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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

VOLUME NUMBER 49

THURSDAY, February 19 1920

NUMBER SEVEN

\$250
is what you
can have next Christmas
if you join **OUR**
CHRISTMAS
BANKING **\$5**
CLUB with

FROM HIS EARNINGS OR HIS BUSINESS EVERY MAN SHOULD SAVE MONEY. MANY MEN WHO ARE MAKING BIG MONEY, CAN EASILY PUT IN \$5.00, \$10.00 OR \$20.00 OR MORE EACH WEEK AND HAVE A NICE RESERVE FUND IN 50 WEEKS OF \$250.00, \$500, OR \$1000.00.

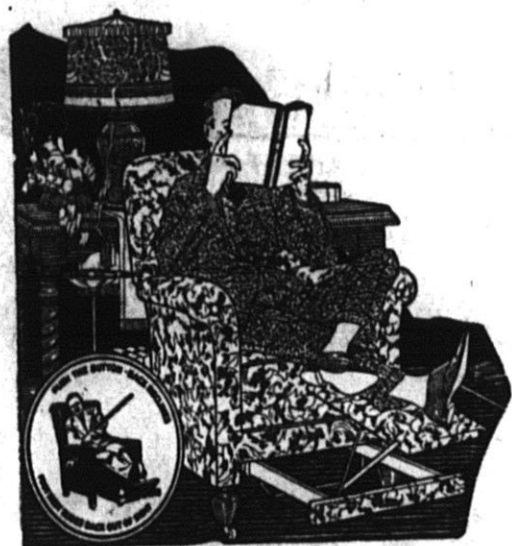
YOU MAY NOT NEED THIS MONEY NOW, BUT WHEN YOU DO NEED IT, YOU WILL HAVE IT.

TODAY IS A GOOD DAY TO BEGIN.

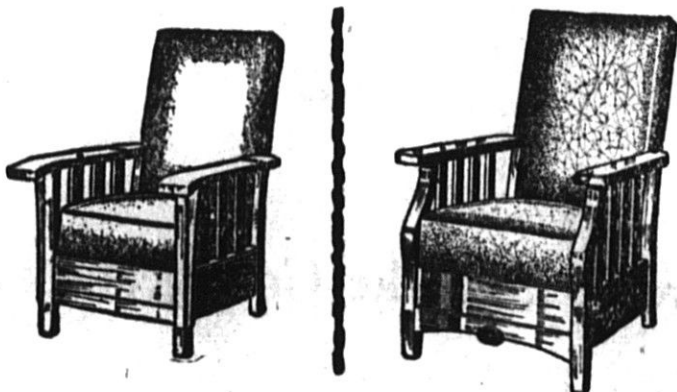
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Let us demonstrate a World's Easiest Chair. That's what people continually call Royals - those roomy, luxuriously comfortable easy chairs with the push button, and the back that's automatically raised and lowered.



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JAS. A. BROUWER FURNITURE CO.

STATE CHAIRMAN RE-ASSURES CHAIRMEN

TURKS NO LONGER CONFISCATE SUPPLIES SENT TO THE NEAR EAST

Chairman Vandersluis of the Near East Relief Committee wrote to James Spillane of Detroit, chairman of the state organization, asking if it was true that the supplies sent to that country were in danger of being captured by the Turks. Mr. Spillane wrote back stating that that had once been true early in the war, but that since the armistice that was no longer true. The Turkish government no longer dared to do

anything of the kind.

There are still outlaw bands to contend with, according to Mr. Spillane's letter, but the risk from them is comparatively small. The more supplies sent now the sooner the Near East people can get back to their homes and farms and the sooner such outlaw bands can be suppressed. Mr. Spillane declares that now is the time to send relief and asks Holland to do its full share.

Harry Orr, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Orr of this city has entered the Michigan State Auto School at Detroit where he expects to take a full course in mechanical automobile fitting himself as a master mechanic.

HOLLAND FAIR TO GIVE AWAY AUTOMOBILE

ALSO FORDSON TRACTOR AND A VICTROLA

Dates of the Fair Will Be September 14, 15, 16, 17

There are going to be big doings at the Holland Fair. In the first place the dates have been set for September 14, 15, 16, and 17.

Secretary Arendshorst has also interested the business men in a proposition whereby some valuable prizes are going to be given away. Just what form that will take has not fully been made known, but on the first day some one is going to get a Victrola or a piano, the best to be had.

On Thursday, farmers' day, some farmer is going to walk off with a Fordson tractor, purchased at the Holleman-Deweerd garage at Holland.

On Friday, Holland day some patron of the fair is going home with a high class automobile, the best that can be had.

At the director's meeting it was decided to spend \$2,000 for horse races, \$1,000 for free attractions and \$500 for music.

The noted Fischer's orchestra of Kalamazoo has also been engaged.

The following superintendents of the different departments were chosen:

Superintendents of Departments
Cattle Department—H. Siersema, Holland, R. F. D.; Wm. Glerum, Zeeland; Henry Harrington, Holland, R. F. D.

Horse Department—M. Van Zoeren, Zeeland, R. F. D.; H. Bouws, Holland, R. F. D.

Sheep and Swine—Geo. De Hoop, Vriesland; Cor. Andre, Jenison; G. J. Bolks, Hamilton.

Poultry Department—D. M. Wyn-garden, Zeeland; John Alenbaas, James De Koster, Holland.

Agricultural Department—Klaas Koester, Holland; Edward Cook, Holland; George Schutmaat, Hamilton.

Horticultural Department—G. J. Deur, Holland, R. F. D.; M. A. Taylor, Zeeland; Wm. Van Appledorn, Holland, R. F. D.

Floral Department—Mrs. J. W. Vanden Berg, Holland; P. Pluin and H. Ebelink, Holland.

Women's Department—Miss Minnie Kramer and Mrs. Allen Harris, Holland.

Miscellaneous Department—Mrs. R. Hayden, Holland, Mrs. C. St. Clair, Mrs. Stella Clark, Holland.

Household Department—Mrs. F. A. Boot, Mrs. H. Boone, sr., Holland. Schools—Miss Lida Rogers, Holland, Miss Meta Ross, Holland.

Apiary—John Hendriks, Zeeland; Albert Oetman, Hamilton.

Executive—O. C. Schaap, A. Harrington, J. Lokker, M. C. Ver Hage, Wm. Vander Ven, E. P. Stephan.

Concessions—O. C. Schaap, Sam W. Miller, J. Arendshorst.

Attractions and Sports—J. Lokker, J. Arendshorst.

Speed—S. Nibelink, M. C. Ver Hage.

Grand Stand—J. J. Rutgers, J. Kookier, D. F. Boonstra.

Buildings and Grounds—J. Lokker, H. Siersema, Wm. Vander Ven.

THIRTEEN BELOW ZERO IS OFFICIAL

TWENTY-ONE BELOW ZERO ON NORTH SIDE OF THE BAY

Last night was the coldest night this winter. The official register at the Water Works indicates that 13 below at 4 o'clock was the lowest point registered during the night.

Harry Doesburg's register on 8th street indicated 14 below, and Prof. Robert Evans of the North Side states that at 5 o'clock this morning his thermometer showed 21 below zero.

The recorder at the Water Works states that altho the register at the station was 13 below zero, it is altogether probable that at some places where the thermometer was more exposed that the mercury may have gone down as low as 21 and even lower.

Real winter snow came this winter on the 23rd of November according to Harry Doesburg, who is quite a weather prognosticator.

This is a month earlier than last year. Holland has had sleighing now for 81 days, has had no January thaw, in fact has had scarcely no thaw at all.

The Groundhog is running true to color and from the looks of things the full allotted six weeks more of winter will be given to Holland.

LIST OF NEW TEACHERS AND SALARY RAISE GIVEN

On page five of this issue will be found in the proceedings of the board of education the list of teachers who will supervise our children for the year 1920-21.

The list also shows the former salaries received, and the raises given each one according to the policy adopted by our board of education.

IS SUBSTITUTE DURING ILLNESS OF MR. Mc BRIDE

T. N. ROBINSON IS APPOINTED "ACTING CITY ATTORNEY" ON HIS OWN OFFER

Wanted to Help Brother Attorney; Resigns As Justice of the Peace

Holland today has an "acting city attorney," perhaps the first of its kind in the history of the city. Because of the protracted illness of City Attorney C. H. McBride, Attorney T. N. Robinson offered to do the work of the city attorney for as long as Mr. McBride would be unable to attend to it. He offered to do this free of charge to the city and with the understanding that salary should go to Mr. McBride as usual. It was further understood that all this should be subject to the approval of Mr. McBride himself, both Mr. Robinson and the council decidedly feeling that nothing should be done in the matter except for the purpose of helping both the city and Mr. McBride.

The offer was gratefully accepted by the council, and Mr. Robinson was appointed as "acting city attorney." He was called to the meeting and in a little talk to the aldermen he said he was merely doing what he felt he should do as a brother-attorney, and that he was certain his friend Mr. McBride would have done the same thing for him if the occasion had arisen.

The question arose as to Mr. Robinson's holding two offices at the same time, that of justice of the peace and of acting city attorney. It was decided that he would not be legally able, under the charter, to discharge the duties of two offices at the same time, and so Mr. Robinson verbally handed in his resignation from the office of justice of the peace to the city council, which the aldermen accepted.

The mayor and aldermen expressed their deep sympathy with City Attorney McBride and his family because of the serious illness of Mr. McBride and the aldermen felt that the present arrangement was the best way out of a difficulty. The city needs legal advice constantly, but the aldermen expressed their fidelity to Mr. McBride and did not want anything done that would not be to the liking of the city attorney. Mr. Robinson expressed the same sentiment and said his action was a matter of friendship for Mr. McBride.

PRESENTS SCHOOL BUDGET TO COUNCIL

SECRETARY GEERLINGS GIVES TALK TO ALDERMEN ON THAT SUBJECT

Henry Geerlings, secretary of the Board of Education, appeared before the council Wednesday evening and presented to the aldermen the board's action taken at a recent meeting for the appropriation for the ensuing year. The matter was presented to the council in an informal way. The Ways and Means committee will have to pass on the appropriation bill of the board, but Mr. Geerlings spoke for the general information of all the aldermen.

The proposed appropriation for the schools was discussed informally by the aldermen and a number of suggestions were made. The whole question was finally referred to the Ways and Means committee, the members of which will confer with the board of education.

TO DISCUSS GAS REPORT MONDAY NIGHT

COUNCIL AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS TO HOLD JOINT MEETING

The municipal gas plant question will come formally up for consideration next Monday evening when the common council will hold a joint meeting with the board of public works to discuss the subject. The board of public works at last night's meeting of the council asked for such a meeting at which the report prepared by Engineer Gifford can be read and examined by the two bodies.

Some months ago the council asked the Board of Public Works to prepare plans for a municipal plant, putting the matter into such form that it could be intelligently voted upon by the people of the city. The Board thereupon employed Mr. Gifford who has been at work on the matter and whose report is now ready. At next Monday night's meeting the council may decide whether or not to present it to a vote of the people, and if so, they may further decide when the special election on the matter is to be held.

Al Dewerd of the Holleman-Deweerd Auto Co. was in Zeeland, Grand Rapids and Byron Center yesterday looking after the interests of the company. The rapid sale of Fords and Ford Tractors are necessitating extensive building operations at both Zeeland and Byron Center.

WOULD BUILD MEMORIAL HALL IN HOLLAND

LOCAL POST OF THE AMERICAN LEGION ASKS COUNCIL TO CONSIDER SUCH A STEP

Committees Are Appointed To Confer With the Legion Committee

Shall the city of Holland build a Memorial Hall in honor of the ex-service men who died in the service and for the benefit of the service men who returned as well as for the benefit of the general public. The Willard G. Leenhouts Post, G. A. R. made the suggestion to the council last night, and the council, on motion of Ald. Prins, provided for the appointment by the mayor of two committees, one composed of one alderman from each ward, and another a citizens' committee of five members, Mayor Bosch to serve as the chairman of the two committees. These committees are to meet with a committee of the American Legion Post to take the matter up.

In discussing the request from the American Legion last night Mayor Bosch said that many cities were doing something of the kind. "The American Legion will more and more become a factor in our life, both here and all over the country," he said. "The members did things for us during the war, and we should very seriously take under consideration this thing that they ask of us now. I would like to have committees appointed to meet with the Legion."

This suggestion was immediately acted upon and the committees were then authorized.

The request from the Legion was as follows:

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Holland.

At its last regular meeting, the Willard G. Leenhouts Post of the American Legion took up the question of a suitable Memorial for the soldiers, sailors and marines of this community who had given up their lives in the Great War.

As you are aware, in other communities steps are being taken to perpetuate the memories of these men. In some communities the Memorial has taken the form of a tablet or a monument, but in general the sentiment of the American Legion and of the communities, as well as that of the relatives of those who have died, is that the Memorial should take the form of some lasting and useful addition to the life of the community from which these men went out.

The local Post of the American Legion at its last meeting decided to favor the erection of a Memorial Hall in the City of Holland, and to that end they authorized the Commander of the Post to appoint a committee to send this communication to your Honorable Body, and to meet with and act with your Honorable Body or a committee thereof. In discussing the feasibility of the proposition as a whole, and in formulating plans for the erection of such a suitable Memorial. The committee that was so appointed by Commander Geerds consists of Comrades George Pelgrim, Abraham Leenhouts, Henry Geerds, Marshall Irving and Raymond Visscher.

This committee has full power to act on behalf of the Willard G. Leenhouts Post. The Post respectfully requests that your Honorable Body communicate and meet with it for the purpose above stated.

WILLARD G. LEENHOUTS POST, By Raymond Visscher, Adj. Holland, Michigan, Feb. 16, 1920.

WHITE AFRICANS BORN TO HOLLAND FOLKS

REV. FRED DE WEERD WRITES OF THE ARRIVAL OF HIS SIXTH CHILD

Rev. and Mrs. Fred De Weerd, former missionary in Africa, writes an interesting letter relating to the birth of a sixth child in this happy family. Mr. De Weerd is a son of John De Weerd living on West 11th street. The letter follows: Fairmount, Indiana, 2-13-20

The enclosed announcement will explain itself. Thought probably our friends in and around Holland would be glad to get this bit of news thru your valuable paper.

Lelia Marie is our sixth child. Three of our girls are what we style white Africans as they were born in the dark continent. Our two boys were born one in Ohio and the other in Illinois, but this little lady is a full-fledged Hoosier. Mother and babe are progressing nicely.

Regards to you,

Sincerely yours,

Evangelist Fred De Weerd.

Here is the announcement:

Announcing the arrival of Lelia Marie on Feb. 7th, weight 9 lbs. Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeWeerd, Fairmount, Indiana.

Frank Dyke has secured the contract to put up the \$40,000 addition to the Holland Shoe Co. Another story is to be added to the long one story building on 16th street.

GIVES HIS IDEAS ON GAS QUESTION IN A MESSAGE

MAYOR BOSCH PUTS ON RECORD WEDNESDAY NIGHT HIS ATTITUDE

Wants To Take People Into Confidence On All Steps Taken

Mayor Bosch Wednesday night gave the following message on the gas question to the common council: To the Honorable, the Common Council of the City of Holland, Gentlemen:

Merely for the sake of making this a matter of record, I would like to summarize by means of this message to you the various ideas that I gave in a more informal way about the Holland City Gas situation at a meeting held on the evening of Feb. 13th at which you were present in a body. To put what I advanced there in permanent form is the reason for this message.

In the first place, it is my sincere conviction that you as a city council and I as chief executive of the city must fully and freely and openly take the people of Holland into our confidence on all steps that are to be taken in regard to a municipal gas plant. We must not put our best foot foremost with the people, but we must show to them the disadvantages as well as the advantages of such a movement. We must give them full opportunity to study all the facts so that they may vote on the question on its merits and with their eyes open. We must look all facts straight in the face. There is not and there should not be, anything to hide. Every voter should have a chance to come to an independent decision of his own.

The chief reason for a municipal plant is that the fifth and sixth wards may have gas. These two wards comprise about a third of the population of Holland. Suppose Holland, as a whole, were without gas and a private company played "a dog-in-the-manger" game and refused to furnish gas, would not the people of Holland decide to put up a city plant? If that is true of the city of Holland as a whole, is not it equally true of that third of the city's population that is now without gas and that has no chance to get gas under present conditions? If as is expected, a city plant will have to operate during the first few years at a higher cost than the revenue of the plant produces during that time, this "deficit" should not be spread upon the general taxes of the city. This should be charged against the city gas plant and should be paid out of the earnings of the plant as soon as the municipal plant begins to be a paying proposition, as we believe it would be in a very few years. In other words, the city gas plant should not cost people of Holland anything in increased taxes. It should pay for itself, as the light and water plant has always paid for itself.

Under no circumstances must the price of gas from the city plant be higher than the price of gas from a private company. If it is, the venture will not succeed. The average man buys where he can buy most cheaply. That is human nature, and that is a fact that we must not overlook. The fact remains, however that a city plant would give a good quality of gas; it would give the recognized standard of B. T. U. If the city gave a better value of gas at the same price than a private concern, the price in actual practice would be lower, and by the natural law of getting the most for the least money, a city plant would get the business, but in no case must the city ask a price that shall exceed the price of a private company.

These are the main points that I would like to call to your attention and that I would like to have kept constantly in the minds in all steps that are taken in regard to a possible city gas plant. I regard them as fundamental. Details there are that may cause difference of opinion, but these points I think ought to be at the basis of all our deliberations on this subject.

Respectfully submitted, Nicodemus Bosch, Mayor.

ALD. JACK BLUE WILL ASK THE VOTERS FOR ANOTHER TERM AS COUNCIL MEMBER

At least one announcement has so far been made of candidacy for the office of alderman for the spring primaries. Ald. Jack Blue of the First Ward today declared that he would stand for re-election. Mr. Blue was in doubt for some time as to whether he would ask for re-election or not, but he has finally decided to seek the office again.

Mr. Blue has served the city for two years. He said that if re-elected he would endeavor to give the city the same kind of service that he had been giving it during the past two years. So far as known at present there is no opposition to Mr. Blue, although of course other candidates may get into the race later on.

Henry Winter, Arthur Van Duren and Wm. J. Olive were in Grand Rapids on business today.

HOPE CHURCH PIPE ORGAN LAYS OFF FOR A MONTH

Worshippers at Hope church Sunday were greeted by the music from a tinkling piano instead of the resonant tones of a large pipe organ.

After twenty years of faithful service Professor J. B. Nykerk is having the stately organ thoroughly overhauled, and he says that it will be good for another thirty years more, and its tone qualities will become better with age.

It will take at least a month to have the work done which is being taken care of by Kimball & Co. of Chicago. When the organ was purchased some twenty years ago the tubular pneumatic action was guaranteed for fourteen years, but it has stood the test for twenty years without difficulty.

During the past twenty years several new improvements have been added to the organ, a large number of additional pipes have been installed and the instrument was revoiced by one of the best experts on pipe organs in America.

About a year ago the old water motor was removed and an up-to-date electric organblow was added.

When the organ is overhauled experts say that it will be one of the best instruments in Western Michigan, and will be worth at least \$2,000 more than before.

A pipe organ as good as the one in Hope church would cost not less than \$6,000. The expense connected with its rejuvenation will be in the neighborhood of \$600.

DRIVE STARTS FOR NEAR EAST RELIEF FUND

A Near East Relief drive was organized in Holland Friday. The south half of Ottawa county has been assigned a quota of \$3,500 and an attempt will be made to reach that figure in a strong, brief drive, beginning next week Monday.

About a dozen representative men gathered in First State bank Friday morning to organize the drive. Committees were appointed and work was mapped out for a house-to-house canvass to raise the necessary fund in Holland and the surrounding community.

John Vandersluis has been appointed general chairman of the drive for southern Ottawa by the state organization. At the gathering Henry Winter was appointed secretary of the drive, and Otto P. Kramer treasurer. Wm. Vandervan, J. J. Riemersma and Henry Luidens were named to serve as a committee whose duty it will be to form the organization of canvassers. They will map out the city and appoint teams that will make the house to house visits. The city will probably be divided along ward lines and enough workers will be assigned to each ward so that the whole job can be completed in a comparatively short time.

All the pastors in the churches will be asked to call the drive to the attention of their congregations on Sunday morning, February 22. They will be asked to make a strong appeal for funds for the peoples that are starving in the Near East. This drive is distinctly not a church affair, the committee pointed out. It is purely a community affair, but the churches will be asked to help advertise it and center the attention of the people on it. Not only will all the pastors be asked to give talks to their congregations on it, but the Sunday School superintendents will also be requested to present it to their respective schools.

The public schools and the School for Christian Instruction will also be asked to help. An effort will be made to get the message to every man, woman and child in the city.

Among the methods of spreading the message will be four-minute talks at the Strand as well as slides thrown on the screen at that playhouse.

Holland and South Ottawa county are late in getting started in this drive. The north half of the county has already reached its quota. But the local men took hold of the matter with spirit and enthusiasm Friday and feel confident that the local public will respond as liberally as usual.

BUILDING OF CAPPON-BERTSCH CO. ADDITION STARTS

When the new addition to the North Side Tannery is completed employment will be given to at least 125 more men.

P. F. Boone, who has the contract for excavation has the job nearly completed and then the stone mason, hod carriers and brick layers will get busy.

The building is to be 83x161 feet, three stories high.

The new building will be of concrete and brick construction. The work will be started at once under the management of the Blome Senek Construction company, which firm has the contract as a whole.

The Blome Senek Co. is a large contracting firm of Chicago. They make a specialty of erecting plants and large buildings throughout the country, and they have put up many of the Armour Co's buildings in various parts of the United States.

Report has it that the company was moving its Sheboygan plant to Holland, that tannery having burned down recently. S. L. Henkle states however that this is untrue but that the Holland addition is simply necessary because of the rapidly grown business here. The Sheboygan plant will be rebuilt at that town and has nothing in common with the development of the local plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Duren returned Friday night from a month's stay in Florida.

ZEELAND SOON TO HAVE A FIRE TRUCK

Wednesday evening the Wolverine Furniture Co. of Zeeland will tender the firemen of that city a banquet to be held in the Ladies' Good Will hall. This is an annual affair, an event toward which the firemen look with great anticipation. Upon such occasions the expenses incurred are generally borne by the firemen association. This year the tables are turned and the firemen will be tendered a banquet by the Wolverine Furniture Co. as an appreciation of their prompt and efficient service in extinguishing the fires at the factory recently. The association numbers 25 firemen of which W. G. Heasley is chief, M. C. Ver Hage is treasurer, and Wm. Hietje is secretary.

GAVE PROGRAM IN HONOR OF LINCOLN

A patriotic program in commemoration of Lincoln's birthday was enjoyed by the members of the D. A. R. Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. J. Olive.

In the absence of the regent, Mrs. Telling presided, and it was unanimously voted by the organization to send ten dollars to the aid of the Michigan military prisoners on Governors Island, and \$12 to the support of a Serbian orphan for 3 months.

Mrs. Browning read a "Perfect Tribute to Lincoln" by Mary Shipman Andrews, depicting the great power of the Emancipator's simplicity and gentleness, and the forceful impression and sincerity of his Gettysburg speech.

Music was furnished by Mrs. La Caff, who played "Arabesque No. 1" by Debussy and "Prelude No. 15" by Chopin; and Mrs. D. B. K. Van Raalte, Jr., who sang "I Hear You Calling Me," by Marshall, and "Little Clouds," by Logan. Mrs. Van Raalte was accompanied by Mrs. Robbins.

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Grand Haven Tribune.—Charming in its appointments was a dinner party given in honor of Capt. George Olsen on the occasion of his birthday anniversary. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Sluiter of Lafayette-st., was the scene of the event. A graceful disposal of pink and white flowers adorned the table while a glittering birthday cake centered it and pink shaded candle light cast its glow on the guests seated around the table who numbered Capt. and Mrs. Olsen, Judge O. O. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. B. Slingerland, Miss Anna Van Horsen and John Erkes. Following dinner, cards were enjoyed during the evening.

FEW LAKE BOATS RETURNING FROM DEEP SEA SERVICE

In his annual report President Livingstone of the Lake Carriers' Association said: Now that the lake fleet has been restored to practically pre-war basis an inventory can be made of the vessels and thus reveal the extent to which the fleet contributed toward supplying sorely needed sea tonnage during the great war. A few of the lake steamers of American registry, have been brought back, but the vessels of Canadian registry which went away to aid Great Britain in supplying her arm and persuasive personality which the void in British tonnage created by the submarines.

Without consulting figures one would scarcely believe that 149 steamers passed out of the St. Lawrence river primarily for the purpose of helping to win the war.

HOPE WINS OVER GRAND RAPIDS "Y"

Led by Capt. G. Prins, Hope forced the Grand Rapids "Y. M. C. A." quintet to succumb to the impetus of Hope's attack to the tune of 39 to 12, Thursday evening. The Prins Brothers appeared on the Hope lineup, their return strengthening the morale of the team. Japinga was the individual star of the game, his shooting being exceptionally accurate. The "Y" had a lead at first but failed to keep it. The first half ended with the score 16 to 8 in Hope's favor. The entire Hope team did stellar work, their floorwork being superb.

The Bethanys of Grand Rapids defeated the Hope Reserves 14 to 11 in a fast game. Truesdale of G. R. Union refereed the game in great style, as did Wassenaar the preliminary.

Hope
P. Prins.....R. F. Drummond
Japinga.....L. F. Stander
T. Prins.....C. Holwerda
DeJonge.....R. G. Delaney
VanPutten.....L. G. Van Ess
Field Baskets—P. Prins 3; Japinga 8; T. Prins 2; Van Putten 4; Stander 3; Drummond 1. Referee Truesdale, G. R. Union. Scorer, Baker, Hope, Timer, De Jonge.

FORMER HOLLAND TEACHER WEDS

Word has been received of the marriage of Miss Grace Clifton to Francis Donahove, a retired banker of Chehalis, Wash. Miss Clifton is a cousin of Mrs. Fred Zalsman and was a teacher in the Maple Ave. school a few years ago.

They are spending the winter in California but will make their home in Chehalis.

"DIEK" FACES THE NEWBERRY JURY

G. J. Diekema of Holland faced the Newberry jury the other day, but not as a defendant in the Newberry election case.

"Diek" does not belong to the "138 club" that holds forth at the Pantlind hotel.

The way it happened was this. Our fellow townsman was requested to speak on "Abraham Lincoln" at the First Methodist church at Grand Rapids, and who should be his eager listeners but twelve jurymen sitting in the front seats, guarded on either side by deputy sheriffs.

Suffice it to say that "Diek" gave the Newberry jury, together with the rest of the audience, an object lesson in patriotism that will not be forgotten soon. He told them to emulate the patriotic life led by the greatest patriot of all, Abraham Lincoln, the martyred president.

Hon. G. J. Diekema is in Detroit on legal business.

The internal revenue department at Washington D. C. has appointed Thomas Keppel of Zeeland as one of three specialists in advising on corporation returns in the Fourth District of Michigan under the income tax law.

DIES AT THE AGE OF SEVENTY-SEVEN

Mrs. William Heetderks, aged 77 years, died at the psychopathic hospital at Grand Rapids where she had been receiving treatment for some time. The deceased formerly lived at East Saugatuck and later for a number of years at Graafschap. She is survived by one son G. J. Heetderks of this city, and four daughters, Mrs. C. Andrews of Hart, Mrs. J. Beld of South Dakota, Mrs. A. E. Ash of East Saugatuck and Mrs. J. Blauw of Graafschap.

The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of G. J. Heetderks, 430 Pine Avenue, Rev. J. Bolt of Graafschap officiating. Interment took place in the Graafschap cemetery.

M. A. C. GLEE CLUB TO COME TO HOLLAND

The Michigan Agricultural college Glee and Mandolin club is to make a tour of the state during the spring vacation in March. The dates so far arranged for follow: March 19 at Portland, March 20 at Grand Rapids, March 22 at Muskegon, March 23 at Manistee, March 24 at Big Rapids, March 25 at Holland, and March 26 at Benton Harbor. April 8 a concert will be given at the college and April 9 the club goes to Flint then to Detroit April 10.

WOULD PUT MISSION ON A BETTER BASIS

A movement is on foot now to put the City Mission on a systematic basis, so far as finances are concerned. One meeting to this end has been held, and those who are back of the movement expect to hold still other gatherings at which those who are interested in this mission will be asked to help systematize this civic service.

Unless something of this nature is done Holland may lose its City Mission one of these days, it is declared by those who know the condition. Finances have always come precariously to the City Mission, and it has always been a good deal of a hand-to-mouth proposition. Many people have been generous from time to time, but the trouble is that the Mission can never make plans ahead because it is never sure that necessary funds will be forthcoming.

There are other communities that are known to be willing to hold out inducements to the personnel of the City Mission, if something is not done here to counteract it. Some system will probably be worked out whereby the mission will have a more or less permanent income.

The Mission has for years been the special friend of many people who would otherwise have been more or less neglected. At Thanksgiving time and at Christmas the Mission is always an invaluable aid to the Social Service organization in the city. And during all the rest of the year the Mission does a great deal of social service work that is never heard of, but that counts nevertheless.

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ALDERMAN'S SON LOSES TWO FINGERS

Charles Dykstra Jr., the seven-year old son of Alderman and Mrs. Chas. Dykstra suffered a painful accident Thursday evening when a sleigh loaded with wood, passed over his hand and crushed it so badly that it was found necessary to amputate two fingers.

The little boy was on his way to post a valentine to a playmate. On the way he "hopped" a sleigh loaded with wood that already had a crowd of children standing on the runner. The little Dykstra boy fell off and his hand was caught under the runner. He was immediately taken to his home and the two fingers were amputated by Dr. Thomas and Dr. Winter. The wound proved painful, but the boy is getting along satisfactorily.

Next Monday evening Holland "Y" will play Camp Custer, Officers at the High school gym. Preliminary will start at 7:30 and will be played between "Y" Reserves and Junior "Y".

Insurance is like Banking

Good business sense tells you to use the same care in placing your insurance that you would use in banking your money. It is commonly said that anybody can write an insurance policy. Sure, anyone will take your money too.

Why not use the same care and prudence in protecting your home and property that you do in protecting your money.

The McBride Insurance Agency is the oldest, largest and strongest in this vicinity. It has a record of nearly half a century of dependable service. The large institutions carry their insurance lines with this agency. Why not you?

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And if you have not taken advantage of it yet, you still have a chance to get in on the

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Here Is Something That Will Interest You!

We are now ready to make Contracts for next Seasons Produce.

We have a Proposition that will be very advantageous to you; at least come and see us and find out what we have to offer.

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HOLLAND,

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LEGION POST TO MAKE DRIVE FOR MEMBERS

With the slogan "Every Service Man in Holland a Member of the American Legion" the Willard J. Lemhouts Post has started an active campaign in the city to increase its membership. At the present time 292 ex-service men have joined the Legion, but there are many more in the city who have as yet not signified their intention of joining. Every effort is being made by the local Post to surpass the record of the Lincoln Post of Lincoln, Neb., which has 90 per cent of the veterans on its roll and in two days raised their membership from 300 to 1845. Every man who saw service in the army, navy, marine corps, or S. A. T. C. and has received an honorable discharge from their respective branch of the service, is eligible for membership in the city hall, March 3, ought to see more than 400 Holland service men signed up.

The American Legion Post has taken a permanent place in the life of the city and surrounding community. It gives an opportunity for young men who were once associated together in the big struggle in Europe to continue the association on a more permanent basis. There are a great many benefits accruing to the ex-service man from membership in the Post and those young men who have not attended any of the meetings in the city hall up to the present are cordially invited by the Post to do so.

C. De Keyser, the real estate man was in Chicago for a few days on business.

ZEELAND

Mrs. Henry Belt of North Holland died Sunday of the flu. Besides her husband and three small children she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hop, sr., two brothers, William and Jacob, and two sisters, Mrs. C. Vereeke and Mrs. C. Boetje all of Beeverdam. She also leaves a host of friends and relatives.

The Young Peoples Singing School society of Beeverdam enjoyed a sleighride party last Tuesday eve. They stopped over at G. Dalman's southwest of the city. Those present were George Ohlman, Richard Van Farowe, Marvin Knaap, Jacob Hop, Clarence Voss, Eugene Brower, Adrain Brower, Marvin Achterhof, T. Hungerink, Aaron Vereeke, Harold Huyser, Henry Kamps, Peter and Henry Dalman, Floyd Scheele, Jennie Vereeke, Dora De Boer, Janet Scheele, Alice Dalman and Gertrude Brower. Games were played and refreshments served. They departed at a late hour and a most enjoyable time was reported by all.

Gerrit Scheur, Andrew Van Gelderen and Floyd Seaveas of Beeverdam are hauling cement blocks and lumber for new homes which they hope to erect as soon as weather permits.

Herman Maasen from Iowa spent the week with his son Rev. Herman Maasen of Beeverdam.

The flu epidemic is spreading rapidly around here. A number of the schools have been closed on account of the disease.

PUBLIC SALES

Wednesday, Feb. 25, 10 a. m. on the farm of J. Oudman, 2 1/2 miles north of the Phenix Cheese Co., at Zeeland.

Thursday, Feb. 26, 9 a. m., on the farm of B. N. Bouwman, 1 mile west of Lubbers store and 1 mile south and 1 mile west of the church at East Saugatuck.

Thursday, March 4, at 10 a. m. on the farm of Levi Fellows, recently rented by Homme Vanden Berg, 1/2 mile west and 1/2 mile south of Banner creamery in Olive township.

PUBLIC AUCTION

Will be held on the farm of B. N. Bouwman one mile west of East Saugatuck store on Thursday, Feb. 26.

Sale starts 9 a. m. The stock to be auctioned off comprises the following: 3 horses, 5 cows, three of which were fresh since the middle of January, 2 calves, 1 fat hog, 30 brown leghorn chickens, 1 McCormick binder, 1 deerling mower, 1 Keystone side delivery rake, 1 Keystone Hay-loader, 1 hay rake, 1 manure spreader, 1 Thomas Grain and Fert. Drill, 2 large wagons, 1 wagon box with spring seat, 2 beet racks, 2 top Buggies, 1 practically new, 1 buggy with out top, 1 iron roller, 2 plows, 2 riding cultivators, 3 hand cultivators, 1 springtooth drag, 1 60-spike tooth drag, 1 drag with pole and shafts, 1 iron wheel wagon, 2 hay racks, 1 disc harrow, 1 scraper, 1 power feed cutter, 1 power feed grinder, 2 large sleighs, 1 corn sheller, 1 large scale, 1 harpoon with 110 ft. of new rope, 1 road cart, 1 De Laval Cream Separator of large capacity, 2 sets of heavy harness, 1 set light harness, 1 corn marker, 3 ladders, 1 roll netting pickel crates, shovels, pitchforks, 2 cutters, 1 horse clipper and grinder, 1 covering for binder, 2 wagon springs, 2 stepladders, 2 crowbars, 30 grain bags, horse blankets and robe, 1 spraying pump, 1 grindstone, 1 beet lifter, 500 bu. oats, 250 bu. corn, 8 tons hay, 10 bu. Potatoes, 1 lot of lumber, 1 oil stove with oven, 1 large wood stove, 2 churns, 3 milk cans, some straw, house furniture, chairs, etc., and many other articles which will be offered for sale. We also have 30 cords of dry stove wood and 40 cords green wood.

Credit will be given till Oct. 1, 1920, on all amounts of \$10 or more on good negotiable notes. On sums of \$10 or less, cash; 4 per cent discount on all amounts above \$10 if paid on time, otherwise 6 per cent dating from day of sale. At noon a lunch will be served.

H. Lugers, Auctioneer.

RETURNS FROM CONFERENCE AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mrs. James Wayer returned from Washington, D. C. Friday afternoon where she attended the National Conference of Church Women held there from Feb. 7 to 9. Mrs. Wayer was the representative of Woman's Board of Foreign Missions of the Reformed church.

The conference was national in scope. On the committee arrangements were Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Mrs. Josephine Daniels and Mrs. R. Lansing. Mrs. Daniels gave the address of welcome and Mrs. Lansing also spoke briefly.

The conference was a representative gathering of 280 delegates, representing churches of 31 different denominations, and forty mission boards. In the personnel of the conference were the leaders in church work from all parts of the country. One of the noted workers present was Miss Julia Lathrop, of the National Bureau of Child Welfare, who gave an address.

The object of the conference was to explain to the churches of the country the plans and purposes of the Interchurch World Movement. The delegates who attended the conference have gone home and will help to bring the message to the home people through state and county conferences. The state conferences will be held during six weeks after the national gathering. All the pastors of the state will be invited. In Michigan this conference will be held from Feb. 23 to 27 in Lansing.

Following that there will be county conferences of church workers. The dates for these have not yet been decided upon.

O. C. Schaap of Zeeland has left for the west where he will purchase two carloads of horses. These horses will arrive in about two weeks and will be on sale at the farm of Arie Schaap, a short distance east of the city.

Preparations are being made for fitting out the U. S. Dredging steamer General Meade at this harbor, where she is now in winter quarters. The Meade may start work in about two weeks on a project at Frankfort. —Grand Haven Tribune.

WANTED—Competent maid for general house work. Must be good cook. Good wages; laundry outside. Jim De Pree, 97 West 14th street, Citizens Phone 2287. 1mo. 49-10

(Expires March 27)
STATE OF MICHIGAN—Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa—In Chancery.
Wilma Reynolds,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Vern Reynolds,
Defendant.

In the above entitled case it having been made to appear by affidavit now on file in this case that the said defendant, Vern Reynolds, is not a resident of the State of Michigan.

On motion of Fred T. Miles, attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendant shall enter his appearance in this cause within three months from the date of this order; and that within twenty days the plaintiff shall cause this order to be published in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said city of Holland in said county; and that said publication shall continue once each week for six weeks in succession.

Dated February 11th 1920.
ORIE S. CROSS,
Circuit Judge.
Fred T. Miles
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Business Address, Holland, Mich.

FOR SALE—Pigs 12 weeks old and older. Call 1728 or see Hub Har-

Attention FARMERS!

The Holland Co-operative Association is now open for business. Members are requested to list all the farm products they have for sale and also the supplies they will need this spring.

We can handle everything you have to sell.

Those who are not members should join at once; this can be done at the Co-operative Warehouse or at the First State Bank.

Membership fee \$10.00. A few tons of coal or feed will more than save the fees.

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120 acre farm located 5 1/2 miles south from Holland, Mich. 3 miles from school, on good roads, good 10 roomed house large barn of 60x70 in good condition, good soil, 15 acre meadow, 12 acres wheat, fine pasture land. Owner will consider trade for city property or small farm near city. Reasonable terms. Very low price.

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MANY HOLLAND FOLKS TO JOIN SHRINERS

The largest class that ever has been given the Shrine degree in Grand Rapids will be initiated into De Witt Clinton Consistory at Masonic Temple Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Several Holland, Ottawa and Allegan county men are found in the large list of those who will ride the goat for the next few days at the Furniture City.

Among them are the following: Ex-Mayor Henry Brusse, Frank W. Hadden, Austin Harrington, Cornelius Stroop and Frank Helmers of Holland. Herbert Henry Hollman and Charles Henry Shannon, Grand Haven; Frank L. Chamberlain and Orin Edison, Hudsonville, and Joseph Kenneth Martin of East Saugatuck.

Arend Siersma of the Corner hardware attended the Hardware Mens' convention at Grand Rapids Thursday.



Thomas A. Edison

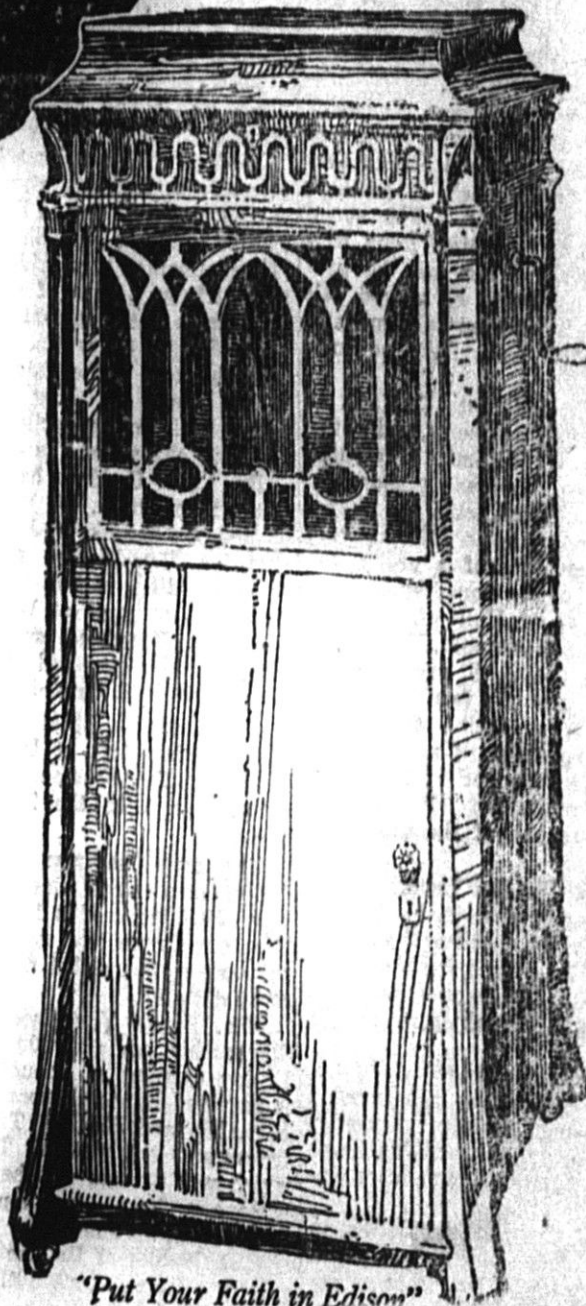
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Yes, we will deliver the New Edison, the product of the world's greatest inventor's genius, the phonograph with the genuine diamond point reproducer, and your choice of the latest diamond disc records, and all that you have to pay for is the records. Nothing to pay on the instrument for 30 days. Then start the easiest kind of monthly terms. No offer that was ever made was more liberal than this. Find out about it at once.

Come In—Select Your Outfit NOW

Come in and hear the New Edison and bring your family with you. Hear your favorite old songs, the latest song hits of the big cities, the delightful dance music that makes it hard for the young folks to sit still, the solos, the quartettes, the crashing brass bands, and the old melodies that you love so well. Then decide for yourself whether you can get along without the New Edison when you can have it so easily on this great offer. Come in at once.



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I have three houses for rent or for sale in the west end of the city, ranging in price from \$900 to \$1400. Inquire

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Make Your Home a Real Home

A real home is more than a house with a yard or farm around it. A real home is a place where the happy united family gather together for mutual enjoyment and recreation.

And the New Edison makes this possible, for it stands supreme as the greatest home entertainer. It will mean more than entertainment and merriment, more than an hour of amusement, yes, it will mean genuine pleasure of the lasting sort—helpful entertainment and culture of the most beneficial kind. It will mean the family united—a new home.

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LOCALS

Rev. Anthony Karreman, formerly
of Holland, now a pastor of a church
in Muskegon, is in receipt of a call
from a Reformed church in Kalama-
zoo.

The work for D. B. K. Van Raalte
Jr's residence has been let to Grand
Rapids Marble & Fireplace Co.

Herman Kiekintveld, for the past
three years employed at the Sentinel
office, has resigned his position be-
cause of ill health.

The debate between the Detroit
Law school and Hope college will be
held Friday night. One team from
Hope will go to Detroit, while another
from Detroit will journey to Hol-
land to debate a Hope team in Wi-
nans chapel.

Rev. J. J. Althuis of Lafayette,
Indiana, son of Mr. and Mrs. Althuis
323 River avenue, this city, is much
in demand in the churches of the
Reformed denomination. Rev. Al-
thuis since his graduation from the
Western Theological Seminary a few
years ago has received several calls
and just at present he is considering
calls from three churches at the
same time. They are from Lansing,
Illinois, the Fourth Reformed of
Grand Rapids, and the Reformed
church of North Holland.

A delightful birthday party was
given Monday evening at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. N. Wassenaar, 35
East 15th Street in honor of the
birthday of Mr. Wassenaar. A very
pleasant evening was spent and
dainty refreshments were served.
Those present were: Rev. and Mrs.
C. P. Dame, Mr. and Mrs. George Al-
bers, Mr. and Mrs. George Schuur-
man, Mr. and Mrs. John Hamelink,
Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Van Dyke, Mr.
and Mrs. Peter Schoon, Mr. and Mrs.
Samuel Pas, Mr. and Mrs. N. J.
Jonker.

Hamilton "flies from the measles
to the flu". The epidemic of meas-
les seems to be subsiding but the flu
continues to rage. No public meet-
ings of any kind have been held for
the past two weeks.

Herman Poppema, aged 19, son of
Utte Poppema, died at his home at
214 East 17th street as a result of
pneumonia. He is survived by his
father and brothers and sisters. The
funeral was held at 2 o'clock from
the home Thursday. Rev. B. J. Ein-
ink officiating. The funeral was
private and interment took place
in the Holland cemetery.

Mrs. John H. Thompson, aged 25,
died at her home at 228 River Av.
of pneumonia. The deceased is sur-
vived by her husband and small
son. The funeral which was pri-
vate was held Wednesday at two
o'clock from the home, Miss Nellie
Churchford officiating.

The Junior Christian Endeavor
Society of the Third Reformed
church will hold a social Friday eve-
ning from 7 to 9 o'clock. A pot-luck
supper will be served. The social
will be in honor of Miss Reka Rik-
sen. A good program will be pro-
vided and games will be played. All
members are requested to come and
bring something for the pot-luck
supper.

J. F. McFarland, state Y. M. C. A.
secretary for high schools and coun-
ty secretary, H. W. Smith were high
school visitors Wednesday morning.
Mr. McFarland conducted the chapel
exercises and gave a stirring talk
at a later meeting of a group of
high school boys in conference.

Dewey Rial of Holland, who is
stationed at San Antonio, Texas, and
has been in the U. S. service since
August was one of two men who
passed the examination taken in
wireless telephones. Six hundred
men who are stationed at this camp
took the examination but the Hol-
land man was one of the successful
ones.

Miss Alice Vanden Brink, living
near Waukazoo, sustained a deep
cut in her forehead when she crank-
ed the gasoline engine for the wash-
ing machine. The engine backfired
and the crank struck her in the
head.

The Holleman-Weweerd Auto Co.
of Zeeland entertained the farmers
of Zeeland and vicinity Tuesday
—in the morning an exhibit was
given on tractors and other farm ma-
chinery.

Mrs. H. J. Poppen was taken to
Ann Arbor where she underwent a
serious operation. Dr. Poppen ac-
companied her, and she expects to be
back in his office the latter part of
the week.

The Veteran's Basket ball team
defeated the Hope Reserves at Gr.
Haven Friday night, 38-10. The
Hope men were overwhelmed, only
securing one field goal during the
last half of the game. Elmer Lub-
bers starred for Hope.

Gerrard Swierings, aged 81, died
Wednesday at the home of his daugh-
ter, Mrs. F. B. Schroeder in Grand
Rapids. Funeral services were held
Saturday at 12 o'clock at the home
of his son, 345 W. 21st St.

The annual meeting of the Mac-
Sis-Bar Paper Co., was held at Ot-
sego and J. A. Vander Veen of Hol-
land and F. C. Hall of Grand Rapids
were re-elected directors. There are
many citizens interested in this pa-
per company.

Rev. H. Harmeling of Zeeland
was in Cleveland, O., the greater
part of last week being in charge of
the installation services of Rev. B.
Brinkman, who left for that city
from Pella, Iowa.

Cornelius De Fouw, aged 53, died
at North Holland. The funeral was
held Wednesday at 11 o'clock from
the home and at 12 o'clock from the
North Holland church.

Kenneth, the 19 months old son of
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Roberts, died at
his home at 23 West Sixth-st. of
pneumonia. The funeral was held
Tuesday, Father Wyckoff officiating.

Mrs. Edward De Pree of Zeeland,
who underwent a serious operation
at Holland hospital is recovering
slowly.

Chester J. Strong, former soldier
in the A. E. F. and his French bride,
who was wooed and won by corres-
pondence, expect soon to return to
America. At present they are in
France settling the estate of Mrs.
Strong's mother, who died recently.
On the way across they narrowly es-
caped shipwreck and later narrowly
missed death by a hair when an ex-
plosion killed scores of persons in
the French town where they were
living. Now they are willing to come
back to Holland.

E. B. Scott of the North Side re-
turned Saturday from Shawangunk,
N. Y., where he attended the burial
of the body of his nephew, Edward
Collier Scott, who died of pneumonia
February 1 in the Lakeside hospital
in Chicago. The deceased was thirty
years old. Shawangunk, N. Y. is the
place where the deceased's grand-
father, former president of Hope
College, served as pastor for 17
years. The grandfather, father and
son lie buried in the same cemetery.

According to the Grand Rapids
papers several new "Cads" have
been sold in Holland. The list gives
the names of Hon. G. J. Diekema, J.
E. Telling, G. F. Getz, and Nathan-
iel Robbins of Holland, and C. J.
Den Herder of Zeeland. Among the
Michigan list the Grand Rapids pa-
pers state that these men have pur-
chased the new 1920 "Model 57"
Cadillac automobile.

The Zeeland public schools have
been closed for the past week on ac-
count of the flu. The Grand Haven
schools closed Friday night until
further notice.

Mrs. Angeline Bush, aged 21, died
Saturday at 10 E. 7th street of pneu-
monia. The funeral was from the
home Tuesday morning. The de-
ceased is survived by her husband.

Cyrus Vander Luister of Zeeland
pressman at the Holland City News
is back on the job after three weeks
of illness.

The schools at Forest Grove have
been closed on account of the flu.

The Zeeland teachers have been
given a \$50 bonus. The salary sched-
ule will be raised next year.

R. Meier of West 11th St. under-
went his second operation Monday
morning. He is slowly recovering.

Ex-Mayor Henry Brusse is one of
those from Holland whom the goat
is waiting for at Grand Rapids. Hen-
ry also wants to be a Shriner.

Geert Looman was injured Tuesday
while lifting a case of glass from a
box car to the platform at the Don-
nelley-Kelley Glass Co. Two ribs
were broken. The man was taken
to his home on East 17th street
where he is resting easily. Dr. Nich-
ols is in charge of the case.

Dr. B. B. Godfrey has received a
letter from Dr. J. W. Beardslee, sr.,
of New Brunswick, N. J., announcing
that Dr. Beardslee's sister, Mrs.
Wheeler, died at the age of eighty
years at her home at Western, Neb.
Both Dr. Beardslee, sr. and Dr.
Beardslee jr. attended the funeral
which was held Saturday.

Miss Anna J. Staal, stenographer
with the law firm of Diekema, Kol-
len & Ten Cate, has accepted a simi-
lar position with the Zeeland State
bank.

The carp fishermen caught five
ton of carp out of Black lake Thurs-
day. Just think of it 10,000 pounds.
Who can figure how many game fish
this army of cannibal fish would de-
stroy daily?

Mrs. Frank Van Dyke, aged 32,
died at her home at 108 E. 20th-st.,
Friday evening of pneumonia. She
is survived by her husband, her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Timmer, five
sisters and one brother. The funeral
which was private was held Monday
afternoon from the home. Rev.
James Ghysels officiating.

J. B. Mulder of De Grondwet very
quietly celebrated his 50th anniver-
sary Sunday.

Mrs. Ida M. Brown, aged 55, died
at her home in Saugatuck. The fun-
eral was held Saturday afternoon.
Mrs. Brown was a sister of Mrs. A.
D. Goodrich of this city.

PERSONALS

Raymond Visscher, J. B. Mulder,
Al De Weerd and Austin Harrington
were in Grand Rapids on business
Tuesday.

Mrs. Walter Monroe of this city is
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.
Kline of Hamilton.

Isaac Kouw of the Isaac Kouw &
Co. left Monday for Denver, Colo.,
on a week's business trip.

Mrs. M. Post, 72 E. 7th St. left
for South Dakota where she will vi-
sit her daughter, Mrs. J. Grond for
about two months.

Cornelius Wabeke of Zeeland, 69,
died of influenza. He leaves three
sons, John, Marinus and Edward.

Austin Harrington and son Harry
Harrington, became Shriners Wed-
nesday.

Wednesday was the first day of
Lent.

Frank Hadden is in Grand Rapids
and it is said he is doing some goat
riding at the Consistory Meeting.

Cornelius Stroop was in Gr. Rap-
ids Wednesday becoming a Shriner.
Henry Van Ark of the Van Ark
Furniture Co. left Tuesday night for
Detroit where he will attend a furni-
ture men's convention.

Henry Venhuizen of the Ven-
huizen Auto Co. has left for Detroit
to attend a convention of the Dodge
Brothers Motor Co. there.

At a meeting of the board of edu-
cation of Allegan, all teachers re-
ceived a bonus of \$100 for the year.
This was done to combat the H. C. L.

Rev. James Wayer was called to
Milwaukee on account of the death
of his brother-in-law.

A. M. N. Barnum of the City Gar-
age, was in Grand Rapids on busi-
ness Friday.

C. M. McLean of the Holland Sug-
ar Co. was in Grand Rapids on busi-
ness Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Van
Meeteran, 40 E. 19th st.—twins, a
boy and girl.

Mr. Geerrod Swierenga, aged 81,
died in Grand Rapids. The funeral
was held Saturday at 12 o'clock from
the home on Harrison avenue.

Henry Venhuizen of the Venhui-
zen Auto Co. is in Detroit on busi-
ness in connection with the Dodge
Bros. car.

Mrs. Jake Hoekert, who has been
confined to the home of her mother
with illness is able to be out.

THEATER PROJECT
COMING ALONE FINE
IS THE REPORT

Thos. N. Robinson presented to
the Victory Club Monday a report as
to what progress had been made in
buying the Knickerbocker theater.
He stated that \$10,000 had been
subscribed for the operating com-
pany and altho the committee had
not yet solicited stock for the build-
ing company, nearly 50 volunteer
subscriptions had been taken in.
When the amount is all subscribed,
of which there is no doubt, Holland
will be in the Mc Elroy-Fitzpatrick
circuit embracing 36 theaters.

These new managers will be able
to get the best plays and the latest
pictures obtainable. One of the
theaters is located in Benton Har-
bor and to show how soon the latest
photoplays are being shown in this
string of theaters is evident when
Benton Harbor a month ago showed
"The Miracle Man" which is the
talk of the photo world, and next
week the same film only comes to
Grand Rapids.

Had the theater deal been com-
pleted in Holland before this "The
Miracle Man" too, would have been
shown here before it went to the
Furniture City.

It only goes to show what class of
attractions the new Knickerbocker
is going to have when everything is
in running order.

These 36 theaters are in cities
that demand nothing but the best
and what comes to these 36 will also
come to the 37th one, when Holland
joins the circuit.

It is contemplated to spend \$4,000
in redecorating, recarpeting, and
making over the heating plant or
putting in a new one if it is found
necessary.

The intentions are to make the
play house one of the coziest in the
state. The last word in equip-
ment will also be installed
and the latest thing in road shows
and vaudeville will intersperse the
pictures, and Holland will be a real
theater town if the deal finally goes
through, of which there is little
doubt.

PREPARE PLANS FOR A
GARAGE AND RESIDENCE

Architect Pierre Lindhout of Gr.
Rapids is preparing plans for a gar-
age for Holleman & Dewerd, Zeel-
land. It will be 61x160 feet, two
stories, truss roof, brick, steel and
concrete construction.

The same firm is tripping the floor
space of their garage at Byron Cen-
ter.

NEAR EAST RELIEF
WORKERS TO MEET

At a meeting of the canvassing
committee for the Near East Relief
Drive Monday, teams were appoint-
ed to make the house to house can-
vass next week. These teams will
hold a meeting in the city hall at
7:30 Tuesday night for the purpose
of receiving instructions and map-
ping out the campaign. All the
members of the committees are ask-
ed to be present promptly at 7:30.
Following are the teams appointed:
First Ward—Jacob Lokker, Bert
Slagh, John Arendshorst, W. O. Van
Eyck.

Second Ward—A. Smeenge, Niel
Sandy, George Moomy.

Third Ward—W. H. Orr, E. P.
Stephan, E. P. Davis, W. J. Olive.

Fourth Ward—John Cappon, Ben
Brower, Dr. A. Leenhouts, John A.
Kelley.

Fifth Ward—Dick Boter, Andrew
Klomprens, H. De Fouw, H. Vander
Werf.

Sixth Ward—Benj. Wiersema, W.
Visser, T. Kuiper.

North Side—W. E. Van Dyke, L.
Kardux, Nick Hoffman.

Factory Committee—C. A. Bigge,



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Jr.

The committee making these ap-
pointments is composed of Wm. Van-
derven, Henry Luidens, J. J. Riem-
ersma and T. N. Robinson.

The general committee that init-
iated the movement and of which
John Vandersluijs is chairman is com-
posed of the following: John Van-
dersluijs, Henry Geerlings, Henry
Luidens, Henry Winter, O. P. Kram-
er, Rev. C. P. Dame, Rev. James
Wayer, J. J. Riemersma, Arnold
Mulder, Wm. Vanderven, T. N. Rob-
inson and Prof. J. B. Nykerk.

DISASTROUS FIRE VISITS HOLLAND SUNDAY

A disastrous fire visited Holland at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon when an alarm was turned in from box 42. Both companies quickly responded to the call and when they got there they discovered a well started blaze in the boiler room of Superior Ice

& Machine Co. on the Lake front, near the Graham & Morton Transportation company's docks.

The wind was blowing a veritable hurricane with a clean sweep from the northwest across Black lake, and by the time the firemen had the hose laid the flames had pretty well spread through that part of the building.

The fire boys did yeoman's work

in fighting this blaze. The weather was bitter cold and the clean sweep of the wind handicapped them in their work. The fire also turned out to be a regular smudge and the dense smoke together with the fumes of ammonia nearly overcame some of the firemen who were working at close range.

The first difficulty that the firemen met with was when they attached the hose to one hydrant and a volunteer standing near attempted to turn on the water, but turning the wrenches in the wrong direction broke the valve putting the hydrant out of commission. It only took a few minutes to connect up with another hydrant nearby and within a very short time two powerful streams were playing on the fire.

Part of the structure is pretty well gutted and many of the automobiles and trucks used in the transportation of ice were destroyed while the machinery in the machine rooms also sustained severe damages because of the flames.

Benj. Baldus, who does a welding business in the same building using an acetylene equipment lost the entire outfit in this fire Sunday. This is the second loss that he has sustained, his first equipment being destroyed in the Holland Aniline fire last fall, where the equipment had been moved temporarily for the reason that Mr. Baldus was doing an extensive job of welding for that company before it burned down.

During the blaze two acetylene gas tanks exploded, hurling pieces of iron and other debris through the roof but no one in the large crowd present was injured, the only injury that these might have sustained was from the inclement weather and sharp wind with the cold registering near the zero mark.

Just exactly how the fire started is not known, as there was no watchman present, guarding the building.

When the firemen arrived the boiler room was already a veritable furnace. Chas. Fairbanks is manager of the company, while B. Nabershuis is secretary-treasurer and is in charge of the ice department.

Although the plant is not totally destroyed, the ice making machinery practically intact, the plant will be rebuilt immediately.

This is the only firm in Holland at the present time that handles ice for commercial purposes, and without the plant this city would be in dire straits for ice next season. However if there be any doubt on the part of the company as to whether the plant could be completed in time, there is still a lake near-by with the finest kind of natural ice that this city has ever been able to harvest, and provisions should be made at once by the company to lay up an abundant supply for next summer. There can be no possible excuse for an ice famine this year, for the reason that there is an overabundance to be had, and all concerns who were not able to put up ice last year and had to be supplied from one concern, had to put in an extra supply this year.

We cannot refrain from giving the firemen due praise for the efficient fire fighting of Sunday. This has been one of the most difficult fires that the brave volunteers have been called upon to fight and as usual they handled the situation admirably.

Chairman of the Police and Fire Board, John Schouten, together with some of the other commissioners assisted by "Turk" Du Mez and his automobile saw to it that plenty of hot coffee and sandwiches were on hand during the three hours of fire fighting.

It was at first stated that one of the hydrants was frozen, but firemen denied this statement, but say that the valve was turned the wrong way and the broken valve has already been replaced with a new one.

Mr. Winstrom of the Board of Public Works states that the board prides itself on keeping its hydrants in workable shape during the coldest weather, and for several years no hydrant has ever been found frozen, thus hindering the work of the firemen.

LOSS IS LOWER THAN FIRST WAS ESTIMATED

LOSS TO B. J. BALDUS IS \$500;
SUPERIOR COMPANY IS
\$15,000.00

The plant of the Superior Ice & Machine Co., which was wrecked by fire Sunday will be ready to resume operations within a few weeks. Manager Fairbanks stated that plans for rebuilding had been completed. An inventory of the building showed that the fire had been confined to the machine shop and had caused but little damage to the ice plant. Manager Fairbanks placed the loss at \$12,000 to \$15,000. The damage sustained by the B. J. Baldus Co. on his welding outfit is only about \$500.

List of Teachers in Holland's Public Schools, and Their Salary Raise for 1920-21

Below will be found the exception that Mr. Fell the names of the teachers of our Superintendent's name does public schools, 1920-21 and the not appear. The Board retains raises received by them given Mr. Fell for another year by the Board of Education, and raised his salary from The list is complete with the \$3600 to \$4500.

Holland, Michigan, February 9, 1920.
The Board of Education met in regular session and was called to order by the President.
Members present: Trustees Leenhouts, Brouwer, Kollen, Miles, McLean, Winter and Geerlings.
Absent: Trustees Beuwkes and Mc-

Bride.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Committee on Teachers submitted two reports.
The Trustees, Miles and Kollen, recommended the engagement of the following teachers for the ensuing year:

LIST OF TEACHERS—1919-1920—FEB. 3, 1920.

Name of Teachers	No. of yrs. teaching experience	No. of yrs. taught in Holland	Present salary	Salary recommended	Increase
Kindergarten.					
Nina Resseguie—Alma C. Kgn. Tr.	3	1	\$ 800	1100	300
Georgianna Dickinson—W. S. N. Life	1	1	800	1100	300
Blanche Cathcart—G. R. Kgn. Tr.	17	13	1000	1400	400
Heleen Parsons—Alma C. Life	2	2	800	1050	250
Revelyn Keppel—W. S. N. Life	6	6	850	1200	350
First Grade.					
Gertrude Sprietsma—G. R. Kgn. Tr.	5	4	850	1150	300
Etta Mae Atwood—W. S. N. graded	7	4	850	1100	250
Anita Payne—W. S. N. city	1	1	800	1000	200
Harriet Steketee—G. R. Kgn. Tr.	8	6 1/2	850	1200	350
School Life	8	1	850	1200	350
E. Leona Sickels—Ferris Inst. Kgn.	8	1	850	1200	350
and Prim. Life	8	1	850	1200	350
Edwin Ewald—M. S. N. Life	2	1	800	1050	250
Nelly Vermeulen—M. S. N. Life	13	9	800	1200	400
Florence Dublink—W. S. N. Life	7	4	850	1150	300
Bernice Brooke—Alma C. Life	2	2	800	1100	300
Janet McLachlan—Co. Normal, 1921	2	1	800	1100	300
Second Grade.					
Ruth McClellan—M. S. N. Life	3	3	850	1150	300
Vida Parks—W. S. N. rural limited	8	3	850	1150	300
Viola Welch—W. S. N. Life	1	1	800	1100	300
Maurine Hamilton—C. S. N. Life	1	1	800	1100	300
Daisy Sibole—W. S. N. Life exten.	26	1	900	1200	300
Grace Hicks—C. S. N. Prim. Life	3 1/2	1	850	1100	250
Third Grade.					
School Life	4	1	850	1100	250
Bernice Smith—W. S. N. Life	3	2	825	1000	175
Etta Whitman—M. S. N. city 1919	19	4	850	1150	300
Ida Fonger—W. S. N. city	7	1	850	1000	150
Jornella Hellenberg—M. S. N. Life	5	4	850	1150	300
L. Lucile Vedder—C. S. N. Prim. Life	1	1	800	1100	300
Cornelia Vander Meer—Hope C.	2	1 1/2	850	1100	250
Ida Atwood—Hope C. state C. Life	2	1	800	1000	200
Hermine Irmann—Hope C. Life	2	1	850	1150	300
Mabel Blough	2 1/2	2 1/2	850	1100	250
Fifth Grade.					
Dorothy Hazen—W. S. N. grad., 1920	5	1	850	1150	300
Adah M. Dick—C. S. N. Life	1	1	800	1100	300
Hilda D. Johnson—W. S. N. Life	5	1	850	1200	350
Rosa Nelson—C. S. N. Life	5	1	850	1200	350
Anna Klooster—W. S. N. Life	6	1	850	1150	300
Sixth Grade.					
Clara McClellan—M. S. N. Life	15	8	1000	1350	350
Minnie Rousan—W. S. N. Lim. Life	10	7	975	1200	225
Louise Lundgren—W. S. N. Ex. Life	20	1	950	1200	250
Dora Strowenjan—Co. 2d Gr. 1922	19	1	850	1150	300
Rosa De Witt—W. S. N. graded	12	3	950	1250	300
Seventh and Eighth Grades.					
Minnie K. Smith—W. S. N. Life	25	8	1300	1600	300
Henrietta Poelakker—W. S. N. Life	25	8	1025	1400	375
Zora Barnaby—M. S. N. Life	7 1/2	5	950	1250	300
Geneva Van Putten—M. S. N. Life	7	7	950	1250	300
Anna Root—M. S. N. Life	10	7	950	1250	300
Nelle Pelgrim—Hope C. Life	4	4	900	1150	250
Mary Kronmeyer—W. S. N. Life	16	5	950	1200	250
Sena Koolker—Col. Prep. City	11	6	950	1200	250
Lella Reynolds—C. S. N. Life	4	2	900	1150	250
Lydia Reece—Alma C. Life	2 1/2	1 1/2	900	1150	250
Ida Stanton—M. S. N. Life	10	3	950	1200	250
Henrietta Zymer—County, 1921	30	8	850	1150	300
Luella Tedrow—W. S. N. Life	3	1	1050	1300	250
Grace Mills—DeKalb Normal, Life	9	2	1200	1600	400
Florence Corbin—M. S. N. Life	7	1	1050	1350	300
Myrtle Kaur—Mechan. Inst. Life	5 1/2	5	1050	1400	350
Erma Shattuck—M. A. C. Life	2	2	950	1250	300
Anna Dehn—W. S. N. Life	27	26	1050	1500	450
Mary Bliss—W. S. N. Life	2	2	1000	1350	350
Carl J. J. Horne—City	3	1	1600	1900	300
Mattie Dekker—M. S. N. Life	16	13	900	1250	350
Harold Sywassink—Hope, W. S. N.	1	1	1200	1500	300
High School.					
I. J. Remersma—Hope C. Life	5	3	2000	2500	500
Joely Davis—Albion C. State	4	2	1100	1450	350
Alfred Strine—U. of M. City	4	4	1500	1900	400
Lida Rogers—M. S. N. Life	20	7	1350	1700	350
Mabel Anthony—Albion C. City	15	9	1300	1650	350
Adriana Kohn—Hope C. Life	4	3	1000	1450	450
Maibelle Geiger—Kalamazoo C. Life	9	8	1200	1600	400
Annawave Coleman—Alma C. State	3 1/2	2 1/2	1000	1400	400
Frances Bosch—Hope C. Life	4	4	1000	1450	450
Jenette Mulder—Hope C. Life	4	4	1000	1450	450
Hanna G. Hoekje—Hope C. Life	6 1/2	2 1/2	1200	1600	400
Gertrude Wickes—U. of M. Life	18	6	1200	1600	400
Bertha La Fraugh—M. S. N. Cleary C. Life	4	4	1400	1700	300
McC. J. Ross—W. S. N. High School	5 1/2	1 1/2	1200	1400	200
Iva M. Davidson—M. S. N. Cleary C. Life	6	2	1000	1400	400
Enid M. Davis—W. S. N. High School	5	1	1000	1400	400
Additional teachers					
Total				\$28,325	

Trustee Geerlings recommended that the salaries of the grade teachers be advanced \$100.00 for the ensuing year; of the teachers in the High School \$150.00; of the teachers in the Junior High School \$100.00; of the Principal of the High School be fixed at \$2,500.00; the physical director \$1,800.00; manual training instructor \$1,400.00 and the instructor in the physics and chemistry department \$1,900.00.

Trustee McLean moved the adoption of the majority report. Carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Trustees McLean, Brouwer, Kollen, Miles, Winter and Leenhouts.
Nays: Trustee Geerlings.
Trustee Brouwer moved that the teachers recommended for the ensuing year be accepted or declined by March 15. Carried.

A committee from the Teachers' Association was present petitioning for an advance of \$10.00 per month for the remainder of the year.

The Committee on Ways and Means submitted the following budget:

HOLLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS.	
Administration.	
Board of Education and Superintendent—	
Clerk's salary (business, educational)	\$ 1,000.00
Census and auditing	330.00
Attendance officer	650.00
Secretary of Board of Education, salary	175.00
Office supplies (business, educational)	250.00
Telephone and telegraph	375.00
Other Board of Education expenses	200.00
Superintendent's expenses	200.00
\$ 3,180.00	
Instruction.	
Teachers' salaries	\$81,485.00
Free Texts	230.00
Manual Training	600.00
Domestic Science	625.00
High School Principal's clerk-salary	500.00
Health—	
Nurse, salary	\$800.00
Supplies for nurse	100.00
School supplies	900.00
Piano rental	3,000.00
Printing	220.00
Library	200.00
Liability insurance	250.00
Other expenses for instruction	125.00
\$8,325.00	
Buildings and Grounds.	
Janitors—Salary	\$12,000.00
Water, light, power, janitor supplies	2,000.00
Fuel	6,000.00
Liability insurance	125.00
Other operating expenses	700.00
\$20,825.00	
Maintenance—	
Repair and upkeep, buildings and grounds, furniture and equipment	\$ 4,300.00
Insurance	4,500.00
Special assessments	300.00
\$9,100.00	
Bonds	\$17,500.00
Interest	\$5,500.00
\$23,000.00	
Emergency	1,500.00
Total \$146,000.00	

Trustee McLean moved that the report be adopted and the amount of \$146,000.00 be certified to the Common Council of the City of Holland to be spread upon the taxable property of said city for the year 1920-21. Carried.

Same committee recommended that the President and Secretary be authorized to issue a certificate of indebtedness in the amount of \$12,000.00.

Trustee Brouwer moved to adopt the recommendation. Carried.

The Committee on Claims and Accounts reported favorably upon the following bills:

Mills Paper Co., soap jelly \$32.21
Mills Paper Co., sw comp and paper 15.75
J. VerSchure, drygoods 13.20
G. Van Landegem, repairs 23.00
Yonker Pl. Co., repairs 42.24
Zoerman Hdw. Co., supplies 5.75
Board of Public Works, lamps 5.95
Holland Ice Co., 27.77
City Treasurer, light 29.69
De Free Hdw. Co., supplies 23.37
Zoerman Hdw. Co., supplies 4.50
G. Van Putten, supplies 26.39

T. Charles Co., supplies 46.88
Silver Burdette, text books 21.91
A. Flannagan, supplies 1.67
White's Market, Christmas trees 3.75
Western Union 75
Howe Pub. Soc., text book 1.10
DeVoe & Reynolds, enam gold paint 43
Waggonord Co., binding books 9.55
C. E. Merrill Co., text books 10.36
Hale Book Co., text books 12.82
A. N. Palmer Co., pens 36.58
J. Nies Sons, supplies 3.10
J. & H. De Jongh, supplies 7.50
J. VanderSluis, supplies 3.33
H. R. Brink, supplies 4.49
Fris Book Store, supplies 2.92
A. N. Palmer Co., supplies 11.65
Klaasen Pt. Co., supplies 104.75
Michiel Telephone Co. 3.70
Meyer Music House, supplies 3.50
M. Bontekoe, supplies 22.65
J. & H. De Jongh, supplies 1.39
Trustee Winter moved that the report be adopted and orders drawn for the several amounts. Carried, all members vot-

ing aye.
The Committee on Buildings and Grounds presented the following statement from Contractor Frank Dyke as to the value of the several school buildings for insurance purposes:
Holland, Mich., Feb. 9th, 1920.
Board of Education.
Holland, Mich.
Gentlemen:

I beg leave herewith to submit the following report as to the value of the present school buildings in the City of Holland. The pre-war figure is based as of June, 1914. The other figure is what the cost would be at this time, February, 1920.

I also wish to mention in this report that the school on Maple avenue is in very poor condition and would have to be depreciated in these figures very much. In fact its usefulness is about ended. But for insurance purposes I have given full value as now. I also wish to mention that Junior High School can also stand a liberal depreciation from these figures. I consider this the next poorest building. Central building with some minor improvements such as a new smoke stack and a few other changes in the heating system and repainting the roof to south entrance I consider in fairly good condition. The school on Columbia avenue can also stand quite a liberal depreciation from the figures I have given. The other school buildings I consider in fairly good condition.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK DYKE.

Holland, Mich., February 9th, 1920.

An appraisal of all the Public School buildings in Holland.

June, 1914; Feb., 1920

	Cost	Cost
Columbia Ave. School	\$25,000	\$62,500
Central Building	40,000	100,000
Junior High School	34,000	85,000
Maple Ave.	25,000	60,000
Van Raalte Ave.	35,000	87,500
Maple Grove	25,000	57,500
High School Building	100,000	250,000
Total	\$293,000	\$722,500

Trustee Geerlings moved that the tuition for non-residents for the ensuing year be as follows: High School, \$55.00, and Grades, \$40.00.

Trustee Kollen moved to adopt the report. Carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Trustees McLean, Brouwer, Kollen, Winter, Leenhouts and Geerlings.
Nays: Trustee Miles.

Trustee McLean moved that the salary of the Superintendent be advanced from \$3,500 to \$4,500. Carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Trustees McLean, Brouwer, Kollen, Winter, Miles, Leenhouts.
Nays: Trustee Geerlings.

The Secretary reported the receipt of \$14 from the Indoor Base Ball Association for use of gymnasium. Accepted and Treasurer charged with the amount.

Trustee Kollen moved that the teachers be paid in twelve monthly installments beginning September, 1920. Carried.

Board adjourned.

HENRY GEERLINGS, Sec'y.



BREAD!

Every slice contains a big measure of nourishment.

SUFFERING A HOUSE-FAMINE

The city of Zeeland is up against the housing problem, perhaps even more than Holland is, and steps are to be taken there to solve it. At an informal meeting of Zeeland business men, it was decided to ask a representative of the Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce to come to Zeeland to take up the question. The Zeeland Record describes the famine of homes in Zeeland as follows:

"Do we realize that among the problems of serious concern that are facing Zeeland at the present time is that of supplying the public with suitable homes to live in?"

"It is a matter of fact that people have from sheer necessity been obliged to buy homes to provide shelter for themselves and have forced the less fortunate renter to vacate and find other quarters. Cases of this kind have come to our attention and families have doubled up for want of a place to continue house-keeping."

"It is reported that not less than 26 houses have been bought and sold within the past few weeks from all of which the unhappy renters had to move in order to provide room for the new owners."

"And this is going on with more or less activity every day until the man without a home of his own hardly knows where he is at."

"And in addition to this we know of several families that are ready to come to Zeeland to make their home but are forced to stay away for fear of sleeping on a clothes line."

"Another thing. Zeeland has nothing to offer in the way of homes to any outside industries that may be and are even now considering this city as a possible location. A certain concern sent their representative here to look up a factory site. This concern employs 150 people but when he learned of the dearth of houses, Zeeland was passed as impossible."

"Shall we not wake up and supply the homes? Other towns are doing it. Zeeland can do it."

GETS PHOTOGRAPH OF ZEE- LAND BOY'S GRAVE

Miss Martha Karsten of Zeeland has received a photograph of the grave of Corp. Gilbert D. Karsten of Co. M. 126th Infantry, who was killed in action in the battle at Chateau Thierry on August 2, 1918. This photograph was sent by the American Red Cross. Information was also received from the war department that his remains had been disinterred from his former resting place and reburied in the American cemetery within the war zone at Seringes at Nesles, Aisne, France, Grave No. 253.

FORMER HOLLAND WOMAN DIES

Mrs. Charles Osborne, formerly Miss Minnie Markham of this city, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cassius Markham, died at her home in Grand Rapids at 1941 Jefferson avenue, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock of pneumonia. The deceased is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mae and Marion, two sons Earl and Charles, her father, four brothers and three sisters. The funeral was private. It was held at 10:30 Saturday and the body was taken to Holland for burial.

GRAND HAVEN HAS EIGHT MORE CASES OF "FLU"

Trunk line roads in Michigan are passable but rough, according to a report of the United States department of agriculture. The roads are full of ruts and are worn very deep in places it is said. The West Michigan pike is reported open from Grand Haven to Muskegon for automobiles. From Holland to Grand Haven the road is still closed. The remainder is snowbound. The Grand Rapids-Holland road is reported to be open.

OLIVE TOWNSHIP COUPLE TO CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kieskamp, (nee Meengs) are planning to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary on next Monday, Feb. 16th, at their home in Olive township. Mr. and Mrs. Kieskamp came to this country from Gelderland, Netherlands, in the year 1871 and lived at Grand Rapids until in the year 1876, when they settled on an 80-acre tract of woodland in Olive township. This land is now entirely cleared and cultivated and the aged couple are now enjoying life.

BILIOUSNESS

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Acid-Stomach

If people who are bilious are treated according to local symptoms they seldom get very much better. Whatever relief is obtained is usually temporary. Trace biliousness to its source and remove the cause and the chances are that the patient will remain strong and healthy.

Doctors say that more than 200 non-organic diseases can be traced to an Acid-Stomach. Biliousness is one of them. Indigestion, heartburn, belching, sour stomach, bloating and gas are other signs of acid-stomach. EATONIC, the marvelous modern stomach remedy, brings quick relief from these stomach miseries which lead to a long train of ailments that make life miserable if not corrected. EATONIC literally absorbs and carries away the excess acid. Makes the stomach strong, cool and comfortable. Helps digestion, improves the appetite and you then get full strength from your food. Thousands say that EATONIC is the most effective stomach remedy in the world. It is the help YOU need. Try it on our money-back-guaranteed guarantee. At all drug stores. Only 50c for a big box.

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CITY FATHERS WILL BANQUET ALBION ALDERMEN

The mayor and three commissioners from Albion were guests of the Holland Mayor and city fathers Friday evening. An informal banquet was tendered them in the G. rooms in the city hall and that they were royally entertained goes without saying. The Ladies Guild of Grace church had charge of the spread and were given a rising vote of thanks for the thoughtful and gracious way in which they handled the banquet.

Covers were laid for 30 guests and Mayor Bosch was toastmaster on this occasion.

At the head of the table sat Holland's chief executive, while to his right was Mayor E. Floyd Hoglin of Albion. Next in places of honor at the festive board were Commissioners H. H. Sheldon, F. E. Nowlin and A. L. Youngs. After a hearty repast the tables were cleared and smokes were passed all around and the decks were stripped for action and by the time the gathering had adjourned the advocates of municipal ownership had the Holland City Gas Works asphyxiated to a finish.

Mayor Bosch first called upon Mayor Hoglin for a talk stating that Holland officials were ready to give them any information on gas that was possible for them to give.

The mayor of Albion after thanking the Holland officials for their hospitality stated that he had nearly forgotten what they came here for while in the mazes of such courteous treatment from the Hollanders. He stated that Albion was getting its gas from the same company that Holland was and altho really no franchise existed the agreement in vogue was about to expire and while the present rate was \$1.20 per thousand feet the company had served notice on them that after the agreement had expired that the American Public Utilities Co. expected to receive in the future \$1.50 per thousand feet of gas. The Albion official wanted to know whether it would be advisable to give the company a new franchise, whether to bring the matter to the State Commission, or such information as would tend to clear up their gas situation.

Because Holland had had such a varied experience in gas matters they came to this city to receive pointers and such guiding information as will be beneficial in their case.

Commissioners Sheldon, Nowlin, and Young of Albion spoke along the same lines and while Albion's situation is somewhat different from ours the establishing of a future rate is facing them also.

After the Albion officials had made their trouble known Mayor Bosch arose and went into Holland's gas troubles from A to Z.

Said the mayor: "You ask us for information on the gas situation, the things we did and the things we did not do that we should have done. I simply wish to hark back to 1911 when a great gas fight was fought and when the proposed proposition for municipal gas was lost. I want to say further that since that time we have been fighting the Gas Co. constantly and although we won in every suit and spent much money in fighting we still lost and we got no further. The whole matter became a legal tangle from which, although victorious, we still could not extricate ourselves and were losers."

"One technicality in law would follow another and I decided then and there that as long as I was mayor I would never sanction the spending of another dollar in fighting law-suits and paying lawyers to fight the Holland Gas Co."

"I was in favor of a municipal plant in those days and had we gone into the gas business at that time we would have had our plant bought and paid for, that is my sincere belief."

"But now it is another question, we know that the putting in of a plant at the present time will entail a great deal of expense more so than if we had followed the plans in 1911. But even so I hold that we owe it to the Fifth and Sixth wards to give them gas the same as the rest of us have, even if we start on a small scale, and even if it would cost us more."

"There are other things that we must do, we must put this matter to a vote of the people after the voter has received a thorough campaign of education on the subject."

"We must not be like the ostrich, and stick our heads in the sand, but we must in the first place tell the people that we will give them gas at the same price that it is being furnished by the Gas Co. That possibly for the first three or four years there will be a deficit and the figures will be on the wrong side of the ledger. This deficit may have to be spread on the general taxes or carried along until the plant is made to pay."

"It is alright to cry municipal ownership and by petition get an expression but a petition amounts to nothing when a consumer's pocket-book is touched and a higher rate would induce them to flock back to the Gas Co. For that reason I would advocate that the rates be placed the same as are in vogue and charged by the Holland City Gas Co. then everything being equal the consumer would naturally stand by a city plant."

"The main question is to get back to the project, however I would soon vote for an alderman who is now in doubt as to the advisability of building a municipal plant at this time rather than to vote for those who are for it now but did all in their power to down it in 1911 when a plant could have been built for one-half the present figure and could have been paid for by this time with the earnings."

"I feel that we must build a plant at once of high value in order to keep faith with the 5th and 6th wards who are entitled to gas. I have found in my experience as mayor that franchises work only one way."

pany well and good but against them and there ing and the document paper it is written.

Alderman ward who h advocate of public utilities the mayor. Said the reason the Holland not wish to pipe the Fifth wards was because the called for a sliding scale after the maximum amount of gas had been used. If I remember right, after 50,000,000 feet had been consumed the rates in the entire city was to be lowered ten cents a foot. The company had nearly reached that stage when they were asked to pipe the Fifth ward at that time and added consumption would have brought the amount far over the maximum. It can be readily seen why they did not want to pipe the fifth ward; they would have to come to 90 cent gas instead of \$1 all over the city for the reason that more than maximum had been reached. Instead of furnishing the much needed gas in its own city the company pipes to Zeeland, and the park and furnishes our neighbors with gas while home people had to do without. Can you beat that?"

"Even now they are trying to overrule the findings of the state commission after a decision has been reached by them. I think there is nothing left but municipal gas. Our boost came when the war came, and coal went up, labor and materials all went sky high, and then the gas companies all over began to ask for a higher rate."

"But now take our own water and light plant for instance. We have more labor to pay than has the Gas Co. We have overhead wiring, subject to storms, while the gas company's pipes are in the ground. The coal we use to fire our boilers goes to ashes, and is of no value. The coal used by the gas company is turned into coke at \$10 a ton. Nearly double the price that they are paying for their coal. During this time we reduced our light rate from six cents to 5½¢ per k. w. and even on top of that we have purchased and installed a new turbine at a cost of nearly \$70,000, all paid for out of the earnings of the plant. I think that a carefully run gas plant in this city could eventually show the same results."

Space forbids giving a detailed discussion of all those who spoke. Ten Holland aldermen were present, all gave talks, Ben Wiersema and Peter Prins going into details at some length. Walter Lane, chairman of the Board of Public Works, William Winstrom, Simon Kleyn, A. Nauta, City Clerk Overweg and others, all were called upon to give their views on gas in general.

When the meeting adjourned there was a general reception and the guests were taken to their hotel and Saturday morning Walter Lane was motoring them about the city showing them Holland's industrial prosperity and taking them to points of interest that are visible at this time of the year.

Mayor Bosch opened the evening's festivities with prayer.

Alderman Kammeraad—"Are the people for municipal ownership in Albion?"

Mayor Hoglin—"There is no sentiment for it that I'm aware of. We have no municipal plants there."

Kammeraad—"Whom do you get your light from, and what do you pay for it?"

Mayor—"Our light is furnished by the Consumers Power Co., and we have to pay 10 cents a k. w."

Mayor Bosch—"I want to say that there are men living in this city who would destroy our municipal light and water plant, even in the face of the fact that it is paying, if they would dare to do it."

Commissioner Nollin—"You state that petitions are being circulated asking people to back your gas plant. My experience has been that you need more assurance than that. People have a way of doing just the opposite from the way the petition reads. They flock where the cheap price is. My advice would be to get rid of competition first."

Walter Lane—"Do I understand you right, Mr. Mayor? Is it your idea to have a municipal plant and sell gas at a loss in order to give the 5th and 6th wards gas, the loss to be made up by carrying it over a few years, until such a time as our own municipal gas plant will be able to pay for it?"

Mayor Bosch—"That is the way I look at the question now."

CHICAGO BUYER GETS SAUGATUCK FURS

Saul S. Rosenfield, buyer for J. Miner & Co., the Chicago fur manufacturers known as "the mink house," was in Saugatuck in the interests of his house. While there his fountain pen was busy filling out slips of paper calling for money at the bank, which he distributed with a liberal hand among the trappers there. Mr. Rosenfield worked for years in a printing office and it is there that he acquired that pleasing lilt as still in the ocean trade filling almost induces a mink or muskrat to come out in the open road and beg him to add his skin to his collection. —Saugatuck Commercial-Record.

JENISON PARK MAN HAS HISTORIC RELIC

Rev. J. S. Hughes of Jenison Park has an interesting memento of the days immediately following the civil war. It is a letter dated April 11, 1865, written to him by a brother, William H. Hughes, who was then usher and messenger at the White House and bodyguard to President Lincoln. He was off duty when the president was assassinated, but tell the story of the tragedy and voice the feelings of those who were closest to the martyred emancipator.

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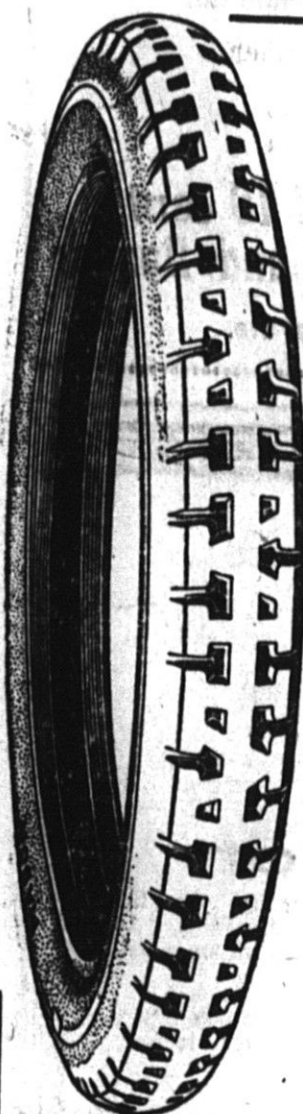
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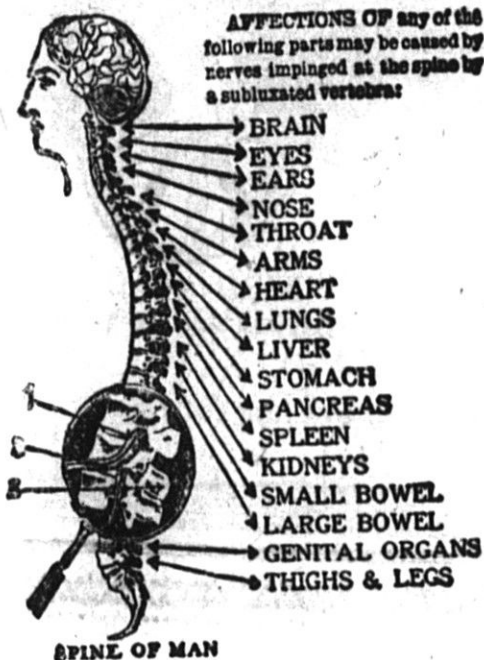
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WANTS "DIL TO BE GOVERNOR"

The Benton Harbor News-Palladium on Monday carried an editorial with the suggestion that Hon. G. J. Diekema of this city be the standard bearer of the Republican in Michigan. The News-Palladium made the suggestion in the following editorial, under the caption: "How About Diekema?"

"Somebody in northern Michigan rises to remark that Michigan is suffering from a dearth of candidates for governor, particularly first class candidates. It is suggested that a good man either be brought out or that some man big enough for the job volunteer for the place.

"Governor Sleeper is quoted as saying he will not run. Denby of Detroit is not a candidate. Milo Campbell of Coldwater, is the only avowed candidate at the present time. Others will probably be in the line-up at the proper time.

"We don't want the governorship to go begging and we suggest that Western Michigan has at least one candidate who is big enough for the job. It is Gerrit J. Diekema, of Holland, one-time Michigan congressman, devout republican, capable, energetic, public-spirited, tried by a hard task (and not found wanting)—altogether a man who is big enough to hold down the statehouse job at Lansing with credit to himself and the state.

"Diekema was a candidate four years ago. He was beaten for the Republican nomination by Governor Sleeper. Doubtless he could be prevailed upon to become a candidate again altho he is not "hankering" for the job. The outstanding thing about the Holland man is that he is level-headed, knows Michigan from Superior to New Buffalo, is progressive and by training and experience is peculiarly fitted to be governor.

"If Michigan wants a big man for governor we submit Holland can supply the man."

COMPANY CLOSING

The Holland St. Louis Sugar has closed a most successful season and according to Manager C. M. M. Lean's statement the total tonnage of beets sliced at the company's three plants approximates 160,000 while the amount of sugar manufactured was approximately 36,000,000 pounds. Compared with last year's figures the tonnage in beets received this season was considerably larger and the output also was materially increased. Contracts with farmers are being made for next season and close to 75 per cent already have been negotiated.

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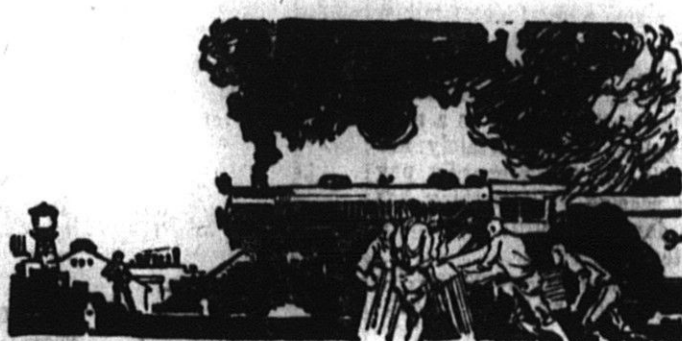
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Other transportation charges enter into the cost of the finished article—carrying the wool to the mills and the cloth to the tailors—but these other charges amount to but a few cents more.

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MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1916, executed by Johannes Grisen and Johanna H. Grissen, his wife and John Haringma and Jeanette Haringma, his wife, all of the Township of Robinson, Ottawa County, Michigan, to Andrew Van Hattuma of the Township of Zeeland, Ottawa County, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Ottawa County, Michigan, in Liber 102 of the Book of Mortgages on page No. 295 on the twenty-fifth day of February A. D. 1916 at 8:40 o'clock a. m. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of two thousand two hundred and twenty-four dollars and fifty cents (\$2224.50) principal and interest and the further sum of Thirty-five, (\$35) Dollars as an attorney fee as stipulated in said mortgage and provided for in the statute in such case made and provided, which is the whole amount claimed to be due in said mortgage and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative. Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed, at public auction at the highest bidder at the North front door of the Court House in the City of Grand Haven in said Ottawa County, Michigan, on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

The said premises are described in said mortgage as follows: All that certain piece and parcel of land in the township of Robinson, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, viz.: The Northwest quarter (N.W. ¼) of Section Thirty-six (36) and the Northeast quarter (N.E. ¼) of the Southeast quarter (S.E. ¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) all in Town 57-N (7)-North Range Fifteen (R. 15) West. ANDREW VAN HATTUMA, Mortgagee. Dated January 14th, 1920. Vischer & Robinson, Attorneys for Mortgagee. Business Address: Holland, Michigan. Expires Feb. 7, 1920

Expires Feb. 31—7500

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 2nd day of February A. D. 1920.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of HILBERT AND AGNES GRACE BOS Minors

Henrietta C. Cox having filed in said court her petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 1st day of March A. D. 1920

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

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

JAMES J. DANHOF, Judge of Probate.

Wilford F. Kieft Register of Probate

Expires March 13

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery.

Pearlie Woody, Plaintiff

vs. Pearl Woody, Defendant.

Suit pending in said court on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1920. It is ordered that the defendant appear in said cause on or before three months from the date hereof.

ORIE S. CROSS, Circuit Judge.

Parle L. Fouch, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Business Address, Attest a True Copy.

Allogan, Michigan. Orrie J. Shulter, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Herman Van Ark, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 11th of February A. D. 1920, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 11th day of June, A. D. 1920, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the 15th day of June, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated Feb. 11, A. D. 1920.

James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa—IN CHANCERY

Big Day Realty Company, Plaintiff.

vs. Augustus Hurlburt, Lucius Bolt

wood, John R. Kellogg, Class Bredweg, together with their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, Defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1919. In this cause it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, on affidavit of James Buys, plaintiff herein, that he has caused to be made inquiry as to the residence and whereabouts of the defendants in this cause among such persons as might be apt to know the same, and that he has been unable to obtain any information regarding them whatever, and that after making like search and inquiry it cannot be ascertained who the heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns of said defendants are, nor in what state or country the said defendants or their heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns reside, and that the said defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns are necessary parties to this suit.

On motion of M. Den Herder, plaintiff's attorney, it is ordered, that the appearance of the defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, be entered within three months after the date of this order, and in case of their appearance, that they answer to the Bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on plaintiff's attorney within fifteen days after such service on them of a copy of said bill of notice of this order, and in default thereof that said bill be taken as confessed by said non-resident defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns and it is further ordered that within fifteen days the plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, and the said order for said publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, at least fifteen days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

ORIE S. CROSS, Circuit Judge.

Countersigned Orrie J. Shulter County Clerk

Bill filed to quiet title to parts of lots three (3), four (4), and the SW quarter (SW ¼) of the SW quarter (SW ¼), (also known as lot five (5) in the South one-half (½) of Section twenty-seven (27), Town five (5) North, Range sixteen (16) West, and lying East of what is known as and formerly was the P. M. R'y Co's right-of-way, and also strip of land beginning at a point on the South line of said SW quarter (SW ¼) at the West line of said P. M. R'y Co's right of way, and running thence West on said Section line to what is known as the Ottawa Beach Road, so-called, running North and South between Sections twenty-seven (27) and twenty-eight (28), thence North two (2) rods, thence East parallel with said Section line to the West line of said P. M. R'y Co's right of way, thence southwesterly along said right of way to place of beginning. All in the township of Holland, Ottawa County, Michigan. M. DEN HERDER, Attorney for Plaintiff. 417-418 Ashton Bldg. Grand Rapids, Mich.

Republican Caucus

A republican caucus of Park township will be held at the Townhouse in Waukazoo, Saturday, Feb. 21, 1920, at 2 p. m. to nominate candidates for various township offices and for such other business as may come before the meeting.

12-19 Republican Committee.

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Veal.....	18-22
Mutton.....	.22
Beef.....	.14
Butter, creamery.....	.62
Butter, dairy.....	.57
Chickens.....	.25

LOCALS

Allegan county paid \$380.96 for sparrow heads and \$141.90 for rat tails.

The Star of Bethlehem, O. E. S. No. 40, will give a Washington's birthday party Friday night to its members, members children and invited guests. The party will be held in its lodge rooms in the K. of P. Hall and at 6:30 a pot-luck supper will be served. After the supper games and other amusements will be put on for the younger folks and at 10 o'clock dancing will be enjoyed by all who care to participate. Good music and a good time is assured all who attend.

ZEELAND LOSES A MARK OF DISTINCTION

Zeeland has long claimed to be the only city in the United States without a movie theater. But the Ottawa county city can no longer lay claim to this distinction. The following appeared in the "Questions and Answers" department of the Grand Rapids Press a day or two ago:

Q.—Is there any town in the U. S. which has no motion picture theater?

A. Harrison, N. J., has none. The town council passed an ordinance placing the cost of a motion picture license at \$10,000, thus making it prohibitive for a movie theater to open there. The mayor of the town introduced the ordinance and admitted that the purpose was to prevent motion pictures from being shown there.

TELLS RELIEF NEED IN THE NEAR EAST

WIFE OF FAMOUS MISSIONARY GIVES FACTS ABOUT CONDITIONS THERE

Children Are Starving By The Thousands and Live Like Wild Animals in Caves

Chairman John Vandersluis of the Near East Relief Committee of Southern Ottawa County asked Mrs. S. M. Zwemer for facts and figures in regard to the need of relief in the Near Eastern countries. Dr. and Mrs. Zwemer are authorities on this subject and they know the need existing there as perhaps no one else in Michigan knows them.

Here are just a few of the facts brought out by Mrs. Zwemer to show the people of Holland that the money they contribute to the cause next week Wednesday is sorely needed to avert actual starvation in Armenia, Syria and other Near East countries.

There are at least 250,000 orphan children that must be cared for from the funds that are contributed in such drives as will be held in Holland next week. There are thousands of children who do not know their own names. They were separated from their families when mere babes. Scores of thousands of children are found wandering about in an almost savage state, living in the caves and in the woods, with nothing to eat except grass and carrion. Many of these live like wild animals, and the Near East Relief organization is trying to reunite them with their families and to bring them back to their proper homes where they can be self-supporting.

From 50,000 to 100,000 Armenian women and girls are being held in captive in Moslem harems in Syria, Turkey and Mesopotamia. Many of these have been branded like cattle. One of the functions of the Near East committee is to help free these unfortunate victims.

Thousands of people eat bread made of straw and seeds and that is all the nourishment they get. More than 100,000 so far have died of starvation. One investigator reported that he had walked over acres of bleached human bones and that he had looked into one cave into which 2,500 Armenian bodies had been thrown.

There are but a few outstanding items that will give an idea of what the need is in the Near East. It is to relieve this need that the drive will be staged in Holland and southern Ottawa next week.

HOPE WILL CLASH WITH THE LAW SCHOOL

IMPORTANT DEBATES SCHEDULED HERE AND IN DETROIT FRIDAY NIGHT

Teams Will Discuss Government Ownership of the Coal Mines

Friday night one of the most important debates of the year will be held between Hope College and Detroit Law School, the subject for discussion being: "Resolves that the Federal Government Should Own and Operate the Coal Mines".

An affirmative team composed of Judson Staplekamp, captain; Winfield Burggraaf and John Henry Meenga, will journey to Detroit to uphold the honor of Hope in the Michigan metropolis.

Mr. Burggraaf, an orator of ability, will substitute in the place of Mr. Harry Hager, who has been confined to his room on account of illness. The absence of Mr. Hager will cripple the Hope team. Mr. Burggraaf altho a debater of note, has only had three days in which to prepare his argument.

The negative, composed of Theodore Yntema, captain, Dick Blocker and Jud Osterhof will wage a contest against an affirmative team from the Detroit school.

This debate is important, and to receive recognition from the Detroit Law School is a feather in the local school's cap. The Law School is known to be strong in debate, but they recognize Hope's prestige and past record in that department.

Men of repute are to be judges, of such caliber as Mr. Hollister, of the Department of Education at the University of Michigan; Franz Kuhn of Detroit; Mr. Jewell of Grand Rapids and others of renown.

The Hope team will leave for Detroit Friday morning.

GRAND HAVEN TO VOTE ON CHARTER CHANGES

Grand Haven, Feb. 19.—Five amendments to be voted upon at the spring primary election call for the placing of the appointment of city officers in the hands of the council instead of the mayor; appointment of a city clerk by the council instead of by the vote of the people; removing the salary limit from the offices of city manager, clerk, treasurer, city attorney and city assessor, and giving the council power to fix salaries of the officers; raising the minimum of taxes that can be levied from eight-tenths of 1 per cent on assessed valuation to provide about \$10,000 additional revenue; changing the date of meeting of the board of review.

FULL LIST OF NEAR EAST WORKERS NAMED

At a meeting of the factory committee in the Near East Relief Fund Drive held Wednesday morning the workers for the various factories were appointed. The factory committee is composed of the following: C. A. Bigge, chairman; H. G. Vanden Brink, J. Vanden Berg, Jr., John J. Cappon, and Andrew Klomprens. These named the following workers:

Limberts—Jacob Lokker and Geo. Schuurman.
Auto-Bow, Superior Foundry, The Home Furnace, Beach Milling Co.—Frank White and Bert Slagh.

P. M. Freight Depot, Crystal Creamery, Pumping Station, Holland Rusk Co., Tea Rusk, Van Eyck-Weurding, Holland Chemical—E. P. Davis and Clarence Lokker.

Thompson Mfg. Co., Model Laundry, Van Tongeren's Holland Gas Works—H. Van Tongeren, and B. D. Keppel.

De Free Chemical—T. N. Robinson and Dr. A. Leenhouts.

Holland Canning Co., Holland Engine Co.—Benj. Brower and Wm. Arendshorst.

Donnelly-Kelley Co., Standard Grocery, Scott-Lugers—John Kelley and Dick Boter.

Ottawa Furniture Co.—J. Arendshorst and A. A. Visscher.

Holland Furniture—E. P. Stephan and George Moomy.

West Michigan Furniture Co.—P. Ray and Otto Kramer.

Buss Machine Works, Hardie Ekblad—H. J. Luidens and Eldon Dick.

Had-Leen Co., Superior Cigar Co., City Hall—Able Smeenge and Theo Kuiper.

Postoffice—Neil Sandy.
Holland Shoe Co.—W. O. Van Eyck, Wm. Vissers, Ted Moore and A. L. Cappon.

Harrington Coal Co., Western Machine Tool Co.—W. H. Orr and Fred Beeuwkes.

Heinz Co., Holland Lumber and Supply, Bay View—Wm. Lawrence and Fred Bos.

Cappon Bertsch (south side)—W. J. Olive and Jerry Leapple.

Tel-Til-Tip, Holland Sugar, American Cabinet Co., Poole Bros.—Hyo Bos and Benj. Wiersema.

Holland Furnace—Paul Van der List, Ben Timmer and E. G. Landwehr.

Bush & Lane—Alex Van Zanten, Frank Congleton and H. De Fouw.

Bolhuis Lumber Co., Holland Ladder Co., Federal Stamping Co., Komforter Kotton Co., Holland Cement & Stone Co.—Alex Van Zanten and Frank Bolhuis.

Dunn Mfg. Co.—Harry Dunn.
North Side Tannery, Holland Milk Products Co., Holland Aniline Co.—W. E. Van Dyke, Nick Hoffman and Lane Kardux.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Duren returned Friday night from a month's stay in Florida.

"LACK OF TEACHERS MENACE TO NATION" SAYS HOEKJE

Prof. John C. Hoekje had as his second subject at the Victory Club "Education and Recruiting the Profession".

Mr. Hoekje spoke on this subject for 40 minutes and space forbids giving a detailed account of this voluminous subject.

Mr. Hoekje stated however that a great crisis was being faced by this country because of its inadequate teaching staff, because of the fact that the best teachers were leaving the profession and because a small number of students were going into the teaching profession.

"We think we are an educated nation," said Mr. Hoekje, "when in reality we are only a sixth grade nation. In Michigan alone there are 100,000 people who cannot speak English, while in Detroit alone this averages fifty-fifty."

During the recent war the records show that seventy per cent of our soldiers were sixth graders.

"There are 600,000 teachers in the United States. 300,000 of these are immature teachers, showing that half of our children are being taught by inexperienced instructors. Records show that one fourth of the teachers remain in the profession less than two years. One-half of the teachers, four years. You can imagine what that means to the profession."

"Within recent years 143,000 of the best teachers have dropped out of the profession."

"Lack of education means discontent, and if this condition continues, who knows what problems this country may have to face."

"I am pleased to note that the Holland Board of Education has taken the right stand. Just a few years ago a teachers' minimum salary was \$400. Now the minimum salary is \$1200. Holland is to be congratulated on the wise stand taken by the Board of Education of this city. I cannot speak in the same terms of the Reformed Church of America. The salary that the professors of Hope College and the Western Theological Seminary are worrying along under are a shame to the church. If the church was poor it would be a different proposition. But the church is rich, and there is no excuse why instructors at these religious institutions should not be adequately paid."

"There is also a shortage of ministers in the Reformed church. These also are educators. The reason for this is apparent. The men who stand by these institutions do so as a matter of loyalty. They certainly are not doing it for the niggardly pay that they receive. Something has got to be done to recruit and stimulate our teaching force."

"We must make teaching an inducement first by making the educator worthy of his or her hire. Second we should make social conditions better for our teachers, and third we should impress upon all instructors that the teaching of the youth and the moulding of character is one of the noblest works of God."

Ash Wednesday will be observed at Grace Church Wednesday with the following services: 7 a. m. Holy Communion; 10:30, Morning Prayer, Penitential Office, and Holy Communion; 3:45 P. M. Litany and Meditation.

ZEELAND MAN ARRESTED BY THE GOVERNMENT

A warrant charging Quirinus De Vries of Zeeland with fraudulent use of the mails has been issued by U. S. District Attorney Myron H. Walker. It is alleged that DeVries advertised "pure bred English strain white leghorn chickens" and furnished an inferior kind and breed.

It is alleged that this has been going on from July until September.

Andrew Dowd of the U. S. Marshall's force made the arrest upon evidence given by Postoffice Inspector MacGowan. He was arraigned before U. S. commissioner Arthur Van Duren of Holland, and his examination will take place next week Tuesday at 10 o'clock in the office of the local attorney.

If found guilty it may go severe with the chicken man as the law in similar cases carries with it a fine as high as \$10,000 and also imprisonment.

ONE OF A FAMILY OF PRINTERS RETIRES

Albert Kamferbeek, who began the printer's trade in the De Hollander newspaper office Dec. 15, 1868, and has worked at hand composition continuously for 51 years, has retired from active service from De Grondwet, local Dutch paper.

Mr. Kamferbeek was born in this city on Feb. 1, 1857, and has resided here since. He has been employed in nearly all of the offices in the city, and was employed by the De Hope Publishing company for a period of 25 years.

Mr. Kamferbeek has now reached the age of 63 year, and began at the type case before reaching the age of 12 years. He has two brothers, Benjamin and Fred, both following the printing trade. Benjamin started to "stick type" before reaching the age of 11 years and Fred before reaching the age of 10 years. These boys are all Holland residents.

MANY ATTEND SPORTING EVENT AT COMMUNITY CLUB

A well filled hall in the Sentinel building was the result of a sporting

program staged Monday evening.

Five boxing events were pulled off as follows: Marine Van Houten and Martin Wendt, four rounds with Wendt receiving the decision.

Len Bear and Owen Engler, four rounds with Engler getting the decision.

Tony Ross and Martin Siegers, four rounds, Siegers receiving the decision.

Bill Ross and Henry Bremer went four rounds to a draw.

An exhibition bout of six rounds between Virgil Misner and Frank R. Fabiano was a very exciting event, but no decision was given.

Earl Nivison and Frank Fabiano acted as referees. Judging from the audience at the first sporting event future events will be well attended.

THEME WAS "THE FOLLIES OF 1919"

The Century Club met Monday night at the home of Dr. and Mrs. B. J. DeVries, East Twelfth street. The feature of the evening was a witty paper by Dr. E. D. Dimment on the subject, "The Follies of 1919." Dr. Dimment indulged in numerous clever take-offs on events and figures of the year.

The music was in charge of Mrs. Wynand Wichers. A vocal solo was given by Miss Evelyn Keppel, a vocal solo by Miss Myrtle Beach; a trio by Miss Evelyn DeVries, Miss Evelyn Keppel and Miss Jeannette Mulder. All the numbers of the musical program were heartily encored.

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TWO MARRIAGES IN OT. TAWA COUNTY COURT HOUSE

A court house wedding was celebrated Monday morning when Judge J. J. Danhof officiated at the marriage of Harry Noggles and Hazel

Shaw, both of Holland. On Saturday Justice Charles N. Dickinson officiated at the marriage of Daniel Blackmer, Jr., and Mrs. Lydia Cornwell, both of Nunica. Mr. Dickerson's office is also in the court house.

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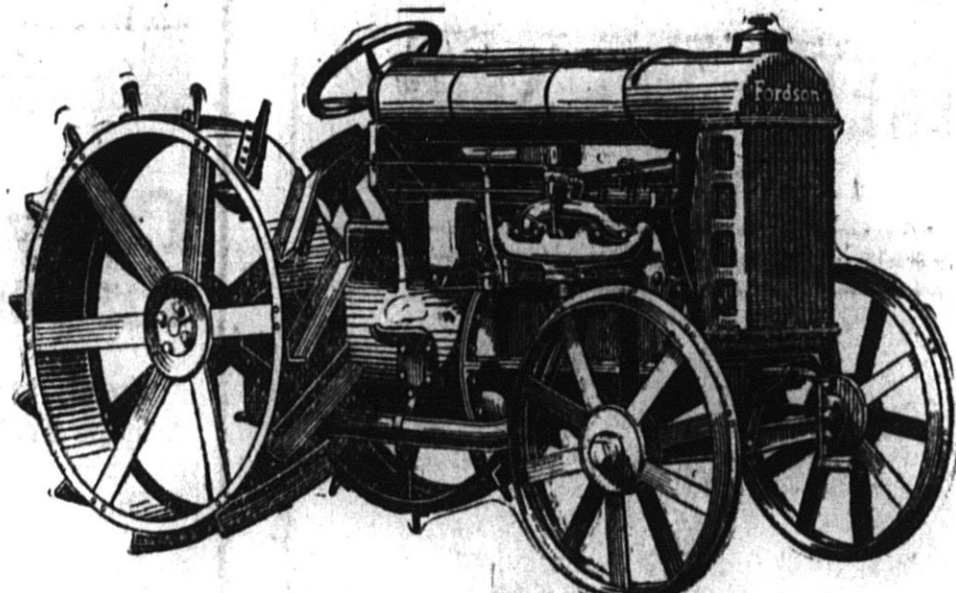
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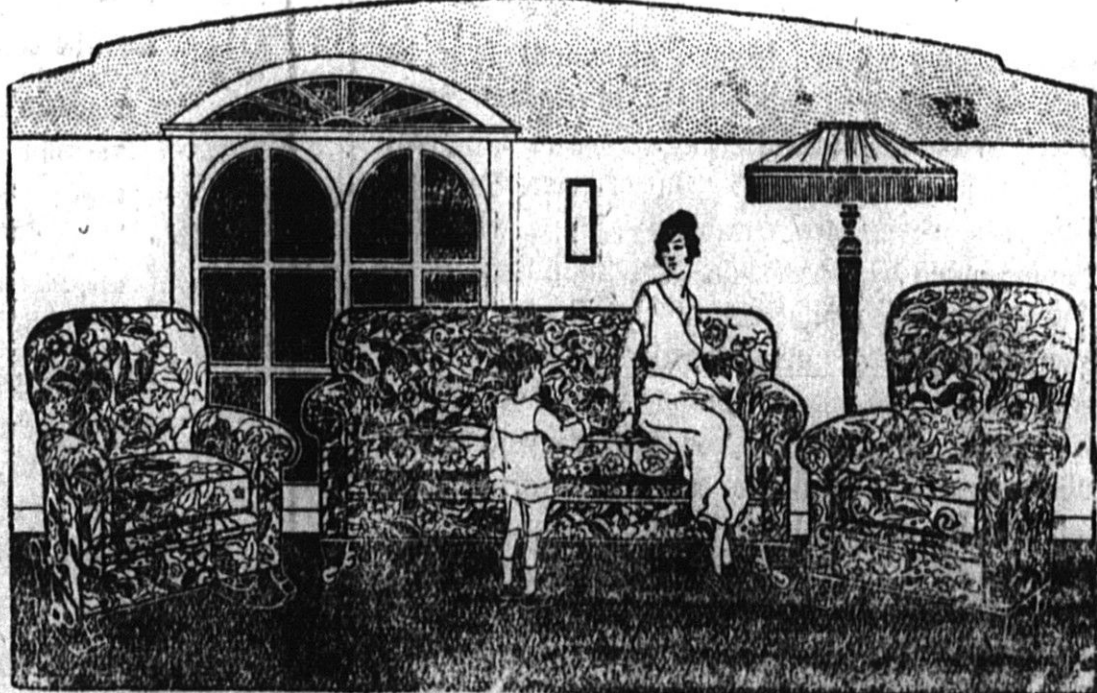
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