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Today Friday Will Be Big Day at Hope

SEVERAL HUNDRED FANS
WILL COME TO HOLLAND
TO BOOST THEIR
CANDIDATES

Six Women to Contest This Afternoon; Six Men Tonight

One of the greatest oratorical contests ever staged in Holland will take place this Friday afternoon and tonight when six young ladies from different parts of the state will contest for oratorical honors, and at night six young men from about Michigan will also compete.

It is predicted that the Hope Memorial chapel will be packed to the doors while these twelve contestants orate. Of course, the speaking program will be interspersed with wonderful music by college glee clubs, etc., and enthusiasm will run high when the different colleges demonstrate in behalf of their candidates.

Hope college authorities have made ample provision to entertain the guests who are to come here before and after the contests in the afternoon and evening. Holland and vicinity are naturally invited to come to this M. O. L. final

OLD ORDER OF TIME WINS BIG

In Monday's election it was plainly evident that the Holland people were not satisfied with Eastern Standard time in vogue the past year. A great deal has been said about the time question, pro and con, and it needs no explanation.

By a majority of 573 votes it was decided to have daylight savings time during the summer but for four months during the winter to return back to Central Standard time. This undoubtedly will please the mothers and the school children as well as Holland's rural trade radius where the clock has been kept on the old time.

A tabulation by wards indicates how the vote stood.

First	Yes	No
Second	294	262
Third	261	181
Fourth	316	246
Fifth	492	230
Sixth	303	206
Totals	1757	1184

The complete election report with tabulated tables of the entire vote will be found on the first page of section two.

ESCAPED SERIOUS HARM IN ACCIDENT—SMOKE OF TRAIN OBSCURES VISION

John W. Staal of South State St., Zeeland, narrowly escaped being seriously injured in an automobile crash Saturday afternoon. He was driving his car from Muskegon along U.S.-31 and was approaching West Olive when, in addition to the snowstorm, he was blinded by the smoke from a train passing on the Pere Marquette tracks. In the smoke he lost his direction and met head on with the car of a Detroit salesman. Since both had taken the precaution of slowing down in the smoke neither car was badly damaged and both men were practically uninjured.

OVERSEER PASTOR DECLINES GRAND RAPIDS CALL

Much to the delight of the entire congregation, Rev. Wm. Pyle of Overseer has declined the call of the Seventh Reformed Church at Grand Rapids. The pastor has labored hard and the Overseer people have appreciated it, and the only hope of the congregation was that the pastor would see his way clear to stay for some years longer. Rev. Pyle and family are much thought of in Overseer and vicinity. Several delegations from the Grand Rapids church called on the pastor, endeavoring to get him to come to their church.

ZEELAND DEBATORS WILL MEET SOUTH HIGH MARCH 18

Grand Rapids Herald—South high school debaters, who last week defeated Coldwater in a debate there, will take on Zeeland for their next opponent, Coach B. J. Bulke. The debate will be held at the state debating league headquarters, Zeeland will come here for the debate, which will probably be held Friday afternoon, March 18. The local school will uphold the affirmative of the league questions, which proposes compulsory unemployment insurance for Michigan.

Allegan County Also Burdened With Road Bonds

ALLEGAN COUNTY MEN HAVE
CONFERENCE WITH GOV.
BRUCKER

The burden of taxation which has been more keenly felt by the townships along Lake Michigan in Allegan county on account of the heavy bond issue necessary for the building of M-11, now known as US-1, was the direct cause of arranging a conference with Gov. Brucker, by Frank Mosier of Ganges, and John A. Scarlett of Saugatuck, in which the townships were ably represented by Senator Leland of Fennville, Rep. Fred Wanda of Saugatuck, the Allegan County Road Commission, Stewart Cable, Wm. Hamlin, L. Seymour and Lon Plummer, Ed Glenn, El Ganges, Chas. Parrish of Saugatuck, Floyd Barden, Emory Bodfish, Ed Lyman and Gordon Spencer of Casco.

The object of placing this matter before the governor at this opportune time was because of his calling a special session of the legislature for the purpose of creating some legislation to release the burden of the property tax, as well as to give some relief to the counties, overburdened by the wild orgy of building roads under the "Covert Act," and it was necessary as well as essential that the bonded Allegan townships should also be included in this call, to receive relief from their bonded indebtedness incurred in building a trunk line road.

The committee was given every consideration by Gov. Brucker, who assured them that he would do all in his power to have the state assume the remaining unpaid bonds, and would include this recommendation in his message to the legislature. It is understood that Sen. Geo. Leland of Fennville, chairman of the Senate Roads and Bridges committee, will see to it that this bill is so drafted in order to take care of the above unjust conditions.

The zoo at Lakewood farm, owned by George F. Getz, numbers twin lion cubs, the first cubs ever domesticated. Manager A. M. Petersen reports it unusual for wild animals in captivity to produce young, especially in this section of the country.

Miss Veenstra Tells of Horror Of Leper Camp

DESCRIBES FEELINGS WHEN
SHE HAD TO NURSE FIRST
LEPROUS CASE

Collect Substantial Sum at Tremendous Meeting of Federation of Women's Societies

Every available seat in Hope Memorial chapel was filled Wednesday afternoon when the Federation of Women's Societies of the churches of Holland and vicinity held their thirteenth annual praise service. Mrs. Cornelius J. Dregman, president of the federation, presided over the meeting ably and with tact, and after the organ prelude by Prof. Curtis Snow and the singing of the opening hymn by the audience she introduced Rev. Paul E. Hinkamp, Hope college pastor, who led in the devotions.

The Hope college chapel choir, under the direction of Prof. Curtis Snow, then sang "Holy Art Thou," by Handel, with Mr. Henry Friessma as soloist. Miss Ethel Leestma accompanied the choir on the piano and Miss Cornelia Stryker on the violin.

Mrs. Dregman read a letter from Dr. G. V. R. Gilmore, conveying to the federation the greetings of his mother, Mrs. Christine Van Raalte Gilmore, founder and for many years president of the organization. Mrs. Gilmore also sent her thanks for the beautiful basket of roses sent her by the federation as a token of love and esteem. Mrs. Dregman expressed her sincere regret because of the failing health of Mrs. Gilmore. She also stated that the federation keenly felt the loss of Miss Nellie Churchford, honorary vice president, who passed away recently, and asked the audience assembled to bow their heads for a moment in silent prayer in behalf of Mrs. Gilmore and for the carrying on of the work so nobly done by Miss Churchford before her passing.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and approved. The secretary reported that three church societies, viz. The Third Christian Reformed church society of Zeeland, the society of the Vriesland Reformed church, and also the Second Reformed church society of Jamestown had become members of the federation the past year. The treasurer reported that the sum of \$1,105 had been sent toward the support of the work among the lepers in Africa.

Mrs. Dregman then gave a brief history of the federation and the work accomplished thus far, and read a letter of greeting from Dr. Stauffer, and also a telegram from Dr. Danners, general secretary of the American Mission to Lepers.

Miss Johanna Veenstra, the speaker of the afternoon, was next introduced by the president as one who has gone to Africa armed not with weapons of warfare, but with the Word of God.

In beginning her address Miss Veenstra stated: "If possible, I want you to forget that we are in such a large beautiful auditorium where a tremendous audience has gathered. Let us imagine rather that we are in a small room and to have a heart to heart talk. I want to base my talk this afternoon on these three words, 'Love Is Kind'."

In continuing Miss Veenstra said in part: "I shall never forget my first impression over in Africa when I saw my first leper. Upon arriving at Donga, I was told I could unpack my boxes and begin work the next day at the dispensary. Although I knew nothing of the language, having just arrived, I went to the dispensary the next morning, for such is often the case in doing pioneer missionary work. The dispensary was only a mud hut. Soon after arriving there I saw a lady coming toward the hut whom I could see was a patient, but I did not notice at first that she was a leper. However, as she drew nearer, I soon realized that I was seeing my first leper, and oh! what a pitiful sight! I wanted to run out of the dispensary. My whole physical self rebelled at the horrible sight. The lady had no fingers, no toes and here and there flesh had fallen away. She came to be treated for a large ulcer on the bottom of her foot. But even while my physical self rebelled to be near her, my spiritual self said, 'Love Is Kind,' and I could not leave her. Thus I did what I could to relieve her suffering as day after day she came. Oh, the terrible agony that results from this awful disease cannot be described! And to think there is so little help for it. I am glad to say that one of the first converts we had was a leper. He was a young man who came to me when in the first stages of leprosy. He came to our station one day and I said to him, 'You are in the first stages of leprosy. We cannot do much at our stations for lepers because of the pressure of other work and the limited help. Let me give you a letter of introduction to the Dutch Reformed Mission for Lepers. The distance to the station was some 90 miles and among a strange tribe, but I finally persuaded him to go. Then there was a father who had had the dread disease for about ten years. Each Sunday he would come to our services and his small son would sit on his lap. The son was free from leprosy as yet but how easily the youth could have contracted the scourge when the father was constantly with him. I urged the father to go to the Dutch Reformed Mission for Lepers, but the 90 miles, among different people, seemed like the end of the world to him."

"Do you believe in a God?" I asked him.

"Yes," he said, "I have for many years believed in your God."

"Well," I said, "you have not confessed Jesus. Do you mean to confess Jesus?"

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News Items Taken From the Files of Holland City News Fifty, Twenty-five and Fifteen Years Ago Today

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Among the Ottawa County circuit court jurors to serve from this vicinity 50 years ago are, Holland City: Edward J. Harrington, Simon Reidsma; Holland Town, Thos. L. Purdy, Fred Souter; Zeeland, Wm. Reel; Olive, Henry Chessman and O. Brockway. Note: Women jurors serving seems not have been a new thing for 50 years ago in the list of jurors from Grand Haven. The name of Ruth Brouwer appears. The Holland jurors: Simon Reidsma was a furniture dealer who was located in a frame building where DuMuz Dry Goods is now located. Edward J. Harrington was often mayor of Holland and conducted a general store in what is now the Laughlin's restaurant.

Henry De Kruij of Zeeland has returned from Grand Rapids, where he has been pursuing his studies in the business college there. He will continue in the agricultural implement business in this village. Note: Later Mr. De Kruij became quite a moving spirit in Zeeland and was one of the first men to build a large brick block on the main street.

Active operations have begun on the building to be erected by Rev. Kiekintveld a few doors east of the Holland City News office. Note: Mr. Kiekintveld conducted the principal book and stationery store in the city at that time. John Vander Sluis occupied the building for many years as a dry goods store and it is now occupied by the French Cloak Store. The building was completely remodeled.

Scholten's bridge east of Holland is flooded over and no one can pass. It is well to remember that this occurs nearly every spring and not only is the bridge out of commission but the roads are impassable. If Holland is to receive farm trade from that direction it is time that both highway and bridge be put in shape. Note: The bridge is the one below the hill at the turn on the old Holland-Zeeland road at the Holland Country Club. In the early days it was a low wooden structure. Long since a strong steel bridge has been erected.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

The following faithful rural carriers received raises from \$720 to \$900 a year: Gerrit Pessink, D. H. Oosting, R. W. Walters, Thos. Krosbach, Al Kleis, Gerrit Torgers, A. Kuite, A. A. Paris, L. Thibault, J. Brinkman, Simon De Boer, a more recent carrier or sub, receives \$540 and P. Stegenga \$720 per year. Carrier De Boer, who has a relay route of 14 1/2 miles, is not certain whether the raise will apply to his case. Note: De Boer is still a carrier and today is right up with the other boys.

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Mothers Who Love Children Attention!

YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND
SIX CHILDREN'S MEET-
INGS AT LOCAL CLUB

The Michigan Department of Health will conduct a series of classes in Maternal and Infant Hygiene in Ottawa County.

All women of Holland and vicinity who want to know how to keep themselves and their babies strong and healthy are urged to attend. There will be six meetings with talks on care of mothers and children including anatomy, physiology, personal hygiene, nutrition and preparation of foods, prevention of communicable disease and correction of physical defects. The topic of the last lesson will be optional with the class, as they will be given a list of subjects from which to choose.

Those fostering the movement hope that all women interested in the health of mother and baby will attend.

Beginning March 17th for six successive Thursdays, at 7 P. M., a talk will be given in Holland at the Woman's Literary Club.

It is necessary that those back of the project have some idea of how many mothers will be interested in these talks. Kindly call Mrs. C. J. McLean Phone 9852. There is no charge for any of these meetings but your State Department must be assured a group of interested women or they won't give Holland the benefit of this lecture course. Remember these lectures are free, in fact, mothers are urged to attend. Mrs. John Oler of Holland is taking care of the publicity relating to this matter.

HOLLAND MAN STARTS GOLF CLUB IN ZEELAND

Mr. Kleis of Holland, instructor in Zeeland schools, is organizing a golf club in the school. Practice is going on after hours daily, although the weather the past week has been anything but ideal. Further instruction will be given at the Holland Country club when the course is free from snow.

Sleigh Bells!

Not in years have we heard sleigh bells or have we seen the old fashioned cutter. Sunday however some young folks were out with "dobbins," cutters, sleigh bells and all it sure looked like the "good old day." Rather slow for our present day "flaming youth" it would seem. At least one merchant put on the double sleigh to deliver groceries on the outskirts of the city.

Radio Law Is Passed By Aldm. At Zeeland

ORDINANCE ENDEAVORS TO
PREVENT INTERFERENCE
AND PROVIDES OTHER
REGULATIONS

Zeeland is also protecting its radio fans through a new ordinance passed a few days ago by the "city fathers."

The new radio law states that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to operate within the limits of the city of Zeeland any electrical apparatus, device, machine or equipment which needlessly and unnecessarily causes interference with radio reception, or by means of repairs, adjustments or installation of corrective appliances, or other practice shall be entrusted to a radio inspector who shall be appointed by the common council and whose duty it shall be to investigate complaints of radio interference, to advise and make recommendations as to its elimination, and who is authorized to issue orders for such repairs, adjustments, or alterations, to be complied with within a reasonable length of time.

The ordinance further provides that the radio inspector shall, upon presentation of his badge or other evidence of his authority, have the right of access to any premises, except dwelling houses used as such, at any reasonable hour, for the purpose of inspecting the installation and operation of any device or equipment coming within the provision of this ordinance, and it shall be unlawful for any person to interfere with such inspector or hinder him in the discharge of his duties.

It is further stated that any person, firm or corporation that shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall, on conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$10.00 and costs of prosecution.

CIVIC CHORUS GOES TO BATTLE CREEK; SNOW DIRECTING

The Holland civic chorus, under the direction of W. Curtis Snow, will participate in the choral concert to be presented at the sixteenth annual state meeting of the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs, April 13, to 16 in Battle Creek. The choral concert is under the direction of Mrs. W. J. Pantland of Grand Rapids. Mrs. Pantland is also director of the boys' and girls' Glee clubs of Hope college.

The Holland board of education at its next meeting March 14 plans to consider the annual placements of teachers' contracts for the coming year. Most of the teachers will be offered new contracts and it is expected few changes will result. E. E. Fell will complete a record of 22 years as superintendent of Holland's school system and 33 years as an educator with the close of the school year in June.

SNOW STORM SINCE SATURDAY

Despite the fact that March is supposed to be rather a mild month and the beginning of spring—and this winter has been the warmest in history—there has been almost a continuous snow storm since last Saturday. Some of the country roads off the main highways are still blocked. The farms are well covered with snow and even the ground hog has been forced to cover. The buds on the trees have stopped budding for a while at least, and that is a very good thing. The storm being general the heavy snow has put thousands of men to work throughout the country. Although we no doubt dread the winter after so much summer taking it all in all we believe it a healthy departure for crops, fruit and people.

RADIO TELLS OF CUB LIONS

It was broadcast from Chicago last evening that Andy Petersen of Lakewood Farm had the newly born cub lions in a Chicago animal hospital for treatment and that George F. Getz, the owner, was also watching the progress of the cubs. From all appearances the young lions will come through all right.

GIVE RETIRING COAL MAN A WALKING STICK

Holland and Zeeland coal dealers showed the right spirit when thirty gathered together at the Masonic temple to do honor to Albert Koppel, of the T. Koppel Sons, who has retired from business after nearly half a century "in the harness."

During the evening's gathering Austin Harrington, master of ceremonies, introduced the speakers, the principal one being Mr. Ford Cate, business manager of the Detroit Coal Exchange.

Harry Harrington, during the evening, presented Mr. Koppel in behalf of those present a handsome walking stick. Mr. Koppel felt deeply the hearty welcome extended by his business associates, and responded with difficulty when the cane was presented as a climax.

The ladies of the Eastern Star had charge of the refreshments.

PLAN MOVE TO COLLECT UNPAID LIGHT BILLS

The board of public works of Grand Haven decided to take action on delinquent light and power bills last night. Users with unpaid bills are to be sent five day notices. If the bills are not paid in five days, other steps will be taken to collect or the current will be shut off. The board held a short meeting, approving bills, transfers, and minor purchases.

AWAITING ARRIVAL OF BODY FROM WEST

Ben Roos of Holland received a dispatch telling of the death of his brother, John Roos, former resident of Holland, who died Wednesday morning in the hospital at Fort Bayard, N. Mex. Mr. Roos was a Spanish-American war veteran. The relatives are awaiting the arrival of the body from the west before arrangements for the funeral can be made. Mr. Roos lost his wife through death four years ago. It will be remembered that she formerly was Miss Anna Beekman of this city. He soon after moved to Milwaukee and later to New Mexico.

Mr. Roos is survived by one son, Vernon, and the following brothers and sisters: Simon, Peter, Ben, Cornelius, all of Holland; Mrs. B. F. Dalman, Mrs. K. Kalkman, Mrs. John Overway, Mrs. John Veldeir, sisters living in Holland, and one brother, Edward, living in Kalamazoo. Interment will be in the family plot in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Bathers at State Parks Get More Protection

OTTAWA BEACH OVAL WILL
SHARE IN THIS
REGULATION

Additional protection to the hundreds of thousands of persons who use Michigan's state park bathing beaches will be given during the coming season through a law adopted by the legislature last year regulating the operation of motor boats. It is now a misdemeanor for any person to operate a motor boat in a reckless manner or at a speed that will endanger the life or property of any person in or on the water. He must have due regard for the presence of other boats, bathers, and persons engaged in fishing.

It is expected that the operation of the new law will have considerable effect in preventing motor boats from approaching too closely to bathing beaches and to anchored row boats.

Bathers at state parks have frequently been endangered by speeding motor boats running within the limits of the bathing beaches. In the past there was no state law giving officers any authority to stop this practice. Holland State Park visitors will welcome this new regulation.

A car load of flour made from home grown wheat and home milled by the Peoples Mill and Elevator company of Coopersville, was shipped a few days ago.

The 1932-33 Digest of Fishing Laws, and containing Lake and stream designations for this next year, is expected to be ready for distribution by the Department of Conservation within the next two weeks. Maurice Knute conservation officer of Holland will have a consignment shortly.

Farmers Seed Loan Committee Now Selected

WM. ZONNEBELT FROM HOLLAND IS ONE IN OTTAWA COUNTY

The loan advisory committee selected by the agricultural committee of the Board of Supervisors consists of Wm. Riemersma, Coopersville, Dick Smallegange, merchant at Forest Grove; Wm. Zonnebelt, cooperative manager at Holland; Fred Graham, farmer at Robinson and C. E. Millan, agricultural agent at Grand Haven. It shall be the duty of this committee to check over applications and make recommendations to Washington relative to loans in Ottawa County. Loans are available to farmers who are:

1st—Without means and unable to secure a loan from other sources.

2nd—To those who operated a farm in 1931.

3rd—To those who have no means of livelihood other than that of farming.

4th—To those who agree to use seed and methods approved by the secretary of agriculture.

5th—To those who agree to plant a garden for home use and a sufficient acreage of feed crops to provide for livestock.

Application blanks will be available as soon as received at banks, loan committee members and supervisors of rural townships. No loans will be made to minors, to those who did not farm in 1931 for summer harvesting, food for other than work horses, purchases of machinery, taxes, debts on interest. Maximum loans are \$400.00 a farm. Loans of \$50.00 per acre are maximum except truck crops and potatoes, where maximum is \$20.00 per acre. For seed, fertilizer and spraying materials of \$4.00 per acre extra. Fruit growers may secure up to exceed \$25.00 per acre for spraying, fertilizer and dust.

Loans bear interest at 5 1/2%. The amount of interest due is deducted from the last installment. Notes are due and payable Nov. 30, 1932. Applications must be made to the committee before April 30 in order to assure them being considered by the committee. Mail them to the agricultural agent at Grand Haven.

Newspapers will be notified as soon as application blanks are received.

MAURICE KNUTE OF HOLLAND RECEIVES HIS INSTRUCTIONS WITH OTHER CONSERVATION OFFICERS

In an effort to prevent as much as possible the illegal taking of game fish, all conservation officers in Michigan have been instructed to spend as much time as possible patrolling the streams during the period of the spring fish spawning season.

The spawning season opened March 1 and will remain open until April 30 in the lower peninsula. Pike may not be speared in Michigan's non-trout streams during the spring spawning season, the Department of Conservation said today. Last spring Grass (Great Northern) pike could be taken by spearing. The 1931 Legislature took this species from the list. The only species that may be taken by spear this spring are suckers, redear, mullet, carp, dogfish and garpike.

Daytime spearing only is permitted, since artificial lights are banned under the law, it was stated.

Anyway the conservation officers are keeping a close watch for spear fishers.

OUTDOOR SHOW WILL BE HELD HERE APRIL 5-9

The annual Grand Rapids Outdoor show, held each year under the sponsorship of the Dwight Lydell club, will be held in the Waters-Klingman building April 5 to 9, inclusive. George Dayton, show manager, announced that things were all set and that indications are the show will be a real attraction for those interested in outdoor sports.

The show will open at noon on Tuesday and close Saturday evening. The committee plans to have many interesting features for those who enjoy hunting, fishing and the numerous other sports held out of doors.

WIFE OF FORMER BANKER IS DEAD

The funeral of Mrs. Germ V. Mokma, aged 81, occurred yesterday afternoon from the home at 404 Colma avenue, Rev. L. Veltkamp, pastor of Central Avenue church officiating.

She was the wife of the second cashier of the First State Bank, who had also been alderman and mayor of Holland.

Mrs. Mokma was an active member of Central Avenue Christian Reformed church and was a member of the Ladies' Aid society.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. A. J. De Vries of Grand Rapids and Mrs. E. Winter of Morgantown, West Virginia; one brother, John Ensing of Seattle, Washington, and two sisters, Mrs. John Meerswenger of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. John Van Hope of Tacoma, Washington. Also 12 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren survive.

Interment took place in Holland Township cemetery.

SEARCHING FOR BIG BUCK DEER

Munising Michigan conservation officers are attempting to find a large buck deer said to be dragging a big steel trap fastened to one of its forefeet, in order to relieve it of its suffering. It is believed to have stepped into a trap or wolf set and sprung the trap.

DR. J. B. NIKERK Hope's Coach of Oratory and Dean of Men

contest, a gathering that does not come to Holland every year.

The program for afternoon and evening follows below:

WOMEN'S CONTEST 7:30 o'clock

Presiding—Mr. Harold C. De Windt
Organ—Frieda "Rosolotto" Parker
"Bells of St. Anne de Beaupre"—Russell
Mr. Curtis W. Snow, College Organist
Welcome—President Wynand Williams
"Ballyhoo"—Dorothy Hill
Albion College
"A Mother's Business" Miss Edith M. Davis
Alma College
"A Cry from the East"
Miss Claire Kuipers
Calvin College
"Telly-Lo!"—Lionel Harris
"The Zinac"—Eliot Smith
Hope College Girls' Glee Club
Miss Jean Bosman at the Piano
"Our Modern Flap Pique"—Elizabeth Murphy
College of the City of Detroit
"It is All Turn"—Miss Louise Lange
Michigan State College
"Protest Pique"—Miss Anne Merriman
Michigan State Normal College
Immediately following the afternoon program, an informal reception will be held in Voorhes Hall for the orators and guests. Dinner will also be served in Voorhes Hall at 6 o'clock for all guests from the visiting colleges.

MEN'S CONTEST 7:30 o'clock

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HELP OUR LEGION

BOYS IN THEIR WORK

All honor to the Willard G. Leenhouts post, American Legion, for its vigorous drive to place unemployed men in jobs!

The Legion throughout the nation has acted to such purpose, in the last few days, that some 130,000 persons, made desperate by long employment, are now at work drawing wages, supporting their dependents, facing the future with fresh courage and hope.

The legion posts in all states are striving to find work for ONE MILLION men.

The Holland organization has been a part of this army of American men who are putting this drive over so successfully. The local boys are doing their part and have already done much to keep idle hands busy. For them we would urge:

If you can give a job, do it. Every employer in the city is asked to add at least ONE man or woman to his force.

Every home owner is asked to give some man or woman at least one odd job.

Get in touch with your legion friends, or the local legion post for particulars of the drive.

The need is great. The legion is out to meet it. You can help. DO YOUR BIT.

CITIZENS PUT FORTH TICKET

IN FIELD AT ZEELAND

The Citizens caucus has placed the following in the field for candidates at the coming election: Mayor, Fred Klumper; aldermen, Fred Kieft, Harry Derks and Dave Verecke; supervisor, Jacob Meekens; city clerk, Gilbert Van Hoven; treasurer, Edward Glerum; justices, John Donia; constables, M. Barman, N. Cook, M. Korstanje and P. Karsten.

SOUTH OTTAWA

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Frank M. Webber and wife to Fred Middlestedt, lot 23 in Oak Lawn Park, Twp. of Holland.

Oscar Quicken and wife to Edna E. Hammond, lot 58 and part of lot 57 in Macatwa Park Grove, Twp. of Park.

Mrs. Dena Huizenga to Rev. John Engelsman and wife, lot No. 17, Bk. 4, Prospect Park Addition to City of Holland.

Emma Marx to William J. Gohlke, lots No. 12 and 15 of Sunset Terrace Plat, Twp. of Park.

Frank Essenburg et al to Peter Selles and wife, lot No. 57 of Oakwood subdivision, Twp. of Holland.

Fool's Idea
Men study theology, economy, religion, chemistry, physics and philosophy many years before they claim to know much about those subjects. But on the spur of the moment every fool thinks he knows how to run a government.—*Atlantic Globe.*

THEATRES

HOLLAND, MICH.

COLONIAL

Matinee Daily Except Monday
Friday, Saturday, Mar. 11, 12
Jack Holt and Constance Cummings in

"Behind the Mask"

Mon., Tues., Mar. 14-15
Charles "Chic" Sales in
"The Expert"

Wed., Thurs., March 16, 17
Claudette Colbert and William Boyd in

"The Wiser Sex"

HOLLAND

—Matinees Daily 2:30—
Friday and Saturday, Mar. 11, 12
Will Rogers in

"Business & Pleasure"

Monday and Tuesday, Mar. 14-15
Constance Bennett in

"Lady with a Past"

Wed., Thurs., March 16, 17
George Arliss in

"Man Who Played God"

Wednesday, March 16
is GUEST NIGHT
Charles Bickford and Lupe Velez in

"The Squaw Man"

will follow second night performance this date only

Wrecks Building Thru Fire And Explosion

The most disastrous fire of the year occurred at Grand Haven early Sunday morning when the building occupied by Sam Rukieh's recreation establishment at No. 8 Washington street was totally destroyed with the contents, by fire and an explosion, the origin of which has not been established.

Edward Boongaard, Grand Haven city manager, and Henry Hoebeke, city fireman, were swept off the roof of the Haven restaurant, the building next door, when an explosion ripped the place along to the ground. Gerrit Voelke, another fireman, standing nearby, was blown against a ventilator and clung to that until he was rescued. The two men falling to the ground landed on bricks and dirt but were not seriously injured.

Mrs. William Johnson, trapped in the burning building, was taken out of the front story window by the firemen, clad in her night clothes, and today is suffering from shock. There was no one else in the building although there are several rooms there rented to transients and railroad men.

The fire was confined to the frame building, although several windows in the east side of the Hotel William M. Ferry were cracked by the terrific heat and some water damage was reported as the hose was directed to some of the burning window sills. The Haven restaurant was damaged by the toppling chimney falling on the roof and the west wall was shaken when the explosion occurred.

The force of the blast dropped the roof, second and first floors into the basement and the front of the building toppled in. The inside was gutted by fire and nothing was saved. Mr. Rukieh said that besides the equipment, estimated to be valued at about \$7,000, he lost many valuable personal effects.

Mrs. Johnson lost many valuables and the furnishings of the rooms above the recreation place.

The building was owned by Joe Nejem. While the frame building was worth about \$3,000, Chief Pippel estimated, replacing it will be considerable. Mr. Nejem said he considered his loss at about \$10,000. Building restrictions will force him to erect a brick building.

He said this morning that he would undoubtedly improve the property with a new building. Mr. Rukieh said he had no plans.

The city manager and Mr. Hoebeke were about today and submitted to X-rays, although it was fairly certain they had suffered nothing more than bruises.

Mr. Boongaard was hurt in his back, while Mr. Hoebeke injured one arm. Mr. Voelke was slightly injured when several bricks hit him on his foot, it was reported.

Five years ago this same building suffered a severe fire, at this time of year, and a blizzard was blowing at the time, Mr. Rukieh recalled.

Chief Pippel, ever mindful of the terrific fire that destroyed the old Central school on March 5, 1901, remarked when the storm began to break: "Look out, there is apt to be a fire about this time."

There have been several bad fires in Grand Haven when the weather was severe, among them the fire in the Vanden Bosch block several years ago, which threatened that block, and the McLellan store fire about two years ago.

FAMILY OF MISSIONARIES

FOR A LIFETIME, RETIRE FOR LIFE

Miss M. E. Talmage, who with her sister, Miss K. M. Talmage, are the two oldest missionaries in the Reformed Church in America with respect to years of service in the Amoy mission in China, has been forced to present her resignation from active work because of age.

The Talmage sisters were born in China as daughters of Rev. J. Van Nest Talmage, who went as missionary to China in 1847 and completed a service of 42 years in that country. He was one of the founders of the early native church in China. His two daughters served as missionaries in evangelistic and educational work beyond the age of retirement and each completed a service of 57 years in the Amoy mission. They were educated in this country, were here on their last furlough in 1914 and plan to spend their declining years in their native country.

Mr. Talmage was a brother of the late Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, one of America's greatest pulpiterators.

Red Flood Lighting

That effective flood lighting of buildings need not be necessarily of white or light color, and that the use of lights has been demonstrated by the use of red lights exclusively on a large manufacturing plant located on the principal railroad between Philadelphia and New York. This building is of brick and built on simple lines. When the white lights were tried the lines of mortar between the bricks seemed to be offensively accentuated. The white lights and the effect was more than satisfactory. The structure seemed to stand out from the surrounding properties and its impressive size was made apparent without unduly revealing the homely lines.

Clouded Evenings

The reckless optimism behind unsafe pleasures or illicit pursuits is usually a radiant morn followed by an overclouded evening, says an observer of life, writing in the American Magazine.

SIXTH REFORMED CHURCH—Corner Lincoln avenue and Twelfth street, J. Vanderbeek, pastor.

9:30 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon, "Reverence for the Name of God." Anthem, "All Is Well," by the church choir. Infant baptism.

11:00—Sunday school.
2:00—Junior Christian Endeavor.
6:15 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship. Sermon, "Judas' Sin, Before and After." Anthem, "The Heart of God," by the church choir.

Thursday evening, 7:30, prayer meeting. Topic, "The Letter to the Church of Pergamos," Rev. 2:12-17.

COOPERSVILLE POST OFFICE IS DESTROYED BY FIRE SUNDAY NIGHT

Fire destroyed a one-story brick building in Coopersville, housing the Coopersville post office and a bakery operated by Ben Harger. The bakery was formerly owned by John Van Wingerden, owner of the Grand Haven Baking Co., and he still owned the equipment and machinery valued, he said, at about \$3,000. The building and contents are a total loss and Mr. Van Wingerden said he had no insurance.

The fire was believed to have originated about 10 p. m. Sunday night from an overheated furnace and it was not until the early hours this morning that the fire was under control. For the entire time threatened to sweep the entire business district.

The flames had gained great headway when the alarm was turned in and the Coopersville fire department, under Chief Edward Bussies, confined efforts to the one building. A drug store owned by Vernon Tasker and an A. & P. store adjoin the post office building on either side, but no serious damage was done to either place. The loss of the building added to the equipment will aggregate about \$5,000.

POSTAL GAINS EVIDENT DURING LAST QUARTER

According to A. J. Westveer, postmaster, business conditions are improving.

Receipts at Holland post office showed an increase of \$3,700 for the quarter ending February 29, as against the corresponding period a year previous, he announced.

For the months of December, 1931, and January and February, 1932, the total receipts were \$36,600. The total for December, 1930, and January and February, 1931, was \$32,900.

Growers Lose Money Buying Poor "Chicks"

BELIEVES IN KILLING DEFECTIVE CHICKS FROM BROODER HOUSES

An item on poultry that will naturally be of interest to Ottawa and Allegan poultry raisers is sent out by M. S. C. setting forth that the few cents saved by poultrymen when cheap baby chicks are bought is apt to become an expensive economy after the chicks have grown to a pricing age and it is found that the birds lack the characteristics which are necessary to make them profitable layers, according to the poultry department at Michigan State College.

Sellers of baby chicks are in the business for profit. They cannot maintain good breeding flocks and use good systems of flock and hatchery management and then sell their product at a low price. Egg producing characteristics are hereditary and a pullet which lacks the producing factors cannot be fed or handled in a manner which will make her profitable.

The difference in price between good chicks and mediocre ones is usually only a few cents. The feeding and care of poor chicks is just as expensive as that of better birds so the only saving made is in the original purchase price.

Well bred pullets should lay 200 eggs or more a year, but poorly bred pullets usually have production records of 100 eggs or less each year. The difference in production may be as high as 10 dozen eggs per year, and if the price for eggs is only 25 cents per dozen, the difference in returns from the two birds is \$2.50.

When a lot of chicks is placed in the brooder house, all small, weak, and deformed chicks should be taken from the lot and killed. These chicks are apt to be a continuous liability and time and feed should not be wasted on them.

TWO SENTENCED BY JUDGE MILES IN COURT

Edward Westing, guilty of liquor law violations, was sentenced from one to four years, fined \$100 and charged with costs of \$6.00.

Harvey Maatman, Virginia Park, guilty of breaking and entering, was placed on probation for three years and fined \$100.

The above sentences were meted out by Judge Fred T. Miles on Tuesday, and as soon as the weather clears the prisoners will be taken to their destinations.

ZEELAND POLICE TAKE OFF OLD AUTO PLATES

Unless Chief of Police Edward Ryenga receives orders to the contrary motorists driving with 1931 plates will not be arrested. Instead officers will apprehend all persons driving with the old plates, remove the plates from their cars and see that the cars are kept in garages until the driver can purchase plates.

Arresting a man will not aid the situation in the opinion of the chief.

SEA SCOUTS JAMBOREE AT KOLLEN PARK

Sea Scouts of the Ottawa-Allegan council area are formulating plans for a three-day jamboree at Holland May 28 to 30. The program will feature contests on the opening day, religious services on Sunday, and a parade on Memorial day. About 20 boats will be stationed on Black lake, near Kollen Memorial park, where camp will be pitched.

"Fifty-Four Forty"

The phrase "Fifty-four forty or fight" is believed to have originated with William Allen, who was United States senator from Ohio in 1844, at the time of the controversy with Great Britain over the Oregon boundary. This slogan, which helped to elect Polk to the Presidency, meant that Great Britain must recognize as American soil the whole Pacific coast from the northern boundary of California to the southern limits of Russian Alaska, the line of latitude 54 degrees 40 min. north, or else the United States would declare war. The matter was settled by treaty in 1846 without war, by making the forty-ninth parallel the boundary line west to the island of Vancouver, which was given to Canada.

Lesson From the Stage

It should be a lesson to us to realize that the most comical situations on the stage have at least one angry character in them.—*Fort Worth Record-Telegram.*

DIRECTORS OF HOTEL ARE RE-ELECTED

The stockholders of the Holland Hotel company held their annual meeting at Warm Friend Tavern Tuesday evening at which time the following directors were re-elected:

A. H. Landwehr, C. H. Landwehr, Ernest C. Brooks, B. P. Donnelly, Arthur W. Wrieden, D. B. K. Van Raalte, W. L. Eaton, Hub Boone and Charles K. Van Duren.

Mr. Wrieden presented a report on the financial condition of the company.

George W. Dauchy, Tavern manager, spoke on the general business of the hotel.

Gross operating income for 1931 was \$69,483.86, and administrative and undistributed expenses were \$76,057.68, a loss of \$6,573.82.

Zeeland Police Department Has Splendid Record

ARRESTS AVERAGED ABOUT ONE EVERY SECOND DAY: OTHER WORK IS ACCOMPLISHED

Zeeland Record.—Chief of Police Ed. Ryenga in his annual report for the fiscal year just closed, presented officially last week, showed that his department had made a total of 141 arrests, or an average of nearly three each week, nearly all of whom pleaded guilty, and bringing fines that netted the city chest \$969.70. Out of this total, six received jail sentences in addition to the fines imposed.

The arrests came under fourteen classifications, with 94, or two-thirds of the total, coming under one head. The classifications, number of arrests, and fines, were: speeding, 94, fines \$701.70; disregarding signal lights, 3, fines \$10; defective automobile lights, 5, fines \$8.00; running stop street, 7, fines \$14.00; drunkenness, 5, fines \$35; imprisonment, 3; running across fire hose, 1, fine \$7.00; driving while drunk, 3, fines \$100.00, imprisonment 2; disorderly conduct, 2, fines \$30.00; parking automobile light cut, 13, fines \$24.00; automobile cut, open, 1, fine \$2.00; reverse turn at street intersection, 1, fine \$2.00; reckless on sidewalk, 2, fines \$4.00; parking driving, 3, fines \$30.00; imprisonment 1; passing car at intersection, 1, fine \$2.00. Total cases 141; total fines \$969.70.

Besides these there were ten arrests made here on State charges on which a total of \$186.00 in fines were collected from four offenders, four served time in the county jail (one party serving two terms), one was placed on probation, and one appealed to circuit court. Two of them had their driver's license revoked. Three were for driving while drunk, three plain drunk and disorderly, one speeding, two assault and battery, one operating a car without a license.

Peter Braamse, who was convicted of driving a car while drunk, appealed his case, which has not yet been determined.

Besides these cases, the local police department assisted in securing evidence and making arrests on several occasions outside of Zeeland city.

During the past year 1808 drivers' licenses were issued by local police on which \$273.25 was received in fees that were turned over to the city, making a total city revenue from the police department at \$1,242.95.

There were 982 drivers' licenses issued to residents of Zeeland city, and the fees received on them totaled \$149.55. There were 826 licenses issued to drivers residing outside the city, bringing \$123.90 in fees.

LOCAL JUDGE GETS PICTURE IN DETROIT PAPER

In Sunday's Detroit News a large picture of Circuit Judge Fred T. Miles appears in the rotogravure section. Elsewhere in this newspaper a half column is devoted to a history of Mr. Miles, the difficulties he had encountered in climbing to the position of circuit court judge. A great many of the facts are well known and have been printed often in the Ottawa county newspapers. The article closes with giving the names of the Miles family as follows:

Judge Miles is a devout member of the Methodist church. For 26 years he has taught a Sunday school class in the Holland Methodist church. Miss Dena Alverson and Judge Miles were married in 1908. They have four children, Frederick, a student at Kalamazoo State Teachers College; Helen, 19, a student at the Michigan State Normal College at Ypsilanti; Wendell, 15, and Lloyd George, 12 years old.

The Power of Habits

Like flakes of snow, that fall unperceived upon the earth, the seemingly unimportant events of life succeed one another. As the snow gathers together, so are our habits formed. No single flake that is added to the pile produces a sensible change; no single action creates, however it may exhibit a man's character; but as the tempest hurls the avalanche down the mountain, and overwhelms the inhabitant and his habitation, so passion, acting upon the elements of mischief which pernicious habits have brought together by imperceptible accumulation, may overthrow the edifice of truth and virtue.—Bentham.

LEAVES \$2,500 ESTATE TO BENEFIT SOCIETY

The Challenge Machinery Mutual Benefit society of Grand Haven was named beneficiary in the will of the late Mrs. Theresia Kranzmayr, filed in probate yesterday.

Mrs. Kranzmayr, widow of the late Henry Kranzmayr, was interested in the society through her husband's having been an employee at the Challenge Machinery company for 18 years from the time of his arrival here to his death in 1921. Should the society dissolve, the money will go to Hattori hospital under terms of the will. The estate is estimated between \$2,500 and \$3,000. Mrs. Kranzmayr has no relatives living in this country.

Life's Burdens

Every man has his chain and clog, only it is looser and lighter to some than to another, and he is more at his ease who takes it up and carries it than he who drags it.—Seneca.

Annual Prizes Will Be Given at Graduation

Various prizes and awards are again being offered to Hope students. As usual these prizes will be awarded to those who win them at the Commencement exercises. The list of prizes is as follows:

The George Birkhoff Jr. English Prize is a \$25 prize to be awarded to the Junior Class member who writes the best essay on "Tune Austin, Great English Novelist."

The George Birkhoff Jr. fund also provides for a \$25 prize for the Senior who writes the best Dutch paper on "J. J. Van Oosterzee als Predikant en Theoloog."

The Mrs. Samuel Sloan Foreign Missions Prize is awarded to the student who writes the best essay on "The Industrial and Agricultural Missionary Work of the Reformed Church in India."

The A. A. Raven Prize for a public oration on a patriotic subject is divided into a first award of thirty dollars and a second award of twenty dollars.

The Dr. J. Ackerman Coles Debating Prize is distributed by the Faculty.

The Van Zwailenburgh Domestic Mission Prize offers \$25 for the best essay on "A Century of Reformed Church Domestic Missionary Work." The contest is open to all students.

The Gerrit H. Albers Gold Medal is to be awarded to the "young woman of the Senior Class, who in the judgment of a designated committee of the Faculty, has maintained the highest standard of all-around scholarship, character, and usefulness during the four years of her college course."

Four Biblical Prizes of \$25 each are given to the winner of an essay contest in each Class. This year's subjects are: Freshmen, "Jesus as a Teacher"; Sophomores, "Stephen, the First Christian Martyr"; Juniors, "The Hebrew Theocracy"; and Seniors, "The Bible, the Word of God."

The Vanderwerp Prize, \$25, is given to the student of the Senior Class who has maintained the highest standing in Oral and Written English during the four year course.

The John Brook Memorial Award a prize of \$25 is given to the male student of the Senior Class who during his residence at Hope College has rendered the most exemplary service to Hope College. Selection is made by a designated faculty committee.

The Dr. Otto Vande Velde Athletic Award is given for high attainment in scholarship and active participation in student activities.

The award will be made by the faculty committee on athletics to the Senior man who has earned at least three major Athletic letters. Eighty per cent of the award is based on athletic participation and scholarship as follows: one point for each major letter and one-half point for each minor letter earned; one point for each credit hour earned with a grade of "A"; one-half point for each credit hour earned with a grade of "B"; twenty per cent of the award is based on the student's general participation in Student Activities.

The Almon T. Godfrey Prize in Chemistry is awarded by selection of the Faculty. The prize is the interest on a \$500 fund established by Dr. B. B. Godfrey.

Prof. Paul McLean's prizes, a miniature gold football and basketball, are given to the captains of the football and basketball teams.

The student should show their appreciation for these prizes by taking a keen interest in contests and other activities they involve.

OLDEST KNOWN PHEASANT WAS GOOD SHOT-DOGGER—HUNTERS CAN'T GET HIM

A cock pheasant of South Dakota has lived to see at least 19 generations of grandchildren, apparently without getting a single scratch from the shots of hunters, says a bulletin release of the American Game Association. This pheasant patriarch of South Dakota, a state now famous among sportsmen for its dense pheasant population, recently sought shelter from a snowstorm in the city of Watertown, and was found in a shed. A leg band revealed it to be one of the 200 pheasants brought from New York State and liberated in South Dakota 19 years ago. An examination showed no wounds of any kind. The bird was later released in a pheasant refuge maintained at Watertown by Frank Bramble, a sportsman.

All Off Key

Insincere compliments fall far from the ear. The singer of praises can't afford any flat notes.—*Farm and Fireside.*

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Last Home Game for Two Seniors Turns Out as Fine Farewell

Holland High Herald

Tuesday evening of last week Holland seconds went to Grand Rapids and defeated Catholic Central Reserves by the score of 49-9. The scrubs did not play as smooth a game as they did against Muskegon Heights.

McIntyre, high-point man of the game, made 6 points. Scheerhorn played his usual good defensive game at the center post, while Klomparsen and Hyink at guard positions, held the losers to 9 points. Hyink, with 5 points, and Klomparsen with 3, stood out with their steadiness.

In the last quarter Coach Chapman, seeing Holland had a safe lead, put in all the substitutes. Being nervous they did not raise the score though everyone had a chance.

Voorries, for the losers, played a good game at center, making 4 points for high-point man of his team. Weshalski, Catholic captain, was taken out of the game on account of four personal fouls.

The line-ups:
Holland (19) FG. F. TP.
Bos, F. 1 0 2

WANT ADS

FOR RENT—320-acre A-1 farm with tenant house at McBain, Mich.; claimed to be one of the best farms in the county; stock and tools desirable but not essential. Write J. G. Weersing, Lansing, Mich., 1025 E. Michigan Ave. 3tp11

EARN MONEY AT HOME

Write Box 435, Allegan News, Allegan, Mich., for details of how you can make a little money in your spare time with little effort. Want a correspondent in every town to represent us providing prospect lists.

FOR SALE—Player Piano, H. C. Bay. Solo concerto, complete with bench and rolls. Only \$69. Meyer Music House, 17 West Eighth St., Holland, Michigan. 2tp

That fine, creamy texture and delicious flavor of bread, biscuits and cakes made of I-H flour do not come by accident. Generations of millers and bakers have maintained the quality of this product at the same high standard now as when the price was two or three times the present market figures.

LOST—Flat automobile radio aerial. Return to 514 Central avenue, Holland, Mich. 3tpf.

FARM LAND for rent, sale or trade for city property. Inquire 359 Columbia avenue. 3tp10

FOR SALE—Five-room newly decorated house with large lot on Bay avenue, Central Park, for \$1,000 cash. Florence J. Haan, Fennville, Mich., R. R. 1, box 47. 4tp11

WOOD FOR SALE at \$1.75 a cord; \$1.50 in ten-cord lots. Will take some hay or straw in trade. Jacob Vande Zande, Route 3, Hamilton, Mich. 1tp11

McIntyre, F.	3	0	6	Catholic (9)	FG.	F.	TP.
Notier, F.	0	0	0	Madden, F.	0	0	0
Paauwe, F.	0	0	0	Murray, F.	1	0	2
Loveland, F.	0	0	0	Rothwell, F.	0	0	0
Bonnette, F.	0	0	0	Kruer, F.	0	0	0
V. Scheerhorn, C.	1	1	3	Dutmers, F.	0	0	0
Ver Schure, C.	0	0	0	Voorneis, C.	1	2	4
D. Scheerhorn, C.	0	0	0	Weshalski, G.	0	0	0
Klomparsen, G.	1	1	3	Greszowiak, G.	1	0	2
Hyink, G.	2	1	5	Dubridge, G.	0	1	1
Harrington, G.	0	0	0	Miller, G.	0	0	0
Marcus, G.	0	0	0	Rudoff, G.	0	0	0
Vedder, G.	0	0	0				
Totals	8	3	19	Totals	3	3	9

Local News

County Agent A. D. Morley announces that Allegan county's seed loan advisory committee is composed of R. A. Deal, Martin, Frank Peck, Allegan; Charles Smith, Moine; Martin Boysen, Plainwell; George Masters, Pullman, and himself. Anyone desiring to obtain a loan may do so by applying to any of these committees, who will soon be provided with blank forms.

The Parent-Teacher club meeting of the East Sixteenth street school, which was to have been held tonight, Friday, has been postponed to next week, Friday, March 18.

Mrs. J. Von Erens has returned from a two weeks' visit in Cleveland, Ohio, where she attended the annual celebration of the Ladies' Aid society at Calvary Reformed church.

The Erutha Rebekah lodge will hold a business meeting tonight, Friday, at 7:30 o'clock in the hall on Central avenue. Following the business meeting, progressive Pedro and 500 will be played. Refreshments will be served. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Palmer are in charge of the party. Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and friends are invited.

An accident occurred on the Grand Rapids road east of here Tuesday morning when a car driven by William E. Bundy of Grand Rapids collided with another car driven by Harry Spencer of near Grand Rapids. Spencer, who is employed in Holland, was said to have been driving west when his car skidded causing it and Bundy's automobile to crash. Two wheels of Spencer's car were broken.

The Missionary Society of the Ninth Street Christian Reformed church held its monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 3. The program committee secured Miss Gertrude Holkeboer, mission worker at the Franklin Street mission at Grand Rapids, as speaker of the afternoon. Miss Holkeboer told in a most interesting manner of the many difficulties that beset them in their work in the slum district of Grand Rapids, and the ladies, after hearing her talk, pledged themselves anew toward doing their

part by their gifts and prayers. Mrs. Raymond Nykamp very fittingly sang "The Ninety and Nine." Mrs. J. Breen, vice president, presided over the meeting.

The Daughters of the King Sunday school class of Ninth Street Christian Reformed church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Rhine Vander Meulen last Friday evening. The usual business session was augmented by election of officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Raymond J. Nykamp; vice president, Miss Anne Holkeboer; secretary, Mrs. Henry Topp; assistant secretary, Miss Anne Straatsma; treasurer, Miss Angie Dogger; assistant treasurer, Miss Hattie Slenk. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess. The class consists of former members of the Sunday school class taught by Miss Fens Holkeboer, now missionary in Amoy, China.

An auxiliary to the Ladies' Aid society of Ninth Street Christian Reformed church was organized last week, Wednesday evening. Mrs. Al Vogter, president of the Ladies' Aid, presiding. Officers of the auxiliary were elected as follows: Mrs. Charles Holkeboer, president; Mrs. Ed Slenk, first vice president; Mrs. Raymond Nykamp, second vice president; Mrs. H. Van Ry, secretary; Mrs. Frank Weener, treasurer; Mrs. Arnold Branderhorst, assistant secretary and treasurer. The auxiliary was organized for the purpose of giving all women of the church who find it impossible to attend the afternoon meetings, a chance to come to the evening meeting. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 16, at 7:45 p. m. Saugatuck Woman's club has elected: President, Mrs. J. B. Zwemer, sixth term; vice president, Mrs. W. A. Comey and Mrs. P. D. Konold; recording secretary, Mrs. John Bird; corresponding secretary, Mrs. D. A. Heath; treasurer, Mrs. W. R. Takken; auditor, Mrs. H. A. Jackson; custodian, Mrs. Nelle Naughtin.

Miss Betty Singraher will represent Saugatuck High school in the district oratorical contest this spring, having won first place in the local contest. Miss Jayne Kresger won first in declamation.

How'd You Like Tomatoes With No Hard Cores?

OUR STATE COLLEGE IS MAKING A NOBLE EXPERIMENT

Vegetable plant breeders at Michigan State College are making progress in their efforts to breed the core out of leading commercial varieties of tomatoes will be of interest to Holland where so many tomatoes are grown. The tests are made particularly on strains of tomatoes grown in hothouses, Prof. J. S. Seaton, vegetable specialist, announced today.

All leading varieties are being used in the college's experiments to produce a super-strain of tomatoes. Numerous crossings are being made, and very desirable types of tomato are being developed. He expressed a hope of eventually breeding the core out of such leading commercial varieties as the Grand Rapids Forcing tomato.

The core was said to be very objectionable to housewives, making it extremely difficult to slice tomatoes for serving. Seaton said the core-type tomatoes, however, have certain advantages. The Grand Rapids Forcing variety is popular with growers, shippers, dealers and retailers. Tomatoes of this variety ship well, and keep better. There is virtually no spoilage and shrinkage. They are firm, have a hard flesh and slightly fibrous core.

Prof. Seaton said the college's experiment aims to preserve all the good characteristics of the Forcing variety and combine them with some of the best features of other commercial varieties. Many crossings are being made. First crossings leading southern varieties proved unsatisfactory, Prof. Seaton explained, but some promising new seedlings have resulted from crosses with about a dozen other leading commercial sorts.

Scientists still are baffled to determine the cause of a new "green spot" disease which has developed in forcing tomatoes in hot houses in the last decade. The college has been unsuccessful thus far to find a remedy for the disease.

Some growers believe "green spot" is caused by excessive watering of the crop when the sun is shining brightly upon greenhouses but other producers have blasted this theory by whitewashing their glass without beneficial effects. Green spot tomatoes have developed even in houses where the density of sunlight has been lessened. This disease causes green spots about the size of a silver dollar to form in the tomatoes. The spots never mature and the fruit is sold as culls at a loss to the grower.

Reports reaching the college indicate the usual acreage is being set to hothouse tomatoes in Michigan. Most of the plants already have been transplanted and the crop now is being grown in between the 3rd crop of leaf lettuce. About 90 per cent of Michigan hothouse tomato crop is grown in the vicinity of Grand Rapids.

Frosh Lose to Rutger's Clothiers With Score 25-23

PRELIM OF OLIVET GAME PROVES EXCITING IN CLOSE SCORE

In an exciting prelim game at the Armory Thursday night, the Rutger's Clothiers, City League champions, through a last half rally defeated the Hope Frosh by the score of 25-23.

The game was a most interesting one, the lead changing hands several times during the encounter. Korstange led the Frosh to a 6-3 lead the first quarter, and they clung to this advantage until the intermission when the score was 14-11. Close guarding by the City League champs in the second half held the yearlings to only nine points, while they themselves counted fourteen. Led by Tanis, the Clothiers claimed a 19-18 lead at the finish of the third quarter. Baskets in the last quarter by Tom Van Zanden and Eesenburg kept the City Leaguers in front, but were being pushed at all times by the freshmen. When the final gun went off the score book read: Rutger's 25, Hope Frosh 23. Eesenburg, Van Zanden and Tanis looked best for Rutgers, while Korstange and Teed Van Zanden were outstanding for the losers.

ANYWAY, ALL ARE PACKED IN LIKE SARDINES

The fish that is known commercially as a sardine may be a true sardine, or pilchard, as it is called in some countries, but it may also be any other small fish of the herring family, such as the sea herring or sild, and the sprat or brisling, according to Dr. A. C. Hunter, of the United States Food and Drug Administration.

For instance, a young herring packed in Maine is labeled "Maine Sardine," while in the North Sea countries sprats are canned and labeled as sardines, sprats or sardines. The pilchard is most commonly called sardine, being labeled as such in France, Italy, Spain and Portugal, as well as in California, but in British Columbia it retains the name pilchard.

The United States consumption of sardines is growing rapidly. Dr. Hunter says. He points out that in addition to the 4,000,000 cases packed annually in California and 2,000,000 in Maine we import large quantities of sardines each year.

MICHIGAN CARROT CROP BRINGING HIGH PRICE

Michigan Carrot growers are prospering because their southern competitors got "cold feet" last fall and simply reduced acreage. Prices on the old crop have advanced 100 per cent within a month. Farmers now are receiving 75 to 90 cents a bushel for good quality old carrots, compared with 30 to 40 cents earlier in the winter. Growers in Texas are reported to be receiving \$1.25 to \$1.75 a hamper for bunched carrots, compared with less than \$1 a year ago.

Mystery of Figures Woman's intuition is wonderful but not when she tackles the family budget.—Shoe and Leather Reporter.

VRIESLAND

On Saturday afternoon Mr. John Meengs, Mr. John De Jonge, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Meengs of Vriesland attended the funeral at First Reformed church, Holland, for their cousin, Mr. P. Luidens.

Prayer day services were held Wednesday forenoon, followed by a short prayer meeting. This gave the ladies an opportunity to hear Miss Johanna Venstra, who spoke in Holland in the afternoon.

Bert Scholten of Holland and S. Lucas of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wabeke of Vriesland last Thursday.

The surprise of our lives to see this belated winter but it will do the farmers much good.

OVERISEL

Rev. William Pyle and M. A. Nienhuis attended services at Trinity Reformed church in Holland on Sunday evening.

Jac. Kleinhekel has the plans all ready for building a new home on his property in the village this spring. They have begun digging for the basement.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Nienhuis and George Nienhuis attended the funeral of Arthur W. Nienhuis held Thursday afternoon at the home, and the Crisp Reformed church, with Rev. P. D. Van Vliet officiating.

Garret Vander Riet has discontinued school for a time because of eye trouble. Rev. Vander Riet and son expect to go Rochester to Mayo Brothers institution some time this week when Garret's eyes will be thoroughly examined.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Schipper from Holland visited at the Dr. I. R. De Vries home recently.

The pictures of Japan and China shown by Rev. William J. Van Kersen of Holland last Thursday evening were very much enjoyed by all.

The belated winter is making up for lost time. The ground hog and everything is covered. At that it is a good thing for crops, fruit and overshoes.

ZEELAND

Rev. John H. Beld, pastor of the Christian Reformed church at Comstock, Mich., passed away at a hospital in Ann Arbor on Sunday evening following a major surgical operation, having attained the age of 56 years. Rev. Beld was well known to many people in this vicinity, having married a former Zeeland girl, Miss Helen Janssen, and also serving as pastor of the Christian Reformed church at Lamont upon ordination in 1907, serving several churches until 1919 when he accepted missionary work among the Jewish people in Chicago for two years. He is survived by his widow, and one daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Mulder. The funeral services were held at Comstock Wednesday, and burial was made in Zeeland cemetery.

Mrs. Van Dragt of Zeeland is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Willis Hulman, during the illness of the latter's husband.

The grade pupils of the public schools are planning another program for the parents and teachers which will be given Tuesday, March 15, in the gymnasium. The winning oration and declamation will be given and the male quartet of the First Reformed church will furnish music. The time is 7:45 p. m.

The Zeeland West End Fire association held its annual meeting at the West End garage last Thursday evening, when the following officers were elected: Mr. Frank Hoogland, president; Peter Meeuwse, vice president; John Baar, secretary-treasurer, and H. Holtege, vice secretary-treasurer.

The W. C. T. U. of Zeeland will meet at the home of Mrs. A. C. Vanden Bosch, West Central avenue, Friday afternoon, March 18, at 2:30 o'clock. There will be election of officers at this meeting.

James Koope of Hamilton submitted to a surgical operation at the Zeeland hospital on last Friday morning.

Mrs. Abel Westendorp on last Wednesday, March 2, celebrated her seventy-eighth birthday anniversary at her home on Jefferson street, Zeeland, quietly, but received the congratulations of her children and other relatives on the happy occasion. Among those calling on her on that day were Mr. and Mrs. Elte Westendorp, Mrs. Anna Kaper, Miss Gertrude Kaper, Mrs. Dina Van Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. James Westendorp and son, Alvin, Miss Minnie Westendorp and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph De Haan.

After a lingering illness of several months, Mr. Bert Le Poire passed away at his home on Lincoln street last Thursday evening, having attained the age of 62 years.

Mr. Le Poire was well known in this community, having lived on a farm just south of the city limits on State street for many years before making his home on Lincoln street, and for several years an employee of this city. He is survived by his widow, one son, Henry Le Poire, and one daughter, Mrs. John Koope, also five grandchildren.

The funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at the home and at the First Christian Reformed church, Rev. William Kok officiating, and interment was made in Zeeland cemetery.

Just \$2 will buy one of the pioneer editions of the "Stepping Stone," and next week, Tuesday, March 15, will be the very last day to get your orders in.

The little infant-baby girl, Shirley Mae, four days of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kuipers, died at the Huisenga hospital Tuesday morning. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kuipers; one sister, Geneva, and four brothers, George, Alvin, James and Chester. Rev. J. Van Peursem conducted the funeral services at the home, and burial was made in Zeeland cemetery.

Little Nora Belle, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank De Young, Jr., passed away at her home on North Colonial street in Zeeland last Saturday evening after being ill with pneumonia a few days. Besides her parents, she leaves her aged grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Boeve of East Holland, and Mrs. Frank De Young, Sr., of Jamestown. The funeral services were held at the home and at the Second Reformed church on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. R. J. Vanden Berg officiating. Burial was made in the cemetery at Zeeland.

Mrs. Anna Vos, who was injured when she fell down the stairs at her home on East Central avenue, a few weeks ago, has again recovered sufficiently so that she is able to do her own housework.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Venema, West McKinley street, Zeeland, on Monday, March 7, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lemson on Vriesland road, Saturday, March 5, a daughter.

Mrs. Richard Nies of Zeeland is substituting as teacher of grades 6, 7 and 8 in the public schools at Borculo, for Ted Boot, the regular teacher, who is ill.

Mrs. Peter Dykema of Zeeland submitted to an operation in Huisenga Memorial hospital last week. She is now improving nicely.

The honor roll in the grade schools at Zeeland is again of good size during February. Here they are: Sixth Grade—Margaret Berghorst, Rosabel De Haan, Gordon Holleman, Milton Roelofs, Margaret Shoemaker, Agnes Walters, Joan Ver Lee, Nella Pyle, Harold Van Dragt, Agnes Sneller, Jane Veneklassen, Katherine Seinen, Adeline Zuwerink, George Baron, Doris Van Hoven, Vivian Moeke. Fifth Grade—Gradus Shoemaker, Goldie Hoeve, Amy Vandoren Bosch, Carl Danielson. Florence Donia, Lois Vanden Berg, Kenneth Vanden Meulen, Jay Kamp, Constance Teigenhof, Barbara Van Volkenburgh, Viola Rykze, Ross Klark, Willard Schipper, June De Weerd, Florence Bouvens, Leona Wagenaar, Jason Schrotenboer, Marion Ypma, Dorothy Heyboer. Fourth Grade—Helen De Pree, Mildred Shoemaker, Olga Baar, Donald Boes, Barbara Holland Heuvel, Mary Jane Kraak, Randall Dekker, Dorothy Bouvens, Doris Van Dragt, Jerome Walters, Jane Lois Wyngarden, Gerard Looman, Cora Wabbe, Rose Winstrom, Betty Wyngarden, Julia Schuitema, Ward Derks, Anna Mae Bos, Robert De Witt, Emelema De Zwaan, Milton Wyngarden, Harriet Pyle, Donna Brower, Betty Plasman, Dorothy Buckler.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Tellman motored to Muskegon last week, Wednesday, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Ben Lugten was in Grand Rapids last week, Friday.

"I told you so!" This fast time is no good. It gets everybody all mixed up so that no one knows what time it is even of the year. Here we have all been thinking for months back that it was winter; we celebrated the old new years and just when we were getting fish nets up and preparing for spring winter jumps on us. Now we have to go through the whole thing again. The worse part of it is that most of us have used up all our

NEW GRONINGEN

Egbert Schipper, former resident of New Groningen, died Monday at his home in Grant, Michigan. He has many friends in this community as well as in Holland and Zeeland. He is survived by three sons, George and John of Grant, and Jay of Fremont, and three daughters, Miss Sadie Schipper at home, Mrs. Albertus Derks of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. William Takken of route 3, Holland; also twelve grandchildren. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon in Grant.

EBENEZER

Rev. John F. Schortinghuis, pastor of the Reformed church at Ebenezer, reports that on Monday evening, Feb. 29, the paragon was the scene of a leap year birthday party in honor of the pastor. Last year's members of Consistory and those now in office, together with their wives, had been invited, but on account of illness three families were unable to attend.

A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all those present. Elder H. H. Boeve read a clever poem of his own composition, wherein he announced, as a surprise to the pastor and his wife, that the church had been canvassed and \$200 had been collected for the purpose of equipping the paragon, with electric lights and fixtures. On behalf of the guests Mr. Boeve also presented the pastor with a personal gift.

Rev. Schortinghuis responded with a few appropriate remarks, expressing his appreciation, especially on the part of the congregation to undertake such improvements at a time when money is not plentiful. The enterprise is but an indication of the fine spirit of cooperation and good will that the Lord has wrought, and for which the congregation is very thankful.

This excellent spirit is manifested in good attendance at all meetings, especially the midweek prayer meetings. Also all the organizations of the church are busily at work.

After these glad tidings and fitting response the rest of the evening was spent in interesting contests and games, the winners of which received useful prizes. The hostess, Mrs. Schortinghuis, assisted by two young ladies of the church, served a delicious lunch. All left with the happy anticipation that better lights will be a means in the hands of Providence to brighter spiritual light and deeper devotion to God and His kingdom.

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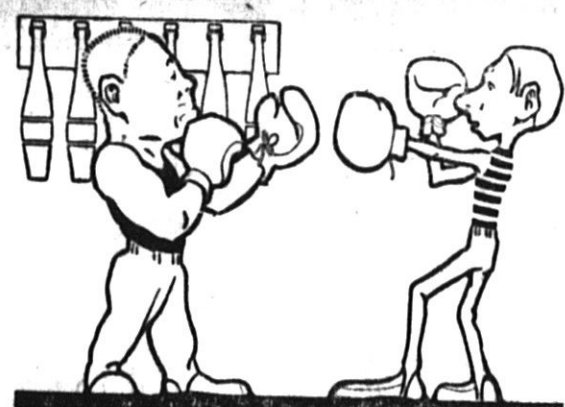
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Butter fat	22c
Beef (steers and heifers)	10-11c
Pork, light	8c
Pork, heavy	4-5c
Veal, No. 1	9-10c
Veal, No. 2	6-7c
Spring Lamb	10c
Mutton	5-6c
Chickens, h. 5-lbs. and over	15c
Chickens, Leghorns	10-11c
Broilers, 2 lbs. average	18c
Turkeys	20c

Grain Markets	
Wheat, old	48c
Wheat, new	35c
Eye	35c
Corn, bushel	38c
Oats	27c
Hide Markets	
Horse Hides	\$1.25
Beef Hides	2c
Calf Skins (country)	3c

LOCAL NEWS

The first time this season the city snow plows were out and have been practically the entire week. March sure has lion traits and some very cold days in store. Monday was the coldest March day in years, 12 above zero.

William A. Bilz, elected to head the Peoples ticket at the recent caucus held in Spring Lake, was withdrawn as a candidate for president of the village and the election board selected Jacob Braak, well known baker of that village, to run against George Christman, head of the Progressive ticket. Mr. Bilz is well known in Holland.

The post office of Coopersville is temporarily located in the village hall. The building destroyed by fire Monday morning doubtless will be rebuilt as soon as weather conditions are favorable and arrangements have been made with post office officials.

Coach Bud Hinga's Hope college quint closed its conference schedule at Holland by defeating Alma 38-33. The triumph gives to the Dutchmen an even break in M.I.A.A. play this year and undisputed third place in the standings.

The Camp Fire Girls of Holland will hold a Vesper service at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, March 13, at Hope church. This service is held in commemoration of the national birthday week of Camp Fire Girls. All parents and friends of the girls are cordially invited to attend.

Tuesday, Mrs. Emma Brandt of East Drenthe and Miss Hester Cook of Zeeland were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Groenewoud, West 15th Street.

Mrs. Geert Moeke, 77, succumbed at her home in Zeeland following a short illness. She was a resident of Zeeland for a number of years and was a member of North Street Christian Reformed church. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home and 2 o'clock at North Street Christian Reformed church. Rev. H. E. Oostendorp officiated and burial was in Borkulo cemetery.

John C. Hoekje, registrar at Western State Teachers College, Kalamazoo, Hope College graduate, and son of a former Holland record minister, has kept a record of misspellings of his name. He has discovered that his six-letter name has been written 117 different ways, ranging from four to eight letters. Hoekje's father was one of Hope's pioneer graduates. His brother, Rev. W. G. Hoekje, and sister, Mrs. H. V. E. Stegeman, are Reformed missionaries in Japan. Two other sisters, Hannah G. Hoekje and Elizabeth C. Hoekje, are teachers in Holland High school. The six members are enrolled among Hope alumni.—Grand Rapids Press.

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TEN BARS
Saturday morning 10 bars of Fels Naptha soap for 45 cents at Montgomery Ward's, 25-27 East 8th street, Holland. See other bargains in their jubilee advertisement on this page.

The Globe Tailoring Co. man is at the Lakker-Rutgers Co. See the announcement elsewhere.

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Miss Jeanne Van Zyl has returned from a business visit to Chicago.

Miss Janet Derks and Miss Dora Ver Beek are spending two weeks visiting friends in Highland Park, Illinois.

Mrs. Charles H. McBride left Thursday for Boston, Mass., where she will join her daughter, Mrs. Maxine Horgan, for a three weeks' trip to Bermuda.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. Kluitenberg, 65 East Seventh street, on March 5, a son, Richard J.

Mrs. Jacob VanderVeen, aged 63, formerly of Georgetown township, died at the home of her son in Grand Rapids. She is survived by two sons, Coy VanderVeen of Grandville, and John VanderVeen of Grand Rapids; three daughters, Mrs. John Koopman of Hudsonville and Mrs. Simon Dornbos and Miss Anna VanderVeen of Grand Rapids; eight brothers, William, Gerrit and Hans Kooyers of Forest Grove, Will H. Kooyers of Muskegon and John, Henry and Marvin Kooyers of Zeeland; four sisters, Mrs. John Feenstra of Beaverdam and Mrs. Harry Vinkemulder, Mrs. Herman Goerts and Mrs. Edward Hop of Olive township. Funeral Saturday at Jonison Christian Reformed church, with burial in Georgetown cemetery.

MALT TAX EARNINGS SENT TO COUNTIES

On April 1, the state will pay an additional \$250,000 on its debt to the counties for the care of tuberculosis patients in county institutions. Since the malt tax law became effective last spring, the state has previously paid the various counties \$500,000. Total revenue from this source, according to Department of State records, will exceed \$800,000 by April 1.

CHARLES DALMAN ADMITS SEVERAL THEFTS IN CITY

Charles Dalman, 17, of Holland, who is being held in Grand Haven on a charge of entering the city library and taking \$31.50 in small coins, has admitted a number of minor thefts. The youth, who was under parole, is in the county jail. He is alleged to have confessed the following thefts: The taking of \$31.50 from the library; \$13 at one time and \$13.50 later during basketball games at Carnegie gymnasium; on six occasions at the armory the following amounts were obtained: \$5, \$5, \$3.50, \$4, \$4 and \$7.50, and a purse containing 50 cents was taken from the Masonic temple, making a total of \$75.35. Theft of cigarettes from two filling stations here were added.

The Kiss by Mail
The use of crosses for kisses owes its origin to the time when few could write and made their signatures by a cross. The latter was solemnly kissed in token of faith, and when education rendered an X signature unnecessary, the X was used as a kiss symbol only.

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FILLMORE

Mrs. Jane Bomers, 75, former resident of Fillmore, died early Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Speet, 136 West Twenty-seventh street, following a lingering illness. Mrs. Bomers, who was born in Fillmore township on June 4, 1856, had been a resident of Holland for about 30 years. Her husband died about a year and a half ago. Mrs. Bomers was a member of Ninth Street Christian Reformed church. The deceased is survived by two sons, William and Benjamin Vandenberg of Volga, South Dakota, and a daughter, Mrs. Speet, 44 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

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ZEELAND CLASS PLAY POSTPONED — TOO MUCH DOING

Three events of real importance have come into the usual Zeeland school routine to cause the postponement of Miss Cherryblossom until the latter part of April.

The less said about the flu epidemic the better. Ask anyone who took a forced vacation.

The fine showing of the basketball team at Grand Rapids during the past week makes further strenuous competition in the regional tournament this week. Four of the boys on the team take important roles in the operetta.

MINNESOTAN SENTENCED TO 30 DAYS IN JAIL FROM ZEELAND

Frank W. Mann of Minneapolis was brought to the county jail yesterday morning by the sheriff's officers following a sentence of 30 days and a fine of \$25 imposed by Justice J. N. Clark of Zeeland for obtaining money under false pretenses. In default of the fine he is to spend another 30 days in the jail.

Mann, a former salesman of refrigerators, was accused of accepting down payments without delivering the refrigerators. He was located at the county jail at Mason county and held for the Ottawa county officers. The complaint was made by J. DePree of Zeeland, where the man was operating.

HOLLAND COAST GUARDS GO OUT IN BIG STORM

The Holland coast guard crew had a harrowing experience Sunday when they searched Lake Michigan in a raging storm for the missing fishing tug, White Flier. The boat had broken down but reached Chicago safely.

The brave Holland crew, nevertheless, did their duty.

ZEELAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL WILL RENDER PROGRAM

The pupils of the Zeeland School for Christian instruction will render a patriotic program in the auditorium of the First Christian Reformed church this Friday evening, at 7:45 o'clock.

Fire Wrecks Two Homes In Ferrysburg

In the teeth of a biting gale and snowstorm, with the temperatures but a few degrees above zero, fire fighters from Grand Haven, for lack of water, were obliged to see two frame houses in Ferrysburg totally destroyed by fire last night about 10:30 p. m., the estimated loss, with the contents of one house, approximating \$4,000.

Fire originated in the home of Robert Lytle. The cause is said to have been an overheated chimney. Within a few minutes the house was a mass of flames from which Mr. Lytle and his family escaped, taking with them only the radio. They had retired for the night, when the fire was discovered.

MR. VANDE WATER SPEAKS AT PEP MEET

Zeeland Record: Thursday noon at ten o'clock a short pep meeting was held in the assembly. With the victory over Godwin Heights a pep meeting was held Friday noon at ten o'clock. Mr. Vandewater was the speaker Friday noon. With the information given us by Mr. Vandewater and the pep of the Student Body, two more victories were won for Zeeland High. Friday night Zeeland beat Grandville 13-11 and Saturday night they beat Holland Christian 14-12. Hurray for Zeeland! Next week we'll do the same when we go to the Regionals at Union High School. We will play Woodland at that time.

JOHN VAN ANROOY DEFEATED DEFEATED AS MAYOR OF GRAND HAVEN

Peter Ver Duin was re-elected mayor of Grand Haven Monday by a majority of 315 over his opponent, John F. Van Anrooy, one time of Holland, former chairman of the board of supervisors. Ver Duin's vote was 926 and Van Anrooy's, 611. Ver Duin was the main figure in an illegal fish case recently brought by Conservation Officer Maurice Kuite of Holland. There was a disagreement in the first trial but the mayor of Grand Haven was found not guilty in the second trial.

TEN BARS

Saturday morning 10 bars of Fels Naptha soap for 45 cents at Montgomery Ward's, 25-27 East 8th street, Holland. See other bargains in their jubilee advertisement on this page.

GRAAFSCHAP

John Schamper, 51, died Wednesday evening at his home near Graafschap. He was born in Crisp on May 8, 1881. The deceased is survived by his wife and seven children, Harry, Mrs. Josephine De Vries, Clarence, Harvey, Esther, Gordon and Hazel, all at home; one brother, Charles, of Crisp, and three sisters, Mrs. Charles Droeis, Mrs. Jane Nykerk, both of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. George Layle of Bay City.

Funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock at the home and at 2 o'clock at Sixteenth Street Christian Reformed church. Rev. P. Jonker will officiate. Burial will take place in North Holland cemetery. Friends are requested to omit flowers.

OPEN WINTER IS AID TO FISH

MEANS MUCH NEW FOOD AND VERY LITTLE LOSS OF LIFE, SAY OLD TIMERS

It has been definitely proven that a succession of cold winters, particularly following summer of drought, result in more than average loss of fishes. Surface ice keeps fresh air from the water, and likewise prevents the stirring and cleansing action of the winds. Normal circulation and aeration of the water is greatly retarded when the ice is on for unusually long seasons.

Fishes naturally give off waste materials into the water; this waste is poison to gill-breathing species. A combination of unusually low water, followed by extremely heavy frost, means that fish are confined to abnormally restricted areas for more than an average number of days during the winter. This results in a heavy mortality.

The less desirable species, such as carp and bullheads, are able to resist waste poisoning to a far greater degree than perch, bass and pike. It is of course natural that fish, such as trout, that are used to the swiftest and cleanest of waters, would be least resistant to toxic poisoning.

Each spring and fall there is a complete "upsetting" of water in lakes. This is due to natural wind attraction combined with inequality of temperature. It has been noted that the "working" of the water in several inland lakes of Michigan this past fall and early winter has been decidedly abnormal, weeds being thrown up on the shore of these lakes from the violent upsetting action day after day.

Old timers say that unusually heavy lake "workings" in the fall, particularly if followed by open winter, means much new food for fishes and very little loss of life during the cold weather.

CENTRAL PARK

Fourteen young people came to the consistory meeting at the church in spite of the stormy weather Tuesday evening and were received into the fellowship of the church, the public profession to take place Easter Sunday.

The Friendly Circle of the Willing Workers' Aid society met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. J. Rosendahl with Mrs. John Van Der Werf as the assistant hostess.

The Golden Rule Circle of the Aid Society met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Kuiper with Mrs. Albert Kuiper as the assistant hostess.

There was a large delegation of women from Central Park attending the meeting of the federation held in the Memorial chapel Wednesday afternoon.

Prayer Day services were held in the church Wednesday evening. The minister spoke on the "Relationship of Godliness and Prosperity."

The family of Peter Timmer is soon to move into the house owned by George Fletcher.

A surprise party was held at the home of George St. John, the occasion being the birthday of Mrs. St. John and the birthday of Mrs. St. John and the birthday of Mrs. St. John.

The following neighbors were present: Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Van Der Meer, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. De Pree, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Miles and Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Van Dyke.

The following were elected to office at the consistory meeting Tuesday evening: Vice president, Dick Miles; clerk, Dick Van Der Meer; treasurer, Bernard J. Rosendahl; secretary of the deacons, Justin Kronmeyer; accountant, Henry Van Den Berg.

CENTRAL PARK CHURCH—Two miles west on U. S. 31, Rev. F. J. Van Dyke, minister.

10:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon, "Our Lamps Lit by God." Anthem, "The Radiant Morn," by Woodward. Prelude, "Aria," by Handel. Postlude, "Alleluia," by Handel.

11:30 a. m.—Sunday school. 2:00 p. m.—Junior Endeavor. Topic, "The Last Supper. Jesus Loving and Serving." Leader, Robert Harkema. Kenneth Van Den Berg and Robert F. Van Dyk will also tell a story bearing on the topic.

6:30 p. m.—Senior Endeavor. Topic, "Do I Want to Be a Christian?" Leader, Miss Edna Berkomas.

7:30 p. m.—Evening worship. Sermon, "The Perversion of Conscience." Anthem, "Remember Now Thy Creator," by Adams. Prelude, "Evening Star," by Wagner. Postlude, "Festival March," by Teilmann.

Altogether too many people consider conscience as a safe guide in the moral life forgetting that conscience needs to be enlightened by the truth of God's Word and we are so prone to listen to the approval of a perverted conscience. This is a matter worth serious consideration. All are welcome to our services.

IMMANUEL CHURCH—Services in the Armory, corner Central avenue and Ninth street, Rev. J. Lanting, pastor.

9:30 a. m.—Prayer meeting second floor.

10:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon, "The Feast of First Fruits."

11:15 a. m.—Sunday school. 3:00 p. m.—Allegan jail service. 7:15 p. m.—Evening worship. Sermon, "Blind Eyes Opened."

You are invited to enjoy this message from the Word of God and bring with you a friend who perhaps is not saved. The need is great and the Gospel of Jesus Christ is still the Power of God Unto Salvation.

Tuesday Evening—Young Peoples' Bible class is taught by Mr. Lanting. All young people are urged to come out and enjoy these meetings.

Wednesday Evening—Gospel services in the West Olive schoolhouse. Mr. James Ver Lee of Zeeland and the Orenda quartet will have charge of the services.

Wednesday Evening—The Personal Workers will conduct a meeting in the Berean church at Grand Haven.

Thursday Evening—The pastor teaches a Bible class speaking on the subject "From Egypt to Canaan." Do not miss it.

Friday Evening—Ottawa county jail services.

Saturday Evening—Cottage prayer meetings in the homes.

Watch for coming Bible conference in the Armory.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE DRAWS 250 TEACHERS

The program in Holland High school for city and rural teachers of southern Ottawa county Tuesday brought out at least 250 teachers.

The program was carried out as officially given in the last issue of The News.

Mr. Gerrit G. Groenewoud, of Holland, county commissioner of schools, acted as conductor of the day.

There were morning and afternoon sessions, while all the pupils enjoyed a holiday.

Miss Veenstra Tells of Horr of Of Leper Camp

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tell me you have given up spirit worship?"

"Yes," he answered, "ever since I first heard you tell about Jesus when you came up to the top of our hill, I have believed in Him and have not done spirit worship."

"You believe in prayer," Miss Veenstra continued. "Well, let me tell you of an incident which will convince you that God does hear and answer prayer. In Africa the English government supports a leper colony. The doctor who was working among these lepers was also a missionary. He not only wanted to help them physically but also spiritually, and preached the gospel of Jesus Christ unto them."

A resident in the province approached this doctor one day and asked him if he did not know that preaching the gospel to these lepers was forbidden by the English government, who supported the colony. The doctor replied that he was not aware of the fact. Inquiry was made with the result that the official in charge stated that preaching the gospel was forbidden.

"Then," said the missionary, "I will go back to the colony of 400 lepers and tell them to roll up their mats and go home."

The resident reported this to the governor of Nigeria. The leper colony was allowed to continue as before. Their prayer was heard. The governor sent a telegram saying the colony should continue with the doctor in charge also having the privilege of bringing the gospel and all this was the direct result of the prayer of these 400 lepers. The work is going on.

"I want to tell you of another incident also. I was sitting on my veranda one day after the noonday rest. Rev. and Mrs. Hood were with me at the time, since no white woman is allowed to stay all by herself in these inland stations. The station of the Hoods, some 55 miles from Donga, was closed for the time. A man came to my hut and asked would we go back with him immediately since his wife was very ill. His compound was at the Hood station 55 miles away. He was a confessing Christian whom Mr. Hood knew well. The man had come the 55 miles on bicycle, and for the first time I saw an African man shed tears. The man pleaded for me to come and help his wife. The case was the most difficult one and from a human viewpoint the woman had not much chance to live. Mr. Hood desired we do what we could and so I said, 'Very well, we will go.' We prepared for the journey which was to be made by motorcycle, and since I knew I would have no time for devotions in the evening I took time before I left. It so happened that the portion set aside for my devotions that day contained these words: 'And there stood by me this night an angel of the Lord.'

"I went into my room and prayed: 'O Lord, this is just what I need, an angel of the Lord to help me in this night,' and immediately I was calm. I hurried over the 55 miles, and came to the river which we had to cross just before dark. The natives will not cross after dark since there are crocodiles, alligators and hippos, and, of course, rocks, etc., to contend with. We called for a canoe and went over to the other side, then sent word to see if the woman was living. She was and so I went up to see her immediately. I found her on a mat far away from her husband's compound with two old women bending over her. They had taken her there to die as soon as her husband had left for mp station.

"Wouldn't you like to go back into your husband's hut?" I asked. "The older women quickly answered, 'No, no, she must not.' 'I, however, asked the sick woman again, 'Wouldn't you like me to take you to your husband's hut?' 'She smiled and said: 'Please bring me there.' 'I picked her up and carried her there. Oh, how hopeless the case appeared, and how helpless I felt. How I prayed for help and guidance, and after some time the unbelievable happened and the woman became well. You can imagine what this meant in a village where almost all of the inhabitants were spirit worshippers. Upon our arrival at Donga again we told Mrs. Hood the story, and she replied: 'While you were gone I began to wonder if there wasn't something I could do, and so I called together the married men here and together we prayed that your work might be blessed by Him, and He has answered our prayer.' 'Oh, yes, love is kind, and the Lord does answer prayer.' 'And now in four weeks I will be leaving these shores for Africa to join again my beloved co-workers, Miss Breen, and the people whom I have come to love so dearly. Am I sorry to go? Oh, no! While on my furlough I have found that people in the homeland are praying for us and our work out there in Africa. This true, the work becomes most difficult at times and sometimes we become depressed and discouraged, but then I want to remember that love is kind, and when temptation arises to be critical of fellow missionaries and of fellow Christians, then, too, I want to remember as a hand writing on the wall that love is kind."

"And as a tiny farewell message, I want to say this: Maybe some of you would like to become missionaries and feel dissatisfied because you feel you are doing, only the little things. We cannot all go, but we can all obey the command 'Be Ye Faithful,' and if sometimes you feel that the little you do is unnoticed remember that love is kind, and thus may God, by His blessed Spirit as you tarry here in the homeland, and I go back to my work in Africa, taking with me another worker from this vicinity, help us all to remember always that 'Love is Kind.'"

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Local Election Turns Out To Be Very Tame

THREE MAYOR CANDIDATES
GO BACK ON THE BALLOT
IN APRIL

Old Time Question Brings Us Back
Where We Were Before

As was predicted in last week's Holland City News the primary Monday was an apathetic affair, less than half of the entire vote coming out to express their preference in candidates.

The Daylight Savings time question was one of the matters that brought out the vote even stronger than would have been the case had this proposal not come up. It is evident from the vote that citizens wanted to go back to the old time, Daylight Savings time in the summer, and Central Standard time in the winter as has been in vogue before this year. Eastern Standard time was defeated by a big margin of 573 votes.

In the mayoralty contest former Mayor Nicodemus Bosch received the highest number of votes, Alderman Al Kleis second and Dick Boter third. According to the tabulation elsewhere in this issue the three candidates will have to contest again.

Nick Sprietsma, having no opposition for treasurer, was unanimously elected.

For justice of the peace Stephan was eliminated in the primaries, but the names of De Keyser and Hoffman will appear on the April ballot.

There was quite a battle on for supervisor, Ben Brower, Herman Van Tongeren, Joe Geerts, and William O. Van Eyck qualifying for the April ballot. Bert Huijzen and Ed Vanden Berg, who is now a supervisor, were eliminated.

In the board of public works Simon Kleyn was elected over Abel Postma by a small majority.

For police commissioner Henry Ketel and Tony Groeneveld will try conclusions at the April election. However, Huijzen was eliminated.

The aldermen elected are Henry Prins in the first ward, John Woltman in the second ward, Albert Van Zoeren in the third ward, Bert Habing in the fourth ward, and Fritz N. Jonkman in the fifth ward. Mr. Prins, Mr. Woltman, Mr. Habing and Mr. Jonkman are at present serving as aldermen. The third ward will have a new alderman in Albert Van Zoeren, he "running like a house afire." Albert had more votes than his two opponents together.

In the sixth ward "Bill" Thompson, the present alderman, will have to try conclusions with Albert E. Van Lente, his nearest opponent. John H. De Feyter and Del Souter were short the required

Embarrassing Moments

BRINGING AN UNEXPECTED
FRIEND HOME TO DINNER ON
THE DAY THE MISSUS DECIDES
TO START SPRING HOUSE-
CLEANING



number of ballots.

As far as the constables are concerned the winners will be found in the tabulation.

The total number of votes cast in the city Monday was 3,009. The registered vote in Holland at the last registration was a trifle over 6,500.

Below is given a full tabulation by wards showing the total number of votes received by the different candidates:

Ward	Total	Votes	Bosch	Boter	Kleis
First	579	282	99	192	141
Second	155	80	49	44	44
Third	453	208	115	129	144
Fourth	573	277	153	206	141
Fifth	732	297	123	206	244
Sixth	517	221	134	160	141

Totals *1345 *773 *866

(*)—Qualified.

Ward	Total	Votes	Sprietsma
First	579	282	463
Second	155	80	111
Third	453	208	386
Fourth	573	277	501
Fifth	732	297	620
Sixth	517	221	404

Totals *2485

(*)—Elected.

Ward	Total	Votes	Justice of the Peace
First	579	282	91
Second	155	80	17
Third	453	208	142
Fourth	573	277	121
Fifth	732	297	136
Sixth	517	221	62

Totals *961 *1295 *569

(*)—Qualified.

Ward	Total	Votes	Supervisors
First	579	282	171
Second	155	80	69
Third	453	208	168
Fourth	573	277	221
Fifth	732	297	206
Sixth	517	221	143

Totals *1330 *975 *381 *784 *985

(*)—Qualified.

Ward	Total	Votes	Board of Public Works
First	579	282	169
Second	155	80	42
Third	453	208	207
Fourth	573	277	260
Fifth	732	297	378
Sixth	517	221	264

Totals *1454

(*)—Elected.

Ward	Total	Votes	Police Board
First	579	282	197
Second	155	80	67
Third	453	208	87
Fourth	573	277	95
Fifth	732	297	200
Sixth	517	221	126

Totals *1259 *752

(*)—Qualified.

Ward	Total	Votes	Aldermen
First	579	282	297
Second	155	80	271
Third	453	208	42
Fourth	573	277	98
Fifth	732	297	69
Sixth	517	221	69

Totals *1320

(*)—Qualified.

Ward	Total	Votes	Constable
First	579	282	453
Second	155	80	73
Third	453	208	68
Fourth	573	277	228
Fifth	732	297	228
Sixth	517	221	231

Totals *1236

(*)—Qualified.

Ward	Total	Votes	Consistors
First	579	282	231
Second	155	80	73
Third	453	208	68
Fourth	573	277	228
Fifth	732	297	228
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Totals *1236

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RESULT OF HOLLAND TOWNSHIP PRIMARIES

The primary election of Holland Township was held Monday, March 7, with the following results:

Albert Hyma was elected supervisor, having received 437 votes, with John Essenburg receiving 109, Nicholas Hoffman, Sr., 68, and Egbert Boone 19 votes.

Charles Eilander, the present clerk, received 378 votes in the primaries while A. Ralph Van Raalte received 42 votes; Joe E. Kardux, 58 votes; Henry A. Van Putten, 41 votes, and George Lemmen, 107 votes.

John Eilander had no opponent for the treasurer's office and naturally will continue as treasurer of Holland Township. A total of 549 votes were cast for Mr. Eilander.

For Highway Commissioner Gerrit H. Ter Beek received 244 votes; Ben B. Lemmen, 216 votes, while 156 votes were for Peter Kuysers.

As Justice of the Peace Walter Vander Haar had no opposition, which also holds true of Gerrit B. Lemmen, who ran for member of Board of Review.

Henry Boss, Arthur Tors and Milo Oosterbaan were elected as constables, having no opposition. As Overseers in District No. 1, Peter Heyboer received 30 votes; John Geerts, 34 votes, and John Bouws, 14 votes.

In District No. 2 Manus Laarmann polled 67 votes as Overseer.

For Overseer in District No. 3 Thomas Kraai received 99 votes while William Venhuizen received 172.

In District No. 4 Albert Kapenga polled 71 votes while 74 votes were given for Albert Daining.

In District No. 5 Fred Sandy received 31 votes with Ben Kole getting 23.

PARK TOWNSHIP PRIMARIES WERE HELD SATURDAY

The Park Township primaries brought out a large number of voters Saturday with the following results:

First Precinct—George Heneveld for supervisor, 137; second precinct, 237, giving him a total of 374, assuring his election.

For Clerk—Art Witteveen, first precinct, 97; John Klomprens, 58; second precinct, Witteveen, 105; Klomprens, 139, giving Witteveen 5 majority.

For treasurer, first precinct—Albert Kuipers, 2; Ben Nyland, 29; George W. Straight, 123; Albert Kronemeyer, 6. Second precinct, Albert Kuipers, 61; Ben Nyland, 84; Albert Kronemeyer, 76; Geo. W. Straight, 35.

The following officers had no opposition: Ray Tardiff, John Vander Veen, Otto Wagner, Clyde Taylor.

For overseer in District No. 1 Albert Timmer won over Henry Lugers, Jr., the former having 131 votes and the latter 118.

Overseers in the Second District—Otto Witteveen, 70 votes; Henry Thalen, 49 votes.

Overseer in District No. 3—Ed Kammeraad received 24; Henry Vanden Brink received 17 votes.

Relative to the question of placing the treasurer on a salary instead of on fees the voters stood as follows: First precinct, 108 yes, 42 no; second precinct, 112 yes, 133 no. In the future the treasurer will be on a salary, the decision having been made by 45 votes.

The Consistors of the Union of the classis of Holland will hold a meeting Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the Reformed church at Vriesland. Rev. J. F. Schortinghuis, pastor of Ebenezer church, will be the speaker. His topic will be "Is Discipline in Disrepute?"

Lois De Pree Hope's 1932 Valedictorian

FOURTEEN MEMBERS RECEIVE
HONORABLE MENTION IN
CLASS OF 1932

At last Wednesday's chapel service, the names of Hope's highest students were announced by Registrar Thomas E. Welmers. The list included twenty-four names with the honors equally divided between the young ladies and men. The highest average attained for the three and a half years of college work is 95.20. This distinction belongs to Miss Lois De Pree of Zeeland, our 1932 valedictorian. The privilege of giving the farewell speech to classmates, professors, and friends was Miss De Pree's before when she gave the valedictory address in the Zeeland High School. Contrary to general belief that the student of a high scholastic attainment is "a book worm" and little addicted to social pleasures or any other interests, Miss De Pree has devoted her time and interest to the Chapel Choir, the Glee Club, and has actively participated in Sorosis.

The second honor, that of salutatorian, goes to Roger Voskuil of Cedar Grove, Wis., whose average is 95.18. Mr. Voskuil has also been valedictorian in high school and, like Miss De Pree, engages equally well in extra-curricular activities, being a member of the Chapel Choir, the Glee Club, and the Cosmopolitan Fraternity. Upon graduating from Hope, Mr. Voskuil plans to enter a graduate school, where he will undertake research in biochemistry.

To both these people we extend congratulations and a sincere wish that their future work, the former as teacher of English and the latter as doctor, may be as brilliant as their record at Hope College.

Honorable mention must also be made of Arthur Ter Keurst of Hamilton, whose average is 95.13. Mr. Ter Keurst has been a student at Western State and Michigan University previous to his coming here, but although he ranks so highly, he is not qualified for either distinction because of a prevalent ruling that only those who have attended this college for four years are eligible.

The honor roll for 3½ years in addition includes:

Everett Welmers.....95.11
Ruby Aiken.....94.97
Ivan Johnson.....93.95
Martha Vandenbergh.....93.90
Edith Drescher.....93.59
Lois Marsille.....93.43
Henry Moll.....92.59
Helen Barre.....92.57
Rudolph Nichols.....92.40

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Mr. Robert Knowles of 148 West Seventeenth street submitted to an operation at Holland hospital Tuesday.

Geneva Dogger.....91.06
Jacob De Witt.....90.51
Vera Van Duren.....90.48
Harry Friesma.....90.37
Lester Ellerbrook.....90.30

And for two years here:
George Bares.....93.00
Marion Den Herder.....92.51
Richard Niesink.....92.50
George Painter.....91.92
Laurens Hollebrands.....91.27
Beatrice Van Keulen.....90.24
Cornelius Meyer.....90.03

FISHERMEN SIT, WATCH A FLAG

When a Fish Nibbles the Flag
Waves and the Fisherman
Pulls in the Fish

While the ice fishermen of southern Michigan are bawling the weather conditions that have rendered their sport almost nil so far this year, winter fishing through the ice is growing in popularity in this vicinity. Lake Cadillac is now well dotted with shanties and a number of record catches have been reported. The Lake Cadillac fishermen are making use of a new device known as a "tip-up," which renders it unnecessary for them to sit out in the cold weather and watch their lines. The "tip-up" consists of a stick with a curved end having a flag attached. When the fish nibbles, the flag gives a signal and the fisherman then goes out and pulls in his line.

BETTER HOME GARDENS SUBJECT AT PINE CREEK SCHOOL

"More and Better Home Gardens for 1932," will be the subject of a talk given by Charles Mahoney, specialist in gardens from Michigan State college, at two meetings in Ottawa county, arranged by County Extension Agents C. F. Milham and Esther C. Lott. Monday, March 14, at the Jenison public school at 7:30 p. m., and Tuesday, March 15, at 2:00 p. m. at the farm home of M. C. Van Kampen, Pine Creek, Park township. Mr. Mahoney will discuss growing conditions, the selection of proper varieties of vegetables suited to Michigan climate and insect control to improve quality in the home garden.

Ottawa county farmers and homemakers are determined this year more than ever before to get a larger share of the family living from the farm. "If food for a family of five costs \$5 then it makes considerable difference whether 80 per cent of it is produced on the farm or purchased," says Esther C. Lott, home demonstration agent. Town people with decreased employment and whose incomes are apt to be low during the coming year would do well to acquire a plot of land and convert it into a garden.

Mr. Mahoney will show the newer methods of irrigating the home garden to insure against drought and will advise on the proper fertilizer ratios to be used for various types of soil.

FIFTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED BY HOLLAND COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Habing of 244 West Twelfth street celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Tuesday. In honor of the occasion a number of relatives from Kalamazoo gathered at the home, the affair being a surprise to Mr. Habing.

Mr. and Mrs. Habing received many cards of congratulations as well as many gifts and flowers. Many friends and neighbors called during the day to congratulate the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Habing, who were both born in Kalamazoo, are 74 and 67 years old, respectively. They have been residents of Holland for 46 years. Mr. Habing is a mason contractor.

Mr. and Mrs. Habing are active members of Third Reformed church. They have one child, Bert Habing, who also resides in Holland.

OUDESLUYS CHOSEN AS THE CLASS ORATOR AT SEMINARY

Richard Oudsluys of Grand Rapids has been chosen to give the graduating class oration at the annual commencement of Western Theological Seminary on May 12.

Mr. Oudsluys graduated from Calvin College in 1929 and is at present considering a call to the First Reformed Church of Milwaukee.

Rev. Jacob Van Eas, pastor of the Reformed Church at Catskill, N. Y., and president of the board of superintendents, is to be the board speaker at the class exercises.

There are 13 in the graduating class.

ONLY 100!

More than 100 dandelion plants can spring from the seeds scattered when the wind blows apart the fluffy white head of a single dandelion blossom gone to seed.

The play also has several complications in the way of love affairs in which Harriet De Neff stars. This young lady has shown some exceptional ability as an amateur actor.

The scenes for the play are laid in and about New York. The first act pictures sordid New York tenement district, where Martha, as might be expected, is found in the kitchen. The second act reveals the drawing room of the wealthy bachelor's home and the third act portrays the servants' quarters on the bachelor estate. We will say no more about this phase of the play for that would be telling and we want you to see it and enjoy an evening of wholesome entertainment and encourage the efforts of your children in our public schools.

For many years the senior class plays have attracted large audiences and it is hoped that this year will be no exception to the rule. The wonderful efforts of our school students have been reflected in such plays as "Peg of My Heart," "Merry Mary Ann," "Daddy Long Legs," "The Whole Town is Talking," and a score of other productions.

Remember that the play is to be given at the High School Auditorium on the following dates: Beginning on Monday, March 21, and continuing in that week on March 22, 23 and 24, four nights.

"Martha By The Day" Is High School Play

MISS MARGARET VAN RAALTE
IS THE "TESS OF THE
STORM COUNTRY"

Holland High school seniors are to give an exceptional play for their annual entitled "Martha-by-the-Day." There are pathetic passages interspersed with unusual laughable incidents.

"Martha-by-the-Day" is one of those productions that keeps the audience interested through every act to the final. The cast has been rehearsing faithfully for some time and a dress rehearsal just before the four nights of staging the performance will soon be called.



MARGARET VAN RAALTE

The finishing touches are being put to stage settings and the little defects in the cast here and there are being ironed out.

Miss Margaret Van Raalte, a vivacious young lady in real life, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. K. Van Raalte, Maple avenue and Eleventh street, is playing the star role as "Martha

Zeeland Will Stage Chest Drive In March

HOSPITAL IS NEAR HEARTS OF THE ZEELAND FOLKS

Zeeland Record—The annual welfare drive for the community chest at Zeeland is again at hand and will be staged on the two days, Friday and Saturday, March 25 and 26.

Since the Dr. Thomas G. Huizinga Memorial hospital became a fact several years ago, the community welfare drive has been an annual event, and it has served to clean up in one drive many smaller calls for philanthropic aid by various solicitors during the year. It has done away with constant begging.

The greater share of the quota arrived at will be credited to the hospital fund, and it is expected that receipts will be apportioned on a pro rata basis except where contributions are made for any one specific purpose.

In former years contributions to various causes were made in a chaotic manner to individual solicitors, and the solicitor having the most pleasing approach or who came at the most opportune time received the best response regardless of the merit of his cause.

Since the establishment of the local hospital the welfare organization has determined to establish quotas for each worthy cause for which contributions will be asked, leaving all other benefits to individual consideration. In this consideration the quota for the local hospital has been placed at \$1500, the Salvation Army at \$150, the American Red Cross at \$100, and the incidental welfare fund at \$250, a total of \$2,000.00.

The value of this welfare work can only be fully appreciated when one comes into direct contact with the work, and the hospital has served to carry this appreciation into more homes of this community than any other agency could possibly have done.

Dog licenses fell short about 100 of the number sold last year, according to figures given out by the city treasurer. A total of 323 dog licenses have been sold up to March 1. A penalty of \$2.00 is added to those paying delinquent taxes. No reports on tax collections was available today from the city office.

HOLLAND HEALTH BODY CUTS BUDGET IN HALF

The board of health Monday adopted a cut of 50 per cent in its budget for 1932 with a reduced appropriation from \$6,125 to \$3,062. A report on consumption of milk in Holland for the calendar year showed a decided increase with 2,000,106 quarts of milk and 98,056 quarts of cream used.

MARCH COMES IN LIKE LAMB; BELIEVE MONTH WILL END IN STORMS

March came in like a lamb, which, according to tradition, means a warlike attitude in the closing days of the month. Weather prophets generally agree they have been all off this year and anything can happen. With no snow in the lake or surrounding waters, most people believe that an early spring is inevitable. Signs of returning life in some localities indicate that spring is already here.

STATE CONSERVATION LAW VIOLATORS SERVE TOTAL OF 1,079 DAYS IN CO. JAILS

Conservation law violators in Michigan convicted during January, served a total of 1,079 days in jail, a report of convictions for the month, issued by the Department of Conservation shows.

The report lists a total of 126 men convicted for breaking various game, fur and fish laws during the month. Of these, 67 were fined in court, 42 were sentenced to jail and 17 were placed on probation or were given suspended sentences. The fines paid amounted to \$1,495 and the court costs to \$702.11, as compared with \$5,226.95 paid in fines and costs for the month of January, 1931.

Vernon Vos was pleasantly surprised by a group of boys, including his Sunday School class, at his home, 136 West Nineteenth Street, Monday evening, February 29, the occasion being his third real birthday, although he is 12 years old. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Harold Dykema, Russell Ploekmeyer, George Ash and Arthur Gunter. A delicious three-course lunch was served. Vernon received many lovely gifts. The guests present were Osborn Vos, Ralph Parsons, Arthur Gunter, Warren Van Til, Harold Dykema, George Ash, Eugene Vos, Edward Vos, Gordon Van Putten and Andrew Bouma.

Odd—but TRUE

H. BARKEMA ELECTED HEAD OF FROEBEL PARENT-TEACHERS CLUB

The Froebel Parent-Teachers club met Tuesday evening. Mrs. H. J. Potter, president, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Margaret Van Vylen led the group singing. Rev. H. J. Potter was in charge of the devotions.

The program consisted of discussion of questions which had been submitted in a question box. Several selections were given by the double quartet of Senior High school. Dorothy and Robert Curtis entertained with a piano duet. Eugene Roelofs rendered a piano solo after which Norma Mae Becksfort gave a reading.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Henry Barkema, president; Mrs. Ruth Eding, vice president; Mrs. O. Thompson, secretary, and A. Nienhuis, treasurer.

ROSEMA OF FERRYSBURG IS CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

Mr. Benj. H. Rosema of Ferrysburg, who has been a candidate for sheriff of Ottawa County at the primary election four years ago, and who is well known here, has announced his candidacy for that office at the coming primary election to be held next September.

At the primary election four years ago, Rosema received a very creditable vote throughout the entire county.

HOLLAND FURNACE CO. IS HOST AT SESSIONS

Grand Rapids Herald—Officials of the Holland Furnace Co. are hosts to about 350 divisional, regional, sales promotion and branch managers, heating engineers and salesmen from all parts of the country for the ninth annual Goat conclave, which opened Monday for a three-day session. Initiation ceremonies were held in Masonic temple for members who have reached or surpassed their sales quotas for the year. Monday afternoon the goats were entertained at the Holland theater.

The closing feature will be the annual goat banquet Wednesday evening in Warm Friend Tavern, at which Harry Collins Spillman, of New York City will be the speaker.

ZEELAND WOMAN HOLDS HER BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION ONCE IN FOUR YEARS

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schipper on West Cherry Street, Zeeland, was the scene of a happy birthday party last Wednesday evening when Mrs. Schipper, although she is in reality 64 years of age, celebrated her sixteenth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Schipper is one of the few in Zeeland who bear the distinction of having been born on the extra day February can boast of once in four years. And the 29th of February has occurred only sixteen times during the last sixty-four years.

Mrs. Peter Vande Wege and daughter, Rosalin, of Holland, were among those who attended the celebration.

The American Legion's drive to find "work for every idle man in Holland" is now in full swing with canvassers busy in the residential sections taking orders for jobs. Louis B. Dalman, general chairman of the campaign, reported several jobs were arranged in advance of the house-to-house canvass. One project calls for six men to be employed four days.

The workers are assigned from the city's unemployment bureau. It was expected the drive in Holland will require at least two months.

Mr. Dalman appealed for the same support given the Legionnaires when they entered war service in 1917. "They are the same boys on a peace time project."

He pointed out that masons, plumbers, painters, paper hangers, carpenters, gardeners and representatives of other trades were listed in Holland as jobless. Home owners and those in charge of stores, factories and offices were urged to supply any type of work, whether for an hour, a week or a month.

Persons not solicited were asked to call Mr. Dalman at his home or at the city hall, Jacob Bultman, a committeeman, can also be informed of possible jobs available.

Local News

Miss Gertrude Homfeld, student at Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, spent the week-end in Holland at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Homfeld, on West Thirteenth street.

Miss Clara Klomparsen spent a few days in Chicago on business.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Borri, 124 West Fourteenth street, on March 1, a son, Roger Dale.

Chief of Police Peter Lievesne was in East Lansing Wednesday where he attended a meeting of police officers and executives at state police headquarters.

A. M. Petersen, manager of Lakewood Farm, announced that twin lion cubs were born at the farm Friday evening. The young cubs closely resemble domestic kittens.

Word was received in Holland of the death of George Vander Broek, Sr., father of John Vander Broek of this city, who died Friday afternoon at his home in Grand Rapids. Besides John Vander Broek, he is survived by his wife; four sons and four daughters. Private funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon.

William Baker of Ottawa Beach was arrested Friday evening on a charge of speeding on Seventeenth street.

Willis J. Drost has returned to his home after being honorably discharged from the United States navy, serving two years in China and Japan and two years on the east and west coasts. He expects to re-enlist after a month's stay here.

Society Items

Miss Dorothy Dalman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dalman, became the bride of Jacob Van Voort, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Voort, Saturday afternoon. The single ring ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock in the afternoon by Rev. John Vanderbeek at the parsonage of Sixth Reformed church. The young couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Clifton P. Dalman, brother and sister-in-law of the bride. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents on Fairbank avenue for the immediate families. Mr. and Mrs. Dalman will make their home at 42 East Twenty-first street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stokes, 208 Maple avenue, entertained the members of the Night Owl club at their home Saturday evening. Head prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stokes while consolation prizes went to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kuite. Dainty refreshments were served.

Miss Esther Kooyers was in charge of the Christian Endeavor meeting at Trinity Reformed church Sunday evening. She gave an interesting discussion on "What Does It Mean to Be a Christian." Gilbert Van Wynen sang two solos. About eighty-five members were present. Marvin Schaap will lead the meeting next week.

"What Does It Mean to Be a Christian" was discussed by Miss Janet Huizinga at the Christian Endeavor meeting in Bethel Reformed church Sunday evening. Several members took part during the open meeting. Twenty members and friends were present.

Members of the Hope church Women's Aid society sponsored their second supper for the young people of the church Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the parlors. Miss Kathryn Wrieden was general chairman of the affair. Decorations were in keeping with St. Patrick's Day. The supper was served in buffet style to 85 guests.

Members and friends of the Holland Assembly of Rainbow Girls enjoyed a St. Patrick's dance Saturday evening in the Masonic temple. Miss Celia Mooney was in charge of the affair. Emmett Van Duren's orchestra furnished the music for the evening.

Mrs. Fred Van Slooten entertained the members of the Past Noble Grand Club at her home on rural route No. 4 Friday afternoon. About 20 members were present. A short business meeting was held after which 500 were played. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Martha Vanderhill and Mrs. Dora Heijdt. Refreshments were served by the hostess who was assisted by Mrs. Minnie Sergeant and Mrs. Rose La Chaine.

The members of the H. O. H. club met Friday evening at which time plans were discussed for a celebration in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization in October. Tentative plans are to have the celebration in August. George Wolterling has been named general chairman of the affair. More than 300 were present Friday evening. The following program was given in charge of Herman Kiekintveld and Mr. Wolterling: Miss Mary Jane Vaupell, Miss Gertrude Young and Miss Peggy Bergen portrayed "Clara, Lou and Em" in a radio broadcast over station H. O. H. Several numbers were given by the Sixth Reformed Christian Endeavor quartet, composed of Herbert Wylenga, Raymond Van Voort, Bernard Vanderbeek and Arthur De Waard, accompanied by Lewis Verburg.

A one-act play was presented by Mr. and Mrs. James Marcus. Guitar and harmonica selections by Arthur Hoffman concluded the program.

Mrs. Henry Van Voort and Mrs. Andrew Slager entertained with a miscellaneous shower Friday afternoon at the home of the former on East Fifteenth street, in honor of Miss Dorothy Dalman, who was wed to Jacob Van Voort on Saturday. Games were played and dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Albert Raak entertained with a surprise party at her home in Montello Park Friday evening in honor of her daughter, Miss Annagene Raak, the occasion being her birthday. Games were played and a delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lievesne celebrated their twenty-first wedding anniversary Friday at their home. They were married in Grand Rapids, where Mrs. Lievesne lived. Mr. and Mrs. Lievesne are the parents of five children, Robert M., Ruth M., Willard E., Stanley G. and George Arthur.

Raymond Scholten was pleasantly surprised by a group of friends at his home on rural route No. 8 last week, Thursday evening, the occasion being his fifteenth birthday anniversary. Games were played and a dainty two-course luncheon was served.

A group of relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Zalsman, 14 West Fourteenth street, last week, Thursday evening, the occasion being their forty-fifth wedding anniversary. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Van Oort, Sr., 96 South River avenue, entertained a group of relatives at their home last week, Thursday evening, the occasion being Mr. Van Oort's eighty-first birthday anniversary. A pleasant evening was enjoyed and refreshments were served to the many guests present.

Edsal S. Gale celebrated his eighty-first birthday anniversary Friday at his home, 194 West Eighth street. He was born in Brewerton, New York, and came to Michigan at the age of 11 years, settling in Pine Creek on the old Grand Haven road.

Mrs. H. H. Dobben celebrated her nineteenth birthday anniversary last week, Thursday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Boersma, 66 East Twenty-first street. Open house was held all day and many relatives and friends gathered to offer congratulations. She received many gifts, flowers and letters of congratulation. Mrs. Dobben was born in Germany and came to this country at the age of 20 years, settling in this community. She spends the winter months in Holland and the summer months at her home in East Saugatuck. There are three children, Mrs. Perry Boersma and John Dobben of Holland, and Mrs. D. W. Jellonsa of Wyoming Park.

COMMON COUNCIL

Holland, Mich., March 2, 1932.

The Common Council met in regular session and in the absence of Mayor Brooks, Ald. Vandenberg was elected Mayor pro tem.

Present: Mayor pro tem Vandenberg, Ald. Prins, Kleis, Woltman, Hyma, Habing, Steffens, Jonkman, Huyser, Thomson, Veltman and the Clerk.

Devotions were led by Anthony A. Nienhuis.

The minutes of the last meeting were considered read and are approved.

Petitions and Accounts

Clerk presented operating report of the Gas Co. for Jan., 1932. Referred to B. P. W. for filing.

Reports of Standing Committees Committee on Ways and Means reported recommending that the money in the Defective Paying Repair Fund on deposit in the savings account at the First State Bank in the amount of \$19,852.23 (plus interest from Jan. 1, 1932) be withdrawn and placed to the credit of the depository fund and used to pay the current expenses of the City as needed.

Adopted, all present voting Aye. Committee on Claims and Accounts reported having examined claims in the sum of \$3427.61 for extra labor payrolls, and \$5068.96 for regular claims, and recommended payment thereof. (Said claims on file in Clerk's office). Allowed.

Welfare Committee reported poor orders in the amount of \$634.00 for regular aid and \$2587.49 for temporary aid, total of \$3221.49. Accepted and filed.

Licence Committee reported progress on amendment to the Theatre Ordinance providing for Sunday closing. Ald. Jonkman requested a further report on the progress.

Ald. Prins stated that if given a recess of ten minutes the Committee would submit a formal report.

On motion of Ald. Kleis, seconded by Prins, the Council recessed for about ten minutes.

After recess, the Committee reported as follows: "We, your Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the matter of requiring places of public amusement for which admission fees are charged shall before such license is granted, be required to sign an agreement with the City of Holland to keep his place of amusement closed on Sunday in accordance with the provisions of the State Law in such cases made and provided, and for any violation of such agreement, the license of any such licensee shall forthwith be automatically cancelled without notice or action by the Common Council and any such licensee shall therein agree not to reopen his place of amusement until a new license may be granted by the Common Council, and

"RESOLVED further, that the Clerk be hereby instructed to issue and or withhold the granting of any license within the provisions of this resolution for which application may hereafter be made."

Henry Prins, Bert Habing, Peter Huyser."

Reports of Special Committees

Mayor pro tem Vandenberg reported that the American Legion throughout the country was now engaged in a very worthwhile project to secure temporary jobs for a million men, and that the local unit under the general chairmanship of Mr. Louis Dalman was working hard to provide as many jobs as possible in the City of Holland and vicinity to carry out this movement.

Vandenberg stated that he believed the local boys engaged in this project should have the hearty support and backing of the Common Council, and on motion of Ald. Jonkman, seconded by Kleis,

RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Holland is heartily in favor of this movement and will assist and work with the American Legion as much as possible in putting across this project.

Mr. Louis Dalman being present, was called upon and stated that the call had come to them now as it had in 1917, the only difference being that this was a peace-time call.

to save the country while the other had been a call to arms. Mr. Dalman further stated that the American Legion was in unison and working with the American Federation of Labor in this worthy cause. Mr. Dalman further stated that any kind of work would be acceptable, no matter how small or big it might be and they would use their best judgment in furnishing suitable men to handle the job.

Ald. Thomson suggested that the City might use some men in the Sixth Ward to improve the dirt streets, and this was delegated to the City Engineer's Dept. for investigation.

Communications from Boards and City Officers

The claims approved by the Hospital Board in the sum of \$7164.11; Park and Cemetery Board—\$277.91; Police and Fire Board—\$914.90; Board of Public Works—\$11,718.91.

Orders were certified to the Council for payment. (Said claims on file in Clerk's office for public inspection). Allowed.

The Holland Board of Public Works reported the collection of \$17,324.60; City Treasurer \$3731.54. Accepted and Treasurer ordered charged with the amounts.

Clerk reported interest coupons due in the amount of \$1,119.98. Adopted and warrant ordered issued. Clerk reported checks drawn on the People's State Bank and paid by the First State Bank during the past two weeks in the amount of \$2,000.00 and recommended that a warrant be issued in payment thereof.

Adopted and warrant ordered issued.

Clerk presented report from the Library Board showing fines, etc., collected by the Librarian during the past year in the amount of \$508.27. Of this amount \$314.15 is about 60 cords of wood that was recently donated by the Park Board.

On motion of Ald. Jonkman, seconded by Huyser,

The Clerk was instructed to request the Appeal Board to report at the next Council meeting on the request of Mr. Sterenberg for permission to erect a gasoline filling station on the S. E. corner of State and 21st Streets.

Adjourned.

OSCAR PETERSON, City Clerk.

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Local News

The Young Married Women's Bible class of Trinity Reformed church will meet tonight, Friday, at 7:30 o'clock in the church parlors. J. Oonk is teacher of the class.

Mrs. George Gunther has returned from a week's visit in Hastings.

John Boeve and son, Teddy of Peekskill, N. Y., were in the city a few days visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Boeve was also here on business.

Miss Esther Olin, nurse at Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Olin, 19 East Nineteenth street.

Edward Hietje of Rome, N. Y., is spending the week in Holland where he is attending the branch managers' school of the Holland Furnace Company.

Louis Hietje returned Sunday to his home in Norwalk, Conn., after spending a week here attending the Goat Conclave of the Holland Furnace Company. He also visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hietje, on East Eleventh street.

Pearl A. Smith, 324 West Twelfth street, is confined to Holland hospital as the result of an accident in which he sustained a fracture to the left leg below the knee and numerous body bruises. Smith was injured at the J. H. Heinz Company Monday when he was repairing a belt. His overalls caught in the belt and he was thrown into the pulley on the shaft and was freed by F. St. John, who was with him.

Wyand Wichers, president of Hope college, was in Chicago for a few days where he attended a meeting of representatives of all schools maintained by the Reformed Church of America. The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing the economic situation of the system.

A. Rosbach, rural mail carrier, was stranded southeast of the city Monday because of the snow storm and was unable to return to Holland until Tuesday morning. Mr. Rosbach spent the night with a farmer nearby.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold their annual election today, Friday, at 2:30 o'clock in the Woman's Literary clubrooms. Annual reports will also be submitted. Mrs. A. Dogger will be in charge of devotions. The reception committee is composed of Mrs. T. Wilmers and Mrs. J. Visscher. Tea will be served by Mrs. George Huizenga and her committee.

Rev. John Everington of Rockford, Mich., will give an illustrated lecture in Fourth Reformed church next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The program will be given under the auspices of the Buds of Promise Sunday school class. The public is invited and an offering will be received.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Beerboom, 206 West Ninth street, on February 23, a daughter, Ann Louise.

Charles Atkinson of Grand Rapids was arrested last week, Thursday, by local police on a charge of speeding on College avenue.

The regular meeting of the Holland Musicians' club, which was to have been held last night, has been postponed to Wednesday morning, March 16.

Richard Scholten was taken to Ann Arbor for treatment.

Ben Vandenberg has returned from Florida where he spent three weeks on business.

Arthur Vanderbeek, student at Michigan State college, East Lansing, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. Vanderbeek, on Lincoln avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Scholten returned Saturday from Iowa, where they spent three weeks visiting relatives at Sheldon and Alton.

Arthur Van Duren returned Sunday from National Gardens, Fla., where he spent ten days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. William Haynes of Rock Island, Illinois, were guests at the home of Mrs. Ella Ward on East Ninth street.

The monthly meeting of the Buds of Promise Class of Fourth Reformed church will be held tonight, Friday, at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Agatha Vanden Elst, 102 East Eighteenth street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lenters, East Sixteenth street, on March 1, a daughter, Hannah Grace, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Boerman, River avenue and Seventeenth street, on March 8, a son, Donald Gene.

Mrs. Arthur Van Duren has returned from a four weeks' visit in Ann Arbor and Wyandotte, where she was the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Evans Brown, who formerly was associated with Miss Nellie Churchford in mission work here, died Tuesday morning at her home in Ravenna, Michigan.

W. P. Dearing, president of the Oakland City college in Oakland City, Ind., gave an address in Hope Memorial chapel Tuesday morning during chapel exercises.

The total number of votes cast at Monday's primaries was 3,009. The total registered vote was 6,500. Undoubtedly more than 3 stay-at-homes will be the side lines criticizing the men who are liable to be elected.

The fifth district of the American Legion Auxiliary will sponsor a birthday party at the billet at Otter Lake Sunday. The 81 children at the billet this month will be given ice cream, cake, candy and toys. The affair will be in keeping with Easter. The program will be furnished by the Grand Rapids group. These children are orphans of World war veterans. Any auxiliary member interested in attending Saturday is asked to call 3234.

Legion members also are invited. The fifth district is composed of groups from Ottawa and Kent counties and consists of twelve units.

Mr. and Mrs. John Breen of 245 West Fifteenth street, entertained a group of friends at their home Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Johanna Veenstra, who will soon leave for Africa to resume her duties as missionary. A pleasant evening was enjoyed and refreshments were served. About fifteen guests were present.

CHILD DIES AT HOME

Harris Brower, ten-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brower, died Tuesday afternoon at his home in East Holland. He has been ill for about a week with bronchitis.

Surviving are the parents; one brother, Clarence, and one sister, Susan, and two grandfathers, E. Ver Hoeven of East Holland, and K. Brower of Drenthe.

Funeral services will be held today, Friday at 1 o'clock at the home and at 1:30 o'clock from the Niekirk Christian Reformed church. Rev. M. Bolt will officiate. Burial will take place in East Holland cemetery.

FORMER HOLLAND RESIDENT DIES AT GRAND RAPIDS

Word was received here of the death of Mrs. Arthur Meyer, 41, former resident of Holland, who died Wednesday morning at her home in Grand Rapids at 1137 Park street. She has been a resident here for seven years.

Surviving are the husband and two daughters, Ruth and Lois; also four brothers, George Vande Riet of Holland, Rev. John Vande Riet of Overland, and Henry and Jack Vande Riet of Grand Rapids and two sisters, Mrs. John Koopman and Mrs. Dewey Battjes, both of Grand Rapids.

THREE PLAYS PRESENTED AT CENTURY CLUB

The Century Club held its annual play night Monday evening in the Woman's Literary club rooms. Miss Anne Visscher was in charge of the program which consisted of three one-act plays.

The first play was "Sardines," by Carolyn Draper Gilpatrick. The cast was composed of Miss Evelyn Metz, Mrs. W. J. Olive, Miss Laura Boyd, Miss Adelaide Dykhuizen and Mrs. Ernest C. Brooks. This was in charge of Mrs. Brooks.

The second play was entitled "Wives-in-Law." This play, which was in charge of Miss Anne Visscher, was written by a student at the University of Michigan.

Those who took part in it were Miss Anne Visscher, Mrs. G. A. Pelgrim, G. A. Pelgrim and Charles Van Dommelen.

Miss Shirley Payne of the English department of Hope college was in charge of the third play. It was entitled "Aria da Capo," by Edna St. Vincent Millay, and was given by a group of Hope college students. The cast consisted of Miss Helen Johnson, Albert Tarrant, Howard Schade, Miss Jean Herman and Miss Shirley Payne.

During the intermissions the high school orchestra, under the direction of Eugene Heeter, director of music in the local schools, played.

REV. STOPPELS SPEAKS AT LINCOLN SCHOOL PARENT-TEACHER CLUB

A large crowd was present at the monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher club of Lincoln school Tuesday evening.

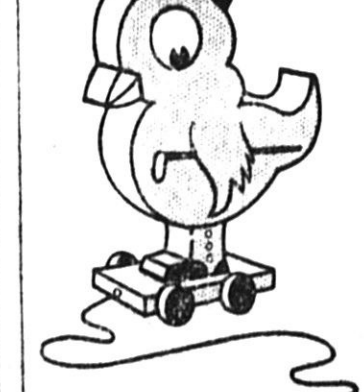
William Strong led the group singing and devotions were in charge of Rev. J. A. Stoppeles. Rev. C. A. Stoppeles, pastor of Bethel Reformed church, gave an interesting talk on loyalty. Superintendent E. E. Fell made a few remarks.

Music was given by the "Uneven Three," composed of Maynard Heller, Harry Driesenga and Russell Kuhlman. They were assisted by James Berkel as soloist.

A three-act play entitled "That Awful Letter," was given by Miss Henrietta Van Lier, Miss Waretta Alofs, Miss Jennie Dekker, and Mrs. Cora Van Dyke. During the intermission of the first and third acts, Ervina Van Dyke offered two Dutch readings. She was dressed in Dutch costume.

The business session was in charge of Louis B. Dalman, president of the association. Election of officers will feature the April meeting.

Refreshments were served at the close of the program by mothers of children of the fifth grade of which Miss Irma Levy is teacher.



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Fletcher's CASTORIA

Most Traveled Holland Woman Tells of Trips

MRS. KOLLEN APPEARS BEFORE GRAND HAVEN WOMAN'S CLUB

Grand Haven Tribune: A trip through the Mediterranean to the Holy Land and then circling back through Egypt and on to Prague and The Hague, comprised a travelogue which was presented to the Woman's club at Grand Haven by Mrs. George E. Kollen of Holland.

The story was like a book, each chapter leading further and further into the land of mystery and antiquity, which linked the past of 6,000 years to the present as the intimate picture of personal experiences, many of them humorous, was unfolded with much historical data.

"To have taken one delightful trip affords sufficient happiness to remain through one's entire life," said the speaker. Although a globe trotter for many years the speaker said this trip she was to describe was the most delightful she had ever enjoyed.

She carefully described St. Sophia, the most beautiful church in the world at Damascus. It was built 300 years after Christ. Women in Turkey freed from former restrictions and seclusion now walk on the streets and are employed even as clerks and street cleaners, she stated.

A side trip into Rumania varied the scenes, allowing the travelers to glimpse the city of Constanta. A visit to the palaces of Queen Marie and King Carol was a bit disappointing, she stated, as neither are more pretentious than the best cottages at Highland Park.

She took the listeners to Palestine, on the river Jordan, and to Bethlehem, where the guide was lost and the party forced to remain out at night. Intense hatred of the Arabs for the Jews has made the place a dangerous one, she said.

Egypt, through the Suez canal, Cairo, and back to the oldest civilization of the world. Here were built the most beautiful buildings. Whole churches of Alabaster, even a small vase or statue of which is cherished by most people, were not uncommon. The pyramids, so familiar even to those who have not seen them, took on new aspects as Mrs. Kollen described her exploration of them.

"The trip through the Imperial Museum was one of the outstanding events of the entire trip. The magnificent articles taken from King Tut's tomb are unbelievable," she stated. "Six solid gold caskets with the most magnificent engravings were among the items of most interest. It is said there are only six men in America today who can approach the workmanship on these priceless gems," she said. A feather fan, thousands of years old, greatly attracted the speaker. Mummy beads 6,000 years old of brilliant colors, were some of the prize trophies which she brought back home.

Alexandria, where was situated the first fine library of the world, was the last city in Egypt to be described.

The speaker then described Prague, where the first university in Europe was established.

A visit with her brother, the late G. J. Diekmann, while he was minister to the Netherlands, concluded her trip abroad.

BANDITS ABANDON AUTO-MOBILE IN GRAND HAVEN

Evidence the bandits who rifled a Ludington clothing store March 2 left Grand Haven for Milwaukee by car ferry Thursday was uncovered by the city police. Acting Chief Edward Boongaard reported a car stolen from a Ludington man named Johnson was recovered on Franklin street. Ludington police were notified and they said the car had been stolen by the men who looted a business place there. Two young men answering the description given by Ludington officers left on the car ferry Madison for Milwaukee.

MUSKOGON-HOLLAND FOREIGN WAR VETS TO BE GRAND HAVEN GUESTS

The Grand Haven Veterans of Foreign Wars, Alvin Jonker post, are to entertain Muskogon, Grand Rapids, and Holland Veterans of Foreign Wars at a smoker May 26.

The smoker will be held in the Odd Fellows hall and a program is being arranged. The plan was made at a meeting and fish fry of the Grand Haven post.

February in Ottawa County Barely Freezing

The average temperature for February in Ottawa county was 30.9 degrees or 6.7 degrees above normal, according to the weather bureau.

The highest temperature recorded during the month was 60 degrees Feb. 11, a new record for that date. This was within two degrees of the record for the month. The maximum temperature on Feb. 29 was also a record for that date.

The lowest temperature was 13 degrees Feb. 17. The greatest daily range was 27 degrees Feb. 25 and the least was six on Feb. 3. There were four days in the month when the temperature was below normal. The warmest day was 24 degrees above normal.

Precipitation totalled 1.15 inches compared to the normal of 2.25 inches. Snowfall totalled 14 inches. This was the lightest snowfall on record for either December, January, or February. Precipitation was frequent during the month but it was mostly light.

Wind movement was above normal. The total movement was 9,295 miles or an average of 13.4 miles per hour. The wind reached a velocity of 32 miles per hour on 6 days of the month. The highest velocity was 41 miles per hour from the west on the 8th.

Sunshine averaged 29 per cent of the possible amount compared to the normal of 35 per cent. There was only one clear day in the month, there being 23 cloudy and 6 partly cloudy. Dense fog occurred on 1 day and light fog on 4 days. Thunder was heard on 2 days.

OTTAWA COUNTY FARM NOTES

By C. P. Milham.

Fruit, onion, insect and garden meetings in Ottawa county next week will be:

Onion Growers—Vriesland town hall March 14 at 1:30 p. m., and Hudsonville High school March 15 at 10 a. m. with C. H. Mahoney as speaker.

Garden meetings at Jenison school, March 14 at 7:30 p. m. and at the home of M. G. Van Kampen, Pine Creek, Park Township, March 15 at 2 p. m. with C. H. Mahoney as speaker.

Orchard pruning and management meetings, J. Atkins farm, Alameda, at 9:30 on March 16, and Herbert Reister farm, Chester Township, at 1:30 p. m. H. A. Cardwell from the state college will demonstrate.

Crop insects and their control, with C. B. Dibble from the college, at Vriesland town hall at 9:30, and Chester town hall at 2 p. m. on March 18.

Treat Seed Grains

Farmers who attended the plant disease meetings last week were advised to select seed corn carefully, treat corn, oats and barley to prevent loss from the rot, smut, and stripe disease to which the plants are subjected. Seed corn ears should show a clean white break on the butt and be free from discoloration. Ears should be tested for germination to locate diseased and weak ears. Seed corn and barley should be treated with one of the dust treatments that has proved its value in demonstrations around the state. No better treatment for oats has been devised than formaldehyde. Every effort should be put forth this year to prevent losses. Only a few cents cost for treatment will result in preventing losses.

Testing Cattle in Ottawa.

Testing of cattle for the purpose of eradicating any tuberculosis present in herds has been started in Ottawa county, according to Agricultural Agent C. P. Milham. Veterinarians assigned to do this work are Dr. H. C. Edeward, Holland; Dr. Wm. Van Zoren, Vriesland; Dr. H. Elzinga, Marne; Dr. E. H. Bussis, Coonerville; Dr. F. W. Hieh, Grand Haven; Dr. G. E. Logan, Zealand, and Dr. G. H. Gordon, Georgetown. The work in the state is in charge of M. P. Hunt.

The entire cost of the test is now paid by the state, relieving the county of the cost. Testing of all cattle and proper disposal of any reactors found is compulsory. It is expected that the testing of all cattle will be completed by May 1 in order to reduce inconvenience to farmers when spring work is on.

PROF. HINKAMP SPEAKS ON PEACE MOVEMENT AT LITERARY CLUB

The Woman's Literary club held their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon in the literary club rooms.

Prof. Paul E. Hinkamp, professor of Bible at Hope college, spoke on the peace conference. He explained the beginning of the peace movement in the early part of the nineteenth century and traced its history to the present day.

The Girls' Glee club, under the direction of Miss Tricie Moore, sang four songs, "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes," an arrangement of Joyce Kilmer's "Trees," "To a Wild Rose," McDowell, and "Old King Cole."

Mrs. Jay Den Herder told of the international congress of women held during the Chicago World's Fair in 1893, and that another congress is to be held during the coming Century of Progress Fair if the club women of America desire it.

Ministers of the classis of Holland and their wives were entertained in Trinity Reformed church parlors Tuesday afternoon. Rev. H. Van Dyke, president of the group, presided, and Rev. H. J. Potter led in devotions. A social afternoon was spent and refreshments were served. Mrs. W. J. Van Kersen, Mrs. H. D. Ter Keurst and Mrs. H. J. Potter were hostesses. About thirty were present.

Expires March 26 NOTICE OF REPUBLICAN CO. CONVENTION

The Ottawa County Republican Convention will be held in the Court House in the City of Grand Haven on Wednesday, April 13, 1932, at 2:00 p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican State Convention to be held in the City of Grand Rapids Wednesday, April 27, 1932, and for the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought up before the Convention.

The Republican Township and Ward Caucuses will be held in their respective townships and wards on Friday, March 25, 1932, at 7:00 p. m. for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican County Convention.

The various townships and wards will be entitled to representation as follows:

Allendale	4
Blendon	4
Chester	4
Crookery	4
Georgetown	4
Grand Haven Township	3
Holland Township	11
Jamestown	4
Olive	2
Park, First Precinct	4
Park, Second Precinct	4
Polkton	12
Port Sheldon	2
Robinson	3
Spring Lake	9
Tallmadge	3
Wright	6
Zealand	6
Grand Haven, First Ward	7
Grand Haven, Second Ward	10
Grand Haven, Third Ward	10
Grand Haven, Fourth Ward	6
Grand Haven, Fifth Ward	6
Holland City, First Ward	8
Holland City, Second Ward	8
Holland City, Third Ward	10
Holland City, Fourth Ward	11
Holland City, Fifth Ward	14
Holland City, Sixth Ward	13
Zealand City	13
Total	197

By order of the Republican County Committee:

William Hutton, Chairman,
William Wilds, Secretary.

YOUNG GIRL SUCCUMBS AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Miss Marcia Mae Walker, aged 19 years, of Holland route 2, died Sunday evening in Muskegon sanitarium following an illness of two years.

Miss Walker was born in Holland on November 30, 1912. She attended Holland High school and was a member of the First Methodist church and Sunday school. She was an active worker in the Epworth League and was vice president of the organization for some time.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Walker; three brothers, Lester, Olin and Joseph, Jr.; three sisters, Marguerite, Ruth and Faith, all at home; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walker of Ganges, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gaylor of Douglas; and a great-grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Walker of Burnips.

Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the home on route No. 2, Holland, Waverly road, and at 2 o'clock from the First Methodist church. Rev. J. O. Randall officiating. Burial took place in Holland cemetery.

MRS. WIERSEMA SUCCUMBS AT HOLLAND HOSPITAL

Mrs. Wilhelmina Wiersema, of 264 West Seventeenth street, died Friday evening at Holland hospital at the age of 75 years. She was born July 19, 1866, in The Netherlands and came to this country about 40 years ago. She made her home with her son, Benjamin, at 264 West Seventeenth street. She was a member of Ninth Street Christian Reformed church.

She is survived by four sons, Richard of Gary, Ind., and Benjamin, Cornelius and William of Holland; one daughter, Mrs. L. Van Appledorn, and nine grandchildren. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wiersema of West Seventeenth street, Rev. N. J. Monsma officiating. Interment took place in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

GRAAFSCHAP

Miss Fannie Kars of East Saugatuck and John Gruppen were united in marriage Friday evening by Rev. H. Blystra, new pastor of the Graafschap Christian Reformed church, at the parsonage. The young couple were attended by Miss Susie Kars, sister of the bride, and Fred Vos. The newlyweds will make their home in Graafschap.

North Allegan County News Items

The colder winter weather has made the horticulturists in the Allegan fruit belt feel better over prospects for their 1932 crops. Such temperatures as this winter have kept fruit buds on the average of budding. This cold wave will check bud growth.

Joshua J. Brown, 87, the only Civil war veteran of Saugatuck, is seriously ill with the flu at his home here. However, he is putting up a good fight for the return of his usual health and his daily at his woodpile.

The Hamilton Community Players have begun rehearsal for the second play of the season. "The Patsy," directed by Miss Amy Voorhoort and Mrs. George Schutmaat.

The Fourth district meeting of American Legion and auxiliary will be held in Saugatuck Sunday, March 13, not a few from Holland will attend.

The Fennville Boy Scout troop now is meeting under leadership of Rev. William E. Beckett of the Methodist church.

Lorraine LaBare and Lyle E. Ryan of Gobles have purchased the Green Leaf cafe at Fennville, which had been owned and operated by E. Nickerson.

Charley Gustafson's farm house at Gibson was broken into last Saturday. From the looks of things there had been a party of men and women that had made themselves very comfortable.

Mrs. W. Bjork of Gibson gave a dinner party for her son Carl and his young friends on Sunday.

Mrs. Clare Hoffman of Allegan and Miss Mary Lubbers of Saugatuck attended a dinner of the Republican state central committee in Lansing last week Wednesday night and a luncheon Thursday. From Lansing they went to Jackson where they passed a few days with Miss Lubbers' brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. Odell. Allegan Gazette.

A large number of children have been absent from the Gibson school this week on account of illness. There have been many cases of grip.

Thirty-one young people will make up the 1932 graduating class of the Fennville high school. They are Geraldine Arnold, Bernice Atwater, Maxine Atwater, Clyde Brooks, Kathryn Burch, Everett Crowner, Norman Dickinson, Ralph Eggers, Elmer Fisher, Everard Foster, Eva Goodwine, Frankie Hayes, Phyllis Herrick, Virginia Herrick, Edward Hutchinson, Cecelia Johnson, Frances Johnson, Marcia Johnson, Leona Jorgensen, Mary Koecpa, Margaret Martin.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Hamwall of Gibson returned Monday from Chicago, where they spent a week visiting friends there and in Rogers Park.

Mrs. Carries Veeder was at Fennville from Holland to visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Hattie Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. George Glupkers and two daughters of Holland were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hoover, at Ganges.

Allen Brunson, of Ganges student at the University of Michigan, spent Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Brunson.

A number of the fruit growers from Ganges attended the meeting of the State Horticultural society in Bangor last week.

Funeral services for Byron Willard, 77, who died at his home at New Richmond, ten miles south of Holland, late Thursday, were conducted Saturday with Rev. William E. Beckett officiating. Burial was in New Richmond cemetery. Mr. Willard was a member of the New Richmond Methodist church for the last 44 years. He also is a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge. Surviving are his widow and three daughters, Mrs. Robert Hunt, Mrs. Mabel Barnes and Mrs. Lawrence Benedict.

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The hours for receiving such registration are between 8:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M. provided, however, that on

Saturday, March 19, '32

the office will remain open until 8:00 o'clock P. M.

Saturday, March 19, '32

will be the last day for receiving registrations for the annual City Election that will be held on Monday, April 4, 1932.