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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOLUME 38

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1909

NUMBER 7



They Have Just Arrived

A Great Variety of Fine Rugs

Sprinkle a few rugs around the room and you can cover a multitude of holes in the carpet, or

If you are tired of the old carpet, just take them up and throw them away. The labor you will save will soon buy you nice new bright rugs. It is so easy to take them up and have them cleaned.

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We don't ask you to BUY of us, but we do ask you to let us show you what we have and tell YOU the prices. We have something over 100 styles of gold watches alone—enough of them to enable our customers to make a satisfactory selection. A good one may be had as low as \$8.00 and on up as high as you care to go.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Gifford*

City Collector James Westveer collected more than \$12,000 on electric light and water bills during the month of January.

Holland's third annual merchants' banquet Monday night was a howling success. How about "Zeeland's first annual?"—Zeeland Record.

In a letter from Cong. Hamilton at Washington he says there is hardly any doubt now but that Saugatuck will have \$10,000 to dredge the river this year and give us 16 feet of water 100 feet wide from the mouth.—Saugatuck Commercial.

Apples have soared in prices until at present they are a luxury. This luscious fruit is being retailed by local dealers at \$2.80 per bushel. There is no such thing now as sampling apples to see if they are all right. At least the prospective buyer must pay for the sample.

John Baker, the Waverly man suspected by the police of being implicated in the car robbery in the Waverly yards, had no difficulty in securing bondsmen. He has been released pending an examination before Justice Van Duren next Tuesday. The signers of Baker's bonds were, H. P. Zwemer, Bert Slagh, Peter Prins, Jacob Lokker, Chris Lokker and Fred Brower.

Will Van Oort, better known as "Slick," was arrested Sunday on a warrant sworn out by William Harkema, charging him with larceny from the person. The two men went to Saugatuck together Thursday night on a "snee." Harkema had a big roll of bills with him but on Friday afternoon he was picked up on Eighth street on a plain drunk charge minus the roll. After his arrest, Van Oort was arraigned before Justice Van Duren and in default of bail was sent to jail to await his examination which will be held tomorrow.

The home of Arend Visscher on State street was partially destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon. The flames originated near the furnace and spread so slowly through the house that it was possible to save much of the furniture. The fire had been burning 15 minutes before the firemen arrived, there having been a mixup in the signals. Most of the damage except that to the front portion of the house was caused by water. The loss will be between \$4,000 and \$5,000 fully covered by insurance.

S. R. Hough, a veteran of the Civil War who resides at 385 Maple street has among his treasured possessions a letter from President Lincoln commending him for special bravery, on the field of battle and a captured rebel musket which was returned to him by the president. At the battle of South Mountain, Mr. Hough captured a confederate prisoner and took from him the musket. He was also wounded in this battle and sent to the hospital. After his recovery he wrote to Lincoln who granted his request for the captured rifle and sent him the letter.

Miss Marjory Baker went to Ann Arbor to attend the junior hop, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Weeks went there the same day. Their trunks became mixed and when Miss Baker was preparing to dress for the ball she discovered she had Mrs. Weeks' trunk. The address of the latter was unknown to the petite Allegan daughter, and her brother and another young man who was to do escort duty that evening went on a wild hunt for the Weekses and the trunk. They found them, and found Mrs. Weeks was as much disturbed as was the young lady. The happiness of the ball was not decreased by the delay.—Allegan Gazette.

Sunday afternoon Leonard Ederle was struck by an interurban car while on his way to the Model Laundry. The accident occurred about 3:30 o'clock near the City Hall crossing. Ederle had gotten off the east bound car, stepping around the rear of the car directly in front of one approaching on the west bound track. Motorman Hamilton, in charge of this car, made every possible effort to avert the accident but Ederle was struck a glancing blow and thrown away from the wheels. He struck on the pavement, sustaining severe and painful bruises about the head and chest and also suffering the loss of several teeth. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and taken to the home of Fred Dillinger and later was removed to his home. His condition has rapidly improved and he is out and around as usual.

The Eagles will hold the biggest banquet in the history of the lodge tomorrow night.

Lent is only one week away, February 24 is Ash Wednesday, the first day of the Lenten season. Easter will come April 11 a week earlier than last year.

John Beintema, a fireman, sustained a fractured shoulder blade while trying to get aboard a truck on its way to the fire at A. Visscher's home Saturday afternoon.

Jacob Haan and James Westveld of the Central Drug store were arraigned before Justice Miles Monday morning on the charge of selling liquor to minors and were bound over to the March term of circuit court on \$300 bail which was furnished.

An appeal for the observance of a week of prayer for the Mohammedan World Feb. 21-28, has been issued by the General Synod of the Reformed church, setting aside the fourth Sunday in February "for earnest and prayerful consideration of the cause of domestic missions in all our churches."

The stock and fixtures of the Boston Restaurant have been purchased by John Hoffman who has already taken active possession. Mr. Hoffman has had several years' experience in the restaurant business. The new owner was formerly employed at the Boston restaurant and is planning many improvements for bettering the service.

The Goshorn Lake bridge near Saugatuck makes a hard looking appearance now a-days. While it has been unsafe for horses for a long time foot passenger use it regularly. The South end of the bridge became detached from the landing and floated about 25 feet east and away from the shore. Someone who still uses the bridge for a footpath has built another span to it in order to reach the shore so the old landmark has not finished its days of usefulness. The bridge is a pontoon affair.

Ed Parker, of Spring Lake, exports 902 eggs during December and January from 23 pullets. The pullets evidently appreciate the excellent care Mr. Parker is taking of them and since this kind-hearted gentleman's old dog is gone, who was his constant companion here tofore, his wife and hens are his only pets left. The dog had a little battle with the interurban a week ago Sunday and came out second best—Coopersville Observer.

The sacred cantata Esther will be rendered at the Central avenue Christian Reformed church next Thursday evening, Feb. 25, by the Singing School of that church. This chorus has been under the direction of Mr. Egbert H. Boer of Grand Rapids for the past two seasons and much success has been attained thru his guidance. The rendition will begin at 7:30 o'clock and everybody is invited to attend. A silver collection will be taken to help defray the many expenses which the organization has had.

The executive committee of the Board of Trade reported at Monday night's meeting of the board that in order to compete with other cities that are offering financial inducements for new industries it would be necessary for the city to take steps to provide the necessary money. A bonding proposition was discussed. The date for the banquet was fixed definitely for March 8. The banquet committee is headed by Dr. J. J. Mersen and the other members are G. Bowman and Prof. J. H. Kleinheksel. Good speakers will be secured.

A large crowd turned out to the Lincoln services which were held in Carnegie hall Sunday afternoon. The program opened with the singing of America by the audience after which Rev. D. R. Drukker invoked the blessing. Hon. G. J. Diekema made a few opening remarks introducing the orator of the afternoon, Rev. J. M. VanderMeulen, who gave an eloquent discourse, in which he layed special emphasis on the humility, honesty and mercy of Lincoln and of his fear of the Lord. A quartet composed of the Misses Browning and Beach, Prof. Nykerk and James Dykema sang Kellar's "American Hymn" and the closing number of the program was the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," sung as a solo by Miss Browning, the audience joining in the chorus.

Doings of the Council

The council meeting last night was interesting for many reasons.

The first thing that took the attention of the council was the recommendation of the committee on Public buildings that a place for voting be constructed in the fourth ward as no suitable building was available at present. After some discussion the council adopted the report.

The discussion over the insurance of public property, brought on by the report of the committee on public buildings disclosed the fact that the council had not been notified of an addition made to the present insurance carried on the public library by the board of public works. The board has a right to spend the funds intrusted to it as it sees fit. City Attorney McBride pointed out the fact that 3-5 of the insurance is carried in companies for which members of the board are agents, the other 2-5 being divided among the other four local agents. The council instructed the committee on public buildings to meet with the Board of Public Works and determine the position of the council in the matter of insurance of public buildings.

The sewer extension plan presented by City Engineer Naberhuis met with approval at the hands of the council. Action was deferred on the resolution of the Board of Public Works asking for down town offices until after the city hall proposition has been decided by the voters in the spring election.

The big event of the evening came when Mayor Brusse read a communication asking that an investigation be made of the gas company's business. The mayor called attention to the clause in the franchise which states that the gas company shall grant a 10 percent instead of 5 percent discount to consumers as soon as the amount of gas used reaches 25,000,000 cu. ft. The mayor has reasons to believe that the above amount has been consumed per month for nearly a year. Alderman Stephan stated that he had been making quiet investigations of late but he was not prepared at this meeting to state the exact results of his investigations. A committee of three, consisting of the mayor, and Aldermen Drinkwater and Lawrence was appointed to investigate the condition of the gas company.

The last thing taken up at the meeting was the mayor's veto of the action taken at the last meeting of the council in remitting the tax on the River street pavement after the tax roll had been closed without objection. The mayor stated that he had vetoed this action because he believed that the matter should have been referred to the committee on claims and accounts. This was accordingly done. The veto was the occasion of a wordy encounter between Alderman Cook and City Clerk Van Eyck. Mr. Cook claimed that Mr. Van Eyck had influenced the mayor's action in the veto. Van Eyck stated that such a statement from the alderman was a rash one. "I am ready to follow it up, Mr. Clerk," said the alderman.

A petition has been signed by nearly all of the business men of this city asking that the tariff be taken off hides. This petition will be taken to Washington and presented by J. J. Cappon. In another article we give an interview concerning this tariff.

The annual fancy dress party of the Woman's league of the U. of M. at which no mere man is every admitted, took place Monday night at Ann Arbor. It was in the nature of a valentine ball and the grand march was led by Katherine Post of this city as Queen of Hearts and Lona Tinkham of Ann Arbor as a Forget-me not. The feature of the evening was a Maypole dance in which the ribbons were wound by co-eds masquerading as fairies.



Holland Markets.

Prices Paid to Farmers.
PRODUCE.

Butter, dairy per lb.	28
" Creamery per lb.	32
Eggs, per doz.	22
Potatoes, per bu. new	60
BEEF, PORK, ETC.	
Chickens, live per lb.	10-11
Lard	11
Pork, dressed, per lb.	7
Lamb	10
Mutton, dressed	8
Beef	6 to 7
GRAIN.	
Wheat	1.09
Oats, white choice	new 52
Rye	68
Corn, Bu.	65
Barley	1.25
FLOUR AND FEED	
Price to consumers.	
"Little Wonder" flour, per barrel	5.85
Ground Feed 150 per hundred, 25.00 per ton	
Corn Meal, unbolted, 1.43 per hundred, 27.60 per ton	
Corn Meal, bolted per barrel	4.80
Middlings 1.45 per hundred	27.02
Bran per 25 hundred,	25.00

Zeeland

Bert Habes traded off his heavy team of horses to F. Boone of Holland for a team of lighter ones. John Kamps and Edna Brandt visited in Holland last Friday.

The house of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Van Euenan's was the scene of a happy family gathering Friday night, the occasion being Mr. Euenan's birthday. Refreshments were served and the evening passed pleasantly with music and games.

Marie Faber will leave soon for Pittsburg, Pa., where he will enter the employ of Mr. Griffin, the contractor who put in the P. M. bridge near the Zeeland brick yards.

Bert Ver Haar has returned from Louisville, Ky., where he attended the food canners convention. There were 3,800 delegates from all over the country present.

Mrs. H. B. Van Dyke was in Grand Haven the guest of her sister Mrs. Vyn.

Rena Frens of Fillmore who has been the guest of relatives here, left Thursday night for Denver, Colo.

B. Mulder and J. Bouwens are around collecting money for the new building of the Second Reformed church.

Otto Schaap formerly of North Dakota received a carload of horses from that state recently.

George Hulst of Holland and Mr. Rummel of Zeeland have purchased the store of A. Vander Leest at O. kland.

Klas Redder and Peter Huis have opened a store in Oakland on the John Dozema place near the creamery.

Hubert Heyboer has bought a team of horses of John Kemmi of Borculo for \$425.

Lucas Huyzer has built a fine barn on his premises on Maple street.

M. Van Zoren of Vriesland has bought a fine team of mules of S. Nibbelink of Holland.

Mrs. C. Boone was in Holland Saturday visiting friends.

Louis P. McKay of Grand Rapids was in town on business Saturday.

B. Kamps is in Hamilton this week in the interests of the Zeeland Brick Co.

James Wagenaar is now employed at the furniture store of De Jong & De Pree on Main street.

John Kamps is in Indianapolis, Ind., on business this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John G. Timmer at Vriesland—a son.

Albert Overweg is packing his household furniture and moving to his new farm in Borculo.

G. Voetberg who expected to leave this week with his family for North Dakota to reside was detained by the illness of one of the members of the family and will leave a week later.

Henry Vugteveen and George Schipper of Rusk were called to this place by the serious illness of their mother Mrs. Vugteveen.

D. J. Ver Hage has bought 20 acres of land at Vriesland of J. Lemson. Consideration, \$2300.

Charles Dykstra who has been employed the past year by Dick Overweg has resigned and is now engaged for the season 1909 by A. Overweg.

Wynand Wichers a student at Hope College is ill at his home here.

VRIESLAND—L. Elzinga of South Maple street has purchased the 27-acre farm of John Beyer between Vriesland and Drenthe for \$2,600 and expects to take possession next spring.

Graafschap

Mr. and Mrs. G. Rutgers and Mr. and Mrs. G. Tindholt, a quartet of pioneers residing here, jointly commemorated their fifty-first wedding anniversary Monday. Mr. Rutgers and Mrs. Tindholt are brother and sister. All four are in fairly good health. Mr. and Mrs. Rutgers are respectively, eighty-one and sixty-nine years and Mr. and Mrs. Tindholt, seventy-eight and sixty-nine years of age.

Overisel

Miss Anna Pomp spent Saturday in Holland with friends.

John Brower, who has been studying at Lansing returned home last Saturday evening.

The telephone poles for the new line which is to be put through the northeast region of Overisel, have been put up and it is expected that this line will soon be ready for use.

Miss Agnes Schaap has been on the sick list with a severe cold this past week.

Edward Bosman, who sprained his ankle some time ago, is again able to be around.

Edward Fokkert returned Monday from Lansing where he has been taking a course in butter making. He expects to enter upon his duties soon as butter maker at the Overisel creamery.

Miss Dena Klumper, who has been working in Holland, is home on a vacation this week.

Henry Poelakker is compelled to remain in the house on account of sore and inflamed eyes. It is hoped that he may soon be able to be out again.

Hopkins

Thursday night Ernst Herskinner was run over by a North bound special and killed. He was on his way to Minor Lake and had been drinking. Five trains passed over his body rolling it up and down the track many rods. When found the body was destitute of clothing, his jacket and shirt being found later at Hilliards five miles away. Mr. Herskinner was the sole supporter of his invalid mother in Germany. The funeral was held Saturday.

About five o'clock Wednesday morning Mr. Hulbert's house, barn, packing house, and woodshed were burned to the ground. A month ago Mr. Hulbert's barn was struck by lightning and the barn that was just burned was new. The cause of the fire is not known.

Hamilton

Klaas Kolvoord sold his 90-acre farm last week to Geert Rigerink in Overisel township. The farm is the finest in the county. Consideration \$9,000.

H. J. Klomprens attended court in Allegan this week.

Herman Brower and another gentleman from Allegan were here to inspect the dam with a view of putting in an electric plant.

John Lohman has purchased the farm of George Timmerman, near this village for \$9,000.

A large number of our people attended the one hundredth birthday exercises of Abraham Lincoln at Grand Rapids last Friday and pronounced it a great success.

East Saugatuck

Geo. Zwemer has returned home from a two weeks visit in Grand Rapids and Grand Haven with friends and relatives.

John Turman is layed up for an indefinite time on account of slipping on the ice and spraining his back.

Roy Wade has taken the contract for cutting ice for the Crystal Creamery here.

C. P. Zwemer has sold a parcel of land in section 16 Manlius to Mr. Stone of Chicago, the same man to whom he sold a parcel some time ago. Mr. Stone has let the contract for building the house and driving a well. Mr. Stone expects to be here early in the spring.

Slink Bros. are buzzing poles and rails for wood for P. Hanson at present.

C. Bolles is hauling stove wood to East Saugatuck

New Holland

Too late for last week

The Harlem creamery held their annual meeting last week Saturday and all the old directors were re-elected excepting John Meeuwssen and J. Essenberg. Luke Lugers and J. Kole were elected in their places and Henry Harring was elected as an additional director. The board of directors met at the office of Lugers & Miles last week Tuesday to elect the officers for the year.

The highways are in a terrible shape at the present writing on account of the sudden disappearance of the snow and rain of last week Friday.

Johannes Veldheer, who left this vicinity several years ago for the state of Washington, has sold his property there and returned to his old home in Michigan. He is at present staying at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. Hassevoort, of New Holland.

Miss Anna Wagoner of Constantine is present visiting friends here and expects to leave some time this week for Grand Rapids to spend a few days with her parents before returning to Constantine.

The Misses Hattie Ten Have and Anna Wagoner spent Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Vanden Berg.

Isaac Houten, our village blacksmith, bought himself a driver a few days ago.

Wm. Timmer of Harlem has all the material on hand to erect a new residence on his farm early this spring.

A mule epidemic is spreading in this vicinity. Several have an attack of the disease and many more have been exposed. The disease was brought in by a livery man of Holland. We think it about time for the city health officer to quarantine and fumigate this person to avoid spreading in the future. If all germs were as large as these the people in general would take to the Germ theory.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. VandenBerg were in Grand Rapids last week Monday to be present at the wedding ceremony of their son Dr. H. J. VandenBerg of Petosky to Edna Gibson of Grand Rapids. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Hamilton at 8 o'clock p. m., Rev. M. Kolyn officiating.

Before leaving Grand Rapids Dr. and Mrs. VandenBerg called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John De Krul, who are now living there. Mrs. DeKrul is seriously ill and her recovery is not expected.

Wibe Nienhuis has traded off his team of horses for a mule team. Yes this is Wibe of Crisp.

Miss Grace Knoothuizen and brother Ray have returned from Muskegon where they have been visiting relatives and friends for a week.

NEW RICHMOND—M. W. Rose formerly of this city died last week in California, notice of his death having been received by friends here. Death was caused from a stroke of paralysis. Deceased is survived by a widow and three children.

BORCULO—Gerrit Myers, aged 69 years died Monday at his home here. Deceased who is survived by a widow and one daughter, came to Borculo from Grand Rapids about a year ago. Funeral services were held this morning from the home and at 1 o'clock from the Borculo Christian Reformed church. Rev. F. J. Drost officiating. Interment was in the Byron Center cemetery.

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Geertje Kemker to Cornelius Terpatra, 24 and 75-100 acres of section 3, Fillmore, \$2,650.

John A. Pieters to Grada F. Pieters lot 4 Atwater's add to Fennville, \$1.

Charles R. Wilkes and wife to George Blain, 80 acres of section 29, Dor, \$912.

Geertje Kemker to Robert Pelow 15 1/2 acres of section 3, Fillmore, \$1,350.

Berend O. Leinga and wife to Geertje Kemker 40 acres of section 2, Fillmore, \$4075.

Marguerite Cook to George E. Cook, lot 3 section 4, Saugatuck, \$1 and other valuable consideration.

Evert Vander Poppen to School District No. 5 of Overisel, 1 acre of section 35 Overisel, \$1.00.

Clarence E. Beagle and wife to Frank L. Sherman and wife, parcel of land in section 32, Fennville \$1,000.

Harm Berens and wife to Henry Berens, 55 acres of section 24 and, 26, Overisel, \$2,650.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF First State Bank

at Holland, Michigan, at the close of business Feb. 5th, 1909, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$28,428.54
Bonds, mortgages and securities	422,303.14
Overdrafts	319.70
Banking house	25,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	4,000.00
Other real estate	3,898.28
Due from other banks and bankers	11,019.98
Due from banks in reserve cities	\$143,320.14
U. S. and National Bank	34,478.00
Gold coin	43,500.00
Silver coin	5,700.75
Nickels and cents	81.00
Checks and other cash items	231,695.58
Total	\$1,238,742.42
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	50,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided profits net	7,485.07
Commercial deposits	\$29,004.86
Savings deposits	633,336.36
Savings certificates	263,945.04
Total	\$1,238,742.42

STATE OF MICHIGAN, I, S. S. County of Ottawa, I, G. W. Mokma, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. W. MOKMA, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of February, 1909. My commission expires May 19, 1910.

HENRY J. LUIDENS, Notary Public.

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FIRE INSURANCE—I have the best companies in the state who pay losses promptly after fires.

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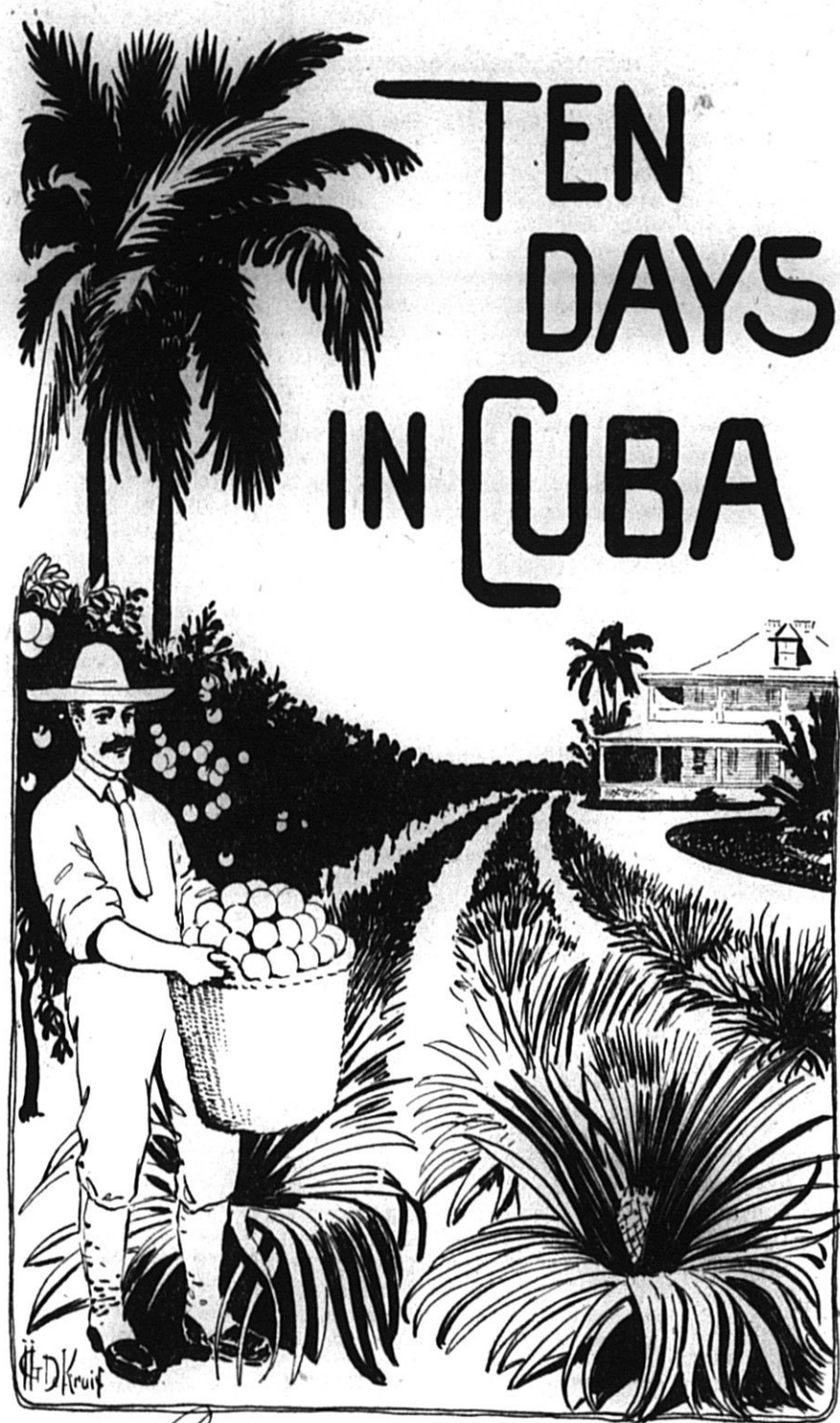
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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER

35 Years ago To-day.

Mr. A. Brooks, of Manlius, last week fell a tree on his land, measuring 6 feet in diameter at the butt, and 4 feet at the top. He worked up 43 running feet of timber into 16 cuts of stave-bolts, making 9 cords of stave-bolts, and would have made 4 cords more if the tree had not broken in falling. The timber was delivered at the stave factory of Messrs E. Vander Veen & Co., and realized him \$36. It is estimated that the value of this one tree before it reaches the consumer will exceed \$100.

A characteristic old-timed episode took place the other day, in one of the school districts, not more than ten miles from the city. The narrative is rather lengthy, but we condense as follows: The school house on the four corners—a fresh graduate from "Hope" as teacher—the usual attendance in the winter season, of tall pupils, having out grown their breeches and the school law possessing a wonderful tack for catching coons, robbing birds nests, and tormenting their little brother—a fight—teacher gets involved, grows nervous, strikes hard—very much mad father, who is also an elder in the church—a scriptural treatment, and the elder fines the teacher \$200 for educational purposes, to be credited to the elder, as a matter of course. At this stage of the proceedings other parties interrupt and object and while we go to press there is a row brewing somewhere in Allegan county.

WHAT YOU SAW 30 YEARS AGO

Married on Monday last, before Justice H. D. Post, Mr. H. Kenyon to Miss Mary Fuller, both of the township of Holland.

Just as we go to press we learn that Peter Oggel, a son of Dirk Oggel, died a few days ago at Pella, Iowa and that his body will be brought to Zeeland for interment.

WHAT YOU SAW 25 YEARS AGO

Last Wednesday night Eder T. Keppel started on a pleasure trip to California and to visit two brothers, one of whom he has not seen for 28 years.

The new hard wood floor in the skating rink was formally dedicated on Thursday evening by a large number of our people, young and old all agree in the opinion that the new floor is a fine one. Managers Shaffer and George were in the best of spirits and Charley made one of those

eloquent speeches for which he is famous. Valentine prizes were awarded to the most graceful couple skating. The first prize was won by Fred Wade and Miss Annie Van Putten, the second by Tom Beucus and Miss Reka Boone, the third by L. S. Graves and Miss Helen Pfantichl. There were others who received favorable mention.

The Star "Temperance Society" completed its organization Monday evening. The following are the names of the officers elect for the first quarter: President, Austin Harrington; vice presidents, Miss Anna M. Osborne, Miss Sarah E. Smith, Henry Cronkright; secretary, Zenas W. George, treasurer, Miss Urana Harrington; Chaplain, Rev. T. T. George; marshal, Frank Wash; deputy marshal, Chas. Osborn; executive committee, Wesley Cronkright, Miss Hannah Peterson, Gunder Anderson; literary committee, Miss S. A. Smith, Miss A. M. Osborne, Henry Cronkright.

WHAT YOU SAW 20 YEARS AGO

A Golden Wedding

Fifty years ago H. S. Hesselink, who lives two miles southeast of the city, led to the altar, Johanna Wilterdink, and last Wednesday the worthy couple celebrated their golden wedding in a befitting manner. Mr. Hesselink is 79 years of age and his wife is 76, and they have lived in this locality for many years. In the evening a large company of relatives and friends assembled at their residence and extended to them their hearty congratulations. We hope that they may enjoy many more happy years together.

Death of An Old Settler

Mr. G. J. Haverkate, who had been sick for the past few months, died at his residence in this city last Wednesday evening. He was 73 years of age and had been a resident of this city for over forty years, being one of the first settlers. He was for a long time engaged in the livery business, which he carried on up to a few years ago. He ran the first stage line from this city to Grand Rapids. He leaves a wife, one son and one daughter, Mrs. L. T. Kanters, to mourn his loss. The deceased will be buried Saturday from the Ninth street Christian Reformed church at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

A Happy Wedding

The wedding of Miss Sena Dok to Rollin Astra occurred last Thursday afternoon at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. C. Dok. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H.

E. Dosker. It was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends of both parties. The happy couple left on the evening train for Muskegon where they will spend a short honeymoon. The News acknowledges the receipt of a basketful of wedding cake and choice cigars. We extend our congratulations to the happy pair, and wish them a very prosperous journey through life.

Mrs. Wykhuizen's Death

Mrs. H. Wykhuizen died at her residence, corner Ninth and Cedar streets, last Saturday morning. The deceased had been in poor health for a long time, and a trip was taken for her health in the summer of 1886 to the Netherlands where she remained over a year, but without improving, returned to this city last summer. She was a kind and affectionate wife, and her loss will be felt greatly by her husband who survives her, and by a large number of her friends. She was 55 years of age at the time of her death. The funeral occurred Monday from the Ninth street church and was largely attended, the church building being crowded with friends of the deceased.

WHAT YOU SAW 15 YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. DeRoo on Wednesday—a son.

A party of tourists from Grand Rapids and vicinity left on Monday for a trip through the southern states. Our city is represented by a delegation comprising James Huntley and son Harry, James Purdy, C. Blom, Sr. and son Willie, John Hummel and Chas. Blom. The party have a special car at their disposal, and is in charge of Chas. E. Hogadone of Grand Rapids. They will take in the line of the Mobile & Ohio R. R. and traverse Mississippi and Alabama, where there are large tracts of land which have recently been put upon the market, thus combining business with pleasure. They will also take in Florida and New Orleans and stop at the principal towns and at all points of interests and thence proceed home. The trip will take about three or four weeks. Their first experience after leaving home was Monday's blizzard, which they managed however to outweather, arriving at St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday afternoon. Writes our special correspondent with the party:

Dear Editor—Reached here (St. Louis) at 4.30. Had to lay over at Decatur 15 hours on account of the train being blockaded near Toledo. Have a good natured party of about 60. Leave here at 8.30 p. m. Will

soon get out of the snow country. St. Louis is quite a village about the size of Holland. Party is in good spirits.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rutgers, on Sunday morning—a daughter.

WHAT YOU SAW 10 YEARS AGO.

When the report went forth that the late Chief Simon Pokagon had been refused burial by the side of his wife and child a subscription was started at Chicago to raise funds to purchase a lot in a cemetery there. The cemetery company offered a free lot in case it was needed.

Pieter Naber, one of the pioneers of '47, died Friday evening at his farm home, four miles southeast of the city, at the age of 89 years. He leaves a wife, one son and two daughters. The funeral took place Tuesday from the Ebenezer church, Rev. John VanderMeulen officiating. Tomorrow the Economy Meat Market, hitherto operated by Jac. Kuite, Jr., will open with a new proprietor, Chas. A. Doesburg.

The following party drove to Hamilton last evening and spent a pleasant hour with Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Brouwer; Messrs. and Mesdames C. DeKeyser, A. VandenBerg, L. Daugremond, F. Oosting, E. P. Misses Rose Kraus, Mary Vander Haar, Minnie Dok, Annie Borgman; Messrs. Gus Kraus, H. Eastman, Leo Wise.

Rev. Adrian Zwemer, of this city, the oldest clergymen in the Reformed denomination and the first man ordained to the ministry in the Holland colony, commemorated the 86th anniversary of his birth Friday. The venerable minister has been on the superannuated list for the last eleven years, after an active ministerial career of 40 years. Mr. Zwemer came to America in 1849 and was the first clergyman graduated from the Holland Academy, now Hope college.

Merchants Elect Officers

Monday evening the Merchants' Association held their annual election of officers. J. S. Dykstra was elected president for the ensuing year and H. W. Hardie, vice president. Henry Vander Ploeg was re-elected secretary and Fred Beeuwkes was again made treasurer.

Retiring president Van Tongeren gave a neat address in turning the reins over to the new administration in which he expressed his thanks for the hearty support of the body in all his undertakings. Following this

came the annual report of the secretary.

Mr. Vander Ploeg reported an increased membership in the organization and gave a brief synopsis of the things accomplished by the organization during the past year. Among these he mentioned the snagging of Black river, the building of the new dock on Fifth street, and the improving of the Bee line road.

Treasurer Beeuwkes reported that the association was now over \$175 to the good.

Following the business meeting the merchant's enjoyed a social session. Several propositions for bettering local trade conditions were informally discussed and all met with hearty approval.

STOMACH DISTRESS

Every family here ought to keep some Diapiesin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of Indigestion or Stomach trouble at any time, day or night.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you do eat seems to fill you, or lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a fifty cent case of Pape's Diapiesin and take one triangle after supper tonight. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapiesin is a certain cure for all stomach misery, because it will take hold of your food and digest it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Actual, prompt relief for all your stomach misery is at your Pharmacist, waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure a case of Dyspepsia or Indigestion

Said to be Fine

Few people here know that you can cure that dread American disease, Rheumatism, with just common, every day drugs found in any drug store. The prescription is so

simple that any one can prepare it at home at small cost. It is made up as follows: Get from any good prescription pharmacy Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bed time. These are all simple ingredients, making an absolutely harmless home remedy at little cost.

Rheumatism, as every one knows, is a symptom of deranged kidneys. It is a condition produced by the failure of the kidneys to filter or strain from the blood the uric acid and other matter, which if not radiated in the urine or through the skin pores, remains in the blood, decomposes and forms about the joints and muscles, causing the untold suffering and deformity of rheumatism.

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On the Homeward Lap

The American battleship fleet is coming home from Gibraltar keeping in touch by wireless as it steams smoothly along, covering the last few miles of its 45,000 mile voyage. It is interesting at this time to revert to a speech made by President Roosevelt in St. Louis at a time when the plan to send the fleet around the world was still a surprise and a subject of general conjecture. The president remarked in his St. Louis address that the coast line on the Pacific is as much ours as that on the East. "Our fleet," he said "is going to its own home waters in the Pacific and after a stay there it will return to its own home waters in the Atlantic. The best place for the naval officer to learn his duties is at sea, by performing them, and only by actually putting through a voyage of this nature, a voyage longer than any one undertaken by as large a fleet of any nation, can we find out just exactly what is necessary for us to know as to our naval needs and practice our officers and enlisted men in the highest duties of their profession."

All this has been accomplished and much more, for the international incidents along the whole journey have been notable. The fleet sailed from Hampton Roads December 16, 1907. After many friendly greetings in South America it reached San Francisco May 6 last. Then followed the remarkable visit to Australia, the welcome by Japan, the run to the Mediterranean, the sympathetic attitude toward Italy, and the cordial attentions at Gibraltar. That the whole voyage should have been so free from accident, interruption or delay, is a marvelous result. But it can have been no accident. Our navy has proved its practical readiness by a test such as the world has never witnessed before. The president's speech at St. Louis outlined what was expected and it has been achieved, only more fully than the most sanguine expected.

The Male Chorus

It is gratifying to everyone to note the interest that our citizens are taking in the male chorus. At the second meeting of the organization over sixty turned out to lend their assistance toward making the plan successful.

The material is at hand for a chorus second to none in the state of Michigan. We have the voices, the ambition and best of all we have a director who is qualified to bring out results.

The opportunities for such a chorus to come into use are very many. It is with great pleasure that we look forward to the work of our male chorus after it has had a few months of training.

"The present cold spell has raised quite an ice crop, and local icemen are again beginning their harvest." This makes two crops in one season.

Count Boni has started another lawsuit against Anna Gould. Cut the cables!

The idea that one of the new states in the Southwest should be called Lincoln finds support in all parts of the country.

Praise the work of your children, no matter how trivial the act. It will give them an honest desire to do better next time.

Cement shingles are now being manufactured by a machine. Little boys who do not mind their papas should paste this item in their stocking caps.

When President Roosevelt shall surrender the keys to his successor there will be no unfinished business on the desk or in any of the pigeon holes. He has cleaned up everything and everybody.

Tariff off Hides.

Affecting as it does every man, woman and child as users of shoes and countless thousands of others who have a use for leather goods of many kinds; again affecting manufacturers and dealers in leather articles and benefiting practically no one but the packers and the foreign leather producers and handlers, the movement for the elimination of the present tariff on hides is of direct interest to the entire country with but a small number of men and interests who find a profit in its retention. Van A. Walin is secretary of the Michigan Free Hide league, which is seeking to secure the removal of the tariff, and he also is widely known as one of the leading tanners of the country. Regarding the movement for free hides he said:

"When the tariff was placed on hides we tanners did not consider it a very serious matter. Owing to the 'drawback clause,' which I will refer to later, we were in nearly as good position to export leather as before and argued that with the tariff we simply would have to pay more for our hides and get more for our leather. So long as all tanners, about one thousand in this country, were in the same position we shared alike and could either buy hides of the packer or import them, paying the duty without one having advantage over the other. Now the situation is changed and the packer who produces his own hides has gone into the leather business and we must either buy an imported hide and pay about \$1 to the government or buy of our competitor, the packer-tanner, and pay the dollar to him.

"Consequently we feel that this is almost a life and death matter with us. During the last few years under the Dingley law providing a duty of 15 per cent upon heavy hides the packers gradually have gone into the tanning business. Their operations have been rapidly increased until now it is believed they are tanning one-third of the heavy leather of the country and it is probable that before this year is past they will be tanning one-half of it. The packers announce that they propose to be as strong a factor in the leather business as they now are in the meat business and also have said that the next step for them will be the shoe business. If they do obtain practical control of the leather business it would be very easy, through the United Shoe Machinery company, to practically control the entire shoe business of this land.

"This feeling of apprehension is shared by practically every tanner. Last week there was a meeting in Grand Rapids of tanners from Cheboygan, Petoskey, Boyne City, Whitehall, Holland and Grand Rapids, which I think included all of the tanners in western Michigan, at which a petition was signed by each and addressed to Senators Burrows and Smith urging the repeal of the duty on hides and it was the unanimous feeling of the group that the very existence of the independent tanner was threatened by the packer, whose strength is largely in the hide duty.

"A large proportion of the heavy hides in this country are taken off by the packers. It is estimated their annual hide production is nine to ten millions. The duty amounts to about on dollar on the heavy hide and it is our belief that the most of this dollar is kept by the packer and not handed to the farmer from whom he buys his cattle. We must remember that the packer does not buy hides any more than he buys tallow, but he makes hides. He buys the animal, prepares a hide from that animal, skinning and curing the same, which frequently is not sold for months after the animal is purchased and, generally speaking, there is no relation whatever between the price of animals on foot and the price of hides, it being frequently the case that hides are highest when cattle are lowest, and vice versa. Under these conditions the tanner is at present compelled to pay 15 per cent duty on an imported hide or buy his hide of his competitor in the tanning business who is enabled to add a dollar to the price of his hide because of this duty, and under these conditions it is not surprising that the packer is absorbing a rapidly increasing amount of the leather business of the country.

"When the Dingley bill was introduced there was no demand for a duty on hides. Hides had been on the free list for many years; I believe always except for a brief period during the Civil war. They are as near to raw material as it is easy to obtain. An increased price for hides never could stimulate the cattle industry, the value of the full grown hide being generally less than 10 per cent of the value of the animal and the duty amounting to less than 1 1/4 per cent of the value of the animal. When the bill passed the house of representatives and went to the senate, hides were on the free list, but during the last days of the bill in the senate under threat of holding up the entire bill a few western senators, I believe with Senator Steward of Nevada as spokesman, got the duty put on hides. Practically all of the congressmen from east to the Mississippi river, and I believe our entire Michigan delegation, resisted this, but reluctantly consented after fighting the matter because it seemed to be that or no bill.

"No other nation carries a duty on hides. The tanners of Canada, England, France, Germany, Austria, and I believe all Europe have the hide markets of the world to draw from and, during recent years, our foreign

trade in heavy leathers, has declined, whereas, when we had hides on the free list this trade expanded rapidly.

"By a peculiar provision in the law known as the 'drawback clause.' If a tanner exports the leather made from imported hides the government returns to him the duty paid on those hides. This amounts to approximately 2 cents a pound on the leather. This means that if I have leather to offer made from some of our importations from Mexico I can offer this to an English shoe manufacturer at 2 cents a pound less than to our Grand Rapids manufacturer, and still get the same net amount from my leather. This has been a very serious handicap to our shoe manufacturers, all of whom have felt that the tariff was an especial injustice to them. It seems to me that this clause alone should be enough to condemn the entire law.

"The hide production of this country does not begin to be large enough nor will it ever be large enough to meet the wants of the leather trade. Indeed, about 40 per cent of the leather manufactured in this country is made from imported hides. These hides come principally from South American countries, where the leather consumption is very small in proportion to the hide production. Here there is about one adult animal to each of the population, while in Argentina there are six animals to each inhabitant. The proportion of men to animals in this country is rapidly increasing and consequently the price of hides and hide products are steadily increasing.

"There is no tariff on the hides of young cattle; that is, any hide weighing less than twenty-five pounds is brought in free and this includes all kip skins. The largest part of the country kill as distinguished from packer kill is made up of these light animals. If a tariff had been placed upon these hides there would have been more justification for it as being a benefit to the farmer. As the law is at present there is no doubt in my mind that the increased cost of shoes, harness, saddlery and other leather goods used by the farmer much more than offsets any benefit he receives due to the increased price of hides. This is especially true of the farmers of Michigan and the other eastern states that raise comparatively few cattle.

"In Michigan, so far as I have been able to learn, there practically is no demand for a tariff on hides, while the large tanning and shoe and leather and harness industry, which is especially large in Michigan and practically all the consumers are in favor of the removal of the duty."

Marine

A well known marine man is authority for the statement that the Northern Michigan Transportation company will in a few weeks advertise for bids for the construction of another palatial passenger steamer to be the finest on Lake Michigan and which will cost at least half a million dollars. This report is also confirmed from other sources and it is said that a Chicago firm is now drawing the plans and specifications for the new boat which will run between Chicago, Milwaukee and Mackinac in conjunction with the Manitou.

Deputy United States Marshal O'Donnell will on February 24 conduct the largest sale of marine property ever conducted in Western Michigan. The sale will be at South Haven and is held to satisfy the creditors of the Dunkley-Williams Transportation company. The boats tied up under a decree from United States Judge Knappen are the City of Petoskey, W. H. Williams, City of Kalamazoo, Glenn and City of South Haven. The value of the property aggregates hundreds of thousands of dollars.

The new bill recommended by Pres. Roosevelt's marine commission provides that the steamboat inspectors of this district shall receive a salary \$2,500 per annum. In the lesser districts the salary will be fixed at \$2,000. The supervisors will be paid \$3,000. It also provides that steamers having runs of more than 48 hours must carry three licensed engineers and a sufficient number of men to stand 3 watches.

While for more than two months hope was held out that some members of the crew of the Soo City might have been saved when the steamer was lost, all these hopes have been abandoned. The insurance companies have begun paying claims for insurance on the lives of those who perished. The crew was recruited entirely from among the steamboat men of Western Michigan and many a family known in Holland contributed to the toll of lives exacted in the disaster.

McKinley Club Was Entertained

The members of the McKinley club enjoyed themselves to the limit Monday evening when they gathered in the commodious hall of the club in the Boter block and listened to Prof. Boers' reading of Ida Tarbell's "He Knew Lincoln."

As president Stephan said at the close of the reading, none who had listened to it could go away without a better, closer knowledge of the character and life of the great American. Prof. Boers is a fine entertainer and the audience gave him a stand-

ing vote of thanks for his part in the program. He has promised to read again before the club and his next appearance will be looked forward to with pleasure.

Besides this number, Will and Ed Stephan rendered some fine instrumental music. G. J. Pessink brought down the house with his music on the accordion, responding to two encores. J. H. Kleinhöcksel, always ready with a speech, delivered some stirring words concerning the character of Lincoln and ended his talk by stating that the side issues of the Roosevelt administration had been of more importance than some of the greatest events of other administrations.

President Stephan announced at the close of the meeting that the membership in the club had passed the 300 mark and was approaching 400. He urged the young men to make use of the club rooms which had been provided with books and games for their entertainment.

Hope College News

The next debate that will be pulled off at the college will be between the Frats and Debating club early in March. The question will be: "Resolved that the Monroe Doctrine should no longer be the policy of the United States." The Frats will be represented by Teunis Gowens, Wynand Wichers and H. Geo. Roest, John Warnshuis, alternate. The Debating club team is Henry Rottschaef, Anthony Ver Hulst and Verne Oggel; Albertus Christian Van Raalte, alternate.

It will be interesting to local debaters to know that Alma College has already picked its debating teams for the intercollegiate three-cornered debate. The first team is composed of John M. Dunham, H. A. Craig, Stanley Graner, with H. O. Whittemore as alternate. The second team consists of Adelbert Lindley, S. A. Johnson, Ralph Von Thrum and Ralph Graham as alternate. The former team will meet Hope college in Alma, the latter Olivet in Olivet.

The Fraternal society entertained about 20 lady friends Friday evening in Fraternal hall. An interesting program was given including a mock oratorical contest in which the following participated: Grant Hinkamp whose subject was, "The College Girl"; George Scholten, who spoke on "The Engaged Girl" and Hessel Yntema whose subject was "The Married Girl." After the program the company adjourned to the telephone hall where refreshments were served.

Friday morning the faculty and students gathered together in Winants chapel and held exercises to commemorate the Lincoln Centennial. Prof. J. H. Kleinhöcksel spoke a few words concerning the life of the Great Emancipator, after which Jno. A. Dykstra read Lincoln's farewell address to the people of Springfield, Ill. Lincoln's Gettysburg address was read by Wm. Walvoord of the Seminary. Miss Hilda Stegeman of the Senior class read the Second Inaugural address and Peter Pleune recited Walt Whitman's "Captain, My Captain." "The Star Spangled Banner" was sung as a solo by Prof. Nykerk, accompanied by Arthur Huisinkveld, the audience joining in the chorus. A poem, written by Tom Taylor, was read by Prof. Nykerk and the program closed with Ida M. Tarbell's "He Knew Lincoln" read by Prof. Boers.

Treat for McKinley Club

A great time is in store for the members of the McKinley Club at Monday night's meeting. It is planned to make this meeting a sort of Washington's birthday party.

The feature of the entertainment will be an old fashioned spelling match in which two members of the club will choose sides. It is planned to have J. B. Mulder and Ben Van Raalte as the opposing chiefs, the loser to buy cigars for the crowd. This will give the club members an opportunity to find out who the bad spellers are. Many of our most successful business men fall down on the simplest words. This match will be conducted by Henry Luidens.

Besides this there will be music by the Junior quartette, which made such a big hit at the McKinley Club banquet. Will Stephan and Niel Vander Meulen will give a mandolin duet.

Last but not least there will be readings by Will Vander Hart. Mr. Vander Hart has recovered from his cold and his readings will be as good as ever which means better than good enough.

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THREE OF THE THIRD

By FREDERICK F. MOORE

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Kerrigan knew that the fatal post and relief had fallen to him—Post Number Three of the third relief. He would be the sentry on duty from midnight until two o'clock and would have to patrol the trail which led into camp through the dreaded jungle.

Four men had already been brought into camp, shapeless masses of flesh and bones, from that post. They had been cut up in the trail. A Moro with a double-edged, twisted creese, is an artist at killing, but he mars his work by overdoing it. A dead man prefers to be found in one place, but a Moro—well, the simple act of slaying does not satisfy a Moro.

Kerrigan felt every eye in the guard detail turn to him in sympathy as the sergeant named him as the sentry on Post Number Three for the third relief. That was when the Moro was accustomed to do his work.

The sergeant watched Kerrigan out of the corner of his eye as he pronounced the words which he felt were sending the soldier to certain death, but Kerrigan never flinched. In the morning he had helped bring in from that post what had been his "bunkie." The tin rice boiler creaked and complained from the load, and every step of the way Kerrigan swore vengeance—softly, and through locked teeth, as a man does when he means what he says.

There was a rumor in the troop that Kerrigan had asked to be detailed for guard, and was going to volunteer to take the third relief, but the first sergeant refused to discuss the matter.

In fact, the whole affair was tabooed in camp. The commanding officer refused to take any action to prevent the killing of his men. He could have ordered the guard doubled on that post and had two men stand the watch, but there was no reason why the boloman



"The Rustle Came Again."

would not transfer his attentions to some other post. To acknowledge that Post Number Three was more dangerous than any other post would cause a panic among the men. The troop was facing a crisis, and officers and men knew it. They had to do their duty—they had to walk that post—they had to bring in what they found in the trail or be brought in themselves. They were soldiers, and that was soldiering.

That afternoon Kerrigan sat around in the guardroom and smoked and polished his rifle barrel—inside. He filled his belt with cartridges and examined each one carefully. He oiled the mechanism of the magazine and sought for dust in the grooves and dusted each part carefully with a tiny brush.

When mess call for supper sounded he went to barracks and arranged his things in his locker. He made several little bundles and wrote a name on each bundle.

After supper he went out and the boys watched him through the windows as he crossed the parade ground to the guardhouse in the dim afterglow of the tropical sunset. The supper was tasteless and the conversation lagged.

A recruit left the table and began to whistle softly before he was out of the mess hall. The first sergeant reprimanded him sharply, and the men did not know which one to thank most—the sergeant or the recruit.

"Number One—twelve o'clock."

The corporal of the relief roused himself as he heard the sentry at the guardhouse call midnight. He listened to the various outposts sending back their "All is well," and then called the relief.

Kerrigan was lying on his back on his cot with his hands folded across his breast and his hat over his face. The corporal shivered as he thought how like a dead man the sleeping soldier looked in the ghastly light.

He felt like an executioner calling a condemned man as he touched the sleeping figure. Kerrigan rubbed his eyes and sprang to his feet. He took a long drink from the can of distilled water, dashed the tepid stuff in his face and fell into the waiting line.

Outside the night was black. They could hear the pulse of the ocean beating on the beach. A lizard was croaking dolefully from a banyan tree and, as they plunged into the jungle, unseen things rustled in the foliage, reptiles glided away and insects

chirped shrilly. The air was warm and heavy with the scent of decaying vegetation, blossoms, and the fever-fog rising out of the ground.

Three of the Second halted them in the trail and Kerrigan received the special orders of the post. The relief marched away silently, cursing the discipline which prevented them from staying with Kerrigan and waiting for the fiend with the creese.

Kerrigan moved up the trail and stopped. He took his carbine from his shoulder and held it ready for instant use. The hammer was back and the safety notch turned off. He opened the case of his watch and put his finger on the works to stop it.

After waiting until he had become accustomed to the usual sounds of the jungle, he coughed. It was an innocent little cough that did not disturb the silence. A man 20 feet away could not have sworn which direction it came from—unless he happened to be a keen-eared Moro.

Kerrigan waited several minutes and then he heard a slight rustle in the bamboo trees behind him. He had his finger on the trigger and he smiled in the darkness, but he did not turn toward the sound until he coughed again. He got on one knee and put the muzzle of the carbine down low, for crawling things are near the ground.

The rustle came again, in the same direction, but perhaps a foot nearer. Kerrigan estimated it to be ten feet away. He coughed again after a short time. It was an encouraging sort of cough, or should be, to a Moro with a creese.

Again he heard the leaves move. The vines grated against something which was gliding between them. It was progressing slowly. It consumed a minute in moving an inch, until it made one long continuous rustle, scarcely to be heard, as the slight noise blended with the little night sounds of the jungle.

The noise stopped. Had Private Kerrigan fallen asleep on his post? There had been a stifled yawn and then a peaceful, gentle snore, followed by the regular, deep breathing of a weary man asleep. At intervals there was a soft snore.

The vines moved again, and now the thing was bolder, but still cautious. Foot by foot it glided nearer, growing more confident at each snore. Then the noise stopped. The creese was being made ready. It was the instant before the Thing strikes.

Kerrigan snuggled the butt of his carbine under his cheek, so gently that the movement was a caress. His eyes were of no use in aiming—his ears were guiding the carbine sight. Every muscle and nerve was so tense that it seemed they would snap. Great marbles of perspiration grew on his forehead, to break and run down into his eyes, but he did not mind them.

He was glad the troop could not see him, for he feared they might think he was afraid. All he feared was failure. He was trying to do his duty, and that was of more value to him than his life. A wave of gladness came over him as he realized that he had faced this Thing in the dark and was not afraid. He had never known before that he was absolutely fearless. He hoped that he might live so as to be able to enjoy the knowledge. Then he pulled the trigger.

There was no report. The carbine was still in his hands and he had pulled the trigger. He wondered if he had been mistaken. He pressed the steel again and it did not move.

A thousand little needles pricked his spine. His hair sprang up and quivered like a million tiny wires under a powerful magnet. His whole body was galvanized with fear. He was afraid now. He felt himself growing sick. He was unable to think. It did not occur to him that there must be some reason his carbine did not answer his pressure. All he knew was that he was helpless and that the Thing was before him preparing to strike. He wondered if the others had found themselves in the same plight. He had thought nothing could make him afraid, and he was sick from fright. A great lump rose in his throat and his frame quivered in a great, silent sob—because he was afraid.

The rustle came again. The fear vanished. He suddenly understood what was wrong. The safety notch! He had thought it open. It was closed.

He snapped it back and pulled the trigger. He saw the jungle open before him in the powder flash and a black shape almost at the muzzle of the carbine, prone before him. He caught the reflection of the fire which leaped from his gun, on a long, snaky bit of steel, pointed toward him. He fired again and again until his magazine was empty and then he tossed cartridges into the chamber in feverish haste and fired until his fingers were burned on the hot barrel. He heard the other sentinels calling the corporal of the guard and "boots and saddles" sounding in the camp. He wondered why there was so much blowing of trumpets and shouting. He laughed at them and kept on firing.

When the guard reached him his ammunition was all gone and he was sitting in the trail laughing and sucking his burned fingers. They held the lantern in his face and he laughed at the flame and whispered to it: "I was afraid—I was afraid!"

"Hell!" said the sergeant of the guard, "what's the matter with him? Is his hair white, or am I loco?" Kerrigan's hair was tinged with white. They picked him up, soothed him, and led him into the post, but still he laughed.

They found the naked form in the grass near where Kerrigan had been sitting. It was full of bullets.

In a few days Kerrigan was better, except that his hair did not turn black again.

The creese hangs over his bunk in barracks.

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IN SOCIETY

Mrs. George Lage was in Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Joseph Warner transacted business in Overisel Wednesday.

M. Vander Heide of Jenison Park is visiting in Grand Rapids.

Attorney Arthur Van Duren was in Grand Haven Wednesday on business.

Ben Van Raalte Jr., and Con De Pree are in Detroit attending the auto show.

The Ottawa Country Club will hold a valentine cotillion Friday evening in the Odd Fellows Hall.

The annual ball of Purity camp, Royal Neighbors of America will be held tonight in Woodman's hall, and elaborate preparations have been made to have it the best affair of its kind ever given by the camp.

M. Van Regenmorter and the Misses Sena and Mary Van Regenmorter went to Grand Rapids Friday morning.

A. C. Van Raalte W. R. C. will be entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nixon, 113 East Fourteenth street. All ladies attending are requested to bring their thimbles.

Mrs. Geo. A. Kellogg entertained a few lady friends Wednesday at her home on 17th street. Refreshments were served and the afternoon was made merry with music and singing. All report having a happy time.

The Washington Patriotic Club will hold its third annual meeting in the club rooms on Graves place Monday evening. Elaborate refreshments will be served and there will be eight at the speakers' table.

James F. Price of River street, left Tuesday for Houston, Tex., where he will be the guest of his brother. Mr. Price expects to stop over in St. Louis and Chicago on his return, and expects to be gone about two weeks.

John Van Landegend of Muskegon is visiting his mother Mrs. J. Van Landegend.

John Meeboer, the merchant tailor is in Chicago purchasing spring goods.

D. Aldershof left Friday for a month's visit with relatives and friends in Chicago and vicinity.

Benjamin Lajoe of Chicago who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. Wood, left Friday for Marion.

Miss Mae Harper left Friday noon for Frunta, Colo., where she will remain for some time.

Miss Katherine Post returned to Ann Arbor Friday after spending a week with her mother Mrs. J. C. Post.

Mrs. G. W. Bowman entertained a company of about 40 ladies Friday afternoon at her home on East Fourteenth street.

James A. Brouwer, the furniture dealer, has just received word of a shipment of a consignment of Japanese matings from Tokio, Japan.

Miss Grace Sprietsma has accepted a position as bookkeeper for Van Dyk & Sprietsma to succeed Miss Anna Sprietsma, who has resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Benjamin and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Benjamin of Zeeland Monday.

Many local members of the higher Masonic bodies were in Grand Rapids yesterday attending the annual meeting of the De Witt Clinton Consistory, which will be followed Friday by the annual carnival of Saladin Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. The festivities will end Friday night with a grand ball.

The second meeting of the newly organized male chorus which was held Tuesday evening brought out over sixty men who are willing to help make the chorus a success. This is an increase of 19 over the number that turned out to the first meeting. After a business session, J. Jans Helder put the chorus through over an hour of practice. The result was surprising and Mr. Helder is more than ever optimistic over the prospects. It is planned to have the chorus use only the best songs. Next Tuesday evening the chorus will meet from 8 to 10 o'clock in the McKinley club rooms.

William Brusse was in Grand Rapids on business Friday.

Woodbridge N. Ferris of Big Rapids was in the city Friday night. F. D. Hoyt of Saugatuck was in the city Saturday.

Miss Anna Takken was a Grand Rapids visitor Monday.

W. W. Hanchett was in Grand Rapids on business Monday.

Mrs. George J. Jones of Dowagiac is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lascomb.

Hon. G. J. Diekema left Monday morning for Washington, D. C. He is expected back about March 5.

The Sixteenth Street Christian Reformed church has extended a call to Rev. Veldkamp of Grand Rapids.

Miss Mabel Huntley has resigned her position as bookkeeper for the Citizens' Telephone Co.

The L. T. L. are getting ready for an entertainment to be given tomorrow evening.

Paul Kleinheksel of Chicago spent Sunday with his parents Prof and Mrs. J. H. Kleinheksel.

Mrs. B. A. Van Raalte and daughter Lois of Grand Rapids were the guests of Mrs. Cora Van Raalte Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Burkhart and children of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dykstra.

Helena Huizenga entertained a party of friends Tuesday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. Refreshments were served and all had a good time. Those present were Mabel Streur, Helena and Nella Meyer, Nellie Kammeraal, Minnie and Ada Plaggerman, Emma Vande Berg, Lena DeHaan, Hazel Fortuin, Claud VanderHart, Allyn Stren and Henry Huizenga.

Miss Rena Brewer was pleasantly surprised last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zigterman. The evening was pleasantly spent with games and refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Christine Van Maurick, Annie Lantinga, Kate Bolhuis, Josie Exo, Winnie De Weerd, Minnie Hamelink, Alice Appeldoorn and the Messrs. John Van Maurick, Gerrit Exo, Leonard Bolhuis, Will. Dieters, Lawrence DeWitt, Ed. De Feyter, Tim Tietsema and Henry Riedsma.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Van Raalte Jr. were in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Albert Lugers has sold his farm and intends to move to Holland soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boone spent Sunday in Fennville with Mrs. J. Pieters.

Miss Grace Browning arrived Thursday from Chicago to spend Sunday with her parents.

Dr. A. Knooihuizen has purchased a four cylinder "Cadillac" auto. Con DePree has also invested, buying a four cylinder Buick.

The Saugatuck Chapter, O. E. S., have issued invitations to a Colonial Costume Ball to be given at Leland's Hall, Saugatuck, Monday evening, Feb. 22.

The Young Peoples' society of the Ninth Street Christian Reformed church are planning a public entertainment which will be given in the church some time in March.

The Fortnightly club met Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vandenberg, where a very pleasant evening was spent. Mrs. C. E. Thompson and C. E. Ripley captured the prizes.

Dr. E. C. Stanton of Thurmond W. Va., who has been visiting his parents in this city left for home Thursday afternoon. While North he attended the Supreme Chapter meeting of the XI Psi Phi Fraternity at Ann Arbor. Dr. Stanton is a member of the board of directors of the fraternity.

Miss Elizabeth DeVries entertained a company of 16 friends with a valentine party Friday evening at her home on West Fifteenth street. The valentine idea was carried out in the decorations and refreshments. Prizes in a guessing game were won by the Misses Ruth Post and Marie Dykstra.

The young people of the Fourth Reformed church gave a very successful entertainment Friday evening at the church. The program consisted of recitations and music and a collection was taken for missions. After the program members of the society and the pastor and the consistory with their wives enjoyed a social time.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Benjamin of Zeeland celebrated the fifty-eighth anniversary of their wedding yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin are 80 and 78 years old respectively. They are the parents of twelve children, five of whom are still alive. Both are in good health.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Essing of Zeeland—a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Clark, 669 Michigan avenue—a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Post, Grand Rapids—a daughter.

DEATHS

Miss Alyda Ver Schure, aged 36, died Wednesday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. VerSchure, 151 W. 12th St., after an illness of about two weeks of typhoid fever. Miss Ver Schure taught for many years at the Laketown school. She is survived by her parents, two brothers, Andrew and John and one sister, Mrs. J. Blok. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 1:15 from the home and at 2 o'clock from the Third Reformed church, Rev. E. J. Blekking officiating.

Burton Heights indoor team comes here for a game with the Interurbans Friday night.

Louis Conger has been giving the Hope college track athletes some excellent training during the past few weeks as was demonstrated at yesterday afternoon's indoor meet. This meet was the first of a series which will be held to determine the class championship. Makoto Yamamoto won the 30 yd. dash against a large field. Rigaud was out of the running on account of a bad knee. The "little Jap" also won the three lap race in good time. Verburg and Pasma were close contestants in the half mile, the former winning by a few feet.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court
for the County of Ottawa.
At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven in said county, on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1909.

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

In the matter of the estate of

Achshah Tauber, Deceased.

Darius Tauber having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered that the 8th day of March, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed in said county.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
Bernard Bottje,
Register of Probate.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1909.

Present: HON. EDWARD P. KIRBY
Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

Robert W. Van Schoick, Deceased.

Ella Gowdy having led in said court her petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Nicholas Van Zanten and Jennie Van Zanten his wife to William A. Holley, guardian of Grant A. and Mabel C. Rial, minors, dated the 14th day of March, A. D. 1905, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the county of Ottawa in the State of Michigan on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1905 in liber 76 of mortgages on page 104 and on which there is claimed a due date of this notice the sum of One Thousand ten dollars and 62 cents (\$1,010.62) and insurance to the amount of Two dollars and Seventy-five cents (\$2.75) and taxes to the amount of Five dollars (\$5.00) and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) as provided for by law and in said mortgage; and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 27th day of April, A. D. 1909, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the court house in Grand Haven, Michigan, (that being the place where the circuit court for the said county of Ottawa is held) the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount of said mortgage with six per cent interest and all legal costs, taxes and insurance together with an attorney's fee of Twenty Five dollars (\$25.00) as provided for by law and covenanted therein, the premises being described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: The East forty-one and one quarter (E 41 1/4) feet of Lot number Three (3) in Block Number Fifty-six (56) in the City of Holland, according to the recorded plat thereof on record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan.

William A. Holley, guardian for Grant A. Rial and Mabel C. Rial, Minors.

Mortgagee.

ARTHUR VAN DUREN,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Holland, Mich.

Dated January 9th, A. D. 1909.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1908.

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

In the matter of the estate of

Robert E. Johnston, Deceased.

George H. Souter and Don Johnston having filed in said court their petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered that the 1st day of March, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
Bernard Bottje,
Register of Probate.

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

In the matter of the estate of

Jacob J. Van Dyk, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1909, 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 2nd day of June, A. D. 1909 and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 2nd, A. D. 1909.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said county, on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1909.

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

In the matter of the estate of

Mary E. Hunt, Deceased.

Anna Van Doren having filed in said court her petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court, be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the

8th day of March, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
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Whistling on Sabbath in Scotland.

Concerning the Scottish reprobation of whistling on the Sabbath, Dean Ramsay has a characteristic story. A famous Glasgow artist met an old Highland acquaintance unexpectedly. "Donald, what brought you here?" "Oo, weel, sir, it was a baad place you; they were baad folk—but they're a God fearin' set o' folk here." "Well, Donald, I'm glad to hear it." "Oo, ay, sir, deed are they; an' I'll gie ye an instance o't. Last Sabbath just as the kirk was skallin' there was a drover chield frae Dumfries comin' along the road whistlin', an' lookin' as happy as if it was a middle o' the week. Weel, sir, oor laads is a God fearin' set o' laads, an' they were just coming oot o' the kirk 'od they yekit upon him an' a'most killed him!"

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THE GODDESS OF THE SEA

By ROSE MILLS POWERS

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Brine-encrusted old ruin as she was, the Goddess of the Sea retained a certain dignity that her abandonment by priest and worshiper alike could not destroy. There was something commanding about the outlines of the old temple that made it believable that she had served as fortress as well as shrine. Loopholes in her porcelain facade and her battlemented walls attested to the popular tradition that she had been one of the city's outlying strongholds in the days of cross-ocean warfare.

Since the days of her royal patroness, one of the early empresses of the Ming era, the goddess and gazed, faintly smiling, on many changing scenes in her lacquered halls. The magnificence of satin-clad emperors had trailed itself before her eyes; the cotton-clad simplicity of sea-faring folk had prostrated itself at her feet—there had been bloody warfare at her very doors and the shrieks of the wounded and dying had echoed through her corridors—but surely unique was the scene upon which she now looked—a tow-headed American lad clambering into her sacred lap and poking behind her honorable back with a long stick. From the stone step at the feet of the goddess, sacred to incense and joss-stick burning since time immemorial, a little girl, pink-cheeked and tearful, raised a despairing face to the young vandal.

"No use, Constance," the boy announced after several vigorous thrusts, "your doll is not here. Whew! what a dust! Let's get out into the courtyard and you can tell me over again how you came to lose her."

The Temple courtyard, shady with fragrant plum and oleander, and swept by sea breezes, was the favorite rallying spot for excursions with the



The "Foreign Devil" Lady.

little foreign community in the gray old Chinese city.

Between her sobs, Constance related the events that had led up to the loss of her doll. With the other children of the picnic party, she had been playing hide and seek and had climbed to hide behind the idol. Tiffin had been called just then and she laid her doll for safe-keeping in the wide, comfortable-looking lap of the goddess, intending to return for her after the meal, but had forgotten all about her until some hours later. The narrative ended with a storm of sobs, the boy trying in a clumsy way to quiet his sister, but to no avail. Suddenly Constance looked up with brightening eyes.

"Oh, David, I forgot; old Wu was looking in at the door when I climbed down from the idol, perhaps he knows something about my doll."

"Who do you mean?" asked the boy. "Why, you know, old Wu who lives in the little house at the Temple gate and makes the paper toys and mock money to be burned at the graves."

David's eyes opened wide. Here was a clew.

"We'll go and ask him," he said, jumping to his feet. "Cheer up, we'll find Lady Laura yet."

They descended the long flight of steps to the gate to find the little outbuilding occupied by Wu shut up and bolted.

"He's probably gone to carry a load of his things to some funeral," said Constance. "He had a lot of paper animals and clothes stacked up outside the door when we came this morning."

David was staring past the sorghum fields toward the west, where the city wall ran its castellated outline against the horizon. A faint wailing accompanied by the clang of cymbals rose on the air, and the gleam of embroidered trappings threw into relief a long line of white-robed figures. A funeral was in progress in one of the ancestral burying grounds adjoining the city wall. The children, moved by a common impulse, ran toward the scene.

Wu, the image and offering maker of Sin Chow, was something of an artist in his line.

When Li Fan Yin, who was one of the minor mandarins and a person of some official importance in Sin Chow, had come to him with a large order for funeral offerings for his deceased wife, among other things asked for (he it confessed, somewhat shamefacedly by that worthy gentleman), had

been a representative of a "foreign devil." Mrs. Li had become acquainted with one of the woman missionaries and during her last illness had taken a strange fancy to having this foreign person visit her—abnormal, no doubt, the graduate explained, tapping his head significantly—but as it was her last illness, he had agreed to the odd whim she had expressed, to have an image of the foreigner in the retinue accompanying her to the spirit world. Could Wu undertake such a commission? Wu, with much servile prostrating, owing to the somewhat exalted rank of his customer, assured him of his ability to execute any order his honorable highness might be pleased to ask of his worthless servant, and the bargain was concluded.

The ceremony of the burial had proceeded to the point where the local divinities were being placated by offerings of meat, wine and mock money. Now the wailings of the mourners were redoubled as the little sedan chair, with the picture of Mrs. Li inside, was brought forward from Wu's pack. Around it were grouped representations of animals, mock jewelry and bunches of gilt and silver paper money. Then the officiating priest, with an explanatory remark about the curious whim of the late Mrs. Li, held up the image of the "foreign devil" lady who was to go as an attendant to the deceased. The crowd pressed nearer to gaze at this offering and a "Hi yah" of admiration smote the ears of Wu where he stood, outwardly nonchalant but inwardly exultant as he noticed Li Fan Yin's satisfaction in the amount of "face" he was creating in the burial of Mrs. Li. "That means three, perhaps five, extra strings of cash," the offering-maker calculated to himself.

As the priest held Wu's masterpiece upraised, a cry arose on the outskirts of the crowd and it parted as two breathless foreign children forced their way past the mourners into the circle around the open grave.

"Oh, my dolly! Give me my dolly!" cried Constance, as she saw her beloved Lady Laura in the priest's hands. Then, noticing the fire of smoldering charcoal which was waiting for the offerings, and realizing what was about to happen, she began shrieking hysterically with hands outstretched to her lost treasure.

David, with cooler head, began to offer an explanation to the company, which, till now, had stood still from sheer astonishment at the turn affairs had taken.

The faultless Chinese of his eloquent appeal for justice, and his denunciation of the thieving Wu, who slunk in the background as attention was drawn to him, won some sympathy for the children, but Li Fan Yin's brow contracted as he saw the effect of David's tale and, fearing he might "lose face" if the doll were given up, he hurriedly seized the boy by the arm and started to eject him from the place. As David resisted, the sudden rage which sometimes possesses the Chinaman came upon Li, and, forgetting the dignity of his position in the anger that consumed him, he began to shriek a tirade of verbal abuse at the American lad.

Shaking himself free from the half-crazed Chinaman, David faced him with flashing eyes. Not for naught came he from a line of ancestors of the church and state militant. The blood of fearless pilgrims and staunch minute men ran in his veins, and he was ready to fight to the death for his principles. Lad as he was, he had not lived in China 14 years in vain, and his subconscious self, which had been absorbing impressions through all his young life, came to his rescue. In his comings and goings, many a forensic contest had he witnessed many a wordy duel in market place and country road, and, without the slightest effort, he found himself giving the irate official a roland for every oliver, with this difference, that, whereas Li had descended to street lingo, the retort courteous as given by David was couched in classic Confucian diction.

The Chinaman, beaten at his own game, and red in the face and breathless from his verbal onslaught, was soon glad to snatch the doll from the priest's hand and restore it to its rightful owner. Immediately, as if nothing had happened, the funeral ceremonies were renewed, and the persistent wail of the mourners again rent the air. The incident was closed.

As the children dodged around the tombs to reach the open fields adjoining the mission compound, they saw Wu disappearing in the direction of the temple—a slinking, dejected figure outlined against the red sunset sky.

The next picnic party found an empty room at the temple gate. Wu lodged there no more. They also found the Goddess of the Sea decapitated, her head with faintly smiling lips lying on her folded hands. The foreigners were puzzled by this act of vandalism, but no Chinamen to whom they appealed could explain it.

But an offering-maker who earns an indifferent living in an interior city, some hundred miles away, sometimes scowls over his work as he mutters to himself:

"Did I not carry daily offerings to her shrine? Did I not make three kneelings and nine knockings at her feet, night and morning? Did she not herself give me what my hands could not fashion, causing the little foreign devil to leave it in her lap for me to take? Ah, base and ungrateful goddess, to so trick me in the end, causing me to forever lose face in Sin Chow! But these hands, Hi Yah! they wrought a rapid vengeance!"

And, as the recreant Wu looks remorselessly at his skinny, long-nailed fingers—far away the decapitated Goddess of the Sea, in her forsaken shrine, faintly smiles.



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The following are among those who have been selected to serve on the jury at the March term of the circuit court: John Stegenga, Holland township; John Osseward, Zeeland township; Ben J. Mulder, Zeeland city; Robt. Slowinski, Holland, First district; and Leonard Kardux, Holland township.

Roy W. Calkins and Peter Brink were in Grand Rapids this week attending the State Ice Cream Manufacturers' convention. About 65 delegates from all over the state were present. Papers were read on vanilla, gelatine and sanitary conditions. The members of the association enjoyed a banquet at the Livingston hotel last night.

The eight hour test given the new power unit which is the latest type of a turbine and generator combined, is reported to be a successful one. Prof. Anderson of the University of Michigan who made the final test has given out no definite figures but it is understood that the results were highly satisfactory.

At the meeting of the board of police and fire commissioners Monday afternoon, a committee of two men from each engine house presented a request signed by every member of each company asking that the pay of the four night men of each engine house be increased \$50 per year, the present figure being \$100. The petition was taken under advisement of the board.

After a lingering illness, Mrs. C. Schermer, aged 73 years, died at her home on the Beaverdam road. The deceased was born in North Brabant, Netherlands, and came to America 35 years ago, settling on the farm where she died. She is survived by a husband and eight children who are Cornelius, Bastian, Teunis and Dirk of Vriesland, Mrs. J. Wentzel, Hamilton; Tony, Frederick and Mrs. Bert Wentzel of Holland. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, Rev. Wm D. Vander Werp of Zeeland officiating.

Nearly sixty women attended the meeting of the Woman's Literary club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Poole yesterday afternoon. A letter from Mrs. G. E. Kollen was read to the members. Following this Mrs. Van Verst sang "Rule Britannia" and Mrs. R. H. Post read a paper on "James I and the Puritans," which was prepared by Mrs. H. Winter. Mrs. H. Van Ark and Mrs. C. A. Stevenson told about the Guy Fawkes "Gunpowder Plot" and how England celebrates this anniversary. Mrs. J. Boyd sang "Remember Me" after which Hamlet was presented by Mrs. L. M. Thurber assisted by several members of the club who read the principal scenes of the play.

The Zeeland Y. P. S. C. E. held their semi annual meeting Tuesday evening to elect officers for the coming year. Those elected are Wynand Wichers, president; Joe Meeuwse, vice president; Miss Francis Van Dyke, recording secretary; Matthew Lokerse, treasurer. As chairman for the different committees: prayer meeting committee, Miss Dora Van Zoeren; lookout committee, Gerrit De Jong; missionary committee, Mrs. M. Lokerse; music committee, Miss Anna Huizinga and for social committee Miss Nellie Roosenraad. A meeting was held at Vriesland of the same society and the following officers were chosen: Rev. G. De Jonge president; Margaret De Groot, vice president; Ida Tanif, secretary and Jeanette De Jonge, treasurer. As chairman for the different committees: prayer meeting committee, Sobert Kroodisma; lookout committee, Johanna Van Soeren; missionary committee, Gerrit Meengs and for social committee, Reka Meengs.

At the annual meeting of Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. P. Burkholder, the annual reports of the secretary, treasurer, registrar and historian were read and the following officers re-elected: Regent, Mrs. C. M. McLean; vice regent, Mrs. W. J. Garrod; secretary, Miss Avis Yates; registrar, Ms. F. C. Hall; treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Wheeler; historian, Miss Myrtle Beach; chaplain, Mrs. T. A. Boot. Mrs. Wm. Swift was re-elected a director and two new directors elected are Mrs. O. E. Yates and Mrs. R. H. Post. Delegates elected to the Continental Congress are Mrs. McLean and Mrs. M. E. King, with Mrs. W. J. Garrod and Mrs. W. H. Beach alternates. The chapter pledged itself to endorse Mrs. Matthew Scott of Bloomington, Ill., as a candidate for president-general of the National society.



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We wish to call attention to the fact that Glen Hemmingway is not playing in the orchestra at the Idea Theatre as has been reported. He is playing with us and will remain with us. Askins & O'Leary, Props. Amuse Theater.

An exceptionally fine show is on at the Amuse Theater tonight. "The American soldiers in the Philippines" is the title of the picture that is making the hit. It was shown last night for the first time and delighted a large audience. Tonight it will be run again and the house ought to be filled.

The new fire maps of the city of Holland have been distributed among the local insurance agents by the Saaborn Map company of New York City. These maps are issued only once in 10 years. Every separate lot is given in perfect proportion with a drawing of the shape of the building. Wooden buildings are colored yellow, and a wooden building with a brick veneer, yellow, edged with pink. Pink is used for solid brick buildings, green for cement, and blue for stone. It is interesting to compare this new map with the old one, issued 10 years ago.

Notes of Sport.

Hope college won from Jackson in a game of basket ball Saturday night 46 to 32. The game was a good one. Hope got away at the start and secured a lead but seemed to go to pieces for a short period, allowing the visitors to creep up, making the first half close. In the second half, however, Hope had an easy time. The visitors seemed unable to hold the ball and passed slow. Many possible tries at goal were spoiled for this reason. Johnny Vrouwink starred for Hope at center and DePree at guard. Referee Field of Grand Rapids and Umpire De Kruij of Chicago gave good satisfaction.

The Detroit Y. M. C. A.'s who are out for the state championship in basket ball, are here ready for a game with Hope college tonight. The local team is also out for state championship honors and the game promises to be a good one. Both teams have beaten Jackson, Detroit by a 53 to 22 score and Hope by a 47 to 33 score. The preliminary game will be between the second team and a team from the Seminary. Admission to both games will be 25 cents and the first will be called at 7.20 o'clock.

The indoor game played in the Lyceum rink Monday night between the Interurbans and Manhattans of Grand Rapids was won by the Hollanders 4 to 3, the game being well attended. The feature of the game was a triple play by Peterson in the sixth inning. Three Grand Rapids men were on base when the ball came to Peterson on left short. He tagged two men in quick succession and threw to third base catching the other. The Interurbans won by their fine fielding. The local team has won from every team in Grand Rapids and expects to play a picked team soon for the championship.

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"The phrenologist the following week bought a horse from the farmer. The horse was knock-kneed, it was 25 years old, it had a bad temper, and it balked. Though the farmer had only paid \$15 for the animal, he secured without difficulty \$150 from the phrenologist for it.

"It's wonderful," said the farmer to himself, as he hastened toward the bank to deposit the money—"It's just wonderful that a man should know so much about men and not know a thing about horses!"—Detroit Free Press.

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There is nothing which will add so much to one's power as the consciousness of being absolutely sincere, genuine. If your life is a perpetual lie, if you are conscious that you are not what you pretend to be—that you are really a different person from what the world regards you—you are not strong.

There is a restraint, a perpetual fighting against the truth going on within you, a struggle which saps your energy and warps your conduct. If there is a mote at the bottom of your eye you cannot look the world squarely in the face.

Your vision is not clear. Everybody sees that you are not transparent. There is a cloudiness, a haze about your character, which raises the interrogation point where you go. Character alone is strength, deceit is weakness, sham and shoddy are powerless, and only the genuine and the true are worth while.—Exchange.

Blessings of Idleness.

Perpetual devotion to what a man calls his business is only to be sustained by perpetual neglect of many other things. And it is not by any means certain that a man's business is the most important thing he has to do. To an impartial estimate it will seem clear that many of the wisest, most beneficent parts that are to be played upon the theater of life are filled by gratuitous performers, and pass among the world at large as phases of idleness. For in that theater not only the working gentlemen, singing chambermaids and diligent fiddlers in the orchestra, but those who look on and clap their hands from the benches, do really play a part and fill important offices toward the general result.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

"The Devil and the Deep Sea."

Hazlitt's "English Proverbs" gives the proverb as "Betwixt the devil and the deep sea," and quotes it from Clarke's "Paroemiologia," 1639, and adds this note of explanation: "On the horns of a dilemma. In Cornwall they say 'deep' sea, which may be right." Reddall's "Fact, Fancy and Fable" gives the following explanation of the proverb: "This expression is used by Col. Monroe in his 'Expedition with Mackay's Regiment,' printed in London in 1837. The regiment was with the army of Gustavus Adolphus and was engaged in a battle with the Austrians. The Swedish gunners did not elevate their guns sufficiently, and their shot fell among this Scottish regiment, so that 'we were between the devil and the deep sea.'"

A Long Sentence.

The prize for the longest sentence ever written may fairly be awarded to the elder Dumas, who probably holds a further record for fertility of production. In the seventh of the 29 volumes which compose the "Impressions de Voyage," there is a sentence describing Benvenuto Cellini, which fills three pages, or 108 lines, averaging 45 letters apiece. The sentence is broken by 68 commas and 60 semicolons; but as it contains 195 verbs and 122 proper names, the reader is somewhat bewildered before the end is reached.

Wise Men.

Although a wise man is exacting toward himself he does not demand anything of others. He is content with his lot and never complains of heaven. He never blames others for his fate—therefore, when he finds himself in a low state, he submits to fate. An ordinary mortal, seeking earthly bliss, falls into dangers.

When the arrow does not hit the target he who shoots it blames only himself and no one else. Even so does the wise man act.—Confucius.

Our Helpful Maids.

Louise—I'm in an awful boat. After I started to bleach my hair, I found I had only enough to do half of it, and Nelson is coming to-night.

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Mr. Miller has made two changes in the company, however, that has materially strengthened the cast. Miss Gwladys Wynne, the original Mary, has returned to the role, and Wilfred Roger, the well known actor, will be seen in the role of the vicar, formerly played by Stanley Drewitt. Mr. Miller made these changes because the former players did not "look the part," although their acting was entirely satisfactory and received the highest praise from the critics. His constant endeavor has been to make the "Associate Players" a perfectly balanced cast and the strongest company on tour. That he has entirely succeeded is the unanimous opinion of every critic who has reviewed the performance.

Miss Gwladys Wynne played the role of Mary during the long runs enjoyed by "The Servant in the House" in New York and Chicago, and scored an individual triumph in both cities. She is a beautiful young English girl, still in her teens, but an accomplished actor. Although she has only been on the stage three years and a half she has taken part in a number of noted productions. Last season and the year before she was the ingenue in Henry B. Irving's company, playing important roles in all his big London successes. She was a member of Vadrone and Barker's internationally famous cast at the Court Theater in London, and was assigned all the ingenue roles in the celebrated revivals of Greek drama. She has appeared twice in the great Shakspearian revivals at Stratford-on-Avon, appearing as Hermia, Jessica, the two Blancas, and other important characters. Miss Wynne left "The Servant in the House" to create an important role in Charles Rann Kennedy's other play, "The Winterfeast," and returned to the "Associate Players" two months ago, when Henry Miller withdrew "The Winterfeast."

Mr. Roger's ability as an actor is well known. He is particularly well suited to the role of the vicar. He has the face and bearing one expects to see in a clergyman of the Church of England, and he possesses the beautiful resonant voice of the naturally eloquent orator. The vicar, it will be remembered, was famed for his eloquence, and had won his high position in the church because of his success as a pulpit orator. Mr. Roger has taken part in a great number of big New York productions, and during the last two seasons has been the star of permanent companies in Omaha and Kansas City.

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