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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. I.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1872.

NO. 41

**THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS,**  
PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY MORNING AT  
**BY S. L. MORRIS.**  
Terms--\$2.00 Per Year.  
Office in Harrington's Block, 8th St.

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

**ANNIS, T. E., Physician, residence S. W.**  
at Public Square.

**BOONE, H., Livery and Sale Stable, Market**  
Street.

**BAKKER, J. O., Manufacturer of and dealer**  
in Boots and Shoes, Eighth street.

**BEITSCH, Daniel, General dealer in Dry**  
Goods, Yankee Notions, Hats, Caps, etc.,  
cor. Eighth and Market streets.

**BROADMORE, G. W., House painting, Glaz-**  
ing, Paper hanging, Kalsomining, etc. All  
work promptly attended to.

**CLONING, A., Book Binder, and dealer**  
in Books and Stationery, River street.

**DEVRIES, U., Dealer in Harness, Satchels,**  
Trunks, Saddles, Whips, Robes, etc.,  
Eighth street.

**DUERSEN, C. O., Dealers in Dry Goods,**  
Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Hats, Caps,  
Clothing and Feed, River street.

**ELVERDINK & WESTERHOF, General**  
dealers in Boots and Shoes; repairing neatly  
done, River street, near Packard & Woodhams.

**ELISHMAN, J., Wagon and Blacksmith Shop,**  
Horse Shoeing and all kinds of repairing  
done. Cash paid for Furs.

**HEROLD, E., Manufacturer of and dealer in**  
Boots and Shoes, Leather, Findings, etc.,  
Eighth street.

**HARRINGTON, E. J., Notary Public, col-**  
lects accounts, also dealer in Lath, Plaster  
and Lime; office on River street.

**HEALD, R. E., Manufacturer of Pumps, Ag-**  
ricultural Implements, and commission  
Agent for Mowing Machines, cor. 10th & River.

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

**JACOBUSSEN & BRO., Plain and Orna-**  
mental, Plastering; all orders promptly  
attended to; call at residence, cor. 10th & Maple.

**JOSLIN & BREYMAN, Watchmakers, Jew-**  
elers, and dealers in Fancy Goods and  
Crockery, cor. Eighth and Market streets.

**KANTERS, R., Dealer in Staves, Wood and**  
Bark; office at his residence, Eighth street.

**KANTERS, A. M., Agent for Grover and**  
Baker's Sewing Machines, Eighth street.

**KANTERS, L. T. & CO., Dealers in Books,**  
Stationery, Toys, Notions and Candles,  
opposite City Drug Store, Eighth street.

**KENVON, NATHAN, Banking and Collec-**  
tion, Drafts bought and sold, cor. Eighth  
and River streets.

**LEDEBOER, B., Physician, residence on**  
Ninth street.

**MCBRIDE, G. W., Attorney at Law and**  
Solicitor in Chancery, office with M. D.  
Howard, cor. Eighth and River streets.

**MEYER & DYKHUIS, Dealers in all kinds**  
of Furniture, Curtains, Wall Paper, Toys,  
Covers, Picture Frames, etc., River street,  
near Packard & Woodhams.

**PAWERS, T. D., Homeopathic Physician**  
and Surgeon; office at residence, 11th st.

**PLUUGGER MILLS, Panels, VanPutten &**  
Co., Manufacturers of and dealers in Lum-  
ber and Flour.

**PACKARD & WOODHAMS, Dealers in Gro-**  
ceries, Flour, Feed, Musical Instruments  
and Sheet Music, River street.

**POST, HENRY D., Real Estate and Insurance**  
Agent, Notary Public and Conveyancer, Col-  
lects moneys in Holland and vicinity, N. E. Cor.  
8th and River Sts.

**RYDER, JAMES, Proprietor of the Phoenix**  
Hotel, Ninth street, near C. & M. L. S. R.  
R. depot.

**SCOTT, W. J., Planing, Matching, Scroll-**  
sawing and Moulding, River street.

**TELLER, G. J., General dealer in To-**  
bacco, Cigars, Vt. Pipes, etc., Eighth st.

**VAN DER VEEN, E., Dealer in General**  
Hardware, cor. Eighth and River street.

**VAN PUTTEN, Wm., Dealer in Paints, Oils,**  
Drugs, Medicines, etc., cor. 8th and River st.

**VAN DER HAAR, H., Dealer in Fresh, Salt,**  
and Smoked Meats and Vegetables, 8th st.

**VORST, C., Publisher of De Waelder, organ**  
of the "Ware Holland Ger. church."

**VAN LANGE, D., Dealer in Hardware, De-**  
alers in Hardware, Tinware and Farming Im-  
plements, Eighth street.

**VORST & DALMAN, Agents of the Ethna**  
Nailless Sewing Machine, office at Vorst's  
corner River Street.

**VORST, H., Manufacturer of and dealer in**  
Harness, Trunks, Saddles and Whips,  
Eighth street.

**WALSH, H., Notary Public, Conveyancer,**  
Insurance and Real Estate Office, Eighth  
street.

**WATKINS, C. B., Watchmaker, Jeweler,**  
Eighth street; all work neatly done and  
warranted.

**WALSH, HEBER, Druggist & Pharmacist,**  
A full stock of all goods appertaining to  
the business. See advertisement.

## Chicago & Mich. Lake Shore R. R.

GOING NORTH.		GOING SOUTH.	
Stations.	Time.	Stations.	Time.
Chicago	8.30	Chicago	8.45
Gr. Junction	9.30	Gr. Junction	9.30
Fennville	10.30	Fennville	10.30
Richmond	11.30	Richmond	11.30
Holland	12.30	Holland	12.30
Grand Rapids	1.30	Grand Rapids	1.30
Albion	2.30	Albion	2.30
Port Huron	3.30	Port Huron	3.30
St. Clair	4.30	St. Clair	4.30
Hamlet	5.30	Hamlet	5.30
Marquette	6.30	Marquette	6.30
Montague	7.30	Montague	7.30
Port Huron	8.30	Port Huron	8.30

## Grand Rapids & Holland R. R.

GOING NORTH.		GOING SOUTH.	
Stations.	Time.	Stations.	Time.
Grand Rapids	8.30	Grand Rapids	8.45
Holland	9.30	Holland	9.30
Albion	10.30	Albion	10.30
Port Huron	11.30	Port Huron	11.30
St. Clair	12.30	St. Clair	12.30
Hamlet	1.30	Hamlet	1.30
Marquette	2.30	Marquette	2.30
Montague	3.30	Montague	3.30
Port Huron	4.30	Port Huron	4.30

## Mich. Lake Shore R. R.

GOING NORTH.		GOING SOUTH.	
Stations.	Time.	Stations.	Time.
Chicago	8.30	Chicago	8.45
Gr. Junction	9.30	Gr. Junction	9.30
Fennville	10.30	Fennville	10.30
Richmond	11.30	Richmond	11.30
Holland	12.30	Holland	12.30
Grand Rapids	1.30	Grand Rapids	1.30
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Montague	7.30	Montague	7.30
Port Huron	8.30	Port Huron	8.30

## Grand Rapids and Indiana

Cincinnati, Richmond & Ft. Wayne R. R.

Condensed Time Card--Nov. 11, 1872.

## GOING NORTH.

Stations.	Time.
Richmond	8.30
Newport	9.30
Winchester	10.30
Decatur	11.30
Port Wayne	12.30
Fort Wayne	1.30
Kendallville	2.30
Stratford	3.30
Mendon	4.30
Kalamazoo	5.30
Kalamazoo, D.	6.30
Montpelier	7.30
Grand Rapids	8.30
Howard City	9.30

## GOING SOUTH.

Stations.	Time.
Up, Big Rapids	8.30
Reed City	9.30
Clam Lake	10.30
Up, Big Rapids	11.30
Howard City	12.30
Grand Rapids	1.30
Montpelier	2.30
Kalamazoo	3.30
Kalamazoo, D.	4.30
Mendon	5.30
Stratford	6.30
Kendallville	7.30
Fort Wayne	8.30
Port Wayne	9.30
Decatur	10.30
Portland	11.30
Ridgeway	12.30
Winchester	1.30
Newport	2.30
Richmond	3.30

F. R. MYERS, Gen. Pass. & Ticket Agt.

## Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of payment of a certain Indenture of Mortgage, made by Arnold de Feyter, and Hermine, his wife, and Pieter de Feyter and Akke, his wife, all of Holland, Ottawa county, Michigan, on the eighth day of June, A. D. one thousand, eight hundred and seventy, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa county, State of Michigan, June 10, A. D. 1870, at 1 o'clock p. m., on page 184, of Liber P., of mortgages in said office, by which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative, on which mortgage there is now claimed to be due, three hundred and eighty-two dollars, and seventy-five cents, of principal and interest, together with an attorney fee of fifteen dollars, as in said mortgage stipulated for foreclosing said mortgage, together with the costs and charges of such foreclosure, as also provided in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings, either in law or in equity, having been commenced for the collection thereof, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the lands and premises described in said mortgage, on the third day of February, A. D. 1873, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Grand Rapids, Ottawa county, State of Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is holden, which said lands and premises are described as follows, viz: The north-west quarter of the south-east quarter of Section Thirty-five, containing forty acres, and that part of the north-east quarter of the south-west quarter of said Section Thirty-five, bounded by a line commencing at the north-east corner of the south-west quarter of Section Thirty-five, and running west six rods, thence, eighteen rods to Black Lake, thence, east, along the shore of Black Lake, six rods, thence, south, to the place of beginning, containing twenty-seven one hundredths of an acre, more or less, all situated in Township Five, north of Range sixteen West, in Ottawa county, State of Michigan.

Dated the 27th day of October, A. D. 1872.

FREDERICK M. KNAPP,

H. D. POOR, Assignee of Mortgage.

Att'y for Assignee.

## "The Land East of the Sun and West of the Moon."

Belief of John the Baptist--Discoveries in the Holy Places--Research in Meab--Beliefs of Mediaeval Pilgrims--Curiosities of the Moslems.

Late correspondence from Meab, where the British Exploration Committee is at work, gives very interesting details of the things brought to light in that impressive land. It is mentioned in the Antonine Itinerary as the station of a squadron of cavalry, became another center for exploration, and from here was made a most important and valuable discovery. The ruins of a magnificent palace, far more perfect than anything of so early a date hitherto discovered in Meab, were found on the borders of the desert, east-south-east of Heshbon, and furnish a new problem for antiquaries at home. A quadrangle of freestone includes a palace of brick; the quadrangle measures 170 yards on every side, and is furnished with semicircular bastions. On either side of the only entrance is a facade of carved work, 180 feet in length and 12 feet in height. Animals, birds, flowers, fruit and even men are chiseled with great thoroughness of work and delicacy of touch, and the whole is in a marvelous state of preservation. The vaulted roof of eight of the chambers of the palace yet remain, and the plan and details have led Mr. Ferguson to conjecture that the Persian conqueror Chosroes was the founder. Sir Henry Rawlinson questioned the soundness of this opinion, on the ground that a military invader who merely crossed this tract on his way to Egypt would not have had sufficient hold upon the country to attempt such a work. Be this as it may, the date of the building must be somewhere about A. D. 600. The Arabic name, "Union Station," gives no clue to the history of the place.

To the west of the pilgrim road already mentioned, the gorge of the Kallirhoe, the site of the hot baths where Herod the Great sought to obtain a cure, was thoroughly explored. This gorge was not unknown before, but Makaur, which from its modern name and from the resemblance of its position to the description given by Joseph, must also certainly be Macabeus, was reached for the first time. Other travelers have seen it from a distance or, more probably have had the direction of its site pointed out to them, and have then marked it erroneously on their map but Dr. Tristram's first who in modern times stood upon the spot where John the Baptist suffered imprisonment and death. The names and details of other ruined towns are far too numerous to be given; for as Mr. Stanford afterward expressed it, Dr. Tristram's report "perfectly bristled" with new facts, most of which could only be conveyed clearly by the aid of plans and illustration. We may mention, however, that a remarkable addition to our knowledge of the Dead Sea was one of the fruits of the expedition. Neither the American explorers under Lynch nor the French under the Duc de Luynes, though both parties and boats, seem to have observed the great diatomic shore of the Judean and the Moabite shore of this salt lake of the East. The western shore is well known to be a desert of glaring marl, almost entirely destitute of vegetation of any kind. It now appears that the eastern shore, owing to a different geological formation and a comparatively abundant supply of water, is not only covered with small plants and studded by deciduous trees, but has toward its northern extremity palm growing luxuriantly in the clefts of the rocks overhanging the sea itself, and climbing far up the mountains.

The annual meeting of the State Paleontological Society will be held at Grand Rapids on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 3d and 4th next. The annual election of officers will then come off, and other important business pertaining to fruit raising, some addresses and some music.

The members residing here extend an invitation to all members from abroad to come and bring their wives and daughters and offer to all such free entertainment. Also the President and Secretary are trying to secure half fare railroad fare for all who come.

Very respectfully yours,

C. J. DIETRICH, Secy.

The half fare arrangement has been made.

PLAYED OUT.--The St. Joseph Lottery has come to an end, which cannot be truthfully described as either violent or untimely. It is understood that the managers have suffered some losses. If this result discourages like illegal and demoralizing schemes hereafter, and deter the public from investing in tickets, it will have accomplished a great, though unintended good.

A BIG THING.--The gauge on the Grand Trunk Railroad, between Sarnia and Port Erie, a distance of two hundred miles, was changed on the 17th inst. from five feet six to four feet eight and a half, and all trains are running next day on regular time.

## The Fate of Benjamin F. Gunn.

His name was Benjamin F. Gunn, and he was the agent for an insurance company. He came around to my office fourteen times in one morning to see if he could not persuade me to take out a life insurance policy in his company. He used to waylay me on the street, at church, in my own house, and bore me about that policy. If I went to the opera, Gunn would buy the seat next to me, and sit there the whole evening, talking about sudden death and the advantages of the ten-year plan. If I got into a street-car, Gunn would come rushing in at the next corner, and sit by my side and drag out a lot of mortality tables, and begin to explain how I could beat his company out of a fortune. If I sat down to dinner in a restaurant, up would come Gunn, and seizing the chair next to me, he would tell a cheering anecdote about a man who insured in his company for \$50,000, only last week, and was buried yesterday. If I attended the funeral of a departed friend, and wept as they threw the earth upon his coffin, I would hear a whisper, and, turning around, there would be the indomitable Benjamin F. Gunn, bursting to say: "Poor Smith! knew him well. Insured for ten thousand in our company. Widow left in comfortable circumstances. Let me take your name. Shall I?"

He followed me everywhere; until at last I got so sick of Gunn's persecution that I left town suddenly one evening, and hid myself in a secluded country village, hoping to get rid of him. At the end of two weeks I returned, reaching home at one in the morning. I had hardly got into bed before there was a ring at the door-bell. I looked out, and there was Gunn with another person! He asked if Max Adler was at home. I said I was, the man. Mr. Gunn then observed that he expected my return, and thought he would call around about that insurance policy. He said he had the doctor with him, and it would come down he would take my name and have me insured immediately. I was too indignant to reply. I shut the window, with a slam, and went to bed again. After breakfast in the morning I opened the front door, and there was Gunn sitting on the steps with his doctor, waiting for me! He had been there all night. As I came out they seized me and tried to undress me there on the pavement, in order to examine me. I retreated and locked myself up in the garret, with orders to admit nobody to the house until I came down stairs. But Gunn wouldn't be baffled. He actually rented the house next door, and stationed himself up in the garret adjoining mine. When he got fixed he spent his time pounding on the partition and crying, "Halloo! Adler! Adler! I say! how about that policy? Want to take her now?" And then he would tell me some anecdotes about men who were cut off immediately after paying the first premium. But I paid no attention to him, and made no noise. Then he was silent for a while.

Suddenly, one morning, the trap-door of my garret was wrenched off; and, upon looking up, I saw Gunn, with the doctor and a crowbar, and a lot of death-rates, coming down the ladder at me. I fled from the house to the Presbyterian church close by, and paid the sexton twenty dollars to let me climb up to the point of the steeple and sit of the steeple. I promised him twenty more if he would exclude every body from the steeple for a week. Once safely on the ball, three hundred feet from the earth, I made myself comfortable with the thought that I had Gunn at a disadvantage, and I determined to beat him finally if I had to stay there a month. About an hour afterwards, while I was looking at the superb view to the west, I heard a rustling around on the other side of the steeple. I looked around, and there was Benjamin F. Gunn creeping up the side of that spire in a balloon, in which was the doctor and the tabular estimates of the losses of his company from the Tontine system! As soon as Gunn reached the ball he threw his grappling-iron into the shingles of the steeple, and asked me at what age my father had died, and if any of my aunts ever had the consumption or liver complaint.

Without waiting to reply, I slid down the steeple to the ground, and took the first train for the Mississippi Valley. In two weeks I was in Mexico. I determined to go to the interior, and seek some wild spot, in some elevated region, where no Gunn would ever dare to come. I got a mile, and paid a guide to lead me to the summit of Popocatepetl. We arrived at the foot of the mountain at noon. We toiled upwards for about four hours. Just before reaching the top I heard the sound of voices, and upon rounding a point of rocks, who should I see, but Benjamin F. Gunn, seated upon the very edge of the crater, explaining the downward plan to his guide, and stupefying him with a mortality table, while the doctor had the other guide a few yards off, examining him to see if he was healthy. Mr. Gunn arose and said he was glad to see me, because now we could talk over that business about the policy without fear of interruption. In a paroxysm of rage I pushed him backwards into the crater, and he fell a thousand feet below, with a heavy thud. As he struck the bottom I heard a voice screaming out something about "non-forfeiture," but there was a sudden convulsion of the mountain, a cloud of smoke, and I heard no more.

I know it was wrong. I know I had no right to kill Gunn in that manner; but he forced me to do it in self-defense, and I hope his awful fate will be a warning to other insurance agents who remain among us.

NIAGARA FALLS WITHOUT WATER.--On the 29th of March, 1848, the river presented a remarkable phenomenon. There is no record of a similar one, nor has it been observed since. The winter had been intensely cold, and the ice formed on Lake Erie was very thick. This was loosened around the shores by the warm days of the early spring. During the day a stiff easterly wind moved the whole field up the lake. About sundown the wind chopped suddenly around, and blew a gale from the west. This brought the vast tract of ice down again with such tremendous force that it filled the neck of the lake, and the outlet, so that the outflow of the water was very greatly impeded. Of course it only needed a very short space of time for the falls to drain off the water below Black Rock. The consequence was, that when we arose in the morning at Niagara, we found that our river was nearly half gone. The American channel had dwindled into a respectable creek. The British channel looked as though it had smitten with a quick consumption and was fast passing away. Far up from the head of Goat Island, and out into the Canadian rapids, the water was gone, as it was also from the lower end of Goat Island, out beyond the tower. The rocks were bare, black and forbidding. The roar of Niagara had subsided almost to a moan. The scene was desolate, and but for its novelty and the certainty that it would change before many hours, would have been gloomy and saddening. Every person who has visited Niagara will remember a beautiful jet of water about forty rods south of the outer sister in the great rapids, called, with a singular contradiction of terms, the "Leaping Rock." The writer drove a buggy from near the head of Goat Island to a point above and near to that jet. With a fog cart and four horses he had drawn from the outside of the outer island a stick of pine lumber, hewed twelve inches square and forty feet long. From the top of the middle island was drawn a still larger stick, hewed on one side and sixty feet long. There are few places on the globe where a person would be less likely to go lumbering than in the rapids of Niagara, just above the brink of the Horse-shoe fall. All the people of the neighborhood were abroad exploring recesses and cavities that had never before been exposed to mortal eyes. The writer went some distance up the shore of the river. Large fields at the muddy bottom lay bare. The singular sincipite of the waters lasted all the day, and night closed over the strange scene. But in the morning our river was restored in all its strength, beauty, and majesty, and we were glad to welcome its swelling tide once more.

Recovered Treasure from the America.

A portion of the treasure recovered from the remains of the steamer America, by divers persons, and brought to San Francisco on the Colorado, was trucked to the office of the San Francisco Assaying and Refining Works, yesterday and exposed to the gaze of a few persons. Twenty-three boxes of melted coin, weighing from 200 to 400 pounds each, were scattered about the floor of the room, and besides there were piles of bars and irregular masses of valuable metal lying around loose. Two pieces of the melted mass, with a length each of about three feet, width of eighteen inches, and weighing one hundred pounds, looked like a section of frozen clay bristling with oysters. These oysters were twenty dollars pieces, Mexican dollars and half dollars of American coinage, with dimes and half-dimes for young oysters, and iron spikes, bits of brass and steel to represent the shell-fish that are wont to burrow in the bed of the ocean, the whole forming a valuable specimen of crustacea. In some instances the coins are only welded together in rolls, and at other times they form one lava like glob. The melted matter and the coins are of a deep green color. The large bars of bullion were less affected by the fire than the coin and do not appear to have lost much in weight. The metal is to be recoined. Two twenty-dollar pieces in the lot were kindly donated to the representatives of the press, who were among the reliable persons present, and had not the coins been welded to a bar, they would have been taken away. Three hundred thousand dollars, worth of treasure, half melted, colored by fire and the action of the water, is a curiosity that few people have ever had an opportunity to see. Even the audacious and enterprising Barnum could not give such a show. San Francisco Bulletin.

## The "Old South Church."

The fire in Boston has brought the ancient edifice, known as the Old South Church, prominently into view. The report that it had fallen a prey to the terrible conflagration sent a thrill of sorrow through the heart of the whole nation. Wherever the sons of New England were to be found--and where are they not?--there were heard expressions of heartfelt grief at the destruction of this monument of the early days of old Boston. Happily, however, the ancient structure still stands, almost miraculously preserved, amid the ruins of the stately palaces of trade with which it was surrounded. But a renewed interest in the quaint and curious building is excited by its narrow escape from destruction, and a few facts relating to its history may not be out of place.

More than two hundred years ago the society which erected this church was organized. It was the third Congregational Society in Boston, and was organized in consequence of a quarrel in the First Church, in which a curious theological question was involved. The first building erected by the society was of wood. It was built on the site of the present church in 1609. In 1729 the wooden building was torn down to give place to the one still in existence. The first services held in the present building was on the 26th of April 1730 (Old Style).

Internally, this church is very quaint and interesting. Its pulpit is provided with a sounding board, and that, together with the old-fashioned high, square box-pews, its double tier of galleries--in short, its whole appearance, at once arrests the attention of the visitor and excites an interest in its history. The pages of the history of the city of Boston, before, during, and after the Revolution, are full of allusions to the Old South Church. Faneuil Hall was during the Revolution, much smaller than it is now, and it was frequently the case that meetings, too large to be accommodated there, were adjourned to the Old South. It was in this church that Joseph Warren stood and delivered his oration on the anniversary of the massacre of March 5th, 1770. In the presence of a hostile soldiery, and in defiance of those in authority, this brave man made the walls of the Old South ring with his eloquent denunciation of the murderers and oppressors of his people. It was in this church that the series of meetings was held that culminated in the destruction of the cargoes of tea in Boston Harbor. In 1775, the British soldiers, with deliberate intention to insult the people of Boston, and wound them in their tenderest sensibilities, tore out the inside of this church, established a riding school within its sacred walls, and turned it into a place for cavalry drill. They also established a grog-shop in one of the lower galleries, which were preserved for the spectators of their sport. After the events of the Revolution had driven the hated oppressors from the soil, the interior was restored and put in the condition in which, with few exceptions, it has remained ever since.

A curious custom was established in this church which has continued from 1712 to the present time. It is that of having what is called an "election sermon" preached from its pulpit, for the benefit of the members of the General Court. As soon as the two branches of the Legislature are organized the Governor is informed that the General Court is "ready to attend divine service." A procession is then formed and the State Government marches in a body to this historic building to listen to a sermon preached by a minister who has been appointed for that purpose by the preceding Legislature.

The sacred memories of two hundred years cling around this historic pile, and it is not wonderful that the hearts of New England's sons and daughters were moved to sorrow too deep for utterance when it was announced that it had fallen a prey to the devouring element. Happily it escaped, and still stands a monument to the times that tried men's souls. Detroit Union.

## GRAND LODGE ELECTION I. O. OF O. F.

An election of officers for the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of this State was held last June, the votes being cast in the several lodges. These were canvassed at Flint on Tuesday last, at the office of the Grand Master, and the result announced. The following are the officers elected for the ensuing year: M. W. G. M.--Thomas E. Doughty, East Saginaw.

M. W. D. G. M.--George W. Griggs, Grand Rapids.

M. W. G. W.--Samuel Adams, of Detroit.

M. W. G. S.--F. M. Foster, Jackson.

M. W. G. T. R. H. Morrison, Starke.

M. W. Grand Rep. Lodge of the United States--Francis H. Rankin, Flint.

For M. W. Grand Master the vote stood 412 for T. E. Doughty, and 129 for Isaac S. Smith of Detroit. The officers will be installed next February at the meeting of the Grand Lodge at that time in East Saginaw.



## HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

S. L. MORRIS, Editor.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1906

### CORRESPONDENCE

Mr. Editor:—I noticed in your issue of Nov. 10th, under heading of "Supervisor's report" a communication of J. D. H. in which the following phrase attracted my attention:

"State and County taxes are apportioned upon the value of Real estate of the different towns and cities as equalized. The enormous sum of \$93,020, of your personal effects has nothing to do therewith."

Does this correspondent of yours, thereby, wish to convey the idea that personal estate is excluded from being assessed for state and county taxes?

This idea looks to us absurd. Why? For the simple reason that, we believe, our statute clearly and distinctly declares: that State and County taxes shall be assessed upon the taxable property of &c. And taxable property as we understand it, means both, real and personal estate.

Or does he mean that the value of real estate is the basis, as equalized, for State and County taxes?

Comp. L., Vol. 1, page 297, under the heading of "Manner of assessing taxes," we read, "The Auditor General shall apportion the State tax among the several counties, in proportion to the valuation of taxable property therein." Now, if taxable property means personal as well as real estate, then your correspondent must be wrong.

Will you, Mr. Editor, be kind enough to inform us? Many of your readers will undoubtedly appreciate it.

K. SCHAEDELE.

### Success of the Illinois Minority Representation System.

The experiment of cumulative voting which was tried in Illinois at the recent election, in the choice of members of the State Legislature, and to which we have frequently called attention, has been a decided and gratifying success. The plan adopted was to divide the State into districts, each electing three members, and allow the voter to cast his three votes as he chose, for one or more of the various candidates. Thus he might give Jones, Brown and Smith one vote each, or two for Jones and one for Smith, or one and one-half each for Smith and Jones, or all three of his votes for Jones, or Smith, or Brown. The object aimed at in this plan of cumulative voting is to give the minority a fairer and fuller representation than they now have. For instance, in districts where the Republicans are in a decided minority, they can nominate only one candidate, and concentrate all their votes upon him, so that, if they number more than one-third of the voters, they are sure of having one Representative from their district who belongs to their party.

The result of this experiment has been successful. The members of the House of Representatives, chosen at the recent election are divided in politics almost exactly as the popular vote is divided between the two parties. The total Republican vote was 240,387; the total Greeley vote was 183,067. An exact proportional division of the Legislature, on this basis, would give the Republicans 87 and the Greeleyites 66. The actual result is the election of 88 Republicans, and 65 Greeleyites—about as close an approximation to a perfect representation of the popular sentiment as is possible. Moreover, in but one of the districts has either party elected three Representatives. In the other fifty districts there are either two Republican and one Democrat representative, or two Democrats and one Republican. So, in each of these districts, the people of both parties have a Representative upon the floor.

Thoughtful and patriotic citizens of both parties will rejoice at the success of this experiment in minority representation, because the defect in our present institutions, upon this point, is noteworthy and grievous. The proposition that a Legislative body, chosen by the people, ought as accurately as possible to represent the popular sentiment, is too plain to need argument in its support. There are some people, doubtless, silly and short-sighted enough to oppose the principle of minority representation because they are Republicans, and want the Republicans, now in the majority, to have as many offices as possible. But it would be better for the Republican party itself, and certainly for the country at large, as well as fairer and juster to the minority, if that minority had a representation in Congress and in the State Legislatures proportionate to its popular vote. A strong and active minority is, paradoxical as it may appear, a good thing for the majority itself. It keeps it vigilant and active, prevents it from attempting unwise or extravagant measures, and, upon the whole, exercises a wholesome restraint upon it.

Another incidental result of the Illinois system is the freedom which it gives the voter of distinguishing between worthy and unworthy candidates and cumulating votes against the unworthy. This influence will react upon conventions, and will naturally tend to secure the nomination of the best men, in order to insure their election by the people.—*Detroit Tribune.*

### THE FINEST MILL IN MICHIGAN.

A Heavy Operator—Capt. E. B. Ward on this Lake Shore.

From the Mackinac Chronicle we gather the following items relative to the operation of Capt. E. B. Ward at Ludington:

Two large saw-mills and the improvements, in the vicinity of the same, constitute his property on Pere Marquette lake. They are friction mills, the power being transmitted not by belts, but by the impact of faces direct from the engine. The "old mill" is hardly two years in service.

THE NEW MILL commenced early in the summer of 1872, was completed and started in September of the same year. An idea of its appearance may be partially understood from a description, an understanding of its capacity the figures following will confer: Main building 60x180 feet, and 16 feet between floors, engine and boiler room 56x71 feet, seven boilers 48 inches in diameter and 30 feet in length, chimney of brick 14 feet in diameter at base reduced to 10 feet at the top and height of 122 feet, forming 70 inch flue with hollow walls, four boilers on one side of the stack and three on the other, one engine 36x34 with massive frame, flange of same being 24 inch in thickness and fully 2 inches in the web, engine and boilers built by the Detroit Locomotive Works, shaft of engine 10 inches in diameter.

Machinery driven by the friction-pulleys 11 feet in diameter and 32 inch face. Revolutions of engine 90 per minute. Mr. Spencer, Foreman, and Hamilton Johnson, Engineer.

THE PUMP ROOM is situated in the rear of the chimney and between the boiler-arches. Here are placed two Blake steam-pumps, a No. 7 and No. 9, arranged so that either may pump boilers or work with hose attached as required. Iron pipes from 5 to 2 inches and less in size are attached for different purposes, making in the aggregate a length of two thousand feet of pipe. At short spaces about the building and its roof, valves with hose connections are placed upon the pump discharge-pipes, and short lengths of hose ready to hand. Added to these appliances for protection a Chemical Fire Engine of the largest pattern is stationed upon the premises.

OUTFIT OF SAWS AND SPEED OF SAME. One circular mill 52 inch saw, 900 revolutions per minute, 6 inch feed and gig 900 feet per minute. One Circular mill 56 inch saw, 900 revolutions per minute, with top saw of 30 inches. One gang of 42 saws built by Brown & Struthers, of Warren, Penn., upright iron frame very heavy, crank in centre of gang-shaft, diameter of shaft 9 inches, diameter of crank-pin 8 inches, drive-pulleys on crank-shaft 60 inches in diameter and 20 inch face. Shaft in double bearings two on each side. Gang is driven by two 18 inch face double leather belts. Two gang edgers with 5 saws each 1900 revolution per minute. Two slab saws and two trimming saws 1200 revolutions.

The lath and picket room is 36x60 feet in size. THE MAIN FILKING ROOM is centrally located on an elevated and raised platform floor, in dimensions 37x40, just below a large cupola of octagonal form which surmounts the centre of the mill-roof. On each side of the cupola are windows twelve feet in length affording what is much needed in great work-shop, light and ventilation in no stinted measure.

STONE AND BRICK. Of this material 250 cords of stone were used in the foundations, and 400,000 brick, in fire-room and chimney.

In the manufacture of lumber the mill will average 160,000 feet per day. Many portions of the building and its surroundings display a finish not usually obtained in such establishments, while the all important features of a good mill, making lumber and plenty of it have been secured. During a run of 94 hours this present fall, with everything new and stiff and the "circulars" alone running, 124,000 was cut, the engine being speeded to 80 turns, its regular speed being ninety. The proportions of the mill and the character of the work upon it, reflect much credit upon the builder.

MR. SAMUEL MAFFET, a citizen of Michigan, and his Foreman Mr. William Brough, both millwrights of sterling ability. The drawings were prepared by Mr. Maffet, and his personal supervision given to much of the work, while every detail in its construction received the attention of Mr. Brough, who is now engaged in finishing a new mill for Geo. W. Roby & Co., at the same place. Ward's mill will be ready for an early Spring opening, as it "shuts down" with everything in order. Parties from New York and Chicago having in contemplation the erection of a mill on the Perdue river in Southern Florida, visited Ludington, during the past summer, and after a thorough investigation of the works, contracted with Mr. Maffet for the construction of a belt-mill of the same size and the same number of saws. Upon that work he is at present engaged with a force of Northern mechanics, and the Floridians, who are notable behind the age in such business, will receive a gigantic push ahead.

IN THE VICINITY OF WARD'S MILL costly improvements of a substantial elaborate and comprehensive character have been made, going to show that the Captain has come to stay, and the people of that young city may congratulate themselves upon the fact. Rows of handsome cottages, uniform in size, desirable dwelling, places completely finished and well lighted, are occupied by the men; and a hospital building, where the victims of accidents and the

sick will find due consideration and care, is also to be erected. Those arrangements have been made under the direction of

MILTON WARD, who has personally supervised his father's enterprises at Ludington from their inception, and since the commencement of the new mill has been charged with the control, the active management and the responsibility inseparable from such duties. He is quite a young man but is unremitting and keen in his application and attention to the cares of an immense business. In the art of building and running sawmills he is much more than a student, which fact we are aware has been voluntarily recognized by practical men. A few rods from his villa of cottages, his own residence, a building characteristic of the taste and liberality of its owner stands among the trees, while among his out-buildings a stable containing some rare horses, is exceptional in finish and style. Here, even the dangers of the universal Epidemic must be mitigated by the presence of every provision which consideration and humane treatment for dumb animals should dictate.

COST OF IMPROVEMENTS. The new mill, mill-boom, residence, cottages and barn, foot up to \$128,000. Six barges for lumber transportation, \$110,000. Iron tug-boat for towing same, \$100,000. The old mill, \$70,000.

PINE LANDS. Capt. Ward owns in Mason, Lake, and Oceana Counties, seventy thousand acres of pine lands, located from 12 to 40 miles east from Ludington, and has booming room for 80,000,000 feet.

THE MARKET FOR HIS LUDINGTON MILLS will be situated at Milwaukee where a water frontage of one and a half mile is secured. There a yard will be established and a tug-boat now building of plate-steel, will receive the barges on their arrival, thus saving time in handling the same, and not requiring the large tug to enter the harbor. Such is a passing history of what one man is doing, and is about to do. A little over two years since Capt. Ward visited Muskegon, and spent some time looking over and through our mills. His mind was then big with mighty projects, some of them a substantial reality to-day. On the lakes he was a monarch among steamboat owners; in Western Michigan he has but commenced. He possesses and deserves to have an industrial empire of his own, for thousands share the fruits of his sleepless energy and imperial enterprise.

HOPE COLLEGE.—There is a larger number of students in attendance this year than last. In the three departments, Theological, Academic or Collegiate, and Preparatory, there are ninety; ten in the first, twenty-five in the second, and fifty-five in the last. The instructors are ten. The President, Dr. Phelps, is not teaching at present. Those engaged in that work are Profs. Beck, Scott, Crispell and Doesburg; Assistant Profs. Shields, Moerdijk, and Kollen; Rev. Mr. Stewart, Pieters and Van der Veen give several hours instruction each week. There are forty recitations of an hour each heard every day. The departments are well defined: the course of study established, and aims to be comprehensive without going to an extreme and attempting "to cram." As a rule the students are gentlemanly and diligent; having come for the purpose of study they attend to it, and would consider it dishonorable to engage in the disgraceful escapades so common at most colleges. Occasionally a "traitor gets into the camp," but he finds the company so uncongenial that his sojourn is limited. And yet the young gentlemen are not, as it was once unfairly alleged of the Rugby undergraduates, "a solemn array," "boys turned into men before their time," "a semi-sacred fraternalism," "a set of young square-toes, who wear long-fingered, black gloves, and talk with a snuffle." Far from it. "They lose nothing of the boy that is worth keeping, but strive to build the man upon it." The present school term closes Dec. 24th. The next term begins Jan. 7th, 1873.

MR. GREELEY.—The health of Horace Greeley has been very poor since the death of his wife; during the last days of her sickness he had but very little sleep, the loss of which, together with the great anxiety attending her dissolution produced such a nervous prostration as to seriously disturb his health, and parties have been ungenerous enough to charge him insane. Men's appetites must become very morbid when they relish such food for slander. Should Mr. Greeley become insane it would leave a vacancy not easily filled, and the country would mourn the loss of one of its greatest philosophers. Shame on the men who would gloat over the downfall of such a man as Horace Greeley.

The Lansing Republican announces that Volume II. of the Compiled Laws is completed and is being issued from the press of the State printers during the present week. It makes 2,564 pages being 778 pages more than the Compiled Laws of 1859. Volume XXIII. of Michigan Supreme Courts Reports, being the first volume prepared by Hoyt Post, Esq., reporter, is also published this week.

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## Special Notices.

### F. & A. M.

There will be a special communication of Unity Lodge of F. & A. M. on Wednesday evening, December 4, at their Hall in this city for the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting. It is hoped that every member may be present.

By order of W. M.

### I. O. O. F.

Holland City Lodge, No. 192, meets every Tuesday evening, at 7 1/4 o'clock, in Masonic Hall, on Eighth street. Visiting brothers are cordially invited.

Overcoats \$5.00 to \$25.00 at the Star Clothing House, Grand Rapids. 39

Choice Cigars at H. Walsh's City Drug Store. 4-21.

Holland, November 30, 1872.

## Local News.

Hon. W. A. Howard, of Grand Rapids, has been elected President of the Northern Pacific Railroad—a compliment to Michigan.

The Grand Haven Herald says "that one or the men in Sprick's stable is said to be affected with a sickness resembling in every particular the epizootic."

THANKSGIVING.—The usual religious services were held in this city Thanksgiving day, but owing to the terrible storm prevailing, meetings were but slimly attended.

CONGRESS.—The National Legislature meets on Wednesday next, the 2d day of December. We hope to be able to place the message before our readers with our next issue.

WRECKED.—We learn that on Thanksgiving day the schooner Delawar was wrecked about six miles off from this harbor; all hands saved. She was loaded with wheat, bound from Chicago to Buffalo. No further particulars.

THE REFORMED CHURCH.—The whole number of ordained ministers in the State, 30; in Ottawa County, 18. Whole number belonging to the True Reformed Church in the State, 5; in the County, 3; Total in the County, 21.

MEANS BUSINESS.—The Messrs. Levi Bro. of the Star Clothing House, Grand Rapids, believe in the liberal use of printers ink, and act accordingly. The duller the times the more they advertise and prosper. Will our merchants take notice, see their advertisement on 3rd page of this week's News.

ACCIDENT.—Mrs. Brennan, at the Phoenix Hotel, met with a serious accident last Wednesday, while coming down stairs with a large pitcher in her hand, her foot caught in her dress, throwing her to the bottom of the stairs, her face striking the pitcher just above the eye, making an ugly wound, and bruising her about the face. Her wrist was also badly sprained.

The Superintendent's report for this month (Nov.) contains the following items of general interest concerning our Public Schools: Number of pupils enrolled in the High School dept., 24; number enrolled in the Grammar dept., 54; number enrolled in the Intermediate dept., 135; number enrolled in Primary depts., 304; total, 537; average daily attendance, 413.

JAY GOULD ARRESTED.—At last news reaches us that daylight is dawning for the directors of the Erie railroad. On the 23d inst., at the suit of P. H. Watson, President of the company, Jay Gould was arrested, bound on an affidavit which charges Gould with wrongfully taking and appropriating to his own use, \$9,500,000 of money belonging to the stockholders.

DONATION.—The donation for the benefit of Rev. J. Rice Taylor at the residence of Heber Walsh, Esq., Tuesday evening last passed off very pleasantly; about seventy-five persons were present. The Rev. gentleman was well pleased with the substantial tokens of regard tendered him during the evening. We have not learned the amount received, but that it was quite satisfactory.

At Grand Haven, on Tuesday last, the Washington street Holland church was dedicated. The afternoon exercises were conducted by Rev. A. C. Van Raalte, of this city. The evening services were opened with singing a hymn by the Presbyterian choir; prayer by Rev. A. T. Stewart, of this city; church history by Rev. E. Van der Hart; sermon by Rev. C. Van der Veen. The church, on both occasions, was crowded to its utmost capacity. The sum collected by contributions, was \$190.00.

Are we to have any lectures this winter? We notice that in nearly every city and village in the State preparation are making for a course of lectures. Already many associations have made arrangements for a full course; we have heard of no such efforts being made here. Where is our Young Men's Christian Association, and what is it doing? What is any one doing to secure literary entertainment? Absolutely nothing! with a population of between 3,000 and 4,000 souls not a move is being made of any kind to supply our young folks with any kind of literary entertainment; either supply them with such a treat, for the long winter evenings or more saloons will be needed.

The Pentwater News, of last week, says that four bodies washed ashore in the vicinity of that place, three of them have been identified as passengers of the ill-fated steamer, Lac La Belle. The first was a man, apparently about forty years of age, 5 feet 10 inches in height, and would weigh from one hundred and sixty, to one hundred and eighty pounds, with black hair, and whiskers slightly tinged with grey. Nothing was found upon his person but a black handled, three-bladed knife, a lead pencil, and a piece of white metal watch chain, with bar attached. Another body was found on the beach which from papers found in the pockets, appears to be that of a person named W. H. Straight. An inquest was held Nov. 16th, at Little Point Au Sauble, upon the body of a colored man, supposed to be the body of Henry Sparks. There was found in the side pocket of his coat, two letters, dated Milwaukee, Oct. 18th, 1872. One was a letter of recommendation as a first class cook, the other was from a person signing her name as Emma Sprague. No valuables were found upon the body. The verdict of the jury in the above case, was accidental drowning, by the sinking of the steamer Lac La Belle, Oct. 13, or 14, 1872.

BREAD SOWN UPON THE ROCK.—While our sister towns about us have responded to those who suffered by the Boston fire, our city has remained deaf to appeal of suffering humanity; no united effort has been made to raise our mite toward relieving our friends in Boston, who so gallantly came to our rescue a little more than a twelve month since. It is not so long since, but, that we can well remember the joyous palpitations of our heart, as a delegation of Boston gentlemen met with us in our Town Hall, and assured us that with willing hearts they had opened their purses, to relieve our suffering, and with gratitude did we receive the large donations which poured in upon us, but for which many citizens would have suffered severely. How do we now indicate our appreciation of such christian magnanimity, with a people suffering as we suffered. Do we verify the teaching that "if bread be cast upon the waters after many days it shall return." Shame upon the "Uriah Heeps" who will sell soul and reputation for paltry self. Shame upon ourselves if we will allow the fair fame of our city to become a by word and reproach, by neglecting to take measures to show that our sympathy and our mite shall be a slight recompense to those who came so gallantly to our rescue.

THE HEN FEVER.—The unwelcome tidings comes to us through our exchanges that an epidemic has broken out among the poultry in various parts of the country. In many States of the East, it is reported as very severe, and that fowls are dying by the thousands. It has broken out with great violence in Detroit, nearly all the chickens in the city are affected with it and hundreds have died. The first appearance of this disease presents itself in the form of black spots, of a watery appearance on the combs; subsequently similar spots are visible about the eyes and mouth, and in a short time their mouths become filled with corrupt matter and so badly swollen and decayed that eating becomes utterly impossible and breathing is performed with the greatest difficulty. The discharges from the mouth and nostrils are similar to that so noticeable in the horse disease. The condition of the mouth is said to be indescribable. It becomes filled with a nauseous mucous matter, and the tongue is so badly swollen that the bill is forced wide open. In this condition, they struggle for breath until death ends the scene. The only remedy tried and available is burnt alum. By filling the mouth with this, the symptoms are pacified. A marked feature of the disease is, that fowls which do not present the outward signs of the disease, have been killed, and found to be one mass of corruption so that there is great danger in eating chickens, as the disease may be communicated to man. Geese, turkeys and ducks have not as yet shown any signs of the disease, but it is better to refrain from eating them until more is known about the disease.

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Notice of Attachment.  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Circuit Court  
for the County of Ottawa.  
NATHAN KENYON, Plaintiff.  
vs.  
PETER D. CORNUÉ, Defendant.  
Notice is hereby given that, on the twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. 1872, a writ of attachment was duly issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, at the suit of Nathan Kenyon, the above named plaintiff, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, money and effects, of Peter D. Cornue, the above named defendant, for the sum of one hundred seventy-eight dollars, which writ was returnable the fourth Tuesday of October, A. D. 1872.  
EDWIN BAXTER, Attorney for Plaintiff.  
Dated, November 8th, 1872. 29-45

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## The Great Boston Fire!

Statement of the Condition of the  
Insurance Company  
OF  
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Organized A. D. 1794.  
Over 18 Years Successful Battling with  
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Capital and Surplus, Nov. 11, 1872.

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THE NET SURPLUS, over all Liabilities, including Capital Re-insurance, Reserve and Boston Losses, is a QUARTER MILLION DOLLARS, which is the

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ALWAYS SAFE AND RELIABLE  
For Policies apply to  
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Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded

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ALL WORK WARRANTED.

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Why? Because it is the oldest Ins. Co. in the United States.

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Holland, Mich.

New Rail Road to Town!

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GOODS CHEAPER THAN EVER

BURNED OUT but not DESTROYED

I have re-built at my old stand and am ready to supply my Customers with as complete an assortment of

BOOTS, SHOES AND FINDINGS

As can be found in Western Michigan.

A FULL LINE OF

CUSTOM MADE

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ALWAYS ON HAND.

The most competent Workmen constantly employed. All work made up in the latest style and with dispatch.

Particular Attention paid to Repairing

E. HEROLD,  
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New Store! New Goods!

P. & A. STEKETEE

Have opened a large and we selected Stock of

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

CHOCOLATE,

GLASS-WARE,

HATS AND CAPS,

BOOTS & SHOES

Etc., Etc

where may be found at all times, at

BRICK STORE

E. J. HARRINGTON

where may be found at all times, at

Wholesale or Retail

Goods of the Best Quality and at

CASH PRICES.

Remember the place and call Early



# PIONEER BAKERY AND BOOK-STORE.

The undersigned would respectfully inform his old customers that he is again ready to serve his friends from a full supply of

## FRESH BREAD

## CAKES

Pies, and every article usually kept in a First Class Bakery.

With a full assortment of Candies

Also a full line of

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Papers Etc.

Miscellaneous Books, in Holland and American languages; Pocket Books, Diaries, Stereoscopic Views, and Albums, together with a large variety of

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Call and see my stock before purchasing elsewhere.

H. J. BINKHANT.

# CITY BAKERY

## EIGHTH STREET.

The undersigned would respectfully recommend themselves to the patronage of the citizens of Holland and vicinity. By respectful treatment and good articles, they hope to make themselves worthy of the same respect which their deceased father enjoyed to such a great degree.

They will have on hand, at all times:

Bread, Cakes,  
Cookies, Biscuits,  
Crackers, Pies,  
Candies, Nuts,  
Canned Fruits, Demonade,  
Holland Herring, Cigars,

## FLAVORING EXTRACTS ETC.

We have rooms set apart for those wishing to take their meals with us.

## Orders Specially Filled.

Coffee and Tea made when requested.

21-1. H. J. PESSINK & BRO.

# L. SPANNA & SON

## HVS RE-BUILT THEIR

# BOOT & SHOE STORE

## AT THE OLD STAND,

where they have on hand a choice stock of

## BOOTS & SHOES,

Which they will sell at

Grand Rapids Prices.

## CUSTOM WORK AND REPAIRING

Done at short notice.

Cash Paid, for Hides.

25-1. Eighth street, Holland.

# ATTENTION!

## Carriage Making,

## AND

## BLACKSMITHING.

# JACOB FLEMAN

Has re-opened his carriage and wagon manufactory at his old stand on River street, where he may be found, ready at all times to make anything in the line of

# Top or Open Buggies

## Light & Heavy Wagons,

## Sleighs, Trucks, Etc., Etc.

A good assortment of Thimble Skins always on hand.

Warranted Seat Springs of any shape or style

I use nothing but

## THOROUGHLY SEASONED LUMBER.

Spokes and Hubs are manufactured from

Good North Hard Pine

## All Work Warranted.

General Blacksmithing done with neatness and dispatch.

## Horse Shoeing a Speciality

Thanking my old customers for past favors, solicit a call from them and as many new as will patronize my line.

J. FLEMAN.

# J. A. LEGGAT.

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# EAGLE HOTEL,

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## STRICTLY TEMPERANCE

Good Stabling in Connection.

# Rathbun House,

## MONROE STREET,

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This House has been recently re-fitted.

## First Class Style.

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# FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will sell his House and Lot, situated on Twelfth street. It is pleasantly located, good new house. Terms made known by applying to the undersigned. Title guaranteed.

ANDREW THOMPSON.  
Holland, April 27, 1872

# DE VRIES & BRO..

Have just opened a Large and well Selected Stock of

DRY GOODS,  
GROCERIES,  
CROCKERY,  
HATS & CAPS,  
which they are offering at prices that defy competition.

Also a complete Stock of

# FLOUR & FEED

ALWAYS ON HAND.

All goods purchased of us will be

# Delivered Free!

to any part of the city.

Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere, as our New Store on River Street, next to Van Patten's Drug Store,

# I WANT

Everybody who wishes to purchase PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH, BRUSHES, GLASS etc. to call and examine my stock. The

# Holland City White Lead

made in New York, expressly for my own trade cannot be surpassed. It is warranted superior to any White Lead in this market, and is sold at a much less price. My stock is purchased in large quantities of first hands, saving all jobbers' profits, and can, therefore, afford to sell below my neighbors.

Remember—I am not to be undersold by any House in the State of Michigan. Call and see.

HEBER WALSH,  
Druggist & Pharmacist.  
4-30.

# City Drug Store

## HEBER WALSH,

(DRUGGIST & PHARMACEUT.)

## WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN

DRUGS,  
PAINTS,  
GLASS,  
BRUSHES,  
PATENT MEDICINES,  
SUPPORTERS,  
FANCY GOODS,

MEDICINES,  
OILS,  
PUTTY,  
PERFUMERY,  
TRUSSERS,  
SHOULDER BRACES,  
ROOTS & HERBS.

Pure wines and Liquors for medicinal use only, and all other articles usually kept in a

# First Class Drug Store.

I have the largest and most complete stock of goods in Western Michigan, all purchased for Cash, from FIRST HANDS, selected with great care and shall sell at reasonable profits.

HEBER WALSH,  
Druggist & Pharmacist,  
of 27 years practical experience.

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# Werkman & Sons

have built a new store near the site of the one destroyed, where now may be found an entire new stock of

# DRY GOODS,

## GROCERIES,

Flour & Feed,  
Graham, Chicken Feed,

# Provisions,

Also Prepared Holland Mustard,  
HATS & CAPS, GLASS-WARE ETC

A FULL LINE OF

# Yankee Notions.

We sell at our own Price, which is lower than

Grand Rapids or Chicago.

AND WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD.

Please give us a call. No trouble to show our goods

Tin Highest Price Paid for Butter & Eggs

Goods delivered Free within city limits

# Ready Again!

AT THE STORE OF

## H. MEENGES,

On River St., nearly opposite the  
Grounds Office, where all  
kinds of choice

# Family Groceries

## Crockery,

## GLASS-WARE,

## ETC., ETC..

may be found

# Yankee Notions,

## FLOUR & FEED

at all times.

# VEGETABLES,

In their seasons, at lowest prices.

Cash Paid for Butter, Eggs & Vegetables

1-1. River St., Holland, Mich.

# CASE PAID FOR WHEAT!

J. E. HIGGINS,  
AGENT AT THE  
Mich. Lake Shore Depot

is prepared to pay the

# Highest Cash Price For

## WHEAT!

Farmers can save money by selling their Wheat at the Depot.

27-1.

# FOR

# BOOTS & SHOES,

Rubbers, Boot Paces,

SLIPPERS, CHILDREN'S SHOES &c.,

CALL AT THE

# New Brick Store

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# Bakker & Van Raalte.

The largest Boot & Shoe Emporium in

# WESTERN MICHIGAN

We manufacture to a great extent our own work, which cannot be excelled for

Neatness & Durability.

OUR PRICES ARE LOWER

Than in any other Town in the State.

Convinced at Once.

Eighth Street,

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Near Walsh's Drug Store.

RAKKER & VAN RAALTE.

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# FRUIT TREES,

## Ornamental Trees,

## GRAPE VINES,

## Shrubs, Roses &c.

## FALL OF 1872.

# Grand Rapids Nurseries,

## LINDERMAN & MERRIMAN,

## PTOPRIETORS.

P. O. Drawer 2626, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Nurseries on College Avenue, 3/4 mile east of city limits, with branch at Big Rapids.

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## APPLE TREES.

Two, three and four years old, standing from 3 to 7 feet high, and includes among other

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BALDWIN, WAGNER, RHODE ISLAND GREENING, KING OF THOMPSONS CO., NORTHERN SPY, PECK'S PLEASANT, FALL-AWATER, GOLDEN RUSSETT, E. SPITZENBURG, RAMBO, BAILEY'S SWEET, GRIMES' GOLDEN, WINE SAP, SWAAR, TALMAN'S SWEET ETC.

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FALL PIPPIN, MAIDEN'S BLUSH, FALL WINE, DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG ETC.

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EARLY HARVEST SWEET BOUGH, RED ASTRICHAN ETC.

# CRAB.

TRANSCENDENT, HYSLOP, MON-TREAL, BEAUTY ETC.

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EARLY CRAWFORD, LATE CRAW-FORD, BARNARD, MOUNTAIN ROSE, EARLY RABERPE ETC.

Pears, Cherries, Plums, Apricots, Nectarines etc., in variety.

# Ornamental Trees.

## In full stock.

## Shrubs and Roses,

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Our object is to present to the people of this State First Class Stock, TRUE TO NAME, grown at home, and

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# WM. H. FINCH

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

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Manufacturers of

COPPER,  
TIN AND  
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LEAD AND IRON PIPES,

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PORTABLE AND STATIONARY

# Hot Air Furnaces

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Of all kinds constantly, and.

All kinds of Re-sinzing done at short notice

8th St., Holland, Mich.

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## Flour, Feed Etc.

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## UNITY MILLS,

## ZEELAND, MICH.

Mr. Workman, at Holland sells all kinds of their stuff.

# A. CLOETINGH,

## General Dealer in

School Books,  
Stationery,  
Wall Paper,  
Window Shades,  
Envelopes,  
Inks,  
Writing Books,

Pens,  
Pencils,  
Albums,  
Memorandum Books,  
Diaries,  
Slates,  
Slate Pencils,

# Stereoscopes and Views,

# CHECKER BOARDS

TOYS AND CANDIES.

22-1. A. CLOETINGH.

# CITY DRY GOODS STORE

# D. BERTSCH

Opened the first stock of

# FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS

NOTIONS, HATS, CAPS, GENTS

# Furnishing Goods

Etc., Etc.

Brought to Holland after the great fire. These goods he will sell at

# Grand Rapids Prices.

CALL AT HIS

# NEW STORE,

Corner of Market and Eighth Streets,  
Holland, Mich.

# TEROLLER & LABOTS,

Dealers in

# Dry Goods, Groceries and CROCKERY.

Broadcloths and Cassimeres

on hand, and Clothing made to order.

Corner of Ninth and Market Streets, Holland.

# TE ROLLER & LABOTS,

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# Variety and Jewelry Store!

# JOSLIN & BREYMAN,

Have on hand a constantly replenished, carefully selected and ever fresh stock of

CLOCKS, WATCHES, JEWELRY,

# TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY.

# SILVER SETS,

Have on hand a constantly replenished, carefully selected and ever fresh stock of

# FANCY TOYS,

# Solid Silver,

# SILVER PLATED WARE,

# MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, & NOTIONS.

Call on us and you may be sure the appearance, prices and quality of our Goods will suit you. We are ready to repair

WATCHES, CLOCKS OR JEWELRY

In a Thoroughly Satisfactory Manner.

JOSLIN & BREYMAN,  
Cor. 8th and Market St., Holland, Mich. 1-

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## PROPRIETOR OF THE

## Valley City House

176 SOUTH DIVISION STREET,  
Grand Rapids, Michigan.



No Person can take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison in other means, and the vital organs are not wasted beyond the point of repair.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Head-ache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation, Flashes of Heat, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the region of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms are the workings of Dyspepsia. In these complaints it has no equal, and only a bottle will prove a better guarantee of its merits than a lengthy advertisement.

For Female Complaints, in young or old, married or single, at the dawn of womanhood, or the turn of life, these Tonic Bitters display so decided an influence that a marked improvement is soon perceptible.

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R. H. McDONALD & CO.,  
Druggists & Gen. Agts., San Francisco, Cal.,  
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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS & DEALERS.

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## Grave Stones,

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25-38

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## SOLE AGENT FOR THE

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He keeps constantly on hand over 300 kinds of the most choice Roots, Bark and Herbs, and over 100 kinds of his own manufacture of medicines. He is to be found at his office at all hours—day or night.

Among the leading articles of medicine manufactured by him are his LIVER SYRUPS, CODON SYRUPS, and FEMALE RESTORATIVES; all of which give universal satisfaction. Call and counsel with a doctor who will promise you nothing but what he will faithfully perform, and will correctly locate your disease, without asking you secretly a question. Liver complaint is treated for fifty cents, per week, and other diseases in proportion. Council at the office 300.

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Grand Rapids, Michigan.