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JENISON PARK IS BLOOMING WITH DANDELIONS

Jim Irving, custodian at Jenison Park came to Holland Friday morning filled with spring fever and enthusiasm, for he had found when he woke up that the lawns at Jenison were covered with blossoming yellow dandelions, and naturally the sight filled him with wonder, after he looked on the calendar and found that it was January 7, in the very heart of winter.

This fact reminds the writer of the winter of 1889 when on Christmas day the weather was so warm that citizens shed their overcoats, donned their straw hats and took the steamer Lizzie Walsh for an excursion to the local resorts.

The files of the Holland City News give the following description of that Christmas:

"The oldest inhabitants have been completely non-plussed by the present winter. After last season's open winter, the weather prophets all foretold four or five months of snow and sleighing. This apparently is very far from the truth.

"Christmas came with a clear blue sky, warm sunshine, and a balmy wind blowing from the south, not a trace of ice or snow is to be found anywhere, and the frost has not even touched the ground. With such an unusual condition of weather the Michigan Christmas more resembled that of the Southland. But strange as it appeared, to those who are accustomed to snow and ice, the Christmas spirit still prevailed, and the observance with a few exceptions was very much in the usual way.

"The unusual incidents about this Christmas-tide however were these: In spite of the sea of mud in the principal streets of Holland and impassable conditions of the country roads, the livery stables did a thriving business, supplying horses and carriages instead of sleighs to the young folks.

"The most novel celebration however was an excursion advertised for 2 o'clock on Christmas afternoon. The Steamer Lizzie Walsh left Holland crowded to capacity with flags flying, carrying the large party of excursionists as if it were mid-summer, instead of mid-winter. Men discarded their overcoats, and not a few wore straw hats in order to give the party an extreme touch.

"Many ladies from the city accompanied their husbands or beaux dressed in summer togs. The steamer stopped at Harrington's Landing, Shady Side, Macatawa, and Ottawa Beach. A majority of the party left the boat at Macatawa spending an hour, wandering about the park, visiting the life saving station and other places of interest.

"The bath houses were closed or it is possible that the boys of the crowd would have insisted on going in bathing to further add to the unseasonable character of the trip.

"The day was too pleasant for work to be stepped upon the new factory building, and a large force of men were busy all day on Christmas in putting up the brick walls."

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL LOSES HIS SECRETARY

Miss Laura Brown, whose mother lives on East 9th street, failed to put in her appearance as secretary in Principal Riemersma's office at the local high school when school reconvened on January 4.

It was found out later that Miss Brown had eloped with Gerald Ensing, also of Holland and they were quietly married at Grand Rapids, and had taken a trip to the State Capitol from where the principal of the school received a letter informing him that they were happily married, and naturally that he must look around for a new secretary.

Miss Brown has been a very estimable young lady who has been identified with the public schools for the last three years.

FREE CLINICS WILL BE HELD IN HOSPITAL ANNEX

The free clinic to be conducted in Holland next week by the Michigan State Department of Health are not to be held in the city hall. For some reason or other there seems to be an impression that the clinics will be held there, in spite of the fact that the place has been given a half a dozen times in the newspapers. The clinics will be held in the clinic rooms of the Holland hospital.

The days assigned are Tuesday and Wednesday, January 18 and 19. The mistake about the city hall probably arises from the fact that the last time the State Department of Health conducted clinics in Holland they were held there.

Peter Meeuwse, who has been visiting his brother, Sam Meeuwse, at Hotel Holland, left for the Great Lakes Training station.

John Arendshorst, secretary of the Holland Fair association was in Grand Rapids on business Monday.

MANAGER AND PRESIDENT OF THE CO-OP. RESIGN

Following a warm session of the membership of the Holland Cooperative Association, George Henevelt Monday afternoon resigned his position as general manager of that organization, and Simon Harkema resigned as president.

The fight which resulted in the resignation of the two officials began Saturday noon when the association membership was called together by the president to discuss the subject of raising the membership dues. Like many other business institutions, the Co-operative association has been having its troubles in these times of uncertainty of prices, and after a long and sometimes blistering discussion the association decided to raise the membership fees from \$10 to \$110.

But this movement was not consummated without a good deal of hot debate in the course of which charges and counter charges were made: that Monday afternoon, when the session was continued, led to the resignation of the two officials. Attacks were made by Edward Pilon on the management of Mr. Henevelt and the latter severed his connection with the concern. President Harkema followed suite in support of the manager. The resignations were accepted by the board of directors.

While the falling market cut into the profits of the concern, the association is doing a good business and is a live organization in every respect.

Maurice Luidens, vice president, has succeeded Mr. Harkema as president for the time being at least. Henry Sagers of Fillmore has taken over the duties of general manager in addition to his work as secretary and treasurer. Mr. Sagers stated that he did not believe the association would lose many members because of the raise in dues. Many members furnished their additional allotment Monday and others were coming in. The raise in the dues, it is expected, will amply take care of the situation and will place the association on a firmer financial basis than ever, and with prices becoming more stabilized the company is expected to continue its rapid growth.

FORMER GRAND HAVEN WOMAN DIES SATURDAY

Word was received of the death of Mrs. August Jensen at her home in Grand Rapids Saturday. Mrs. Jensen had been in ill health for some time, but her death came suddenly Saturday after she had been up and around as usual. Deceased was formerly Miss Alice VanderMeiden of Grand Haven. She is survived by four brothers and one sister; also by her husband, one son and a daughter.

COWS DIE WHEN THEY LICK PAINT

The fondness of cows for paint cost Benjamin Kooiker of Overisel \$500. Four of his cows, each of which is valued at no less than \$125, are dead as a result of becoming too intimate with a paint pail that was stored in the stable. The cows managed to get at the paint and licked it, with death resulting soon after.

Misfortune has been following Mr. Kooiker for some time. Last summer the large barn on the farm he is occupying burned to the ground. The barn was the property of Henry Kooiker father of Ben Kooiker, but the cattle in it belonged to Ben Kooiker. At that time he lost six cows by fire, making a total number of ten cows lost in less than a year's time.

CANNING COMPANY MANAGER REVIEWS YEAR'S BUSINESS

In spite of uncertain conditions during the past few months, the Holland Canning Co. had a successful year in 1920, as the annual report made by Secretary and Manager Wm. Vander Ven showed. The report was made Monday afternoon at the annual meeting of the stockholders in the offices of the company. The concern was shown to be in good financial condition and it weathered in good shape the difficult months that the business world has just been passing through, making a satisfactory profit on the year's business.

A board of directors was elected Monday composed of the following: Luke Logers, C. J. Lokker, Henry Geerlings, Wm. Vander Ven, Benj. Brower, D. Ten Cate and W. E. Van Dyke. The board organized with the following officers for the coming year: Luke Logers, president; C. J. Lokker, vice-president; Wm. Vander Ven, secretary and manager; Benj. Brower, treasurer.

MOVIES TAKE A DROP IN HOLLAND

J. W. Himebaugh, owner of the Strand Theater, wishes to announce a small reduction in prices at the Strand Theater beginning on Thursday, January 13. Matinee and night shows will hereafter both be 10 and 15 cents. These prices will prevail for all shows except an occasional big show which will be 25c.

Mr. Himebaugh has always been fair with the public and as there has been a small cut in some pictures he believes in giving the patrons the benefit. All pictures shown at the Strand are from the high class picture manufacturers, such as First National, Fox, Metro, Select, Goldwin, Associated Producers, United Artists Corp.—same as are shown at the Majestic and Powers, Grand Rapids. Mr. Himebaugh says "nothing but the best for Holland."

"WHO OWNS WHICH?" KUIZENGA'S SUBJECT AT EXCHANGE CLUB

Wednesday noon the Holland Exchange club held its semi-monthly dinner at the Woman's Literary club rooms.

Dr. John E. Kuizenga addressed the members on the subject "Who Owns Which?" It is said that the subject treats the owning of land and property from a socialistic or from a christian standpoint.

The lecture was one of special interest and a great many members attended the dinner.

The Exchange Club also put a stop to an embarrassing situation.

In the Exchange Club, and in other clubs, past and present, it has been quite customary to spring projects with cash donations attached.

Any man, member of the club or otherwise has his pet project, a vast majority of them benevolent and meritorious. The constant launching of donation projects has become quite irksome to a vast majority of members.

Many of them are placed in an embarrassing position. They may not have funds with them, some donated before, others have given liberally to other causes, and do not feel able to give to everything. Their refusal to give always gives more or less rise to embarrassment and in order to make these club meetings free, open and pleasant to every member the following resolution was passed:

No subscriptions for money for any purpose shall be solicited or taken at any meeting of the Club by any person, nor shall any member be asked to contribute to any fund by virtue of his being a member of this club. Provided, however, that the Board of Directors may with the approval of the Club appropriate out of the Club funds such amount as they may deem advisable for any worthy cause.

CENTURY CLUB ENJOYS MISCELLANEOUS PROGRAM

The Century Club was entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. Leenhouts Monday evening. The meeting was opened with two vocal duets (a) "Serenade" by Schubert, and (b) "Dear Heart of Mine" by Lewis, sang by Mrs. J. VanderBroek, and Mrs. M. Hadden, accompanied by Mrs. Van Verst.

Mrs. C. J. Dregman gave a review of Prof. Ralph Bartlett's book, "The University of Hard Knocks," which proved most interesting and instructive.

Mrs. R. M. Waltz sang two solos, (a) "Life's Lullaby," by Gerald Lane, (b) "Lil' I Wake," by Findou. Mrs. Waltz was accompanied by Mrs. Harris Meyer.

Mr. Roscoe Page sang two solos, (a) "None But the Lonely Heart," by Tchaikowsky, (b) "Minnelied" by Brahms, and responded to an encore with "Sweet Little Woman of Mine." Mr. Page was accompanied by Mrs. Page. Mrs. Arthur Visscher was in charge of the music. The refreshment committee was Mrs. C. M. McLean, Mrs. Heuer, Mrs. G. J. Diekema, and Dr. Nykerk.

NUTTING AUTO PARTIES TO GET THE LAW ON 'EM

Michigan Auto parties, who expect to get nutting in the country next fall, may be fooling themselves, if the farmers of Kalamazoo county have their way. On request of the rural members of the Kalamazoo county board, a committee was appointed to draft a petition to the legislature asking a law to prohibit the autoists from making petty depredations in the country on pain of revocation of their licenses.

IS CHARGED WITH ASSAULT AND BATTERY

A complaint was sworn out Monday afternoon by Gerrit Bronkhorst against John Flieman, charging the latter with assault and battery on Mr. Bronkhorst's sixteen year old son John. The trouble arose out of an alleged trespass by the boy.

Flieman was arraigned before Justice Brusse. He pleaded not guilty and demanded a jury trial. The date for this has not yet been determined but it will be some time next week it is expected.

BLAZE WIPES OUT FARM HOME IN MORNING FIRE

Sam Shapero and his two children living a half mile north of French's crossing in Crockery township had barely time enough to get out of their burning dwelling Monday morning. Once outside Mr. Shapero, found his dwelling house enveloped in the flames and his barn also ablaze. By instant action he succeeded in saving his stock, but all of his household furniture and farm tools were burned.

Mrs. Shapero is visiting in Washington, D. C. and her husband was at home with two children. According to the information gathered by Sheriff Fortney Shapero was awakened by smoke. Springing out of bed he found one side of his house all aflame.

The two children sleeping in the smoke entered his thoughts first, and dragging them out from their beds he hurried them out of doors, none too soon to save their lives. Practically all of their clothing was destroyed in the fire which speedily consumed the dwelling.

The barn was also in flames when the owner came out of doors and he had barely time to get out his stock. The buildings on the place were completely destroyed.

Sheriff Fortney was notified of the fire and went to the scene. He heard Shapero's story, and it is evident from the investigation of the officer that the place was fired by someone, altho Shapero declares he knows of no one who would commit such a crime. Evidence were found of fires started both at the house and barn.

The Shapero family are Jewish people who came to the neighborhood from Chicago about three years ago. There is no evidence of any trouble between them and their neighbors. The fire lighted up the sky for a time and crews of the Grand Trunk car ferry entering port reported seeing the light in the sky.

Another fire occurred at Agnew on Saturday night, when the dwelling house occupied by R. Zacharias was completely destroyed with all of its contents. The family were away from the house at the time, and when they returned the place was in ashes.

Nothing was saved from the fire and only clothes the family wore escaped destruction. The cause of the fire is a mystery.

Two years ago a mill belonging to Zacharias who also conducts a store at that place was destroyed by fire.

DIES AT THE AGE OF SIXTY-NINE

Henry Jipping, aged 69 years, died Monday evening at his home at 121 West 17th street. Mr. Jipping for a number of years had lived in this city, being a retired farmer. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Helen of Grand Rapids, George, John, Mrs. H. Derks, Mrs. H. J. Derks and Martin, all of Holland or vicinity.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 12:30 from the house and at 1 o'clock from the 16th-st. Christian Reformed church, Rev. Keekstra officiating. Interment will take place in the Holland cemetery.

HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS ENTHUSIASTIC MEET

The Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Chas. Gross, 110 East 8th street. There was a large attendance and the meeting was an enthusiastic one. Mrs. G. Atwood was in charge of the devotions. Chapter Four of the study book, "Homes and Housing" was reviewed by Mrs. J. Rank. Mrs. O. Brightwell gave "Among Americans in California," and "Stories of Progress" was contributed by Mrs. Harris, and "Spending God's Money," by Mrs. N. Huling. Miss Iva Bleming and Miss Clara McClellan sang vocal solos. The enigmas were in charge of Miss Bernice Benjamin. The pastor, Rev. G. B. Fleming, was present and gave an encouraging talk. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

STEAL BUICKS IN OTHER TOWNS

Other cities are also nestered by auto thieves and the Buick car seems to be the one in demand.

Monday at midnight Chief Van Ry received a telephone message from the sheriff in Berrien county, stating that a new Buick had been stolen at St. Joseph which still contained the factory tag. They thought that possibly the car might reach Holland over the pike for Grand Rapids, and Mr. Van Ry was asked to watch for a car of that description.

He immediately detailed men on the job, but up to this time the new Buick has not reached Holland.

HOPE DEFEATS GRAND HAVEN COM- PANY F TEAM

The Hope quintet defeated the Grand Haven Co. F team here Friday night by a wide margin of 44 to 11. Although the game was a fast one, poor basket shooting on the part of the visitors, caused a laxity of the defensive playing, so that both teams had ample opportunity to get field goals. The first half ended with the score 22 to 3.

The final half started with a very strong offensive from the National Guards, at the expense of the defense, thru which the Hope team kept pooling its baskets.

H. Westerhof and Bolt presented the best playing for the visitors. De Jong guarded the opponents' basket for the Hope team, while Van Putten and Schuurmans joined in the offensive game.

A preliminary game was played between the Western Theologians and the Hope Reserves was won by the latter with a score of 16 to 9. The seminary team has a contest with the Hope Reserves each year, and this is the first time they have appeared in a game this season. Warnshuis of the Holland Y team refereed. Field goals for the Sem. Stegeman 3, Ter Borg 1; for Reserves, Priest 2, Van Eenennaam 2, De Pree 2, Van Zanten 1. Foul throws—Hakken 1 out of 3; Priest 2 out of 6.

Field goals made by Hope men in the Grand Haven game: Schuurmans

2, Wassenaar 4, Van Putten 8, Jappinga 4, and Joldersma 1. Foul throws, Jappinga six out of 8. For Grand Haven—H. Westerhof 2, Vyn 1. Foul throws—H. Westerhof 4 out of 9; Bolt 1 out of 3, and Vyn 0 out of 1. Referee—Johnson of Purdue.

The Hope team will play its next game here Jan. 21 when they meet the Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A.

WEISSERT, A PAPA, ON HAND TO GREET STORK

Hastings, Jan. 11—A 45 mile race from Kalamazoo with the stork was won Saturday night and early Sunday morning with time to spare by State Rep. Charles A. Weissert, telegraph editor of the Kalamazoo Gazette.

The bird delivered an 8-pound son at the Penneck hospital here. Rep. Weissert is widely known throughout the state as the author of the law establishing the present state constabulary.

Attorneys G. J. Diekema, Daniel Ten Cate, Clarence Lokker, T. N. Robinson, Jay Den Herder, Fred T. Miles, Raymond Visscher, Arthur VanDuren, Charles McBride—let's see, are there any more? Anyway, they were all in Grand Haven Monday attending the opening of circuit court. Holland for one day at least is without legal light.

INSURANCE IS A MATTER OF BUSINESS

Insurance is service. It has ceased to be patronage

The business man of to-day buys insurance in just the same way that he buys any other commodity. He wants the best there is to be had. He pays for the best protection.

He pays for dependable service.

For more than forty years the biggest insurers of this city have placed their insurance with the McBride Agency.

Why not you?

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ARE YOU SAVING FUEL, TOO?

An investigation made for the Fuel Administration in 1917 lended itself very conveniently to the proof that Holland Furnaces use less fuel than other types of heating systems.

The investigation was made to determine the exact amount of fuel used in the City of Mt. Pleasant, Michigan in one year. A house to house canvass was made and the records showed conclusively what our customers have always said—The Holland Furnace averaged much more efficiently than any other system in the City.

This news is so particularly interesting because Mt. Pleasant has hot water, steam, vapor, stove heat and all types of warm air. The City was chosen as truly representative, which it proved to be.

We are pleased to be in a position to offer this additional and vital reason why

HOLLAND FURNACES MAKE WARM FRIENDS.

Holland Furnace Co.

RAILROADS CUT FARES FOR THE FARMERS' WEEK

Speakers of national and international reputations on agricultural economic and government affairs, will address the big general meetings of farmers' week at the Michigan agricultural college this year from Jan. 31 to Feb. 4. The most extensive program ever lined up for an annual farm congress has been announced by the committee in charge and plans are being made at East Lansing to care for a crowd of 5,000 or more visitors during the week.

Nearly a dozen state agricultural associations are to hold their annual meetings at M. A. C. during farmers' week. The State Farm bureau will also hold its annual meeting at the college and a liberal representation from its more than 95,000 members are expected to be in attendance.

Special fares on all railroads, giving the round trip for only one and one-third times the regular one way fare have been granted for all farmers' week visitors and are expected to swell the attendance materially at the various meetings.

TREASURER'S TRIPS TO HOLLAND ARE AN ACCOMMODATION

Some auto owners who have so far failed to secure their 1921 license plates because the county treasurer during his trips to Holland was not able to accommodate all who applied have been expressing themselves to the effect that many more days should be devoted to Holland. But they forget the fact that it is not a part of the county treasurer's work to come to Holland with the auto plates. He has been coming here purely as a matter of accommodation and has been giving as much of his time as he could spare from his regular duties as county treasurer.

It is up to the auto owners to secure his plates. If he does not do so the county treasurer cannot be held to blame.

CITY TREASURY TO RECEIVE HOS- PITAL DONATIONS

At a meeting of the Hospital Board, held at the City Hall Thursday evening, a gift of \$75 was received from Mr. John Kollen and \$25 from the Ladies' Aid society of the 14th St. Chr. Ref. church. These gifts were much appreciated by the board and it was decided to request the city treasurer to institute a special donation fund in the city treasury in which shall be deposited all donations from individuals and societies, to be used for special conveniences and comforts of the patients in the hospital, at the discretion of the hospital board.

A formal set of rules and regulations for the conduct of the hospital were adopted and are to go into immediate effect. A staff of four members was appointed as follows: For the term of two years, Dr. R. H. Nichols, Dr. W. G. Winter; for the term of one year, Dr. A. Leenhouts, Dr. G. H. Thomas.

In the future two members will be elected annually to serve for a term of two years, a Chief of Staff to be elected from their number to serve one year. Upon request of the city council, a set of plans for a new hospital building has been prepared and is being considered by the Board.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS TO GIVE PLAYLET SOON

Thursday night Grand Vice Chancellor Lasher, of the state K. of P. lodge was in Holland as the guest of the local order, when he gave some valuable information relating to Pythianism. He also presided at the annual installation of the newly elected officers and was the principal speaker at the banquet afterward.

A short program of talks, music and readings followed the spread.

Casie VanderMeulen gave a very delightful discourse, Emory P. Davis the lodge reader, gave a few interesting contributions, while John Van Vyven, and Ed Stephan furnished the musical numbers. It was decided at a short business meeting that a playlet would be given, entitled "The Lesson of Friendship".

This is a production that fits in well in exemplifying work in the first rank of the order.

The members of the cast are officers of the Grand Lodge, located in different parts of the state.

This playlet has been put on in other cities and it is found to be a very impressive story. Mr. Lasher is now making arrangements to have this put on and the local lodge expects to stage this performance at the Woman's Literary club rooms in about three weeks.

The large class of first rank candidates will also be asked to take in this performance which by the way is going to be a public affair.

Anyone who knows the story of Damon and Pythias cannot help but realize that "The lessons of friendship" will prove to be a most impressive theme for a play.

COURT ORDER CHECKS LIGHT RATE INCREASE IN ALLEGAN

Allegan, Jan. 7.—A permanent injunction restraining the Light and Power company of Plainwell from increasing its rates was granted by Judge O. S. Cross. A temporary injunction was granted several weeks ago.

Counsel for the company said an appeal would be taken to the supreme court to dissolve the injunction. The company has announced it cannot continue at the present rates as it is losing money every day.

PROGRESS MADE IN PLANS FOR A CITY Y. M. C. A.

For several months past the Y. M. C. A. work in Holland has been conducted under the supervision of the County Organization with Mr. Henry W. Smith, secretary, in active charge of the work. Much has been accomplished by Mr. Smith in spite of the fact that his time of necessity has been divided between several points throughout the county. In fact, the local organization grew to such an extent that seventy men recently met at a noonday luncheon, decided it was the proper time to organize permanently a Y. M. C. A. in Holland and promptly proceeded to outline a plan of organization.

Temporary offices and committees were selected and at a second meeting held a few days later a draft of constitution was presented and tentatively approved and a board of directors was chosen. This board consists of fifteen members, fourteen of whom were selected at this meeting, leaving the 15th to be chosen by Holland Ministerial Ass'n from its own membership. The constitution presented is in keeping with the Standard Young Men's Christian Associations of the United States and every move thus far made has likewise been in accordance therewith.

The newly elected board of directors immediately organized temporarily, selecting Mr. Dick Boter as temporary chairman and Mr. Thomas Olinger as temporary secretary. A second meeting of the board of directors was held Thursday afternoon at the new office of the county organization in the Visscher building at which time the temporary officers were elected to the offices of president and secretary, respectively of the board, and Mr. Wm. Vander Ven was elected vice president and Jacob Fris, treasurer. Further necessary action was taken to perfect a working organization and authority was delegated to the president to appoint committees to work out and direct such matters as it was decided should have the first attention of the board.

The board of directors and all those who have a heart interest in a Y. M. C. A. for Holland, feel they need and ask for the support and cooperation of all the people of Holland in the movement which they believe now has a good start. Men who in the past have given of their time and money in the furtherance of this splendid Christian institution are again expressing a willingness to go to work for the cause, and in fact it seems to be the consensus of opinion that never before have the churches and the church-going people of Holland been more united on any single proposition than they are at this time to give Holland a Y. M. C. A. in addition to its churches and educational institutions. The board of directors chosent to represent the large number interested in the project asks for a continuance of this unity of purpose and feels that with all shoulders to the wheel whatever program is decided upon will be accomplished.

The board of directors consists of the following: Dick Boter, president; Wm. Vander Ven, vice president; Thos. Olinger, secretary; Jacob Fris, Treasurer; C. M. McLean, E. E. Fell, Wynand Wichers, H. Bos, G. J. Diekema, N. Wassenaar, I. Kouw, Dr. A. Leenhouts, Rev. D. Zwier, W. C. Vandenberg.

MISSION SO- CIETY HOLDS AN- NUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of Hope church was held Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage. The following officers for the coming year were elected: President, Mrs. Gilmore; first vice president, Mrs. Kollen; second vice-president, Mrs. Koly; secretary, Mrs. George Pelgrim; treasurer, Mrs. Ogel; members of the board, Mrs. Cheff and Mrs. Fell.

The annual report of the treasurer showed that over \$1000 was collected during the year for benevolent purposes. This is a substantial increase over the amount collected for the same purpose the previous year.

REPORT REFLECTS CHURCH'S GROWTH

According to figures compiled for its annual year book the Christian Reformed denomination has made a splendid growth during the year.

Statistics for 1921 show that 95,995 souls are affiliated with the denomination, an increase of 1152 over the preceding year. The total number of communicants are listed at 42,854, an increase of 1,059 and the number of families 19,438, an increase of 577.

While the denomination numbers 186 ministers there are 60 pastorless churches. Five ministers died during the year and the necrologist reports sixty deaths of ministers since the denomination was organized.

Eastern-av. church, Grand Rapids, of which Rev. Herman Hoeksema, is pastor, still holds the record as the largest congregation, numbering 415 families, 1,000 members and 2,075 attendants.

Removes All Waits

Below is a copy of a letter from the Ford Motor Co. This should remove all doubt as to further immediate reductions in the price of Ford Commercial and Pleasure Cars.

"Several inquiries have recently come to us concerning the likelihood of another reduction in the price of our cars, and as these inquiries no doubt emanate from prospective purchasers, we want to state again with greater emphasis that Ford cars are already being sold at a figure actually below cost and for an indefinite period another reduction or change in design is entirely out of the question and not at all contemplated.

We believe the public will be fair enough to fully appreciate the frankness of the above when they consider the extent of our recent price cut which was in fact the equivalent of several reductions in one, in our desire to contribute toward satisfying their demands for lower living costs notwithstanding our sacrifice in marketing our cars at a loss until we are able to materially reduce present costs through lower material prices and greater manufacturing efficiency. While we have of course made some progress in bringing down operating costs, we still have a long way to go before any thought can be given to further reductions in present car prices, so we have no hesitancy in making these open statements to acquaint you with the true situation.

You can therefore give assurance to prospective purchasers of Ford cars that now is their real opportunity to buy below cost and obtain delivery. Everyone is familiar with the heavy demand for Ford cars in the Spring and this year will be no exception, as in spite of conditions, business is already rapidly accumulating, so that many who desire Ford cars will be obliged to wait perhaps until mid-summer for delivery causing considerable inconvenience and possibly financial loss, particularly to commercial customers.

We expect you to protect the interests of prospective buyers in your community by placing these facts before them."

The following is the number of cars actually delivered and settled for during November and December of 1919 and 1920:

November and December, 1919	-	48 cars
November and December, 1920	-	68 cars
Increase	-	20 cars
Percentage of Increase	-	41 2/3 %

Let your New Year's Resolution be "Buy Now." Accept the advice of your legitimate Ford dealer. Don't delay in placing your order for immediate delivery.

Holleman-DeWeerd Auto Co.

FINE WEATHER TURNS THOUGHTS TO SPRING POLITICS

The beautiful spring weather in the very heart of winter is turning the attention of the politicians to the city primaries and election earlier this year than usual. The primaries are to be held on March 15 this year and the election is scheduled for April 4.

The last day for registration for both the primaries and election will be on Saturday, Jan. 29. Those who are not registered by that time will not be able to vote in the spring elections. The registration is only for those who have not registered before, those who have moved from one ward to another since the last election, those who have become 21 years old since the last election.

An alderman and constable will have to be elected in each ward. The aldermen whose terms of office expire the coming spring are: First ward, Peter Prins; second ward, Frank Brive; third ward, Nick Kammeraad; fourth ward, Wm. Lawrence; fifth ward, Charles Dykstra; sixth ward, Paul Vanderlist.

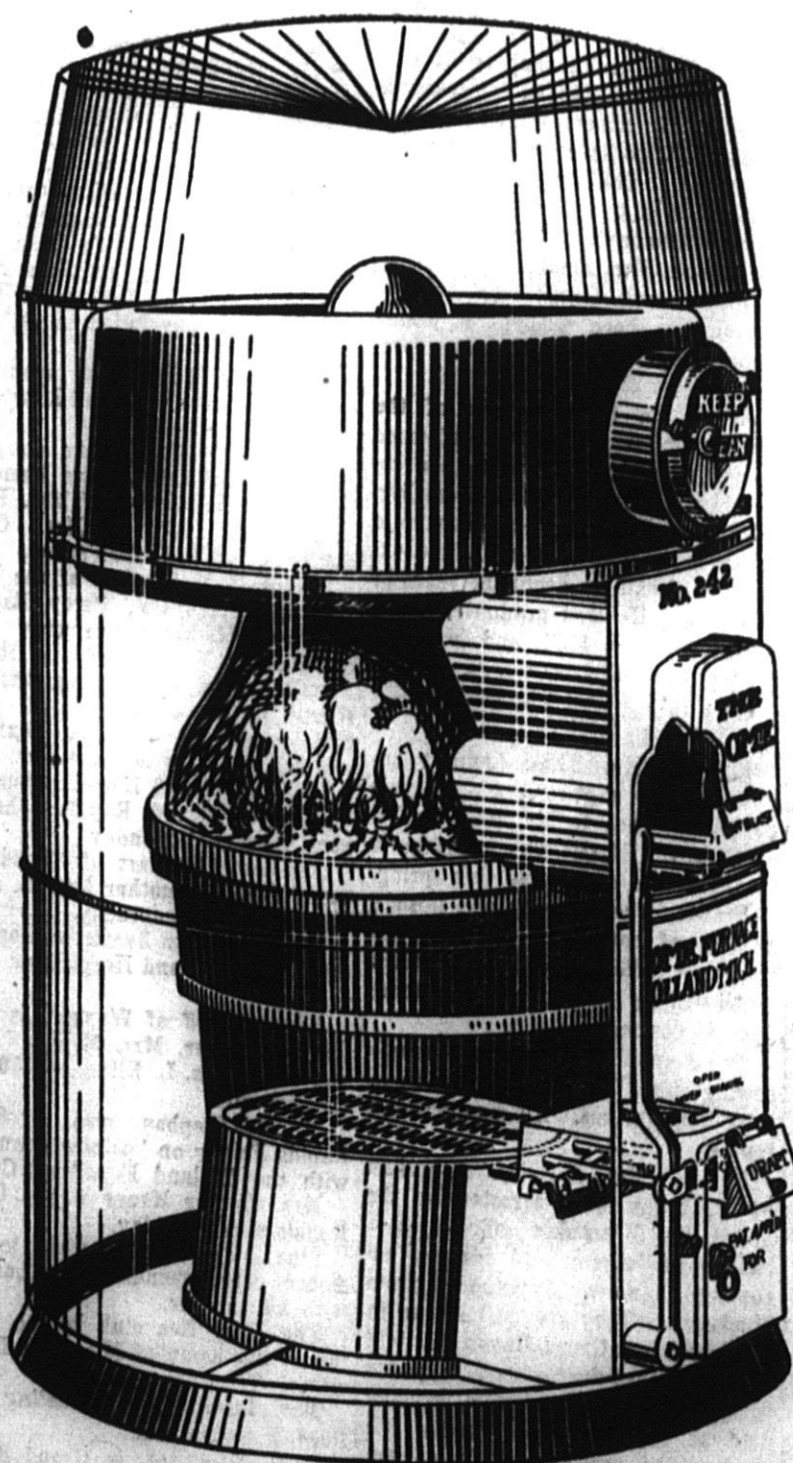
So far as known no candidates have as yet announced themselves for these positions and the outgoing aldermen have not announced whether or not they will run for re-election. No mayor will be elected this spring, the mayor's term being for two years.

A city clerk, a city treasurer, and a city assessor will also be elected this spring. Moreover, two members of the board of supervisors will be elected, one member of the board of public works, and two members of the board of police and fire commissioners, one of the latter to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Henry Brusse.

The question of buying the Holland City Gas Works will be decided upon at the primaries according to the present plans, and it is possible that the question of buying the King property may also be voted on at that time. The gas question will require a three-fifth majority.

Herman H. Vrugink of South Blendon sustained painful injuries about his head and shoulders while working in a gravel pit. A large chunk of frozen gravel rolled down and struck Vrugink.

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LOCALS

In order to stimulate church spirit in Saugatuck is using the movie route judging from the following item: "The series of pictures being presented at the M. E. church each Sunday evening are drawing large audiences. Last Sunday's picture consisted of the first part of "Alaska the Wonderland of America." This series will be continued next Sunday evening."

According to the Grand Rapids Sunday Herald, the East End Male Chorus of that city will come to Holland in the near future. Says the Herald: "This chorus has given many concerts and entertainments in local halls and churches and also in many towns and cities of western Michigan. It is furthermore the intention to perform a similar program, as will be given Thursday night at Central High, at Kalamazoo, Holland, Muskegon and Grand Haven."

Tubers have hit the toboggan in some places south of Holland and prices have been the lowest in years. Indiana men bought a carload of potatoes from farmers near Hilliards and the price paid was 50c a bushel.

Six hundred cases were listed on the Allegan circuit court calendar during 1920 according to figures tabulated by the county prosecutor, resulting in 590 convictions and one acquittal. Two-thirds of them were for violations of dog laws and the larger share of the other one-third for violations of game and traffic laws. Eleven cases were listed as drunks.

A civil service examination for rural letter carriers was held here Saturday. Two candidates appeared.

The Sherman House of Allegan which has been conducted under the management of George Buchanan for several years has been leased to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Erley, experienced hotelkeepers from Kalamazoo.

The Kent Co. Sunday School Association is planning a program in which each Sunday school in the city will be visited by a member of the board and council before the coming county convention. During January most of the Sunday Schools will be visited.

Lucile Hermonia Karsten, aged 4 months, died at her home at 169 E. 18th street Saturday morning. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home, the Rev. Mr. Heemstra officiating.

The Winstrom Electric Co. has begun work on the boulevard lighting system to be placed around the Holland City State Bank.

Peter Meeuwse, son of John Meeuwse of Grand Haven, is visiting relatives in Holland and Grand Haven for fifteen days. Meeuwse is still an inmate of the Great Lakes Hospital where he underwent one operation and where he will undergo another. He was in the Argonne battle and in several other important engagements of the war.

Dr. H. Nienhuis, formerly of Zeeland, who has been suffering for some time with sciatic rheumatism, is confined to his bed most of the time. The Nienhuis family is now residing near east city limits of Holland.

On Tuesday, Wm. C. De Jonge moved the large gas container for the Holland Gas company to Zeeland from Holland which will be erected on their newly acquired property in Zeeland. The tank weighed 15 tons, was placed on moving trucks and hauled over the paved road by the motive power of a "caterpillar."

For nearly a week, since some short or crossing of light wires on last Sunday night, Zeeland has been in darkness with the exception of Main street because of the street lighting system being out of order. The power company have had men employed repairing the damage, but they have been unable to get the system into shape.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bosch announce the engagement of their daughter, Marguerite to John Nienhuis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Nienhuis.

Word was received Saturday morning that Mrs. Ederle Laudig underwent an operation in Portland, Ore., and had a 25 pound tumor and nine gallstones removed. Mrs. Laudig's condition is reported as favorable.

The resignation of Professor A. A. Stanley, for 33 years professor of music at the University of Michigan, was received by the board of regents Friday and reluctantly accepted. He was recommended to the Carnegie Foundation. Professor Stanley is well known in Holland and has appeared before the Woman's Literary Club several times.

The Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company of Allegan and Ottawa counties will hold its annual meeting at the Civic club hall at Zeeland Wednesday, January 19. Besides other business, the election of officers will take place.

Mr. S. A. Haight left on the midnight train for Lemmon, S. D., after receiving a telegram announcing that his father was at the point of death from cancer of the stomach. Mr. Haight has not seen his father for twenty years.

D. B. K. Van Raalte of Limbert Furniture Co. and Louis Vandenberg of the Thompson Mfg. Co. were in Grand Rapids looking after their respective exhibitions at the furniture exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dykema announce the engagement of Miss Lula Boggs to Mr. William Cumberley of Trenton, N. J. The marriage will take place on January 19.

Student Jacob Van Dyke of Calvin College occupied the pulpit of 9th street christian reformed church in the absence of Rev. Ghysels who preached at Prospect Park church in this city. Mr. Van Dyke is a Holland boy.

The new student government system in the Zeeland High school is working fine. Fines of ten hours' janitor work and sweeping the high school building other times were imposed on Freddie Kemme and Jacob Wynaarden respectively.

The christian reformed church at Cordeloo has extended a call to the Rev. J. O. Vos of Douglas Park, Chicago.

The card party that was to have been given on Tuesday evening, Jan. 11, by Holland Chapter 529 O. E. S., has been postponed for one week and will be given on Tuesday evening, Jan. 18.

The first marriage license to be issued by County Clerk O. J. Sluiter in 1921 was secured by Lafayette Knowles, 21, farmer, Ravenna, and Beulah Gillhespy, 18, Conklin.

James Van Wessem of Chicago was the first man to take out a fishing and hunting license in Ottawa county in 1921. Mr. Van Wessem succeeded in beating all others to the clerk's desk this year, as has been his custom for several years past.

Rev. Fred De Weerd, formerly of Holland, now of Vermont, Ind., a preacher and evangelist, has declined an offer to take the chair of psychology in a Methodist college in South Carolina. He gives as his reason that he feels himself called upon to preach the gospel as his life's work. De Weerd is a Holland product and a son of Johannes DeWeerd, 133 W. 11th street. Since his return from South Africa a few years ago he has been one of the leading speakers in holiness camps. He works in different states and he has signed contracts ahead. He often speaks two or three times daily at camp meetings. Ten years ago DeWeerd went to South Africa to engage in evangelistic work. He went independent of his denomination with no pledges for support or salary. The proceeds of the collections taken at the meetings were his only remuneration and he often was compelled to live from hand to mouth. He covered the Transvaal and the Orange colony with evangelistic services in five years.

Miss Adriana Was, who has completed a course at the Holland Business college, has accepted a position as stenographer at the Peoples State bank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Smit announce the engagement of their daughter, Eildena to Mr. Nicholas Dykstra. The marriage is to take place in February.

The Holland firemen were presented with a box of cigars by the Holland Sugar Co. for their work in fighting a fire at the sugar factory some time ago, and the firemen are hereby publicly expressing their thanks for the gift.

A driver for the City Garage today was out on the street with a new Buick, and every time he stopped he tied the car to a hitching post.

Rev. Richard Vandenberg of Chicago may be called to succeed his father, Rev. Albert Vandenberg, as pastor of the Reformed church at Vriesland. The congregation has nominated a trio including Rev. J. Van Westenburg of Fremont and Rev. John Van Zomeren, pastor of Trinity church, Grand Rapids. The church has been without a pastor since Rev. A. Vandenberg was forced to retire owing to ill health.

Rev. John Hoffman, one of the oldest ministers in the Reformed denomination in the west, has resigned his pastorate at Cawker City, Kan., with the plan of retiring from active service in the pulpit, and expects to spend his declining years in this city. He was graduated from Hope college in 1871, and from the seminary in 1874.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rutgers, an eight pound boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lanning announce the engagement of their daughter Grace to Mr. Wm. Botbyl of Paterson, N. J. The marriage is to take place some time this spring. Erutha Rebekah lodge will initiate a class of candidates in the lodge rooms on Friday evening. A potluck lunch will be served. A large attendance is desired.

The Star of Bethlehem will have a sewing circle Thursday afternoon in their lodge rooms. All members are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Sheehan of Muskegon were arrested by the police for Milwaukee officers on a charge of larceny and forgery according to news dispatches from Muskegon. They are well known in Muskegon and Grand Haven and told the police that their arrests were due to spite work. The couple is being held at the Muskegon county jail pending the arrival of the officers from Milwaukee.

A. E. Bonner of Coopersville, the man of blood hound fame, has purchased the Day Trout hatchery near White Cloud. He has bought 100,000 year old trout with which to stock it. Thomas Tallmadge of Coopersville has been placed in charge.

Mrs. John Johnson and daughter Elinore of Kalespel, Mont. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Stephan. Mrs. Johnson is a sister of Mrs. Stephan.

Rev. Teunis E. Gouwens, pastor Mountain Lakes church, Mountain Lakes, N. J., will preach in Third Reformed church next Sunday. At the morning service Mr. Gouwens will speak on the theme, "The mind of Christ." In the evening he will speak on "The Futile Endeavor." Mr. Gouwens is a graduate of Hope college of the class of 1909 and has been in the ministry for eight years. He has been very successful in his pastorate in the east and Third church considers itself fortunate in securing his services for next Sunday's supply.

Among those who heard Alma Gluck at Grand Rapids Saturday were Anna Witvliet and sister, Mrs. Smith, Mary Landman, John Vandervliet, Florence and Winnie Dykstra, Jeannette DeKoster, Anna De Pree, Miss E. Zwemer, Harry Kramer and William De Jongh.

A varnish barrel in the third story of the Story & Clark Piano factory at Grand Haven exploded, blowing out two windows at the Washington St. front of the shop. Fortunately there were no workmen near the barrel at the time and no one was injured. The cause of the explosion is a mystery and the blow came without warning.

Little Eleanor Pfaff, the one and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pfaff of Saugatuck died at the home of her parents at that place. Mrs. Pfaff, mother of Eleanor, is well known in Holland, and is a sister of Mrs. Lura Risto. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Maccabees installed the following officers Monday night for the ensuing year: Com., O. J. Hansen; Lt. Com., Ed Congdon; Chaplin, P. Vander Muelen; Record Keeper, J. Knutson; Serg., Grover Welch; M. of A., Claude Lake; 1st Guard, P. Martin; 2nd Guard, J. Naugelhou; Sent., C. Davis; Pkt., P. Van Kolk-en.

PERSONALS

The Yonker Plumbing and Heating Co., have completed installing an Arcola heating system in the residences of A. McNabb and Henry Culvert.

Henry Venhuizen of the Venhuizen Auto Co. was in Grand Rapids on business Tuesday.

Wm. Brouwer and Fred Beeuwkes attended the Furniture markets in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Milo De Vries and C. J. Dornbos were attending the furniture exhibition in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Henry Van Ark and Wm. Deur attended the Furniture Markets in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Charles Van Zylén was in Grand Rapids Monday on business.

Among those who accompanied the Holland High school team to Grand Haven Friday night to witness the game between Holland High and the Grand Haven high were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beeuwkes and daughter Delia, Mrs. Fred Steketee, Mrs. Hub Boone, Mrs. George Huntley, and Mr. Sam Meeuwse.

Ex-Drain Commissioner B. Kammeraad was in the city on business Friday.

Miss Frances L. Tate who has been visiting her parents in this city, has returned to Davenport, Ia., where she is attending St. Catherine's school.

Prof. L. H. Tate, who has been visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Tate, has returned to St. Albans School for Boys at Sycamore, Ill., in which school he is teaching.

Cornelius and M. Van Dyke have both returned from Louisiana where they attended the funeral of their brother who was killed in an auto accident.

Mrs. L. M. Ederle was among the many who heard Campbell Morgan in Grand Rapids Friday.

Mrs. Bessie Fowler and daughter Miss Hope of Casco, have been the guests the past week of Mrs. Fowler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Bottume, 129 East 10th street.

Mayor E. P. Stephan of the Holland Furniture Co., Percy Ray of the West Michigan Furniture Co., and Arthur Visscher of the Ottawa Furniture Co. are making trips to Grand Rapids daily looking after their respective furniture exhibits and selling goods to customers.

L. Kline of 270 Lincoln avenue is visiting in Grand Rapids, having gone there last Monday.

Adelbert Goodhart of Grand Haven visited his mother Mrs. L. Kline Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Irene Van Zanten was operated upon at Holland Hospital on Wednesday.

Edward Huff of Wayland is visiting his mother, Mrs. Melissa Huff, and sister Mrs. L. Kline, of 270 Lincoln avenue.

Mr. Ed Stephan was in Grand Rapids Friday on business connected with the Holland Furniture Co.

Mrs. Arthur Heuer was a Grand Rapids visitor Friday.

Stuart Boyd has returned to Ann Arbor after spending the holidays with his mother.

The Busy Bee club held a meeting at the home of Miss Ella Drinkwater, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lura Risto is visiting relatives in Saugatuck.

Leslie Risto was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Miss Nella Zeerip has returned from Lansing, Michigan where she spent the week end.

Adrian Alberti, Louis Kolean and Peter Hertz hiked to Grand Rapids Tuesday morning.

The Misses Ruth and Lucile Mulder were Grand Rapids visitors Monday.

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We still have some membership cards left in each class and those who have been too busy to join before may join now.

The club this year again numbers hundreds of members who have already paid in many hundred of dollars.

Next December thousand of dollars will again be distributed and we hope your name will be upon one of the checks.

PEOPLE'S STATE BANK

LOCALS

Hon. G. J. Diekema was in Detroit where he attended a meeting of the legislative committee of the State Bankers' Association at noon Wednesday, and also a meeting of the executive council of the same association Wednesday night at 6 p. m.

Misses Nellie Van Hall, Margaret Wessel, Lorain Wessel and Lillian Erickson, popular Amazon Knitting company young ladies, left Wednesday morning on a hike to Muskegon. They will visit the big Amazon plant there and spend the day in Muskegon. The girls are making the trip via road and declared they would refuse all offers to ride.—Grand Haven Tribune.

The Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter D. A. R. will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Garrod and Miss Sherwood, 94 West 13th St. Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. O. S. Cross of Allegan will be the speaker.

CITIZENS TAKE INTEREST IN SALVATION ARMY

Mr. Charles Pivovitz, Salvation Army representative of Chicago, was in the city for the past few days organizing what is called a Salvation Army Advisory Board.

It is the object of this board to handle certain social evils judiciously, namely causes of delinquency where good can come in handling it the Salvation Army way. The first meeting was held at the city Hall and was largely attended.

A nation-wide campaign is now going on, that has to do with the formation of county advisory boards of the Salvation Army. Primarily it seeks to render more accessible the service which this organization, thru its various institutions and activities extends.

Those who are conversant with the activities of the local welfare societies recognize that the institutions of the Salvation Army may be of frequent service to the local charities body. The formation of the board will permit of the fullest utilization of these services at a minimum cost.

The Home service departments of the Salvation Army are capably conducted. Through its various bureaus the organization is doing a great work, and access to them will provide a satisfactory solution to some of the problems which develop in local welfare activities.

The Salvation Army has evolved a constructive program of service for every community. The policy proposes to extend the ministering hand of mercy to all parts of the state rather than to limit it to the present corps centers. It is the hope and aim of the organization to reach the very sources of the great social problems and to help in the control of the strong currents of life which at times grow turbulent.

Maternity hospitals, children's homes, industrial homes, a Missing Friends' Bureau and a free employment bureau are among the sixteen major activities of the Salvation Army which, although situated in the larger cities, are placed at the disposal of the community by the establishment of an advisory board in Ottawa county. The advisory board will make a study of the social conditions under prescribed heads and give a confidential report to state headquarters. This report will be analyzed by experts of the Salvation Army who will apply the remedy or determine the preventative for the situation, guided by the citizens of this county as to the existence and extent of the need.

Organized in America in 1883, the Salvation Army has been dealing with social problems for 40 years. The organization was founded in the slums of the east side of London by General William Booth. The movement has spread until now it is ministering to the unfortunate in 66 countries and uses 39 languages. Its 68,675 officers are in charge of 1246 institutions.

The officers of the Salvation Army Advisory Boards are as follows: Henry Geertings, President, 1st State Bank, Holland; Ben Mulder, Vice-Pres., News-Sentinel, Holland; Roy B. Champion, Sec., Supt. of Public Works, Holland; Mrs. Gertrude Boer, Holland; Jacob Lokker, Lokker-Rutters Clothing Co., Holland; Arthur Visscher, Ottawa Furniture Co., Holland; Mrs. George Albers, Holland; John Kooiker, Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., Holland; Benj. DuMez, DuMez Bros., Holland; Alex. Van Zanten, Peoples State Bank, Holland; James Danhof, Probate Judge, Grand Haven; Theo. Moordyk, Ted and Ed Clothing Co., Zeeland; Fred T. Miles, Prosecuting Attorney, Holland.

Detroit, Jan. 12.—A Washington special to the Detroit Free Press names Michigan postoffices which have been placed in the presidential appointment class by Postmaster General Burleson. The order will provide for an increase in salary to the postmasters affected. The list of offices in western Michigan with the new salary follows:

Ada \$1200, Alanson \$1400; Alto \$1200; Baroda \$1200; Casnovia \$1,100; Climax \$1,100; Conklin \$1,100; Crystal, \$1,000; Freesoil \$1,200; Holton \$1,200; Kaleva \$1,100; Macatawa, \$1,200; Hiddleton \$1,200; Muir \$1200, New Era \$1,200, Onekama \$1200.

CHURCH MAY DECIDE TO FINISH THE BUILDING

Holland has one church that hit upon the unique idea during war time to erect their church building piecemeal. The congregation did not see their way clear during the strenuous years of the war to erect a whole church, so they decided to build the basement, put a roof over that, and then later, when conditions were more favorable and funds more plentiful to put up the superstructure.

The Sixth Reformed church on Lincoln avenue has made a success of this plan. The members of that church have been worshipping for about two years in a building that is composed of a basement with a roof over it. The basement was built on the same scale as would have been done if the whole building had been erected at once, so that later when the building plans can go on, there will be no expense for alterations.

And those building plans may be completed in the near future. No definite action has yet been taken, but at the annual business meeting held Tuesday evening a committee was appointed that will look into the matter of the advisability of going on with the plans and putting up the superstructure of the church. This committee will report later, and if they deem it wise to go ahead, the work will be resumed; otherwise it will be postponed for some time yet.

The annual meeting held Tuesday evening showed that the church has been experiencing a healthy growth during the past year. Rev. J. H. Bruggers is pastor and the congregation has been growing in membership. The financial condition of the church is also good and the collections during the year were shown to have been very satisfactory.

R. Vaupell was re-elected as deacon for the coming year, and Wm. Prins and Wm. Dauma were re-elected as elders.

MEN'S CLASS STAGES A SURPRISE ON PASTOR

While Rev. James Wayer was conducting a meeting in First Reformed church Tuesday evening the members of the Men's Bible Class gathered at his home, and provided a surprise for him on his return. In the course of a brief program, while Mr. Wayer was singing a solo, the committee wheeled a new bookcase out of another room, back of the singer, and confronted him with it when he was ready to sit down. The presentation speech was made by M. Witvliet and Mr. Wayer made an appropriate response. The rest of the program consisted of remarks by Mr. Witvliet, who was the first president of the class; solos, "I'll Take You Home Again," and "Just Dreaming" by Gerrit Ter Beek; reading "The Fight," by Dorothy Slagh. More than \$1100 was collected by this class during the year. Mr. Wayer is teacher of the class.

The following officers were elected Tuesday night: President H. Van Tongeren; vice-president, Bert Vander Poel; secretary, J. C. Knoll; assistant secretary, C. Hoeland; treasurer, John Brinkman; assistant treasurer, T. Ratering. A new office of librarian was created, and Bert Slagh and Gerrit Kragt were elected to fill the places.

The Holland high school basketball team is looking forward to a tough contest Friday evening when they will meet the fast team of So. Haven High school in the local gym. This school always has a team that is worthy of the mettle of the local quintet. The team played such schools as Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, and they are a bunch of scrappy players. At least this has proved the case in other seasons, and there is no reason to believe that this year's team will be an exception.

The preliminary will be between Holland high school reserves and the Hope College Prep. team. The preliminary contest will be refereed by "Cappy" Cappon, while "Pop" Churm of the Grand Rapids South High will referee the big game. The preliminary will begin at 7:30.

Holland high so far this year has two victories to its credit, one against Gr. Haven and one against Fremont.

Speaker of the Michigan House of Representatives, Fred L. Warner, Wednesday gave out his committee appointments, and Rep. G. W. Kooyers of this city drew the important appointment of chairman of the committee on city corporations. He also drew membership on three other committees, namely, state Psychopathic Hospital, Fish and Fisheries and Federal Relations.

The other Ottawa member of the legislature, H. H. Averill, drew the chairmanship of the committee on towns and counties, and membership in three other committees, namely, Western State Normal School, Industrial School for Boys, and the Committee on Agriculture.

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SUPERVISORS AND COURT IN SESSION AT GRAND HAVEN

The Ottawa County Circuit court opening its regular January term and the Ottawa County Board of Supervisors starting the January session, are sharing the county building. The court opened Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock and the board did likewise, so the court house is a pretty busy place now.

Nothing of a sensational nature is promised in court for this week. The first day's session was devoted to the calling of the calendar and the arranging of the cases. The law firms of this county, Grand Rapids and surrounding cities, who have cases in court this term were represented by attorneys at the first session.

Several arraignments were made before the court following the opening formalities. Willis Wolter charged with larceny of some shoes from a Graham-Morton steamer at Holland entered a voluntary plea of guilty. Matt Meason, charged with liquor law violation stood mute and a plea of not guilty was entered.

Art Pickering, Richard Vander Meulen and Harry Maxsted of Holland charged with unlawfully using an automobile, entered pleas of guilty. Peter Koopman, Charles Reghel, Andy and Elizabeth Floto all charged with violations of the liquor law, stood mute and pleas of not guilty were entered.

The jury has been summoned to report for duty next Monday when it is expected that the liquor case against Jacob Reims will come on for trial. This is expected to be followed by the case of the people against Jacob Vander Wagon, disorderly and Roy Swanson, bastardy.

The board of supervisors got into action very rapidly Monday afternoon and will finish up a lot of business within a few days. One of the important jobs at this session is the allowance of the bills which have accumulated since the last session in October.

At their first session, the board voted a resolution to call a special session to be held at some time to be specified later for the purpose of hearing the petitions of the city of Holland in regard to changing the boundary lines of this city. If the board acts favorably the matter will be submitted to the voters of the county in the regular way probably at the spring election.

GRAND HAVEN DEFERS BLOWING OF CURFEW UNTIL COUNCIL MEETS

The curfew will not blow tonight. Altho the little folks of Grand Haven were pretty well set for the event, the expected signal to scurry along home at 8 o'clock did not materialize. The enforcement of the curfew ordinance which is now on the city ordinance book has been deferred for a week until city council has had opportunity to consider the proposition further. Definite announcement is expected after Monday night's meeting.

During the business session of the Woman's Literary Club Tuesday the report of the committee having the sale of the Christmas seals in charge was given. The president told of a baby who had been cared for by the Aid Society of Hope church. She suggested that one of the members of the Literary society might take this baby into her family.

Announcement was also made of the tuberculosis clinic to be held Wednesday and Thursday.

A very excellent program was then given. Mrs. D. B. K. Van Raalte jr., spoke of the theater of today "Legitimate and Movie". The theater of today does not draw the people as formerly. Arthur Bryan said that stars do not have the same strong hold as formerly. We hear of star managers rather than of stars. The people get the best in the movies. The people who enter the acting profession are not the same as before. In the movies people see things that they might never see otherwise and there is overwhelming demand for them. So they should be utilized to show the right things.

Miss Helen Moser played two selections by Rudolph Friend, "A Little Story," and "Etude Fantastique." Mrs. George Pelgrim reviewed several of the recent successes on the stage. Among these "Abraham Lincoln," "Beyond the Horizon," "The Charm School," "A Night's Lodging," and "The First Year."

Mrs. Combe reviewed a few of the recent screen successes, such as, "Way Down East," "Humoresque," "Heliotrope," and "The Devil's Garden."

Miss Evelyn Keppel gave the closing numbers, singing Gilbert's "I loved but a day," and Kent's "Smilin' Thru." Mrs. Keppel played the accompaniments. The next week's program will be given by some college girls.

CHILDREN TO CONTINUE TO USE TRAPEZE

The children who attend Lincoln school are not to be deprived of the trapeze on the playgrounds of that school because one child was injured during play some time ago. The Parents-Teachers' club of that school however decided Tuesday evening at its regular meeting to lower the trapeze somewhat so as to minimize the danger of accident.

Some time ago a pupil suffered a fracture of the shoulder blade, and Tuesday night a petition was presented to the club asking that the trapeze be eliminated from the playgrounds. It was pointed out by several members of the club that there is no absolute safeguard against accident and that it would not be fair to remove the playground apparatus because one child was hurt; it was pointed out that adult students are sometimes hurt in gymnasiums but that that is no reason for abolishing gymnasiums. When a vote was taken the petition was denied and the playground apparatus will remain, but additional precautions will be taken to prevent accident. The club also agreed to help pay the doctor's bill of the injured child.

An interesting program was presented. Supt. E. E. Fell gave a talk on report cards and urged parents to take an interest in the standings of their children. Miss Koertge, city nurse, gave a talk about the free clinics coming to Holland next week. Four reels of motion pictures were shown. The Van Dyke orchestra was scheduled to furnish music but could not appear because it was band practice night. It was voted to allow the pupils to use the playgrounds after school hours for basketball.

WESTERN TEAM TO BE HERE THURSDAY

Thursday night the Holland "Y" Basketball team will have one of the classiest fives in the Middle West playing against them, Northwestern College. Northwestern a few years back was an annual visitor to Holland, playing Hope College. They haven't been seen in action in Holland for about four years and Basketball fans are looking forward to seeing a good game this evening. The game will be played in the Carnegie gym. Northwestern plays Kalamazoo Normals, Wednesday evening. They will present the following lineup for the Y game: Kluckhohn and Ritan, forwards; Hill and Schueller, guards and Bauerfend center. Coach Drew of the Y has been shifting his men around and expects the Y to make a good showing for the big game. The possible lineup for the Y will be Irving, Knutson or Sweeney, forwards, Kuite or Sytasma, center, Cappon and Klompers, guards. The preliminary to the big game will be between Hope Reserves and Y Reserves. The Hope Reserves have the edge on the Y, they having won the first game of the series of games to be played by the two teams.

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of Grace Episcopal church was held Tuesday evening. The reports of the various societies showed that each organization is in a healthy condition.

The following vestrymen were elected for the ensuing year: J. C. Brier, Frederick H. Cook, Otto P. Kramer, Oscar P. Nystrom, W. R. Stevenson, W. A. Van Syckle, and A. B. Ayers. These men will be publicly received by the rector next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock services.

Don't Neglect Your Income Tax Report

If single, and your income last year was over \$1,000, you must make a report to the government before March 15th. If married, and your income was over \$2,000, you must report. Serious penalty for failure to do so. Our

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**CARTRIDGE IS
EXPLODED IN A
MAN'S HANDS**

Rex Corbett, 21 years old, a resident of Crocker township, Ottawa county, was brought to Elizabeth Hutton Hospital, Grand Haven late Friday afternoon, with his left hand badly injured, and the lower portion of his face punctured by shot in a number of places. He was given immediate medical attention at the hospital and altho very weak his condition is much improved. It was expected the young man would be able to leave the hospital soon.

Young Corbett came to grief, through the explosion of a shot gun shell with which he was working. The cartridge which he was holding in his left hand, suddenly let go and the shot tore into his hand, and lodged in his face, badly injuring his chin and lips.

The young man lives on a farm in Crockery township about four miles from Spring Lake Village. Immediately after the accident, he walked some distance to a neighbor's farm where he telephoned for medical aid. As soon as possible the injured man was taken to Elizabeth Hatton Memorial hospital at Grand Haven and Dr. De Witt, made a thorough examination.

It was found necessary to amputate the thumb, the index and middle fingers of the left hand, because of their mangled condition. The shot was also extracted from the face.

The young man came through the operations successfully and it is not expected that any serious complications will follow.

A teachers' training class has been organized at the 14th street Christian reformed church with Mr. Dekker, principal of the Christian High school, as instructor. The class will take up the subject of psychology instead of the regular Sunday school lesson. This class is not intended for teachers only but anyone wishing to do so may attend.

**COLLEGE HAD VERY
RAPID GROWTH
PAST FEW YEARS**

That Hope College has been growing rapidly during the past ten or twelve years is shown by some interesting statistics compiled by Rev. Paul E. Hinkmap, secretary of the Hope College Alumni Association. It is brought out in these figures that as many persons graduated from Hope College during the period from 1908 to 1920 as graduated during the 42 years before that.

There are a great many interesting facts brought out in the report of Rev. Hinkamp, and the report is herewith published in full:

It is always a matter of interest and value to all former and present students of Hope College to have at hand accurate and up-to-date information regarding the record of Hope's graduates. About once in five

years this record needs to be revised and made complete. Since this was last done in connection with the Semi-centennial celebration in 1916, the time has arrived for such revision. Therefore the undersigned Secretary of the Alumni Association of Hope College, took the opportunity afforded by the recent holidays to

thoroughly comb over the Alumni lists and tabulate the following statistics, which, as far as possible, are accurate and complete up to January 1st, 1921.

No. of Women graduates.....	157
No. of Men graduates.....	604

Total No. of graduates.....	761
No. of women graduates deceased	4
No. of men graduates deceased..	87
Total No. of graduates deceased	91

No. of women graduates living..	153
No. of men graduates living....	517
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Total No. of graduates living..	670
No. of ordained ministers de-	
ceased	54

No. of ordained ministers living	269
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Total number of ordained ministers	323

No. of ordained ministers in active service in Reformed churches in this country....204

active service in churches of other denominations.....	19
No. of Ordained ministers re- tired or in other occupa- tions at present.....	15
No. of ordained ministers mis- sionaries of the Reformed church in America.....	27

No. of ordained ministers	
missionaries in other de-	
nominations	4

Total No. of Ordained Min-

The following claims approved by the Board of Park and Cemetery Trustees at meeting held January 8, 1921, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

John Van Bragt, supt.	\$90.00
A. Wiersehof, labor	68.00
H. Wiersma, do	8.00
J. Ver Houw, do	8.00
J. Ver Houw, horse and wagon rent	12.50
K. Baurnia, labor	24.00
Fred Lohuis, do	56.00
G. Van Haasten, do	32.00
Fred Lohuis, do	32.00
	9.00

Wm. Van Bracke, do	2.30
Al Timba do	2.30
Harry Le Neff do	2.30
W. J. Crabb, do	2.30
A. Vander Hel, do	2.30
Donnelly & Nelly, Glass Co. D. S. A.	2.30
De Prez Edw. Co. hardware	2.30
John Stageman, use of anti-railway	5.00
John Van Bragt, fertilizer	5.00
B. P. W. light	2.75
Kraker Pig. & Htg. Co. supplies	2.75
C. Cook Co., cars	1.00
J. Y. Haines & Co., cars	1.00
T. Van Landegard, sheet iron-labor	6.00
Al Timba, labor	6.00
Fred Lohuis, do	6.00
City treasurer, taxes	220.00
Harrison Coal Co., coal	60.00
G. J. Van Schellven services as suv.	1.00
W. H. VandeWater, services as text. 37.50	37.50
W. H. VandeWater, labor in E. Addison 87.50	87.50
Wm. Per, labor in cemetery	47.50
Reomers & Smeagle, labor and mater.	47.50
Harry De Neff, labor	7.50
	\$1,457.50

Allowed and orders ordered issued.

The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, at a meeting on January 8, 1921, were ordered certified to the Comptroller:

Cor. Bickette, patrolman	\$	94.1
John Wagner, do	94.1	
Peter Bontache, do	94.1	
Rufus Cramer, do	94.1	
Frank Van Ry, chief	94.1	
John Knoll, janitor	2.1	
Lou Bouwman, a.s.p.e. police	4.1	
Dick Homkes, spec police	4.1	
Geo. Pijper, labor and repairs	0.6	
Holland City News, furniture		
heads		
Coster Photo Supply Co., copy and cards	20.7	
Adams & Westlake Co., traffic lamp	13.0	
B. P. W., light	97.5	
Holland Gas Works, gas	1.0	
Fred Ziegman, driver	1.0	
John Knoll, do	94.1	
Sam Plagenhoef, do	94.1	
Joe Ten Brink, do	94.1	
Wolverine Garage, burning carbon		
W. U. Tel. Co., telegram	1.0	
Harrington Coal Co., hay	15.0	
Mrs. J. Klekintveld, washings	0.5	
Superior Ice Co., coal	25.5	
B. Steketee Gold Dust, etc.		
Banker J. H. H. Co., tank ball	20.0	
John H. H. Co., mittens	20.0	
Holland Yalgens, etc.		

Beach Milling Co., Bran, Oats	1.84
L. Leaning shoeing	1.00
Standard Oil Co., L. and S. gas	8.00
City Treasurer, taxes	9.00
	\$2,015.00
Allowed and orders ordered issued.	
The following claims approved by the Board of Public Works at a meeting held January 3, 1921, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:	
Roy B. Champion, Supt.	\$208.00
Herritt Applebaum, clerk	62.00
Clara Voorhoeve, sten.	50.00
Josie Van Zanten, do	35.00
H. A. Geerts, treasurer	12.00
Abg Nauta, asst. supt.	10.00
A. E. McClellan, Chief Engineer	82.00
Bert Smith, engineer	100.00
Frank McFall, engineer	100.00
James Annis, do	75.00
Fred Miller, chief engineer	70.00
Wm. Pathuis, fireman	62.00
M. Burch, do	62.00
J. Luijden, do	62.00
John Den Uyjl, coal passer	55.00
C. J. Boreboom, 19th St. Att.	55.00
Frederick Borchert, 26th St. Att.	55.00
J. P. De Bont, line foreman	74.00
Henry Looman, fireman	74.00
Chas. Ter Berk, do	74.00
Nick Prins, do	74.00
Guy Pond, elec. meterman	82.00
Henry Zoet, elec. meter tester	82.00
Chas. Vos, stockkeeper	65.00
Martin Kampmeier, troublemaker	74.00
Lane Kamm, water inspector	74.00
Sam Althuis, water meterman	71.00
B. Kramer labor	71.00
H. Lieveens, do	71.00
T. Markus do	25.00
J. Nieboer, do	25.00
J. Langeveld, do	25.00
H. Hiderik, do	48.00
A. Kruijthof, do	31.00
John De Boer, do	58.00

Sam Slinkers, do	1.00
Hert Smith, do	1.00
Sam Althuis, do	5.00
J. Velheer, do	54.00
Clarence Laman, do	28.75
Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co. on contract	\$400.00
Society for Elec. Dev., subscriptions	840.00
H. Channon Co., suction hose	23.25
Barclay, Ayers & Bertsch leather belt	12.00
B. J. L. repair work	1.25
B. J. Balducci, broom, engine part	1.25
B. P. W., Dec. light and power	631.25
B. P. W., Dec. light and power	2.25
Henry R. Brink, office supplies	73.35
Craker Plg. & Htg. Co., supplies	71.38
Fris Broker Store, office supplies	4.75
Hollan Lbr. & Sup. Co., lumber	4.75
Frank C. Teas, battery	12.00
Crosby Steam Gage Co. charts	2.12
Shaphirograph Co., roll and ink	6.25
Gregory, Mayer & Thom. Co., folders	2.31
Burroughs Adding Mach. Co., ribbon	7.00
City of Holland, supplies	118.00
Forstoria Elec. Lamp Div., lamps	600.00
Standard Register Co., lamp	48.60
Gertrt Grissen, scavenger work	5.50
De Fouw Elec. Co., lamp	4.50
Addressograph Co., plates	5.55
Amer. R'y Exp. Co., Co. express	4.40
J. Decker & Son, wiping rags	5.25
Holland City News, printing	21.25
Citiz. Trans. Co., team work	21.25
Western Elec. Co., appll. repair parts	371.50
Barbcock & Wilcox Co., boiler tubes	171.50
Elec. App. Co., meter repairs	3.65
Amer. Elec. Sup. Co., wire	181.35
Amer. Blower Co., bracket	1.40
Barclay, Ayers & Bertsch Skooku, packing	17.80
General Elec. Co., meters, etc.	54.00
Chapion operation, gear wheel	4.90
Eaton Electric Appliances Co., re- pair parts	104.90
B. P. W., supplies	37.00
Travelers Ins. Co., insurance	172.00
Standard Oil Co., engine and turbine oil	51.40
P. M. R'y So., freight	3780.00
Highland Creek Coal Co., coal	1292.90
M. R. Wight Co. & Co.,	807.60
P. M. R'y Co., services, piloting crane	10.00
P. M. R'y Co., freight	7.00
	\$15,728.10
Allowed and orders ordered issued.	
The Board of Public Works reported the collection of \$20,842.70 light, water and main sewer fund collections.	
Accepted and the Treasurer ordered	

charged with the amount.
Justice Van Schelven reported the collection of \$1,840 officers fees and presented the Treasurer's receipt for the amount.
Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.
Justice Brusse reported the collection of \$7.40 Organized Officers and officers fees and presented Treasurer's receipt for the amount.
Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.
The Treasurer reported the collect on \$1358.32 from Holland Hospital, \$592.50 in interests on daily balances in local banks, \$20 for City Engineer's services, \$15.90 sundries.
Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.
Motions and Resolutions
On motion of Aid. Damstra,
The matter of placing street lamps on 15th street midway between River and Pine avenue, and making a new canal and College Avenue was referred to the committee on public lighting.
Adjourned.

MEAN TO SAVE CARS BY PLACING ALARMS ON THE GARAGES

Following the organization of the Holland Protective bureau, which has placed a \$500 reward on the head of any auto thief of a Holland-owned machine, and which has established a listing system whereby police can be furnished with all information regarding any machine which may be stolen, leading men are now advocating the placing of electrical alarm systems on garages. A canvass of business men proved that nearly 26 are contemplating

putting electrical alarm systems on their garages. If the present lull in operation of auto thieves is broken it is possible that some united move on the part of the protective bureau toward the furtherance of this method of protection may be taken.

Do not abuse poor old 1920. It furnished the foundations upon which to build in 1921.

Emra Fast of Grand Haven, has begun a suit for \$10,000 against Geo. Richardson, Grand Trunk yard foreman, charging alienation of Mrs. Fast's affections.

BRING YOUNG CHILDREN TO FREE CLINICS

With free clinics conducted by the state department of Health opening in Ottawa County next Monday, January 17, the final preparations for these clinics are being made in Holland, Grand Haven and Zeeland, the three cities in the county where the clinics are to be held. Window cards were distributed Monday calling the public's attention to the clinics and urging them to take advantage of it.

The clinics will be held in Zeeland on Monday, Jan. 17, the local arrangements there being in charge of Mrs. A. Leenhouts and Mrs. D. F. Boonstra; in Holland on Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 18 and 19, with the local arrangements in charge of Miss Alma Koertge, city nurse, and in Grand Haven on Thursday, Jan. 20, the arrangements in charge of Mrs. McNett. Grand Haven was first promised two days, but a short time ago the department at Lansing wrote that unforeseen contingencies had arisen that compelled limiting the time period to one day there.

"We want all underweight children to come to these clinics," said Miss Koertge today. Miss Koertge is in general charge of the arrangements for the whole county. "Mothers are asking if children under school age will be welcome. Of course they will be. Not only that, but we shall be anxious to receive such children. The habit cannot be learned too early. Not only that, but a great many mothers have informed me that they are going to bring their children who are under school age, so there will be plenty of company for those who do."

But the clinics are not for children only. All adults who are physically run down are also invited to attend for a free physical examination.

The tuberculosis clinics will be held each day from 9 to 12 in the forenoon and from 2 to 4 in the afternoon. These will be conducted by Dr. George H. Ramsey. The children's clinics, in charge of Dr. Frank L. Rose, will be conducted each day from 9 to 12 and from 2 to 4. A general clinic for ex-service men will be held each day from 4 to 5 in the afternoon. In the evening of each day, from 7 to 8, clinics for venereal diseases will be held.

MICHIGAN HAS SOME VARIETY OF WEATHER

We know that 1921 is starting off with the most unusual weather record yet reported but the year just passed also shows exceptional variations as is shown by the following weather review:

The temperature and precipitation for the year as a whole were about normal, but the snowfall was considerably less than for a number of years preceding.

The average temperature for the year was 47.9 degrees, the total precipitation, which includes rain, melted hail, melted sleet and melted snow 30.01 inches. Total snow fall was 45.0 inches as compared with 63.7 in 1916, 49.1 in 1917, 63.5 in 1918 and 52.5 in 1919.

January was abnormally cold, and also the coldest month of the year; normally February averages the coldest month in the year.

October was abnormally warm. The greatest monthly precipitation 4.19 inches occurred in December, and the least monthly precipitation 0.76 of an inch occurred in August.

The highest temperature during the year was 93 degrees on July 23. The lowest temperature for the year was 8 degrees below zero on Jan. 25.

There were 87 clear days, 110 partly cloudy days, and 169 cloudy days. Precipitation occurred on 124 days.

The warmest year on record was 1894 with a mean of 50.2 degrees; the coldest years on record was 1917, with a mean temperature of 44.6 degrees.

The wettest year on record was 1883, the year of the great log jam with 52.14 inches, over 20 inches of which occurred in June and July.

The driest year on record was 1910 with a total of 23.53 inches. The highest temperature ever recorded in Holland was 103 degrees on July 29, 1916, while the lowest ever recorded was 24 degrees below zero on Feb. 4, 1890.

Rev. W. T. Teuwissen, who has recently returned from Siberia where he was engaged in Y. M. C. A. work has received a call from the Spring Lake Presbyterian church to become their pastor. Mr. Teuwissen is at present engaged in delivering lectures concerning his work in Siberia and the conditions of the people of that country.

HOLLAND TEAMS WIN ALL GAMES AT GRAND HAVEN

Friday night in the Grand Haven Armory Holland High's basketball team defeated the Grand Haven high team by the score of 17 to 15. The game was fast and snappy throughout with each team leading at different times during the game. With but two minutes to play left and the score 15 to 15, Boone caged the pill for the two winning points. Grand Haven started off in whirlwind fashion, scoring six points before the Holland team got started. The Holland team soon after this hit their stride in earnest and scored eleven points while Grand Haven added 3 more. The score at the end of the first half was 11 to 9 in favor of Holland. The second half was more stubbornly fought with both teams playing a strong defensive game, each team scoring six points. Holland's victory was due to the hard playing and splendid fight every man displayed. Captain Van den Brink was the individual star of the Holland quintet playing a wonderful game at guard. Boone was the leading basket shooter for Holland, while Westerhof led the Grand Haven team in greatest number of points scored. Final score 17 to 15. In the preliminary game the Holland Reserves defeated Grand Haven Reserves 22 to 10 outplaying them in all departments of the game. Never did Holland's athletic team receive a more cordial welcome and better treatment than was given them Friday night at Grand Haven. Altho the rivalry was very keen, the spirit displayed by Grand Haven at all times was of the best and worthy of commendation.

Lineup and Summaries:
Boone R. F. Westerhof
Beeuwkes L. F. Campbell
Weersing C. Zuidema
VandenBrink F. G. Van Welden
Hill L. G. Fase
Field Goals—Boone 4, Beeuwkes 2, Weersing 1, Westerhof 4, Campbell 1; Zuidema 1, Harvey 1. Goals from foul—Boone 3 out of 4; Van den Brink 0 out of 1; Westerhof 1 out of 6. Substitutions—Knutson for Hill, Harvey for Zuidema. Referee—Pop Churm, South High, of Grand Rapids.

U. S. POSTOFFICE 50 PER CENT MOTORIZED

More automobiles are speeding the United States mails than ever before, according to the annual report of Postmaster Burleson for 1920.

More than 50 per cent of the vehicles in the postal service are automobiles.

Government-owned motor vehicles service has been established in 163 cities. Eight hundred and ninety-three rural routes are using cars or trucks.

"DON'T BREAK DOWN HOUSE TO GET AT HONEY."

The story printed in the Sentinel a day or two ago about how a deserted house of Jacob Hop of Crisp was partly broken down by honey-thieves to get at the honey behind the siding, has caused another local bee-keeper to tell the story of how his sons found a method of getting both honey and bees from a house under similar conditions without taking out a brick or a board. Here is the story:

A few years ago a farmer living one mile south of Holland noticed a swarm of bees had formed a home between the brick veneer and the studding and plaster of his home. For two years they remained there unmolested. In the winter they could be often heard buzzing in the evening, especially if the wall was rapped with knuckles. The farmer concluded however he would put a stop to it by closing the entrance which was just a small crevice below the window sill. This he did only to find that the bees found another exit just above a basement window.

The next summer they again had a merry time buzzing away and adding to their stores between the studding.

In the fall the farmer again became dissatisfied and told a neighbor he was going to smother them with sulphur fumes. The neighbor however asked if he would spare them until spring and let his boys try their hand at getting the bees out without injuring his home in the least. To this he readily agreed. The boys who liked to manipulate and experiment with bees, started out in the early spring by placing a hive with a very small swarm of bees right near the entrance by the cellar window.

Their next move was to place two bee-escapes in the crevice and closing up the balance of the opening so no bees could pass out except thru the bee escapes. (A bee escape is a contrivance made of tin so arranged that bees can pass thru but not return.)

During the day the bees passed out but at night could not return. The first night most of them clustered outside the entrance, a few went into the nearby hive with the nucleus of bees.

The upper part of the hive was left open a little making an easier entrance for the homeless ones.

In a day or two all accepted their new quarters. In this way all the worker bees and even the brood as it hatched out was gathered in the new hive. The queen however would

not desert her brood and so ultimately became a solitary prisoner with an abundant supply of her own sweets to feast upon.

The lower swarm became exceedingly large and soon filled their hive with honey.

So far everything worked fine but this did not get the honey from between the walls of the house and the brick veneered house was not to be injured.

Summer was passing and the boys waited till the flowers should disappear and the bees become hungry. They knew that when bees can get nothing from flowers they will rob. They also knew that bees have a keen sense of smell and now was the time to get that honey. They quietly removed the two bee escapes and the bees soon scented the honey overhead in the house. For a few days there was a wonderful buzzing and crowding to get that hundred pounds of honey from their old home hive to their new quarters.

The farmer was amazed. He called it a perfect success. The bees were out, the honey was carried down, the farmer closed the entrance and the dry honeycomb is still in the house.

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Expires Jan. 29—8292

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 6th day of January, A. D. 1921.

Present: Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of ELIZABETH CHARLES, BEETHA AND JAMES CHEISENELL, Minors

John Steggers having filed in said court his petition praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the

7th Day of February, A. D. 1921 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

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.

JAMES J. DANHOF, Judge of Probate.

A true copy—Cora Vande Water, Register of Probate

Expires Jan. 29—8243

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 5th day of January A. D. 1921.

Present: Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of CORNELIUS D. B. HOWELL, Deceased Margaret H. Howell having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the

7th Day of February, A. D. 1921 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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.

JAMES J. DANHOF, Judge of Probate.

A true copy—Cora Vande Water, Register of Probate

Expires Jan. 22—8533

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 27th day of December A. D. 1920.

Present: Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM H. DALMAN, Deceased

Ida Dalman having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the

24th day of January, A. D. 1921 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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.

JAMES J. DANHOF, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

Expires Jan. 22—8450

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 28th day of December A. D. 1920.

Present: Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of HENRY H. KNUTSON, Deceased

Henry Knutson having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the

24th day of January, A. D. 1921 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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.

JAMES J. DANHOF, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

Expires Feb. 12

Order of Publication for Appearance

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Twentieth Judicial Circuit—In Chancery

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, at the court house in city of Grand Haven on the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1920; Clara F. Coy and Lillian M. Baldwin, plaintiffs vs. Lowell Hunt, Amos Madder and Mrs. George W. Jewett, defendants, if living, their heirs and assigns, if dead.

Upon filing of the bill of complaint in this cause, it appearing that it is not known, and that the plaintiffs after diligent search and inquiry have been unable to ascertain whether the above named defendants, Lowell Hunt, Amos Madder and Mrs. George W. Jewett, are living or dead; and if living, their whereabouts, or whether their titles, interests, claims, liens or possible rights to the real estate hereinafter described, has been assigned to any person or persons; and if dead, whether they have personal representatives or heirs living or where their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns may reside, or whether such titles, interests, claims, liens or possible rights in said hereinafter described real estate have been disposed of by will, and that plaintiffs after diligent search and inquiry have been unable to ascertain the names of said persons included as defendants herein—without being named.

Therefore, on motion of Charles H. Mc Bride, Attorney for the Plaintiffs, it is ordered that Lowell Hunt, Amos Madder and Mrs. George W. Jewett, if living and their heirs and assigns, if dead, and every of them, shall enter their appearance in said cause within three months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the plaintiffs shall cause a copy of this order to be published in the Holland City News, a newspaper published and circulated in the City of Holland, and within the county of Ottawa, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

Dated,

Orien S. Cross, Circuit Judge.

Charles H. McBride, Attorney for Plaintiffs.

Business Address: Holland, Michigan.

To the Above Named Defendants—

The above entitled cause concerns and is brought to quiet the title to lots 29 certain pieces and parcels of land, situated in the Township of Park (formerly Holland) County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, known and described as follows: to-wit: commencing at a point sixty-six (66) feet south on the quarter line from the southwest corner of lot fifty-eight (58) in Macatawa Park Grove, running thence one hundred thirty-two (132) feet on said quarter line south; thence in an east or northeasterly direction on a line parallel with Lake street, so-called, fifty (50) feet; thence north on a line parallel with the quarter line of Lake street, so-called; thence in a westerly or southwesterly direction along the south line of Lake street, so-called, to the place of beginning; all being situated in the southeast fractional quarter of section thirty-four (34), town five (5), north, range 16 (16) west; also lot numbered one (1) in Harrington's Addition numbered two (2) to Macatawa Park Grove, according to the recorded plat thereof on record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said Ottawa county; Together with all and singular, the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

CHARLES H. Mc BRIDE, Attorney for Plaintiffs.

Attest—

Orrie J. Snider, County Clerk.

BARBER—To run branch barber supply house. Very little capital required. BARBER SPECIALTY CO., OMAHA, NEB.

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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 said county on the 5th day of January A. D. 1921.

Present: Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of ADRIANA KUTTE, Deceased

Cornelius J. Kutte having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Frank J. Kutte or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the

7th Day of February, A. D. 1921 at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

JAMES J. DANHOF, Judge of Probate.

A true copy—Cora Vande Water, Register of Probate.

No. 8814—Expires Jan. 29

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

In the Matter of the Estate of DEWE MEENOS, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1921, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against the deceased to said court of examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 3rd day of May A. D. 1921, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday the 2nd day of May A. D. 1921 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Jan. 3, A. D. 1921.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPS FOR 1921.

PELOUBET'S Notes on the SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSONS, excellent comment on the International Lessons for all next year. Price, \$2.00

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LOCALS

Mrs. John Dinkelo, 158 East 8th street has moved to Ann Arbor for the winter.

Sunday morning at 2 o'clock fire was discovered in the clothespress of the home of Mr. Goodee near the Piano factory. Damage was about \$5. The departments soon had the fire under control.

It is stated upon good authority that the pre-millennialists of Holland under the guidance of Rev. Bultema formerly of Muskegon will build a church in this city, to be erected on Maple avenue near 19th street. It is said that the lot has been purchased and that \$1400 in money has been subscribed at a recent meeting.

Dr. L. E. Heasley who formerly owned the large poultry farm at Jenison has complete charge of the Ferris Leghorn farm, the largest breeder operator of poultry and eggs in this country today. This farm has pedigreed more than 9,000 head of fancy stock, besides several thousand of the ordinary tock. Mr. Heasley is considered one of the most up-to the minute poultry men in this country.

YEGGMAN KIND
TO A FORMER
HOLLAND MAN

HENRI G. DE KUIF HAS THRILLING EXPERIENCE IN CALIFORNIA

Holdup Men Refuse To Take His Money After Pointing Gun At Him

Henri G. De Kruif, formerly of Holland, now living in California, had a thrilling experience with yeggmen which illustrates that some of these shady gentlemen "have a heart." Mr. De Kruif describes the experience in a personal letter to relatives here, and this paper has received permission to print the story in Mr. De Kruif's own words.

Here it is:—

"I had just stepped from a late car on my way home, and was passing a dark section of our street when the schuffle of feet and the murmur of men's voices behind me, made me turn my head. Two young men were following me with caps pulled down over their eyes. Suspecting what was up I walked on as the unconcerned.

The taller man called out, "Wait a minute fellow, I want to see you."

Turning I saw the dull reflection of a black Colt's revolver approaching my stomach.

"Now stick 'em up, damn you,—no stick 'em up higher. Now stand around here in the shadow."

I obeyed implicitly.

"Hold his hands behind him, Bill. Where is your gun?" he demanded eagerly.

"I never carry a gun," I replied quite calmly. "You will find my money in my left hand pocket."

He fumbled nervously in my right hand coat pocket.

"No, no, not there," said I reproaching his apparent stupidity. "It's in my left hand pants pocket. You will find a little silver there."

"What's the matter, are you broke too?" cried the yeggman.

"Well, just about," I replied.

"Awe, don't take de poor guy's money if he is broke," said Bill who was holding my hands very loosely from behind.

Mr. Yegg took out my purse and finding two silver dollars and three pennies, looked hesitatingly at his partner and said, "A couple of bucks."

"Let him keep 'em," said Bill sympathetically.

"We don't want your money," said Mr. Yegg, placing the purse carefully back into my pocket; "now don't say anything about this, old Add, will you?"

"Why no, you haven't done me any harm."

"Well we are sorry we disturbed you."

"Not at all, I am sorry I disappointed you."

They both hung their heads very sheepishly, then tender-hearted Bill spoke up apologetically, "Say, listen, fella, this ain't my regular line, you know; I just did it more for a lark than anything else, and besides this guy talked me into it," pointing to his confederate who now stood some distance from us. "I didn't really want to do it, but—oh H-I-I," swore the disgustedly.

"Well, you do not have to do this sort of thing," said I. "You can get money if you want to work for it, and you can get work if you seriously want to try hard enough. All I ask out of life is health, and then I can do anything. Why here you boys have health and imagination and courage, the finest combination in the world for making a success. It takes nerve to hold up a man with a gun—that's courage—it takes imagination to plan the attack—and you have got to be physically strong to get away with it."

"I know," mumbled the penitent, "but—oh, this here guy, he's a regular—"

"Why, he is all right too," said I, "he has good stuff in him if he would only put it into the right line."

The first yeggman apparently overheard me and restlessly called out, "Awe come on, that's enough of that stuff."

We parted and said good night.

FOR SALE—A good house, just remodeled; location in west end. This property can be purchased at a bargain. J. Arendshorst, 6 E. 8th-st., Phone 2120.

DAYS OF POISONED
ARROWS AND FIRE
WATER RECALLED

LAST BIT OF INDIAN LAND IN
OTTAWA SOLD, BUT MEMORIES LINGER

The recent sale of the old Somerset farm on Grand river, near Grand Haven, has disposed of the last parcel of land once in the possession of the original Fort Village band of Indians and what constituted Fort Village, and brings to light some interesting incidents of those times hitherto unpublished and unknown.

Some ten miles or so inland from Lake Michigan was situated Fort Village, a settlement of Ottawa Indians under the guidance of Chief Cobmoosa. The Somerset farm is a part of the old burial ground. Up to a short time ago bones of Indians buried there have been unearthed from the fields.

Perhaps nowhere else in this section of the country was there combined all the requisites that go to make Indian life what it should be as judged by the red man's standard of things. In the swift running current of Grand River were fish that provided his table with food. In the woods that bordered the beautiful river banks were furred animals, otter, beaver, mink and further inland elk, deer, and fox, whose skins were his clothing and without which life became a hardship.

The sight of the swift river with its broad silvery surface and the laughter of its ripples under the prow of his canoe pleased him, for the red man loves the sound of running water. It is necessary to him as food and drink. Without the sound of water nearby he is restless and filled with discontent. So here in the sheltered, pleasant valley of the pretty Grand river the Fort Village Ottawas found life one round of sweet content.

Then came the invading tribes on mischief bent. One of these tribes was a band of Pottawatomies, with their characteristic dissembling smile and evading eye. They desired most of all things to dispossess the Fort Village band of Ottawas and occupy that section of the river as their own. To retain their side of the river and maintain for themselves and posterity their homes, soon became the sole aim of the Ottawas at Fort Village. The result was flint-headed poison arrows darting across the river daily and the fierce onslaughts and terrible conflicts finally wore down the Ottawa band and saw the finish of the roaming band of Pottawatomies.

Some of the flint arrows found along the bank of the river are as large as a man's hand. Stone implements used in their handicraft have also been found in that locality.

Many weapons made of stones, green flint spear points, stone mallets and hatchets from this section decorate many an eastern museum.

Every now and then in the spring of the year when eddying currents wash out parts of the bank of the river, bones of Indians buried there nearly a century or more ago are washed out into the stream.

The daughter of the old chief Cabmoosa died some time ago in Oceana county near Hart. The death of this old chief himself is a legend among the Indians of this tribe to this day. Like many of the Indians the old chief had a pronounced penchant for the white man's fire water, and after having been warmed by its effect he started out alone to go to a white settlement for more liquor.

A terrible storm is said to have blown up and the next morning he was found frozen to death in the bottom of his canoe washed up on Battle Point, near the village where he led many a victorious raid against the Indians on the other side of the river. Fort Village today is one row of prosperous farms and orchards, with not a single Indian left in the neighborhood to tell the story of the first settlement on the banks of the Grand river.

J. S. Morton, former chief stockholder in the Graham & Morton Transportation Company was re-elected president of the local steamship line at the annual meeting of stockholders held in Michigan City.

The meeting was held in Michigan City because the Graham and Morton Company is an Indiana corporation. Nathaniel Robbins of Grand Haven who last fall purchased a controlling interest in the steamship company was elected vice-president, Hunter S. Robbins, secretary, and A. Reichle of Benton Harbor assistant secretary and treasurer.

The board of directors for the coming year includes J. S. Morton, Nathaniel Robbins and Hunter S. Robbins, of Grand Haven, W. H. Morton of Benton Harbor and Chas. F. Derbridge, Detroit, attorney.

The Furnace team defeated the Legion team in the high school gym Monday evening by a score of 8 to 9. The battery for the Furnace was Prins and Kramer. Hits off Prins 10; struck out by Prins 8. The battery for the Legion was Nash and Batema. Hits off Nash 7; struck out by Nash 11; home run by Prins of the Furnace.

The second game was between the Merchants and the Shoes was won by the Merchants by a 11 to 4 score. Battery for the Merchants, Dykstra and Spriggs. Hits off Dykstra 7; struck out by Dykstra 14. Battery for the Shoes, Serier, Peterson and Brightall. Hits off Serier 16; off Peterson 5; struck out by Serier 4; by Peterson 4. Home runs were made by Shaw of the Merchants and Brightall of the Shoes. Next week's games will be between the Shoes and the Furnace, and the Merchants and the Legion.

Holland City Markets

No. 1 White Wheat.....	\$1.75
No. 1 Red Wheat.....	1.75
Rye	1.40
Corn Meal	37.00
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No. 1 Feed, per ton.....	37.00
Straw	40.00
Middlings	48.00
Low Grade Flour.....	75.00
Hog Feed	50.00
Screenings	48.00
Gluten Feed.....	60.00
Dairy Feed, 24%	59.00
Dairy Feed 16%	43.00
Stock Feed	40.00
Oil Meal	66.00
Cotton Seed Meal.....	45.00
Alfalfa Meal	56.00
Scratch Feed, with grit.....	55.00
Scratch Feed, no grit.....	58.00
Hay, loose	27.00
Hay, baled	28.00
straw	14.00
Pork13
Butter, creamery48
Butter, dairy43
Beef14
Egg52

HOLLAND MAN WINS
PRIZES IN NATIONAL
POULTRY SHOW

ALSO PULLS DOWN PREMIUMS
AT CINCINNATI, OHIO

Dr. L. E. Heasley who occupies an important position with the Ferris Leghorn Farm at Grand Rapids as breeding expert, has just returned from Cincinnati, Ohio, where he exhibited the product of some of his this year's breeding in a national poultry show and was successful in winning all the first prizes in his breed and best display in the show over all breeds. The week previous he made the same win in the National Show at Washington, D. C. He left last night to make an exhibit at the National Stock Yards show at Chicago and proceeds to the longest show in the world at Madison Square New York the week following.

The Ottawa county board of supervisors have passed a resolution endorsing the state constabulary and state income tax proposal. The proposed commission form of county government was condemned in another resolution.

Watch this paper next week for a page adv. setting forth one of the biggest clearing sales Holland has yet seen, at George Heidema's, 407 Central avenue. We will have some exceptional bargains.—Adv.

IT CERTAINLY PAYS TO
HAVE SHERIFF IN FAMILY

Muskegon, Jan. 11—James McDonald and Walter Johnson, said by officers to be wanted for alleged auto thefts throughout the middle west, were arrested in Counna for Muskegon authorities, following an investigation by Sheriff Wm. O. Mathews and Deputy Hendryx. The pair will be brought to Muskegon.

McDonald and Johnson are alleged to have taken the auto belonging to O. P. Carpenter, uncle of the sheriff.

Marriage Licenses
Gerrit Lennen 20, farmer, Zeeland
Helen Meyer, 19, Coopersville.
James Schipper, 18, furniture worker, Gertrude Van Loo, 17 of Holland.

OTTAWA DOCTORS
WILL BACK UP THE
FREE CLINICS

The doctors of Ottawa county are going to do everything in their power to help make the free clinics in this county next week a success. At their regular monthly meeting held in the Guild room of Grace Episcopal church Tuesday noon, the members of the Ottawa County Medical society went on record as strongly favoring these clinics, which are to be conducted by the State Department of Health. The physicians pledged themselves to do all they can to encourage persons whom they know to be in need of this service to visit the clinics and receive a free medical examination.

The clinics will be held Monday in Zeeland, Tuesday and Wednesday in Holland, and Thursday in Grand Haven.

The meeting of the doctors was well attended, about twenty physicians from all parts of the county being present to take part in the discussions. The newly elected officers were installed. The officers are: president, Dr. G. H. Thomas, of Holland; first vice president, Dr. T. A. Boot of Holland; second vice president, Dr. Edward Hofma of Grand Haven; secretary and treasurer, Dr. A. Leenhouts of Holland.

It was decided to continue the noon luncheons of the society. This feature has proved very valuable and has added much to the success of the monthly meetings.

Dr. J. B. Whinery of Grand Rapids was the speaker at Tuesday's meeting. He gave an instructive

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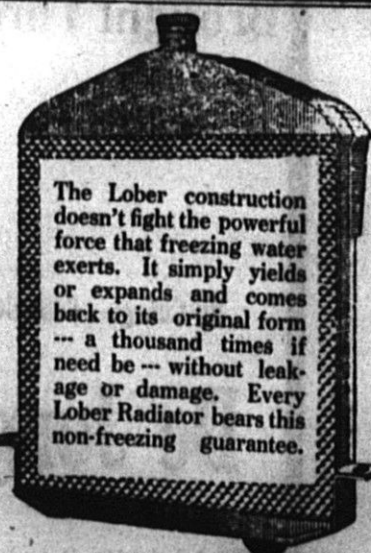
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and interesting address on "Sleep recovering. New cases have not been ing Sickness." This disease has been reported here for some time. This disease is frequently fatal. Doctors quite prevalent of late although it is now subsiding somewhat. There have been four cases of it in Holland but all have recovered or are Whinery was extremely timely.