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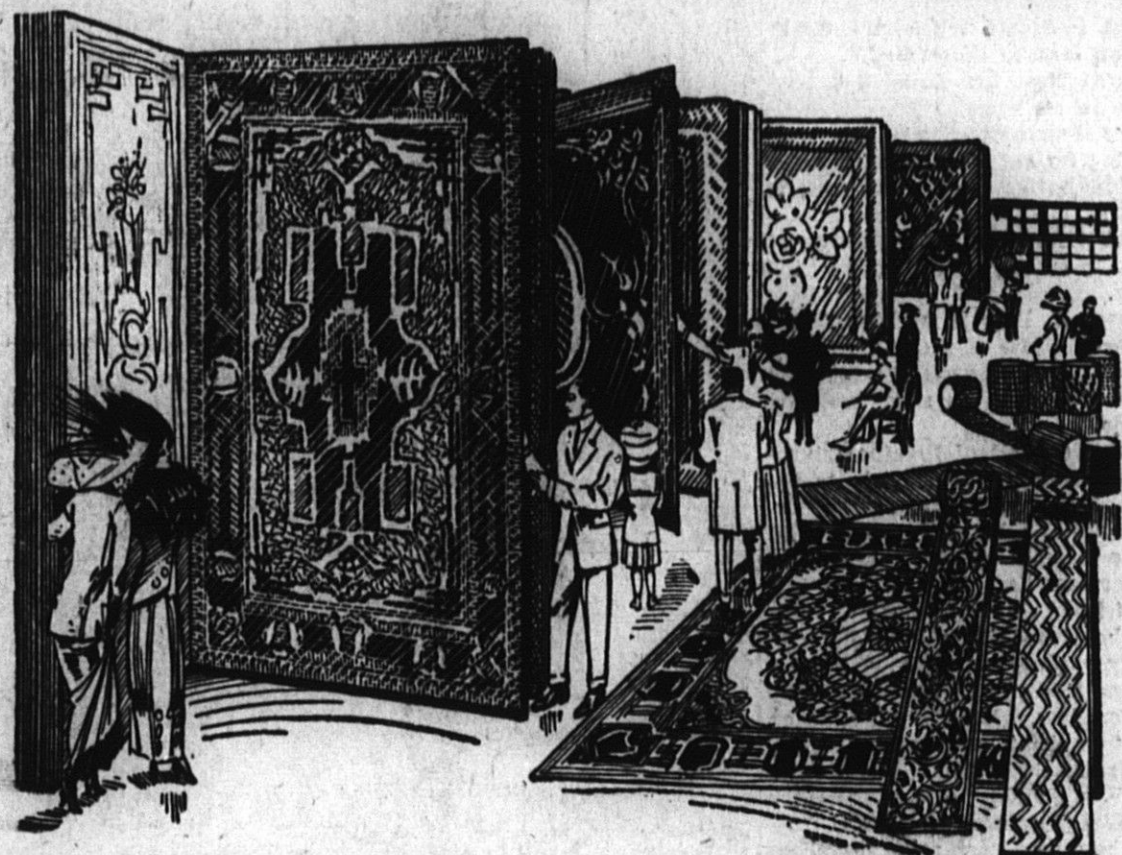
HOLLAND CITY NEWS

Volume 43

Thursday, March 12, 1914

Number 10

New Spring Rugs



Beautify Your Home From This Mammoth Stock

FURNITURE
CROCKERY

BROUWER

RUGS
CARPETS

We are Prepared to beautify your home this season from which you can select the most artistic patterns in Furniture, Rugs, Carpets, and Curtains at the least cost. We want you to feel free to look over this entire display as you will find it a revelation in beauty and economy. Our terms are most liberal.

We are anxious To Talk New Floor Coverings With You

In a great many households one of the subjects that will come up this spring is new floor coverings. The selection of new floor coverings is not one of every occurrence. It is something of more than usual consideration. You, no doubt will have to live with that rug or carpet for a long time to come, and it is to your own satisfaction to make a selection which will not only be satisfactory today, but tomorrow and next year.

Our new spring Rugs and Carpets have arrived and consist of the choicest of patterns and colors.

We Invite Your Inspection

JAS. A. BROUWER

212-214 River Ave.

Our Municipal Tailor Shop



Will This Tailor Run This Shop Two Years More?

SAMPLE OF BALLOT YOU MUST VOTE ON TUESDAY WILL BE FOUND ON PAGE FOUR

The ballot you must vote on at the primaries Tuesday, will be found on page four of this issue. Our readers should study it thoroughly in order to vote for the best men intelligently.

ECLIPSE OF MOON LAST NIGHT

Last night there was an eclipse of the moon, though not a total eclipse. It came on schedule time 8:40 p.m. and by 10:15 the dark shadow cast by the earth covered about nine-tenths of the moon's surface. Then the shadow began to retreat and slowly the full radiance of the orb was restored. Shortly before midnight the moon was shining again in quite uninterrupted glory.

Eclipses, while not rare, are not often observed by the mass of the people. For one thing, they do not always fall at convenient hours. The eclipse last evening was so timed that no one who really cared to see it was deprived of the pleasure.

Hotel Holland Changes Hands.

William Wentworth, proprietor of Hotel Holland, for the past five years last night turned over the business to Hermanus Boone, Sr., the owner of the building. The deal was closed last night and Hermanus Boone, Jr., better known at "Hub" was placed in charge. Mr. Wentworth will have charge of the bar in connection with the hotel, until his license expires, May 1.

The entire interior of the building will be overhauled and given a general fixing up this spring.

SPRING LAKE FISH STORY

A capital fish story emanating from the fertile pen of a correspondent at Spring Lake reveals the fact that there is a 48 pound muskellunge in Spring Lake. It measures more than six feet long and is 14 inches through the thickest part of its body.

It is stated that this monster Muskellunge has evaded hook and line fishermen for years, swallowing valuable tackle and breaking the strongest lines that could be purchased. The fishermen who have the contract with the state government to remove all carp, garfish and sheep-heads by seining from Spring Lake, it is claimed have landed this fish four times, but owing to the watchfulness of the game warden, they had to drop him back in.

For years this big Muskellunge has been the principal topic of conversations among fishermen when they gathered at the corner grocery or any of their other favorite meeting places. Whenever one of them would hook the "big one," several enthusiastic meetings were justified and each fisherman was allowed to repeat the tale of his experience with the monster.

No little interest was shown among the fishermen when they learned that these carp fishermen with their immense seine had seined their favorite and the stories were polished up anew. Those who lost tackle were sure they would find it decorating the mouth of the "whale" of Spring Lake but were surprised to find no tackle there.

Spring Lake nimrods will redouble their efforts to land the big Muskellunge this season and if one is successful, he will have his name written in Spring Lake fish history.

The carp fishermen are still working on Spring Lake and a haul was made Monday. Last Thursday a catch of five thousand pounds was made and on Friday 2800 pounds was taken in. There are still nine men engaged in the work here by Mr. Gantenbein. Four of the crew have gone to Jackson, where the same firm have several small lakes to clear of carp.

The queen bee lays 200 eggs a day. If the hen would only adopt her as a pacemaker.

WALKS FOR LIVING, COVERING 100,000 MILES IN 16 YEARS

Jacob Geerlings, a Holland letter carrier, has carried the mails for 16 years and during that time has walked approximately 100,000 miles. Figuring on the basis of two feet for each step, he has taken 264,000,000 steps to cover that distance. And practically all of that distance was traveled in a city which is only about two miles square.

Mr. Geerlings was one of the four carriers appointed when free delivery service was inaugurated in Holland in 1897. To test the distance traveled he carried a pedometer 24 miles on the first day, after for two days, and the indicator read 23 miles on the second day. The 100,000 miles, however, is computed on the basis of 20 miles per day Sundays and the annual 15 day's vacation excepted.

About three-fourths of the distance was consumed on his regular delivery trips and the remainder in odds and ends.

During these years Mr. Geerlings has been absent from duty just three days on account of sickness. He has been on the job in all kinds of weather, has never figured in an accident and was never bitten by a dog.

He still delivers the mails in the same district as the one assigned to him when he joined the postman's brigade.

Previous to his entrance in the mailservice he followed the printer's profession for 10 years, a trade which he learned while at play in a printing office near his home when he was only about seven years old.—Detroit Free Press.

SOLDIERS CANNOT RECEIVE PENSION VOUCHERS IN LOCK BOXES

Under the new ruling of the post-office department, government pensioners cannot get their pension vouchers from lock boxes in the post office but all vouchers must be delivered through the general delivery window. This action is taken to insure the voucher being delivered only to the pensioner himself or to some one who is accustomed to call and get his mail and is authorized to get it. There is always a chance that mail will be taken from lock boxes accidentally left unlocked which happens oftener than one would think, and the post office department wants to insure the pensioner of getting his voucher.

NEW YORK MAY LABEL ALL WHISKEY WITH A POISON LABEL INCLUDING SKULL AND CROSSBONES

The Anti-Saloon League of New York through William H. Anderson, its superintendent, has introduced a law into the New York State Legislature to compel all dealers in alcoholic to paste upon their bottles and all other containers of alcoholic drinks a red label bearing the skull and crossbones commonly used to designate poisonous liquids, and these words, "This preparation contains alcohol, which is a habit-forming, irritant, narcotic poison."

Whether such a label or its warning will be effective in deterring the habitual or even occasional drinker from indulging in his favorite dram it is impossible to say.

New York has 3-cent movies, but then New York needs something to make it attractive.

A Boston husband slashed his wife's gowns with a penknife. A stylish brute, wasn't he?

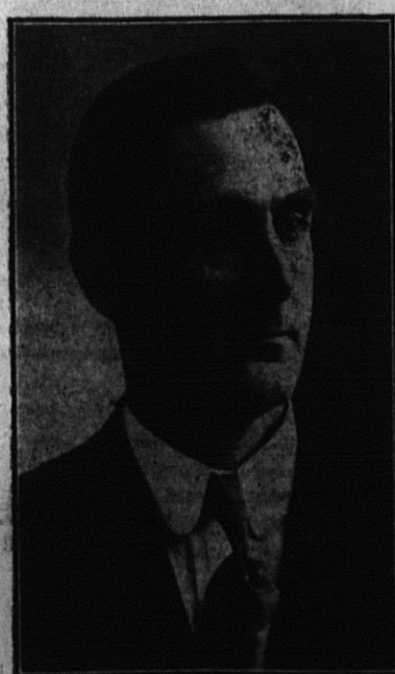
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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS & ITEMS

ZEELAND

The Rev. Benjamin Hoffman returned from Florida Wednesday.

A. Vander Heide left for Atwood, Michigan Thursday.

The A. La Huis Co., opened their millinery department Thursday.

The Y. M. D. A. at the Wyngaarden hall Thursday against the O. A. C. A very good and fast game is expected.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Vander Werp of Holland were in town Thursday visiting friends.

Frank De Bruyn of Grand Rapids was in town Thursday visiting with friends.

John Morren and Henry De Vries left Thursday for Nebraska where they will work for the government.

C. Pieper is on the sick list.

Miss Alice Ensing of Forest Grove was in town Thursday visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hooks of East Holland spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Boonstra.

John Meeuwse of Harlem was in town on business yesterday.

Schaap Bros. arrived Thursday with a carload of horses. Most of them were sold the next day.

John Hietje of Grand Rapids was in town Thursday.

The young Ladies Sewing Circle met Thursday at the home of Miss Edna Brandt. The evening was spent in sewing and receiving instruction. Refreshments were served. George Brandt entertained the company with a few short selections.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Kole of Rusk were in town Thursday visiting friends.

A special meeting of the South Ottawa Teachers' association will be held Saturday afternoon in Zeeland High school. Robert M. Reinhold of Western State Normal will give an address on "Current Educational Topics." A literary program will be given.

Last night to a house of two hundred. Prof. Trueblood of Ann Arbor rendered several scenes from Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar."

Harry Upholt returned from a pleasure trip through the Western States Friday. He says he is well pleased with the country.

Alfred Van Voorst and Johnnie Mulder left Friday evening for Ypsilanti to spend the week end with friends.

Work started Friday on the new up-to-date, two-story building of Mrs. Jacob Van Voorst, known as Van's Fruit store. It will be built against the old Sterken building, now occupied by the Gas Co. offices. It is expected to be finished about the middle of May.

Friday while moving his goods to Filmore Mich. Nick Timmer had the misfortune to tip over with a high load of furniture about two miles south of the city. Not much damage was done.

Zeeland is to have a new and up-to-date sewer system, with septic tank disposal. The plans for the tank system are now being prepared by Ramsey & Works of Grand Rapids, and it is expected the system will be in operation on this season at a cost of \$12,000 or \$15,000. The improvements, as a whole, will include three or four miles of sewer pipe, fairly well covering the town.

The city now has an abundant supply of water from wells and is undertaking to solve the sewage problem. The tank construction will be of cement. The sewage will come from the tanks 95 per cent pure. The solids will be converted into fertilizer.

Mrs. W. H. Arthur of Marshall will make an extended visit with Mrs. Emma Locher in this city.

D. F. Boonstra made a business trip to Grand Rapids Monday.

Most of the stores were closed Wednesday on account of prayer day.

James Schepers returned from Cincinnati Monday where he had gone to visit friends and relatives.

All the barber shops will be closed Wednesday.

Supt. Washburn gave a little talk Monday morning on "Reserve Force." He said, "There is great strength in Niagara Falls because they have the reserve of the Great Lakes behind them. In this way they have power enough to light the state of New York by electricity. Great singers and orators also have a reserve force which they can use if they feel that they are not recuring the desired effect upon the audience."

This is also true in school work. A teacher not only likes the lesson well prepared, but also likes it if the pupil knows the subject in general, something outside of the text book. Everywhere we admire people who have a great reserve force. Our nation, in respect to the Mexican situation is holding back its reserve force. It would be easy for us to start war, but the U. S. is working cautiously. Such a nation, if it makes a mistake, is not afraid to recall it. So the U. S. has done in recalling the Panama Canal toll bill regulating coastwise vessels. Let each one for himself work up a reserve force that he may be ready for any unexpected occurrence.

OTTAWA BEACH

The Kent-Ottawa Realty company has been organized with a capitalization of \$10,000 to take over 75 acres of resort land on the north shore of Black lake, about half a mile east of Ottawa Beach, and to develop it. The property has a frontage of 4,000 feet on Black lake and will be divided into about 400 cottage lots, 100 of which will be on the shore. James Buys is president of the company, Isaac Kouw vice-president, William H. Kinsey, secretary and G. J. Stewart treasurer. Plans have not yet been completed for the development of the property, but it is intended to make it high class resort proposition. Access will be by ferry from Ottawa Beach and Jenison Park. When the north shore electric line is built it will go thru the property.

NEW HOLLAND

A party of young people from Holland enjoyed a sleighride to the home of Miss Janet Van Dyke at New Holland. Those present were the Misses Katherine Van der Schel, Ada Wolbert, Gertrude Steggerda, Dena Ter Beek, Dena Brandt, Alice Vanden Berg, Johanna Knooihuizen, Clara Arnoldink, Janet and Hilda Van Dyke; Messrs. Joan Zwiers, Abel Niemhuis, Charley Redder, Henry Pelgrim, Edward, Gerrit and Jacob Van Dyke, John and Gerrit Ter Beek, John Rozenboom, Jake Sietsema, Albert Van Dyke, Albert Niemhuis and Egbert Witterdink. The evening was spent in playing parlor games and in singing.

CRISP

Miss Lizzie Ringnerus and Mr. Gerrit Knol of Holland were married last Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Boldewijn. Rev. Wijngaarden officiating.

Miss Fannie Eelman of Holland, spent Sunday with her parents.

Miss Jennie Geurink, of Graafschap, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Koolker.

Miss Agatha Wijngaarden is visiting friends and relatives at Graafschap.

John Branden purchased the farm of Mrs. J. Berghorst.

Mrs. Berghorst, and family intend to move to Grand Rapids.

Young People's Society, singing school, and Catechism classes will again be resumed, after having been stopped a couple weeks on account of the measles.

Mrs. Gerrit Van Der Meulen, and children, have returned to their home in Grand Haven, after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Bartels.

OLIVE CENTRE

Recently Miss Nellie Mulder, principal of the Olive Centre school, was pleasantly surprised at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Elenbaas. Many instructive and pleasing games were played. Light refreshments were served. All reported a very good time. Those present were the Johannah Knoll, Henrietta, Gertrude and Lizzie Schanper, Andrew and Charlie Knoll, Jacob and Jeanette Kraal, Gertrude and Lizzie Bartels, Sarah Boers, Ruth De Jongh, Margaret and Peter Redder, Mabel, Fred and Dick Dams, Cornie Van Der Bosch, Freddy Nivison, Nealle De Jongh, Newton Conklin, Arthur De Witt accompanied by the assistant teacher, Miss Beradine Vinkemulder.

Last Friday evening, a party of young people enjoyed a sleighride from Olive Centre to the home of Mr. B. Nykerk, in Holland. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Those present were the Misses Jennie and Kate Dans, Rena Schanper, Nellie Mulder, Beradine Vinkemulder, Agatha Wyngaarden, Grace Arens, and Hattie Mulder and the Messrs. Henry, Herman and John Dans, Tony Mulder, Harry Schanper, Abel E. Niemhuis, Brandt Bronsen, and Joen Arens. The driver for the evening was Mr. Henry Dans.

(Editor:—) This letter was some how mislaid and the correspondence is a little late. We all invite our friends to send in items of interest whenever possible and they will be published gladly.

BORCULO

Gerrit Smith, living one and one-half miles west of Borculo, sold his 20 acres of land to Dick Van der Zwaag at \$75 per acre.

Some items for sale on the 1st of May. The people of the Christian Reformed church were entertained by Rev. and Mrs. Bakker in the beautiful new parsonage Friday afternoon and evening. Donnie was presented with \$60. A very sociable time was spent.

JENISON PARK

The home of Mrs. M. Pavey at Lake side was totally destroyed by fire Thursday morning and the whole Lakeside was seriously threatened until a bucket brigade of willing workers got busy and kept the fire from spreading to the beautiful home of George Beldier, Lakeside Inn, and extinguished a blaze on the roof on the Gould home adjoining the Pavey cottage. If there had been the least bit of wind last night nothing would have saved the cottages there from being destroyed. As it was, considerable damage was done to the roof of Mr. Gould's cottage; the Beldier home was scorched badly, and a small building near Lakeside Inn was burned. The Pavey home was a total loss, all of the furniture and personal belongings being destroyed. The actual loss was about \$3,000.00, but some of the personal keepsakes and belongings of Mrs. Pavey cannot be paid for in money. Her daughter Miss Marie Pavey, now playing the leading role in "Little Women," also had many personal keepsakes and belongings in the home.

Mrs. Pavey was spending the winter at her cottage alone and Thursday she went out to visit a neighbor. She returned home about 8:30 and when she opened the door of her house the smoke belched forth so thickly she could not enter. She notified the neighbors but by the time they arrived on the scene the floor had fallen out of the house and it was a mass of flames. The fire quickly spread to the residence of Mr. Gould of Chicago, which unoccupied in the winter. A gang of men led by Deputy Sheriff Harrington battered down the door and made their way to the roof. A hole was chopped thru the ice in Black lake and a bucket brigade kept a steady stream of the buckets going to the men on the roof and in this way the building was saved. There was no possible way of saving the Pavey home and so the bucket brigade directed their attention to the surrounding buildings. It is due to the efforts of these men that the other buildings were saved.

Fred Lemmen of Graafschap bruised his ankle badly in a fall from the roof of the Heerspink residence while at work there. Dr. Veneman attended him.

GRAAFSCHAP

Seeing an article in the News from Crisp in last weeks paper that Harm Looman claims the he has a colt not yet three years old 17½ hands high and weighing 1560 lbs., wished to say L. B. Schooten of Graafschap has a colt not yet 3 years old 18 hands high weighing 1700 lbs. in harness.

John Wiggers and Miss Gertrude Neerken were visiting at the home of Gerrit Neerken of Holland last evening.

Mannes Knoll, the village blacksmith, has put in a sideline of whips. Clarence Stegink and Bert Breuker were perch fishing yesterday and both went home with a full basket.

Miss Maggie Meyerink and friend are contemplating a visit to Borculo over Sunday.

FILMORE

Nick Timmer, a Zeeland carpenter sold his home to Henry Arens of Filmore. Mr. Timmer is busily engaged in moving his goods to the Deters farm in Filmore.

BORCULO

The pupils of the Borculo public schools enjoyed a sleighride yesterday. There were five loads. The Rev. Mr. Krohne accompanied the riders.

SAUGATUCK

C. E. Bird has received a letter from Mr. Greenbaum regarding the prospects of putting a boat in here the coming season and he talks very favorably regarding the matter. He stated that Mr. Dugan of the Forward Movement had been to see him and promised the boat 1500 passengers for the first season. The Rev. Alexander Thomson, formerly of this city, died Tuesday at his home in Saugatuck. Mr. Thomson is a well known character in this community, having spent most of his life here. He is a retired pastor but in recent years he was pastor of the church at Gibson. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 from the home.

JAMESTOWN

Albert Sharda, of Jamestown, had the misfortune to break one of his legs just below the knee last Tuesday, while he was assisting his brother-in-law, P. Karsten, to skid logs in the latter's woods near Mud Lake one log rolling upon his leg thus causing the accident. Dr. Lanting attended him and he was removed to his own home.

The people of the Christian Reformed church were entertained by Rev. and Mrs. Bakker in the beautiful new parsonage Friday afternoon and evening. Donnie was presented with \$60. A very sociable time was spent.

OVERISEL

Homer Arrink of Overisel had rather bad luck Friday. His team got frightened while loading coal at John Kolvoord's coal sheds and ran away. They ran to the Bee Line road and plunged into a snow bank where they were caught. No damage was done.

Nicholas Timmer has moved to the farm in Overisel which he purchased a year or more ago from John Deters in Zeeland. The Timmer home on State street will be occupied by John H. Arens of Ebeneser, who recently sold his farm at that place.

A surgical operation was performed upon Mrs. Frank Huizenga at her home on west Washington street in Zeeland last Sunday afternoon by Dr. J. Masselink of Zeeland and Dr. I. De Vries of Overisel. The operation did not prove as serious as at first anticipated, and the patient is doing remarkably well under the circumstances.

DRENTHÉ

Nick Hoffstede will soon move to his new farm in Forest Grove.

Gerrit Mast has installed a telephone in his home.

Miss Jennie Mast, who has been working for her sister, Mrs. H. Molewyk, in Moline for a few weeks, is home again.

Dick Boeve had the misfortune of breaking one of his arms below the elbow.

Henry K. Boer is teaching school in Forest Grove at present.

Miss Lena Louwsma has returned from a visit with her sister in Grand Rapids.

Harry Opholt of Drenthe returned Wednesday from his trip to the West, having visited San Francisco, Los Angeles, Riverside, Redlands, and a number of other points in California where he had relatives and friends residing. On his return trip he visited Isaac Ver Lee and family at Denver, and John Riddering and family at La Junta, Colorado for ten days. Mr. Opholt left on this trip about seven week ago, accompanied by Harry Hunderman and Wm. Paddling also of Drenthe and Wm. Hunderman of Grand Rapids, these gentlemen returning about ten days earlier. They are all highly taken in with the West and its prospects, climate, etc., and claim that the trip is worth double the price to any one who can afford it. Mr. Opholt speaks especially well of the city of La Junta and its surroundings and any one desiring to go West to locate can make no mistake by going to these parts of Colorado.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR UNION IN SESSION AT ZEELAND

Interstate Secretary from Boston Is To Deliver An Address

The Eighth Annual convention of the Fourth District Michigan Christian Endeavor Union is holding their convention in the Second Reformed church. A feature of the convention is an address by Mr. Karl Lehman of Boston. Mr. Lehman is the Interstate secretary of the Christian Endeavor Unions. He is an interesting speaker and an enthusiastic Christian Endeavor worker.

Following is the program to be given at the convention:

Wednesday Afternoon

Registration
Quiet Hour, led by
Rev. A. De Young, Coopersville Workers' Conference
Mr. A. La Verne Spafford, Grand Rapids, Michigan, Field Secretary of Michigan

Wednesday Evening

Song Service
Devotional Service
led by Rev. P. P. Cheff
Address, "The Christian Endeavor Vision".....A. L. Spafford
Social for the Delegates, given by the Zeeland Christian End. Society

Thursday Morning

Quiet Hour, led by
Rev. P. P. Cheff, Zeeland
Address.....Karl Lehman, Boston
Interstate Field Secretary
Workers' Conference.....Karl Lehman

Thursday Afternoon

Song and Devotional Service
Address, by
Mrs. H. P. De Pree, Zeeland
(Former Missionary to China)
Missionary Conference, led by
Miss Henrietta Warnshuis, Holland
District Miss Supt.
Junior Conferences.....Karl Lehman
Business meeting, Election Officers

Thursday Evening

Song Service
Devotional Service, led by
Rev. G. J. Rhea, Grand, Rapids
Address—Rev. H. C. Roehner, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, President of Michigan Christian Endeavor Union.

Following are the officers: President, Mr. George Swartz, Jr., Grand Haven, Mich.; 1st Vice President, Rev. A. De Young, Coopersville; 2nd vice president, Mrs. E. F. Gray, of Edmore, Mich.; 3rd Vice President, Rev. W. V. Nelson, Grand Rapids, Michigan; Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Helen L. Henshaw, Grandville, Mich. Junior Superintendent, Miss Ina Steele, 1266 Jefferson Av., Grand Rapids, Mich.; Missionary Superintendent, Mr. Fred C. De Vries, Holland, Michigan.

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What is the Outlook for Hay Farm 1914

Did the hot weather of 1913 injure your seedling? You know very well (if posted) that the Silo will solve the feeding question the winter of '14 and '15, and you can

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In less cost in the original purchase price, in the cost of saving you less to move the material in the winter, in the fact that you provide for its installation at less expense than where action is deferred until time to fill the silo, because you have settled on the size and can plant accordingly, and the saving made in

shipping from the KILN to your HOME TOWN saves an expense in handling, in storage, in breakage, and this means of saving follows the silo from our special diet to its finish on your farm, and this saving goes to the early in the year buyer. The terms of payment shall suit any reasonable man, and it will pay you to write

I am agent for Tile, Stave and Cement
Albert Scholten, Route 8, Holland

TELEGRAM ANNOUNCES ACCIDENT TO BOAT OF W. H. ORR.

Owner Was On the Point of Sailing Vessel Up the Mississippi For Home

Austin Harrington has received a telegram from W. H. Orr, announcing that his boat the "Idella" was completely destroyed by fire about 22 miles above New Orleans. The telegram states that everything was burned with the exception of some clothes. Mr. Orr was making preparations to sail the boat north thru the Mississippi river, and he had expected to arrive in Holland about April first. The telegram does not give particulars as to how the fire started, but it is supposed that it is the result of an explosion.

The "Idella" was fully stocked with provisions and the loss is much greater than the bare value of the boat. But even at that the vessel could not be rebuilt for less than two thousand dollars. It was the best and finest equipped launch in local waters and many is the time that local parties were taken out in it for trips on Black Lake and on Lake Michigan. In the fall of 1912 Mr. Orr took the boat south down the Mississippi river and since then it has been moored on Lake Ponchartraine. Recently it had been completely overhauled and it had been newly painted and equipped in every way for the long journey to the north. The vessel was partly insured.

The "Idella" was built four years ago. It has a forty foot keel and a twelve foot beam and had a capacity of a large number of passengers.

The crew on the boat at the time of the accident was composed of Mr. Orr, his son Harry Orr and Ray Booth. They will make the journey north by rail.

NEW ENGLISH SPEAKING CHRISTIAN REFORMED CONGREGATION DECEASED ON IN ZEELAND THIS EVENING

This evening commencing at seven thirty o'clock is the time fixed upon for the organization of the English-speaking Christian Reformed congregation of Zeeland. This will take place at the edifice of the First Christian Reformed church in that city and will be in charge of the committee appointed for that purpose at a recent session of the classes of Zeeland, the Rev. E. J. Krohn of Borculo, the Rev. J. H. Geerlings of Oakland and Elder Boesch of Zutphen.

Immediately after the completion of the new organization they will commence the holding of services regularly every Sabbath, the first services being conducted on March 15 by the Rev. D. R. Drukker, pastor of the first church of Zeeland. A building committee, composed of Peter Staal, Peter Ver Lee and William Van Koeveing appointed at a recent meeting has been negotiating for the purchase of the Kindergarten hall on Centennial street from the Second Reformed church. However, these negotiations are not yet completed, and it has not been definitely decided where services will be held regularly.

MARTIN VANDER BIE MAKES A BIG CATCH ON HUNTING TRIP.

Martin Vander Bie perhaps holds the record in this state as a fox hunter, as the result of catches he made during the past week. His business partner, F. E. Dulyea Friday received a letter from Van der Bie in which he states he has five foxes to his credit during the past week. On Tuesday he shot one near the hunting camp at Edgett in Lake county, and on Thursday of this week he captured a mother fox and three young ones.

Mr. Vander Bie writes that he believes the young ones can be kept alive and he intends to bring them home with him for exhibition purposes. The four foxes Thursday were dug out of a hole into which the mother fox was chased the day before. The hole was plugged and the next day VanderBie, John Peterson and Wm. Vand Dort returned to the place and to their surprise they found four instead of one as they had expected.

There has been considerable rivalry between VanderBie and Dulyea in the fox hunting line. Their scores were about even until last week, but now VanderBie is five ahead of his partner and the latter will have to put in some hard licks to catch up.

Chicago Detectives Will Finally Be Brought to Trial; Mouw Case Also On

Circuit Court for the March Term convenes March 16. The jury will be in Grand Haven the week after. There are but few criminal cases to be tried and the entire calendar is a light one. The calendar bears the following cases:

Criminal—People vs. James Carlin and Thomas V. Flannigan, kidnapping; People vs. Harry Mouw, assault and battery for sentence; People vs. Oscar Hansen, larceny from office.

Civil Jury—John Van Hall, by J. Vyn next friend, vs. John Welch; Lawrence Van Hall, by John Vyn, next friend vs. John Welch; Vincent J. Aleszkiewicz vs. Benjamin Hoffman; Carl G. Stettinaki vs. Julius Pommerinks; Cassie M. Soule vs. G. R. G. H. and M. R'y; Louis Hayden vs. Peter Zalsman; Cleeland and Cleeland vs. Benjamin Gregg, et al; Moses Salamy vs. City of Grand Haven; Martin J. Conroy vs. Edward Palmer; Joseph Kensor vs. John Names; Louis Stubman by John Vyn, his next best friend vs. John Welch; Joseph Precious vs. Joseph L. Covey.

Civil, non-jury—Anna M. Gates vs. Frank A. Gates; Old National Bank vs. Eastern Basket and Veneer Co.; Edgar G. Maxwell vs. Eastern Basket and Veneer Co.; Grand Rapids Savings Bank vs. Eastern Veneer Co.; Orry Bush vs. Jacob De Witt; Fremont State Bank vs. Eastern Veneer Co.; Seddia Radmaker, claimant vs. Estate of Anna Morrissey; James Boyce vs. Jacob Kulte Jr.

Chancery, contested—Frank C. Purdy vs. Gelke DeJong, et al; J. E. Clark vs. Frank Hotelling; A. S. Roetter vs. Klaus Stange, foreclosure; Charles Koterbski vs. Gustav Metzler, fraud; Jacob Schoemaker vs. Chris De Jonge, et al, bill for injunction; Henry Albert Tripp, et al, vs. Nels Sorensen, et al, injunction bill; Louis Verdonis vs. Fiero Cerkoes, cancellation of mortgage; Geo. Rankans vs. Goldie Deming Rankans divorce; Laura A. Reynolds vs. Lewis L. Reynolds, divorce; James Tolblason vs. Theoda Terrill, to annul marriage; Guy K. Rirenau, divorce; John Rotman vs. Alta Jane Irish, to quiet title; William De Kléne et al vs. Simon M. Johnson, et al, bill to quiet title; John Midgee vs. Henry Rodgers, to quiet title.

Chancery—Hattie De Feyter vs. Albert De Feyter, divorce; Vivian Ida Rickard vs. Elisha Francis Rickard, divorce; Majorie Rork vs. W. L. Rork, divorce.

Chancery, default—Peter Kruggel et al vs. Grosvenor B. Bowers, to quiet title; Fred Doornbos vs. John Hayes to quiet title.

SIGNED COUNTY BONDS 300 TIMES

Final Steps Being Taken in Good Roads Money Issue

Cornelius Roosenraad, of Zeeland, chairman of the board of supervisors was in Grand Haven Monday for the purpose of signing up the good roads bonds. The chairman signed his name 300 times, the bonds being of \$500 donations. Clerk Glerum will sometime during the week, proceed to Chicago and after attaching his signature to the bonds upon arrival there, will deliver them to the banking firm of Harris Saving and Trust Company, the purchasers of the bonds.

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JACOB VAN WEELDEN AGAIN IN COMMAND AT MACATAWA STATION

Superintendent Lofberg of the 12th Life Saving District, with his headquarters in Grand Haven, has announced the appointments of captains in the various life saving districts in his territory. There are 31 stations in the district and to most of them the same men were appointed who served last year. Captain Jacob Van Weelden was again in command at Macatawa. At Grand Haven William Walker will be the captain.

The Macatawa life saving station is expected to open about April first and Captain Van Weelden expects to receive orders to that effect soon.

Practically the same crew that served last year is expected to be back on the job the coming summer.

Christian Science has gained a foothold in other small cities. There are a number of adherents of the Christian Science Creed in Grand Haven and there the sect has been quite active in spreading its literature.

REFORMED CHURCH PAPER SAYS THREE SERVICES ON SUNDAY TOO MANY

De Hope, the Holland organ of the Reformed church, is trying to organize a movement for the abolition of the three Sunday services plan now in vogue in the Holland churches of the Reformed and Christian Reformed denominations. An editorial in the current issue says:

"Three services on one Sunday are too many. The Sabbath thus becomes in place of a day of rest a day of hard labor. Three services leave no time for family and personal reading and meditation. It is too much for the spiritual digestive organs; there is danger that the congregation will suffer from spiritual dyspepsia."

"It is especially too much for the minister to prepare three sermons in one week and deliver them on one Sunday. Many a preacher has suffered a physical breakdown because of this practice."

The editorial proposes a conference of leaders of the Christian Reformed and Reformed churches to discuss the advisability of changing the plan.

Penmanship is to be a Required Subject in the Normal Schools

The following ruling was made by the State Board of Education at the meeting of January 31, 1914: Moved and carried that a required course in penmanship be established in each of the state normal schools beginning July 1, 1914, and no student shall be excused from taking the course unless an exceptional penman.

A new course in penmanship is being arranged by Supt. F. L. Keeler for the district schools of the state. Many cities are placing unusual stress on drill in this subject. This state-wide movement will be heartily indorsed by businessmen. The poor penmanship of the graduates of our schools has not been a credit to the public school system of the state.

BOY RABBIT HUNTERS FIND PILE OF FEATHERS AND HEADS OF FOWLS.

A party of boys who were hunting rabbits, discovered what is thought to be the rendezvous of the chicken thieves who have been more or less busy in South Ottawa and North Allegan counties for the past six months. The boys were following the outlet of Mud Lake and had just entered the thick brush near where the stream enters the river, when they came upon an old cabin that has been deserted by its owner for years.

Curiosity prompted the boys to enter the cabin after seeing fresh tracks in the snow. The tracks and the pile of feathers and chicken heads they found proved conclusively that many chickens had been prepared for market in the old house. In one corner of the room was an old stove that gave evidence of late use. A small pile of wood and quite an accumulation of ashes were piled in another corner.

Cutter tracks across the field indicated that the parties had not walked to the old cabin. Others, acting upon the information the boys brot out visited the cabin, and endeavored to trace the cutter tracks, but they were lost when the road was reached. It is planned to keep a watch on the house and see if the thieves can be caught red-handed.

EIGHTY-FIVE CANDLES ON HIS BIRTHDAY CAKE

Alvin H. Stillson, a pioneer of Saugatuck, enjoyed the unique experience of blowing out eighty-five candles which were placed on a cake in honor of his 85th birthday anniversary.

Mr. Stillson has been a resident of Allegan county for 76 years. He came to Western Michigan when a 9-year-old boy and he is considered a "walking encyclopedia" of western Allegan county history.

His earliest associates were Indian boys and he can converse in the Indian tongue as readily as any Ottawa or Pottawatomie.

In the early days he followed the changes common to a new country, engaging in lumber, bark, wood, milling, farming and shipbuilding.

The Forty Year Test

An article must have exceptional merit to survive for a period of forty years. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was first offered to the public in 1872. From a small beginning it has grown in favor and popularity until it has attained a world wide reputation. You will find nothing better for a cough or cold. Try it and you will understand why it is a favorite after a period of more than forty years. It not only gives relief—it cures. For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

MEMBERS OF M. E. MISSIONARY SOCIETY ARE GIVEN FINE OBJECT LESSON

Various Steps Are Gone Through That Foreigners Entering America Must Pass Through

Tuesday night forty members and friends of the Home Missionary society of the M. E. church, met at the home of Mrs. A. G. Gowdy.

The devotions were in charge of Miss Gretchen Ninde.

The topic for the evening was "Immigration" and the program in charge of the hostess was conducted in the following manner:

After giving facts concerning the present immigration from the countries of central and southern Europe mention was made that as a nation, we are much indebted to these lands.

Miss Ruth Rich represented Kosciuszko the Polish patriot. She reminded the guests of her volunteer service in the Revolutionary war and that in appreciation of her work a monument was erected at West Point.

Attention was called to the fact that many of our greatest musicians come from these countries whose representatives coming as they do by the thousands to our shores often seem more of a burden than blessing.

Miss Calla Elferdink impersonated Chopin, playing some of his choice selections.

Then it was announced that a ship was about to arrive from Europe and while the passengers were landing the different government officials at New York and Ellis Island would explain the work of their departments.

Dr. Particular (Miss McClellan,) medicine case in hand and assisted by his wife, (Miss Nind) told of the careful examination they would have to make and of the puzzle picture immigrants are supposed to work out as a test of their mental conditions.

Miss Lulu Zwemer as Custom House officer described her duties—opening all bundles and charging for excess baggage.

Miss Girard, as deaconess, displayed her basket full of helps for the new comers. There were toys, milk for the babies, soap, stationery, as she would be asked to write many letters to friends of the immigrants. She told how many of the boats she met and of the hundreds of girls she had assisted. During the evening she showed the many ways in which the deaconesses of the Methodist church help the immigrants at the several ports of entry.

Mrs. John Prakken, as Bible agent carried a basket full of Bibles, printed in 37 different languages and said that it was her duty and pleasure to urge every foreigner to accept a Bible in his own language.

Then Uncle Sam (Miss Van Kollen) was introduced. He stated it was his business to welcome, personally each new arrival and that he would try to make him feel at home and realize that in every way we are eager to help him.

All were given over to the mercy of the custom house officer and conscientious physicians.

Most of the immigrants "passed" and were allowed to remain, but a few afflicted mentally and physically were deported.

The rooms were decorated with flags and large posters kindly loaned by Mr. J. B. Mulder.

A violin quartet played Russian and American National hymns, and in closing all sang "America." Uncle Sam urging the immigrants especially to enter into the spirit of the song.

After appropriate refreshments the immigrants were distributed to the various sections of the city and we trust will prove a benefit to our commonwealth.

It seems that the hobo question in Ottawa county has at last been settled according to a statement made by Sheriff Dykhuis yesterday. There is but one hobo left in the county jail of some fifteen who were put at work on the roads only a short time ago. The man there now was sent from Holland on a vagrancy charge and he will be released soon.

In spite of the protestations of the prisoners that they would not work the sheriff's force made it so hot for them that there was no getting out of it. Every one who ever heard of a hobo knows that they are not noted for their thrift or love of work.

In Grand Haven they had to work. No longer were they given food and shelter from the cold wintry blasts as in former years. Instead they were given a shovel and put to work. Result: No more hoboes. Ease and contentment reigns supreme at the county jail.

BEEN SO WELL SUPPLIED WITH DEPUTY GAME WARDENS

There Will Be No Let Up on Protecting the Fish in Local Waters.

For perhaps the first time in the history of Ottawa County this county now has two deputy game wardens. The appointment of Charles Harmon, announced Monday does not mean that the appointment of Herman Beekman has been revoked. Beekman is still a deputy game warden, his appointment made the first of the year still holding good.

One of the state officials gave the information today that under the law three deputy game wardens can be appointed in each county in the state. Most of the counties however get along with one. But Ottawa now has two.

Because of the lake here and because of the harbor at Grand Haven this is one of the important counties in the state as far as fish and game is concerned. Fishermen declare that local waters are now in the best of shape, in the line of fish, that they have been for a long time, and this is due to the protection that the fish have enjoyed during the past few years through the rigid enforcement of the fish laws. The improvement if possible on this is the plan of the local people who are interested in it and hence no stone will be left unturned to give the fish every possible chance.

BERNIE MULDER TO REPRESENT HIGH SCHOOL IN ORATORY DELLA VAN HOVEN IN DECLAMATION

Mr. Mulder Wins First Honors With His Oration "The Cry of the Children."

In the oratorical and declamation contest held in the First Reformed church in Zeeland Tuesday night Bernie Mulder won first honors in oratory and Dela Van Hoven won in the declamation contest. Miss Dora Van Loo and Bert Brouwer were tied for second place in oratory, and Mauric Van Loo won second honors in declamation. Mr. Mulder and Miss Van Hoven will represent the Zeeland High school in the subdistrict contest to be held March 27 in Olsego.

The contest Tuesday was one of the liveliest ever held in which the Zeeland high school students engaged. There were four speakers in the oratorical contest and four in the declamatory contest. The title of the winning oration was "The Cry of the Children." It was a plea for the conservation of childhood, for the right of children to enjoy their period of play, to grow up into strong men and women physically, mentally and spiritually. The speaker graphically described child labor conditions as they obtain in this country today, especially in some sections of the south. He told how the bodies of little boys and girls are stunted and how the children are robbed of their inherent rights to taste the joys of life.

The program Tuesday opened with a song by a quartet composed of Peter Smit, John Katte, C. J. Den Herder and Bert Pruim. The first orator was Bert Brouwer, who spoke on the subject, "The American Flag." The subject of the second speaker Wm. Reus, was "Stars of Life." Miss Dora Van Loo spoke on the subject "Opportunities of Youth," while the last oration was the winning production, "The Cry of the Children," by Mr. Mulder.

The declamations offered were: "The Return of Regulus," by John Weirama; "The True Grandeur of Nations," by Maurice Van Loo; "Deathbed of Benedict Arnold," by Ralph Ten Have; and "Deathbed of Benedict Arnold," by Dela Van Hoven.

The final number on the program consisted of three songs by the male quartette, accompanied by Miss Lavens Baert.

The judges in thought and composition were the Rev. D. R. Drukker, Dan Van Sytama and Ben. Neerken; the judges in delivery were A. La-huis, J. N. Clark and the Rev. P. P. Cheff.

Chronic Stomach Troubled Cured

There is nothing more discouraging than a chronic disorder of the stomach. Is it not surprising that many suffer for years with such an ailment when a permanent cure is within their reach and may be had for a trifle? "About one year ago," says P. H. Beck, of Wakelee, Mich., "I bought a package of Chamberlain's Tablets, and since using them I have felt perfectly well. I had previously used any number of different medicines, but none of them were of any lasting benefit." For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

LOCAL ORGANIZATION PLANS TO INCREASE ACTIVITIES; WORK WITH THE CHURCHES

Reports of Committees Show That Many Have Been Assisted This Winter; Committees Are Appointed.

A meeting of the Holland Charity society was held Tuesday evening at the office of Mrs. L. M. Thurber.

Plans were made to increase the activity of the local organization. It is the purpose of this society to work with all local churches and philanthropic institutions to help the worthy poor and to prevent duplication of aid. The following people were appointed as an advisory board to represent the different churches in the city: Mr. D. Steketee, Mr. K. Buurma, Mrs. James A. Brouwer, Mr. Jacob Heeringa, Mr. Fred Beuwkes, Mr. M. Notler, Mr. John Kelley, Miss Nellie Churchford, Mr. Otto Kramer.

The following people are members of the Supply Committee: Mr. Henry Geerlings, Mrs. George Kolles, Mrs. C. V. R. Gilmore. It was decided to make each ward in the city a district and the following persons were appointed to work in these wards with their assistants: Mrs. H. D. Veldman, first ward; Miss N. Churchford, second ward; Mesdames Post, Browning and Wing, third and fourth wards; Mesdames Frassick and Klaasen in the Fifth ward.

The Holland Charity society is a co-operating society with the National Child Welfare league of which Miss Cora Lamping is General Director.

The report of the several committees of the local society shows that a great many cases of worthy poor have been assisted this winter. The officers of the society are Mrs. C. V. R. Gilmore, president; Mrs. G. W. Browning, Vice President; Mr. Otto Kramer, second vice president; Mrs. L. M. Thurber, secretary; Mr. Henry Geerlings, treasurer. The regular meetings of the society will be held the first week of every month.

UNKNOWN NURSE DIES IN HOLLAND

Was Taking Care of Sick Patient

A search is being made for relatives of Miss Matilda Sroesseler, who died yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nies, East Ninth street where she was engaged as a nurse for Mr. John Nies. Miss Sroesseler was taken ill Monday as a result of heart trouble and she did not recover. She came to this city from Grand Rapids about three weeks ago, and nothing is known as to where her home is. She was about 36 years old.

It was learned from Mrs. A. L. Smith, 715 Wealthy Street, Grand Rapids, where Miss Sroesseler stayed before coming to Holland, that she has a sister, Mrs. Barley Smith in La Crosse, Wis. But so far, Mr. Dykstra, who has charge of the body has been unable to reach her. It is thought that her home is in Milwaukee, Wis.

When You Can Fruit

One tablespoonful of glycerine to each pound of fruit in preserves prevents the formation of a sugary crystal coating on top. In stewing fruit, fresh or evaporated, two table spoonfuls of glycerine to each pound of fruit and a pinch of salt and less sugar is a great improvement.

Joe Alway formerly of this city, now of Kalamazoo is visiting friends in this city.

CITY MARKETS

Beach Milling Company (Buying price per bushel on grain)

Wheat, white.....	39
Wheat, red.....	30
Rye.....	60
Oats.....	44
Corn.....	68

(Selling Price Per Ton)

Street Car Feed.....	28.00
No. 1 Feed.....	28.00
Corn Meal.....	27.00
Cracked Corn.....	28.00
Bran.....	29.00
Middlings.....	30.00
Screenings.....	28.00
Low Grade.....	33.00
Oil Meal.....	35.00
Cotton Seed.....	35.00

Thos. Klomprens & Co.

Hay, Straw, Etc.

(Prices Paid to Farmers)

Hay, loose.....	15.00
Hay, Baled.....	16.00
Straw.....	8.00

Molenaar & De Goe

Butter, creamery.....	28
Butter, dairy.....	24-26
Eggs.....	24
Pork.....	10-12
Mutton.....	10-11
Chicken.....	12

Non-Partisan Primary Election Ballot

List of Candidates for Nomination to be voted for the Fifth Ward, City of Holland.

To vote for a person, mark 'X' in the square at the left of the name of the person for whom you desire to vote. (X)

Mayor, for two years.....	<input type="checkbox"/> NICODEMUS BOSCH
	<input type="checkbox"/> AUSTON HARR'NGTON
	<input type="checkbox"/> NICHOLAS J. JONKER
City Treasurer.....	<input type="checkbox"/> BENJAMIN F. HARRIS
	<input type="checkbox"/> HERMAN G. VANDEN BRINK
Justice of the Peace.....	<input type="checkbox"/> BERT BARNARD, Jr.
full term,	<input type="checkbox"/> FRED T. MILES
	<input type="checkbox"/> JOHN NIES
Assessor, for one year.....	<input type="checkbox"/> CASPER W. NIBBELINK
	<input type="checkbox"/> ERNEST C. THOMS
Supervisor, for two years.....	<input type="checkbox"/> GEORGE BAUER
(Vote for two)	<input type="checkbox"/> FRED W. JACKSON
	<input type="checkbox"/> SIMON KLEYN
	<input type="checkbox"/> GERRIT W. KOOYERS
	GEORGE A. VAN LENDEGEND
Supervisor, for one year.....	<input type="checkbox"/> SIMON BOS
(Vote for two)	<input type="checkbox"/> ALBERT BOUWMAN
	<input type="checkbox"/> NICHOLAS J. ESSENBERG
	<input type="checkbox"/> JOHN VANDEN BERG
	<input type="checkbox"/> EDWARD VANDEN BERG
	<input type="checkbox"/> JOHN VELDHEER
Alderman, Fifth Ward.....	<input type="checkbox"/> ROLAND A. BEENS
	<input type="checkbox"/> DIRK W. JELLEMA
	<input type="checkbox"/> DICK MILES
	<input type="checkbox"/> HARRY PARKES
	<input type="checkbox"/> DIRK STEKETEE
Constable, Fifth Ward.....	<input type="checkbox"/> HERMAN BEEKMAN
	<input type="checkbox"/> JOHN A. KAMPEN
	<input type="checkbox"/> PETER WIERDA

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VILLIFICATION

Of all the cities and towns where political questions are settled and where men take certain stands on public problems or where good men through civic pride seek office where they can do the city some good, is there a city where more dirt and low lived campaign stories are put in circulation than in this fair city of Holland? If there is we have not heard of it.

Good men must run the gauntlet of mad throwing and dirty insinuations that have their foundation only in the minds of their less honorable opponents or their henchmen. Thus far the News has heard by actual count 26 different tales about Austin Harrington. But the story circulated this morning "caps the climax" for foolishness, ridiculousness, and brass and the man who springs it, shows his ignorance by so doing. The story goes that Mr. Harrington is using city bonds to run his business. It is needless to say anything in contradiction or in denial of this tale, for such a tale bearer is a fool.

Such a thing is not only impossible but it could not be done without the knowledge of all the aldermen, the mayor and the city clerk, who would have to sign the bonds, and the banks with whom the business was done. This editorial is not intended to refute this or any other lying story, but to condemn any and all stories told of every good man who has or will run for public office in this city and who is too honorable to retaliate in kind.

Mud that is thrown will soon dry up and fall away revealing the real truth, but on many a man the mud has stuck until after an election when the voters realized too late that the statements made were false.

We can cite another little instance, that of one of the aldermen, whom everyone honors and respects who has worked his way up by dint of hard knocks and has succeeded. In some way he became in disfavor with some of the powers that be and directly a story was put into circulation detrimental to this alderman's credit. The story was groundless but nevertheless it nearly ruined him and would have done so had the matter not been straightened out through threat of a damage suit forcing a retraction. The alderman told the

News this story himself at that time. Is it a wonder that good men are hard to get to run for office in Holland?

If all the stories told within the last week about Mr. Harrington (one of Holland's sons and Holland's best booster) were true they ought to hang him; but all well thinking citizens know that it is the same crop of lies sprung on any candidate no matter if he were a saint. No doubt Mr. Harrington has action for slander against some men but he is too broad-minded to pay any attention to these villifications further than to feel that they are for campaign material used for this week only.

Austin Harrington has informed his friends not to retaliate with lying stories but to use only honorable means to advance his election for mayor. If he cannot win in that way he would sooner loose in an honorable way.

RELIGION IS NOT DYING

Occasionally some doleful brother arises to say that the churches are falling alarmingly behind in the United States, that religion is losing its hold on the people and much more to the same effect. Now and then some person who is opposed to churches and what they stand for comes forward with a set of figures to show how many years it will be before the Christian churches are wiped off the earth or driven into concealment in remote districts.

To both of these gentlemen are referred the statistic gathered and submitted by Dr. H. K. Carroll, who was in charge of the government census of 1890. Not to go into details Dr. Carroll shows that the religious bodies of the United States in 1913 increased in actual enrollment 1.8 per cent. The net increase in the number of persons actually enrolled as members of Christian churches within the United States in 1913 is 618,000.

True, taken in comparison with the total population and increase of population, these figures are not startlingly large. But they indicate a church membership increase equal to 20 per cent in a decade, which is quite up to the population growth of the country for the past decade. They do indicate that far from losing its grip on the people, religion is maintaining it in a fashion to cheer even those of its devotees who are most pessimistic and to encourage those not given to drawing extra-fine distinctions in defining the term "religion." It is evident that the churches are to be with us yet for some time to come, and that they will continue to influence conditions of life and living to no inconsiderable extent.

A Chicago physician says that to be healthy the mouth should be kept closed while asleep. Many a man who talks in his sleep found this out long ago.

Suppose Colonel Roosevelt should decide to remain in south America another year? What would become of the Bull Moose party?

PROBATE COURT BUSINESS

The following business was transacted in the Probate Court on March 6th, 1914:

Discharged issued in estate of Henry Carl Van Raalte of Holland. Final account with waivers filed in estate of Mary Falls of Spring Lake, account allowed and order assigning residue entered.

Guardian of person of Dewey M. McCoy, minor, of Georgetown Township, appointed.

Petition for administration with waivers in estate of Ann Leggett of Coopersville filed and administrator appointed.

Bond filed and letters issued in estate of Gerrit J. Vander Vliet of Holland, and July 6th set for hearing claims

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE BOARD OF TRADE

There was a small attendance at the annual business meeting of the Board of Trade Friday evening. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—A. H. Landwehr.
Vice-President—Geo. Van Landegend.

Secretary—Dick Boter.

Treasurer—Henry Geerlings.

The meeting of last night brought to a close the two year term of Austin Harrington as president of the Holland commercial board. Mr. Harrington refused to have his name considered for another year, desiring to shift the burden of the board on to other shoulders after he has been connected with it closely for many years. Before he was elected president two years ago Mr. Harrington had served as secretary for a number of years and in both capacities he worked extremely hard to advance the interests of the board and to keep the city of Holland on the map industrially.

Mr. Harrington's successor is considered an ideal man for the place of head of the board of trade. He has the interests of Holland at heart as his predecessor had and he has the kind of ability that will count for Holland and for the upbuilding of this city industrially. Mr. Landwehr is a booster in the very best sense of that word. And although the refusal of Mr. Harrington to accept the position again was a disappointment to the board, a disappointment to the ability of Mr. Landwehr succeeds him is a matter of congratulation to the members of the organization.

Raymond Visscher who acted secretary for the past two years and who a very competent secretary believes in passing the work around and therefore did not wish to be re-elected.

DAVE OVERWEG IN GRAND HAVEN JAIL DESCRIBES LIFE IN PRISON.

Was Brought Back to Testify Against Grand Haven Liquor Dealer.

Dave Overweg, one of the young bandits from Holland, who is serving a sentence at Ionia of from 5 to 15 years is at present a boarder for a couple of days with sheriff Dykhuis, in Grand Haven, having been sent for to testify for the state in the case against Hugh Archer for alleged selling of liquor to a minor.

Overweg says the boys and men at Ionia are made to work pretty steady. There are about 550 prisoners there. Roy Fox, who was sentenced at the time that Dave was, works in the same department, viz. the caning of chair seats. They have to work 9 hours a day and 10 chairs is the task, but some of those who have worked there a good while can finish as high as 24 or 25. He himself can do 14 or 15 already, and he makes 5c a chair over his task.

At 8 o'clock at night the lights are turned out, and at 7 in the morning work is commenced. At 11:30 they are marched back and at 12 dinner is served and at 5 o'clock supper is had.

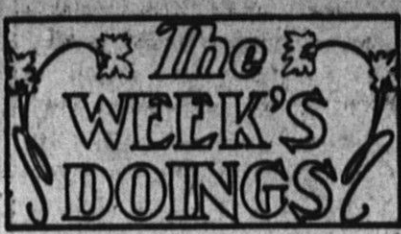
Sundays, says Dave are the worst and most lonesome days. Everybody is locked in his cell and no labor is performed. At 9 everybody has to go to church to hear the chaplain preach, a Catholic priest, and 11:30 the service is over and at 12 dinner is had and then all have to return to their cells till 7 o'clock Monday morning.

Roy Fox is not 10 feet from Dave in the shops where they are working but they are not allowed to have any conversation with each other and Overweg says, "Roy does not know even now where I am."

Dave did not know he was to go to Grand Haven to testify and therefore was agreeably surprised, for he was certainly glad to have to make the trip.

G. J. Overweg of this city went to Grand Haven to see his son. Their meeting was pathetic, but it could be observed the boy was glad to meet his parents. In all probability Sheriff Dykhuis will return the boy to Ionia on Friday of this week.

"He a mean man."
"How so?"
"When the little girl begs for an ice cream sundae, he asks her if she wouldn't rather have a gold watch when she's nineteen."



Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sears R. McLean, March 9—a boy.

Gerrit S. Oudermolen suffered a fracture of his right arm.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacobus T. Compter—a girl.

Born to Prof. and Mrs. John Walter Beardslee—a son, John Walter III.

Lee Cummings has purchased a machine for putting ups on cues. It does the work better than the old method with clamps.

Besides most of the stores and the schools being closed yesterday three factories shut down. They were the Holland Furnace Factory, Bush and Lane Piano Co., and Limberts.

Deputy Sheriff C. Dornbos is in Grand Haven to take Deputy De Fortney's place on the sheriff's force for a few days. Mr. Fortney is unable to attend to his duties.

Sheriff Dykhuis is back from Ionia after having brought back Dave Overweg, one of the celebrated Holland boy bandits, who is wanted as a witness in the case against Hugh Archer Grand Haven Liquor dealer, which came up before Justice Wach's today.

Three new fire alarm boxes have been put up by the board of public works at the following places: Columbia and Sixth, number 213; First Avenue and Eighth, number 231; Maple avenue and Fifteenth, number 312.

Mr. and Mrs. John Toren have returned from a two months' visit in Florida. While in the south they visited Miami, St. Augustine and many other famous winter resort cities. They spent most of the time at Palm Beach.

W. J. Poppe and Lee Smith of this city received a telegram Friday morning to come to Xenia, Ohio, to resume work on the new post office that is being built there. They left Friday. They worked on this same job last fall.

Charles Van Zyl of Grand Rapids formerly with the Auto Tire and Vulcanizing Co. of that city, has rented a building of E. J. Harrington on East Eighth street and will do tire vulcanizing. He will carry a full line of tires and will open for business about April 1.

A spark from the chimney was the cause of a blaze on the roof of the home of Mrs. Carrie Prakken, 71 West Thirteenth St. Friday night about 7:30. The fire department arrived quickly and the fire was extinguished before much damage had been done.

The building on River Avenue, near Ninth street formerly occupied by Bos, the tailor, and Derks, the shoeman, is being remodeled. The building is owned by De Kraker. Derks and Bos are now located on River Avenue, between Ninth and Tenth streets in the building near Gumser's Photo Supply Co.

The Ottawa Beach Hotel will open this season about June 18 instead of July 1, as in other years. The early opening is for the accommodation of several large conventions booked for the last two weeks in June, and which will make headquarters at the hotel. J. Boyd Pantlind will be manager this season. Work soon will be resumed on the improvements started last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sikkenga of Montague, stopped over in the city, enroute to Holland. Mrs. Sikkenga is Sheriff Dykhuis' sister and she and husband were enroute to visit relatives in the neighborhood city. John Dykhuis, brother of Sheriff Dykhuis is receiving a visit from his wife and babies from Muskegon. At present Mr. Dykhuis is engaged at the Crosby docks while his family still resides in Muskegon.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Rev. J. Robbert, formerly of East Holland who for the last two years has been in charge of the Christian Reformed church at East Paris, is suffering from a nervous breakdown and will be forced to quit the ministry, temporarily at least. He had just accepted a call to Ellsworth, but he has been forced to cancel his acceptance and apply to the classical committee to become emeritus minister for at least one year. He expects to reside in Holland for the time being.

Plans have been completed for Christian Science services in Holland, the first time that this sect has made an attempt to gain a foothold here. The services will be held every Sunday forenoon in the rooms formerly occupied by the Woman's Literary Club in the Visscher Building. The elder in charge, or whatever his title is, announces that the sermon will be from the Bible and from the Christian Science text book. The first meeting is to be held Sunday.

Fred Boone has left for the West to buy a carload of horses which he expects to sell to the farmers in this community.

Martin Vander Bie has returned from his hunting trip up North and a number of foxes secured on that trip are being displayed in the window of his place of business.

The Rev. Mr. Bouma, pastor of the Fourth Reformed church in this city is in receipt of a call from the Reformed church of Hull, Ia. Mr. Bouma went to Iowa Tuesday to look over the field.

The store building formerly occupied by the Cash Bargain store, John Vander Poel proprietor, is being redecorated and a new modern front is being built. The building is owned by A. Steketee.

Supervisors A. J. Knight of Robinson, Maurice Luidens of Olive and George Hubbard of Georgetown, constituting the auditing committee of the board of supervisors, were in Grand Haven Monday holding a session.

A company of thirty, including the children and grandchildren, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hamelink, 25 West Fourteenth St. Thursday night and surprised Mrs. Hamelink on the occasion of her sixtieth birthday anniversary. She was presented with an electric reading lamp. Luncheon was served and several musical selections were rendered.



Mrs. H. Van Ry received a telegram Monday morning announcing the death in Denver, Colo., of her sister Mrs. E. Kremer. Mrs. Kremer was taken seriously ill Saturday evening and she died Sunday morning about 2 o'clock. She was 62 years old.

Mrs. Kremer was well known in Holland, having lived here and in Grand Rapids for a number of years. She was born in the Netherlands. Her maiden name was Kruidenier, and she is a sister of the Rev. Mr. Kruidenier, missionary to Egypt, who is spending a vacation in this city.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Saunders, 165 West 8th street died and was buried Friday.

Early Monday morning at his home in Grand Haven, A. J. Ward, former Holland man and well known Ottawa county resident, passed away after an illness extending over several months. Mr. Ward has many friends in this city and he was very well known here, having made his home here for some twelve or fifteen years. He had been in failing health for some time, suffering with stomach trouble, which developed into a serious illness about two months ago.

Mr. Ward was seventy-two years old. He was born in Ohio and spent his boyhood there. Later he moved to Flint, Michigan, where he conducted a brickyard. While there he was prominent in Flint politics and he served as the mayor of that city.

Mr. Ward also built the Ottawa County Court House.

About twenty years ago he came to Holland and while here he went in the contracting business laying a great many of the Cities first cement walks. Becoming interested in Ottawa County politics Mr. Ward was elected register of deeds of this county and he held that office for two years. He ran for the same office again against John Van Anrooy but did not come out victorious in that contest. Since moving to Grand Haven to assume the office in the court house there Mr. Ward has continued to live there having engaged in the contracting business for a number of years. In both Holland and Grand Haven he was very active in local politics and he often made himself heard on public questions. He took a deep interest in city affairs.

Fraternally, Mr. Ward was a Mason, a member of Grand Haven Lodge No. 139, F. & A. M., a member of the Grand Army of the Republic and a Forester.

He was an Episcopalian and took an active interest in church work, and has been on the vestry of St. John's church in this city, during most of the years of his residence here.

Besides his wife, two children survive; Arthur Ward of Waukegan, Ill., and Mrs. Chauncey Clark of this city.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2:30 from the home, corner Fourth and LaFayette. Burial will be in Lake Forest.

The fire at the county building was at half mast Monday, in respect to the memory of A. J. Ward, the builder of the court house and a former register of deeds of the county.

Dr. G. J. Kollen has received a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. A. A. Raven, last Saturday, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. Raven is a member of the council of Hope college, and in that capacity, has been here repeatedly, as many local people will remember.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Raven leaves three children, Mrs. Caroline Raven Mac Lean, of Brooklyn, Mr. William Raven of Caldwell, N. J., and the Rev. Dr. John H. Raven, a professor in our Theological Seminary at New Brunswick, N. J.

Mrs. Raven was a faithful wife, a devoted mother, and a consecrated Christian. For more than twenty-five years she was president of the Woman's Society of Foreign Missions of the Reformed church on-the-Heights of Brooklyn. Mrs. Raven adorned the doctrines of her Saviour in all her life. Her character was a beautiful combination of strength, generosity and kindness.

There was a demonstration of great enthusiasm in the chapel at Hope College Monday morning, due to the noble efforts on the part of Harry Hoffs and Miss Anna Kolyn in the oratorical contest at Albion last Friday. The high places awarded these two contestants inspires the "Hopettes" with a determination to have more victories before the year closes. Mr. Jacobs, winner in the interstate prohibition contest, is anxiously awaiting the time to take another "Scalp" at Washington, and Mr. Ter Keurst is putting his best efforts into a prohibition oration, with which he hopes to take a "scalp" on or about the eighth of April in the State contest. Plans are already under way for this state prohibition contest, which will be held in Holland. All the students are anxiously looking forward to this event. Hope is rather fortunate in having the privilege of entertaining the representatives from other colleges and without doubt the wide awake executive committee will prove itself capable of entertaining the throng that will gather here in April.

A fine exhibition was given Monday afternoon at Carnegie Gym. by the Freshmen Class of Hope College. A varied program under the direction of Physical Director Steininger was given. The first part consisted of three drills, maize running, free hand work and dumb bells. All the drills were rhythmically executed and the sight of some thirty uniformed men all moving in perfect time and unison was very pleasing. Apparatus work formed the second part of the exhibition. Work was done on the horse and the buck with agility and precision. Difficult human pyramids were built by the members of the class which were greatly appreciated by the audience. Finally several athletic games were played which were very amusing and entertaining. The whole exhibition was very well executed and reflected great credit both on the class and on the director, Mr. Steininger.

In observance of the Day of Prayer for Crops lessons were omitted at Hope College and Western Theological Seminary yesterday. The Adelphi Y. M. C. A. met Tuesday night at the home of Dr. and Mrs. M. Kolyn. Devotions were in charge of R. A. Stanton of the Senior class. Dr. Kolyn read a very instructive paper on the Heidelberg Catechism. Refreshments were served by Misses Anna Kolyn and Frances Bosch.

The annual business meeting of the Hope college Y. M. C. A. was held Tuesday night. Reports were given by the various committee chairmen and officers which showed the Association is in a very flourishing condition. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—John De Boer.
Vice-President—Miner Stegenga.
Secretary—Fred De Jong.
Treasurer—George Steininger.

YOUNG MEN OF FIRST REFORMED CHURCH BELIEVE IN UNITY

The Men's Junior Bible class of the First Reformed church, although in operation for many years, was organized for the first time at a party held at the home of the teacher, Dick Boter. It was thought that better work would result if the class was organized and that the young men would take more interest in the work. The following officers were elected: President, John Tiesinga; Vice President, Alfred Joldersma; Secretary, Anthony Ver Duine; Treasurer, Martin Kameraad; Ass't Secretary and Treasurer, Shud Althuis. Besides the officers the following young men are members of the class: Sam Althuis, Fred Scherhoorn, John Ryzenga, Cornel Barkema, Frank Douma, Dick Vander Meulen, Henry Bekker and Harvey Mulder.

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Personal Items



John Stroop is visiting relatives in Kalamazoo.

Harry Vanden Berg of Traverse City spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Dan Kruidenier spent the week end in Grand Haven.

Miss Ina Ming of Harlem spent Sunday at her home in this city.

Att. M. A. Sooy was in Grand Haven Monday.

Mr. Rogers of Grand Ledge is visiting in this city.

William Reus made a business trip to Holland Saturday.

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

Mrs. Harry Padnos and children, little son Irvin and infant daughter Helen Ruth have returned home from a visit to relatives in Chicago.

Miss Lucile Mulder was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

The Misses Ruth and Vera Keppel of Holland are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George De Young.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mulder took in Joseph and his Brethren at Powers' Theatre, Monday evening.

Miss Gretchen Ming of Holland returned home Saturday morning, after a pleasant visit with her friend, Miss Marie Jonker in Grand Haven.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm DeKleine visited with friends and relatives in Holland Sunday.

Miss Marie Ver Berkmoes is visiting in Grand Rapids and Holland.

Miss Beulah DuSaur, has returned to Holland, after spending the week end with Miss Alice Danhof.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Roy H. Gilbert, principal of the Holland High school was in the city Friday night the guest of his sister Mrs. Mark B. Ardis at Grand Haven.

Misses Dorothea Hunt and Marie Bolks of Holland spent the week end with Miss Marguerite Gleason at Grand Haven.

Harry Nies left Tuesday for Cincinnati, Ohio.

H. Van Tongeren was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mrs. Helene Pardee and Mrs. J. E. Telling spent yesterday in Grand Rapids.

Following is the program to be given at the meeting of the Woman's Literary club Tuesday afternoon:

Deputy State Game and Fish Warden F. Salisbury was in Holland Monday.

Miss Ruth Miller returned Monday from an extended visit with friends in Allegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Buurma returned Monday night from a visit in Kalamazoo.

Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott were in Grand Rapids yesterday to attend the performance of "Joseph and His Brethren," at Powers.

Mrs. P. T. McCarthy has returned from a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

Reading—"The Man with the Hoe" (Markham)—Mrs. Arthur Vischer; Socialism, Mrs. Yntema; The Centennial Exposition—Mrs. Wm. Brusse; "Centennial Hymn" (Whittier)—Mrs. J. Koolker; Music, Mrs. Prakken; Woman's Colleges—Miss Gelger.

John Rosendaal Pleaded Not Guilty to Using Indecent Language Charge.

John Rosendaal was arrested this Tuesday on complaint of Chief of Police Dykhuis charged with using indecent and insulting language in the presence of his mother. When arraigned before Justice Robinson he pleaded not guilty to the charge and will have a trial Wednesday afternoon, March 18 at 1 o'clock in the city hall.

The Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will give a social in the church parlors, Monday evening, March 16, beginning at 8 o'clock. A fine program will be rendered and a pleasant evening is assured. Mrs. Gowdy's violin class will give several selections.

Miss Edna Brandt was very pleasantly surprised by the pupils of her class at her home on Lincoln street Saturday afternoon. The entire class of little boys and girls was present. Refreshments were served and the little people enjoyed themselves immensely. Miss Brandt received many beautiful and dainty little gifts.

Nellie Brinkman was pleasantly surprised by twelve of her school friends Tuesday afternoon, at her home.

Those present were Vera Hiler, Jeanette Prakken, Marion Lalpplie, Elizabeth Me Gee, Ruth Hardie, Adelina Vander Hill, Rose Van Anrooy, Julia Huntley, Ruth Nibbelink, Annette Zuidewind, Elizabeth Kraal, Ruth Noble. A very enjoyable time was spent in music and games, and refreshments were served.

The Woman's Literary club will put on a play entitled "Maidens All Forlorn," in the club house Friday evening of this week. This play is Sonata, No. 1, Minnie Brinks and full of laughs and it is comedy of the most delicious kind. It will be one of the best prepared local talent plays ever staged in Holland, and there will be facilities in the new Spohr, Hymns, Miss Hicks; Musical club house to give the production as it should be given.

The title of the comedy gives a hint at the character of the play. The three principal character are Mrs. R. A. Miller were the characters in a Mills, Miss Metz and Miss Moore. They are to take the parts of Maude Meredith, Elizabeth Lynden, and Bertha Baniadale, in the order named. The other characters are Louisa Marston, the aunt of the "forlorn maidens," to be acted by Mrs. Sooy; Mrs. Maloney, Landlady of Shorely Cottage, Mrs. Pifer and J. Denby, M. D., Mrs. Raycraft.

In addition to the play there will be three other numbers on the program. A quartette, consisting of Mrs. Pardee, Mrs. Telling, Mrs. Van Verst and Mrs. Diekema, will sing. Miss Metz will give a reading, and a duet will be rendered by Mrs. Pardee and Mrs. Telling.

The program will begin at 7:45 sharp. Tickets are now on sale for the entertainment.

A surprise was given in honor of Gerrit Laarman on the occasion of

his 57th birthday at his home on 244 East 10th street. Mr. Laarman was induced to call on a sick friend and on his return he found the house filled with a genial party of his neighbors and relatives. He was presented with a very fine leather mission chair and many other useful presents. A very enjoyable evening was spent with music and games, and refreshments were. Mr. Laarman has nearly completed his 39th year with the P. M. R. Co. and is one of its most trusted employees.

Saturday afternoon the second division of Mrs. Gowdy's violin pupils met to study Handel and Spohr.

Russel Rutgers, the president, announced the following program:—Life of Handel, Lambertus Beuwkes; Hymns—Andante from "Rinaldo," Henry Was; Largo, Edner Slaght; Arja from "The Messiah" Cornelia Mulder; Life of Spohr, Russel Rutgers; Etude, Theodore Cook.

Monday evening the first division gave Handel and Spohr program

Miss Mable Hicks the president, had in charge: Handel's Life, Marion Butcher; Hymn, Clarence Zuidewind; evening of this week. This play is Sonata, No. 1, Minnie Brinks and full of laughs and it is comedy of the most delicious kind. It will be one of the best prepared local talent plays ever staged in Holland, and there will be facilities in the new Spohr, Hymns, Miss Hicks; Musical club house to give the production as it should be given.

This was given before both classes. Delicious refreshments were served by the committee.

AUCTION SALE DATES

Wednesday March 18, 1914 on the farm of Gerrit Brink ¼ mile West of East Saugatuck post-office, on the town line.

Thursday March 19, 1914 on the farm of Henry Wegman, 2½ miles West of Pine Creek schoolhouse.

Thursday March 12, 1914 on the farm of W. Adema in Laketown 1 mile South and two miles West of Graatschap.

Friday afternoon a declamation contest will be held in the assembly room of the high school. The winner in this contest will represent Holland in the sub-district contest.

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WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER

THIRTY FIVE YEARS AGO

We were wrongly informed about the evening that Capt. De Boe was to give his temperance lecture. It should have been Monday night, instead of Tuesday night. However, the lecture was given, but was slimly attended.

Some time since a movement was made and the plan adopted to erect a tablet in the First Reformed church, in memory of its first pastor, Rev. Dr. A. C. van Raalte. While Mr. R. Kanter was in Chicago recently he was successful in finding what they wanted, and the stone is expected here shortly. Its color is dark; marble, and its size is said to be 3 1/2 by 4 1/2 feet. Among other inscriptions it will contain "In memoriam of Rev. A. C. Van Raalte D. D." The engraved letters will be gilded, and when completed it will be placed in the wall of the east side of the church, near where the elders and deacons are usually seated.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Our Council judging from the proceedings published in another column, are attempting to make good (?) use of the City Hall. At the last meeting a resolution was offered granting the use of the rooms in the new building to all political "parties wishing to use them for caucus purposes." If this privilege had been asked for it would have been perfectly proper that the Council should have granted the request, but under the circumstances it looks as though the honorable gentlemen were getting too fast, and wanted to economize in a manner that would financially benefit those of that body that expected a re-election. We have Lyceum Hall and it has got to be patronized in a substantial manner, if we expect to have a Hall of suitable dimensions for a city of this size, and if it is to be cut off in this manner by the city fathers, whom it is to look to for support. We hope that the people who desire to hold caucuses for the purpose of putting in nomination men to fill the various city offices will select Lyceum Hall—a building that is roomy and perfectly adequate to accommodate all citizens who desire to attend the caucuses.

Allegan was laid in waste yesterday when fire swept the business portion. The loss totals up to \$243,195. Mayor W. H. Beach ordered Columbia Fire Co. No. 2 to report when aid was asked for. The fire apparatus was loaded on a flat car and made the run to Allegan in 45 minutes.

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO

Mr. E. J. Harrington is building a first class dock at Macatawa Grove "Turk" Dr. Van Putten's well known trotter, was out on the streets one day this week. He is in splendid condition, and is as lively as ever. All of the doctor's horses have done well in past winter, and are looking first-rate.

Mr. Hans Hansen will assume the duties of engineer at the Standard Roller Mills, of the Walsh De Roo Milling Co., next Monday. Mr. U. Malin, who has held the place for some time, having resigned, to accept a lucrative position in Milwaukee Wis.

John Cook and Peter W. Kane got up early Friday morning and put up their new awnings, in order to be in time to have the "News" announce the fact (without charge) to its thousands of readers this week. As they are both Harrison men and sensible fellows generally we concluded to oblige them this time.

Theological student J. Kruidenier of Xenia, Ohio will shortly be sent to Egypt as a missionary. Four Holland churches, including the Ninth Street Christian Reformed, and Market Street Christian Reformed churches, have promised to pay \$400 each year for ten years to help defray his expenses during his stay in Egypt.

The people of Zeeland were aroused on Thursday night by the alarm of fire. It was caused by a fire in the large mill barn, belonging to the Unity Mills. The barn was entirely destroyed. While it was burning another fire was discovered in Mr. A. Baerts' barn at the east end of the village. This was extinguished before much damage was done. It is thought that the fires were of incendiary origin, and the Zeelands are loading their shot guns with buck shots with which to shoot any "fire bugs" which can be found.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Samuel Edison, the father of the great electrician, was a man as simple and sterling in character as in his manners. His ancestors were Dutch millers on the Zuger Zee, in Holland, who came the Elizabeth, N. J., soon after Manhattan island was colonized. Thos. A. Edison was born in Ohio, where most great men are born now. In 1854 he changed his abode to Port Huron, Mich., where he began his career as newsboy on the railroad trains, and, by his own intelligent inquiries gained his first knowledge of chemistry and electricity.

A base ball team was organized in this city Monday. After two weeks of hard practice the following were selected out of about forty applicants: Frank Smith, Alfred Huntley, Bert Rhoades, Geo. Williams, Jake Ver Schure, Cornell Dalman, Frank Doesburg and Ike Fies. These are all experienced players and they expect to demonstrate this during the coming season. The aim of the members is to make the organization a permanent one, and to provide themselves with a neat uniform, in which effort they will appreciate a little financial assistance. The club is still without a name and they would like to have somebody suggest one. Address all communications to Jake Verschure, Holland.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

A group of dissatisfied old line Democrats, prominent in politics in different parts of the state, met in Bay City last week, with a view of organizing an independent Democratic party in Michigan. They didn't like the aggressive manner of the predominant silver faction, which make the 16 to 1 doctrine the absolute test of party fealty.

TEN YEARS AGO

Dr. Daniel Baert, the oldest practicing physician of Ottawa county, died at his home in Zeeland Monday afternoon from paralysis, after an illness of several weeks.

Jame A. Drinkwater has been urged by his friends to enter the race for aldermanship of the second ward in place of James Kole whose term expires, and has decided to do so. He will very likely be nominated by the republican of his ward.

Peter Verwey, the poundmaster, is lying in Bethesda Hospital severely injured and suffering greatly as the result of injuries received from a Pere Marquette passenger train Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Verwey boarded the train for Grand Rapids to go to Waverly. The train does not stop at Waverly and as it whirled past the station at the rate of 30 miles an hour Mr. Verwey jumped off. He struck on his face and rolled over and over. When picked up he was unconscious and blood was flowing from his mouth and nose and from ugly cuts on his head and face.

In a game of pool played at Hotel Cody in Grand Rapids in the championship series last Wednesday afternoon. Will Smith of Grand Rapids defeated Will Blom of this city by a score of 100 to 64. In the evening Blom played Stewart, ex-pool champion of the United States, in the 10 nights high score contest and was defeated by a score of 100 to 92.

The death of John Brusse, father of Henry Brusse, occurred Wednesday at his home on the corner of Twelfth street and Columbia at the age of 74 years.

Holland was saddened greatly Wednesday by the death of one of its most beloved women, Mrs. Ellen G. Bergen, wife of Rev. J. T. Bergen pastor of Hope church and professor of Hope College, passed away at eleven o'clock at night.

Mrs. Bergen will be greatly missed here. Here was a lovable, noble nature, hers a personality that appealed to all and made of all friends. Not in the history of the city has more concern been expressed on account of the illness of a woman than was expressed for Mrs. Bergen, and not in its history has the grief on account of the death of a woman been deeper. At her bedside when she died was her husband, her father Thomas Dean, of Brooklyn, and sister, Mrs. Towl of Brooklyn.

Prof. John E. Kulzena of the graduate class of the Western Theological seminary was extended an unanimous call by the Reformed church of Graafschap.

The Democrat or "wet" caucus at Zeeland nominated the following ticket: President, John D. Everhart; assessor, H. Van Eenennaan; treasurer, Theodore Van Zoeren; treasurer John J. Vanden Bosch, trustees, John D. De Pree, Johannes Meeuwse and Jacob Meeboer. Everhart is now president of Zeeland but a majority of his opponents on the board of trustees has kept the village "dry."

Justice Charles T. Pagelson, Grand Haven's best known citizen and a man well known also in Ottawa County, passed away at his home in Grand Haven last Sunday forenoon.

CONTRIBUTES ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS TO THIS CAUSE.

The Y. M. C. A. fund campaign is to begin in earnest next week. Or rather it began in earnest Friday evening when the Board of Trade appropriated one hundred dollars for the support of the venture. The finance committee is to hold a meeting soon and plans have been laid for canvassing the various sources of funds in the city. With free down town offices offered by Mr. Visscher and a nest egg of one hundred dollars from the board of trade the committee will have substantial start before beginning the actual work of making their canvass.

The members of the board of trade at the annual meeting Friday night showed themselves heartily in favor of making the appropriation. Practically all who were present were heartily in favor of an institution of this kind. Their action was in line with the recommendation of Judge John S. MacDonald at the annual banquet last week, when the Grand Rapids man declared that a board of trade should look out not only for factories and for material prosperity but should make efforts to conserve the boyhood and girlhood of the city as well.

STAND THREE TO THREE ON TESTIMONY OF HENRY MOUW VS. TESTIMONY OF HERMAN SERIER

Both Men Tell Exactly The Same Stories Until Time Serier Breaks Away from Steketee.

In the case of the people vs. Herman Serier, who is charged with assault and battery on the person of Officer Steketee on the evening of Sept. 2, the jury disagreed late Thursday afternoon and were dismissed by Justice Miles after being out for over an hour. In the arguments of both the prosecutor and the defense the jury was told that they must either take the word of Serier who claimed he did not strike Steketee or take Mouw's word who testified that Serier and Steketee engaged in a fight and that Steketee fell to the ground. The jury took a three to three stand from the first and were three to three after arguing among themselves for an hour.

Mouw was the chief witness for the people, although three others were called to the stand. Officer Steketee testified that he could not remember a thing about the evening from the time he went to arrest Serier under orders of Chief Dykhuis. Paul Brown testified that he saw a man run through the alley, evidently Serier, but could not swear as to the man's identity. Chief Dykhuis testified that he had sent Steketee out to arrest Serier on the charge of stealing the suitcase.

According to Mouw's story he met Sutton's Wholesale House. They walked to Frank Kuite's and went through the alley. In the alley Serier picked up a grip and handed it to Mouw and Mouw said he supposed there was beer in it. They went to Ninth street and then south. They were met on the corner of Ninth street and Lincoln avenue by Officer Steketee who put a gun under their noses and told them to come along. Steketee took the grip and led Mouw go, as Mouw said he did not know anything about the grip and Serier was suspected of stealing it. Mouw walked behind Steketee and Serier and he said that although it was too dark to see Serier, the men had engaged in a fight and had fallen to the ground. Serier got up and ran, said the witness, but Steketee lay there for a few moments and then jumped up and shot at Serier. He had blood on his face coming from a cut. (It is alleged that in Mouw's trial in circuit court he testified that Serier had struck Steketee but Att. Osterhaus did not press this point.) Mouw was then taken in tow by Steketee. Mouw stated on the stand that Serier had told his attorney, D. Ten Cate, that he struck Steketee while he (Mouw) was present and that Ten Cate was trying to push all the blame on him (Mouw.)

Serier was the only witness for the defense and he told practically the same story that Mouw told up to the time they met Steketee. Serier said he did not know what was in the grip and that he found it in the alley by stumbling over it. When Steketee pointed the gun at him and said, "Serier, I want you," he said he had become afraid and had turned to run when they were in about the middle of the block between 9th and Tenth streets. He said he looked back when he got to the alley between Ninth and Tenth streets and then ran south going about six miles outside of Holland and coming back the next day. In the cross examination the Prosecutor asked Serier if he did not think it would be safer for him in trying to get away from the officer and then run than to turn and run while the officer was holding a gun on him? He said "No". He ran away to prevent being shot as he was afraid the gun in the officers hands might accidentally go off. He became a little confused when questioned as to whether or not Steketee had followed him but his final testimony was that when he looked back from the alley over a block away Steketee had just taken a few steps from where he had left him. Mouw was still standing there.

Att. D. Ten Cate and Prosecutor Osterhaus in their pleas to the jury centered the strength of their arguments on the testimony of Serier and of Mouw, leaving the jury to decide which man they would believe.

It is very probable that there will be a new trial in the near future. The jury was as follows: J. Altman, Chas. Hubbard, A. Miles, Marinus Bishop, C. Hoggstein and M. Dekker.

Dr. David Mills of this city left for Kalamazoo Saturday where he delivered a lecture before the Western Michigan Osteopathic association. His subject was "Neuritis: Diagnosis and Treatment." The address was followed by a clinic.

FRIEND OF O. J. HANSEN CALLS ATTENTION TO HIS QUALIFICATIONS

In answer to the friends of Wm. Vander Ven who called attention to the good qualities of that candidate for alderman in the fourth ward the friends of O. J. Hansen, the other candidate, today came across with a boost for him.

"The number of names on his petitions," said one of them, "shows the regard in which he is held. I'll admit he has made some mistakes but no more so than any alderman under similar circumstances. He has in fact been criticized less than any other man under similar circumstances. His record on the gas question, on the nine hour day, on the question of interest on city funds and on the liquor question are too well known to require mention by me. They have been too frequently endorsed to require comment. As chairman of the committee on claims and accounts he was in charge of the revision of the rules of the council and he introduced the resolution calling for the appointment of a purchasing committee, a committee that must approve all purchases made for the city before such purchase is made. For these and many other reasons I believe that Hansen should be given a second term, following the custom established to endorse a man who has acquitted himself well."

PRESIDENT OF SPENNY MOTOR CAR CO., WRITES TO LOCAL ATTORNEY

Expects to Open Factory Soon; To Build a \$750 Car.

Charles A. Spenny of Chicago, president of the Spenny Motor Car Co., that will operate its plant in the Dearborn building wrote to City Attorney VanDuren Friday stating that the company would begin operations here in the near future. Because of some unforeseen circumstances the plant was not opened as early as has been expected. It had been planned to begin active operations the first day of February, but that was found to be inadvisable, but Mr. Spenny states that everything will be in readiness very soon now.

An interesting announcement accompanies the letter in the form of an advertising leaflet announcing that the company will manufacture, in addition to the big \$3500 car, a smaller car at \$750. This car has some of the general features of the larger machine, as for instance the wire spokes which distinguishes the Spenny cars from most of the other automobiles on the market. It is beautifully built car and it is believed that it will be popular with the automobile public because of its low price. It is a four-cylinder and a four passenger machine.

There has been a feeling in certain circles that the automobile industry here had fallen through because of the fact that the factory did not open on the scheduled date. However this announcement of the president of the concern give reassurance. The company moreover has been getting out a great deal of advertising matter, and in all their leaflets and booklets the fact is prominently stated that their factory is located at Holland, Mich.

Miss Mary Geigh Delivered Declaration in Trinity Church

Sunday noon Miss Mary Geigh, the winner of the silver medal in the Woman's Christian Temperance Union contest held Monday evening delivered her declaration before the Sunday school of the Trinity Reformed church. Miss Geigh was the representative of that church in the contest of Monday night.

The session of the Sunday school opened at 11:30 o'clock. All the classes, including the adult class, gathered in the auditorium of the church. Visitors were cordially invited to hear Miss Geigh speak.

For the second time the Rev. Jas. T. Veneklassen, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Stillwater, New York, has been extended a call by the Presbyterian church of Grand Haven. Last summer this same church extended a call to the former Zeeland man and Hope College graduate and now they have renewed their efforts.

Mr. Veneklassen is a native of Zeeland. He attended Hope college, graduating from that institution in 1907. He attended the New Brunswick Theological Seminary and has served the Stillwater church for some time now. Mrs. Veneklassen was Miss Anna Scheulke of this city.

RENT EDUCATIONAL TOPIC

Gives Teachers Advice On How to Meet the Problems That Confront Them.

The South Ottawa Teachers' association met Saturday afternoon in the Zeeland High school for the third session of the season. The following program was rendered:

Oration—"Stars of Life," by Wm. Rous; "Vocal Duet, by Miss Isabelle Ronan and Miss Mae La Huis; Address "Current Educational Topics" by Robert M. Reinhold.

Mrs. Reinhold said in part "Educational problems are problems for all the people. The educational problem of the present day is to equalize the great difference between the rural and city school. Blood and heredity tell if a man turns out to be good or bad. Some of the best scientists have said that the best things in one generation cannot be transferred by blood to another generation. If so, how could one generation be better than the last? One generation stimulates another. It gives its ideals, not by birth, but in an indirect way.

Intermission; Declaration, "The Deathbed of Benedict Arnold," Ralph Ten Have; declamation, "Universal Peace," Maurice Van Loo; declamation, "The Return of Regulus," John Wiersma; Question Box, conducted by Mr. Reinhold.

ZEELAND O. A. C. PUTS IT OVER Y. M. D. A. BY 70 TO 40 SCORE.

In a fast game in Zeeland, the Old Timers, or the old Y. M. D. A. were defeated by the O. A. C. Friday by a score of 70 to 40. The old boys all married men, played a stellar game, but they were unable to locate the basket. They tried for the basket many a time, and got very near the basket, but the ball failed to roll in. Considering the fact, it is funny that they were not defeated worse. Some of them had not been in a suit for four or five years. One of the players was thin when he quit playing, and now he is fat, so he could not wear his old suit. The old boys remembered the old signals perfectly: The lineup was as follows:

O. A. C. Y. M. D. A.
Barense.....R. F.....Karsten
E. DePree.....L. F.....Moerdike
VerLee.....C.....DeKoster
T. DePree.....R. S.....Veneklassen
Cook.....L. G.....Bowens
Goals—Barense 18, E. De Pree 6,
Ver Lee 2, T. De Pree 8, Cook 1,
Karsten 9, De Koster 11. Game 70

Orchestra Was Organized Month Ago

The orchestra of the Central Av. Christian Reformed church met for the first time Friday night. Although the orchestra was organized more than a month ago Friday night was the first meeting, the members having practiced separately in the meantime. John Van Vyven is the director and the officers are: Joe Rowan, president; Nick Brouwer, vice president; Andrew Verschure, secretary; Edward Brouwer, treasurer. The orchestra is composed of 23 members.

COMMON COUNCIL (Official)

Holland, Mich., March 5, 1914 The Common Council met in special session, pursuant to a call issued by Alderman Harrington, Congleton and King.

Present: Mayor Bosch, Aids. Van Drezer, Prins, Drinwater, King, Congleton, Hansen, Harrington, Serebnberg, Vander Hill, and the Clerk.

The Clerk reported that the meeting was called for the purpose of reconsidering the annual appropriation bill.

On motion of Ald. Congleton, Resolved, that the Common Council hereby reconsiders its action taken at the regular meeting held Wednesday, March 4, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., on the passage of the Annual Appropriation Bill.

Carried.
On motion of Ald. King, Resolved, that the appropriation for the Interest and Sinking fund be reduced by deducting therefrom the sum of \$15,000.

Carried.
On motion of Ald. King, Resolved, that an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance termed the Annual Appropriation Bill of the City of Holland for the fiscal year commencing on the third Monday in March, A. D. 1914" do now pass.

Carried.
Adjourned.
Richard Overweg, City Clerk.

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For Your Shoes.

A little glycerine rubbed with a flannel on shoes that have become hard from wetting is a good way of softening the leather.

NON-PARTISAN PRIMARY ELECTION NOTICE

(Clerk's Office)

Holland, Mich., March 4, 1914
To the Electors of the City of Holland.

You are hereby notified that a Non-Partisan Primary Election for the City of Holland, will be held on March 17, 1914, in the several wards of said city, at the places designated by the Common Council as follows:

In the First Ward, in the second story of Engine House No. 2, 106 East Eighth Street.

In the Second Ward, No. 147 River Avenue.

In the Third ward, at Police Headquarters, Basement floor, City Hall, Cor. River Avenue and 11th Street.

In the Fourth ward, at Polling Place, 301 First Avenue.

In the Fifth ward, 1st Precinct, at Polling Place corner Central Avenue and State St.

In the Fifth ward, 2nd Precinct, Basement floor of Van Raalte Ave., School House, on Van Raalte Ave., between 19th and 20th Streets.

You are further notified that at said Non-Partisan Primary election the following officers are to be voted for, and the several persons named have been proposed for the several offices, to-wit:

City Officers.

A Mayor, for the term of two years.

The following have been duly proposed for said office:

Nicodemus Bosch,
Austin Harrington.

Nicholas J. Jonker,
City Treasurer—

Benjamin F. Harris,
Herman G. Vanden Brink.

Justice of the Peace, full term.

Bert Barnard, Jr.
Fred T. Miles

John Nies,
Assessor, for one year,

Casper W. Nibbelink.
Ernest C. Thoms,

Supervisor, Two years, (Vote for two)

George Bauer,
Fred W. Jackson,

Simon Kleyn,
G. W. Kooyers

Geo. A. Van Landegend,
Supervisor One Year, (Vote for two)

Simon Bos,
Albert Bouwman,

Nicholas J. Essenberg,
John Vanden Berg,

Edward Vanden Berg,
John Veldheer.

Ward Officers

Alderman—First Ward—

William Arendshorst,
Okko W. Bosma

Bert Slagh,
Luman E. Van Drezer

Alderman—Second Ward—

Cornelius De Witt,
James A. Drinkwater,

Fred H. Kamferbeek,
Alderman—Third Ward—

Nick Kammeraad,
Adrian J. Oxner

Anthony Staketee,
Alderman—Fourth Ward—

Peter A. Brink,
Olef J. Hansen.

Wm. Vander Ven,
Alderman—Fifth Ward—

Roland A. Beens,
Dirk W. Jellema

Dick Miles,
Harry Parkes,

Dirk Staketee,
Constable—First Ward—

John Kamphuis,
Sam Koning.

Dick Ras, Jr.,
Constable—Second Ward—

Nicholas Baas,
Leonard De Witt.

Constable—Third Ward—

Cornelius Hop,
Herman Woltman.

Constable—Fourth Ward—

John H. Arendsen,
John Ver Hoef, Sr.

Constable—Fifth Ward—

Herman Beekman,
John A. Kampen,

Peter Wierda,
You are further notified, that you

will place a mark (X) in the square () in front of the name of the person for whom you desire to vote.

Any person receiving a majority of the votes cast, shall be declared elected to such office, and shall not be required to stand for election at

the Annual Charter Election, to be held the first Monday in April, A. D. 1914.

Notice is hereby given that the polls at said election will be open from seven o'clock a. m. till five o'clock p. m. of said day.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand the day and year first above written.

Richard Overweg,
City Clerk.

Expires March 28

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1914.

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

In the matter of the estate of Johannes J. Beintema, Deceased

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

It is Ordered, That the 7th day of April, A. D. 1914 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
Orrie Sluiter,
Register of Probate.

Expires March 28

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

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1914

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

In the matter of the estate of John Kramer, Deceased

Otto P. Kramer having filed in said court his petition praying that himself or some suitable person be appointed trustee of said trust estate

It is Ordered, That the 7th day of April, A. D. 1914 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.
A true copy:
Orrie Sluiter,
Register of Probate

Expires March 28

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Gerrit J. Vander Vliet, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 6th day of March, A. D. 1914 have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 6th day of July, A. D. 1914, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 6th day of July,

A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 6th, A. D. 1914.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

Expires March 28

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

In the matter of the estate of Harm Stremler, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 9th day of March, A. D. 1914, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 9th day of July, A. D. 1914, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 9th, A. D. 1914.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

Expires March 21

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

In the matter of the estate of Sjabbe Zeeryp, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 26th day of Feb. A. D. 1914, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said County, on or before the 26th day of June, A. D. 1914, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated February 26th A. D. 1914.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

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(Expires March 21)

State of Michigan:—
Twentieth Judicial Circuit: Chancery.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa. In chancery, at the courthouse in the city of Grand Haven, on the 27th day of January A. D. 1914. Charles P. Sabcock, complainant, vs William Hennessee, Percy T. Cook and Frederick Hall, if living, each of their unknown heirs devisees legatees and assigns if dead, and the Indiana and Illinois Central Railroad Company, defendants.

The above entitled cause concerns the following described land and premises, situate in the township of Olive, county of Ottawa, state of Michigan, to-wit: The North-east quarter (N.E. ¼) of the North-west quarter (N.W. ¼) of Section numbered Twelve (12), in Town Six (6) North, Range Sixteen (16) West, and involves the title to said land and is brought to quiet the title thereto. Upon the filing of the bill of complaint in this cause, it appearing that it is not known whether the said William Hennessee, Percy T. Cook and Frederick Hall, or either of them is living or dead, and if living, the present whereabouts of either of them, and if dead, whether either of them has personal representatives or heirs living or where their or either of their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, or some of them, may reside; and that the Indiana and Illinois Central Railroad Company is a corporation or partnership association, the existence of which has terminated and which has no officer or agent in this State upon whom process may be served at this time:

Therefore, on motion of Charles H. McBride, solicitor for Complainant, it is ordered that the said defendants, William Hennessee, Percy T. Cook and Frederick Hall, if living, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of them or either of them, if dead, and the Indiana and Illinois Central Railroad Company, and every of them, shall enter their appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order and that within twenty days the complainants cause this order to be published in the Holland City News a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said County, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

Dated January 27th A. D. 1914.

Orie S. Cross,
Circuit Judge.

Charles H. McBride,
Solicitor for Complainant.

Business address, Holland Michigan

Attest,—a true copy.

Jacob Glerum
Register in Chancery.

Expires March 21

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

In the matter of the estate of John Brown, deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 4th day of March A. D. 1914, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at the probate office in the City of Grand Haven, in said County, on or before the 4th day of July A. D. 1914, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 6th day of July A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 4th, A. D. 1914.

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

Expires March 21

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said County, on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1914

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

In the matter of the estate of Abraham Borgman, Deceased

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

It is Ordered, That the 30th day of March A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy

ORRIE SLUITER,
Register of Probate.

Expires April 18

MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 4th day of June A. D. 1895, executed by John P. Oggel, a widower, of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, to Adrian B. Bosman, of the same place which mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the County of Ottawa, in Liber 43 of mortgages on page 114, at the 5th day of June A. D. 1895, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and whereas, the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said Adrian B. Bosman to Jacob Wise of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, by assignment bearing date the 3rd day of August A. D. 1895, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the said County of Ottawa, in Liber 40 of mortgages on page 824, on the 5th day of August A. D. 1895, at 3:15 o'clock P. M. and whereas, the said mortgage was duly assigned by Leah Wise, in her capacity as sole surviving administratrix, of the estate of the said Jacob Wise, deceased, to Otto P. Kramer, guardian of the estate of Theresa Wise, a minor, of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, by assignment bearing date the 28th day of May A. D. 1907, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the said County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, in Liber 77 of mortgages on page 267, on the 14th day of December A. D. 1907, at 8:30 o'clock A. M. and the same is now owned by the said Otto P. Kramer, guardian of the estate of Theresa Wise, a minor,

And whereas, the amount now claimed to be due on said mortgage and note accompanying same at the date of this notice is the sum of Four Hundred Forty-Nine Dollars and Eighty-four Cents (\$449.84), of principal and interest, and the attorney fee in the sum of fifteen Dollars (\$15.00), provided for in said mortgage.

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 2nd day of April A. D. 1906, executed by the said John P. Oggel of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, to Bertha Wise, of the same place which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, of the County of Ottawa, in Liber 76 of mortgages, on page 184, on the 4th day of April A. D. 1906, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., and whereas, the said mortgage has been duly assigned by Leah Wise in her capacity as executrix of the estate of the said Bertha Wise, deceased, to Otto P. Kramer guardian of the estate of the said Theresa Wise, a minor, of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, by assignment bearing the date of the 19th day of December A. D. 1907, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the said County of Ottawa, in Liber 77 of mortgages on page 272, on the 23rd day of December A. D. 1907, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and the same is now owned by the said Otto P. Kramer, guardian of the estate of Theresa Wise, a minor.

And whereas, the amount now claimed to be due on said mortgage and note accompanying same at the date of this notice is the sum of One Hundred Twenty-seven dollars and thirty-seven cents, (\$127.37), of principal and interest, and the attorney fee in the sum of Fifteen Dollars, (\$15.00), provided for in said mortgage and by statute,

And whereas, the whole amount now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgages and the notes accompanying same including principal and interest is the sum of Five Hundred Seventy-seven Dollars and twenty-one cents, (\$577.21), and attorney fees in the sum of Thirty Dollars, (\$30.00), provided for in said mortgages and by statute as hereinbefore set forth, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgages or either of them, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgages, and each of them has become operative.

Notice is, therefore, hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgages, and each of them, contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgages will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction to the highest bidder at the North front door of the Court House, in the City of Grand Haven, in the said County of Ottawa, on the 20th day of April A. D. 1914, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon of that day; which said premises are described in each and both of said mortgages as follows, to-wit:—All that part of Lot Numbered one (1), in Block Sixty-three (63), in the City of Holland in the County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, bound as follows: bounded on the North, (N.), East, (E), and South (S) sides by the North, East (E) and South (S) lines of said lot and on the West (W) side by a line parallel with the East (E) line of said lot, and one hundred (100) feet West (W) thereof; and being the East (E) One hundred (100) feet of said lot Numbered one (1), Block Sixty-Three (63), of said City of Holland, according to the recorded plat thereof as recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the said County of Ottawa.

Dated this 17th day of January A. D. 1914.

Otto P. Kramer, Guardian of the estate of Theresa Wise, a Minor.

Charles H. McBride,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Business Address: Holland, Michigan.

(Expires April 11)

MORTGAGE SALE NOTICE

WHEREAS default has been made in the payment of a certain mortgage dated the 27th day of Nov. A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eight (1908) made and executed by Benjamin Van Raalte Jr. and Adeline May Van Raalte his wife, of the city of Holland, County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, as parties of the first part to the First State Bank of Holland, a Corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, of Holland, Ottawa County, Michigan, as party of the second part, which mortgage was recorded on the 2nd day of December, A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eight (1908) in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, in Liber Eighty-seven (87) of Mortgages on page One Hundred and Thirty-two (132).

AND WHEREAS, by reason of said default in the payment thereof there is now due and payable on said mortgage and note accompanying the same, including the principal and interest to date, the sum of Seven Thousand seven hundred thirty-nine dollars and thirty-eight cents (\$7,739.38.) together with the attorney fee of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35) as provided for in said mortgage and by statutes of this State and no proceedings at law or otherwise having been taken to recover the said sums or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the Power of Sale in said mortgage contained and of the statutes of the State of Michigan, the undersigned will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder on Tuesday the Fourteenth (14) day of April, A. D. 1914, at Three o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the north front door of the Court House in the city of Grand Haven in said County of Ottawa, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Ottawa is held, the lands and premises mentioned and described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated in the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, viz:—

Lot number five (5) in Block number forty (40) in said city of Holland;

Lots numbered one (1) and Two (2) and the north sixteen feet of lot numbered three (3) in Block numbered twelve (12) in said city of Holland;

Also lots numbered one (1), two (2), and eight (8) and nine (9) in Block numbered thirteen (13) in said city of Holland;

Also all that part of the southwest fractional quarter of section twenty (20), Township five (5) north of range fifteen (15) west, which is bounded as follows: on the east by the north and south quarter line of said section twenty (20); on the north by the main channel of Black River; on the west by Black River highway, so-called; on the south by the section line of said section twenty (20), being a part of the east fractional Southwest quarter of (Lot three 3) in section twenty (20), township five (5), north of range fifteen (15) west in said city of Holland;

Also all the unsurveyed lands north and east of Blocks numbered twelve (12) and thirteen (13) situated in section twenty-nine (29), Township five (5) north of range fifteen (15) west, and bounded as follows: on the west by the east lines of Block twelve (12) and thirteen (13) and by the east lines of Fish Street, if extended due north of the section line between sections twenty (20) and twenty-nine (29); on the north by said section line between said section twenty (20) and twenty-nine (29); on the east by the west line of Land Street, if extended due north to said section line; on the south by the north line of Fifth Street, if extended due east to Land Street, all situated in the city of Holland and being a part of the east fractional half (E. Fr. ½) of the northeast fractional quarter (N. E. Fr. ¼) of Section twenty nine (29), Township five (5), north of Range fifteen (15) west.

All situated in said city of Holland according to the recorded plat thereof record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan.

Inasmuch as said parcels are not contiguous but consists of several separate and distinct parcels, they will be separately offered and sold in the order described in said mortgage and in this notice described and only so many of the parcels will be offered as may be found necessary in order to raise the amount due the undersigned together with the costs of foreclosure and sale.

Dated at Holland, Michigan, Jan. 12, A. D. 1914.

First State Bank of Holland,
Mortgagee.

Diekema, Kollen & Ten-Cate,
Attorneys for mortgagee.

Business Address:
Holland, Michigan.

Expires March 21

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

In the matter of the estate of Simon Sprietsma, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1914 have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 2nd day of July A. D. 1914, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 2nd day of July A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated March 2nd, A. D. 1914

EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.

Expires May 17

MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, Default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 31st day of December A. D. 1907, executed by The Central Manufacturing Company, a corporation, of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, to the Holland City State Bank, a corporation of the same place, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Ottawa, in Liber 89 of Mortgages, on page 55, on the 2nd day of January A. D. 1908, at 8:30 o'clock A. M.

AND WHEREAS, the amount now claimed to be due on said Mortgage, and note accompanying same, at the date of this notice, is the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Seventy-five cents, of principal and interest together with the sum of Seventy-Eight Dollars and sixty-nine cents for taxes, and the attorney fee in the sum of Twenty five (\$25.00) Dollars, as provided for in said Mortgage and by statute.

And no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Notice is, therefore, hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said Mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction to the highest bidder at the North front door of the court House in the City of Grand Haven, in said County of Ottawa, on the 18th day of May A. D.

To The Many Ladies' Who Are Waiting

We wish to announce the arrival of the Sunshine Samples of which there are 186 Coats and Suits. Only one of a kind.

As usual these garments are priced at 25 per cent. less than they can be duplicated for. Included in this assortment are many other dependable makes of extraordinary value, giving you a full choice of

364 Coats Ranging from \$5. to \$25.

129 Suits Ranging from \$10. to \$40.

This Season's Newest Dresses and Skirts are also waiting you here; as in past season's these samples have had such early sale that we advise you to make your selection now and if desired we will hold it for you until you want it.

Every Garment Carries our Two Season's Guarantee.

And as you know! We tailor all alterations to fit perfectly. Free of charge

Always the Newest Styles and Lowest Prices.

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OREGON HEN BEATS THE WORLD

By Laying 303 Eggs in Twelve Months She Runs Far Ahead Of All Previous Records

The Oregon Agriculture College hen that broke the world's egg-laying record a short time ago—this record being 282 eggs—by laying 291 eggs, has just finished her full year with 303 eggs to her credit. This record is all the more remarkable in view of the fact that it was the hen's first 12 months of laying. She is still in excellent condition, and shows no signs of ending her wonderful performance.

The Oregon hen was not prepared nor petted during the time she was making her record. She was fed and housed in a way that would be entirely practicable in commercial poultry raising.

"The purpose of the Oregon station work was not mainly to secure high records," said Professor James Dryden, "but to demonstrate, through a series of years, what selective breeding will do in the way of increasing the egg yield."

The champion was one 5½ months old when she began her record performance. Her dam was a cross-bred Barred Plymouth Rock and White Leghorn, and her sire was a son of her dam and a White Leghorn.

The previous high record of 282 eggs was made by a hen at the Ontario Agricultural College in 1911. Last year the Missouri poultry station produced a hen that laid 281 eggs. Reports from other stations indicate that the record made by the Oregon hen will not be approached this year. The average egg yield per hen in the United States is 70.

THING WORTH KNOWING

For a Cut

Pure glycerine is one of the best remedies for cleansing a cut and causing it to heal quickly.

On Your Dining Table

A piece of wax paper placed under the centerpiece on a polished table will prevent the linen from adhering to the table in hot weather, as well as prevent a stain from cold water or an over-filled vase or rose bowl.

To Drive Moths Away

The odor of printer's ink and cedar is not at all agreeable to moths. An ordinary trunk lined with clean newspapers, under which a number of small pieces of wood from cigar boxes have been laid, makes almost as safe a storage place for clothing as an expensive cedar chest.

To Keep The Piano in Tune

A glass jar filled with water and placed in the very bottom of the piano will help to keep it in tune and save the wood from warping.

IN THE SEVENTH HEAVEN

You have doubtless heard your elders say that such and such a person was in the "seventh heaven" of delight and have wondered just what they meant by the expression.

According to the Mohammedan religion, there are seven heavens. There is a secret of Jews who profess to understand a mystical system of signs and numbers, and this sect also maintains that there are seven heavens, each rising in happiness above the other.

PUBLIC PULSE

Editor City News:

I have heard different statements made in regard to my connection with the Lake Shore Stone Co. I wish to say that I am not connected in any way with the firm and the stone delivered here either for County or City—has been on a competitive basis and on account of water facilities they have bettered any former price received from any other firm by 30 cents per yard and besides the Stone Co., always paid the

dockage which is 10c per yard and as this was the only available dock the stone had to be placed some where.

The following letter from the Lake Shore Stone Co., agent will certainly substantiate my statement and I publish it below:

Mr. Austin Harrington,
Holland, Mich.

Dear Sir:—

The writer is amazed to learn, through the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, that you are a member of the LAKE SHORE STONE COMPANY staff.

This arrangement must have been quite recent as I have not been notified. It has been the practice to consult me in the matter of agents, or representatives, in the state but it would seem that I have been ignored in this case.

Do not understand that I am dissatisfied with such an arrangement but on the contrary, as my respect for you is such that I would welcome your assistance. It occurs to me though that there may be a mistake somewhere.

I am also pleased to see that your mayor has so quickly, and with so little effort, become an authority upon road material and matters. Nine hundred and ninety nine men out of a thousand must pass through a lifetime's experience to qualify for the position taken by Mr. Bosch, and such men are a little slow in advocating any particular material for all places and under all conditions.

Respectfully yours,

G. A. NETTLETON

Michigan Agent Lake Shore Stone Company Muskegon Mich.

For the information of your readers I would state that Mr. Nettleton is the Michigan Agent for the Lake Shore Stone Co., and if I were appointed an agent I would be in competition with the Muskegon man, therefore it is hardly likely that an agent would be appointed in Holland for Michigan when a few miles away a man already has the job and is well equipped to handle the stone, besides having made a great success in that line.

I will say however that I am the agent for a fertilizer sold to farmers and made from a pulverized lime stone and possibly this started the ridiculous stone story now going the rounds. I owe this explanation to the public because the public is entitled to know.

AUSTIN HARRINGTON.

PUBLIC PULSE

There are generally two sides to every question and while there are some in the fourth ward, judging from the article in the Sentinel of Monday evening's issue, where his friends favor the reelection of Mr. Hansen as alderman, it is no more than fair to call the attention of the people to a few of the reasons why another candidate was sought to represent the fourth ward, other than Mr. Hansen.

It is but fair to Mr. Van Der Ven, to say at the outset, that he did not seek the nomination, but that his petition was circulated and signers secured, without his behest or sanction, but when it was shown to Mr. Van Der Ven that there was a desire on the part of many for him to become a candidate in that ward, he being a tax-payer, interested in City affairs, believing in bigger and better Holland, acquiesced to their request.

Now the Reasons:

First. The Fourth Ward is composed very largely of laboring men, who have by their thrift and frugality acquired a little home for themselves and any unnecessary additional taxation is a burden upon them and

any man that does not protect them against any and all unjust taxation does not truly represent them.

Second. Did Mr. Hansen represent the people when he voted for the steam roller, the purchase of which was prevented by the Mayor's veto, and the mayor was assailed for doing so by the "Immortal Seven," as he dubbed them, Mr. Hansen being one of them?

Third. Did Mr. Hansen represent the people when he could not load them down with purchasing the steam roller, in voting to rent one over the Mayor's veto?

Fourth. Did Mr. Hansen represent the people of his ward and the city in general when he voted the grading of 22nd street, which required the Mayor's veto to protect the home owners along that avenue?

Fifth. Did Mr. Hansen represent the people of his ward by voting the retirement of \$16,000 worth of 4% bonds not due to be paid until 1931, and when he found that the Mayor would veto it, at a special meeting held the next night, voted to rescind it?

Sixth. Does Mr. Hansen represent the people of the Fourth ward when he continually joins with the opposition in fighting the Mayor on practically every question that pertains to the general welfare of the city?

Seventh. Does Mr. Hansen represent the Fourth ward when his vote is such that the mayor of our city has been required to veto more acts than all the other mayors of our city in order to protect the best interests of the city? If that is the kind of representation the Fourth ward wants, then you should continue Mr. Hansen in office.

Eighth. Did Mr. Hansen represent the People of the Fourth Ward and the City in general when he voted to give Alderman Van Drezer the assistant treasurer's job, instead of Mr. Overweg?

It seems as if the question simmers right down to this, does the policy advocated by the mayor represent the wishes of the Fourth Ward or does the policy of Mr. Hansen and his colleagues who have continually opposed the Mayor's policy?

If the above acts of Mr. Hansen as shown by the records of the council meeting represent the people of his ward he should be re-elected, if they do not and the people favor the policy of the Mayor then he should be retired and Mr. Van Der Ven should receive your support.

As to Mr. Vander Ven he has been a citizen of Holland for eight years and at the time the mayor issued his first message saying that his shop had adopted the 9-hour standard as a day's work, Mr. Van Der Ven, as a contractor, was then working all his men under the 9 hour day standard, and is a strong advocate for the 9-hour day. It is the belief of the friends of Mr. Van Der Ven that he will make an excellent alderman, being careful and conservative in his official action, and will better represent the Fourth ward and the City in general than Mr. Hansen's record shows he has done.

FRANK BOLHUIS.

CLEARANCE SHOE SALE

At the ENTERPRISE SHOE STORE

Starting Saturday, Mar. 7, closing Sat., March 21st

As we are crowded for room and more goods coming in we have decided to have a Clearance Sale of all Mens, Ladies, Boys and Children's High Cut Shoes, all heavy rubber goods, all felt shoes and slippers, and a lot of odds and ends of Mens, Ladies, Boys and Childrens Shoes which we have marked down at a price that will appeal to everyone that is in need of anything in the line of Footwear. Below is a few of the many bargains we offer:

All our Ladies \$3.00 High Cut Shoes, now - - \$2.25

" " Misses 2.50 " " " " - - 1.95

" " Childrens 2.00 " " " " - - 1.50

" " " 1.50 " " " " - - 1.10

" " Mens 5.00 " " " " - - 3.90

" " Boys 3.00 " " " " - - 2.45

" " " 2.25 " " " " - - 1.85

Special Lot of Men's Shoes - - 1.48

Look over our bargain counters of Mens, Boys, Ladies and Childrens Shoes which we close out at cost and below. If we can fit you out on them you will have real bargains. You need the shoes, we need the room. So come and get your share of the bargains.

Get a pair of our special Rubber Boots going at \$2.75. During this sale we also give 10% discount on all our up-to-date Shoes and Rubbers. Most of our Spring goods are here. All going in at 10% discount. Buy now and save money on your Shoe bill. Remember sale starts Saturday, March 7 and lasts for two weeks.

ENTERPRISE SHOE STORE

238 River Street

Citz. Phone 1333

Holland

Remember—We also do first-class Repairing

PUBLIC PULSE

AN EXCELLENT MOVEMENT

For the Holland City News—

A great effort is being made in various Colleges to introduce a course of study of the liquor problem. Already 2500 students in 100 Colleges and universities have studied the liquor problem in classes under professional leadership during the first half of the present school year, and the gist of a recent bulletin of the Intercollegiate Prohibition association is, that the total number of such students will reach the 5,000 by the end of the year.

Of these colleges, between 30 and 40 have given the course curriculum standing with credit toward a degree, and many of the others are seriously considering the same step for next year. The movement for such study was launched several years ago, but only recently has been extensively pushed by the I. P. A. It seems to be striking a popular chord. And why shouldn't it? The liquor problem is big enough, and close enough to every citizen to induce both citizens and students to prepare themselves to meet it.

On the college student of today depends the solution of our problems of tomorrow. The great problem form the present day College man will not be the tariff or world peace, but a fight against the gigantic liquor machine. Just as we prepare in times of peace for war, so we must prepare the college and the college man for the great struggle against the liquor organization. It makes little difference what line of

CHAMPION IMPROVED

English Silver Campines

Eggs \$2.00 per 15

Enquire 148 E. 21st Street

Citz. 1308

Holland, Mich.

work the student is preparing for, the fact remains that he will in the near future stand face to face with this problem. "Forewarned is forearmed."

—Student.

Chamberlain's Tablets for Constipation

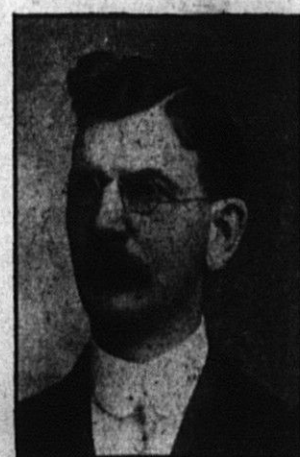
For constipation, Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent. Easy to take, mild and gentle in effect. Give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

The Mother's Favorite

A cough medicine for children should be harmless. It should be pleasant to take. It should be effective. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is all of this and is the mothers' favorite everywhere. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

We don't know whether the ground hog is a real weather prophet or not, but if it was a guess he made it was a good one.

Political Advertising



Bert Slagh

For Alderman in the 1st Ward

I believe in Economic Government. An Efficient Bonus Committee. No Boss Control in the Council. A Fair Administration to all Concerned.

Mark X before my name at the Primaries March 17

All come and vote

HOLLAND CITY NEWS

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PROF. J. B. NYKERK CHOSEN PRESIDENT OF MICHIGAN ORGANIZATION OF "SANE SPELLERS."

Colleges and High Schools Are Asked
to Adopt List Containing
3,000 Words.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk, head of the English department of Hope college has been elected president of the Michigan section of the Simplified Spelling Board. This Board was organized about two weeks ago in Lansing at a meeting at which were present the president and secretary of the national Simplified Spelling organization, as well as representatives from most of the colleges, normal schools and high schools in the state. After the preliminary work of the organization had been completed the Hope College man was chosen to head Michigan's simplified spelling advocates.

At the meeting in Lansing resolutions were passed recommending to the colleges, high schools and normal schools of the state word lists endorsed by the Carnegie Foundation and by the International Simplified Spelling League. The list contains about three thousand words. Most of the schools heard from so far have approved the resolution, and many institutions have taken steps toward recommending the lists to students for use in the college publications.

No action has so far been taken at Hope College, although the fact that the head of the local college's English department is president of the Michigan organization will probably mean that steps will be taken here to have the new spelling adopted at Hope.

QUEEN WILHELMINA WILL VISIT ENGLAND

The queen of Holland, for various reasons, has been unable to visit England since her ascension to the throne. King Edward invited her several times and a state visit has often been discussed, but the young queen's ill health has usually stood in the way of what would be a highly popular event. The invitations renewed by King George have at last proved successful, and the young queen will probably be the guest of a member of the royal family—most likely the duchess of Albany—within the next few weeks. It is exactly 20 years since Queen Wilhelmina was in England. Her last appearance was in 1893, when she was entertained

CHARLES HARMON RECEIVES COMMISSION FROM STATE WARDEN OATES AS DEPUTY GAME WARDEN

Is Appointed At the Instance of Local
Commercial Bodies Interested In
Local Fishing

C. Harman of this city Monday received his commission from State Game and Fish Warden Oates appointing him as deputy game warden for Ottawa county. Mr. Harman has been appointed as a result of strenuous efforts made during the past few weeks by committees of the Holland Board of Trade and the Holland Businessmen's association. These two organizations are deeply interested in the protection of the fishing in local waters and they have been making all possible efforts to secure the protection which they consider necessary.

It is believed that the appointment of Mr. Harman will mean that the fish in local waters will be protected in accordance with the laws of the state. He has been interested in the fishing here for many years. As early as the time when William Alden Smith was still Fish and Game Warden, Mr. Harman was already active along this line, and ever since then he has kept posted not only but has taken an active part in local fishing.

"The lake here is one of the greatest assets the city of Holland has," said the new deputy game warden today, when seen by the Sentinel. "You can depend on it that I shall take all the necessary steps to keep the fishing grounds here in the best possible shape. In this I ask the co-operation of the local sportsmen and of all who are interested in fish-

ing. During the past winter there have been several families that have supported themselves almost entirely through fishing through the ice, and I feel that such conditions should be encouraged and that the fish should be protected against the fish hogs who do their fishing illegally."

Mr. Harmon's term of office begins immediately.

MISS ANNA KOLYN AND MR. HARRY HOFFS GIVEN HIGH RANK IN STATE CONTEST.

Former Spoke on "A Plea for Genuine Womanhood;" Latter On
"Mars and Madness."

Second honors for both of the orators who represented Hope College in the Men's and in the Women's State Oratorical contest was the record achieved by the local college in the contest held Friday night at Albion college. Miss Anna Kolyn, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. Kolyn of this city, won second place in the Women's Contest in the afternoon with her oration, "A Plea for Genuine Womanhood," and Mr. Harry Hoff of Hoppers, Ia., of the Senior class, won second in the Men's Contest in the evening with his oration "Mars and Madness." First place in both contests was won by Olivet college.

Although Hope's representatives did not carry away first honors the places they did get is considered very encouraging. Both had strong productions and both had worked hard and earnestly to prepare themselves for the final test. Some of the strongest orators in the state competed for the prize—the best men and women the various colleges could produce. And the fact that Hope came so near winning out is considered a high honor for the local institution.

The other colleges who took part in the contest were Alma, Albion, Hillsdale, Oliver, Kalamazoo, Ypsilanti, M. A. C. and Adrian. A number of local students, accompanied the orators to Albion, as well as a few members of the faculty, and they rooted lustily for their representatives at the contests yesterday afternoon and evening.

Miss Kolyn's oration was a plea for genuine womanhood as a basis for a higher type of social life. While not condemning the new avenues that are opening for women she made a plea for the old fashioned qualities that make for the sweetness and beauty of life, and that give woman an opportunity to be a power for good.

Mr. Hoff's in his production "Mars and Madness" made a strong plea for arbitration of international disputes. He presented his case convincingly and his delivery was such that it carried conviction.

The Olivet students who won the contest were Robert J. Hamilton, whose subject was "The Law's Delay" and Miss Viola Houw, who spoke on "Society's Debt to the Social Debtor." Third place in the men's contest was won by Grant L. Cook, of Alma college with his oration, "Constructive Discontent," while third place in the Women's contest was awarded to Miss Anna M. Monteith of Kalamazoo. College who spoke on the subject "The Price of Profit."

BUILDING NEAR RESIDENCE OF JOHN HOLWERDA TOTALLY DESTROYED BY FIRE SUNDAY

The barn adjoining the residence of John Holwerda, 130 East 15th St. was totally destroyed by fire about 5 o'clock Sunday morning. The fire was supposedly caused by hot ashes that had been dumped against the side of the barn by Mr. Holwerda, as the fire was discovered shortly after he dumped the ashes. The property is owned by Gerrit Beekman.

Shortly after Mr. Holwerda dumped his ashes he looked out and saw his barn in flames. The fire department was notified but when they got to the scene of the fire the blaze had gained such headway that it was impossible to check them.

Had Picture Taken

Tuesday morning immediately after the chapel exercises at Hope College the students and faculty of the institution had a group photograph taken.

LOCAL COLLEGE ENDS SEASON WITH BUT TWO GAMES LOST.

Game Friday Night Was Easy One
For Hope; Reserves Defeat
Seminary.

Friday Hope clinched its title on the Inter-Collegiate State championship by defeating Olivet by a 35 to 20 score. The game was slow and listless. At time the visitors were held by a smart margin, but then a flying spurt would force ahead the local boys.

Hope claims the championship on the following grounds: she has beaten Olivet, Kazoo Northwestern, Mt. Pleasant, and Kazoo College. On account of conflicting dates, M. A. C. was not scheduled but since Northwestern bested M. A. C. by a 44 to 20 score and since the local quintet whipped Northwestern they feel that they can justly claim the honored title. Traverse City, Manistee, Grand Rapids "Y" twice and Ramblers, and has lost but two games and these to Detroit "Y" and Detroit Rays.

Hope Olivet
Stein.....R. F. Leavenworth
Lokker.....L. F. Miller
Smallegan.....C. Hammond
Veenker.....R. G. VanDyke
Vanderelde.....L. G. Rider
Excitement ran high in the preliminary. The entire student body of the seminary, led by their faculty, marched into the gym to back their team. The Reserves by fighting hard, beat the Theologs by one point. The score 28-27. Bert Hekhuis the Seminary captain was out on account of a bad shoulder.

GRAND HAVEN VICTORIOUS OVER BOTH BOYS' AND GIRLS' TEAMS

Boys Fight Hard for Victory and
Bring Down Big Lead Only to
Lose By One Point

A very sad and downcast lot of Holland High school students returned Friday from Grand Haven after witnessing the boys' basketball team go down to a 26 to 25 defeat in a hard fought game at the hands of the Grand Haven high boys, and the girls' team of Holland met a 25 to 11 defeat at the hands of the Grand Haven girls' team. Grand Haven is happy for no greater honor can be won by an athletic team of Grand Haven than to beat Holland.

The Holland boys went into the game rather confident and sure of victory. Before long they discovered their mistake, but they were not able to settle down and play basketball until it was too late. The first half ended 13 to 7 in favor of Grand Haven. In the last half the Holland team picked up and in the last five minutes of play they brought down the Grand Haven lead to one point. In the windup of the game the Grand Haven rooters were shown a style of basketball seldom seen in a High school team by the Holland boys, and had the game lasted a minute longer Holland would have won. Ingham played a star game for the locals. Sirrine did excellent work throwing foul baskets and in the last part of the game played strong. The Holland boys have been without coaching for the past two weeks on account of the illness of Mr. Robinson and their overconfidence can probably be blamed to this to a certain extent.

The teams lined up as follows: Holland—R. F. Sirrine; L. F. Hoek; Center, Kruiderier; R. G. Ingham; L. G. Douma. Grand Haven—R. F. Glerum; L. F. Miller; Center, Nyland; R. G. Robinson; L. G. McKay.

In the girls' game Grand Haven got a start of 12 points before Holland had any. The game was even from then on and was an interesting contest. Beatrice Steketee starred for the locals. The Holland lineup was as follows: forwards, Beatrice Steketee and Edith Cappon; Centers, Helen Klomparsen and Alberta Sirrine; Guards, Ruth McClellan and Nell Exo.

COMMON COUNCIL (Official)

Holland, Mich. March 4, 1914.
The Common Council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor.
Present: Mayor Bosch, Aids. Van

Drezer, Prins, Drinkwater, King, Congleton, Hansen, Harrington, Sterenberg, Vander Hill, and the Clerk.
The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Petitions and Accounts
Ryk Riksen petitioned for a license to sell at Auction, at No. 14-16 West 7th Street, on Friday, March 6, 1914, and presented bond in the sum of \$1000.00, with Groenewoud and De Vries and B. Riksen as sureties.

Granted, bond and sureties approved, and the license fixed at \$5.00.

Reports of Standing Committees
The Committee on Ways and Means presented estimates of expenditures which will be required to be made from the several General and Special funds of the City, during the fiscal year, and submitted for introduction an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance termed the Annual Appropriation Bill of the City of Holland for the fiscal year commencing on the third Monday in March, A. D. 1914," and recommended that the same do pass.

The ordinance was read a first and second time by its title, referred to the Committee of the Whole, and placed on the General Order of the Day.

The Committee on Ways and Means requested authority to employ the services of accountants, to audit the city books.

Granted.

The Committee on Claims and Accounts reported having examined the following claims and recommended the payment for same:

Richard Overweg, clerk \$50 00
F. Krulsenga, asst. clerk 24 00
H. Vanden Brink, treas. 31 25
A. Van Duren city atty 25 00
Jerry Boerema, janitor 43 75

Doubleday Bros. & Co., supplies 14 00

G. Blom cartage .25

Mrs. J. Boerema towels .72

The Cudahy Packing Co., soap 7 32

A. Harrington coal and orders 33 61

John Nies rent 5 00

Jacob Kulte rent 6 00

J. W. Bosman rent 2 00

Jacob Ffleman, rent 6 00

Peter Prins, rent 4 00

Mrs. J. Baas, rent and orders 9 50

W. J. Garrod, rent 5 00

H. E. Van Kampen, rent 5 50

H. Vanden Brink, exp. postage, etc. 16 13

T. Keppel's Sons, coal 9 25

Michigan State Telephone Co., messages .45

Peter Wey pound master 10 75

Holland City Gas Co., gas .45

N. J. Yonker supplies and labor 24 27

C. Nibbelink, exp. and assessor 37 80

H. Van Ry orders 24 00

H. A. Naberhuls city eng. 65 50

I. Lanting blacksmith 1 40

Dick Ras, labor 10 00

H. Stool labor 16 07

Art. Reltsma labor 16 89

Barney Hoekstra labor 5 34

J. Ver Hoef teamwork 103 11

Wm Ten Brink labor 5 34

J. Bakker labor 6 00

G. Ten Brink labor 2 22

First State Bank, orders 120 75

H. J. Klomparsen, labor 6 00

J. H. Tuls labor 3 00

R. Overweg, postage and exp. 11 10

Bixby Office Supply Co., pens 1 04

M. Bontekoe orders 10 00

People State Bank, orders 10 00

Oliver Detto cartage .50

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The Committee on Poor reported presenting the report of the Directors of the Poor, stating that they had rendered temporary aid for the two weeks ending March 4, 1914, amounting to \$133.00.

Accepted.

Communications from Boards and City Officers

The following bills, approved by the Board of Health, at a meeting held March 2, 1914, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:
D. Ras, scavenger and inspector \$21 50
A. K. Prins, inspection, 50 00
R. Overweg, postage 1 67
De Pree Chemical Co., fumigators 14 40
\$95.57
Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Board of Park and Cemetery Trustees, at a meeting held March 2, 1914, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., corn, straw, etc. \$1 38
John Nies Sons scoop 1 60
A. Harrington coal 13 01
Bd. of Public Works, light 20 82
J. A. Kooyers supt. 30 00
\$66.81
Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, at a meeting held March 2, 1914, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:
S. Meewsen, patrolman and special service 36 46
C. Steketee patrolman and special service 36 46
John Wagner patrolman and special service 36 46
D. O'Connor, patrolman and special service 32 40
H. J. Dykhuis, ch. of police 38 50
Frank Austin patrolman and special service 30 74

Lawrence De Witt, driver and janitor 35 00
Frank Stansbury, driver 32 50
H. G. Vanden Brink, adv. fares 2 05
Herman De Fouw, supplies 2 76
Michigan State Telephone Co., message .55
Bd. of Public Works, light 6 30
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., hay, feed, etc. 108 05
Consumers Fuel Co., coal 22 93
Mrs C. De Feyter, washing 2 50
Tyler Van Landegend, supplies 4 50
\$428.15

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Board of Public Works, at a meeting held March 2, 1914, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:
R. B. Champion, supt. \$83 33
P. Brusse, clerk 37 50
Clara Voorhorst, steno. 18 00
Alfred Joldersma, collector 9 60
Josie Van aZaten clerical work 6 63
A. E. McClellan, eng. 62 60
James Annis eng. 35 00
Frank Chrispell eng. 35 00
Frank McFall eng. 35 00
Fred Smith fireman 30 00
Lloyd Dennison fireman 30 00
Clarence Wood, fireman 30 00
John De Boer coal passer 28 00
Fred Slikkers engineer 32 50
C. J. Rozeboom, 19th St. attend. 25 00
A. Motoor, 21st attend 25 00
Abe Nauta, electrician 40 25
Jacob De Feyter line forman 32 65
Chas. Ter Beek, lineman 32 65
Frank Beavers, lineman 17 68
Guy Pond, elec. meterman 32 50
John Van Dyke, lamp trimmer 33 40
Wm. Winstrom stock keeper 32 50
Martin Kammeraad troubleman 20 00
Chas. Vos, meter tester 25 00
Lane Kammerling, water insp. 37 50
Ralph Van Lente water meterman 29 58
Bd. of Public Works, light and power 337 64
C. F. Pease Co., tracing cloth 7 28
Citizens Transfer Co., cartage 3 25
Alfred Huntley, labor 11 90
Henry Kraker, supplies and labor 11 14
American Electrical Supply Co., supplies 8 52
Jacob Zuidema, mapping sewers 4 50
U. S. Express Co., express 1 04
Blom's Express express 15 37
Schnapograph Co., supplies 2 71
Superior Pure Ice Co., oil 30
Union Clay Products Co., compound 29 11
C. J. Litcher Electric Co., locust pin 18 62
D. Ras scavenger work 2 00
Barclay, Ayers & Bertsch Co., supplies 4 94
General Electric Co. supplies 96 95
Illinois Electric Co., meter sheets 3 43
National Meter Co., repairs 62 50
Fosterla Inc. Lamp Division, lamps 212 22
Commercial Coal Co., coal 74 58
P. M. Rd. Co., freight 264 40
Sunday Creek Co., coal 143 45
American Express Co., express .94
City Treasurer, postage 1 00
Mich. State Tele. Co., toll 2 40
L. Lanting labor 5 20
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber .64
R. B. Champion expenses 35 50
Holland City News, printing 20 00
\$2238.21

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The Board of Public Works reported the collection of \$14,801.90 light, water and main sewer fund moneys.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

The Clerk reported the collection of \$100.65 for license moneys, etc., and presented Treasurer's receipt for the amount.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

The Library Board reported the collection of \$191.84 for Library fines, sale of catalogues, etc., and presented Treasurer's receipt for the amount.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

Justice Miles reported the collection of \$11.55 ordinance fines and officers fees, and presented Treasurer's receipt for the amount.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

The Clerk reported that bonds and interest coupons in the sum of \$44,045.00 had been presented for payment, and recommended that the Mayor and Clerk be instructed to issue a voucher for the amount.

Adopted.

The Clerk presented estimates of amounts required by the several boards of the City, for the ensuing year, to be raised by taxation.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The Clerk presented the annual budget from the Board of Education, amounting to \$42,000.00.

Adopted.

The Board of Public Works recommended a transfer of \$5000.00 from the Light to the Interest and Sinking fund, to pay for Light Bonds, Series "E".

Adopted, and transfer ordered.

The Clerk recommended the following transfers:
To Street Improvement Bond fund for payment of bonds and interest due from Central Avenue Paving fund \$4,881.99

From 12th Street Paving fund 7,200.00

From 12th Street Paving fund No. 2, 83 75

From East 8th Street Paving fund 116 25

From West 8th Street Paving fund, 5,854 84

To Main sewer fund, 33 11

From Van Raalte Avenue Sewer fund 46 26

From Central Avenue and E. 24th Street Sewer fund 2 83

From Main Sewer fund To West 15th Street Sewer No. 2, Sewer fund, 22 32

Adopted and transfers ordered. The Clerk recommended that bonds Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of Street Improvement Bonds Series "H", and interest coupons which accompany same, be ordered cancelled.

Adopted. The City Treasurer presented his returns on the Sprinkling Assessment roll. Total amount of said roll \$4,336.35; amount collected, amount remaining uncollected, \$220.01.

Accepted, Treasurer ordered charged with the amount collected, and the Clerk instructed to extend his warrant or sixty (60) days, for the uncollected.

The City Engineer reported relative to the quality of gas. Filed. The City Attorney reported that at a meeting of the Board of Public Works, held March 2, 1914, the question was brought up, and it was deemed advisable and profitable, that the person be appointed to the combined office of Director of the Poor and City Inspector, and that he also be the Collector for the Board of Public Works.

On motion of Ald. Congleton, The Council proceeded by ballot to appoint a person to the combined office of Director of the Poor, City Inspector, and Collector for the Board of Public Works.

On the 4th ballot, Gerrit Van Zanten having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed.

Motions and Resolutions
On motion of Ald. Vander Hill, Whereas, petitions have heretofore been filed with the Common Council, asking that certain amendments to the City Charter be submitted to the Electors of the City of Holland, at the Annual Charter election, to be held the first Monday in April, A. D. 1914, and Whereas, said amendments have been presented to the Governor of the state of Michigan, as provided by law, and were by him duly approved therefore

Resolved, That said amendments shall be submitted as petitioned for, and notice thereof be given by the City Clerk as provided by law, and said amendments shall be printed in full in such notice; and further

Resolved, That the Board of Election Commissioners be and hereby are ordered to prepare the necessary ballots therefor, and that said question shall be submitted in manner, and for substantially as follows, to-wit:

"Shall the City Charter of the City of Holland be so amended that hereafter members of the Board of Public Works, and Members of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, shall be elected by the electors of the City of Holland, as other City Officers are elected.

Yes ().
No ().
Carried.

General Order of the Day
On motion of Ald. Harrington, The Council went into the Committee of the Whole on the General Order, with Alderman Van Drezer as chairman.

After sometime spent therein, the committee arose and through their chairman reported that they had under consideration an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance termed the Annual Appropriation Bill of the City of Holland for the fiscal year March, A. D. 1914," that they had commencing on the third Monday in made sundry amendments thereto, asked concurrence therein, and recommended its passage.

On motion of Ald. Harrington, The report of the Committee was adopted, and the ordinance placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Third Reading of Bills
An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance termed the Annual Appropriation Bill of the City of Holland for the fiscal year commencing on the third Monday in March, A. D. 1914," do now pass.

Said resolution prevailed, by yeas and nays as follows:

Yeas: Aids. Van Drezer, Prins, Drinkwater, Congleton, Hansen, Harrington, Sterenberg, 7.

Nays: Aids. Kling, Vander Hill 2.

On motion of Ald. Congleton, The following were appointed Inspectors of Election:

1st Ward, Jacob Lokker;

2nd Ward, Jacob De Feyter;

3rd Ward, W. J. Westveer;

4th Ward, Wm. Lawrence;

5th Ward, 1st Precinct, A. Hoeksema and J. Luidens.

5th Ward, 2nd Precinct, Herman Steggerda and Jacob Sprang.

Adjourned.

Richard Overweg, City Clerk.

