.00			
6.25	8.40	Zeland.	9.35	9.35			
6.40	8.57	Vriesland.	9.20	9.20			
6.55	4.15	Hudson.	9.05	9.05			
7.10	4.15	Jennings.	8.50	8.50			
7.15	4.25	Grandville.	8.45	8.45			
7.45	5.00	Gr. Rapids.	8.20	8.20			

Chicago & Mich. Lake Shore R. R.

GOING NORTH.				GOING SOUTH.			
No. 1.	No. 3.	STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.	No. 5.	No. 7.
3.45	3.45	Fort Wayne.	1.50	1.50			
3.47	3.47	Detroit.	2.47	2.47			
3.47	3.47	Portland.	4.25	4.25			
3.47	3.47	Richmond.	4.57	4.57			
3.47	3.47	Wichester.	5.21	5.21			
3.47	3.47	Richmond.	6.45	6.45			
		F. R. Myers, Gen. Pass. & Ticket Agt.					

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10.50	6.45	Mendon.	7.00	10.30			
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Our Baby.

To-day we eat the fragrant food
With trembling hands, a slender,
And lay this well-beloved of God,
Our dear dead baby, under.
Oh hearts too blindly raving!
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Our hearts are weak, yet being flesh,
Too strong for our restraining!

Sleep, darling, sleep! Cold rain shall steep
Thy little turf-made dwelling;
Thou wilt not know so far below
What winds or storms are swelling;
And birds shall sing in the warm spring,
And flowers bloom about thee;
Thou wilt not heed them love, but oh
The loneliness without thee!

Father, we will be comforted!
Thou wait the gracious Giver,
We yield her up--not dead, not dead--
To dwell with Thee forever!
Take Thou our child! Ours for a day,
Thine while the ages blossom!
This little shining head we lay
In the Redeemer's bosom!

Perdunk Village.

John Billing's Account of this Famous Hamlet.

Stranger! have you ever been to Perdunk Village, my natif place?

It is a dear little lullaby of a place, sleeping between two small mountains in the State of Pennsylvania.

It contains about 1,000 souls now, and is watered by Goose creek, which meanders thru the village as crooked and as lazy as a school boy, on his way to the district school house.

I wuz born here, and the ground on which the old house stood is thair yet. My ancestors are all here, too, but they are retired from business, an they are taking their ease, in the old graveyard, back of the little one-story church.

The red painted tavern, where, years ago, the townfolk gathered in on Sunday nights, to wet their whistles, and brag on their bush beans, and other sasses, is gon, and departed.

And Roger Williams, where is he?

Roger was the village blacksmith, and could out argy the parson on a bit of scripture; his anvil is still, and he now lives in his new house, with the rest of the old people just back of the little one-story church.

Where is Square Watkins, the justice of the peace? he is in law and the states just as easy as he did the 10 commands, his little offices, for 50 years unpainted, is now no more.

No one of his name is left, he and Roger, the blacksmith, lay side by side, just back of the little one-story church as still as death can make them.

Sue Dunham, the crazy woman, I don't see her! Poor Sue, she was not alwis welkum, but no one turned her away; a night's lodging no one refused, she was butfit still, when I was a boy, but I shrunk from the flash of her mysterious eye.

The old folks know her story, it was that old one, so often told, and so soon forgotten, 'an man's peridy!' I tell you!

Sue Dunham raves no more, but in the farthest corner just back of the little one-story church, where the dead lay the thickest, lays Sue.

A weepin willow, sown by accident, hangs over the grave, and on her bed-stone, these words almost knowed awa bi time, can be made out: Sue Dunham, aged 59.

Parson Powell, who led his flock by the side of still waters, who wet with hollowed drops at christenings, who joined wedlock, and who asked God to take the departing ones, I miss him, too; peacefully he sleeps just back of the little one-story church.

Deakon Tucker, who sold sugar bi the pound, and molassis bi the pint, who kept in whale ile and bar sope, who kept razens and razor straps, who could mezzure a yard or kottin, or kalli-kot, tew a thred, and who 4th of July, sold three fire crackers tew us boys for a penny, what haz becum of the deakon?

Years ago he fled, not far away, but cluss up tew the back wall of the little one-story church near to Parson Powell.

An odd fellow was Ez Farnham, and withal az keen at a trade az a hornet. Them az swopped hosses with Ez once didn't hanker to do it again; he was honest, but oh! how fatal to dicker. No one now, in the whole village, remembered him; he haz gone where they don't give nor git boot; they put

The Arrest of the Claimant--He is Perfectly Willing to Go--He Hands Over His Jewelry on Entering Prison.

From The London Times, March 7.

Immediately after the rising of the court at Westminster Hall, Mr. Superintendent Williamson, the head of the metropolitan detective police force, accompanied by Inspector Clark and two other officers, went to the Waterloo Hotel, in Jermyn street, and there arrested the claimant under the warrant of the Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas. They found him in a sitting room, which he has occupied there for some time, and he was joined after the arrival of the officers by one of the firm of solicitors, by whom his case has been conducted, and by a friend--a gentleman of some position. The superintendent told him that it would be his duty to apprehend him on a charge of wilful and corrupt perjury committed in the trial of "Titchborne v. Washington" at Westminster, and he handed to him the warrant of the Lord Chief Justice--a lengthy document--under which he was committed for trial on that charge at the next sessions of the Central Criminal Court, and ordered to be detained in the jail of Newgate falling his entering into recognizances to the amount of £10,000. The claimant, who displayed considerable nonchalance, expressed his willingness to accompany the officers, adding that it might cause him some temporary inconvenience, and that it was hardly fair that the case should have been stopped at that juncture. He was taken into custody. He and the superintendent went to Newgate in the claimant's brougham, and the other detectives followed in a cab. There was very little stir either at the hotel or in the neighborhood, and it was not until the carriage reached Ludgate Hill, where it was stopped by traffic, that the now well-known form of the claimant was recognized, and cries were raised of "Sir Rogers," "Arthur Orton," and "Wagga Wagga," causing considerable commotion. By the time the vehicle reached the entrance to the jail, which it did about 2 o'clock, a goodly crowd had assembled, and as the claimant and the superintendent left the carriage a cheer was raised, which the former acknowledged in his accustomed manner. Inside the jail he was asked his name in the ordinary way, and he replied, "Roger Charles Doughty Titchborne," although upon the warrant he was described as Thomas Casto, in which name he appears on the prison books. He asked also in usual form to give anything he might have upon him, and he at once handed over a quantity of jewelry which he was wearing, including a handsome watch and chain, and snuff-box, all engraved with the Titchborne coat-of-arms. He also gave up £27 in money. He was then taken to one of the cells. The warrant, which is written on many sides of foolscap, upon which the Governor of Newgate (Mr. Jonas) detains him, states, among other things, that "it appears, and does appear to me, that said Lord Chief Justice, that the said plaintiff was guilty of wilful and corrupt perjury in his said examination and evidence upon oath, and that there was and is reasonable cause for directing him to be prosecuted," and it empowers the sheriff of Middlesex to detain him in the jail of the county until the next session of Oyer and Terminer, unless previously he enters into his recognizances in £5,000, and provides sureties for other £5,000, to appear and surrender at those sessions, and not to depart the court without his leave. The sessions of the Central Criminal Court will commence on Monday, the 8th of April, and between this and then the formal indictment, specifying the various allegations of perjury upon which the prisoner will be tried, will be prepared.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1872.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

A republican State Convention, to appoint twenty-two delegates to represent this State in the National Republican Convention, to be held at Philadelphia, June 5th, 1872, to nominate candidates for President and Vice President, and also to elect a republican State Central Committee, will be held in the City of Jackson, at Union Hall, Thursday, the 10th day of May next, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The several counties will be entitled to two delegates for each Representative in the lower branch of the State Legislature; and every organized county having no representation will be entitled to one delegate.

By the resolution of 1858, no delegate will be entitled to a seat who does not reside in the county he represents. Signed by the Republican State Central Committee, Lansing, March 12, 1872.

OUR CHARTER ELECTION.

The entire Union Ticket was elected in this city last Monday by a large majority, the issue was purely local, having been engendered through the zealous efforts of some of our best citizens in promulgating the edict that "thus far thou shalt go and no farther." And now that the battle has been fought the contest ended, we will review the position and submit it to a scrutinizing public.

Some months since the Common Council of this city voted a circus the privilege of exhibiting within the limits of this city, whereupon our highly esteemed citizen the editor of *De Hope*, in the purity of his heart pronounced the Anaheim Maranatha against those who then favored or would hereafter favor the public exhibition of any show theatrical troupe or any thing of that character in this city, and (if the article was translated to us correctly) assumed to say that the question of the admission of shows in our midst should be settled at the ballot box. Our citizens not profiting by such dictation, concluded that as the constitution guaranteed to them the freedom of conscience and the right of suffrage they would willingly meet and settle the question at the ballot box the palladium of civil as well as of religious liberty.

Now, while we are willing to concede to the editor of *De Hope* and his collaborators the most pure and disinterested motives for thus forcing such an issue upon our citizens we can but think it very injudicious, tending strongly to weaken evangelical power, and to alienate from the very object which it was sought to strengthen.

So long a man is taught that he is a free moral agent, it is impracticable to attempt coercion; moral suasion is the more powerful weapon to use against a wrong. If kind and convincing arguments do not convince a man, it is more than useless, the attempt to force him. Another fact which manifested itself during the day to some extent was a spirit of nativism manifested by striking off the names of all the American candidates save for a merely nominal office upon one of the tickets, the object to be obtained we will not attempt to guess, we most deprecate any action on the part of Native or Foreign born to bring the question of nationality into political or church affairs, and regret to record that such a disposition has been manifested during the canvass. The foreigner holds his right of citizenship by the law of adoption, the native his by birth-right, either of them equally protected and respected under our laws in their rights; and the duty of all true American citizens who by birth and parentage inherit the ideas and principles of American institutions should not be eager in distributing their preferences to their kindred or nationality; the idea of nationality should be ignored in striving to obtain the greatest good for the greatest number. While the result of our local canvass indicates the liberal element as in the ascendant we shall be much mistaken in the gentlemen who are to act as our city government if they fail to justly appreciate the responsibility of their election, or in doing that which will prove the best interests of our rapidly growing city; and to our Hon. Mayor elect let us all give him that cordial support which the best interest of our city require, and if the policy pursued does not meet our approval, time and experience will convince us of our errors; when we may again resort to the only tribunal under our laws the Ballot Box for relief. The show's will come, the city will grow, the sun will shine, the church will prosper; as well under the new administration we predict, as well as under the former city government.

ELECTIONS.

HOLLAND TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

The following ticket was elected by majorities ranging from 190 to 330:

- For Supervisor, Wlepke Diekema.
- Township Clerk, Annens J. Hillebrands.
- Township Treasurer, Dirk B. K. Van Raalte.
- School Inspector, Balster van Ess.
- Justice of the Peace, Annens J. Hillebrands.
- Highway Commissioner, Derk Miedema.
- Constable, Roelof Everts.

OLIVE TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

The following ticket was elected in Olive:

- For Supervisor, Joel M. Fellows.
- Township Clerk, Wm. A. Willis.
- Township Treas., M. E. Nienhuis.
- Justice of the Peace for (full term) Charles L. Conant.

Commissioner of Highways, (full term,) William Roberts.

School Inspector, Wm. de Guisell.

Town Drain Commissioner, N. H. Phelps.

GRAND RAPIDS.

The election at Grand Rapids on Monday last, resulted in the election of the Democratic candidate Julius Houseman, by nearly 600 majority. The city treasurer is Republican, the Council stands 6 Democratic, 4 Republican.

The township of Gaines in Kent County has elected Wm. J. Hardy, a highly respected colored citizen as Supervisor.

MUSKEGON.

The Republicans of Muskegon honored themselves and their party in Muskegon yesterday, by giving C. Davis 67 maj. for Mayor. They also elected the Recorder, G. H. Outhwaite, and the Treasurer. The Common Council is a tie, four and four.

FRUITPORT.

The Republican majority in Fruitport was 65. M. B. Convers was elected Supervisor.

In Zeeland Mr. den Herder was elected as Supervisor.

THE APPORTIONMENT.

The Legislature on Tuesday, passed an apportionment bill by a vote of 52 to 40 in the House, and 20 to 10 in the Senate. The several districts are arranged as follows:

FIRST—Wayne. Population, 119,038.

SECOND—Monroe, Lenawee, Hillsdale and Washtenaw. Pop. 146,196.

THIRD—Jackson, Calhoun, Branch, Barry and Eaton. Pop. 148,212.

FOURTH—Berrien, Cass, St. Joseph, Kalamazoo and Van Buren. Pop. 143,359.

FIFTH—Allegan, Kent, Ottawa, Muskegon and Ionia. Pop. 151,734.

SIXTH—Livingston, Ingham, Oakland, Genesee, Shiawassee and Clinton. Pop. 163,074.

SEVENTH—Macomb, St. Clair, Sanilac, Lapeer, Tuscola and Huron. Pop. 122,947.

EIGHTH—Montcalm, Gratiot, Isabella, Midland, Saginaw, Gladwin, Clare, Roscommon, Ogemaw, Iosco, Oscoda, Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency, Presque Isle, Cheboygan, Bay and Emmett. Pop. 98, 659.

NINTH—Ontonagon, Houghton, Leewards, Marquette, Menominee, Delta, Schoolcraft, Chippewa, Mackinaw, Emmet, Cheboygan, Antrim, Charlevoix, Osego, Crawford, Kalkaska, Grand Traverse, Leelanaw, Benzie, Manistee, Wexford, Missaukee, Osceola, Lake, Mason, Oceana, Manistow, Newaygo, and Mecosta. Pop. 92,843.

While the Press is representing throughout the State a spirit of dissatisfaction relative to the formation of our new Congressional Districts the 5th district people should be satisfied of one thing at least, that the Legislature could not have included much more territory in this district and had enough left to form the eight remaining ones; we have seen no reason given why the 5th district should be so generously supplied with area and population, comparatively new and rapidly developing as it is, while older and more thoroughly settled portions of the state were neglected, this is a favoritism which we fail to appreciate. Are we to furnish the muscle for grinding the axes of gubernatorial aspirants or Congressional Candidates, if so perhaps this gratuity may be required, there is something somewhere; let us have it.

We learn from the *Independent* that the stock has been subscribed and an Alden Fruit Preserving establishment secured at Spring Lake. The company is soon to be organized and buildings commenced success to the enterprise.

CONNECTICUT ELECTION.

REPUBLICAN VICTORY COMPLETE—TWO THOUSAND MAJORITY.

New York, April 2.—The Connecticut election created but little excitement in the city last evening. A special dispatch from that State reports that it is probable Jewell's majority over both his opponents will be 200 or 300, and 2,000 over Hubbard. The vote is 5,000 less than last year. The Labor Reformers ran much below their computed strength, but the Temperance ticket ran well. The *World* says the Liberal Republicans did not give much support to the Democracy; that they seemed unwilling to break with the government wing until after the Cincinnati Convention.

THE MCNESTER RELIC.

Correspondent of the N. Y. Times.

OTISVILLE, N. Y., March 19, 1872.

The farm of Mr. Andrew Mitchell, about one mile from this place is, and has been for weeks, visited by very many people. The attraction is the huge and almost entire skeleton of a mastodon, which has been found by piece-meal in a swamp on his land since January last, and which has been put together by a professor from Boston, Mass. The farm which had so suddenly become famous was purchased by Mr. Mitchell some time since, and in January he hired a man to dig muck from a swamp to place on his upland, he himself being engaged in New York. The man had excavated to the depth of four feet when he came upon an enormous bone, shaped like a rib. He stopped work and informed Mr. Mitchell of his discovery, who, thinking it must have belonged to some monstrous animal, directed that deeper and more extended digging be done. At a depth of fifteen feet the pelvis, head and other large bones were found. Search has been continued until almost the entire skeleton has been exhumed, and the scientific gentleman from Boston says it is much larger than the famous remains in the Boston Museum, which was also found in this county, and which the largest known specimen of these extinct mammalia. The skeleton is in a barn on Mr. Mitchell's farm, and no train stops at this station but brings numbers of curious or scientifically inclined persons on their way to view the monster. The upper jaw and main portion of the head weigh about five hundred pounds, and measure three feet seven inches across the top. There are four teeth in the upper jaw, two on each side. The back teeth extend seven inches along the jaw-bone and are four inches across. The openings where the tusks have been, are three feet and eight inches deep, and eight inches in circumference. The vertebrae was found in forty pieces, lying together, while the pelvis was taken out whole and uninjured. The canal where the spinal cords lay when the monster was alive is five inches in circumference. Among the missing bones are the tusks, the lower jaw bone, and those of the hind legs. One bone of a leg that has been found weighs alone over 350 pounds. When the skeleton is reconstructed it will measure fourteen feet from the bottom of its feet to the top of its head, and over twenty five feet from head to tail.

Work is steadily prosecuted in the excavating in search of the missing bones. Great difficulty is met in the filling in of water, a pump of considerable capacity being worked by horse power to keep the pit clear.

A singular incident connected with the skeleton is that in its stomach was found a quantity of undigested matter. Among it were fresh-looking and very large leaves of old form, and blades of strange grass of extreme length, varying from an inch to three inches in width, and looking as if freshly cropped from the earth. The spot where the remains were found, is low marshy ground.

Parties in New York have already opened negotiations with Mr. Mitchell for the purchase of the skeleton, and he has refused \$1,500 for it.

The Assessors of Internal Revenue are now sending out blanks upon which the returns of income tax for 1871 are to be made. Heretofore persons liable to taxation have made out their return in general terms, but under a decision of Commissioner Pleasanton the Assessors now require every person to make a return of income and expenses in detail. Those whose incomes do not exceed \$2,000 a year would do well to bear in mind that the consciousness of that fact does not exempt them from certifying to their incomes for the past year.

The Midland Railroad will become a certainty to Fenton during the coming season.

ANOTHER RAILROAD PROJECT.

The Saugatuck *Commercial* is agitating the question of Rail Road and publishes a letter from F. B. Willin relative to the prospects of the Midland Road terminating at that point in view of the uncertainty of that project he says:

"There seems but to me but one course for us, and that is to complete the organization of our company here and pay in the five per cent. Then we will have a fund to operate with, to make preliminary surveys, employ an agent to get up an exhibit, meet the officers of other roads and do such other work as may from time to time be advisable. All these require money. It will cost considerable to do the preliminary work and that money should be raised before anything else is done.

From Lansing Senator Stockbridge wrote on the 22nd as follows:

"Friend Wallin: Yours of the 19th is rec'd. I in reply would say that I am heartily in favor of any steps tending toward securing a railroad to our place.

The road is already located to Fentonville and no farther, and will be built to that place this Spring. Many think that the Canada Southern will buy the Peninsular railroad and extend it to St. Clair and not build further than Fentonville, and there connect with the Peninsular, to be extended to that place. The Benton Harbor people say they will build the road from Elkhart this summer. Cannot we get that extended, by South Haven and Saugatuck to Holland?"

The views expressed by friend Wallin are undoubtedly correct, if a company is organized to construct a road from Holland to Saugatuck and can succeed in grading and tying it, we think its bonds could be negotiated for a sufficient amount to procure the iron and a small amount of rolling stock, then we have an inducement to offer any company who will fill the gap between Benton Harbor and Saugatuck; such seems to us the true theory to be adopted and we think the citizens of this city having future results in view, could do no less than favor such a scheme by assisting our neighbors at Saugatuck in promoting so desirable an object, we agree with Senator Stockbridge that Holland is the point.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Our readers will be gratified to learn that the Senate has voted to place the articles Coffee and Tea upon the free list. This will have the tendency to reduce the price of these articles. Mr. Sherman of the Finance Committee regards it as a settled fact, as the House some time ago voted by a large majority for the same thing, by this act some nineteen millions receipts arising from those articles are lost to the revenue: this is nearly the amount that Mr. Dawes Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee has estimated for the entire reduction for the year. As it now stands, taxation will probably be lessened some thirty or forty millions of dollars before the adjournment of Congress; due economy requires such a reduction of the tariff as is consistent, having due regard to the proper payment of our obligations, and the truly economical expenditures of the Government. The House of representatives acting under the quadrennial pressure for economy have done a good service for which the country should feel gratified in rejecting the appeal of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company for the increased subsidy, this gives us encouragement to hope that all other schemes of a like character will meet the same fate. Petitions for Railroad grants will probably be laid on the table. In fact Congress so far as they are doing for their constituents, seem to have struck the key note of popular requirements, and we expect much relief to the country will be given before its final adjournment. Now that the whining petitioners of Chicago are quieted and President making nearly done, we have a right to expect such legislation as will prove a relief to our common country.

STATE ITEMS.

A little over 14 miles of streets were paved in the city of Detroit last year.

Hon. Thos. D. Gilbert of Grand Rapids has been mentioned as the coming man for Governor.

The reunion of the Fifth Michigan Infantry will take place at Howell on the 28th of May next.

The ladies of St. Johns have commenced an active warfare against the liquor sellers and on Saturday evening about 25 ladies met, and resolved to prosecute all persons engaged in the traffic.

A ten-year-old boy named Randall, of Saginaw, had a small pistol cartridge in his mouth on Thursday last, when it exploded, tearing a hole about an inch long and half an inch wide through his lower lip. If he be a "Young America" he has enough "lip" to take him through the world.

Phoenix Planing Mill

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Also north 1-2, north-east 1-4 of Sec. 2, town 4, north of range 16 west, within one-half mile of Lake, for \$25.00 per acre, well timbered, good for fruit or farming.

In Filmore, south-east 1-4 of the north-west 1-4 and the south-west 1-4 of the north-east 1-4 of Sec. 27, 80 acres for \$900.00.

In Olive township, in Sec. 14 & 15, 200 acres for \$2000.00.

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WM. VANPUTTEN, 8th St. Holland, Mich.

Holland, April 6, 1872.

Local News.

Mr. N. Kenyon is preparing to build a block of two stores, corner of Eighth and River street.

Allegan County as claimed by the Democrat, has a large majority of Democrats on the Board of Supervisors.

The grading of Eighth street will be resumed as soon as the services of the Engineer can be secured, for surveying and staking the work.

Mr. J. VanLandegend is getting material on the ground for a new Store, on Eighth street, it is to be 100 feet long by 20 feet in width.

The Methodist Church of this city have purchased of Mrs. Broadmore the west half of lot No. 15 Block 39 for the purpose of erecting a new church the coming season.

The ice in our Lake is fast disappearing, sailor men are busy in getting ready for the summer campaign. Last Spring, vessels made three trips to Chicago, before the 6th of April.

John W. Hulin late a Clerk of the State Prison, has been sentenced to 5 years and six months service in the State Prison for the embezzlement of moneys while acting as such Clerk.

Ticket sales at the different stations of Mich. Lake Shore R. R. for the month of March:

Grand Haven	\$361.90
Allegan	\$44.00
Holland	\$58.00

Prof. S. F. B. Morse the father of the telegraph system died a few days since at the ripe old age of 82 years. He was one of the few men of science who live to witness the grand success of his invention. A good man has gone.

We learn that the stock for a Savings Bank in this city is nearly all subscribed, as but little is remaining to be taken, we presume the question of a Savings Bank for this city is virtually settled, we should prefer to see the Public Square improved and side walks laid.

To the Ladies of Holland and vicinity we would say that our enterprising merchant D. Bertsch has just received his spring stock of first class goods and is selling them rapidly at low figures to make room for Dolly Varden soon expected to arrive.

We expect in a few days ground will be broken for a magnificent Hotel on the corner of Eighth and Market streets. Our enterprising townsmen Messrs. Boone and Duurma are the proprietors—we will give dimensions etc. when plans are perfected.

We notice that the Boot and Shoe Emporium of J. O. Bakker is receiving a large addition of boots and shoes. Mr. Bakker is doing a successful business in his line, and parties desiring to purchase will do well to call and see him. He is obliging attentive and reliable.

Mr. A. Geerlings has perfected arrangements for building his Wind Mill, it is to be 20x45 feet in size, 32 feet in height, it will contain two run of stone, one for wheat, and one for feed; with all the modern improvements, it is to be located on Eighth street opposite the residence of R. Kanter.

In looking through our orchards a day or two since we find that the Peach buds are still uninjured, and the cold weather of March was providential inasmuch that the buds were held from enlarging, and becoming so forward as to be liable to injury by the late frosts of Spring, the indications are still, that a large yield is in store for the Horticulturist.

On Tuesday evening of this week, the store of P. & A. Steketee was entered during the night by some persons evidently not experienced in the art of burglary. They first attempted ingress by displacing a pane of glass from the window, at the rear end of the store, finding a shutter on the inside it was abandoned, and a piece cut from the panel of the rear door, which was fastened by a bolt on the inner side, the bolt was withdrawn and a barrel of sugar standing near the door, pushed aside when the way was clear. Some figs and crackers furnished their repast, when they departed. The proprietors say it is impossible to discover that any particular amount of goods were taken, evidently a few pairs of stockings were taken, as it was discovered they had thrown off their old ones. Merchants must be more cautious in securing their fastenings, as burglars are plenty, and fearless.

We notice a new sign on Harrington's building bearing the name of L. M. Comstock attorney and Counselor at law. He hails from Allegan County and comes well recommended.

The Cutler House at Grand Haven will be completed about the 1st of June. The Union says that "the owner of this magnificent hotel, Mr. Cutler, has firmly resolved that there shall be no bar in the house for the sale of intoxicating liquors. There can be no question but a bar would bring him an additional rent of from \$3,000 to \$5,000. And yet says decidedly that he can shut up the house if necessary, but he cannot and will not have a bar. We say again, all honor to man of principles."—*Detroit Republican*.

The Northern Michigan Agricultural and Mechanical Society have announced their list of premiums for speed to be given at the next fair, amounting in all to \$10,000, as follows: For 2:30 horses a purse of \$1,000; \$3,000, for four year olds; \$1,000 for 2:40 horses; \$400, for five year olds; \$1,700 for three minutes horses; \$500 for running horses, best 3 in 3; \$1,200 for 2:30 horses; \$700 for running horses best 2 in 3; \$400 for green horses, best 2 in 3; \$1,900 for horses that have never beaten 2:25, 3 in 5. The society refuses to change the date of its exhibition.

We wish to call your attention this week to the advertisement of H. Walsh. He has secured an article, of White Lead, branded as "Holland City" it is claimed to be unequalled by any other brand, prepared especially for this market; also to his complete stock of Drugs and Medicines, where may be found any thing usually kept in such establishments. Also to the advertisement of Steketee and Kims Medicines, they are having a large sale here and from the well known character of the proprietors we do not hesitate to say that if you want a patent medicine you can rely upon them as effecting what they claim for them.

UNION SCHOOL.—The Spring term of the Union School will commence Monday, April 15th. All the apartments, with one or two exceptions, will then, have been re-painted and otherwise improved. Of course this will add to the comfort and enhance the enjoyment of the pupils. When our schools are made attractive, much will be accomplished for the cause of education. The High school will be re-seated with the improved patent seats. About \$200 has been invested in apparatus which will also be ready for use at the opening of the term. From the above, it will appear that the inducements for resorting to the halls of learning, has never been superior to those now offered. Will the children and youth of Holland city appreciate them?

The following named gentlemen were elected as city officers at the Charter election on Monday last:

For Mayor, E. J. Harrington.
" Supervisor, D. Te Roller.
" Treasurer, H. Doesburg.
" Marshal, A. Woltman.
" Justice of the Peace, (full term.) M. Hoogesteger.

For Justice of the Peace, (to fill vacancy, 3 years,) G. Van Schelven.
For Justice of the Peace, (to fill vacancy, 2 years,) Geo. Lauder.
For School Inspector, Chas. Scott.
For Alderman, 1st Ward, K. Schadele.
For Alderman, 2d Ward, (full term.) J. Aling.
For Alderman, 3d Ward, (to fill vacancy,) Geo. Lauder.
For Alderman, 4th Ward, J. Dijkema.
" Alderman, 4th Ward, M. Hoogesteger.
Constable, 1st Ward, J. Haverkate.
" 2d " D. Kamperman.
" 3d " A. Woltman.
" 4th " J. Kulte.

The Unveiling of the Monument.

The Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument will be unveiled next Tuesday (April 9) and the occasion will be celebrated with imposing ceremonies. Arrangements have for sometime been in progress, and a grand stand is now in process of erection in the Campus Martius for the accommodation of those who shall participate in the exercises. The railroads have promised half fair excursion tickets to all who live outside the city. Gov. Blair is to deliver the oration, and in the morning a convention of veteran soldiers and sailors is to be held for organization of a State Soldiers' and Sailors' Association. The people of Detroit are also preparing a collation for veterans in the morning. There can be no doubt that a large crowd, including many distinguished men, will be in attendance.—*Det. Trib.*

We call the attention of those in want of good clothing cheap, to go to the Star Clothing House at Grand Rapids, see the cards in another column, they advertise liberally and can sell goods cheaper than those who do less advertising.

We notice in the Grand Haven News that at the Democratic caucus lately held in that city, in balloting for candidate for marshal our long tried Democratic friend Chas. J. Pfaff received on the first ballot 468 votes. Our Republican friends in Grand Haven can't bring out any candidate to beat Charley if that is the way he runs.

Grand Haven News.

From our own Correspondent.

There is great activity among the fishing fraternity to their part since the opening of navigation.

Pigeons were never more plenty and the temptation is so great as to entice many of our business men from their offices and shops in quest of them.

There is a great demand for tenement houses in this city and active preparations are being made for the erection of several first class residences.

Hon. George E. Hubbard (Rep.) was elected Mayor, and Sawin Gale Esq. (Rep.) was elected Treasurer at our Charter Election on Monday last. Considering the usual democratic majority of 100, the result is ominous.

Prof. Ford of Niles delivered a lecture in his usually happy style at the Presbyterian Church in this city on Wednesday evening, before the teachers attending the Institute, and an appreciative audience of citizens upon the subject of "Education."

On Thursday morning a man by the name of Lush, residing on the "West side" was accidentally shot through the palm of the right hand, occasioned by the premature discharge of his gun, while hunting pigeons. His hand was dressed by Dr. Reynolds.

The Engelman line of boats commenced their daily trips for the season on Tuesday. Navigation is now fairly opened at this port the "Little Georgia" a schooner from Cheboygan arrived here on Wednesday bringing 8 tons of baled hay upon deck and 500 bbls. of lime in her hold.

The Ottawa Co. Teachers' Institute met in this city on Wednesday morning at the High School Building and organized at ten o'clock a. m. with Superintendent Fassett in the chair and Hon. A. W. Taylor of Spring Lake acting as Secretary. The Institute is well attended by the teachers of the county, and visitors from abroad.

Inaugural Message of Mayor Harrington.

CITY OF HOLLAND, MAYOR'S OFFICE.
April 6th, 1872.

To the Common Council:
GENTLEMEN:—At this our first meeting after a warmly contested election, in which foggyism and anti-foggyism were the principle issues involved, I am happy to state that the latter issue was victorious by a large and respectable majority, and by the turn of this issue saying to the world that we as a city, mean improvement, progress and liberty in every sphere within our reach, morally sound. Our city, in point of natural advantages, has no superior on the east shore of Lake Michigan; our harbor is stated by the U.S. topographical Engineer, as one of the best on this shore in point of natural resources. The fruit lands skirting our beautiful bay or lake, are unequalled on the shore of Lake Michigan. These lands, owing to the fact that they have never been advertised for sale, can now be bought from one to two hundred per cent less than lands north or south of us on the same Fruit Belt. These advantages can not long escape the attention of capitalists, and we may reasonably expect a rapid growth both to our city and surrounding country in the future. Our railroad communications are good so far as they go, with one exception, to wit: the C. & M. L. S. R. R. still remains without a connection with our Harbor, thereby damaging their own interest as well as those who have contributed to the construction of the road. I trust this evil will soon be remedied, and that a side track will be put in by the company in time for our summer business. It may not be considered amiss at this time for me to recommend the following items of improvement for your consideration. As first, in importance I would recommend the survey and establishment of a suitable grade at once for Eighth and River street. The stakes indicating the grade should be of a more substantial character than heretofore, in order that we may discontinue this standing job, a grade survey.

2. The speedy completion of the grading now under contract on Eighth street.

3. As a sanitary measure I would recommend that the proper officers be directed without delay to inspect the premises of every person within the city limits, and enforce the ordinances relative to nuisances and they report every failure to comply with the ordinance relative to the preservation of the Public Health.

4. I would also recommend the passage of a fire ordinance, relative to the cleaning of vacant lots within our city limits that we may be the better enabled to protect ourselves from fires coming from the surrounding woods.

5. That the city Marshal be appointed Street Commissioner. The present salary of Marshal alone being so small that we cannot reasonably expect him to devote his whole time to the benefit of the city, without further compensation from some source.

6. That there be five additional wells dug near to and connected with the present wells, to be bricked up.

7. That the Board of Equalization of Taxes see that all property be taxed according to its relative value. All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. J. HARRINGTON, Mayor.

75 cents only for

men's Cottonade Pants, at the Great One Price Store of Grand Rapids, Star Clothing House.

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On account of conflicting official duties, the law copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Lowing and Tate, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All business now in our hands will be completed by the late firm, and all debts due said firm are payable to Samuel L. Tate, and all documents against said firm will be paid by him.

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"Down the Steps."

The following amusing reminiscence, connected with the history of the famous Nashville hotel, is told by the Franklin Review and Journal, which says that the principle actors are still living:

While the old inn stood on the square in Nashville, it was the favorite hotel of the traveling public. On one occasion, among the many guests assembled there were Harvey H. from Williamson county, and John G. from Mary county, intimate friends, and both convivial in their temperaments. They had bubbled freely of spirits, and were in that happy condition in which they considered the world all their own, and were rather noisy in their demonstrations. Some of the visitors complained of their noise and the proprietor, after some persuasion, induced the gentlemen to retire to bed. He conducted them to their room, saw them safely lodged in beds, waited patiently until they slept, and then drew the bed, which, as was then to some extent fashionable, was attached to the ceiling by cords, up nearly to the ceiling, raising them some nine or ten feet from the floor. Everything passed off quietly, the gentlemen sleeping soundly until 1 or 2 o'clock in the morning, when John G. who was sleeping behind, called out to his friend: "Harvey, get me the water; the pitcher is on the table there in the corner. Harvey demurred a little, but finally yielding to earnest solicitation, he threw himself out of bed, in the darkness of the room, to the floor beneath. He was unprepared for a leap, and the shock of the fall surprised him. Instantly he conjectured that he had fallen down stairs, perhaps through a trap door, so he got down on his hands and knees and commenced groping about to find some means of ascent to the room above. The delay occasioned by these movements was torture to John, who was parched up with thirst. So he called out, in language more profane than polite: 'Harvey! what are you doing?' The answer came from the depths below: 'John, I fell down stairs, and can't find the steps to get up again.' 'Well, must I come down there to show you the way up?' 'I wish you would, John, for I can't find the steps.' John, thoroughly vexed at the stupidity of his friend, sprang out of bed, when to his surprise, he found the air into the distance below, and soon found himself sprawling on the floor beside his companion. 'Harvey, I fell down stairs myself,' was his first exclamation. Then the two commenced a search for the staircase, a ladder or anything to enable them to get out of the deep abyss. Round and round they went, upon their hands and knees. They found the table, upon which they discovered a pitcher of water. Quenching their thirst, they resumed their search. Their clothing had been deposited on the foot of the bed, so this was beyond their reach, and the weather was intensely cold. They must keep moving or freeze. The weary round was kept up until the gray dawn began to break in the east, when they ascertained their true condition. Steadfastly they lowered the bed, hastily donned their clothing, and only remained long enough to pay their bill to the night clerk, when, mounting their horses, they made tracks for home."

Shingle Your Own House.

Scene, bar-room. Time, midnight. Wife: "I wish that man would go home, if he has got one to go to."

LANDLORD: "Hush! hush! he'll call for something directly."

Wife: "I wish he would make haste about it, then, for it's time every honest man was in bed."

LANDLORD: "He's taking the shingles off his house and putting them on ours."

At this time James began to come to his right senses, and commenced rubbing his eyes, and stretching himself as if he had just awoken, saying:

"I believe I will go."

"Don't be in a hurry, James," said the landlord.

"Oh, yes, I must go," said James; and he started.

After an absence of some time, the landlord met and accosted him with:

"Hello, Jim, why ain't you been down to me?"

"Why I had taken so many shingles off my house it began to leak, so I thought it time to stop the leak, and I have done it," said James.

The tavern-keeper and his wife were astonished. James is now a happy man and his wife and children are happy too.

Young man, whose house are you shingling?

How Safes are Blown Open.

The Trenton True American gives the following concerning the late robbery of the Trenton bank vault:

Mr. Lewis Lillie, now of Newark, is the manufacturer of the heavy iron work which guarded the entrance to the vault, and also the bank safe, and Mr. Stryker, President of the bank, telegraphed to him to come on and examine the place and give an opinion how the mischief was wrought. We were introduced to Mr. Lillie and shown through the vault, and had the construction of the outer and inner door, and the bank also explained. The outer door of the vault weighs one thousand pounds, and it must have taken at least five men to have laid it down by the side of the vault where it was found. The burglars first proceeded to screw on the floor what is known as a step or iron to hold a brace which is an upright bar of wood. The brace was left by the side of the door, and was viewed yesterday by many. The burglars had marked the door, near the lock, intending to break it. The lock is a combination one of more than ordinary power, but finding that wedging would answer their purpose better, they wedged powerfully from the back of the door, and succeeded in breaking the hinges and carrying away the door which held the door to the jamb on the inside. It must, Mr. Lillie thinks, have taken two hours to break away that door, which is two inches in thickness, and so heavy that it is seen at once there must have been a perfect gang in the robbery. The inside doors of the vault are simply fire proof doors, fastened by an ordinary lock, which they wrenched off without much trouble.

Mr. Lillie examined the powder that was left behind, and which was intended to be used, and he describes it as of the very finest quality of glazed powder, so fine that the thickness of a good thick piece of writing paper, which would rest anywhere on the jams of the safe, and permit the door to be shut and locked, would afford ample space for the injection of a sufficient quantity of powder of the quality the burglars left to blow open the safe. This may not be known to bankers generally, but if they will apply this to their vault doors and to their safes, they will be able to satisfy themselves whether their securities are available to burglars. It is, we are informed, a mechanical impossibility, the way safes and vault doors are generally made, to fit them as to prevent the injection of powder, without, as a great many are doing, applying India rubber packing, which will prevent it unless there is application of force.

A Thousand Dollars Saved.

It was observed of a certain covetous man that he never invited any one to dine with him.

One day a waiter of a hundred dollars I get an invitation from him, exclaiming a wag.

The waiter was accepted, and the waiter went the next day to the rich man's house about the time he was to dine, and told the servant he must immediately speak to his master, for he could save him a thousand dollars.

Sir, said the servant to his master, here is a man in a great hurry to speak to you. He says he can save you a thousand dollars.

Out came the master.

What is that, sir, said the rich man. Can you save me a thousand dollars?

Yes, sir, I can; but I see you are at dinner. I will go away and call again.

O, pray, sir, come in and take dinner with me.

I shall be troublesome.

Not at all.

The invitation was accepted.

As soon as dinner was over and the family retired.

Well, sir, I hear you have a daughter to dispose of in marriage, said the waiter.

I have, sir.

And you intend to portion her with ten thousand dollars?

I do, sir.

Why, then, let me have her, and I will take her with nine thousand dollars.

Second.—The old man rose in a passion, and the waiter retired as hastily as decorum would permit.

In Polynesia, Tahiti, the young ladies have what may be mildly designated as rather joind manners: The most beautiful and coy never will pass you without a greeting, a glance of the eyes; or else, perhaps, she will come up condescendingly, and beg the loan of your cigar, take a few puffs at it, and return it gracefully to the rather astonished owner; and then, with a parting compliment which you most likely don't understand, let you go your way in peace—or not.

The proper way to walk in Tahiti is as follows: You put your arm around her neck, and she hers around your waist, and hangs on your breast in a limpy, affectionate manner. It is as much *selon les regles* as going arm-in-arm, and much prettier to look at. So writes a correspondent, whose veracity is of the usual newspaper standard—excellent. Tahiti customs must not be imported.

The Father of His Country as an Agriculturist.

The farm of General Washington, at Mount Vernon, contained ten thousand acres of land in one body—equal to about fifteen square miles. It was divided into farms of convenient size, at the distance of two, three and five miles from the mansion house. He visited these farms every day in pleasant weather, and was constantly engaged in making experiments for the improvements of agriculture. Some idea of the extent of his farming operations may be formed from the following facts: In 1787 he had five hundred and eighty acres in grass; sowed six hundred bushels of oats; seven hundred acres with wheat—and as much more in corn, barley, potatoes, beans, peas, etc., and one hundred and fifty with turnips. His stock consisted of one hundred and forty horses; one hundred and twenty cows; two hundred and thirty six working oxen, heifers and steers, and five sheep. He constantly employed two hundred and fifty hands, and kept twenty-four ploughs going during the whole year, when the earth and the state of the weather would permit. In 1780 he slaughtered one hundred and fifty hogs for the use of his own family, and provisions for his negroes, of whose comfort he had great regard.

Home, Wife and Saturday Night.

Happy is the man who has a little home and a little angel in it of a Saturday night. A house no matter how little, providing it will hold two or so—no matter how humbly furnished, provided there is hope in it; let the winds blow; close the curtains. What if they are plain calico, with a border, tassel, or any such thing? Let the rain come down, heap up the fire. No matter if you haven't a candle to bless yourself with, for what a beautiful light glowing coal makes, rendering cloudless, shedding a sunset through the room; just light enough to talk by, not loud, as in the highways; not rapid as in the hurrying world, but softly, slowly, whisperingly, with pauses between, for the storm without and the thoughts within to fill up with. Then wheel the sofa around by the fire: no matter if the sofa is a setttee, uncushioned at that, if so it be just long enough for two and a half in it. How sweetly the music of silver bells from the time to come falls on the listening heart then. How mournfully swell the chimes of the days that are no more.—Under such circumstances and at such a time one can get at least sixty-nine and a half miles nearer "kingdom come" than any other point in this world—laid down in "Malta Brun." May be you may smile at this picture; but there is a secret between us, viz: it is a copy of a picture rudely done, but true as the Pentateuch, of an original in every human heart.

Origin of Widow-burning.

According to Dr. Cheever, who has recently written a work on "Indian Medical Jurisprudence," the ancient suttee, or self-immolation of a widow with the body of her dead husband, had its rise in the fact that Hindoo wives were by no means the weak and spiritless persons they now are, and were in the habit of poisoning their lords when neglected or affronted by them. This course of conduct was so distasteful to male Hindoos that they enacted laws making the death of the husband presumptive evidence that he had received his *quintus* at the hands of his spouse, who thereupon had to suffer death; and as the Brahminical books say in choice Sanscrit, "served her right." All this may be true; but inasmuch as Brahminical books told the woman who voluntarily sacrificed herself in this way that for her piety she should remain 35,000,000 years with her husband in Paradise, it is probable that the custom—practiced 1,400 years before the Christian era, had its rise in some less obvious and commonplace way than this. Recent examinations of the "Vedas" and the "Institutes of Menu" have shown that these books never commanded suttee, and that in some instances the Brahmins strongly disapproved of it. Still there were those 35,000,000 years of reward, the act of dying was but momentary, and women would have their will; hence the long continuance of the rite.

INSANITY IN MURDER TRIALS.—In Illinois a law is proposed which if passed would go far to put an end to the universal plea of insanity in murder trials. This proposed law provides that in case shall be tried just as if no such plea had been made. If the accused is found guilty, sentence shall be suspended, and a commission shall issue to investigate and determine the sanity of the prisoner as in other cases where the sanity of any person is involved in doubt. If found insane the prisoner is to be sent to the insane asylum. But if, at any future time, he shall be discharged as cured, he shall be sent to the State prison for the remainder of the term for which he was originally sentenced.

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Guardian's Sale.

Estate of Harlan P. Rogers, Laura E. Rogers and Adeline E. Rogers, Minors.

BY VIRTUE of power and authority to me granted by the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, I, the undersigned Guardian of said Harlan P. Rogers, Laura E. Rogers and Adeline E. Rogers, minors, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on Wednesday, the 10th day of April, A. D. 1882 at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the house of the premises below described in the Township of Holland, in the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan all the right, title and interest of said minors in the following described Real Estate, viz: All the lands in the North west quarter of the South east quarter of Section number eighteen, in Township number five, North of Range fifteen West lying on the south side of the Traverse Bay Road, and on the north side of the Traverse Bay Road, except two parcels of land, to wit: ten acres deeded by Harlan Rogers and wife to Ezra Hopkins, and seven acres to Mary Adeline Gahorne North of said land and in said North west quarter of South east quarter east from the line of the Traverse Bay Road, also one acre of the north half of the South west quarter of the South east quarter of said Section eighteen, bounded north by the north line thereof, South east by a line commencing at a point on the east line of the Traverse Bay Road, and running North easterly in such a direction as to cross the South and East line of the North west quarter of the South east quarter of said Section eighteen in the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan.

DIANNA BOSTWICK, (formerly Carpenter.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Ottawa, ss: At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said County, on Thursday the twenty second day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two. Present, Edwin Baxter, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Tisdale Bullock deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Ann T. Bullock widow of deceased representing that said Tisdale Bullock lately died testate in said County and praying among other things for the Probate of an instrument in writing heretofore filed in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and that the execution thereof may be committed to said petitioner the executrix in said will named.

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday the twenty second day of April next at one o'clock in the afternoon, 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 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 of 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.) EDWIN BAXTER, Judge of Probate.

6-8.

Judge of Probate.

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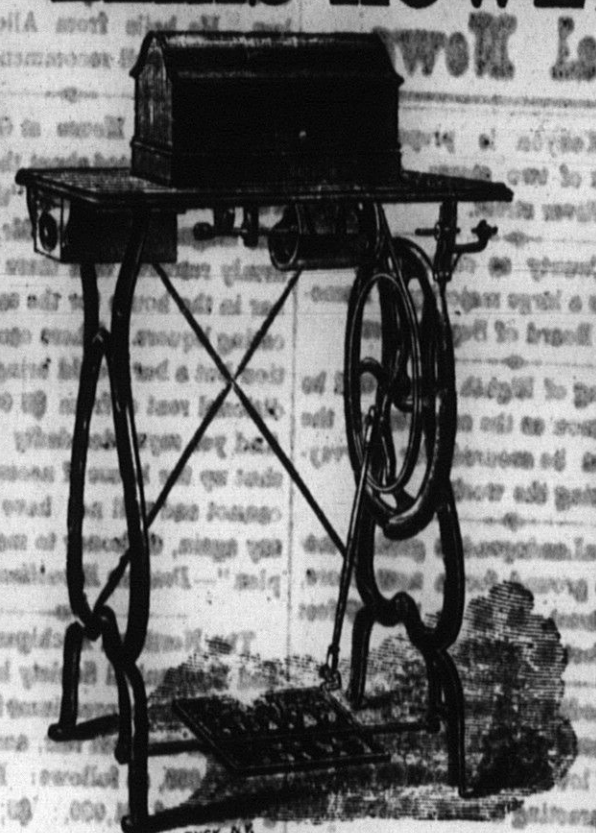
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