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HAS FILED ARTICLES.

Valley City Transportation Co. is at Last Ready to Get a Move On.

Articles of association of the Valley City Transportation company, limited, were filed yesterday with the secretary of state. The association is formed under an act of the legislature authorizing the formation of partnership associations in which the capital subscribed shall alone be responsible for debts of the association, except under certain circumstances.

Melvin B. Church, Charles M. Leonard, Lucius D. Harris, Thomas M. Peck, Harvey & Heystek, Houseman, Donnelly & Jones, Eaton, Lyon & Co., Foster, Stevens & Co., Rindge Bartch & Co., Felix Rainville, Charles A. Coye, Fred B. Adair, Jay D. Utley, Charles B. Judd, John A. Corvick, Charles H. Berkley, Henry C. Russell, William A. Berkley, Charles S. Hazeltine, Frank P. McGraw, Charles W. Black, John Waddell, S. W. Pergrine, John Widdicombe, Charles R. Sligh, F. B. Wallin, Alfred Falkel, E. G. Studley, S. M. Lemon, Muselman & Widdicombe, H. P. Belknap, J. W. Fox, G. A. Davis, J. W. Converse, Albert Stickley, Daniel W. Tower, A. J. Davidson, O. A. Ball, M. L. Sweet and E. H. Foot.

The total amount of capital of the association is \$25,000 to be paid in cash as follows: Twenty-five per cent February 1, 1922; twenty-five per cent March 1, 1922; twenty-five per cent April 1, 1922, and twenty-five per cent when the steamboat is placed on trial on Grand river.

The character of the business is stated to be the owning of steamboats, transportation of passengers and freight, and such other business connected therewith as may be determined upon by the managers. The office of the association shall be at Grand Rapids and its duration is twenty years.

The board of managers is composed of Melvin B. Church, George L. Craig, John F. Craig, John Craig and Charles H. Leonard. The board of managers has elected Melvin B. Church chairman, and John F. Craig secretary and treasurer.

The association having been satisfactorily formed, and those who subscribed capital being acceptable to the Craig shipping company, work will begin forthwith on the first bottom boat for Grand river. The boat will be made in the company's yards at Toledo.

MR. FRANKLIN AND THE CABLE.

He Tells a Detroit Reporter Why Motors Were Substituted Here.

Detroit Tribune: Wallace Franklin of Grand Rapids, the well-known machinery man of that city, arrived at the Cadillac yesterday, having come to Detroit to figure on the power equipment of a big isolated electric light plant, which is about to be installed by one of the great manufacturing concerns of Detroit. Mr. Franklin will be in the city for several days. He reports that the great Pittsburg iron and steel firm of Carnegie, Phipps & Company are about to remove their state headquarters from Grand Rapids to Detroit.

Mr. Franklin's greatest business is in the line of power plants for electric railroads, and in his work is able to study closely the inside workings of every system of mechanical propulsion.

"The cable was put in in Grand Rapids in the first place," said Mr. Franklin yesterday, "because it was not believed possible that electric motors could climb the terrific grades that in some places exceed 13 per cent, but this has been proven a fallacy and the companies absolutely sacrificed their enormously costly tunnels and slots and put in electricity.

"On one line it was found that the expense of wear and tear on the cable alone amounted to \$49 every day and this amount more than pays all the coal that is burned to drive the dynamos. It is only just to say that there were fourteen curves on this road which unquestionably added greatly to the wear of the cable by the increased friction. Still electricity is the only thing for Detroit, and there never was a city where such good results could be obtained from it because your streets here are all level."

UNIVERSITY EXTENSION.

Professor Demmon Delivers a Lecture on Paradise Lost.

Professor Demmon began his lecture on "Paradise Lost" last evening by referring to the effect that the translation of the Bible into English had on the moral, cultural and intellectual life of the English people. Following this translation came Fox's "Book of Martyrs" and Calvin's sermons, and stamped themselves indelibly upon the religious thought of the century. The lecturer then showed how this spirit of Puritanism had impressed itself on the character of Milton, "this genius of Puritan England."

"Paradise Lost" must not be treated as a Puritan pamphlet, said the lecturer. It must be judged solely as an epic poem without reference to its theology. Professor Demmon then discussed the characteristics of the great epic, its concomitants and its place as a literary type. "Paradise Lost" was then compared with this standard. The circumstances that led Milton to write this poem were then discussed, together with the difficulties in the way of developing this story of the fall of man and of making it intelligible.

Much of the adverse criticism toward Milton, said the lecturer, is due to the fact that the critics refuse to abandon their imagination for that of the author and to put themselves in sympathy with him.

Professor Demmon discussed thoroughly the noteworthy features of "Paradise Lost." He called attention to the great religious intensity of the poem, to the sublimity of imagination and to the wonderful learning displayed in his reference to the Greek, Latin, Italian, English and historical authors. Milton's cosmology was discussed. The lecturer stated that while Milton was thoroughly familiar with the Copernican system of cosmology, he used the Ptolemaic system, because it better

suited his poetic devices. The conception of the universe as a vast sphere, the upper part being heaven, the central part being chaos and the lower part hell, with the earth in the center of chaos being much better suited to a poem of the character of "Paradise Lost" than any other conception could have been; and the lecturer believed that if Milton were to write the same epic today he would change the cosmology.

INSPECTOR FINNEGAN'S REPORT.

He Has Done a Heap of Inspecting During the Month of January.

The board of public works held a meeting yesterday afternoon, and besides transacting routine business, listened to the reading of the first report from Milk Inspector John Finnegan. There were present President Weismann and Messrs. Robinson and Galkins. Mr. Finnegan said that during the month of January he had made 287 visits within the city limits. On the applications of eighteen milkmen for licenses he reported favorably. By an examination of these applications it was shown that the source of supply was located in the townships of Walker, Wyoming, Paris and Grand Rapids. From Georgetown, Ottawa county, also comes considerable milk. In making these examinations it was necessary to drive a distance of sixty miles. Other applications on file show that a large part of the milk used by the city is produced on farms near Bradley, Moine, Hopkins, Ada, Hildenville and other places outside of Kent county.

IS A TURK NO LONGER.

Garabed Asadoorian Becomes a Citizen of the United States.

Garabed Asadoorian, a native of Turkey, was admitted to citizenship by Judge Adair in the circuit court yesterday. He is the first Turk to become naturalized in this city. He came to this country six years ago, and has a wife and son in Turkey whom he has not seen since he sailed. He desires to have his wife and child with him, but the laws of Turkey forbid a woman leaving the country. He has corresponded with the American consul at Constantinople, and the Turkish consul in Washington, but has been unable to gain any satisfaction. He now intends to appeal to Congressman Belknap. After the matter has been brought to the attention of Secretary of State Blaine, and a due amount of red tape gone through with, it is probable that the Asadoorian family will be united.

Closed Out the Plant.

United States Marshal Clarke returned yesterday from Pentwater, where he had been to close out the business of the Middlesex Brick and Tile company. Charles Mears, of Chicago, recently obtained a judgment against the company in the United States court for \$74,971.14. The property was bid in yesterday by Mr. Mears under an execution on \$25,000 for the plant and real estate, and \$1,450 for the personal property.

Kinsey Wracks His Brains.

Secretary Kinsey of the Improvement board, was wracking his mental powers yesterday trying to devise an explanation why parties to whom he had mailed copies of the folder recently issued by the board, were obliged to pay two cents additional postage. Mr. Kinsey says he weighed the circulars before they were sent from the office and he supposed they were within the two cent limit, but he was surprised to learn yesterday that four cents postage had been charged.

Benefit for a Young Girl.

A benefit entertainment will be given Thursday evening in Odd Fellows' hall, on the corner of Steeking and Fourth streets by Miss Lena Bridgeman and others. The beneficiary is Miss Georgia Holly, a young girl worthy of the consideration of the public. The promoters of this intended benevolent work have prepared a pleasing program and it is to be hoped that the entertainment will be largely attended.

Holland Benevolent Home.

The friends of the scheme to institute a Holland benevolent home have been invited to attend a meeting Monday evening to be held in Van der Molen's jewelry store, No. 157 Monroe street. The meeting has been called to consider what preliminary steps are necessary to be taken in order to get the proposition in tangible shape.

Called An Oberlin Man.

The Park Congregational church has extended a call to the Rev. Daniel F. Bradley, now pastor of the First Congregational church in Yankton, South Dakota. The church offers him \$8,000 per year and a handsome parsonage, and it is expected he will accept. Mr. Bradley is a graduate of Oberlin college, is now acting president of Yankton college, and considered one of the brainiest young divines in the west.

Y. M. C. A. Debate.

The Y. M. C. A. debating society will discuss this resolution next Thursday evening: "Resolved, That an educational qualification should be placed upon the elective franchise." Speakers on the affirmative are Henry White and James Lehnontis. Geo. E. T. Parish and a colleague yet to be announced will take the negative.

Will Organize a K. of P. Division.

Assistant Adjutant General W. H. Loomis received a petition yesterday from Mr. Pleasant, asking that a Division of Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, be installed there on February 22. The Division will be numbered 55. Mr. Loomis and several Knights from this city will attend the ceremonies.

Continued on the Pay Roll.

John Volpert, the employe of the Cappon & Bertch Leather company, who had the misfortune to lose his foot a few days since by amputation, is continued on the company's pay roll. William Cartwright, a member of the firm, sent him a check for his weekly wages yesterday.

HERALD RELIEF FUND

The contributions to the relief fund continue in gratifying volume. Yesterday a large consignment of flour was purchased for distribution among those who need the same. The Rev. Mr. Frye and the Parcel Security wagon went out together and supplied several empty larders. The work is by no means completed and the charitable may feel assured that their good offices will not pass unappreciated. Yesterday's contributions are given below: Previously acknowledged, \$107 25 Friday.

"The Meanest Man in Town"—Clothing. A Friend—Clothing. B. Stenham—Canned fruit. A Friend—Potatoes. A Friend—Clothing and shoes.

BICYCLE FELLOWS WON.

They Beat the Owashtanongs in an Exciting Game of Base Ball Last Night.

The Owashtanong and Bicycle indoor base ball nines played an exciting game last evening in the Bicycle club's rooms before a good sized audience. The bicycle boys went into the contest to win, as they had played several games this season and had lost none. The Owashtanongs were not accustomed to being defeated, and they summoned all their energy for the occasion. J. H. Taylor and Fred Adams umpired the game, and their decisions were accepted with but little objection from the contestants. The game was closely watched and each club had its enthusiastic admirers. The game resulted 8 to 6 in favor of the bicycle nine, with one man out in the ninth inning.

City News in Brief.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Weston have returned from their trip to California, where Mr. Weston went as delegate of the Grand Rapids Press Club, to the meeting of the International League of Press Clubs.

Thirty of the Arbeiter society's membership of 500, are ill with the grip, and each one of the thirty is drawing \$5 per week from the society's treasury.

W. H. Hughes of the Michigan Catholic, one of the most genial and popular newspaper men in the state, spent yesterday with friends in the city.

Alderman Hauser will erect a fine \$5000 residence as soon as spring opens. Plans for the building have been completed by Architect Stone.

Mrs. James Brassington of Hart, who has been ending a few days in the city, returned home last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Turner and daughter, Mrs. Ellen E. Wilson, have gone to spend several weeks in Florida.

James B. Smith, deputy revenue collector, has gone to Chicago for a few days' visit with his son.

Miss Lena Wakefield of this city will be married February 16 to Charles H. Miller of Big Rapids.

Eleven real estate transfers were reported at the register's office yesterday for registration.

The new badges have been distributed among the members of the Grocery Clerks' union.

Francis Lilley has nearly recovered from a long illness.

Clubs and Societies.

The Five Hundred club gave its fourth of a series of dances Thursday evening in the Hartman building, with fifty couples in attendance. The next party will be given on the evening of March 2.

Oriental Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, played progressive pedro last evening in its lodge room in the Kennedy building. The ladies brought lunch for two; and the evening was delightfully spent.

Grand Rapids Division, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, gave the second of its series of parties in Shuman's hall on Plainfield avenue last evening. The members gave a fine exhibition drill and the party was a social success.

Scientific Institute's Annual. Kent Scientific Institute held its deferred annual meeting last evening and elected the following officers: President—Dr. E. S. Holmes. Vice President—Prof. W. A. Greenon. Secretary—Prof. C. W. Carman. Librarian—J. W. Matthews. Member Board of Directors—Col. E. Crofton Fox.

M. D. Folger presented the society with a fine alcoholic specimen of centipede.

Broke Her Leg on the Ice. The ambulance was called to No. 288 Fifth street, yesterday forenoon where Mrs. Anna Swanson was found. She had slipped on the ice and fell down some steps, breaking her left leg near the hip. She was taken to her home, No. 122 Muskegon street, and attended by Dr. G. H. Chappell.

Annual Report Filed.

The Anti-Kalamoonie company filed its annual report with the county clerk yesterday: Capital stock, \$200,000; paid in, \$200,000; real estate, \$28,000; personal estate, \$156,245.59; debts, \$225.02; credits, \$18,313.49.

Burial Permits.

Herman Groendyk, infant, No. 74 Fourth avenue, marasmus; Peter Proos, infant, No. 433 Alpine avenue, gastro enteritis; Abram Bernard, aged 47, Greenvid, Mich., dropsy.

Hebrew Lodge of Odd Fellows.

There is a movement on foot among the Hebrew residents of the city to organize a lodge of Odd Fellows on East Bridge street. Fifty persons of that nationality have already expressed their intention of becoming members.

Contagious Diseases.

Kate Hendrick, aged 9, No. 706 East Fulton street, measles.

Messrs. WRIGHT, KAY & CO.

Offer a Desirable Assortment of Clocks, Lamps, Vases and Onyx Goods at Greatly Reduced Prices to Make Room for Changes Now Being Made in Their Building.

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Marriage Licenses.

The following is a list of the marriage licenses issued since last published, with the names, residences (when outside the city) and ages of the parties:

Hollis K. Sears, Chicago; Mary Augusta Edwards, 22-20 DIED.

ELLIOTT—At her residence, No. 140 Broadway, Mrs. Nancy Elliott, aged 70 years. Funeral from the residence at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Cherryman & Bowen, funeral directors, No. 25 Fountain street.

Indigestion, Dizziness, Take Beecham's Pills.

If You Want to Go to any point in Michigan, or from anywhere in Michigan to any point in the East, South, or West, you will almost invariably find the direct route to be the Michigan Central, whose numerous branch lines traverse the state in every direction, and whose great main line is "The Niagara Falls Route," between Chicago and Detroit, and New York, Boston and the East.

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No other road runs directly by and in full view of Niagara Falls, when (at Falls View) its day trains stop five minutes to give passengers the most comprehensive view of the falls and river that is afforded from any single point.

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No other road has a finer or more complete through car system, running to all points upon its own line and to points beyond—New York, Boston, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Duluth, San Francisco.

For any specific information desired, address J. O. S. HALL, Michigan Passenger Agent, Jackson, Mich.

Clam chowder at Anderson's tonight.

Wurtzburg & Bronson's orchestra at Germania hall Sunday night.

Order your wood of E. A. Hamilton.

J. D. Buskirk, veterinary surgeon, successor to Dr. Wells, No. 9 East Bridge street.

Clam chowder at Anderson's tonight.

"Royal Ruby" Port Wine. If you are reduced in vitality or strength by illness or any other cause, we recommend the use of this grand old Port wine, the very blood of the grape. A grand tonic for mothers nursing and those reduced by wasting disease. It creates strength; improves the appetite. Nature's own remedy, much preferable to drugs, guaranteed absolutely pure and of age. Young wine ordinarily sold is not fit to use. Insist on having this standard brand, it costs no more. \$1 in quart bottles only. Royal Wine Co., Chicago. For sale by White & White.

Four Danos. This week at Hartman's, but this will not interfere with the special sale of sheet music and bonjos at Hartman's new music store on Ottawa street.

CURE FOR COUGHS.—Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil according to directions. It is the best remedy for all sudden attacks of colds, pain and inflammation, and injuries.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup was used for years as a prescription by a successful physician. It is in all respects the best cough medicine used today. Sold by all dealers on a guarantee of satisfaction.

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Peckham's Croup Remedy cures whooping cough.

LEONARD'S SPECIAL SALE FOR SATURDAY. 50 Hanging Hall Racks, antique ash, with beveled French plate mirrors, with shell and coat and hat hooks. Three sizes, worth \$3 and \$4. We shall sell them for \$1.25 and \$1.50 each. No more at any price. Have you seen our other special for Saturday? "Your choice for so," teapots, decorated bowls, large glass sauce bowls and cake plates and dozens of other useful articles. H. LEONARD'S SONS & CO. 29 & 31 Monroe St.

PHYSICIANS. J. J. RICE, M. D. SPECIALIST. Chronic, Blood and Nervous Diseases. OFFICE HOURS: 10 to 12 a. m. 2 to 4 p. m. TELEPHONE 192. ROOMS 20, 21 NEW ALDRICH BLOCK. Grand Rapids, Mich.

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DR. M. H. PASCO. No. 622 Cherry-st., Grand Rapids. HOURS—10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m. Sundays, 12:30 to 1:30 p. m. Telephone 192.

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