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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

VOLUME NUMBER 45

Thursday, January 27, 1916

NUMBER FOUR

Laurant, The Magician, Carnegie Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 1st. Get your Tickets at Hardie's or Box Office.

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STOP and think for a moment of the people you deal with.

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FARMERS COMING TO HOLLAND

ON THURSDAY AND FRIDAY FEBRUARY 10 AND 11

Holland Should Extend Them a Rousing
Welcome—Make Pleasant Their
Stay, While Here

Holland will have a two-day Round-up when the farmers in this vicinity will hold an institute in the city hall. The dates have been set for Thursday and Friday, February 10 and 11.

Besides several outside speakers, local speakers will also be on the program. No doubt Holland will do everything in its power to make the agriculturalists feel at home during their stay here. Nothing should be left undone to give them a rousing welcome.

The program follows:—

Forenoon
9:45 Opening Remarks..... G. J. Deur
Pres. O. C. F. Institute Society
10 Using Legumes for Soil Improvement..... N. A. Clapp, Northville
10:30 Discussion..... D. L. Hagerman
11 Alfalfa Culture..... D. L. Hagerman
Co. Agri. Expert, Grand Haven
11:30 Discussion.....

Afternoon
1:00 Question Box..... N. A. Clapp
Music.....
1:30 Seed Selection and Crop Improvement..... N. A. Clapp
2:00 Discussion.....
2:30 The Work of the County Farm Agent..... D. L. Hagerman
3:00 Discussion.....
3:30 Plant Food for Sandy Soils..... J. W. Henceroth, Chicago
Dept. Soil Imp. Committee
4:00 Discussion.....

Evening

7:15 Music.....
7:30 Our Boys and Girls..... N. A. Clapp
Music.....
8:15 The Agricultural College and Its Work..... D. L. Hagerman
8:45 The Manufacture and Use of Commercial Fertilizers (Illustrated)..... J. W. Henceroth
Friday, February 11—Forenoon
9:45 Wasting and Saving Barn Manure..... N. A. Clapp
10:15 Discussion.....
10:45 Stable Sanitation.....
Dr. J. S. McDaniels, Vet. Dept. M.A.C.
11:45 Business meeting of County Institute Society, Reports, Election of officers, etc.

Afternoon
1:00 Question Box..... D. L. Hagerman
Music.....
1:30 Infectious Diseases of Live Stock..... Dr. J. S. McDaniels
2:00 Discussion.....
2:30 The Kitchen as a Power Plant..... Mrs. Dora H. Stockman
3:00 Discussion.....
3:30 The Control of Fruit Tree Insects and Diseases..... N. A. Clapp
4:00 Discussion.....
Farmers' Week, Agricultural College, Feb. 28-March 1, 1916.

WEATHER MAN WANTS SNOW AND SLEET

HAS PREDICTED COLD FOR THE
LAST WEEK.

The otherwise truthful and accurate weather man has certainly missed his guess for the last week or more. Every day he has been predicting snow, sleet and cold, but his predictions for once fail to hold good.

Yesterday's weather report was much colder for Wednesday night and Thursday.

Well, you see what it is.

YOUNG MUSICIANS MEET

Piano and Violin Pupils of Mrs. Gowdy
Give Program

The Junior division of violin and piano pupils met at the home of Mrs. Ella Gowdy, 427 Central avenue yesterday afternoon. Current events and music were the subjects of discussion, after which refreshments were served.

Those who took part in the program were Raymond Kuiper, Charles Dulyea, Clarence Roseboom, Henry Karsten, Nelson Clark, Edner Slagh, Anthony Verhey, Ernest Wanrooy, Hobart Bell, and Gertrude Verhey. Others present, Lawrence Oosting, Harold Rupper, John Hackenjas and Sena Karsten.

REPUBLICANS ARE NOW GETTING BUSY MAKE CAMPAIGN THURSDAY BY ATTACKING DEMOCRAT'S RURAL ROUTE CHARGE

Michigan republican congressmen are planning to unite with delegation from Ohio and Iowa and possibly some other states in an attack on the present democratic administration for its handling of rural routes.

Within the last year the number of rural routes has been greatly reduced by the consolidation of two horse routes into one to be served by an automobile carrier. The result has been a continual flow of protest from the farming districts and more particularly from the carriers displaced and their friends.

On Friday night the Ohio republicans met in caucus and a resolution was drawn up for introduction in the house calling for an investigation. Similar meetings of the Michigan and Iowa men will be held. It is not hoped that the resolution will pass but it will furnish the basis thus make way for the house and thus make way for the production of orations for the use of the republican campaign text book and particularly for the consumption of rural route carriers and residents.

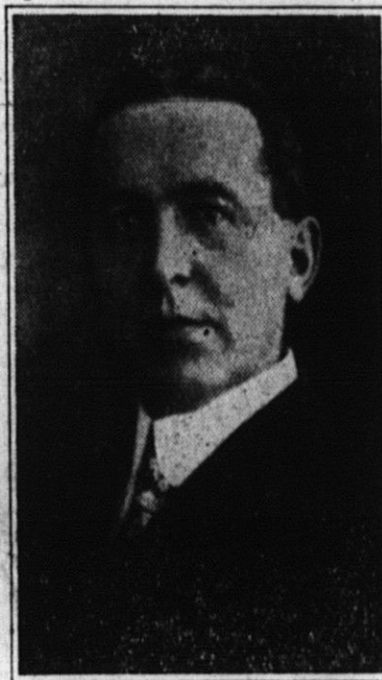
ABE STEPHAN ACCEPTS FAIR SECRETARYSHIP

COMMITTEE CALLS ON HIM AND
INDUCES HIM TO SERVE
ONE YEAR MORE.

Stephan Is Making Great Sacrifice and Asks the Co-operation of all Fair Directors and Holland Business Men.

One vexing question is at last settled and that is that the secretaryship of the Holland Fair. At the annual meeting held in December the association chose as its secretary Mr. E. P. Stephan, who two years before had served so faithful and well. But Mr. Stephan had another idea about the matter and told the association that it was simply impossible for him to serve. He is now manager of the Holland Furniture Co. and he felt that his duties were such that he could not give the Holland Fair the time it deserved without neglecting his other duties. The association was up a tree for a time as the Fair needed a man particularly fitted for this work and a man who would suit most everyone. This is a hard person to find, especially for a fair association.

Several friends called on Mr. Stephan at different times in order to persuade him to accept the position, but he kindly but emphatically said that it was an impossibility. Yesterday a directors' meeting was held and at this meeting the chosen secretary sent in a detailed



communication giving his reasons why he could not accept and pointing several ways out. But on top of this communication came a letter from George Getz, asking that by all means have E. P. Stephan stay as secretary.

There was nothing to it. The directors took a rising vote and unanimously decided that a committee should be appointed to wait upon Mr. Stephan at his home. This committee consisted of Chairman Otto Schaap, Hub Boone, Ben Brouwer, Klaas Koster, G. J. Deur, Herman Van Tongeren, J. B. Mulder, Gil Haan, Dick Boter, and B. A. Mulder. These men talked to friend Stephan for an hour or more last evening pointing out to him that this year of all years his services were needed for the fair and for Holland, and the upshot was that Abe did not have the heart to say no and therefore he said yes. He gave a straight from the shoulder talk and asked all those present to co-operate with him in the performance of his duties in connection with the Holland fair and thus making the burdens lighter. This the directors promised to do and several men have volunteered to take up parts of the work and stand personally responsible for its faithful performance.

Mr. Stephan's talk to the directors follows:—
I had sincerely hoped that you would be able to agree and settle on some other man for the office of Secretary, and I certainly regret that after telling you twice that I could and would not take it, you come back to me again, as you do, with the statement that I must take it or there will be no Fair.

Personally I believe the fair is a good asset for the city of Holland, and would regret very much to have the same passed up by default.

I am not so sure however that I am right in my contention that it is a valuable asset to the city. I sometimes wonder whether the people of Holland care about continuing the fair here, or not.

I was in hopes that at the annual meeting held a few weeks ago, there would be a goodly representation of the business men of Holland, showing that they are really interested in the Holland fair, and that their desire is to make it bigger and better every year.

While I am not convinced that Holland wants to continue it, neither am I at all convinced that they want to discontinue it, and as I have said before that I personally believe it is a good thing for the city, as a loyal citizen, who has at all times the interest of Holland at heart, and always have had, I will accept the office this year and try and do the best I can to continue the good work that has been done in the past.

I will be very much pleased if I could get some expression from the business men in general, their idea and opinion of the future continuation of this organization.

If the fair is a good thing for Holland, as I believe it is, it ought to have the active and open support of every man in Holland, and if it is not, it

INCORPORATED FOR \$5000

UNDER NAME OF DYKE-JONKMAN
MAN CONSTRUCTION
COMPANY.

SEVERAL LOCAL MEN INTERESTED IN COMPANY.

The new construction Co. just formed under the name of Dyke-Jonkman Construction Co., has been incorporated for \$5,000 capital stock. The officers of the new company are Fritz Jonkman, president; Arthur Van Duren, vice-president; and Frank Dyks, secretary and treasurer. The company already has several contracts ahead, the largest being the new pig skin tannery.

GREENVILLE RAISES

\$3,160 FOR HOSPITAL

Greenville, Mich., Jan. 27.—The soliciting board of the Belknap hospital reports that \$3,160 has been raised towards the fund to buy a new hospital building. A large donation from the city is promised and that a new hospital will soon be a reality is certain. Good for a small town like Greenville.

HARDWARE STORE

BURNS IN ZELLAND

LOSS FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS

A fire broke out this morning at 1 o'clock in the hardware store of Martin Looyengood on East Main street and it was three quarters of an hour before the blaze was extinguished. Lloyd Heasley who happened to pass by the store was startled by the clamor of falling pans in the Looyengood store and upon investigation he saw the fire through the windows. He immediately turned in the alarm and in a few minutes the firemen were on the scene with the hose cart. After the hose was connected up a stream of water was directed at the blaze through a rear window. Then someone attempted to enter the building but a sheet of flames drove him back. Finally access to the interior of the building was gained. The fire was burning widely along the walls and ceiling of the first story. The fire gradually spread to the second story and it was only by the quick work of the firemen that the building and contents were saved from complete destruction. The fire was burning the most on the east side of the store, just before the ceiling. Upon searching for the direct cause of the fire the firemen pulled an only mop from a hook, where it hung near the ceiling. Thus it was quickly learned that the fire was caused by a spontaneous combustion of the rags in this mop. The blaze began to grow smaller and soon the whistle announced that the fire was out and the danger was past. The building belonged to Mrs. Vanden Berg of this city, was not covered by insurance and consequently there will be a loss for her. But it was mostly in the articles in the store itself that were damaged. Besides the loss by fire, there was considerable damage done by the continuous stream of water which had been directed on the large blaze. All told the damages will be around \$400.

HOPE COLLEGE FIVE

LOSE TO KALAMAZOO

MATHER'S MEN GET LEAD AT
START AND ARE NEVER
HEADED.

Kalamazoo college defeated Hope college here last night, 24-21. The Mather five got the lead on the locals right from the start and at the of the first half was leading 13 to 5. Hope came back in the final half and tied the score, but in the final minute of play Kalamazoo scored three points, while Hope could not register at all. MacGregor and Taylor starred for Kalamazoo, while T. Prins was Hope's best scorer. Both teams were weak in their work from the foul line. Only one of the Hope foul throwers caged a basket. Lineups and summary:

HOPE 21 KAZOO 24
Dalman..... R. F..... MacGregor
Dalman..... R. F..... MacGregor
Van Tongeren..... C..... Fausch
T. Prins..... R. G..... Pyle
Gebhard..... L. G..... Hootman
Field Goals—MacGregor 3, Taylor 3, Fausch 1, Pyle 1, Hootman 1; Dalman 4, Van Putten 1, T. Prins 3, P. Prins 2, Fous thrown—Taylor, 3 out of 12; Dalman 0 out of 2; Van Putten, 1 in 3; Veenker 3 in 3. Substitutions—P. Prins for Van Putten; Veenker for Gebhard; Vos for Van Tongeren. Referee—Up-ton. Time of Halves—20 minutes. The score at end of first half—Kalamazoo 13, Hope 5.

should be discontinued. It is not a one man's proposition, neither can any one man make it a success, but with the co-operation and advice and council of the many, it can be made an institution of education and pleasure that would be a credit to the community and a means of bringing the city and country in closer contact with each other.

We shall do everything in our power to make the Holland fair a clean liberal institution and will try to avoid anything that will be objectionable and in order to do this, I will call upon the assistance of every man, who has Holland's interest at heart.

LOCAL MAN WANTS TO BE SHERIFF

DORNBOSS ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY FOR SHERIFF

NAME WILL BE ON THE REPUBLICAN NOMINATION BALLOT IN AUGUST.

C. Dornbos, of this city, announces himself for candidate for sheriff on the Republican ticket.

Cornelius has made a very efficient officer as a deputy sheriff which position he has held for twelve consecutive years. He has also been game warden for nine years and has served on the the Holland police force for three years.

As a criminal catcher he can not be excelled, as he generally gets the offenders he is after.

STONE CRUSHES LEG

Workman William Jererson at First State Bank Building Receives Bruised Knee.

While working on the construction of the new First State Bank, William Jererson of Decatur, Mich., suffered a badly bruised leg as the result of the falling of a large block of granite. The block was being raised by a crane when it suddenly became released and dropped. Jererson was in its path and sustained a crushed knee.

The injured man is now confined to his room in the Bristol, nursing his wound.

A CALL FOR SINGERS

FOR STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION FOR NEXT NOVEMBER.

A call is hereby made to all singers of this city who are willing to sing in a union chorus for the next State S. S. convention to be held in this city next November. This convention will be held for three days, the chorus to be on duty for the evening services only. All singers who are willing to take part in the chorus will please hand their names to the persons who represent their individual church during the next week as the list will be closed at the end of the week after this notice.

The committee can not use more than 500 voices and the indications are now that there will be nearer 700 voices. If there are more than 500 voices the committee will be obliged to pick out the 500 voices they can use as these 500 will be divided into two choruses of 250 voices each the one to sing at Carnegie Gmy. and the other at the Knickerbocker opera house. Please send your names at once if you have not already done so to the following people:

1st church—F. Douma; 2nd church, Prof. J. B. Nykerk; 3rd church—John Vandersluijs; 4th church—Rev. M. E. Broekstra; 5th church—H. Cook; 14th St. church—Al Vegter; Central Ave. Ch. Ref. church—C. W. Dornbos; 9th Ch. Ref.—J. Van Appledorn; 16th St. Ref.—M. Ten Have; Maple Ave. Ch. Ref.—C. De Kester; Prospect Ch. Ref. church—D. W. Jellema; M. E. church—Miss S. Girard; Wesleyan—Clifford Harrington; Episcopal—Rev. H. Holt.

By order of Com. on Music,
J. Vandersluijs,
H. Cook,
C. W. Dornbos.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

C. De Keyzer the real estate man mand a trip to Moline today.

Seth Coburn the Hudsonville Hotel man was in the city yesterday on business.

Meengs and Wanrooy have the contract for the De Pree Chemical Co's new building.

Excavation started this morning for the new pig skin tannery on the north side. The Dyke-Jonkman Construction Co. have the contract.

Mrs. James De Young has returned to her home in Owosso after a week's visit here with her mother, Mrs. J. Van Landegend, West Eleventh street.

Tonight a chorus of sixty voices will render the cantata "Jehovah" under the direction of Frank Douma in the First Reformed church at 7:30. Several soloists will take part. The public is invited.

Charles Knooihuizen, E. E. Fell and Henry Geerlings returned from Gary, Ind. where they inspected the school system in vogue there. They are very enthusiastic about the system and will give a detailed report within a few days.

ZEELAND OLYMPICS SEEK HOME-AND-HOME GAMES

The Zeeland Olympics would like to schedule a game with some state team for Feb. 4, and is prepared to fill a home date for team accepting challenge on Feb. 24.

Important!

See Man from Michigan on page 3

GOSSIP & OUR CORRESPONDENT

ZEELAND

Gerrit Smidderks and family left yesterday for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will make their home. Mr. Smidderks has been connected with the firm of William De Pree for the past several years. The ill-health of his wife is the cause of his departure.

Jacob Kamps and Miss Ette Buelkema spent Saturday in Holland.

The Wagner Glee club, a local musical organization, consisting of several local talented singers will begin their concert work for this winter this week Tuesday evening. On this date a concert will be given in Wyngarden's hall at 8 o'clock. Director P. J. Smiths promises to present to the public a very entertaining and pleasing program. The Glee club is an organization of some renown and all the parties who are musically inclined will not permit this opportunity to pass unnoticed. On Wednesday of this week the glee club will entertain at the Civic club banquet in the club rooms. Then on Thursday evening they will board the car for Grand Rapids where they will sing in Woodman hall, Leonard street and Turner avenue N. W. This program will be given under the auspices of the Men's Union of Trinity Reformed church. The club will be assisted by Mr. G. Ingham, of Holland, violinist and William E. Vander Hart, reader.

The funeral services of Mrs. Cornelia Bos, who died Friday at the age of 92 years, four months and one day, were held Monday from the home of her son, John Zoutendam on State St. Services at the home were held at two o'clock. Interment took place in Zeeland cemetery. She was the widow of Mr. Franklin Bos, who died nearly ten years ago. Her first husband was Mr. Marinus Zoutendam. She is survived by two children: John Zoutendam and Mrs. Meusen of this city and several grandchildren.

The Rev. Kosten spent Saturday in Holland.

Simon Bouwens left the city some time ago for the West, where he is engaged as a salesman for a wholesale shoe company.

Mr. Jekel and Marinas Van Zoeren of Zeeland are on the jury of the circuit court for January.

John Van Dyke has commenced work on a bungalow, which he is building on Pine street.

The Rev. Mollema of Vriesland left for Allegan Saturday where he preached the following day.

Sept. A. H. Washburn has increased the number of games on the local Reserves schedule, by securing games with the Holland High school Juniors and Sophomores. The complete second team schedule is as follows: Jan. 29, Grand Rapids South High seconds at Grand Rapids; Feb. 4, Holland High school Juniors, here; Feb. 11, Holland High Sophomores, here; Feb. 25, Grand Rapids Central High Seconds at Zeeland; March 3, Grand Rapids South High Reserves at Zeeland. The second team has won five straight victories so far this season and has rolled up a total of 185 points to their opponents 138.

Bernard Vander Woude of Hope Seminary, conducted the services in the Vriesland Reformed church Sunday.

The funeral services of Mr. Dirk Van Wingeren who died at his home on State street, Friday at the age of 78 years were held Monday at one o'clock from the home and at 2 o'clock from the First Christian Reformed church. Interment will take place in the Zeeland cemetery.

Miss Jennie Van Koeveering, recently of California, who is ill with la grippe is at present staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bareman, who reside north of the city.

The saying that "Secrecy goes a long way to Success" was exemplified recently when it became known that a band of 21 players had been organized in Zeeland some time ago. The members of this organization are all young men who have high musical ambitions. They are all owners of brand new instruments. This meant an expenditure of several hundred dollars. Alfred Van Voort has been secured as leader. Mr. Van Voort has conducted several bands and is a solo-cornet player in the Ottawa band. Consequently he is very well qualified for the directorship. Meetings are held every Monday evening at the home of Mr. Van Voort. The following is a list of the players and the instruments they play: Raymond Nykamp, Bernie Hirdies and Alwin De Pree play upright alto; Tony Romeyn, Nicholas Vanderzee and John Heyboer, tenor; Ray Romeyn, bass drum; Harry Kooops and Marvin Hoofman, snare drums; George Meengs, Edward Schaap and Arthur Loyengood, slide trombones; Corie Hirdies, bass horn; rank Boonstra and Gordon Van Eenaam, clarinet; Maurice Van Loo, Ernie Summer, Russel Van Dyke, Agbert Van Eyck and Benjamin De Jonge, cornets; and John Kow, alto.

The program for the semester examinations in the high school has been made out. Examinations will commence this week Monday morning and extend through Friday Jan. 28. There will be no examinations on Thursday as the public schools close on that date, so that the teachers may attend the Teachers' Institute to be held in Holland.

Mrs. Titus De Pree is seriously ill at her home on Centennial street.

The Christian Reformed ministers of 42 ss's Zeeland met at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Trap on Maple street yesterday afternoon.

Dick F. Boonstra acted as toast master last evening, when the Civic club members gathered around the annual banquet board.

One of the large machines in the Zeeland Furniture Mfg. Co. broke down Monday morning at 10 o'clock and as a result of this, several men will be laid off for a few days.

A farewell party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hieftje on Main St. Monday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vanden Berg, who will soon leave for Hastings.

Word was received here Monday that the Rev. John Huizenga of Rock Valley, Ia., died suddenly. The Rev. Huizenga is well known here as he took up his residence in this city for several years. He was married to the sister of M. Frank Boonstra of this city.

J. B. Bosman of Holland was in the city Monday.

Joe Koolker of Holland made a business trip to Zeeland Thursday.

Jim De Pree of the Wm. De Pree Co., is on the sick list.

Mr. Ven Huizen was in the city on business Thursday.

Frank De Haan of Muskegon, spent the Thursday in Zeeland.

Prof. J. E. Kuizenga was in the city on Thursday.

John Ver Hey and Joe Bareman were the parties to whom the contract of building the addition to the Colonial Mfg. Co. was awarded. Work will soon commence on the new addition.

Deputy Sheriff C. Dornbos was in the city on business Thursday.

C. E. Lincoln of the Lincoln Supply Co. of Holland was in the city on business Thursday.

Reuben Kremers has recovered from a three weeks' illness.

Eugene J. Bodette, representing the Bastain Bros. of Rochester, N. Y., was in the city Thursday.

The funeral services of Mrs. Bauke Mulder were held Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home and at 2 o'clock from the second Christian Reformed church. The Rev. J. Smitter officiated. Interment took place in the Zeeland cemetery.

The out-of-town residents who were present at the funeral of Mrs. Bauke Mulder were: Mrs. A. Romeyn, Arnold Mulder and J. B. Mulder of Holland; James Mulder of New Brunswick Seminary; Mr. and Mrs. John Boyink of Grand Haven, and the Rev. H. J. Mulder of Muskegon.

W. O. Van Eyck of Holland was in the city Thursday on business.

The O. A. C. Basket Ball team left Thursday noon for South Haven, where they played the South Haven Independents Thursday evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Titus De Pree of North Centennial street—a girl.

Gilbert Van Hoven has blood poison in his hand as a result of a scratch he received on one of his fingers.

The first meeting of the Young Peoples' Alliance, Classis Zeeland, Christian Reformed churches was held on Thursday evening in the First Christian Reformed church. A large crowd was present at this meeting, as it was the first one held this year. The program which commenced promptly at 7:30 was as follows: organ prelude; psalm; song, Drenthe; solo, Rev. L. Trap; Introductory remarks, Rev. J. Smitter; recitation, Beaverdam; song, Zutphen; recitation, Third, Zeeland; address, Rev. W. P. Van Wyk, Grand Rapids; duet, collection, benefit of Bond; reading, Overseer; Singing of English Psalm; closing, Rev. W. P. Van Wyk.

Mrs. Frank Rybarczyk is spending an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wentzel.

Miss Jennie Karsten, who is employed at E. J. McDermand's Studio is confined to her room with illness.

The Ladies Good Will society met at the home of Mrs. Dick Boonstra Friday afternoon.

Martin Languis made a business trip to Holland Friday.

Henry DeKruif returned home Friday from Chicago.

In one of the fastest basket ball games ever played in this city, the fast Grand Haven five defeated the local high school by a score of 21 to 22 Friday evening in Wyngarden's hall. The Grand Haven players started the game too full of confidence and it took them five minutes to locate the basket. Miller who was the individual star, made the first three points by caging three foul goals. Then Miller scored their first field goal. When the ball was tossed up at center again, a struggle for the next basket followed and it was ended by a field goal by Miller. Miller managed to make three baskets the first half. He was opposed by Nyhuis, who played a splendid game when one considers the fact that was the first time he appeared in the first team suit this year. Hensley and Sytzama tossed the sphere thru the hoop for Zeeland's only field goals in the first half. At no time was the local five in the lead during the first half which ended with a score of 12 to 6 with Grand Haven on the long end. Van Lopik replaced Rosenraad at guard the last half, which found the locals starting off with a rush. After Den Herder shot a field goal, the locals took a brace and began to score. The score was soon tied. This situation raised the crowd into high spirits, which increased when Den Herder caged a field goal immediately after Miller had broken the tie. At this point of the game De Jonge was substituted for Van Lopik. This rearrangement gave Grand Haven ample time to cage another field goal. Then Miller caged two neat field goals. Zeeland's scoring machine now began to work and in a few minutes of play the locals were in the lead again. The excitement ran high as the lead went from one team to another and as the time for the final whistle to blow was also drawing near. And when the whistle did sound the score showed that the locals had lost a hard-fought game. The summary is as follows:

Grand Haven— Zeeland
Holtrop.....R. F.....Den Herder
Miller.....L. F.....Hensley
Vyn.....C.....Sytzama
Mastenbroek.....R. G.....Rosenraad
Koopman.....L. G.....Nyhuis
Substitutes O. De Jonge, C. Van Lopik.

Goals from field—Den Herder 3; Hensley 4; Sytzama 1; De Jonge 1; Holtrop 2; Miller 7. Foul Goals—Miller 3 out of 4; Sytzama 2 out of 2; Hensley, one out of two. Referee, Johnson, of Grand Rapids.

The local Reserves defeated the Boy Scouts for the third time this year by the score of 50-9. The first half ended with a score of 17-4. The game was a rough one and consequently several fouls were called.

A unique sight was witnessed on our streets Monday when a gasoline tractor passed through the city. After it had disposed of its load of three tons of straw at the City livery, it returned to Jamestown. Mr. George Gitchel, who owns the engine expects to make several more runs to this city.

Mr. Summers, who is employed in Grand Haven spent Saturday at his home in this city.

Paul, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rief of this city, has returned from home for a few days visit. He is at present employed in Benton Harbor.

The heavy rainfall last week did considerable damage in the city. In the lowest part of the city, particularly the east side, the basements of the houses were flooded. The ditch on the North side overflowed and the water ran over the adjoining land for several days.

Men were kept busy day and night pumping water out of the basement of the Ver Hage Milling Co. Several thousand bushels of onions were stored in the cellar and it was only by keeping the pumps busy that a heavy loss was avoided.

The first-class Scouts of this city who have attained this distinction thru merit will camp at Houghton Lake this summer. This is a beautiful body of water near Cadillac and the country is practically in its natural state. Wild animals, it is said still roam in the vicinity at will. No doubt the boys can try out their trailing methods on the wily game. Scout Master Van Putten says that even wolves and bears have been reported in that vicinity. No doubt the lads will be anxious to make the trip even though their mothers might look upon the outing with disfavor.

While 15-year-old Harry Aldus was playing with his companions, he was accidentally hit in the eye by a stick. The youth will lose his eyesight as a result of the accident.

Mr. Henry Vanden Berg made a business trip to Holland Tuesday.

Mrs. Isaac Elenbaas of Grand Rapids was in the city Tuesday on a visit with relatives.

Miss Cornelia Van Voort has completely recovered from an attack of appendicitis.

A meeting of Christian Endeavor society, which was recently organized in the First Reformed church, was held Tuesday evening. Sixty-four members were enrolled.

Mr. Rumsey of Grand Rapids was in the city on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Dirk De Pree is confined to her home with illness.

Mr. Snider of Grand Rapids motored to Zeeland Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Hoekje of Grand Haven is spending a few days visit with relatives in this city.

Gerrit Karsten has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. Joynt of Traverse City made a business trip to this city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wiersma of New Groningen were pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening by twenty men who are employed in the H. Van Eenaam Cigar shop. The feature of the evening was a buck-eye-band, composed of cigar makers. A dainty lunch consisting of cheese sandwiches and chocolate milk was served.

Miss Elizabeth Nykamp spent the day visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Vis of Grand Rapids.

The O. A. C. Basket ball team would like to arrange two basket ball games with some fast state team. They would like an out-of-town game on Feb. 4 and a home game on Feb. 24.

Mr. Paul Cook, formerly of this city who is at present employed in Grand Rapids, is spending a few days with friends in this city.

COUNTRY SHARES IN PRESENT FLOOD

DORNBOOS WADES THROUGH LAKE OF WATER AND GETS WET FEET.

Wash Out at Two Different Places On Holland Interurban Railway

Deputy Game Warden Cornelius Dornbos while on duty north of the city and while going over the county road through the Robinson marsh was confronted by a large sheet of water which looked to him all the world like a veritable lake.

The deputy had on his hip boots and to more safely guide himself and horse over what might prove to be a treacherous road he led the animal through the water to dry land again. Although having boots that reach the hips he found the water so deep that it went higher than the boot tops. However he landed safely on the opposite side with nothing worse than thoroughly wet feet.

There were two wash-outs on the Interurban between Holland and Jenison Park one at Lugers crossing the other beyond the Poole residence. In some instances the poles holding the trolley wires were also washed out.

A gang of working men were taken on a special car to put the road bed and the overhead wires in proper condition.

In the tool shed under the band stand in Centennial Park there was six feet of water but owing to proper sewer connection the water was quickly drained away.

Mr. William Arendshorst, manager of the Holland Rusk Co. wished the Sentinel to state that the main reason for the water flowing in the basement of the Rusk Co. was that the grade at Columbia avenue is sloping to the center of the block east. This is also true from the P. M. tracks west and as the bakery shop is located in the center of the block at the lowest level of the street the water coming from the two slopes gathers in the center and consequently finds its level in the basement of the Rusk Co. buildings. Old residents say that the street in this block has never been graded but from a cow-path of old, was turned into an extension of East Ninth street, when gravel was placed on the street.

DIED AT WEST HARLEM

John H. Wassink died Monday evening at his home in West Harlem at the age of 68 years. He leaves a widow, four sons and two daughters to mourn their loss. The children are John, Ben, Henry and Harry. The latter is a student at Calvin College in Grand Rapids. The daughters are Mrs. R. Lappinga and Mrs. C. Plackmeyer of Holland. The funeral was held this morning at 11 o'clock from the home and at 12 o'clock from the West Harlem church. The Rev. Nagel officiated.

A FLOCK OF RARE BIRDS FOUND HERE

HAVE BEAUTIFUL SCARLET WINGS TRIMMED WITH BLACK.

Henry Ten Have while going thru the woods at Castle Park, was surprised to see a large flock of red birds with black wings and what surprised him most was the fact that the birds were very tame and took food from his hand.

These beautiful scarlet birds are called the cardinal bird and are seldom seen further north than the state of Ohio. No doubt the beautiful spring weather we are having induced the feathery family to venture away from their usual nesting places.

Last year a similar flock was reported near Hamilton. This flock remained in the vicinity for over a month and became so tame they would follow the farmers in their corn cribs looking for something to eat.

Mr. Ten Have said that these scarlet and blackbirds, with a pure white snow back ground was a beautiful sight to behold.

The cardinal is a little smaller than the robin and is protected by the U. S. government, and anyone found molesting them is accountable to Uncle Sam.

A GASOLINE FIRE NEARLY COST LIFE

FIVE GALLON CAN FILLED WITH GASOLINE IGNITES

"Don't fill the gasoline engine this evening, for the gasoline might take fire from that lantern." This was the warning that Henry Scholten enjoined upon his son Martin, Saturday evening. Then Mr. Scholten left his son working in the shed adjoining the barn, which is located on his farm, one mile north of Zeeland. After young Scholten had finished milking, he poured the milk in the separator, which is run by a gasoline engine. When he attempted to start the engine, it did not immediately start, so Martin thought that the gasoline tank was empty. He remembered the warning of his father, but evidently he had in mind the saying "That no matter how great a law is, necessity breaks it," and so he rushed to a near-by shed where he obtained a five gallon can of gasoline. When he returned he accidentally dropped some of the liquid on the heated lantern. In a moment the lantern was in flames. The flames found their way to the gasoline can, which happened to be level full and in a second the same was afire with such a blaze that young Scholten's life was in danger. After thinking momentarily, he tipped the flaming can over and the danger was averted. The gasoline burned a few minutes on the ground and then soon died out. The flames attracted several of the neighbors to the scene and they all agreed that it was a narrow escape.—Zeeland Cor.

BEST PLACE FOR GROWING PICKLES IN UNITED STATES

THAT IS WHY THE HEINZ CO. HAS LOCATED IN THIS VICINITY.

The stormy weather did not keep the farmers away from the Farmers' Institute at Saugatuck. The meeting was called to order by Edwin H. House, the chairman for Saugatuck Township who introduced Mr. Taylor, a representative of the Heinz Co., who spoke on the culture of cucumbers. The Heinz Co. has studied many localities to determine which is the best for growing the crops they use in their pickling operations and have found that this part of Michigan is the best place in the United States for the purpose of raising cucumbers for that reason they are making an effort to make contracts here, which resulted in securing a number of growers to take up the work last season. It was a poor year for the crop, in all parts of the country, Mr. Taylor says, and it is natural that growers in this section should be discouraged but he tells of many instances where growers followed the business for a number of years and made a very good success.

Mr. A. Bentall spoke in the afternoon session taking Soy Beans as his subject.

C. B. Cook gave the boys both young and old some instructions in tying knots with rope.

At noon a very good dinner was served in the M. E. church by the Ladies Aid Society.

Mr. A. Bentall spoke also at the morning on the Problems and Possibilities of Co-operative Marketing and gave some very convincing arguments to prove that in order to get the most out of the fruit raised it is necessary to organize and take charge of the selling end of the business.

Mr. Boyce talked on Commercial fertilizers and gave demonstrations of testing soils to determine the kind of fertilizers needed. Mr. Boyce is a practical man and his talk was very instructive as well as convincing for he has demonstrated on his farm in Laketown that he knows how to use fertilizers.

In the evening a very interesting and instructive meeting was held in the M. E. church which was opened by an address by Judge Williams who spoke on his experience in Tennessee while making a tour in that State, where he addressed farmers in many places with the view, to improve the conditions. There they have raised nothing but cotton for many years and have depleted the soil so that now it will hardly raise anything. The object of the tour was to show the farmers that it was to their advantage to raise their own meat and grains in place of buying from the North.

FOREST GROVE FARMER LOSES FINGERS IN SAW

Zeeland, Jan. 27—Perry Raab, a farmer living about one mile south of Forest Grove, lost four fingers of his right hand in a buzz saw.

Zeeland Couple Married

Zeeland, Jan. 27—Miss Melinda Raab and Bernard Vander Hiede were married here. He is a rural carrier.

ISAAC WALTONS STRIKE; INTENDED GAME DO NOT

NOT HEEDING JUICY ELEMENT, LOCAL BUSINESS MEN GATHER ON ICE

Many local fishermen felt the call of the wild Thursday and got out the fishing tackle in spite of the adverse weather. Quite a village of them gathered at the park, but not so with the finny tribe.

Many returned with empty baskets, tho some of them got the limit. Of course John Vandersluis is law-abiding as well as skilled at hooking the scaly game, and his basket held just 25 when he returned.

The rain began to pile up on the lake till they finally began fishing above the ice, they say.

SAUGATUCK MAY HAVE SEWERS AND PAVING

Engineers were in Saugatuck last week from South Haven on the invitation of local people to make a preliminary survey of Butler street in order to make an estimate of the cost of putting in sewer and pavement. If the estimate is not too high the matter will be brot before the village board and the property owners consulted regarding the much needed improvement.

GRAAFSCHAP CHURCH TO MOVE.

Central Park Will Be New Location For First Reformed Church

At a congregational meeting of the Graafschap First Reformed church it was decided to move the building to Central Park.

This will be done when the exact site has been decided upon. The church will be taken down and re-erected at Central Park.

At present there are two churches in Graafschap—the Christian Reformed and First Reformed. Central Park has a summer tabernacle, but it is hoped that the resorters will join in the new building.

FLUID RUNS OUT OF ALLEGANITE'S INJURED EYEBALL

Allegan, Jan. 27—E. H. Brown, night-watchman for the Baker Furniture Co. in this city, was the victim of a peculiar accident while splitting wood at his home on Depot hill. A piece of wood hit him in eye, cutting the eyeball and all the fluid ran out in a few minutes.

HARD TIMES PARTY HELD

Guests Garbed in Gay Garments Gather to Give Party.

A "hard times" party was held Friday night at the home of Jack Luidens on East 15th street. The thirty guests arrived clothed in multi-colored rags and styled costumes. Grind organ selections by Dago Jack, recitations by the farmer and a budget by Gypsy Viola, formed part of the entertainment.

"Hap" Kramer gave a piano solo and Miss Stikum rendered a Poortimes solo.

Refreshments served in a hard time manner and surroundings, closed the evening. Altogether, it was a collection of hard specimens that partook of them.

LA GRIPPE CLAIMS VICTIM

John G. Wolters, Aged 39 Years Succumbs to La Grippe

John G. Wolters age 39 years died Friday morning at his home 128 W. 10th Street. Death was caused by La Grippe complicated by stomach trouble. He is survived by a wife and son, John, aged 16 years. Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p. m. from the home. Rev. M. E. Broekstra officiated.

HOW TO CURE COLDS

Avoid exposure and drafts. Eat right. Take Dr. King's New Discovery. It is prepared from Pine Tar, healing balsams and mild laxatives. Dr. King's New Discovery kills and exiles the cold germs, soothes the irritated throat and allays inflammation. Search as you will, you cannot find a better cough and cold remedy. Its use over 45 years is a guarantee of satisfaction.

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SALE NOW GOING ON

Tremendous Slaughter of Prices -- Nothing Reserved

This is a bona fide closing out sale that will prove to be the **BIGGEST MONEY SAVING EVENT** in the history of Holland. Everything in my Holland store will go regardless of former prices or cost. I must move the entire stock quick. Nothing reserved. You can come to this store with all the confidence of saving more money than you ever saved before. Never have I sacrificed our splendid high-grade

merchandise to such an extent. I am going to sell every article in the Holland store, and it will be sacrificed to the people of Holland and surrounding country at a big personal loss, and when we throw the doors open on January 26th, it will mark the opening of the most gigantic money-saving event that was ever your privilege to attend. My business, which covers the entire continent is at stake, and I cannot

afford to misrepresent any article that is described in this advertisement. When I tell you that this big sale means real money in your pocket, no further guarantee is necessary. I am giving the people of Holland this grand opportunity. I am doing it because I want your future business through my new big enormous retail store at Grand Rapids, and I am certain to prove that an honestly advertised sale will clean out every article in my Holland store.

Men's 50c UNDERWEAR 3 for \$1.00	MEN'S \$9.00 SUITS \$5.95
Boy's \$3.75 Mackinaws \$2.95	MEN'S \$12.50 SUITS \$8.45
Men's \$6.00 Sheep Skin Coats \$3.95	MEN'S \$15.00 SUITS \$11.95
\$1.25 DRESS SHIRTS 79c	MEN'S \$10.00 Overcoats \$5.95
50c DRESS SHIRTS 37c	MEN'S \$12.50 Overcoats \$7.95
\$1.50 Flannel Shirts 89c	MEN'S \$16.50 Overcoats \$9.45
\$1.25 Blue Flannel Shirts 77c	BOY'S \$7.00 Overcoats \$3.95

Never Before

have you purchased clothing at such a tremendous reduction in prices.

NOTICE!

After Our Holland Store is closed we want our Holland friends who cannot go to Grand Rapids to purchase our merchandise, to drop us a postal card and we will supply you with our mail order catalogue and samples of cloth suiting together with factory prices.

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15c 4 PLY COLLARS 3 for 25c	25c WOOL SOCKS 15c
35c WOOL SOX 19c	\$1.25 UNION SUITS 77c
50c Leather or Yarn Mitts 39c	\$1.00 Leather Gloves 69c
\$1.75 Wool Underwear \$1.19	Men's \$1.00 SWEATERS 77c
\$2.75 Wool Sweaters \$1.95	\$3.50 Wool Sweaters \$2.45
25c Heavy Suspenders 19c	Men's and Boys' 50c WINTER CAPS 33c

WHY I AM CLOSING the DOORS of my HOLLANDSTORE

WE ARE MOVING OUR ENTIRE BUSINESS TO GRAND RAPIDS. It is in easy access to the people of Holland and surrounding territory. This great Mammoth new Headquarters is in connection with my pure fabric factory, our National Mail Order business, and I will conduct the

largest retail store in the state of Michigan. We will sell all our products at factory prices. I hope the thousands of people who have saved money in our various branch stores throughout the state, and you, my Holland friends, who have saved money at our Holland store will come and see

me at Grand Rapids—just one block from the Union Depot. The big Holland CLOSING OUT SALE will last only a few days. COME THE VERY FIRST DAY, and get the BEST BARGAINS you ever received in all your life.

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LOCAL NEWS

C. St. Clair moved into his new home at 242 West 10th street Monday.

Mayor Bosch is confined to his bed with an attack of the gripe.

Gerrit Wanroy of Holland has the contract for doing the mason work on the Colonial Clock Factory at Zeeland.

The De Pree Chemical Co. is breaking ground for their new building on Central avenue.

C. Dornbos has resumed his work at the Meyers Music House after a period of illness.

Mrs. James Tilt, who has been confined to her home with illness, is improving greatly.

Peter J. Zalsman who has been seriously ill with influenza and la gripe is slowly recovering.

The Hope College Seniors are preparing to issue an annual this year. The work has already commenced.

Miss Fenna Van Vessum has returned to Hope College after being down with the grip for several weeks.

The new Auto Bow factory of Holland, is making an exhibit at the Auto Exhibition in the Coliseum in Chicago.

Several scouts from Troop 1 yesterday left for Van Duren's cottage at Macatawa where they will spend a few days.

Dr. C. J. Fisher is again out calling on his patients after a prolonged illness. The doctor has again fully recovered.

Mrs. A. J. Bickford is recovering from a severe case of gripe and inflammation of the stomach at her home 254 Pine Avenue.

Ground has been broken for the Colonial Clock Co. at Zeeland. This enterprising firm will build another large addition.

The Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church held a church social and heard the annual financial reports, proving very satisfactory.

James Eckert, an employe of a Grand Haven restaurant, found a pearl in an oyster and sold it to a jeweler for \$14.

Only thirteen out of an enrollment of 26 in the primary room at Saugatuck were present Monday on account of the storm.

Ex-Alderman Abel Postma took his mother to Grand Rapids Tuesday where she will undergo a serious operation. She was taken to the Butterworth hospital.

Miss Leving Cappen is spending the winter in Florida. She will visit Jacksonville, Palm Beach, Miami and other southern resorts.

James Mulder who was called home to attend the funeral of his mother will leave Tuesday morning for New Brunswick to resume his studies.

G. J. Diekema left for Washington where he is booked to make a speech before the Michigan association at the National Capitol.

Dr. J. A. Mabbs has received a telegram informing him of the death of his aunt, Mrs. S. M. Hungerford, at Coldwater. He will leave Friday to attend the funeral.

Tuesday was the 157th anniversary of Robert Burns, the great Scottish poet. Burns was born on January 25, 1759.

Miss Jean Klumper with the A. Stekette Sons' dry goods store is again out after a severe illness of a month.

C. B. Cook, who has filled the position as agricultural expert of Allegan county for some time has accepted a position as agriculturalist-at-large at Washington, D. C.

Seth Nibbeling will return today from Chicago with a carload of horses numbering 28. It is said to be one of the best ever brought into the city. They were shipped by Adams express.

The board of education of the Saugatuck schools is planning to install physical and chemical laboratories for the high school there, by placing that school on the university accredited list.

Monday afternoon the horse consigned to delivery duty for the West Michigan Laundry became frightened on E. 8th street and ran amuck till captured near Harrington's coal yard on West 8th street. No damage was noticed on the wagon.

The Boy Scouts of Grace Episcopal church of Grand Rapids challenge the Holland Boy Scouts to a basket ball game in the very near future. Scout Master Van Putten is making arrangements to have one of the three local teams go to Grand Rapids to try conclusions with the boys there.

Pere Marquette passenger train No. 240 from Holland to Allegan broke an axle near here Thursday night but no one was injured. A wrecking crew from Holland was sent to the scene and the train was again on its way inside of an hour.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk was ill and could not meet his classes at Hope for a few days last week. This was the first time in sixteen years that Mr. Nykerk was so indisposed that he found it impossible to meet the students for recitations in the class room.

E. K. Warren, Sunday School Booster missed his train Tuesday night and for that reason came in late. When he entered the First Reformed church, accompanied by a committee from this city who waited upon him, he was given a rousing send-off, the applause lasting several minutes.

When Hope defeated M. A. C., they passed it off by saying they were sadly out of form. It must have continued, as I. A. C. defeated the Aggies 50-18 Saturday while Hope and I. A. C. played a 35-14 game, while being noticeably "out of form."

The Boy Scouts will give a real funny play on Washington's birthday entitled "The stolen peanut butter." The subject is certainly funny and surely the play must be. More will be written about it at a later date.

J. Reiders, employed as linotype operator at the Holland Printing Co. fractured his left arm above the elbow this morning on his way to work. The accident happened on College avenue on a slipper sidewalk.

Andrew Langhuis signed the pledge for one year and paid costs of \$3.45 when arraigned before Justice Robinson Tuesday morning on a charge of drunkenness. If the pledge is broken he at once becomes subject to a thirty day sentence.

A disabled milk wagon found by the students on College avenue was placed Friday evening in the entry way to the girls' dormitory, locking the ladies that were out and those that were in, in the boys did a tip-top job with the "TipTop" Milk wagon.

Today the Seminary exercises will be suspended to observe the Day of Prayer for Colleges which will be observed in a special way in the college. Dr. Jarvis of Westminster church of Grand Rapids will give an address.

The Muskegon postmaster will ask Uncle Sam for a larger postoffice force. With the enlarging of the new addition to the present office and with the rapid growth of "sawdust" city the force is entirely inadequate to handle the rapidly increasing business.

The committee having in charge the Sunday school rally wishes to thank all those who helped in bringing about, and especially do they appreciate the efforts of the officers, members and pastor of the First Reformed church who not only gave their building but lent their every effort to make the rally a success.

In an opinion to Auditor General Fuller, Attorney General Fellows says that under the presiding judge act passed at the last session of the legislature, a judge sent from a district where the salary is \$3,500 per year into a circuit court where a higher salary is paid, is entitled to the additional compensation paid in the district where he is temporarily holding court.

Al Van Duren, manager of the Komforter Kotton Co. says he is doing fine at the furniture exhibit at Grand Rapids. Already large fall orders have been booked for large firms such as Kaufman Bros., at large department store in Pittsburg, Pa. and many other orders that will keep one of Holland's industries going for some time.

With the heavy wind a few days ago and the snow thawed away it was a curious sight to see, at intervals, fish shanties leaving their moorings and sailing hastily for the shore. When the shanties reached the beaches they rolled over three or four times and then broke into pieces. It is said that more than thirty shanties did these particular stunts while the wind lasted.

Henry Vanden Berg, who has been employed by the Wm. De Pree Co. as wall paper and paint salesman the past several years, severed his connection with that firm last Saturday to accept a position as salesman with the Holland Furnace Co. The territory assigned to Mr. Vanden Berg is Barry county with Hastings as headquarters.—Zeeland Record.

The fifty acre farm of Gerrit DeGroot of Vriesland was sold to John Meengs of that place for a consideration of \$5,400. The twenty-acre farm of Henry Victoria of Noordeloos was sold to Jacob Zwiers of this place. Consideration, \$4,000; personal property, \$1,075. Mr. Victoria purchased the city property of Mr. Zwiers for \$1,100 as part payment. Both deals were made through the Jacob Poest agency, the Zeeland Real Estate man.

You can tell what weather is going to be by the appearance of your morning cup of coffee. When the bubbles collect in the center of the cup and form a "kiss" you can tell the day is going to be fine. When they rush to the side of the cup, you had better look out for squalls. Rain is not absolutely certain, but it is likely. Of course, it is the condition of the atmosphere that affects the tiny bubbles.

The family driving horse of Mr. H. Kooiker of near Overisel, broke its leg in his stall and has had to be killed. Fred Graham of Allendale made a business trip to Grand Haven Monday. While at the Pere Marquette depot his horse became frightened, throwing Mr. Graham out of his sleigh. He struck on the rail and sustained several fractured ribs and a severe scalp wound. Mr. Nibbeling of Allendale was called to attend him. The doctor took some stitches in the scalp cut.—G. H. Tribune.

Herbert Van Duren, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Van Duren, living on West 13th street, is one of thirty boys receiving special mention from the Boys' Scouts National Headquarters at Washington. These thirty boys were selected from the ranks of all the Boy Scouts in the United States and it is said that there are over a half a million. His standings were taken on general scout work and faithful performance of duty. This certainly speaks well for the Holland lad.

The address of the evening delivered by Hon. Gerrit J. Diekema, candidate for governor, was a masterpiece, and all agree the best address ever given in our city. Altho the address did not concern politics in the least, the people were very much impressed with the man, and many express themselves as very favorable to his candidacy for governor. Everyone agreed that this banquet was by far the best which many ever attended.—Charlevoix (Mich.) Courier.

Between the water and the snow of the last few weeks Carl Bowen, our city engineer has been some busy man. During the worst intervals of these two weather extremes the young man has been up early and late to cope with the situation. He is not adverse to handling the shovel when the occasion demands or the scraper to make the surface water in our streets find its proper level in the catch basins. Mr. Bowen has been in constant touch with his men so as to place the men quickly where they were the most needed, and with the recent flood of water little damage was done in this city by virtue of the way it was handled.

The "Y" board of directors met with the young men Monday evening and gave the boys some sound advice. The speakers were James A. Brower, Henry Geerlings, Milo De Vries and Fred Beuwkes. These men said that the Y. M. C. A. was at last being conducted on a business-like basis and the boys from all appearance want business. "Stogie" in turn spoke for the boys to the directors, saying that since the boys have shown the inclination to make the "Y" a success the directors should in turn see to it that a Y. M. C. A. building was forthcoming.

R. Wiersema a representative of the Holland Furnace Co., Holland, Mich., was painfully, if not seriously injured Monday, when he was thrown from a cutter into a barbed wire fence. The young man was being driven in a cutter on a business trip to Berlin township, and when near the Eddy hill the horse became frightened at several telephone linemen who were working at the top of the poles. The injured man was thrown over the driver, who escaped unhurt, and dragged against a wire fence, cutting a number of ugly gashes in his face. Dr. Hay, assisted by Dr. Gesler, dressed the wounds, which required several stitches and many bandages. Mr. Wiersema was able to go to his home at Holland, Tuesday afternoon.—Saranac Advance.

For several months a chorus of about sixty voices has been preparing for a cantata under the leadership of Mr. Frank Duma. The production is entitled "Jehovah, and sets forth in very strong solo, duet, quartet and chorus parts the attributes of God. The soloists will be the Misses Henrietta Van Zee and Nellie Weststrate and Messrs. F. De Jonge and Teunish Prijs. The cantata will be given under the auspices of the Band of Benevolent Workers of the First Reformed church and the silver collection which will be taken will go into the treasury of this society after deducting the expenses which have been incurred. Everyone is cordially invited to this musical treat, which will be given this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the First Reformed church.

Personal Items

Miss Josphine Vos of Grand Rapids was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Lincoln Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Water of Chicago who were called here to attend a funeral returned home today.

A. W. Baker, the Muskegon livery man was in the city Monday on business.

Miss Marguerite Diekema is visiting in Chicago.

Miss Leona Deneau has returned from a visit to Montague.

Matt Whitvliet was in Grand Rapids Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Altman spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Fred Boone spent Monday in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newman were Grand Rapids visitors Sunday.

Among the Grand Rapids visitors Saturday night were the Misses Madeleine Van Putten and Margaret Thomasma, Ed Hoven, Billy Van Putten and George Scholten.

Judge Cross was in Holland Monday morning calling on friends. He was enroute to Grand Haven from Allegan where he will open court for the week.

Miss Angie Westveld with the law office of A. Visscher visited her parents in Pennville Sunday.

John Cress of the Graham & Morton Co. made a business trip to Grand Rapids Friday.

Frank A. Wall of the Brownall Engine Co. made a business trip to Grand Rapids Friday.

Henry Van Ark and J. E. Dekker made a business trip to Grand Rapids Friday.

Ruby Wise, stenographer at the Holland Furniture Co. was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Mrs. N. Bosch was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Mrs. John Dryden took the interurban for Grand Rapids Saturday morning.

Sam W. Miller made a business trip to Grand Rapids Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dyke spent Friday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Edna Jones was a Grand Rapids visitor Saturday.

J. E. Lewis spent Saturday in Grand Rapids.

Leon Mulder went to Grand Rapids on business Friday.

Jake Manting was a Grand Rapids visitor Friday.

Henry Roberts made a business trip to Grand Rapids Friday.

Ray Hoek was in Grand Rapids Friday on business.

Orrie Maal of Detroit spent a few days in the city.

George E. Kollen and G. J. Diekema are in Grand Rapids today.

Joe Bouwman of Whelan is visiting relatives for a few days in the city.

A. Visscher returned Friday morning were in Grand Rapids Friday.

Tony Kuite left for Grand Rapids Friday morning.

Mrs. G. Van Hess was in Grand Rapids Friday.

Chris Becker and Frank Kleinhökel were in Grand Rapids on business Friday.

Nelson R. Stanton took the interurban for Grand Rapids Friday morning.

Mrs. J. W. Himebaugh is on a week's visit to Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Joseph Kardux spent Friday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Fred Boone Thursday night returned from a visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Sears McLean is a Grand Rapids visitor Friday.

Miss Anna Takken spent Friday in Grand Rapids.

Miss Myrtle Beach was a Grand Rapids visitor Friday.

Helene Mulder of Grand Rapids who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. L. Mulder, returned home Friday morning.

Ryn and Albert Vos are visiting the auto factories in Detroit, Lansing and Flint.

Julius Brusse left for Chicago where he has taken a position with a large Varnish & Paint firm.

John Mulder of the standard Grocery & Milling Co. was in Grand Rapids Friday on business.

Mrs. Aaron Cohan of Bass Lake, Ind., is visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Padnos, Alfred, Simon and Otto Cohan.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Hoffsteen attended the funeral of Mr. Van Zanten of Grand Haven Tuesday.

John Kooiker, of the Scott-Lugers Grand Rapids Tuesday.

G. Van Schelven was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mrs. Percy Ray was a Grand Rapids visitor Tuesday.

W. J. Garrod made a business trip to Rapids Tuesday morning.

Rev. A. Keizer of Beaverdam is visiting in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hoffsteen were Grand Haven visitors Tuesday.

George Lage was in Grand Rapids Tuesday on business.

Arnold Mulder is on a trip to Lansing in the interests of the State Board of Health.

Sheriff Short of Allegan county spent Monday night in this city on his way from Saugatuck to Allegan with two prisoners, who spent the night in the city jail.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Meboer and child left Monday night for Manhattan, Montana. After spending a month with friends and relatives in this city.

Austin Harrington left for Traverse City Tuesday to attend a meeting of the Western Michigan Development Bureau.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Aldworth spent Tuesday in Grand Rapids.

Henry Geerlings went to Gary, Ind., to inspect the school system there.

Paul Coster was a Grand Rapids visitor yesterday.

P. T. McCarthy was in Grand Rapids on business Tuesday.

Charley Fabiano was in Muskegon yesterday on business.

Attorney Raymond Visscher was in Grand Rapids, Attorney George E. Kollen was in Grand Haven, and Atty. A. Visscher was in Chicago yesterday.

Edwin Fellows of Olive township, ex-county drain commissioner, is spending part of the week in Grand Haven as a witness in the Worley case in circuit court.—G. H. Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bosworth and family left yesterday for Harvey, Ill., where they will attend the golden wedding celebration Thursday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompsons.

IN SOCIETY

The regular tea meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will be held in the Byrns parlors this afternoon at 2:30.

Miss Agnes Vander List entertained the W. L. W.'s at her home on West 17th street Thursday evening.

The Star of Bethlehem, O. E. S. met Thursday evening in their lodge rooms in Unity hall in the Tower block. A candidate was initiated into the order and a social time was enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

Attorney Fred T. Miles and Mr. and Mrs. John Owens of North River Ave. and Mrs. Clarence Peek of West Olive went to the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miles of Olive to see their mother who is sick with pneumonia.

This evening the I. O. O. F. will hold a special meeting to entertain the state officers of the Grand Lodge at a date which will be arranged for at this meeting. This occasion will be an elaborate affair which all Odd Fellows in Ottawa and Allegan county are requested to attend. A large delegation from Grand Rapids will come by special car.

The supper given by the Ladies Guild of Grace church will be held at the Guild hall instead of at the Woman's Literary club as was first the intention. The speakers of the evening will be Melvin Trotter, Rev. G. P. T. Sargent and Ben Walker of Grand Rapids and Rev. Holt of this city. The supper will take place this evening.

Miss Cathryn Vander Schel entertained her Sunday school class of the Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church at her home Monday evening. They presented their teacher Mr. Gerrit Van der Hill with a handsome umbrella which was well received. Dainty refreshments were served and the evening was spent with music and games. Prizes were won by Miss Angie Dogger, Miss Harriet Rutgers, Mrs. John Zwiers and Mr. Vander Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hoffman of this city left Monday evening for Williamsport, Penn. to visit Mr. Hoffman's parents. After a short stay they will leave for their new home in Camden, N. J. Mrs. Hoffman was formerly Elizabeth Cummings of this city. Mr. Hoffman was formerly employed as drummer at the Royal theater. Their many friends wish them great success.

The ladies of St. Francis church gave a party Tuesday evening which was attended by nearly two hundred well pleased patrons. Fifteen card tables were constantly busy and after ten o'clock the music started up for a social hour of dancing. At cards Mrs. Scholte won the ladies lead prize and Mrs. Oliver Dete the consolation, while the gentlemen's head prize was won by Otto Cohan and consolation by Mr. Ming. The refreshments were simply delicious. The proceeds of the entertainment will be used toward a library fund for the church.

One of the social events of the season will be the first annual ball given by the Order of the Eastern Star, Holland Chapter No. 429. Fischers' six piece orchestra will furnish the music for the evening. Invitations have already gone out stating that the date of this ball will be on Thursday evening, February 10 at the Woman's Literary club rooms and the bill including buffet lunch will be two dollars. The new organization is in flourishing condition having a membership of fifty who are presided over by Mrs. Mae Allen, Worthy Matron; L. E. Van Drezzer, W. P.; Mrs. Anna Van Drezzer, A. M.; Mrs. Rose Kramer, secretary.

Obituary

Harm Kotman, aged 85 years, a pioneer of western Michigan, is dead from old age at East Saugatuck. He leaves two children.

Word has been received here of the death of Rev. J. Huizenga of Rock Valley, Ia. The deceased is a brother to B. Huizenga of this city.

Mrs. Willis Huisman, aged 22 years, died from pneumonia Thursday at Overisel after a week's illness. She leaves a husband, a hardware dealer, and one child.

Henry Martin, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vander Bie, died Friday of convulsions. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon from the home 256 W. 12th St. Rev. Einink officiating.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. J. K. McCreary of Hastings, who is the wife of Rev. J. K. McCreary, who was formerly pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist church of this city.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. William Vander Ven that Mrs. P. D. Martindale of Detroit died suddenly of apoplexy. Mrs. Martindale was formerly Miss Artha Burt and taught in the fifth grade in the Van Raalte school about five years ago.

William Bailard, aged 83 years, a resident of Coopersville for 47 years, died late Wednesday from gangrene, caused by a slight injury to his thumb some time ago when he pinched it in a door. His widow is critically ill. They have been married 58 years. He is survived by eight children, including Frank Bailard of Grand Rapids, nineteen grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

MANY CELLARS ARE FLOODED WITH WATER

CHILDREN REMAIN HOME FROM SCHOOL OWING TO WET FEET; SCHOOLS CLOSE FOR TODAY

Cellar of Holland Rusk Company Is Flooded; Trinity Church District Is As a Sheet of Water

Friday night's heavy rain did considerable damage, giving the childrens of the school a half holiday and converted Centennial Park into a veritable lagoon. The low district around Trinity Reformed church was flooded with water for several blocks and many cellars were flooded with water in that vicinity, resulting in considerable damage.

The basement of the Holland Rusk Company was flooded owing to a sewer that became clogged up with snow and debris and the surface water found its level in the basement of the bakery shop, putting the heating plant out of commission and doing about \$50 worth of damage to paper stock stored there. Considerable more damage would have been done had not William Arendshorst the manager, with a force of employees taken most of the goods to the floor above.

Supt. Fell dismissed the schools Friday morning as most of the pupils had become drenched in the down-pour of rain and the majority of them had wet clothes and feet and the superintendent deemed it wise and safer for the children to get a change of dry clothes thus preventing an epidemic of sickness, which is already so prevalent in the city today.

The pupils in the district school at Lugers Crossing were also dismissed Friday morning as the basement of the building became flooded and put the fire in the furnace out of commission.

The streets of Holland were veritable mud-puddles, owing to the melting snow and the copious rains mixed. But, at that Old Sol peeped through the clouds and smiled upon Mother Earth for a few brief moments Friday morning.

FOR SALE

Nine roomed house and barn just outside city limits with lot 75 ft. frontage on East Eighth street; also 20 acres of good garden land with barn located 2 1/2 miles north of Holland. Inquire of Gertrude Zonnebelt, East 8th St. B. No. 4, City.

A sluggish liver can cause a person an awful lot of misery. Spells of dizziness, headaches, constipation and biliousness are sure signs that your liver needs help. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills and see how they help tone up the whole system. Fine for the stomach, too. Aids digestion. Purifies the blood and clears the complexion. Only 25c at your Druggists.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY A GREAT SUCCESS

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH FILLED TO CAPACITY TO GREET

Speakers Impress The Large Audience With Fervor and Enthusiasm Tuesday Night.

The first get-together meeting held Tuesday night of the Sunday school forces of the city of Holland, with a view to the big convention booked for November was a complete success. Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather the First Reformed church was entirely filled.

One of the interesting features which contributed as much as anything else toward bringing out a splendid audience, was the large chorus of some 70 voices under the leadership of that prince of choristers, Mr. J. Vandersluis. The chorus itself bore testimony to the get-together spirit of the meeting for it was composed of representatives of all of the Reformed and Christian Reformed churches, besides the Episcopal, 14 in all. During the chorus work different soloists took part, they being the Misses Bloemendahl, Brouwer, Girard and Messrs. C. De Koster and Teun is Prins. The 30-minute song service was fine.

Mr. Wm. Vander Ven, chairman of the local committee ably presided. After scripture reading and prayer by the Rev. H. J. Veldman, Mr. E. K. Mohr, the first speaker of the evening was introduced. Mr. Mohr spoke on cooperation. The burden of his address was that all Christian churches, whatever their denominational differences might be, should work together at least in this one great common cause. The speaker enforced his argument by an appeal to scripture, and by the use of many striking illustrations.

Our townsman, Mr. Henry Geerlings, president of the County Sunday School association, spoke briefly on the importance of religious work for the coming generation. He also called upon the citizens of Holland to redeem the pledge made at Battle Creek in the fall of 1915. While an offering was being taken for the work with which the committee has been charged, a selection was rendered by Messrs. Vandersluis, Sywassink, Cook and Van Lente.

The chairman next introduced Prof. F. S. Goodrich, secretary of the State Sunday School association. Prof. Goodrich has the reputation of always making a good speech; he lived up to it last night. He told of the efforts that would be made on the part of the State association to make the convention of 1916 the best ever held from every standpoint, especially from the standpoint of speakers.

Mr. E. K. Warren, one of the most enthusiastic Sunday school workers of the world, was the last speaker. He is a rather elderly man, but has a heart as young as that of any. Mr. Warren not only talks Sunday school but he also goes deep down in his pockets for it. The very presence of such a man gives added inspiration. The Sunday school world knows E. K. Warren and honors him. It was surely an honor to Holland to have the Grand Young Man here Tuesday. His heart to heart message will long be remembered.

ALLEGAN PROSECUTOR GETS 130 CONVICTIONS

Allegan, Jan. 27.—In his semi-annual report to the attorney general Prosecuting Attorney Fench states there were 137 prosecutions of which 130 were convictions, one acquittal and six dismissals.

JUST A FE

\$544,126 HAS BEEN SPENT ON HARBOR

GOVERNMENT DECIDES AGAINST SCHEME FOR IMPROVING KALAMAZOO RIVER

Saugatuck Loses Out on Their Channel Proposal

Washington, Jan. 27.—Congressman Borah and Kalamazoo river will get no appropriation for improvement from the government this year. In a letter from the secretary of war, transmitting the report of the chief of engineers to congress the project is deemed inadvisable at present.

The district engineer states that Kalamazoo lake forms an ample harbor basin which the U. S. at large expense has connected by an adequate channel with deep water in Lake Michigan.

He maintains the government should not be expected to maintain a channel to a particular dock, which would be in the nature of providing terminal facilities which should be done by local interests.

Today the government has spent \$544,126.72 on Saugatuck harbor and Kalamazoo river. The project which has been disallowed called for a channel 90 feet wide and sixteen feet below the mean level of the lake. The improvement asked for was a restoration, extension and maintenance of a channel deepened at private expense in 1914.—G. R. Press.

ADELPHIC SOCIETY MEETS

Dr. and Mrs. Matthew Kolyn Entertain Seminary Students

The regular meeting of the Adelpic society of the Seminary was held Tuesday night at the home of Dr. Matthew Kolyn. The devotional service was led by Harry Hoff, the theme chosen and discussed being "The Gubleen Crisis." The paper of the evening was read by B. Vander Woude. "Paul on Feminism" was the subject of the well prepared essay. After the usual social time, during which refreshments were served, the meeting adjourned at the usual time.

THREE MISSIONARIES VISITING IN HOLLAND

Holland has been the mecca for missionaries on furlough for the last few months. Three are making their home here—Rev. H. P. Boot and family of China, Rev. Willis G. Hoekje and family of Japan and Rev. James E. Moerdyke of Arabia.

ALLEGAN VOTERS DEFEAT \$75,000 SCHOOL ISSUE

Allegan, Jan. 27.—By a vote of 328 to 91 the proposition to bond this school district for a \$75,000 school building was defeated by the voters at Tuesday's election. The proposition will be brought up again later, it is said.

MUSKEGON POULTRY SHOW HAS 1,500 CLASSY BIRDS

Muskegon, Jan. 27.—With an entry list of nearly 1,500 birds the sixth annual Muskegon county poultry show opened its doors Tuesday afternoon. Many fine fowls from all over the United States are being shown here. The state Houdan society is also holding its annual meeting here.

MEMORIAL FUND FOR HUIZINGA IS PLANNING

Mr. Albert T. Huizinga late of Zeeland, was a school teacher in country school around Zeeland for nearly forty years. Many hundreds of people now living were his scholars in New Groningen, Nykerk, Beaverdam, Blendon, Zutphen, and also in Alto, Wis. He was always greatly loved by the children and his memory is now honored by many of them, especially for his moral and religious teaching and example. Some of these will welcome an opportunity of doing something that will keep his name in grateful remembrance in connection with the same kind of work to which he gave his life.

The plan is this: The youngest son of Albert T. Huizinga, Rev. Henry Huizinga, Ph. D., has been a teacher in India the past nineteen years. He is the principal of a high school in Kurnool, with over twenty assistant teachers and 400 pupils under his care. In this school the Bible is taught every day and in many other ways the school is a center of religious influence both on week days and on Sundays. There is a large number of poor boys in the school whom Dr. Huizinga has helped to get an education by means of a Poor Boys Fund, to which he himself contributes and in which he has interested some of his friends.

Mr. Albert T. Huizinga remembered this Poor Boys' fund in his last will and testament by bequeathing the interest of a little property for a few years, which may yield altogether about \$15. It is now proposed to add to this by soliciting subscriptions from former pupils of Albert T. Huizinga for a Memorial Scholarship Endowment in honor of their old school teacher. The money obtained will be invested and only the interest applied for the benefit of poor students in the Coles Memorial High school of Kurnool, India. If \$1000 can be secured in this way the interest each year will be enough to pay all the expenses of a student in the highest class, but it is likely that the money will be divided between four students, one in each class, who with this help will be able to get an education. Money contributed in this way will help in the building up of the kingdom of Jesus Christ there.

Write to Rev. Henry Huizinga for more information about the Kurnool school if desired. He is now on furlough and his address is 716 So. Rose St. Kalamazoo, Mich. Let each old scholar of Albert T. Huizinga send at least \$1, more if possible. Receipts will be sent to the donor and gifts will be acknowledged in the Daily Sentinel.

NO FISH IN DEVIL'S LAKE

BECAUSE INDIAN PRINCESS HAD NEGLECTED TO BURN BONES.

Fremont, Mich., Jan. 27.—Devil's Lake, three miles north of this city, is now a mere pond covered with pond lilies and other aquatic growth. But in the memory of men still living, there was a time when it was a lake of considerable extent. Never, however, in the recollection of white men, has it contained any fish. An Indian legend explains this thus:

Many, many years before the white men came to this region, a band of Pottawatomie Indians lived on the south shore of this lake, subsisting mainly on the fish taken from its bosom. But for these fish they had to pay, not in money, of course, but in prayers. The Indians worshipped both the good and the bad spirits. Indeed, they worshipped the bad spirits the most, reasoning that the good spirits would not harm them anyway, and the bad spirits must be propitiated with gifts and prayers. The bad spirit of the lake required them, in return for the fish, to pray to him, and to gather up the bones carefully after each meal and burn them as an offering to him. This seemed but a modest requirement, and the Indians kept it faithfully for years and thus enjoyed peace and prosperity.

The chief's daughter loved a young Chippewa Indian who was living in another band of Pottawatomes some distance north of the lake. The chief had forbidden her to have anything to do with the young Chippewa as he belonged to a different tribe and was only an ordinary Indian. The young princess, however, disregarded her father's commands and often met her lover in secret.

One day as the princess was eating her evening meal, she heard her lover's call from the other side of the lake. She was so anxious to meet him that she neglected to gather up the bones from her repast and to burn them, as was customary. She hurried out alone in her canoe to cross the lake. When near the middle the canoe overturned and she was drowned. Her body was never recovered and the next day after the drowning the shores were lined with dead fish. From that time there have been no fish in the lake, which received the name which has clung to it ever since.

"First Robin" Seen By W. P. Johnson

Grand Rapids, Jan. 27.—W. P. Johnson, 840 Wealthy street, has seen the first robin of the season. Sunshine and balmy weather Saturday brought the bird to Johnson's rear yard early today he telephoned the police. Patrolman Elmer Graves, the department's ornithologist, reported that he found a robin's nest containing three eggs in a tree on Bridge street.

LECTURE COURSE TO PRESENT TREAT

MAGICIAN TO APPEAR ON HOPE LECTURE COURSE IS A WONDER.

After 17 Years of Working Out Ideas On Platform, Now Has Magical Fantasies.

Posters are out announcing the lecture of Eugene Laurant, the man of many mysteries, at Carnegie Gymnasium next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Laurant has never appeared in Holland before but has time and again thrilled large audiences with his art in Grand Rapids. He has toured the U. S. several times and each time he has received a hearty welcome.

This season marks a real epoch in the career of the magician. During the 17 years that he has been on the Lyceum platform, appearing in all the large cities in every state in the Union, he has been planning for a time when he could produce a big magical, magical fantasia with a coterie of talented assistants. That time has now arrived. Last spring he was commissioned by the Redpath Bureau to carry out his ideas upon an extensive scale for this season. The program is made up of the latest wonders in magic, large illusions, impersonations and musical numbers, the whole staged and costumed in a very elaborate manner. In the new program live pigeons are suddenly seen to appear in mid-air and are deftly caught by the magician. Where they come from remains a mystery. A human skull, after being freely shown for examination, is placed upon a sheet of glass. Soon it is endowed with life, for under the guidance or power of Laurant it is made to answer questions in the most wonderful way. The Wizard's supper is entirely original with Mr. Laurant, and is without doubt one of the cleverest ideas ever produced by any magician. It might be termed a magic demonstration of domestic science. The stage setting for this act is unique; a banquet scene is represented with the table arranged in the most artistic manner—beautiful linen, costly China and glassware, with odd burnished utensils being used to prepare the feast. Laurant keeps his attendants busy waiting upon the audience serving them with curious dishes of magic cookery. These and many other tricks will be performed by the master magician. During the intermission musical numbers will be presented by the Laurant Instrumental Trio.

Not only is Mr. Laurant a great magician but he is gifted with a charming personality, is a natural-born entertainer and introduced lightning character impersonations in as finished a manner as he executes his tricks in magic. He is also a favorite among the men of his own profession, having been presented with two beautiful medals by his fellow magicians, one in Chicago and one in New York. Mr. Laurant and his assistants will perform in Carnegie Gymnasium next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Tickets are on sale at Har-die's.

MOOSE TO ORGANIZE MIDDLE OF FEBRUARY

HALL WILL BE LOCATED IN THE E. J. HARRINGTON

Holland is beginning to accumulate quite a zoo-o-lodge-ical garden. It has Eagles, Elks, and has just now added the Moose. It has a cage of nearly 200 Eagles, preserves containing 150 Elks and now forty Moose, will brouse within its confines. 14 have also been added from Saugatuck and a few stragglers have been rounded up in the vicinity of Zeeland and Fennville.

Wm. B. Hallet of the Moose club of Kalamazoo will organize the new lodge sometime in the middle of February and a hall has been rented in the Harrington block which will be fitted up for the occasion.

W. E. Whitman State Director and W. D. Carpenter, Deputy Director have been in the city for the past month securing memberships in the new herd of Moose.

The motto of the lodge is "Purity, Aid and Progress." Besides a social side there is a sick, accident and funeral benefit.

RESCUED FISH BOAT OFF OF SOUTH HAVEN

CAPT. FRANK JOHNSON, FOR 15 YEARS WITH HOLLAND CREW IS HERO.

A volunteer crew composed of the members of the South Haven coast guard station on Saturday rescued the gasoline fishing boat Gorilla and Capt. L. C. Ludwig and son Clifford.

The two had gone out in the morning to set a gang of nets and had started to lift when their engine "bucked", refusing to turn a wheel regardless of the Herculean efforts to start the contrary piece of machinery. The wind was blowing fresh from the southwest and a heavy sea making, with a dense haze gathering. They were about four miles from port, and it was becoming more difficult to see land all the time. Their condition was anything but pleasant, and becoming decidedly perilous as the time passed. A signal of distress was hoisted in hopes that some one would see it.

Capt. Johnson of the coast guard crew looked for the boat to return about 2 o'clock and when she did not put in an appearance became uneasy and went to the lookout with his glasses to sweep the lake. He managed to locate the disabled craft and make out that she was flying distress signals. Gathering four members of his regular crew, namely, Theo. Hempson, Byron French, Lorraine Rodick and Charles Ahlers he launched the power boat and reached the disabled fishing smack about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, making excellent headway against the wind and sea.

The Gorilla was towed safely into port and Capt. Ludwig and his son feel grateful to Capt. Johnson and his men for the interest they took in their welfare and the watch kept on their safety. This is the second time that Capt. Ludwig has been towed into South Haven by the coast guard crew since he has been fishing out of that port, and knows whereof he speaks when he says that Capt. Johnson and crew are "always on the job." The Gorilla is the only boat fishing out of that port this winter. There is no ice in the lake off that port but it is quite heavy in the river.

CANTATA WELL RECEIVED BY AUDIENCE

"JOAN OF ARC" DECLARED A SUCCESS BY A CAPACITY MOOSE THURSDAY NIGHT

Soloists and Chorus Alike Share in the Praise of Musical Production Under Direction of Miss Wright

That the people of Holland are interested in the work of the High school students and that they appreciate a public demonstration of the musical talent found in the school was shown Thursday night by the crowd that greeted the appearance of the 150 pupils composing the High school chorus, under the direction of Miss Lucile Wright presenting the cantata "Joan of Arc" by Alfred R. Gaul. The chorus was accompanied by Miss Dorothy Hunt, while Harvey Pettit of the school faculty accompanied the soloists of the evening.

A great portion of the evening's success is due to the individual artists who took part in the short program before the cantata, and also during the presentation of "Joan of Arc." The program was opened by a piano solo, "Barcarole" by Miss Audrey Rank. Frank L. Showers of Muskegon, tenor, first appeared in a song group, at once establishing his popularity with the audience. His voice is clear and under perfect control.

Miss Freda Soulen entranced the audience with her violin rendition of Cadman's "At Dawning." A storm of applause forced her to respond to an encore, playing Bohm's "Still wie de Nacht." Prof. Harper C. Maybee of Kalamazoo sang a group of baritone songs, showing the unmistakable quality of his voice. As a third number in place of the one stated on the program he sang a composition of which Harvey Pettit is the author.

The cantata was then rendered by the chorus and soloists, Mrs. A. A. Rather of Ann Arbor taking the part of "Joan" in a clear, pure soprano voice that captivated the audience. "Philip," a youth of Domremy, was represented by Frank Showers, and "Robert de Bandriouart," provost of Vaucouleurs, and "Jean De Novelonpont," a gentleman of Metz, were present in the voice of Prof. Maybee.

The presentation of the cantata showed the ability of musical talent in the school, the chorus work being complimented highly. Miss Lucile Wright, musical director, is to be congratulated on the results of her work with the school pupils. The final chorus was an admirable burst of en masse, unity that swept the audience.

ZEELAND GLEE CLUB APPEARS IN CONCERT

TWO HOLLAND MEN ASSIST IN PROGRAM WITH VIOLIN AND READINGS

Wynyarden's Hall was filled to the doors Tuesday evening when the Zeeland Glee club of this city gave their concert. The Glee club is composed of several talented local singers. Their selections were highly applauded. Peter J. Smiths is director and Mrs. Kathryn De Pree, accompanist. William E. Vander Hart entertained the audience with several of his favorite readings. G. Ingham favored his hearers with several violin solos. The program follows: "One, Two, Three, Four," (La Meda), Wagner Glee club; "De Coppah Moon," (Shelley), Wagner Glee club; "How We Hunted a Mouse," (Anonymous), Mr. Vander Hart; "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming," (Foster), Glee club; "Swing Song," (Barns), Mr. Ingham; "Please Won't You Be My H'm!" (Dore), Glee club; "When the Twilight Shadows Fall," (Rowles), Glee club; "The Debating Society," (Eugene Hall), Mr. Vander Hart; "Old Farmer Slow," (Geibel), Glee club; "Little Tommy," (Macy) Glee club; "Flowers and Ferns," (Keiser) Mr. Ingham; "The Trumpet Calls Away!" (Dow), Glee club.

HOLLAND CRIPPLED FOR UNION BATTLE HUNTLEY OUT BUT OTTAWA BOYS

FULLY EXPECT TO WIN THE GAME HERE.

Holland, Jan. 27.—On account of the injuries sustained by Jud Huntley, the captain of the Holland High school Basketball team, the locals will meet Union with a crippled lineup.

This, however is not causing any worry among the Holland fans because the team showed what they could do without their captain when they gave South Haven their first defeat of the season last Friday. Thus far the locals have not met defeat this season and expect to keep their slate clear when they meet Grand Rapids Union tomorrow night at Grand Rapids. Holland's team this year is the strongest team Holland has put out in the past three years. Irving, at forward, and Paulus at center, who also showed their class in football circles last season, are developing into all state material.—G. R. Herald.

WOMEN TAKE EXAMS AT HOLLAND POSTOFFICE

Fifteen candidates took the civil service examination for carriers and clerk in the new federal building in this city last Saturday. The applicants included two women, Geneva Mulder and Bessie Mulder who entered for position of clerk.

MISS BERTHA FRIS AND HARRY A. BRUMMEL UNITED IN MARRIAGE BY REV. HOEKESMA

At high noon yesterday the marriage of Miss Bertha Fris, daughter of Mrs. L. Fris, and Harry A. Brummel, of Detroit, was solemnized by the Rev. H. Hoekesma of the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's mother, 56 W. 18th street.

The bride was dressed in a blue traveling suit and the groom in conventional black. The ring ceremony was used. Only the immediate family was present. Following the nuptial rites a wedding dinner was served, immediately after which the newly-weds left for Detroit.

The young couple will make their future home in Detroit. Both are well known in Holland and are followed by well wishes of their many friends.

HEAR DR. JARVIS TODAY

Day for Prayer for Colleges Observed Today

A very cordial invitation is extended to the people of Holland to attend the service in Winants chapel at two o'clock today in observance of the Day of Prayer for Colleges. The address will be made by Rev. Robert E. Jarvis, D. D., the new pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church of Grand Rapids.

Dr. Jarvis has already won a large place for himself in the hearts of the people of our neighboring city, and it is safe to assert that he will bring to the student body of the College and Seminary and to all who come a message of great power and helpfulness.

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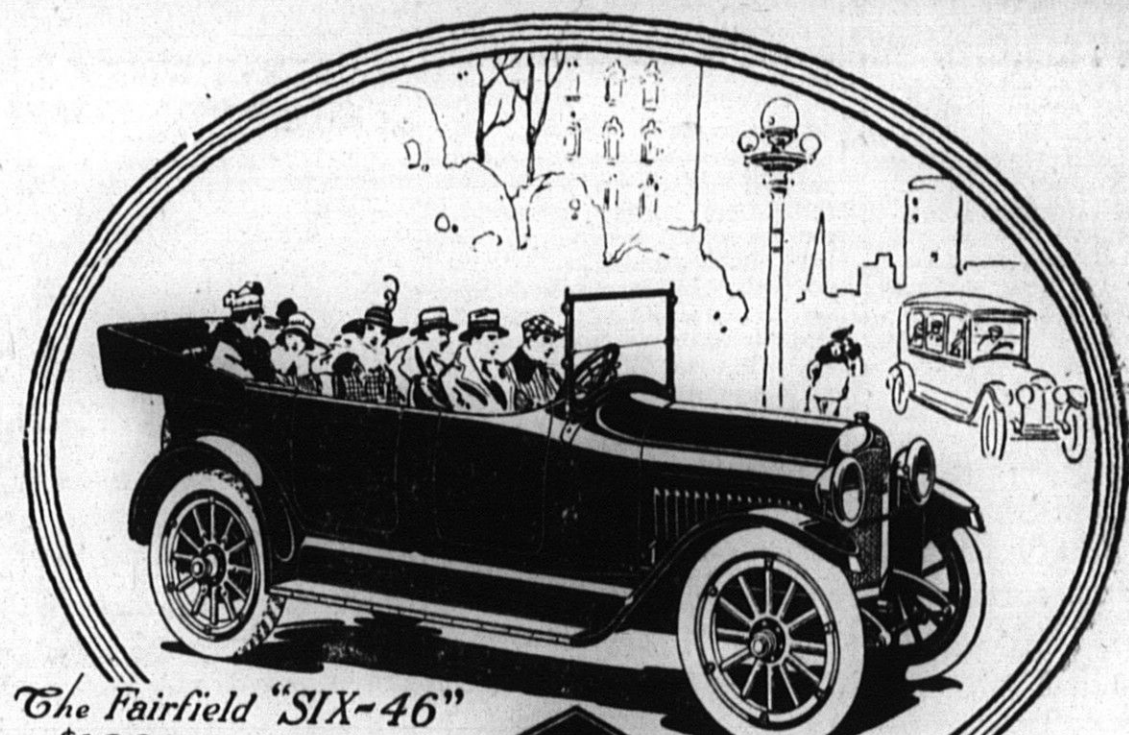
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WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER
THIRTY FIVE YEARS AGO

Mr. William Lyons, a resident of Ventura, in the township of Holland, died on Monday night last.

The newly elected officers of the Rebecca Lodge, in this city were installed on Monday night last, at a special meeting. The following were the officers elected and installed: Wm. Blom, N. G.; Mrs. C. Odell, V. G.; Mrs. B. P. Higgins, Sec'y; Mrs. McMaster, Treas.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

We understand that efforts are being made to organize a brass band in this city. There is a fair prospect of the efforts meeting with success.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Hummer on Friday morning, Jan. 22, a daughter.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Will Breyman lost their only child, Tuesday, after an illness of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Becker lost their infant child, a daughter aged two years, Saturday.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Harry Bertsch and Mable Chandler were married at the home of the bride's parents, George Chandler, on E. Ninth street, Jan. 8th. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. A. Jacobs. Both bride and groom have a large circle of acquaintances in Holland who wish them a future life of happiness.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Hoovenga, Friday, Jan. 18—a daughter.

Miss Bessie East and Everett Cole were united in marriage last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wood, 287 Columbia avenue. The ceremony was performed by Justice Van Duren in the presence of relatives and intimate friends. Miss Ida Kraus attended the bride and William Wood was best man. After the ceremony, refreshments were served and a reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Cole will reside in this city.

TEN YEARS AGO

John Oudemans, son of Jacob Oudemans, 142 E. 15th street was married yesterday to Miss Lillie Van Oostem at Kenakawa, Iowa. They will reside in North Dakota.

Mrs. Robert Zuske, a resident of this city the past four years, died last Tuesday at the home of her son Emil Zuske, 375 West 15th street.

CLASS HAS AVERAGE
ATTENDANCE OF 80MEN'S ADULT BIBLE CLASS OF
1ST REP. CHURCH HELD ANNUAL MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

The annual meeting of the Men's Bible class of the 1st Reformed church was held Monday night. The reports of the officers and different committees were heard and adopted. The officers of the previous year were re-elected as follows: Abel Smeenge, president; Al Kleis, vice president; Peter De Spelder, secretary; Jacob Lokker, ass't secretary; Gerrit Kragt, treasurer.

The reports showed an average attendance of 80 at their Sunday sessions held in the Woman's Literary club rooms. The class is rapidly growing, having a total membership of more than a hundred.

After the business of the evening, refreshments were served to the class by the social committee.

"CAN A CHRISTIAN BE
A MEMBER OF A
LABOR UNION?"SUBJECT OF THE PAPER AT THE
FORWARD MOVEMENT CLUB
DISCUSSED FRIDAY NIGHT

The Forward Movement Club held a meeting Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiersema, 495 Columbia avenue. Mr. A. Glas read a very interesting paper on "Can a Christian Be a Member of a Labor Union?" The speaker contended that if a Christian could become a member of the different Industrial Corporations and various Trade Combinations with which our country is at present beset, there was nothing incompatible between laborers' Christianity and his desire to better his condition, which can only be done by organized bodies of laborers, as individual effort in that direction is absolute nonsense. In a spirited discussion which followed the reading it was brought out that not all members were of one mind in this regard. Refreshments were served and a good time was held by all. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dykstra. At that meeting Mr. Dykstra will read a paper on "The influence of christianity on civilization." Subject for Roll call, "What is my duty as a citizen towards this community?" Three new members were admitted to membership.

RETIRED PRESIDENT HONORED.
Officers of Federation of Women's
Adult Bible Classes Entertained

On Friday afternoon Mrs. William Moordykke entertained the officers and the officers-elect of the Federation of Women's Adult Bible Classes of the City at her home 189 West 14th St.

Twenty ladies were present. The time was pleasantly spent discussing the work of this the first year of the federation and planning for the work of the coming year. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

In behalf of the company Mrs. Ihrman presented Mrs. Moordykke, the retiring president, with a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

DE WACHTER, REFORMED
ORGAN, 48 YEARS OLD

De Wachter, the organ of the Christian Reformed denomination has completed its forty-eighth volume. The paper is printed by the Holland Printing Co. and Rev. A. Keizer of Beavertown is the editor.

CLAIMS HE WAS
"STUNG" ON DEALH. F. TABOR, CHICAGO, AND R.
WORLEY, ROBINSON, LOOK
HORNS IN COURT.Trial Started Monday—Local Attorney
and Real Estate Men Are
In the Case

Upon a claim that misrepresentation was used to influence him to purchase a farm in Robinson township from Ransom F. Worley, Henry F. Tabor of Chicago is bringing action in circuit court the amount involved being \$8,500. Monday afternoon at the opening of the second week of the January term of court the case of Henry F. Tabor against Ransom F. Worley was on call.

The property in question contains 160 acres and is located just south of the village of Robinson. The piece was sold to Tabor through the agency of C. De Keyser of Holland. The claim of the plaintiff is that the land was represented to him to be worth \$12,000 and was in reality worth only about \$3,500. The amount of his suit is for the difference in the amounts.

The defendant in the case, Ransom Worley, is one of the most interesting figures in Robinson. Some years ago he secured the ownership of the old Brewer marsh land covering a big area in the southern part of Robinson and extending into Olive known as the Big Marsh country. He set about reclaiming the land and so well has he succeeded that much of it has been turned to farming purposes. In fact he is responsible for practically all of improved land in the territory which was heretofore a great soggy waste.

For many years the Big Marsh country was practically useless except as a hunting ground, the home of considerable game. The drainage system which was installed partially dried it off and the land is quite fertile in the reclaimed parts. The farm involved in the lawsuit, however, is not a portion of the Big Marsh country but is located further north.

Another interesting feature about the suit is the array of legal talent in it. Diekema, Kollen & Ten Cate of Holland appear for the plaintiff and Fred T. Miles of Holland, Charles R. Wilkes of Allegan and Louis H. Osterhou of Grand Haven are defending Mr. Worley.—Grand Haven Tribune.

MR. AND MRS. BOWEN
RECEIVE SURPRISE
OF THEIR LIVESFOLKS FOUND CARL WIPING THE
DISHES FOR HIS BETTER
HALF.

"Sh, sh, don't make any noise, they're in the kitchen." This conversation might have been heard in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowen on West Fifteenth street Monday evening. Dark forms heavily laden might have been seen in the front yard and porch and some even might have been observed peeping through the windows.

No, they were not burglars carrying away the Bowen's silver wedding presents, for the hour was still early and yeggmen are still in hiding. The suspicious looking figures were Alderman and Mrs. Frank Congleton, Alderman and Mrs. Ben Brower, Alderman and Mrs. William Vander Ven and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Davis.

The latch string at the Bowen residence hung out always and it was an easy matter for the friends to make a raid through the home to the kitchen. But what was their surprise to find the city engineer decked out in one of his wife's new aprons fastened at the neck, towel in hand, making every effort to keep up with the wiping of a fast accumulating pan filling with newly washed dishes.

Of course the "newlyweds" stood in open-mouthed astonishment. In the first place at the arrival of the unexpected guests and second at the condition in which they were found. But all at once a burst of laughter broke the spell and Carl and Mrs. quickly disentangled themselves from the clinging aprons and welcomed their friends to their newly-made home.

It was a genuine surprise party all around. The welcome intruders brot with them all the goodies of the season and a delightful repast was indulged in. The pleasant evening however still had another surprise in store. Alderman Congleton brought forth from the hallway, a beautiful mahogany rocker and presented this to the happy couple. They could not express in words their appreciation, but it is enough to say that Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowen are welcome in this city and the friends helped to make it a welcome really worth while.

OTTAWA COMMISSIONERS
TO ARREST SPEEDERSTHREE ROAD COMMISSIONERS TO
TO RAMBLE ALONG IN FORDS
AND NAB JOY RIDERS.

In Thursday's session of the Ottawa County Commission, it was decided that if necessary to prevent undue speeding by auto drivers over the County roads of Ottawa county, the commission will properly police the highways. It is possible for the road commissioners to punish violators of the speed law under a statute passed by the state legislature delegating this authority to the Road Commissioners.

As the highways of Ottawa county are completed, the temptation for fast driving increases, and the efforts of the commissioners to prevent speeding will correspond to the need. There are still a number of links to be connected up in the county system, but a great many of them will be finished early in 1916, and the auto traffic will then grow rapidly. The commissioners are Austin Harrington, Rokus Cook, and William Connolly. They all drive Ford cars and are on the road a great deal of the time. Motorists had better drive with reasonable care when they strike Ottawa county.

SALISBURY ACTS AS
A JOLLY HOSTGRANTS HIS VISITORS RIGHTS
AND SOME LEFTS WHEN THEY
INSISTED ON BEING
ENTERTAINEDOne of Them Voloplanes Over The
Fence—Field is Crimson
Stained.

Grand Haven Tribune—

Frank B. Salisbury, state game warden Friday gained the reputation of being inhospitable to callers to say the least. Three gentlemen, profession unknown, called at the Salisbury residence yesterday afternoon, and were met by the state deputy as they were leaving. One of the callers was wiser than the rest, and he hurriedly excused himself. The other two are nursing many bruises and open wounds in the county jail.

It all happened in a few minutes. Returning from downtown late in the afternoon, Mr. Salisbury saw two men standing in front of his house on 2nd street. As he entered his yard a third stepped calmly out of the door. Now Mr. Salisbury was a deputy sheriff at the county jail for many years, and he knows men of his visitors' type as soon as he looked at them.

"What are you doing here," inquired the owner of the place.

"None of your blank business," responded the caller, "I guess I got a right."

He got a right, all right, and it lifted him off his feet, and sent him sailing thru the air. He voloplaned over the small front fence and down into a snow bank across the sidewalk. One of his confederates rushed the state deputy and took the same medicine. The third hesitated until he saw both of his friends fall before the grim reaper. Then he decided. He departed rather hurriedly.

In a moment the game warden had his hands full. Both of his visitors must be given credit for being game.

They persisted in coming back for more. Frank had a kick in either however, and his kick was working yesterday like a mule. Several times the visitors were cross piled in the snow but each time they came back telling each other not to give up the ship.

When the fracas attracted the crowd the strangers in a stranger land had stained the virgin whiteness of the snow with their life blood. The smaller stranger received the benefit of Frank's compassion first, but the larger one was not so fortunate. Bidding several men, who stood near, to take charge of the small man, Salisbury declared, "I want to trim the big one." The trimming was neatly and artistically done before the two wounded warriors were started for the jail. From force of habit Mr. Salisbury helped run them in, and as the cell doors clanged on them, one of them declared:

"We're coming back to get you for this!"

"Drop in any time," invited Salisbury. "You're liable to find me home."

WATER MAIN BURSTS
ON CENTRAL AVENUECHAMPION NOTIFIED AT MID-
NIGHT HAS JOB FIXED
AT SIX O'CLOCK

At 12 o'clock Friday night a pedestrian noticed a stream of water flowing into the man-hole of the sewer on the corner of 14th street and Central Ave., and as the snow was all gone and there was no rain falling he thought something was amiss. He called up Supt. Champion who hastened to the spot and knew immediately that a water main must have broken.

He soon had men on the job and after turning off the water in that district it did not take long to dig thru the pavement to the broken main.

At 6 a. m. Saturday the broken part was taken out and new parts put in, the water turned on and no body in the neighborhood knew that anything unusual had happened as water was forthcoming from the faucets with which to brew the coffee and boil the eggs.

The only damage done was the repair work and a large hole in an exceptionally fine laid street? Which is noted for its lovely condition.

PNEUMONIA CLAIMS LIFE.

P. A. P. Troxell, Bricklayer, Suc-
cumbs to Disease After Two
Week's Illness

A victim of pneumonia, P. A. P. Troxell, died Tuesday at 4 o'clock a. m. at the age of 66 years after an illness of two weeks. He is survived by his wife and four children, Lawrence of Yale, Washington, Peter of Grand Rapids, Mrs. George Schuurman of this city and Mrs. George Houting of Milwaukee.

The deceased is a well known brick layer of Holland. Funeral services will be held today at two o'clock at the home of George Schuurman, 46 E. 16th street. Rev. Van Peursem officiating.

HOLLAND MAN MAY
GET A COMMISSIONMAPES WILL HELP FORMER CAV-
ALRYMAN IN DESIRE TO BE
LIEUTENANT

Washington, Jan. 27—Congressman Carl E. Mapes is attempting to obtain for Sherman I. Strong of Holland a commission as cavalry lieutenant in the regular army. Strong for some time has had an ambition to enter the regular army and Congressman Mapes has taken the matter up with the war department and believes with the present program of increase of the army a place may be found for him. Strong served an enlistment in the cavalry as private corporal and sergeant. He took special detail work, serving as company clerk, trumpeter and in the signal corps. While in the army Strong devoted himself conscientiously to a study of the work.

He first made application for a lieutenantancy at the time of the sending of the U. S. fleet to Vera Cruz when it was thought there might be war. The adjutant general recently mailed Strong a blank application and asked for his endorsements. He formerly was a bank clerk at Lake Odessa where his parents now live.

HOLLAND MAN NOW IN
U. S. AVIATION SERVICE

Holland, Jan. 27—Frank E. Doesburg a former Holland city letter carrier, is now connected with the U. S. Aviation corps at San Diego, Cal. Since he left the postoffice service here 12 years ago Doesburg has held secretaryships under Senator Bates of Pennsylvania, Flint of California and William Alden Smith of Michigan, was special stenographer in the United States senate and confidential secretary to former Postmaster General Hitchcock.

ANOTHER CANDIDATE FOR
REGISTER OF DEEDS

John S. Brouwer, Route 2, Holland Township has announced that he is a candidate for Register of Deeds on the Republican ticket. Mr. Brouwer has been supervisor of Holland township for one term and has also been secretary and treasurer of Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co.

G. R. HERALD HAS
INTERESTING ARTICLEWRITTEN BY ARNOLD MULDER OF
HOLLAND.

A very interesting article by Arnold Mulder, covering a whole page, appears in the Grand Rapids Herald of Sunday entitled "Fighting the Great White Plague." The article contains cuts on the subject showing very vividly the destruction wrought by this terrible disease. The contribution describes very minutely what the Grand Rapids Anti-Tuberculosis society has done in trying to eradicate the plague and how the campaign by the State Board of Health will be conducted early in the spring in Kent county by Dr. De Kleine and his aides.

TWO LODGES TO HAVE
INSTALLATION AND
FINE PROGRAMTHE MODERN WOODMEN AND ROY-
AL NEIGHBORS TO HAVE A
GOOD TIME

This morning, January 27 in the Woodmen hall, Visscher Block on East 8th street, the Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors will have installation of the officers elected for the lodge year of 1916.

After the installation ceremonies have taken place, a program of music, both vocal and instrumental, speaking and recitations will be rendered by some of the best talent in the city, having been especially engaged for this occasion by the lodge.

The Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen have experienced one of the very best years in the history of these two lodges the past year and enter 1916 with even brighter prospects. The Modern Woodmen have increased their membership roll by the addition of 65 new members making a total lodge enrollment now of over 300. The Royal Neighbors follow with forty new additions, giving them a roll of 115. This record made by these lodges speaks very well when it is taken into consideration that Holland is represented by almost every other lodge in existence. The past year was a good one for the M. W. A. of the United States over, as it gave them 80,126 new members against only 39,720 the preceding year, an increase of 40,406. The aim this year is 100,000 new members and from present indications they are in a fair way to reach their goal.

After the program Thursday night, refreshments will be served and a social time enjoyed. Installation will start at 7:30 sharp and all members are urged to be present and enjoy the good things that have been prepared for them.

MAN FROM MICHIGAN
TO CLOSE STORESWILL DISCONTINUE ALL HIS RE-
TAIL STORES ABOUT THE
COUNTRY.

Yesterday, January 26, the Man from Michigan store started a large slaughter closing out sale for the reason that the firm of which Ex-Congressman Lindquist is the proprietor, has inaugurated a new policy the first of the year.

He says in an announcement that the reason why he is closing the Holland store is that he will have the largest retail clothing store in the state in the city of Grand Rapids, which is of easy access to the residents of Holland and vicinity.

The store was started last June with Robert Blakesley as manager and has been doing a lucrative business during the short time the clothing emporium has been established here.

NOTED SPEAKER TO
LECTURE HERE

On Friday evening the Modern Woodmen will have with them Hon. John F. Harris of Chicago, United States lecturer of the Order of Modern Woodmen of America, who will lecture on "Fraternalism." Mr. Harris is recognized as one of the most interesting and witty lecturers in Chicago and the local lodge are congratulating themselves on the fact that they were able to have him with them for this night.

The lecture will be free to the public whether members of the order or not and it is desired that everyone who would enjoy a lecture of this nature avail themselves of this opportunity of hearing this noted man lecture on the above named subject, as from advance reports regarding Mr. Harris, it will be time well spent in hearing him.

The lodge will only be able to have Mr. Harris the one night, Friday, Jan. 28, so don't forget the date and be on hand promptly at 8 o'clock in the Woodman hall, Visscher block.

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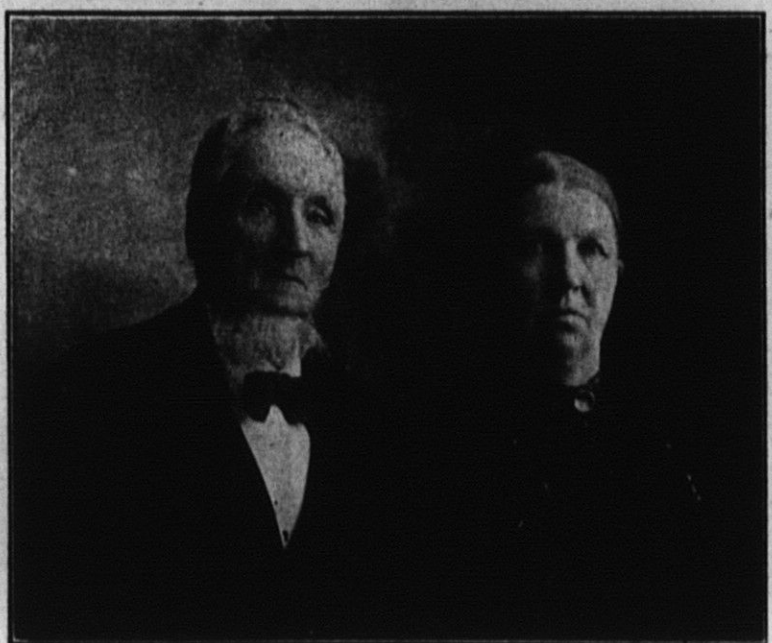
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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hidding Married 50 Years



Two staid Holland citizens of whom very little is heard, but still who radiate a substantial influence for good in a community in their honest unobtrusive way are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hidding who celebrated their golden wedding Monday surrounded by their children, grandchildren and immediate relatives.

The Hiddings are of that type of Hollanders which bring substance to a community, and of which the orator and the writer speaks as coming from a thrifty, plodding, honest race of Hollanders.

Both were born in the Netherlands. Mr. Hidding in 1840 and Mrs. Hidding in 1842. Mr. Hidding came to America in 1846 in a sailing ship which took 72 days of buffeting wind and weather before finally it landed in New York harbor. Mrs. Hidding with her parents arrived a few years later undergoing practically the same experience on sea, as large ocean-going steamships were not thought of at that time.

Mr. Hidding remained in Buffalo, N. Y. during the winter of 1846, but in month of May 1847 he arrived at the colony of which Mr. Van Ralte was the head.

The year 1866 on January 24th, the at that time happy young couple were married by the Rev. A. C. Van Ralte

at the home of Mrs. G. J. Hekhuis, the mother of the groom.

They settled on a farm southeast of the city which at this time is part of Holland proper and instead of a farm has been practically converted into building lots.

Their modest little home on 24th St. is the same one in which they started life's work fifty years ago to day.

The old couple have been blessed with three children. Albert Hidding, who occupies a position with the Lokker-Rutger Co., Mrs. Gerard Cook and Mrs. Leonard Visser, Jr.

The Hiddings have been prominent workers in church circles. Mr. Hidding having held the position as deacon in the Ninth St. Christian Reformed church for nearly twenty years.

The pair have been identified with this church from the time of its inception and when this denomination went through the stormy period of secession the Hiddings remained steadfastly identified with the old church and have remained members until this day.

Owing to the golden anniversary of their eventful wedded life their many friends and townspeople extended heartfelt congratulations to this happy couple with the hope that they may still be with us for many years.

The following bills approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, at a meeting held Jan. 17, 1916, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

S. Meuwissen, patrolman	\$35.70
C. Steketee, "	35.70
John Wagner, "	35.70
D. O'Connor, "	35.70
Peter Bontekoe, "	35.70
Frank Van R. chief of police	35.70
Alfred Joldersma, clerk	12.00
Law. De Witt, driver and janitor	35.00
Frank Stansbury, driver	32.50
Holland City News, printing	10.00
Tyler Van Landegend, pipe and labor	1.00
The Model Drug Store, acid	4.50
C. Stam, labor	6.21
Mrs. C. De Feyter, laundry	3.04
A. Harrington, coal	17.47
Vander Linde & Visser, mittens	3.00
H. Vanden Brink, adv. for gas	1.25
H. Vanden Brink, adv. for gas	.95
Was & Peterson, painting cont.	22.00
Citiz. Telephone Co., rentals and messages	60.75
West Mich. Steam Laundry, laundry	.39
B. of P. W. light and water	22.11
G. A. Klomparsen, straw	10.36
	\$454.55

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Library Board, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

Francis A. Lasher, books	99.53
Chivers Book Binding Co., books	17.05
H. W. Wilson Co., magazine	6.00
Macmillan, books	22.50
Ferdman-Sevensma Co., books	100.00
Northwestern Bindery, binding magazines	36.83
Pris Book store, newspaper	3.00
Henrietta Plasman, travel	18.25
Dora Schermer, services	30.00
	\$354.93

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Board of Public Works at a meeting held January 17, 1916, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

J. A. Kooyers, supt.	\$32.50
H. Van Lente, labor	12.00
H. R. Doesburg, ink, etc.	.90
	\$45.40

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Board of Public Works at a meeting held January 17, 1916, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

R. B. Champion, supt.	\$83.33
P. Bruuse, clerk	37.50
Clara Voorhorst, steno	20.50
G. Van Zanten, collector	11.50
H. Vanden Brink, treasurer	36.00
A. McClellan, ch. engineer	62.50
B. Smith, engineer	43.08
Frank Chrispell, "	35.00
Frank M. Fall, "	35.00
Fred Slikker, fireman	30.00
Fred Smith, "	23.25
Clarence Wood, "	25.50
John De Boer, coal passer	29.68
James Annis, engineer	35.00
C. J. Rozeboom, 19th St. Attend.	24.70
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Communications from Boards and City Officers.

The following bills approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, at a meeting held Jan. 17, 1916, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

S. Meuwissen, patrolman	\$35.70
C. Steketee, "	35.70
John Wagner, "	35.70
D. O'Connor, "	35.70
Peter Bontekoe, "	35.70
Frank Van R. chief of police	35.70
Alfred Joldersma, clerk	12.00
Law. De Witt, driver and janitor	35.00
Frank Stansbury, driver	32.50
Holland City News, printing	10.00
Tyler Van Landegend, pipe and labor	1.00
The Model Drug Store, acid	4.50
C. Stam, labor	6.21
Mrs. C. De Feyter, laundry	3.04
A. Harrington, coal	17.47
Vander Linde & Visser, mittens	3.00
H. Vanden Brink, adv. for gas	1.25
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Was & Peterson, painting cont.	22.00
Citiz. Telephone Co., rentals and messages	60.75
West Mich. Steam Laundry, laundry	.39
B. of P. W. light and water	22.11
G. A. Klomparsen, straw	10.36
	\$454.55

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Library Board, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

Francis A. Lasher, books	99.53
Chivers Book Binding Co., books	17.05
H. W. Wilson Co., magazine	6.00
Macmillan, books	22.50
Ferdman-Sevensma Co., books	100.00
Northwestern Bindery, binding magazines	36.83
Pris Book store, newspaper	3.00
Henrietta Plasman, travel	18.25
Dora Schermer, services	30.00
	\$354.93

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The following bills, approved by the Board of Public Works at a meeting held January 17, 1916, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

J. A. Kooyers, supt.	\$32.50
H. Van Lente, labor	12.00
H. R. Doesburg, ink, etc.	.90
	\$45.40

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P. Bruuse, clerk	37.50
Clara Voorhorst, steno	20.50
G. Van Zanten, collector	11.50
H. Vanden Brink, treasurer	36.00
A. McClellan, ch. engineer	62.50
B. Smith, engineer	43.08
Frank Chrispell, "	35.00
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At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1916.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Gert Schaffenaar, alias Gerrit Schaffenaar, deceased.

Gysbert Schaffenaar 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 21st day Feb., A. D. 1916, 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.

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(A true copy.)

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Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lippe Boersema, deceased.

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In the matter of the estate of Driesje Bronkhorst, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 21st day of Jan. A. D. 1916, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for 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 21st day of May, A. D. 1916, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Jan. 21st, A. D. 1916

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A HUGE ICE JAM SWEEPS THE RIVER.

Twenty Feet of Approach to Spring Lake Bridge Swept Away Yesterday Morning. Interurban Trestle Standing Cars Held on Either Side as Pile Driver Works.

Grand Haven Tribune—

Tons of broken, jagged ice have been piling up above the Spring Lake bridge since 6 o'clock. At 3 o'clock yesterday morning a section of the approach to the road bridge, over the so-called Basket factory channel, was caught by huge chunks of running ice, and dropped two feet, later going out entirely. The trestle of the Interurban railway at this point was also caught as the jam in this portion of the channel went out and shoved over fully 15 inches. Because of the condition of the trestle no interurban cars have been allowed to cross since 8:20 Tuesday night.

The tie-up at the bridge was complete this morning. Passenger traffic was maintained by the interurban by transferring the passengers across the bridge on foot. Cars were waiting on either side to take the incoming and outbound people. On the Spring Lake side, a string of interurban freight cars were on the siding waiting for the opening of the bridge. The Goodrich boat, Alabama, which arrived here from Chicago, was held here several hours today waiting for the interurban freight to arrive from Grand Rapids.

City Manager Beck was on the job at the bridge early this morning, with a force of men to start repairs. The damaged section of the approach was about 15 feet in length, and all of it was new work put in just a short time ago. The structure held together under the strain, and the underpinning was damaged by the ice.

General Manager Morley of the G. R. G. H. & M. R. Y. also reached the scene this morning and surveyed the damage to the company property. The injury to the trestle is not as noticeable as that done to the city approach but no time was lost in strengthening it up. The railway pile driver arrived this morning and was shunted across the bridge at once to the damaged section. A number of long piles were driven down beside and between the ties, to bring the structure up to level. It was expected by this morning to have cars running over the bridge before the end of today, if no further accidents happened.

The situation above the bridge was considerably relieved early this morning, when the jam in the basket factory boom channel went out, even tho it resulted in injuries to both the city and railway structures. At ten o'clock the water was racing through this channel at high speed but only occasional chunks of ice were coming. The entire distance between the bridge and the junction of the channel with the main river was clear of ice. Practically all of the ice is out of the river up stream, and the water is very high. The opening through the jam, however, has taken off a tremendous pressure from the ice jam in the main river, and bridge-men were not anticipating any trouble at the swing. Extra vigilance is being maintained however, to meet any emergency which may arise.

The main river above the swing is filled with piled up ice from shore to shore. In places the high water has sent the ice far up on the banks. Most of the jam has been held back so far by the ice breakers above the bridge, and clear water is running under the bridge. Occasionally, however, a heavy piece of ice breaks loose and whirls through, bumping the structure. The Grand Haven Gas company suffered damage today by one of the half submerged chunks of ice striking the underwater gas main which supplies the Spring Lake village with gas. The force of the big cake broke off the pipe and put this section out of commission at once. The company, however, has an emergency main that was put into service at once and Spring Lake was not without service long.

Representatives of the telephone Co. were also on the grounds watching the company property. The telephone company has a cable under the river at the draw, but this line has not as yet been interfered with by the ice.

The great break-up has been coming for several days. Under the influence of rain and the warm weather the ice in the river between Grand Haven and Grand Rapids has been softening up rapidly. Several days ago it began breaking away and coming down the stream with the swift current. It struck the equipment for the construction of the Eastmanville bridge across the Grand, which is being built by George W. Bunker. Portions of the cofferdams and floats came on down the river with the ice. One of the floats was found at the Spring Lake bridge this morning and made fast.

Boat houses in the main river near the tannery and the Challenge Machinery company were caught in the high water and the ice yesterday afternoon. Within a short time four or five of the structures were wrecked by the jam, and portions of the wreckage was carried on down stream. From the swing bridge to the Spring Lake channel, upstream the jagged ice is piling up. Mixed in with it are trees, and lumber, with here and there a whole section of a wrecked boat house. The ice is much of it covered with mud, indicating that it has been swept along the bottom of the stream on its way down.

The appearance of the jam in the main channel is menacing and if the weather continues mild, there may be trouble at the swing within a few hours. On the other hand the opening of the channel to the south may take off enough pressure to save trouble in the main stream.

BABY'S SKIN TROUBLES

Pimples—Eruptions—Eczema quickly yield to the soothing and healing qualities of Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. No matter where located how bad or long standing, Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment will remove every trace of the ailment. It will restore the skin to its natural softness and purity. Don't let your child suffer—don't be embarrassed by having your child's face disfigured with pimples or ugly scars. Use Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Its guaranteed. No cure, no pay. 50c. at your Druggist.

MUSKEGON TO LOOK AT HOLLAND FIRE TRUCKS?

MAYOR WILL GO TO CHARLOTTE TO TAKE A PEAK

A dispatch from Muskegon says that owing to the City's rapid growth need for better fire protection has caused Mayor Arnt Ellifson to accept the invitation of Charlotte officials to send a committee there to look over the new motor apparatus recently put in use there. Mayor Ellifson, accompanied by Aldermen Mitchel, Brown, Cayo and Thompson and Fire Chief Belfy, visited Charlotte yesterday where they were guests of the city officials during the day.

Dangerous Counterfeit \$5

Bill Being Circulated Here.

Nearly a score of counterfeit \$5.00 notes have come to the attention of the local banks and the counterfeit is declared by Rudolph Bremer, assistant cashier of the Grand Rapids National bank to be rated by the federal government as one of the most dangerous that has been turned out.

The notes appeared recently in the upper peninsula and now are flooding the lower section of the state.

An attempt to pass one of them at the Empress theater was made this week.

The new counterfeit note has the check letter "C" with the numerals, 1791, below the check letter. The engraving is about a quarter of an inch longer than in the genuine note, but the length of the bill is the same. The back of the bill is a dark green and the seal is not as bright as on the genuine note. The margin between the engraving and the upper edge of the bill is half as wide as on the genuine bill, but the photograph of the Indian is very good.

Big Enough for the Job.

Paw Paw (Mich.) True Northerner—Representative Peterman of the Upper Peninsula, one of the really big men of Michigan, has been endorsed by the board of supervisors of his county for governor, but the tall gentleman from the north says, "There is nothing doing, we are all going to be for Diekema." And by the way, it begins to look more and more, as though our pompous friend from Ottawa county will be the logical candidate of the republican party for this honor. This campaign has hardly started yet, and there are many booms and counter booms, but the announcement of Gerrit J. Diekema's candidacy has met with favor all over the state. He is an orator of ability; a man of wide experience; of sound judgment and unquestioned integrity.

WHERE, OH, WHERE IS MISSING HARDWARE

PRAISEWORTHY ATTEMPT BY PLOTTING "FLUNKERS" TO ENJOY HOLIDAY IS BALKED

When Temporary Class Rooms are Cold, Students Recite in Strange Surroundings.

The inconsistency of humanity is again proven. After many previous attempts by some Hope college students to evade the classrooms by hook or crook, another was made over the week-end that was doubtlessly laughed over and the authors of the scheme congratulated during the time intervening between the dark deed and Monday morning. But they were cruelly disappointed Monday morning, and another unsuccessful plot is written in the annals of the school.

Last Saturday the boiler in Van Raalte hall, one of the recitation buildings, broke in such a way that heat for the various class rooms in that building was out of the question. But the president and faculty decided that it would not be necessary to dismiss the classes, as there were many rooms on the campus that were unused during the day. The club houses, for instance, would hold several classes.

Some of the male contingent at the college heard of this when the expected holiday. Great was their disappointment, but sharp were their noble brains, the one might not judge so in the class room. A cold plot was framed and carried out.

When the club houses were opened for the day's classes Monday a. m., it was found that the heating difficulties had become a contagious disease. The lids and doors on the stoves, and even the gratings, were not in their usual places. The janitor was at a loss as to what could be done to heat the cold rooms.

But the authorities became more determined than ever that the classes would meet during the day. As a result they are convening, and in strange places. A class or two may be found in the gallery of the gymnasium, another on the ground floor, giving the effect of a Sunday school. The reading room in Winant's chapel itself was pressed into service. Even Voorhees Dormitory shelters a few humble classes and their triumphant instructors. And they say that the "flunkers" are dealt with none too kindly today.

The inconsistency lies in the fact that each pupil pays the college authorities a tuition fee and other incidentals that they may be permitted to receive an education, and then in the darkness of the night do all within their power to prevent just that carrying out of the agreement. In the slang of the students, "the faculty should worry." The students pass up their fees, and whether or not they take advantage of the opportunities they thereby gain is left to them.

Recently a similar attempt was made when molasses was liberally poured over the furniture of the class rooms, but the students and faculty formed scrubbing squads and classes were called in two hours.

Attempts thus far made to find the missing hardware of the last episode have been unsuccessful.

ZEELAND

Alfred Van Voort took the car for Grand Rapids yesterday.

Mrs. Van Onzenoord of Grand Rapids spent the day visiting at the home of Mrs. C. Languis of this city.

Joe Kooiker of Holland was in the city on business yesterday.

The Rev. M. Van Vessem has recovered from a week's illness. Mrs. Van Vessem is now confined to her home with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baart of Grand Rapids spent yesterday in Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Worming have returned from a few week's visit with relatives and friends in Freemont.

The Mrs. Rev. Hoffman who was confined to her home with illness the past few weeks has recovered.

Mr. Jurris as completely recovered from a sprained ankle, which was the result of an accident some time ago.

Miss Louis De Kruif entertained a party of ladies and gentlemen from Hope College at her home on Central avenue.

Henry De Kruif left last night for Chicago where he will attend the Auto Show held in that city.

Work on the new standpipe at the brick yards has commenced.

John Bolt of Hudsonville was in the city on business yesterday.

Mr. Young of Kalamazoo was here on business yesterday.

Johan Sytzema has accepted a position with the State Commercial and Savings bank.

Mrs. Isaac Vander Meer of Grand Rapids visited in the city.

The Ladies Good Will society will meet in the home of Mrs. A. C. Wierenga, on east Washington street tomorrow afternoon.

The ministers of the Classis Zeeland Christian Reformed churches, met at the home of Rev. Leonard Trap on Maple street Wednesday afternoon. Ministers from Overisel, Drenthe, Beavertdam, Boreulo, Zutphen and Zeeland were in attendance.

Much interest was taken by the local Christian circles in the lecture that the Rev. Mead A. Kelsey of Chicago delivered Wednesday evening at the Third Christian Reformed church. He lectured on "Secret Societies," in which he discussed the much disputed question whether Christian laboring men should affiliate with existing labor unions and other secret societies. Mr. Kelsey represented the National Christian Association. Discussion upon this question has arisen mainly among the members of the Christian Reformed churches. It is not strictly speaking, considered a problem for the church to solve, since it does not directly concern the institutional life of the church. The speaker said, however, that it had become a church problem, through the stand taken by some church bodies that church membership and ordinary union membership are incompatible.

With one hundred people seated at the banquet board, the Civic Club held their annual banquet at the Colonial Cafe last evening. The light rain that fell during the evening did not effect the attendance in the least. After the banquet the merry-makers went to the club rooms over the Colonial Cafe. Here they were entertained by the Wagner Glee Club, accompanied by G. Ingham of Holland and William Vander Hart, rector. The following program was rendered: toasts by toastmaster D. F. Boonstra, Rev. P. P. Cheff and Alwin Pless, the president of the club. Then they adjourned to the club rooms where various entertainments were held.

OVER MILLION GOES TO INJURED

THREE HUNDRED ARE KILLED AT WORK.

State Indemnity Law During 1915 Provides for the Care of Many State Workmen and Their Dependents

Injured workmen and their dependents coming under the provisions of the workmen's compensation law were paid \$1,213,103.32 during 1915, according to the annual report of the state industrial accident board, as filed with Gov. Ferris. In addition to this amount \$148,615.20 was paid out to employees for injured workmen for medicinal and hospital service bringing the total up to \$1,361,718.52.

The number of employers now operating under the act is 15,106, representing 505,025 employees, and in addition to all the municipalities of Michigan are subject to the law which includes the 83 counties, 108 cities, 338 villages, 1,245 townships and 7,362 school districts. Further every state employee is under the law, excepting the state board of agriculture and regents of the university. They are constitutional bodies.

One hundred and twelve municipalities in the state voluntarily accepted the provisions of the act before the recent decisions of the supreme court, which decided municipalities were compelled to come under the act.

The number of accidents during the year reported to the industrial accident board was 38,781 of which number 332 were fatal.

The volume of business handled by the board in 1915 was enormous and includes 258 arbitrations, 77 hearings on review, 24 hearings on stipulation and waiver, 211 on petition. The total number of cases completed during the year was 11,881.

Under the provisions of the Michigan law there are specific periods of compensation for the loss of members of the body, as the loss of a thumb, eye, hand, etc. These are classified under the head of permanent partial disability, and are also designated as "loss of member." In case of the loss of two members such as both eyes or two arms, it would constitute total disability.

Hence the 38,781 injuries reported to the state board in 1915 were classified as follows. Fatal 332; loss of member 972; general disability for more than two weeks, 12,188; less than two weeks, 26,289.

It is interesting to note the various industries that are operating under the act and the number of employees represented. For instance of the 505,025 employees under the act January 1, 1916, the automobile industry led all others

with 62,198 while construction work employees ranked second with 45,401. Miscellaneous manufacturing represented 37,236 employees while unclassified industries had 76,858 to their credit. The total shows 568 automobile manufacturers under the act.

Some interesting figures are given in the table of the report which shows that during the year, as reported to the state board, employees operating under the act lost 80 thumbs; 228 index fingers; 13 hands; 12 arms; 49 toes; 8 feet; 14 legs and 55 eyes. These member losses together with losses of other fingers aside from the index finger, etc. constituted the loss of 972 members of the body of which the automobile industry was responsible for 250 of that number.

SCHOOL MA'AMS MEET HERE TODAY

Teachers' Rally and Institute Attracts Many from Southern Part of the County. All Sessions Are Held in High School

Holland is today the mecca of practically all of the teachers from the southern portion of Ottawa county, who came here to attend the teachers' institute and rally which is held in this city all day. The first day of the county institute was held in Grand Haven, when the teachers from the northern portion of the county attended.

County Commissioner of Schools, N. R. Stanton has completed the arrangements for two good programs, leaving the details to Superintendent E. E. Fell of the Holland schools. The recommendation has been made that all schools in the county be closed for at least one of the days of the institute to give the teachers a chance to attend.

The sessions in this city are in the Holland high school assembly room, and the morning meeting opened at 9 o'clock. The program for the morning session opened with music under the direction of Miss Lucile Wright, director of music in the local schools.

The following is the program for today:

Music—Direction of Mrs. Mabel Smith
"Goddess of the Inland Seas".....
.....Chorus of Sixth Grade Pupils
Invocation.....

.....Rev. A. F. Bruske, D. D., LL.D
Some Desirable Omissions in the Elementary Grades.....Supt. D. H. Roberts
Address.....Dr. Green

Afternoon
Vocal Solo.....Miss Lucile J. Wright
Address.....Dr. Green
Evidences of an Education.....
.....Supt. D. H. Roberts
Address.....Dr. Green

Manager Newman has received word unexpectedly that because of the poor condition of the films in "After Dark" which was scheduled for today, the feature has been changed to "Flash of An Emerald." This 5 part picture presents Robert Warwick, the great star, and the manager is to be congratulated in booking it for tonight.

ALLEGAN FARMER KICKED IN FACE; JAW BROKEN

Allegan, Jan. 27—Alfred Lonsberry, a farmer living in Watson township, received a painful injury when he was kicked in the face by a horse. His lower jaw bone was broken. It was necessary to have a dentist make a rubber plate to put in his mouth to hold the broken bones in place until they knit together.

WANT FARM ADVISOR

Muskegon, Jan. 27—The Chamber of Commerce will file a special appeal with the Muskegon county board of supervisors at its coming session that the board employ a county farm advisor. According to the plan the first \$1,000 to be expended by the county as salary for the farm expert will be paid by the federal government, complying with the provisions of the bill passed in the last congress regarding this work.

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