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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOLUME 39

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1910

NUMBER 8



This is the right place to come for

Carpets, Rugs, and Draperies

We are as sure of that as we were ever sure of anything.

Our present problem is to convince all those who may need

Carpets, Rugs or Draperies

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Ten minutes spent in the store will do more convincing than a page of newspaper talk.

Our new line of 1910 Carpets, Rugs and Draperies are here.

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FOR SALE—120 Acre farm, located about 4 miles from Holland. Nearly all improved good land. Good 7 roomed house, Barn 32 x 38 and shed. Good bearing orchard. Best kind of water. On main gravel road. A mile to school. Price \$4000.

Weersing's Real Estate Adv.
All improved good mixed clay loam soil, of first-class quality, located 2 1/2 miles from Byron Centre. A nearly-new 6-roomed house, with good cellar. Good water, flowing well, cistern, windmill. Good basement barn.

ELDER HENRY CUNNINGHAM

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For Weak, Run-Down People.

"I was run down and weak from indigestion and general debility, also suffered from vertigo. I saw a cod liver preparation called Vinol advertised and decided to give it a trial, and the results were most gratifying. After taking two bottles I regained my strength, and am now feeling unusually well."—HENRY CUNNINGHAM, Elder Baptist Church, Kinston, N.C.

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Singing—VOICE CULTURE AND REPERTORY

Piano, Pipe Organ, Harmony

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Sight Too Valuable

To be neglected. Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve will cure any case of sore eyes, granulated lids, opthalmia or any inflamed condition of the eyes. Painless and Harmless. 25c at all dealers.

Local News

A meeting of the Farmers club will be held Saturday afternoon in G. A. R. hall.

Bernard Vanden Bosch residing on West Fifteenth street, while at work at a saw in the Thompson Mfg. plant on East Twelfth street, had a part of his right thumb cut off.

S. W. Robinson of Chicago has bought five acres on the north side of the bay of C. J. DeRoo of Flint. He will build a fine summer home on the place. Geo. Lage has bought a house and lot on 11th street of H. Winter. Isaac Kouw & Co. made these deals.

Bert Hadden of Holland signed a pledge January 1st to abstain from liquor for three months to save himself from punishment under the habitual drunkard law. However, he was unable to hold out against the thirst and now he is on his way to the Detroit House of Correction to serve an eighty day sentence for breaking his word and taking a drink.

A Missouri editor is said to have a plan to keep subscriptions paid up which works without fail. Every time a delinquent subscriber is mentioned in his paper his name is inverted. Every other subscriber understands what it means and there is a grand rush to get "right side up" again.—The News is considering the advisability of the scheme and may conclude to try it out.

Owing to the annoyance of a lot of boys on the ice the horse of Paul VanVulpen ran away on Black lake. He was driving home to Waukegan across the ice with his wife and child and the boys persisted in skating around the rig and frightening the horse. No serious damage was done but a serious and possibly a fatal accident on the hard ice was narrowly averted.

A very interesting and instructive lecture will be delivered at the Second Reformed church on the 25th of this month. Concerning this lecture attorney George E. Kollen of the firm of Dijkema & Kollen has written: "Mr. Cornelius Vander Meulen's lecture on the 'Trial of Jesus from a legal standpoint' is an exhaustive study of one of the great, if not the greatest, trials in history couched in language capable of being understood by the layman. The lecture shows that Mr. Vander Meulen has read extensively and thought deeply on this subject. His delivery is pleasing, his language and word pictures are beautiful and the lecture is well worth hearing for Christian and non-Christian. Grand Haven Tribune.

Ralph Gunn of Holland, a student at the Ferris school at Big Rapids, has been arrested for the theft of a watch from Arthur Topham, another student. Gunn stole the watch during the holidays but has only confessed to the theft made upon him at the meetings of the Ferris Industrial association. He promised President Ferris to return the watch which had been sent to Holland and exchanged for a belt pin for a young woman, but as he failed to do so his arrest followed. Topham at first suspected his room mate Holmquest of getting the watch, and as his room mate could not prove his innocence, he left school in disgrace, unable to bear the pointing finger of suspicion.

The first robin that will make its appearance in Holland this spring will hardly be greeted as enthusiastically by local people as they did the old mockingbird whistle when the other morning with renewed vigor it warbled the hour of seven. Like a lost cord it fell upon the ears of pedestrians and the smile it provoked was quite similar to the sign of recognition which we mortals show when we meet with a long absent friend. The city was rapidly demoralizing during the absence of the old whistle. Time was no more. On the campus the condition became very alarming, hardly any of the students appearing at breakfast, while the soundest of the sleepers got ready just in time for dinner. Now, when the old stand by whistle whoops again everything resumes its natural order. Supt. James De Young, noticing that the ears of Holland citizens are so tuned to the shriek of the mockingbird, has remodeled the new whistle to that same pitch, so that the city now has two splendid mockingbird whistles.

Geo. Riemersma tried to run two restaurants and was badly beaten and kicked out for his trouble. The law completed the job when Justice Vander Meulen gave him \$16 fine and costs.

Through a mistake of the make up man in placing the story, The Fourth Estate, one column in the body of the narrative was omitted making it read erroneously. We republish that part of the story this week together with a large installment. So the theme may be followed in the proper way.

The Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. Glee club will give a concert in the M. E. church this evening at eight o'clock. The club is composed of 18 young men and will be assisted by P. H. TenHave, baritone, and E. Stillson, impersonator. A fine concert is promised. Price 25 cents, children 15 cents.

Charged with swindling the Boter Clothing Co. out of a \$20 suit of clothes, Jacob Flieman, jr. a painter was arrested in Grand Rapids and brought to this city. Flieman secured the suit on approval a year ago, but failed to return or pay for it. Besides the price of the suit, Justice Van Duren tacked on an extra \$20 fine and costs, which he paid.

Besides being a "thing of beauty and a joy forever," the new wire turban played a prominent part as a life saver when Miss Cella Bauma, one of Allegan's most popular young ladies, fell at the roller skating rink, striking her head with great force on a sharp corner. Although badly shaken up, she was not seriously injured and declared today that her wire turban surely saved her life.

The Western Social conference of the Reformed church of America met in regular session Monday in the parlors of the First Reformed church of Grand Rapids. Papers were read by Rev. H. Frieling of Kalamazoo over Exegesis, Rom 8: 29-30, and by Rev. H. J. Veltman of Holland over "Divorce in the Light of Scripture." The ladies of the church entertained the conference at dinner. The pastors of this city were present.

A favorable report on the present condition of the county jail at Grand Haven will be made by the board which made its annual inspection of Sheriff Andre's "hotel" yesterday. The board is made up of Judge of Probate Kirby, County Agent C. Roosenraad, and Superintendents of Poor, Arthur Van Duren, W. N. Angell and John Lubben. None of those who are at present enjoying the sheriff's hospitality had any complaint to make, and the equipment etc., is in good shape.

A counterfeit \$1 silver certificate has been discovered by the secret service, and Chief Wilkie has issued a circular which the counterfeit is described as of the series of 1899; check letter "8", fare plate number 4810; back plate number 2844 or 2344; W. T. Vernon, register of treasury; Charles H. Treat, treasurer of the United States and containing portraits of Lincoln and Grant. The counterfeit inspected would easily deceive the ordinary handler of money. The face, and back are printed on thin paper and between them is pasted a third sheet to give the required thickness. A few bits of coarse and raveled silk twisted were inserted between the sheets.

The second of the preliminary debates to choose the college team for the intercollegiate debate in April was held in Winants chapel last night. The debate was interesting and showed that Hope college students are rapidly learning the art of debating. The question was the same as that which will be debated with Alma and Olivet: Resolved that the United States should levy a progressive income tax, constitutional or not. Dame, DeMott, Vruwink upheld the affirmative, representing the Knickerbocker society. The negative team was composed of Abbinck, Luidens and Yntema. The judges rendered a two to one decision in favor of the affirmative. De Mott, Luidens, Dame were chosen to complete the college team. These with the three men chosen three weeks ago, Heemstra, Warnshuis and Vis compose the six men from whom the two teams are picked to meet Alma at home and Olivet at Olivet. Interest in this contest is high and Hope college is working hard to administer a thorough defeat to the rival colleges.

The regular meeting of the Choral Union tonight is postponed for one week.

It is announced that Rev. T. Van der Ark of Pella, Iowa, but formerly having charges at Grand Rapids and Borelo, has accepted a call from the Christian Reformed church at Drenthe.

A successor to Rev. A. Keizer who resigned the pastorate of the Ninth St. church to accept a call to Beavertown, will be chosen from these nominees: Rev. C. DeLeeuw of Douglass park, Chicago; Rev. F. Doezeema and Rev. S. Volbeda of Grand Rapids.

The Ninth Street Christian Reformed church has nominated a trio composed of Revs. Doezeema and Volbeda of Grand Rapids and De Leeuw of Chicago. A selection from these will be made on Wednesday evening, March 2 and a call extended.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Miles Saturday, twins—a boy and a girl. The latter died Sunday; to Mr. and Mrs. T. Van Weerd, North River street, Sunday—a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Vander Meulen, on Sunday—a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Heeringa, Sunday—a son.

Special Officer Dick Ras is minus his star and uniform for taking a swig from a friend's bottle. When Mayor Brusse made a visit to police headquarters he found Ras lying on the floor. Ras admits taking a drink but insists that the cause of his sickness was the swallowing of a headache potion.

The Rev. John Luxon, the dean of seven Dutch pastors in Muskegon celebrated the tenth anniversary of his pastorate in that city Sunday. During his service his church, the First Reformed on the corner of Spring and Myrtle streets, has prospered, numbering now about 225 families.

Making another attempt to secure a pastor, the congregation of the Dennis Street Christian Reformed church has named Rev. R. L. Haan of the Central Avenue Christian Reformed church on a trio from which a choice will be made at a meeting next Monday evening. The other members of the trio are the Rev. P. Van Vliet of Grand Haven and Rev. P. Hoekenga of Lynden, Wash.

Wm. J. Yonkers was badly bruised by slipping off the step of a P. M. freight train at Grand Haven. As he fell his body was caught by the wheels and instead of being crushed was shoved along the rails for some distance before the train was stopped. It was necessary to back the train before the injured man could be extricated. He suffered "frightful" bruises.

There was no question of "How'd you like it" after the Wagner Chorus had rendered its last selection last Friday night. The verdict of the largest audience that ever packed the Auditorium rink was unanimously "excellent". John Vander Sluis had managed preparations in great style, while the vast improvement of the chorus comes as an undisputed credit to the director, J. Jans Helder.

A direct heir to an estate estimated at more than a billion dollars, including 1,000 acres in the heart of Philadelphia, is the claim made by Mrs. Aris Eelman, who was buried here Saturday. According to the story just made public, Mrs. Eelman was a direct descendant of Egbert Baker, an early Dutch settler, who led a band of seven colonists into America and obtained a grant of 8,000 acres of land, a large tract of which is now in Philadelphia. Although most of the records were destroyed, it is claimed there is sufficient documentary evidence of Baker's ownership to the property which he obtained from English and Quaker settlers of Pennsylvania. The heirs have not decided whether they will push their claims.

City Fathers Celebrate

Mayor Brusse, City Clerk Overweg, City Att. Van Duren, Supt. Jonkman, Aldermen Drinkwater, VandenBerg, Hyma, Lawrence, Dyke and Hadden and Architect E. A. Bowd of Lansing all went to Grand Rapids Friday to celebrate the advent of the city hall. They repaired to Chin Hoy's Chop Suey establishment and got a mixture in the culinary line more mixed up than the city hall problem had been. However they went to it with a relish, and finished up the celebration at the theater.

State Oratorical Contest.

Great preparations are being made by Hope College students to accompany their orator Anthony L. Verhulst, of the Senior class to Lansing, where on March 4 the nine Michigan colleges will hold their annual contest. Yellmaster Abbinck is practicing songs and yells with his faithful cohort, about 50, and Hope College will undoubtedly make a good showing on the Farmers' campus. Several loyal co-eds with a chaperon, are intending to go along and help cheer Hope's speaker.

The orations of the other contestants have come in and Mr. Verhulst's production compares very favorably with them. Verhulst has been training hard for the last month under Prof. Nykerk, his delivery having been improved upon greatly so that his fellow students feel highly confident that he will make good for their college.

Hope College, this year, holds the presidency of the Michigan Oratorical League, F. C. Wilcox of Kalamazoo is the secretary and G. P. Burkhurst of M. A. C., treasurer. The latter is in charge of local preparation for the contest which promises to be an affair, greater than ever. Alma, Albion, Hillsdale, Ypsilanti and Kalamazoo will be represented in the ladies contest in the afternoon, while all colleges will be represented in the men's contest in the evening. Five judges for the men contest and five for the ladies contest have been secured by Secretary Wilcox of Kalamazoo.

That Petition for Saloons

More than 800 signatures have been secured from Holland citizens on a petition to common council asking to reinstate well regulated saloons in preference to the conditions that exist in Holland today. The canvassers of the list say that about three quarters of the city has been canvassed and more than 1000 names will be enrolled when a complete canvass is made. The canvassers also told the News that they met with a large number of citizens who will not sign but at the same time say that they prefer the change. The total vote last spring when every available vote was out was 2,197.

Democrats Meet

About thirty of the leading Democrats of Grand Rapids, Holland and Zeeland were pleasantly entertained one evening last week at the home of G. Struik near Forest Grove. Among those present were Ex-Mayor Sweet and Mr. Cummings of Grand Rapids; Mayor Brusse, H. Van Tongeren, W. Baumgartel, Henry Vanderploeg and others of Holland; H. Bouwens, Mayor Kamps, J. Haan of Zeeland; Mr. Busby of Holland represented the interurban company. Other notable guests were Henry Van Noord of Jamestown, J. Nyenhuis, of Zutphen, and Hiram Vande Bunte of our own prosperous town. That they all had a fine time you can imagine. Plenty of Van Tongeren's best cigars were smoked and refreshments were served. Mr. Van Tongeren acted as toastmaster and Messrs. Sweet, Cummings, Baumgartel and Bouwens responded to toasts. As natural Henry Vanderploeg entertained the ladies with some fine singing. They reported a fine time and regretted that the evening had passed so quickly. After thanking their host for his kindness and loyalty, they parted with singing "My Country 'Tis of Thee" and "Wien Neerlands Bloed door d'aadren vloeit."—Zeeland Record.

The Jolly Times party of this city will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Breyman in Grand Rapids tomorrow evening, where an elaborate supper will be served. In the evening the party will see Fritz Scheff at Powers. This is the last meeting of the year.



Zeeland

Mr. and Mrs. S. Brouwer were in Grand Rapids Friday visiting friends.

While hitching up a team of horses John Alderink had the misfortune to dislocate his shoulder. He returned a few days ago from Omaha, Neb.

Louis P. McKay of Grand Rapids was here and in Vriesland on business Thursday.

Many of our citizens attended the Missionary conference at Holland Thursday.

The Colonial Clock Manufacturing Co. has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: A. La Huis, pres.; Dr. T. G. Huizenga, vice pres.; H. DeKruif, sec.; C. J. Den Herder, treas.; John Kemp, supt. and Herman Miller, manager. Henry DeKruif will visit Germany and England in the interests of the company.

The vacant west half of the new Van Bree building is to be used for a city mission. Gospel meetings will be held every night under the direction of G. H. Rookus.

While driving home in a cutter, Mrs. D. Nyeuhuis, who had been stopping with her daughter, Mrs. A. Timmer at Forest Grove, met with an accident. In some way the cutter tipped and she sustained a fractured wrist.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Nieuhuis occurred the marriage of Miss Laura Ludenberg and R. C. De Weerd of Jamestown. The groom is a graduate of Hope college and is at present principal of the schools at Georgetown.

While walking at home the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arie Diepenhorst near Noordeloos had the misfortune to fall and break one of the bones of his arm. A physician of Zeeland attended him.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Overweg—a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. G. Wessink—a son.

Margaret DeGroot resumed her duties as clerk at Boone's store, after a two week's vacation.

Rev. J. P. DeJong attended the Western Social conference in Grand Rapids last week.

D. C. Verhage has returned to his home in Vriesland after a short visit with friends in Kansas.

Rev. Sterling of Chicago is in the city visiting friends.

The children of the primary grades in the public schools held a parade Tuesday through our streets in honor of Washington's birthday, carrying flags and decorated caps.

Wm. Kaslander of Moline a former resident of Vriesland has purchased a farm in that vicinity, containing of 80 acres.

Nettie Karsten one of the best known society young ladies of Forest Grove had the misfortune to fall on the ice and injure her head so severely that she was in a critical condition with concussion of the brain. A physician of Zeeland was summoned and the patient is doing nicely.

Mrs. J. Platt of Petoskey is visiting her parents, Mayor and Mrs. B. Kamps on Church street.

A party of young people of this city were delightfully entertained Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Looker on Lincoln street. Games and music were on the program and dainty refreshments were served and all reported a good time. Guests from out of town were Messrs. B. Branderhorst and H. Kok of Drenthe.

With her three sons and 12 grandchildren about her, Mrs. G. Oetman celebrated her seventieth birthday anniversary Tuesday. Mrs. Oetman was born in Ambt, in the province of Asschendorf, Germany and came to this country with her parents in 1861. They settled near Graafschap, removing to Filmore at the time she was married. About 20 years ago the family moved to Zeeland and Mr. Oetman died here about six years ago. Mrs. Oetman is still in good and is a very strong woman. Her sons are Gerrit of Filmore, Albert and Henry of East Saugatuck, all prosperous farmers.

Saugatuck

It is reported that Capt. Wilson and others had formed a company to build a boat to run between here and Chicago the coming season.

R. Wiersma and C. Breen, Jr., of the Wolverine Tea Company of Holland were in town last week making arrangements to do business here and perhaps will establish a store later on.

At the meeting of the Saugatuck encampment I. O. O. F., the fol-

owing officers were installed: C. P., Elihue C. Eaton; H. P., John Priest; S. W., H. L. Miller; Scribe, J. F. Metzger; Treas., Martin Injerbitzin; J. W., A. W. Walker.

Peter Lackie has purchased of Mr. McCarty his 40 acre farm on the Bangor road for the sum of \$2,200. The place is nicely located and good soil and Mr. and Mrs. Lackie who will move onto the place about April 1st will soon have it converted into an attractive home.

East Saugatuck

Wm. Heetderks from the Calvin college of Grand Rapids visited his parents here Sunday.

A crowd of young people spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Dieters.

Mr. DeWitt, sr., passed away Sunday afternoon after a stroke of paralysis. He was 68 years old and is survived by a wife and one son. The funeral will be held on Thursday from the home.

Mrs. H. Oetman and children are visiting relatives in Zeeland.

A wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Grote when their daughter Susie was united in marriage to Henry Roelofs of this place. Many relatives and friends were present and they received many beautiful gifts. Rev. Manni performed the ceremony. They will make their future home on the farm of the bride's parents.

A party of young people were pleasantly entertained at the home of C. P. Zwemer Friday evening. Music was the main feature of the evening which was rendered by Mr. Zwemer's phonograph, after which games were played. Light refreshments were served by his daughter Clara.

When C. P. Zwemer returned from town the other day his sons Joseph and Jacob came out of the house to stable the horse. They had not gone more than a rod when the horse suddenly turned unto a large snowdrift, capsizing the cutter, which frightened the horse. Jacob was dragged several rods through the snow but little damage was done.

Overisel

After a long illness of tuberculosis of the brain, John Brouwer died at the home of his parents at the age of seven years. The deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Brouwer and his brothers and sisters. Funeral services were held from the church at Bentheim Friday afternoon, Rev. Walkotten officiating.

Public Auctions

Thursday, Feb. 24, Klaas Baker Drenthe.

Thursday, Feb. 24, Cornelius Jager, Hudsonville.

Gerrit Boerman, March 1, Olive Center.

Auke posthumus, March 2, Zeeland.

M. Coburn, March 3, Vriesland, near P. M. station.

"IN A BAD WAY"

Many a Holland Reader Will Feel Grateful for This Information

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Here is local evidence to prove it.

Otto Van Dyke, 28 West Eighteenth street, Holland Mich., says: "About a month ago while splitting some wood, I was seized by a pain in the small of my back which was so severe that I had to give up. I paid little attention to the trouble, thinking it would go away, but it did not however, and developed into a steady, dull ache across the small of my back. I could hardly walk and felt miserable in every way. My son finally advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I procured a box. When I had taken a few doses the pain became less severe and I continued the use of remedy until I was entirely relieved. I am now in good health and cannot recommend Doan's Kidney Pills too highly."

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Is the best eye remedy ever offered the public. It is a snow white ointment painless, harmless and absolutely guaranteed to cure. At all dealers. 25c a tube.

PLEA FOR THE TOAD.

Indiana Entomologist Says Little Frog Eats Bad Insects.

B. W. Douglass, state entomologist for Indiana, who is the bitter foe of every insect that lives on the fruit and foliage of the state and the friend of every agent that tends to destroy such pests, is out with a plea to the farmers and gardeners to protect the American toad, or Mr. Bufo Americans, to be explicit. In making laws to protect insect eating birds, observes Mr. Douglass, no one has ever proposed to prevent legally the enthusiastic small boy from killing as many toads as he cares to. The plea will appear in the annual report from the entomological department, which has gone to the state printer and which Mr. Douglass hopes to have in the hands of a large number of farmers and gardeners by the time early spring preparations begin for the 1910 crops.

"As a matter of fact," says Mr. Douglass, "the common toad does more to rid our fields and gardens of noxious insects than many of the feathered songsters of which we hear so much. But simply that he is ugly—emphatically and most unmistakably ugly—the toad has all manner of defamation and libel heaped upon him.

"Early superstitions have charged the toad with about all the vicious qualities possible for one creature to possess. Some of these traditions, however, are of such a nature as to render the toad an individual to be avoided rather than to be sought and killed. But in spite of his ugliness the little animal is about as harmless as any we can find in our woods and fields, and as a destroyer of insects his value has been established beyond a doubt. Ninety-eight per cent of the food of the toad consists of animal matter, and of this the greater part is injurious insects."

Mr. Douglass advances the idea that farmers and gardeners should provide artificial ponds or water places in their fields and gardens where the toad may breed. The little animal possesses the home instinct and when taken from the ponds or creeks and placed in a garden or field is likely to desert his new quarters and return to the old. To obviate this Mr. Douglass believes the gardeners and farmers should provide breeding places in order to make the fields and gardens the actual home of the toads.

In addition to the good which may result from having the toads feel at home in the fields and gardens, Mr. Douglass sees another good in the hatchery idea—that of robbing the children of their propensity for slaying the toads whenever they find them. He believes that the average boy, by watching the development of the little animal through the tadpole stage to that of the adult toad, will soon have a scientific interest in the toad which will insure it life and protection. This protection, the entomologist observes, is something the farmer and gardener cannot afford to disregard in these days of constant and rapid increase of insects which prey upon farm and garden products.

CITY MEN FOR FARMS.

Many Would Make Good Hired Hands if They Had Chance.

Many farmers throughout the country find it a difficult matter to get hired hands, while in the great cities there are thousands of men out of work. The problem of inducing some of the down and outs of city life to go out on the farms is claiming the attention of social students.

A commission of the New York legislature recently has been making an inquiry into the matter, though it has not taken up the subject exhaustively. John Mitchell, the noted labor leader, was present at one of the sessions and made suggestions.

The chief trouble seems to be that those in the cities who are always deep in poverty know nothing of country life, seldom if ever having seen the green fields. They were born to their conditions and know nothing else.

Thousands of these men, no doubt, if they should be taken out and given jobs on farms would return to the city as soon as they earned money enough. That is because the city sights and sounds have become second nature to them. They would pine for the filth and furore of their native element.

But, on the other hand, there is no doubt that many men in the cities would welcome a chance to get away to the country for themselves and their families and would develop into excellent farm hands. The problem is to put these men in touch with farmers who need them.

Diseases of Fowls.

Most of the diseases that afflict fowls are the result of carelessness and indifference on the part of the owner as regards the surroundings and conditions of his poultry. No poultry will show to advantage on the credit side of the cash account unless they are healthy and well cared for. How to prevent disease should be the watchword rather than how to cure disease.

Beef and Dairy Cattle.

When a dairyman has faced the actual practice of selling cows from his herd for beef he will not feel encouraged over the outlook of combining beef and dairy qualities in the same herd. There is a popular prejudice against eating beef from an old, played out dairy cow, and there is no advantage in trying to combine the two qualities in one animal.

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THE LARGEST MAKER AND RETAILER OF MEN'S FINE SHOES IN THE WORLD.
"SUPERIOR TO OTHER MAKES."
"I have worn W. L. Douglas shoes for the past six years, and always find they are far superior to all other high grade shoes in style, comfort and durability." W. G. JONES, 119 Howard Ave., Utica, N. Y.
If I could take you into my large factories at Brockton, Mass., and show you how carefully W. L. Douglas shoes are made, you would realize why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater value than any other make.
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High Title Denied Washington. A friend calls attention to the fact that Washington, although commander in chief during the Revolution and again in 1798 during the French war, which did not really happen, did not bear the title of full general. On July 2, 1798, President Adams nominated him "to be lieutenant-general and commander in chief." This was followed by the act of March 3, 1798, of which the ninth section read "that a commander of the army of the United States shall be appointed, and commissioned by the style of 'general of the armies of the United States,' and that the present office and title of lieutenant-general shall thereafter be abolished." President Adams, jealous for the executive prerogative as commander in chief, made no appointment under this act and Washington died as lieutenant-general.

Europe's Highest Village. "The highest village in Europe" is the inscription on a post card which shows a group of wooden cottages on a bleak hill, with no sign of vegetation in sight and having as a background a range of ice-covered mountains. The name of the place is Cumez in the Canton Wallis. It lies 2,047 meters above the sea level, "where Monte Rosa raises its gigantic head into the clouds." The village consists of four families, and the latest census gives it a population of 26. "The storms of spring and fall and the snows of the winter months," says the sender of the card, "make life a dreary one, and still the people look happy, and doubtless they are so."

A Careless Messenger. After a messenger boy had eaten his lunch in a Pearl street restaurant in the New York financial district, Harry Bohrer, the manager, found a package on the table, and opening it he discovered that it contained \$23,000 in currency and also sufficient negotiable securities to make a total of \$50,000. From the papers in the package he believed the valuables belonged to the state bank, a few doors away, and hurried there with the money. The cashier quickly identified the parcel and Bohrer was given a reward.

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

In the matter of the estate of
Willem Ver Hoef Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 7th day of February A. D. 1910, 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 7th day of June, A. D. 1910 and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 7th day of June A. D. 1910 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated February 7th, A. D. 1910.
EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

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

In the matter of the estate of Hermanus Kamerman, Deceased.

Having been appointed commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, we hereby give notice that four months from the 2nd day of February A. D. 1910 were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment, and that we will meet in the 'store' of Gerrit J. Van Duren in the city of Holland, in said county, on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1910, and on the 2nd day of June A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.
Dated Feb. 5th, A. D. 1910.
Gerrit J. Van Duren
Otto P. Kramer
Commissioners.
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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 9th day of February, A. D. 1910

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

In the matter of the estate of Thomas B. Werman, Deceased.

The Michigan Trust Company having filed in said court its first annual account as administrator with the will annexed of said estate and its petition praying for the allowance thereof; It is Ordered, That the

14th day of March, A. D. 1910

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and for examining and allowing said account;

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,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.

Orrie Sluiter
Register of Probate
7-3w

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 18th day of February, A. D. 1910

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna E. Johnston, Deceased.

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

It is ordered, That the 21st day of March, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of 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.
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Dairy Profits.

Profits in dairying do not depend so much upon the number of cows kept, but upon the kind. This fact is being realized more and more as the dairy industry increases. One way to increase the acreage of a farm is to increase the fertility of the soil of the farm. Similarly one way to increase a dairy herd is to increase the cows' producing power.

An Aged Hen.

At Hazelhurst, Mass., there was buried with appropriate ceremonies by Mrs. Miles Cannon and her children their favorite hen, Polly, seventeen years old. She was believed to be the oldest hen in the world. According to Polly's owner, she laid more than 8,000 eggs and raised thirty-five broods of chickens.

Dairy Products of France. France possesses 50,000,000 head of cattle, worth \$800,000,000, and the industries of raising them and their products, such as milk, cheese and butter, maintain about half the population of France.

V. LANTS ARE FROZEN.

Hints on Restoring Window Garden Flowers to Health.

During the winter the amateur in gardening has much to contend with, and not the least of the evils is frost, especially where an endeavor is made to keep more or less tender plants through the cold, dull months in a poorly heated greenhouse or frame.

Fortunately science has come to our aid and taught us a few things concerning the effects of frost on tender plants, and with these principles fully grasped we are in a position to combat frost. Plants which are kept as dry as possible during a spell of frosty weather without being allowed to suffer from this cause will withstand successfully far more frost than the same kind of plants whose tissues are gorged with liquid, and science has also taught us that the greatest mischief is caused by rapid thawing.

To grasp the above facts it may be as well before proceeding further to just consider briefly what really happens when a plant gets frozen. It is now generally known that a plant, like the human body, is made up of tiny cells, each of which, of course, has its own walls. Under ordinary conditions and when a plant has abundance of moisture at its disposal these cells are turgid with liquid. Now, when liquid becomes frozen it is one of the laws of nature that expansion takes place, and in the case of that in the plant cells no exception to this law is made. This expansion, then, results in a rupture of the plant cell walls, which under ordinary conditions of thawing causes the plant to collapse.

It has been proved that when a plant is thawed very slowly the plant cells are able to absorb the moisture which has been forced by expansion through the cell walls, and the rupture is to a great extent made good.

Assuming that the plants have not been watered more often than is absolutely necessary and that one morning we visit the greenhouse or frames to find that frost has reached them, we know that if they are to be saved thawing must be done very slowly. First of all, we must take care that the heating apparatus, if any is used, does not get into working order again, and if there is any likelihood of a burst of sunshine shade the structure with thick mats or anything else that can be quickly secured. Then procure an abundant supply of ice cold water and syringe or otherwise drench the plants with this until frost is gradually removed from the tissues. This will probably mean very cold hands and chattering teeth, but it is either this or losing the plants. For several days subsequently the plants should be kept as cool as possible without allowing frost to reach them again.

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Theodore Guidry, a resident of Church Point, La., who for many years has been interested in farming and improving the devices used by farmers, has received a patent on a new double baler hay press. This press is unique in its construction, having done away with the large springs ordinarily in use on such balers and decreased the draft to a minimum. Experiments with models have demonstrated a capacity of fifty or sixty bales an hour.

It is constructed with a baling chamber on both ends of the press and compresses the hay by a plunger working on a crank shaft past the feed box on each end. The crank shaft is connected to a beam to which one horse is hitched for power, and at each round of the horse a stroke is made on two different bales, one on each end. It is possible with this model to get a bale of any desired weight, the same being controlled by two springs attached to a movable side of the baler which regulates the compression of bales.

Mr. Guidry says he thinks the baler will beat anything on the market for speed and simplicity, and he is now negotiating with manufacturing companies for its construction and sale.

Orchards Worth \$1,000 Per Acre.

A feature at a recent fruit show was an exhibit of Nova Scotia apples and a printed statement showing the profits of fruit growing in that province, especially in the Cornwallis and Annapolis provinces. The average estimate of cultivating, fertilizing, spraying and pruning per acre was \$25, and the cost of picking and packing the fruit is estimated at 50 cents per barrel. The yield reported from eight to ten orchards shows an average for the past five years of from 100 to 185 barrels of shipping apples per acre, sold at an average price varying from \$1.90 to \$2.50 per barrel during the five years. The gross returns per acre range from \$190 to \$304 and the net returns from \$117 to \$219. The average net returns for all the orchards for the five years were \$174 per acre, a sum sufficient to pay 15.75 per cent on \$1,000. Accordingly a valuation of \$1,000 per acre for these orchards seems not excessive.

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As a result of several years' selection Nelson S. Stone of Massachusetts reported last season sweet corn which matured nearly a week earlier than other early kinds which he had tried, and the ears were almost double the size of other early varieties. The improvement was made by choosing the earliest ears and then using those grains that grew on the middle of the cob and then still further selecting the largest and best shaped grains.

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"Hollow" Days

Are our national holidays becoming "hollow" days? This question has been heard of lately now and again. In how far the query hits the mark we do not attempt to state. That there is some truth in it, we are candid enough to confess.

National holidays originated under the monarchies of the old World. The birthdays of King, Queen and Prince were being made occasions of gay celebration. To our sober idea of American democracy proceedings for such purposes are considered pretty well out of fashion, features which smell too much of idol worship. But, undoubtedly, Washington's birthday came about in the aforesaid manner. Washington was the first president and the mind of the early colonist was not entirely free from ideas about divine right of Kings and royalty.

Today, however, mere personal merit is hardly the motive of the celebration of our national holidays, Washington's and Lincoln's birthdays, Memorial day and Fourth of July stand for solemn facts. These days ought to make people think and reflect. These days are milestones in American history, when principles were at stake, when vital issues were being tested. These are the days when people ought to rejoice because of the birth of what they consider the greatest nation on the earth, or when the sacrifice of the millions in blue, who strove to keep that nation intact, is meditated upon or when the sight of the ranks of the Taming Brigade thrills the heart of the patriot.

In how far people reflect when a national holiday temporarily relieves them of their tasks is hard to say. In our schools a noble example is set when on the day previous programs and lessons deal with our great national characters. The little ones perhaps, feel more of patriotism than the grown. The children feel it. For patriotism, the thought of liberty and personal sacrifice to attain it, is a thing primarily of the heart; it cannot be represented in dollars and cents.

It is not to be wondered at that nowadays national holidays should almost degenerate into picnic days, or be passed over as days when only banks and schools are closed. People are getting too far away from the meaning of historic events. The nervous strain and ceaseless hurry of American business life render our nation's days periods when the aftermath drives people not even always to recreation, but most often to the seeking of foolish fun in the same violent manner which marks American business life. And the modern slogan "How much is there in it," deadens all fine sentiment which at holidays, more than on other days may well up in the human breast. Is it foolish to talk about patriotism as something practical and necessary? Rather let us say that it is absurd to decry it as sentimental and idealistic. The ideas, which are embodied in our national holidays have been the main stay of the human race throughout its existence. They are the life breath of a people. The maintenance or neglect of these ideas render a nation either great or small. To forget or belittle patriotism is criminal.

Fathers Van Eyck and Prakken did not celebrate at Grand Rapids with the rest of the city fathers over the success of the city hall. Was the Chop Suey too rich for their blood?

Inasmuch as the elk, the moose, the eagle and some other animals have been adopted as names for secret orders, it is perhaps fortunate that Mr. Roosevelt has increased the supply of names by the discovery of several unknown specimens.

Unlike the horse, the tail of Halley's comet never gets mixed up with the reins.

In spite of boycotts and high prices meat continues to be one of the six best sellers.

Notwithstanding that one of our citizens has fallen heir to the city of Philadelphia, it will not affect the street car strike.

It is in the nature of the eternal fitness of things that Dr. Cook after finding things too hot for him in many lands should be discovered in a land called Chilli.

A blue grass farmer in Kentucky has just sold his crop of tobacco for a record price. But no matter how much money tobacco raisers make the users of the weed never threaten a boycott.

On returning from his wedding trip John L. Sullivan will become a farmer. The motion pictures showing the ex-champion at work in a 10 acre field or leading a husky calf, might be more remunerative than his turnips.

A \$4,000,000 check as his part of the Standard Oil Co. dividend will be handed to John D. Rockefeller on March 15. And he gets four of these every year, for the Standard like most of the big corporations, pays quarterly. So far as heard from Mr. Rockefeller is not protesting against the high cost of living.

Stamps Gum Side Up

An order has gone forth from the Postoffice department at Washington to the effect that clerks in handing out stamps to patrons they must be pushed under the bars face downwards. Or, in other words, with the gum side up. This is not as might be thought upon first reading, to prevent any inquisitive bystander from seeing the denomination of the stamp just purchased, but for strictly sanitary reasons. Upon the ledge of the stamp window are daily lodged thousands of little germs. The stamp, in its course across that same ledge, pick up several hundred and if the gum side is down the unsuspecting purchaser promptly proceeds to "lick off" the germs in the process of putting it on the letter or package. In this way the life of the users is greatly endangered and the government might loose a future customer.

By putting the gum side up only those germs floating thru the air will lodge upon it and those would probably be inhaled anyway. The proper course of procedure would be for the postoffice department to install little basins containing a sponge with a tiny stream of water running through to keep it moist. It might be necessary to change down this sponge to keep the usual small boy from using it for a "slate rag" but that would be a small matter in comparison with its immense amount of good to humanity. So if you receive your stamps with the "sunny side" down, just observe that we are living in a progressive age and that our postoffice is being run in a strictly up to date and sanitary manner.

Must Have Mail Boxes

Washington, Feb. 24—Persons who live in cities and who haven't mail boxes in front of their houses are liable not to receive any mail after June 30, 1911, if a provision of the postoffice appropriation bill becomes a law. The provision prohibits any letter carrier from delivering any mail at any house unless there is a suitable mail box on the outside to receive it.

After many experiments it was found that the average mail carrier loses about 30 seconds in ringing each doorbell and awaiting a response. It is expected that this provision will greatly increase the efficiency of the service and probably reduce the number of carriers. A saving of \$400,000 is estimated.

WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER

35 Years ago To-day.

Messrs. Jurien and Arie Woltman are about to open a general store in Howlett's block, Grand Haven.

During the recent severe weather a great many quail and other game birds were frozen to death in the West.

It having been reported that the tannery of Cappon, Bertsch & Co. was to be again enlarged and a boot and shoe factory added, we made some inquiry and find the following state of facts: The tannery at this place with the extensive leather store at Grand Rapids has been turned



into a stock company under the name of The Cappon & Bertsch Leather Co., with a capital stock of \$200,000. The officers are J. Bertsch President; I. Cappon, Vice Pres.; W. Cartwright, Treasurer; and A. D. Noble, Secretary. The office is at Grand Rapids and Mr. Cappon superintends the tannery at this place. The rumor in regard to adding a boot and shoe factory is incorrect; their operations will be limited to the manufacture and sale of leather. The main object of this change from a partnership into a stock company appears to have been to enable the employees to invest their surplus earnings in the stock of the concern, a measure based upon true principles of communism, for since it elevates the position of the laborer, it secures his best services for the benefit of the whole.

WHAT YOU SAW 30 YEARS AGO

The residence of Mr. G. Vroom, 2 miles east of the city, next door neighbor to B. Van Raalte, was burned to the ground with all its contents, about two o'clock Saturday morning. The inmates barely escaped with their lives in their night clothes. The cause of the fire is unknown. The premises were insured in our local insurance company.

On Friday of last week M. DeBoe came very near finding a watery grave in Black lake. He was on his way to Van Dyk & Co's mill crossing the lake on the ice, when he broke through. He attempted to reach solid ice but found his strength failing him, when he cried for help loud enough to be heard on the shore. Parties from Anderson's shipyard took a boat over the ice to help him, but before they reached him Abe Borgman, a lad of about 16 years of age, came up behind Mr. DeBoe and helped him out of the cold water. Mr. DeBoe feels very thankful to the people for coming to his rescue so soon, without which he would have perished.

WHAT YOU SAW 25 YEARS AGO

Henry Koenigsberg has received his appointment as a cadet for a cadet at the U. S. Military academy at West Point. He is to report at the school on the 9th day of June for examination. Mr. Koenigsberg is a worthy young man and his many friends wish him a successful career.

The steamer Michigan which left Grand Haven in search of the Oneida on the 9th inst, with Capt. Prindiville and twenty-nine men on board, has been heard from and is all right. She is in the ice about 20 miles off shore between Saugatuck and South Haven. Half her crew were sent ashore Tuesday and arrived in Grand Haven Wednesday night, all being well, with a few nipped noses, except Clerk W. D. Kenny, who had the misfortune to get his foot wet which froze almost immediately rendering him so lame he had to be assisted some 10 miles by his comrades and finally carried ashore by some neighboring farmers. He would drop asleep the moment he fell down and it was only by hard exertions on the part of his companion that his life was saved, and only the finding of the village of West Casco when they did prevented them from perishing. Their march over the ice occupied twelve hours. The remainder of the crew on the Michi-

gan will have rations enough for about a month.

WHAT YOU SAW 20 YEARS AGO

The school house of District No. 6 township of Holland is so crowded that the teacher, Miss Fanny Dell, had to send some of her pupils home the past week.

Messrs. A. H. Brink & Co. are running the Werkman factory 12 hours a week. Their present contracts all call for chamber suits. Eighty hands are finding constant employment at this establishment.

The township of Jamestown has been made the defendant in an action for damages, brought in the Ottawa circuit court by Dirk Ver Hage of Zeeland. The difficulty grows out of a hole in a bridge located a short distance from Jamestown. Ver Hage's horse stepped in the hole, got frightened and threw him out of the wagon, dislocating his arm. It is said the hole had been allowed to remain in the bridge for several days before the accident occurred. The plaintiff is represented by G. J. Diekema.

WHAT YOU SAW 15 YEARS AGO

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. Herold were pleasantly surprised by a number of their friends. The event was in honor of their fortieth wedding anniversary. Among those who enjoyed the festivities was Mrs. Magdalena Bertsch, mother of Mrs. Herold, who a few days ago celebrated her 83rd birthday. Mr. Herold is one of our oldest merchants, having been in the boot and shoe business since 1859 until about a year ago.

It is authoritatively stated that a new Ward is about to be added to this city on ex-Mayor Harrington's addition. The cards will contain the names of Andrew J. Ward of Flint and Miss Lucy Harrington of Holland.

Mrs. Evert Visscher, two miles east of the city, died Friday afternoon. She was one of the pioneers of the Holland colony.

WHAT YOU SAW 10 YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kappel Tuesday—a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Mooney, Sunday—a son.

The three year old child of Mrs. S. Bredweg on First street, was badly scalded last Tuesday. Mrs. Bredweg was preparing to scrub and had placed a boiling water on the floor. While she was in another part of the house to get some cold water she was startled by screams and hurrying to the kitchen found that the child had fallen into the dish of water and was badly scalded. Dr. Mabbs was hurriedly summoned and upon examination found that the little fellow was badly burned on the shoulders, arms, and thigh. He did all possible to make the child comfortable but for a while feared that death would result. But the little one rallied and the doctor is now confident that he will recover.

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\$200—Down, balance monthly payments. Will take a good 7 roomed house on 25th street near Central avenue. City water and Electric lights. Lot 50 x 132. Price \$1250.00.

\$500—Cash, balance monthly payments. Will buy a fine eight roomed house on 19th street, near Central avenue. Double cellar, city water, Gas and sewer connections. Lot 44 x 126. Price \$1775.00.

\$425—Down, balance mortgage for a good six-roomed house on East 17th street, near Lincoln avenue. Lot 50 x 132. Price only \$1000.00.

\$1000—Down, balance to suit purchaser for an all modern eight-roomed residence. Located on West 12th street between Pine and Maple streets. Lot 66 x 132. A fine location. Price \$3600.

\$50—Down, balance \$7.00 per month buys a good seven-roomed house, all finished; located on West 21st street near Van Raalte avenue. Lot 50 x 126. Price \$1050.

\$425—Cash, balance \$8.00 per month takes an excellent nine-roomed house. Located on East 20th street; near Central avenue. House is arranged so as to serve for either one or two families. A BARGAIN at \$1700.

\$2400—For an excellent nine-roomed house with a fine barn. Located on 15th street, near Pine, has city water, electric lights and gas. A very good place for the money.

\$300—Cash, balance \$10 per month. Will buy a fine, good as new eight-roomed house on West 13th street, near Van Raalte avenue. Electric lights, gas, city water and sewer connections; also bath. Lot 50 x 132. Will take a lot in exchange. Price \$1750.

\$200—Cash, balance monthly payments for a good six-roomed house, with barn, on West 17th street near Pine street. City water and gas. Lot 56 x 126. Price \$1750.

We have many others, also a number that we can sell with small payment down and balance like rent.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange a residence, vacant lot or farm see,

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SOCIETY

Mrs. W. L. Kinney and son Flavious, of Marion, Mich., is a guest at the home of her sister Mrs. J. S. Wood of Holland.

Russel Doesburg of Grand Rapids, Wis., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doesburg.

Ben Sternberg, the contractor, has traded his house and lot on Eighteenth street, corner of Central, for a twenty acre farm of Gerit Tibbe near Jenison Park.

Mrs. E. H. Bradwald left Friday morning for Detroit where she will visit her two daughters Esther and Mabel, who are attending school there.

Andrew Leenhouts was very pleasantly surprised at his home Thursday evening. Games were played and dainty refreshments served. All reported a very pleasant evening.

Miss May VanZanten entertained a few friends at her home on Seventh street, last evening. Games were played. Miss Bertha Fris won the head prize and Jeanie Harmson consolation prize. Refreshments were served.

The two years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Zoet is very ill with bronchitis.

Willis Diekema sang three songs Friday afternoon on the program of modern musicians which was given before St. Cecilian club of Grand Rapids. Willis Diekema is a youth of 17 years with a baritone voice of unusual promise. He took the audience quite by storm and was recalled. The young singer is a son of Congressman G. J. Diekema and a pupil of J. Francis Campbell.

Letters have been received from Will Damson saying that he has left the Philippines on his way back to India, where he will visit his sister before returning home.

Erwin Ohls left today for Escanaba to accept a position as foreman with the Escanaba Veneer Works. He has been employed at the Holland Veneer Works the past year.

Miss Ernestine Windeknecht has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the T. & L. Land & Improvement Co. of Chicago.

Among those who attended the auto show last week were Albert Keppel, Fred Beeukes, Chris Lokker, J. J. Rutgers, Jacob Lokke, Dr. M. J. Cook and A. Knopihuis.

John Weersing, Jr., spent several days this week visiting Dick Smith at Byron Center. Mr. Smith formerly lived here and is doing well at farming at Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McBride are at present at Rome. They will visit different cities in Europe and expect to return here in May.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ohlman have just celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Ohlman came to this country when they were children. They resided near Beaverdam. In 1895 they to Holland, where they have resided since. They are the parents of seven children, five of whom are living. There also are fifteen grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Mr. Ohlman was a member of the First engineer corps in the Civil war and marched with Sherman to the sea.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Floyd Saturday evening in honor of the new Episcopal pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Granpis. Refreshments were served.

John W. Lacey, a prosperous real estate dealer of San Antonio, Texas, is visiting his brother, G. A. Lacey for a few days.

Miss Grace Browning is spending a few days with her parents. Miss Mary Browning of Battle Creek, is also a guest at the Browning home.

Miss Marguerite Post of South Bend, Ind., is a guest of Mrs. J. C. Post.

Albert Grassdyke, who has been studying the operation of linotypes at the Inland linotype school in Chicago, has accepted a position with the Lambert Printing Co. of Bay City.

Mrs. John Nies is seriously ill at her home on East Eighth street.

J. H. Nibbelink, the veteran liv-
eryman, celebrated his 75th birthday Monday. He is still as hale and hearty as ever and attends to business every day.

George Conkle, chief clerk at the Interurban office, is recovering from a serious illness.

Alderman Nick Prakken is still confined to the house, being very ill with an abscess on the tongue.

Attended by nearly a hundred members, the banquet of the Men's club of the Methodist church which was held last evening was a great success a fine menu being served in the church parlors, after which a program of toasts was given. Austin Harrington, president of the club presided as toast master, and those who responded to his call for speeches were Orrin Byrns, D. M. Shaw, Fred Wright, C. St. Clair, E. P. Rich, John Elferdink, Jacob Lokker, Dr. George Baker, and Rev. Whitman. The parlors and tables were appropriately decorated with flags and other patriotic designs emblematic of the holiday.

Dora Vander Pool entertained a party of friends at her home on State street Monday afternoon in honor of her seventh birthday, those present being Mary Visscher, Helen Brush, Margaret and Gertrude De Fouw, Henrietta and Eddie Vonk, Grace Smutter, Florence Dalman, Nell Siersma, Mary Meplink, and Margaret Kraai. She was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

John Kooiker of the Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., visited relatives in Overisel Tuesday.

H. J. Luidens, Benj. Brouwer, Mr. and Mrs. G. Mokema, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mulder and T. Slagb were snow bound between Grand Rapids and Holland Tuesday.

The funeral of Mrs. J. W. Herrick takes place this afternoon from the home 277 West 12th street, Rev. Whitman officiating.

Mrs. Henry Geerlings entertained the Ladies Aid society of the Third Reformed church yesterday afternoon at her home, 90 W. 12th St.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Bolt are spending a few days with friends in Grand Rapids.

John Timmer of Fremont, who has been stopping in Holland for some time as agent of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., has returned to Fremont.

J. B. Mulder, Con De Pree, Geo. E. Kollen and Robert M. De Pree attended the Ad club banquet in Grand Rapids Tuesday evening.

Mrs. William Olive, who is in a Grand Rapids hospital, is recovering from a serious operation.

Telegrams were received today stating that Mrs. G. J. Diekema, who has been seriously ill at the Dewey in Washington, D. C., is very much better.

Mrs. Gerrit Shaftenaar, Sr., celebrated her 71st birthday yesterday.

A farewell surprise was given Tuesday night in honor of Miss Minnie Keizer, daughter of Rev. A. Keizer, who has accepted a call to Beaverdam, and a delightful evening was spent. Games were played and refreshments served.

Croup

Causes uneasy nights but if you will use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey it will relieve in a few minutes. There is nothing better. Guaranteed by all dealers.

DEATHS

Mrs. J. W. Herrick died Monday morning at her son's home, 277 W. 12th street, after a long illness with cancer of the stomach. She was 69 years old and leaves a husband, one son and one daughter. She came here from Saugatuck last October and formerly lived at Central Lake. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the home, Rev. Whitman officiating.

Edward Hawley, president of Fennville died Sunday evening. Mr. Hawley suffered a stroke of apoplexy about two weeks ago and had been unconscious most of the time since, until Sunday evening when it is thought he received another slight stroke. He died shortly afterward. He was about 73 years of age.

The funeral of Mrs. V. Jonkers, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. VanderPool, 165 E. 5th street, will be held Friday afternoon from the residence, Rev. R. L. Haan officiating.

The funeral of Henry Spyker, the farmer who died Tuesday from injuries received in a fall down a cistern on his farm near Forest Grove, will be held Friday afternoon from the Chr. Ref. church at Drenthe, Rev. Van Vessum officiating.

After a lingering illness Frans Vellinga died yesterday morning at the home of his son, Teunis Vellinga on Third street. He was 67 years old and came from the Netherlands a few years ago. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon from the home Rev. R. L. Haan officiating.

Descendant of First Settler

A short time ago attractive calendars were received here from Rix M. Robinson, postmaster at Pensacola, Florida. The name Rix Robinson attracts more than ordinary notice among people in this locality and inquiries were made of the postmaster at Pensacola as to his connection with the pioneer Robinson family and his relation to Rix Robinson, the first white man to settle on the Grand.

In his reply Mr. Robinson of Pensacola has the following to say: "My grandfather was a brother of Rix Robinson, the pioneer, and his name was Nathan Robinson. My father, William Robinson, spent his boyhood around Grand Haven. They moved into Kent county near Ada, where Uncle Rix lived for many years before his death. I remember him very distinctly. I left home when I was 13 years of age and worked several years in Grand Rapids in the store of R. C. Luce. I went from there to Manistee and from there to Florida to 1873 and have been in the south ever since."

The old Rix Robinson, the pioneer, the trader, has long since been gathered to his fathers and his bones rest in an ancient grave at Ada, but his memory has been revived by the discovery of another Rix Robinson in the southland. And this descendant of the pioneer of the north is proud of the memory of his great uncle as he has reason to be. He bears the distinguished name of Rix Robinson which is a familiar name to almost every man, woman and child in Western Michigan.

The story of Rix Robinson, the pioneer, is a matter of history. In the year 1821 Robinson, young, sturdy and courageous, broke thru the western forests to the junction of the Grand and Thornapple rivers and he was the first white man to set foot in the territory which is now Kent county. He was hardly a settler for he had devoted his life to the career of a trader. For years he lived at peace and traded with the Red Men in their own land. He was always fair with them, always kind and always just. In time he became their advisor and they listened to him and respected him as a father. He even appeared in their councils and discussed their affairs with them as though he was a member of their race. In fact he married an Indian woman, Miss Aquotaquay. After her death he married Sippiquay daw-da, which name translated "river woman" She was the grand daughter of the head chief. The chief accepted him as his own and granted to him the rich hunting ground known as the great bayou and ordered his tribe to reserve it in the interest of Robinson.

Rix Robinson, as has been said, was primarily a trader, but at the same time a pioneer. He succeeded Madame La Flambois as the representative American Fur Co. and became a daring explorer in then vast wilderness. He learned to love the Red men, with whom he came in contact and they in turn loved him. Ever afterward they were his people although he never broke away from his own race entirely.

When civilization came to the land he built his home at Ada and lived there until his death with the

half breed family upon he bestowed the love of his heart. He was honored by the white people of the community and held many offices of trust. That was over 70 years ago, but the honorable name of Rix Robinson has come down from man to child the length of the Grand River valley.

The story of Rix Robinson is worthy of repetition to every child. There was nothing in his useful life of which his descendants need have a shame. He was true to his trusts and true to the Red men. He was a man of great mind and great heart, a pioneer and a path finder, who was beloved by two races, the white upon which he brought no disgrace, and the red, which he protected and shielded with all his power.—G. H. Tribune.

The New Hotel Project

Last Friday night the Commercial club held a special meeting for the purpose of considering the question of a new hotel. A. G. Tanner of Michigan was present and outlined his proposition which stated briefly, was, that he would put a \$25,000 hotel if the people of Faulton would donate the proper site and subscribe a certain amount of stock. The proposition was favorably received and Pres. O'Neil appointed A. M. Moore, A. W. Morse, Frank Turner, and H. L. Headly, a special committee to solicit funds to purchase the site, (the lot on which the old Hotel Best formerly stood) and report at the next regular meeting of the club.

Tuesday night the club met in regular session, the principal business being the consideration of the hotel enterprise. The committee reported that they had secured one-half the required amount and they thought the balance could be easily raised. On motion the same committee was continued with instructions to report at a special meeting tonight.

If Mr. Tanner goes into the enterprise he proposed to put up a modern brick 40 room hotel, three stories high, the estimated cost of which with plumbing and fixtures, will be about \$25,000. Architect Dodds has drawn a rough sketch of the plans which may be seen by calling on Mr. Tanner. Faulton Record.

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SCHEDULE A.

igan, for and in behalf of said State.

	Amount of Taxes	Interest	Collection Fee	Charges	Total
South West Addition.					
n ¼ of lot 9.	\$38 94	\$ 7 52	\$1 16	\$1 00	\$38 62
e ½ of lot 15.	16 50	4 29	66	1 00	22 45
block 11					
South West Heights Addition.					
lot 27	\$ 42	\$ 0 11	\$0 02	\$1 00	\$ 55
e ¼ of lot 12.	\$18 90	\$ 4 18	\$0 68	\$1 00	\$23 06
Addition No. 1 to Van Den Bergs Plat.					
lot 41 and east 35 feet 9 inches of State street 6.	\$19 17	\$ 4 98	\$0 77	\$1 00	\$25 92
A. C. Van Raalte Addition No. 2.					
north 67 feet of that part of lot 2 lying east of State street 6.	\$11 56	\$ 3 01	\$0 46	\$1 00	\$16 03
South Heights, being Sub-Division of A. C. Van Raalte Addition No. 2.					
lot 7	\$11 56	\$ 3 01	\$0 46	\$1 00	\$16 03
West Addition.					
south 26 feet of lot 1 and north 14 feet of lot 13.	\$14 86	\$ 3 80	\$0 53	\$1 00	\$20 19
block E					
OF ZEELAND.					
lot 6 except a piece off the northwest corner 128 feet north and south of State street 6.	\$18 94	\$ 4 92	\$0 80	\$1 00	\$25 62
west, block 3.					
VILLAGE OF COOPERSVILLE.					
lot bounded south by Grove street, west by Lane, north and west by lives	\$ 62	\$ 1 31	\$0 20	\$1 00	\$ 73
lot north side of State street 6.					
lot bounded north by Stamp, east by Watson St., west by Dumas	4 00	1 04	16	1 00	6 20
w ¼ of lot 32.					
block 1	\$ 52	\$ 6 40	\$0 06	\$1 00	\$ 59
lots 1 and 2.					
block 2	4 53	1 18	18	1 00	6 80
OF FERRYBURG.					
lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 10, 11 and 12 except D. G. H. & M. R. Right of way, block 2.	\$ 20	\$ 0 68	\$0 10	\$1 00	\$ 4 38
8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 except the C. & W. M. R. R. right of way.	2 60	68	10	1 00	4 38
lot 3 except C. & W. M. right of way, block 13.	14	04	01	1 00	1 19
lot 7, block 2.	14	04	01	1 00	1 19
lot 8, block 23.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
lots 11 and 12.	66	17	08	1 00	1 86
School and Vermilye Addition.					
lot 12, block 1.	\$ 25	\$ 0 57	\$0 13	\$1 00	\$ 33
VILLAGE OF LAMONT.					
Revised and Extended Addition.					
lots 78 and 79.	\$ 51	\$ 0 13	\$0 02	\$1 00	\$ 66
VILLAGE OF NUNICA.					
land bounded south by land of E. Rollenhagen, east, west and north by highway, except R. right of way.	1 01	\$ 0 26	\$0 04	\$1 00	\$ 2 31
Picketts Addition.					
lots 17 and 18.					
block 3	\$ 65	\$ 0 53	\$0 06	\$1 00	\$ 86
VILLAGE OF SPRING LAKE.					
Township North of Range 16 West.					
a parcel of land 30 feet frontage on State street by 160 feet deep, the west line of which is 200 feet west from the east line of lot 8 in section 15 east south of State street, also a parcel commencing 205 feet west of the east line of lot 8 and 150 feet south of the center of State street, thence south 230 feet west 128 feet north 200 feet east 128 feet, one occupancy.	\$ 75	\$ 2 28	\$0 35	\$1 00	\$12 38
lot 7, block 4.	\$ 75	\$ 0 46	\$0 07	\$1 00	\$ 88
Haire Tolkoff and Hancock Addition.					
lot 8, block 4.	\$ 0 18	\$0 60	\$0 01	\$1 00	\$ 1 24
lot 9, block 4.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
lot 10, block 4.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
block 4	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
n ¼ of lot 2.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
e ¼ of lot 2.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
n ½ of lot 3.	14	04	01	1 00	1 19
block 5	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
n ¼ of lot 1.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
block 7	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
lot 3, block 7.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
lot 5, block 7.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
lot 7, block 7.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
lot 9, block 7.	18	05	01	1 00	1 24
Hopkins Addition.					
lot 18, block 2.	\$ 25	\$ 0 68	\$0 01	\$1 00	\$ 31
Veners Addition.					
n ½ of lot 1.	\$ 0 87	\$ 0 27	\$0 04	\$1 00	\$ 2 31
block 1	32	08	01	1 00	1 41
e ½ of lot 6.	32	08	01	1 00	1 41
block 1	32	08	01	1 00	1 41
w ½ of lot 6.	32	08	01	1 00	1 41
block 1	32	08	01	1 00	1 41
VILLAGE OF WAVERLY.					
lot 217	\$ 0 25	\$ 0 07	\$0 01	\$1 00	\$ 1 33
Western Addition.					
lot 33	\$ 0 25	\$ 0 07	\$0 01	\$1 00	\$ 1 33
lot 75	25	07	01	1 00	1 33
CENTRAL PARK.					
w ¼ of lot 94 and lot 95.	\$0 93	\$ 0 24	\$0 04	\$1 00	\$ 2 21
lots 100, 101, 102.	2 80	73	11	1 00	4 64
lots 103 and 104					
JENISON PARK.					
lots 209 and 210	\$ 12 46	\$ 0 88	\$0 06	\$1 00	\$ 22 30
MACATAWA PARK.					
lot 2	\$ 5 09	\$ 1 46	\$0 22	\$1 00	\$ 8 28
lot 11	93	24	04	1 00	1 22
lot 44 and e ¼ of lot 43	16 77	4 36	67	1 00	22 81
WAIKAZOO.					
lot 41	\$ 0 87	\$ 0 23	\$0 03	\$1 00	\$ 2 13
lot 64	4 35	1 13	17	1 00	6 65
WEST MICHIGAN PARK.					
lot 104	\$ 5 40	\$ 1 40	\$0 22	\$1 00	\$ 8 02
lot 109	79	19	03	1 00	1 94
lot 112	92	24	04	1 00	2 22
lots 122 and 123.	2 77	72	11	1 00	4 60

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S. W. Bends of Coal City, Ala., says he struck a perfect mine of health in Dr. King's New Life Pills for they cured him of Liver and Kindey Trouble after 12 years of suffering. They are the best pills on earth for Constipation, Malaria, Headache, Dyspepsia, Debility. 26c at Walsh Drug Co. and H. R. Doesburg.

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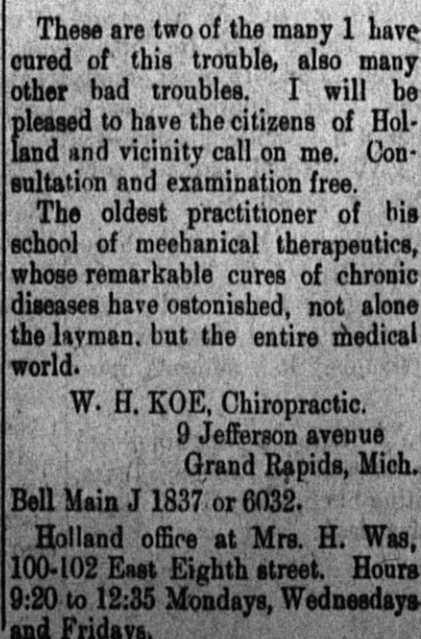
is when you do some great deed or discover some wonderful fact. This hour came to J. R. Pitt of Rocky Mt., N. C. when he was suffering intense, as he says, "From the worst cold I ever had, I then proved to my great satisfaction, what a wonderful Cold and Cough cure Dr. King's New Discovery is. For after taking one bottle I was entirely cured. You can't say anything too good of a medicine like that." Its the surest and best remedies for diseased lungs, Hemorrhages, LaGrippe, Asthma, Hay Fever, any Throat or Lung Trouble. 50c. \$1.00. Trial bottle free. For sale by Walsh Drug Co. and H. R. Doesburg.

A black and white portrait of a man with short, dark hair, wearing a dark suit jacket, a white shirt, and a dark tie. He is looking directly at the camera with a neutral expression. The background is a mottled, dark grey. The image has a grainy, high-contrast quality.

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I am forty-eight years old, and for the last eighteen years I have suffered with piles and for four years I suffered with fistula. I tried so many doctors I got completely discouraged I gave up trying but I got so bad my desire was to die, until a friend of mine told me of what had been done for an uncle of his that had the same trouble I did, and he said he was cured W. H. Roe, D. C., at 9 Jefferson avenue. I went to him, and he said he did not know whether he could cure me or not for it had got so bad seated, but I can say I am a well man today. I can recommend the Doctor to all who are suffering. I have lived for 18 years at 517 Ottawa st. I hope some other bad sufferer will be benefitted by this statement.

F. J. BERGREENE.



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Synopsis

CHAPTER I.—Judith Bartelmy, society woman, goes to the office of the Daily Advance to protest against a story which had severely criticized her father, a judge of the United States court. She discovered that the author of the article was Wheeler Brand, a brilliant young writer whom she had promised to marry. He refused to cease attacking her father. II.—Judith discards her engagement ring. Dupuy, a lawyer, representing big advertisers, calls and demands Brand's discharge, as his clients are friends of Judge Bartelmy. III.—Brand is discharged by the managing editor, for the paper, long owned by an insurance company, had been friendly to corporations. Michael Nolan, who buys the paper, comes in the office and finds Dupuy to be an old enemy of his. IV.—Nolan calls for Brand and makes him manager editor. V.—Brand tells Nolan and his socially ambitious family that the dishonest judge Bartelmy, and his unsuspecting daughter have taken them up socially so as to try to induce Nolan not to attack the judge in his newspaper. VI.—Dupuy aids Bartelmy in endeavoring to have Brand and the Advance avoid attacking the judge regarding a tricky opinion he has rendered in the Lansing Iron case. "Every man has his price, even Brand," says Dupuy. VII.—Nolan says if Brand will trap Bartelmy in the act of offering him a bribe to keep silent that the Advance will print the story in full. VIII.—Bartelmy agrees to pay Brand \$10,000 to keep silent about the Lansing Iron case. IX.—Brand lays the trap for Bartelmy. X.—Bartelmy arrives at the Advance office to pay Brand the \$10,000. XI.—Brand, aided by three reporters, takes a flashlight photograph of Bartelmy offering the \$10,000 bribe money and obtains by a most ingenious telephone trick an accurate record of the judge's words as he counted out the money.

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BARTELMY, now that he had taken the final and extremely distasteful plunge and had come to the office of the Advance, waited for Brand to make the opening remarks about the particular object of his visit.

Brand was waiting for the judge to do the same. It was the newspaper man who spoke first, after the two had seated themselves. He was anxious to get the matter over with as quickly as possible, for he well knew that, in spite of all his precautions, affairs in a newspaper office are so uncertain that an interruption of an unexpected nature might occur to ruin the entire plan.

"Mr. Dupuy was here a short time ago," he ventured.

Judge Bartelmy proceeded to explain the appearance of the lawyer lobbyist in the affair. While it was plain to Brand that the judge had sent Dupuy as a go-between so that it would be impossible to connect Bartelmy with the payment of any money as a bribe, the jurist did not propose to acknowledge that such had been his laudable purpose. He gave an entirely different reason.

"Yes, I know," he said. "He found me at the opera with my daughter. I hoped, Mr. Brand, that by allowing me to act through him you would spare me this last humiliation."

"Would it not be safer for you if no third party knew of your transaction with me?" suggested Brand.

The judge pitied the colossal ignorance of this amateur in trickery. Did not he know that in the superior spheres of crooked practices it became necessary to employ third persons on many occasions to put through matters of this sort? And he was a newspaper man of years of experience too. No, this peculiar young man would never finish supplying the judge with surprises; of that Bartelmy was positive. Perhaps it might be in order to observe at this point that, while Brand of course could not know that these thoughts were passing through his visitor's mind, he at the same time would have been ready to confess that he was going to provide several more surprises for the jurist. But there are different varieties of surprises.

"Dupuy is in my confidence," the judge pronounced with an air of finality.

"He's not in mine," responded the managing editor.

"You're mistaken in him. I know him intimately."

"Oh, the pity of it," exclaimed Brand, "that you should be intimately acquainted with such a man as Dupuy!"

Bartelmy could not restrain a sarcastic smile at the editor's sneer at Dupuy.

"Mr. Brand," he said quickly, "your moral reflections at this juncture impart a certain quaint humor to the situation."

"I am afraid that is the trouble with me. My humor is nearly always unintentional." Brand sighed as though sorry for himself.

The judge began to show signs of nervousness.

"Well, shall we get on with it?" the editor asked him.

"Yes, I must rejoin my daughter. She's waiting for me at the opera. She was very anxious that I should not come here tonight. It was 'curious—her persistency in the matter.'"

Brand drew his chair closer to the desk—closer to the telephone.

"Let us get to business," he said. The judge went on talking about his daughter.

"She displays an unusual, I should say an extraordinary, curiosity as to my mission here," he said. "My daughter would have made a great cross examiner if she had been a man."

"We're wasting time, judge." Now it was Brand who was becoming impatient.

"Am I to understand that the payment of this sum"—Bartelmy began. Brand raised his voice to a high pitch.

"Ten thousand dollars?" he said.

"Yes," agreed Bartelmy cautiously. "Am I to understand that it—ah—wipes out of your recollection not only the incident of which you were speaking, but also as to"—He paused.

Brand helped the would be briber to complete his sentence.

"You mean your secret interview last night with Dupuy and the attorney for the Lansing?"

The visitor raised his hand warningly at Brand's loud tones, as though to counsel caution.

"Yes, yes."

"Lansing Iron corporation?" continued Brand, bending close to the telephone.

"Yes. Will this sum, paid in hand, induce you to forget—ah—not only that incident, but also various other matters to which the Advance seems to have taken exception in the past?"

Brand sank back in his chair.

"You mean you want us to let up on you all around?"

"Precisely."

"Then that's understood."

"You will make a memorandum for me in writing to that effect—a receipt, so to speak?"

He pushed a pad toward the managing editor.

"All right—certainly," agreed Brand, taking up a pen.

The judge began to congratulate himself on the ease with which he was handling the young man.

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But Brand gave him another shock when he said:

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Brand glanced at the clock fixed in the wall opposite him.

"It's getting late, judge," he warned.

Bartelmy reached into the inside pocket of his evening dress coat and extracted an oblong package. Slipping off a rubber band that encircled it, he unwrapped the yellow paper and laid before him on the managing editor's desk a neat stack of crisp new bank bills, all of the \$500 denomination.

Bartelmy started to count the money, but he desisted and pushed the bills over toward Brand.

"Count it," he said.

"You count it."

The judge leaned forward and began the task. His head was within four or five inches of the mouthpiece of the telephone. He picked up the bills, one at a time, and as he counted them he laid them in another pile.

"Five hundred," he said—"one thousand, fifteen—two thousand, twenty-five—three thousand, thirty-five—four thousand, forty-five—five thousand. There is half of it," he remarked.

"Yes; that's \$5,000," assented Brand.

"Six thousand," said the judge, continuing with his task—"seven thousand, seventy-five—eight thousand."

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The tables were turned for the Holland high school girls last Friday night when they were beaten by the Hasting girls in a hair raising game 11 to 10. The locals took the lead in the first half, but in the second the Hasting fairies kept climbing up until the final windup in favor of the Hasting people.

The outlook for the Hope college track team is decidedly favorable for the spring. Coaches Conger and Dewey are having regular squads out every day and are training them hard, looking forward to a hard struggle in the coming crosscountry meet. Up till now Albion, Olivet and M. A. C. have promised to send teams which, with the fast Muskegon lads ought to make formidable rivals for the college runners.

M. A. C. will run up against the college basket ball team within a couple of weeks and the outlook is not at all unfavorable for the locals. Three years ago Brewer's men defeated the college quintet, but judging from Hope's showing against Notre Dame university, the teams are pretty well matched.

The college girls basket ball team is arranging games with outside teams. It is highly probable that arrangements will be made with the Kalamazoo college coeds who are reported to have a very strong team.

There was nothing doing for the Kings last Thursday night when the Veneers forgot all respect for royalty and walloped the Kings 15 to 8. Nash of the Kings was wild, allowing a total of 13 hits which brought the Veneer factory on a sound basis. Hooper and Dickinson were the battery for the Veneers.

On their home floor the fast National team of Grand Rapids was beaten last Tuesday night by the local Interurbans.

A fine bunch of roosters had journeyed along with the locals to the Valley City, and cheered on by his clan, Peterson did almost phenomenal work for the locals. The Interurbans led right from the start and finished the score 6 to 2.

Verdyne and Koz were in the box for the Nationals and though Verdyne secured 18 strike outs the locals banged him for 13 safe hits. Peterson struck out 23 men allowing but 6 hits. This was the first game of a series of five, the second of which will be played tomorrow evening at the Lyceum.

The Hope college basket ball team defeated the crack Notre Dame huskies Friday night by the score of 37 to 27. The visitors started the scoring and secured a good lead when Hope took a brace and tied the score at the end of the first half. In the second half Hope played under A. A. U. rules and forged ahead at a pace which Notre Dame could not overcome. Capt. Veenker led in the points for Hope while the work of Lavan and Vruwink was brilliant. Maloney and Fish starred for the visitors.

What promises to be the stellar attraction of all athletics staged in Holland, will be the wrestling bout for the middleweight championship of Michigan between Frank Burns, the lithe young mat artist of Boyne City and P. L. Ream, the mysterious engineer of South Haven, which is scheduled for tonight at the Lyceum rink.

Burns will make his initial bow to the Holland fans, while Ream, who recently showed great cleverness and alertness in scoring two straight falls over John Novik, the Russian mat artist, has already been picked as a favorite. Ream has figured in numerous wrestling bouts and hold a record of 43 victories and only two defeats. One of these was at the hands of Radwick, the Polish wrestler, and the other to Champion Frank Gotch, with whom he stayed 16 minutes in a handicap match at Chicago recently. Burns is the present holder of all state titles, having defeated George Potter of Grand Rapids, the latter having fought John Novik three to a draw, the last bout consuming two hours and five minutes.

The wrestling match will be preceded by two six round boxing bouts between Jimmy Mc Carthy and Young Smith and Johnny Vos and Jimmy Hall respectively at 122 and 118 pounds, respectively.

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Board of Trade Meets

There was a good attendance at the board of trade meeting Friday afternoon, when the nominations of new members for the organization were made. There was a total of 28 names presented for consideration and every one was elected to membership. The preliminary plans for the banquet were talked over, and the banquet committee announced that the big event would be held on March 4. The committees are now busy securing speakers for the occasion. The bonus plan also came in for discussion and it is probable that the committees will be organized to boom the proposition.

Those who were elected to membership are George Kleyn, John Kelley, D. Bradford, Abe Stephan, Dr. Ludwig Thiele, John Kooiker, James DeYoung, J. S. Dykstra, F. Bolhuis, F. N. Jonkman, A. Van Patten, Isaac Kouw, Wm. Van der Ven, Geo. Van Landegem, W. C. VanDyke, H. Sterenberg, G. De Weerd, C. Stam, John Bomers, D. J. TeRoller, Wm. Brusse, H. Ten Broeke, E. S. Holkeboer, John Weersing, A. Smeenge, Frank Dyke N. Yonker, Albert Meyer.

Met at Zeeland

The classis of Zeeland of the Christian Reformed churches met the latter part of the week at the Second Reformed church, Zeeland. About 22 delegates were present. Rev. J. H. Mokma presided and Rev. H. Walkotten was secretary. A request from 13 families of North Blendon to organize a congregation was not granted, as they did not report to the congregation where they belong and the classis transferred the request to the classical mission committee. Delegates were chosen to attend the general synod which will be held in June at Muskegon. The following delegates were elected: Primo pastors, Rev. H. Walkotten of Oakland; Rev. H. Vander Werp of Zeeland; secundo pastors, Rev. J. B. Jonkman, of Borculo; Rev. J. Smitter of Zeeland and Rev. J. Bruunoo of Hudsonville; elders, D. Van Loo, H. Godyk and J. Sipkema; secundo elders, T. Hop, J. A. Kamps and J. Sturing. Those chosen for the classical committee were Rev. W. D. Van der Werp, Zeeland for a term of three years; Rev. H. Vander Werp of Zutphen, for two years and Rev. J. Smitter of Zeeland for one year. Those chosen for the Theological seminary and John Calvin college at Grand Rapids were Rev. H. Vander Werp of Zutphen, and Rev. W. D. Vander Werp of Zeeland. Rev. H. Vander Werp was chosen states clerk. Rev. H. Walkotten was chosen depute of foreign mission; on committee for funds of students are Rev. J. B. Jonkman, Rev. William D. Van der Werp and Rev. J. Smitter. The classical mission committee comprises Rev. J. B. Jonkman, W. D. Vander Werp and J. H. Mokma. F. Boonstra is classical treasurer. It was decided to ask the synod to elect a president for the John Calvin college at Grand Rapids.

How Can it be Possible

Clad in a thin calico dress, bereft of underclothing with sleeves of a discarded coat serving as stockings, and lying upon a rough straw tick in a corner of the room, Glenn, a nine months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nichols, 251 West Tenth street, was found by a neighbor, who was attracted to the house by his pitiful cries.

When the visitor asked to see the baby, Mrs. Nichols pointed to a corner of the room and assumed an indifferent attitude.

The boy had suffered from lack of nourishment, and laid in his bed in the corner night and day. He was covered with dirt and shivered from the cold. It is alleged that the mother would frequently leave the house for two hours without even giving her first born a thought as to his care or protection.

Neighbors quickly got together, and while they were collecting clothing, cradle and food, the city physician and police officers were summoned. The mother finally promised to look after the immediate comfort of her child. Mr. Nichols claimed that he was not the child's father, but declared that he did all he could. He is employed in the basket factory.

Fighting for the Postoffice

At least one political cauldron is beginning to boil merrily in Grand Haven. Fred A. Huddy, serving his third consecutive term as postmaster is a candidate for a fourth term. He is opposed by three other active aspirants, M. Kingsbury Scott, of the Grand Haven Tribune, one of the younger republicans, and Herman Z. Nyland and John Verhoeke, two of the old war horses of the party. Harry Oakes, it is said, also has his eye on the job.

Raise Annual Dues

The proposed changes in the constitution were the first matters taken up Monday evening at the Merchant association meeting and were adopted almost unanimously by the small quorum which was present. Hereafter the officers and standing committees will be chosen by an executive committee of five members, those elected for the year being H. W. Hardie, Fred Beuwkes, H. Van Tongeren, A. C. Keppel and H. Van der Ploeg.

By the raise in dues from \$1 to \$2 per annum the association hopes to be able to take up several activities in the line of securing business experts to give lectures and otherwise make their meetings more attractive to the members.

Hope College Student Wins Rhodes Scholarship

Milton Hoffman, the successful Rhodes scholarship candidate, as spoken of in the News a few weeks ago, was graduated from Hope college last year with high honors and is at present a junior in the theological seminary. It is Hoffman's intention to complete the year at the seminary and take up his work at Oxford in September, returning after his three year's abroad to take up his theological course again. He is 24 years of age. The Rhodes scholarships, which are awarded annually in every state in the union, were founded by the late Cecil Rhodes and entitle the recipient to a three year's course at Oxford with an annual allowance of \$1,500.

Only forty-five of these scholarships are annually distributed over the United States. At the competitive examination at the U. of M. were several contestants from other universities and colleges. The examiners were Dean J. O. Read of the U. of M., Pres. Mauck of Hillsdale college, Pres. Lancaster of Olivet college and H. B. Hutchins, president of the U. of M.

During his stay at Hope college Hoffman has been very active along various lines. He was president of last year's class, vice president of the Fraternal society and secretary of the college Y. M. C. A.

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Alumni Entertainment

The Holland High School Alumni have made extensive preparations for their entertainment to be given Friday evening at the High School Hall. All are invited. The program follows:

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Remarks by the President.....	MR. ATWOOD
Piano Solo "Carnival".....	Schuet
Miss Wise	
Reading "Her Cuban Tea" (a monologue).....	Phelps
Miss Hooper	
Music "Dixie Kid".....	Root
LADIE'S QUARTET	
Vocal Solo.....	MR. OOSTING
Violin Solo, Intermezzo.....	Mascovini
MR. DAMSON	
Reading, "The Obstructive Hat in the Pit".....	Anstey
Miss De Haan	
Comedy Sketch "The Great Arrival".....	re-act. by MR. HEATH
Simon McLeannau Brown.....	MR. DETO
Prof. John C. Fremont Cheatum M. D.....	MR. ATWOOD
Jimmy Ducks.....	MR. HEATH
Vocal Solo "Joy of the Morning".....	Markham
Miss Keppel	
Impersonation "The Beauty Doctor".....	Capwell
Miss Bradwald	
Music "The Little Picaninny".....	Steele
MEN'S QUARTET	
Impersonation "Tom's Last Furrage".....	Moore
MR. HEATH	
Duet "The First Quartet".....	Hart
Miss Ederle and Mr. De Koster	
Music.....	HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Ladies' Quartet—Misses St. Clair, Roseboom, Arendson, Boot
Men's Quartet—Messrs. Oosting, Brouwer, Zuidema, De Koster
Accompanists—Misses Takken, Schuelke, Reidsma, Mr. Dok
Officers—Mr. Atwood, Pres., Mr. Manting, Vice Pres., Mr. Brouwer, Treas., Miss De Weerd, Sec'y.

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 23rd day of February, A. D. 1910.

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

In the matter of the estate of Jan Ten Brink, Deceased

Henry Bruss having filed in said court his petition praying that the executor of said estate be authorized and directed to convey certain real estate in pursuance of a certain contract made by said deceased in his lifetime.

It is Ordered, That the

21st day of March A. D. 1910

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he 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,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
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Register of Probate.

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