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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

VOLUME FORTY-SIX

Thursday, May 3, 1917

NUMBER EIGHTEEN

Boys' Coaster Wagon Sale FOR SATURDAY ONLY

Last year we contracted for 100 coaster wagons for 1917 delivery. We received them this month, and although they are worth from 50c to a dollar more today, we'll sell them at a discount off the old prices. Here they are:

All \$2.10 Wagons for \$1.89	All \$4.30 Wagons for \$3.87
" 2.75 " " 2.47	" 4.50 " " 4.05
" 3.25 " " 2.92	" 4.90 " " 4.41
" 3.90 " " 3.51	

And a few small Toy Wagons (very strong) at 27c, 36c, 58c and 76c.

Some of these wagons are ball bearing and some are not, but they are all as strongly constructed as they can make them.

Remember the Special Sale is for One Day Only . . . This Week Saturday

A. PETERS'
5 and 10c Store and Bazaar
East 8th St. and Central Ave.

Consult Us

ABOUT YOUR EYESIGHT. Perfect fitting glasses at reasonable prices—No charge for examination. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

W. R. STEVENSON

THE OPTICAL SPECIALIST

24 East Eighth Street

Holland, Michigan

SHOOT AT A MARK

If you have a savings account that is under \$100.00 resolve that you will build it up to \$100. If it is close to the \$500.00 mark, determine that you will make it \$500. If it is possible to build it to \$1000, do that and you will have the satisfaction of saying to yourself not only that you have done what you started out to do; but that you have profited by it.

The hunter who shoots blindly at a flock of swift flying birds, goes supperless to bed; but the man who pulls the trigger when he sights the game along his gun barrel, invites his friends to a quail dinner.

It is just the result of shooting at a mark.

THE FIRST STATE BANK

FOR SALE—Seed Potatoes. H. P. Zwemer, 275 E. 8th St. Phone 1460.

A FREE DUST PAN

E. Z. Dust Pans free. All subscribers paying one year in advance can receive an E. Z. Dust Pan absolutely FREE. You don't have to break your back to sweep up the dust but you can stand erect with this new kind of a pan. This applies to old as well as new subscribers. \$1.00 pays the Holland City News pan free.

WANTED—Machinist and bench hands, also helpers for both day and night force. Western Machine Tool Works. 3t20

HOLLAND MUSIC LOVERS WORKING FOR \$100 PRIZE

CHICAGO COMPANY WANTS MUSIC WRITTEN FOR NESBIT'S POPULAR POEM

Hope College School of Music Will Also Try to Win the Prize

Prof. J. B. Nykerk has received a communication from the P. H. Voland Co., Music Composers, asking that his students of the Hope College School of Music compose the music for the great patriotic poem "Your Flag and My Flag" by Nesbit, that has been published in this paper within the past few weeks.

These beautiful words set to music may give some talented young musician of Holland a \$100 prize and a royalty on each copy sold, provided the judges think that his or her music is the best.

Mr. Nykerk says that these royalties run as high as \$50,000 and more as the poem is very timely and owing to the patriotic spirit that pervades this country, no doubt a great many copies will be sold. The music must express strength, dignity and contain an element of popularity.

There is one sure thing that the competing students in Holland will have their work gone over by able judges as is evidenced from the following list of eminent musical critics: Felix Borowski, music editor of the Chicago Herald and member of the faculty of the Chicago Musical College; Leonforte Campani, Director General of Chicago Grand Opera Co.; Mr. Korleton Hackett, Music Editor of Chicago Evening Post, also member of faculty of American Conservatory of Music; Dr. P. C. Lutkin, Dean of School of Music at Northwestern University.

DRUNKS GETTING FEWER; ONLY TWO DURING THE MONTH

Drunkenness seems to be on the wane in the City of Holland. This has been very noticeable the past six months; whether the vote of last fall had anything to do with this falling off is a matter of conjecture, but of the 33 arrests made the past month, 23 were for other offenses, while ten were hauled up for drunkenness.

The police report as a rule has shown the opposite story.

Besides the drunks there was one arrest made for larceny, 1 for burglary, one for vagrancy, six for violating the vehicle ordinance, six for riding bicycles on the sidewalk, two for violating dog quarantine, one for assault and battery, three for auto speeding, and one for speeding motorcycle.

There were 21 lodgers during the month and seven merchants left their places of business open all night so that the burglars could take all they had, three merchants left their stores in total darkness also making them easy prey to thieves.

COUNCIL CO-OPERATES WITH HOLLAND HOSPITAL ASS'N

KREMER'S SITE TO BE WELL TAKEN CARE OF BY THE COUNCIL

That the Holland Hospital Association is alive is evident. At the regular meeting of the Common Council last evening, the Association reported progress, and requested that the city of Holland should co-operate for the permanent maintenance of the hospital. The council did their part by introducing resolutions that the Park Board take care of the ground, the hospital site adjoining the city park, that the city through the Board of Public Works maintain the light and water bills, and that the city supply fuel and two hundred dollars annually for the upkeep of the hospital. After these resolutions had passed unanimously, Mayor Vanderschueren complimented the council on the stand which they had taken for the welfare of the city at large.

APRIL THE WETTEST MONTH IN FIVE YEARS

Observer Schurrsbusch of the Grand Haven weather bureau has issued the monthly meteorological summary covering the recent month of April.

The highest temperature during the month was 72 degrees on the 18th and the lowest was 21 degrees on the 9th. The mean temperature for the month was 41 degrees which is about three degrees below the average normal for April. The rainfall during April has amounted to 4.40 inches, making it the wettest April in five years. The record for the month is 5.52 inches attained in April, 1911.

There were seven clear days in April 14 partly cloudy and 9 cloudy.

Henry Den Uyl and Miss Jennie De Pree were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at their future home 47 East 16th street by Rev. John Van Peursem. They were attended by Smoe Den Uyl, brother of the groom and Miss Mary De Pree sister of the bride. There were about 80 guests present including guests from Grand Rapids and Detroit. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. De Pree and Mr. Den Uyl is the well known local agent for Fleischman Yeast Co.

COMMON COUNCIL APPOINTS COMMITTEE TO MEET AT RALLY

CITY SPENDS \$3,158.53 FOR ITS POOL DURING YEAR; CITY BOOKS AUDITED AND FOUND O. K.

Councilmen Are Appointed to Meet With Boards to Keep in Touch With What is Going On

The meeting of the Common Council at the City Hall Tuesday evening consisted in the disposing of incidentals and nothing more. Arguments were left on the shelf at home.

Resolutions from the local Knights of Pythias were entertained that all Fraternal organizations of the city unite for big patriotic rallies. The mayor appointed as a committee to meet with the Fraternal committees Aldermen Wiersema, Drinkwater, and Dykstra and a citizens committee composed of Prin. Drew, Ray Nies and John S. Dykstra.

The Board of Public Works recommended that as no bids had been received for the construction of the concrete reservoir on Seventh Street, the work be done by day labor. The Council approved the recommendation.

Under Motions and Resolutions the Council granted the committee on Decoration Day exercises \$225 instead of \$150 in view of the bigger celebration that the committee has in view this year.

The Ways and Means committee reported that the auditing of the city books had been completed and found correct in every detail. The Council thru the Mayor complimented the city officers upon their efficient work.

The Streets and Crosswalks Committee asked that it be granted authority to purchase material for the construction of sewer and water connections on 24th street. Granted by the Council.

The Poor Committee reported an expenditure of \$84 for the two weeks ending May 2, and brot in an annual report for the fiscal year of \$2205 and expenditures for temporary aid for the fiscal year \$953.53.

The committee on Public Lighting asked that a light be placed on the corner of State and 23rd street. Other committees reported progress.

At the suggestion of the council, the Mayor was authorized to appoint visiting committees to the various city boards. It will be the duty of all or one or more of these committee members to visit the meeting of the City Board as often as possible so that whenever discussions arise in the council, members will be informed. The Mayor appointed the following:

To Board of Public Works—Kammeraad, Lawrence, and Congleton.
To Park Board—Wiersema, Brink, and Ver. Schure.
To Police Board—Brieve, Dobben and Dykstra.
To Board of Health—Prins, Drinkwater and Vander Liest.
To Library Board—Brink, Drinkwater and Kammeraad.
To Board of Compulsory Sewer Connections—Congleton, Wiersema and Drinkwater.
To Good Roads—The Street Committee.

SCHOOL BOYS TO BE FARMERS SOME ALREADY ON FARM

TEN BOYS LEAVE FOR FARM SATURDAY TO HELP TILL THE SOIL

Those Students Up in Work Can Get Two Weeks Stretch from Studies.

The following boys will leave for the farm Saturday: Walter Steketee, Harvey De Weerd, Clarence Olin, Charles Zeerip, Julius Belt, Arthur Neerken, Henry Bouwerman, Floyd Bedell, Bastian Trip, George Hill.

In common with other communities, Principal Drew of the High school is doing his best to enlist the young pupils of the school to aid on the farms and thus help Uncle Sam fight the war with a hoe.

The above named boys will be on the farm all day Saturday and if it is found that they are up in their work they will be given a two weeks stretch to help cultivate the soil and thus aid the food supply in this vicinity.

It is Mr. Drew's intention to have the boys work in relays so that they may not be away from their studies altogether. Some of the boys are already on a farm and have been for a week. Morris Stegerda is one of them. The boys are being used on the farm at the Park and also on the McAllister farm at Gibson. Russell Rutgers and Lyman Lage will start to work on the latter named farm Saturday.

Any farmer in need of help owing to the increased acreage that he is tilling will do well to write Principal C. E. Drew of the Holland High school and he will see that the available boys are given a place.

LETTERS FROM THE FRONT REACH THIS PAPER

BOYS AT PORT ROYAL, S. C. SEND A JOINT LETTER FOR THE FOLKS AT HOME.

Message Explodes Rumors That Several Did Not Pass.

Rumors have been going around that several of the boys who joined the marine corps had failed to pass the final examinations.

The following interesting letter constructed particularly by each one of the boys is self-evident that they have all gone thru the ordeal and are now in the marine corps ready to fight for Uncle Sam.

The letter follows:

Marine Barracks, Paris Island, South Carolina,

We decided to write to the paper, cause we can't afford to buy stamps for all our friends.

We want to say to all the boys in Holland that there is no better branch of service in U. S. than the Marines. We all get good substantial food, such as fresh meat, potatoes, tea, coffee and bread and some kind of a sweet for dessert. Don't be a boy to be drafted because you will be no good and thought of as yellow—then you get what's coming to you. Another reason is that they are shooting us thru in nine weeks instead of three months. Well this is all I have to write at present only don't everyone of you forget to write to us. We can't write very often, but what we do write and what you people write is not opened so write anything you want to.

Well, here we are in camp, sleeping in true soldier style in tents. We arrived here Friday evening and slept in a large building the first night, but are in tents now. Everything is fine here and we are all in good health. We all passed our exams, in good shape and all that remains to be done before we are full-fledged marines is to take the oath, which we will probably do today. There seems to be no Protestant services here on Sunday only Catholic. Well, as a body we want to thank the city most sincerely for the wonderful send-off that was given to the wonderful send-off that was given us and also for the flowers which we all have in our Bibles and want to keep them as long as possible. We expect to be in this special camp for a week and then we go to a maneuvering camp seven miles distant for another week or ten days and then to the main camp and into Barracks where we stay for six or seven weeks and then, where we go, no one knows. The officers here are certain that the draft bill will surely pass within a week then they are talking of what they will do to the fellows that come in after that. Therefore it is our advice that the Holland fellows join right away. Well, I must close now as some of the other fellows want to add some to this letter. Well, good-bye and tell everyone to write to us as our mail gets to us, no matter where we roam.

There are fellows here of every nationality and creed. Yesterday when the officer asked us of what religion we were one fellow said he was "Texan" and another said "I'm a sinner".

At six o'clock the mail is called off and nothing is more welcome than a letter from home.

Usually after supper there are one or two round boxing matches going on and after we get in the Barracks there will be movies and music.

We decided that this will be enough news for the first time. Probably the next time you receive letters we will be in a different camp. Once again, readers, don't forget to write as there are anxious fellows at this end.

With best regards,
Marshal Irving,
Stanley Wall,
Norman Cobb,
Benjamin Rutgers.

MEETING TONIGHT NOT A PUBLIC MEETING

BUT COMMITTEES FROM DIFFERENT LODGES AND ORGANIZATIONS MEET TO CONFER

The patriotic meeting to be held this evening is not exactly a public meeting, although all interested can attend.

The meeting is really intended to have different representatives of the different organizations and lodges confer with one another for the purpose of organizing into one large organization. No doubt a big demonstration will result by virtue of the meeting tonight.

John De Kruij of Bangor, is visiting friends here today. Mr. De Kruij formerly resided in Zeeland, but is now in the drug business at Bangor.

The office force of the Holland Furnace Company last night banqueted at Crawford's Cafe, Jensen Park in honor of Hoyt G. Post, manager of the credit department, who leaves for the officer's training camp in a week. He was presented with a leather traveling toilet case.

Dr. C. P. Brown of Spring Lake who is seriously ill at his home in that village was reported to be in a very critical condition today and little hope is held out for his recovery. Doc Brown has a host of friends in Holland. He has been quite a power in Republican politics and a great speaker on the floor of a convention.

WANTED—Strong, healthy men of good habits over 21 years old for attendants at Ionia State Hospital. Good wages. Personal application preferable. Otherwise give age, height, weight, previous occupation and names of references to Eugene Owne, General Supervisor, Box 494 Ionia, Michigan.

Gerrit Raak of New Holland was gathered in by Officer Steketee Friday night for looking upon the wine too freely. He paid a fine of \$4.00. Gerrit Van Schelven's court. This is the first case Van has had since being elected for this office two weeks ago. Justice business is not new to G. Van Schelven, he having occupied that position for more than twenty years before he was appointed postmaster.

Mrs. Ed Hewitt of Trowbridge presented the city editor of The Allegan News with six fine fresh eggs last Saturday. The lady has a flock of twenty hens that lay daily 18, 19, or 20 eggs, and they are mommoth eggs too. Six of them weighed 16½ ounces and one large egg weighed four ounces and measured 6½ inches by 8¼ inches. Some egg—Allegan News.

COSSIP & OUR CORRESPONDENTS

ZEELAND

Dr. Fred Brower has taken the agency in this territory for the Saxon automobile.

Wm. B. Kellogg of South Haven, was in the city Monday. Mr. Kellogg is a well known horseman and had many fast steppers when Holland was more in the racing game.

Cornelius B. Meste of Grand Rapids and Henry C. Jacobs of this city will assume pastorate in the east in May. Meste will go to Amsterdam, N. Y. and Jacobs to Albany, N. Y.

Mayor James E. Harley of Aurora, Ill., has announced he will give fifty bushels of seed potatoes to poor families who will use them in the "plant a lot" campaign. Seed potatoes dropped 50 cents a bushel there today.

Supt. of Police Carroll of Grand Rapids, has placed six new motorcycle cops on duty and from now on an active campaign will be waged against speeders about that city with mufflers open.

Miss Dorothy Bosman of New Holland will be valedictorian of the class of 1917 of Holland High school. Her scholarship percentage was 96.14. Salutatorian Miss Ruth Bauhahn had a percentage of 95.6.

A freight car on the Michigan R'y Monday morning at 6:50 jumped the track at the curve just below the hill at the East Limits. For two hours traffic was tied up. Conductor Palmer and Motorman Mulder were in charge of the motor.

The Ladies Aid Society of the School for Christian Instruction will hold their next meeting on Friday afternoon.

Jacob Boonstra and Frank Boonstra were in Grand Rapids on business Monday.

Henry Bouwens spent Monday in Grand Haven.

L. Ardenburg who has occupied the upstairs of the home of Mrs. C. Pieper on Church street moved Monday to the residence of G. Moeke and Sons on Taft avenue.

Samuel P. De Pree who has been ill with pneumonia for the past three weeks, is recovering.

Gerrit Elenbaas has purchased the new bungalow of Albert Timmer which the latter recently erected on Cherry street. Mr. Elenbaas will move into his new home this week Thursday. Mr. Elenbaas who recently purchased the residence which Mr. Elenbaas occupied on Church street, will move into that home this week.

Samuel P. De Pree, who has been ill with pneumonia for the past three weeks is recovering.

Mrs. Henry Dornbos returned to Grand Haven Tuesday after spending a few days visiting with relatives in Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Bouwens and four children who have been spending the past winter at White Cloud, Minn., where Mr. Bouwens acted as salesman for a large shoe and rubber concern, returned to their home here Friday. Mr. Bouwens will immediately take up his position at the Bouwens shoe store.

At a consistory meeting of the 1st Reformed church Friday evening it was decided to build a basement under the church and make several other changes in the church building.

Harm Bromsen of Crisp was in the city on business Friday.

Miss Jeanette Schaap who is attending the Normal at Kalamazoo is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Schaap.

C. Rosenraad was in Grand Haven on business Friday.

Herman Kooiker of Hamilton was in Zeeland Friday. His son, Marvin, returned to Zeeland Friday from Grand Rapids where he is attending business college.

J. De Kruif of Bangor is visiting with relatives and friends in this city.

The Ladies Good Will society met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. Brouwer on East Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Geerlings of Jamestown were in the city on business Friday.

Sheriff Dornbos was in the city on business Friday.

The paving of Main street is progressing nicely. Gerrit Beekens, a Grand Rapids contractor is putting in the curbing. The street from State St. west will be first paved.

Att. J. N. Clark has returned from a business trip to Detroit.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. Kleinjans—a son.

This week Friday evening Major Stewart of Grand Rapids was at Zeeland to give the eight recruits from this city their military training at Wyngarden Hall. This practice will be continued until they are sent to the mobilizing camp.

Mrs. Milan Huyser left for Grand Rapids Saturday for a stay with relatives there. Mr. Huyser also spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Harold Van Loo of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wolf of Grand Rapids and formerly of Zeeland spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. C. Pieper.

Mrs. J. Languis spent Sunday visiting in Rusk at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Gerrit Schrottenboer, who is slowly recovering from a serious illness.

Alfred Van Voorst, formerly of Zeeland who is now employed in Cadillac, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Martin Sterken of New Groningen is erecting a new barn on his farm.

Pearl and Henrietta Allen of Grand Rapids are visiting at the home of their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. Barense.

Gerrit Buter who is employed in a drug store at Kalamazoo, spent Sunday visiting with relatives in Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Schut and children of Grand Rapids spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. Schut's mother, Mrs. A. De Groot on West Main street. Mr. Schut was formerly in the employ of the City of Zeeland.

Miss Cornelia Kloosterman of Kalamazoo is visiting with relatives and friends in Zeeland and vicinity.

Boy Heasley who is attending M. A. O. visited with relatives here this week.

Mrs. J. Meyer has returned from a week's visit with her sister in Grand Rapids.

An interurban car left the track just west of Jamestown Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. This is the fourth time that a car was derailed within a week. In this case the car which left the track was a freight car and each time it occurred while the car was making a curve in this vicinity. The first time the incident occurred was at the curve at Saugatuck. Last week Thursday two freight cars left the track on the curve at the east limits of this city. Thursday evening a large pole was snapped off at the west limits of Zeeland and also a freight car was derailed. Traffic was delayed several hours when a freight car left the rails Saturday. The car had jumped across another track and snapped off two of the poles. Sunday morning at 5 o'clock the line was in repair again.

Chester Hulst, the one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hulst died very suddenly Monday at the home of his parents one mile east of the Oakland creamery. The child died of brain fever. Funeral services will be held Friday at 12 o'clock at the home in Oakland, the Rev. Wm. M. Terpstra officiating. Interment at Bentheim cemetery.

The Tryphosa society of the First Reformed church will meet Friday evening at the home of Miss Cornelia Derks on Main street.

Miss Troby Goller, who has for two years been at the head of the millinery department of the A. La Huis Co. store was suddenly taken ill with appendicitis Sunday. She was operated upon Monday afternoon by Dr. H. Vanden Berg of Grand Rapids, assisted by Dr. J. De Pree of Zeeland. Miss Goller, who home is at Jackson, is recovering nicely.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Vanden Berg spent Tuesday in Zeeland.

Mrs. F. M. Werm of Detroit is spending a fortnight's visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. De Kruif.

The Rev. Wm. D. Vander Werp of Drenthe was in Zeeland Tuesday.

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A large wedding occurred here last week Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lanning when their daughter Minnie was united in marriage to Henry Wyngarden of Vriesland. Rev. W. Vanden Werp officiated. Miss Agnes Wyngarden a sister of the groom played the wedding march. They will make their home on a farm near Vriesland.

William Kok lost a valuable horse last week Wednesday.

Miss Kate Slik of Grand Rapids visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Slik Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ver Hulst of Hamilton attended the entertainment here last Thursday evening.

Miss Jennie Boer and John Boer and Ed Kole attended the cantata in Hamilton the past week.

The Misses Hattie and Lora Brouwer and Henry Mast were the guests of Miss Hattie Van Haltsma of Vriesland last week Tuesday morning.

ZEELAND MILKMEN BUY LICENSES FIRST TIME

NEW ORDINANCE TAKES EFFECT TUESDAY; MILK SELLING AT SEVEN CENTS

One of the most stringent and important ordinances passed recently by the solons of Zeeland, went into effect Tuesday, May 1. It is an ordinance demanding good, pure milk. The anticipation of it by the milkmen led to a recent raise in price from six to seven cents.

The ordinance is to license producers and persons selling milk, cream and milk products; to provide for the inspection of dairy herds, dairies, and milk and to regulate the care and sale of milk. The milkmen were heretofore free from buying a license but on Tuesday all persons engaging in the production for sale, delivery or distribution of milk had to have a license. The Board of Health issues the licenses upon the payment of the following: for selling milk or cream from wagons, \$5 for each wagon engaged; from a dairy, restaurant, creamery or milk company, \$2; for selling from the house or when delivered by hand at the rate of \$1 for each cow supplying the milk. The money thus collected together with the fines received, if any, will be turned into the Public Health fund to be used by the Board of Health.

The ordinance further demands that the milk wagons shall be covered to adequately guard against sun and dust. No person may sell milk in quantities less than a gallon except in sterilized bottles. All cows must be given the tuberculin test. The milk must be absolutely pure and have a temperature of less than sixty degrees Fahrenheit.

Any person violating the ordinance will be punished for the first offense by a fine not exceeding \$10 or ten days imprisonment in the county jail; for the second offense a fine not exceeding \$25 or 25 days imprisonment and for the third offense a fine not exceeding \$100 or 90 days in jail.

MUSIC FEST WAS HELD MONDAY NIGHT

In spite of inclemency of the weather, a merry music fest was held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. M. J. Hoffman on East Thirteenth street.

The program consisted entirely of vocal music, and was furnished entirely by her pupils.

An impromptu limelight was produced by focusing the light of one chandelier into the music room, and leaving the other rooms in semi-darkness, producing quite a theatrical effect.

All of the pupils sang artistically and showed the results of careful training. The accompaniments were all played by Mrs. Hoffman.

Holland is indeed fortunate in having such an experienced and capable vocal teacher.

PETER KOROSE TAKES BRIDE IN CHICAGO

Peter Korose, one of the proprietors of the Palace Billiard hall, has taken unto himself a bride. Miss Hariklia Arachovitis of Chicago Sunday was united in wedlock with the local business man at the home of her parents and in the presence of a large company of friends.

The romance dates back five years ago when the Korose brothers were in business in Chicago. There he first met his bride. They will make their home at 28 East 8th street.

MICHIGAN TO HAVE TEN PER CENT OF NORMAL PEACH CROP

Muskegon, April 30—Ten per cent of a normal peach crop is all that Michigan will raise this year, asserts John Carmody, state horticulturist of the M. A. C. in this city, Saturday, bent on explaining to Muskegon county farmers the need of spraying operations immediately. Mr. Carmody has traveled about the state extensively this spring and says his statement as to the small peach crop comes after a most careful and detailed survey of conditions as they actually exist.

LAD OF 17 IS HELD ON LARCENY CHARGE

Justice G. Van Schelven, whose first cases in court after assuming his duties as justice, were six drunks, two Saturday and four today, says, "They are offering the same stories they did 28 years ago."

William Barber, a youth, was arraigned in Justice Van Schelven's court Monday a. m., on the charge of larceny from a dwelling. In the complaint, it is alleged that he broke into the boarding house of Peter Kuyers, two miles north of the city, and stole \$2.14.

He is a stranger, having come here recently from Bay City. It was the old story of looking for work and couldn't find it, but the court found that hard to believe. Barber was bound over to the next term of circuit court.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENTINEL BOYS

LEFT FOR THE COAST SATURDAY—WILL WRITE IN DETAIL LATER.

The Sentinel boys who went to the front have passed the rigid examinations and left for California Saturday where they will be placed with the coast artillery.

Elmer Poppe writes: Dear Ben:—

Am busy as a bee. This is the first chance I had to write. Well dear friend I went thru O. K. Expect to leave for the coast, Saturday, April 28. Say but Columbus is some town. We certainly are getting fine grub.

Give my best to the bunch and tell them that as soon as our heads clear we will write and tell you all that there is to know.

So long, POPPE.

Morris Moody writes:—

Just a card to let you know that we are all o. k. and am having a good time. We have not had very much drilling yet. We have afternoons off and we look the town over. Poppe and I passed and expect to leave Monday. Don't know where; will let you know later. We are in uniform.

Moody.

THREE LEFT MONDAY TWO YESTERDAY

FIVE MORE RECRUITS FROM HOLLAND GO TO PORT ROYAL

A large crowd of friends Monday afternoon escorted Geo. Glupker, Peter Marcusse and Marinus Kole to the station and waved farewells as they left on the 2:25 for Grand Rapids as the first lap of the journey to Port Royal, S. C. These three young men have enlisted in the Marines.

Harold Gold and Wilbur Oudermolen, two other Holland high graduates, left this city Wednesday. They have also joined the Marines.

WEST MICHIGAN STATE FAIRGROUNDS WILL BE PLOUGHED FOR FARMING

The West Michigan State Fair association will plant 20 acres of the fair grounds to beans and then sow rye to aid in increasing the food supply and will apply the profits on the debts of the organization. H. G. Smith, Kent county agricultural agent will get as advisor on soil preparation. Tractors and gang plows will be secured. The fair will be held September 17 to 21 and plans suggested by the federal department of agriculture will be followed in placing premium money on agricultural products and livestock. Cost of production and production per acre will be important factors in the awarding of premium.

JOINE O. E. S. AT 80 AFTER SERVICE OF FIFTY YEARS

Mrs. Lura Kress and Mrs. G. A. Lacey, officers of the Star of Bethlehem, O. E. S., of this city, attended the initory service of the Fennville O. E. S. Friday night. Saugatuck and Douglas were there in large numbers and the Douglas chapter conferred the work for the Fennville chapter. A very peculiar and touching incident, comes to light through the initiation. Just fifty years ago Mrs. Rebecca Dutcher now close to 80 years old, helped to organize a Masonic order in Douglas by offering her own home as a meeting place and making with her own hands thirty white aprons. Her own family Bible was used until she earned the money herself with which to buy a new one and presented the newly organized lodge with the Bible for their hall.

First, for some reason or another, it seemed impossible for this grand woman to become identified with the Chapter. For 35 years she devoted her life to the care of an invalid daughter, who during the past years was called Home and in less than another week also lost a son. Now in her declining years, for the first time, she has found it possible to identify herself with the order she loved. The ceremonies were most beautiful and impressive and all present spoke highly of the work as portrayed by the Douglas officers. After the ceremonies two hundred visitors and members partook of the banquet prepared by the Fennville order and enjoyed a social hour.

RESIDENT OF HOLLAND TWENTY YEARS, DEAD

J. S. DOGGER, 59 YEARS, SURVIVED BY THREE SONS AND TWO DAUGHTERS.

Jacob S. Dogger, 59 years old, died Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Ebelink, after an illness of two weeks. He is survived by three sons and two daughters. Simon and James of this city and Peter of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Henry Ebelink of Central Park, and Miss Bessie of Grand Rapids.

The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 o'clock at the Ebelink home, Central Park. Mr. Dokker had been a resident of this city for the past 20 years.

ROOF BLOWS OVER HOUSE INTO FIELD

The roof, from the horse barn on the farm of Gerrit Hesselink was lifted completely off, blown over the house and deposited in the field without doing damage to anyone or anything but the roof itself.

A sudden gust of wind a little more than the others made an aeroplane of the barn covering.

WARNS PARENTS WHOSE SONS PLAN TO CULTIVATE FARMS

Fearing that the average farm hand is an unfit companion for boys, Prof. O. S. Morgan, head of the department of agriculture at Columbia university, is sending a warning to parents whose sons are planning to spend the summer as farm laborers that the environment should be investigated before the boys are allowed to go on the farm.

"Every parent should investigate most carefully the particular farm to which the boy is to be sent," Professor Morgan says. "Whenever it is possible the parents should have a personal acquaintance with the farmer and his employees. The average farmer is a satisfactory companion for boys, but his farm hands are usually unfit companions for boys from 12 to 16 years of age."

UNIVERSITY TO SEND TWO HOSPITAL UNITS

The University of Michigan is to have two hospital units with the American ambulance corps in France.

Ralph Starrett, of Montclair, N. J., a student has obtained permission of President Hutchins to enlist 25 men for one company.

The ambulance company must be supported and maintained by the alumni.

DEAD MAN IS SON OF FIRST PROFESSOR AT CALVIN COLLEGE

SON-IN-LAW OF JAS. A. BROUWER AND BROTHER OF REV. BRUINOOG OF CRISP.

Wm. Boer died at Hudsonville, Mich., at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at the age of 38 years. He was born in Grand Rapids in 1879. His father was Prof. G. E. Boer, first professor in Calvin College. Mr. Boer entered the milling business at Hudsonville in 1908 and has been very successful.

July 18, 1912, he was married to Miss Gertrude Brouwer, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Brouwer, of Holland.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 11:30 from the residence of Mrs. G. S. Boers at Hudsonville and at two o'clock from the La Grave Avenue church at Grand Rapids. Rev. H. Beets will officiate.

He is survived by a wife and two children, Gordon and Louise, an aged mother, two sister, Winnie and Jessie, at Hudsonville and one sister, Mrs. Bruinoog of Crisp, Michigan and one brother, Gerard at Grand Rapids.

THIRST PLACES OPEN ONE HOUR LONGER

May 1st saloons are open from 6 to 10 instead of 7 to 9. Last November, as is the understanding and has been for some time the saloons are open in the winter from 7 to 9, but no sooner does May 1 arrive and the balmy air is with us when the thirst parlors are allowed two more hours in which to dispense drinks.

The ushering in of the extra time was Tuesday when those who hustled in a little before 9 to blow the suds from the top of one more schupper found that they had an extra hour to drink it in.

HANS DYKHUIS IN DRIVE ACROSS STATE

Another consignment of Ford cars reached Grand Haven Monday morning from Detroit having been driven across the state by Grand Haven drivers for Thielman Auto Co., distributors for the Ford.

The drivers were Hans Dykhuis, C. Thielman, Bert Fant, Harold Westerhof, Ed Behm and John Vyn, jr.

The tourists arrived in Grand Haven at 6 o'clock in the morning.

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MAN IS FOUND HANG- ING IN BARN, DEAD

**JULIUS ZELINKA, MISSING BUT A
FEW MINUTES, FOUND HANG-
ING FROM RAFTER**

Missing but a few minutes Thursday morning the body of Julius Zelinka, 24 years old, residing just west of Agnew, this county, was found hanging from a rafter in the barn at his home. Zelinka, who is a Hungarian by birth, has been residing with his stepfather, his mother and brothers on a place located near Agnew. According to the story told Dr. Preley during his investigation of the case, Julius was of a very moody disposition, subject to fits of melancholia and brooding, which at times became serious.

However severe these spells have been in the past the young man has always in time completely recovered from them, and cheered up to a normal condition of mind. Recently he spent several weeks in Benton Harbor and returned but a short time ago to the family home near Agnew, where he assisted his stepfather and two brothers in running the farm. As nearly as could be determined there had been no particular family troubles to upset him in any way. According to the information secured by Dr. Presley, county coroner, that morning Julius arose before daylight and went out to the barn to do some of the morning chores. Shortly afterwards his stepfather, Sam Sulka, also arose and went to the barn. He returned to the house shortly and was asked to call Julius from his work. The stepfather stated that Julius was not in the barn and no response being received from the calls he went back to the barn with other members of the family to investigate.

Within a few feet where Sulka had been working just a few minutes before, the body of Julius was discovered suspended by a rope from a rafter. The young man had apparently thrown down feed for the horses and had then swung a rope over one of the rafters of the hay loft, fastening the noose about his neck. He was quite dead when found. As soon as possible the coroner was called.

After going into the details of the affair very carefully Dr. Presley decided that the suicide was too evident to require an inquest and the body was released for burial. Funeral services will be held at the home Saturday and burial will be in Agnew.

No reason can be assigned for the suicide with the exception that perhaps Julius was again attacked by a severe fit of melancholia and while in this state of mind, decided to end his life. He left no message as far as could be ascertained.

\$2,000 IN GIFTS ARE LEFT HOPE COLLEGE

**COUNCIL PETITIONS PRESIDENT
AND SENATORS FOR NATIONAL
PROHIBITION.**

The Hope College Council, representative men of the Reformed Church in America, petitioned President Woodrow Wilson and the senators from Michigan for legislation effecting national prohibition as a war measure, when they met in the Administration Hall Thursday on the campus for the annual spring election.

It was also decided to give full academic credit for the semester to those leaving the college to take up any branch of military service for Uncle Sam, provided they have academic standing when they leave. Conditions will not be removed because a student takes up arms.

President Aime Vennema of Hope reported receipts for the year slightly in excess of the expenditures. Fifty-five more churches have, during this past year, helped the financial condition of Hope college than last year.

A gift of \$1,000 as a legacy from the late Hon. Jacob Den Herder was announced by President Vennema.

A second gift of \$1,000 was announced from Mrs. Kate P. Lyndon of Chicago, in memory of her father, the late George Birkhoff, sr., the interest of which is to be used annually for the purchase of library books for Hope.

The Hope College faculty named two speakers for the senior class commencement exercises. They are William H. Ten Haken of Cedar Grove, Wis., and John R. Mulder of this city. Miss Emma Hoekje is valedictorian and the class has named Miss Elizabeth Van Burck of Swanton, Vt.; Walter Gummer of this city and Cornelius Wierenga of Chicago.

Prof. Bacon, appointed by President Hutchins of U. of M. as organizer of the Intercollegiate Bureau, addressed a men's mass meeting of Hope College Students in Winants Chapel this morning. He spoke briefly of the weight of the present crisis and then told of the Michigan plan: to index all college students, to organize them into departments, and to get data on the most reliable college men through the state, these to be placed at the disposal of the government.

Prof. Bacon advised the non-physically fit to apply for clerical positions, or to go to the farms and do their duty there. This afternoon he met with the Hope faculty, for a discussion of the situation.

PAINT! PAINT!

Why keep on paying two or three dollars for a gallon of paint when you can still buy Para House Paint (guaranteed by manufacturer) at \$1.60 per gallon—first class barn paint we still sell at 90 cents per gallon. Remember these prices are not guaranteed for any length of time. A. Peters 5 and 10 cent Store and Bazaar, East 8th St. corner Central avenue.

DID ANY ONE LOSE A LARGE SHIP?

**IF SO, THEY MAY FIND THE CREW
OF THE BOAT MAROONED ON
DESERT ISLAND.**

August Erickson of Laketown saw a bottle bobbing up and down in the lake the other day. Fishing it out he found inclosed a note reading as follows:

"April 5, 1917.—Passengers, with crew, 52, Sheboygan Isle, shipwrecked. Can't get off. Send help. Latitude 60, longitude 45. Send help. Capt. B. H. Smith."

The note is supposed to be the work of some joker, as none of the boat lines have mentioned having mislaid a ship with such a crew and passenger list.

TO WAVE 20x30 FLAG 135 FT. HIGH

**LIMBERT FACTORY TAKES PRIZE
FOR LARGEST OLD GLORY;
ARRIVED FRIDAY.**

The Charles P. Limbert Company will soon raise the largest flag in the city on a new pole. Old Glory itself, received Friday, measures 20 x 30 feet.

A 90-foot pole has been secured for this big flag, to be raised above the water tank. The mast will extend 60 feet above the tank, which is 75 feet from the ground.

With a 20x30 flag 135 feet above the ground, it will be a pretty bit of landscape near the east end factory. More, they promise a solid gold ball, 18 inches in diameter, to top the staff, with a two-by-two diamond on that, to illuminate the pole at night. Verdict reserved by us Missourians.

School Kids Spy GOAT IN WOODS; DEER RUNS AWAY

A crowd of school children about ten miles northeast from this city nearly became criminals when they saw a young buck in the woods near the Owens district schoolhouse and planned to eat venison while one of their number scouted home for his dad's shotgun. It's fleetness saved its life, however, and the youngsters now have their ears to the ground. They think the beautiful animal went north.

Friday two farmers from Crisp came to the city with the tale of the excitement of that vicinity. John Boes told he saw a deer skipping along thru the woods near his place, coming from the south and evidently heading for the northern woods. It looked like a buck, a year old.

That was Tuesday. In the afternoon of that day the children that they saw a goat in the woods. They ran toward the animal and it squatted until they had come within ten feet of him, when he sprang up and ran like the wind. One young fellow yelled and ran "far my pa's big shot gun, I know where 'tis."

His "pa" wouldn't believe the boy had seen a deer until he was shown the spot where it had been seen. There he was able to track the buck for several rods.

With this report comes one from the Henry Harrington farm, about seven miles northeast of Holland. People there tell of seeing the deer just before the animal appeared near Crisp.

Some sportsmen say they saw three deer, a buck, a doe and a fawn, just north of here in the past season, and they think that someone has shot the doe and fawn and now the buck is wandering northward.

ALL LIGHTHOUSE KEEP- ERS TO BE FARMERS

In the campaign to increase the production of food products, G. R. Putnam, commissioner of lighthouses with the approval of Secretary Redfield, has addressed the following letter to inspectors of various districts:

"In pursuance of a request from the secretary of the department in a letter to the bureau dated April 12, 1917, you are directed, in view of the threatened shortage of food, to urge all keepers and others on lighthouse reservations to cultivate as much land as possible for growing foods during the present season. Under the conditions every man in the service should not be permitted but encouraged to grow something for himself.

"Furthermore, if any lighthouse reservations in your district adjoin other government reservations or other services of the government, the members of which would be glad to cultivate a garden for themselves or their family, the secretary would be disposed to consider favorable application for permits of the kind. Communicate this matter to employees of other services of the government where such conditions exist, and advise the bureau of same with appropriate recommendation.

"It is understood informally that the department of agriculture will assist in supplying seeds for this purpose so far as practicable, but that because of the unusual demand such assistance probably will not amount to a large percentage of what is required. You may submit to the bureau recommendation for such seeds as you desire to obtain in this way, but where this will cause undue delay planting should not be postponed until too late in the season.

"Appropriations of the lighthouse service are not available for the purchase of seeds.

"A prompt report from each inspector in this matter is desired."

JACOB GLERUM TAKES JOB IN LANSING

Jacob Glerum, former clerk of Ottawa county will move his family to Lansing shortly. Mr. Glerum is connected with the office of the state auditor general and has purchased a home in the capital city. Mr. Glerum has been a resident of Grand Haven practically all of his life and it is with sincere regret that his friends learn of his intention to move.

FATHER ACUSED OF INCEST WITH OWN DAUGHTER

**CHILD BORN TO 15-YEAR-OLD
GIRL IN ALLEGAN
HOSPITAL.**

Allegan News—Tuesday at the John Robinson hospital, a girl of 15 years, gave birth to a child, which fortunately did not live. There are ugly rumors of a near relative being responsible for the plight of the girl, one who should have protected her instead of ruining her. The girl is perhaps not overly bright, and may be falsifying, and it is because there are likely to be future developments that no names are given. However, if the party she accuses is proven guilty no punishment could be too severe. There are altogether too many cases of young girls being ruined in this county. It is time an example was made of offenders that will be a wholesome lesson to other brutes who are lower than animals.

Later developments bring out the fact that Tom Godfrey of Otsego township, father of this girl, is the man accused of the offense. He was arraigned before Justice H. H. Cook last week and acknowledged that he was guilty of incest but not of paternity. Bail was placed at \$1,300, which he furnished and he is now at liberty.

ZEELAND CLASS HAS DOUBLED MEMBERSHIP

The Adult Bible Class of the Third Christian Reformed church of Zeeland held its annual business meeting at the chapel rooms of the church Friday evening. The various reports of the different committees were read and approved. The following officers were elected:

Leader—Rev. Leonard Trap;
President—Peter Staal;
Sec. Treas.—Mrs. Minnie Languis;
The class has been organized for about one year and has been very successfully conducted under the leadership of Rev. Trap, the pastor of the church. At the time of its organization it constituted twenty members, and at the present time it has more than doubled that number. After the business session a social hour was spent and a short program of readings and music was rendered. The ladies served refreshments.

CHAMPION CHOSEN TO DRILL ORGANIZATION

At a meeting of the board of directors of the new organization of Holland city and Hope college boys Thursday night, it was decided that Supt. of Public Works R. B. Champion be asked to drill the members who signed up at the mass meeting the other night and any other young men who might want to join a drilling body without enlisting.

The drills will most likely be staged on the Hope campus. As Prof. Bacon of the U. of M. when approached by Pres. Heusinkveld of this organization, expressed himself in favor of the drilling, it was decided that the Hope students would unite with the city boys if possible in the military preparations.

Mr. R. B. Champion has drilled students in the Iowa University, where he was ranking captain, and in the Iowa National Guard he was First Lieutenant. A meeting of all the boys of the city and college will be held Tuesday night in the city hall to decide on the time for drills.

HOLLAND SENTINEL GOES TO FRONT

United Weekly Press Association—The Holland Daily Sentinel has started a good example of home patriotism, the kind that makes life more bearable at the front in war time. They are putting the name of every Holland boy who goes to war on their mailing list not through any philanthropic motive or spirit of generosity, the editor explains, but because they "can do no less for those who sacrifice so much."

RECRUITS IN RIFLE CLUB COME RAPIDLY

The Holland Rifle Club's campaign for members is proving a great success. Last week twelve applications were received and others are coming in rapidly this week. The new organization is to make this year better by far than its initial try at the rifles last year.

Shooting is not to begin this week, as was planned before, as the club learned by a short delay and more investigating, they could secure a far better range. A committee from the club will this week make a trip to the Grand Rapids organization's range, look it over and return with new plans. It is expected the first shoot will be held about the middle of this month.

Still more members are wanted for the rifle club. If 100 are enrolled, the range will be made among the best in the country. The initiation fee is \$2. The rifles and ammunition are supplied by the government. A silver cup is offered to the best marksman.

MRS. BLEKKINK MAKES PLEA IN BE- HALF OF BABIES

To the News:
Free Clinic in the Interest of "Better Babies"

Mothers, are your babies ailing, fretful and you know not the trouble? Go to your family physician on Tuesday afternoon, May 8 and get advice. To all families of limited incomes, free treatment is promised by all the physicians for the cause of "Better Babies."

Remember the time—a week from today, during the afternoon; office hours of each doctor in the city.

In the name of the Civic Health Committee,
Mrs. E. J. Blekkink.

FOR SALE—Yearling hens, \$1.50 each. Lakewood Farm, R. R. No. 6. 2119

FOR SALE—Seed Potatoes. H. P. Zwermer, 275 E. 8th St. Phone 1460.

STOP CLEANING HOUSE FOR BABY WEEK

**EVERY MOTHER IN CITY SHOULD
HEAR DR. F. J. LARNED AND
MISS BARENDSE.**

Every woman in Holland, especially every mother, is expected to consider it her duty to be present in the Woman's Literary Club rooms Friday afternoon and evening of this week to take part in the Baby Week observance, to share in the propaganda of expert medical advice and to consequently become better fitted to shoulder the duties of motherhood.

If ever a slight shirking of household duties is justified, it is in a case of this kind. No matter if you are cleaning house, drop the carpet-beater and broom for that half-day. It is a matter of economy, if nothing else.

Positively no admission will be charged nor collection taken. Neither is it taken up in the light of an act of charity. It is a part of the national observance of Baby Week. The young "tyke" and how to care for him, or her, will be the subject of the day. The afternoon program will open at 3 o'clock and the evening at 7:45.

In the afternoon, Miss Marie Barendse, the trained nurse in charge of Edgewater hospital, will talk to the mothers on "The Care of Babies." An exhibition on baby welfare, including charts and a lungmotor for babies, sent from Chicago, will be an important number of the afternoon.

A playlet, "Good News from Babyland," will be given in both afternoon and evening and several prominent citizens and children in the cast. Special music has been arranged for the day by the committee.

At night, Dr. Frederick J. Larned of Grand Rapids, noted specialist on baby diseases, will give the main talk. Stereoscopic views will be shown to illustrate a talk on the care of babies, Mrs. G. J. Van Duren in charge.

Free literature on the care of children will be given out during the day. Mrs. E. J. Blekkink is in charge of the speakers and literature.

KREMER HOME PURCHAS- ED; TO BE A HOSPITAL

**C. M. McLEAN ELECTED PRES-
IDENT OF HOLLAND HOSPITAL
ASSOCIATION.**

To the Stockholders of the Holland Hospital Association.

The purchase of the Dr. H. Kremer's property has been authorized. Money is needed at once. Kindly send your subscription to Mrs. Louise M. Thurbur, treasurer of the association.

Two important steps towards the realization of a city hospital here were taken at a meeting of the hospital committee in the city hall Friday night. The energetic workers were organized and the purchase of the hospital site was authorized.

As president of the Holland Hospital Association, the committee, or board of directors, elected C. M. McLean, manager of the Holland-St. Louis Sugar Co. Isaac Marsilje, secretary of the First State Bank, was elected vice-president.

Henry Winter, assistant cashier of the Peoples State Bank, was chosen secretary and Mrs. Louise M. Thurbur, secretary of the Ottawa County Building and Loan Association, was named treasurer.

The second step was to authorize the president, C. M. McLean, and the secretary, Henry Winter, to purchase the Dr. Henry Kremer property, corner of 12th street and Central avenue, for the new hospital. The amount involved is \$10,000. Mrs. Thurbur, as treasurer, has issued a call for the payment of subscriptions to allow the officers to close the deal.

Two other sites, the Jas. A. Brouwer and the Prof. J. H. Kleinhekel properties, were considered possible locations but the decision of the directors was almost unanimous for the Kremer home.

Now the next step forward will be the appointment of a committee with a few days by President McLean to look over the property consulting with doctors and architects, and to order the necessary alterations that will make the large home a hospital.

The Board of Directors of the Hospital Association is: I. Marsilje, Hyo Bos, George E. Kollen, Jas. A. Brouwer, Mrs. G. W. Browning, Nicodemus Bosch, C. M. McLean, Arend Vischer, E. E. Fell, E. P. Stephan, B. P. Donnelly, H. Geerlings, Mrs. L. M. Thurbur, Henry Winter, Austin Harrington.

PIONEER OF WEST MICHIGAN IS DEAD

Mrs. William Leenhouts of Zeeland, aged 81, died of apoplexy Tuesday morning as the result of a second stroke. The first was suffered three weeks ago. Mrs. Leenhouts is the last member of the John Vander Luyster family, one of the pioneers of '47. Mr. Vander Luyster was a leader and financier of the colonists from the Netherlands. They founded the city of Zeeland.

Ten children survive. The funeral will be held Friday at 1:30 at the home and at 2 o'clock in the First Reformed church of Zeeland, Rev. P. P. Cheff officiating.

GOOD METHOD TO FOL- LOW HERE THIS WEEK

The cleanup, paint-up committee of the Association of Commerce of Grand Rapids, announces that Fire Marshal Boughner has granted permission to citizens to burn rubbish in public highways from now on until May 6, one bushel at a time and watch to be kept of the fire, which must be extinguished before the watchman leaves it. Fires on vacant lots or back yards must be 25 feet from any and all buildings.

CHAMBER OF COM- MERCE SENDS WILSON PLEDGE OF SUPPORT

**Prof. J. B. Nykerk to Don Overalls
This Summer on Farm; 'Love's to
Tickle Soil and See It Laugh
In His Face.'**

Bullets from Monday Night's Broadside in the City Hall to the Assembled C. of C.

Henry Geerlings—"We are the greatest nation on the face of the earth, and if we but stand as one man, we can free the world."

Dr. Leenhouts—"And we shall win that final victory, Democracy over Autocracy, and the oppressed peoples, emancipated."

Prof. J. B. Nykerk—"For the high seas are God's seas and the air is God's air."

G. Van Schelven—"And that civilization established by the English-speaking peoples will ultimately defeat and crush Kaiserism."

Hon. G. J. Diekema—"We are fighting to impress upon the world the principle of freedom so that our children's children will be spared the task in their day."

Resolutions passed by the Holland Chamber of Commerce Monday evening, assembled in a patriotic session in the city hall:

To Hon. Woodrow Wilson,
President of the United States,
Washington, D. C.

The Chamber of Commerce of Holland, Michigan, in meeting assembled, approves of your every effort in the cause of right, and of humanity in these trying times, and assures you of its support to the fullest extent in fighting the enemy of our country, its institutions and its principles.

Chamber of Commerce,
Holland, Michigan.

"With malice towards none," a fair-sized, but loyal corps of the Holland Chamber of Commerce assembled in the city hall Monday evening and listened to one of the best patriotic programs rendered in Holland since the international break. Patriotic songs "sung congregationally" as put by Mayor Vandersluis and stirring speeches of love for country and flag served to keep the gathering in highest pitch. The headline of the evening as selected by Pres. White was Henry Geerlings and he opened with these words: "We are the greatest nation on the face of the earth. We stand for the principle of freedom and of liberty. And standing side by side we will push forward as one man until we have reached the desired goal." Geerlings spoke of the purposes of our fathers when they came to found this nation, and then touched upon the causes of its resultant greatness: "Firstly, because it stands for education. By dint of hard labor our fathers established the educational system we have today that we their children might enjoy a great comfort and benefit than they did. And secondly, our nation is great because of unfurling of the banner of freedom in every land. We desire the development of every oppressed people. Our flag and its symbol goes out to every handicapped nation preaching the great doctrine of freedom from oppression. These nations are today calling for help alone every line, and it is our duty to do unto these nations as they have done unto us. It is our duty to free the people of Germany and Austria. And to accomplish this, service must enter into the mind of every American citizen. Every one who loves the flag must take hold of the opportunity now, and render his service, firstly, by standing by the president. No hyphenism must be tolerated. And that service must be a willing service, rendered as an obligation, as a debt of gratitude. That service must be an intelligent service. We must know the why and the wherefore of our actions. And that service must be conscientiously rendered if we are to expect our representatives at Washington to do the same for us.

"I believe that this was is justifiable because the President has taken ample time to consider the question. He has studied the situation and has concluded that for the honor and welfare of the nation, the U. S. must war. We owe it to our fathers to stand for the liberty that they established. If this nation stands and an individual, we can free the world."

Geerlings was followed by Dr. Leenhouts who spoke of the Medical Service in the present day arm. He stated that the service had been put upon a higher plane than ever before, and that already a sufficient number of men had applied for the Medical Reserve Corps to fill the needs of the first army of 500,000 which is to be drafted.

The Doctor closed his remarks with a plea for individual service, and the emancipation of the oppressed people of Europe, the victory of Democracy over Autocracy.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk, Head of the English Dept. of Hope College fired the biggest gun of the evening. Speaking in his characteristic way he told of the great events that are to happen in Russia on May day, today: the moving of the calendar for two weeks to make it conform to the American calendar. He told of the impending strikes to be called in Germany and Austria on that May Day, because the people are groaning under the oppression of autocracy. And then he launched into a tirade against the Kaiser that drew round after round of applause. "The program of the Kaiser began," said he, "when he crushed his mother for his withered arm. In 1900, the Kaiser planned to dominate the sea power,

and thereby become the seventh greatest nation of the world. The English and the French and the Belgians were to be nothing in his hands, and then he would come over to America to exact an indemnity to pay for his campaigns. And he believed that he had power from on high to do his work. But he will be crushed by his own purpose. And I hope that when the future international Congress meets, they will agree that that agent of death, the submarine may be used for defense purposes only, for the high seas are God's seas and free to every man as the air is God's air to be used by every one. And oft we hear of allegiance to that Kaiser, and Germany first. But I say that the who holds for England first or Holland first or Germany first, is not worthy the protection afforded by yonder flag."

The speaker continued to outline Germany as the beginner of this war because she was prepared for it and because of the program of the Kaiser, and then pled for a national patriotism, both in arms and on the soil. "As for myself," he said, "I shall don the overalls, and spend the summer on the farm. I like to tickle the soil and see it laugh in my face." He pled for the conservation of food wherever possible and urged that every citizen do his little part wherever possible.

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TREE DEMAND IS TOO MUCH FOR COMMITTEE

Is tree planting in Holland popular? The committee known as the Holland Conservation Committee, Henry Winter, Secretary and Treasurer, has over-shot its consignment of hard maples for the property owners of this city and find they are behind in their stock on hand. Already over 650 trees have been sold and are being planted.

Orders from now on will be taken for next fall or spring, 1,000 to be ordered from the nursery for that planting. The popularity of the tree planting has so far exceeded the optimistic forecasts of the committee that long before they have canvassed the city, they find their supply exhausted and more orders coming in.

After the maples have budded, they will not survive digging up and replanting. This forces a wait till next fall at least before a new consignment may be planted. But property owners wishing to be certain of a supply when the next shipment is received from the nursery are advised to place their orders with either Henry Winter, T. N. Robinson or John Arendshorst at once.

During this spring just one dozen men have been engaged in planting the trees about the city. The east and south sides were visited first and are quite well supplied, but the rest of the city has not been canvassed.

A marked increase in valuation attends the addition of young maples on the border of the lot, many property owners have found, and so far vacant lots have received by far the greatest amount of attention. Hard maples are the trees sold, from 12 to 14 inches and up in diameter. Their supplanting the old, dead poplars in the southern part of the city is welcomed by the committee, as the once-popular is a pest of the past.

The order blank filled out by the property owners gives a choice. These sturdy, hard maples can be secured for only fifty cents piece, which includes planting by the committee. But an extra fifty cents is attached to the price by an agreement, if desired, that the committee to take care of the trees for the next four years, including the present year. The co-operation of experienced nursery men is appreciated by most of the buyers and the latter plan is generally followed.

BABY, TEN-MONTHS, DEAD,

After an illness of two weeks, Julius J., the 10-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bouman of 54 West 29th street, is dead. Four brothers survive besides the parents.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 at the home, Rev. A. J. Ras of Prospect Park church officiating.

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LOCAL NEWS



Ben Nysson, West End Grocer, has purchased a Ford delivery truck.

The city is spraying the shade trees about town.

W. J. Olive was a Grand Rapids visitor Tuesday.

Mr. J. J. Cappon returned Monday night from California.

Louis Holtgeerts exchanged his city property in Holland for a 40 acre farm in Graafschap.

Lakewood Farm has added a new 3-ton Packard Truck to its motor equipment.

The Star of Bethlehem, O. E. S. will hold their regular meeting Thursday evening.

John Kollen, who has been indisposed for some time, is in Chicago to consult medical aid.

The water in the river is two feet higher than it has been at any time within five years.

G. J. Boone & Co., dealers in general merchandise, are building an addition to their store building in Zeeland.

There are 15 watch factories in the United States employing 12,390 operators.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Rufas Cramer, Thursday morning, a 9-lb. daughter, Lois Jean.

A meeting of all the men of St. Francis church will be held Friday evening at 7:30, May 4, 1917 in the church auditorium.

Lambertus Tinholt, the mail carrier has purchased 11 acres of ground, part of the Manting farm south of the city.

Wm. Woldering of this city has an egg laid by a White Wyandotte hen that weighs 4 1/2 ounces. The egg is 6 1/2 inches in circumference.

Business men of Benton Harbor spent two hours each on three consecutive days towards building up a larger and better association of commerce.

It is estimated there are at least a half million sharpshooters in the United States. Don't let Germany know it.

Seventeen men of Fremont pleaded guilty to violating the liquor law and were fined the costs, one getting an additional \$10 fine.

The Mayor has decided that Conservation of National Resources should begin with himself. He has taken to a corn-cob pipe.

The St. Agnes Guild of Grace Church has placed an order with the Kalamazoo florist for one hundred dozen carnations to be sold on Mother's Day, May 12, for the benefit of the organ fund.

The common council of Onalaska, Wis., has decided to allow the use of the city's back streets for the cultivation of potatoes.

Fire Trucks are put to other use in Manistee. They are used to pump the water out of the sunken barges that have recently mysteriously went down, says an exchange.

Jacob Zoerman Thursday advertised paint at \$1.65 and \$1.75 per gallon, which should have read \$2.65 and \$2.75. Jacob says paint cannot be beaten at that price.

Van Ry & Wolters are making fairly good hauls in their fishing operations out of this harbor. About eight hundred pounds of trout are brought in at each lift.

All Alumni members of the Dnaloh High Literary society of H. H. S. who wish to attend the annual "bust" on May 23 please notify Russel Rutgers and pay dues before May 11.

The Curfew blew its 8:55 whistle Tuesday night instead of 7:55. The change comes with the first of May giving the "kiddies" an hour longer during the summer months.

A committee of the joint commission of unification of the Methodist Episcopal church, numbering about 69, will hold its annual meeting in the Traverse region this coming summer.

There may be no connection between the incidents, but we have noticed that every time cabbage has gone up, the manufacturers of stogies have also put a jack under their prices.

William Boer of Hudsonville died at that place Tuesday morning. Mr. Boer is the husband of the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Brouwer, the furniture dealer of this city.

Can you beat it and especially this year. Lake Michigan Park, the resort place near Muskegon, has opened—the earliest date in its history. Over half the cottages are already occupied.

Gerrit Hesselink, local sportsman has purchased the gasoline launch, "Haily" from Joe Damveld. Mr. Hesselink is a well known nimrod, having fished on Black Lake for years.

Colonel Roosevelt Monday offered to raise not one, but four army divisions, to be rushed to the firing line in France. Let's hold Teddy two more months and we'll have a whole army raised without any trouble.

A clock 9 feet tall was made by the Colonial Mfg. Co., of Zeeland. The time-piece is 22 inches wide. It was presented to the firm of Paul Steketee & Sons of Grand Rapids by the employees of that firm.

In the Ford factory at Detroit, in every 24 hours 35,000 gallons of fuel oil are burned....In the same time 1,500 gallons of ordinary lubricating oil, 800 gallons of motor oil, 600 gallons of gasoline, and 400 gallons of kerosene are consumed.

The Park Board has raised the pay of most of the employees. The superintendent gets \$6 a month more; the assistant gets \$2.50 per day and the laborers \$2.25 a day. The Board deemed this fair owing to the high cost of living.

Charles Jacobus of Grand Haven was arrested Tuesday morning by Sheriff Dornbos, charged with taking indecent liberties with a young child of eight years. The man was placed under bond of \$400.

Petitions are being circulated in Ottawa county and signed freely, asking that the dog quarantine be discontinued as it is injurious to the dogs to be confined such a length of time. It will be sent to Lansing.

Plate glass invented by a Philadelphia man by welding a thin sheet of celluloid between two panes of ordinary glass is bullet proof and cannot be splintered with powerful blows from a hammer.

Students of Calvin College have been given their appointments for the summer. J. P. Battema will have three Sundays in the Fourteenth Street church here and John Vander Hoek one.

Local hunters will be interested in the fact that there is a movement on foot on the part of the government to remove the quail from the game list entirely on account of its value as a destroyer of insects.

J. J. Althuis who received a call from Beaverdam yesterday morning received a second call from Lafayette, Ind., from the church formerly occupied by Rev. Peter Seegere well known in this city.

The furniture store of James A. Brouwer Co. will be closed Friday morning at 10 o'clock a. m. and will remain closed the balance of the day on account of the funeral of William Boer.

Remember, Mothers! To be at the Woman's Literary Club Rooms on Friday afternoon if you wish to find out some valuable information relative to your little ones. It is free so be sure to come.

Says the Hamilton correspondent—Fishing with nets in the Rabbit river is the poorest it has been for many springs. There seems to be very few fish, perhaps the H. C. has scared the suckers out. The fishermen are getting discouraged.

The Ladies Guild of Grace church will begin their rummage sale Saturday May 5 at 120 East 8th street. Any one having donations please notify some member of the Guild, who will send or call for them.

A gasoline hand car on the Pere Marquette executed a complete somersault while going at a rapid rate near Grant, throwing a crew of four men into the air. An angle iron slipped from the car and engaged the wheels. No one was seriously injured.

Ex-Alderman Wm. Vander Ven reported seriously ill Friday is much improved today. What was thought to be typhoid fever at first, has proved to be something less serious. It is expected the Holland Canning Co. manager will be out again before long.

Attorney Gelmer Kuiper, a graduate of Hope College and for years the claim agent for the Pere Marquette R. R., does not seem to be in on the re-organization of the road. He resigned his position and the claim department is now being moved to Detroit.

Dr. D. G. Winter has bought eleven acres of ground from Mrs. Henry Hazenkamp just south of the city and will try and do his bit in raising potatoes and other crops to help out the country.

Rev. James Cantine and Rev. Samuel Zwemer have been elected honorary trustees of the Arabian mission in recognition of the fact that they were the original founders of the mission. Philip T. Phelps and Dr. John G. Lansing are connected with the organization of the mission.

Governor Sleeper has approved the law enacted by the Legislature relieving the tenant of responsibility from paying rent on leased property after the building has been rendered untenable by fire or the elements. There are now apparently cheaper ways than moving out.

In Thursday's account of the departure of Holland boys to the country's service, the name of James Van Anrooy should have been William Van Anrooy. Net Jimmy, but Billy, joined the marine corps and is on his way to South Carolina.

What would be more attractive in the front yard than a growing bed of lettuce or onions, or tomatoes or beets or any one of a dozen articles of food? It would be such a symbol of patriotism as the world has never before seen. And the odd moments would do it—Coopersville Observer.

Arend Smith, Peter Smith and Geo. Greelings returned from Henry, near Manistee where they went trout fishing. The boys pulled out two dozen but it was so cold and disagreeable and the water was so high that it made fishing difficult. They returned this morning.

The May meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will be held this afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Fred Wright, 22 E. 9th street. Mrs. St. Clair will have charge of an exercise given by the children and a splendid program by auxiliary members.

At the close of the semi-annual conference of the board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, Bishop Theodore S. Henderson, of Detroit, announced that the Michigan conference would be held in Traverse City, opening Sept. 12. The conference will continue for five or six days. Last fall the conference was held in Grand Rapids.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Rus of Prospect Park church were surprised by sixty young people of the congregation Friday night who gave a farewell party as the minister and his wife leave next week for Chicago, where he is to take up city mission work. Gifts were presented by the guests.

The police are getting several applications for auto licenses since the publicity has been given by the new rules laid down by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners. "Licenses applied for" is no longer seen on the cars and seven auto owners called upon Chief Van Ry Thursday.

The government has notified the Holland Canning Co. to can all the goods possible this summer in anticipation of the big demand that will be created by the war situation. The farmers need have no fear that their crops will not be harvested, for plenty of help will be available when the proper time comes around.

Just about the time an article of diet reaches a sufficiently high price to be really toothsome and appetizing, along comes some meddlesome highbrow and declares it fatal to one or more pet ailments of mankind. Spuds are now declared to have a special grudge against the little catarrh devils and we are warned against eating them.

When the United States elects another president, its women will cast a vote of equal value to that cast by the men. The legislature last week passed the Darnon bill providing for such a regulation. Sixty-four voted for it and only thirty against it. The bill will go on the statute books as a law, as soon as Governor Sleeper has attached his signature; and this is already assured.

Lieut. Haan, recruiting officer of the Grand Rapids battalion, visited Zeeland Friday evening and drilled the Zeeland recruits. One more man was enlisted there and several promised to report in Grand Rapids at the army Tuesday evening. Each of the Zeeland recruits is being assigned to Co. M.

John and Adrian Glerum, two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Glerum, 88 E. Thirtieth street left for Grand Rapids Monday morning where they were examined preparatory to enlisting. Holland it is said, will have to give 23 of her sons as her proportion of the men needed in the 2,000,000 army, by virtue of the conscription bill just passed. This number has nearly been reached by volunteers alone.

Word was received at Hope College Tuesday morning that J. Paul Visscher of the Senior class has been awarded a Biological scholarship in Johns Hopkins University of Baltimore. The honor entails a sum of five hundred dollars in cash and laboratory fees.

The recipient gives all credit to Dr. F. N. Patterson of the Hope Biological Department for the honor which he has received.

The first robbery that Pullman, Allegan county, ever had, was pulled off the other night and it was a huge success—the thief who did the job stole \$50.00 worth of meat. In many years nothing has been disturbed there that was not rightfully done and the discovery of the burglary of Lemuel Armitrout's store caused the greatest excitement in the village's history.

Crosby line boats between Grand Haven and Milwaukee are now operating on the daily spring schedule leaving Grand Haven every evening at 9:30 o'clock and Milwaukee at 9. The steamers Holland and E. G. Crosby both thoroughly overhauled, repaired and improved, have been placed in service. The company started operating the spring schedule this year much earlier than usual and are anticipating a record-breaking passenger service during the summer months.

The regular meeting of the Star of Bethlehem Chapter will be held this evening. The newly elected officers will preside for the first and have charge of the entertainment. And are expecting to have something good in store for the members attending. It will also be a farewell meeting to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Baxa, members of the order, who are leaving for Bowling Green, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Curry, who are moving to Jackson next week.

Saturday is expected that the dogs of Allegan county will be released from quarantine and resume their natural delights. Suel Hudson has whispered into the ears of Slim and Joe that they may start for the "Par-mie" bayou next Saturday. No new cases of rabies have been reported of late and it was understood some weeks ago that if none developed the dogs would be released May 5.—Allegan Gazette.

There will be two special cars at 6:15 this evening to take the Holland-Bob Jones delegation to Grand Rapids. The cars will stop at Central Park and at the Holland Station, and will arrive in Grand Rapids in time for song service. Tickets are on sale at the P. S. Borer store, H. Van Tongeren, A. Steketee & Sons, and Lokker-Rutgers at sixty cents for the return trip. Mayor John Vanderluis will act as chief chorister on the cars.

The L. O. T. M. ladies of Saugatuck have joined the Red Cross society and will do service in the present war crisis if needed or called upon. The ladies are regular Red Cross workers, and represent the first charitable institution of Saugatuck to organize for this service within their own domain. They will make bandages and other things for use in the hospitals at the front. This great work was taken up through the active interest of D. G. C. Jeannette Hohn of Grand Rapids.

John Vander Veen has given the ten lots on the corner of River avenue and Fifteenth street to the city farmers to be used for the purpose of planting potatoes. John makes one provision however, and that is "he will let the Board of Education have the use of the grounds provided the taxes are remitted." The high school pupils do their preliminary practicing there for football and base ball and this plot of grounds is as a rule filled with young folks playing all sorts of games.

The Excelsior Class of the Third Reformed church held their monthly business meeting in the parlors of the church Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by the president. The purpose of the meeting was to bid farewell to the second member of the Excelsior class, Mr. Oudemulen who left Wednesday for Port Royal, S. C., as a marine. Mr. Geerlings gave a very interesting talk about the War and then refreshments were served. "Buck" was presented with a bible and was given a hearty handshake by all the fellows.

The Holland Epworth League held its regular monthly business meeting on Monday evening in the league parlors at the M. E. church. In spite of the rain about forty were present. The main feature of the evening was the annual election of officers. The social committee distributed refreshments at the same time that the tellers distributed ballots. The returns of the election showed the following results: president, Clara McClellan; first vice-president, Lucy Moody; second vice-president, Lottie Wither; third vice-president, Hazel Ayers; fourth vice-president, Bernice Benjamin; secretary, Matilda Van Raalte; treasurer, Glenn Upton; chorister, Dr. Waltz; pianist, Minnie Bingham. Several recommendations of the cabinet were accepted, and the meeting adjourned.

Sheriff Dornbos, Prosecuting Attorney Miles and other officers have received directions from the attorney general of the state about the enforcement of the president's proclamation of April 16 as to alien enemies of the United States. These officers are required to arrest and detain any persons suspected for any reason of being unfriendly toward our country. Respect for the flag is demanded and good behavior and strict obedience to law is a rigid requirement. Special attention to the carrying of firearms is required of all county officers. Officers are told to be vigilant in the extreme.

The official call for the organization meeting of the Western Michigan Tourist bureau is being sent out by the association of Commerce of Grand Rapids. The meeting will be held at the Hotel Pantlind on May 8, beginning at 10 in the morning. Carroll P. Sweet of the Old National bank will preside as chairman and Gerrit J. Diekema of Holland has been asked to deliver the opening address. The invitations for the organization meeting are going to the chambers of commerce, the city and county officials, railroad and inter-urban officials, business men and hotel and resort associations throughout this part of Michigan.

Personal Items

Adrian Van Putten is home from Detroit where he is stationed in the interests of the American Humidifier Co. The moisture makers are doing fine is the report.

Mrs. G. A. Lacey and Mrs. Lura Kress were guests at the Fennville O. E. S. meeting in Fennville Friday evening.

Ed Michmershuizen was in Grand Rapids Friday on business for the Holland Chemical Co.

Mrs. Louis Cotts took the interurban for Grand Rapids Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James Schoon of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with relatives in this city.

James Weersing of the Real Estate firm of John Weersing, was in Grand Rapids on business Friday.

Mr. J. J. Althuis has received a call from Beaverdam.

John Van Zanten of Hotel Bristol, was a Grand Rapids visitor Friday.

James Van Ark, a student at M. A. C. spent the week end with his parents.

Mrs. O. Nystrom and Miss Florence Kuusinen were in Kalamazoo Saturday.

Fire Chief Blom was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Miss Hattie Aldworth went to Holland, Tuesday to spend a few days in the home of her brother Mr. Fred Aldworth.—Allegan Gazette.

Mrs. H. J. Fisher of Holland came Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Fred Hitchcock and help her celebrate a birthday anniversary.—Hamilton Cor.

Miss Francis Bosch left for Chicago Friday to stay over the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Nicodemus Bosch, and brother, Leod, who is improving at the hospital there.

Mrs. Joseph Imhoff and son Carl, of Marshalltown, Iowa are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowen, at their home 72 West Fifteenth street. Mrs. Imhoff is the mother of Mrs. Bowen.

Wm. Seidelmann one of the boys who left Holland for the front returned to his home from Detroit having been rejected owing to a slight defect in his feet. The army officers could possibly have used him they said if he allowed two of his toes to be cut to overcome the difficulty but Billy couldn't see it that way at least not yet.

Martin Dykema and C. St. Clair of the Meyer Music House were in Grand Rapids Thursday.

Mrs. A. H. Landwehr and Mrs. Oscar P. Nystrom were in Grand Rapids Friday.

Attorney Dana Ten Cate was in Grand Rapids on legal business Thursday.

Miss Myrtle Beach was in Grand Rapids Friday.

A. Harrington was in Grand Haven on good roads work Thursday.

C. M. McLean was in Grand Rapids Thursday on business.

Wm. Olive was a Grand Rapids visitor Thursday.

Walter Walsh and Ernest Brooks were in Grand Rapids Thursday on business.

Mrs. Percy Ray was a Grand Rapids visitor Friday.

Will Kooyers and Henry Venhuizen returned Thursday night from Detroit with two Dodge Brothers touring cars.

Rev. B. F. Brinkman who has been spending a few days in this city, left for his home in Pella, Iowa, Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Vander Meulen left Thursday for their home in Kalamazoo after spending a few days at the home of Mrs. H. Brinkman, 74 E. 13th street.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Oosterhof of De-ature, Mich., motored to this city Monday. Mrs. Oosterhof and children will be the guests of her father, G. Van Ark, of South Central Avenue, while the Rev. Oosterhof attends the Particular Synod meeting at Pella, Ia.

Abraham Bolthuis and Bastian Van Woerkman of Grand Haven were the guests of James Van Ry Sunday.

Abraham Moll and Louis Van Dyke of Grand Haven were also the guests of Marinus De Fouw.

Rev. Jasper S. Hughes of Jenison Park has just returned from Indianapolis, Ind., where he delivered his lectures on the Revelation to the faculty and students of Butler College.

John W. De Vries, of Muskegon, representative of the Home Furnace Co., spent Sunday in this city.

Edgar Landwehr spent a few days in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Kolla left for Cedar Rapids, Ia., Sunday evening.

Attorney Thomas N. Robinson was in Grand Rapids on legal business Monday.

Mrs. J. Van Weelden and son John returned from Chicago Sunday morning with Mr. and Mrs. R. U. Stacey, who have been spending the winter at Albuquerque, New Mexico. They will spend the summer at Macatawa. Mrs. Stacey was formerly Miss Marguerite Van Weelden.

W. E. Dunn of the Dunn Mfg. Co., was in Grand Rapids on business Wednesday.

Attorney T. N. Robinson was in Grand Haven on legal business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mulder left for Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Gerrit Van Schelven was in Grand Haven on business Wednesday.

G. J. Diekema was a Grand Rapids visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Green were Grand Rapids visitors Tuesday.

Dr. J. J. Mersen was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Peter Dulyea was in Grand Rapids Tuesday on business.

Martin Dykema was in Grand Rapids on piano business Tuesday.

Peter Damstra, the plumber was in Grand Rapids on business Tuesday.

Mrs. B. P. Donnelley was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Jacob Hoffman was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Bert Golds and Frank De Vries were Grand Rapids visitors Tuesday.

P. R. Coater and Herman Helmers spent Tuesday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. William J. Olive was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

George Van Landegend was a Grand Rapids visitor Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Mabbs returned from Allegan Wednesday morning. The doctor left the hospital Tuesday evening and is feeling extra well.

Lovel McClellan returned to M. A. C. yesterday after spending a few days with his parents in this city.

Frank Marsh attended the opening of the Consistory in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Peter Oosting who has for some time lived at Lugers Crossing, has moved to Jenison. A. H. Brinkman did the moving.

J. W. Himbebaugh of the Royal theater was in Grand Rapids on business Wednesday.

Mrs. John Spyker of Grand Rapids is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. Brinkman.

Dr. B. B. Godfrey transacted business in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Dr. A. Vennema of Hope College is attending the Particular Synod of Chicago, at Pella, Iowa.

Millard Vander Meer, John Steketee and Joe VanderNoort of Hope College left for Grand Rapids Wednesday to join the Coast Guard Service. Glen A. Belknap left for his home in New York state to take up farm work.

Rev. B. H. Einink, pastor of Central Avenue church and Rev. E. J. Tuuk, pastor of Ninth street church were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mrs. P. H. Doan and son of West 12th street have returned after having spent three months in the South.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunn of Los Angeles, Calif. are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sooy. Mrs. Dunn is a sister of Mrs. Sooy. They motored from Washington, D. C. and expect to return to Los Angeles by automobile. Mr. Dunn was an Allegan county boy, his home formerly was in Ganges.

Mrs. M. Jipping and Gertrude Ten Brink surprised Miss Jennie Bredeweg with a miscellaneous shower at Hazelbank, north side, the home of Mrs. Jipping. Seventeen were present and many beautiful gifts were presented the May bride. Games were played and prizes won by Miss Minnie Kelmink, Miss Henrietta Tripp and Mrs. Jipping.

Mrs. Jacob Van Dyke was surprised at her home at New Holland Friday evening by her neighbors, the occasion being her 46th birthday anniversary. About a dozen friends were present. Refreshments were served.

Miss Jennie Veele was delightfully surprised Thursday night by a number of young people at the home of Mr. Ben Hamm of this city. An extemporaneous program was given: a piano solo by Susanna Hamelink; A German solo, "The Lorelei" by Henrietta De Haan; A Dutch Talk on the War, by Clarence Boeve; a mouth organ solo, by Edw. Oonk A Budget, Janet De Graff. Games were played and eats were served. The guests departed at a late hour all reporting a delightful time. The guests were, Hester Maatman, Ernest De Haan, Henrietta De Haan, John Nabor, Janet De Graff, Ernest DeHaan, Susanna Hamelink, Delia Nabor, Henry Pas, Anna Boeve, Lewis Steketee, Milton Maatman, Will Boeve, Adrian Veele, Ben Boeve, John Boeve, Clarence Boeve, Lester Venhuizen, Henry Kruit-hoff Edwar Oonk.

Mrs. August Heuer entertained Friday afternoon in honor of her sisters, Mrs. William Heuer of Philadelphia and Miss Lottie Thiem of Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Monday night the Misses Francis and Henrietta Tripp entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kalmink in honor of Miss Anna Breen. Kitchen utensils were presented the guest of honor. In games played, prizes were won by Misses Anna Breen and Jennie Kalmink and consolation awards went to Misses Clara Bouwman and Cora Cook. Miss Anna Breen will become a bride in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Eggleston of 222 W. 17th street announce the marriage of their daughter E. Irene to Clifford E. Tarbell of Grand Rapids. The ceremony took place at the residence Saturday evening, April 28th, the Rev. Flipse officiating.

Daniel Hugger and Miss Susie Smeenge were united in marriage Tuesday at the bride's home, 315 West 15th Street by Rev. J. F. Bowerman, in the presence of a few relatives and friends. They will make their future home on a farm near Lansing.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kasfen in honor of their daughter, who was 12 years old. Miss Sena invited her Sunday school class of Mrs. E. Mulder, of the 4th Reformed church. Refreshments were served and a good time enjoyed.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Porro of Holland township was the scene of a double wedding Wednesday afternoon when their daughter, Dora Porro, became the bride of Cornelius Vryhof of Holland, and their son, William, led Miss Bessie Door to the altar. Rev. E. J. Tuuk performed the double ceremony.

FOR SALE—Yearling hens, \$1.50 each. Lakewood Farm, R. R. No. 6. 2119

FOR SALE—Seed Potatoes. H. P. Zwemer, 275 E. 8th St. Phone 1460.

TWO MARINES LEAVE; MORE TAKE THE TEST

Yesterday at 12:25, Harold Golds and Wilbur Oudemoulen left Holland for Grand Rapids, from where they left this morning for Detroit and Port Royal and Marines.

Last week they were accepted at the Grand Rapids station. A crowd of friends escorted them to the car. The leaving of Golds creates the sixth vacancy in the Hope church "Go" class.

Louis Dalman, Arthur De Haan, John Steketee, Joe Vander Noort and Millard Vander Meer left Wednesday morning for Grand Rapids to be examined for the Coast Artillery. Harry Bell of this city was recruited into Co. M., Grand Rapids, Tuesday night.

AUTOS TO BRING LABOR TO FARMS

COUNTY BANKERS MEET HERE AND DECIDE TO TAKE BIG PART IN GARDENING

At a meeting of the directors of several of the banks of Holland, Zeeland and Grand Haven in Holland Tuesday, action was taken whereby the Ottawa County Bankers will secure the services of an assistant to the County Agricultural Agent, D. L. Hagerman, for the five coming summer and fall months.

The object of this action is to assist the agent in the various new types of work which have come about due to the critical war conditions. The problem of increasing food production and the extensive interest which the farmers throughout the county have taken in this work have brought added responsibility in every department of the county agent's work,—responsibilities which are far beyond the ability of one man to assume.

The features of work which will be promoted are as follows: More extensive encouragement and co-operation with the people of the cities and towns of the county who are raising gardens with the idea of developing a maximum production from these garden plots. Later in the season canning and preserving demonstrations will be given with the idea of helping the people, who have raised gardens, to efficiently and economically preserve this food product for winter consumption. The matter of farm employment is also to receive special attention. Through the papers of the county later an appeal will be issued to the farmers who have requested help.

Also by circular letters, correspondence and general publicity, a supply of farm labor will be brought to the county if possible. In this way the office of the Agr'l agent will conduct a farm employment bureau and all efforts will be made to provide all who are in need of help with competent men at the time needed. Methods are also in process of formation whereby men and boys with farm experience now living in the city may be transported to and from the country at morning and night by patriotic individuals who own automobiles and are willing to lead them for this valuable service. Many other features of activity will be announced later.

Mr. Hagerman, together with all the other county agents in the State has been called to Lansing in conference with the War Preparedness Board recently appointed by Gov. Sleeper. This meeting is to be held in the Senate Chamber today and many features of direct importance to the increased production of food supply will be discussed.

The man to be employed by the Bankers Association has not been secured as yet, however, man of extensive farm experience and one who has had 2 or 3 years of college education will be sought. Several prospects are in line and very probably someone will be secured while the agent is at the Agr'l college this week.

CIVIC CIRCLE AWARD- ED YEAR'S PRIZE

Tuesday afternoon the Woman's Literary Club was most delightfully entertained by the members of the Civic Circle, the older girls and the juniors both taking part in the program. Miss Katherine Nykerk, president of the Circle, welcomed the ladies and expressed the gratitude of the girls for all that they had received from the club. In the name of the circle, Miss Nykerk presented the Club with a beautiful table scarf.

After a piano duet by Miss De Koster and Miss Boomers, and a vocal solo by Miss Anna Koppelaar, both of them most excellent, a little allegorical play, "The Passing of the Seasons" was given by the girls. Miss Marie Dijkstra played the accompaniment and Miss Bernice Jones read the lines of the play. Mother Nature was represented by Nellie Altenaar; January, Gertrude Steketee; February, Anna De Pree; March, Nellie Zeerip; April, Delia Poest; May, Alice Troost; June, Anna Viisscher; July, Grizelda Nykerk; August, Anna Koppelaar; September, Margaret TenBrink; October, Anna Drezinga; November, Henrietta Boomers; December, Katherine Nykerk; Time, Martha Zeerip. The little girls attending each of the months were: Hazel Nykerk, Pauline Kulkman, Florence Slagh, Sena Trost, Jeanette De Koster, Martha Koppelaar, Sadie Zeerip, Mamie Trost, Ada VanderHill, Mildred Slagh, Bernice Vanden Brink, Mary Nykerk. The girls were dressed in gauzy garments to represent the various seasons, and the little play was most effective, against a background of stately forest trees.

The judges on tating, crocheting and embroidery awarded prizes to Mildred Slagh, Florence Slagh, Jeanette DeKoster and Rolina Brink. All the work exhibited was beautifully done. After the program, tea was served by the girls. Mrs. Oggel is chairman of the Civic Circle work, which the club regards as one of its most absorbing interests.

Announcement was made of the change of the club motto from the German, "Mehr Licht" to its English version, "More Light." Also attention was called again to the Better Babies' programs, Friday afternoon and evening. Dr. F. J. Larned of Grand Rapids will speak and a little play will be presented. A most cordial invitation is extended to any mothers of the city and especially to the mothers of the Civic Circle girls to attend either meeting or both. Come and bring your babies with you if you wish to.

EXPLOSION SHAKES CITY INTO FEAR OF GERMAN ACTIVITIES

CITIZENS AWAKE LATE IN EVEN- ING WITH VISIONS OF FAC- TORIES IN RUINS

Did you hear the explosion Tuesday night? No, it wasn't the gas plant, nor the canning factory. These two factories are intact today, as is every other plant visited in the canvass today by the Sentinel to discover some hidden disaster.

At shortly before 11 o'clock Tuesday evening the city was shaken by the force of a thunderous explosion. People arose from their beds with quivering knees and looked out of the window—to see everything just as usual at that time.

By the way speaking of that time, three Hope students were accepted into the Officers' Reserve Corps Tuesday evening as the first Hopeites in the service. They arrived here from Grand Rapids at 10:35 Tuesday night, and the contention is that their friends made the incident a merry one by the above cited disturbance. Another contention is that a bevy of merry makers did the desperate deed at the zenith of their jollification. But we forget to mention that the windows in the buildings near the Athletic field were shattered and that Old Van Vleck trembled on its foundations.

THREE HOPEITES ARE TAKEN FOR TRAINING

The first men from Hope College to enroll in the service of the government, succeeded in passing the stringent examination for membership in the Officers' Reserve Training Camp to be opened at Ft. Sheridan on May 14. The men are Ralph G. Korteling of Chicago, Fred Vos of Conrad, Montana; and Bernie Mulder of Holland. These men were the only three out of ten excellent applicants to qualify. Hope College should be congratulated.

These young men are now awaiting orders from the Commandant at the Camp when to report at Port Sheridan. The impression gained quite generally during the past few days that the officers' corps is filled, is wrong, according to word from the Central Department. Applications should be sent in at once, however, by those seeking a place in the training camp.

INJURED MAN GETS CLAIM ALLOWED

INDUSTRIAL BOARD FINDS FOR FRED COOK, INJURED IN HOL- LAND FURNACE CO.

The Industrial Board at Lansing has just decided a unique legal case that has to do with the workingman's compensation act. It decided the question that even if a person brings in a claim for injury after the allotted time for filing such claim has elapsed, such person is entitled to compensation if the evidence shows that circumstances were such that the injured person was not in position to make a claim.

Fred C. Cook was injured at the Holland Furnace Co. in November 1915. The injury was slight and nothing was thought of it as he went right back to work. It seems that a bolt from one of the pulleys overhead had worked loose and had fallen on Cook's head.

In September, 1916, however, his head began to trouble him and he was forced to undergo an operation at one of the Grand Rapids' hospitals and it was found that an indentation in the skull was made, presumably by the falling bolt which worked injury to the man a year later, when it was first noticed.

After the operation had taken place and Mr. Cook had recovered he brought in a claim against the Holland Furnace Co. for \$250. This claim was referred to the Bonding Co. with which the Holland Furnace Co. is insured covering the working men's compensation act.

The Bonding Co. refused to pay stating that the time to file claims had expired. The Arbitration Board, consisting of John Hall, Henry Brusse and Fred Zierlein decided in favor of Fred C. Cook. The Bonding Co. not being satisfied with this decision carried the case up to the Industrial Board at Lansing and yesterday they sustained the decision of the Arbitration Board allowing Cook \$250 for medical and hospital expenses contracted by virtue of the injury.

The attorney for Mr. Cook was M. A. Sooy of Holland. The attorneys for the General Accident, Fire & Life Insurance Corporation were Kerr & Lacey of Detroit.

APPLICATIONS FOR SCAVENGER LICENSES

Applications will be received by the Board of Health of the City of Holland, Michigan, at the office of the City Clerk of said city, until 4:00 P. M. of Monday, May 14, 1917, for a license to engage in or carry on the business of a scavenger, said applicant shall set forth the name and residence of the person applying for said license, the territory within said city where the applicant desires to exercise his privilege, the portion of the business he desires to engage in, the price at which he is willing to accept such license, and shall be signed by the applicant. The price shall be stated for garbage, refuse, and excrement, separately, and also a bid to cover for all, if the applicant so desires. The board may grant one or more licenses in its discretion, as will best serve the conditions in the city.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all applications.

By order of the Board of Health.
Dated May 2, 1917.

RICHARD OVERWEG,
1 insertion, May 3, 1917. City Clerk.

HOLLAND LIGHT & SPECIALTY CO. GIVE BANQUET

AWARD PRIZES TO AGENTS SE- CURING THE FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD ORDERS.

Will Put on Many More Holland Men Into These Good Posi- tions

The Holland Lighting and Specialty Company recently organized, promises to grow to large proportions in the near future, and like many of our larger manufacturing plants that have started in Holland from a small beginning, this plant too seems destined to grow fast and soon to become one of our great business institutions.

At a banquet held at the plant for the sales force and employees, a very enjoyable time was had in a sort of a school of instruction and the talking over of business was one of the features.

Prizes were given to salesmen getting the first order for a lighting plant. Men securing the second and third orders also received prizes, among them being Holland men. Among those receiving the prizes were Mr. E. J. Steeby of Caledonia and J. W. Roup of Grand Rapids, first prizes; Mr. Ira Wyrick and Frank Shanahan of our city, second prizes; and Mr. Ralph Gay of Grand Rapids, third prize.

In speaking to Mr. Olinger, the manager, he had the following to say relative to the prospects of the company:

"Mr. A. J. Arnold, General Field Manager for the company arrived here Monday and although he had several telegrams from another firm to act as field manager, he accepted this company's offer. He said his reasons for doing so were that the Holland Generator is by far the most simple generator on the market and has the strongest talking points of any generator he has seen during his experience.

Mr. Boone, field salesmanager, stated that he expected to put on many more salesmen in the near future to which will offer a splendid opportunity for several more talented Holland salesmen.

"Through a conference with Mr. H. J. Boone of the Holland Lighting & Specialty Co., after a ten days trip through the state, he said he felt very much encouraging as to the outlook for the future."

We should be proud of having the Holland Lighting & Specialty Co. in our city, as, without a doubt, this firm will soon be one of the leading industries of this city, and we take this opportunity to extend to them our best wishes.

HOLLAND TWP. PUTS ON TREE INSPECTOR

COMMISSION NAMES G. J. DEUR AND P. KOEYERS.

Holland Township will start a vigorous campaign against the San Jose Scale. G. J. Deur and P. Koeysers have been appointed as commissioners to take care of this work.

Peach trees will be protected against the Yellow and small peach, and they urge every farmer to obey the law by giving all trees a thorough spraying, and thus protect the township tax payer the expense of enforcing the state law relative to the protection of orchards.

SCHOLARSHIP GIVEN STEGEMAN AT OHIO

Paul Stegeman, a member of the senior class of Hope College, has just been notified that he has been awarded a scholarship in Chemistry by the Ohio State University at Columbus.

The scholarship carries \$300 besides exemption from all tuition and other fees.

Mr. Stegeman, under the direction of Dr. A. T. Godfrey has completed the 3 years of chemistry offered at Hope College and is prepared to enter at once upon graduate work.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received until 6 P. M. Monday, April 30th, 1917, by the Board of Public Works of the City of Holland, Michigan for the furnishing of the following materials:

1225 bbls. of high grade American Portland Cement, made by a manufacturer of established reputation, which shall comply with the standard specifications for Portland cement adopted by American Society for Testing Materials August 15th, 1908 and amended July, 1909, and published in the Proceedings of said society.

400 cu. yds. clean sand graded from fine to coarse containing no particles larger than 1/4-in. and not containing more than 5% of very fine material. It shall be sensibly free from loam, clay or other impurities.

775 cu. yds. of gravel or broken stones graded from 1/4-in. to 2 1/2-in. in diameter and be free from dust, dirt, perishable matter and other improper substances.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check for an amount equal to 10% of the amount of the bid, which shall be forfeited in case order for the material is not accepted and allied. Check should be made payable to the Board of Public Works.

The right is reserved to order 10% more or less than the quantities specified and to reject any or all bids. Proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Materials," and addressed to the Board of Public Works.

R. B. CHAMPION, Superintendent

PROPOSED LATERAL SEWER

Twenty-Fourth Street from the Man-hole in Columbia Avenue to a Point in Lincoln Avenue Nineteen Feet East of the West Line of Lincoln Avenue.

City of Holland, Mich.

City Clerk's Office April 25, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Holland at a session held Wednesday, April 18,

1917 adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, that a lateral sewer be constructed in Twenty-Fourth Street from the man-hole in Columbia Avenue to a point in Lincoln Avenue nineteen feet east of the west line of Lincoln Avenue; 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 same, provisionally adopted by the Common Council of the City of Holland, April 18, 1917, and now on file in the office of the clerk, and that the cost and expense of the 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 24th St. 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, \$798.40.

Amount to be raised by special assessment on private property according to estimated benefits received, \$696.17.

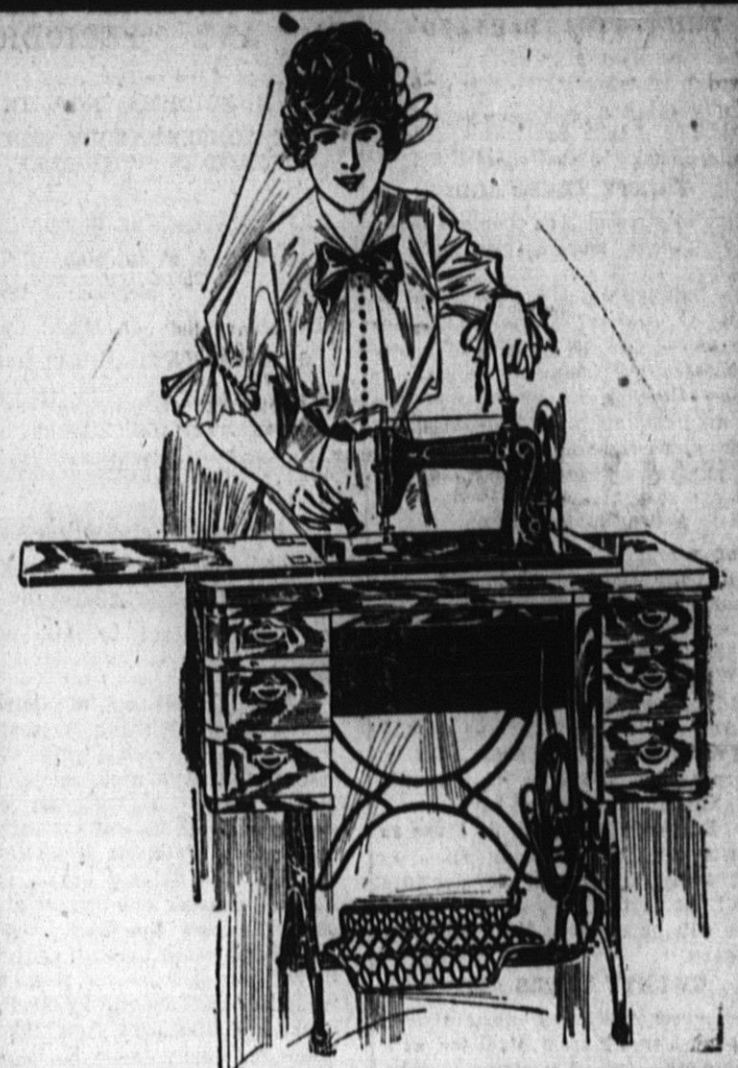
Amount to be paid from the general sewer fund, \$102.23.

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 sewer, all of which private lots, lands 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 Twenty-Fourth street in the manner hereinbefore set forth and as heretofore determined by the Common Council, said district to be known and designated "East Twenty-Fourth Street 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 therefore, by publication in the Holland City News for two weeks, and that Wednesday, May 16, 1917, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M., be 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 sewer, to said assessment, and assessment district, and to said diagram, plan, plat and estimates.

RICHARD OVERWEG,
April 26, May 3 and 10, '17. City Clerk

FOR SALE—Ideal Eight Acre Fruit Farm, near town; good soil, good buildings. Owner, Douglas, Michigan. 3119.



Forty Years Ago, We Sold the New Home Sewing Machines in This Community. Many of These Machines are Still Doing Good Work

Today the New Home is Better Than Ever.

If you would be free from all Sewing Machine troubles, Invest in a Light Running New Home today.

Come in and see them.

Meyer's Music House

17 West Eighth Street
LIGHT RUNNING



Clean-Up and Paint-Up

Is The Proclamation Issued by Our Mayor

In order to make this campaign a success, we will offer special low prices all this week, we will give a

**Special Discount
20% on all
grades Wall Paper**



Holland House Paint Reg. Price \$2.75	THIS WEEK	\$2.50
Senour Floor Paint " " \$2.50	" "	\$2.30
Mattcote Flat Wall Paint " " \$2.75	" "	\$2.55
Plastico Kalsomine Reg. Price 10c per Lb.	" "	.08

All Grades of Varnishes 25c off per gallon.

10 per cent discount on Chinamel Finishes.

Room and Picture Moulding 10 per cent discount.

COME AND BUY NOW AND YOU WILL SAVE MONEY



BERT SLAGH,

Citizens Phone 1254

NEW STORE

56 East Eighth Street

WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Did you plant a tree?
Last Wednesday Mr. George H. Souter delivered the fruit trees, shrubs, vines, etc. that have been ordered of him during the past season.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Osborn, Jr., on Tuesday morning last, April 26, a girl.

The building which has been used by Mr. O. Breymann until recently has been moved and the erection of a new brick store will commence at once.

John Hopkins, an employee of the Phoenix Planing mill, had the forefinger of his right hand cut off at the first joint by a "dado" machine, yesterday morning.

A Song of the Season

Sing a song of cleaning house!
A pocketful of nails,
Four and twenty dustpans,
Scrubbing-brooms and pails!
When the door is opened,
Wife begins to shout,
"John, take those carpets out,
And pound them good and stout."

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Cronkright, Sunday, a 9½ pound boy.

Mr. Zwemer has sold his old house on Tenth street, (the De Bruin place) to D. Strovenjans, who will move it to a vacant lot in the west end. The old house will be replaced by a fine new residence.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

The schooner W. H. Dunham arrived Thursday morning from Manistee with a mammoth cargo of lumber and shingles for the Scott-Lugers Lumber Co.

Gerrit Kragt of this city and Miss Lydia Williams of Holland Township were married by Rev. H. Van Hoogen at the former's home on Wednesday evening.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Deur on Thursday afternoon.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

The death of Gerrit Plakke occurred last Friday evening at his home on Madison Place at the age of 84 years. Frances Sinke and Katie Bas of Holland have been licensed to marry.

TEN YEARS AGO

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Lydia Boersma and Gerrit De Vries to take place Wednesday evening, May 8, at their future home, Van Raalte Avenue and seventeenth street.

Harry Landaal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Landaal, living on West Ninth Street, died yesterday. He was twenty-two years of age.

CAR SMASHES POLE

Freight leaves track; Held from tipping by stump of pole

An interurban freight car found for Holland ran off the track at the bend near the brickyard Thursday at 6:30. It snapped off a large pole several feet from the ground. The part of the pole which remained standing held the car from tipping over into the ditch. It was two o'clock Friday morning before the car had been replaced on the track and the broken pole replaced.

BOOT-LEGGERS SENT TO JAIL; \$100 FINE

BROUGHT CHICKENS TO HOLLAND AND THEN RETURNED HOME WITH WHISKEY.

The two boot-leggers who brought chickens to Holland in suit cases and returned with whiskey and sold it to Allegan citizens, pleaded guilty to the crime and were sent to the Allegan Co. jail for three months by Judge Cross and assessed a fine of \$100 besides.

The Allegan News has the following:—Henry Alberts and Fay Me Loud, both of this city, were arrested last week by Sheriff Frank Hillman and Deputy Tiefertal on the charge of "bootlegging." They were caught red-handed. The sheriff marked a bill, sent a "dummy" into McLoud's house on the south side and then took the goods away from the latter as he was leaving the house and arrested the offenders. They were arraigned before Justice Brady Monday and waived examination and were bound over to circuit court. They entered a plea of guilty before Judge Cross and he sentenced them to three months in the county jail and assessed each \$100 and \$50 costs. If the fine and costs are not paid they are to remain in jail six months.

CELEBRATE 64TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The Evening Herald of Los Angeles, Calif., gives the following write-up and pictures of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Minderhout celebrating their 64th wedding anniversary. The paper says:

"Just 64 years ago today Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Minderhout of 112 South Wilton Place married in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Twelve years ago they came to Los Angeles to live a retired life. Today they celebrated the 64th year of married life.

"Both Mr. and Mrs. Minderhout are in excellent health, can see and hear perfectly and walk without aid. Minderhout is 84 and his wife, one year younger. They have seven children, twenty-eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren living."

The older citizens of Holland will remember Mr. Minderhout as the manager of Hotel Holland years ago. Mrs. John Zwemer, the late wife of the Civil War veteran, was a sister to Mrs. Minderhout.

Allegan County Marriage Licenses
Wm. G. Nykamp and Josephine Hagelkamp, both of Overisel.

James M. Booyenga of Fillmore and Ethel Lovett of Kalamazoo.

FRIENDS ATTEND FUNERAL

Orlando H. Robbins, aged 72, who died Tuesday in Hart, Michigan, a victim of pneumonia, was buried Friday in that city. The funeral was attended by several friends from this city. Robbins was born in Rochester, N. Y., in '45 and came to Michigan in '63. In '65 he took Miss Mary Lievens of this city as his bride.

He is survived by one son, Richard D. of Peachville, Michigan, and two brothers, Albert M. of Hart and D. G. Robbins of Hampton, Va.

LOCAL ORGANIST WRITES IN ART PERIODICAL

ALLE D. ZUIDEMA, NOW IN DETROIT CONSERVATORY, EDITOR OF PAGE IN "THE CLEF."

Alle D. Zuidema of Detroit, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Zuidema, of 121 W. Twelfth street, a member of the Detroit Conservatory of Music faculty, has written a great deal about music in different magazines. In the April number of "The Clef", he has a full page article on "Music and the Church."

Mr. Zuidema is also editor of the Michigan page in this magazine, which is published in Kansas City. An item from Michigan in this musical periodical says:

"Alle D. Zuidema, of Detroit Conservatory of Music, presented the fourth organ recital in the Central Methodist church series, on March 22nd. His program was chosen with the idea of presenting the variety of effects possible on the fine new Skinner organ, and included compositions by several of our well-known American composers. A Sixteenth Century suite by Corelli, two movements from the Second Organ Sonata by Dudley Buck, one movement from the E Minor Sonata by James H. Rogers and several novelties made up an attractive program."

In his page story on "Music and the Church," Mr. Zuidema shows a full understanding of the development of music. Parts of the article are given here for his many friends, who may not see the magazine:

We find a striking disagreement upon the subject of music in its relation to the church, in some cases so severe as to cause such serious dissent as to lead to misapprehension and misunderstanding not only upon this subject, but upon kindred subjects as well.

Much has already been written upon the subject of church music, and much is likely to be written upon it, but a positive agreement is not likely to be reached because of several apparently insurmountable obstacles. Foremost among these is the incontrovertible fact that there is no essentially religious art as distinguished from secular art. Mechanically, the music is good or bad according to the correctness or incorrectness of its composition, but further than this it would seem to be purely a matter of convention.

The organ lends itself very admirably to religious expression, but was not invented for this use, and is not now used exclusively as an agency for the dissemination of religious feeling. The earliest instruments of the organ type were used to accompany circus-plays at Rome, and it is said that Nero himself was not above trying his imperial hands upon them.

So also some of the hymn tunes now in common use owe their origin to other than religious motives. Some of them have had a most noble inception, as may be noted by considering the sources of many of the best arrangements. For instance, note some of the more familiar arrangements from Haydn's "Creation." Though this oratorio was written when the composer had reached old age, it is marvelously fresh and vigorous, and we note also that Haydn said "Never was I so pious as when engaged upon this work, and I fell upon my knees daily and prayed God for strength to continue the work." If the soul of the composer speaks through his music, these arrangements in the form of hymn-tunes breathe the spirit of piety and reverence.

But there are others of which this may not be said. As an instance we may but speak of our well known "Old Hundred." This is anonymous, but of Francis I of France, and more for amusement than from sacred impulse, made translations of the psalms into French verse, and set them to popular tunes. Van Laun says of him, "He first noted in a Marot-Beza psalter and set to the one hundred and thirty-fourth psalm, and not to the one hundredth, as we might suppose. Marot was a noted poet at the Court translated the penitential psalms and Ovid's metamorphoses, he wrote the praises of St. Christina and sang the triumphs of cupid." Plainly he was not one moved by pious intent. His writing found favor in the dissolute court and each of those attached thereto chose a psalm.

As to what one may consider the true music of the church, the points of view differ materially, since each regards it according to his artistic sensibility, belief, education, temperament, and with due regard to the period in which he lives. Music reflects the character of the age in which it is produced, and the church music cannot escape the influence of the secular current of the time.

The church has always shown a tendency to hold a conception of music which has led to a repression of it as a subsidiary function, contrary to the efforts of music to free itself from the restraints of word and action, and express itself for its own undivided exaltation. This is it which church dignitaries have opposed because they saw the possibility of its fascination as an art and its ultimate improbability as a function in spiritual rituals.

By force of circumstances the art of music must feel a new impulse when enlisted in the ministry of the religion of Christ, and so after a period of readjustment came the new force emancipating it from thralldom imposed by ritual and ceremony, and leading it to a sphere of action and expression as boundless as the sea.

The modern conception is that music is an art subject to no laws but its own, free to assert itself, and lifting the inner consciousness into a sphere of contemplation removed from all temporal relations whatsoever. Herein lies the possibility of noble expression in music through noble association, but without the necessity of sacrificing the traditions and canons of music as an art.

Rev. A. J. Van Lummel, former editor of De Grondwet, now pastor and preaching at Paterson, N. J. has accepted a call to Boyden, Iowa.

ORGANIZATIONS OF CITY TO MERGE FOR U. S.

K. OF P'S ASK ALL TO JOIN AT MEETING TO BE HELD THURSDAY NIGHT

The committee appointed by the K. of P. lodge to formulate plans whereby all the organizations in the city can be merged into one great patriotic body for purpose of standing shoulder to shoulder in one common cause, namely, patriotism and country, is working diligently to bring this about. The committee sends in the following notice for publication:

"A copy of the resolution passed by the Knights of Pythias which appeared in Friday's Sentinel, together with a request to send representatives for a joint meeting, to be held in the City Hall, Thursday, May 3, at 7 P. M., to organize one grand patriotic body and to formulate plans for future operations were sent by the committee in charge to the following civic and fraternal organizations:

Chamber of Commerce.
Common Council.
G. A. R.
Sons of the Revolution.
Spanish-American War Veterans.
H. O. H.
B. P. O. E.
Masons.
Odd Fellows.
Woodmen.
Maccabees.
Eagles.
Pyramids.
Social Progress Club.
Forward Movement Club.
Rifle Club.
Moose.

Should there be some organization omitted, do not consider this a slight, but an oversight and consider this an invitation. All persons interested not belonging to any of these organizations are also welcome.

Committee: Chairman, M. A. Sooy, R. B. Champion, E. P. Davis, Andrew Hyma and Volney Dibble.

STATE COLLEGES MAY CHECK GAMES

DROPPING OUT OF KALAMAZOO, OLIVET AND ADRIAN LIKELY TO SPOIL PROGRAM.

Whether the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic association schedule will be played out this year is a question of considerable interest. With the cancellation of athletics by Kalamazoo, Olivet and Adrian Colleges, three of the schools, Hillsdale, Adrian and Alma, are left in the race. Word had been received that Hillsdale intends to play out her schedule and the Alma faculty voted last week to retain base ball and track contests.

While the schedule of three schools may result in materially cutting down the number of games, it is hoped to add Western Normal to fill out the schedule.

Hillsdale will play Alma at Hillsdale tomorrow.

BLAZE CAUSES SMALL DAMAGE IN DOUGLAS

A small fire that might have resulted in a serious conflagration if the wind had been in a different direction occurred Thursday evening in Douglas when a small building belonging to Mr. Gerber, and containing a gasoline can, caught fire and burned to the ground. The barn nearby caught fire, but it was extinguished before much damage was done.

The Community Brotherhood, which was to have met at the M. E. church that evening was postponed on account of the fire.

FIRST CITY AUTO LICENSE GIVEN

J. A. KELLEY TAKES NUMBER 10; ALL OWNERS MUST FOLLOW SUIT OR SUFFER

The first city auto license number was handed out Thursday to John A. Kelley of the Donnelly-Kelley Glass Co. Number 10 is the initial plate. The point on it had hardly dried when it was hitched on Mr. Kelley's car.

To secure a city license number, meaning to avoid arrest, the auto owner must apply to Chief of Police Van Ry, pay \$1 for it and when he receives his state license, he will receive \$75 back on the return of the city plate.

POST PASSES TEST FOR OFFICERS' CORPS

TO REPORT AT CAMP MAY 8; SIX OTHERS APPLY AND WILL BE TESTED.

Hoyt G. Post, local chairman for the recruiting of college men in the officers' reserve corps, Friday passed the regular army examination at Grand Rapids and has been ordered to report at Ft. Sheridan, Illinois, May 8 to begin training.

Six other applications are in from young men of this vicinity. It is expected that they will receive orders to be examined within a few days.

EX-MAYOR HEAD OF CHAUTAUQUA

The fifty-five men who signed a contract last summer as assuring the Chautauqua at Zeeland this summer met this week and organized. Ex-Mayor John H. Moeke was chosen president; Ben Neerken, vice-president; P. T. Moerdijk, secretary; D. P. Boonstra, treasurer; Gerrit Veneklaas, chairman ticket committee; W. C. Irvine, chairman advertising committee; and E. J. Pruim, chairman of the grounds committee.

Mr. Harrison, the advance agent of the Community Chautauqua met with these men at the Council rooms. The date for the chautauqua at Zeeland has been set for Monday, July 16 to Friday, July 20. A good program has been assured.

JAMESTOWN TO HAVE A NEW STATE BANK

CAPITALIZED AT \$25,000; SEVENTY-FIVE MEN ARE INTERESTED.

The Jamestown State Bank, a new organization, the plans of which will be perfected next Wednesday at a stockholders' meeting, will mean much to the citizens of Jamestown. The people of that village have pulled together in this matter and every one will benefit by this enterprise, which, together with the new elevator company just organized, shows what the people of a small town can do in the way of boosting and improving the business and farming condition of the community. There are about 75 men interested in this project and among the leaders of the movement are such men as Lewis De Kleine, Henry Van Noord, Henry Webber, C. De Jongh, O. Sneden, A. H. Bosch, Nick De Kleine, L. Pikaart, Joe Smallegan, Klaas Kok; and so on we might mention fifty more representative people. It is very likely that from those mentioned the majority of the directors will be chosen. However the institution will be on a sound footing and the capital stock subscribed and paid in is \$25,000 which assures its success.—Jamestown Cor. respondent.

PYTHIAN LODGE TO AID U. S. GOVERNMENT

LOCAL ORDER FINISH CONTEST ON MEMBERSHIP AND LOSING SIDE BANQUETS WINNERS

Thursday evening was a memorable one in the K. of P. Hall. In the first place it was the wind-up of a spirited contest that has been waged since February 1 for the good of the order.

At that time a meeting was held to foster Pythianism in the local lodge, to secure more members and to urge better attendance. The result of the meeting was the choosing of two sides, by dividing the membership in half and choosing Al Rigterink to captain one side and Emory P. Davis as the captain on the other side.

The contest lasted for three months and was decided in favor of the side managed by Al Rigterink by a very narrow margin. The contest was judged by points. Any member attending one evening, the side he was on was credited with two points. The side getting a new member was given credit for fifty points. The member who attended every meeting during the contest was given twenty points extra to be credited to the side to which he belonged.

Last evening the losing side banqueted the winning side with an elaborate spread consisting of home cooking and they say it was some spread. After the coffee and ices were served chairs were pushed back and Frank Congleton, under whose regime as Chancellor Commander the order has been very active and has prospered materially, acted as toastmaster.

He called on R. B. Champion, superintendent of the Board of Public Works, who said:

"I have been asked to bring to your attention the matter of the Reserve Officers' Training Camp which is to be created at Fort Sheridan on May 8. This camp, as most of you know, is for the purpose of training officers to command the new army that will be raised either through selective draft or by volunteer. Any one who has had a college training and who is over 20 years and nine months old and under 44 years is eligible for attendance at the camp, or any other man who is apparently well educated through his business training or occupation, which has, in a way, proven his ability to handle men.

"A great many applications have been received from young men just out of college and who would be eligible for commissions, if they qualify, as first and second Lieutenants. There is, however, a lack of applications from older men or men of mature years who would be in line to qualify as Captains and Majors, and the department is very anxious that more men attend who could qualify for these commissions. The rate of pay of officers in service is such that married men can enlist in the service and still be able to properly take care of their families. The pay of the second Lieutenant is \$1700 per year; First Lieutenant, \$2,000; Captain, \$2,500; and Major, \$3,000.

Applicants for attendance at the camp must secure letters from three responsible citizens affirming them to be men of character, sobriety, and of standing in their communities, and must undergo a preliminary physical examination in Holland, for instance, by Dr. Leenhouts who gives his services free of cost for patriotic reasons.

The government pays all the expenses of the camp and all a man loses is his time, altho I understand that there is movement on foot to ask Congress to pass a bill allowing each man in attendance \$100 per month while there. This is, however, very uncertain and cannot be relied upon. At the close of the camp examinations will be held and the men that have qualified for commissions will be either given immediate commissions or returned to civil life subject to call when needed. The camp which Michigan men would attend is at Fort Sheridan, near Chicago.

In looking about for prospective men who might want to attend this camp, it occurred to me that there might not be any more logical place to go than to an organization of this kind. The time is short, however, and if any of you contemplate going you should attend to the preliminaries this week for later would be too late to make the preliminary arrangements.

Emory P. Davis was next called for a speech and as the banquet turned out to be a sort of a patriotic affair, Mr. Davis replied along the lines taken

up by Mr. Champion. Mr. Davis said, "The K. of P. Order has demonstrated in the past that they are one of the most patriotic secret organizations in the country. The Uniformed Rank of K. of P's is made up of the best and most learned men of the country. In fact the flower of the nation is represented. This army of men consists of 200,000 well drilled seasoned and trained individuals, and is commanded by Major Loomis of Grand Rapids who some time ago was put in command of this uniformed organization, covering the whole United States. During the Spanish-American war, President McKinley was given the word that he could call on this body of drilled and picked men at any time and they would be ready at a moments notice.

"Major Loomis is a careful military man now with the National Guards and no doubt when he sees that the needs are urgent enough he will send the expected word to President Wilson offering the service of the 200,000 men who are even now preparing for the emergency that may arise soon. And their services will then be given to the government and the men will be placed where most needed."

Attorney M. A. Sooy made a patriotic appeal for a unity of action of all citizens of Holland in proof of their patriotism and loyalty to their country's cause in its pending struggle with Germany, emphasizing the fact that no matter what our previous attitude may have been as to the declaration of war that since Congress has declared a state of war exists between this country and Germany, the time for discussion had passed and that time for action, is at hand and that though it may mean much sacrifice it is the duty of every American citizen to assist in defending and upholding his nation's flag and honor in this, her time of need.

The boys of 1917 are just as loyal and patriotic as the boys of '97 or '61 and they can be depended upon to render service in their country's cause if its need is actually shown. He urged that the boys of Holland who are qualified for military service, express their willingness to enlist in its cause before being compelled to by conscription or draft.

He closed with the following quotation written by Wilbur D. Nesbit:

YOUR FLAG AND MY FLAG
Your flag and my flag,
And how it flies today
In your land and my land
And half a world away!
Rose-red and blood-red
The stripes forever gleam;
Snow-white and soul-white—
The good forefathers' dream;
Sky-blue and true-blue, with
stars to gleam aright—

The gloried guidon of the day;
a shelter thru the night.

Your flag and my flag!
To every star and stripe
The drums beat as hearts beat.
And after shrilly pipe:
Your flag and my flag—
A blessing in the sky.
Your hope and my hope—
It never hid a lie!
Home land and far land and
half the world around,
Old Glory hears our glad salute
and ripples to the sound.

Your flag and my flag—
And Oh, how much it holds—
Your land and my land—
Secure within its folds!
Your heart and my heart
Beat quicker at the sight,
Sun-kissed and wind-tossed—
Red and blue and white.
The one flag—the great flag—
the flag for me and you—
Glorified all else beside—the
red and white and blue.

After the banquet had been served and the speeches made the following resolutions were passed:

Whereas, a state of war exists between Germany and the United States Government:

And whereas the United States are asking for men for the army and navy:

And whereas, it becomes the patriotic duty of every American citizen to encourage and assist the government in securing men and in arousing and disseminating patriotism throughout the nation;

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That we, members of the Knights of Pythias, advocate the co-operation of all fraternal and civic organizations of the City of Holland, and invite them, through a committee appointed for that purpose, to unite in one grand organization to arrange and provide patriotic rallies and demonstrations from time to time as the occasion demands, and tender their assistance to the Grand Army of the Republic of the City of Holland in fully observing Decoration Day.

Hearing that the Chamber of Commerce intends holding a patriotic meeting Monday night it was the consensus of opinion that the lodge co-operate with this body and in order to do this effectively, a committee was appointed consisting of Chairman M. A. Sooy, R. B. Champion, E. P. Davis, Andrew Hyma and Volney Dibble.

The patriotic gathering organized under the Damon and Pythias banner, departed, after singing the Star Spangled banner lead by Frank Kleinheksel.

Ten new members took the final degree Thursday evening in the K. of P. lodge. Twenty more have joined since Feb. 1, and the order now has a total membership of 161.

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—Confederate Sergeant Wyatt of the Staunton artillery is sent to a spy to his native county on the Green River by General Jackson.

CHAPTER II—Wyatt meets a mountaineer named Ned Taylor, with whom he goes to a house beyond Hot Springs.

CHAPTER III—In the house Wyatt and Taylor meet Major Harwood, father of Noreen and an old neighbor of Wyatt, who is sent to the Green River by General Jackson. Wyatt becomes suspicious, and finds that Taylor has murdered Harwood and escaped.

CHAPTER IV—Wyatt changes to the U. S. cavalry uniform he has with him, and rides away in the night, running into a detachment of Federal cavalry, to whom he identifies himself as Lieutenant Raymond, Third U. S. cavalry, by means of papers with which he has been provided. Captain Fox finds Harwood's body and follows Taylor's trail.

CHAPTER V—Fox and Wyatt believe Taylor to be old Ned Cowan. The detachment is ambushed. Wyatt escapes to the Green River country and goes to Harwood's apparently deserted home.

CHAPTER VI—Wyatt finds Noreen Harwood alone in her home. She does not recognize him, and he introduces himself as Lieutenant Raymond.

CHAPTER VII—Parson Nichols comes to the house and tells Noreen of her father's death.

CHAPTER VIII—Wyatt forces Parson Nichols to confess that he has been sent to advance of Anse Cowan, who proposes to marry Noreen at once, and so quiet title to the land in dispute between the Cowans and Noreen's dead father.

CHAPTER IX—Anse Cowan and his gang arrive and find the preacher bound in a closet. Wyatt and Noreen have concealed themselves in the attic.

CHAPTER X—The Cowan gang ransacks the house but fails to find the hidden couple. Wyatt tells Noreen who he is.

CHAPTER XI—Wyatt and Noreen return to the second floor and await the next move of the gang, forcing the preacher to silence.

CHAPTER XII—Unable to escape while the gang is on the first floor and around the house, Wyatt proposes to marry Noreen to protect her from Cowan. She accepts and Wyatt forces the preacher to marry them.

CHAPTER XIII—Cowan's gang is driven off by Federal troops, one of whose officers is the real Lieutenant Raymond. Wyatt is trapped, though Noreen attempts to defend him.

CHAPTER XIV—Wyatt is taken to Lewisburg for trial as a spy.

CHAPTER XV—The camp commandant and Captain Fox visit Wyatt in his cell in the courthouse basement. He refuses clemency in return for information, and uses his boyhood's knowledge of the building to prepare a way of escape.

CHAPTER XVI—Captain Fox again visits Wyatt, and tells him that Noreen has interceded for him unsuccessfully, and that Raymond, jealous, is pushing the case against him.

CHAPTER XVII—Wyatt escapes to the attic and thence to the sheriff's office by means of a disused, old-fashioned chimney, washes off the soot and changes clothes in the deserted washroom, and re-enters.

CHAPTER XVIII—Wyatt surprises Raymond and his camp commandant, holds them up, and with the aid of Noreen, gets out of headquarters room in the courthouse.

CHAPTER XIX—Wyatt and Noreen win clear of the courthouse and Noreen decides to accompany him in his flight.

CHAPTER XX—Wyatt and Noreen obtain horses and escape from Lewisburg.

CHAPTER XXI.

The Fight in the Cabin.

Benton's cabin had been burned six months ago, Noreen told me, and the old man was believed to be dead. Few others ever used this cut-off, or had occasion to pass this way, and the weeds had quickly taken possession. I was obliged to feel for the worn trail, as it wound here and there along the slope of the hill, and then finally down a shallow depression toward the river bank. The horses stepped cautiously, pressed closely together in the narrow rut, and the only noise was the occasional stumble of a hoof. Thus we came down to the shore. My memory of the spot was hazy and uncertain.

"Have you ever crossed here?" I asked doubtfully. "I scarcely remember where the ford lies."

"Yes," she replied, leaning forward, "with my father a year ago."

"We'll ride together, but keep your feet free in the stirrups."

"I am not in the least frightened. Don't worry about me," and she held out her hand. "You'll not find me a bad soldier."

"I am certain of that—not if you are still the same girl I played with." Her hand was in mine, and was not withdrawn.

"I—hardly think I am," she answered soberly, a little catch in her voice. "I am not a girl at all any more, but I keep something of the same spirit, I hope."

I have never understood what spell there was about her to keep me silent. I had never before lacked audacity, yet I dare not speak the words that were on my lips. The thought had taken firm possession of my mind that she was the victim of circumstances; that she accompanied me merely to escape from threatened danger. I knew I loved her; the touch of her hand sent a wild thrill through me, and my heart throbbed to the memory that she was actually my wife. But I dare not permit her to even guess the truth, for I felt that she regretted the

weakness of that moment and would resent the slightest reference to it. I released her hand, venturing upon no reply, and we rode down the steep bank. The sullen sweep of the water, out of the darkness above, into the darkness below, and the brooding silence, lay hold on my nerves. We drew in under the shadows of the wooded bank, pushed our way through to the top of the rise, came suddenly to an open space, where a dozen acres had been cleared, and rode out boldly across the open field to the Hot Springs pike, clearly visible beneath the soft gleam of the stars.

I know not how long we rode, or how far, for my mind had drifted into a review of the night's adventures, and a plan for the morrow. We met with no one, heard no noise except the steady pounding of our horse's hoofs. A little later the sky to the east began to lighten in the promise of dawn. We climbed a long hill, our horses slowing to the ascent, and by the time we attained the summit the gray light revealed our faces. I looked across at her, and her eyes, uplifted suddenly to mine, smiled.

"You are worn out," I said. "I—I am tired," she confessed. "I—I have been two days and nights without sleep. If I could only rest for an hour—"

"You shall—all day long. We will find a place in which to hide down there in the valley."

The road led winding down between rocky banks into a narrow valley, hemmed in by great hills, and watered by a small stream. As we paused to let the thirsty animals drink, the in-



A Big Fellow With Ragged, Untrimmed Hair and Scraggly Beard.

creasing daylight gave me glimpse of a bridge path skirting the edge of the stream along the west bank. The path turned sharply to the right, and as we mounted to the slightly higher ground we could see the cabin perched on a little knoll, against the black hill behind.

Surely nothing about the shanty, or its immediate surroundings, indicated present occupancy. Yet when I finally advanced it was with caution, and a strange sense of expectation. Noreen followed closely behind, treading almost in my footsteps, as noiseless as a fawn, her skirts held close about her limbs. At the edge of the woods she stood motionless as I went crouching forward. The cabin was not deserted, in spite of its desolate outward appearance. Opposite me was an open fireplace, an iron kettle sitting in the ashes, while a short-barreled rifle stood upright in a corner. On one of the stools lay a broad-brimmed hat, and a pair of ragged corduroy trousers hung on a wooden peg beside the unbarred door. I motioned to her to join me. In spite of the lines of weariness in her face the light of the dawn revealed a beauty that caused my heart to throb. Her eyes silently questioned me, and I explained quickly what discovery I had made.

"But the man may return," she said doubtfully.

"Of course, although I imagine he has disappeared for the day. If he is hiding out he may not dare to remain here in daylight. Anyway you can rest safely, for I am not in need of any sleep. I napped in my cell yesterday, and just a short doze will serve me. But you are terribly tired—it is in your eyes."

"Yes," she confessed, "I must sleep somewhere."

"Then come; we'll find a bite to eat and a place for you to lie down."

I opened the door noiselessly, although I took no special precaution, and held it wide, while she stepped across the threshold, and stood looking curiously about. Then I looked behind us, and we were in a sort of twilight, amid which objects appeared rather indistinct.

"Ah," I said, "the fellow's cupboard must be over yonder. I hope he keeps it well stocked."

I stepped across in front of her, with no other thought than that of exploring the larder, when she gave vent to a startled cry, and I stopped suddenly, sweeping my eyes about to learn the cause of alarm. The ragged quilt was on the floor, and a man leaped across the room and grasped the rifle in the corner. I saw the swift movement, realized the purpose, yet had scarcely time to draw a revolver from the belt, before he had hand on the weapon, and whirled savagely about, facing us. For the instant the gloom disfigured his face—all I knew was that he was a big fellow, with ragged, untrimmed

hair and a scraggly beard. I stepped forward and lunged up my arm.

"Drop it!" I said shortly. "Lift that gun and you're dead!"

At first I thought him crazy enough to take the chance of my fire; then the big fingers relaxed, and the rifle fell clattering to the floor. To my surprise, the fellow laughed.

"Well, I'll be damned!" he chortled, "you here?"

He threw back his head, and I recognized him—Jem Taylor, old Ned Cowan. I drew a quick breath, my teeth clenched, my arm steady. This encounter was going to prove no boy's play.

"Put down yer popgun, boy, an' take it easy—the blame thing mout go off. I reckon as how we all hav'n't got nuthin' ter fight fer, hav' we? How ther Sam Hill did yer ever git yere?"

"Now wait," I broke in coldly. "You stand just where you are. I am not sure whether you know me or not; but I know you, Ned Cowan—I know what you did at Hot Springs, and how you took me along so as to make others believe I was guilty—"

"Shucks, lad; 'twas no more than a fair fight."

"It was cold-blooded murder, Cowan!" I exclaimed indignantly, "the culmination of a feud."

"Huh who told yer that?"

I stepped aside, but still held him under the muzzle of my revolver. The change in posture brought the man face to face with Noreen; I saw him lean forward and gaze at her; then recoil, as though he viewed a ghost. She never moved, never spoke.

"Good Lord!" he muttered. "Is that Harwood's girl? Why, Anse's out huntin' after her now—"

He stopped, cursing fiercely to himself. His eyes shifted their gaze from the face of the girl to mine. They were narrow cat eyes, cruel and cunning.

"I reckon I ain't seen ol' Harwood's gal afore in maybe five year," he said slowly, "but she has sure growed up fine. Anse took after marryin' her furst jist ter spite Harwood, but since he seed her a while back he's sorter took a notion he wants her hisself. I reckon I don't blame him. The's why he wouldn't wait, but set out ter-night. No, I don't reckon, young feller, it's no particular risk. Yer a sojer an' don't jest understand how we fight out yere in the mountings. We jest strike quick, an' then git away. 'Tain't so much of a trick Anse is a-playing at over at Lewisburg. Sure that's five hundred Yanks ther; an' if ther was five thousand it wouldn't make no great difference the way the guard is sot. The whol' blame caboodle is camped in the courthouse yard, an' the only picket is at the main ford of the Green Briar. Yer never saw nobody, did yer, gittin' out yere?"

"No," I admitted, realizing his intimate knowledge. "The camp is poorly protected."

"I reckon it is, and Anse knows that just as well as you do. An' he knows the gal yere had a room at that hotel. Ther is where he went, aimin' fer ter raid the shebang jist before daylight." He laughed again mirthlessly. "By God, but Anse will be some mad when he finds out what has happened. I reckon he'll 'bout cut yer heart out."

"He will have to get me first."

"Oh, don't yer ever worry none 'bout that, young feller. Anse will sure git yer; he knows every bridle path 'cross these mountings, an' I wouldn't give a continental damn fer no chance you've got fer ter git away. He's a tiger cat on a trail, Anse is—an' besides the blame fool wants the gal. He ain't no Cowan if he lets you beat him outer her."

He glanced quickly across my shoulder toward the door. Perhaps she moved; perhaps it was all imagination, but I thought I heard a noise, and wheeled partly around, my eyes for an instant deserting old Cowan's face. It was his one chance, and he took it. I sensed the spring, even as Noreen's cry of warning broke the silence, but not in time to escape the grip of the old man's iron fingers. His body crashed against me with such force that I staggered and fell; one hand closed like a vise on my throat, the other gripped the stock of my revolver, crushing my fingers lifeless. I struck the edge of the table, struggling vainly to keep my feet. It went over with a crash, bearing us both along, old Ned sat, clutching fiercely to keep his hold, his eyes blazing madly down into mine. As we struck I wrenched my hand free and pulled the trigger. The shot seemed to blaze across my own breast, burning like fire, and the next instant the man's knee crushed my wrist to the floor, and the revolver fell from my benumbed fingers.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

PRICE OF BREAD

UP IN ZEELAND

Commencing Monday morning the Zealand bankers and the stores which sell bread began to charge 14c for large sized loaves and seven cents for the smaller ones.

NAVY TO REJECT BOYS UNDER 17 IN FUTURE

Young America has been so anxious to get on Uncle Sam's fighting ships that the Navy department has found it necessary to refuse admission to the navy to boys under seventeen.

"Some well developed boys as young as 14 have tried to hoodwink the recruiting officers," Secretary of the Navy Daniels announced. "Daily applications are being received from eager boys under the legal age, and patriotic parents, feeling that America is in danger, are consenting to the sacrifice. I have every appreciation of this spirit but I deem it unwise for the country to be put in the position of grinding up its seed corn."

WRITE HOLLAND LADS WHO LEFT FOR UNCLE SAM'S SERVICE; THEY'VE ARRIVED

The seven boys who left Holland last Monday for Port Royal to train as Marines have arrived at that school and are settling down to the earnest matter of learning how they can best help Uncle Sam. In a letter home, one of the boys appeals for letters from Holland friends.

Now, homesick or not, letters from the home folks look like gold to a stranger in a strange land. Of course they are not alone, but they are just a bit lonely.

The address for each one of the seven is Marine Barracks, Port Royal, South Carolina.

Baseball, "such as it is," began at high school this week. Regular outdoor ball will not be played this spring by a school team here, but play ground ball, the "indoor outdoor" kind, will reign supreme.

The Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors have already formed their teams and organized for a strenuous season of interschool rivalry in the new sport. Two nights a week, according to the plans, the classes will play indoor on two diamonds marked off at River Avenue and 15th street, the school's playground. Double-headers will be staged on these two nights and because there are two diamonds, all four classes will be playing at once.

7671—Expires May 19

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

At a session of said Court, held at Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1917.

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

In the matter of the estate of Klaas Brouwer, Deceased.

Arend K. Brouwer, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Isaac Marsilje and Arend K. Brouwer or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 31st day of May, A. D. 1917, 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.

JAMES J. DANHOF,

(A true copy) Judge of Probate WILFORD F. KIEFT, Register of Probate.

7672—Expires May 19

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 28th day of April, A. D. 1917.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Elisabeth Kluver alias Kleaver, Deceased.

Frank Kleaver having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Elina Kleaver of some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 31st day of May, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office 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.

JAMES J. DANHOF,

(A true copy) Judge of Probate WILFORD F. KIEFT, Register of Probate.

7635—Expires May 19

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

In the matter of the estate of Derk Hendrik Bosman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 28th day of April, A. D. 1917 have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the

28th day of August, A. D. 1917

and that said claims will be heard by said court on Thursday, the 30th day of August, A. D. 1917 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated April 28, A. D. 1917.

JAMES J. DANHOF,

Judge of Probate.

PROPOSALS FOR CITY PRINTING.

Bids for the City printing, both as to official proceedings, legal advertising and job work. All job work shall be bid for in accordance with the schedule prepared by the City Clerk, bids to be submitted to the City Clerk on or before 5 P. M. on Tuesday, May 8, A. D. 1917.

It shall be understood that the city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

It shall also be understood that the contract for city printing shall not include any work not included in the bids and scheduled, but as to such work the city shall have the right to request separate bids whenever it shall so desire, and let the same to the lowest bidder on such separate work; provided, that if the person or firm who has the contract for city printing shall be as low as the lowest on such separate bid, the person or firm having the contract with the city for the other city printing shall have the preference in awarding the contract for such work.

Richard Overweg, City Clerk. Dated, May 2, 1917.

(Expires May 26)

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Twentieth Judicial Circuit, In Chancery. Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa in Chancery at Grand Haven on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1917.

George Wendt, Plaintiff,

vs. Edward H. Macey, William MacKay, John Trimpe, Lyman Mower, Israel Foote, John C. Robert, R. and S. Moore, Walter Storing, and Phoebe M. Harrison, if living and their unknown heirs and devisees, if dead.

In this cause it appearing that after diligent inquiry it cannot be ascertained whether any of said defendants are living or dead, except that the defendant John Trimpe is dead and that John C. Robert is living, nor who the heirs of any and all of said parties are or where they may reside;

THEREFORE, on motion of Diekema, Kollen & Ten Cate, attorneys for plaintiff, it is ORDERED that said defendants, except defendant John C. Robert, upon whom personal service can be obtained, enter their respective appearances in said cause on or before three months from the date of this order and that within twenty days plaintiff cause this order to be published in the Holland City News, said publication to be continued once each week for six weeks in succession.

The sole and only relief asked for in the Bill of Complaint filed in this suit and the only reason this suit is brought is to remove certain clouds from the record title to a parcel of land located in Park Township, Ottawa county, Michigan, known and described as the east half of the southeast quarter of Section Thirteen (13), Township Five (5), North of Range Sixteen (16) West.

OREN S. CROSS, Circuit Judge.

DIEKEMA, KOLLEN & TEN CATE, Attorneys for Plaintiff, and Business Address, Holland, Michigan.

(Expires May 12)

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1917.

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

In the matter of the estate of Anton L. Kleaver, Deceased.

Elina B. Kleaver, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Frank Kleaver and Elina B. Kleaver or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 21st day of May, A. D. 1917 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.

JAMES J. DANHOF, (A true copy) Judge of Probate WILFORD F. KIEFT, Register of Probate.

7323—Expires May 12

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1917.

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

In the matter of the estate of Arend Jan Bosman, Deceased.

Christina Johanna Bosman 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 21st day of May, A. D. 1917, 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.

JAMES J. DANHOF, (A true copy) Judge of Probate WILFORD F. KIEFT, Register of Probate.

7650—Expires May 5

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

In the matter of the estate of Paul F. Schuelke Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 11th of April, A. D. 1917 have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 11th day of August, A. D. 1917, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Thursday, the 16th day of August, A. D. 1917 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated April 11th, A. D. 1917.

JAMES J. DANHOF, Judge of Probate.

(Expires May 5)

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

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Knite, Sr., Deceased:

Having been appointed commissioner to receive, examine, adjust, certain claims and demands of persons against said deceased, we do hereby give notice that we will meet at the Peoples State Bank, Holland, Michigan in said county, on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1917 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.

Dated April 17, A. D. 1917.

JOHN J. RUTGERS, HENRY WINTER, Commissioners.

PROPOSALS FOR CITY BONDS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Common Council of the city of Holland, Michigan, at the office of the City Clerk of said city, till 7:30 o'clock P. M. of Monday, April 30, 1917, for the purchase of fourteen Water Works bonds of the dated May 1, 1917, in the sum of One thousand Dollars each with interest coupons attached; said bonds to be designated as Water Works Bonds Series "P"; and to be numbered consecutively from No. 1 to No. 14, both inclusive, and to be made payable as follows, to-wit:

Bonds Nos. 1 and 2, Feb. 1st, 1919; Bonds Nos. 3 and 4, Feb. 1st, 1920; Bonds Nos. 5 and 6, Feb. 1st, 1921; Bonds Nos. 7, 8 and 9, Feb. 1st, 1922; Bonds Nos. 10 and 11, Feb. 1st, 1923; Bonds Nos. 12 and 13, Feb. 1st, 1924; and to draw interest at rate not to exceed 5 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of August and on the first day of February of each year, beginning the first day of August, 1917, both principal and interest to be paid at the office of the City Treasurer; both principal and interest to be paid out of a separate fund to be known as "Water Works Bonds Series 'P' Sinking Fund"; said bonds to be signed by the Mayor and the City Clerk, and to be negotiated at a price not less than the par value thereof, and that upon the negotiating of said bonds the money received therefor be credited to the

HOLLAND CITY MARKETS

Selling Prices of Grains	
White Wheat	2.77
Red, wheat	2.84
Buckwheat - per 100	2.29
Rye	1.25
Oats, per bu.	78.81
Corn	1.70
From the Sea Lots	
St. Car Feed	65.00
No. 1 Feed	65.00
Cracked Corn	65.00
Corn Meal	50.00
Bran	55.00
Middlings	55.00
Screenings	50.00
Oil Meal	55.00
Cotton Seed Meal	52.00
Krause Hi-Protein Dairy Feeds	66.00
Low Grade	48.00
R. K. D. Dairy Feed	53.00
Badger Horse Feed	53.00
From Alpacas & Co.	
Hay, loose	10.00
Hay, baled	12.00
Straw	8.00
Molenaar & De Goeds	
Pork	17 to 17 1/2
Mutton	19
Veal	13 to 15
Chickens	17
Egg	30
Butter, dairy	34
Butter, Creamery	38

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

Ms. R. L. Dodd of Milwaukee is visiting her mother Mrs. Alice Robinson.

Miss Jeanne Van Dyke and Harry J. Mulder were married at the Bethany church parsonage at Grand Rapids by Rev. James Wayer last Tuesday. Both young people are well known here, and after a short wedding trip will return to make Holland their home.

A card has been received from the two boys, formerly with the Sentinel, who have joined the Coast Guards, stating that their address until further notice will be Fort Warren, Mass. They say that they are "livin' high" and are "havin' a swell time." This again shows that the men know very little at to whee they will be placed. These two Sentinel boys it was understood would be sent to Pacific Coast near San Francisco.

Mrs. Cecil Trueblood left today for Midland, Mich., where she will join her husband who left Holland for their new home a few days ago. Mr. Trueblood has been employed as chemist at the Analine Dye Works since last fall. About a week ago he accepted as chemist with the Dow Chemical Co. of Midland. The Truebloods came to Holland from Indiana last fall and they have made many friends here during their brief residence in this city.

Barney Tierman of this city died Monday evening at Harper hospital, Detroit. He underwent a serious operation after which he failed to rally. The remains were brought to the home of his parents in this city, 34 W. 22nd St. He is survived by his parents, one brother and three sisters Jessie, Raymond and Minnie at home and Mrs. M. Brightall of this city. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at 1:30 at the house and at 2:30 at the Maple Avenue church.

William T. Baker read with considerable interest yesterday of the bombardment of the town of Zierikzee in the province of Zeeland in the Netherlands. He was interested because that little town was his birthplace, more years ago than he cares to tell. He has no vivid memories of his birthtown, however, as he was something like a year old when he left it. A number of Grand Haven folks, however, can claim the bombarded town as their birthplace and they can remember considerable about it as well.—Grand Haven Tribune.

WOODEN SHIPS TO BE BUILT IN CITY OF GRAND HAVEN

RUMORS OF VISIT OF INVESTIGATORS TO CITY SAID TO MEAN REVIVAL OF OLD INDUSTRY.

Material is Very Handy and Locality of the City Is Suitable For The Purpose.

Grand Haven Tribune—Parties who did not make their identity known for publication are said to have visited Grand Haven with the last few days for the purpose of looking over property in this city which might be used for used for ship-yard purposes. They are said to have been favorably impressed with the site formerly occupied by the old Duncan Robertson yard along the south channel and it is not beyond a possibility that important developments may appear within a short time.

It is a well known fact that the government of the United States is considering seriously the fostering of the construction of wooden ships to be used for ocean service. The plan is to fairly bridge the Atlantic with a gigantic fleet of wooden craft, which are said to be better proof against the submarine torpedoes than the steel boats, and in this way to transport supplies to the U. S. Troops and the allies on the other side. The submarine warfare has destroyed a tremendous amount of tonnage of late, and the maritime authorities believe that by the continuous building of wooden ships the Teutonic menace could be finally be worn down.

It is said that several yards are about to be opened for wooden ship building on the Great Lakes, and a number will be located in Lake Michigan. It is understood that Manistee is to have one, and that Grand Haven has been considered as the other location. While there is little standing timber suitable for ship-building in this immediate vicinity, the transportation means are good. The Grand Trunk R'y taps the great forests of northern Canada. The timber can be loaded on board of the cars in the woods and brought direct to the yards at this point in good time.

As to ship-builders there are still a

number who were the youngsters of the old time yards and these men would prove the nucleus for a fine working force. Most of the old time ship carpenters who worked in the two Grand Haven yards have long since laid aside their tools and launched their last ship, but their instruction has lived after them. Many ships built in the yards in this city are still afloat and as staunch and strong as ever.

To the older residents a return of the ship building industry to Grand Haven would be a glimpse back into the past, with its sunny memories of bygone days and good friends.

FORMER HOLLAND MAN HAS SILVER WEDDING

Wm. D. Clock, formerly interested in the Ottawa Furniture Co. and whose wife was Miss Sena Jonkman of Holland twenty-five years ago, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at Otsego, where Mr. Clock moved several years ago.

Many useful and beautiful gifts were presented and the commemoration was an event in Otsego.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Meyer and family motored to Otsego to take in the event. Wm. Halhouse and J. C. Wall of Kalamazoo were also present.

FRUIT GROWER REPORTS GOOD CHANCE FOR BIG CROP

Fruit prospects in Ottawa and Allegan counties are encouraging according to estimates compiled by Gerrit J. Deur, a leading grower of Holland Township. Although peaches suffered from the present cold snap the estimate is about 75 per cent. Cherries promise a full crop, pears from 65 to 70 per cent, apples from 80 to 85 per cent and small fruits indicate a fair yield.

FLAGS ARE NOW AT HALF MAST ON THE ARMOY

Grand Haven Tribune—The flag at the Armoiy was lowered to half mast in respect to the memory of Antonie Boet, who died last evening. Mr. Boet besides being a veteran of the Civil war was also a veteran of Co. F. His name appeared on the first muster roll of Co. F and he was for many years an interested member of the organization. He served the city of Grand Haven faithfully and well as a member of the city police force for ten years and the flag on the city hall was placed at half mast this morning. The court house flag was also half-masted in respect to the veteran's memory.

CHURCH JANITOR 40 YEARS, DEAD AT 79

Cornelius Tras, aged 79 years, a resident of this city 48 years, died Tuesday morning at his home, 24 West 14th St. For nearly forty years he was janitor of the Central Avenue Christian Reformed church, retiring a few years ago.

He is survived by his widow, five sons and one daughter: Mrs. J. Wiehlinga of this city, Marinus, Joe and Cornelius of Grand Rapids, John of Mishawaka, Ind., and Anthony of Peru, Ind.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home, Rev. B. H. Einink officiating.

MOTHER OF DR. A. LEENHOUTS DIES

WAS 81 YEARS OLD SUNDAY; SUFFERED STROKE OF APOPLEXY

Mrs. William Leenhouts died Tuesday at her home on Centennial street, Zeeland. Last week Sunday she passed the 81st milestone of her life. Three weeks ago she suffered a stroke of apoplexy and was rendered unable to speak. She slowly improved, but did not completely recover from the stroke Monday she became critically ill and passed away Tuesday at 2 o'clock. The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home on Centennial street and at 2 o'clock at the First Reformed church, the Rev. P. P. Cheff, officiating.

Mrs. Leenhouts is well known in Zeeland and vicinity. She was born on a farm northeast of Zeeland. Later she moved to Zeeland where she has since resided. Her husband, who was a pioneer of this locality died several years ago. Mr. and Mrs. William De Hoop have made their home with Mrs. Leenhouts for the last few years. She is survived by the following five sons and three daughters: Mrs. Seth Coburn of Hudsonville; Mrs. De Hoop and Miss Jennie Leenhouts at home; Dr. Abraham Leenhouts of Holland, and Robert Leenhouts of Holland; William of Florida, John and Cornelia of Zeeland.

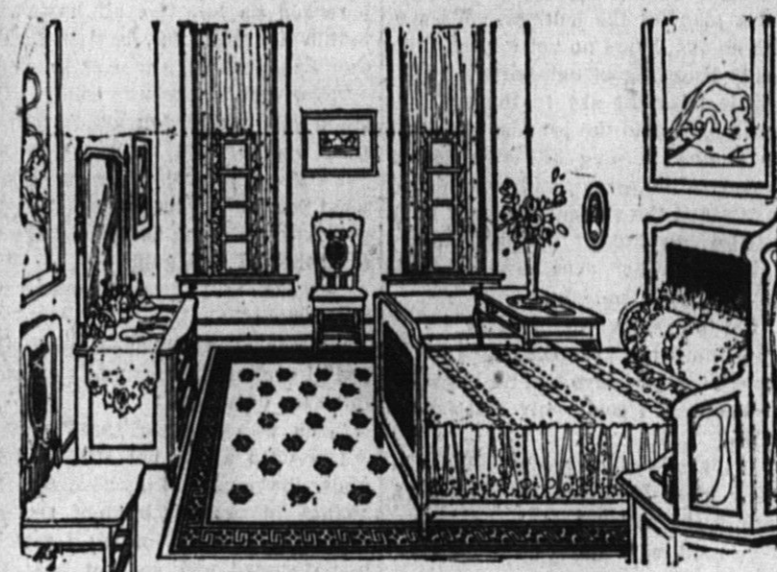
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