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Street Paving Is Discussed In Common Council

HERMAN DE NEUT WANTED
TO KNOW THE WHYS AND
WHEREFORES FOR MANY
THINGS AND CITY ENGIN-
EER MAKES EXPLANA-
TION

Common council Wednesday night voted approval of the proposed paving of West 16th St. from Lake Ave. to the west city limits and of 32nd St. throughout its length within the city limits. Approval was granted to both proposals by a unanimous vote at the regular session of the governing body in the council chamber at the city hall.

During discussion of the 32nd St. project, which will cost \$8,250, the responsibility of maintenance of that street was widely debated.

Herman De Neut of 69 West 32nd St., member of the Park and Cemetery Board, one of the property owners who will be affected by the assessment of 32nd St., asked several questions of council in regard to the maintenance of the street.

Mr. De Neut stated that he "wore out the soles of his shoes and the tip of his tongue," trying to figure out "who is responsible for 32nd St."

The problem is complicated because the section of road being discussed is the border line between Ottawa and Allegan counties and also lies inside Holland city limits.

Jacob Zuidema, city engineer, explained that the two counties divide such "mutual" roads into sections for maintenance purposes, and that this particular section is maintained by Ottawa county.

However, Mr. Zuidema said, the city of Holland pays the county for scraping, tending and snow-plowing on the section of 32nd St. within the city limits.

The question of maintenance was referred to the maintenance committee, upon the motion of Ald. Edward Brouwer, seconded by Ald. James A. Drinkwater.

The proposed improvement of West 16th St. was approved with little discussion. Although there was a large gallery of citizens listening, no one volunteered comments when Mayor Henry Geerlings asked if there were any objections.

The city engineer explained that of the \$8,250 for the 32nd St. project, \$750 will be for widening and draining, and will be paid by the city. Of the remainder, half will be assessed inside the city and half outside in Filmore Township, a matter for the Allegan County road commission to take care of.

The assessment amounts to approximately 4 1/2 cents per running foot, or less than 10 cents per running foot per year, spread over a period of five years, Mr. Zuidema said.

Mr. De Neut expressed the fear that after 32nd St. is improved it will become a truck highway, "and the tarred top won't be worth a tinker's hoot."

Council gave unanimous approval to the closing of an alley between 31st and 32nd Sts., running from Michigan Ave. to Maple Ave. Ald. Brouwer asked if there are "any riparian rights involved?" (laughter). The action was recommended by the street committee and taken upon motion of Ald. Menken, seconded by Ald. Martin Oudemool.

DEATH TAKES WIFE OF LOCAL MERCHANT

Relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Steffens were shocked to hear of the death of Mrs. Steffens, who died Wednesday noon at her home, 300 W. 14th Street after a protracted illness. She is the wife of Mr. Ben Steffens, local merchant and alderman in the fourth ward.

She was a devout member of Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church, as is her husband.

Funeral rites for Mrs. Steffens will be held Saturday at 1:30 p. m. at the residence, with the Rev. Seth Vander Wey officiating. Public funeral will be held at 2 o'clock in the Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church, with the Rev. Daniel Zwier, the pastor, in charge.

Interment will take place in the new cemetery in Pilgrim Home.

The survivors are the husband, Benjamin Steffens; and seven children, John H. Steffens of Holland; Mrs. William Barth of Grand Rapids; Edward and Leonard at home; Mrs. Howard Phillips of this city; and Eleanor and Carolyn at home; two brothers, Leonard Visers, R. 6, Holland, and William Visers of this city; and two sisters, Mrs. Harm Knoll and Mrs. Albert Wolters, R. 1, Holland; and four grandchildren also survive.

WILL SEE HOLLAND WOODEN SHOES IN "SWEETHEARTS"

One unique feature at the Holland theatre, secured by Henry Carley, as far as this city is concerned, will be the smallest pair of wooden shoes made at Chester Van Tongeren's Dutch Novelty Shop.

As is well known, Miss Jeanette MacDonald, beautiful screen star, is not only a good actress, but a voice artist with rare talent, and will appear in "Sweethearts" Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. But the unusual part of this story is that when the films were in the making, Mr. Van Tongeren received a wire for a dainty pair of wooden shoes, size four, we understand, although not very large "understandings" for Miss MacDonald.

Anyway, this outstanding screen production will show wooden shoes a la Holland and a background of tulips and windmills. Of course, that's only part of the show. It isn't said that any of this background was borrowed from Tulip Time because the scenario writers and the directors use Dutch figures and other Netherlands background very often and have for years. Undoubtedly, the directors of the film heard about the Dutch Novelty Shop and the authenticity of wooden shoe patterns as made here.

Council Notes

Aldermen Peter Huyser, Henry Ketel, Benjamin Steffens and John Vogelsang were unavoidably absent from common council meeting Wednesday night. Mayor Henry Geerlings led the group in prayer, and City Clerk Oscar Peterson called the roll.

The written oath of Clarence Lokker, new city attorney, who replaced Elbert Parsons Jan. 1, was accepted.

Claims and accounts of \$3,518.32 were accepted upon the motion of Ald. Edward Brouwer, seconded by Ald. James A. Drinkwater.

Ald. Drinkwater reported for the building committee that he has authorized George Hyma to repair the chairs in the city hall. A number are missing, he said.

Ald. Brouwer of the civic improvements committee said that by next council meeting the committee will have a report on the recent suggestion that the city buy the former Masonic Temple building. "We all know that it is for sale at a very reasonable figure," Ald. Brouwer said.

Anticipating a change in the system of old age assistance because of the change in administration at Lansing, Mayor Geerlings appointed Aldermen Brouwer, Henry Prins and Martin Oudemool to confer with Gov. Fitzgerald on assistance. The motion was made by Ald. Drinkwater and supported by Ald. Brouwer.

Claims and accounts were reported by the city clerk as follows: hospital, \$2,887.50; library, \$188.49; park and cemetery, \$936.78; police and fire, \$1,244.11. Board of public works collections of \$11,876.13 were reported, with a payroll of \$3,882.96 and claims of \$5,625.19.

A report from Ben Wiersema, city inspector, for the month of December 1938, showed 23 pasteurizing plants inspected, 24 milk and cream samples sent to laboratories, 15 producers, six slaughter houses, 11 meat markets, 15 groceries, 14 restaurants, five bakeries, 11 public rest rooms and six premises inspected and 19 complaints investigated.

The death Wednesday noon of the wife of Ald. Steffens was recognized by council Wednesday night when Ald. Brouwer made a motion that Mayor Geerlings appoint a committee to send an expression of sympathy from council to Ald. Steffens. The motion was supported by Ald. Drinkwater and unanimously approved. Mayor Geerlings appointed Aldermen Frank L. Smith, Brouwer and John Menken to serve.

"We have in our midst Louie Wood, who took on a life attachment on Christmas Day," Ald. Brouwer said, commenting on the recent marriage of the reporter who covers council for the Sentinel.

Mr. Wood was extended wishes of "a long, happy life, with many little troubles." The reporter responded, thanking the council.

Ald. Brouwer also made a motion that the city clerk be instructed to send the best wishes of council to Frank Van Ry, who retired as chief of the city's police force Jan. 1. The motion was supported by Ald. Drinkwater and approved unanimously.

"I pledge every possible service to help Holland in its enviable and unique position among the municipalities of Michigan," City Atty. Clarence Lokker, who took office Jan. 1 as successor to Elbert Parsons, said in responding to his welcome to the official family adjourned.

TOWNSENDERS HOLD MEETING JANUARY 9

The Holland Townsend club has secured Frances Reina of Grand Junction to speak for them on Monday evening, January 9. He is going to tell the audience how the Townsend plan will bring national recovery, and will be open to questions from the audience.

New Officers Took County Posts Sunday

Attorney Parsons Will Continue to
Live in Holland. Dr. Winter of
This City Now Coroner.

With the turn of the year several changes took place at the Ottawa county court house when new officers took over their duties Jan. 1.

Elbert Parsons, former city attorney at Holland, assumed the office of prosecuting attorney following John R. Dethmers, who has held the place for the last eight years. Mr. Parsons was elected in November on the Republican ticket. Mr. Dethmers declined to be a candidate at the Republican primary in September. He will return to private law practice in Holland, where he lives, at Central Park.

Fred Den Herder, elected county treasurer in November, succeeded Nicholas Spritsma, Democrat, who held office for one term. Mr. Spritsma has returned to private life in Holland.

Three of the present staff will remain with Mr. Den Herder. Edward Roberts has been promoted from clerk to deputy treasurer. Miss Margaret Wilson and Harold Boven, formerly of Holland, remain as clerks. Mildred Houting, Holland township, and Gertrude Wyn-garden, Zealand township, are new members of the staff. Mr. Roberts and Miss Wilson have both served for a number of years under Democratic and Republican administrations. Mr. Boven entered the office two years ago.

Mrs. Katherine Heasley will be retained by Attorney Parsons as clerk. She has had ten years' experience, serving first under Attorney Clarence Lokker of Holland, and then with Mr. Dethmers for eight years.

Mrs. William Duga, who has been in charge of the license plate bureau for the last two years, turned over the department to Miss Ann Van Horsen after the state auditor made his checkover in the office this week. The office will be moved from the county treasurer's office where it has been for two years, across the hall to the county clerk's office, where it was for several years. Miss Van Horsen was appointed recently by Harry F. Kelly, secretary of the elect.

Judge Cora Vande Water will appoint a new clerk in the probate office next week.

The other offices are functioning as they have for some time. Sheriff Frank Van Etta has begun a second term, with Edward Ryngaert and Charles Salisbury as undersheriffs and turnkeys, respectively; and William Van Etta chief deputy at Holland.

William Wilds enters another term to add to many he has had as county clerk, his able handling of the office and the pleasing and accommodating approaches made for him many friends regardless of party; Frank Bottje continues as register of deeds, another officer who has a long record. Fred Van Wieren, Park township, as county drain commissioner, reelected last fall, continues in office. D. F. Pagelsen of Grand Haven, and Thomas Mahon of Holland continue as circuit court commissioners; Dr. W. B. Bloemendal of Grand Haven, and Dr. William Winter of Holland are now the coroners. Dr. Winter taking office for the first time to succeed Gilbert Vande Water, who had a long and capable record.

There will be no changes in the personnel of the offices of the first floor of the courthouse, these offices all being appointive: Dr. Ralph Ten Have, head of the health department; L. R. Arnold is the county agent and Frank Trull is supervisor of the new soil conservation office which was organized about six weeks ago.

Elbert Parsons has resigned as city attorney at Holland and has been followed by Attorney Clarence Lokker, former prosecutor, having been appointed by the city council to fill the vacancy. Mr. Lokker will therefore replace Mr. Parsons as a representative from Holland on the board of supervisors.

Mr. Parsons will be at the court house on Mondays and Thursdays as has been the custom of his predecessor. The balance of the week will be spent in Holland. He will remain a resident of Holland.

CONNELLY RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Connelly have returned from a trip to California, where they have been for the past two weeks. Mr. Connelly assumes his new work with the Grand Rapids Furniture Exposition Association, and he states that the work is altogether new and he is starting in by looking over all the exhibits at the "furniture city" at the January market now in progress. He said he wants to get an insight into the furniture business in order that he may speak authoritatively, and this can be done by going over the different lines. He says the Holland furniture industry is well represented at the 123rd semi-annual furniture market. He speaks highly of the products made by Holland artisans working in the different factories.

Mr. Connelly has spent the greater part going from show place to show place, as this relates to furniture. He has moved from Warm Friend Tavern, where he has been for the last five years, and is now established with Mrs. Connelly in the region departments, Prospect and Fulton Streets.

A Holland man is president of that association, namely, Charles R. Elgh, and he and the rest of the Board were very enthusiastic when the services of Mr. Connelly could be secured.

CHEST CLINIC TUESDAY

The chest clinic will be held in the hospital annex building from 1:30 to 4 o'clock Tuesday, Dr. J. H. Bartlett of Muskegon will be in charge.

News Items Taken From the Files of Holland City News Sixty, Fifty, Forty, Thirty, Twenty and Ten Years Ago Today

SIXTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Henry Post, son of Hoyt G. Post Esq., of Grand Rapids, is now located in Berlin, Germany, where he is pursuing his studies at the university, and also perfecting himself in music. Note:—Henry Post was a nephew of the late Henry D. Post, Holland's first postmaster and first justice. He became an able pianist and was called to Holland often to accompany in oratorios and college programs. He was prominent in the Schubert club in Grand Rapids. There were two musicians who were prominent at Hope college in the early stages of what later became the Hope College School of Music. James Frances Campbell, director of the Schubert club, better known as "Big Jim" by his friends and Henry Post. In reality there was a trio always coming together from the Furniture city; namely, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Post and Paul P. Davis. Mr. Davis was an actor of the old school who taught a class at Hope in elocution once each week and put on Shakespearean plays, drawing his cast from Hope students and townsfolk. The trio has passed on.

The new state capitol building at Lansing was dedicated on New Year's day. A great many citizens and politicians were present from all quarters of the state. Both houses of the legislature convened in their respective new quarters. The building was started six years ago. The cost of \$1,505,000 including the beautifying of the grounds, the site and the building proper. It will cost \$400.00 per day to heat the building. Note:—Pin-money compared to this amounts we read about in all forms of government expenditure, state and nation.

The people of the neighboring village to the east, namely, Groningen, being desirous of having a place for religious worship in their midst, have decided to build one for while the lot was donated by Mr. A. J. Hillebrands. Rev. N. M. Steffens of Zealand has tendered his services to preach once a week for them which is much appreciated by the village folk.

Thanksgiving night at 12 o'clock five stores were robbed in Zealand as follows: P. Vanden Bosch, where boots, shoes and clothing were taken; John De Jonge's harness store, but the thieves had no use for horse outfits and there was no money, so they left taking nothing. De Free tin shop was the next place. There they took tools. At Bruce clothing store they took underwear and clothing. They attempted to enter Van Eenam's grocery, but dropped some tools and a bunch of keys and ran for it, undoubtedly scared by something that ended their Thanksgiving haul.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The Bell Telephone Co. is installing quite a number of telephones in Holland. We understand it is not far from 100. It is hoped that the company will see fit to have telephone connections in both Zealand and Graftschap. Up to now there are no telephones there. Note:—This shows that phones were not in general use 50 years ago. The Holland City News installed the first phone in the city five years before this item was published. The News was one of 48 phones, and by the way, the yearly rental for business phones was \$48.

The Ottawa Building and Loan of Holland is one of our successful business enterprises. Last Saturday loaned \$1,500 to a member for home building and next Saturday a similar amount will be loaned. It is located in the Kanters building. Note: This is the same company now managed by Ernest Hartman under the clock. For fifty years it has been a substantial going concern. The Kanters building is the remodeled Knoll Plumbing Co. block. For thirty-five years it was the Kanters Hardware.

FORTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Dr. Fred S. Ledebor of Spier, Dak., has again located in this city over the Breyman and Hande Jewelry. He is the son of one of Holland's early mayors; is a brother to Mrs. D. B. K. Van Raalte Sr., and a brother to Seba Ledebor of the American Express Co. here. Note: All these persons mentioned have passed away many years ago.

The News has published columns upon columns on the advisability of planting celery in this vicinity. This newspaper was the first to pioneer for both the poultry industry and celery. In our issue of November 24, 1888, the News stated: "We publish elsewhere in this issue an article on celery raising. There are at least five hundred acres of choice celery land in the immediate vicinity of Holland that would give employment to nearly 400 men. We would advise owners of land to take a trip to Kalamazoo or Grand Haven to investigate the methods of celery growing. Note: Land owners or purchasers of muck land did just that thing and today there are celery patches to be found out in Holland in every direction it would seem. Many more than 500 acres. In Hamilton the fields are so many that even the deer are able to find them and have breakfast. Nevertheless, it is the correlation of such diversified enterprises that collectively builds up a steady constant prosperity in a community.

The proposal to grant a franchise to a new railway line which is to use electric motors instead of horses has taken a deep hold on public interest and many prominent citizens endorse it if it is possible. Note: Many of us remember when horsecars were still the method of street transportation of Grand Rapids—and even later at Detroit. Even cable cars or "grip cars" came after horsecars. However the electric way did become possible and electric cars in cities soon brought the electric interurban and these "seventh wonders of the world" have long since gone into the discard as we have seen even in Holland not so many years ago. Now auto buses eliminate tracks, trolleys and power houses. This latest mode of transportation, is found more convenient, easier, faster and accompanied with less noise. The writer remembers seeing the first street car skimming along without horses and without visible power and it was an awe-inspiring sight until we became accustomed to it.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The Dwight Cutler residence, or rather what was once the Cutler home at Grand Haven, now has the appearance of a wrecked castle. Nothing remains standing but the porches—even the greater portion of the basement has been taken away. Note:—The most beautiful home in Grand Haven was built by a wealthy lumberman by the name of Cutler. It was built where the Peoples Bank of that city now is. Across the street Cutler built possibly the finest hotel in western Michigan at that time. It was called the Cutler House. It burned about 50 years ago together with the rest of Main St. and a second Cutler house was built, but not near so pretentious. This building is still there but the whole block was changed over into a store building.

Contractor Tibbe is erecting a new steel storm signal at the Holland Life Saving Station. The tower is 50 feet high and has a flagstaff above that of 25 feet.

President Theodore Roosevelt struck out against "infamous falsehoods concerning the construction of the Panama Canal." He said of Americans who have criticized the methods of obtaining land for the waterway: "If they can be reached for criminal libel, I shall try to have them reached." Note: Has any project of public nature ever been free from selfish exploitation by those who we consider the meanest traitors to a nation?

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

City Clerk Oscar Peterson presented the oath of office of "Jim" McLean as a member of the Board of Public Works.

Attorney Carl Hoffman filed a claim against the city in behalf of Frank Dykman whose arm was broken in an accident on Eighth Street when the street was torn up for paving. The claim was filed.

Oil craze again hits Allegan county. Many leases have been secured around Manlius, 1,000 in all. A well will be sunk near Perch Lake, 2 miles east of Fennville. Some 40 years ago a try was made for oil at the Allegan city limits, but only a small quantity was discovered, not in paying quantities. Some Holland money also went in those dry holes. Note:—Ten years later Allegan has become a veritable oil field, showing that the prospectors of four decades before were on the right track. Improved methods and approved ways of locating oil has undoubtedly brought success later.

Train Robber Story Has Been Revived Here

RETURNING OF BAGGAGEMAN
ON PERE MARQUETTE
REMINDED OF SMALLEY,
THE BANDIT

Robbed Train Between New Richmond and East Saugatuck—
Killed a Detective and Was
Shot to Death

The writer was vividly reminded of a train robbery that occurred a few miles south of Holland 43 years ago when it was announced that Charles B. Kiley, well-known baggageman on the Pere Marquette system, made his last trip with his wife from Detroit to Grand Rapids last Friday.

Holland railroad folks knew Kiley well, since for years he passed through this city daily on the Grand Rapids, Holland and Chicago run. He was on that run for years and started as a young man when the system was still the Chicago & West Michigan. Mr. Kiley in relating many of his experiences the other day, stated that the most outstanding was a train robbery 43 years ago, when a C. & W. M. train was robbed at New Richmond.

In looking over the News files of August 24, 1896, we find a complete story of how five bandits held up the 9:30 night train from Chicago in a dense wooded spot at New Richmond, eight miles south of Holland. It appeared that the robbers had anticipated a large express shipment of money amounting to around \$50,000. The train robbers had been mistaken, since this money was sent on a previous train and the only booty secured was \$7,000 in money and two watches, one from the fireman and one from the engineer. The passengers were not molested, but all were badly frightened since train robbery in Michigan was unheard of. The News story goes on to say that the train left Fennville at 9:26, five minutes late, and was running at ordinary speed when the engineer, George Dibble, noticed a white light some distance ahead signaling stop. As the train came to a standstill several shots were fired with the demand "throw up your hands." The place was ideal for their purpose, since a heavy growth of timber skirted the roadside at New Richmond and there were no houses in sight from that point.

As soon as the train had stopped Tim Murphy, the rear brakeman, started back to attend to his duties as bagman when one of the five robbers ordered him back on the train, emphasizing his remarks with several shots from his pistol, one of which took effect, striking Murphy in the ribs and then glancing off, inflicting a flesh wound. While this was going on the other robbers—one a heavily bearded man who afterwards proved to be Smalley, the head of a notorious gang of highwaymen—paid attention to the front end of the train. Two men were left to guard the engineer and fireman. Two others, including Smalley, forced their way into the baggage car, inside of which Charles B. Kiley and V. N. Vannatta, baggagemen, and conductor E. E. Rice were conferring why the sudden stop. Rice stepped to the platform and demanded to know what was wanted and was ordered to get back inside the car followed by several shots from the robbers, was the only reply. Rice re-entered the car, slamming the door, and instantly taking a walet containing \$900 from his pocket, he threw it behind a heap of baggage. One of the robbers, it was noticed, was doing something to the large baggage car door. There was a terrific explosion, for this robber had placed a stick of dynamite below the door and it was torn completely off its hinges. No sooner was the opening made when two robbers jumped through with leveled revolvers, glanced about the car, apparently looking for something special. In this they seemingly were disappointed, since the big loot had passed that same spot some hours before on an earlier train. They then searched the baggagemen and conductor and secured \$7 in silver from the latter's pocket. Smalley then coolly took the conductor's watch, but replaced it with the remark, "I don't want that, you may need it to run your train in with." The robbers next blew open the safe but secured nothing. This done, the bearded man chatted pleasantly with his victims for a few moments, expressing regrets that his efforts had yielded so little. Thereupon he and his gang, after a cordial "good night," backed out of the door and disappeared in the darkness of the woods near by. The train then proceeded at high speed to Holland, where officers of this city, Fennville and Grand Rapids were immediately notified.

The tragic part of this story followed when three Grand Rapids detectives were placed on the case. They were Powers, Young and Gast. They received a tip that a suspicious looking character with a beard had boarded a G. R. & I. train at Grand Rapids as it was pulling out. The detectives hurried to the junction, and then boarded the same train. Taking positions in different parts of the train, Detective George Powers entered the smoker. As he did so, he spotted his man sitting on a seat next to the train door. Powers, possibly overzealous in order to land his man, reached up to the rack to grab the satchel (supposed to contain much loot) with one hand and pulled the bell-cord with the other. Just as he did so Smalley drew his pistol, jumped up and shot Powers full in the face. The detective fell to the car floor, fatally wounded. In the melee that followed, the robbers made good their escape. The condition of Powers, who needed attention was serious. Blood was flowing freely from an ugly hole in the right side of his face. The bullet penetrated the cheek and remained lodged back

WHY GO TO CALIFORNIA OR FLORIDA

That's what a great many Mich-
iganers are asking. With the ex-
ception of maybe ten days of snow
and sleet, Holland and this vicinity
has been free of slush and snow
and has had but little rain during
the fall and winter thus far.

Wednesday the spring breeze
fanned the air and continued for
two days, and what little vestige
of snow there was in heaps was
cleaned out over the night. There
is only a thin layer of ice over Lake
Macatawa in places and fishermen
who dare to venture keep nightly
close to shore. Several reports of
persons going through the ice have
been received.

Here, this fifth day of January,
the air is like a spring zephyr and
the thermometer on the window
ledge of the Holland City News
registered 60 at noon today.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS REVIEW

In section 2, page 1, of this
issue, will be found a clearcut
review of the Board of Public Works
of this city, its inception, its
growth, its value to the city, its
help in building a hospital, its
contributing factor into the city
treasury, its reason for contemplat-
ing the new plant on the "in-
land," its reaching its peakload,
and a great many other details
that give valuable information to
the public as this relates to our
municipal light and water plant.

Turn to section 2, page 1, where
there are three columns of infor-
mative material from members of
the Board of Public Works.

MILES REPORT SHOWS 346 LAW SUITS IN OTTAWA DURING YEAR

Judge Fred T. Miles' annual
report of number of law suits be-
gun in each of the counties of the
20th judicial circuit court over
which he presides, shows 346 in
Ottawa and 287 in Allegan county.
The report determines the
amount each county shall pay to-
ward the salary of the court stenog-
rapher and is required by law.
Ottawa will pay \$1,692 and Allegan
\$1,908. The 20th judicial circuit
is the most populous circuit in
the state except for the 25th cir-
cuit, Judge Miles reports. Of the
cases begun in Ottawa, 62 were
criminal, 171 law and 113 chan-
cery. In Allegan 24 were criminal,
90 law and 134 chancery.

of the right ear. He died shortly
afterward.

The gang was not to remain at
large for long. The robbery of a
train in Michigan had spread like
wildfire. The newspapers gave a
description of some of the men,
especially the bearded Smalley.

Word came from McLean that a
stranger with a beard answering
the description of one of the rob-
bers, had arrived in the village
and had gone to a farm house. Two
officers from that vicinity whose
names we do not recall called to
investigate and found that the
farmer was in some way related to
Smalley. The two men with Win-
chester rifles opened the door of
the farm house slightly and there
saw Smalley sitting in a rocking
chair near the door. The robber
was surprised when he heard the
order to throw up his hands. In-
stead, his hand went to his hip and
he at the same time kicked the
door shut. The two officers, how-
ever, shot through the door and the
balls were well directed, for as they
opened the door, they saw Smalley
take a half-dozen steps toward the
rear of the house and then saw him
fall dead on the kitchen floor. One
bullet had entered the breast and
the other lodged in the neck.

It was later found that Smalley
belonged to a gang of robbers in
Indian territory and came here
with some of the gang to try a
state where train robbery would
not be suspected.

Relative to this case, Albert Kep-
pel of Holland also tells an in-
cident of more than passing notice.
His brother, Bastian D. Keppel,
then sheriff, and he were taking 2
prisoners to jail and were at the
Holland station when they noticed
a man with a black beard who wore
a black Prince Albert coat. He was
tall and spare, and the two Holland
men discussed the strange-looking
man who looked like a bishop or a
man of the cloth, only his hat
belied this. The man walked up
and down the platform of the local
station as if impatient. When the
Chicago train, leaving shortly after
1 o'clock pulled out, the strange
man swung aboard. After the rob-
bery the next night and the de-
scription of Smalley was reported,
the Kappels were positive that the
man with the ministerial coat was
the leader of the band making his
last lap to the scene of his last
crime.

Of Kiley, the retiring baggageman,
with his picture, the Grand
Rapids Press recently said:

Kiley, termed an "exceptional
employee" by Pere Marquette of-
ficials, started work June 4, 1895,
on the Chicago & West Michigan,
now the Chicago division of the
Pere Marquette.

"Some introduction I had" he
recalled. "Just eight weeks after
I started we had one of the biggest
train robberies that ever hit the
road."

Kiley referred to a holdup be-
tween Fennville and New Richmond
on Aug. 17, 1896, by a notorious
gang led by two Smalley Brothers.
Three bandits stopped the train,
shot a flagman, blew up the ex-
press company's safe and took
the conductor's money. The express
company never revealed how much
was taken from the safe. One of
the bandits later was shot in north-
ern Michigan and identified by the
conductor.

The holdup remains Kiley's most
vivid memory of 43 years of rail-
roading. "About all we could do
was to stand there and take it,"
Kiley recalled.

Holland Ice Vill Is Now Formi On Local Ba

Ice Fishing Starts Late This
Because of Mild Weather—
Still Dangerous

Ice fishing is at least four
late this year on Lake Ma-
caw for the reason we have been
Florida weather until near
Year's and the lake has been
water rather than ice-covered
other years. The ice at
only a few inches thick and
men are taking a chance, say-
ing if a thaw should set in, it
at least 300 shanties are near
in Pine Creek bay alone, Big
and near Jonson park.

The following on ice fish-
spearing, in part, is from
writer Jack Van Coevering
Detroit Free Press:

Inside these little shanty
fishermen as well as the spea-
keep their long vigils. Made
tight, the interiors are new
illuminated by the queer light
comes up from beneath and in
the open hole in the ice. Key
fortable by a little coal stove
fisherman sits on his bench
ling a little wooden decoy in
His spear sets on the edge
shanty floor in ready position.


When his keen eyes spot
dark shape of a pike attract-
the decoy, he reaches carefully
his spear, grasps the handle
other kinder and prepares to
surface of the water and sets
The aim is back of the
head and if the shot be in-
stant later there will be a
glint, fighting, thrashing un-
there in the deep. This is the
for which the shanty-fish-
man has been waiting. If the
long or more, the winter
erman has something to re-
neighbors about.

Not only appear men use a
for fishing. Ice-line fishermen
like to use the tarpaper
where, sheltered from the chil-
which sweeps the ice, they are
in warmth and comfort. Two
are really enough in a tan-
shack, and if the two be chro-
nicles, many a solidly-built
hour is spent tending the hook
moving the fish. Ice fishing
other kinder and prepares to
will be followed by a golden
Hardest of the whole ice-
tribe are those fishermen who
ice holes out in the open, far
backs to the wind and cold.

They are the polar bears
Eskimos who while at the
mercury and make sport of
laden winds. Armed with
scoopers or dippers, they keep
ice holes from freezing over.

Inured to freezing water
throw off their mittens when
bites and hasten to rebait the
before the bait freezes. You
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their ice holes.

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HOUTING-STEGENGA VOWS SPOKEN IN WOMAN'S LIT- ERARY CLUB

The wedding of Miss Jean Wilhelmina Houting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knoll, 97 W. 17th St., Holland, and George Edward Stegenga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stegenga, 58 Van Dine Pl., Grand Rapids, was solemnized at the Woman's Literary club rooms at five o'clock Saturday, New Year's Eve. The impressive single-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Weyer, pastor of First Reformed church, before an arch of spengeri ferns banded with palms and ferns. On each side of the altar were a seven-branch candelabra and twin baskets of large white chrysanthemums. Approximately 100 guests were present.

Mrs. Jerry Houting served as matron of honor, and Miss Mary Damstra was bridesmaid, while Jerry Houting attended the groom as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Van Tatenhove acted as master and mistress of ceremonies, and Miss Margaret Schurman presided over the gift room. Ushers were Merle Ver Schure and Robert J. Kouw.

Before the ceremonies, Gerrit Raterink of Grand Rapids sang, "God Sent Me You," by Thompson, and "I Love You Truly" by Carry Jacobs Bond. Monte Emmons, Zealand violinist, and Gerard Hanchett, pianist of Holland, favored with instrumental numbers. Lohengrin's wedding march being played as the bridal party assembled, and the wedding march from Midsummer Night's Dream was chosen as the recessional.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a satin gown of the new bridal blush color, trimmed with alencon lace, the lace forming long tight sleeves slightly full at the shoulder line. The neckline was offset by a small lace collar, while a row of tiny buttons graced the back of the gown. The double-circular veil was waist-length, at the top of which was a halo of pearls and orange blossoms. The bride carried an arm bouquet of Kilmarney roses, stelia, and narcissus, tied with maline and lily-of-the-valley showers.

The matron of honor was attired in a turquoise taffeta formal, fashioned with a wide square decollete with a group of gold flowers at the shoulders. The gown had a girdled waistline, adding prominence to the full skirt which had a circular flounce. She carried a bouquet of white pom poms, Briarcliff roses and stelia, tied with pink tulle.

The bridesmaid's gown was of Bois de Rose taffeta, with a square decollete finished with a net ruffle. Tiny rows of net comprised the puffed sleeves. The bridesmaid also had a full skirt and wide girdled waistline. Her bouquet was of Jo-anna Hill roses, stelia, and white pom poms, tied with white tulle. The bridesmaid, as well as the matron of honor, wore gold flowers in her hair.

Mrs. Knoll, mother of the bride, chose a black chiffon velvet, and Mrs. Stegenga, the groom's mother, wore black silk crepe. Mrs. Van Tatenhove, the mistress of ceremonies, was attired in black chiffon, while Miss Schurman, the gift attendant, wore a blue and rose taffeta gown. Mrs. C. Hoeland, the hostess in the tea room during the reception, wore black silk crepe. She wore a shoulder corsage, as did the mistress of ceremony and the gift attendant.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was given for the guests. The waitresses were the Misses Christine Ver Hult, Angie Zweeping, Luella Nykerk, Jean Pellegrom, Lucille Buter, Esther Bultman, Renetta Shackson, and Vivian Markvliet. The beautiful three-tiered wedding cake decorated with white roses and topped

V.F.W. News

Our next regular meeting will be Thursday, Jan. 12 in the V.F.W. hall. The auxiliary meets the same evening in the G.A.R. room, city hall.

Now that the holidays are over and the first meeting of the new year about to convene let's get down to business and everybody turn out. We are looking for no alibis.

New members are coming in. Let's give them a big welcome.

The V.F.W. discontinued the Vv plates but don't forget to get your booster plates with the organization's initials and post number.

Fish fry after next meeting. Let's all be there with bells.

Remember we are again in the West Michigan County Council. That means we are to entertain and be entertained.

The holiday excitement being over, let's spend a sociable evening at the V.F.W. Fun Party Friday evening, 8 P. M. The public is invited.

OTTAWA WOMAN HAS HER 98TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Mary Gould of Tallmadge township, Ottawa county, celebrated her ninety-eighth birthday anniversary Friday with an open house at the home of Mrs. Thomas White. She enjoys good health and is active.

Mrs. Gould was born at Owen Sound, Ont., the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Raven. She was married in 1861 to Nathan P. Gould and they moved to Michigan in 1870. Mr. Gould died in 1920.

Her one living sister, Mrs. E. Richards, of Chicago, formerly of Grand Rapids, is 85 years old. Mrs. Gould has four children, W. A. Gould of Los Angeles, Calif.; A. H. Gould of Pevely, Mo.; C. A. Gould of Manistique and A. E. Gould of Canon City, Colo. There also are 15 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren, and 14 great-great-grandchildren.

with a miniature bride and groom was served by the hostess after the bride had cut the first piece. White pom poms and tall white tapers comprised the decorations, while favors were in the form of Joanna Hill roses.

The bride was born in Milwaukee, but later came to Holland and was graduated from the local high school. At Hope college she was a member of the Delphi Literary society, and later became saleslady at the Knoll Gift Shop.

The groom was born in Holland, was graduated from Central high school at Grand Rapids, and is now employed in the advertising department of the Grand Rapids Press.

Out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. John Berkompas, Gerrit Raterink, Mr. and Mrs. W. Troxel, Mr. and Mrs. Allie Stegenga, Donald, William, and John Stegenga, Miss Vivian Purchase, Mrs. Thomas De Loof, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stegenga, all of Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Yonker and Miss Evelyn Yonker of Muskegon.

Immediately following the reception, the couple left for a short wedding trip to Chicago. For the Misses Christine Ver Hult, Angie Zweeping, Luella Nykerk, Jean Pellegrom, Lucille Buter, Esther Bultman, Renetta Shackson, and Vivian Markvliet. The beautiful three-tiered wedding cake decorated with white roses and topped

In The WEEK'S NEWS



HAPPY REFUGEES—Happy as they can be are these German Jewish refugee children pictured at the Dovercourt Bay holiday camp at Harwich, England after their recent arrival. Two hundred of them between the ages of 12 and 17 will be adopted by British families.

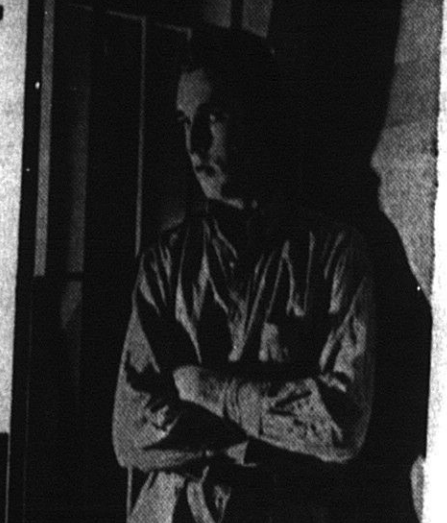


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AVENGES MOTHER'S BEATING BY KILLING DAD—Twenty-year-old Richard Belcher of Redwood City, California took the law into his own hands to avenge the brutal beating of his mother by killing his father. The lad surrendered to the authorities after the shooting.



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HOLLAND YOUTH HURT IN ACCIDENT SATURDAY

Herbert Clemons, 20, son of E. J. Clemons, officer in charge of the Holland coast guard station, suffered severe leg injuries at 4:15 p. m. Saturday in an automobile-motorcycle accident at the corner of Pine ave. and 16th st.

Young Clemons was a passenger on a motorcycle driven by Joseph Knoll of Route 4 when the bike was involved in an accident with a car driven by Gerrit J. Kaas-hoek of Holland.

Clemons' leg may have to be amputated, hospital attendants said.

Hand Coverings Traced

Back to the Israelites
"Gloves of Antiquity" mentions gloves in the Bible, in the Book of Ruth. Gloves were worn by the Israelites, solely by men of rank. Mural paintings of Thebes show gloves as a part of the king's raiment. Xenophon at the end of the Eighth book of Cyropedia complains of the unwarranted elegance of the Persians, that they not only wore umbrellas over them in summer and in winter, not satisfied with ordinary clothing, but have coverings made of hair for their hands and fingers.

Chaldeans defined gloves in their dictionary. Pliny speaks of an amanuensis who "wore gloves upon his hands in winter, lest the severity of the weather should let him lose anything." Homer mentions Laertes, father of Ulysses, in retirement "while gloves received his hands to shield them from the thorns." A celebrated Roman glutton came to the table in gloves so that he might be able to handle and eat the meat while hot, and so devour more than the rest of the company.

The Christians at the end of the First century considered the wearing of both shoes and gloves (hair coverings for feet and hands) as shameful to persons in perfect health. But even cavern men wore gloves, possibly 100,000 years ago, according to some learned historians.

So we really have an instinct about gloves and can justify all of their uses, even that of pure decoration, by studying the costumes of the ancients.

Paper Decorations Used In Chinese Ceremonials

The use of ornamental paper cut to represent various objects and burned at Chinese funerals dates from the very inception of paper-making, writes David Hunter in the Bulletin of American Museum of History. Objects of all kinds are constructed of paper and burned at the bier of the deceased so that the departed spirit may have an abundance of the things represented by the frail paper effigies.

Along certain streets of all great cities of China are shops where these ghost-like replicas are sold—highly ornate cardboard chests, with shiny gold and silver paper locks; flowing robes of paper, painted with golden dragons and complicated patterns; shoes, hats and all manner of wearing apparel made of paper.

For the relatives of the wealthy, the craftsmen in paper also construct full-sized carts and horses, the thought being that when these fragile representations go up in smoke they will eventually assume reality in heaven and the deceased will have horses and vehicles at his disposal.

Great quantities of mock money are burned every year in China and all over Asia, where Chinese have made their homes. If sufficient "money" is burned, the deceased will be able to purchase elaborate clothing, fine horses and other necessities after reaching the spirit world.

Dark Ages, Middle Ages

The Dark ages extended, roughly speaking, from the fall of the western Roman empire in 476 A. D. to the revival of learning on the discovery of the pandects at Amalfi, Italy, in 1150—altogether about seven centuries. The period extending from the fall of the Roman empire to the capture of Constantinople in 1533 by the Turks is known as the Middle ages. The pandects were a collection of laws systematically arranged from Roman writings on jurisprudence. They were enacted into law by the Emperor Justinian in 529 A. D. Their discovery at Amalfi stimulated a general study of Roman and Greek literature, which led to what is known as the classic age. During the Dark ages learning was at its lowest ebb in Europe and civilization seemed to retrograde, owing to the masses of barbarians who emerged from northern Europe and overran the former seats of learning.

Famed Umbrellas

Jonas Hanway was the man who popularized the rainshield in London. He took his life in his hands when he did it, too, asserts a writer in the Washington Post. Not that umbrellas were unknown. Far from it. They had been used as sun shades in the East for centuries. They were well-known in France.

In fact, English women occasionally carried them. But Hanway was the first Englishman to dare appear on the streets with an umbrella. He saw in it a way to prevent sickness caused by getting wet in rain. So, he carried his umbrella, though he was booed, pelted with sticks and stones. But Jonas Hanway lived to have the last laugh. Before he died in 1786 most men carried umbrellas and shortly after his death, even the hard-boiled men of the army took to them.

Wild Hare, Squirrels Pests

In the Eighteenth century wild hare and squirrels were so plentiful they became pests, with bounties on their heads, says the American Wildlife Institute. In one year—1749—400 pounds were paid out for the heads of gray and black squirrels at three pence a head in Pennsylvania alone. This means that more than 600,000 were killed for the price on their heads.

Board of Education

Holland, Mich., Dec. 12, 1938
The Board of Education met December 12, 1938 and was called to order by the President.

Members all present except Trustees Orlert and Lampen. Accounts reported favorably on the following bills:

Attend. Secy. & Clerk's Salaries \$ 224.15
Mich. Bell Telephone Co. 32.85
Kee Lox Mfg. Co. 1.92
Burroughs Adding Mach. Co. 3.35
U. S. Post Office 16.34
Holland Evening Sentinel 12.32
Expenses to Child Accounting Conference 10.75
Secretary 20.85

Teachers' Salaries

December salaries 17,350.00
L. W. Singer Co. 72.10
D. Appleton Century Co. 1.02
Mich. School Service 3.06
Chas. Merrill Co. 6.10
Educational Test Bureau 23.52
Magazines 3.15
Dept. of Education 1.00
Scholastic Publications 4.00
Scott Foresman Co. 6.77
Silver Burdett Co. 6.52
Rooks Transfer Co. 2.00
Ginn & Company 5.85
Macmillan Co. 1.18
Postage .82
Carolyn Hawes 2.75
Zoerman Hardware 4.84
Service Machine Co. 1.72
Holland Electric 4.82
G. R. Dowel Works 6.37
A. L. Holcomb Co. 4.40
Nies Hardware 9.20
Fris Book Store 3.20
De Free Hardware 3.11
Du Mex Bros. 11.67
Meyer Music House 1.47
Harry Prins 18.28
Superior Ice Co. 8.15

School Clerks

Salaries 152.00
Health 108.00
Nurse 1.10
Maurice Polack Inc. 2.00
Mich. Forensic Assn. 48.14
Du Saar Photo Shop 15.85
Babson's Inc. 155.67
Mich. School Service 2.00
S. S. Kresge 34.40
Elm Valley Milk Co. 8.00
Student Helpers 1.52
A. Steketee 2.50
Cambosco Scientific Co. 79.10
C. B. Dolge Co. 1.50
Burroughs Adding Machine Co. 20.15
Postage and express 48.38
Van Putten Grocery 3.45
H. R. Brink 3.45

Nies Hardware 32
Central Mich. Paper Co. 16.13
Fris Book Store 102.19
De Free Hardware 3.41
Cook-Wash. School 40.90
Monastery Hill Bindery 183.53
H. W. Wilson Co. 1.00
Martin & Murray Co. 42.96
American Library Assoc. 2.00
Macmillan Co. 31.21
Foreign Policy Assoc. 5.00
Magazines 156.40
Express 25.25
Holland City News 1.73
Express 15.74
Associated Truck Line 2.60
Rite Canvas Products Co. 145.89
Express .89
Fris Book Store 22.76
Fred Stoltz 3.00
Meyer Music House 55.70
Holland Electric Co. 10.10
Herbert C. White 5.01
Dr. S. Graflin 150.00

For teachers

Salaries 1,634.50
Procter & Gamble Co. 5.79
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co. 8.15
Michigan Gas Co. 12.32
Board of Public Works 260.57
Secretary of State 9.85
Holland Electric Co. 9.85
Smith's Drug Store .38
Holland Super Service 9.35
Economics Laboratory Inc. 11.76
De Free Hardware .89
Liability Insurance 157.30
Gebben & Vanden Berg 134.15
P. M. Railway Co. 150.42
Carra Fork Coal Co. 101.03
Gerrit Kraght 7.50
Boer's Transfer 5.00

Interest

People's State Bank 2,783.75
Frank M. Lieverse 6.35
J. Arendshorst 64.40
Special Assessments 204.90
Scott & Lugers 15.00
Vogelzang Hardware .30
White Bros. Electric Co. 10.20
Tyler Van Landegend 1.80
Harry C. Bontekoe 17.00
Zoerman Hardware 2.90
Secretary of State .50
Holland Electric Co. .36
Geo. Woldring & Sons 18.40
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Johnson Service Co. 59.49
Jas. Brouwer Co. 9.75
Smith Drug Store 2.25
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Holland Lumber Co. 3.15

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"THE STRANGE CASE OF DR. MEAD"

with Jack Holt

Added—Episode No. 7 of Serial "Flaming Frontier"

Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 9, 10

Blondie

with

Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake

Added—News, Cartoon and Fashion Forecast

Wednesday and Thursday, January 11 and 12

Double Feature

"THE CITADEL"

with

Robt. Donat

"LISTEN DARLING"

with

Freddie Bartholomew

Added—News

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Deborah Veneklasen, Ottawa county EHA administrator, announced Thursday that 28 CCC boys of Ottawa county will leave Tuesday for Camp Mackinaw, Rexton, Mich.

A truck carrying a cargo of 3,000 gallons of crude oil on its way from the Bloomington oil fields to the Muskegon refinery tipped over after skidding on icy pavement near Schroeders' corners in Allegan Wednesday afternoon.

Carter P. Brown, manager and part owner of the Castle park hotel, has been made a Virginia colonel. A winter resident of Tryon, N. C., he is the fifth man from the Carolinas to be so honored.

Holland high school and Grand Haven high will clash on the basketball floor at Grand Haven Friday night. Only a limited number of student tickets have been received here, according to J. J. Riemersma, Holland high principal.

Mrs. Isis Callahan, mother of Mrs. Louis Wood of 78 West Ninth St., died in Bedford, Ind., today, Thursday of pneumonia. Mrs. Wood left here Wednesday noon to be at her mother's side.

Memorial services in honor of John S. Dykstra were held Tuesday night at the regular meeting of chapter 429, Order of Eastern Star, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ledick, Mrs. Julia Dick, Mrs. Mary Streu and Mrs. George Brown passed proficiency tests and were given awards. Arrangements for a card party Jan. 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James K. Ward of the Northshore drive were announced. Mrs. Mary Streu and her committee were in charge of the social hour.

Miss Lalla McKay of 231 West Ninth St. who has been in the hospital for some time, recently was moved to her home.

Mrs. E. P. McLean and her daughter, Margaret, and Miss Lavinia Cappon recently returned from a holiday trip to Tryon, N. C. Prof. McLean, on leave of absence this semester from Hope college, remained in the south. He plans to visit Florida for a few weeks.

As a result of a mastoid operation last Saturday, Charles Van Duren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Van Duren, is still confined to Holland hospital.

Tonight, Friday, at 6:30 the Beechwood Get-Together club will hold a pot-luck supper.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Maatman of Noordeloos announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Mae, to Stanley Sprink of West 16th St.

New officers elected at a meeting of the Women's guild of Grace Episcopal church at the home of Mrs. C. Vander Heuvel on Pine Ave. Wednesday afternoon include: Mrs. Vander Heuvel, president; Mrs. John Kramer, vice president; Mrs. Joseph Borgman, secretary; Mrs. A. Harris, treasurer. Week after next, on Wednesday, the guild will meet at Mrs. Borgman's home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfert have returned from Florida. They spent a few days in Largo with Mr. Russell Harrington and family. The Harringtons are former members of the Wesleyan church, and Mrs. Wolfert also spent a day at Alturas visiting some West Salem friends. Mr. and Mrs. R. Voigt, who have a 64-acre grove of citrus fruit. They picked temple, king, pineapple and tango oranges, as well as grapefruit and tangerines. The Wolferts were on their honeymoon. Mrs. Wolfert being the former Miss Koertje, city nurse.

The regular luncheon meeting of the St. Catherine's guild of Grace Episcopal church was held at the home of Mrs. Verne C. Hohl Wednesday afternoon. It was announced that Mrs. Gerald Kramer is in general charge of arrangements for a roller skating party which the guild will sponsor. Mrs. Charles Sligh and Mrs. Charles Stuart are in charge of posters; Mrs. Roy Young and Mrs. Ruth Brunse, of refreshments; and Mrs. Kenneth Campbell, of publicity. The guild voted to take care of the expenses for music from the church budget, including music for the choir, care of the vestments, and the organist's salary.

Friday night the Eagles Ladies auxiliary will hold its regular meeting.

The engagement of Miss Eleanor Prins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. KAMERAAD

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Claus Prins, and Jerrel Bos, son of Mrs. John Bos, was announced at a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Appledorn of Muskegon on Dec. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Gebben and Mr. and Mrs. Dorus Gebben of Zeeland drove to West Olive Sunday afternoon, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Martin Berkompas. Mr. Berkompas is slowly recovering from injuries received recently when he fell from a wagon and was trampled by his horses.

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huizenga and Mrs. Irene Huizenga of Zeeland were visitors with their mother, Mrs. B. Huizenga, and their brothers, Peter Huim and Henry Huizenga, in Holland. Mr. H. Huizenga is still confined to his home since last March, following a serious operation, but is now showing improvement.

Cornelius Smits has moved to Zeeland from Holland into the residence at 264 South Maple street.

Dr. and Mrs. Arend Vyn of Grand Haven and daughter, Frances and Arend Vyn Jr. of Grand Rapids, are to leave Saturday for Florida where all Arend Vyn Jr. will remain for the next three months. He will return in two weeks to resume his position with the American Seating company. Dr. and Mrs. Vyn have not determined where they will locate in Florida.

Funeral services for James Hoogstrate, 60, former Holland resident, were held at 2:30 p. m. Thursday in the Langeland Funeral home. The Rev. C. W. Meredith officiated, and burial was in Fairlawn cemetery. Mr. Hoogstrate died unexpectedly in Grand Rapids on Tuesday. Surviving are six children, Mrs. George Vanden Belt of Holland, Joe of Holland, Henry of Seattle, Wash., John and Mrs. C. Smith of Pasadena, Calif., and Mrs. Arthur Speck of Detroit.

Rev. Paul Hinkamp of Holland will lead the C. E. of Forest Grove Sunday evening and will give an illustrated address. The entire congregation has been invited to this meeting.

Mrs. Ella Goodrich, of 75 East Ninth Street, and Willard A. Cobb, retired railroad dispatcher of this city, have returned to New York where they were recently married in the Little Church Around the Corner in New York city, a church famous for its weddings. The marriage license was obtained there at the Municipal building in New York. Both are well known in this city. Mr. Cobb spent 44 years as a railroad engineer, and as yard clerk and retiring as yard master at Waverly yards, Holland.

Martin Tanis, 71, of 367 Central Ave., resident of Holland for the past 37 years, died this morning, Thursday, at his home after a prolonged illness. Funeral services have been arranged for 2 p. m. Saturday at the home and 2:30 p. m. in First Reformed church, with Dr. Seth Vander Weert officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Surviving are the widow; two daughters, Mrs. Charles Van Kirk of Goodrich, Mich., and Mrs. Benjamin Stone of Fruitport; a son, Frank Douma of Ottumwa, Ia.; seven brothers, Cornelius, Remus, Richard, John, William and Gerrit of Fremont, Nicholas of Zeeland and Leonard of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. William Kooyers of Ellsworth, Mich., and Mrs. L. Maring of Muskegon. Mr. Tanis was born in Vriesland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hein Derks, Cornelius Leenhouts, and Mrs. Wm. De Hoop of Zeeland, and Mrs. M. Sullivan of Roscommon left on Tuesday morning for Newport Rickey, Florida, where they will spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wentzel of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Du Mez of Holland spent Monday at Zeeland the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wentzel, at their home on East Main St., Zeeland.

Members of the Woman's Literary club heard Hollis Baker, president of Baker Furniture Factories, Inc., speak on "The By-Products of Travel" Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Baker based his talk on a trip which he and Mrs. Baker made last spring to the Azores, Lisbon, Gibraltar, Algiers, Sicily, and numerous Italian cities. Mrs. R. L. Schlecht announced that Mrs. Blanche De Koning of the Grand Rapids Anti-tubercular society will speak at the club building next Wednesday at 8 p. m. in connection with the movie, "Let My People Live." The public is invited to attend. Mrs. Frank Bertsch, a member of the club who died recently, was paid tribute. Sympathy was also extended to Mrs. John S. Dykstra, whose husband recently died. Mrs. Kenneth De Pree, president of the club, announced that the board of directors has decided to remodel the club kitchen.

Dr. John R. Mulder of the Western Theological seminary, Holland, will be the speaker at the next regular P.T.A. meeting of Zeeland Public Schools on Tuesday, January 17. He will tell of the history of the educational system of the Moravians.

AMERICAN LEGION BAND HOLDS INTERESTING ANNUAL MEETING

The American Legion Band, of which Harold J. Karsten is the president, and who was the master of ceremonies, held their annual meeting Tuesday in the city hall where they have their band rooms. Raymond Knooihuizen gave his annual report in detail, showing just what the band comprises and the accomplishments of our wonderful organization. Many guests were present, including Mayor Geerlings and others of the aldermanic staff.

The question uppermost in the minds of everyone is the building of a band shell, a matter that has been rife for a great many years, but the dreams and desires of this wonderful body of musicians have not yet come true, but all effort should be made to have it become a fact. Those who discussed the bandshell were:

Ben Brower, chairman of the park board, who knows the need of such a convenience and innovation, pointed out the great need for a shell, basing his thought on the fact that thousands listen to these concerts during the summer and not only citizens are pleased with this evening's outing, but reporters and folks from the rural districts make their plans accordingly and come.

Mayor Geerlings, while desiring a bandshell, stated that Holland was economizing and a program of getting out of debt was paramount in the minds of the aldermen. He did express a hope that a bandshell might become a fact within the next two years. He also congratulated the band for its services to the city during these many years. He stated that Holland considers its musical organization one of its finest assets.

Al Van Lente, first treasurer of the band, thanked the mayor, and said all Legion members were proud of the Legion band.

Alderman Casey Kalkman related attempts made in common council for five years to bring about the construction of a bandshell, and he again brought up the matter of the much-mooted tannery property which the city turned down at the two elections. The purchasing of this property carried with it the eventual building of a bandshell.

Herman De Neut of the park board urged that all those interested form a group to collaborate with the common council to prove to the aldermen that a bandshell was imperative. Undoubtedly, this would be a fine idea for information; however, the aldermen are well conversant of these needs, not alone, but they know that such an unselfish organization as the American Legion Band has proved to be deserves the very first break possible for this shell so dear to their hearts and so essential in giving good music.

Mr. Harold Karsten, president of the band, said there seemed to be a lack of coordination on the entire matter, but if the help of all those interested, including all the civic groups, were correlated, the matter of a band shell would soon be straightened out and not only would a shell be built, but a suitable place would be found. He said that Centennial Park, as was suggested, had its good and bad features, it was central, but for some years traffic and other noises hindered the band in playing and annoyed the audience.

In opening the meeting, which closed with refreshments, President Karsten repeated the Lord's prayer in which the band members and audience joined in unison.

Secretary-Treasurer Knooihuizen submitted his 18th annual report which disclosed receipts totaling \$2,959.93; disbursements, \$2,953.51; balance for Dec. 31, 1938, \$55.58. The balance Dec. 31, 1937, was \$10.88. The report also included the year's honor roll and various concerts the band has played within the past year.

Wilmer Vander Hoop showed colored slides he had taken of the 1938 Tulip Time festival and also pictures of his trip to the Bad Lands and Black Hills in South Dakota. Later in the evening he exhibited pictures of his visit to Yellowstone National park.

Andrew Rutgers, finance officer for the local legion post, was presented with a gift of cigars, matches and candy for assistance given Mr. Knooihuizen. Attendance awards were made by Mr. Karsten. Gold lyres went to Mr. Knooihuizen, Mr. Languijs, Nick Van Dyk, Roland Van Dyk and Leslie Woltman for no absences from practice in the past year. Silver lyres were given Lester Dogger, Bert Jacobs, Clarence Kieft, John Perkosi, Gilbert Tors and Andrew Ver Schure for two absences went to Robert Spaulding, Herbert Van Meurs and Robert Evans.

Service awards, a gold star for five years and silver star for one year were presented various band members as follows: 18 years—Mr. Knooihuizen, Nick Van Dyk, Mr. Jacobs, Robert Evans and Cornelius Wiersma; 17 years—Don Zwemer and Mr. Languijs; 14 years—John Perkosi; 13 years—Gerald Bolhuis and Harold J. Karsten; 12 years—Herbert Van Meurs and George Karsten; 11 years—Nick Brower; 10 years—Abel Van Dyk and Eugene Heeter; nine years—Adrian Klaas, en and Herman De Weerd; eight years—Andrew Ver Schure; seven years—George Bosworth and Franklin Van Ry; six years—Francis Drake and Rance Overbeek; five years—James K. Ward, August Kasten, Thomas Selby, Leslie Woltman and Henry Perkosi. No awards are given for less than five years but honorable mention went to Harold Woltman, Donald Visser, Richard Schaftenaar, Frank Working and Harold Beernink.

New band members in the last year were Clyde Geerlings, Robert Kuite, Harold Woltman, Frank Working, H. Beernink, Henry Perkosi, Theodore Hackett and Rance Overbeek.

For five years of continuous attendance without missing a single practice, Mr. Languijs of Zeeland was presented a pen and pencil set. Mr. Karsten congratulated Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Knooihuizen for their work as officers.

In his annual message, Mr. Karsten expressed thanks to band members and all who helped make the past year a "complete success." He requested council give

NEW CHIEF TAKES CONTROL OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief of Police Ira A. Antles is now "in complete control of the personnel of the Holland police department," as a result of a notice to be posted in police headquarters which was approved by members of the board of police and fire commissioners Tuesday night.

In making the request for complete control, Chief Antles said, "If any member of the department has any grievance against one of his fellow officers or against me, I should be the first to hear about it, and attempt to settle it amicably. If I can not do so then I can bring it before the board with recommendations."

"Too many bosses" have been in charge of the police department in the past, Chairman John Donnelly said in support of Chief Antles' request. The chief said that in the past there have been members of the police department who took complaints to a board member instead of to the chief. "It is my suggestion that if this occurs in the future that the board members ask the officer if he has considered this matter with his chief and if he hasn't, then suggest that he do so," Chief Antles said.

The proposal to give the new chief complete charge was presented by Commissioner Andrew Hyma and supported by Commissioner Fred Kamferbeek.

Chief Antles spoke in favor of the system recently adopted by the board of giving examinations to applicants for positions as police officers.

The new chief also presented several letters in regard to the department's Thompson submachine gun, which was recently sold to the state police. Approval of the Auto Ordnance Corp. on such a sale is necessary, according to a previous letter received by the department.

Commissioner Hyma said that he made an unsuccessful attempt to secure the loan of army rifles for use in police work here by writing to Cong. Carl E. Mapes. Cong. Mapes replied that such a loan could not be arranged.

Anthony Beyer, police station janitor, submitted his resignation, stating that he would devote all of his time to his work as Holland poundmaster. The resignation was accepted.

In commenting on the granting full power to Chief Antles, Chairman Donnelly said, "In the five years I have served on the board, I have never heard any complaints from any firemen under Fire Chief Cornelius Blom. Holland has one of the best fire departments in Michigan. I feel that with this same kind of support from the police department up to the expectations of the citizens of Holland."

Fire Chief Cornelius Blom, Jr., and the equipment committee, of the board were instructed to take steps to secure prices of new equipment as the first step toward getting a new truck for the department.

The committee consists of Chairman Donnelly, Commissioner Cornelius Steketee and Commissioner Kamferbeek. Chairman Donnelly said that he would place Commissioner Herman Prins on the board in place of himself.

Mayor Henry Geerlings stated that he believed that a bond issue would be necessary if new equipment were purchased.

The board also discussed the construction of a fire station in the south part of Holland.

Justice of Peace Nicholas Hoffman, Jr., submitted his November and December reports on the collections of officers' fees, totaling \$8.80.

DAIRYMEN WILL GATHER AT ALLENDALE

Dairymen of Ottawa county will hold the first of a series of meetings at 2 p. m., January 9th, at Allendale Hall. The first meeting will be confined to dairy feeding. Mr. J. G. Hays, extension specialist, will be leader. Later meetings will take up selection of sires, pastures and pasture improvement. This series of meetings will be conducted in many counties.

How can dairymen improve conditions? This is an old question, never answered very satisfactorily. Possibly one thing, economical production is the only factor which can be more or less controlled by the dairymen. Feed costs determine to a great extent any profits derived. The dairymen has little to say in regard to prices paid for products. He can, however, try to cut down on feed costs.

Mr. Hays can give some very good information on feeding. And every dairymen in the county is invited to attend this meeting.

MAYNARD MOHR, SUPERVISOR, MADE DIRECTOR OF INSURANCE CO.

Maynard Mohr, Zeeland township supervisor, was appointed by the board of directors as a director of the Citizens Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Kent, Ottawa and Allegan counties, at a meeting held at Grand Rapids last Friday.

His appointment was made to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Martin Van Loo recently, who had held the office for several years. The office originally was held by the late Dirk Van Loo. The period of vacancy is for two years, and his appointment comes up for approval at the annual election early this year.

consideration to uniforms which are now 10 years old. He said he was not asking council for new uniforms but that in their present condition the band could not appear in full uniform for the 1939 festival. His suggestion was a fund which could be used to make additions to present uniforms.

Among the letters of congratulations on the band reaching another annual meeting date and regrets of senders not being able to be present was one from Peter Buys of Hagerstown, Md., one of the judges for the 1938 Tulip Time band review, who advised that his new march, written by him in dedication of the city's floral festival, would be printed next summer. The song has been rechristened by his publisher to "Welcome" for commercial reasons, he stated.

Mr. Eugene Heeter, able director of Holland's high school band, is also the director of the American Legion band.

44000 LOSS IN FARM HOME FIRE ON HOLLAND ROAD

Fire completely destroyed the two story farm dwelling of Fred King, 10 miles south of Grand Haven near Agnew on the old Holland road last night with loss on the house, contents and a potato crop stored in the basement estimated at \$44,000. A kerosene lamp tipping over is reported to have started the fire about 6:15 p. m. and in a short time the interior of the building was a mass of flames.

Mrs. King and her family, including several small children, sought shelter with a neighbor, Albert Herbst and remained there last night. The house, a large one, old and heavily built, burned brightly for several hours as neighbors formed a volunteer bucket brigade that was powerless to stop it.

LOCAL AGENT OF LARGE INSURANCE COMPANY LEAVES

Rather a surprise came to the many friends of John T. Wiersma, assistant superintendent of the Prudential Insurance Company, as he decided to leave to take the superintendency at Fort Wayne, Indiana, and will be in charge of a large district of the company in that railroad center.

Mr. Wiersma began his career as an insurance agent for the company in the middle of 1918, and in 1925 received a promotion to the company's superintendency of the company in Holland, with offices in the "Waverly" building on West Eighth Street. Mr. Wiersma has received many honors from his company for volume, and some years ago in a contest to see who in their respective districts could climb the rock of Gibraltar first, Mr. Wiersma was given signal honors by the company. It will be remembered that Gibraltar is the trade mark of the company, indicative of strength. The climbing was supposed to have been done on the basis of volume. Each 1000 meaning an added ascent.

Mr. Wiersma will make the change on January 9, when with Mrs. Wiersma he will move to Fort Wayne. Mr. Louis J. Hietje of Grand Haven, who has been associated with the company at the county seat for 12 years, will come to Holland.

In Fort Wayne, Mr. Wiersma will be in charge of 36 agents, six clerks in the office, as well as six assistant superintendents. It is a large agency and is a real promotion to a worthy man. Holland surely regrets to see Mr. and Mrs. Wiersma leave; however, he states that he can come to Holland often since the distance is only a good 3 1/4 hours ride by automobile. He said that Holland will see more of Mr. and Mrs. Wiersma during the coming summer, since he does not want to lose touch with his home town.

Besides the new assistant superintendent, Mr. Hietje, the local staff will consist of Murvel Houtling, Leonard Overbeck, Gerrit Vanden Bosch of this city, Fred Nyboer of Allegan, Aaron Locke and Voight Davidson of Grand Haven, and also Miss Audrey Buter of Holland in the local office.

THIEVES GET \$200 FROM GRAND HAVEN STORE

Investigation of the theft of nearly \$200 in currency from the McLellan store, a five cent to dollar store at Grand Haven, is being investigated by city police. The store was entered last night and the money, hidden in a canvas bag in the basement, taken, the officers said. A bag of change was untouched and no merchandise was reported taken.

Entry was apparently effected by the unlocked door on the South Third street side, leading to the Masonic temple rooms, climbing out the back second story window at the head of the stairs, lowering the fire escape and going to the level of the back window. The pane was broken just enough to allow the catch to be unhooked and entry was apparently through the window.

HOLLAND SCOUT DID NOT WIN BUT WAS ONLY THREE POINTS BEHIND

Scout membership objectives of the Ottawa-Allegan council for the year ending December 31, 1938, have been exceeded according to Albert Van Zoeren, who is organization chairman of the area. Objectives set were for 877 scouts in 41 troops.

Council records list a total of 922 scouts in 43 troops and 173 cubs in 9 packs, for a grand total of 1,095 boys in 52 units. This, added to the total of 332 adult scouts and den mothers, makes a total of 1,427 people engaged in the scouting program, in the two counties.

This represents a gain of 196 scouts and 11 troops and 31 cubs and 1 pack over the membership of a year ago, which was 728 scouts in 32 troops and 142 cubs in 8 packs.

375 new scouts and 113 new cubs were brought into scouting during the year just passed. A more adequate budget was the main factor in the general recovery of the program, according to Executive M. P. Russell.

The President, Floyd E. Holland Achievement contest which took place during December was a big factor in stirring number of troops to action. 100 scouts were added to the rolls during the single month.

The Achievement cup, grand prize of the contest, was given by Council President Floyd E. Holland, of Allegan. Troop 97, Wayland, won the cup, and was closely pressed by Troop 6, Holland, which was only 3 points behind the winner. Fourteen other troops qualified for Achievement ribbons.

recently vacated by Fred Timmer. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Languijs and daughter Phyllis and mother, Mrs. Minnie Languijs, spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alderman Henry Prins in Holland.

Members of the Women's Missionary society of Third Reformed church heard Miss Beradine Vinkmulder, former missionary among the Indians, at the meeting of the group Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. H. J. Potter led devotions. Mrs. Bernard De Pree sang several solos. Mrs. Kate Ver Meulen and Mrs. A. Brinkman were hostesses. Mr. G. J. Hekhuis presided. The program was in charge of Mrs. S. De Boer and Mrs. W. J. Van Kersen.

NEW YEAR'S BABIES BROUGHT BY THE STORK

It seems that the first New Year's babies brought into the world just a few seconds after midnight, 1939, was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stoll, 149 E. 19th Street. The child has been named James H.

Port Sheldon Township reports the next baby in this vicinity to be brought into the world, named Frances Herron. The stork brought this little daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Herron, West Olive Route 1. The baby arrived at 4 o'clock a. m. New Year's morning and weighed 10 lbs. Mrs. Sally Nash aided as nurse at the request of the physician.

Other babies reported Monday morning to Mr. and Mrs. John Vanden Brink, 7 E. 25th Street, a daughter named Sherron. A son was also born New Year's day at 7 o'clock to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smeenge, 130 W. 9th Street.

The Past Noble Grand of Eru-thea Rebekah lodge will meet this afternoon, Friday, at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Bennett of 189 East 10th St.

HAMILTON

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dangremont entertained the following for a New Year's Day dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dangremont and family of Dumont Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dangremont and son of Grandville, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dangremont and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Slighter, all of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Dangremont of Grand Rapids, Mr. and

Mrs. Ernest Kronberg of Three Rivers, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dangremont and son, and Messrs. Leonard, Gordon and Chester Dangremont.

The Misses Dorothy and Elinor Voorhorst of Chicago spent the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Ben Voorhorst.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. H. Van't Kerkhoff on Wednesday, a baby girl.

Word has been received here of the birth of a baby girl to Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Hoffman of Schuylerville, N. J. The child has been named Karen Jean. Mrs. Hoffman was formerly Miss Iola Buester.

Miss Gladys Lubbers of Lansing spent her holiday vacation with her father, Andrew Lubbers.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Schaap and children of De Motte, Ind. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Klomparsen here. Mrs. Klomparsen who had been spending a few weeks with the Schaaps returned here with them.

The Misses Verletta Klomparsen of Plainwell and Genevieve of Grand Rapids spent the week end with their parents here.

Mrs. Medames Allen Calahan, Margaret Wentzel and Joe Lugten and Lawrence and Lois Lugten spent last week Thursday with Mrs. Nick Brower at Drenthe. Miss Lois remained with the Browsers until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Van Dyke and family of Holland were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Van Dyke and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kooiker, Joyce Kooiker, Mr. and Mrs. John Haakma, Connie Joy Haakma and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kempkers

Mrs. Ernest Kronberg of Three Rivers, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dangremont and son, and Messrs. Leonard, Gordon and Chester Dangremont.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rightink were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bush on Sunday evening.

The following were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dangremont on Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Billings, Mrs. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kool.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kooiker and daughter Joyce had as their guests on New Year's Day, Mr. and Mrs. John Haakma and daughter Connie Joy and Mr. Howard Edging.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempkers had as their dinner guests on Monday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kempkers, Mr. and Mrs. Marinus Ten Brink and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kempkers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Datema, Marvin Zalsma, Thelma Zalsma and friend, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klomparsen and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Billings were holiday guests of Mrs. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kool.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kachele and family of Allegan were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ben Voorhorst.

Miss Juella Brower of Grand Rapids and Henrietta Brower of Kalamazoo were guests of their parents during the holiday season. The Misses Helen and Josephine Kuite spent their vacation with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Schutmaat and daughter Evelyn were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kempkers.

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LOCAL ATTORNEY TO WED IN JUNE

At an informal party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce G. Van Leuwen Saturday evening, the engagement of Miss Lois de Wolfe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. de Wolfe of Rochester, New York, to Vernon D. Ten Cate of Holland was announced.

Miss de Wolfe, a graduate of Hope college and member of the Sorosis sorority, has been connected with Macey's, New York, and McCurdy's store, Rochester, since her graduation. Mr. Ten Cate is a graduate of Hope college and of the University of Michigan. He is president of the Holland Exchange club, a member of the economics faculty at Hope, and a junior member of the law firm of Diekema, Cross and Ten Cate.

The wedding will take place in June.

A daughter, Dorleen Beth, was born Dec. 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lemmen of 234 West 11th street.

Miss Esther M. Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Ada Johnson of Holland, is at Pontiac, where she is a nurse in Pontiac General Hospital.

A piece of Clarence Nies' finger was accidentally cut off last week.

1938 Plates Good Until March First, 1939

The present black and green license plates may be legally used on motor vehicles until March 1, 1939.

Prior to 1938, the statute governing registration of motor vehicles provided that the Secretary of State have authority to extend the deadline for the use of old plates to not later than March 1st, and this was usually done. Then the 1937 legislature, by resolution, still further extended the final date that year to April 1st.

The 1937 Legislature amended this Act, fixing March 1st as the definite deadline for the use of old plates.

Reciprocity agreements with other states makes it possible for motorists to drive outside the state with their present plates until the deadline established by statute.

People who are expecting to purchase plates in the near future are asked to do so as soon as possible as waiting until the deadline causes the hiring of additional help and expense to the department.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vugteveen of Crisp became the parents of a baby daughter on Dec. 18.

Board Of Public Works Gives Its Building Plans

TELLS REASON FOR BUILDING A WHOLE NEW PLANT: PEAKLOAD HAS ALREADY BEEN REACHED

Money is Available and Still Board will be Able to Help City as Before

Members of the Board of Public Works in an interview explained many things, and especially the reason for beginning the building of a new plant, the reason for putting it on the "island," so-called, the bringing out that Holland's plant is already up to peak, with Holland and its environs growing, with very little extra current to fall back on. It reviews how much the city has received from the earnings of the plant over and above the building of Holland hospital. It is well over a million dollars.

There are a great many interesting features in this interview, and it follows below:

Due to the many questions that have been asked about Holland's public utilities and especially about the proposed new power plant, it was thought well to publish a brief history of the electric and water plant activities since its inception.

It is not intended that all of the data contained in this communication be published, but it was thought well to submit even more information than that which might be required so that certain portions could be deleted, added to or changed in accordance with the Board's desires.

On April 2, 1883, a proposition to bond the city for \$15,000.00 to cover the cost of constructing a new water department system was submitted to a vote of the people, and although public opinion was quite evenly divided, the project was carried by a majority. The plans and specifications for the system was approved on January 1, 1884, contracts were awarded on January 30, 1884, and the final acceptance of the new water system was made on April 9, 1885.

In order to administer the affairs of the department, a Board of Water Commissioners was appointed by the Common Council on May 4, 1885, consisting of three members, namely, Messrs. John Kramer, Rindert E. Werkman and F. O. Nye.

About five years later, July 15, 1890, to be exact, Alfred Huntley and W. A. Holley made application to the Common Council for permission to use the streets for pole lines to be used for electric lighting purposes. The matter of lighting the streets by electricity became an issue on July 7, 1891, and the Council was petitioned by the citizens to contract for lighting 8th and River streets. A committee was appointed to investigate the matter and its report was offered on March 1, 1892, favoring the petition and submitting estimates of cost.

The matter of issuing bonds in the amount of \$12,000.00 to cover the construction of a plant to furnish commercial and street lighting was submitted to a vote of the people and was passed by a large majority.

The Board of Water Commissioners was abolished and the Board of Public Works, consisting of five members, was appointed and was organized on May 15, 1893. The names of the members were as follows: Messrs. C. J. DeRoos, chairman, Rudolph Haberman, Johannes Dykema, John Kramer, and James DeYoung.

The city charter provided that Board members were to be appointed, but this was amended on April 6, 1914, and members are now elected.

The members of the Board are five in number, one being elected by a direct vote of the electorate each year to serve for a period of five years. Since the Board's organization, (29) twenty-nine men have served or are serving as members of the Board. Members of this Board, as is the case with all other boards of the city, serve without pay.

Several members have served the city as members of the Board of Public Works for long periods of time, the veteran member being the present chairman, James DeYoung, who served as a member of the Board for twenty-four years, and of this time has served as chairman for ten years, was superintendent from 1898 to 1910 or a total of 36 1/2 years with the Board of Public Works.

The present Board members are Messrs. James DeYoung, president, M. Vandewater, who has served for twenty years; C. J. McLean, ten and one-half years; A. Smeenge, two years, and Joe H. Geerds, who was appointed by the Common Council on May 16, 1938.

Water Department
The entire cost of the water department's system since its inception is in the amount of \$596,823.67, and the distribution system consists of 48.35 miles of water mains varying from 14" to 16" in diameter, 443 fire hydrants, 989 valves, 4 electric power pumping stations, one 1,000,000 gallon reservoir, one 247,000 gallon standpipe and one 500,000 gallon elevated water tank which was constructed in 1937. The total number of gallons of water pumped during 1937 was 494,168,960 gallons. The total storage capacity is 1,747,000 gallons.

The citizens of Holland have a just reason for feeling proud of this system which has always been kept up to date, and has always been able to furnish an ample supply of clear, pure well water.

Electric Department
Previous to the year 1930 all current generated was 2 phase, 60 cycle, 2400 volt, and inasmuch as 2 phase generation is becoming obsolete, it was decided to change over to the 3 phase, 4 wire system. The 2500 kw. generator was re-wound for 3 phase and all of the

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Seven Thousand Christian Endeavorers Sing Praises On Christmas Day



—Courtesy of Leader-Intelligencer

The Holland City News cartoon, "Lest We Forget," which has appeared annually at Christmas time for more than a quarter of a century in this publication, has been used this Christmas in several different ways.

The Hope College Anchor was given the privilege by the News and the inscription underneath was that it was indeed the best sermon the Anchor editor had ever noticed during the Yuletide season.

A letter came in to the Holland City News some four weeks ago, when the teacher of the art de-

partment of the Muskegon high school had noticed this cartoon and asked for the privilege allowing the students to make drawings from it. Consent was given and the News printed up a few dozen on cardboard in order that the students might have something more stable as a copy than a reprint from a newspaper.

The committee having charge of the program of the Grand Rapids Christian Endeavor Union, Choral and Hymn singing on Christmas Day, Sunday, where at least seven thousand joined at the Civic

Auditorium with Mr. Jacob Van Hoven as leader, also used this cartoon. The committee some days before had written for the privilege of using the cartoon—"Christ and Santa Claus, Lest We Forget"—on the first page of the song sheet. At least 10,000 were printed and the Holland City News cartoon again found its way as a fitting Christmas sermon in the large Civic Auditorium, where more than seven thousand people had gathered.

The above shows a picture of the large gathering in the Civic Audi-

torium, representing the Christian Endeavor societies of this vicinity. Many from Holland attended the singing. Mr. Albert Van Dyke, a Hope College student of Grand Rapids, was chairman of the meeting. The large eighteen-foot cross, which made its appearance at previous conventions was again shown. There was a great outpouring of people and the singing program of Christmas carols and other religious hymns was very impressive. The large mass of people singing in unison was an inspiring sight.

FOUR ZEELAND STUDENTS AT WESTERN STATE

Four Zeeland students are enrolled at Western State Teachers' College according to information from the office of John C. Hoekje, registrar. They are: Rachel Boer, Harris Boer, Melvin Bouma and Vivian Moeke. All are home here for their holiday vacation. Western state has a very definite increase in enrollment this year with 2,285 as compared with 1932 last year. It is the largest enrollment since 1927 when Western had 2316 students.

The accidental turning over of a kerosene lamp is being blamed as the cause of a fire which completely destroyed the home of Fred King, two miles northwest of West Olive, Tuesday night. The loss, which was not covered by insurance, is estimated at \$4,000. The barn and other buildings were saved. The loss included a crop of potatoes in the basement, and household effects, with supplies of coal, vegetables and canned goods which had been stored for winter use.

Their silver wedding anniversary will be celebrated Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. Harm M. Jager of rural route 6, Holland. They will hold open house from 2 to 5 and from 7 to 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dekker of rural route 4, Holland, had as their guests for dinner and supper Monday, their children and grandchildren. Games and a social hour were enjoyed. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Dekker and children, Doris and Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dykema and Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dekker and children, Donna and Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. William Dekker, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dekker, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dykema, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Dekker, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dekker, Miss Dorothy Dekker, and Melvin Dekker and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dekker.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harsevoort of Ottawa Station was the scene Dec. 23 of a Christmas party. The hostess served refreshments, and a social hour was enjoyed. Jacob M. Riemsma took the part of Santa Claus in distributing gifts to those present, including Joe Riemsma of West Olive, Jacob M. Riemsma of Drenthe, Leendert Riemsma of Ottawa Station, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harsevoort at Ottawa Station, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harsevoort of Ottawa Station and their children, Herman, Harriet, Clarence, Arnold, Ella, Raymond, Helene, Melvin and Ester Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Harsevoort of Grandville with their daughter, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bakker of Zeeland.

A double rescue occurred Monday afternoon on Lake Macatawa near Montello park. William Schregardus skated to rescue Miss Arlene Wiggers, who had fallen through at a thin spot. He fell in also, but managed to push the girl up on the ice. Miss Wiggers then assisted her rescuer to safety by lying on the ice and extending her hand to Schregardus.

HOSPITAL AT ZEELAND CUTS LOSS TO \$106

The Dr. Thomas G. Huizenga Memorial hospital of Zeeland incurred a net operating loss of only \$106.95, Auditor James S. Van-Volkenburg reported Thursday. This is the best operating figure the hospital has presented in several years.

The cash transactions for the year amounted to \$12,331.12, disbursements totaling \$11,430.11. A cash balance of \$1,430.01 is on hand. Contributions this year totaled \$1,507.28. Accounts receivable amount to \$2,576.48.

DR. KEMME HEADS OTTAWA PHYSICIANS

Dr. Gerrit J. Kemme of Drenthe was renamed president of Ottawa County Medical society for the 1939 year.

Other officers are: Vice-president, Dr. Otto VanderVelde of Holland; secretary-treasurer, Dr. Willard Bloemendal of Grand Haven, and delegate, Dr. Albert Stickley of Coopersville.

Funeral services for Jake Vander Bie, 76, former Graafschap resident, were to be held today, Thursday, in Grand Rapids. Mr. Vander Bie died Monday at his home in Grand Rapids. Surviving are the widow; a son, Adrian Vander Bie; a daughter, Mrs. Jennie Heemstra, and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Minnie Vander Bie, all of Grand Rapids; eight grandchildren, and a sister, Mrs. Clara Rotman of Holland. There also are several other relatives in this vicinity.

The burglar alarm of the Andrew Steketee Dry Goods store at 20 E. Eighth st. saved the store from possible robbery Monday night. Officer Gerald Vanderbeek heard the alarm and rushed to the rear alley, but the would-be burglar had escaped.

OTTAWA POULTRY AMONG LEADERS IN EGG-LAYING TEST

Battling against birds from 70 of the leading poultry farms in the United States and Canada, Michigan hens, including entries from Coopersville, Zeeland and Holland, continue to top both the heavy and light breed sections of the 17th annual Michigan State college egg-laying contest.

A pen of Rhode Island Reds from Ford's Riverbank Poultry farm at Coopersville, competing for the first time in the Michigan contest, has a 17-egg lead in the heavy breed section while the entry of the Royal Poultry farm at Zeeland was fourth in the light breed section and the Percy J. Osborne entry from Holland was tenth in the light breeds.

PASTOR AT ALLENDALE ACCEPTS INDIANA CALL

Rev. Henri Steunberg, pastor of the Allendale Reformed church, has accepted the call to become pastor of the Reformed church of DeMott, Ind. The DeMott Reformed church recently was vacated by Rev. Theodore Schaap who became pastor of Grace Reformed church, Grand Rapids.

A QUEER POTATO

Do potatoes grow on vines like flowers? There is a Rochester, New York lady who always believed this, and this year found proof. To the local newspaper office this lady brought a picture of a potato vine, showing a fair-sized potato hanging from the center of it.

BICYCLES NEAR RECORD

Bicycle production in the U. S. in 1937 reached the all-time high of 1,182,691 reported for 1899. Last year 1,130,736 bicycles, valued at \$22,223,431, were manufactured, according to preliminary reports of the U. S. Census Bureau.

Allegan Purchases New Fire Pump Through Chief Maentz

A new 500-gallon capacity fire fighting truck with all of the most modern improvements has been purchased by the Allegan fire department and will be delivered early in March, according to Chief Henry O. Maentz. The new truck replaces a piece of equipment that has served Allegan for fourteen years and until it is delivered a temporary substitution is being made by the apparatus company.

The new truck will be capable of throwing water through three hoses at one time. It comes equipped with 1,000 feet of two and one-half inch and 800 feet of one and one-half inch hose. In addition it has a booster tank of 175 gallons capacity and bears the underwriters' tests.

Because of its purchase and addition to the department, which already has one 500-gallon capacity pump, it is expected that a better rate on insurance will be given Allegan. Chief Maentz announced Wednesday that this matter already was under investigation.

When delivered the department will have the two pumps and in addition it owns a ladder truck which also carries chemical tanks for smaller fires.

WOMAN, 93, BECOMES ILL, BUT DOCTOR FINDS SHE ONLY HAS MUMPS

Mrs. Adelia S. Layman, 93 years old, of Tamaroa, north of Du Quoin, Ill., became ill yesterday and a doctor today diagnosed her malady as mumps. He said this disease is unusual in a person of her age. Her condition is not considered serious. Mrs. Layman is a lifelong resident of Perry county and the mother of the late Nelson B. Layman, former state's attorney and candidate for the Republican nomination for lieutenant governor in the 1936 primary.

The engagements of two sisters were announced Christmas Eve at a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ten Brink of East 17th St. Miss Irene Ten Brink is engaged to George Steffens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steffens of Holland. Miss Alma Ten Brink is engaged to William Scheele of Zeeland. Guests at the announcement party included Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Longmore and their son David, Mr. and Mrs. C. Velehr of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steffens and Harry Jr., of Holland, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ross of Holland.

Brower Tells Of Norway and Its Old Churches

OLD STONE KIRKE DATES BACK TO 12TH CENTURY—ALSO SEES WHALING INDUSTRY

By Dr. A. J. Brower

Oslo, the capital of Norway, cannot boast of very imposing architecture or grand buildings. Its charm lies in its idyllic situation at the head of a long, beautiful fjord, amid surroundings of unique beauty. Take your stand on any of the heights which surround the city and you will find at your feet one of the most imposing panoramas that any city in Europe can offer. Oslo, itself has the attractions of other European capitals, such as handsome streets, House of Parliament, a splendid national theatre, a museum of art and a great variety of tempting shops. Tourists always like to shop once and do the natives figure on that? The city seems almost to have been laid out for the visitor, for the principal street, Karl Johans Gade, runs from the harbor through the shopping section past three important buildings, straight to the imposing Royal Palace, which dominates the city from atop its hill.

Formerly Throndheim was the first or medieval capital of Norway where all the kings are crowned, but the capital was moved to Oslo which was founded in the 11th century and it was a post of the Hanseatic League. It was practically wiped out by fire in 1642 A.D. All the buildings at that time were of wood and no doubt of Norwegian pine and just imagine how pine wood will burn! The present town was built by King Christian IV of Denmark, then ruler of Norway, and was named Christians in his honor. In my younger school days I was taught that Christians was the capital, while at studied geography and not until I ventured on this North Cape Scandinavian Cruise did I remember that the name had been changed to its original name, Oslo. This medieval name was resumed in 1925.

In Russia, in particular, names of cities are changed frequently, especially since the World War, and the Russian Revolution. I remember at that time I bought a railroad ticket in Grand Rapids for Berlin, Canada, but when I got there, there was no more Berlin, the name had been changed to Kitchener while I was in transit, and so the names of cities and the maps of European countries are ever changing. While we were here we visited a great fair, which was held all summer. It was one of the largest and most representative exhibitions ever held in Norway. It illustrated every phase of Norwegian life, culture and industry such as farming, forestry, fishing, life of peasant craftsmen, engineering and architecture. From massive machinery to embroidery and delicate goldsmith work, and one section was devoted to whale fishing, with a reproduction of an Antarctic whaling station to give visitors a vivid picture of life and work in that hard and stern trade.

In Amsterdam I had the privilege to see an actual whale boat in the harbor and this is a show place by itself. Another point of interest was at Bygdo, a suburb of Oslo, the National Open-air Museum has a colony of authentic Norwegian cottages as the proper locale for displaying the native arts and crafts of early days. Here is an unusual exhibit of old houses, furniture and costumes of Norway. Just inside the entrance of this open-air museum are two buildings containing exhibits of domestic interiors and interiors and fittings of old ancient churches.

Buildings of constructed of pine and roofs of turf. Fireplaces in center of room. A box of about five feet square and 1 foot high filled with sand. In this sand a fire is built for heating purposes and for cooking. A kettle or more than one is suspended from a beam directly over the fire. Long wooden tables seating a dozen or more people. The wooden bread pans, wooden soup plates, even wooden knives and forks and spoons. Wooden beds all inclosed and a door for entering. These doors are locked when men guests have retired, and there are two hand holes, one in each door, so the chambermaid can make the bed without being annoyed and with safety.

Human nature has not changed much since that time. I cannot describe it so one can comprehend it. There was an old Stave Kirke here dating from the 12th century. The beautifully carved church benches, the old parliament hall, Iben's study, woaden tapestry from famous Gudbrandsdalen, sleds and wooden statues.

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KAASHOEK—NO LICENSE INVOLVED IN TRAFFIC ACCIDENT

Herbert Clemens, 20, son of E. J. Clemens, officer in charge of the Holland Coast Guard station, may lose his leg as a result of injuries received in a motorcycle-automobile accident at the corner of 15th st. and Pine ave. Saturday afternoon.

Young Clemens' leg was broken "in many places," an attendant at Holland hospital, where the youth is confined, said.

The injured boy was riding on a motorcycle driven by Joseph Knoll of rural route 4 when the cycle was involved in a collision with a car driven by Gerrit P. Kaashoek, 48, of 147 West 18th st. Kaashoek paid a fine and costs of \$5 for operating a motor vehicle without a license Tuesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence De Waard, 139 W. 15th Street, a daughter, A son was born last Friday to Mr. and Mrs. R. Brandt, Route 2, Holland. The stock also brought a daughter to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garry Kruihof, 175 W. 19th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brower of North Holland visited relatives and Mrs. Helen Smith in Grand Rapids last Monday.

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\$1.10 Hoppers Restorative Cream	64c
30c Hills Cascara Quinine	17c
65c Pinex Cough Syrup	54c
75c Vicks Vapo Rub	59c
15c Four Way Cold Tablets	2 for 25c
50c Midol Tablets	31c
60c Edwards Olive Tablets	37c

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Board of Public Works Gives Important Interview

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3 phase circuits were changed to the 3 phase, 4 wire system.

Low water conditions at the Fifth street station made it imperative to add improvements to remedy this condition for the purpose of obtaining sufficient cooling water for the circulating water system. The old circulating water supply system from the river, including the intake channel, was retired from service and replaced by a modern brick and concrete screen house structure housing two Rex traveling screens, this including the construction of a forebay from the new screen house to the river. The total cost of making these changes and improvements was \$463,044.20, all paid out of earnings.

In addition to the above many other improvements were made. The boiler breeching from the No. 9 boiler to the brick chimney was removed and an induced draft system was installed for this boiler. A blower system was installed on the 5000 kw. turbine in which steam extracted from the turbines is returned to the low pressure heater to bring the temperature of the make-up water to approximately 200° F. which results in an improved station heat balance. A water softener to condition make-up water to the boilers was installed which eliminates the necessity for frequent blowdowns, improves the availability of boilers, the continuity of operation and reduces the cost of maintenance.

About this time the question was asked, "How long will these expenditures continue?" and the answer was that these expenditures would be made continually, because it was necessary to make progress in modern methods of generating electrical energy to be able to sell current at a low rate.

In spite of the fact that the cost of labor and materials, especially coal was increased, we have been able to lower the cost of generating kilowatt hours by adding new equipment from time to time. This would not be done, of course, until after much study had been made. An example is as follows:

In 1908 it required 6.51 pounds of coal per kilowatt hour output. In 1936 it required 2.09 pounds of coal, which is less than one-third or 32.1% of that required in 1908. In other words the efficiency of our plant has been increased due to more modern methods of operation brought about by adding new equipment from time to time. Had this not been done our coal cost for 1936 would have been \$116,325.26 more, provided, of course, that the same grade of coal was used.

In 1930 a new 5000 kw. steam turbine generator was installed and at that time it was thought that this added capacity would be sufficient for many years to come. Due to the many inquiries from our customers on electric cooking it became necessary to start a program of selling electric ranges. In 1930 we had 11 electric ranges on our lines, and at this writing (Dec. 16, 1938) there are 1,276 electric ranges in service.

The maximum load for 1930 was 700 kw.; for 1937, 4300 kw. and December 1, 1938, 4900 kw. and 1950 kw. for a few minutes. This rapid increase in the use of electrical energy was brought about not only by the installation of electric ranges, but also by the increased use of other electric appliances, such as electric water heaters, irons, mangles, clocks, refrigerators, radios, etc., etc. It was evident to the Board that due to this increased use of electrical energy, it would soon become necessary to add additional generating capacity.

In the comments of the Board in its 1937 annual report, it was stated that the maximum load for the year was 4300 kw. or 800 kw. more than the previous year. The average load was 1601 kw. as compared with 1848 kw. for 1936. It was also stated that we had almost reached the capacity of our largest unit, namely the 5000 kw. turbine generator, which means that the time is not far distant for considering the purchase of a new unit.

After much thought and study the Board came to the conclusion that it would be best to consider the construction of an entirely new modern and efficient power plant rather than to continue patching up the present plant. There was much to be gained in efficiency, due to modern methods of electric generation, by increasing the pressure and total temperature of steam.

Two alternatives were considered: first, the installation of additional generating capacity in our present plant; second, the construction of an entirely new modern plant. The estimated cost of making the necessary changes in the present plant, which includes the installation of a new 7500 kw. generator, two new boilers, improving the circulating water supply system by installing spray nozzles with two low back river west from the plant to Lake Macatawa would be approximately \$500,000.00.

A further study of the matter indicated that this would be the opportune time to construct a new plant due to the fact that the Federal Government through the PWA would donate 45% of the cost of the new plant which was estimated at \$1,501,380.00, of this amount the Federal contribution would be \$675,821.00 and the Board's portion would be \$825,559.00.

The proposed new plant will be constructed on the site chosen on the east end of Lake Macatawa, complete with coal dock, railroad, roadway, circulating water intake and discharge structures, two 900 h. p. 600 lb. boiler units with water walls, superheaters, economizers, air heaters rated at 100,000 lb. steam per hour, total temperature 825° F., with turbo driven 7500 kw. steam turbine generator units with surface condensers and auxiliaries and the necessary piping, wiring and control equipment.

The reason for the decision to construct this plant on Lake Macatawa was to make sure of a sufficient supply of condenser cooling water, and also to obtain our coal supply via the water route. This would result in a saving of \$8,250.00 based on 15,000 tons of coal.

In addition to this it was estimated that the added efficiency of a new plant would result in the saving of approximately \$25,000.00 per year. Another important factor

to consider is that our present plant would be used as a standby station in the event of a breakdown in the new station.

Therefore, the problem resolved itself into a decision as to whether the Board should expend \$500,000.00 in expanding the present plant by the addition of one 7500 kw. unit with two new boilers and the necessary changes in the circulating water system, or to expend an additional \$225,000.00 in a new modern up-to-date plant with two 7500 kw. units. It becomes evident that the latter alternative is by far the best and wisest course to pursue.

There may be some objection to the fact that the Federal Government donates \$675,821.00 to the project, but our answer to this is that if we did not accept it some other city would, and it was felt that Holland should avail itself of the opportunity to secure this grant.

The matter of making out the application, the offer of grant and the acceptance of same is now a matter of public knowledge. Plans and specifications have been prepared for the first contract and actual construction work is to be started on December 23, 1938.

There is another very important matter which we believe should be explained in detail, and that is the proposed site for the new plant. The Board and the Common Council decided to purchase from the Lyons Construction Co. a parcel of land containing approximately twelve acres on the island and in the fill at the east end of Lake Macatawa. The price for this land was in the amount of \$24,320.00. This does not mean that this amount covers the actual cost of the land, but that this is the contractor's cost of filling that portion of Lake Macatawa to a certain level determined by our engineers.

It should also be noted that several other sites were considered and soil test borings taken on same. The soil test borings at the present site proved to be the best, and was recommended by the engineers after a great deal of study. Some of the other sites considered would have cost at least three times more than that which was paid for the site finally selected.

It requires approximately one year to obtain delivery on a new turbo generator. The need of haste is emphasized by the fact that our peak load for 1938 has reached a maximum of 4900 kw. on December 7th, and has gone as high as 5050 kw. for a few minutes. This is the entire capacity of our largest generator, namely, the 5000 kw. unit. If this increases, and it undoubtedly will, it will be necessary for us to start the 2500 kw. unit and in the event of trouble on either one of these units we would be forced to use the obsolete 2 phase standby equipment with its low efficiency, and also to cut off part of our load. Thus it can readily be seen that the problem that confronts the Board of Public Works is a very serious one and requires immediate attention.

Many special Board meetings have been held to give this matter the attention it deserves. It should also be borne in mind that the City Charter provides, "Sec. 14, Title XXVIII, Charter Amendment—And provided, that this Section shall not prohibit the Council from using, appropriating and/or expending out of the funds obtained from the operating of any public utility owned by the City, any sum, without limitation as to amount, that may be deemed by the Council necessary or expedient in the extension, improvement, maintenance and/or repair of the plant of such publicly owned utility, when such expenditure shall have been requested by the Board of Public Works."

The Board has now on hand securities in the amount of \$250,000.00 and cash balances in the amount of \$200,000.00 in the Electric and Water Department funds, or a total of \$450,000.00; deducting this amount from the total to be paid by the Board of \$825,759.00 leaves an amount of \$375,759.00 which it is confidently predicted can be paid from the earnings within the next three years. In other words, the plant will have been entirely paid for by 1941 out of the earnings, without one cent of cost to the citizens of Holland in taxes.

Of the total amount to be expended for the new plant, approximately \$270,000.00 will be for labor which will greatly benefit our city. In addition to the low rates now being enjoyed by the citizens of Holland, contributions turned over to the City of Holland for the reduction of taxes from the year 1923 to December 31, 1937, including the cost of the Holland hospital, now totals \$1,060,638.44, an average of \$70,709.23 per year, or \$5,892.44 per month. This is the equivalent of an average reduction in the tax rate of approximately \$5.00 per thousand per year.

Actual taxes paid to the City of Holland by the Board since 1915 amount to \$307,598.11. The Electric and Water plants are entirely free of bonded indebtedness and the Board will continue to pay 50% of the net operating revenues to the City of Holland.

The present switching and distributing facilities will continue to be used in connection with the new plant.

The members of the Board of Public Works have always been very public spirited and willing to give of their time and talents to the duties and responsibilities entrusted to them, namely, the construction, management, supervision and control of the Water Works system, Electric Light and Power system, Sanitary Sewer system and Fire Alarm and Telegraph system. The fact that their efforts have been successful cannot be contradicted as evidenced by the results obtained, and as noted in the Board's published annual reports which are available upon request.

The keynote of the Board's efforts has always been service and progress and inasmuch as this is an ideal plant, it is necessary to design emergency capacity to be used for emergencies in the departments under its jurisdiction.

The success of the electric and water plants has been due largely to the cooperation by the Board of Public Works and the Common Council and also to the absence of political interference.

The members of the Board of Public Works sincerely appreciate the confidence bestowed upon them by the citizens of Holland and hope that their continued confidence will be merited by the same results that have been obtained in the past.

Mazars, Bowls of Wood, Were Made From Maple

Before glass and pottery for table use became common plates and drinking cups were made of wood. Mazars or bowls of wood were first used in the Thirteenth century and were made of the bole of the maple tree, cut across the part where the branches grew. This showed the beauty of the grain and was greatly prized.

The name may have come from the Dutch word "measer," meaning a knot in the wood. As this section of a tree has the closest grain, it is possible this part of the wood was selected for its good wearing qualities, for the mazar was often subjected to hard usage and was in constant use, writes Alice R. Rollins in the Los Angeles Times.

The early mazars were often rimmed with silver which not only protected the brittle edges of the wood but also provided a place for the curious and quaint inscriptions to be found on many of them.

The inscriptions on the very early mazars are in black letter or Lombardic and some of them have flowers, animals and fruits in between the words. The date of these old mazars can be told by the spelling and style of lettering and the silver work.

The medallion which is found in the bottom of every mazar is a distinctive mark. No two are alike and they are of great variety. Some of the designs are a knight, king and falcon, rose, boat, shield and helmet. In addition many carried initials and monograms.

Perpetual June Enjoyed In the Famous Bahamas

The Bahamas lie across the Tropic of Cancer, a short distance to the east of the Gulf stream, and this location gives them the climate of perpetual June.

Although not the largest island, New Providence, about the size of Staten Island, is the most important, as it contains the capital, Nassau. The islands number approximately 700. The group is one of Great Britain's three self-governing colonies, sharing this distinction with Bermuda and Barbados. San Salvador, or Watling Island, is generally accepted as the landfall of Columbus. It is 12 miles long and seven miles wide and much of its area is covered by a lake.

The island of New Providence is about 21 miles in length from east to west and seven miles from north to south. It is mostly flat, though a range of rocky hills makes its appearance.

The Bahamas have a population of about 60,000. The city of Nassau represents 20,000, of which two-thirds are colored. Next to New Providence the island of Eleuthera is the largest in population, having about 7,500 natives.

The lowest recorded temperature in the annals of the weather bureau is 53 degrees.

General Jackson's Horse

According to the Louisiana State museum, Old Duke was Gen. Andrew Jackson's favorite mount. An article in the New Orleans Daily Crescent on that subject says in part: "I was often reminded of this praiseworthy remembrance of fidelity and merit, cherished by my old friend, Andrew Jackson, toward his famous Old Duke, the horse he rode during the southern campaigns of the late war. Though Duke grew feeble, was greatly affected, withered and almost helpless in his later days, he was not forgotten nor suffered to be neglected. . . . On one occasion, to try the general on a tender point, the writer of this article suggested the idea of putting an end to the sufferings of Duke. 'No,' said his generous master, 'never, never! Let him live, and while there is anything to go upon this farm, Duke shall have a part.'"

Long-Tailed Fowl Once Popular

The Yokohama long-tailed fowl was a fascinating fowl. Long ago the inhabitants of Tosa, Japan, carried its feathers as pennons on their spears, carefully breeding the birds to get long feathers. Says Pearson's London Weekly. These fowls are bred in Japan, where their cages are lighted only at the top, lest the birds descend from their perches and spoil their fantastic tails. But the fowls must have exercise so they are taken for walks—during which an attendant acts as "train bearer," solemnly holding the fowl's tail.

Cow Breathes Bushels of Air

Every hour a thousand-pound cow breathes in and out about 2,800 bushels or 3,600 cubic feet of air. This air weighs about 270 pounds.

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Mr. Koo learned English while his father was consul in Paris, learned French while the father was stationed in England. King Edward VII of England, by the way, is said to have spoken English with a German accent.

ZEELAND

Miss Catherine Staal of Zeeland and J. Lindsay Miller of Holland were united in marriage Dec. 24 at the home of the groom's cousin, the Rev. J. A. Veldman, pastor of Bethany Reformed church, Kalamazoo. Attendants were the bride's father, William Staal of Zeeland, and the groom's aunt, Mrs. W. Hubert Wood of Cape Cod, Mass. The Millers will be at home after Jan. 10 at 142 Main st., Zeeland.

The Rev. John Lanting of First Baptist church, LaSalle, Ill., has accepted a call to become pastor of Zeeland Bible Witness assembly. He plans to move to Zeeland with his family in about two months. Rev. Lanting was formerly pastor of Immanuel church, Holland, for eight years.

Mrs. Elizabeth Vander Kolk, 74, died Monday at her home southwest of Zutphen. She is survived by five sons, Henry and John of Forest Grove, Peter of Zutphen, and Benjamin and George at home; two daughters, Mrs. J. Nykamp of Zutphen and Mrs. Harry Seinen of Brethe; three sisters, Mrs. Hubert Tansie of Holland, Mrs. Matthew Heyboer of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. John Hulst of Oakland, and twenty grandchildren. Funeral services were held at the home at 1 Thursday and at 1:30 at Zutphen Christian Reformed church. Burial was in Zutphen cemetery.

OTTAWA COUNTY

Funeral services for John Theodore Names, 80, of Olive township, were held Monday morning at the Nibbelink-Notter Funeral chapel, with the Rev. W. G. Flowerday officiating. Mr. Names, who had resided in Olive township during his entire life, died Friday at his home. Surviving are a brother, Benjamin; five nieces and four nephews.

Miss Marian Heerspink, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heerspink of West Olive, and Peter Stielstra, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Stielstra, were united in marriage last week Monday at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. G. A. Aalberts of Harlem officiated at the double ring ceremony. The bride wore a floor-length formal gown of wine taffeta and carried a white corsage. The couple were unattended. D'Hardelot's "Because" was sung by Miss Sylvia Stielstra, the groom's sister. After the wedding, during the reception, a group of friends presented a short program, and Mr. and Mrs. Stielstra left on a short wedding trip. The groom is a senior at Hope college, where he will continue his studies.

COOKS' COUNCIL

By Frances Peck
Heinz Home Institute

FOOD FOR SMALL FRY

It's funny what the cold weather does to youngsters' appetites. The way they storm in after school, simply ravenous for food, they must do a lot of playing on the way home—snowball fights and sliding and sledding. Why, they'd eat you out of house and home if they had a chance, besides taking up half your afternoon fixing snacks for them. Next time they pile into the kitchen all rosy-cheeked and cold and hollow in the middle, why don't you let them rustle up a spur-of-the-moment feast for themselves. It's no trick to handle at all if you keep the larder well lined with quick and convenient ready-to-serve foods like beans and spaghetti and macaroni. Take beans, for instance. There's a heap of mighty good eating in a can of real old-fashioned over-baked beans. And the

green and crimson trimmings in the stores and order up festive foods from your favorite restaurant. As a matter of fact, food has a great deal to do with inciting the yuletide spirit. Take mince meat for instance. Why, just one sniff of real old-fashioned mince meat tucked under the corners of a flaky golden pie crust is enough to send you straight back to your childhood days. Remember the kind of mince meat grandmother used to fix back on the farm? Mince meat made from juicy winter apples, choice beef, snowy suet, currants and raisins plump with golden juice. The very kind of mince meat we have today all packed in jars and tins ready to use. With a good supply of this mince meat on hand in the larder, you can turn out all sorts of holiday goodies in no time flat—cookies and pies and cakes. By the way, have you ever made a fruit cake using mince meat? Here's a magically quick way to turn out a delicious fruit cake that doesn't need aging at all. You simply make and serve:

MINCE MEAT FRUIT CAKE

Sift together once—
2 1/2 cups sifted all-purpose flour
1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
Combine, then mix well—
1 medium (1 lb.) tin or jar mince meat
1 cup raisins
1 cup chopped nut meats
1 cup sugar
1/2 cup butter, melted
1 teaspoon vanilla.

Add—
2 eggs, beating thoroughly after each addition. Fold in dry ingredients.

Pour into a lightly greased tube cake pan, the bottom of which is lined with waxed paper. Bake in a slo w oven (325° F.) 1 1/4 hours. Remove from the pan at once.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in the said County, on the 18th day of Dec., A. D., 1938.

Present, Hon. Cora Van de Water, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Harry Skinner, Deceased.

Albert Skinner having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 24th day of January, A.D., 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition; and it is further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

CORA VANDE WATER, Judge of Probate.

A true copy:
Harriet Swart,
Register of Probate.

Expires Jan. 14—12249
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 20th day of Dec., A. D., 1938.

Present, Hon. Cora Van de Water, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Raymond Visscher, Deceased.

The Grand Rapids Trust Company, a Michigan corporation, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, and Anna G. Visscher, of Holland, Michigan, having filed in said Court their Seventh Annual Accounts as Co-Trustees under the Seventh Paragraph of the Will of said Deceased, for the benefit of Vivian H. Visscher, Jane A. Visscher, and Robert F. Visscher, and their petitions praying for the allowance of said accounts, for the allowance of their fees as such Trustees, and for all matters therein set forth.

IT IS ORDERED, That the 24th day of January, A.D., 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said accounts and hearing said petitions.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Proposed Paving of West 21st St. No. 2 from Mich. Ave. to State Street.

Holland, Mich., Dec. 22, 1938.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Common Council of the City of Holland, Mich., held Wed., Dec. 21, 1938, the following resolution was adopted:—

"RESOLVED, that W. 21st St. from Mich. Ave. to State St., be paved with a 3-inch asphalt top on a 6-inch concrete base, and that such improvement shall include the grading, draining, construction of the necessary curbing, gutters, manholes, catch basins, and approaches as aforesaid, be paid partly from the General Street Fund of the City and partly by special assessment upon the lots and premises abutting upon that part of W. 21st St. between Mich. Ave. and State St. as follows:

Total estimated cost of paving with sheet asphalt on a 6-inch concrete base, and otherwise improving, including cost of curbing, plans, assessment, cost of construction, and interest for a ten-year period—\$9,929.38. That the entire amount of \$9,929.38 be the West 21st St. Paving No. 2 be defrayed partly by special assessment upon the lots and lands or parts of lots and lands abutting upon said part of W. 21st St. according to the City Charter, provided, however, that the cost of improving the street intersections where said part of West 21st St. intersects other streets, be paid from the General Street Fund of the City, that the lots, lands and premises upon which said special assessment shall be levied shall include all lands, lots and premises abutting on said part of said streets in the City of Holland; of all of which lots, lands and premises as herein set forth to be designated and declared to constitute a special assessment district to defray that part of the cost of paving part of W. 21st St. in the manner hereinbefore set forth, said district to be known and designated as: 'West 21st St. Paving No. 2 Special Assessment District' in the City of Holland.

RESOLVED, that the profiles, diagrams, plats, plans and estimate of cost of the proposed paving and otherwise improving of W. 21st St. from Mich. Ave. to State St. be deposited in the office of the Clerk for public examination, and that the Clerk be instructed to give notice thereof of the proposed improvement and of the district to be assessed therefore by publishing notice of the same for two weeks, and that Wed., Jan. 18, 1939 at 7:30 P. M., be and is hereby determined as the time when the Council will meet at the Council rooms to consider any suggestions or objections that may be made to said assessment district, improvement, diagrams, profiles and estimate of cost.

Oscar Peterson, City Clerk.

Expires Feb. 25, 1939
MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Anthony W. Kwiatkowski and Frances Kwiatkowski, husband and wife, to Frank S. Baldwin dated the 1st day of December, A. D., 1928, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, A. D., 1928, Liber 137 of Mortgage, on page 25, said mortgage was assigned to Reconstructive Finance Corporation, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest to \$11,558.38, the sum of \$8,047.10 Dollars, and an Attorney's fee of thirty-five Dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Friday the 24th day of February, A. D., 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the North door of Court House in the City of Grand Haven, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa is held, sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, with all that certain piece of land situated in the Township of Talmadge, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, described as follows: Starting at the Southwest corner of the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section twenty-seven (27) of Township seven (7) North of Range thirteen (13) West, thence north one hundred sixty (160) rods, thence East forty (40) rods, thence South eighty (80) rods, thence East forty (40) rods to the section line, thence West eighty (80) rods to the place of beginning, excepting, however, a right of way to highway over a strip one (1) rod wide running East from a point twenty (20) rods North of the Southwest corner of said description.

Reconstructive Finance Corporation, Owner of Mortgage.
Alexander McCaslin and Cholete, Attorneys for Reconstructive Finance Corporation.

LOCAL NEWS

The Exchange club postponed its regular meeting, scheduled for last Monday, until next Monday because of the holidays. Next week Wednesday the club will hold its annual ladies' night.

Mrs. Jennie Heasley of 118 East Seventh st. fell and fractured her collar bone last week.

A daughter was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lemmen of West 11th st.

James H. Jerome of Saginaw announced last week that Ernest Hartman, secretary-treasurer of the Ottawa County Building and Loan association, is a new member of the research, education and cup contest committee of the Michigan Building and Loan league.

Thursday noon members of the Holland Rotary club heard talks by two daughters of their fellow member, Charles McBride. Miss Marjorie McBride, a reporter on a daily newspaper in Boston, spoke on the technique of interviewing and discussed prominent people whom she has interviewed. Miss Maxine McBride, who is working in advertising in New York city, spoke on radio advertising. Peter Van Domelen, president of the club, postponed hearing of committee reports until a later meeting.

Ohio is again in front in the tabulation of the number of out-of-state hunters who came into Michigan during the deer and small-game seasons. Non-resident hunters' reports counted thus far at the department of conservation include a larger number from Ohio than from any other state. Ohio hunters also led in last year's reports. The second largest number of non-resident reports tabulated thus far this year came from Indiana, with reports from Illinois and Wisconsin hunters third and fourth.

Michigan holly is a name given to winterberry of black alder.

Robert Brierly of Kalamazoo paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$3 when he pleaded guilty to a charge of failing to have a utility permit to haul groceries from the Michigan-Indiana state line to Holland. Brierly was arraigned before Justice Nicholas Hoffman.

The Holland High Maroons won their first conference victory Friday night when they defeated Kalamazoo Central 37 to 30 in a fast game that featured an aggressive defense that Holland had not displayed thus far this season. The Kazoo team took the lead in the first quarter after the game had been tied twice, the quarter score being 7 to 6 for the Thomas five. The half ended with Holland holding a 20-13 edge.

Marinus DeKraaker, 20, Holland, was given the choice of \$5 fine and \$11.25 costs or ten days in jail Wednesday when he was arraigned for trespassing while hunting.—Allegan Gazette.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Westfield called on friends near Pennington. They are visiting relatives in South Haven, before leaving for Florida. Bob is lighthouse keeper at Bayfield, Wis.

SOCIETY NEWS

Keith Little has returned to Hope College at Holland after spending the Christmas week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Walcott.—Coopersville Observer.

Miss Lois Marjorie left Holland Saturday for New York city, where she sailed Wednesday on the S.S. Aquitania for India. There she will take up her work as supervisor of

Expires Jan. 14
TAXPAYERS' ATTENTION
Tax payers of Park Township, attention. I will be at the Peoples' State Bank on the following dates: Dec. 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 28, 1938.
Jan. 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 1939.
At home Dec. 10, 16, 17, 23, 24, 30, 31, 1938.
Jan. 6, 8, 1939.
DICK NIEUWMA,
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Marinus Dokter of Pennington spent last week-end at the home of his parents on East 10th st.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Anderson and their daughter recently returned to Marion, O., after spending Christmas with Mrs. Anderson's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Domelen, Sr.

Members of the Birthday club attended a Christmas dinner Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Jake Schaap of 743 State st. During an evening of Australian bunco, Mrs. Jim Schurman, Mrs. F. Kooyers, Mrs. P. Rezelman, Mrs. Gus De Vries, Mrs. George Glupker, Mrs. Arle Weller and Mrs. Johanna Schaap won prizes.

The stenographers of the W. E. Dunn Manufacturing Co. were entertained last week Wednesday evening by Mrs. Ralph Houston, who gave a holiday party at Boone's Kountry Kitchen. Later the group played games at Mrs. Houston's home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mokma were hosts last week Monday night at a family party. Members of the group exchanged gifts, and a social hour and luncheon were enjoyed.

Miss Henrietta Van Huis was guest of honor last week Wednesday evening at a surprise birthday party given by her mother, Mrs. A. Van Huis of East 20th st. Miss Gertrude Rozeboom and Miss Ann Brinks won prizes at hearts. The hostess served a two-course luncheon.

The old and new members of the consistory of Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church and their wives held a surprise party Wednesday evening in honor of Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Danhof. The group presented the pastor and his wife with an ornate stuffed occasional chair. A program and social time were enjoyed. Attending the affair were S. Koppers and his daughter, Mrs. C. De Graaf, Mr. and Mrs. George Kuiper, Mr. and Mrs. P. Buter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hoekstra, Mr. and Mrs. W. Beckman, Mr. and Mrs. P. Selles, Mr. and Mrs. J. Slager, Mr. and Mrs. P. Marcusse, N. Dykema, Mr. and Mrs. H. Venhuizen, Mr. and Mrs. T. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. M. Stekete, Mr. and Mrs. G. Boven, Mr. and Mrs. P. Unema, Mr. and Mrs. J. Langeland, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Slenk, Mrs. J. A. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. John Volkers, Mr. and Mrs. John Greengood, H. Sterenberg, Mr. and Mrs. George Tinkhof, Mr. and Mrs. George Lemmen. Others included in the group who could not attend were P. De Goed, J. A. Brink and Henry Dykstra.

ZEELAND YOUNG LADY
WED ON MONDAY NIGHT

On Monday evening, December 26th, Miss Henrietta Poll of Zeeland, and Mr. Bert Veenstra of Grand Rapids, formerly of Central Lake, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's father on Madison St.

Rev. A. Jabaay performed the marriage ceremony at eight o'clock in the evening in the presence of the immediate family and a few intimate friends. Those who witnessed the services were Mr. Herman Poll, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Gommers, Mr. John Klomp and children, Mrs. A. Jabaay, and the Misses Anna and Sena Teigenhof. After the ceremony a delicious two-course lunch was served the assembled guests.

The bride is a daughter of Herman Poll of Zeeland and has been employed at the State Commercial & Savings Bank for the past nine years. Mr. Veenstra is employed in Grand Rapids. They will continue to live with the bride's father on Madison St., Zeeland, and are at home to their friends there.

ZUTPHEN

The past week Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoppen celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Tuesday. Open house was held on Tuesday afternoon and in the evening, when friends and relatives came to congratulate them, and on Wednesday a reception was held in the church basement. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoppen; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tanis and Florence, Ruth and Roger Tanis; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hoppen and daughter of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Hoppen and Donald Lee; and Rev. and Mrs. Vroon. Those attending from Zeeland were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Karsten, Mr. and Mrs. Elly Karsten, Mr. and Mrs. Miss Betty Karsten, Mr. and Mrs. Nellie Bort, Mr. and Mrs. Smion Bort, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ver Hage, were from Vriesland; Mrs. Bert Walcott of Drenthe, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Elzinga, Garret, John Egbert, and Dick Broene of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. John Roek of Hudsonville, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bosch, Mrs. Rose Meyer, Miss Gertrude Garrietta Loeks, Henry Loeks, and Martin Ver Hage of Zutphen; Mrs. Arent Meyer, Misses Connie, Pearl, Harriet, and Angeline Meyer, Mr. John Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Haverman of Moline; Mr. Will Bos, Mrs. Anna Bosch of Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. George Meyer, Mrs. William

Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Meyer, and Myrtle Meyer of Grand Rapids; Mr. Veltema and Mr. Lannes of Graafschap; Mr. Art Van Houten of Cadillac, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoppen were presented with beautiful gifts. A short program was given, and a two-course luncheon was served by Mrs. Roy Veltema, Gertrude Meyer, Connie, Pearl, Harriet, and Angeline Meyer. On Thursday evening the following neighbors were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoppen: Mr. and Mrs. Rolfe Nyenhuis, Mr. and Mrs. John Ensing, Mr. and Mrs. William Nyenhuis, Mr. Ed Nedervelt, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brinks. They received a fine gift. A two-course luncheon was served, and a pleasant evening was spent by all. Congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoppen. Mr. and Mrs. Hoppen have lived in Zutphen ever before their marriage. Mr. Hoppen as a young man was employed on the large farm of the late Kias Trompen.

The following Christmas program was given by the Sunday School classes on Monday evening, December 26: Welcoming, Owen Aukema; song, Tommy's piece, by Harriet De Kleene and Roger Peuler; A Christmas greeting, by Esther De Weerd; song: Tidings of the Savior's Birth; The story for the Primary Department: Questions, Grace Vegeter—Answers, Dorothy De Kleene, Esther Veltema, Hazel Vander Kolk, Esther Cook, Elizabeth Vander Kolk, and Henrietta Vegeter; recitation, by Hardy Ensing; "How shall we observe Christmas?" by Marian Roelofs, Horace Timmer, Florence Tanis, Franklin Aukema; The Sweetest Story, by Hazel De Vries; Savior, by Martin Schans, Carl De Wit, Donald Kamer, Gene Koning, Mer de Weerd, Owen Aukema; Spirit of Christmas, by Viola Loeks, Carolyn De Vries, Elsie Ensing, Beatrice Zwiers; Song: Birthday of Our King; We Bring our gifts, by Ruth Tanis, Richard Van Noord, Harley Albrecht, Gloria Timmer, Vernon Ensing; Thanks and Praise, by Jerene Meyer, Sena Kruijze, Irene Vegeter, Edna Kamer, Jean De Vries; Shepherds of Bethlehem, by Rudolph De Vree, Perceel De Weerd, Gene Nyenhuis, Milton Kamps, Clarence Pohler, Metta Venema; Christmas every day, by Vivian Ensing, Florence Tanis, Janet Koning, Marion Roelofs; recitation, by Alma Ensing; Morning and evening, by Ruth Vroon; Manger to Throne, by Ferdinand De Vries; Anna Mae Van Halsema, Norene Peuler, Doris Ensing, Helen Vander Kolk, Jeanette Loeks; Tributes to the Christmas King, by Marian Van Spyker, Nellie Aukema, Winona Meyer, Hilda Kamer, Joyce Elsing, Jewel Koning; Instrumental number by Roger Peuler; Setting it, by Elmer Vander Kolk, Vernon Ensing, Bert Kreuze, Alvin Koopman; Collection speech by Carl Aukema; Collection; Pageant: The World's Redeemer—Reader, Irene Heyboer; Shepherds, Franklin Aukema, Edwin De Kleene, Rudolph De Vree, Perceel De Weerd; Angels, Mildred Ver Hage, Viola Loeks, and Beatrice Zwiers; Mary, Beth Meengs; Joseph, Stanley Veltema; Wise Men, Merle Meengs, Louis De Weerd, Elmer De Weerd, Elsie Ensing, Gene Nyenhuis, Ruth Vroon; Group of Nations, 18 characters; Musical interludes: Comfort Ye My People, Metta Venema; Silent Night, Holy Night, Junior chorus; There is a song in the air, Richard Van Noord; Hark, the Herald Angels sing, Junior chorus; Oh, little town of Bethlehem, Junior chorus; Luther's Cradle Hymn, Doris Ensing; Joy to the World, Junior chorus; O, come all ye faithful, vi-graphone solo by Kenneth Artz; Good-bye, by Henrietta Vegeter; Remarks and prayer by Charles Bosch.

Rev. and Mrs. Vroon attended the funeral services of Neal Keegstra, son of Rev. and Mrs. Keegstra, of Allendale on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Meyer of Brooklyn visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vander Molen on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brinks of Beaverdam visited Mr. and Mrs. George Ensing on Tuesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. William Van Peursem of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoppen on Monday evening.

The Young People's Society met on Sunday evening, with Rev. Vroon in charge. The topic was, "Glory to God in the Highest; Peace on Earth, Goodwill toward Men." Special music was given by Lela Artz, Rozena Heyboer, and Irene Heyboer.

Mr. Jay Brinks had the misfortune of falling on the ice and breaking two bones in his wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke De Kleene entertained their relatives on Monday.

Miss Jennie Ensing was treated for infection of her hand which was caused by a sliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Dannenburg of Benheim were supper guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zwiers on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey De Vree and sons of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schipper and daughter of ry Peuler, and children of Hudson-Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Henryville visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Peuler on Monday.

Mrs. Lambert Myard and Grada of Hudsonville visited Mr. and Mrs. John Mulder on Tuesday afternoon.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

January 8, 1939.

Peter Commended and Rebuked—Matthew 16:13-25.

Henry Geerlings.

Jesus never held before His followers an easy life. His own life was not free from hardships, struggles and continued labors. Christians make a mistake when they assume that no difficulties arise in trying to live according to the principles of the Master of men. To understand Him and to undertake to keep pace with Him bring us face to face with the inescapable fact that whoever would be like Him must expect to take up a cross and follow Him. There ought to be something of fascination in this truth for every red-blooded individual.

Jesus was away from crowds. He desired this as He needed rest and wanted to teach His disciples without interruption. His mind was full of reflections on coming events. The cross was already looming before Him. He desired to have His disciples understand clearly what it all meant. Above all He wanted them to realize His own significance, whom He was and what His mission included. He started questioning them. They had gone toward Caesarea Philippi. The first question prior to their information as to what the public was saying about Him. This was of no concern to Jesus but it afforded Him an opportunity to ask a later question that concerned Him and them vitally. They would hear what people were saying about Him. If observing, they would know how Jesus stood with the people. Their answer to His question showed the divergent notions held about Him. But all regarded Him as linked up with God, for He seemed to be one of the great figures of history, living again. He made no comment but, mending their own conception of Him. Peter answered, speaking for the group doubtless, and gave the completing possible confession concerning Jesus.

The answer pleased Him. It was all He could hope for. He pronounced a blessing upon Peter, but

stressed the fact that Peter had nothing to boast about in having risen to so fine an answer to the question. He had been guided by God in what he had said. Then Jesus made sweeping statements about the building of His church. It was His opportunity to set forth a revealed truth about the church, a truth men would never discover for themselves. That truth is that the church of Christ is built on Himself and on facts declared on Peter's confession. He and the other disciples were to be chosen instruments for the establishment and furtherance of the church. The continuance of the church has been possible through God's use of Christians who, with Peter, confess Jesus as the Christ of God. The church has the assurance of permanence by the promise of Christ made. The place of the church in human destiny is seen in what Jesus said about the keys of the kingdom of heaven. It means that in some way, known by God, there is a relationship between granting the privilege of the church to persons deemed worthy and their admission into the kingdom.

Strangely enough Jesus cautioned His disciples against telling that He was the Christ. This would have aroused enmity against Him, and gained nothing for Him or His mission. A great fact stood out in His thought which He wanted His disciples to know. It was the fact about His suffering and death in Jerusalem. This was in the plan of His mission. They needed to know this. But Peter, forgetting to depend on divine guidance, took the announcement of Jesus as something to be treated from His own point of view. He tried to tell Jesus He was mistaken, that what He predicted could not happen.

Peter was denounced for assuming to interfere with divine plans. He was not allowed to put his own interpretation on what the Master said. He was hindering progress because he did not understand its methods. Then Jesus announced the further fact that just as He was going to bear His cross so must all who would follow Him. The word might offer an easier way and promise other rewards, but to accept the world's offer would mean the loss of place in the plans of God and the loser would never be able, with all he might gain from the world, to buy back the place he had lost.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE Board of Supervisors Of Ottawa County, State of Michigan OCTOBER, 1938 SESSION

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bond of the County Treasurer be set at the sum of \$300,000. (Thirty thousand dollars) in accordance with said section which motion prevailed.

RESOLUTION BY Mr. Slaughter: WHEREAS, there may now be in and may hereafter from time to time come into the hands of the Treasurer of Ottawa County, Mich., certain public moneys belonging to said County, and WHEREAS, under the laws of Michigan, the Board is required to provide by resolution for the deposit of all public moneys, including tax moneys, coming into the hands of said Treasurer, in one or more banks or trust companies, to be designated in such Resolution, and in such a manner as may be therein provided:

NOW THEREFORE, Be it Resolved that the

PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK, Grand Haven, Michigan.

GRAND HAVEN STATE BANK, Grand Haven, Michigan.

SPRING LAKE STATE BANK, Spring Lake, Michigan.

PEOPLES STATE BANK, Holland, Michigan.

ROYAL STATE BANK, Holland, Michigan.

ZEELAND STATE BANK, Zeeland, Michigan.

STATE COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK, Holland, Michigan.

COOPERSVILLE STATE BANK, Coopersville, Michigan.

HUDSONVILLE STATE BANK, Hudsonville, Michigan.

and be they are hereby designated as depositories in which the said Treasurer is hereby directed to deposit all public moneys, including tax moneys, coming into his hands as Treasurer in the name of Treasurer.

Be it further Resolved: that the Peoples Savings Bank, of Grand Haven, Michigan, be named as the depository for the checking accounts of the county.

Mr. Parsons moved the adoption of the resolution which motion prevailed.

Report of the Finance Committee.

Grand Haven, Mich., Oct. 10, 1938 TO THE HON. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Gentlemen: The Budget for the year 1939 will be based on County valuation of \$41,702,581. An allocation of 5 mills was established by the County Allocation Commission for County Operating expenses and we would recommend that the sum of \$206,512.90, being the maximum tax levy be spread.

The Salaries of all County Officers and Employees, named as the depository for the checking accounts of the county.

It is understood that the salary as fixed for the Sheriff shall include the fee of his personal services, and he shall be allowed five cents per mile for the use of his car

County Treasurer \$182.50
Postage 100.00
Printing & Binding 100.00
Stationery & Office supplies 25.00
Telephone & Telegraph 20.00
Freight & Express 30.00
Safety Deposit Box 4.00
Bond County & Twp. Treas. 1200.00
Extra Clerical (2) 1200.00
Total \$4197.90

Court House & Grounds
Lincolnton-Register of Deeds
& Treas. \$250.00
Repairs to outside walks 50.00
Fuel 100.00
Electrical work & supplies 100.00
Cleaning & Laundry 400.00
Plumbing 100.00
Light & Water 85.00
Light & Water-Heating plant 5.00
Fluid-Fire Extinguisher 5.00
Hardware 25.00
Drinking Cup 25.00
Hauling Rubbish 10.00
Heating Plant-Grates & Repairs 150.00
Fertilizer, Seeds, Flowers etc. 80.00
Total \$898.00

Dog License Account
Livestock Claims \$200.00
Licensing Dogs 125.00
Dog Tags 125.00
Total \$450.00

Drafts Commission
Bond \$50.00
Postage 10.00
Printing & Binding 10.00
Stationery & Office supplies 15.00
Freight & Express 10.00
Telephone 125.00
Traveling Expenses 600.00
Total \$825.00

Elections
Postage \$50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 40.00
Freight & Express 5.00
Travel 5.00
Ballots 1400.00
Total \$1500.00

Health Department
Salary, Doctor \$4572.00
Salary, First Nurse 1800.00
Salary, Second nurse 1600.00
Salary, Nurse 867.87
Salary, Clerk 990.00
Travel, Health Officer 600.00
Apt. Inspection 600.00
Travel, Nurse 235.00
Supplies & Contingent 900.00
Total \$12,990.67

Lump amount received from State 3000.00
Amount to be appropriated by County \$990.67
Home Demonstration \$500.00
Appropriation \$500.00
Hospitalization \$16,000.00
Appropriation \$16,000.00
T. B. Patients & Contingent \$22,500.00
Appropriation \$22,500.00
Infirmary & Poor \$4800.00
Appropriation \$4800.00

Justice Court
Justice Fees \$2345.00
Witness Fees 85.00
Jury Fees 30.00
Sheriff's Fees 100.00
Medical Examinations 40.00
Total \$2500.00

Miscellaneous
Operator's licenses \$285.00
Refund, Taxes 100.00
Solders Burial 400.00
Rabies Cases 50.00
X-Ray & T. Clinics 500.00
Appl. Inspection 150.00
Birth & Death Report 400.00
Meals to Transients 400.00
Glass Fund 500.00
Dental Assistant 525.00
Total \$3410.00

Probate Court
Board-dependent, neglected & Delinquent children \$500.00
Witness fees 15.00
Office fees 15.00
Postage 25.00
Printing & Binding 900.00
Stationery & Office supplies 120.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 12.00
Freight & Express 5.00
Typewriter 150.00
Furniture & Pictures 25.00
Total \$654.00

Probation Officer
Postage \$15.00
Travel 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 25.00
Total \$90.00

Prosecuting Attorney
Convention expenses \$50.00
Postage 20.00
Printing & Binding 75.00
Stationery & Office supplies 25.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 175.00
Travel 75.00
Total \$450.00

Register of Deeds
Typewriter Repairs \$50.00
Postage 175.00
Printing & Binding 1000.00
Stationery & Office supplies 50.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 30.00
Freight & Express 10.00
Furniture & Pictures 75.00
Total \$1400.00

Head Commissioners
Salary \$600.00
Salary 600.00
Salary 600.00
Total \$1800.00

School Commissioner
Truant Officer \$150.00
School Examiner 50.00
Postage 20.00
Printing & Binding 440.00
Stationery & Office supplies 140.00
Travel 25.00
Graduation Expense 50.00
Total \$1310.00

Coroner
Deputy fees \$500.00
Drivers license, examiner 120.00
Provisions 120.00
Fuel Gas 20.00
Cook (when needed) 20.00
Light & Water 325.00
Laundry & Cleaning 20.00
Medical 100.00
Insurance & Bonds 125.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 25.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 35.00
Travel 35.00
Plumbing & Repairs 75.00
P.O. Box Rent 4.00
Adding Machine & Typewriter 15.00
Furniture & Pictures 150.00
Total \$1479.00

County Clerk
Typewriters (2) \$250.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 195.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 150.00
Freight & Express 25.00
Plumbing & Repairs 75.00
P.O. Box Rent 4.00
Adding Machine & Typewriter 15.00
Furniture & Pictures 150.00
Total \$929.00

County Sheriff
Deputy fees \$500.00
Drivers license, examiner 120.00
Provisions 120.00
Fuel Gas 20.00
Cook (when needed) 20.00
Light & Water 325.00
Laundry & Cleaning 20.00
Medical 100.00
Insurance & Bonds 125.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 25.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 35.00
Travel 35.00
Plumbing & Repairs 75.00
P.O. Box Rent 4.00
Adding Machine & Typewriter 15.00
Furniture & Pictures 150.00
Total \$1479.00

County Treasurer
Typewriters (2) \$250.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 195.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 150.00
Freight & Express 25.00
Plumbing & Repairs 75.00
P.O. Box Rent 4.00
Adding Machine & Typewriter 15.00
Furniture & Pictures 150.00
Total \$929.00

County Auditor
Typewriters (2) \$250.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 195.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 150.00
Freight & Express 25.00
Plumbing & Repairs 75.00
P.O. Box Rent 4.00
Adding Machine & Typewriter 15.00
Furniture & Pictures 150.00
Total \$929.00

County Assessor
Typewriters (2) \$250.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 195.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 150.00
Freight & Express 25.00
Plumbing & Repairs 75.00
P.O. Box Rent 4.00
Adding Machine & Typewriter 15.00
Furniture & Pictures 150.00
Total \$929.00

County Engineer
Typewriters (2) \$250.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 195.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 150.00
Freight & Express 25.00
Plumbing & Repairs 75.00
P.O. Box Rent 4.00
Adding Machine & Typewriter 15.00
Furniture & Pictures 150.00
Total \$929.00

County Surveyor
Typewriters (2) \$250.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 195.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 150.00
Freight & Express 25.00
Plumbing & Repairs 75.00
P.O. Box Rent 4.00
Adding Machine & Typewriter 15.00
Furniture & Pictures 150.00
Total \$929.00

County Jailor
Typewriters (2) \$250.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery & Office supplies 195.00
Telephone & Telegraphs 150.00
Freight & Express 25.00
Plumbing & Repairs 75.00
P.O. Box Rent 4.00
Adding Machine & Typewriter 15.00
Furniture & Pictures 150.00
Total \$929.00

County Jailor
Typewriters (2) \$250.00
Postage 50.00
Printing & Binding 50.00
Stationery &

LOCAL NEWS

After spending the holidays in Portsmouth, Ohio, as guests of Dr. J. W. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Brooks and family have returned to their home at 99 West 11th st.

A group of friends were entertained by James McLean, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McLean at a sleigh party Thursday night.

Karen Jean is the name of a daughter which was born Dec. 30 to the Rev. and Mrs. Harvey B. Hoffman of Schuylerville, N. Y.

Edward Heneveld, student of medicine at Chicago, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Heneveld.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fassen, with Elmer and Billy, recently returned from an extensive motor trip to Ft. Peck, Mont., where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fassen. Others whom they visited include Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kloosterman of Beloit, Wis., Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Aelits of Little Rock, Iowa, the Rev. and Mrs. Aelits at Sibley, Iowa, and the Rev. and Mrs. J. Theiken of Zumt, Iowa.

Phillis Joan is the name of a daughter born on New Year's day to Mr. and Mrs. James Quist of Lincoln, Neb. Mr. Quist is a Hope College graduate, and Mrs. Quist is the former Miss Hazel Schrotenboer of Holland.

Friday, Dec. 30, a baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Langejans of rural route 1. He has been named Gordon Dale.

Monday Miss Lois Jane Te Roller and Miss Edna Helmink returned to their work at Western State Teachers college, Kalamazoo.

Anna Boot and Jeanette West-veer returned Saturday from a two weeks' motor trip to the southern states. At New Port Richey they visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Habing. They also met several Holland people there including Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kardux, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Klaasen.

Funeral services for Peter Remer, 82, former Holland resident who lived at 189 West 14th st. about ten years ago, were held Wednesday afternoon in the Dykstra funeral chapel. The Rev. H. D. Ter Keurst, pastor of Trinity Reformed church was in charge of the service. Burial was in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Mr. Remer died Monday in Chicago at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ethel Werhane.

Besides the daughter, he is survived by two other daughters, Mrs. Ernest Casaroli of Detroit, Mrs. R. C. Burt of Melbourne, Fla., and two sons, James and Anthony Remer of San Francisco, Cal.

Funeral services for Mrs. Louisa Regnerus De Boer, 76, were to be held today, Thursday, at 1:30 in the Van't Hof funeral home, Grand Rapids, and at 3:30 in the Nibbelink-Neijer funeral chapel, Holland. Burial was to be in Fairview cemetery. Mrs. De Boer died Sunday night at her home in Grand Rapids.

Surviving are the husband, Lucas De Boer; four sons, Gerardus, Leonard and Andrew Regnerus of Holland and Isaac Regnerus of Redlands, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. Bert Bruijsch of Holland; five stepsons, Jacobs, Walter, Louis and Wiegner De Boer, all of Grand Rapids, and Gustave De Boer of Devils Lake, N. D.; two stepdaughters, Mrs. J. Dykens of Holland and Mrs. F. Wolford of Devils Lake, N. D.; 27 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Funeral services for Albert De Haan, 46, son of Mrs. H. M. Vander Ploeg of Holland, were held Tuesday afternoon in Grand Rapids, where he died unexpectedly Saturday. Surviving are the widow; three sons, Gerald, Robert and James; his mother; a sister, Mrs. Bert Mouw of Muskegon; four half-brothers, Vander Ploeg of Muskegon and Abe, Fred and William Vander Ploeg of Holland, Mrs. Garrit Wassenaar of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Ben Van Dis of East Saugatuck.

Mr. and Mrs. Harm Knoll of 212 West 16th st., whose 63rd wedding anniversary took place Sunday, observed the event on Monday with a few friends. Mr. Knoll is 82, and Mrs. Knoll, 81. Their birthday anniversaries occur on March 9 and March 11, respectively. Mrs. Knoll was formerly Miss Cora Vissera. For a time after their marriage in 1876 they lived on a farm in Lakeland township, Allegan county. Their children are 35 Knolls of Muskegon Heights and John H. Knoll, L. D. Knoll, Mrs. Dena Wierda, Mrs. Clara Eisebagger and Mrs. John Bremer, all of Holland. There are 30 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. Mrs. Knoll has two brothers still living, Leonard D. Visser residing near Saugatuck and Will Visser who operates a clothing store on East Eighth St. and two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Walters of Graafschap and Mrs. Ben Steffens of Holland. Mr. Knoll has a brother, Hermann Knoll of Muskegon Heights, who is three years older.

WANT ADS
Quick!

SPECIAL—Several very good used gas, oil, gasoline, and electric ranges on hand. Come in and get your pick. Prices from \$39.95 up. Phone 2284 or call at 209 Central Ave., Holland, Mich.

FOR SALE—Newton Incubator—10,000 capacity. Good condition. Cheap. Ed E. Cook, R. R. 1, Zeeland Mich., Tel. 722572.

FOR SALE—Wood, Timber—Black Maple, by acre or cord. Good road, easy access. Sell whole or any part. Call or write Perry Sirrine, Allegan Mich. Box 43.

Miss Evelyn Steketee is confined to Holland hospital after an operation for an abscess on her limb. She had to spend a holiday vacation in the South.

Miss Margery Brooks, student at the University of Chicago, recently returned to Chicago after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Brooks of 659 State st.

A CHRISTMAS BANQUET OF UNUSUAL IMPORT

The H. J. Heinz Co. "family" of Holland annually stages a yuletide banquet. This Christmas get-together again occurred this year for the fifth time at the Holland Armory.

The banquet was held under the auspices of the H. J. Heinz Co. 57 Club, and under this banner more than 600, including the families and many guests, sat down to a fine spread of Christmas goodies and listened to a timely talk from Rev. W. G. Flowerday, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city. It was one of these delightful evenings that speak so loudly of "good will to all men."

Mr. James A. Hoover, a much beloved citizen, and manager of the Holland plant for many years, was master of ceremonies, gave the welcome, and introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. Hoover was a busy man during the banquet and presented awards to various employees for their long terms of faithful service for the H. J. Heinz company. For twenty years of faithful service, Mr. Ralph Bouwman was given a gold watch, properly inscribed. Miss Lida Arends also was the recipient of a gold watch for twelve years of service. Warren Fisher, Alex Gordon, John Bouwman, and Herman Cook received gold medal awards for ten years of loyal service.

Mr. Hoover also invited the employees of the company to report at his office on the day before Christmas to receive their annual Christmas gift with which the employees complied cheerfully. There was also a Santa Claus—and a real good one. He made his appearance during the program and distributed gifts to the "kiddies" and older children present. This benevolent looking man with flowing beard was no other than Frank Eby, for many years connected with the plant.

George Bosworth, newly-elected president of the 57 Club, spoke briefly and announced various committee memberships for the coming year. The chairman are Walter Freestone, social; Fred Zeerip, membership; Dave Pribyl, auditing, and Henry Jacobs, visiting.

Other club officers are Phillip Heyboer, vice president; Edward Schierbeek, secretary; and Wallace Lubbers, treasurer.

Bernard Hill, the retiring president, expressed his thanks to club members for their cooperation during the past year and requested them to give their loyal support to the new officers.

At the opening of the festivities devotions were given by Mr. Elton Ellow, chairman of the entertainment committee. Mr. James A. Hoover then introduced Rev. W. G. Flowerday, pastor of the Methodist church of this city. Mr. Flowerday chose for his subject a text that was a favorite of the late Mr. H. J. Heinz, founder of the company, and inculcated the teachings of this fine man along Biblical lines. Mr. Heinz was a devout Bible student and gave much to religious causes. Once upon a time he received the urge to go directly to the Bible lands from where Biblical history was made in order to get a first-hand picture of the "good Book," to which he had given so much study. He went further than that. He chose a large group of other Bible students in all walks of life, and they were his guests during the entire trip to the Holy Land. Anyway, it was a man of that type who Mr. Flowerday discussed. He pointed out that the late Mr. Heinz had been questioned a quarter of a million dollars for Sunday School work in which he, too, was deeply interested.

Continuing he said, "Tonight we gather to pay homage to that great man. He was a Christian and firmly believed in the birth of the babe in Bethlehem. Mr. Heinz has taught us that Christmas is an hour of sympathy and always his thoughts were of sympathy for boys and girls."

"It was Mr. Heinz's belief that Christmas brings us love, for he said that one of the greatest things in the world is love for other people."

"On behalf of other Holland ministers, on behalf of the churches of Holland and for those who can not express themselves, I want to extend to you the very merriest and happiest Christmas of your life's history and I know it will be for behind it will be Mr. Heinz's spirit of sympathy, love, benevolence, joy, and happiness," said Rev. Flowerday in closing.

Mr. Flowerday pointed out that the Heinz 57 Club was an organization that has grown throughout the world in H. J. Heinz Company circles, and that the members of these clubs are gathered everywhere during the Christmas season for a wholesome, happy, cordial get-together, which cannot help but be a tribute to the founder of this wonderful institution and of the man who, while being a noted industrialist, found time to give of his moral and financial support towards the cause of religion, the need of which is great today during these world-wide, troublesome times.

Jerry Houting was in charge of community singing after which the Holland City Four, composed of Mr. Houting, Rein Vischer, Elmer Schepers and Kelly Trapp, with Mrs. Trapp accompanist, sang several numbers. Dinner music was furnished by Gerard Hanchett, pianist, and Monte Emmons, violinist, both well known artists.

Program
Invocation—
Dinner Music, Gerard Hanchett.
Dinner—Six-thirty P. M.
Everyone Sing, Jerry Houting.
Holland City Four—Rein Vischer, Elmer Schepers, Kelly Trapp, Jerry Houting (Mrs. Trapp, accompanying).
Welcome, Mr. J. A. Hoover.
Introduction of 57 Officers—
Selections, Tulip Time Quartette.
Evening Address, Rev. Flowerday.
Christmas Tree—

After arriving here by plane to spend two days with her parents in their home on Central Ave., Miss Alma Geerts, student nurse in Bayonne hospital, Bayonne, N. J., left Sunday to return to New Jersey.

Harry C. Irwin, Jr., left Holland Sunday to return to dramatic school in New York city. He had spent five days visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Irwin of the Park road.

Vaude Vandenberg of San Francisco, Calif., son of Mr. and Mrs. Vaude Vandenberg of 73 E. 16th st., left Wednesday for New York city. Next week he will return to the west coast.

Atty. John R. Dethmers of Holland attended a meeting of the state Republican central committee in Lansing Tuesday.

Cornelius Vander Meulen presented a paper on "American Democracy, Its Perils and Their Solution," at a meeting of the Social Progress club Tuesday night at the home of Dr. A. Leenhouts on Washington Blvd. Unemployment is the greatest source of danger in the United States today, the speaker said. Mrs. Leenhouts served refreshments.

Saturday afternoon Miss Lucille Medall of Omaha, Neb., and Cornelius Kouw, son of Levi Kouw of 127 West 17th St., were married at the latter's home. The immediate family witnessed the single ring ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Henry D. Ter Keurst. Mr. and Mrs. Kouw will live at 127 W. 17th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Garry Kruithof of West 19th St. became the parents of a baby daughter Saturday. A son born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vander Vliet of 12 East 18th St. has been named Wendall J. Mrs. Vander Vliet is the former Henrietta Geers.

Fishing is good on Lake Macatawa in the vicinity of Big Bayou

SUNDAY DINNER Suggestions

By CORA ANTHONY
Director of the A&P Kitchen

EATING for health is not a bad idea after the holiday eating for pleasure is over. The best protection against colds is plenty of milk products, eggs, fruits and vegetables plus plenty of rest.

The best values in fruits and vegetables will be found in apples, grapefruit, oranges, tangerines, green beans, beets, cabbage, salad greens, white and sweet potatoes, spinach and rutabaga turnips.

Meat and poultry prices show little change from last week except that turkeys are higher. Eggs are not yet much plentiful. Butter continues to be much cheaper than last year. Here are three dinner menus.

Low Cost Dinner

Beef and Kidney Pie with Vegetables and Mashed Potato Crust
Coke Slaw
Bread and Butter
Chocolate Tapioca Cream
Tea or Coffee

Medium Cost Dinner

Baked Ham
Mashed Sweet Potatoes
Spinach with Creamed Onions
Bread and Butter
Apple Pie
Tea or Coffee

Very Special Dinner

Roast Lamb
Green Beans
Lettuce and Chichey Salad
Rolls and Butter
Spanish Cream
Coffee

NEW YEAR'S EDITION OF WOMAN'S DAY MAGAZINE REPLETE WITH GOOD THINGS

The Woman's Day magazine pictures a sweet little Miss bob-sledding, although covered with snow during a spill, crawls out with sparkling eyes, laughingly. There are fifty pages in this interesting magazine the highlights of which are:

"Just Between Neighbors," rather a homey department. "Youth Muscles in," by Catherine Glover, showing that in all vocations young folk are making a mark. A rather unique article is written under the caption, "Rent and be Free," by J. P. McAvoy, and "Own Your Own Home," by Rose Wilder Lane. "Side by Side with Pictures" seems rather paradoxical according to the heading, but you must read the articles to find out more.

"America's I Admire" by Eleanor Roosevelt, occupies a prominent place in the magazine. "Radio Programs for Children," a story in two parts, "Cousin Effie," "West Wind, West Wind!" give interesting information and provides the fiction in this edition. "It Can Be Done for Less Than a Hundred Dollars" has to do with the beautifying of the home. There are several pages with pictures devoted to that subject. "Why Don't You Make a Quilt?" by Dorothy Wagner, shows patterns and quilts beautifying sleeping apartments. "The School Bus" has much to do with child life. "Do Your Skiing on a Park Bench" shows many girls in ski costumes, that not only display snow trousers for women, but short skirts and blouses for the feminine sex who do not want to appear in trousers. "Homes for Home and Towns West" gives a great deal of dress and gown information. "Better Meals in Your Budget for 1939" with recipes and pictures of the goodies when completed, is also shown. "Stretching the Food Dollar" and the "Winner of Prizes" in the making of excellent food is fully given.

"From the Notebook of Eleanor Connors" we find is complete with timely hints on a great many subjects. "Six Best Chocolate Cakes and What These Cost" by Cora Anthony also show these delicious morsels and how to make them and the price involved. "Three Budget Dinners for Company" will give some timely hints what to do when unexpected guests arrive. "Puzzle Pictures of the Anarctic Sea" in which the children are interested, and many other puzzles and fun pictures are fully described in pictures. "Hollywood in Review" by Harriet Parsons winds up the index of Woman's Day magazine for January.

The regular issue of the Woman's Day, a monthly publication sponsored by the Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., is now available and copies can be secured at 2c each at any Holland, Ottawa, or Allegan county A&P food stores. Ask for your copy.

and Pine Creek bay, according to reports from Holland fishermen. Perch are running large. About five inches of ice cover the lake everywhere except near Point Superior.

Mrs. Jennie Bilkert, about 65, of Kalamazoo, died here unexpectedly Monday night while she was visiting her daughter, Miss Margaret Bilkert, Hope college sophomore, at Voorhees hall on the campus. The body was taken to Kalamazoo for burial. The late Rev. Henry Bilkert, missionary who was killed by bandits in Arabia about ten years ago, was Mrs. Bilkert's son. His widow subsequently married Dr. Paul W. Harrison, famous missionary surgeon in Arabia.

M. May of Detroit, father of Mrs. Donald Cavanaugh of 13th St. and Central Ave., died recently. Mrs. Cavanaugh left for Detroit Tuesday night.

Jack Dykstra of 68 West 22nd St. made the first application for permission to build during 1939. He wants to erect a single stall garage, 12 by 20, for \$200.

ZEELAND

The Rev. John M. Dykstra, pastor of Sioux Center, Ia., Christian Reformed church, recently notified

North Street Christian Reformed church of Zeeland that he will accept a call there, arriving in Zeeland some time in February. The death of the Rev. H. E. Oostendorp last August left the Zeeland church without a pastor. Rev. Dykstra was graduated from Calvin seminary in 1924. He took a year of postgraduate work at Princeton seminary, and served the Crookston, Minn., church from 1925-1929, and the Sioux Center church since 1929.

The children, grandchildren and great grandchildren of Mrs. Jacob Ten Have of Zeeland honored her recently at a chicken supper at the Grange hall. The evening was spent in playing games and exchanging gifts. Those present were Mrs. Jacob Ten Have, Mr. and Mrs. Wynyarden, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wesseldyke and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. Timmer, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boes and children of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. S. Machiels and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Boes, Mr. and Mrs. William Boes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kramer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kammeraad and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Kammeraad and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kammeraad and baby and Mary and Sena Mulder.

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OYSTERS SOLID PACK qt. 39c
STEERING FOWL 3 TO 3 1/2-LB. AVERAGE lb. 21c

ROASTING CHICKENS Fancy Spring Birds lb. 25c
FRESH-SIDE PORK BY THE PIECE lb. 14c
LUNCHEON MEAT SLICED OR BY THE PIECE 2 lbs. 25c
SEA SCALLOPS THAT TASTY SEAFOOD lb. 21c
PORK CHOPS CHOICE LEAN CENTER CUTS lb. 17c
PORK STEAK lb. 15c
BOLOGNA or LIVER SAUSAGE 2 lbs. 25c
SAUERKRAUT NEW PACK 3 lbs. 10c
HADDOCK FILLETS 2 lbs. 23c
PERCH FILLETS DELICIOUS OCEAN PERCH 2 lbs. 27c
HOLLAND HERRING 9-LB. KEG MIXED ea. 75c

BEEF ROAST
Best Chuck Cuts
Branded Beef
lb. 17c

PORK SAUSAGE
Old Plantation
Seasoned
2 lbs. 19c

HEAD LETTUCE 3 for 20c
Crisp, Large, Solid, 60 Size

CARROTS FRESH LARGE BUNCHES 2 for 11c
BROCCOLI LARGE BUNCHES bunch 10c
NEW CABBAGE SOLID 2 lbs. 7c
GREEN BEANS TENDER, STRINGLESS 2 lbs. 15c
GRAPEFRUIT 60 TEXAS SEEDLESS 6 for 19c
SWEET POTATOES 5 lbs. 19c
IDAHO POTATOES BULK U.S. NO. 1 15-lb. pk. 31c
APPLES U.S. No. 1 STAR KING DELICIOUS 4 lbs. 25c

ORANGES 2 doz. 39c
Large Size 176—Florida

PANCAKE FLOUR
5-lb. bag 15c

SWANS DOWN CAKE FLOUR
package 21c

PEANUT BUTTER
2-lb. jar 21c

Peas—Tomatoes 4 cans 25c
Corn—Beans Green or Wax 4 cans 25c
Sauerkraut—Beets 4 cans 25c
Mixed Vegetables 4 cans 25c
Applesauce 4 cans 25c
Fruit Cocktail, 16 oz. 2 cans 21c
Iona Peaches 2 lge. cans 25c
Pineapple, Gems 2 14-oz. cans 19c

PILLSBURY FLOUR 24 1/2-lb. 77c • **IONA FLOUR** 24 1/2-lb. 49c

Borden's Leaf Cheese 2 lbs. 39c
Baking Powder Calumet 2 1-lb. cans 37c
Sparkle Dessert Powder 3 pkgs. 10c
Jello or Royal Pudding 3 pkgs. 14c
Donuts Plain or Sugared doz. 10c
Pan Rolls doz. 5c
Soda Crackers 2-lb. box 13c
Graham Crackers 2-lb. box 15c

A&P PEAS or GREEN BEANS
2 cans 25c

ANN PAGE KETCHUP
2 14-oz. bottles 23c

HEINZ KETCHUP
14-oz. bottle 17c

Salad Mustard qt. 10c
Jelly Currant, Grape or Raspberry 2-lb. jar 19c
Tomato Catsup 2 14-oz. bottles 15c
Lang's Dill Pickles 11-oz. 10c
Karo Syrup 5-lb. pail 29c
Navy Beans 2-lb. bag 6c
Rice, Fancy 4 lbs. 19c
Prunes 70/80 4 lbs. 19c
Raisins, Seedless 4 lbs. 25c
Crisco—Spry 3-lb. can 50c
Hills Bros. Coffee 2-lb. can 51c

WHITE HOUSE MILK 4 cans 23c • **MILK** PET or CARNATION 4 cans 25c

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<p>Ruins of Mongol Invasion The Mongol invasion in the Thirteenth century arrested the industrial, artistic and literary development of Russia for 200 years.</p>	<p>Introduced Tea Drinking Tea drinking is assumed to have been introduced in America by the Dutch to satisfy the socially correct "grand dames" of New Amsterdam.</p>	<p>English Sailors Had Pigtails The pigtail was popular among English sailors in the period from about 1690 to 1815, the sailors dressing each other's queues.</p>	<p>Pennsylvania 'Pretzel State' Pennsylvania is called the "pretzel state" because many of its towns and cities make pretzels that are eaten throughout the country.</p>	<p>Has Largest Collection of Books The Congressional library at Washington, D. C., is said to have the world's largest collection of rare and early books for children.</p>	<p>The Hardest Job Jud Tunkins says the hardest job a man can undertake is that of convincing other folks of something that he isn't sure of himself.</p>	<p>Charms of Our Native Land Our native land charms us with inexpressible sweetness, and never allows us to forget that we belong to it.—Ovid.</p>	<p>Opium From the Poppy The milky juice of the unripe seed capsules of the opium poppy is obtained through incisions in the capsules. This is dried and purified.</p>
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