

FOREIGN LAND GRANTS

REPRESENTATIVE SNOW PROPOSES TO DO SOMETHING. Mr. Willard introduced two bills...

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THEATERS

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MUCH SNOW AND ICE

FRANCE AND GERMANY IN THE GRASP OF JACK FROST. Railway traffic at a standstill and trains stalled in the snow—great destruction and suffering reported among the poor in Paris and Berlin.

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How Progress Being Made in the Case—The Testimony Corroborating the Statements of the Contestants' Counsel.

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AN UNUSUALLY LARGE ANNUAL MEETING

of the Year—The Toasts and the Responses—A Pleasant Gathering.

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WANT MORE MONEY

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CIRCULATION YESTERDAY: Number of papers printed, 6,140. Delivered by Carriers to City Subscribers, 4,198.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1922. A CHANGE WANTED. The amount of wrong doing charged against city officials is quite astonishing.

For mayor it will be necessary to name a man well known in the city to all classes, sufficiently strong in capacity, character and business interests to command the respect and confidence of the community.

It is not so much a party triumph that is wanted this spring as it is a change that will re-establish justice, economy and honesty in the departments that are today in the hands of malicious marplots and designing scoundrels.

It is a credit to the prominent men of Detroit that without inciting a party they are heartily joining in the honor to ex-President Cleveland on the occasion of his visit to this city.

The sooner the Democrats get a full investigation and overhauling of the city hall officials the better it will be for them if they enter the spring campaign with so many charges and insinuations hanging over prominent officials.

The Chicago Daily Press publishes in full the address to the people of Illinois by Lester C. Hubbard, chairman of the state central committee of the people's party.

DUD WATSON has knocked too much with private letters, one of his own has cut his political throat, and his party will be fortunate if it does not do some shanking upon some of his chosen friends who have been in the letter business with him since Ford's time.

"HONEST MONEY" is found in government issues of sufficient amount to maintain justice between the debtor and creditor class. There should be no inflation unjust to the creditor and deflation imposing an unfair burden on the debtors.

CAPTAIN BELKAP'S luck is something enormous. The Watson letter will be just as good a thing for him next fall as would a bill providing for a public building at Grand Haven. If he falls he can claim the letter best him.

POLITICAL developments are appearing rapidly. Elkins says the legislature net, Blaine soon after published his withdrawal from the presidential race, and now Elkins announces the candidacy for Harrison.

HILL will not be nominated. New York may forbid Cleveland but it cannot dictate Hill.

DUD WATSON should immediately procure a letter from Springer denying the charges made by Belkap. The want of such a letter will be proof conclusive that Belkap is right.

THE debtor class are not alone those who owe to individuals on mortgage and note but in this class are the tax-payers of any municipality that is carrying a large bonded debt.

THE sooner his party associates try and condemn D. O. Watson for having made a fool of himself the better it will be for them.

Mr. Taggart's Single Tax Prices. [BY MEDAD THINKER.] Four or five hundred years ago, when...

That is all changed now, and it stands this way: A lot of fools club together, and keep some great man, and when they get stuck they ask his advice and every case that I can remember who can give them the answer they followed it when they followed it they came out at the bottom.

Over two hundred years ago a lot of fools left their homes in Europe and came to this country to find a better life.

Well, to make a short story long— "I multiplied an 'ape' on the earth."

That all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their creator with certain inherent and inalienable rights, to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

Great men have come up among the fools, like beautiful weeds in a garden.

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NEVER SATISFIED.

DISCONTENT THE POWER THAT PUSHES US UPWARD AND ONWARD.

One Step in Advance Encourages Man to Try for Greater Advance—The Problem of Progress into which the Thoughtful Man here deeply

Eager enthusiastic and sanguine people always expect to feel unbounded satisfaction in the actual possession of what they strive for.

When this goal is reached, and it often is, how are these sanguine expectations realized? Is the mind content and satisfied? Is the pleasure unalloyed?

Probably most of those who have had these experiences will have to confess that while in the first flush of possession all was joy and excitement, yet in a few days that feeling gave way to a calmer and more dispassionate view of its value.

Mr. Philip Hamerton, speaking of the present attitude of the French people toward a republican form of government, says: "The republican sentiment, though resolute as to the preservation of republican forms, has certainly become wonderfully cool."

The chief point to be considered, however, is whether this result is or is not to be deplored.

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AMUSEMENTS. POWERS' GRAND OPERA HOUSE. BRADY & GARWOOD. Lessees and Managers. ONE NIGHT ONLY.

FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 19. Engagement of the Distinguished Young Artist.

ELSIE LESLIE, HUNDREDS. The Prince and the Pauper. A Comedy Drama in 4 Acts. Dramatized by Abby Sage Richardson.

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Engagement of Mr. A. M. Palmer's one night only.

ALABAMA. A Delightful, Restful, Yet Inspiring, Pure Comedy. Rich in Pictorial Coloring and Visual Sentiment.

Monday, Feb. 22—E. S. Willard. POWERS' GRAND OPERA HOUSE. BRADY & GARWOOD. Lessees and Managers.

ONE NIGHT ONLY. MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22. Engagement of the Eminent English Actor.

MR. E. S. WILLARD. "THE MIDDLEMAN." BY HENRY ARTHUR JONES.

Original Cast! Prices, \$10, \$100, \$500, \$500, \$500. Seats on sale Thursday, Feb. 18.

REDMOND OPERA HOUSE. BRADY & GARWOOD. Lessees and Managers. ONE WEEK COMMENCING FEBRUARY 16.

MATINEE—TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY. A. W. FREMONT. In the Sensational Comedy Drama.

STYROPSIS OF SCENIC EFFECTS. The Plantations of Louisiana. Baton Rouge—By the Bayou.

GEARY'S MUSEUM. THE WEEK COMMENCING FEBRUARY 15. The Modern Sampson of the World.

YOUNG SAMPSON. PUGNAL BROTHERS. Two Eccelectic Wrestling Bears.

GERMAN ROSE. Original German Children. Matt—HEIDERS—Alice.

LIEUT. W. ALLEN. Royal Ventriologist. SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE. W. M. SMITH, Proprietor and Manager.

ONE WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15. A Select Variety Show. "DON'T Miss It."

20 Star Artists. 20 WILLS AND BARRON'S Bright Lights. Comedy and Specialty Co.

THE BANNER SHOW OF THE SEASON. Matinee—Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

THE BATTLE RAGES! THE ENEMY PUT TO FLIGHT! WE SHOW NO QUARTER. VICTORY IS OURS, AND IT'S A WAR OF EXTERMINATION.

We have met the enemy, and although they had anticipated our attack, our continued cannonade of LOW PRICES and incessant fire of SUPERIOR GOODS soon put them to flight.

A SPY IN CAMP! The enemy has succeeded in sending several spies inside our lines, obtaining our plans and specifications, together with valuable information as to our defenses and mode of warfare.

See Our Show Windows Filled with the Greatest Display of Low Prices and High Qualities Ever Shown in Grand Rapids.

HERE ARE A FEW OF THE MANY. LACE CURTAINS, Per Pair..... 75c. Cane Seat Chairs, antique or walnut finish, per set of six..... \$3.50.

Bedroom Suits, antique or XVI Century finished, German plate..... \$10.50. All Chenille Draperies, fringe and dado both ends, per pair..... \$4.00.

Cane Seat and Back Rockers, solid oak, antique finish... \$1.25. Lamps, decorated shade and bowl, brass stand..... \$1.00.

WE FURNISH A HOME COMPLETE. Our Entire Stock is Under the Ban, and Like Reductions Will be Found in Every Department. These Prices Are for Cash or ON EASY PAYMENTS.

Do Not Miss This Display, Even if You do not wish to Buy. Visitors Welcome. Courteous Treatment Assured All. Give us a Call. You Will Meet Your Friends and Neighbors Here. THIS SALE POSITIVELY CLOSSES SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1922.

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WIND AND WEATHER.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Indications:
Lower Michigan: Northernly winds with
moderate cold waves, more variable,
with light rain or snow, colder and gen-
erally fair Saturday.

CITY AND SUBURBS.
To Mr. and Mrs. Wallace B. Watson,
No. 3 Helen avenue, a young girl.
The sons and daughters of Malta cas-
tle, R. E. p. prize masquerade tonight
in F. C. hall, Lyon street.

NOTICE.
The American Steam Laundry are put-
ting in a plant for the purpose of car-
pet cleaning and heating. The latest
improvements in machinery will be used.
Ready about April 1st.
Respectfully,
OTTE BROTHERS.

A ROYAL MURDERESS

THE TERRIBLE CRIME OF THE DAUGHTER OF A LORD.

Mrs. Anna Montagu Cruikshank Treloar
Her Little 3-Year-Old Daughter and Strangles
Her to Death—The Wicked Mother
Arrested and Imprisoned.

Belmont, Feb. 18.—A dispatch from
Coleraine, in County Londonderry, 47
miles from here, says that Mrs. Anna
Margaret Montagu, daughter of Lord
Montagu, was committed for trial this
morning on a charge of causing the death of her daughter, Mary
Helen Montagu, a child only 3 years of
age.

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CURRENT NEWS

The Sunday schools of Calhoun county
are in session at Albion.

Bids for the erection of a \$65,000
church at Muskegon will be opened Feb.
24.

The athletic tournament at the uni-
versity has been postponed until March
25.

A Kalamazoo syndicate with a capital
stock of \$80,000 will erect a large paper
mill.

Joseph Racine of Manistee was roll-
ing lock Wednesday by rolling
lock.

The Chelsea shoe manufactory, after
a rest of two months, has rekindled its
fires.

The State Horticultural society held
its annual meeting at Port Huron yester-
day.

The Van Hyning vs. Barton case in
the Kalamazoo circuit is exciting in-
terest.

The annual session of the Calhoun
county house delegation will be resumed
this morning.

Henry M. Zekind one of Benton Har-
bor's most respected citizens died Wed-
nesday morning.

The third annual meeting of the Re-
tail Lumber Dealers association is in
session at Albion.

Arrangements are now pending for
the annual meeting of the United States Re-
cruiting office in Jackson.

Adolph Boer a 12-year old lad of
Manistee was badly injured Wednesday
night by being run over by a horse.

The Muskegon Rifles have elected
Capt. C. G. Ericson president and will
give a large full dress ball on the 25th
inst.

Frank Garrett, a farmer living near
Benton Harbor, was killed by a runaway
horse, horse, bay and grain and twenty-
five shod Wednesday night.

Ellsworth Foster, Hudson's ex-assis-
tant and a prominent citizen of this city,
\$40 of Uncle Sam's money to his own
use, gets off by paying \$150 fine.

Springer's court council on
Wednesday evening made a contract for
the lighting of that village with elec-
tricity for the period of three years.

Attorney-General Ellis, under the in-
struction of the auditor-general, is about
to file a bill against the county of
Bay for the collection of state taxes.

John C. Matthews city clerk of Saginaw
was arrested for malfeasance
in office for the period of three years.

Fred Thwing is wanted to answer the
charge of stealing \$60 worth of carriage
clothes and sun shades taken from the
factory of "Pete Bros." buggy company
of Muskegon.

Joseph Bresser of Kalamazoo was
arrested on a capias Wednesday for \$2,000
damages for the non-payment of
Mary Ruff's unborn child. She is
35 years old.

London Bosh was admitted to bail yester-
day at Benton Harbor in the sum of
\$3,500. Warren F. Peterborough
was also taken into custody.

Last September East Jordan people
voted to issue \$10,000 in bonds for new
water works but they were sworn
into an injunction to restrain the council
from issuing them.

Several knaves at the fair were
cutting the limbs of a tree he had felled
yesterday morning at an old tree
near the fair grounds in East Or-
ange, Michigan county.

H. M. Zekind, one of the prominent
citizens of this city, died Wednesday,
aged 57 years. He was mayor
of this city in 1880 and occupied a high
position in Michigan politics.

Osego enjoys the reputation of being
strictly a temperance town, as there are
no licensed saloons and the prohibition
is largely promulgated by drunks and
riots are of nightly occurrence.

Two heavily loaded freight cars
were derailed about 7 o'clock
yesterday morning at 4 o'clock
by a broken rail. No one was hurt,
but considerable damage was done
to freight.

Secretary Stevens of the World's Fair
Commission was here yesterday on the
application of a committee of Muskegon
inhabitants for permission to finish
in natural woods a room in the Michigan
building.

Save Your Overcoats for Next Winter!

Commencing February 8, we will offer you any OVERCOAT in the house for one-third (1/3) off, or
thirty-three and one-third per cent discount. Prices as follows:

\$3.50 Overcoat for	\$2.38	\$ 8.50 Overcoat for	\$ 5.67	\$20.00 Overcoat for	\$13.34
4.50 Overcoat for	3.00	10.00 Overcoat for	6.67	22.50 Overcoat for	15.00
5.00 Overcoat for	3.34	12.00 Overcoat for	8.00	25.00 Overcoat for	16.67
6.50 Overcoat for	4.34	15.00 Overcoat for	10.00	27.50 Overcoat for	18.34
7.50 Overcoat for	5.00	18.00 Overcoat for	12.00	30.00 Overcoat for	20.00

Remember this is a Genuine Clearance Sale in MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S OVERCOATS. We
are overstocked and must make room for our Spring Stock, and if you will call on us we will convince
you that it will pay you to buy an overcoat for next Winter. Remember the place and number.

VANDER WEPPE, BROTHERS & CO., 84 Monroe Street.

The Brotherhood Entertainment
Their first annual entertainment will
be given by the Protective Brotherhood
at Germania hall next Wednesday evening.
The program is a guarantee in
winning one and promises the fortunate
holder of an invitation an evening of solid
entertainment. It contains several unique
features which cannot fail to be provoca-
tive of mirth, and there will be delighful
and eloquent oratory. There will also
be refreshments for the inner as well
as the intellectual man. The whole will
conclude with a dance.

Excursion to Detroit.
For the Michigan club banquet at De-
troit Feb. 22 and ex-President Cleve-
land's reception and banquet at Detroit
Feb. 23, the D. G. H. & M. Railway
will sell round trip tickets at special
good going Feb. 22 and 23, and good for
return up to and including Feb. 25. For
tickets apply at city office, 23 Monroe
street, or at depot.

The Plumbers, Steam & Gas Fitters'
local union 70 will give a dancing party
at Arberher hall Feb. 25. An invitation
is extended to the public. Tickets 25
cents. Music by Wurzburg & Bronson's
orchestra.

Have you seen those beautiful en-
gravings exhibited by Kramer & Co.
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GENERAL INFORMATION.
Notions inserted in this column under clear-
cut prices for one cent per word for 10 days and
one half cent per word for each subsequent in-
sertion. Special advertising rates for adver-
tisements taken for less than 10 cents.

WANTED—Girl for housework. Wages \$4.00
per week. Apply at 23 Monroe street.
WANTED—Girl for general housework.
No. 9 Buckley street, near South Union
street.
WANTED—Girl for light housework.
No. 100 Michigan street.
WANTED—A girl at 423 Fountain street.
WANTED—Competent girl for general house-
work. 1721 1/2 Cedar street.
WANTED—Competent girl to take charge
of my home for small family. Refere-
nces required. Enquire for J. H. Barclay at 50
Michigan street.
WANTED—Girls for all kinds of work. In-
quiries to Mrs. E. W. Brown, 26 Old Iron-
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