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NUMBER THIRTEEN

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Profit \$640.54 and Insured for \$1000 from age 21 to 56

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PUBLIC AUCTION

On Saturday, April 4 at one o'clock P. M. on the farm of Mrs. Grace

Moore, located 1½ miles north of Holland on the pike road M1, near Knoll's hatchery.

On Wednesday, April 8, at ten o'clock A. M. on the farm of L. E. Gates, located 2½ miles north from the Harlem Station.

When Children Cough Act Quickly

Watch your child closely when he gets a "cold" and begins to cough. Many a case of croup and serious illness has been turned aside with a few doses of that fine old medicine, Kemp's Balsam. Act promptly. Don't be discouraged because ordinary cough syrups fail to help—stick to Kemp's Balsam. Just a few doses bring the relief you are looking for. Only 30 cents at all stores.

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FORMER MAYOR THANKS COUNCIL FOR FLOWERS

SAYS YEARS OF SERVICE ARE
RECALLED BY THE THOUGHT-
FUL GIFT

When former mayor N. Bosch was confined to his home with his present serious illness, the city of Holland sent him a fine basket of flowers. Last night Mr. Bosch's letter of thanks, evidently written before his operation, was read to the aldermen: "I wish I could thank you in person for the thoughtful consideration that prompted you on behalf of the city of Holland to send a beautiful basket of flowers to my sick room, but that is impossible just now and so I am sending you these few words of thanks as a substitute.

"It was always a great pleasure for me to serve the city to the extent of my ability. And a clear memory of those years of public service was brought back to me by the flowers you sent. The beautiful spirit of thoughtfulness represented by the flowers is very precious to me and I want you to know that my appreciation is deep and heartfelt."

THEY WANT A PATROL BOX PLACED ON CORNER OF 13TH STREET AND MAPLE AVE.

West End merchants have petitioned the board of police and fire commissioners for more police protection. The merchants pointed out in their petition that recently the common council cut out of the annual appropriation bill the sum of \$1700 that the board had asked for to employ an additional patrolman, and that as a substitute they would like a patrol box on the corner of 13th and Maple Ave. They pointed out that that section of the city needs more protection because of the fact that a postal substation is located there.

The board however hasn't the funds to give the protection and has no funds in sight, so the question was turned over to the common council for solution. The matter was referred to the ways and means committee.

William Poppe is reported as improved so much from his recent illness that he is up and around again. Mr. and Mrs. Poppe have received the news that their daughter Mrs. Myrtle Olson is the mother of a ten pound boy. Bill says this makes him a grandpa seven times and he is very proud of the fact.

The Woman's Relief Corps held a surprise party at the home of Mrs. Hofstee for Mrs. Oosting their retiring president presenting her with a beautiful hammered silver flower vase. Many prizes were won by the ladies in the games and contests. A fine lunch was served. Every one out to meeting Wednesday April 8, business of great importance to be arranged. Officers treat.

The ways and means committee of the common council reported Wednesday night that the annual settlement had been made and that the finances of the city were in good shape, the city at the time the settlement was made having \$81,848.96 in the bank. Much of this has since been spent but the city finances are in good condition.

A deed for the property of the south half of 20th street between 1st and Michigan avenue was turned over to the common council by Wm. Vander Vliet so that the street can be formally opened. Mr. Vander Vliet will be allowed to continue using the ground for garden purposes until the actual grading is done.

The committee on claims and accounts of the council reported 2,290.84 in claims against the city Wednesday night and the committee on poor reported \$176 for temporary aid.

FROM THE MANGER TO THE CROSS

In presenting any sacred theme—on canvas, the stage or in motion pictures—the work must be approached with reverence, truthfulness and completeness worthy the exalted aspiration, and this is particularly true when the Christ is the central figure. In the making of the wonder picture, "From the Manger to the Cross," and its presentation to the public, the producers kept this truth constantly in mind. The tremendous undertaking was approached with a profound consciousness of responsibility. The result is a picture, a masterpiece that has won the universal commendation and praise of the Church, the Clergy and the layman.

In preparing the series of scenes, which, connectedly, suggest epochal events in the life of Jesus of Nazareth, various authorities were consulted; special attention of obligation being accorded to Tissot in the matter of color, costume and groupings; and to Herr Schieck in points of architecture. The scenes presented, in every possible instance, are photographs of authentic locations and the spectator may confidently feel that he is beholding a representation of that Holy Land where once the Immortal Nazarene was born—where once He lived—and where once He died.

"From the Manger to the Cross" was made in its entirety in Egypt and the Holy Land. The work required eight months of artistic industry, the employment of specialists in authoritative research, hundreds of super-numeraries, droves of sheep, a caravan of camels—a kaleidoscopic procession. No efforts or expense was spared to achieve the realization of a high ideal. The professional actors who went to the Holy Land numbered less than a score—the lesser characters and the crowds were played by natives, garbed as in the time of Christ. The United States Government, through its State Department, secured the assistance and co-operation of the officials in the countries and locations visited. Armed guards frequently were necessary when the company visited sections overrun by bandits. Atmospheric conditions were found to be unusually good—the most ideal for photography of any place in the world—and wonderfully clear and sharply cut negatives were the result. "From the Manger to the Cross" will be shown at the Holland

HOLLAND'S POOL OF STENCH

The most needed and consequently the most vital problem that has faced Holland in 25 years is the building of a sewage disposal plant. Not an argument can be advanced why Holland should not build this much needed protection safeguarding the public health of this city.

It isn't the characteristic of the citizens of this city to wallow about in their own dirt, and at the same time every one is conscious that to the north and the west of this beautiful city there is a pit of slime and ooze and silt. This befouled pool is becoming more stagnant and more brackish every day and in the hot summer time the stench that arises from this pit is nauseating to citizens who visit the north side, and a matter of wonder to tourists who considered Holland a town of cleanliness and consequently is the cause of a great deal of embarrassment to the citizens who must explain these causes.

Dr. Leenhouts in a communication, states that he has positive proof that several cases of eye and intestinal diseases have been traced to the slimy waters of the upper lake because of the fact that young folks go bathing at the city's bathing beach only a few hundred feet from the outlet of Holland's west end sewer.

Other physicians upon whom we must rely for information point out numberless cases that can be directly attributed to Holland's pit of filth and this condition is not going to improve. Month by month the water of Black Lake will become more slimy and germ laden, and most any time under the right conditions this once beautiful body of water with its flowing stream may become an octopus of disease that will some day crawl up out of this pit and wriggle its tentacles into the homes of the citizens of Holland and take away loved ones, no matter whether these be rich or poor, for disease is no respecter of persons, for the portals of the well to do are entered just as quickly as are the entrances to the humble home.

Holland's recent epidemic of smallpox is an example of how far reaching a wave of pestilence may become. Holland was practically isolated for a time; however this epidemic would be child's play compared to a scourge that might be caused by our own filth.

Our first duty is to protect our home city. We owe that to ourselves; we owe that to our loved ones; we owe that to future generations. We owe more than that. We owe public health conditions to the stranger in our gates. We have no right to invite the stranger to come as thousands do in the summer time, and then jeopardize their lives and the lives of their children because of improper and inadequate public health safeguards.

The ooze from Black river and the upper Lake is already trailing its way westward. Slowly the slime is crawling into the resort district, befouling the waterfronts of our neighbors who purchased property at a health resort in good faith; have spent thousands upon thousands to improve this property, also in good faith and long before the waters of Black lake became a pool of stench.

A few more years of this pollution would be the end of the Holland resorts as a place of recreation, as a place where tourists seek health and rest.

The destruction of our resorts would be a calamity to Holland. How far reaching this calamity would be

is difficult to estimate. Practically the entire resort district has been built up by Holland labor, by Holland lumber, and practically every home has been refurnished and refurnished by Holland merchants, and much of the taxes derived from resort property has gone into the Ottawa county coffers. While these things are only secondary compared to public health they are items worthy of consideration.

Furthermore, there is a moral obligation that Holland owes. It has no right to foist its filth upon its neighbors who in no way are responsible for such a condition. A man wouldn't think, unless he was a very mean man, of throwing his ashes and garbage onto the lot of his neighbor. He would feel immediately that it was unfair and if he couldn't see that sense of fairness it wouldn't take the neighbor long to point it out to him.

It is no more fair for a city to allow its filth to encroach upon the property of the country-side than it is for an individual to use his neighbor's property for a garbage can. Because the neighbor is almost powerless to cope with a city the size of Holland, that does not make it right and honest. But even in this case the neighbor has some redress.

The State board of health is a court of justice to him. Holland's neighbors thus damaged as well as a Holland citizen can bring his case before the state board of health, and that is just what has been done, and has been done so often that this board has taken cognizance of these just complaints, and in order to protect the neighbor as well as protect Holland against its own filth, it has asked Holland to put in this much needed sewage disposal plant, but it has also given the authorities to understand that if Holland delayed this matter much longer the state would be compelled to step in and build one for us.

The state board of health has this power under the law, assessing the expense against the property owners of Holland.

The Common Council has known this for a long time. The thing has dragged for several years, too long in fact. The common council felt that it had to do something, for the warnings from Lansing kept coming repeatedly, and patience ceased to be a virtue with the state authorities. The common council appointed a commission of able citizens to go into this matter thoroughly and they have gone into the matter of a sewage disposal plant very exhaustively. They have received estimates of cost; have bedrock figures on the building of such a plant without jeopardizing efficiency or capacity. The plan if built will serve a city of 45,000 which goes to show that the commission has also provided for some time in the future, and even then, units can be added.

Let Holland build its own plant as it has built other plants in its own economical and at the same time substantial way.

Who knows what the cost might be if the state would take it upon itself to erect this plant? If the matter ever got that far, and we hope and trust it never will, Holland would be the laughing stock of the entire state, not considering the unfavorable advertising this city would receive when it was pointed out that Holland was forced by the state of Michigan to keep itself clean. In common decency let us vote "Yes" for a sewage disposal plant for the city of Holland next Monday.

FORMER HOL- LAND MAN GETS NEW CHARGE

The Williamston Sentinel of Wayne county, New York devotes more than a column to Rev. C. Vander Mel, former years a citizen of Holland, a graduate of Hope College and of the local seminary.

Mr. Vander Mel has been having a charge at Putneyville, N. Y., where he has done wonderful work in the Reformed church.

The former Holland man came there five years ago and since that time 55 new members were received thru confession of faith and many have signified their intention of joining Easter morning.

During Mr. Vander Mel's stay in Putneyville the church has been remodeled at a cost of \$12,000 practically all paid for.

Rev. Vander Mel however has decided to accept a call to the capitol of New York state where he will serve the church of Albany. This it is stated, is an exceptionally fine church in one of the leading cities of the empire state.

In commenting on Mr. Vander Mel's departure the Williamston Sentinel states that the dominie's decision was a severe blow to the community and then gives a resumé of the excellent work done by the former Holland man.

The church that Rev. Vander Mel is to serve in Albany has a membership of 350.

INSTALL NEW PASTOR AT 12TH ST. CHURCH SUNDAY

Rev. James M. Ghysels, of Holland, will be installed as new pastor of Twelfth Street Christian Reformed church Sunday morning with Rev. Joseph P. De Vries, pastor of West Leonard Street Christian Reformed church, conducting the ceremonies. Rev. Ghysels will deliver his inaugural sermon Sunday evening at the church. The new pastor has held pastorates in Passaic, N. J., Grand Haven, Mich., and Holland, and goes to Twelfth st. church after being engaged in the ministry for 16 years. He studied at Calvin and Princeton seminaries. Twelfth st. church's pulpit has been vacant since the resignation of the former pastor, Rev. Quirinus Breen, last August.

ILL HEALTH CAUSES MAN TO HANG HIMSELF

Ernest Harmke, aged 52, residing at 115 South Hopkins street in the Fifth Ward, Grand Haven, committed suicide Wednesday forenoon by hanging himself.

The family becoming alarmed Wednesday noon when Mr. Harmke did not appear, made search and found the body hanging in the barn at the Parpart farm on South Griffin street. Mr. and Mrs. Harmke were negotiating for the purchase of the Parpart farm. Ill health is given as the supposed cause of Mr. Harmke taking his life as he had been in failing health for several years.

The Harmke family came to Grand Haven from Chicago about ten years ago, they having purchased the well known William Strahsburg farm in Grand Haven township. Two years ago the family came to Grand Haven and have resided on Hopkins street since.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmke were down town Tuesday to make disposition regarding the sale of cows on the Parpart farm. Mr. Harmke visited a business place and stated that while he was in poor health would keep two cows as he thought he could take care of that many.

Mr. Harmke is survived by his wife and four children: Charlotte, Louise, Gertrude and Rudolph, who attend the public schools.

Deputy Coroner Henry J. Boer was called and viewed the remains.

VACANT PROPERTY NO DUMPING PLACE

CITIZENS PROTEST AGAINST THIS UNSANITARY PRACTICE

A strong protest was lodged with the council Wednesday night against making vacant lots dumping grounds. One citizen lodged a protest against so using the vacant lot on the northwest corner of 14th street and Columbia avenue and another protest against the dumping of rubbish on vacant property on west 8th street across from the tannery. The protests were referred to the city inspector with the request that the ordinance be enforced.

COUNCIL IS STUMPED BY SKATING ISSUE

"IF UNCONTROLLED, SKATERS
ARE ALL OVER TOWN LIKE
MOSQUITOES"

The common council admitted itself stumped Wednesday night by the roller skating problem. First a remonstrance came in signed by all the property owners along E. 19th street protesting against the roping off of that block for the skaters, declaring that one night's experience had convinced them that they did not care to have the skating go on and hinting at legal action if that should become necessary.

That was followed by a report of the sidewalk committee recommending that East 19th street be roped off as before and that the same thing be done on West 19th street from four to six in the afternoon for the smaller children. Hence the aldermen were between the devil and the deep sea.

Some of them pointed out that the property owners should be given some consideration and one told of a sick girl in the roped off block whose condition had been made worse by the tumult. Ald. Drinkwater asked: "Does anyone in this council know a solution for the problem?"

The question was followed by a deep silence. Ald. Brinkman told of a personal experience of his own before the roping off of the street was begun in which he had nearly run over a skater who had been hanging on to the back of a car that met Mr. Brinkman's car. Mayor Kammeraad told of one man who had come to his house in a state of near-collapse because he had come within an inch of killing a skater by running over him with his car. "Unless segregated, these skaters are all over town like mosquitoes and you can't control them," said one.

Mayor Kammeraad suggested that north Columbia avenue along the ball park be roped off. There are few houses there and there is almost no traffic.

The council finally gave it up and passed the buck back to the sidewalk committee with the idea that the members shall give the North Columbia avenue suggestion careful consideration.

DO NOT WANT SNOW IN SUMMER

PROPERTY OWNERS PROTEST AGAINST LINT FROM SOUTH SIDE FACTORY

A special committee was appointed by the common council Wednesday evening to confer with the Komforter Kotten company to see if ways and means cannot be found to stop the blowing of fine cotton dust over the lawns and into the homes of the people living in the vicinity of the factory. This question has often been up and steps have been taken to catch the dust and lint in a box but the complaints are still coming in. Another attempt will be made to find some way of remedying a condition that at present seems without remedy. The same condition is said to exist anywhere where such concerns are located. Some of those who protest said it was almost like a layer of snow on the lawns.

POSTAL EMPLOY- EES RAISE BRING ABOUT BANQUET

HOLLAND'S POSTOFFICE FAMILY FEAST; POSTMASTER TALKS TO BOYS

The Christian High school auditorium was the scene of a merry gathering Wednesday evening, when the postal employees of Holland and Zeeland with their wives and sweethearts met to enjoy their annual banquet. The hall was tastefully decorated with the national colors, while the banquet tables were a profusion of flowers, generously sent from the greenhouses of Lakewood Farm and Marigold Lodge. The banquet was in charge of the "Eunice" Aid Society, covers being laid for nearly one hundred, and the ladies outdid themselves in this initial effort in the role of caterers.

The occasion was the celebration of the long delayed and well deserved raise in salary granted by President Coolidge and Congress with the approval of the P. O. department; and a note of jubilation and thankfulness pervaded the gathering from the time the invocation was spoken by Anthony Rosbach until the last strains of America died away at the close.

After the bounteous repast, the efficient and genial toastmaster Anthony Nienhuis opened the program of music and speaking with a few well chosen remarks. The formal numbers consisted of community singing, including a song composed for the occasion by their rural carrier poet, of vocal solos by Dick Van Kolken and Albert Veger and an address by Postmaster A. J. Westveer. A unique medley of sketches, impersonations, vocal and instrumental music was then put on by the postmen Arnold Hofmeyer, W. E. Vander Hart, John B. Mills, George Witt and John Wolrding, the Schumacher brothers and Eugene Fairbanks and sons. Humor and pathos combined to make this part of the program one long to be remembered.

Altogether it was an enjoyable affair and when at a late hour the guests departed it was evident that the different branches of the postal service of the two cities had been drawn closer together in the bond of fellowship.

A petition for the right to build a gas station at the corner of Gerritson avenue and 8th street was granted Wednesday night by the common council.

LOCAL

Miss Vera Mulder has left for Grand Haven where she will spend her spring vacation.

Edw. Leuw of the Holland Hudson and Essex Company has delivered a new Marmon 5-passenger brougham coupe to Charles Kirchen, 162 West 12th street.

Last year the Hekman Brothers of the Hekman Bros. Biscuit Co., of Grand Rapids, purchased some fine resort property on the shore of Lake Michigan north of Alpena Beach. Monday they awarded to Boomers and Smeenge a contract for the erection of three new homes on the property at a total cost of approximately \$22,000. Work on the new homes, which will be permanent homes and not summer cottages, will begin very soon.

Under the auspices of the Grand Haven Welfare board another free chest clinic was held in that city Thursday. The clinic will continue all day starting in the morning at 9:30 and closing at 5 in the afternoon. Dr. Wm. Via of Grand Rapids, will be in charge and Miss Lemmer, county nurse, will assist. The clinic will be held at the court house and will be open to any one who desires to attend. There will be no charges made.

Charles P. Seager, who is a former well known musician of Grand Rapids, was in that city on Monday on his way to Detroit to enter into contract with an eastern vaudeville producing company to write the music for its productions. Mr. Seager will remain in the East indefinitely. Mr. Seager has many friends in Holland. At one time he played his own music before the Century club here.

Grand Rapids Herald—An engagement announcement of interest to many is that of Miss F. Kendrick, Logan St., SE, to Milton Lage Hinga, of Kalamazoo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hinga of the same city.

The engagement, which has been known to Miss Kendrick's friends for several months was announced formally Tuesday afternoon with a tea given by Mrs. Kendrick for her daughter. The guests were more than twenty. Assisting Mrs. Kendrick and her daughter to receive were their guests, the Misses Miriam and Constance Hinga and Miss Bernadine Calkins of Kalamazoo.

Miss Kendrick was honored at a miscellaneous show Tuesday night by Miss Cecile Dunham in her home on Ebel Av. SE. The guests included Miss Kendrick, Misses Hinga, Miss Calkins, Miss Josephine Forrester, Miss Laura Wells, Miss Mignon Snyder, Miss Bernice Randall, Mrs. Geo. Hessman, Miss Marguerite Jaqua, Mrs. Elmer Wade, and Misses Frances and Adelaide Kilstrom.

On Thursday of this week will be a bridge tea which Miss Forrester and Miss Snyder will give honoring Miss Kendrick in Miss Forrester's home on Cass avenue, SE.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Marcus, a girl, Darlene.
Rev. Henry Mollema of Spring Lake has accepted a call extended to him by the Reformed church of Hingham, Wis.

Attorney George Clapperton, widely known in the Grand Rapids legal profession and in political circles, died suddenly while conversing with a client in his offices in the Michigan Trust building about 9:30 Tuesday morning.

Mr. Clapperton formerly was president of the Michigan State Bar association. He has been engaged in the legal profession in Grand Rapids for many years under the style of Clapperton & Owen.

Mr. Clapperton has many friends in this city and is well known here by many citizens. The attorney from Grand Rapids has been making political speeches in Holland in practically every campaign for the past 35 years.

Mr. Clapperton was a most ardent supporter of Mr. G. J. Diekema when the local man was running for congress some years ago. He has also been closely connected with the Holland resorts for a score of years, spending his summers here.

A jury in Circuit Judge John Van derwerp's court Monday night, after deliberating more than six hours, returned a verdict awarding Miss Dora Brown \$650 in her breach of promise suit against J. Fred Boyd, prominent Muskegon Heights business man.

Alleging Boyd had kept her waiting 12 years and then had declined to marry her, Miss Brown had asked for a total of \$19,080. Of this sum \$4,080 was for back wages which she alleged Boyd owed her for her services as his secretary, and \$15,000 was for heart balm.

The defense in its plea to the jury called attention to Miss Brown's alleged friendliness with other men. Miss Brown's attorney dwelt on the fact that she had remained single for 12 years because of an alleged understanding between her and Boyd that they were to be married.

Between 500 and 600 skaters gathered in the roped off block on East 19th street between College and Columbia avenues Monday evening and enjoyed themselves to the limit. The experiment of the council committee proved a success, and the boys and girls enjoyed themselves without doing any damage to anyone's property.

The street was roped off Monday night and every night after that, it is expected, so long as the skaters show they are good sports and do not injure curb laws. The council committee cautions the skaters to refrain from playing the game "crack the whip" because of the fact that the end man in that game is usually hurled on to a curb lawn.

It is planned by the committee to rope off West 19th street between First and Van Ralte avenue afternoons from 4 to 6 o'clock for the smaller children. The whole question was also submitted to the council Wednesday night for approval by that body.

The Men's Athletic club will meet Thursday night in Christian High Gym. on account of the banquet Wednesday evening.

An easter tea will be given in the Hope church parlors on the afternoon of April 8th. It will be under the direction of Mrs. De Free and Mrs. Olive.

Judge S. O. Cross Monday named Earl W. Deland, Allegan banker, to act as receiver for the International Vinegar Co. The company operates plants in Allegan, Grand Rapids and Detroit.

Last fall an effort was made to organize an indoor league consisting of teams representing the different churches in Holland. The plans failed to materialize, however, as a gymnasium could not be secured. Now the managers of the various teams are talking of forming a league and playing the games outside on some suitable diamond. An eight-team league is very possible and with the change of time on the 11th of April, the games could easily be played after the working hours.

The city Y. M. C. A. has consented to sponsor the movement and a meeting will be called some time in the near future. All church teams wishing to join are urged to send representatives to the first meeting.

That a preacher can do other things than preach when the occasion arises was proved to a Standard Oil truck driver Monday when he came across a big grass fire at Harlem that almost assumed the proportions of a western prairie fire. After it was over the oil man, who admitted that he had tried his best to help fight the fire but that the smoke and heat had been too much for him so that he had to retire from the field, came to Holland and was enthusiastic in his praises of Rev. F. M. Wiersma of the Harlem church.

"That preacher was like a professional fireman and general and several other things rolled into one," said the minister's panegyrist. "When I came along on my truck and saw the big fire I stopped, ran across the field and tried to help fight it. I didn't know that the man who was directing operation and who was always where the smoke was the densest and the fire the hottest was a minister. I certainly take my hat off to him. He had been at it long before I came and I admit frankly that I couldn't hold out, but he kept at it like a real fellow until the fire was conquered."

The grass fire was very serious for a time. The cinders from it flew as far as Holland and sometimes it was almost annoying to people here so that there were complaints that somebody must be burning a huge amount of paper.

The fire came within ten feet of a large house and barn near Harlem and the fight was directed chiefly to saving that valuable property. At times it looked as if the buildings were doomed but the fire fighters were successful.

Among those who fought hardest to get the big blaze under control were Theresa Bloemers, Marie Bauwmann, Mary Bauwmann, Mrs. Kruthof and Rev. Mr. Wiersma.

COMMUNICATION

Editor, Holland City News,
Holland, Michigan.

Dear Sir:—

In every century since the time of Christ there has been misunderstanding in the hearts and minds of men regarding the coming of the Son of Man, often causing fear and distress to many good, honest souls, who, had they understood the truth, would have rejoiced. Howbeit, the vision was sealed until the appointed time, but in the end it would speak, and not lie. Hab. 2.

What, then, must we understand by the coming of the Son of Man? Jesus often spoke of it, and said on one occasion, "When the Son of Man cometh he will find faith on the earth. Proving that He would be present on the earth to test and look for their faith. The prophets of old were called sons of man. The spirit of man is the real man having the mind and all of its thinking faculties. There is also spoken of a certain class of men as brute beasts to be taken and destroyed, peaking evil of the things they do not understand, whom the Lord will destroy with the spirit of His mouth and the brightness of His coming. There are two classes of people on earth today in the main, the seed of the serpent beast who deceived our first parents and the seed of the woman through the lineage of Seth. After the flood, through mixture and broken laws, the whole race became contaminated with the seed of the beast, as it is written, "I will sow the house of Israel with the seed of man and the seed of beasts."

Therefore a cleansing is promised. "In that day will I open in the house of David (or of Jesus) a fountain for sin and uncleanness." Zech. 12:10—13:1. Joel 3:21. Philippians 3:21. "God is the Father of the spirits of all flesh." "There is spiritual defilement as well as bodily defilement, which came through the sowing of doctrines of error which cause fear in the hearts and minds of the people." "Perfect love casteth out all fear. There is no fear in love. God is love. Therefore the love of God draws men to him." Jesus said, "No one cometh unto me except the Father who has sent me draw him." So long as a man is in fear, he is in torment, and they have no rest day or night who worship the beast (who drives fear into them) or its image, as it is written, "The smoke of their torment ascended upward forever and ever, and again, "The remembrance of their confusion will never be forgotten."

But to return to the subject of the coming of the Son of Man. Men by nature are all children of wrath. Therefore, having fallen from their first estate of spiritual purity and innocence around the throne of God (Job. 38:3-7) they must return to their former estate. Ezekiel. 16-55. Therefore there is hope for all mankind. But while all spirits will be restored to their former estate, yet God's plan is not completed until man is perfected, spirit, soul, and body. I Thess. 5:23. Jesus came after the

seed had been purified in forty-two generations, and having been brought forth according to the law of an endless life, His body saw no corruption.

Now, there are many brethren to be made manifest. Micah, 5:1, Rom. 8:19, 29, 31. Therefore the seed of the Son of Man has been in the loins of the lineage of Seth, Melchizedec, Abraham, Jacob and all the holy prophets and apostles and martyrs who sealed their testimony with their blood. Wherefore Jesus said, "An adulterous and unbelieving generation seeketh a sign, but no sign shall be given except the sign of Jonah the prophet, for as Jonah was three days and three nights praying for deliverance of himself in the belly of the whale, so must the son of man be in the heart of the earth, or body, during three dispensations of time, praying for deliverance."

When God formed man he placed the heart in the center of the body. II Esdras, 16:61. The belly is the seat of judgment. "Son of Man, cause thy belly to eat," God said to Ezekiel. See Ez. 2:9, 3:3, Rev. 10:2-16. "As it was in the days of Noah, and in the days of Lot, so shall also the coming of the Son of man be." Noah was 120 years preaching and warning of the days of the Son of man. Lot was saved with his two daughters and Sodom and Gomorrah destroyed by fire as an example to those who afterward would live ungodly. God is merciful and just. He will not that any shall perish but that all come to the knowledge of the truth and live. Therefore an opportunity is offered to all to repent and live. Yesterday I picked up a book published in England, April 25, 1884. It was called a "Warning to the World."

1925 is the 3500th year since Israel entered the land of Canaan. (1575 B. C.) This is, therefore, the year of the anti-typical Jubilee, in which the silver trumpets are to be blown and liberty declared to all the inhabitants of the land, and to every one their inheritance restored. Lev. 25:9-10. We have also reached the 1335 days of Daniel. Dan. 12:11, 12, 13. Count back 1335 years from 1925, and the man of sin will stand revealed before your eyes. This year is also the 1600th since the first council of Nice, the first general council of the Christian church, where the first creeds were formulated. Rev. 14:20. The doctrines of men are the hobby horse, and the bridges are the creeks to hold mankind in check. Now if you refuse the waters of Shiloah which run softly, and say "we will ride upon horses" (or the doctrines of men) the Lord warns that those who pursue you will be swift.

Now he will give mankind three years to look into his fold, and the fourth year He will destroy those who disobey by giving them their hearts desire. He promises every man to forgive them if they will repent and will cast their sins behind his back in the sea of his forgetfulness to be remembered against them no more: Mercy is his darling attribute. Judgments his strange work.

See what has happened in the last ten years—Russia, Germany, Austria—these are but object lessons. And a

dreadful calamity hangs over our beloved U. S. A. Can it be avoided? Yes. The Lord says, "If I bring a sword over a nation because of the evil they do, and they will repent, I will also repent myself of the evil I thought to do to them. As to the coming of the Lord Himself, in great power and great glory, will give you more later.

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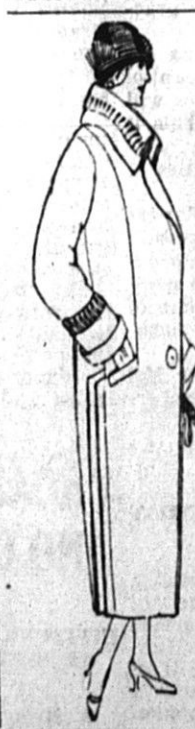
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MICHIGAN

DAYLIGHT AHEAD FOR BALL TEAM

At least fifty baseball fans, not nearly as many as should have been there, gathered at the city hall Friday evening for the purpose of discussing the financial condition of our baseball team. The meeting was presided over by E. P. Stephan who told the object of the meeting, and gave a short history of baseball from the time that Holland had its first team some 25 years ago when the baseball diamond was still on 16th street. He stated that Holland has been on the baseball map ever since and because of its wonderful teams it has received publicity through the national press that it otherwise would not have had. He told the history of the putting up of the grandstand, stating that originally the grandstand cost \$2,250 and that approximately half of it had been paid. He pointed out that as soon as the balance was taken care of, the present baseball team could receive revenues from the stand also and between the gate receipts and the grandstand money an excellent local team such as we have had for the past 15 years would be practically self-supporting.

The question then came up of selling 300 reserved grandstand tickets at \$4.00 a ticket, the amount thus derived more than paying the debt. This plan had practically been decided upon when Benjamin Lievese, Commander of the Willard G. Leenhouts post, American Legion, sprang a surprise. He stated that while the ticket selling project might be a good one, this method would prevent the baseball team from deriving any benefit from the grandstand this year, as the seats would all be occupied because of the advance sale, the proceeds of which would go for the debt. The commander of the post then said: "I've had something on my mind for some time relative to this local baseball team. The Legion as a body wants to do something for this community besides planting a few trees. It is helping needy soldiers to be sure. It is keeping a band going, but the Legion wants to do more. It wants to carry the burden of this grandstand debt and clean it up, and I have a scheme whereby it can be done."

"I suggest that the Legion put on an athletic contest in the near future at the Holland Theater and that the proceeds of this athletic contest go to pay off the grandstand debt, and judging from the attendance nearly a month ago and also at last Monday's big sport program, a go of this kind would be a tremendous drawing card. Other members of the Legion and myself have been working quietly on this thing and the participants in the boxing and wrestling contest to be put on have promised their services free, and this immediately would guarantee a sum of several hundred dollars. I understand that the Holland theater will donate the house for that night, the Holland newspapers will donate their space in the way of advertising and write-ups, and the posters and job printing will also be gotten out free of charge."

"I suggest that a minimum price for tickets be charged; however, a purchaser liberally inclined can pay as much extra for these tickets as he sees fit, and I know of a great many of the manufacturers and enthusiastic baseball fans who will pay from \$5 to \$10 and more for a ticket."

"The American Legion wants to stand the responsibility of this show, wants to assume this grandstand debt, wants to do something for Holland's excellent baseball team, wants to do it for Holland if given the chance."

After Mr. Lievese had sprung his surprise there was considerable discussion on the matter. John Vander Veen for one stated that we already owed the Legion much, we owed them a debt we could never repay and it was unfair to have them assume these burdens also.

Con De Free, however, was enthusiastically for the project, stating that the Legion did this as a matter of pride, that every Legionnaire was a baseball fan, and that individually and collectively he was sure these men would make the thing go over big. He stated that he knew what was involved in the running of a baseball team, he knew the expense that was entailed, for he had a great deal to do with the management of the first paid team Holland had. He stated that he was enthusiastically for Mr. Lievese's project, would give it his moral and financial support, and if the debt was cleaned up immediately the local team could also depend upon added revenues from the grandstand as soon as the season opened.

Milo De Vries, Abel Smeenge, Tony Groeneveld, Mr. Hoover, Spriggs Te Roller and several others voiced the same sentiment and upon a motion of B. A. Mulder, supported by John Vander Veen, the proposition as suggested by Benjamin Lievese, Commander of the Legion, was made the adopted plan.

The Legion is to take full charge—the Legion deserves the full credit, and the Legion is entitled to the financial aid and moral support of every citizen in Holland if he or she has any pride in the city. Surely a baseball team such as Holland can boast of should not receive niggardly support.

GRAND RAPIDS SCHOOL STUDENTS HAVE HIGH TIME

Macatawa has the appearance of a full fledged going summer resort, even tho the resort season is three months away. There is a large crowd, there is music floating on the breezes, there is dancing and only the bathing suits are lacking.

The reason for these activities is that several high school clubs of Grand Rapids have joined for a ten days' outing covering the spring vacation spent at this popular Holland resort. They have rented the annex of the hotel, have taken an orchestra along, and the boy and girl students are having a good old rollicking time.

The party is chaperoned by several of the parents of the children and some of the teachers and daily programs are being arranged in order that these young folks may have a real ten days' spring vacation away from city life.

FREAK CHICK WITH FOUR LEGS HATCHED HERE

Mr. W. Van Appledorn of the Holland Hatchery, Van Appledorn Bros., proprietors, on 32nd street, was surprised to find in the hatch Monday morning a chick with four legs well developed. The peep was an odd looking creature, and was of the white leghorn variety. Thinking that possibly the freak might not live the management chloroformed the chick and will preserve it in alcohol, thus depriving some purchaser of two extra drumsticks on a hen about next Thanksgiving day.

The Holland Hatchery is shipping not less than 25,000 chicks each week and the average has been 100,000 chicks each month and the managers believe that the total hatch this year will be not less than 400,000 chicks. Last season was a bad spring for chick raising. The constant wet weather meant many fatalities. This season, however, is ideal and the prospects for a record breaking season are fine.

GRAND HAVEN PLANS YACHTING FETE JULY 4

Plans are under way at Grand Haven for the entertaining of the Chicago Yacht club July 4, when its members and fleet are to visit the Grand Haven Harbor. Other clubs from Milwaukee and Chicago have been invited for the week of July 4 to 11. Municipal organizations plan to make it one of the most gala occasions in that city's history.

TO HOLD MAY PARTY AT SAUGATUCK

The Knights of Pythias held their regular monthly card party and dance last night in the Woman's Literary club rooms. Progressive five hundred was played from eight until ten. Mrs. Carl Shaw won the lady's prize and Chester Van Tongeren had the highest men's score. After cards a delightful buffet lunch was served and the balance of the evening was given over to dancing. The Holland Theater orchestra furnished the music in their usual satisfactory manner. About 60 couples were present. There will be one more of these parties, during April, and then the annual May party will be given at the big pavilion in Saugatuck. Kolkowski's orchestra of big party which will be held this year, Muskogee has been engaged for the 30th May 28th.

DAMAGE SUIT Gerrit Verkoeks, in a declaration filed in superior court Thursday against A. O. Gillivan, asks \$1,500 damages as a result of an automobile collision Sept. 2, 1924, on M-11, one and one-half miles north of Agnew in Ottawa county. Verkoeks says he overtook the defendant's car and attempted to pass just as Gillivan turned to the left and into his automobile.

DOLL-WIER NUPTIALS TAKE PLACE

One of the early social events of the season took place when Miss Geraldine Doll daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Doll of this city and Mr. Lambert H. Wiers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wiers of Grand Rapids were wed in Trinity Reformed church Wednesday evening, Rev. C. P. Dame performing the ceremony. The church edifice was taxed to capacity with relatives and friends who came to extend their congratulations and well wishes.

At the appointed hour, the bride wearing a gown of ivory charmeuse satin, with a veil of silk net caught with orange blossoms, and carrying bridal roses, sweet peas and swansonia, came up the center aisle leaning on the arm of her father as the march from Lohengrin was softly played on the pipe organ by Miss Susanna Hamlink. Little Miss Ruth Stryker scattered rose petals as the bridal party proceeded to the altar where the groom in conventional black was waiting. Rev. Clarence P. Dame in performing the ceremony used the double ring service very impressively.

Little Miss Ruth Dame was ring bearer, she carrying the circle of gold in a pure white calla lily. Others making up the bridal party were: Miss Beatrice Wiers of Grand Rapids as maid of honor, and Miss Margaret Postmus of Grand Rapids and Miss Bertrice Vander Ploeg of Holland as bridesmaids. Mr. Leon Rathbun of Grand Rapids attended the groom as best man, with John Vander Ploeg of Holland and Percy T. Kinkema of Grand Rapids assisting. Miss Wiers as maid of honor was dressed in white silk net, beaded, and carried sweet peas and swansonia. The bridesmaids were both dressed in blue georgette crepe, also carrying sweet peas and swansonia.

Mrs. Doll, mother of the bride was dressed in blue canton crepe and wore a corsage of brides roses and swansonia while Mrs. Wier, mother of the groom wore blue canton with ivory lace trimmings, and carried roses, sweet peas and swansonia.

Before the ceremony Mrs. Dr. J. O. Stryker of Grand Rapids in harmony with the occasion, sang, "O Perfect Love."

A wedding supper was given at the Woman's Literary club rooms immediately after the ceremonies, covers being laid for 150 guests. A special table was neatly arranged and decorated for the bridal party, the newlyweds occupying the places of honor.

The happy young couple after a short honeymoon trip will make their home in Grand Rapids.

U. S. SUGAR BEET CROP TO BE SMALLER THIS SEASON
Salt Lake City, March 28.—The total production of sugar beets in the United States in 1925 will not reach as high a figure as that of last year, S. H. Love of Salt Lake, president of the United States Sugar Manufacturers' association, declared here Friday. In a statement Mr. Love said that "while it is too early to say definitely what the final plantings of sugar beets this year will be, it is evident that they will not exceed 80 or 85 per cent of the 1924 total."

The Misses Gertrude Jonker and Janet Poest left Thursday night for Chicago where they will spend the week end.

LEASES DANCE HALL TO TWO FLORIDA MEN

James Irving has leased thru Mr. Caselle, who is now wintering in Miami, Fla., the dance hall and restaurant in his popular Jenson Park resort, to Messrs. Kelly Leary and Childs, leading southern amusement men. These men control the leading ball rooms in the south and several of the leading Ohio and Pennsylvania dance places.

Mr. Kelly is now managing director of the Elser Pier Ball Room in Miami and has a wonderful repertoire of novelty stunts to introduce to Jenson ark patrons. Mr. Childs, late of vaudeville and a very clever eccentric man, is director of St. Petersburg's leading dancant and will also be at Jenson Park.

Mr. Leary was formerly social director of the city of Ashbury Park, N. J., and director of dancing instruction for New Wayburn's famous New York studio. He is at present in charge of the Patio, one of Florida's leading supper clubs in Miami.

These men have signed a contract with the Everglade orchestra from the club holding the same name, Palm Beach, and which will prove no doubt to be the biggest attraction ever offered Jenson dance lovers.

These men will motor from Miami, Fla., and will arrive in Holland about the 15th of May to arrange for the opening of the park on Decoration day.

CONDITION OF FORMER MAYOR HAS IMPROVED

Reports from Blodgett Hospital in Grand Rapids Sunday and Monday were that the condition of former mayor N. Bosch has decidedly improved and the physicians attending him were very much more hopeful than they have been since early Thursday morning when Mr. Bosch submitted to a very serious operation on his throat.

Mr. Bosch's condition suddenly became such late Wednesday night that he had to be rushed to Grand Rapids in an ambulance and when he arrived it was found necessary to operate immediately to prevent strangulation. He was on the operating table for four hours and 20 minutes and the difficulty of the case was increased because of the fact that during most of the time only a local anesthetic could be given.

Although Mr. Bosch is still very weak as a result of the ordeal, hopes for his recovery are now bright.

A \$200,000 HOTEL FOR SOUTH HAVEN

Herman E. Kantor, representing Chicago business men, has purchased a site for a new hotel at South Haven and work will soon be under way on what promises to be one of the finest structures in this part of Michigan. Plans call for a four-story, 60 room hotel and bathhouse with four attractive business shops and a large lobby and will represent an investment of \$200,000.

CELEBRATE THEIR ANNIVERSARY WITH FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bloemers celebrated their forty-fifth wedding anniversary on Saturday at their farm home about a mile east of the city limits on the east Sixteenth street road. The celebration which was an all-day affair, was in the form of a family reunion and all the children and grandchildren were present with the exception of one son and his family who live in South St. Paul, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bloemers were united in marriage at Ebenezer by Dr. Henry E. Dosker, at that time pastor of the Ebenezer Reformed church. Mr. Bloemers is 63 and Mrs. Bloemers, whose maiden name was Teunje Schaeap, is 63. Both are still in fairly good health. The children are: John of South St. Paul, Minn., Jacob of West Olive, Chris of Ottawa Station, and Mrs. Herbert Vandenberg at home. Twelve grandchildren were present. In the course of the afternoon the couple's pastor, Rev. James Ghyssels and Mrs. Ghyssels also called to congratulate them. Out of town guests were Mr. Dick Leestma of Grand Rapids and Albert Bouwman of West Olive.

A dinner and supper were served and a short program was given. The children remembered the parents with gifts and the parents gave each child a substantial gift. The son who could not be present sent a letter of congratulation.

SENIORS AGAIN COPE HIGH HONORS AT HOPE

The basketball team representing the class of 1925 at Hope college was again crowned champion of the four classes in the school. The seniors had to go the limit this year to win their fourth consecutive championship as the juniors had a very scrappy team. The final game Wednesday proved a real slam bang affair with the upper classmen taking the long end of 25-21 score.

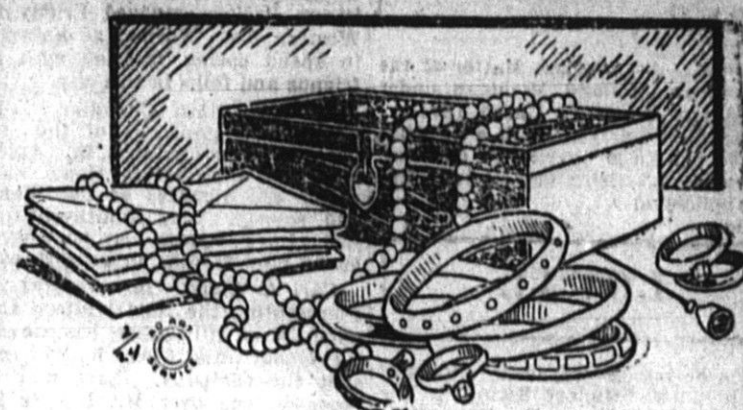
The setto was fairly even until near the close of the 3rd quarter when Kuiper, Vander Meer and Oosting looped the ball and left the juniors far behind. The lead was increased to 23-11 but the third year men spurred in final session when Cook netted the ball 3 times. Kuiper, Foreston, Heemstra, Oosting, Pleune, Vander Meer and Lubbers are the members of the championship team.

WOMAN SUES MUSKOGEE MAN FOR BREAKING VOW

Miss Dora Brown was the first to take the stand in her case against J. Fred Boyd, prominent business man of Muskogee Heights, for breach of promise, which opened in circuit court Thursday. Miss Brown testified that she had been in the employe of Boyd for a number of years. She charged Boyd owes her \$4,000 back wages.

Boyd is said to have admitted he proposed marriage to Miss Brown, but that she had not accepted him. He contends she really is financially indebted to him.

ORGANIST FOR SIXTY YEARS
London, March 21.—Miss Helen Cope has played the organ in Kingsway Church for sixty years. During that time she has been absent from Sunday services only four times.



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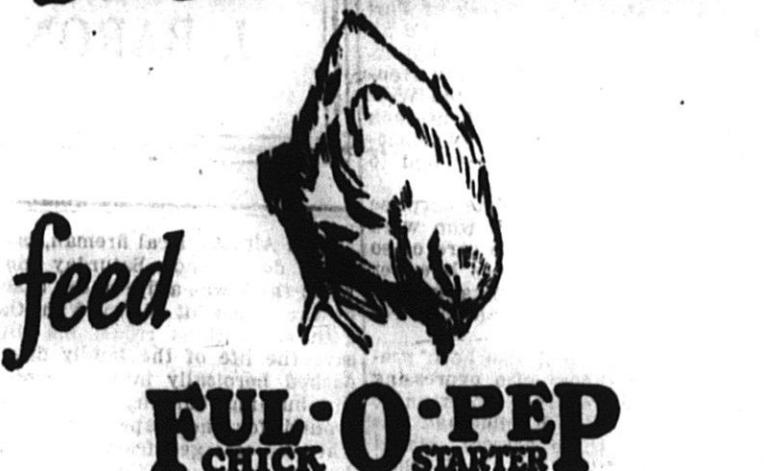
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LOCAL

Mrs. Steven Deters, aged 73, died at her home in Fillmore Saturday. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon at 12:30 at the home and 1:30 in the Chr. Ref. church at Overisel.

Fennville high school girls' basketball team won the last game of the season from Zeeland girls 22 to 15. The Zeeland boys' team won from Fennville by the score of 22 to 16. This game concluded the basketball season for the school.

Rev. Albertus Pieters of Hope college, Holland, missionary of the Reformed church in Japan for many years, gave an address on "The Development of Church Life in Japan" in Dennis-av. Christian Reformed Church, Grand Rapids, under auspices of the mission society Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lena Baker, residing on R. F. D. No. 4, west of Holland, received her commission Friday as the new postmistress at Ottawa Beach from the postoffice department at Washington, D. C. She will enter upon her duties with the opening of the office in June. The office will be continued in the store at Ottawa Beach. Mrs. Baker will succeed Peter Van Rossum of Grand Rapids, who has held the office for nearly five years.

For the third time in eight months voters of School District No. 4 including the village of Coopersville, have refused by a vote of 212 to 166 to bond the district for \$60,000, to provide an addition to the present school building. The opposition is directed more against the addition of a gymnasium than against the assembly room for the students which the opposition claim can be made for half the amount or less.

Several Holland persons were guests at a bridge party given by Mrs. C. W. Cotton at her home at Grand Haven. Yellow and white spring flowers were used about the rooms and the guests played bridge during the afternoon. The head prize was won by Mrs. Arie Van Tol, second by Mrs. Richard Cook. The guests were served at small tables centered with small bud vases filled with the same flowers. There were eighteen lady guests present, those from Holland being Mrs. John Boone, Mrs. John De Gloppe, and Mrs. C. E. Ripley.

The Community Fair association again will feature its annual show in August with a night fair, secretary Arendhorst states. The night fair was inaugurated two years ago and proved a winner. Tentative plans are being made for enlarging the grandstand which has netted the association a splendid revenue. The new grandstand was built three years ago and although bleachers since have been added, the accommodations have been insufficient to meet the demand for seats. Many new features will be introduced at the fair this year.

A very fine meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps was held at their rooms Wednesday, March 25. A fine silk flag was presented to the George Damsen Troop No. 10, Boy Scouts. Mrs. Joe Tardiff, in a very able manner, made the presentation speech which was responded to by the scout master George Damsen and Troop No. 10. Mr. Charles Rhyder gave a fine address and two very humorous selections which were greatly enjoyed by all. A fine lunch was served.

In order to avoid striking a pedestrian, Miss Carl Schroeder of Holland ran her automobile through a large plate glass window of the Wolverine garage. The car plowed over the free water and air tanks before striking the plate. The fenders of the car were badly bent, the radiator smashed and the front tires were badly chewed up from broken glass. The car run for some distance on the sidewalk before striking the street tanks.

Mrs. Schuwer and five children who occupied the car were badly shocked but escaped injury. The damage is estimated to be \$125, not counting the broken plate glass which was replaced within two hours after the accident.

Ed Leeuw of the Holland Hudson-Essex Co. has delivered a new Marmon 7 passenger sedan to Mr. Robert E. Johnson of Grand Haven.

A. Vanden Bosch was arrested for speeding 35 miles on Central avenue. He was given the usual fine of \$13.70 by Justice Brusse.

Albert Deur, West 21st St., had his nose broken in two places when he took a header from his wheel while coasting on Michigan avenue. He was immediately taken to a local physician for medical aid.

Hope College and the Holland public schools closed for a week's vacation. The Holland Christian school has done away with the spring vacation for the reason that the schools were closed ten days because of a small scarlet fever epidemic.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ben Harris, 288 West 17th-st. Mrs. Ralph Gun will conduct the study on China, and the young people will serve jasmine scented Chinese tea. All the ladies of the church and congregation are cordially invited.

Mrs. P. F. Schuelke has returned to her home in Holland after spending the winter months with her children in the east. She visited her son, Dr. John Warke, a member of the faculty of Mt. Holyoke College, at South Hadley, Mass., and also her daughter, Mrs. James T. Veneklaas of Baltimore.

The contestants from Hope College who were in debate with a team from Calvin college were treated very royally by the Calvin college authorities. They were taken through the entire institution and other courtesies were extended to them. Hope students were indeed surprised to see the large college buildings that had been erected within recent years.

Ed Zwemer has started a new pop corn stand next to the Colonial Theater.

Western Seminary students preached in the following places last Sunday: J. Meengs, Garfield Park, Gr. Rapids; Rozboom, Hope, Detroit; Pennings, Carr, Missions; Schipper, Corinth; Rynbrandt, Moorland; Trompen, Martin.

John Boone has gone to Marion, Michigan, to buy a carload of horses and cattle.

Cy Hidding, Allan Abbot, Helene Post, Esther Praken, Louise Van Doesburg, Francis Spoelstra and Johanna Parker returned Friday from Western State Normal at Kalamazoo to spend spring vacation with their friends and folks in this city.

On April 15th Chandler Goldthwaite of Boston, one of the three greatest pipe organists in America, will give a recital in Hope church under the auspices of the Women's Aid society. Mr. Goldthwaite has just returned from Europe where he spent nine months in concert work.

Carl A. Bigge, for several years representing the Northwestern Insurance Co. of Milwaukee, has moved to Cleveland, Ohio, where he will represent the company. Earnest Brooks recently took over Mr. Bigge's business in Holland.

The fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pas was observed Friday at their home at Ebenezer. A company of friends gathered at the home to celebrate the event and a short program was given. Mr. and Mrs. Pas were presented with a beautiful fernery.

The teachers and officers of the 4th Reformed Sunday school held their quarterly business meeting Friday evening. Mr. Rosendal, presiding, R. Fisher sang a solo, and Professor Wichers of Hope college gave a very inspiring address, after which refreshments were served.

The Zeeland high school basketball teams travelled over to Fennville Friday night and came off with honors even. The girls' team lost to the Fennville tossers by a 21-17 verdict, but the boys' team handed the home squad a 22-19 setback. Miss Janet Albers and Mr. Fred Jonkman, of Hope college acted as officials.

Ray Meeboer, of Zeeland, is an aspirant for the catchers' position on the fast Western Normal Nine this season. Coach Hyamnes may use the new recruit in the Hilltoppers' first game on April 11th when they meet Hope college at Kazoo. Meeboer has had several years' experience with fast semi-pro nines and should therefore be a big addition to the Brown and gold infield. 75 men reported to Coach Hyamnes last Monday when first outdoor practice was held.

Lake traffic between South Haven and Chicago opened for the season Wednesday. The steamer Bainbridge will make the runs and is scheduled for three trips each way weekly.

H. J. Davis, aged 84 years, died Monday at his home at Port Sheldon. He is survived by his wife and one son, Frank J. Davis. The funeral was held Wednesday at ten o'clock from the home.

At four o'clock Saturday morning both fire departments were called by an alarm turned in from box 54. It proved to be the home of Henry Van Oss on 24th street. A fire was discovered in the basement of the house and before the firemen arrived it had eaten its way between the partitions. The department soon had the blaze under control. The damage is estimated by Chief Blom to be about \$200.

Within the last two days there were two fires, one at the home of John Hietje on 11th st., where sparks ignited the roof. An alarm was turned in Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock which proved to be a grass fire at the East limits of the city.

The new individual communion set presented by Dr. M. R. De Haan of the Western Theological Seminary to the Van Raalte Avenue Reformed church was used for the first time at the services last Sunday, Rev. J. P. De Jong of Holland officiating.

The Michigan Ice Industries association is holding its spring convention at the Occidental hotel, Muskegon Tuesday and Wednesday and until Thursday noon. Some of the Holland ice men will motor to Muskegon and attend these sessions.

Helen, the eight months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Zych, died Thursday at her home at 54 West First street. She is survived by her parents, five brothers and two sisters. The funeral was held at 9:30 Saturday morning at St. Francis church.

A party of friends gathered at the home of Mr. A. J. Drago, 270 College avenue, Monday evening to help him celebrate his birthday. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Gertrude Kuzenga, Mrs. R. L. Brown and Mrs. Mae Cook of Grand Rapids. Mr. Drago was remembered with several tokens of friendship, games were played, and a two-course luncheon was served.

At the Republican caucus of the township of Blendon the following were placed in nomination for township offices: Supervisor, Robert L. Johnson; clerk, Fred Berens; highway commissioner, L. G. Parady; treasurer, John Bussies; board of review member, Bruin Glass; justice of the peace, R. P. Lamer; constables, Frank Raimier, Gerrit Blauwkamp, Ben Veldhuis and Henry Maas.

The singing society of the First Christian Reformed church of Grand Haven under the leadership of John Vandersluis of Holland will render an Easter cantata in the church on the evening of April 8. This organization has been working faithfully during the winter months and has been making marked progress. The chorus numbers 50 voices, all from this church.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Veen-schoten Tuesday at Holland hospital, a boy. The baby died.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ohmer R. Rench, 153 East 19th street, a girl, Marjory Lucile.

The Friesian society will hold a regular meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Word has been received from Gunnison, Colorado, announcing the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Damsen.

All scout meetings will be continued from now on. All boys wishing to join the scouts must see Mr. Detor scoutmasters Tuesdays or Thursdays.

Mr. F. Johnson, tailor, living at 115 E. 15th st., owns 35 pure bred chickens that laid 749 eggs during the month of March.

Mrs. George Irahm, 35, is dead at her home in Fillmore township, Allegan county. Funeral services were held Wednesday at Overisel.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. James B. Mulder of Irvington, New York, a son, James Wagar, March 25th. Mr. Mulder is a Hope college graduate and pastor of a Reformed church in Irvington.

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PASSED BAD CHECKS IN LARGE NUMBER

At 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon Patrolman Dave O'Conner picked up Edward E. Stewart, alias Stone, alias Warner, wanted in Holland, Zeeland and several other places on charges of passing forged checks and wanted in Battle Creek for stealing an automobile. The police departments of all the towns throughout this section have been on the look out for Stewart for the past 3 weeks. Tuesday noon the man drove into Holland in his stolen Chrysler car and when he came along East 8th street Mr. O'Conner spied him and placed him under arrest. Questioned at police headquarters he admitted he was the man the officers were looking for. Stewart passed bad checks on merchants in Holland, Zeeland, Hamilton, Saugatuck and other places. On March 9th he stole a car in Battle Creek and since then a reward of \$50 has been offered by the owner, which money will doubtless go to the local department as Stewart was in the stolen car when arrested. He is being held in the city jail pending an investigation to determine what charge to bring against him.

Edward E. Stewart, the young fellow who was arrested in Holland Tuesday noon when he was sighted here in a stolen automobile from Battle Creek, has had a varied career of crime and he has been engaging in the bad check game on a truly heroic scale. Here is a list of his operations in various cities in Western Michigan: Two checks passed on Miss Van Weelden of Grand Haven, one for \$30 and one for \$20; one on the Grand Haven Gas Co. for \$10; one on E. E. Fell of Holland for \$17, one on Al Baker of Holland for \$5; two on Ted and Ed of Zeeland for \$40 and \$10; one on Van Dyke and Hogeland of Zeeland for \$5; two on H. G. Dekker of Zeeland for \$5 and \$43.50; two on Mr. Kronmeyer of Hamilton for \$95 and \$3.50. He also is said to have stolen a radio at Hamilton valued at \$95, an overcoat in Holland and an automobile in Battle Creek.

This was not the first automobile he had stolen. He had been sent up for a period to Ionia for stealing automobiles but had served his time and had been released. He declares that he never stole an automobile to make money out of it but so that he could go joy riding.

Stewart is not originally the young man's name. He was adopted a number of years ago by Dr. Stewart, one of the physicians of the Battle Creek sanitarium, and the young man admits that he could not have had a better home anywhere than with his foster parents who did everything for him that the best father and mother could do. But he seems to have desired a gayer life than could be found in the Stewart home and so his career of crime was gradually begun.

The confession from Stewart was secured by Sheriff Fred Kamferbeek at the county jail.

A DREAM COME TRUE

To the Holland City News, Holland, Mich.

Dear Editor:

Mr. and Mrs. Renaud of West Harlem, Port Sheldon, whose home, barn and contents were destroyed by fire March 10th, and who have since rented and lived in the parsonage of the West Harlem church, were given a very pleasant surprise last Friday evening, when friends, 38 in number gathered at their home. Friends, most of whom were neighbors, had all been notified by Mrs. Mary Shipke of Port Sheldon of the surprise party, and all responded without an exception. Promptly at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening the guests gathered at the West Harlem church and with them each brought some good and useful household article, which they presented to Mr. and Mrs. Renaud.

The affair was a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Renaud, who were totally unprepared to take care of so large a party. The friends however had provided for everything including seats for all the company and refreshments as well.

A fine program had also been prepared, the neighbors also expressing their sympathy for the unfortunate Harlem folks. Ed. Kammeraad as spokesman for those present stated that every member of the Harlem Farmers Club had hammer, saw and horse power which were at Mr. Renaud's service at any time when he wished to rebuild his home etc. Mr. and Mrs. Renaud have not decided just what steps they will take.

All those present reported an enjoyable evening and after expressing their best wishes, returned to their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Renaud wish to express their sincere thanks at this time to all the good friends who so nobly aided them in this way.

ZEELAND

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold A. Van Bronckhorst and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Ter Haar of Zeeland went to Holland Tuesday evening, March 24th, to be present at the birthday celebration of their father, Bert H. Ter Haar.

The house formerly occupied by A. Telegenhof, situated on the new high school property, has been moved to Park street just north of Lincoln. The other old house now situated on the school property is soon to be moved to a position near the other house.

Peter Ver Lee of Coopersville, son of Mrs. C. D. Schilleman of Zeeland, has purchased the farm of J. H. De Weerd, located two miles northwest from Berculo, where he will take possession within a week or ten days. Mr. De Weerd will retire and make his home with his son at Berculo.

NORTH HOLLAND

Holy Communion was observed in our local church Sunday.

The children of Rev. and Mrs. Maatman were presented with a Shetland pony and cart by Mr. and Mrs. George Smeyers and Mr. Will Kooyers. This gift is appreciated very much and it will be a great enjoyment to them.

Mr. Nelson Vande Luyster, Miss Kooyers, Miss Shoemaker, teachers of the North Holland school, together with Miss Henrietta Westraat, who has been studying in this locality, are now on their spring vacation.

Miss Janet Singh, who is employed at the Holland Shoe Company, is enjoying a few weeks vacation.

The Loyal Workers met at the chapel Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Maatman has started a series of lessons on missionary work in India.

Mrs. Leonard Steketee from Holland, has been staying at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ter Haar for a few

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Butter	Fresh made Creamery Butter, guaranteed, lb.—	48c
Lard, Pure, lb.		21c
Sunlight Jelly Powder 3 pkgs.		25c
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<i>Pet Milk, tall cans</i>	- 10c	<i>Gold Medal Flour, sack</i> \$1.33
<i>Dundee Milk, tall cans</i>	10c	<i>Pillsbury Flour, sack</i> 1.40
<i>Van Camp Milk, tall cans</i>	9c	<i>Crescent Flour, sack</i> 1.35
<i>Eagle Milk, can</i>	- 20c	<i>Lily White Flour, sack</i> 1.35
<i>Borden's Milk, can</i>	- 10c	<i>Aunt Jemima Pancake</i> 15c

Rub-No-More Soap Deal

2 26-oz. packages Soap Flakes—1 54-oz. pkg Washing Powder	62c
4 bars Rub-No-More White Naptha Soap, Regular Value 85c.	

Boneout Codfish lb. pkg.	30c.
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Fish Flakes Can	15c	Tomatoes, can	14c
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Salmon	Choice Red, can	27c
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NEW CROP Dates pkg.	22c
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Head Rice lb.	8c
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Sardine	In Tomato Sauce	14c
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WANTED—Duck Eggs Holland Rusk Co. 8tc

FOR SALE—Organ, cheap. 244 Fairbanks avenue. 3tp4-18

FOR SALE—Eight room house, full basement and furnace; nearly all conveniences. Price \$3650. Inquire 136 East 19th St. 8tp 4

\$250 DOWN—Secures 35 acre garden farm with buildings; good road, near Allegan. Milo Keene, Allegan, Michigan. 1tp

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LOCAL

Three groups of students left Holland on Friday for long jaunts to their respective homes. The journeys were made in old Ford cars which the students had purchased and given special treatment for the long runs. Rob Ritchie, Paul Gebhard, Clyde Geerlings Corkey Mullenberg and Barney Goodwin hope to be in New York state for the greater part of the vacation.

John De Bell, Bill Tuttle, G. Bevelander, Bill Hughes and Charley Diepenhuis are also headed for the great metropolis state.

Alvin Timpast, Lester De Young, Clem Hesselink, and Harold Hesselink left Saturday morning with their destination as somewhere in Wisconsin. A number of students living in the nearby states started out for catching rides with friendly motorists. College will open again on April 7th. Cabbage and Kings

Hope college won another victory when its debating team carried off the honors at Grand Rapids Thursday evening against the team selected by Calvin college. The debate was held in Immanuel Reformed church of Grand Rapids, with Dr. J. J. Hiemenga, president of Calvin college, presiding.

The contestants for Calvin were Messrs. Munson, Roelofs and Bruinix. Holland's team was composed of D. Yntema, Peter Wesselink and Gerit Wesselink. The subject of the debate was: "Resolved that congress shall be empowered to override by a two-thirds vote decisions of the supreme court."

The Hope team took the negative side while Calvin took the affirmative side. The judges gave the Hope team a two to one decision and honors went to the local college.

The judges selected were men of high calibre. Edwin F. Sweet, former secretary of commerce of the United States and at one time mayor of Grand Rapids and also a congressman of the fifth district, was one of the judges. Arthur Shaw, former member of the Grand Rapids city commission, and Attorney William K. Clute, a prominent Grand Rapids lawyer, constituted the judging staff. Three attorneys were selected to judge this debate for the reason that legal questions were involved in the subject and therefore men with legal minds were most fitted to pass upon the arguments.

It is possible that another debate will be staged at Zeeland between the two colleges in April. In this event Hope college will take the affirmative and Calvin college the negative side of this question.

Exp. Apr. 18—10397

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 26th day of March A. D. 1925.

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

In the matter of the estate of Margaret O. Eldred, Deceased

Margaret O. Eldred having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to E. L. Eldred or to some

other suitable person. It is Ordered, That the 27th day of April A. D. 1925 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, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JAMES J. DANHOF,

A true copy— Judge of Probate, Cora Vande Water, Register of Probate.

Exp. April 18—10399

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 30th day of March A. D. 1925.

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

In the matter of the estate of Benjamin F. Gunn, Deceased

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

It is ordered that the 27th day of April A. D. 1925

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.

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Exp. April 18—9984

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 30th day of March A. D. 1925.

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

In the matter of the estate of Aaltje Wallbrink, Deceased

Johanna Wallbrink having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate,

It is ordered that the 27th day of April A. D. 1925

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

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

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bonds of \$100 each and 3 bonds of \$32.50 each, interest 6 per cent 667.50
Eighteenth Street Paving No. 3, 1 bond of \$1,033.16, interest 6 per cent 1,033.16
East Ninth and Garretson Street Paving, 6 bonds of \$575.70 each, interest 6 per cent 3,454.20
River Avenue and West Seventeenth Street Special Street, 7 bonds of \$613.93 each, interest 6 per cent 4,297.51
Nineteenth Street Special Street, 7 bonds of \$1,756.48 each, interest 6 per cent 12,295.36
River Avenue and West Seventeenth Street Paving, 7 bonds of \$1,461.63 each, interest 6 per cent 10,231.41
Seventeenth Street Paving, 8 bonds of \$233.88 each, interest 6 per cent 1,871.04
\$ 35,383.40

SPECIAL SEWER ASSESSMENT DISTRICTS

Twenty-eighth Street Pumping Station Special Sewer District, 8 bonds of \$1,000 each and 4 bonds of \$600 each, interest 5 1/2 per cent 10,400.00

Total Special Assessment Debt \$320,467.01

BONDS AND INTEREST DUE BUT NOT PRESENTED FOR PAYMENT

5 Coupons City Hall "A" (1916) \$ 212.50
5 Coupons City Hall "A" (1924) 212.50
1 Coupon Park "B" (1924) 45.00
9 Coupons Park "P" (1925) 405.00
2 Coupons Water "N" 50.00
1 Bond Fire Department "B" 1,000.00
2 Bonds South Lincoln Avenue Paving 132.50
8 Coupons South Lincoln Avenue Paving (1924) 13.95
8 Coupons South Lincoln Avenue Paving (1924) 31.80
3 Coupons Street Improvement "K" 180.00
6 Coupons East Ninth and Garretson Paving 207.24
2 Coupons Street Improvement "P" 39.50
2 Coupons Street Improvement "Q" 21.10
2 Coupons Street Improvement "R" 54.52
1 Bond Street Improvement "S" 331.09
1 Coupon Street Improvement "S" 18.21
1 Bond Street Improvement "N" 1,000.00
5 Coupons Street Improvement "N" 282.68
5 Coupons Street Improvement "Q" 232.00
1 Coupon Street Improvement "V" 55.00
1 Coupon Street Improvement "V" 55.00
6 Coupons Street Improvement "T" 330.00
1 Bond Street Improvement "W" 1,086.92
7 Coupons Street Improvement "W" 418.46
1 Coupon Street Improvement "X" 30.78
1 Coupon Street Improvement "Y" 19.72
2 Coupons Twenty-eighth Street Pumping Station Sewer 22.00
1 Coupon Pine Avenue Surface Draining Storm Sewer 25.00
\$ 6,512.47

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Holland: Gentlemen: I herewith submit to your Honorable Body, the annual settlement of the finances of the City of Holland, for the fiscal year, March 17, 1924, to March 16, 1925.

CASH STATEMENT

	Dr.	Cr.
Balance on Deposit March 17, 1924	\$ 81,628.42	
Receipts March 17, 1924, to March 16, 1925	633,559.56	
Disbursements March 17, 1924, to March 16, 1925		\$633,339.02
Balance on Deposit March 16, 1925		81,848.96
	\$715,187.98	\$715,187.98
Outstanding checks March 16, 1925	\$ 368.03	

Peoples State Bank, Holland, Mich.

This is to certify that there is on deposit to the credit of M. B. Bowmaster, City Treasurer, the sum of \$34,121.51 as at the close of business on March 16th.

PEOPLES STATE BANK.
HENRY WINTER, Cashier.

First State Bank, Holland, Mich.

To Whom It May Concern: This is to certify that the Treasurer of the City of Holland has on deposit in the First State Bank, Holland, Michigan, at the close of business March 16, 1925, \$26,966.23 (twenty-six thousand nine hundred sixty-six dollars and twenty-three cents).

FIRST STATE BANK.
H. J. LUIDENS, Cashier.

Holland City State Bank, Holland, Mich.

To Whom It May Concern: This is to certify that the City of Holland had on deposit with our bank at the close of business on March 16th, 1925, a sum of money in the amount of \$20,761.22.

(Signed) CHARLES E. DREW,
Assistant Cashier.

Holland City State Bank, Holland, Mich.

To Whom It May Concern: This is to certify that there was on deposit in the books of the Holland City State Bank to the credit of Murk Bowmaster, as Treasurer of the City of Holland, at the close of business March 16, 1925, the sum of Three hundred sixty-eight dollars and three cents (\$368.03) in No. two account.

Respectfully,
OTTO P. KRAMER, Cashier.

RECONCILIATION OF NO. 2 ACCOUNT

Outstanding Checks	\$ 368.03
Advance Checks	0.00
Balance as per Certificate	\$ 368.03

TRIAL BALANCE

	Dr.	Cr.
Balance	\$ 81,848.96	
General		\$ 10,783.28
Fire Department	9,089.76	
Poor	490.32	
Library	6,942.67	
Police	4,601.85	
Health	695.68	
Cemetery	3,408.71	
Park	5,361.72	
Main Sewer	164.43	
Sprinkling	2,698.34	
Public Building	5,837.78	
Interest and Sinking	1,288.75	
Street Improvement Bond		4,289.16
Compulsory Sewer Connection		4,219.50
Water Works Bonds, Series "N"		50.00
Water Works Bonds, Series "P"		23.75
Guarantee Deposit		4,402.74
Water		7,414.23
Sinking		17,776.72
Light		74,205.66
Fire Department, Series "B"	250.00	
Hospital		309.78
Hospital Donation		100.00
Compensation Insurance		1,914.67
B. P. W. Compensation Insurance		2,371.47
Street	5,459.15	
Fire Alarm		2,621.49
Eighteenth Street Paving No. 2	122.95	
Lincoln Avenue Paving	19,162.29	
Maple Avenue Paving	25,746.94	
First Avenue Paving	28,655.69	
South Central Avenue Paving		562.14
North Central Avenue Paving		124.72
Columbia Avenue Paving		407.86
South River Avenue Paving		90.88
College Avenue Paving		1,610.15
Twenty-fourth Street Paving		57.28
Nineteenth Street G. and G. No. 1		622.47
South River Avenue Improvement		131.80
North Central Avenue Improvement		172.08
Fourteenth Street Improvement		861.84
South Central Avenue Improvement		522.45
Fourteenth Street Paving		626.54
Columbia Avenue Improvement		404.39
Seventeenth St. Paving (River Ave. to Central Ave.)		39.31
Nineteenth Street Paving		656.94

River Ave. and West Seventeenth Street Paving	689.83
Eighteenth Street G. and G. No. 1	82.86
Eighteenth Street G. and G. No. 2	215.57
Eighteenth Street Paving No. 1	25.87
Seventh Street Paving	64.28
South Lincoln Avenue Paving	156.92
Ninth Street Paving	98.74
East Ninth Street Paving	691.31
Nineteenth Street Improvement	899.66
West Eighteenth Street Paving No. 3	26.89
River Ave. and W. Seventeenth St. Improvement	569.94
Sewer and Water Connection	204.36
College Avenue Improvement	2,070.67
Twenty-sixth Street Sewer	660.36
East Sixth Street Sewer	111.76
East Fourth Street Sewer	50.84
Twenty-first Street Sewer No. 2	202.04
Cherry Street Sewer	403.35
Pine Avenue Storm Sewer	2,295.66
Twenty-eighth Street Sewer	4,214.77
East Sixteenth Street Paving	3,745.27
Armory Bonds Sinking	15,000.00

\$185,840.10 \$185,840.10

STATEMENT OF GENERAL TAX ROLL

	Dr.	Cr.
Funds:		
State Tax	\$ 36,004.49	
County Tax	43,039.78	
County Poor Tax	391.00	
Rejected Tax	31.74	
County Road Tax	28,121.41	
School Tax	\$189,000.00	
		\$107,588.42
		\$189,000.00

General City Taxes:	
General Fund	\$ 20,200.00
Poor Fund	5,000.00
Street Fund	38,500.00
Public Building Fund	500.00
Health Fund	4,300.00
Fire Department Fund	33,240.00
Police Fund	14,220.00
Library Fund	3,800.00
Park Fund	15,265.00
General Sewer Fund	5,763.00
Fire Alarm Fund	3,650.00
Hospital Fund	2,800.00
Excess of Roll	118.78
	147,354.78

Reassessed Taxes:	
City and School Taxes 1924	\$ 3,113.85
Reassessed Taxes 1921	87.85
Reassessed Taxes 1922	184.85
Reassessed Taxes 1923	277.91
Excess of Roll	244.28
	3,908.74

Special Taxes:	
East Sixth Street Sewer	\$ 200.00
East Ninth St. and Garretson Ave. Paving	818.31
Seventh Street and Lincoln Avenue Paving	2,853.74
Ninth Street Paving	5,619.88
Columbia Avenue Curb, etc.	6,126.05
Columbia Avenue Paving	3,929.82
College Ave. and East 22nd St. Curb, etc.	4,323.75
College Ave. and East 22nd St. Paving	2,871.77
Fourteenth Street Curb, etc.	5,109.64
Fourteenth Street Paving	3,436.18
Fourth Street Sewer	32.06
North Central Avenue Curb, etc.	743.32
North Central Avenue Paving	495.95
River Ave. and Seventeenth St. Curb, etc.	914.36
River Ave. and Seventeenth St. Paving	2,171.43
Nineteenth Street Curb, etc.	2,601.47
Nineteenth Street Paving	2,220.07
East Twenty-fourth Street Paving	1,644.35
Eighteenth Street Curb, etc.	

DIRECTORS OF H. O. H. CALL ON SHERIFF

The board of directors of the H. O. H. of Holland paid Sheriff Kamferbeek and wife a visit Friday night, March 27th. The party went by auto, consisting of President Frank Brieve, Vice-president, Cor. Woldring and wife, Treasurer, Alex Van Zanten and wife; Secretary, P. F. Koopman and wife, and trustees, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vanden Elst, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Vande Poel, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Klompere. Mr. Kamferbeek is a charter member of this society, and held the office of president for three years. The society was organized in October, 1907, with 35 members; it now numbers 465 members with a financial backing of nearly \$8,000. It pays a benefit of \$1.50 per day in case of sickness or injury, and \$100 death benefit. When organized the Holland language was used exclusively in conducting their meetings, but in recent years this has been changed, and the American language is used.

Mr. and Mrs. Kamferbeek are very proud of the H. O. H. and are looking forward to the great event of the season, their annual picnic, which is held every summer at the park near the lake. The members are great lovers of clean sport and about 1,000 turn out for a day's outing.

They are now contemplating the organization of Ladies' Auxiliary. Short talks were given by Sheriff Kamferbeek and President Brieve and all present expressed themselves as having spent a most pleasant and enjoyable evening. At a late hour the party broke up and journeyed back to Holland. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

SUES JUSTICE TO GET JUSTICE IN ALLEGAN COUNTY

Justice William R. Gardner of Saugatuck is to have a hearing in Justice Ficus E. Fish's court in Allegan. It is charged on August, 1924, a party of young people, comprising Nettie Belle Hillman, George O'Day, Harold Applequist, Sylvia Grayson, Mary Novack, James Bittourn, William McSweeney, Rollin Grayson, Anna Bellinger and Esther Clark sought shelter in a cottage on the banks of the Kalamazoo river near Saugatuck when it began to rain.

They sat on the floor and told ghost stories but their jollity was disturbed by the owner of the cottage. All were arrested and taken into Justice Gardner's court on a blanket warrant charging disorderly conduct.

A deputy sheriff and an assistant took them to court in a taxi. The justice, it is alleged, caused the arrest of all on one warrant, yet fined them separately and collected charges as follows: 50c each for telephone, \$2 each for taxi, \$1 each for fee for assistant officer, \$1 fine each for the women and \$5 each for the men. It is alleged the justice collected full fees from each prisoner instead of proportionate shares. The return of alleged excessive costs and fees has been demanded. Justice Fish has set the date for the hearing for Friday, April 10.

HOEKSEMA INSISTS ON APPEALING COURT DECISION

All rumors to the contrary, Rev. Herman Hoeksema, pastor of the Eastern-av. Christian Ref'd church, Grand Rapids, which lost its suit in circuit court to establish ownership of the \$100,000 church property as against the element of the congregation differing with him in the common grace controversy, Thursday declared definitely that the case would be carried to the supreme court. Counsel for Mr. Hoeksema and his following still have 30 days in which to make the appeal following filing of bond during the 20-day stay granted by the court.

Mr. Hoeksema has just returned from a tour of Iowa, where he delivered six lectures on his interpretation of common grace and preached six sermons. Mr. Hoeksema said he was enthusiastically received.

ZEELAND PIONEER IS SURPRISED

William Staal, Sr., one of Zeeland's old settlers, celebrated the 80th anniversary of his birth in a quiet fashion at his home last Sunday and his children with two exceptions, accompanied him in attendance at the First Chr. Ref. church services that afternoon.

On Monday evening the children gathered at the home of Harm Staal, one of his sons, which is also the old gentleman's home, to celebrate the happy occasion. The gathering was a surprise to Mr. Staal and the meeting was therefore the more pleasant. Those present were: Mrs. Harm J. Timmer of Ellsworth, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Peter Staal, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nykamp, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Staal, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Looker, Mr. and Mrs. William Staal, Jr., all of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Bos, Jr., of Forest Grove, Miss Agnes Staal of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. John Krus of Byron Center could not be present because of illness. The old gentleman was presented with a substantial purse of money.

ELEVEN TAKEN IN MUS- KEGON COTTAGE RAID

Five men are lodged at the county jail and another is being sought following a midnight raid on a lonely cottage on the shores of Lake Michigan, north of Muskegon, by Sheriff Covell and Deputies Joslyn and Walker.

A 15-year-old Muskegon high school girl and five married women, one with a small baby, were found in the cottage with the men, all of whom are said to be unmarried.

As the sheriff and his deputies entered the cottage two of the men in the party jumped out a window. One escaped, while Deputy Joslyn, who followed in their path, halted the other after threatening to shoot.

Two of the women hastened to dump a quantity of liquor through a window, while the other two attempted to hide under beds, deputies stated.

The girl, who, according to deputies, was scantily clad, took the raid as a joke. After questioning the women Sheriff Covell permitted them to return to their homes. The men will be arraigned Tuesday, the sheriff said.

ZALSMAN WINS IN THE PITTMAN DAMAGE CASE

The case brought by Milton Pittman of Holland against Peter Zalsman of Holland asking for \$10,000 damages claimed due him for alienation of his wife's affections and also charging Zalsman with rape alleged to have been committed by the Holland man, ended Thursday afternoon after a two days' trial in circuit court in Grand Haven.

During those two days the courtroom was packed to capacity and large delegations from Holland went to listen to this sensational case. Much of the testimony given, especially by Mrs. Pittman, became so rank that Judge Cross barred all minors from the courtroom. The testimony naturally is unprintable; however, all is a matter of court record.

The courtroom also contained a large sprinkling of women, at least 25 from Holland attending, and not a few from Zeeland, while Grand Haven also was well represented. There was not a Holland man on the jury, most of the jurors coming from the upper end of the county.

After the evidence was all in and the attorneys had made their pleas for their respective clients and the judge had charged the jury, the twelve men retired to the jury room and after 35 minutes of deliberation brought in a verdict of no cause for action which exonerates Mr. Zalsman at least in this civil suit. It is stated that the jury took only one ballot in the matter.

It was brought out in the testimony that the Pittmans had had two similar cases before this, in which cash was received, \$300.00 being secured from one man, and \$450.00 from another, or a total of \$750.00 in all. Mrs. Pittman, it is stated, admitted this upon cross examination.

There is still a criminal suit in this same matter pending against Mr. Zalsman. His exoneration in the civil suit no doubt will have considerable bearing on the trial if the criminal suit comes up.

HOLD QUARTERLY TEACHERS' MEETING

The quarterly meeting of the teachers of the Trinity church Sunday school was held Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Steketee. An address on Sunday school work was given by John Trompen of Grand Rapids, a piano duet by Misses Evelyn and Adrianna Steketee, and a vocal duet by the Essenberg sisters. The average attendance of the Trinity Sunday school the first quarters has been 541.

TWO REWARDS OUT FOR CONVICTION OF FIRE ALARM "BUG"

The board of police and fire commissioners announced once more today that there is a standing offer of fifty dollars from the board for anyone who gives information that leads to the arrest and conviction of the person who is turning in false fire alarms. In addition to this there is a standing offer of \$25 from Fire Chief C. Blom. Both the board and Mr. Blom are eager to pay the money because they are determined to bring the guilty party to justice if possible.

SAFETY DRIVE FOR CHILDREN IS GREAT SUCCESS

The Safety Drive for Children, carried on by the Holland B. P. E., was a wonderful piece of work. In the grade schools just 1572 signed the pledge to be cautious and follow the rules laid down insuring safety for the little ones. The drive is made only in the grade schools, to the Junior high and high school not being included.

At a future date the Elks intend to put on a drive in the two higher schools, possibly in a different form, thus adding to the moral support thus far given this child's safety campaign.

Besides the pledge that were received at the school more than a hundred pledges were sent in thru advertising in the local press.

These mail pledges were not solicited as were the pledges in the schools. According to the compilation sent in by Mr. Alton Dick, the "Safety First Pledges thru the schools to date are as follows: Washington 299; Van Raalte 301; Longfellow 196; Lincoln 287; Froebel 228; Horace Mann 148; Catholic school 113. Total, 1572.

The Catholic and Washington schools have gone one hundred per cent.

ALLEGAN'S ORATORS JUDGED WINNERS IN SUB-DISTRICT MEET

Plainwell, March 28.—Allegan high school took first honors in both the oratorical and declamatory branches of the subdistrict public speaking contests held here Friday. The subdistrict comprises Allegan, Ottawa and Barry counties.

First place in the declamation branch went to Miss Lucy Haygreaves of Allegan, Miss Veda Hosler of Otsego being given second place. Miss Hanna Didrickson of Allegan was awarded first honors in the oratorical branch and Miss Marie Bouwman of Zeeland second. Miss Didrickson and Miss Haygreaves will represent the division in the state contest.

R. W. Ward, superintendent of schools at Otsego, was chairman of the contests. The judges were Prof. W. C. Gates, Arthur Larsen and Eaton Cole, all of the public speaking department of Western State Normal college, Kalamazoo.

WAS ARRESTED ON NON-SUPPORT CHARGE

Gerrit Zwiers was arrested Friday in Sturgis by Deputy Egbert Beekman on the charge of failing to support his children who live in Holland. Zwiers was brought to Holland and was arraigned before Justice Wm. Brusse Saturday morning. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was placed on probation when he promised to pay up and support his children. No fine was imposed.

The state speed limit of 35 miles per hour on state trunkline highways would be done away with by provisions of a bill introduced Thursday by Sen. James C. Quinlan of Grand Rapids. The bill will place in the hands of the commissioner of public safety the authority to plan and execute all traffic laws for trunklines outside of city and village limits. Recklessness would be the gauge of law violation and no definite speed limit would be set, the measure provides.

IMPORTANT BUSI- NESS DEAL MADE ON FRIDAY

An important business deal was made Friday afternoon in Holland when G. H. Koelker of Fennville became the owner of the Main Street garage. Mr. Koelker, who is a cousin of John and Joe Koelker of Holland, is well known here, he having been the owner of the Ford Agency in Fennville for six or seven years.

He will rename the garage in Holland the Oakland Sales and Service and in addition to the Oakland agency he will carry a full line of Oakland accessories, tires, etc., and will be prepared to give complete Oakland service such as Oakland owners will highly appreciate. Mr. Koelker will bring his family to Holland in the near future to make their home here.

The Main Street Garage was owned by John Lemmen who expects to soon leave for the west. Norman Cobb who has been in charge of the sales department for the last year will remain with the new firm in the same position and Jacob Davidson will remain as the mechanic. Mr. Koelker expects to double the capacity of his garage in the near future.

EVIDENTLY KNEW THEIR BUSINESS


That the burglars who entered the Model Drug Store and also the Rexall Drug Store were slick propositions is evident from the fact that when prying open the fountain pen cases which were locked they used a specially made lever that did scarcely any damage to the case prying it just enough so that the lock would slip. After taking out the fountain pens they relocked the case leaving it as if nothing had happened with the exception that \$500 in pens had gone. It was evident that after prying open the front door the burglars closed it again, put back the door plate, inserted the lock in order to fool an officer that might have tried the door. In the meantime they left the back door open for a quick getaway, for it is by this door that the burglars departed.

AUXILIARY HERE TO TRY TO GET AN EMBLEM

Mrs. George Pelgrim of Holland is president of the fifth district unit of the Auxiliary of the American Legion and by virtue of her office she is a member of the board of directors of the state department of the Auxiliary. She has been appointed by the state president as director of emblems and at the last fifth district meeting it was found that no unit in this district as yet possesses an emblem, flag or banner of its own.

In view of this fact the Holland Auxiliary will make an attempt to be the first in the district to possess such an emblem or banner. The local unit will try to get this before Memorial day so that at the next board meeting of the district Mrs. Pelgrim, as past president of the Holland organization, can announce that Holland is the first.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Dreyer of Harderwyk announce the marriage of their daughter Miss Alice to Mr. Henry R. De Weerd Tuesday, March 31.



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BALTIMORE

PAPERS PLAY UP
JIM POPPEN

The Baltimore News is playing Jimmy Poppen of Holland up strong, giving the local boy a column write-up with his picture thrown in. Roger H. Pippen, sport editor of the Baltimore News, sends in the following report to his paper from Eustis, Fla.:

"James Poppen, from Holland, Mich., is the sole survivor of the brand-new pitching recruits brought to Florida with the Orioles. Of the others Lefty Batson stepped out of a job when he took his matrimonial leap and George Mullowney and Clarence Churn were shipped out failing to show Manager Jack Dunn enough ability to convince him that he should continue paying for their strawberry shortcake at the Fountain Inn Hotel.

"It is interesting to note that the lone rookie left in camp is as mild, modest and retiring as any athlete who ever attempted to make the Oriole. His performance here has killed the assumption that a ball player must battle his way to recognition by boastful language, chesty walk and general rough-and-ready air.

"Coming down on the train from Baltimore, Poppen, who stands 6 feet 3 and who weighs 180 pounds, was hardly noticed. The first three or four days in camp he worked out quietly, attracting little or no attention. A few days ago, when Manager Dunn had about decided Poppen didn't have a lot on the ball, the lad from Michigan began to show some speed.

"Willing and anxious to learn and hustling every minute he was on the diamond, the meek recruit made a hit with his boss by his ambition and energy. In yesterday's losing game with Milwaukee he gave some concrete evidence that he has a good chance to win a regular berth and will surely see Baltimore.

"Slim Jim, who is built along the same lines as Rube Parnham, went to the hill in the seventh inning and held the Brewers without a run until the end of the game, fanning four and allowing only one hit. This bingle was a slow roller down third, which Erie beat out.

"He showed a sweeping curve which had the Milwaukee boys guessing.

"Before reporting this spring, Slim Jim wrote me a letter from his home in Michigan which closed with a paragraph very characteristic of the lad. This is what Poppen wrote me:

"I know Baltimore has a fast club and I shall do my best to fit in. I shall probably find it hard, for I have never had any professional experience. That, however, will be another incentive for me to work hard."

"Dunn says Poppen is the only recruit who has shown anything worth considering. He is so impressed with Jim he feels he has a chance to win some games in the championship race.

"Poppen, who is 21 years old, hurled in the Middle West for Hope college, Holland Independents and a traveling team called the Howlett Clowns of Detroit. His work yesterday was the one bright spot in Baltimore's fifth straight defeat."

GRAND HAVEN TO HAVE BIG PAVILION ON WATER FRONT

Nathaniel Robbins of Grand Haven, Michigan, announced Saturday that he decided to convert a portion of his water front property into a fine dancing pavilion. Mr. Robbins is now completing plans for converting his large warehouse on Water street between Clinton and Lafayette streets into one of the most attractive dancing pavilions and amusement places on the entire shore.

The new pavilion will be 100 feet by 40 feet and will be modernly equipped for dancing and amusement. He has already engaged an architect who is working on the plans for making the building most attractive both on the interior and exterior. The owner expects to have one of the finest dancing floors in the entire resort region.

The building of the pavilion will add much to the river front section of Grand Haven and will be most conveniently located to carlines besides being on one of the most prominent routes to the lake. Work will be started within a very short time and the pavilion will be ready for opening this season.

FIVE SEMINARIANS HAVE PULPITS TO FILL IN JUNE

Although the school year at Western seminary does not close until the second week in May five members of the class of 1925 already have accepted promise of calls to vacant churches in the Reformed Church in America. The men who have selected their fields are: Martin R. De Haan of Holland to Calvary church, Grand Rapids; Justin H. Hoffman of Hamilton to Danforth, Ill.; Richard Roozeboom to Sioux Center, Ia. to Ebenezer, Holland; Abraham Rynbrandt of Jamestown to Johnstown, N. Y.; Edward H. Tanis, Hamilton, to Eighth, Holland; Garrett E. De Jong of Orange City, Ia., is considering a call to Martin, in Allegan county.

Dies Sunday Night at The Age of 71 Years

Mrs. Klaas Lappinga, aged 71 years, died Sunday night at her home on 32nd street. She is survived by her husband and six children: Mrs. Joe Kinger and Mrs. W. Freeman of Muskegon, Henry Assink of West Olive, Mrs. G. Ver Hoef and Bert Assink of Holland, and John Assink of West Olive.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Ver Hoef, 67 West 12th street, Rev. J. M. Vander Kieft officiating. Interment was in the Holland cemetery.

MUSKEGON HAS

SPICY LOVE SUIT
IN THE COURT

A suitcase filled with love letters written in the last 13 years was introduced Saturday in circuit court at Muskegon by Dora Brown, who is suing her former employer, J. Fred Boyd, for \$15,000, alleging breach of promise.

Boyd is a prominent business man in Muskegon and is unmarried. The letters, alleged to have been written to Miss Brown by Boyd, were couched in endearing terms. One, in which he spoke of his "heart throbs", follows:

"My Dear Dora: Dearest, it has been terribly lonesome without you this morning and I have wanted to run to see you, but have hesitated about doing it for fear you didn't care to see me. Dora, I wish I were in a position to say to you all I want to, but I can't put my heart throbs into words. If you will, I wish you would send me word as to whether or not you care to see me this afternoon. I won't have a chance to run up tonight. Lovingly, Fred."

Miss Brown testified she and Boyd went on weekend excursions together. She helped him struggle up in his business, often working in the office with him until 2 a. m., she said.

FORMER HOLLAND WOMAN SUBMITS TO OPERATION

Mrs. Ray Poppe of Charlotte, former Holland resident, underwent a serious operation last Monday and is under the care of a trained nurse. Her condition is reported as favorable. The operation was performed at her home, 203 Prairie street, Charlotte. Before her marriage she was Miss Mae Bouwman.

Wm. ALDEN SMITH CELEBRATES WITH THE ISLE OF CUBA

Had former Senator William Alden Smith and Mrs. Smith of Michigan, remained in Palm Beach a few days longer they might have been in on the \$4,000,000 hotel fire at Palm Beach, Florida. They left the "Breakers" just in time, for two days afterwards its destruction took place.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith sailed for Cuba last Sunday and arrived at Havana in time for a great fete, the celebrating of the Hay-Quesada treaty validating Cuba's title to the Isle of Pines, made possible by the United States government.

According to a cablegram, Mr. Smith took a prominent part in the doings at Havana. One of the features was a great parade and it is stated that the celebration took a "romantic turn" when the procession headed by Gen. Crowder, ambassador to Cuba, and President Zayas of Cuba, turned toward the monument erected in honor of the late Cuban leader Gonzalo de Quesada. Mrs. Quesada accompanied by Sen. and Mrs. Smith received the presidential party at the foot of the monument where it was showered with flowers and flags, "Tenderness and enthusiasm", according to the newspapers, "were everywhere in evidence."

The Hay-Quesada treaty has been pending for ratification in the U. S. senate for 20 years. It is the treaty confirming Cuba's title to the Isle of Pines. Although supported by every president since McKinley, it always has met senate obstruction until last week, when it was finally ratified. While a member of the senate's committee on foreign relations (of which he now would be chairman if he had remained in public life), Sen. Smith repeatedly voted for the treaty. Wednesday's big celebration in Havana was in recognition of this event.

CLASSIS TO MEET IN ZEELAND

Dr. J. E. Kuizenga has been booked for an address at the evening session of the classis of Holland, which convenes in 2nd Reformed church at Zeeland on April 7. Dr. Kuizenga will speak on, "The Pillar and Ground of Truth."

Twenty-four classes in the denomination will hold their annual spring sessions within a month. These classes cover the entire field of the church from Alberta, Canada, in the extreme west, to New York in the east.

Each classical group will elect delegates to its respective synod with which it is affiliated and every classis will elect its proportionate number of delegates to the general synod which this year will convene at Ashtabula, May 5; Iowa, May 6.

The synods this year will meet as follows: New York, May 4; Albany, May 7; Chicago, May 6; New Brunswick Park, N. J.

CUPID AIDS CHINESE GIRLS IN EDUCATION

Education for women, one of the most revolutionary changes in modern China, was brought about as the result of one of Cupid's tricks, according to Miss Yuchih Sullivan, the first Chinese girl ever to enroll as a student at Kalamazoo College.

"Government schools have been opened to girls in recent years, and parents implore the missionary schools to take their daughters, just the reverse of the situation 20 years ago," says Miss Sullivan. "The change has been brought about by the education of Chinese boys in American schools. When the Chinese youth returned from America, laden with the new knowledge, he could not be satisfied with a wife that knew nothing of his world. Hence, the girl brought up in the mission school became the sought-for bride."

"You do not see Chinese women and girls with bound feet in the coast cities," said Miss Yuchih, discussing the social customs of her native country. "But in the interior the custom is still virtually universal. Missionaries have waged a hard fight against the cruel custom, but without much success except in the port open to the commerce of the Occidental world. Four or five of the 20 Chinese girls at the University of Michigan have bobbed their hair, but the bob is still a rarity in China."

"The Chinese have adopted American clothes, American education, and, alas, American cigarettes; but they still eat with chopsticks."

PAPER TELLS

ALL ABOUT
HOPE COLLEGE

Under the title, "Hope College Spirit," the Christian Intelligencer this week has the following article:

Interest in Hope college, the Reformed Church institution at Holland, Mich., has been decidedly stimulated throughout the Eastern Churches by the recent tour of the Hope College Girls' Glee club. Many members of our church in the East have known comparatively little about Hope, its students, its scholarship and its spirit, and have had but little opportunity to acquire first-hand knowledge. The visit of the Glee Club has presented such an opportunity and wherever the girls have sung, one now hears the question, "What kind of a college is Hope?" or "Can't you tell us something more about it?"

Hope college, the largest educational institution of the Reformed church in America, is located at Holland, Mich., in a district in which our denomination is very strong. Its enrollment during the past year approached 650, the students coming from Iowa, the Dakotas, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, New York and New Jersey, as well as from foreign lands where our church is represented on the mission field. The students come for the most part from splendid Christian homes, where they have been prepared for their college training by parents who realize the value of the smaller denominational school. It has always been the aim of those who administer the affairs of the college that tuition and fees shall be kept as low as possible, in order that an education at Hope may not be prohibitive. As a result we find students whose parents are well able to send them through college, others who find it necessary to earn a part of their expenses and still others who are compelled to finance their own way completely. The faculty and business friends of the students co-operate in finding positions which the young men and women may fill during their spare hours. Therefore any one who is really eager to secure college training and who is willing to work, need not give up the idea of an education because of financial considerations.

Scholarship at Hope has always been high. The authorities have realized that only the highest standards can adequately prepare men and women for religious and social leadership. They have done all in their power to provide a broad and liberal curriculum to guide the students wisely in their choice of courses and to stimulate earnest and thorough

work. And the students have been eager to utilize their privileges. Consequently Hope is recognized everywhere by the larger schools; its students receive splendid scholarships; its graduates acquire worth-while positions, its alumni rank high in the religious, medical, political and educational world.

Leading authorities on education are stressing, as they have never done before, religious education. They agree that training in the home should be supplemented by the Sunday school and by the day school of religious education; and that such training followed by work at an institution of higher learning at which a religious environment is provided, is indeed a privilege. Hope college certainly furnishes such an environment. It is not forced upon the students, but it can not help but permeate the entire atmosphere, and it has its effect. The Hope men and women realize the true value of "first things first." The student Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. are active organizations which promote a religious and a social interest in a most effective way.

The social life at Hope is by no means a negligible factor. There are seven literary societies, which aim to further the literary and social life of the members. There are all the worth while sports: there is skating in winter, boating in spring and fall, hiking over the sand hills and through the woods that border Lake Michigan. In fact the opportunities for genuine recreation and enjoyment are as numerous as one could desire and they are not neglected. The student body consists of young people who thoroughly enjoy all the pleasures that college life affords but who, at the same time, are interested in the business of living and are eagerly training themselves to meet the demands of that business.

And now what of the Hope spirit? It is a thing that is very, very real to any one who has ever attended or visited Hope, but it is a thing most difficult to describe in words. It is that loyal, sincere co-operation which makes friendships that time and distance can never break. It is that kindly interest in one another that effaces all question of rank or class and makes it possible for the student, poorest in things of this world, to become a leader of his fellows. It is that keen judgment and steady perseverance and determination that enables men and women to rank first in contests or oratory, that sends workers into all corners of the earth eager to prove that they have been worthy of their privileges and are ready to share them with others. It is that spirit of unity which can characterize a group of students who are only one college where every one knows every one else and where all are bound by the love of

our Lord and His Kingdom. It is an undying loyalty, not only to each other, to the faculty and to the school, but also to the things which are really worth while in life, which

accounts for this unique spirit of fraternity, "The Spirit of Hope."

Mr. M. A. Clark is confined to his home with illness.

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Wheat, No. 1, red	1.46
Corn	1.10
Oats	.50
Rye	.84
Oil Meal	49.00
Cracked Corn	52.00
St. Car Feed	53.00
No. 1 Feed	63.00
Scratch Feed	51.00
Dairy Feed 24%	46.00
Hog Feed	51.00
Corn Meal	40.00
Screenings	34.00
Low Grade Flour	53.00
Gluten Feed	52.00
Red Dog	53.00
Cotton Seed Meal 36%	55.00
Middlings	40.00
Pork	15 1/2-16 1/2
Beef	11-13
Eggs	.24
Creamery Butter	.44
Dairy Butter	.39

LOCAL

John C. Robart, father-in-law of Alderman James A. Drinkwater has returned to his home in Pullman, after spending the winter as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Drinkwater.

President Butterfield, of M. A. C., points out that this college, founded in 1857, was the first real agricultural college in the United States. It dates clear back to the time when farmers didn't know any better than to think they were just farming.

Several men have been soliciting Kent County for orders for a new brand of tonic which was found to contain 15 per cent of alcohol. The tonic is regarded as a good temperance medicine, since it is guaranteed to cure any one of the half-of-one per cent liquor habit.

The following election inspectors were appointed Wednesday night by the common council for the election next Monday: First ward, Simon Kleyn; second, Frank Stansbury; third, Chas. Van Duren; 4th, Wm. Lawrence; fifth, Fred Yonkman, sixth, Gerrit Vander Hill.

Rev. Visser of the Wesleyan Methodist church, Cor. Pine and 17th st., will speak Sunday morning at 10:30 from the subject "Pilgrims" and in the evening at 7:30 from the subject, "Sin and Some of its Results As Seen In Jackson State Prison." The public is cordially invited. Special music.

Dennis O'Brien, for many years a member of the police department of Benton Harbor and for several years chief of that department, and a member of a pioneer Grand Haven family, died last Friday at his home in Benton Harbor. The remains were brought to Grand Haven Tuesday for burial in Lake Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zietlow, prominent residents of Grand Haven for several decades will quietly celebrate their golden wedding anniversary at their home today in company with a few friends and relatives. With their respective families, Mr. and Mrs. Zietlow came to Grand Haven when children and have resided there since. They have a wide circle of friends.

Among the students of Spring Lake home from the various colleges for the spring vacation are: Fred Zuidema, Herman Honholt, Cecelia Babcock, Margaret Prince, Bessie Schukelair, Florence Klouw, Dorothy Mulder. Joshua Hogeboom of Hope College was the week end guest of Miss Florence Klouw and Miss Mildred Weebinga and Grace McCarroll of Hope College are spending the week with Miss Dorothy Mulder.—Grand Haven Tribune.

The Holland theater is to put on a unique feature Saturday which will attract considerable attention. Mr. Howard Lane, manager, has engaged eight vaudeville girls from Grand Rapids, educated in the Ollie Wood School of aesthetic dancing. These eight beauties are said to be the best ever turned out in the Furniture City, and no doubt a representative audience will greet the young ladies on Saturday night when they appear for the first time before a Holland audience. The management have put these young people on as an extra special.

MILLINERY NEWS

Our stock of millinery is at its best now and selling fast. There is a reason. New and beautiful hats arriving daily. We give special attention to correct fitting to those desiring make over or retrim work done, we suggest that you bring hats in as early in the week as possible.

Hats for young and old.
Mrs. G. Warren,
314-18 Successor to Mrs. M. Fox.

Herman Brower was appointed administrator of the estate of Chester Johnson who died last December. The appointment was made at the request of Mrs. Mahe E. Hanna, sister of the deceased.

A cur of farm implements has arrived for Harry Lampen the local merchant.

Jacob Eding who is putting up a new garage has just received a carload of Brick from Brazil, Ind., to be used in the front of the building. A car of cement has also been received.

A regular Moses is John Illg of Hamilton when it comes to bringing water where it aint. The pump of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stankey had been Volstead for some time and no one seemed to be able to bring moisture to the surface. John took a peep into the pump, which by the way is driven 50 feet toward China. He did something to it faith knows what and the water gushed forth to the wonderment of the entire neighborhood.

Illg is now dubbed the water magician.

Benj. LaBarge who is over 80 years old is the first Hamiltonian to plant his garden. Onion is LaBarge's favorite vegetable.

Owing to a washout in the flume and to the displacement of the wire conveying the electric current from the dynamo in the powerhouse to the motor at the gristmill on the opposite side of the river, the Kolvord millling company will be entirely dependent for power on their oil motor until repairs can be made to the flume and the power line.

Wm. TenBrink took a half holiday to go to Grand Rapids one day last week, and to the surprise of his fellow-townsmen, he drove home a new sedan.

Owing to the derailment at Dunningville, last week Monday morning, Tuesday morning's mail from Holland was brought to Hamilton by John Kronemeyer, carrier on route No. 2, and the mail for Dunningville was brought by Floyd Hitchcock, carrier on that route.

The two plays one given some time ago by members of the Woman's Adult Bible class and the ladies' missionary society of the American Reformed, and another last Tuesday week have both been indefinitely postponed owing to the illness of Mrs. George Schutmaat, which made it impossible for Mr. Schutmaat, who had a leading part to be present.

Christopher Siple, father of Roy Siple of this village, died in his home in Kalamazoo. The body was brought to Hamilton by Undertaker TenBrink. Mr. Siple was nearly seventy-two years of age. For the past five or six years he had resided in Kalamazoo where he was engaged in the grocery and bakery business. A number of years ago he resided in Hamilton and was for a time the village postmaster. The funeral service were held last week Wednesday afternoon from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Siple.

Hamilton schools will close this week Friday for spring vacation of a week.

Don't forget the high school play the evenings of Thursday and Friday of this week. The play is a three-act comedy "Mrs. Tubbs of Shantytown."

Following is synopsis of scenes. Act I, Mrs. Tubbs' frontroom: Shadows in Shantytown. Act II, Same scene a month later. Mr. Rubbles comes. Thanksgiving day. Sunshine in Shantytown. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Vander Kolk—a son, Dr. P. H. Fisher of-lectating.

Milo Slotman an employee at the Veneklaas Brick Co. was severely injured when a car used for hauling clay from the pit ran over his leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Siple has the job of re-decorating and painting the First Reformed church of Hamilton. Mrs. Siple is as handy with the brush as is her husband and has aided him with several other jobs including the refinishing of the American Ref. church some time ago.

Mr. E. A. Pinney of Grand Rapids, called at the Hamilton schools Monday and gave the pupils a very interesting demonstration of the Palmer method of handwriting, proving at the same time his own expertness in the art of penmanship.

No doubt some of the residents of the village have been wondering what those hideous noises are that are heard along about seven o'clock P. M. Tuesday evenings. Well, there is no cause for alarm, for it is only the newly organized school orchestra trying to play a tune.

The Vos sisters, students in the Holland high school, were visitors in our high room Monday.

NEW GRONINGEN

Mrs. E. Boone spent the last week visiting relatives in Grand Rapids.

The New Groningen Parent-Teachers' Association held its second meeting at the schoolhouse Friday evening, March 27th at 7:30 o'clock. An interesting program had been arranged and there was a good turnout.

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Two pairs knickers; made to our own exacting specifications. Sizes 6 to 18 years. Remarkable values at—

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We are not yet giving them away but on a lot of articles it's the next thing to it.

We have only a short time left to dispose of the balance of our stock. WHY DON'T YOU GET YOUR SHARE AND SAVE MONEY?

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A REAL CAR

INCREASES in sales, unprecedented in the history of the Nordyke & Marmon Company, were revealed recently in a survey of the volume of sales in Marmon dealer establishments throughout the country for the months of December, 1924 and January 1925 as compared with the same two months last year, according to Holland Hudson Essex Co., local Marmon dealer. The results of the survey bear out with added force the recent statement of G. M. Williams, president of the company, that Marmon will enjoy the greatest volume of business in its history in 1925.

The survey was conducted following the receipt of numerous telegrams from dealers, telling of increases in sales for December and January which, in many cases were two or three times as great as sales made in the same period of time last year. The investigation revealed for instance, that sales in Albany have increased 325 per cent; sales in Boston have increased 353.3 per cent; sales in Buffalo have increased 320 per cent; sales in Indianapolis have increased 366.7 per cent; sales in New York have increased 136.6 per cent; sales in Washington have increased 250 per cent; sales in Detroit have increased 118.8 per cent etc. Practically every Marmon dealer in the United States has reported an increase in sales volume over last year.

Factory shipments also have increased astoundingly and the factory now is practically at the peak of production. The three models of the standard line—the five and seven-passenger sedans and the four-door Brougham-Coupe, still are leading in popularity although in the last few days there has been a steady demand for cars of the deluxe type and particularly for the roadster and Coupe de luxe.

The success of the new Marmon is largely attributable to beauty of body design as it is revealed in the enclosed cars. Closed cars will be more in demand than any other types in 1925, in the opinion of Mr. Ed. Leeuw of the Holland Hudson Essex Co.

"This is a closed car year," he says. "The closed car has brought about a revolution in the motor car trade. In three years the possession of an open car will be a mark of wealth, for only the wealth can afford cars of both types. Most of the open cars to be built from now on will be sport models."

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LOCAL HARBOR APPEARS IN THE REPORT

At present there are 13 harbors on the east shore of Lake Michigan which benefit by the annual rivers and harbors appropriation. Funds provided under this bill pay for the dredging, bulking of piers and repairing of breakwaters, one by the U. S. engineering department each season. The department measures its services to each harbor by the sum of money available for use and by the bulk of traffic which passes in and out of each harbor during the year.

An analysis of the water-borne commerce to harbors on the east shore made by L. W. Goddard, local U. S. engineer, shows that the yearly average tonnage passed through the three car ferry harbors over a five-year period from 1919 to 1923, to be approximately six times as great as the total yearly average of eight next important harbors.

Grand Haven, Frankfort and Ludington are the three car ferry harbors. During the calendar year of 1923 there were 5,194,379 short tons of freight carried through these three harbors, having a value of \$501,392,710. The eight harbors next in importance carried a total of 809,873 short tons, having a value of \$72,691,710. The total monthly arrivals of car ferries at the three first named harbors during 1923 varied from a minimum of 312 to a maximum of 395. There were 372 arrivals during the month of February, 1925. The number of departures is the same as the number of arrivals.

The relative importance of the harbors referred to above is shown by Mr. Goddard's compilation of statistics, taken from the annual report of the chief of engineers, U. S. army. The names of the harbors, the yearly average from 1919 to 1923, the tonnage carried in 1923, the value of the 1923 tonnage, and the number of passengers in 1923 are as follows:

Ludington—Averaged 2,191.88 tons; 2,734,199 tons in 1923, valued at \$165,677,050, and 28,505 passengers.

Frankfort—Averaged 1,375,736 tons; 1,553,320 tons in 1923, valued at \$150,724,460, and 11,195 passengers.

Grand Haven—Averaged 738,441 tons; 906,940 tons in 1923, valued at \$184,991,200, and 31,533 passengers.

Muskegon—Averaged 287,748 tons; 424,736 tons in 1923, valued at \$39,565,830, and 86,551 passengers.

St. Joseph—Averaged 116,583 tons; 146,449 tons in 1923, valued at \$13,164,600, and 214,967 passengers.

Charlevoix—Averaged 60,218 tons; 66,449 tons in 1923, valued at \$881,570, and 5,023 passengers.

Holland—Averaged 47,200 tons; 86,388 tons in 1923, valued at \$12,917,500 and 3,736 passengers.

Manistee—Averaged 40,727 tons; 39,404 tons in 1923, valued at \$1,764,960, and 8,674 passengers.

South Haven—Averaged 19,584 tons; 15,499 tons in 1923, valued at \$2,499,600, and 73,235 passengers.

Saugatuck—Averaged 8,243 tons; 12,985 tons in 1923, valued at \$1,769,270, and 16,529 passengers.

White Lake—Averaged 7,701 tons; 17,913 tons in 1923, valued at \$128,380, and 14,018 passengers.

Such information is a main factor in determining the amount of work to be done by the federal government in each harbor. Contrasts in the value of freight as well as in its bulk, seasonal variations in traffic, and temporary depressions because of poor crops and other failings must all be considered.

TO DISCONTINUE HARBOR LIGHT AT MILWAUKEE

About April 1, 1925, Milwaukee Breakwater light will be discontinued to permit further construction work on the southeastern arm of Milwaukee Breakwater. On the same date, Milwaukee Breakwater Construction Gas Buoys 2 will be replaced on its station.

FREMONT BOY PROVES BE RING SENSATION

Emmett Curtis, 16-year-old Fremont high school boy, proved the sensation of the Ninth District Amateur boxing tournament in Muskegon.

Curtis, a middleweight, was the class of the tournament, which included 120 fighters. He won every contest by a knockout in less than one round. Curtis is a freshman in the Fremont high school, and they say that in addition to being a star athlete, he is also an excellent student.

Like Young Strubling, Curtis is trained by his father, who is an acrobat. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis and the sons are all acrobats and have appeared at their home town in entertainments. But young Curtis has no idea of turning professional, or at least not until he finishes his school work.

GRAND TRUNK RY. IS BUILDING NEW TRUCK LOAD DOCK

The Grand Trunk Railway is making a great improvement at their freight shed at Grand Haven to accommodate the great increase in traffic to the wharf, caused by the Peninsula and Northern Navigation company's success in popularizing the "short cut route" across Lake Michigan.

The old loading dock was cut out and a cinder drive has been constructed so that the floor bodies of trucks arriving to bring or take away freight, will be level with the loading platform. Later the cinder drive is to be concrete so that modern loading facilities will be available.

TO HAVE A NEW ONE-HALF CENT POSTAGE STAMP

A profile of Nathan Hale, Revolutionary War hero hanged as a spy by the British in 1776, whose last words were, "I only regret that I have but one life to lose for my country," has been selected by Postmaster General New to adorn the new one-half cent postage stamp. The profile of Hale was taken for the statue now standing on the Yale University campus grounds. The one-half cent stamp will make the present supply of one-cent stamps and stamped envelopes available for utilization on third class mail.

GRADUATES GET GOOD POSITIONS

Holland Business College graduated its first students in 1925 and March 15th when a class in stenography and secretarial training completed its work.

All the members of the class immediately obtained positions with local business concerns. Miss Ruby Mannes is employed by the Peoples State bank as stenographer. Miss Wilmette Kuite occupies a position with the Holland Mail Co., and Miss Betty De Fouw accepted a position with the Dunn Mfg. Co.

Since last September the demand for graduates has been so strong that the school was unable to supply the students for all the applications received. The day of opportunity for the ambitious young man or woman who is not afraid of work is still here.

MICHIGAN SENATE GETS BILL TO CURB ERECTION OF "GAS" STATIONS

A bill which would prohibit the erection of gasoline stations in certain residential districts was introduced in the senate Thursday by Sen. Harvey Penney of Saginaw.

Under the provision of the bill it would be unlawful to erect such a building in any city of more than 50,000 or less than 100,000 population on any site where 80 per cent of the buildings within a radius of 400 feet were used for residential purposes. Permission to erect such a station could only be granted by consent of 90 per cent of the property owners in the district.

ZEELAND PAPER HAS A BOOST FOR SEW. AGE DISPOSAL PLAN

Zeeland Record—The election for April 6th at Holland will primarily center on the bonding question which proposes to bond Holland City for some two hundred thousand dollars with which to erect a sewage disposal plant. For many years it has been dumping its sewage into Black lake, but of late years the state has stepped in and ordered a discontinuance of the practice. Whether the proposition will carry remains to be seen. Wisdom says it should long since have been done.

SAYS HOLLAND SHOULD BUY LAKESIDE PARK

Speaking of the suggestion made recently by Ray E. Nies that Ottawa county buy a park site on the shore of Lake Michigan, the Grand Haven Tribune says:

"One cannot find fault with the suggestion of the writer of the article that the county of Ottawa purchase some lake shore land for park purposes. It might be a very good thing for Ottawa county to acquire some territory on the shore of Lake Michigan. Every county bordering on the shores of Lake Michigan should have a bit of public land on its waterfront devoted to recreation and pleasure of the public. There is land in Ottawa right now which might be secured now at a fairly low price and devoted to this purpose, but this will not long be the case.

"However, if the people of Holland City want to be certain of having a lake front park right at their doorway, it would be advisable for them not to depend upon the county of Ottawa to buy it for them. Their only sure way of getting a lake front park of their own is to support a plan authorizing the Holland city council to buy the property and devote it to public purpose. The people of Holland will find a lot more satisfaction in doing that for the general public, than in depending upon the county to furnish them with a recreation place.

"Holland City will get farther by going after the park for itself, buying land, if there is any available, and setting it aside for park purposes. The cost of equipping it for picnics will not be great and a custodian could not doubt be secured by permitting him to handle the refreshment concessions on the ground. Holland people will find this much more desirable than if they depend upon some one else to furnish them their recreation spaces.

"A park on the lake shore owned by the city of Holland, would be open to the whole public, of course. Tourists, people from all sections of the county would of course, be at liberty to use it. It would be a fine thing for the people of Holland would not alone benefit its own people but a great many others as well.

"Grand Haven has a state park on the lake shore within the city limits. Thousands have found pleasure there since it was opened and dedicated to the use of all the people. Perhaps there are some folks in Holland who have a mistaken idea as to how this park was secured. It was not given to Grand Haven by the state of Michigan. The city of Grand Haven purchased this stretch of lake shore land and turned it over to the state under the express provision that it be made a state park and be devoted to the pleasure of the public forever. Had not the state readily accepted the provision the city of Grand Haven was prepared to begin the immediate development of a public playground and recreation space on that same tract.

"The lake front park is going to be more and more important as time goes on. Holland people will do well to act for themselves in the matter—and without much delay."

Stressing the dangers surrounding youthful country girls in a city like Muskegon, Circuit Judge Vanderwerf directed Mrs. Myrtle Pinder to seek the advice of Mrs. Sarah McVeigh, police matron, in caring for her four daughters after having granted her a divorce from James C. Pinder, prominent Oceana county farmer, there Thursday. Mrs. Pinder was given the custody of the daughters by the court. She held that they had been forced to work in the fields by her farmer-husband.

MAYOR GIVES FACTS ABOUT SEWAGE PLAN

Mayor N. Kammeraad, in the double capacity as mayor of Holland and as a member of the special sewage disposal commission, is today addressing a message to the people of Holland giving them the facts about the sewage disposal problem on which the people are to vote on the first Monday in April. The mayor has confined himself strictly to facts believing that the facts are so eloquent in themselves that all that is needed is to tell the people what the sewage disposal problem is and they will vote right on the question. The mayor says:

"Editor of the News:—Whereas our citizens are to vote in April on bonding the city for a sewage disposal plant, I think it will be well to give the people somewhat of an idea what the conditions are.

"Holland has 2.3 miles of sewers, with two outlets, one at the end of West 12th street emptying into Black lake and the other at North Central avenue. The Twelfth street outlet is about 300 feet from where our children go to bathe in summer. If I have been correctly informed, last summer about 300 boys and girls were on many days taking advantage of Kollen park for bathing purposes. The city has put up a bath house in that park for the convenience of the children, and a man is employed as a supervisor. This bathing place is near the Twelfth street outlet.

The Central avenue outlet is in bad condition. The result is that part of the sewage spreads over the swamp and part reaches the river. This gives a very unpleasant odor for our north end people and is very unsatisfactory. Both outlets pollute the lake.

The state has called our attention to these things with the request that we put in a sewage disposal plant and has given notice to the common council to get busy. In answer to this notice from the state and the complaints of the people the common council about a year ago authorized Mayor E. P. Stephan to appoint a commission which was made up as follows:—Chas. Kirchen, Dr. A. Leenhouts, Jaa. De Young, G. M. Laepple, Frank Brive, Peter Damstra, Simon Kleyrn, M. Vande Water, and myself.

This commission worked many months to get a good plan for as small an amount as possible. With the able assistance of Mr. Kirchen and Mr. DeYoung the commission has worked out a plan that will give us a plant to take care of at least a population of from 50,000 to 75,000 at an estimated cost of \$195,000. Before the commission finally adopted the plan it was submitted to the state department of health for its approval.

The plan is as follows: To discontinue the Twelfth street outlet, build a new sewer on 11th street to Pine avenue, on Pine north to Sixth street, east to Central avenue, connect 12th street outlet to the new 11th street sewer by gravity. The plant will be built between Second and Third streets on the edge of the marsh.

The commission has cut out all it could without doing any damage to the plant itself. The citizens practically have no choice in the matter of a plant or not. The state is busy now framing a bill to stop all pollution of streams. And if the bond issue is not carried the common council may be compelled by the state to resubmit it in the near future.

"I hope these few lines may be of some service to our citizens and may throw some light on the subject.

"Respectfully submitted,

"NICK KAMMERAAD."

REV. CORNELIUS VRIESMAN SUCCEEDS AT MUSKEGON

Rev. Cornelius Vriesman, former Christian Reformed church minister, died Thursday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Thomas Wierenga, at Muskegon after a 6 months' illness. Rev. Vriesman was 47 years old. Meningitis was the cause of death. Rev. Vriesman had been in the ministry for 17 years, having served in East Paris as his first charge. He was a member of the mission board for many years and had served on the board of director of Calvin College and Theological school.

The widow who survives, was formerly Miss Grace Daverman of Grand Rapids. Funeral services were held from Bethany Reformed church Muskegon, Friday Reformed church, directed by Rev. J. Dolfen, pastor, and Rev. H. J. Mulder, of Burton Heights Chr. Refd. church.

BAND CONCERT IS "BIG NOISE"

The Holland American Legion band concert is the big noise from now till April 10 when the band will put on one of its best concerts ever given in Holland.

The tickets are going fine and the band will no doubt be greeted with a full house. The reserved seat tickets, which are on sale at Hulzenga's, are going well and all those who wish a good seat are asked to make work of it at once. The concert will be given in the Carnegie Gym and there will be seats for all. All those who are lovers of music and are loyal supporters of your band should come out and boost. Tickets can be secured from any band man but get them early.

SPRING LAKE MAN DIES AT 80 YEARS

Frederick D. Nauman, aged 80, a resident of Spring Lake, died Thursday morning at the home of his niece, Mrs. M. Randall. Besides his niece a brother, Reuben, lives in East Straburg, Pa. Funeral services for Mr. Nauman will be held Saturday from the Randall home and burial was in the cemetery at Spring Lake. The Rev. Manchester, pastor of the Baptist church officiated at the funeral.

THURSDAY, APRIL 2

Annual Settlement

of the City of Holland

1924-1925

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

Gentlemen:—Your Committee on Ways and Means, directed by the rules of the Common Council to audit and settle the accounts of the Treasurer and other Officers of the city, respectfully submit that they have examined and audited said accounts; that they have compared in detail the books and vouchers of the City Treasurer with accounts as kept by the City Clerk and other officers of the city; that they have found such accounts and report correct, leaving a balance of Eighty-one thousand eight hundred forty-eight dollars and ninety-six cents (\$81,848.96), for which amount the City Treasurer has submitted certificates of the several local banks, herewith presented.

Respectfully submitted,

GERHARDT M. LAEPFLE,
ARIE VANDER HILL,
CHAS. DYKSTRA,

Committee.

Dated Holland, Michigan, March 16, 1925.

RECEIPTS

March 17, 1924, to March 16, 1925.

Funds	
General	\$ 5,152.78
General Street	4,416.90
Interest and Sinking	250.00
Hospital	17,187.42
Fire Department	150.00
Police	657.21
Health	497.65
Cemetery	4,819.96
Park	143.64
Library	3,420.50
General Sewer	752.60
Water	55,854.17
Light	224,506.24
Guarantee Deposit	10,758.78
Compulsory Sewer	561.36
Water Bonds, Series "N" Sinking	1,400.00
Sewer and Water Connection	27.88
Sinking	262.11
Compensation Insurance, B. P. W.	1,862.43
Pine Avenue Storm Sewer	6.00
Cemeteries and Parks Imp. and Perpetual Maintenance	412.75
College Avenue and E. Twentieth Special Street	40.00
Columbia Avenue Special Street	350.00
Fourteenth Street Special Street	13.00
Lincoln Avenue Paving	6,754.70
First Avenue Paving	5,104.47
Maple Avenue Paving	9,299.15
East Sixteenth Street Paving	4,191.65
Twenty-eighth Street Pumping Station Sewer	10,400.00
Armory Bonds Sinking	20,285.26
	\$389,538.56
General Taxes (Schedule No. 1)	163,542.90
Special Taxes (Schedule No. 2)	80,478.10
March 17, 1924—Balance on hand	81,828.42
	\$715,187.98

SCHEDULE NO. 1—RECEIPTS

General Tax Roll	
General Fund	\$ 20,200.00
Poor Fund	5,000.00
General Street Fund	38,500.00
Public Building Fund	500.00
Health Fund	4,300.00
Fire Dept. Fund	33,240.00
Police Fund	14,220.00
Library Fund	3,800.00
Park Fund	15,263.00
General Sewer Fund	5,763.00
Fire Alarm Fund	3,650.00
Hospital Fund	2,800.00
General Fund—Excess of Rolls	363.06
General Fund—Reassessed	272.70
City and School Taxes Delinquent	3,113.85
	\$150,985.61
City Treasurer's Collections	
Delinquent Real Estate Taxes	\$ 1,144.96
City and School Taxes, B. P. W.	10,965.00
Delinquent Personal Taxes	38.58
Tax Roll Fees	408.75
Total (See Statement of Receipts)	\$163,542.90

SCHEDULE NO. 2

Statement of Special Taxes

East Sixth Street Sewer	\$ 200.00
East Ninth and Garretson Street Paving	818.31
Seventh Street and Lincoln Avenue Paving	2,853.74
Ninth Street Paving	5,619.88
Columbia Avenue Special Street	6,126.05
Columbia Avenue Paving	3,929.82
College Ave. and E. 22nd St. Special Paving	4,323.75
College Ave. and E. 22nd St. Paving	2,871.77
Fourteenth Street Special Street	5,109.64
Fourteenth Street Paving	3,436.18
Fourth Street Sewer	32.06
North Central Avenue Special Street	743.32
North Central Avenue Paving	495.95
River Ave. and W. Seventeenth St. Special Street	914.36
River Ave. and W. Seventeenth St. Paving	2,171.43
Nineteenth Street Special Street	2,601.47
Nineteenth Street Paving	2,220.07
East Twenty-fourth Street Paving	1,644.35
Eighteenth Street G. & G.	596.31
Eighteenth Street Paving	123.47
West Twenty-first Street Sewer No. 2	224.82
South Lincoln Avenue Paving	297.13
Seventeenth Street Paving	365.54
Twenty-sixth Street Sewer	445.26
South River Avenue Special Street	538.56
South River Avenue Paving	288.61
Cherry Street Sewer	310.30
South Central Ave. and E. 20th St. Special Street	2,435.29
South Central Ave. and E. 20th St. Paving	1,603.75
West Seventeenth Street Sewer	125.12
West Sixteenth Street Sewer	315.00
West Nineteenth Street Special Street	353.28
West Eighteenth Street Paving No. 3	1,161.07
West Eighteenth Street G. & G. No. 2	324.37
West Eighteenth Street Paving No. 2	196.25
East Sixteenth Street Paving	516.17
First Avenue Paving	4,303.84
Maple Avenue Paving	3,690.58
Lincoln Avenue Paving	2,852.55
Twenty-eighth Street Pumping Station Sewer	2,778.76
Street Sprinkling	7,027.41
Delinquent Scavenger Bills	99.00
Compulsory Sewer Connections	3,115.60
Reassessed West Fourteenth Street Special Street	56.34
Reassessed West Fourteenth Street Paving	38.81
Reassessed S. Central Ave. & E. 20th St. Spec. St.	23.00
Reassessed S. Central Ave. & E. 20th St. Paving	14.19
Reassessed West Twenty-first Street Sewer No. 2	7.64
Reassessed Cherry Street Sewer	68.86
Reassessed Twenty-sixth Street Sewer	69.07
Total (See Statement of Receipts)	\$ 80,478.10

DISBURSEMENTS

Funds	
General	\$ 36,007.90
Poor	5,116.85
Street	51,514.81

Sprinkling	5,574.81
Public Building	2,000.00
Hospital	21,243.26
Fire Department	32,104.34
Police	15,400.80
Health	4,497.94
Cemetery	3,620.80
Park	17,433.95
Library	4,453.93
Fire Alarm	1,986.17
General Sewer	8,076.79
Water	61,876.71
Light	128,315.40
Guarantee Deposit	3,850.20
Compulsory Sewer	4,107.47
Water Bonds, Series "N" Sinking	1,350.00
Fire Department, Series "B" Sinking	250.00
Sewer and Water Connections	25.35
Interest and Sinking	4,312.50
Street Improvement Bond	45,395.61
Compensation Insurance, Sinking	126.00
Compensation Insurance, B. P. W.	145.01
Pine Avenue Storm Sewer	25,361.42
Armory Bonds Sinking	75.60
Cemetery and Parks Imp. & Perpetual Maintenance	412.75
Street and Sewer Improvements (Schedule No. 3)	144,270.30
General and Special Taxes Returned	6,432.35
March 16, 1925—Balance on hand	81,848.96
	\$715,187.98

SCHEDULE NO. 3

Statement of Disbursements—Special Funds	
Eighteenth Street Paving	\$ 235.35
East Twenty-fourth Street Paving	5.00
Eighteenth Street G. & G. No. 2	318.99
South Lincoln Avenue Paving	141.90
Eighteenth Street Paving No. 2	181.98
Eighteenth Street G. & G.	679.61
Ninth Street Paving	66.00
Seventh Street and Lincoln Avenue Paving	41.60
East Ninth Street and Garretson Street Paving	1,754.07
Nineteenth Street Special Street	2,605.60
Eighteenth Street Paving No. 3	2,482.58
River Ave. and W. 17th St. Special Street	916.65
College Ave. and E. 22nd St. Special Street	30.50
River Ave. and West Seventeenth St. Paving	2,171.23
Nineteenth Street Paving	6.00
Seventeenth Street Paving	364.15
Columbia Avenue Special Street	115.80
Fourteenth Street Special Street	32.50
Fourteenth Street Paving	8.00
South Central Ave. and E. 20th St. Special Street	13.50
North Central Avenue Special Street	7.00
South River Avenue Special Street	336.15
College Avenue and E. 22nd Street Paving	1,972.33
South River Avenue Paving	2.00
Columbia Avenue Paving	31.00
North Central Avenue Paving	4.00
South Central Avenue and E. 20th Street Paving	4.00
Lincoln Avenue Paving	28,237.87
First Avenue Paving	37,946.53
Maple Avenue Paving	38,488.85
East Sixteenth Street Paving	8,453.09
Nineteenth Street G. & G.	345.38
East 11th, 13th and 14th Streets Sewer	211.00
West Sixteenth Street Sewer	2.00
West Seventeenth Street Sewer	2.00
Twenty-sixth Street Sewer	89.77
Fourth Street Sewer	2.00
East Sixth Street Sewer	86.21
West Twenty-first Street Sewer	64.50
Cherry Street Sewer	68.20
Twenty-eighth Street Pumping Station Sewer	15,846.41
	\$144,270.30

SCHEDULE NO. 4

Taxes Returned	
	\$ 6,432.35
Transfers	
Light Fund from Guarantee Deposit	\$ 3,568.64
Guarantee Deposit to Light Fund	\$ 3,568.64
Special Sewer to Sinking Fund	370.81
C. S. C. to Sinking Fund	2,500.00
General Sewer to Special Sewer Funds	735.45
Armory Bond to General Fund	5,000.00
Armory Bond to Sinking Fund	209.66
Street Imp. Spec. Funds to Street Imp. Bond Fund	43,893.26
	\$ 56,277.82
	\$ 56,277.82
Statement of Funds—March 16, 1925	
	Overdrafts Credits
General	\$ 10,783.28
Poor	490.32
General Street	\$ 5,459.15
Sprinkling	2,698.34
Public Building	5,987.78
Hospital	309.78
Fire Department	9,089.76
Police	4,601.85
Health	695.68
Cemetery	3,408.71
Park	5,361.72
Library	6,942.67
Fire Alarm	2,621.49
General Sewer	164.43
Water	7,414.23
Light	74,205.66
Guarantee Deposit	4,402.74
Compulsory Sewer	4,219.50
Water Bonds, Series "N" Sinking	50.00
Water Bonds, Series "P" Sinking	23.75
Fire Department, Series "B" Sinking	250.00
Sewer and Water Connection	204.36
Sinking	17,776.72
Interest and Sinking	1,288.75
Street Improvement Bond	4,289.16
Compensation Insurance Sinking	1,914.67
Hospital Donation Special	100.00
Compensation Insurance Sinking, B. P. W.	2,371.47
Pine Avenue Storm Sewer	2,295.66
Armory Bonds Sinking	15,000.00
Eighteenth Street Paving	25.87
East Twenty-fourth Street Paving	57.28
Eighteenth Street G. & G. No. 2	215.57
South Lincoln Avenue Paving	156.92
Eighteenth Street Paving No. 2	122.95
Eighteenth Street G. & G.	82.86
Ninth Street Paving	98.74
Seventh Street and Lincoln Avenue Paving	64.24
East Ninth and Garretson Street Paving	691.31
Nineteenth Street Special Street No. 2	899.66
Eighteenth Street Paving No. 3	26.89
River Avenue and W. 17th Street Special Street	569.94
College Avenue and E. 22nd St. Special Street	2,070.67
River Avenue and W. 17th Street Paving	689.83
Nineteenth Street Paving	656.94
Seventeenth Street Paving	39.31
Columbia Avenue Special Street	404.39
Fourteenth Street Special Street	861.84
Fourteenth Street Paving	626.54
S. Central Ave. and E. 20th St. Special Street	522.45
North Central Avenue Special Street	172.08
South River Avenue Special Street	131.80
College Ave. and East 22nd Street Paving	1,610.15
South River Avenue Paving	90.88
Columbia Avenue Paving	407.86
North Central Avenue Paving	124.72
South Central Ave. and E. 20th Street Paving	562.14
Lincoln Avenue Paving	19,162.29
First Avenue Paving	28,655.69
Maple Avenue Paving	25,746.94
East Sixteenth Street Paving	3,745.27
Nineteenth Street G. & G.	622.47
Twenty-sixth Street Sewer	660.36
Fourth Street Sewer	50.84
East Sixth Street Sewer	111.76
West Twenty-first Street Sewer No. 2	202.04
Cherry Street Sewer	403.35
Twenty-eighth Street Pumping Station Sewer	4,214.77
City Treasurer, March 16, 1925—Balance in Bank	81,848.96
	\$185,840.10

STATEMENT OF FUNDS—ITEMIZED

General Fund	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 5,720.99
Receipts		
Licenses—Peddlers		238.00
Pool		133.85
Vehicle		140.00
Junk		25.00
Scale		40.00
Auction		20.00
Restaurant and Soft Drinks		265.00
Show		90.00
Motor Bus Drivers		5.50
City Assessor—Time on Special Assessment Rolls		331.00
Interest—Local Banks		2,109.08
Hall Maintenance		1,670.00
Electric Sign Permits		14.00
Sale of Coal		33.80
Pictures Framed		30.00
Transfer from Armory Fund		5,000.00
Miscellaneous		7.50
Taxes—General City		20,200.00
City and School—B. P. W.		10,965.00
Excess of Rolls		868.06
Collection Fees		408.75
Delinquent Real		1,144.96
Delinquent Personal		38.58
Reassessed City and School		3,113.85
Reassessed		272.70
		\$ 52,380.62
Returned Taxes	\$ 5,589.44	
Disbursements		
Common Council—		
Salaries Mayor and Aldermen	\$ 695.85	
Printing and Advertising	631.60	
Telephones	37.55	
Auditing Books	807.50	
Expense Washington, D. C., Harbor	236.76	
Attorney Retainer	125.00	
League Dues	25.00	
Expense, Zoning Commission	299.37	
Portraits	41.50	
Traveling Expenses	25.85	
Expense, Gas	157.12	
Expense, Nineteenth Street Ball Park	162.46	
Expenses, Rest Room	24.50	
Special Taxes—Boone Property	107.09	
Miscellaneous	32.25	
	\$ 3,409.40	
City Clerk—		
Salary—Clerk	\$ 2,800.08	
Assistant	1,032.00	
Office Supplies, Books	250.35	
Telephones	50.60	
Check Writer	45.00	
Electric Heater	10.00	
Expense, Convention	29.50	
Miscellaneous	91.90	
	\$ 4,309.43	
City Treasurer—		
Salary, Treasurer	\$ 1,333.20	
Office Supplies, Printing	118.23	
Telephones	36.00	
Bonds	286.69	
Burglar Alarm Expense	20.00	
Miscellaneous	44.66	
	\$ 1,838.78	
City Attorney—		
Salary	\$ 1,200.00	
Traveling Expenses, Miscellaneous	126.90	
	\$ 1,326.90	
Board of Assessors—		
Salary—Assessor	\$ 2,599.92	
Clerical	257.70	
Board of Review	192.00	
Miscellaneous	83.28	
	\$ 3,082.90	
Elections—		
Election and Registration Boards	\$ 1,140.00	
Printing and Advertising	511.06	
Meals, Lunches	121.20	
Election Supplies	59.04	
Repairs and Supplies, Painting	61.74	
Special Taxes	282.20	
Stove	15.48	
Expense Polls	74.90	
Miscellaneous	23.45	
	\$ 2,289.07	
City Hall—		
Salaries, Janitors	\$ 2,520.00	
Fuel	994.09	
Light	139.79	
Repairs and Supplies	493.37	
Cement Driveway	144.55	
Decorating	322.35	
Special Taxes	15.84	
Water	105.54	
Miscellaneous	63.49	
	\$ 4,799.02	
Contingents—		
Street Lighting	\$ 11,988.99	
Care of Trees	527.10	
Expense, Tower Clock	61.28	
Expense, Drinking Fountains	373.27	
Expense, Nineteenth Street Ball Park	20.00	
Water, Boone Property	31.38	
Expense, Bathhouse	286.18	
Expense, Rest Room	114.20	
Expense, Christmas Tree	29.58	
Miscellaneous	157.57	
	\$ 13,589.55	
E. E. Annise—		
Monthly Allowance	\$ 240.00	
Taxes	122.65	
Servant Hire	52.00	
Repairs	8.61	
Fuel	56.00	
Insurance	6.50	
Physician's Services	18.00	
Water	12.28	
Haul Ashes	2.50	
	\$ 518.54	
Joseph Warner—		
Monthly Allowance	\$ 225.00	
Fuel	93.00	
Taxes	79.31	
Nurse	91.00	
Physician's Services	26.00	
Insurance	3.25	
Repairs and Miscellaneous	79.13	
Funeral Expenses	171.25	
Gas Connections	11.80	
Stoves	17.75	
Water	2.70	
Decorating	44.12	
	\$ 844.31	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund		10,783.28
		\$ 52,380.62

POOR FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 607.17
Receipts—		
General Taxes		5,000.00
Disbursements—		
Salary, Director	\$ 441.68	
Provisions	3,789.26	
Fuel	501.22	
House Rent	130.30	
Physicians' Services	129.00	
Taxes Remitted	99.14	
Funeral Expenses	21.00	
Miscellaneous	5.25	
	\$ 5,116.85	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	490.32	
	\$ 5,607.17	\$ 5,607.17

GENERAL STREET FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 3,138.76
Receipts—		
General Taxes		38,500.00
Sale of Material, Use of Machinery, Engineer's Services, Special Improvements, etc.		4,262.20
Sidewalk Licenses		35.00
Cement Sacks Returned		119.70
		\$ 46,055.66
Disbursements—		
Salary, City Engineer	\$ 2,060.00	
Labor Pay Roll	17,769.68	
Teams Pay Roll	5,545.15	
Gravel and Stone	807.95	
Pipe, Lumber, Brick, Cement, etc.	6,192.60	
Castings	1,434.80	
Repairs and Supplies	1,067.33	
Tractor	1,675.80	
Snow Plow	63.70	
Furnace	83.65	
Sidewalk Construction	438.75	
Water	51.88	
Willite Road Co., Repair Pavements	1,923.36	
Special Taxes	11,844.79	
Miscellaneous	311.56	
Coal, Oil, Gas	243.81	
	\$ 51,514.81	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		5,459.15
	\$ 51,514.81	\$ 51,514.81

SPRINKLING FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 4,027.79	
Receipts—		
Special Taxes		\$ 7,027.41
Disbursements—		
Teams, Labor, Pay Roll	2,910.40	
Gasoline, Oil	354.65	
Repairs and Supplies	312.50	
Water	1,800.00	
Hose	93.10	
Special Assessment Roll	100.00	
Returned Taxes	123.15	
Miscellaneous	4.16	
	\$ 9,725.75	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		2,698.34
	\$ 9,725.75	\$ 9,725.75

PUBLIC BUILDING FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 4,337.78	
Receipts—		
Tax Roll		\$ 500.00
Disbursements—		
Two Bonds, Feb. 1, 1925	2,000.00	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		5,837.78
	\$ 6,337.78	\$ 6,337.78

HOSPITAL FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 1,565.62
Receipts—		
General Taxes		2,800.00
Hospital Receipts		17,187.42
Disbursements—		
Operating Expenses	\$ 21,243.26	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	309.78	
	\$ 21,553.04	\$ 21,553.04

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 7,804.10
Receipts—		
General Taxes		33,240.00
Fire Service Outside of City		150.00
Disbursements—		
Salaries—Firemen	\$ 6,229.38	
Drivers	6,979.00	
Fuel	412.54	
Repairs and Supplies	313.17	
Gasoline and Oil	94.21	
Hydrant Service	14,144.00	
Light	51.56	
Painting	675.00	
Fire Truck Repair Parts	512.68	
Rubber Coats	90.90	
Batteries	73.51	
Window Shades	34.75	
Miscellaneous	293.64	
Fire Truck Certificates and Interest	2,200.00	
	\$ 32,104.34	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	9,089.76	
	\$ 41,194.10	\$ 41,194.10

POLICE FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 3,125.44
Receipts—		
General Taxes		14,220.00
Officers' Fees		227.68
Criminal Fees		227.20
Auto Plate Fees		200.00
Warrant (No. 4091 Cancelled)		2.43
Disbursements—		
Salaries—Chief of Police	\$ 1,791.68	
Patrolmen	8,568.35	
Extra and Special Police	265.88	
Janitor, Jail	60.00	
Telephones	230.46	
Repairs and Supplies	217.62	
Taxi Service	2.50	
Traffic and Zoning	439.86	
Dodge Touring	825.00	
Auto Upkeep	561.85	
Finger Print Camera	35.00	
Finger Print Machine	35.00	
Typewriter	35.00	
Police Call Pedestal	34.25	
Physical Examination	25.00	
Miscellaneous	177.45	
Railway Fares	49.46	
Light	26.44	
	\$ 13,400.80	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	4,601.85	
	\$ 18,002.65	\$ 18,002.65

HEALTH FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 3.03	
Receipts—		
General Taxes		4,300.00
Milk Licenses		175.00
Wholesale Meat Licenses		129.20
Scavenger Bills		239.00
Stamps and Pads		15.75
Sale of Fumigators, etc.		8.25
Testing Milk		28.45
Disbursements—		
Salaries—Health Officer	\$ 866.66	
City Nurse	1,049.88	
Inspector	883.32	
Aid—Provisions, Fuel	53.21	
Fumigators	129.60	
Milk Testing Machine	48.10	
License Plates, Stamps	116.27	
Expense Convention	47.30	
Milk Analysis	69.00	
Administering Toxin Antitoxin	450.00	
Auto Upkeep	258.47	
Miscellaneous	141.13	
Scavenger Bills	85.00	
	\$ 4,200.97	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	695.68	
	\$ 4,896.65	\$ 4,896.65

CEMETERY FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 2,209.55
Receipts—		
Sale of Lots		1,637.88
Open and Close Graves		597.50
Upkeep of Graves		386.70
Annual Maintenance		1,086.62
Cement Work, Curbing		965.76
Removals		53.50
Interest, Endowment Funds		42.00
Disbursements—		
Superintendent's Services	\$ 386.65	
Sexton	1,320.00	
Labor	1,205.07	
Material	219.90	
Water	12.49	
Plumbing	404.44	
Trees	56.50	
Lawn Mower	15.75	
	\$ 3,620.80	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	3,408.71	
	\$ 7,029.51	\$ 7,029.51

PARK FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 7,389.03
Receipts—		
General Taxes		15,263.00
Sale of Bulbs, Wood, etc.		105.89
Rental, Ball Park		25.00
Interest, Endowment Funds		12.75
Disbursements—		
Salary—Superintendent	\$ 2,391.67	
Labor, Teams	4,069.21	
Fuel	191.32	
Light	146.87	
Water	471.41	
Repairs and Supplies	453.67	
Seeds, Trees, Bulbs	224.03	
Fertilizer	175.24	
Sprinkler	45.00	
Benches	289.93	
Team	33.00	
New Greenhouse	2,812.46	
Special Taxes	2,409.04	
Miscellaneous	124.79	
	\$ 13,837.64	
Two Bonds, Series "B"	2,000.00	
Band Concerts	750.00	
Expense Ball Park	18.46	
Expense G. E. Kollen Memorial Park	827.85	
	\$ 17,433.95	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	5,361.72	
	\$ 22,795.67	\$ 22,795.67

LIBRARY FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 4,176.10
Receipts—		
General Taxes		3,800.00
Library Money, County		1,065.00
City Ordinance Fines		1,882.60
Library Fines, Fees, etc.		472.90
Disbursements—		
Salaries, Clerical	\$ 2,385.95	
Books	929.64	
Magazines	264.35	
Cards	34.00	
Electric Service	141.86	
Premium, Fire Insurance	36.00	
Rebinding Books	87.95	
Binding Magazines	17.35	
Decorating	470.50	
Miscellaneous	86.33	
	\$ 4,453.93	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	6,942.67	
	\$ 11,396.60	\$ 11,396.60

FIRE ALARM FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 957.66
Receipts—		
General Taxes		3,650.00
Disbursements—		
Pay Roll, Labor	\$ 586.06	
Certified Claims	1,400.11	
	\$ 1,986.17	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	2,621.49	
	\$ 4,607.66	\$ 4,607.66

GENERAL SEWER FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 2,461.07
Receipts—		
General Taxes		5,763.00
Collections, B. P. W.		752.60
Disbursements—		
Pay Roll, Labor	\$ 3,584.48	
Certified Claims	4,492.31	
	\$ 8,076.79	
Transfers	735.45	
	\$ 8,812.24	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	164.43	
	\$ 8,976.67	\$ 8,976.67

WATER FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 13,236.77
Receipts—		
Collections, B. P. W.		55,854.17
Disbursements—		
Operating and Construction	\$ 61,676.71	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	7,414.23	
	\$ 69,090.94	\$ 69,090.94

LIGHT FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 25,053.82	
Receipts—		
Collections, B. P. W.		224,506.24
Transfer from Guarantee Deposit		3,568.64

Disbursements—		
Operating and Construction	\$126,815.40	
Two Bonds, Series "A"	2,000.00	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	74,205.66	
	\$228,074.88	\$228,074.88

GUARANTEE DEPOSIT FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 1,062.89
Receipts—		
Collections, B. P. W.		10,758.79
Disbursements—		
Electric Service	\$3,407.44	
Refunds	442.76	
Transfer to Light Fund	3,568.64	
	\$ 7,418.84	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	4,402.74	
	\$ 11,821.58	\$ 11,821.58

COMPULSORY SEWER FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 7,150.01
Receipts—		
C. S. C. Collections		561.36
Special Assessment Taxes		8,115.60
Disbursements—		
Sewer Connections	\$ 4,080.32	
Printing and Assessment Rolls	27.15	
Transfer to Sinking Fund	2,500.00	
	\$ 6,607.47	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	4,219.50	
	\$ 10,826.97	\$ 10,826.97

WATER BONDS SERIES "P" SINKING FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
Receipts—		
Bonds and Interest, B. P. W.		\$ 1,400.00
Disbursements—		
Bonds and Interest Paid	\$ 1,350.00	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	50.00	
	\$ 1,400.00	\$ 1,400.00

WATER BONDS SERIES "P" SINKING FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 23.75
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	\$ 23.75	
	\$ 23.75	\$ 23.75

FIRE DEPARTMENT SERIES "B" SINKING FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
Disbursements—		
Interest Paid	\$ 250.00	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		250.00
	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00

SEWER AND WATER CONNECTION FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 206.89	
Receipts—		
Collections		\$ 27.88
Disbursements—		
Labor and Material	22.35	
Drain Permit	3.00	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		204.36
	\$ 232.24	\$ 232.24

SINKING FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 14,434.14
Receipts—		
Accrued Interest and Interest on Investments		3,342.58
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	17,776.72	
	\$ 17,776.72	\$ 17,776.72

INTEREST AND SINKING FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 2,773.75
Receipts—		
Interest, B. P. W.		250.00
Disbursements—		
Interest Electric Light Bonds "A"	\$ 550.00	
Interest Park Bonds "A"	2,000.00	
Interest Park Bonds "B"	1,125.00	
Interest City Hall Bonds "A"	637.50	
	\$ 4,312.50	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		1,288.75
	\$ 4,312.50	\$ 4,312.50

STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 5,791.51
Receipts—		
Transfers from Special Street Funds		43,398.35
Disbursements—		
Bonds and Interest, Series "J"	\$ 1,571.14	
Bonds and Interest, Series "K"	11,103.75	
Bonds and Interest, Series "L"	2,213.27	
Bonds and Interest, Series "M"	2,383.72	
Bonds and Interest, Series "N"	3,306.66	
Bonds and Interest, Series "O"	2,897.71	
Bonds and Interest, Series "P"	524.55	
Bonds and Interest, Series "Q"	265.63	
Bonds and Interest, Series "R"	659.12	
Bonds and Interest, Series "S"	145.68	
Bonds and Interest, Series "T"	4,771.94	
Bonds and Interest, Series "U"	3,397.82	
Bonds and Interest, Series "V"	2,412.35	
Bonds and Interest, Series "W"	119.56	
Bonds and Interest, Series "X"	5,436.60	
Bonds and Interest, Series "Y"	3,636.11	
	\$ 45,395.61	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund		4,289.16
	\$ 49,684.77	\$ 49,684.77

PINE AVENUE STORM SEWER FUND			EAST NINTH AND GARRETSON STREET PAVING FUND			SOUTH CENTRAL AVENUE AND EAST TWENTIETH STREET SPECIAL STREET FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 23,059.76	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 1,627.07	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 545.01
Receipts—			Receipts—			Receipts—		
Sale of Plans		6.00	Special Assessment Taxes		818.31	Special Assessment Taxes		2,435.29
Disbursements—			Disbursements—			Special Assessment Reassessed		23.00
Paid on Contract	\$ 19,657.00		Bonds and Interest	\$ 1,750.07		Disbursements—		
P. M. Ry. Co., Temporary Bridge	321.51		Assessment Rolls	4.00		Bonds and Interest	\$ 2,467.35	
Miscellaneous	126.86		March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	691.31		Assessment Rolls	4.00	
Bonds and Interest	5,256.25					Miscellaneous	9.50	
				\$ 2,445.38	\$ 2,445.38	March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	522.45	
	\$ 25,361.42	2,295.66						
March 16, 1925—Overdraft							\$ 3,003.30	\$ 3,003.30
	\$ 25,361.42	\$ 25,361.42						
ARMORY BONDS SINKING FUND			NINETEENTH STREET SPECIAL STREET FUND			NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE SPECIAL STREET FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
Receipts—			March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 903.79	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 176.66
Sale of Bonds		\$ 20,285.26	Receipts—			Receipts—		
Disbursements—			Special Assessment Taxes		2,601.47	Special Assessment Taxes		743.82
Advertising	\$ 75.60		Disbursements—			Disbursements—		
Transfer to General Fund	5,000.00		Bonds and Interest	\$ 2,599.60		Bonds and Interest	\$ 740.90	
Transfer to Sinking Fund	209.66		Assessment Rolls	6.00		Miscellaneous	7.00	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	15,000.00		March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	899.66		March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	172.08	
	\$ 20,285.26	\$ 20,285.26		\$ 3,505.26	\$ 3,505.26			
CEMETERIES AND PARK IMPROVEMENT AND PERPETUAL MAINTENANCE FUND			EIGHTEENTH STREET PAVING NO. 3 FUND			SOUTH RIVER AVENUE SPECIAL STREET FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
Receipts—			March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 1,294.62	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 466.18
Endowments		\$ 400.00	Receipts—			Receipts—		
Interest		12.75	Special Assessment Taxes		1,161.07	Special Assessment Taxes		538.56
Disbursements—			Disbursements—			Disbursements—		
Certificate of Deposit	\$ 400.00		Bonds and Interest	\$ 2,479.58		Bonds and Interest	\$ 536.79	
Park and Cemetery Board, Interest	12.75		Assessment Rolls	3.00		Balance on Contract	188.55	
	\$ 412.75	\$ 412.75	March 16, 1925—Overdraft	26.89		Rental of Machinery	143.60	
				\$ 2,482.58	\$ 2,482.58	Miscellaneous	4.00	
						March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	131.80	
EIGHTEENTH STREET PAVING FUND			RIVER AVENUE AND WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET SPECIAL STREET FUND			COLLEGE AVENUE AND EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET PAVING FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 86.01	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 572.23	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 3,809.49
Receipts—			Receipts—			Receipts—		
Special Assessment Roll		123.47	Special Assessment Taxes		914.36	Special Assessment Taxes		2,871.77
Disbursements—			Disbursements—			Disbursements—		
Bonds and Interest	\$ 233.35		Bonds and Interest	\$ 908.65		Bonds and Interest	\$ 3,098.78	
Assessment Rolls	2.00		Assessment Rolls	8.00		Balance on Contract	1,952.23	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		25.87	March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	569.94		Miscellaneous	20.10	
	\$ 235.35	\$ 235.35		\$ 1,486.59	\$ 1,486.59	March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	1,610.15	
EAST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET PAVING FUND			COLLEGE AVENUE AND EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET SPECIAL STREET FUND			SOUTH RIVER AVENUE PAVING FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
March 17, 1924—Overdraft		\$ 162.58	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 2,326.76	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 91.00
Receipts—			Receipts—			Receipts—		
Special Assessment Roll		\$ 1,644.35	Special Assessment Taxes		4,323.75	Special Assessment Taxes		288.61
Disbursements—			Material Sold		40.00	Disbursements—		
Assessment Rolls	5.00		Disbursements—			Bonds and Interest	\$ 286.73	
Transfer to Street Imp. Bond Fund	1,534.05		Bonds and Interest	\$ 4,589.34		Assessment Rolls	2.00	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		57.28	Assessment Rolls	6.00		March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	90.88	
	\$ 1,701.63	\$ 1,701.63	Miscellaneous	24.50				
			March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	2,070.67			\$ 379.61	\$ 379.61
				\$ 6,690.51	\$ 6,690.51			
EIGHTEENTH STREET GRADE AND GRAVEL NO. 2 FUND			RIVER AVENUE AND WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET PAVING FUND			COLUMBIA AVENUE PAVING FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
March 17, 1924—Overdraft		\$ 220.95	March 17, 1924—Overdraft		\$ 690.03	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 164.87
Receipts—			Receipts—			Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 324.37	Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 2,171.43	Special Assessment Taxes		3,929.82
Disbursements—			Disbursements—			Disbursements—		
Bonds and Interest	316.99		Bonds and Interest	2,163.23		Bonds and Interest	\$ 3,655.83	
Assessment Rolls	2.00		Assessment Rolls	8.00		Miscellaneous	31.00	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		215.57	March 16, 1925—Overdraft	689.83		March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	407.86	
	\$ 539.94	\$ 539.94		\$ 2,861.26	\$ 2,861.26		\$ 4,094.69	\$ 4,094.69
SOUTH LINCOLN AVENUE PAVING FUND			NINETEENTH STREET PAVING FUND			NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE PAVING FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 1.69	March 17, 1924—Overdraft		\$ 657.74	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 127.75
Receipts—			Receipts—			Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		297.13	Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 2,220.07	Special Assessment Taxes		495.95
Disbursements—			Disbursements—			Disbursements—		
Bonds and Interest	\$ 139.90		Bonds and Interest	2,213.27		Bonds and Interest	\$ 494.98	
Assessment Rolls	2.00		Assessment Rolls	6.00		Assessment Rolls	4.00	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	156.92		March 16, 1925—Overdraft	656.94		March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	124.72	
	\$ 296.82	\$ 296.82		\$ 2,877.01	\$ 2,877.01		\$ 623.70	\$ 623.70
EIGHTEENTH STREET PAVING NO. 2 FUND			SEVENTEENTH STREET PAVING FUND			SOUTH CENTRAL AVENUE AND EAST TWENTIETH STREET PAVING FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
March 17, 1924—Overdraft		\$ 137.22	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 37.92	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 573.14
Receipts—			Receipts—			Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 196.25	Special Assessment Taxes		365.54	Special Assessment Taxes		1,603.75
Disbursements—			Disbursements—			Special Assessment Reassessed		14.19
Bonds and Interest	179.98		Bonds and Interest	\$ 360.15		Disbursements—		
Assessment Rolls	2.00		Assessment Rolls	4.00		Bonds and Interest	\$ 1,624.94	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		122.95	March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	39.31		Assessment Rolls	4.00	
	\$ 319.20	\$ 319.20		\$ 403.46	\$ 403.46	March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	562.14	
EIGHTEENTH STREET GRADE AND GRAVEL FUND			COLUMBIA AVENUE SPECIAL STREET FUND			LINCOLN AVENUE PAVING FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
March 17, 1924—Overdraft		\$ 99.56	March 17, 1924—Overdraft		\$ 1,247.26	March 17, 1924—Overdraft		\$ 531.67
Receipts—			Receipts—			Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 596.31	Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 6,126.05	Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 2,852.55
Disbursements—			Cement Sacks Returned		350.00	Paving Assessment Collected		6,498.69
Bonds and Interest	576.61		Disbursements—			Cement Sacks Returned		256.10
Assessment Rolls	3.00		Bonds and Interest	5,517.38		Disbursements—		
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		82.86	Miscellaneous	115.80		Contract, Paving	22,521.85	
	\$ 679.17	\$ 689.17	March 16, 1925—Overdraft	404.39		Inspection	216.19	
				\$ 6,880.44	\$ 6,880.44	Rent of Equipment	366.80	
NINTH STREET PAVING FUND			FOURTEENTH STREET SPECIAL STREET FUND					
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.				
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 58.93	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 817.30			
Receipts—			Receipts—					
Special Assessment Taxes		5,619.88	Special Assessment Taxes		5,109.63			
Disbursements—			Special Assessment Reassessed		56.34			
Bonds and Interest	\$ 5,771.55		Cement Sacks Returned		13.00			
Assessment Rolls	6.00		Disbursements—					
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		98.74	Bonds and Interest	\$ 5,101.94				
	\$ 5,777.55	\$ 5,777.55	Assessment Rolls	8.00				
			Miscellaneous	24.50				
			March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	861.84				
				\$ 5,996.28	\$ 5,996.28			
SEVENTH STREET AND LINCOLN AVENUE PAVING FUND			FOURTEENTH STREET PAVING FUND			FIRST AVENUE PAVING FUND		
Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.		Dr.	Cr.	
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 135.82	March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 595.26	March 17, 1924—Overdraft		\$ 35.50
Receipts—			Receipts—			Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		2,853.74	Special Assessment Taxes		3,436.18	Special Assessment Taxes		4,303.84
Disbursements—			Special Assessment Reassessed		38.81	Paving Assessment Collections		4,784.72
Bonds and Interest	\$ 2,863.72		Disbursements—			Labor and Material, Sacks Returned		319.75
Assessment Rolls	6.00		Bonds and Interest	\$ 3,435.71		Disbursements—		
Error in Assessment	35.60		Assessment Rolls	8.00		Contract, Paving	31,161.61	
March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	64.24		Miscellaneous	24.50		Inspection	412.50	
	\$ 2,989.56	\$ 2,989.56	March 16, 1925—Balance in Fund	626.54		Rent of Equipment	295.10	
				\$ 4,070.25	\$ 4,070.25			

City Engineer's Services	290.00
Labor	1,810.96
Teams	448.20
Material	3,193.05
Miscellaneous	335.11
Returned Taxes	81.97

March 16, 1925—Overdraft	\$ 38,064.00	28,655.69
	\$ 38,064.00	\$ 38,064.00

MAPLE AVENUE PAVING FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 25.75	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 3,690.58
Paving Assessment Collections		8,982.15
Cement Sacks Returned		317.00
Disbursements—		
Contract, Paving	30,608.34	
Inspection	343.28	
City Engineer's Services	340.00	
Labor	2,106.82	
Teams	766.90	
Material	3,945.73	
Miscellaneous	388.68	
Returned Taxes	222.07	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		25,746.94
	\$ 38,736.67	\$ 38,736.67

EAST SIXTEENTH STREET PAVING FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
Receipts—		
Paving Assessment Collections		\$ 153.25
Holland Township Share		4,000.95
Cement Sacks Returned		37.45
Special Assessment Taxes		516.17
Disbursements—		
Contract, Paving	\$ 6,350.71	
Material	1,378.21	
Labor	355.46	
Teams	64.80	
Miscellaneous	303.91	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		3,745.27
	\$ 8,453.09	\$ 8,453.09

NINETEENTH STREET GRADE AND GRAVEL FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 630.37	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 353.28
Disbursements—		
Bonds and Interest	343.38	
Assessment Rolls	2.00	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		622.47
	\$ 975.75	\$ 975.75

EAST ELEVENTH, THIRTEENTH AND FOURTEENTH STREET SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Balance in Fund		\$ 211.00
Disbursements—		
Bonds and Interest	\$ 211.00	
	\$ 211.00	\$ 211.00

WEST TWENTY-FIRST STREET SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 34.56	
Transfer from General Sewer		\$ 34.56
	\$ 34.56	\$ 34.56

WEST SIXTEENTH STREET SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 52.33	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 315.00
Disbursements—		
Assessment Rolls	2.00	
Transfer to Sinking Fund	260.67	
	\$ 315.00	\$ 315.00

WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 12.98	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 125.12
Disbursements—		
Assessment Rolls	2.00	
Transfer to Sinking Fund	110.14	
	\$ 125.12	\$ 125.12

TWENTY-SIXTH STREET SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 1,475.81	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 445.26
Special Assessment Reassessed		69.07
Transfer from General Sewer		390.89
Disbursements—		
Supplies and Miscellaneous	89.77	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		660.36
	\$ 1,565.58	\$ 1,565.58

FOURTH STREET SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 80.90	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 32.06
Disbursements—		
Assessment Rolls	2.00	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		50.84
	\$ 82.90	\$ 82.90

EAST SIXTH STREET SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 225.55	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 200.00
Disbursements—		
Labor	48.80	
Material and Miscellaneous	37.41	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		111.76
	\$ 311.76	\$ 311.76

WEST TWENTY-FIRST STREET SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 490.00	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 224.82
Reassessed Taxes		7.64
Transfer from General Sewer		120.00
Disbursements—		
Miscellaneous	64.50	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		202.04
	\$ 554.50	\$ 554.50

CHERRY STREET SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 904.31	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 310.30
Special Assessment Reassessed		68.86
Transfer from General Sewer		190.00
Disbursements—		
Miscellaneous	68.20	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		403.35
	\$ 972.51	\$ 972.51

TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET PUMPING STATION DISTRICT SEWER FUND		
	Dr.	Cr.
March 17, 1924—Overdraft	\$ 1,132.40	
Receipts—		
Special Assessment Taxes		\$ 2,778.76
Sale of Bonds		10,400.00
Disbursements—		
Engineer's Services	355.00	
Labor	6,436.58	
Teams	817.22	
Material	7,663.42	
Miscellaneous	452.19	
Returned Taxes	415.72	
Interest	121.00	
March 16, 1925—Overdraft		4,214.77
	\$ 17,393.53	\$ 17,393.53

CITY INDEBTEDNESS		
The following is the present outstanding indebtedness of the City of Holland, Michigan, all bonds payable to bearer:		
Electric Light Bonds, Series "A," 4 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest at 5 per cent		\$ 4,000.00
Water Bonds, Series "N," 7 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest at 5 per cent		7,000.00
Park Bonds, Series "A," 50 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest at 4 per cent		50,000.00
Park Bonds, Series "B," 22 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest at 4 1/2 per cent		22,000.00
City Hall Bonds, Series "A," 18 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest at 4 1/2 per cent		18,000.00
Fire Department Bonds, Series "B," 4 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest at 5 per cent		4,000.00
Eight Certificates of Indebtedness (Fire Truck) of \$1,000 each, interest 2 per cent		8,000.00
Pine Avenue Main Surface Drainage Storm Sewer Bonds, 39 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest at 5 per cent		39,000.00
Armory Bonds, 20 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest at 5 per cent		20,000.00
Total City Indebtedness		\$172,000.00

STREET IMPROVEMENT INDEBTEDNESS		
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "J," 2 bonds of \$1,348.60 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		\$ 2,697.20
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "K," 15 bonds of \$1,000 each, 5 bonds of \$1,064.46 each, 5 bonds of \$500 each, 4 bonds of \$100 each and 1 bond of \$164.46, interest at 6 per cent		23,386.76
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "L," 7 bonds of \$1,495.43 each, interest at 6 per cent		10,468.01
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "M," 8 bonds of \$1,872.57 each, interest at 6 per cent		14,980.56
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "N," 9 bonds of \$1,000 each, 14 bonds of \$500 each, and 8 bonds of \$1,069.78 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		24,558.24
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "O," 6 bonds of \$1,072.78 each, 5 bonds of \$1,000 each, 8 bonds of \$500 each, and 2 bonds of \$572.78 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		16,582.24
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "P," 8 bonds of \$359.04 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		2,872.32
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "Q," 8 bonds of \$191.78 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		1,725.24
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "R," 8 bonds of \$495.56 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		3,964.48
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "S," 8 bonds of \$331.09 each, interest at 5 per cent		2,648.72
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "T," 24 bonds of \$1,000 each and 8 bonds of \$412.64 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		27,301.12
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "U," 16 bonds of \$1,000 each and 8 bonds of \$298.11 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		18,384.88
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "V," 8 bonds of \$1,000 each and 8 bonds of \$650.42 each, interest at 5 per cent		13,208.36
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "W," 8 bonds of \$1,086.92 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		8,695.36
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "X," 27 bonds of \$1,000 each and 9 bonds of \$559.58 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		32,036.22
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "Y," 18 bonds of \$1,000 each and 9 bonds of \$358.63 each, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		21,227.67
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "A," 54 bonds of \$500 each, 8 bonds of \$315.47 each, and 1 bond of \$315.46, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		29,839.22
Street Improvement Bonds, Series "B," 36 bonds of \$500 each, 8 bonds of \$234.66 each, and 1 bond of \$234.73, interest at 5 1/2 per cent		20,112.01
		\$274,633.61

SPECIAL STREET ASSESSMENT DISTRICTS		
Eighteenth Street Special Street Assessment District, 1 bond of \$524.19, interest 5 per cent		\$ 524.19
Eighteenth Street Special Street Assessment District No. Two, 1 bond of \$238.17, interest 5 per cent		238.17
Nineteenth Street Special Street Assessment District, 1 bond of \$312.16, interest 5 per cent		312.16
Eighteenth Street Paving Special Assessment District, 1 bond of \$103.70, interest 5 per cent		103.70
Eighteenth Street Paving Special Assessment District No. Two, 2 bonds of \$152.50 each, interest 6 per cent		305.00
South Lincoln Avenue Paving Special Assessment District, 6		

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Republican Candidates on State Ticket, Election Monday, April 6



It is very apparent that Michigan Republicans believe that public servants at all times deserve to be rewarded for their faithful performance of duty, the entire state ticket at the April election being present incumbents of their respective positions. Supreme Court Justices John S. McDonald and George M. Clark are present members of that bench; then William L. Clements and James O. Murfin have each for a number of years been active on the Board of Regents having charge of the U. of M., while L. Whitney Watkins has served two terms and Mrs. Dora H. Stockman one on the State Board of Agriculture, the governing body of the M. A. C. Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, has held that office more than a dozen years and was connected with the same department since its creation in the present form. Thomas E. Johnson has been connected with the school work of Michigan since 1899 and was appointed Superintendent of Public Instruction to fill a vacancy by Governor Sleeper. Frank Cody, who is superintendent of the public schools in Detroit, has been a member of the State Board of Education for the past twelve years and is now the Republican party nominee for a third term.

WOULD CERTIFY MICHIGAN POULTRY

Several leading Zeeland and Holland poultry men drove to Lansing for the purpose of securing some action by the State department of Agriculture to relieve the Michigan baby chick industry from some of the unfair competition it has been experiencing from out of the state sources. The hatchers of baby chicks have found this spring that other states, all in close proximity to Michigan have granted some sort of certification to shippers of baby chicks, which is backed up by the several respective states. This is hard competition to meet, and would in a short period, pull this section down from its high positions among the poultry breeders. Accordingly a delegation composed of E. C. Foreman, L. Van Appledorn, P. Frederickson, C. J. De Koeter, and A. Van Koevring took up the matter with H. Norton, assistant commissioner of agriculture, Dr. Kilham, state veterinarian, and Clark Brody of the state farm bureau, with the purpose of devising some plan for state recognition in Michigan. They were very much encouraged after a two-hours' conference and plans are under way that may bear immediate fruit.

Individual Scores For H. S. Quint Compiled

Below is the individual record of the players on the local high school team. Van Raalte captured the honors for being the highest scorer on the team but he was followed very closely by the captain Tommy Van Zanten.	
Names and Position	(—)
Van Zanten G	22 15 34 14 23 0
Van Lente G	9 4 10 10 16 1
Gook C	9 3 9 14 8 1
Nettinga F	10 5 9 6 6 1
Van Raalte F	26 11 32 13 11 0

Breen G.	8	6	10	9	6	2
Hill, G.	5	2	4	8	7	0
Kole G.	0	0	3	4	4	0
Jappinga C	14	6	20	41	9	2
Overweg G.	4	2	4	5	3	2
Essenburg, F.	6	5	9	7	5	0

SIX CLUBS MAY JOIN IN CENTRAL LEAGUE

Indications are that if the old Central League is re-organized, which seems likely, it will contain six clubs. They will be Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Kalamazoo, Ludington, Manistee and Cadillac. All six cities have supported league ball at some time, although Cadillac and Manistee were not in the old Central League. They did have teams in the West Michigan League several years old. Both cities are said to be willing to come into the re-organized Central League. Some quiet work has been done for the last few weeks looking toward the reorganization. No definite action will be taken, however, until about April 1, it is announced. It is expected that the salary limit will be placed at \$2,500 a month, and it is believed that the six towns will be able to support clubs at this figure. The downfall of the Mint League as it was constituted last season came because of the salaries paid. Some of the clubs paid as high as \$6,000 a month in salaries. The amount paid over the salary limit in the Mint League about represented the deficit of the clubs at the end of the season.

HOLLAND HIGH 1924-1925 BASKET BALL SQUAD



Front row—left to right, Van Raalte, Hinga, Van Lente, Nettinga Co.

The H. H. court team of this past season, although not establishing a flashy record has played good basketball and turned in an even number of wins and losses. Milton Hinga, coach, had a job on his hands when practically a green bunch reported to him at the start of the season. The players also were seriously handicapped because they were nearly all small and most of the large teams could play a game just above their heads, without them ever getting their hands on the ball. The lads all were fast and had keen eyes for the hoop but they seemed to hit all their opponents when they were traveling at their best form and they had anything but an easy schedule. At the

Essenburgh, Capt. Van Zanden, Bre

state tournament they lost to a team that they had soundly trounced a short while before. Stage fright seemed to be the biggest thing which ousted them in the first round of play, although the team, Kalamazoo Central, which defeated them won the highest honors. Nettinga, who proved to be a strong cog in the five did not join the team until the season was nearly over; Kuiper, who would have developed into a great guard but was lost to the team. However, things look brighter for next season. With Cox Van Lente as captain and Cook, Nettinga, Overweg, Jappinga and Breen returning to school a great five should be developed. A strong schedule is nearly completed already and

en, Jappinga; second row—Coach

it calls for some big games on the local court. The schedule will be printed as soon as it is completed. Below is the record established by the last team.

Holland 23—Greenville 9.
Holland 22—Muskegon 16.
Holland 15—Kazoo Normal 25.
Holland 18—G. R. Union 22.
Holland 23—Allegan 15.
Holland 13—Grand Haven 15.
Holland 20—Kazoo Normal 31.
Holland 22—St. Joseph 17.
Holland 19—Kazoo Central 15.
Holland 12—G. R. South 26.
Holland 22—G. R. Union 26.
Holland 23—G. R. South 26.
Holland 13—G. R. Haven 21.
Holland 42—G. R. Catholics 12.

A. Klompars, do	6.00
J. Drinkwater, do	6.00
J. Woltman, do	6.00
Albert Curtis, do	6.00
Joe Kolean, do	6.00
George Vander Hill, do	6.00
C. Van Duren, do	6.00
J. Van Zanten, do	6.00
Hubert Pelgrim, do	6.00
Cor. Pippel, do	6.00
George Dalman, do	6.00
J. Lokker, do	6.00
G. Woltman, do	6.00
Wm. Lawrence, do	6.00
P. Elhart, do	6.00
George Manting, do	6.00
Alex Van Zanten, do	6.00
N. J. Jonker, do	6.00
F. Jonkman, do	6.00
H. De Weerd, do	6.00
Kathryn Wabek, do	6.00
Wm. Visser, do	6.00
K. Buurma, do	6.00
H. Stegerda, do	6.00
H. De Kraker, do	6.00
Geo. Deur, do	6.00
G. W. loemdaal, labor	59.25
BPW., postage, labor	20.35
Indianapolis Blue Pt. Co., prints	12.10
John Arendshorst, do	6.00
Boston Restaurant, meals	27.30

\$3,062.24

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The committee on poor reported presenting the report of the director of poor for the two weeks ending March 18, 1925, in the sum of \$175.

Accepted and filed. The committee on ordinances gave notice that at the next regular meeting of the common council they will introduce an ordinance relative to the impounding of motor vehicles.

Messages from the Mayor
The mayor reported having received a communication from the West Mich. Safety Council relative to a convention to be held at Grand Rapids on March 23-24, 1925, and requested the mayor to send delegates representing the city of Holland. Mayor requested as many of the council members as possible attend.

On motion of Ald. Brieve, the mayor was authorized to appoint delegates. The mayor appointed as such delegates Ald. Dykstra and the clerk.

Communications from Boards and City Officers

The following claims approved by the Library Board March 16, 1925, were ordered certified to the common council for payment.

Wagenvoort and Co. binding	\$79.80
Religious Research Inst. atlas	6.00
Holland City News, supplies	1.00
BPW., light	15.40
Librarian of Congress, cards	5.82
Row, Peterson and Co., books	4.05
Literary Digest, subscription	4.00
H. R. Brink, supplies	1.05
Mich. Lib. Ass'n, dues	2.00
Fris Book Store, books	90.00
Agnes Tyse, services	23.13
Anna M. Tyse, do	28.20
Mrs. P. J. Marsilje, do	72.00
Dora Schermer, do	101.40

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

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FLOWER FUND PAVES

WAY TO ASSIST POOR
Stockholm—Happy homes for the living instead of flowers for the dead, is the aim of the Swedish "Flower Fund" drive that has just scored its first signal triumph in the laying of the cornerstones of a large building designed exclusively for the aged and infirm, who otherwise might have to end their days in the poorhouse.

The idea of such a fund was launched about four years ago by Miss Alma Hedin, sister of Sven Hedin, the explorer, and now, thanks to many small contributions in lieu of floral tributes at funerals, enough money has been procured to guarantee the financing of the first building. Others will be started later.

The first will contain 40 suites of one or two rooms with kitchen. For 25 of these the rent has been fixed at \$40 a year and for the others the rates will be determined by the cost. The tenants will be people who cannot afford to pay regular rents, but who wish to avoid the humiliation of seeking their final homes in public institutions.

SILVER FOXES FROM

CANADA IN ENGLAND

London—British farmers are watching with much interest the experiments which are being made here in an effort to make silver fox farming in England a paying proposition.

Farms have been started at Alneth in Scotland and Oxfordshire and Redhill-on-Sea. What effect this move will have on the price of silver fox fur in Great Britain cannot at present be stated, but it has been proved during the last 15 years that the best and most costly examples of the silver fox are those of animals bred in captivity. The foxes have been brought here from Canada.

IRELAND MAKES READY

TO HALT LIQUOR FLOW

Dublin—The Free State government has appointed a commission of nine persons to inquire into the excess in the number of drink shops. There are more than 15,000 in the 26 counties. Some small towns have as many as 70 shops where drink is sold. It is agreed that at least half the number should be abolished, and the work of the commission is to find out what scale of reduction should be adopted.

Jensen Used Anesthetic

In prehistoric times, Zulus and other tribes of North American Indians used a substance obtained from the Jensen weed as an anesthetic during surgical operations.

COMMON COUNCIL

COMMON COUNCIL

Holland, Mich., March 18, 1925

The common council met in regular session and was called to order by the mayor.

Present: Mayor Kammeraad, Ald. Kleis, Slagh, Brieve, Drinkwater, Laepple, Sprietama, Peterson, Brinkman, Dykstra, Van Zanten, Vander Hill and Visser and the Clerk.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

On motion of Ald. Laepple,

The regular order of business was suspended and the council proceeded to hear reports of special committees.

Reports of Special Committees.

The special committee to whom was referred the petition of the Holland Baking Co. to remodel and enlarge the present building located on the north side of W. 11th St. between Van Raalte and First avenues, reported having had the matter under consideration and recommended that such building permit be granted pro-

vided the applicant shall keep within the building line of the abutting property owners.

Adopted. Ald. Laepple was here excused from further attendance.

The special committee to whom was referred the petition for the construction of a drive-in gasoline service station at the n.w. corner of 1st avenue and 17th street, reported having duly investigated the matter and recommended that such petition be granted.

Adopted. The special committee to whom was referred the petition of the Yellow Cab Co. to construct a garage on the NE. corner of Central Avenue and 7th street, reported having had the matter under consideration and recommended that said petition be allowed in accordance with the application for the building permit.

Adopted.

The council here resumed the regular order of business.

Petitions and Accounts

Holland Gas Works submitted their report for the month of Feb., 1925.

Filed. Ed Zwemer petitioned for permission to have a popcorn booth (steel constructed) on the vacant space north of the Colonial Theater.

Referred to the committee on Licenses.

Alvah Arnold petitioned for permit to construct a brick building, 32x60 ft., estimated cost of \$7,000, on the south 32 feet of lot 1, Block 47.

Granted.

Clerk reported having received a request from the Quartermaster General for the \$15,000 contributed by the city of Holland toward the cost of the construction of the Holland Army, recommending that a warrant for said amount be made payable to the State treasurer.

Adopted and warrant ordered issued in payment of the amount.

Wm. C. Vandenberg requested the mayor and council to be his guests at the chamber of commerce banquet to be held at the Masonic Temple, Wednesday, March 25, 1925, 6:30 P. M., and furnished tickets for the occasion.

Accepted with thanks.

Clerk presented Plat of Beckers' Add. to the City of Holland for the approval of the council.

Referred to the committee on streets and crosswalks.

H. J. Molshagen and others petitioned for the construction of a side walk on the north side of 25th street east of State street.

Mrs. W. Smeenge petitioned to come under the C. S. Ordinance.

Granted.

D. Holleboom and other property owners in the vicinity of the Holland Baking Co. protested against the building of any addition or building to the Holland Baking Co. being a nuisance and a detriment to their property.

Filed.

A petition for the construction of a sidewalk on the north side of Cherry street, west of Central Avenue was referred to the Committee on Sidewalks.

Reports of Standing Committees

The committee on Streets and Crosswalks reported as follows:

"At the last meeting of the Common Council, Wm. Vander Ven and others presented a petition asking for permission to lay out a street 50 ft. wide running from Cherry St. to 26th St. and running the street 20 ft. west from the correct location of River avenue if River avenue were put thru.

This petition was referred to the committee on Streets and Crosswalks with instructions to take the matter up with the zoning commission.

Your committee has considered the matter from various angles, has gone over the property very carefully and finally met with the Zoning Commission and discussed the matter at some length with them.

After meeting the Zoning Commission, your committee on Streets and

Crosswalks and the Zoning Commission unanimously agreed to recommend to the Common Council the following:

That permission be given to put in a 50 ft. street extending from the south line of Cherry street to the north line of 26th St., making the west line of the proposed street the west line of River avenue if River avenue were to be extended.

That 25th street be opened up thru the ground to be platted to the full width of 66 ft., both east and west from the proposed street.

That 24th street be opened up thru the ground to be platted to the full width of 66 ft., west from the proposed street."

Adopted.

On motion of Ald. Brieve. It was recommended that if a plat be submitted to conform with the recommendation of the committee, it be the sense of the common council that the same should be approved.

Approved.

The committee on claims and accounts reported having examined the following claims and recommended payment thereof:

BPW., street lamps, light	\$1017.33
Mich. Bell Tel., rent, calls	13.50
Standard Grocer Co., soda	1.00
I. Ver Schure, frt., cartage	1.32
Wolverine Adv., posting	5.00
Dick Steketee, repairs	2.73
J. L. Holcomb Co., supplies	30.67
A. Brinkman, frt., cartage	1.07
Richard Overway, clerk	116.67
Helen Klompars, ass't	42.00
C. H. McBride, atty.	50.00
M. Bowmaster, treasurer	55.55
C. W. Nibbelink, assessor	108.33
J. Boerma, janitor ldy.	56.32
B. Olgers, janitor	50.00
H. P. Zwemer, coal	9.00
Klompars Coal Co., coal	15.00
City Treas., taxes (DeRidder)	5.62
Wolverine Garage, gas, supplies	13.61
Geerds Elec., socket	.50
Holleman-DeWeerd Co., repairs, tires	55.80
Lieveense Batt., repairs	2.10
A. P. Kleis, bury, dogs	3.00
Haan Bros., drugs, etc	63.05
Holland City News, printing	48.75
Nash Sales Co., repairs	4.25
H. Kraker Pig., supplies	1.84
Peoples Auto Sales Co., do	3.40
J. Zuidema, city eng.	125.00
American Profess. Co., repairs	52.40
T. Van Van Landegod, do	14.10
Scott-Lugers Lbr. Co., lumber	2.24
Holland Hudson-Essex Co., labor	1.50
De Free Hdwe., supplies	18.25
EXL Machine Shop, repairs	18.25
Tips	
Standard Oil Co., gas	20.50
H. Nyboer, compensation	14.00
Doubladay Bros., supplies	3.51
Barroughs Add. Mach. repairs	.75
Wm. Modders, do	2.10
F. Lohuis, labor	19.25
G. Van Haften, do	41.40
E. Essenburgh, do	36.00
Ted Box, do	18.50
G. Krager, do	4.05
J. Boone, do	8.10
A. Van Raalte, do	18.22
B. Coster, do	12.44
Wm. Roelofs, do	16.00
G. Appledorn, do	16.44
M. Nyboer, do	17.75
H. De Neff, do	72.20
F. De Neff, do	72.00
G. J. Ten Brinke, do	9.90
Wm. Ten Brinke, do	9.90
Al Tilma, do	12.03
G. Van Wieren, do	8.44
J. Hoolier, do	7.75
A. Vander Brink, do	36.00
City Treasurer, poor orders	9.00
City Clerk, do	2.00
Holland City State bank, do	115.00
A. VanderWelk, rent	.90
Mrs. Pauline White, nurse, (Warner)	50.00
N. Kammeraad, shoes, rubbers, (Molengraf, Chinsinsky)	21.95
H. S. Bosch, pd., and Insp.	62.50
H. Kraker Co., repairs	.97
Klompars Coal Co., coal	23.50
Bert Slagh, Election Bd.	6.00
A. P. Kleis, do	6.00
Simon Kleyn, do	6.00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners at a meeting held March 16, 1925, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

BPW., hydrants, light	\$1208.05
Mich. Bell Tel., rent, calls	23.53
City Treas., adv. fares	14.70
My Len Chem. Co., supplies	9.90
Holleman-De Weerd Co., gas	.82
Postal Tel., telegram	.44
B. P. W. lamps	1.50
Knapp Tire Shop, repairs	2.10
Walverine Garage, gas	28.92
F. T. Miles, services	75.00
J. Nies Sons, cartridges	1.50
Cor. Steketee, patrolman	66.50
P. Bontekoe, patrolman	66.50
R. Cramer, do	66.50
D. O'Connor, do	66.50
H. Sweringa, do	66.50
F. Van Ry, chief	75.00
Dick Homkes, spec.	3.00
Ed. Vander West, do	4.50
F. Zigterman, driver	66.50
Sam Plagenhoef, do	66.50
Ed. De Feyter, do and janitor	69.00
Joe en Brinke, do nad mechan.	70.00
A. Harrington, coal	18.40
Klompars Coal Co., coal	13.50
American La France Fire Engine Co., supplies	36.00
Vanden Berg Bros., gas	12.30
Van Putten Grocery, supplies	1.70
Jack Blue, do	.90
Mrs. C. Steketee, laundry	4.04
J. en Brink, supplies	1.50

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following claims approved by the B. P. W., at a meeting held on March 16, 1925, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

R. B. Champion, supt.	\$208.33
Abc Nauta, ass't	104.17
G. Appledorn, clerk	75.00
Clara Voorhorst, steno	50.00
Jose Van Zanten, do	42.50
M. B. Bowmaster, treas	20.45
Chas. Vos, stockkeeper	45.00
A. E. McClellan, chief eng.	100.00
B. Smith, eng.	80.00
F. McFall, do	70.00
F. Silkkers, relief eng.	70.00
Chas. Martin, fireman	62.50
Clarence Wood, do	62.50
F. Smith, do	62.50
C. J. Rozeboom, sta. atndt.	50.00
J. P. De Feyter, line foreman	72.00
Nick Prink-Hineman	68.00
W. De Neff, do	68.00
K. Buttles, do	52.73
Guy Pond, elec. meterman	70.87
H. Ten Cate, elec. meter tester	45.00
M. Kammeraad, troubleman	60.80
J. Kamerling, water insp.	72.00
Sam Althuis, water meterman	62.70
I. Bosman, labor	3.60
R. Damstra, do	3.20
Marlorie Kammeraad, clerical	19.80
J. De Boer, labor	58.84
J. Den Uyl, do	49.50
James Annis, do	21.95
Tealle Smith, do	8.04
E. Sever, do	7.20
A. Palmer, do	48.90
F. Sever, do	40.75
D. De Boer, do	36.82
D. Kener, do	36.82
H. Rouwhuis, do	35.33
T. Rouwuis, do	60.30
T. Rouwuis, do	3.15
American Well Works, sleeves	18.00
BPW., cooling water	937.91
International World, sub.	5.00
A. Brinkman, freight, etc.	69.92
Vanden Berg Bros., gas	39.20
BPW. Web. comm. ins.	127.79

B. P. W. Feb. light, power.

water 908.50 College and Columbia avenues and between First and Van Raalte Aves.

C. J. Fisher, services 12.00 On motion of Ald. Brieve, The matter was referred to the committee on sidewalks.

Holland City News, printing 35.95

P. Ver Howe, pipe 36.00

S. Holkeboer, pipe 41.60

L. Coster, compensation 16.34

BPW., supplies 16.37

Kardux Groc. do .40

I. Vos, oil 6.91

Mich. Bell Tel. Co., rent, calls 35.99

Burroughs Add. Co., ribbon .75

Holland Vulc. Co., repairs 1.50

Lieveense Batt., do 8.50

Knapp Tire Shop, do 1.35

HAS SERVED AS ALDERMAN FOR TEN YEARS

Frank Brive of the second ward, who was re-elected to represent his ward in the council at the recent primary, has been in the council longer in point of continuous service than any other member of that body as constituted at present. Mr. Brive has served an even ten years and when the two-year period has expired for which he was elected the other day he will have served a dozen years in succession.

And in all that time Mr. Brive has missed only two meetings of the council. Once he was absent from the city, away on a trip to Michigan City, and once he was caught in a snow storm on the way from Grand Rapids, the interurban car being stalled so that he did not arrive in Holland until after the council had adjourned.

Another record Mr. Brive holds is that he has not missed a committee meeting in all that time. He has been chairman of the committee on poor for eight years and he has served on the claims and accounts committee for five years. He has also been a member of the streets and crosswalks committee for five years, being chairman of that committee at present.

Mr. Brive has been mayor pro tem for five years.

DUBLIN LORD MAYOR IS FACING PROBLEM

Dublin—Dublin is discussing whether or not it has a lord mayor and opposite opinions are held. The practice in the past has been that the lord mayor holds office until his successor is appointed, and Lord Mayor O'Neill believes that as no successor has been appointed, he is still the lord mayor. But the lord mayor is an official of the corporation, and there is now no corporation.

The entire municipal council was suspended by the Free State government, which put in its place commissioners who are now actually administering the city. The lord mayor must be an alderman or councillor, and there are now no aldermen or councillors. The solution of the difference will, it is said, be submitted to the Supreme court.

NEW ROAD MAPS ARE BEING DISTRIBUTED

The state highway department is sending out new maps showing the roads construction in Michigan since the \$50,000,000 bond issue was adopted a few years ago. The map shows that the state has been pretty well covered with a net work of concrete trunk line highways since that time.

SCOUTS MAKE PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

The boy scout of troop A held a meeting to plan future activities. Captains were elected for the basket ball team at the regular meeting held on Monday evening. One of the things decided was to hold an overnight hike during the spring vacation. It was also decided to hold a father and son banquet on April 23. The captain elected for first basket ball team was Lucian Paulus; for the 2nd Wm. Mc Carthy.

FIVE HUNDRED BIRD HOUSES FOR FLINT

More than 500 bird houses were on exhibition last week in Flint as the result of a contest among the boy scouts of that city which began last November and ended in February. The houses and shelters on display were of seven distinct types, namely, wren, woodpecker, martin, flicker, chickadee, blue bird and robin.

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PROPOSED LATERAL SEWER

Twenty-Second Street, Between Central and College Avenues
City of Holland.

City Clerks Office, March 4, 1925
Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Holland at a session held Wednesday, March 4, 1925 adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved that a lateral sewer be constructed in Twenty-Second street, between Central and College avenues; that said lateral sewer be laid at the depth and grade and of the dimensions prescribed in the diagram, plan, and profile, and in the manner required by the specifications for the common council of the city of Holland, March 4, 1925, and now on file in the office of the clerk, and that the cost and expense of constructing such lateral sewer be paid partly from the general sewer fund of said city and partly by special assessment upon the lands, lots and premises of private property owners, abutting upon said part of 22nd street, and being adjacent to said lateral sewer, and such other lands, lots and premises as hereinafter required and specified assessed according to the estimated benefits thereto determined as follows: Total estimated cost of lateral sewer, \$1,660.26.

Amount to be raised by special assessment on private property according to estimated benefits received, \$1,425.76.

Amount to be paid from the general sewer fund, \$234.50.

That the lands, lots and premises upon which said special assessment shall be levied, shall include all the private lands, lots and premises lying within the special assessment district designated by a red line in the diagram and plat of said district by the common council, in connection with the construction of the sewers, all of which private lands, lots and premises are hereby designated and declared to constitute a special sewer district for the purpose of special assessment to defray that part of the cost and expense of constructing a lateral sewer in said part of said street in the manner hereinbefore set forth and as heretofore determined by the common council, said district to be known and designated as East Twenty-Second St. Special Sewer Assessment District.

Resolved, further that the city clerk be instructed to give notice of the proposed construction of said lateral sewer, and of the special assessment to be made, to defray part of the expense of constructing such sewer, according to diagram, plan and estimate on file in the office of the city clerk, and of the district to be assessed, by publication in the Holland City News 3 weeks and that Wednesday, April 15, 1925, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. and is hereby determined as the time when the Common Council and the Board of Public Works will meet at the council rooms to consider any suggestions or objections that may be made to the construction of said sewers, to said assessment and assessment district, and to said diagram, plan, plat and estimates.

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SPECIAL ELECTION!

SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOAN

Clerk's Office, Holland, Mich.

February 25, 1925

To the Electors of the City of Holland:

You will please take notice that at a meeting of the common council of the city of Holland, held on Wednesday the 4th day of February, A. D. 1925, the following preambles and resolutions were duly adopted, viz:—
WHEREAS, the Common Council deems it necessary to prohibit and prevent depositing filth, sewage and other impure, unwholesome and offensive matter in the waters and streams of the city and it is immediately necessary for the general welfare and health of the inhabitants of the City of Holland to provide adequate means for the reduction and disposal of sewage;

THEREFORE, for the purpose of constructing and installing a sewage reduction and disposal system, and plant, including the purchase of a site therefor and the installation of a complete and adequate system of sewage treatment, suitable for the needs of the city, it is hereby resolved:—
First, that the Common Council shall construct and install a system of sewage treatment, reduction and disposal, suitable and adequate for the needs of the city of Holland and purchase the necessary lands for a site therefor, at an estimated cost to the city of Holland of not to exceed One hundred ninety-five thousand (\$195,000) Dollars.

Second, that it is hereby determined and proposed that the said amount of One hundred ninety-five thousand (\$195,000) Dollars be raised by loan and that for the purpose on said loan, the bonds of the City of Holland be issued in the sum of One Hundred Ninety-five Thousand (\$195,000) Dollars, in the manner as follows, to wit: one hundred ninety-five (195) bonds in denominations as hereinafter set forth with interest coupons attached thereto, said bonds to be designated as "City Sewage Disposal System Bonds," and to be numbered one (1) to one hundred ninety-five (195) inclusive, and to be of like date and interest, excepting due dates and to be payable as follows:

\$ 2,000.00	August 1st, 1926
4,000.00	August 1st, 1927
6,000.00	August 1st, 1928
8,000.00	August 1st, 1929
10,000.00	August 1st, 1930
2,000.00	August 1st, 1931
12,000.00	August 1st, 1932
12,000.00	August 1st, 1933
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12,000.00	August 1st, 1935
12,000.00	August 1st, 1936
12,000.00	August 1st, 1937
12,000.00	August 1st, 1938
12,000.00	August 1st, 1939
12,000.00	August 1st, 1940
12,000.00	August 1st, 1941
12,000.00	August 1st, 1942
12,000.00	August 1st, 1943
12,000.00	August 1st, 1944
7,000.00	August 1st, 1945

The bonds to draw interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of February and the first day of August each year, both principal and interest to be paid at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Holland, and

That for the purpose of paying the interest on the above bonds as the same becomes due, there shall be annually levied on the taxable property in the City of Holland and annually assessed and collected, the following taxes:

In the year 1926 accrued interest at the rate of five per cent per annum on \$195,000 from the date of issue.

In the year 1927 the sum of \$9650.00
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In the year 1929 the sum of \$9150.00
In the year 1930 the sum of \$8750.00
In the year 1931 the sum of \$8250.00
In the year 1932 the sum of \$8150.00
In the year 1933 the sum of \$7550.00
In the year 1934 the sum of \$6950.00
In the year 1935 the sum of \$6350.00
In the year 1936 the sum of \$5750.00
In the year 1937 the sum of \$5150.00
In the year 1938 the sum of \$4550.00
In the year 1939 the sum of \$3950.00
In the year 1940 the sum of \$3350.00
In the year 1941 the sum of \$2750.00
In the year 1942 the sum of \$2150.00
In the year 1943 the sum of \$1550.00
In the year 1944 the sum of \$ 950.00
In the year 1945 the sum of \$ 350.00

and said taxes or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the interest on the above bonds are now so levied for each of the above named years.

That for the purpose of paying the principal on the above named bonds as the same becomes due, there shall be annually levied on the taxable property in the City of Holland and annually assessed and collected a tax sufficient to raise the following sums:

In the year 1926 the sum of \$ 2000.00
In the year 1927 the sum of 4000.00
In the year 1928 the sum of 6000.00
In the year 1929 the sum of 8000.00
In the year 1930 the sum of 10000.00
In the year 1931 the sum of 2000.00
In the year 1932 the sum of 12000.00
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In the year 1939 the sum of 12000.00
In the year 1940 the sum of 12000.00
In the year 1941 the sum of 12000.00
In the year 1942 the sum of 12000.00
In the year 1943 the sum of 12000.00
In the year 1944 the sum of 12000.00
In the year 1945 the sum of 7000.00

or so much thereof as may be necessary to create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem the above bonds at maturity, and said taxes in the sums above mentioned are now so levied for the years above mentioned; and said taxes or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be assessed and collected in each of the above years, and said taxes shall be applied only to the purpose named.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all moneys collected from the above taxes together with any and all other moneys which the Council may appropriate for the payment of the principal or interest of the above bonds, shall be paid into a separate fund to be known as "City Sewage Disposal System Bonds Sinking Fund" which fund is hereby established.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the moneys assessed and collected as above set forth, constituting said "City Sewage Disposal System Bonds Sinking Fund" shall be used for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of said above described bonds

as above provided and only for the purpose.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and the City Clerk, and to be negotiated at such times and in such manner as the Common Council may direct but at a price not less than the par value thereof.

WHEREAS IT IS NECESSARY and the Common Council deems it advisable to submit the proposition of raising said amount by the issuing of bonds, to the vote of the electors of the city:

THEREFORE, Be it Further Resolved:

First, That the proposition to raise the amount of One Hundred Ninety-five Thousand (\$195,000) Dollars by loan and to issue bonds of the City of Holland therefor, as hereinbefore determined and proposed and set forth, and to be payable at the time and in the manner hereinbefore set forth, be submitted to

OPPOSE MASTER HAS NEW THEORY ABOUT ROAD ACROSS THE STATE ORIGIN OF TERM "BOY SCOUTS"

The proposed plan for constructing a master highway, 100 feet in width, from Detroit to Grand Haven on trunk line M-16 is called a mistake by some Western Michigan officials. They believe that two 20-foot highways on the same right-of-way would not only be more economical, but would better serve the traffic.

"Two 20-foot highways would serve the purpose and would not be nearly so costly," says City Manager I. R. Ellison of Muskegon. "One way traffic would use the highways and there is no reason why a single way traffic highway should be wider than is necessary for two cars. At the same time two such roads would eliminate much confusion."

Mr. Ellison and Paul R. Beardsley, city commissioner, both believe that the decision between 100-foot paved highways and the double highway system must be given careful consideration.

"Present single highways 18 feet in width are becoming too congested in certain parts of the state," says Mr. Beardsley, "but I do not believe the solution is a master highway such as planned. Two highways providing one-way traffic would solve the situation, especially outside of the cities."

Farmington officials are taking the lead in the proposed plan for a master highway across the state from Detroit. Such a highway would connect the east with the west, trunk line M-16 and the West Michigan Pike.

C. E. Drew, former high school principal and always a friend of boys, has a new theory as to the origin of the name "boy scouts." It has usually been supposed that the word "scout" as applied to the boys in the international organization is derived from the word "scout" as applied to such heroes of boys as Daniel Boone and Buffalo Bill. (And parenthetically it may be said that in sober reality that is the case.)

But Mr. Drew has evolved an ingenious theory of his own which is worthy of attention and which makes the word richer in meaning. He explained his theory at the boy scout rally in the Holland high school gymnasium last Friday night.

"In the days when I was a boy," said Mr. Drew, "we used to divide grownup men into two general classes. The one class went under the name of 'good old scouts' and the members of the other class were called 'old crabs.'"

"It isn't necessary to define those two terms. Everybody knows what

they mean and everybody can easily call to mind several examples of each class. But here is the point. The 'good old scouts' are the men who have the qualities that the normal boy admires. They are the fellows who have not forgotten that they are the ones who sympathize with boys and their problems.

"The people who originated the boy scout movement, I believe, had in mind the idea of forming an organization of boys that would cause the youngsters to grow up into men who would not belong in the 'old crab' class but in the class known as 'good old scouts,' and hence what more natural than to call them 'boy scouts'?"

Mr. Drew does not insist that that shall be the only derivation of the word but he believes it is at least one of the name's acquired meanings. And he thinks the boys now in the ranks of the boy scouts in Holland will surely be "good old scouts" when they grow up.

Election Notice!

Biennial Spring Election

AND

SPECIAL ELECTION

To the Qualified Electors of the City OF HOLLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN:

NOTICE is hereby given that the next ensuing Biennial Spring Election and Special Election will be held on

MONDAY, APRIL 6

A. D. 1925

At the places in the several Wards or Precincts as indicated below, viz:

1st Ward: Second story of Engine House No. 2, 106 E. 8th Street

2nd Ward: Second story of Engine House No. 1, West 8th Street

3rd Ward: City Hall, cor. River Ave. and 11th Street

4th Ward: Polling Place 301 First Avenue

5th Ward: Polling Place, cor. Central Ave. and State St.

6th Ward: Basement floor, Van Raalte Ave. School House on Van Raalte Ave., between 19th and 20th Sts.

At which election the following officers are to be voted for, viz:

STATE—Two Justices of the Supreme Court, full term; two Regents of the University; one Superintendent of Public Instruction; one Member State Board of Education; two Members State Board of Agriculture; one State Highway Commissioner.

Also for the purpose of voting upon the following Proposition, viz:

The constructing and installing a sewage reduction and disposal system and plant.

"Shall the City of Holland raise by loan the sum of One Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand and [\$195,000] Dollars, to be used for the purpose of constructing and installing a system of sewage treatment, reduction and disposal, suitable and adequate for the needs of the City of Holland and purchase the necessary lands for a site therefor, and shall the bonds of the City of Holland, one hundred ninety-five (195) in number, to be termed "City Sewage Disposal System Bonds" to be issued therefore in the denomination of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars each, to be numbered from one to one hundred ninety-five (195) inclusive, and to be payable as follows:

Bonds Nos.—	1926	81 to 92 inclusive, August 1st.....	1936
1 and 2 August 1st.....	1927	93 to 104 inclusive, August 1st.....	1937
3 to 6 inclusive, August 1st.....	1928	105 to 116 inclusive, August 1st.....	1938
7 to 12 inclusive, August 1st.....	1929	117 to 128 inclusive, August 1st.....	1939
13 to 20 inclusive, August 1st.....	1930	129 to 140 inclusive, August 1st.....	1940
21 to 30 inclusive, August 1st.....	1931	141 to 152 inclusive, August 1st.....	1941
31 to 32 inclusive, August 1st.....	1932	153 to 164 inclusive, August 1st.....	1942
33 to 44 inclusive, August 1st.....	1933	165 to 176 inclusive, August 1st.....	1943
45 to 56 inclusive, August 1st.....	1934	177 to 188 inclusive, August 1st.....	1944
57 to 68 inclusive, August 1st.....	1935	189 to 195 inclusive, August 1st.....	1945
69 to 80 inclusive, August 1st.....			

together with interest at the rate of five per cent per annum payable semi-annually on the first day of February and August of each year.

☐ YES
☐ NO

At said election each elector voting on said question shall designate his vote on the ballot containing said proposition by a cross mark (X) placed in the ☐ opposite the word "Yes" or in the square ☐ opposite the word "No" as he may elect.

Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls

Sec. 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as may be, and shall be continued open until five o'clock in the afternoon and no longer: PROVIDED, That in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative body in cities and villages may, by resolution adopted fifteen days prior to the election and published with the notice of the election, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon, and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

RICHARD OVERWAY, City Clerk
Dated March 20, A. D. 1925

SCHEDULES NICKEL FOUND ON STREET FOR INCOME TAX

Clerks in the income tax office at Detroit laughed a bit Monday over the scrupulous honesty of a young workman who presented a return which listed among other items of income a lone nickel.

"What does that mean?" asked the astonished clerk.

"Why I found five cents on the street one day. It don't happen very often and I want it to go on record," replied the taxpayer.

And later in the day another blank came in which the taxpayer described himself as a "line repairer and wife operator."

The "wife operator" finally explained that what he meant was that he was a line repairer and the wife was a telephone operator.

LEGION BAND TO GIVE CONCERT

Arrangements have been made for another concert to be given April 10th in Carnegie Hall by the Holland American Legion band. The band has been working hard and faithfully through the winter and is ready to entertain the public with a new and up-to-date program.

The band has selected the best numbers possible for the public's entertainment and these, together with the special numbers, will afford an evening's entertainment which will be well worth while. The special numbers will include: One of the best Marimphone players obtainable, Hawaiian Sextette, Famous Dutch Comedians, The American Legion band quartette.

These numbers are all excellent and will provide an evening of enjoyment.

The band tickets will go on sale on Tuesday, March 24, and those who wish reserve seats can get them at Huizenga's jewelry store after this date.

There have been many requests for reserved seats at previous concerts and for this reason the band is having them.

WHEN MEN EARNED SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS A DAY

H. H. Hutchins has for some time been running a series in the Saugatuck Commercial Record under the head, "West Allegan County Historical Sketches." This week, among other matters, he contrasts wages and labor conditions in these parts in early pioneer days with things as they are today. Mr. Hutchins says:

"Men's wages were 75 cents a day and girls' \$1 a week. The day began as soon as we could see and ended at dark. In the fall of 1838 he built the body of his house, which was about 16x20 feet, sawed siding into shingles for the roof, put on the gable ends with rough green lumber, and the floor of the same. The first floor was laid on mud sills, and the attic floor placed on poles laid across the top of the log body. Not a window nor door, and the cracks between the logs were all open.

The fire was built on the ground, where the floor boards were left out for the purpose, and the smoke passed off through a hole in the roof left for it.

"He brought his sister and her three children there and did the best he could until he could finish the house. He made a rough door, with wooden latch and hinges, chinked the cracks, and used paper in the window holes until he could get windows, and made a large fireplace with mud and stick chimney. This is only one instance. They all had like conditions in one way or another. Few of them had money, and it was a case of 'Get on, Johny.'"

"There were five in his own family, and by the time the house was finished he took in John Billings, with his wife and five children, his father, David Hutchins, David Hall and Cyrus Cole, making a household of fourteen for the winter. Mr. McCormick had his wife and family and James Wadsworth and his wife and family and one or two others. If I remember correctly, Walter Billings was there also, so he had twelve or thirteen in the house for the winter. Help one another was the way of the state.

Actors' Superstition.
A widespread superstition in the theatrical profession is the belief that it is lucky to take the same route each night to the theater. To vary it is to invite misfortune.

ANOTHER BREED OF ENGLISH SPARROW ARRIVES HERE

The English starling, fruit destroyer and an enemy of our native bird life, has made its appearance in Michigan. Within the last few months a number of these birds have been observed by members of the Michigan Audubon Society whose headquarters are located at Ypsilanti.

The starling is about one-third larger than the English sparrow and was first introduced into the United States at New York city several years ago, from which point it has spread until it has become common in all of the eastern states. They live mostly in villages and towns and are said to be noisy and quarrelsome. It is feared that their presence may drive out other song birds which so far have been able to withstand the attacks of the English sparrow.

Ralph Beebe, of Detroit, is said to be the first observer to find starlings in Michigan, having seen two on Belle Isle in May, 1924. Since then they have been reported from various parts of the state. Last October Walter Hastings, of South Lyons, found a small flock near Milford, Mich., on Dec. 28 one was found frozen by a farmer living near the same place.

The starling is of a metallic green and purple color heavily spotted above and below with white and buff.

PERE MARQUETTE IS LEASED FOR NEARLY 1000 YEARS

Stockholders of the Pere Marquette railway meeting Saturday ratified leasing of the road to the Nickel Plate system.

This is the final step necessary, aside from permission of the Interstate commerce commission, to place the Pere Marquette in the merger being undertaken by the VanSwearingens of Cleveland.

Action of the stockholders' meeting Saturday was upon the recommendation of the company's directors as of Feb. 11 last. The proposed lease is for 999 years, similar to that presented to the New York, Chicago & St. Louis railroad, the Chesapeake & Ohio railway, the Hocking Valley railway and the Erie railroad.

Seventy-two per cent of the stock of the Pere Marquette was represented at Saturday's meeting and no dissenting vote was cast.

TALK ABOUT HUNGRY TREASURY SEEKERS, HOW IS THIS?

In Holland the bug to be city treasurer is not so busy as in some places. Mr. Bowman was the only candidate this year in a town of 15,000. There are other places, however, where there are many citizens willing to serve their country and perform their civic duties as treasurer.

A peculiar condition arose in Lake township, Macomb county, Mich. There are 2,150 voters in the township and 57 candidates for treasurer started with primary petitions. As each candidate must secure two per cent of the electors on his petition, and no elector can sign more than one petition, it was evident that it would require 360 more electors to go around. As a result, only ten qualified for the Republican primary, with five candidates for highway commissioner, four for justice, and five for constable. We don't know anything about politics on this side of

FORGER PASSES CHECKS ON ZEELAND MERCHANTS

Police and sheriff's officers were informed by Marshal William Heist of Zeeland Saturday that a young man had passed bad checks on merchants there and had stolen an overcoat late Saturday.

According to information received the young man deposited \$10 in a bank and then raised it to \$100 by forging another figure to the \$10 and made the entry with the name of Arthur Stone. One check for \$10 and another for \$40 were written by Stone and passed on merchants in the village. He is also alleged to have stolen a valuable overcoat and socks from a clothing store. When last seen he was driving a large automobile towards Grand Rapids. Officers were furnished with a complete description of the man and the car.

BAIRD WISHES TO PREVENT BLACK BASS FISHING IN LAKE MICHIGAN

That there is no law in the state regulating the taking of black bass from the waters of the Great Lakes is the assertion of John Baird, director of conservation. The present law regulates the taking of these fish only in the inland waters of the state, he points out, and he is drafting a bill that would extend protection to the black bass caught in the immediate vicinity of the waters of the Great Lakes.

Considering the opening dates of the brook trout season in both peninsulas uniform, so far has developed no opposition. The season would open May 16.

MUSKRAT PELTS STILL SCARCE

According to Michigan raw fur dealers muskrat pelts continue scarce. The kill of last season has been the lowest in years, and is reported to be valued at less than \$250,000. In 1918 considered the banner year for muskrats, the catch brought free lance trappers over \$3,000,000. This drop is laid entirely to the scarcity of breeding stock and many trappers are urging the Lansing lawmakers to declare a closed season on this fur-bearer until its depleted ranks can recover from over-trapping.

ADVANTAGES OF HOLLAND GIVEN BY MR. HUGHES

(By Jasper Seatin Hughes)

To one who had not seen Holland for a few brief years to come back and see it now there awaits an awakening. There, to the beauty of the old city park, is added a great new city hall, the great new postoffice, and the imposing new hotel, not to pile, and besides the two new banks and near by is the new Masonic temple, other hotels and other very creditable improvements.

The fine new high school building is on a par with the other new city structures which give to Holland the sure guarantee that it is no longer a little Dutch village of the wooden shoe class but a giant city now in its childhood.

The new armory sounds too much like war to deserve any praise. The glorious women who went to the Sunday schools and day schools 40 years ago, and taught prohibition to the wriggling little boys and were ridiculed by the baser elements, saw those boys grow up and march to the ballot box and give John Barleycorn the black eye. The women now have a divine quarrel with war and they will quench its fires in 20 years.

But Holland has the fine bay, a harbor for ships, an outlet for commerce, a highway to the great city of the Middle West. Of recent years capital has begun to see that the east shores of the Michigan sea (no longer a lake) are to be most valued for locations and several have bought extensively along our front and the options on sites now being taken show that vast possibilities are in waiting.

Locally viewed, here are our parks all the way down to the lake, beautiful building sites on both sides, and a drawbridge across the channel, sure to come, would make one of the most charming drives to make the round from Holland, cross the channel and return on the other side.

Beside the new stone road from Holland to Jenison Park and the waterway for boats on the beautiful bay there is already the double track interurban with great cars and there is coming a still greater direct straight six mile stone highway on the county line road that divides Holland from Allegan county, giving abundant and free access to the chain of parks.

The new buildings being erected along these avenues show that a few enlightened and far-seeing persons begin to see the predestined advantages in this favored situation where property values may in a no distant day rise by leaps and bounds.

Now that the friends of the great Lake have won the victory over Chicago in the supreme court it has drawn fresh attention to the value of living by the seashore at the heart of a great continent. There is scarcely a healthier place to live in this nation and its drinking water is the purest, cold and soft as rain water, the more appreciated now that boss alcohol is on the run.

To live in such surroundings as these and at a time of all the wonderful inventions and conveniences and to see the day approaching long ago seen by the prophets when they shall beat their swords into ploughshares and their spears into pruning hooks and nations shall learn war no more" is enough just to be happy and be and feel good about it all.

There is one thing more that Holland city must have and have it now. That is an arcade where many shops can be had under one roof and trading can be done in all kinds of bad weather and where friends can stop long enough to shake hands and exchange a word. An arcade is the greatest advertisement as well as the greatest convenience for all kinds of weather we have. It is a thing of beauty and a giver of prestige above all else to a city. And then at the same time we should have a market house where producers can sell direct to consumers to help out what the late congress failed to do for the farmers who expected it.

TWO MEN CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY TOGETHER

The birthday anniversaries of Dr. P. H. Fisher of Hamilton and Mr. Albert Kronmeyer of Central Park fall on the same date, March 10, and for some years they have been in the habit of celebrating the event together. This year the day of celebration was in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kronmeyer at Hamilton were: Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Fisher and their daughter Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schutmaat, Mr. and Mrs. George Schutmaat, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brower, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Klomparsen, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hagelkamp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoffman and family, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kolvoord Jr., and family. It was a very pleasant occasion in every way and Dr. Fisher and Mr. Kronmeyer are starting another new year with the best wishes of many friends.—Allegan Gazette.