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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

Volume No. 43

Thursday, May 14, 1914

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Have you Dropped the H's?

Spring is here and we were wondering if you had dropped the Heavy overcoat, Heavy suit and Heavy underwear.

You will feel more like yourself when you get fitted out with seasonable wearing apparel, and we have it here for you.

The latest shirts, ties, hats and Clothcraft Clothes—you want to see what King Fashion has wished on you for Spring, and we want to show them to you.

Have you thought about a Blue Serge?

The Clothcraft No. 5130 at \$15 is better than ever this season, tariff changes making a better serge possible.

The Lokker-Rutgers Co.
Merchant Tailors, Clothing and Shoes - Holland, Mich.

Thursday's Special!

Great Suit Sale, Thursday, May 21

Every Man's and Young Man's Suit in our stock will be sold at following reduced prices:

Every \$15, 18 and 20 Will be sold at **\$13.50**
Every \$11, 12 and 13.50 Will be sold at **\$9.95**
Every \$9 and \$10 will go at **\$7.45**

All other cheaper Suits greatly reduced at this one day sale

Notier, Van Ark & Winter
27 W. Eighth Street - Holland, Mich.

John Hoffman's Cafe

Is the place for you to get your Meals and Lunches

Special attention to Parties, Banquets, etc.

Just Arrived, Fine Strawberries, Tomatoes, & Cucumbers

Special Chicken Dinner Every Sunday, 25c

HOME BAKING, Prices Reasonable

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Holland City News.

FREE! FREE! FREE!

All persons who are going to get married and need wedding stationery can receive the Holland City News for one year including a kitchen set to start house keeping with absolutely free provided they get their stationery printed at the Holland City News Office. Opposite Holland Interurban Waiting room.

You Will Like Them

Our Vandyk sepias have the same beauty of tone but just a little more snap than the old kind.

Try an order of a dozen or more.

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Your Eyes need Attention?

Our experience is at your service. No charge for examination.

HARDIE

Jeweler and Optician
19 W. 8th Street

Perfect Fitting Glasses

AT

Stevenson's

THE Optical Specialist
24 Eighth St., Holland

"THE TIRE SHOP"

Let us repair your old or get a new tire, any make you want.

Holland Vulcanizing Co.
64 East 8th St.

RYDERS TO CONTEST MOTHER'S WILL HEARING IS BEGUN

Witnesses Allege That Undue Influence Was Used Of Former Proprietor of Macatawa Hotel In Having Will Signed

Arguments in the contest over the will of the late Mary Ryder were heard Monday afternoon before Probate Judge Clark E. Higbee. The will is contested by Nellie Ryder Weihe, a daughter, who was bequeathed only \$1,000 of an estate valued at \$16,000.

The bulk of the estate was divided between the two sons, George and Charles. Mrs. Weihe contends that her mother was unduly influenced when her will was made and Monday afternoon several witnesses were heard. The attorneys for the petitioner are Diekema, Kollen and Ten Cate. Mr. Diekema, who had been attorney for Mrs. Ryder many years was placed on the stand and testified that his client had placed her property in trust to be relieved from importunities of her son Charles for funds.

Tom Robinson of Visecher and Robinson is attorney for Charles and George Ryder.

It was alleged by other testimony that when she signed the will she did it through fear that her denials would cause trouble.

Mrs. Ryder, who died last fall, was for many years proprietor of a hotel at Macatawa park.

THE LAW IN REFERENCE TO SALOONS IN RESIDENCE DISTRICTS

Owing to several inquiries made by subscribers relative to a clause in Mayor Bosch's recent communication on the liquor question printed elsewhere in this issue, the News deems it but fair to quote the law for its readers. Mayor Bosch quoted part of the law. He said as follows:—

"There is no restriction in the ordinance as to location, and the only restriction as to location imposed by State law is that they cannot be located within four hundred feet of a church or school house. This would not prevent from one to several in any of our down town business blocks, nor does it prevent the location of saloons in our residence districts."

The state law covering saloons in residence districts in the city reads as follows: "No license shall be issued to anyone to open up and establish a new bar or saloon having a front entrance within four hundred feet along the street line from the front entrance of a church or public schoolhouse or in any residence district unless the consent of all property owners within three hundred feet of said proposed bar or saloon be obtained."

This law means that within 400 feet on each side of a church or school a saloon cannot be placed. There are eight school buildings in Holland and eighteen church denominations holding services. This in itself would practically cover the residence district. The law further restricts in this way:—no saloon can be placed in the residence district without the consent of the property owners within 300 feet of the saloon proper. This means that if the church and school provision of the law did not protect the residence district, such district has the protection of that part of the law which requires the saloonist to get the consent of from 12 to 24 property owners—figuring one to every 50 foot lot which is about the ratio in Holland—before he could open up. So you see there is very little likelihood of a saloon ever being placed in our residence district, for it is not probable that even one property owner would give his consent, let alone a greater number, knowing that if a saloon were placed near his property such property would depreciate greatly in value.

Then again the common council has the last say as to who shall be granted licenses, and public sentiment would not tolerate a saloon in the residence district.

Grand Haven Certainly Having Fish Troubles.

That a well laid scheme was perpetrated and consummated by some one in knowledge of the evening program of the game warden's department Tuesday evening was evidenced by the story that no sooner had a barrel of immature trout been seized by the officers than it had mysteriously disappeared, without a trace left behind as to where it went.

The officers are said to have seized the trout and gone further to investigate. No one was seen in the neighborhood of the seized fish but when they returned the barrel was gone.

HOPE COLLEGE SCHOOL OF MUSIC FINISHES SUCCESSFUL YEAR.

Give Its Annual Recital.

In spite of the stormy weather a large and refined audience was present at the Spring Term recital of the College School of Music, which proved to be the very best pupils' recital ever given in the history of the school. Piano, voice and violin vied with each other in the excellency of rendering choice selections artistically. Miss Wing's pupils revealed a touch of rare delicacy, or brilliancy as the case demanded. Miss Brown brought out some pupils that had never been heard before in public, all of whom evinced a musicianship of considerable merit, and voices well in hand. A most remarkable improvement was noted in the voice of Miss Gertrude Keppel, who had not been heard in the last two years, and whose singing now is a pleasure to the audience, thanks to the proper placement of tone and the complete elimination of the tremolo, through Miss Brown's training.

Miss Baker showed what a year's hard application could do in violin playing under the able teaching of Miss Coleman.

Three of Miss Moore's pupils in expression assisted in an artistic manner to make the musical soiree an unqualified success.

Miss Marie Dykstra and Mr. Harris Meyer accompanied in their usual excellent manner pupils in violin and voice.

The program follows:—Consolation, No. 6 (Liszt) and Perpetual Motion (Mac Dowell) by Miss Marjorie Dykema; Scherzo, Op. 53, No. 2, (Mozart) by Miss Nella Meyer; "Love is Meant to Make Us Glad", (German) and "Tis Spring" (Ware) by Miss Gertrude Keppel; "His Upward Step" (Hill) by Miss Martha Ossewaarde, Kulawik (Weinlawski) Miss Harriet Baker; "Barcarolle" (Offenbach) by Misses Lucy and Jennie Brouwer; Adaption from "The Piper" (Peabody) by Miss Elsie V. Johnstone; Sea Pieces (Mac Dowell) by Miss Evelyn DePree; The Swallows (Cowen) by Miss Henrietta Van Zee. "In Loco Parentis" (Kelly) by Miss Anna Kolyn; "Shadow Dance" (Mac Dowell) by Miss Cornelia Konning; "Sweet Maid, Spring" (North) by Miss Isabella Ronan.

Opens Cafe Today

John Hoffman will open up his Cafe in Hotel Holland today in Pantlind style. It certainly is a beauty, surpassing any cafe in cities the size of Holland.

THREE HOLLAND BOYS GO TO GRAND HAVEN TO PLAY BALL

Spriggs Plays With the Athletics. Business Manager Warren H. Stansbury of Grand Haven came to Holland Tuesday and while here signed up "Babe" Woldring, "Spriggs" Te Roller and Carl Shaw for the season. The three popular Holland boys will all be back in Athletic uniforms.

For a time it was feared that Spriggs would not be back this year, reports having it that he had signed up with Manistee in the state league. But the little Holland catcher came to terms with the Athletics yesterday and Grand Haven fans will rejoice.

All the boys will be on hand for the first games to be played in Muskegon and the Grand Haven fans are just crazy for the umpire to cry "play ball."

GRAND HAVEN BAND MAY BE AT HOLLAND FAIR.

Compliment City Band

Grand Haven Tribune—Few organizations have reaped such a harvest of compliments as has the Grand Haven band since their visit to Holland last Saturday when they furnished the music for the Elks institution of the new chapter. The fourteen piece band was greeted everywhere with warmest welcome and most complimentary remarks were made openly. Before leaving the city the management of the organization was asked to consider the task of furnishing music for the Holland fair.

This was the first visit to Holland for some time and sentiment of all seemed to express an element of surprise that Grand Haven could have such an admirable organization.

WESTERN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY HELD ANNUAL GRADUATING EXERCISES LAST EVENING.

Before a good-sized audience in Trinity Reformed church last evening the class of 1914 of the Western Theological Seminary took their degrees. The class of this year numbers eight, and all save one have already accepted calls to their respective fields of work. The exercises last night were very impressive. Following was the program:

Voluntary, Seminary Processional; reading of Scripture; prayer, Rev. B. Hofman, president of the board; hymn—Church Hymnary No. 693; address, "The Bible and Progress", Allen F. Marley; address, "De Kerk in de Wereld", Dirk Dykstra; music, Trinity church choir; address on behalf of the board, Rev. Frederick Lubbers; presentation of certificates, The Rev. Prof. Dr. John W. Beardslee, president of the faculty; hymn—Church Hymnary, No. 713; Benediction.

Following are the members of the graduating class: Dirk Dykstra, Bahr, Araba; Jacob Heemstra, Boyden, Ia.; Edward Huibregste, of Oostburg, Wis.; John H. Kregel, of Chicago, Ill.; Allen F. Marley, Schenectady, N. Y.; Teunis Oldenburger, Holland; Royal A. Stanton, Lawersville, N. Y.; Benjamin J. Wynveen, Cedar Grove, Wis.

The faculty of the seminary is composed of the following:—Prof. John W. Beardslee, D. D., LL. D.; Prof. Jas. F. Zwemer, D. D.; Prof. Matthew Kolyn, D. D.; Prof. Evert J. Blekkink, D. D.; Prof. John W. Beardslee, Jr., Ph. D., D. D.

The students of the seminary will preach in the following places during the summer months:

The Cascades
Carlstadt—Berend T. Vander Woude; Monarch—George C. Heneveld.

Dakota
Westfield—Gerrit Menning; Tyndall—John W. Brink.

Grand River
Beverly—Richard J. Vanden Berg; East Paris—Oliver G. Droppers; Plainfield—Alexander Van Bronkhorst.

Holland
Dunningville—Frederiek J. Van Dyk; Hudsonville—John Bovenkerk; Three Oaks—Engelhart Furda.

Iowa
Rock Rapids—Hubert S. Mullenberg; Twin Brooks—John D. Dykstra; Spring Creek—Raymond D. Meengs; Sanborn—Bert R. Van Zyl.

Michigan
2 Hamilton—Lambertus Hekhuis; Knapp Ave.—Thos. G. Van den Bosch.

Pella
Oskaloosa—Frederic Zandstra.

Pleasant Prairie
Herman, Minn. and Claremont, D. D.—A. H. Waalkes; Bethel and Baker—John M. De Vries.

Rochester
Cutting—John Bennink; Sodus—Henry Colenbrander.

Man Injured in Shoe Factory
Mr. Wallace an employee at the shoe factory had his elbow caught in one of the machines tearing off considerable skin and injuring the ligaments. The man was taken to the office of Dr. Thomas in an auto.

It will be some time before Wallace will be able to go back to work.

Diekema Going to Marquette
Hon. G. J. Diekema will speak to a "get-together" Republican reunion, at Marquette on Friday, May 22.

HOLLAND PEOPLE BELIEVE IN BANK STOCKS.

Stockholders From This Vicinity Well Represented in Grand Haven Banks

That citizens of Holland believe in investing their surplus in bank stock both home and abroad is noticeable by a statement of the Grand Haven State Bank. The stockholders from this vicinity are as follows:

Wm. J. Garrod, Holland, 45; John Veneklasen, Zeeland, 13; Helen A. Veneklasen, Zeeland, 10; Cornelius Ver Schure, Holland, 13; Gerrit J. Diekema, Holland, 20; Wm. O. Van Eyck, Holland, 10; J. Waltman, Zeeland, 13; Rubie G. Garrod, Holland, 7; John W. Beardslee, Holland, 13; Peter J. Ossewaarde, Zeeland, 3; Jennie Meeuwse, Zeeland, 1.

NEWS from the COUNTY

ZEELAND

Mrs. E. Baron of East Holland is seriously ill.

Mrs. J. Vegter spent Tuesday in Holland visiting.

F. Boonstra made a business trip in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Leonard Reus made a business trip to Montague Tuesday.

John Meengs of Grand Rapids was in town on business Tuesday.

The gas ditch digger has not been working for the last few days.

Raymond Drukker is visiting with friends in Kalamazoo Monday.

Henry Mulder was in Lansing Monday getting an automobile.

The Rev. J. VanderArk of Drenthe was in town on business Tuesday.

D. J. Neinhuis of Forest Grove was in town on business Saturday.

The regular teachers' meeting of the Zeeland schools was held Tuesday evening in Mrs. R. O. Fritchler's room.

H. H. Karsten and Bro. sold six automobiles during the past week—two Paiges and four Fords.

Dr. T. J. Huisenga was in Grand Rapids Tuesday engaged in professional business.

E. J. Mac Dermid, the photographer, is having a beautiful new front put in his art gallery.

Henry Dornbus of Grand Haven was in town Saturday visiting with friends. He came in his automobile.

Mrs. Louis Boonstra is spending the week visiting relatives and with friends in Grand Haven and Muskegon.

The music store of Smits and Dykwell was formally opened Monday. All things in the musical line are carried.

At the regular meeting of the Civic Club Tuesday, Peter Smits passed the cigars as it was the day of opening of his new store.

Dr. Brouwer of Drenthe was in town Tuesday to attend the meeting of the directors of the Zeeland Ornamental company.

Marie Fox of Grand Haven is in town visiting friends. She formerly was of Zeeland and graduated from the tenth grade here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Mac Dermid of Greenville spent the week end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mac Dermid.

The Ver Hage sisters of Vriesland have moved to Zeeland and are now occupying the house recently vacated by J. Wagner.

Alfred Van Voorst entertained the High school Thursday morning with three selections on his cornet. This is the second time that Mr. Van Voorst has entertained the school.

A game of base ball Thursday between the Zeeland Juniors and the Specials resulted in a score of 13 to 6 in favor of the Juniors. This is the second game of the series, the Juniors also winning the first game.

The steam shovel in the brickyard clay pits is nearly half submerged in water. The company was about to commence operations for the season, but the heavy rains of late will delay work for quite a while.

The first game of the Series between the Freshmen and Sophomores was played Thursday, the Sophomores winning by the close score of 11 to 10. At the end of the series, the Juniors will play the winners.

The cantata at the North street church passed off very successfully. A large audience attended the singing of the society which was led by Mayor John Meekle.

A runaway horse was caught at the interurban station Tuesday at noon. No buggy appeared but a rain coat was attached to the tug of the harness.

A delegation of the Young Peoples Society of North St. went to the entertainment of the Boreulo society last night. Bernie Mulder and Elizabeth Smittler represented the society on the program.

Supt. A. H. Washburn went to Kalamazoo Friday and Saturday in quest of teachers for the next school year. Only two of the High school teachers remain next year, Superintendent Washburn and Miss Cheney.

The Rev. D. R. Drukker and family spent the first part of the week in Kalamazoo, visiting. Mr. Drukker has recently accepted a call from that city. They report that while there the big dam broke and flooded all the celery land in the vicinity. Mr. Drukker said that most of the cellars were also filled.

Supt. A. H. Washburn is entertaining his father here for a couple of days. Mr. Washburn is an old soldier. He is a very tall man, quite exceeding the length of Supt. Washburn. His home is in Petoskey.

Martin Johnson and Miss Jennie Driesenga went as delegates of the North Street Christian Reformed church Young Peoples' Society to the society entertainment of the Christian Reformed church at Jamestown.

Miss Sollers, the visiting nurse to Ottawa county addressed the High school Thursday morning. Miss Sollers is here because the school pupils sold many Red Cross Christmas stamps last fall. She said that she did not work for the Red Cross society but for the National Tuberculosis society.

The second game of the series between the High school and the Knickerbocker club played Saturday resulted in a victory for the K. C.'s by a score of 12 to 1. The game was very close to the end of the sixth inning when the score stood 1 to 0 in favor of the High school. Then the school's support weakened and the game went to the K. C.'s. The features of the game were four double plays by the K. C.'s and one double and a triple, from short to second to first, by the High school. The batteries for the K. C.'s were Wyngaarden and Drukker, and for the High school, Neinhuis, Wiersma and Brouwer.

The big ditch digger has nearly reached the brickyard at Zeeland. It will be digging on the main streets of Zeeland by the end of next week. Up-to-date most of the citizens have contracted for gas.

During the past week several automobiles have become stuck in the gas ditch. Although the ditch is filled, the ground has not yet settled and the consequence is that the autos go down if they steer into it. Saturday, the day of the big Hope-Grand Rapids relay, two of the numerous autos rested in the ditch for quite a long time. A large number of persons from Zeeland accompanied the race to Holland in autos and on bicycles.

HUDSONVILLE

Hudsonville, May 13—Loman Kortz is nursing a broken leg this morning and he is hoping that he will be well enough to drive his new car again as soon as it gets out of the hospital. Kortz was anxious to reach the home of one of his friends, who lives over the river, and the rain was pouring in torrents. The windshield was so blurred that he could not see distinctly where he went and failed to see a washout in the road in time to avoid it. When the car reached the steep place it skidded and turned into the ditch among the logs. It struck on its side and Kortz in trying to jump clear of the car was caught beneath one of the fenders and his leg was broken about five inches above the knee. The car was badly smashed, the front axle bent nearly double, the engine broken and the right fender put out of commission. Assistance came in response to Kortz's call for help and he was taken to a nearby farm home where medical aid was summoned. The car was sent to Grand Rapids for repairs.

JAMESTOWN

A joint committee of three Michigan classes of the Reformed church met in Grand Rapids and made plans for the holding of the annual mission festival in Jamestown grove Thursday, July 30. The day will be a holiday for the farmers and for as many city people as can get away and visitors will be present from all parts of the state to picnic in the grove and to hear inspiring messages from missionary leaders. The principal speakers on this year's program will be Dr. Albert Oltman of Japan and Rev. H. P. De Pree of China, both missionaries home on furloughs. Rev. J. Van Westenbrugge is chairman and Cornelius Dosker is secretary of the committee in charge of the festival.

GRAAFSCHAP

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit De Fouw—a ten and a half pound son. Herm Schipper is building a tasty new residence it will be finished by the first of June.

Miss Johanna Johnson is visiting for a week at the home of Jeannette Christen who moved to Rusk some time ago.

The farmers are all having a snap now days the wet weather is giving them a set back. The work will come in a rush when the warm sun comes drying up the land then the farmers will have to go some believe me. The women folks are in there glory. The men folks can help them beat carpets and clean house.

Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey For Coughs and Colds

HOLLAND TOWN

After an all day session at about 5:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the jury in the case of Louis Cohan of Holland township vs. Contractor Shadd of Grand Rapids returned a verdict of no cause for action. The case was tried before Justice Sooy. The jury was composed of Herman De Fouw, Dick Boter, Henry De Jong, John Bosman, John Vander Veen and A. J. Force.

Mr. Cohan started suit over a contract he had with Shadd for doing an excavating job. He claimed he did more work than stated in the contract.

While some parts of the state have been hit with severe storms that have caused much damage, this section has suffered nothing further than rather a great abundance of water. Black River, even at those points where one can jump over it in the middle of the summer, looked very much like a navigable stream. On each side of the Pere Marquette Railroad bridge the river had far overflowed its banks, and the marsh north of the city looked very much like a miniature lake yesterday. All along the river for miles into the country the stream overflowed its banks at many points and many of the bottom lands suffered considerably. The water in the river was higher than it has been for many years.

MACATAWA

John C. Tromp died suddenly at his home in Mishawaka, Ind., as a result of a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Tromp has many friends in Holland, especially among those who make their home at Macatawa park during the summer months. Mr. Tromp was the first man to build a cottage on what is now Mishawaka Avenue. It was he who gave that name to the street at Macatawa, and he has spent his summers at that resort for many years, almost since the very beginning of Macatawa as a summer resort. For many years he served as a director of the Macatawa Park association.

Mr. Tromp was a prominent business man of Mishawaka, Ind. He lived there for 45 years and was closely associated with the business interests of the city. He was born in the Netherlands and served as lieutenant in the army of the Netherlands. Deceased was 64 years old.

CRISP

Art Groenewoud, an old settler of Ottawa county, died Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mulder, one mile east of Crisp. Mr. Mulder was 91 years of age and has spent fifty years of his life on a farm in this county. Mr. Groenewoud has no children surviving him. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the residence and at two o'clock from the church.

NEW HOLLAND

Saturday noon at her home in North Holland, Mrs. Elizabeth Neinhuis, died at the age of 62 years.

The deceased is survived by a husband, three sons, Martin of this city, Abel and Harm of North Holland, and four daughters, Mrs. John Brinkman, and Mrs. L. D. Knoll of this city, and Mrs. John Redder of Olive Center and Miss Jennie Neinhuis of North Holland.

The funeral was held yesterday at 11 o'clock from the home and at 12 o'clock from the Reformed church of North Holland. The Rev. G. Tysse officiated.

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Use a proven kidney remedy. None endorsed like Doan's Kidney Pills.

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"When your Back is Lame—Remember the Name."—Adv.

NEW HOLLAND

Ralph Nutting of South Blendon is at present painting the residence of D. Vanden Berg.

Mr. A. Groenewoud of Crisp is confined to his bed on account of illness.

Miss Ethel Vanden Berg of Grand Rapids who has been spending a few days here with her parents left for the Rapids Tuesday to resume her duties as nurse.

Dr. Vanden Berg and daughter Ethel drove to Holland Monday, calling on a few of their friends.

Miss Jennie Brown went to Grand Rapids Tuesday on business.

The people of New Holland are anxiously waiting for commissioner Cook to survey the road running south to Holland so that those who subscribed to grade the road can get to work.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Winter of Holland and their two sons, and Dr. H. Vanden Berg of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. Vanden Berg Sunday for a few hours.

Mr. Isaac Houting our village blacksmith, will do a little farming this week so watch for a fall in corn marks next fall.

The ten round bout here last week between Mr. Walter Meeuwse of Harlem and Antonia Meengs of New Holland was called a draw. Mr. John Wierda acted as referee. Meeuwse and Meengs are both light weight.

Mr. John W. Nienhuis of Crisp is down with the Auto germ and Dr. Karsten of Zeeland is at present treating him. He expects his patient will soon be rid of his malady.

Mr. Wright Brower of this place lost his driver this week Sunday. Paralysis caused its death.

Miss Jennie H. J. Smith, who has been seriously ill, is somewhat improving, and expects to be out soon. The May showers will materially increase the hay crop.

Mrs. H. Van Haar has had a telephone installed in her residence.

Mr. M. P. Stegenga, who has been ill, is well again.

The children of the New Holland school enjoy the warm weather very much as they had a bad time of the February keeping warm. Teachers had to keep their children in the room with coats on to keep them from freezing. The furnace can not keep our school room up to 72 degrees.

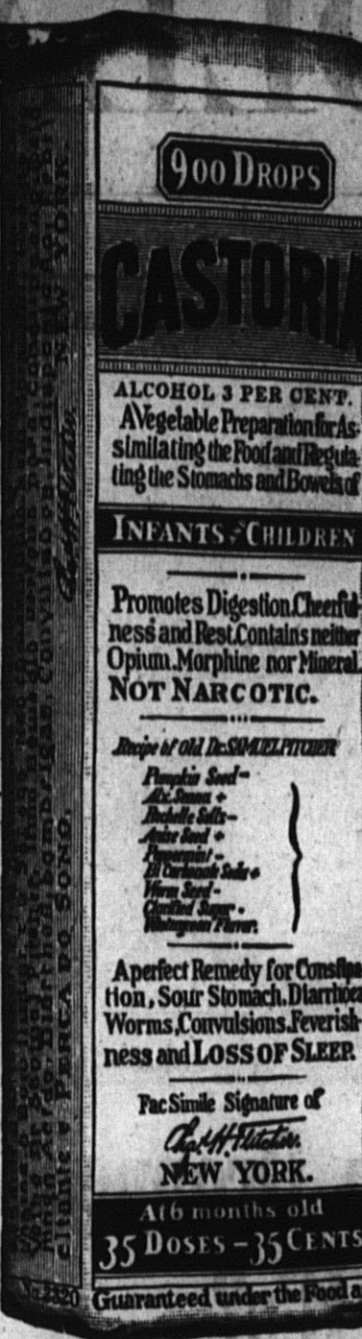
LAKE TOWN

C. P. Zwemer has sold his farm to Wm. Kamps.

Edwin Fuder was in Grand Rapids last Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Klavern spent Sunday with their parent Mrs. W. Essenberg.

Henry De Pree is doing a good business in chickens last week his 6 large incubators came due. In all fifteen hundred eggs were hatched so they must be having some chicks now.



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Harry Aalderink and his molly spent Sunday in Holland with his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hunkes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vander Bie of Grand Rapids and their son John and daughter and two children spend Sunday in Graafschap with friends and relatives they came with their new motor car Saturday.

Jacob Dogger of Central park spent Sunday with his brother Gerrit Dogger.

Farmers are having it easy now a days they have time to rest up a little. Docks have it busy for their is plenty of water.

J. K. Aalderink shipped two calves to Chicago this week Monday. Harm M. Jager paid his parents a visit last Friday night.

FENNIVILLE

William M. Hutchins, aged 73, Fennville, Mich., was killed and E. H. Hall, Kansas City, Kan., was seriously injured and Mrs. William Hutchins was bruised when the auto in which they were riding was struck by a Holland interurban car Thursday afternoon near Jamestown.

Mrs. Hutchins was driving the automobile and her husband was seated beside her. Hall was in the rear seat. Mrs. Hutchins was asked about the accident, but she could not explain. She says she did not realize their danger until the car struck them.

Hutchins was killed instantly. Hall's arm was broken. He was removed to Butterworth hospital. Mrs. Hutchins was only slightly injured.

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Nathaniel Erskine Passed Away at Home in Grand Rapids

Nathaniel Erskine, a member of the G. A. R. Post of this city and a local resident for many years, died at his home 24 Mt. Vernon Avenue, Grand Rapids. Mr. Erskine had reached the age of 72 years. He is survived by a widow and one daughter.

The funeral will be held here on this afternoon at two o'clock from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis King, 9 East Ninth St. The Rev. Mr. Eaveld will officiate.

NEW INTERURBAN BOAT WILL PLY BETWEEN OTTAWA AND CAR. TERMINAL.

Steel Craft, Modern In Every Way Was Launched Last Week at Spring Lake.

The Holland Interurban's new ferry boat, the Ottawa of which Al Beck nor of this city is captain, was launched last week and as soon as the finishing touches are applied will be taken under its own power to Ottawa Beach to be ready for service the latter part of this week. The Ottawa is all steel, 65 feet long and 17.6 feet beam, especially designed to withstand listing.

Her floors are flexible concrete and four watertight compartments will insure her safety in the event of accident. She has two decks, the lower or cabin deck, inclosed in windows of the street car type. Wide stairways forward and aft lead to the upper deck, which will have a canopy top for stormy days or when the sun shines.

Toilet rooms, lavatories and bubbling fountains will contribute to the comfort of the passengers. The boat will have a capacity for 250 passengers. It will be equipped with a heavy duty kerosene engine of the semi-diesel type so designed that the handling will be entirely from the captain's cabin on the upper deck. This will insure accuracy in the control and quick action as the old-fashioned method of operating by signal will be avoided.

The boat will have its own lighting plant and will be equipped with a ten-inch searchlight. With two gangways on busy days the pay-as-you enter system of collecting fares can be adopted. The Ottawa will be run exclusively between Ottawa Beach and the Holland Interurban landing, with a regular schedule making connection with all cars on the interurban. The express service to Ottawa Beach will land the passengers on the pier with an easy transfer for passengers, while passengers who take the regular cars will walk from the main line to the end of the pier but always under cover.

The fare to Ottawa Beach from Grand Rapids will be the same as to Macatawa Park, with no extra charge for the ferry. The interurban pier is being covered with a pavilion roof for the protection of passengers whether for the ferry or the steamer to Chicago from weather conditions.

HOLLAND NOW HAS POPULATION OF MORE THAN 11,500

That Is Estimate Given By Director of Census William J. Harris

Holland now has at least one thousand more inhabitants than it had in 1910 when the federal census was taken. At least that is the estimate made by Director of Census William J. Harris. He estimates that this city now has a population of more than 11,500. And this estimate is based on rather well founded figures. Moreover it agrees pretty well with the figures given out last year by the people who compiled the new city directory. In 1910 Holland had a population of 10,490. When the next state census is taken it is believed that the number will be very near the 12,000 mark.

While there are each year some additions to the population by reason of immigrants and persons from other cities coming in, this is not the greatest reason for the growth of the population, which is of course not a very large one. It is what in Census language is known as Natural Increase that is chiefly responsible for the growth in population. Each year the number of births in Holland is just about three times the number of deaths and the difference between births and deaths marks the Natural Increase.

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MRS. G. A. LACEY IS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF CENTRAL SCHOOL PARENTS TEACHERS' CLUB

Mrs. G. A. Lacey was elected president of the Parents-Teachers' club of Central school at the annual business meeting and election of officers held Friday afternoon. Mrs. G. E. Kollen was elected vice-president. Miss Fannie Koolker, secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. Milo De Vries, press committee. As directors Mrs. Barkell and Mrs. Mc Bride were chosen.

In spite of the many counter attractions, a goodly number of parents showed their interest in and loyalty to the club by attending the meeting yesterday. Mrs. Van Verst sang a solo. Miss Metz gave a number of readings in Italian dialect that were heartily encored. Mrs. Lacey read a paper on "The School House as a Social Center." The Misses Brouwer rendered some fine vocal selections.

The social hour was in charge of the outgoing president, assisted by Mrs. Fred Boone and Miss Maxine McBride.

Friday's meeting was the last of the year. The series of meetings during the winter months has been a very successful one.

But He Sends His Regards to Local Order of Elks

Gov. Woodbridge N. Ferris was one of the distinguished guests who had been invited to attend the organization exercises of the Order of Elks in this city Saturday afternoon and evening. Mr. Ferris sent the local lodge his regrets that he was unable to be present. He was attending a birthday party of the Flint lodge, an invitation to which had reached him before the Holland lodge invited him. Mr. Ferris is a member of the Order of Elks of Big Rapids.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR SERVICES AT GRAVE OF CLIFFORD KAISER DECORATION DAY

Three Speakers Are to Make Short Addresses; Exercises to Begin at 3:30 O'clock

Plans for the unveiling of the monument on the grave of Clifford Kaiser have been practically completed. The unveiling exercises will take place on the afternoon of Memorial day at three-thirty o'clock. Three speakers have been secured, the Rev. J. W. Eaveld, pastor of the M. E. church of which young Kaiser was a member, the Rev. A. F. Bruske, of Hope church, who preached the funeral sermon last year, and Superintendent E. E. Fell, who was intimately acquainted with the young man during his years in the local high school. Each of these speakers will give short addresses and the unveiling of the monument will be done by some one to be appointed later.

The monument is now being prepared in the plant of R. N. De Merell. It is a beautiful and massive stone of the newest design. It is rough hewn with a polished space for the inscription. The words are now being carved on the stone and the monument will be ready in ample time before Memorial day.

The unveiling of the monument will be part of the Memorial Day exercises this year. The order of exercises will be printed on the official Memorial day program, and the speaking will take place immediately at the conclusion of the regular Memorial exercises at Pilgrim Home cemetery.

HOPE COLLEGE PROFESSOR TO DELIVER BACCALAUREATE ADDRESS TO FERRIS INSTITUTE STUDENTS.

Prof. John E. Kuizenga of Hope College has been invited by Governor Ferris to deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Ferris Institute on June 21. The invitation was extended through Prof. G. Masselink, who is in active charge of Ferris Institute while Mr. Ferris is serving as chief executive of the state. Prof. Kuizenga recently acted as toastmaster at the Knickerbocker society banquet in Grand Rapids on which occasion Gov. Ferris was the principal speaker.

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ELKS HOLD BIG BANQUET ELABORATE AND IMPRESSIVE EXERCISES WERE HELD SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND EVENING.

Installation Exercises And Banquet Mark the Birth of New Fraternal Order

Number 1315 Holland Lodge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks was inaugurated in Holland on Saturday afternoon and evening. The program began with a parade at three o'clock when representatives from Daisy Lodge of Grand Rapids, and representatives from the Baby Lodge in Holland met delegations from Muskegon and Grand Haven at the P. M. Depot. The delegations marched from the depot and the inauguration took place in Woodman hall. The K. of P. Hall was used as a reception room during the exercises. The band was entertained at the Marquette club, and the exercises of the day closed with an elaborate banquet in the Lyceum rink. It had originally been planned to hold the banquet in the Marquette club rooms but because of the fact that the delegation was exceptionally large this plan had to be abandoned and the Lyceum rink had to be used for this purpose.

The afternoon exercises were concluded with the installation of officers at 4 o'clock. At this installation District Grand Exalted Ruler Wm. Bryar, presided. The installation was in charge of Mother Lodge of Grand Haven, No. 1200 with the following officers: George E. McCabe Exalted Ruler; John Bryce, Esteemed Leading Knight; B. W. Andrews, Esteemed Loyal Knight; William Wilds, Esteemed Lecturing Knight; Neal De Gloppe, Esquire; C. W. Cotton, Secretary; A. E. Gale, Treasurer; Ralph Wilson, Chaplain.

After the installation of officers, the first annual business meeting of the new order was held and the following officers were elected:

Exalted Ruler—N. J. Whelan; Esteemed Leading Knight—E. W. Dick; Esteemed Loyal Knight—J. Altman; Esteemed Lecturing Knight—Judson Michmershuizen; Secretary—J. J. Van Putten; Treasurer—H. H. Doesburg; Tyler—Jacob Kuite; Trustees—Tom N. Robinson, one year; Nicholas Hofstein, two years; and Mr. Tappan, three years.

The Exalted Ruler made the following appointments: Esquire, M. J. O'Brien; Inner Guard, August Breyman; Chaplain, Dr. Fisher.

The regular list of fifty members were initiated. This number is the limit set by the laws of the national order. There were a number of others besides those initiated who were unable to get upon the regular charter list because of this limit fixed by the order. All such will be acted upon as soon as possible.

The banquet in the evening was an elaborate affair. It was one of the finest banquets held in Holland during the past several years. Jacob Kuite was in charge of the meat end of the menu, and all the meats were especially brought from Chicago for this occasion. John Hoffman of Hotel Holland was the caterer and he exerted himself to the utmost to make the banquet as elaborate as possible. Plates were set for 210 persons. During the meal music was furnished by Lacey's orchestra, the Grand Haven band, and the two man band of Stevens and Cleaves. E. W. Dick introduced the toastmaster, N. J. Whelan who presided during the balance of the festivities. Toasts were responded to by Exalted Rulers John Burch of Daisy lodge of Grand Rapids, George E. McCabe, Grand Haven, Lee Trot, Muskegon and by Past Exalted Rulers, James Lombard, of Grand Rapids, Joe O'Brien, Grand Haven, and Captain Herman Harbeck, Grand Haven.

Bert Hogan, the Irish impersonator of Grand Rapids gave a number of selections in the Dutch dialect which made a big hit with the people gathered at the banquet. Thos. N. Robinson, Percy Ray and John Kelly told of their impressions of the candidates. George Babcock, of Harvey, Illinois, John Rudyard of Chicago, and Frank Vance of Dayton, Ohio, brought greetings from their respective organizations. The banquet closed with a speech by District Deputy Bryar.

The decorations in the banquet hall were very elaborate and were in purple and gold.

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ARBOR DAY OBSERVED FRIDAY MORNING BY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Excellent German Program Given By Students In Afternoon; Was Day of Entertainment

Friday was a day of pleasure and recreation for the High school students. Studies were put aside for the day and entertainment took precedence.

In the morning the lecture by Dr. F. Roth was enjoyed by the students and each class planted a shrub, vine or tree in the school yard with fitting ceremony. It was decided that each year in the future the graduating class shall plant a tree.

In the afternoon nominations for officers of the High school association of government were made. Retiring Mayor Heltrick presided. In a long speech, likened unto those of Tammany bosses, Edward Ilan nominated John C. Post for mayor. Bert Van Ark with a no less emotional speech nominated George De Witt for that office. Other nominations were as follows: Clerk, Elise Gowdy and Justine Kronmeyer; treasurer, Marion De Pree and Mary Geagh. From four to seven candidates for aldermen were nominated in each of the six wards. Two aldermen will be elected from each ward.

Next week will be spent in campaigning. The election will be held tomorrow.

Before the nominations a German program, under the direction of Miss Bernice Masten, instructor of that department, was given. This was the first time a program of this sort was attempted by the students and it was a great success. Each number was a decided hit with the audience.

The program was as follows: Music by orchestra; piano solo, "De Wacht an Rheim" Florence Bylsma; Essay, "Great Men of Germany," Marion De Pree; double quartette, "Die Heilige Nacht," German Poems, Sarah Hoffman; vocal solo, (German) Herman Brouwer; recitation (German) John Van de Woude; girls' quartette, "Mein Vaterland" and "Sancta Lucia," oration, "A Plea for the Jews," James Van Ark. Prin. Gilbert presented the High school with a Victrola purchased with funds raised by the High school concert last winter.

Modern Woodmen Entertain in Honor of Henry Kraker

The Modern Woodmen Friday celebrated in honor of the 38th birthday anniversary of Henry Kraker, one of their members. The celebration was held in Woodman hall. There were a number of good talks by members of the order in which they congratulated Mr. Kraker and wished him many happy returns of the day. Mr. Kraker responded gracefully to the well wishing on the part of his fellow members. The entertainment was a surprise to him and the evening was most pleasantly spent.

A special feature had been provided by the manager of the Apollo theater and Mr. Kraker took the members of the lodge to the show.

FRANK KUTE SENT TO JAIL TRIED TO BEAT UP AN OFFICER WHEN ARRESTED ON DRUNK CHARGE SATURDAY.

Frank Kute was sentenced to spend sixty days in the county jail when he pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk when arraigned before Justice Sooy Monday morning. Kute is also awaiting trial in circuit court on a charge of statutory burglary and was under bonds when arrested on the drunk charge.

Kute was arrested Saturday afternoon by Patrolman Bontekoe when he created a disturbance at the Klaasen Printing Co. Kute showed some fight and was promptly handcuffed by the officer and taken to jail on a convenient wagon. When the handcuffs were taken off at the jail he again tried to beat up the officer, but he got considerably the worst of the fray.

Former Prosecutor C. C. Coburn Locates in Grand Rapids
Attorney C. C. Coburn, former prosecutor of Ottawa county, has withdrawn from the firm of Coburn & Misner in Grand Haven and has located in Grand Rapids, where he will have offices in the Fourth National Bank building. Mr. Coburn has been engaged in the law business in Grand Haven for nearly ten years and he served as prosecutor for two terms.

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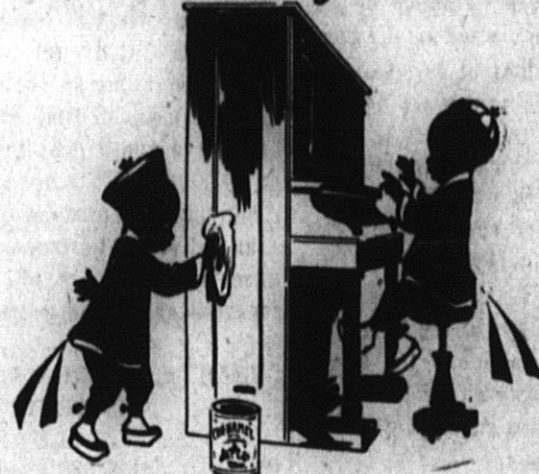
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The WEEK'S DOINGS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Coster, Sunday morning—a boy.

The Rev. J. P. Winter of Fairview, Ill., has been spending a few days with relatives in this city.

Miss Ester Mulder entertained the Junior class of the High school at her home in East 14th street Friday night.

Mrs. A. E. McClellan received a box of fine carnations from her son Lovell, a student at M. A. C. in honor of Mother's day.

George Parsons is visiting at his home in this city on a twelve day furlough from the U. S. Navy training school, Great Lakes.

The City Garage Monday received a cycle car by express. This is the first one of the miniature automobiles recently put on the market to be brought to this city.

The Postal department will make but one attempt hereafter to find the addresses of a letter and will not hold it a specified number of days as has been the custom in the past.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Bruinzeel, 194 West 17th St. died Sunday. Funeral was held Tuesday at 2 o'clock from the home.

The Simplis Short Hand school has opened class rooms at 26 East 8th street, over the store of the French Cloak Co.

There were 87 births and 45 deaths in Ottawa county in March. Grand Haven reported 13 births and 8 deaths. Holland reported 27 births and 11 deaths.

Phil Van Opdurp, formerly of Rochester, N. Y. has made arrangements to open a fruit and confectionary store at 254 River Avenue.

Dr. Lewis C. Skinner, representing the Campbell Electric Company of Lynn, Mass., is in the city installing a modern X-ray and electric treatment machine in the office of Dr. A. Leenhouts.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lemmons of Grant, Colo.—a girl. Mrs. Lemmons formerly lived in Holland. Her maiden name was Carrie Turling.

John Windemuller, a sailor serving on the U. S. vessel Kansas, returned to his duties Tuesday after spending a few days with relatives here. The Holland man expects to be sent to Mexico for service there.

Judge Orlen S. Cross will preside over Grand Rapids Circuit court beginning next week during the absence of Judge MacDonald, who is called to Detroit on official business.

The Heinz Pickle company will send men through this part of the country this season to instruct farmers in the proper method of growing and cultivating cucumbers for pickles.

Lee Cummings has received his beautiful new Jackson, 40 horsepower touring car, fully equipped. In company with Harry Knipe of the Central Garage, he drove the car from Jackson.

Although the fruit store of John Buchanan, near River Avenue and 11th street, has been sold to Grand Rapids parties as previously stated, the Buchanans will continue to operate the store as in the past.

The men who accompanied the baseball team to Grand Rapids for a track meet and baseball game with Union High Saturday afternoon were Pauls, Huntley, Oltmans, Vander Bie, C. Van Ark, A. Kronmeyer and Kruidenier.

Under the direction of Miss Katharine S. Moore, instructor in expression at Hope college, the "A" class in the preparatory school is rehearsing the play, "The Merchant of Venice," which will be staged on Monday afternoon of commencement week.

Postmaster Van Schelven has been notified that parcel post arrangement with Greece has been completed and that parcels up to 11 pounds can now be sent for 12 cents a pound, not subject to insurance. Greece is the 20th country to be added to the United States parcel post list.

Peter G. Damstra suffered a broken collar bone yesterday as a result of a cavain in the Fifth Ward. One of Damstra's men on a plumbing job in that ward was caught in a slight cave-in. Damstra who happened to be near the scene jumped in to rescue the man when a larger cavain resulted. It caught him on the chest and broke his collar bone. Dr. Boot reduced the fracture.

Mrs. Joseph Himwurger, aged 46 died this morning at her home, 272 West 14th street. She is survived by a husband and two children. Mr. Himwurger owns the merry-go-round on the corner of 16th street and River avenue. Short funeral services were held Monday at the home after which the body was taken to Coopersville for burial.

The Junior class of the High school adopted the honor system of keeping order in the assembly room Thursday afternoon. It is thought that the other classes will follow the example of the Juniors and then any person misbehaving in school will be dealt with by the class.

At the meeting held Friday evening a committee of five was appointed to make nominations for officers, members of committees, etc. This committee is composed of George Van Landegend, Henry Pelgrim, Frank Bolhuis, F. T. Miles and John Kooliker. These men were instructed to make nominations and to report at the meeting of Monday night. This committee will also make out a practical plan of campaign to be followed in the campaign that is about to be waged between the Saloon forces and the anti-saloon forces.

To pick a class valedictorian is generally a very easy matter. Just figure up the averages and the highest one gets it. But the matter of picking the valedictorian for the graduating class of the High School this year is not so easy a matter. As announced by Prin. Gilbert this morning Miss Louise Brusse and Miss Marian Van Drezer are both with a very small fraction of being tied for the highest average standing in their work during four years in High school. They both have approximately an average of 95.2-28. It has not yet been decided how to arrange the matter. John Schwartz, Gertrude DeWitt and Bernice Wright are all close, with averages of 94 and a fraction.

UNEARTH SKELTON AND DEATH MYSTERY

Workmen Find Remains of Human In Beech Tree Section

INVESTIGATION WILL BE MADE

During the work of excavating for a basement for the home of Johannes Mouw, in the old Beech tree section of Grand Haven, the whole skeleton of a human being was found Friday afternoon by John Mouw, and the skull placed on exhibition in the Tribune office window. The bones were found about three feet below the surface and in a good state of preservation, although the remains showed signs of having been buried not less than fifteen or twenty years. Since this section has not been known as a burying ground within the memory of city residents, there is as yet no solution to a find which may reveal a mystery of no small proportions.

The skeleton showed the person to have been of medium stature. There was no trace of a casket or other burying encasement. The bones were found in a huddled position as if the body had been thrown into a cavity head downward. A wasting part of the cranium is thought by some to present signs of a fracture or puncture of the skull. These are a few of the known facts and suppositions arising since the finding of the skeleton which have brought about all manner of speculative solution.

Within the past fifteen years there has been but one mysterious disappearance in the city of Grand Haven. This was Will Sullivan on the night of July 3, twelve years ago. Sullivan was reported seen in the vicinity of the Beech Tree section of the city. Since there has been absolutely no trace of Sullivan during the twelve years the general supposition is that he was murdered and the body hidden. Whether or not the find of Friday will solve the Sullivan mystery is barely possible.

Sullivan was last seen on the night before the fourth twelve years ago, walking between two other men, going by the engine house. William Smith and a number of men were seated in front of the house. They knew Sullivan well and recognized his voice. They were sure that it was Sullivan. At the time the party was walking east toward the Fourth ward. It was several days after the disappearance of the Grand Haven young man before the matter was reported to the police. His folks at first believed that he has gone out of the city to spend the Fourth.

But as the days went by and the boy did not appear it became evident that he had disappeared. Then came the stories of people having seen him the day before the 4th of July with different men. Sullivan was working in the piano factory at the time and was known to have had a considerable sum of money on his person.

Henry J. Dykhuis was sheriff of the county at that time and Hans Dykhuis was the under sheriff. These officers and the city police ran down all the clues possible but there was always something deeply mysterious about the young man's disappearance. A number of questionable characters were questioned but there has never been an arrest, and the disappearance of the Grand Haven boy is as much of a mystery today, twelve years after, as it was at the time he was first reported missing.

The officers have received many tips from different people concerning Sullivan and his disappearance. For a time the rumor was strong and many people still believe it, that young Sullivan was lured to the Beech Tree section that night and was robbed by the two men who were with him when he passed the city hall. It has always been the theory that Sullivan resisted the assault and that he was struck down and murdered and his body buried or thrown in the river.

The police worked on this theory, but despite the fact that the river was dragged in several places, and

careful search was made in the outskirts of the town, the earth might as well have swallowed the body.

At any rate the belief will always be strong in Grand Haven that Sullivan was murdered. It is the belief of many that several men could tell the fate which befell Sullivan, and it is possible that the old saying, "murder will out" will yet come true in the Sullivan case.

The fact that no metal parts of a casket were found near the bones, and that the skeleton was in a huddled shape when found, would lead to belief that the body was hurriedly buried in a quickly dug grave.

Physicians and anatomy authorities of the city have expressed opinions that the skeleton might not necessarily be that of an old man as was at first supposed. According to the list of the city, if the dental work of any one in question was accurately known, it would be an easy matter to decide. The lower maxillary shows nearly all of the back teeth to have been removed some time before the death, and the few remaining front teeth are in a state of preservation to allow identity. Other marks or features of the head could also be traced, according to physicians. The prominent angles of the face and forehead are all preserved. Since the skull was placed upon exhibition Friday afternoon the chemical action of oxidation has begun to crumble the skull away and will probably not retain form for a great length of time.

The whole skeleton will be collected and an investigation made by local people who have expressed an interest in the find, that the very obvious mystery may be cleared away.

MORE FIRES DURING PAST YEAR THAN EVER BEFORE IN DEPARTMENT'S HISTORY

Figures in Dollars and Cents Show What Fire Fighting Force Has Done for Holland

During the year from May 1, '13, to May 1, '14, the Holland City Fire department responded to fifty-eight fire alarm calls, the largest number in any one year since the department was organized. All but two of these calls were real fires, the two being false alarms. That is a little over one call a week, a record that has never been exceeded. But in spite of the fact that the calls were more numerous than ever the loss has been smaller than it has been during any year that the present fire chief has been in office.

Few citizens have any conception what the fires each year mean in terms of dollars and cents. The average citizen runs to a fire, watches the blaze, and straightway forgets about it, never stopping to think what might be the result in case there were no fire fighting force to protect property. Occasionally, as at Ottawa Beach a few weeks ago, an object lesson is given as to what happens when there is no fire protection. There in two hours' time some thirty thousand dollars worth of property was destroyed.

The value of the property in Holland that was endangered by the 56 fires during the past year was a little in excess of \$171,000. The amount of insurance carried on this property was a little over \$80,000, so that there would have been a dead loss to local property owner of \$90,000 if the endangered property had been destroyed, with the possibility of the conflagrations spreading and causing a still greater loss.

The actual loss by fire during the year just past was only \$3,715.00. At least a large part of the difference between the actual loss and the value of the property endangered can be credited to the work of the fire department, which given in actual figures some idea of what that department means to the city.

And this record is all the more remarkable because of the fact that Holland's fire department equipment is very incomplete and that the city has entirely outgrown that department. There are some sections of the city that are almost entirely without protection.

FRED KELLOGG OF HOLLAND TAUGHT LESSON IN POLITENESS BY POLICE JUDGE

Grand Rapids, May 13.—Fred Kellogg, according to Traffic Officer S. Slater, accosted two women on Monroe avenue Monday night and insulted them by pushing them off the side walk into the street. Kellogg did not deny the accusation, and Justice Creswell sentenced him to pay a fine of \$25 and costs or go to jail for 60 days. He was unable to pay and was remanded.

In explaining his reason for the severe punishment, Justice Creswell said:

"The women of Grand Rapids are the city's chief assets. Without them all would be dark and hideous. Therefore we must protect them. And, moreover, it is far from being the privilege of a Holland resident to come over here and push them into the street."

WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER THIRTY FIVE YEARS AGO

The bidding for the building a new school house was very lively. Two bids were from this city and six from abroad. Messrs. Toren & Oosten, of this city, were the lowest bidders—10,765, and whereas this sum is higher than the Board of Education expected to expend, the awarding of the contract is held in abeyance to further legislation by the Board of Education. The new school will be called Central High School.

The residence of Mr. Aalt Van Engelen, situated about 3 miles southeast of Drenthe, was struck by lightning on Tuesday last, knocking off the chimney, breaking the stove all to pieces, going down through the floor into the cellar, throwing the milk pans everywhere but in the right place, and left the premises without doing any further damage and without hurting any of the inmates.

Mr. Jas. Reeves, head-sawyer at the Plugger Mills, accidentally sawed off his right fore finger on Tuesday last, and laurated the next finger badly by coming to close contact with the large circular saw.

Jacob De Boe has purchased the Ottawa county abstracts from Mr. E. D. Blair. Mr. De Boe is thoroughly versed in the abstract business, and any work of this nature entrusted to him will be extended in a legal manner and at law rates.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Abram Van Duren, was exhibiting a silver eel in our street last Wednesday that measured 3 feet long and weighed 3½ pounds. Van Vuren says that he caught the eel with a "night line." It was more likely night strings.

Last Saturday a young stranger put in an appearance at the residence of Mr. C. Dok, our River street butcher. It was a boy, the tenth child, born on the tenth of May, and weighed ten pounds. And still the price of meat has remained the same at his market this week.

Mr. Bartlett Slag, of New Holland met with a serious accident which may prove fatal. A tree fell on his back after having knocked him to the ground, causing serious internal injuries.

Frank A. Jones, of Flint, Mich., and George N. Williams, landlord of the city Hotel, caught a much longer this week which weighed 34 pounds.

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO

Three local men whose names we do not wish to mention at this time and at so late a date were arrested last week for fishing with nets in Black Lake. They were caught in the net of the law, by a warrant sworn out by State Game Warden Smith. They were taken in custody of Constable Jake Lokker, but were released on furnishing bail.

The trial of the men, who were partners in the fishing business, occurred on Wednesday of this week. The case was tried before Justice Post and a jury.

Prosecuting Attorney Lillie and Game Warden Smith appeared for the people, and the silver-tongued orator "Sam Clay of Grand Rapids" was attorney for defendants.

Geo. P. Hummer, principal of the schools at Holland has been mentioned in connection with the position of superintendent of the city schools. One or two other applications have been made, but the prevalent opinion seems to be that Supt. Kendall will be re-elected tomorrow night.

Sheriff Vaupell was in town on Wednesday. He has received several offers for his lot on the corner of Cedar and Thirteenth streets, but he wisely concludes to keep a place to build his home, in Holland.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

The graceful form of Prof. J. B. Nykerk can daily be seen mounted on horseback.

H. Henken & Co., the butter and egg firm of east Eighth street, are retailing eggs at 12 cents a dozen.

C. Blom Sr. landed a 30½ pound muskallonge the other day and shipped it to the Chas. A. Kelley of Grand Rapids, who has it on exhibit at his place on Waterloo Street.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Miss Anna Sprietsma has been engaged as clerk by A. C. Kramer Dry Good. She will begin work Monday.

G. Van Schelven, of Holland Mich., was a visitor in Muellegon today. He was recently appointed postmaster of Holland and took charge of the office a week ago. Mr. Van Schelven has for years been one of the leaders in bringing Holland to the front and is not seeing the efforts of himself and others crowned with success for that place is forging to the front just as rapidly as it can be done. He says the population has largely increased and many new industries have been added within a few years, among these being the large sugar beet factory, for which "foundations are now being laid and which promises to be a big thing. He says there is not today an idle man either mechanic or common laborer in Holland, and the city is getting its share of the prosperity which is spreading over the country. While here Mr. Van Schelven made a paternal call on postmaster S. H. Gray.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Jennie Van Spyker, of the millinery of Steketee & Van Spyker and Richard Mulder will take place Thursday, May 19.

TEN YEARS AGO

Peter Den Uyl fell from his horse to the cement crosswalk near the corner of Sixteenth street and Central Avenue last Friday and his hip was broken. Mr. Den Uyl is a member of the firm of Smith & Den Uyl, which conducts a meat market on the corner of Fourteenth street and Central Avenue.

James Price, the architect has completed his plans for a new residence for J. Cook of Zeeland to cost \$2,000.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED LAST NIGHT AT PUBLIC MEETING IN THE CITY HALL

At the public meeting Thursday in the city hall held for the purpose of appointing officers and committees for the Memorial day celebration the old soldiers present recalled the fact that each year the number of soldier's graves that are decorated increases. There are now 13 graves in the soldiers' plat, 34 private graves and 12 graves in the township. This is an increase of 20 in the past three years. John Zwemer, one of Holland's old residents and a veteran, was present at the meeting Thursday and he asked to be left off the committee on grounds this year after serving as chairman on that committee for the past 13 years. He also served as chairman of the invitation committee.

G. Van Schelven was chosen chairman of the meeting Thursday and Ben Mulder was chosen as secretary.

The following officers were elected for the celebration: President, Mayor Nicodemus Bosch; chaplain, the Rev. M. Flipse; orator, The Rev. A. F. Bruske. Marshal—John Hornfeld; assistant marshals, Jake Nibbelink and Henry Zwemer.

Committees are as follows: Finance—H. Geerlings, Dick Boter and O. P. Kramer; Music—Ben Mulder, Ed Romeyn, Wm. E. Vander Hart and John Van Vyven; Grounds—H. Woltman, Gerrit Klassen, M. Vander Bie; Invitation—P. H. McBride, Mayor Bosch and Frank Congleton; Carriages and Automobiles—Chris Becker, Teunis Prins, John Kamps, Fred Jackson, Harry Kripe, R. Vos, Venhuizen Bros., Fred Boone. Seth Nibbelink and John Boone; Parade—Marshals and assistants; Program—Ben Mulder, Arnold Mulder and Gerrit Klassen.

LOCAL RUNNERS DEFEAT GRAND RAPIDS BY FIVE MINUTES MARGIN

Was Sixth Annual Race of Its Kind and the Fourth Won By Hope.

The Hope College track team ran away from the Grand Rapids "Y" team Saturday afternoon in the sixth annual relay race from Grand Rapids to Holland. The race started at 2 o'clock from the "Y" building and ended at Dykema's Clothing store. In the first lap Dennison of the "Y" led for about 25 yards, but just before the finish Peet of Hope tore away from him and finished about a hundred yards to the good. Muyskens took up the race here for Hope and left Vander Koeppel some 200 yards in the rear. Koeppel and Baker were the opponents in the third lap, but there was little change in their relative position. Hunter gained slightly on Gosselink in the 4th stretch and Stegeman forged ahead again in the fifth against Harrington. Pelgrim took a little lead in the sixth over Walker while Vander Brake and Knee kept about the same distance between them in the seventh. Mulder was slightly slower in the eighth than Hoogesteger who cut down Hope's lead very slightly. Oliver and Holleman ran about an even race in the ninth with Holleman gaining a little if anything. Van Strien took the last lap for Hope and finished just five minutes behind Strien took the last lap for Hope and finished in record time doing the three miles in 16.26. Vander Visse was Grand Rapids' last runner and finished just five minutes behind Van Strien when he crossed the line he fell in a dead faint. The time of the whole race was three hours and thirteen minutes and 28 seconds.

This is the sixth annual race of this kind and is the fourth one which Hope has won. The first two came to Hope, the second pair to Grand Rapids and now the third set has been won by the locals. Hope's team in order was, Peet, Muyskens, Koeppel, Gosselink, Stegeman, Pelgrim, Vander Brake, Mulder, Holleman and Van Strien (Capt.) Grand Rapids—Dennison, Vander Koeppel, Baker, Hunter, Harrington, Walker, Knee, Hoogesteger, Oliver and Vander Visse.

Saturday night an informal affair was held at Van's Rest to initiate the cup and to listen to speeches by Capt. Van Strien, Prof. Faries, C. Holleman, G. Pelgrim and H. Bilkert, the manager.

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HOLLAND HIGH SCHOOL RECOVERS DEFEAT AT HAND OF GRAND RAPIDS UNION HIGHS IN TRACK MEET AT GRAND RAPIDS

In its first attempt in many years at track competition with other schools the Holland high school team were defeated 78 to 36 by the athletes of the Grand Rapids Union High, at Grand Rapids Saturday afternoon. Pauls, Oltmans and Van Ark of Holland captured first place in the quarter mile, standing broad jump and pole vault respectively. In view of the fact that the Holland team was organized from an interclass field meet only the night before the meet without the least bit of preparation, the showing made against the Union athletes is very creditable in that in many instances where Holland lost the margin was close and could have been brought down with training.

Summary—

100 yard dash—Hanish, Union, first; Pauls, Holland, second; Brown Union, third. Time—11 seconds. 220 yard dash—Hanish, Union, first; Pauls, Holland, second; Dengler, Union, third. Time—26 seconds.

440 yard dash—Pauls, Holland, first; Du Bois, Union, second; Sheehan, Holland, third. Time—61 seconds.

120 yard high hurdles—T. Rea, Union, first; Younglove, Union, second; Oltman, Holland, third. Time—20 seconds.

220 yard low hurdles—Brown, Union, first; Pauls, Holland, second; Herrenton, Union, third. Time—31 seconds.

Half mile—Scharmach, Union, first; Huntley, Holland, second; P. Rea, Union, third. Time—2 minutes and 27 second.

1 mile—Scharmach, Union, first; Huntley, Holland, second; Timmerman, Union, third. Time—6 minutes and 7 seconds.

High Jump—Herrenton, Union, first; Oltman, Holland, second; Younglove, Union, third. Height—5 feet.

Broad Jump—Brown, Union, first; DuBois, Union, second; Dengler, Union, third. Distance—18 feet, three inches.

Standing Broad Jump—Oltman, Holland, first; Dengler, Union, second; Herrenton, Union, third. Distance—9 feet, 3 inches.

Pole Vault—Van Ark, Holland, first; Brown, Union, second; Gilman, Union, third. Height—8 feet, 2 inches.

Shot put—Hanish, Union, first; T. Rea, Union, second; Ranck, Holland, third. Distance—33 feet, 8 inches.

Half mile relay—Won by Union. Time—2 minutes, 50 seconds. Teams—Union, Brown, Herrenton, Dengler and Hanish. Holland, Pauls, Oltman, Huntley, Kronmeyer.

FINE CONCERT GIVEN IN THE CENTRAL AVENUE CHURCH.

A medium sized audience gathered Thursday night at the Central Ave. church to hear the Chorus of that church render a miscellaneous program. All the numbers showed hard work on the part of both the members and the director. Perhaps the most interesting numbers on the program were two pipe organ solos by Harris Meyer. Mr. Meyer held the audience spell bound and the number that was especially appreciated was "Gavotte," (Mignon Thomas. Mr. Meyer accompanied the chorus on the pipe organ all through the program assisted by Peter Plum at the piano. A silver collection was taken for the benefit of Indian Missions.

Following is the program: Organ—"Jubilate Deo," H. Meyer; Opening remarks—President N. Kammeraad; "Oh, Worship the King," chorus; "Great is the Lord," chorus; duet "The Shadows of the Evening Hour," Miss F. Olert, Miss J. De Free; "Jesus, Son of God," chorus; "Oh, Come Let Us Sing," chorus; "O, Light Eternal," Chorus; singing, Psalm; Silver Collection; "The Lord is My Light," chorus; duet, "Abide With Me," Misses Olert and DeFree; organ solos, "Berceuse," "Gavotte," Harris Meyer; "Oh, Come Let Us Sing," chorus; "Praise Ye the Father," chorus; closing, N. Kammeraad; organ solo, "Festival March of 80," Harris Meyer.

The Hope College Faculty Monday morning chose Miss Dorothy Pieters of the Junior Class as winner in the Voorhees Day contest held last Friday afternoon. Miss Pieters' oration was entitled "The Appes of Sodom". Second place was awarded to Miss Henrietta Neerken of the Sophomore class who spoke on "The Stranger Within Our Gates." Miss Pieters will represent Hope in the intercollegiate contests to be held at Alma next year.

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Personal Items



W. J. Olive was in Grand Rapids today on business.

Miss Margaret Vexter of Grand Haven is visiting relatives in this city.

Hubert Miltenberg of Orange City, Iowa, a student of the Western Theological Seminary of Holland, spent Sunday with relatives in Spring Lake.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Horace Brinkman and daughter Kathrine of Chicago spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. E. J. Barkel.

Julius Brusse has returned to his home in this city after an extended visit with relatives in the northern part of the state.

The following young people of Holland are attending the May Festival at Ann Arbor: Hazel Wing, Grace Browning, Lucy and Jennie Brouwer, Harris Meyer and Albert Ten Hoor.

Miss Stella E. Girard left this morning for a few days visit in Saginaw and Port Huron. While in Saginaw she will be given a piano lesson by J. G. Cumming, ex-president and present secretary of the Michigan Music Teachers' association.



The Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton, D. A. R. will meet at the home of Mrs. M. A. Sooy, tomorrow, May 15 at 3 o'clock. The meeting was necessarily postponed from today until tomorrow afternoon.

The members of the A. C. Van Raalte Post will meet in the G. A. R. room on today, May 14, at 1:30 o'clock to attend the funeral of Comrade Erskins, No. 13, East Ninth street, by order of the Commander.

The following program was rendered by the Woman's Literary club at its meeting Tuesday afternoon: Spanish American War, Mrs. De Merrell; Music—Yankee Dewey; The Cartoonists—Mrs. Hall; Humorous reading—Mrs. Sooy; Music—"Spanish Cavalier," the Club; The Critics—Mrs. Durfee.

HOPE COLLEGE

Hope college went down to defeat before the Kalamazoo College team by a 5 to 3 score Saturday afternoon.

Social events will play a prominent role in Hope college circles this month. The program includes the Minerva banquet at the Grand Hotel Macatawa Park on May 20; the junior-senior class reception at the Castle on May 21; the Delphi society banquet and the A and B. class reception.

The Rev. Bastian Smits, Hope College 1881, conducted chapel exercises at the college Tuesday morning and addressed the students briefly on the essentials of true culture. Mr. Smits is at present pastor of the First Congregational church, of Jackson, Mich. He has occupied that pastorate for the past thirteen years.

An oratorical contest, an afternoon social hour and a reception in the evening marked the celebration of the birthday anniversary of Elizabeth R. Voorhees by the faculty and students of Hope College Friday. Six young ladies took part in the oratorical contest in Winants chapel in the afternoon. The winner of this contest is to represent Hope college in the Woman's Contest to be held under the auspices of the Intercollegiate Oratorical association in one of the colleges of the state next year. In this contest the faculty members act as judges and the decision will probably be made Monday.

Those who took part in the contest Friday afternoon were the following: Rhea E. Oltmans "College Spirit," Eva Leenhouts, "The Burning Bush," Henrietta M. Van Zee, "The Children's Birthright," Henrietta M. Neprken, "The Stranger Within Our Gates," Sara K. Poppen, "Columbia the Light of the World," Dorothy K. Pieters, "Apples of Sodom."

Other numbers on the program were a three-part song, "Song of a Shepherd," by the Girls' chorus; In-

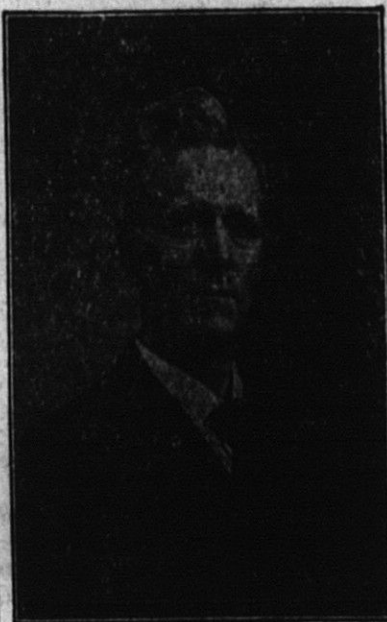
vocation by Dr. Vennema; violin solo by Harriet Z. Baker; vocal solos by Margaret Den Herder; and a three-part song, "Ariel's Song," by the girls' chorus.

At the conclusion of the program a social hour was spent in Voorhees Hall where light refreshments were served.

In the evening Mrs. Durfee, dean of women, and the young ladies of the college held a reception in Voorhees hall. Refreshments were served and music was furnished by the Girls' chorus, Miss Wing, Miss Brown and George Steininger.

The Rev. George L. McNutt Will Close Hope College Lecture Course May 22.

A man who left the pulpit, where he gained an enviable reputation, to go out into the factory to do the commonest kind of labor and who came out of that experience with a fund of knowledge of actual conditions such as could not have been gained in any other way—such is the Rev. George L. McNutt, who has been secured to speak in Holland on the evening of May 22 in Carnegie



The Rev. Geo. L. McNutt Hall. Mr. McNutt is a man of culture not only; he is a man who knows what is going on in the world in circles of which the average man of culture knows little more than the name.

The lecture of Mr. McNutt will be free to this year's patrons of the Hope college lecture course. The management had already made good on the failure of Gov. Hadley to appear by securing Mr. Clark, a \$400 a night man, while Gov. Hadley is a \$200 a night man. But because of the fact that Mr. Clark gave a program that was too classical and technical for some of the patrons of the course it was decided to add a popular lecture by a man who has demonstrated many a time that he can hold all kinds of audiences. Mr. McNutt has spoken in all parts of the country, and frequently he has been asked for a return engagement.

Mr. McNutt's interests are chiefly sociological. His work stands for the highest type of social service in which Holland is just now rather more interested than ordinarily. He will probably speak here on the subject, "How the Other Half Ought to Live." Some of the subjects of his other lectures are: "Things and Men," "The Master Passion," "The City of Tomorrow," "The Gospel of Labor," "America's One Danger," "That Fool Boy and the Gang," "If I Were a Woman," and "Idols and Ideals."

TWO MINISTERS OF THIS CITY ARE NAMED ON SAME TRIO.

The Christian Reformed church of Zutphen has placed two local pastors on a trio. They are the Rev. R. L. Haan of the Central Avenue church, and the Rev. E. J. Tuuk of the Ninth street church. The other member of the trio is the Rev. H. J. Mulder of the Second Christian Reformed church of Muskegon.

The Sixteenth street Christian Reformed church of Holland has nominated on a trio the Rev. John Walcott of Roseland, Ill. The Rev. H. Keegstra of Fremont is on the trio.

At Jensen, Mich., the church of the denomination has placed on its trio the Rev. A. Keizer of Beaverdam former pastor of the Ninth Street church.

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Saturday, May 23, 1914

Between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of completing the lists of the qualified voters of the several wards of said City:—

FIRST WARD—Second story of Engine House, No. 2, 106 E. 8th Street

SECOND WARD—No. 147 River Avenue

THIRD WARD—Police Headquarters, basement floor, City Hall, Cor. River Ave. and 11th Streets

FOURTH WARD—Polling Place, 301 First Avenue

FIFTH WARD—First Precinct, Polling Place, Corner Central Ave. and State Street

FIFTH WARD—Second Precinct, Basement floor, Van Raalte Ave. School House, on Van Raalte Avenue, between 19th and 20th Streets.

Dated Holland, Mich., May 12, 1914.

By order of the Board of Registration

RICHARD OVERWEG, City Clerk

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE FORMED IN HOLLAND.

The Anti-Saloon League recently organized and made preparations for a campaign against the liquor traffic in this city.

The following committees have been appointed:—

Executive Committee

M. A. Sooy, chairman, Dr. G. J. Kollen, Nicodemus Bosch, Henry Geerlings, G. A. Van Landegend, R. Mulder, John Koolker, Henry Pelgrim, Jr., K. W. Kooyers, Sec'y.

Membership Committee

G. A. Van Landegend, Chairman, Frank Bolhuis, Joe Koolker, David Damstra, Martin Klaasen, John Vandersluis, H. Pelgrim, Jr., C. St. Clair, Wm. Lawrence, John Elferdink, Jr., F. T. Miles.

Publicity Committee

M. A. Sooy, chairman, J. E. Kuisinga, F. T. Miles, Dr. Bruske, Dr. B. B. Godfrey, Dr. J. E. Blekkink.

Election Committee

H. Pelgrim, chairman, Wm. Arendshorst, W. Vander Ven, Frank Bolhuis, Douglas Shaw, F. J. Congleton, D. W. Jellema.

Public Meetings and Speakers' Committee.

Dr. G. J. Kollen, chairman, Rev. H. J. Veldman, Henry Brink, J. Heeringa, Fred Beuwkes

Finance Committee.

Henry Geerlings, chairman, John Koolker, treasurer, J. Lokker, Wm. Brusse, Isaac Kouw, M. Notier, Ben. Du Mez.

Marriage Licenses

John A. Overweg, 33, furniture worker of Holland and Miss Fannie Dronkers, 33 of Holland.

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS HOLD ELECTION TOMORROW

A charter election will be held in the High school tomorrow afternoon at the same time that the regular officers of the student government are to be elected. A new charter has been drawn up by the present acting council and this will be submitted to the students for their approval or disapproval. Many defects have been found in the old charter, and new problems have arisen since the old charter was adopted that have not been provided for by that charter.

Candidates for the various offices have started strenuous campaigns and are busy electioneering. Cards have been passed out by the different candidates, and regular big politics methods are used. Edward Haan is conducting the campaign for John Post for mayor and Bert Van Ark is conducting the campaign for Post's opponent, George De Witt.

The High school interclass track meet held Thursday afternoon under the direction of Prin. R. Gilbert at the fairgrounds was called on account of darkness with the standing broad jump, shot put, running broad jump and one mile run left over until tonight. The score now stands: Sophomores, 41; Juniors 30; Seniors 11; Freshmen 7; Junior High, 1. This contest which will be finished Friday night at the fairground will decide class supremacy and will also decide the men for the regular High school track team that will go to Grand Rapids Saturday for the meet with Union High.

The events Thursday and winners are as follows: 100 yard dash—Paulis, S. Oltmans, J. Kronmeyer,

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sr.; standing broad jump—Oltmans, J. VanderBie, F. Rank Sr.; 500-yd. dash—Paulis, Soph.—Kronmeyer, Sr.; Oltmans, J.; Pole Vault—C. Van Ark, J.; Vander Eie, F.; Hansen, J. H.; 440 dash—Paulis, S.; Huntley, S.; Bender, Sr.; Running High Jump—Oltmans, J.; Van Ark, J.; Vander Bie, F.; 220 dash—Paulis, S.; Kruidenier, J.; Mills, J.; Bicycle race—Bertsch, S.; Oudermeulen, S.; Post, J.; Relay Race—Sophomore, Senior, Junior.

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Messages from the Mayor.

Holland, Mich., May 11, 1914.

To the Voters of the City of Holland.

Under the provisions of the City Charter, the Common Council has ordered an election on the question of the adoption of the ordinance as proposed by a petition, relative to saloons and saloonkeepers. Under this system, commonly known as the initiative, neither the Council nor the Mayor has any control over the adoption of such an ordinance. In as much as I would have vetoed the ordinance, if it had been passed by the Council, I take this method of expression my disapproval of the ordinance to the voters of the city, and present my reasons therefor.

First.—In the first place there is no restriction in the ordinance relative to the number of saloons to be licensed, and as the State law would permit twenty-one saloons, we could have that number. This question needs no further argument, as I do not believe that the most ardent advocate of saloons would wish any such number, and yet that many could request the granting of a license.

Second.—There is no restriction in the ordinance as to location, and the only restriction as to location imposed by State law is that they cannot be located within four hundred feet of a church or school house. This would not prevent from one to several in any of our down town business blocks, no does it prevent the location of saloons in our residence districts. Some people may not object to living next door to a saloon but I do not think there are many such in the City of Holland.

Third.—The amount of the license fee, for the city, is fixed at the sum of \$500.00. This may be all right if we have from ten to twenty saloons, but if for any reason there should be a lesser number licensed the fee should certainly be much higher. For example, if ten saloons each pay \$500.00, that would make a total of \$5000.00. But if the number should be only five, the city would receive but \$2500.00, while as a matter of fact the five could better afford to pay \$1500.00 each than ten could \$500.00 each, since the competition would be reduced one half, and the other expenses would not be materially increased. Or, in other words the city would receive \$5000.00 less than it should from this business, each year, and the saloonkeeper would reap the benefit of the lesser number, or we would have to increase the licenses to from ten to twenty in order to receive the net returns that the city should have from the business.

Fourth.—No provision is made in the ordinance for the revocation of a license once granted, no matter how objectionable a place may be or become, unless the saloonkeeper is twice convicted of a violation of the State law. We all know the difficulty attending the conviction of a liquor dealer, so that that provision is not nearly such as will give adequate protection against improper persons doing business.

Fifth.—No provision is made in the ordinance relative to signs in the windows or window displays, and such signs and displays could be so arranged as to practically obstruct the view and in that way negative the provision relative to screens and curtains.

Sixth.—There is no provision made in the ordinance relative to restriction to chairs, tables, loafing, treating, and many of the other vices common to saloons as we have experienced in the past. This would mean that the saloon proposed by the ordinance as the same is to be submitted, would practically mean what is generally understood by the term of "An old fashioned saloon."

It may be that all of the objections offered do not appeal to each individual voter, but it certainly must be admitted by every honest and intelligent citizen that any one of the objections is a sufficient reason for voting against the ordinance as proposed.

The voters should also remember this very important fact, that the ordinance, if adopted, cannot be altered, changed, or amended, in even the slightest degree, for the term of two years, and not even then, except upon petition of 25 per cent of the voters, and another election. The Council has no power to amend the proposed ordinance, at any time, and if the voters act in haste, and without due consideration of the subject there will be plenty of time for regret, but no opportunity for correction, at least for two years.

The people have always opposed the open saloon at every election that the question has been presented, but no vote has ever been had up on the wholesale system, which has seemed to be the only system that met the approval of the majority of the voters, and hence the Council has adopted the ordinance recently passed. It seems to me that the Council should have the approval of the voters in their action, and that the people should not be hasty as to go back to the old saloon system at this time. I hope that the voters will not, by their action, place the city under the control of the liquor interests, and tie the hands of the Council and the Police department, by the adoption of the proposed ordinance, and thus saddle a system upon themselves which every honest citizen will regret within a very short time by bitter experience. A saloon is always a saloon, and nothing else can be made of it, unless by the strictest kind of regulation, which is not proposed in the ordinance as presented.

When you go to the polls on June 6, Mr. Voter, protect yourself and your fair city against such a pernicious system, by making a cross (x) in the square opposite the words "AGAINST THE ORDINANCE" ().

Respectfully submitted,
Nichodemus Bosch.
Mayor.

COMMON COUNCIL

(Official)

Holland, Mich., May 6, 1914.

The Common Council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Mayor Bosch, Aids. Prins, Slagh, King, Drinkwater, Congleton, Kammeraad, Harrington, Vander Ven, Vander Hill, Steketee, and the Clerk.

The minutes of the last four meetings were read and approved.

The Mayor reported relative to the testing of cattle producing milk for the city, and relative to the inspection of dairies.

On motion of Ald. Harrington, The matter were referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The Mayor recommended that the Council appropriate the sum of \$150.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Adopted, and a warrant ordered issued for the amount.

Petitions and Accounts

The Holland Business Mens Association petitioned the Council to take the immediate steps toward the Paving of River Avenue, north of Fourth Street.

Accepted and filed.

The Clerk presented communication from Geo. F. Getz, stating that as soon as sufficient money is raised to begin the work, he will contribute \$30.00 toward the paving of River Avenue, north of Fourth Street, to relieve some of the poorer property owners, along said Avenue, who cannot stand the assessment.

Accepted, and the Mayor requested to appoint a committee of three citizens, not members of the Council, to take charge of all contributions offered for such fund.

The Holland F. O. E. Lodge extended a vote of thanks to the Council for granting them the use of rooms in the City Hall, during their convention.

Accepted and filed.

The Clerk presented the following petition signed by approximately 900 citizens:

We, the undersigned, qualified electors of the City of Holland, whose names regularly appear as registered voters upon the registration books of the several wards of the city, herewith submit to your honorable body, a proposed ordinance, entitled, "An Ordinance relative to saloons and saloonkeepers," which said proposed ordinance is hereto attached, and requested you to pass it and enact it into law, or failing so to do, that you submit the same to a vote of the electors of the City in accordance with the provisions of Title VIII, of the City Charter.

On motion of Ald. King, That the people of Holland will again decide on the question of saloon or no saloon was definitely decided by the Common Council Wednesday night when by a unanimous vote June sixth was fixed upon as the date of a special election.

After the city clerk had read the petition asking for the election, signed by 913 voters, and the ordinance attached, Ald. King offered a resolution providing for the special election. This resolution, which reads as follows, was adopted after some debate:

Resolved, That the several petitions be accepted, and that an election be held for the purpose of having the electors of the City of Holland vote on the ordinance in said by the City Charter, it being hereby declared to be the sense of this Council that the same should not be passed by the Council, but should be submitted to the voters.

Further, Resolved, That said election be and hereby is called for the 6th day of June, A. D. 1914, and that the time for registration is hereby fixed for the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1914; that the following be and hereby are declared as the places for holding the registration and also said election in the several wards and precincts, as follows:

First Ward—Second story of Engle House No. 2, 106 E. 8th St.

Second Ward—No. 147 River Ave.

Third Ward—Police Headquarters basement floor, City Hall.

Fourth Ward—Polling Place, 301 First Avenue.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct—Polling Place, Central Avenue and State Street.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct—Basement floor, Van Raalte Avenue School.

Resolved further, That the City Clerk be and hereby is instructed to give the necessary legal notices for said registration and election, and that the election commissioners prepare the necessary ballots in accordance with the provisions of the City Charter.

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

Gentlemen:—We, the undersigned qualified electors of the city of Holland, whose names regularly appear as registered voters upon the registration books of the several wards of the city, herewith submit to your honorable body, a proposed ordinance, entitled, "An Ordinance relative to saloons and saloonkeepers," which said proposed ordinance is hereto attached, and request you to pass it and enact it into law, or failing so to do, that you submit the same to a vote of the electors of the city, in accordance with the provisions of Title VIII of the City Charter.

An Ordinance Relative to Saloons and Saloon Keepers.

THE CITY OF HOLLAND ORDAINS

Section 1. No person shall keep a saloon where intoxicating liquors are

sold or kept for sale, within the City of Holland, without having first obtained a license, therefor, from the Common Council of the City of Holland, in the manner and under the conditions hereinafter provided.

Section 2. Every person desiring, to keep a saloon for the sale of intoxicating liquors, within the City of Holland, shall each year, before entering upon such business, make application therefore, in writing, to the Common Council of the City of Holland, which application shall specify the location, and describe completely the interior arrangement of and the entrances to the building in which it is proposed to carry on such business. Each application shall also designate the names of the persons proposed as sureties on the bond hereinafter provided.

Section 3. After the granting of such application by the Common Council and before the issuing of the license, the applicant shall pay into the City Treasury, annually, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars. Each application shall also designate the names of the persons proposed as sureties on the bond hereinafter provided.

Section 3. After the granting of such application by the Common Council, and before the issuing of the license, the applicant shall pay into the City Treasury, annually, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars. Each applicant shall, also, before such license is issued to him, execute a bond, the sufficiency of which shall be determined by the Common Council, to the City of Holland, in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, with two sureties, who shall be male citizens and freeholders of the city of Holland, neither of whom shall be a surety upon more than two bonds required by the provisions of this ordinance, and each of whom shall justify in real estate in the city of Holland, in a sum equal to the amount of the bond, over and above all indebtedness, and all exemptions from sale on execution, which bond shall be conditioned that such applicant shall keep and maintain an orderly and well regulated saloon, during the continuance of such license, and shall pay all fines, penalties, forfeitures and costs imposed upon him for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance. Provided, That at the option of such applicant, the bond may be signed and secured by some corporation duly authorized to execute such bonds in the State of Michigan.

Section 4. No person licensed hereunder shall by himself, his clerk, servant, agent or employee, play or allow to be played, any musical instrument, or permit any singing, show or entertainment, or any other improper noise or disturbance, or any breach of the peace, in or about his saloon; nor permit to be or remain in his place any female, any intoxicated person, any person in the habit of becoming intoxicated, any minor under the age of 21 years, any person to whom it is forbidden by law to sell, furnish, or give any intoxicating liquors, or any person with reference to whom any notice in writing has been served on such licensee not to sell, furnish or give any intoxicating liquors as provided by the general laws of the State of Michigan.

Section 5. Every person licensed hereunder, shall keep his saloon closed between the hours of ten o'clock in the afternoon and six o'clock in the forenoon of each week day, from the first day of May to the 31st day of October, both inclusive, and between the hours of 9 o'clock in the afternoon and 7 o'clock in the forenoon of each week day, from the 1st day of November to the 30th day of April of each week day, and on Sundays and such legal holidays as are designated by the liquor laws of the State of Michigan.

Section 6. No person licensed hereunder, shall at any time by himself, his clerk, servant, agent or employee, permit or maintain any shades, curtains, screens, or anything which in any way will obstruct a full and open view of the inside of the entire premises from the street upon which the same is located.

Section 7. The premises used by any person licensed hereunder, shall consist of a ground floor space, shall consist of but a single room, and shall have no walls, partitions or any obstructions of any kind within it, which will in any way prevent a full view of the inside of the saloon from the street.

Section 8. No person licensed hereunder, shall by himself, his clerk, servant, agent or employee, permit any person to play at cards, dice or any other game in his saloon.

Section 9. No license granted under the provisions of this ordinance shall be granted for a longer time than to expire on the first Monday of June next, after the time when the same is granted.

Section 10. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars, and the costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the city jail, or County jail, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court or magistrate before whom such conviction is had.

Section 11. An ordinance entitled, "An ordinance relative to the sale of intoxicating liquors at wholesale as a beverage," passed April 27, A. D. 1914, is hereby repealed.

Section 12. This ordinance shall take effect twenty days after its passage by the council, or if not by it passed, after it has been enacted into law by a vote of the electors of the city.

Will Purchase Lungmotor Or A Pullmotor

In a message to the council Mayor Bosch advised the purchase of a Lungmotor by the city. The message is as follows:

Holland, Michigan, May 6, 1914. To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Holland, Gentlemen:

I would recommend to your honorable body the immediate purchase of a "Lungmotor," for the use of the city and its residents.

I make this recommendation after a careful consideration of the matter and hope that the council will at once concur in the same. I make this as a matter of conscience, as I feel that we are greatly in need of such an instrument, and that if we had had one in our city during the past year, that one if not two lives might have been saved. When the great results possible in or obtained in urgent cases are considered, the cost of the instrument is very small, and we should not hesitate to make the investment. Some of you have seen it in operation, and to those who have not I can give you the assurance of physicians of prominence that it is thoroughly practicable, and has been used with great success.

Respectfully submitted,
NICODEMUS BOSCH,
Mayor.

Council of the City of Holland, Gentlemen:

A certain fund has been raised in this city for the purpose of erecting a monument to the memory of Clifford Kaiser, a young man who sacrificed his life in his effort to save a fellow being.

I am informed that the fund is about \$40.00 short of the amount that is really needed for a suitable monument, and I believe that this is an object in which the city at large should have a part, separate from the individual contributors to this fund.

To this end I would recommend that the council appropriate a sum of not less than \$25.00 and that the balance necessary be guaranteed if not paid by popular subscription, which I have every reason to believe will be done.

Respectfully submitted,
NICODEMUS BOSCH,
Mayor.

Said resolution prevailed, all voting aye.

Fred Van Voorst and others, petitioned for the placing of an arc light on 16th Street, East of Lincoln Avenue.

J. H. Meyer and others petitioned for the construction of a sidewalk on the south side of 21st Street between Central and College Ave.

Referred to the Committee on Sidewalks.

Reports of Standing Committees

The Committee on Ways and Means presented the following report from the Michigan Audit & Appraisal Co.

We have made an examination of the General books of account of the departments, City Clerks, City Treasurer and Board of Public Works, and present schedules as attached.

General Tax rolls were verified with certificates of Supervisors and settlement with County Treasurer.

Delinquent taxes and liquor licenses were verified with reports from County Treasurer.

Justice fees and fines were verified with reports from the Justices.

General Tax Roll collection fees were accepted as shown on the Clerk's books.

License fees collected by City Clerk were verified with license stubs on file.

Collection for water, electric lights and power and miscellaneous sales were verified with the books in the Board of Public Works office and the reports to the Common Council.

Disbursements were checked and verified with their Common Council Journal of disbursements.

General books of Clerk and Treasurer were found in balance.

Cash balances shown are verified by certificates attached to this report.

We found the Board of Public Works Water and Light General Ledger in balance with the City Clerk's records.

We would call your attention to schedules of new street and sewer improvements for which bonds were sold during 1913. We have set up a summary of the funds showing the bond sales and the disbursements for the improvements, showing balance or overdraft as the case may be. Also the collections from General Tax Roll and disbursements in payment of bonds and interest.

In connections with this we will say, that no part of the collections

for the payment of bonds and interest should be disbursed for the improvement and would suggest that two funds for each special improvement be opened as follows:

One for the sale of bonds and disbursements for the improvement, and called the "Improvement Fund".

Bonds sold should be credited to this fund and disbursements for improvements charged.

Another fund should be opened and called the "Improvement Fund".

Improvement Sinking fund." Collections from Tax Rolls should be credited to this fund and disbursements for bonds and interest charged.

There were slight differences between the amounts shown collected on the Cash Book and the amounts shown credited on the Water and Light Consumer's ledgers and the list of delinquent accounts. These we did not check out as the total difference for the year was small but we would suggest that the monthly report of these collections as rendered to the City Treasurer be reconciled with the Consumer's Ledgers.

We found the City's books in all departments in a very satisfactory condition, except the instances noted, and will say that it is evident that every effort is made to keep the books in a proper manner.

Very truly yours,

Audit & Michigan Appraisal Co.,
Wiley T. Lyon, Auditor.

Received and filed.

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

Richard Overweg, clerk,	62 50
F. Kruijsenga, asst. clerk	36 00
A. Van Duren, city atty.	25 00
H. Vander Brink, treas.	35 42
Jerry Boerema, janitor	43 75
B. B. Godfrey, health officer	112 50
John Mersen, city physician	75 00
Jennie Kanters, librarian,	162 50
C. Blom, frt. and crt.	.82
Western Union Tele. Co., clock	1 00
rent	1 00
Peter Ver Wey, pound master	10 75
John F. Van Anrooy deeds	1 40
Michigan Audit & Appraisal Co.,	100 00
auditor,	2 00
Fred T. Miles, services,	1 00
Underwood Typewriter Co.,	.56
repairs,	.75
Herman Damson, drayage	1 60
Fris' Book Store, book	15 00
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co.,	14 00
glass,	24 00
J. & H. De Jongh, orders,	2 50
B. Steketee, orders	8 00
H. Van Ry, orders	15 95
T. Keppel's Sons, orders	4 00
Mrs. J. Baas, orders	4 00
A. Harrington, orders	13 00
H. Vanden Brink, orders and	36 00
postage	36 00
H. E. Van Kampen, rent	36 00
W. J. Garrod, rent	36 00
J. Kuite Sr., rent	2 00
J. Nies, rent	10 00
J. W. Bosman, rent	7 40
Peter Prins, rent	258 14
J. Ten Hagen, rent	.50
Aart Reitsma, labor	2 50
J. Vander Ploeg, labor	11 41
A. Alderink labor	31 75
T. Nauta, labor	27 32
Wm. Roelofs, labor	27 32
B. Hoekstra, labor	7 13
Gerrit Ten Brink labor	3 00
Wm Ten Brink, labor	14 40
Gerrit Van Wieren, labor	2 00
Gerrit J. Van Wieren, labor	4 50
J. Ver Hoef, teamwork,	56 50
R. Tromp, labor	.50
Donnelly-Kelly Glass Co., glass	2 50
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., sup	11 41
plies	31 75
B. Vande Bunte, spraying	27 32
A. De Haan, spraying,	27 32
J. A. Kooyers, spraying	7 13
Grand Rapids Oil Co., gasoline	3 00
John Vanden Berg, posting	14 40
notices,	2 00
Thos. Klomparens, poss.,	4 50
Holland Lumber & Supply Co.,	56 50
lumber	.50
Jacob Zuidema, asst. eng.	1 60
H. A. Nabersuis, engineer,	17 50
Holland City Gas Co., gas,	100 35
Tyler Van Landegend, supplies	114 60
Pierre E. Hagnes, gas meter	1 00
tester,	7 50
Holland City News, printing	94 00
First State Bank, orders	45 00
G. Blom, cartage,	75 00
H. J. Klomparens, orders	12 65
C. W. Nibbelink, salary and	6 00
extra	
G. Van Zaten, insp. poor, direct	
etc.,	
Rochester Germicide Co., dis-	
infectant,	
Bd. of Public Works, light,	
Ward Phillips, insp. of elec.	
Allowed and warrants ordered	
issued.	

Carried.

The Mayor presented the following message:

A certain fund has been raised in this city for the purpose of erecting a monument to the memory of Clifford Kaiser, a young man who sacrificed his life in his effort to save a fellow being.

I am informed that the fund is about \$40.00 short of the amount that is really needed for a suitable monument, and I believe that this is an object in which the city at large should have a part separate from the individual contributors to this fund.

To this end I would recommend that the Council appropriate a sum of not less than \$25.00 and that the balance necessary be guaranteed if not paid by popular subscription, which I have every reason to believe will be done.

On motion of Ald. Vander Hill,

Resolved, that the message of the Mayor by and hereby is accepted, and that the recommendation therein contained be carried out, and that said sum be appropriated and paid to the committee having the matter of the erection of such monument in charge.

Carried.

Communications from Boards and City Officers

The following bills, approved by the Board of Health, at a meeting held May 4, 1914, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

G. R. Van Kampen, putting up	1 75
signs,	3 50
John W. Kramer, antitoxin,	3 35
Thos. Klomparens, coal and	2 00
wood	2 50
C. Plagenhoef, labor	.59
T. Keppel's Sons, lime,	5 60
Henry Vander Heuvel, cartage,	13 68
Wm. Vander Veere, meat, Van	27 36
Null,	9 00
Holland Chemical Co., fumiga-	1 65
tors,	\$70.89
De Free Chemical Co., fumiga-	
tors,	
Dick Ras, scavenger,	
Jake Schaap, milk, Van Null,	

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Board of Park and Cemetery Trustees, at a meeting held May 4, 1914, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

H. R. Doesburg, seeds,	8 55
Wm. H. Vande Water, sexton,	25 00
Vaughan's Seed Store, seeds	33 46
G. Blom, frt. and crt.	1 57
J. A. Kooyers, supt.	32 50
H. De Slegter, labor	36 00
J. Van Bragt, labor	34 44
A. De Haan, labor	6 00
B. Vande Bunte, labor	6 00
H. De Vries, labor	6 66
Mr. Teerman, labor	11 54
H. Van Lente, labor	13 50
J. A. Kooyers, trees,	14 00
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lum-	
ber	1 25
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., feed,	.10
Van Dyke & Spruietsma, supplies,	.75
Bd. of Public Works, light,	.50
Henry A. Dreer, seeds,	6 64
Henry Kraker, supplies and	
labor</	

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, at a meeting held May 4, 1914, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

H. Bontekoe, fireman	37 50
A. Gums, do	37 50
Wm. Van Regenmorter, do	37 50
B. Lottermann, do	31 25
Austin Lordahl, do	6 25
M. Vander Bie, do	25 00
J. Valdeher, do	25 00
A. Smeenge, do	25 00
H. De Matt, do	25 00
Dick Knoll, do	25 00
Joe. Ten Brink, do	25 00
L. Kamerling, do	25 00
J. Van Dyke, do	25 00
Jack Knoll, do	37 50
H. Lokker, do	37 50
H. Van Regenmorter, fireman	37 50
P. Dykema, do	37 50
John Streur, do	25 00
Ed. Streur, do	25 00
John Beintema, do	25 00
G. Van Haften, do	25 00
A. Klomparsen, do	25 00
H. Kleis, do	25 00
B. Vander Water, do	25 00
C. Blom Jr., chief, do	87 50
G. Ter Vree, asst. chief, do	31 25
J. Langevelt, sub-driver, do	39 75
John Knoll, sub-driver, do	36 75
H. G. Vanden Brink, adv. fares	2 05
G. A. Klomparsen & Son, hay	4 42
Mrs. C. De Feyter, washing	2 88
Vaupell & Aldworth, oil	1 95
B. Steketee, supplies	1 09
Geo. A. Van Landegend, feed, box	2 85
Consumers Fuel Co., coal	9 75
E. Vaupell, supplies	5 90
Lawrence De Witt, driver and janitor	35 00
Frank Stansbury, driver	32 50
H. F. Knipe, repairs	3 07
A. F. Kammeraad, gasoline	.99
Bd. of Public Works, repairs	4 31
Bishop & Raffenaud, repairs	6 85
West Michigan Steam Laundry, laundry	2 05
Mich. State Telephone Co., message	.25
W. & L. E. Gurley, supplies	5 18
S. Meeuwse, patrolman and special	54 31
C. Steketee, patrolman and special	55 33
John Wagner, patrolman and special	54 31
D. O'Connor, patrolman and special	51 12
Peter Bontekoe, patrolman and special and uniform	50 79
Frank Van Ry, chief of police	57 75
Herman De Rou, batteries	1 25
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., feed, etc	43 05

\$1384.25

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The following bills, approved by the Board of Public Works, at a meeting held May 4, 1914, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

R. B. Champion, supt.	83 33
P. Brusse, clerk	37 50
Clara Voorhorst, steno.	20 50
A. E. McClellan, engineer	62 50
James Annis, engineer	35 00
Frank Chispeil, engineer	35 00
Frank McFall, engineer	35 00
Fred Smith, fireman	30 00
Clarence Wood, fireman	30 00
D. Ras, fireman	30 00
John De Boer, coal passer	28 00
Frek Slikkers, engineer	32 50
C. J. Rozeboom, 19th St. attend	26 80
A. Motoor, 21st St. attend	25 00
Abe Nauta, electrician	41 25
J. P. De Feyter, line foreman	32 50
Chas. Ter Beek, lineman	31 39
Guy Pond, elec. meterman	32 92
Jon Van Dyke, lamp trimmer	32 50
Wm. Winstrom, stock keeper	32 50
Martin Kammeraad, troubleman	20 00
Charles Vos, meter tester	25 00
Lane Kamerling, water insp.	37 50
Ralph Van Lente, water meterman	28 98
Art Reidsma, labor	27 36
G. J. Ter Brink, do	21 34
Wm. Ten Brink, do	20 44
B. Hoekstra, do	20 44
H. Wassink, do	20 44
J. Ver Hoef, do	4 05
J. Haasjes, do	18 44
J. Veldheer, do	17 09
Jacob Zuidema, do	30 30
Alfred Joldersma, do	3 75
H. A. Naberhuis, city eng.	6 00
Fris Book Store, supplies	1 45
Geo. W. Fuller, engineer	350 00
Holland City News printing	11 00
P. M. Ry. Co., freight	561 56
Bishop & Raffenaud, repairs	4 30
Sunday Creek Co., coal	145 95
Commercial Coal Co., coal	36 60
Bd. of Public Works, supplies	.90
H. Vanden Brink, postage	2 50
A. F. Krammeraad, gasoline	.80
Citizens Transfer Co., cartage	11 75
R. D. Wood & Co., cut off	.58
American Express Co., express	1 26
G. Van Putten, barrels	.55
Klomparsen & Landman, signs	2 30
General Electrical Supply Co., supplies	88 21
Amer. Electrical Supply Co., supplies	7 71
Electric Appliance Co., meters	87 62
E. Reimink well work	23 00
Julius Audrea & Cons Co., supplies	246 44
Standard Oil Co., oil	1 30
Michigan Audit & Appraisal Co., auditing books	60 00
Eugene Dietzen Co., supplies	12 66
W. J. Garrod, insurance	19 22
Gamewell Fire Alarm Co., repairs	21 78
J. A. Dogger, wiping rags	3 15
C. F. Pease Co., supplies	.17
H. A. Naberhuis, exp. charges	.74
A. Hall Berry, exp. charges	.71
F. W. Jackson, livery	7 50
Vaupell & Aldworth, bottles	.75
Hope College, overcharge	10 18
G. Blom, drayage	23 82
Fosteria Incand, Lamp Division, lamps	180 21
I. Vos, gasoline	1 25
Van Dyke & Spruietsma supplies	1 69
Service Electrix Co., docust pins	16 63

D. Ras, scavenger, 2 50
T. Keppel's Sons, cement, 7 50
Barclay Ayers & Bertsch, hose and waste, 47 25
Standard Register Co., register 54 00
A. T. Godfrey testing water, 8 00
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber 105 75
\$3188.07

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.

The Clerk presented the annual report of the Board of Public Works for the fiscal year ending March 16, 1914.

The Board of Public Works reported the collection of \$6614.54 Light, water and main sewer fund moneys.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

The Clerk reported the collection of \$50.88 license moneys, etc., and presented Treasurer's receipt for the amount.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

The Clerk reported that interest coupons in the sum of \$300 had been presented to the Treasurer for payment, and recommended that the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to issue a voucher for the amount.

Adopted.

Justice Robinson reported the collection of \$20.10 ordinance fines and officers' fees, and presented Treasurer's receipt for the amount.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

Justice Miles reported the collection of \$7.0 officers fees, and presented Treasurer's receipt for the amount.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the amount.

The Clerk presented the following oats of office:

Poor Director and City Inspector, Gerrit Van Zanten; Member of the Library Board, Henry Geerlings; Health Officer, Byron B. Godfrey; Members of the Bonus Committee, John Vander Sluis; Constables of the Third Ward, Herman Woltman.

Filed.

The Clerk presented the following constable bonds:

H. R. Woltman principal, with E. P. Stephan and E. Vaupell, sureties; Leonard De Witt, principal, with C. Blom Sr., and Jas. A. Drinkwater, sureties; John Kamphuis, principal, with Bert Slagh and H. J. Kamphuis, sureties; H. Beekman principal, with H. Vander Warf and Gerrit Beekman sureties.

Approved.

The Clerk reported recommending that the matter of distributing the expenses of maintenance of the city hall between the several Boards of the City, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Adopted.

The Clerk reported recommending a transfer of \$637.09 from the Sprinkling fund to the Street fund, for use of Sprinklers, cost of Road oil, etc.

Adopted, and transfer ordered.

The City Engineer reported relative to the quality of gas.

Filed.

The Board of Assessors reported the following special assessment rolls: East Ninth Street Sewer, Columbia Avenue and East 5th Street Sewer, Michigan Avenue Sewer.

On motion of Ald. Harrington, The rolls were ordered filed in the Clerk's office, and numbered, and the Clerk instructed to give notice that the Common Council and the Board of Review will meet at the Council rooms on Wednesday, June 3, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., to review said rolls.

The City Attorney reported as follows:

I beg leave to report that I have examined into the matter of the track in west Fifth Street, west of River Avenue and find that the occupancy is covered by a lease, which can be terminated by the City at any time it so determines, by giving a reasonable notice.

On going over the ground I also found that nearly one half of that track seems to be located on private property, and that apparently not a great deal would be gained by moving a part of the track, which would necessitate taking up the track beginning east of River Avenue, and entirely across the pavement. It might be well to have the City Engineer set stakes showing the lines so that we might definitely determine the exact situation there, and then determine the advisability of ordering the company to move the tracks.

Adopted, and the Clerk instructed to send a copy of above report to the Board of Park and Cemetery Trustees.

Adjourned, until Wednesday, May 13, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Richard Overweg, City Clerk.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

Most Prompt and Effectual Cure for Bad Colds

When you have a bad cold you want a remedy that will not only give relief, but effect a prompt and permanent cure, a remedy that is pleasant to take, a remedy that contains nothing injurious. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all these requirements. It acts on nature's plan, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions and restores the system to a healthy condition. This remedy had a world wide sale and use, and can always be depended upon. Sold by all dealers.—Advertisement.

Indigestion? Can't Eat? No Appetite?

A treatment of Electric Bitters increases your appetite; stops indigestion; you can eat anything. A real spring tonic for liver, kidney and stomach troubles. Cleanses your whole system and you feel fine. Electric Bitters did more for Mr. T. D. Peeble's stomach troubles than any medicine he ever tried. Get a bottle today. 50c and \$1.00 Recommended by H. R. Doesburg.—Adv.

Child Cross? Feverish? Sick

A cross, peevish, listless child, with coated tongue, pale, doesn't sleep; eats sometimes very little, then again ravenously; stomach sour breath fetid; pains in stomach, with diarrhea; grinds teeth while asleep and starts up with terror—all suggest a Worm Killer—something that expell worms, and almost every child has them. Kickapoo Worm Killer is needed. Get a box today. Start at once. You won't have to coax, as Kickapoo worm is a candy confection. Expels the worms, the cause of your child's trouble. 25c Recommended by H. R. Doesburg.—Adv.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

To Mrs. C. C. Gilmore, M. Vander Poel, A. E. McClellan, Mrs. J. Pat-huis, John Dowd, Deena Brookmeyer, Wm. Wolterling, Teunis Mouw, Mrs. J. Mouw, Mrs. L. Brink, Geo. Wolterling, Henry Te Roller, Dick Mouw, B. Koster, Henry Zonnebelt, Peter Ver Schure, Jacob Smith, John Streur, and to all other persons interested, take notice: That the roll of special assessment heretofore made by the board of assessors for the purpose of defraying that part of the cost which the council decided should be paid and borne by special assessment for the construction of a sewer in Columbia Avenue, from 5th to 5th Streets, and in 5th Street, from Columbia Avenue east to the swamp, is now on file in my office for public inspection. Notice is also hereby given, that the council and board of assessors of the City of Holland, will meet at the council room in said city on June 3, 1914, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., to review said assessments, at which time and place opportunity will be given all persons interested to be heard.

Dated, Holland Mich., May 14, 1914.

Richard Overweg, City Clerk.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

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Richard Overweg, City Clerk.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

(Expires May 23)

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 6th day of May, A. D. 1914.

Present: Hon. Elliott D. Prescott, Probate Judge of Muskegon County, Michigan, acting Judge of Probate in absence of Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hendrik Vander Zwaag, Deceased

Jacob L. Hop having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate,

It is Ordered, That the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1914, 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.

ELLIOTT D. PRESCOTT, Acting Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

ORRIE SLUITER, Register of Probate.

(Expires Aug. 7.)

MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated March 13, 1909, executed by Carl F. Buchmann and Annie R. Buchmann, his wife of the township of Holland, Ottawa County Michigan, to George H. Souter and Don Johnston as executors of the estate of Robert E. Johnston, deceased, of Township of Holland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the county of Ottawa, in liber 76 of mortgages on page 418, on the 26th day of March in the year 1909 at 8:30 o'clock A. M.; and whereas the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said George H. Souter and Don Johnston, as executors of the estate of Robert E. Johnston, deceased to Don Johnston, as trustee of the estate of Robert E. Johnston, deceased by assignment bearing date the 5th day of August in the year 1909, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the said county of Ottawa, on the 10th day of August 1909 at 3 o'clock P. M. in liber 77 of mortgages on page 449 and the same is now owned by him; And whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of Six hundred dollars of principal, and the further sum of twenty-five dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Grand Haven, in said county of Ottawa, on the 7th day of August next, at three o'clock in the afternoon of that day; which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: all of the southwest quarter (S. W. 1/4) of the northeast quarter (N. E. 1/4) of section ten (10) township five (5) north of range sixteen (16) west, containing forty (40) acres of land more or less, in the township of Holland, Ottawa County, Michigan.

Dated this 5th day of May A. D. 1914.

Don Johnston, as trustee of the Estate of Robert E. Johnston deceased, Assignee.

FRED T. MILES, Attorney, Business Address: Holland Michigan

(Expires May 23)

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 1st day of May A. D. 1914.

Present: Hon. Elliott D. Prescott, Probate Judge of Muskegon County, Michigan, acting Judge of Probate in absence of Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of ELIZA B. METCALF, Deceased

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

It is Ordered, That the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

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ORRIE SLUITER, Register of Probate.

(Expires May 30)

STATE OF MICH

DAILY GAS TESTS FOR CITY
BENEFIT

New System Shows Grand Haven Gas
To Be Better Than Average
CALCULATIONS ARE ACCURATE

For the purpose of furnishing to the people of Grand Haven accurate statements as to the heating quality of gas used from the Grand Haven Gas Company's mains, the Junker test system has been installed in the city hall and tests are being made daily. The system was installed by Chief Engineer H. A. Naberhuis of the City of Holland and appliances provided by the E. H. Sargent Co., of Chicago.

The heating quality of the gas is computed in British Thermal Units one of which represents amount of heat required to raise the temperature of one pound of water to one degree Fahrenheit.

With the Junker system the calculations are conceded to be as nearly accurate as possible. From a large storage tank the water used in the test is flushed through the callimeter where the gas is regulated to effect a difference of fifteen degrees F. between the inpour and outpour. Then the amount of water passing through the callimeter during the consumption of two tenths of a cubic foot of gas is measured in two tests.

Next the tester computes his factoring figure from the atmospheric pressure and gas pressures. With the average rise of temperature in the callimeter, the gas used and the average number of pounds of water heated, the terminal units are calculated. Each step in the process is taken through five trials to get a mean average, which in the end produces accurate results.

Grand Haven gas is shown to be better than the average of that used in other cities of the state. Tests have shown in the past few days over 625 units per cubic foot and 600 units per foot is considered a very good quality of gas.

MORE DRUNKS WERE ARRESTED
IN LAST TWO DAYS THAN
ALL OF LAST MONTHUNUSUAL NUMBER PICKED UP
FOR DRUNKENNESS FIRST
TWO DAYS OF THE
WEEK.

Four men were picked up by the police Monday on the charge of drunkenness, an unusual number for one day. Three of the men, Edward Harvey, of Detroit, John Ryan, a boat hand, and James McGee of Milwaukee, were given a chance, this being a first offense. The fourth Simon Yonkman, was charged with being an habitual drunkard and he was given a sentence of 65 days in the county jail at Grand Haven.

Two others were picked up by the police Monday on the charge of drunkenness. They were Edward Landis of Hamilton and John Donnelly, another man from the rural district. Both were given a chance because it was a first offense.

The arrests for drunkenness the first two days of the week reached the proportions of a sort of epidemic, more having been arrested during these two days than during the entire month previous. Bottles of whiskey were taken from the persons of the men arrested and they are being kept at police headquarters.

NINE THOUSAND HOOKS HAVE
BEEN SET ABOUT FIFTEEN
MILES OUT.

The Harvey Watson, owned by Chief of Police Van Ry and John Walters, engineer of the tug under the command of August Larsen of Sheboygan, with a crew of Sheboygan fishermen, made its first trip to the fishing grounds out of this harbor Monday. The boat withstood the rough weather Monday in fine shape and 5,000 hooks were set about 15 miles straight out from the channel. Monday the tug made another trip and set 4,000 more hooks.

Tuesday the boat will go out and lift the hooks and bring in the fish.

Public Sale

A public sale will be held at the home of Jacob Lokker Friday morning, May 15 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at 144 East Ninth street. The following goods will be offered for sale: 1 oak hall chair, 1 oak rocker with green plush seat, green tete-a-tete, oil heater, wardrobe, writing desk, cherry bedroom suite, red plush tete-a-tete, red plush chair, side board, long red couch, 3 platform rockers, three 3-piece bedroom suites, one as good as new, 3 bed springs, 2 bedsteads, 1 mattress, 1 gas stove, 1 rug, 9x12 ft.; some carpets, all kinds of chairs, and rockers, also lawn mower and other goods too numerous to mention.

H. Lugers

GAS ON WAY TO ZEELAND

Great Machine Employed in Throwing Trench for Pipe Line

"Hello, what's this?" "That," said the owner of the automobile as he shut off the power and brought the machine to a standstill, "is an almost human contrivance that eats its way through the ground leaving behind it a clean cut trench four feet deep and 18 inches wide. Nothing but logs and rocks can stop it."

The conversation took place on the highway midway between Zeeland and Holland and where the Ottawa County Gas Company is laying its high pressure gas main which is to supply the city of Zeeland with

Gas Company has been engaged in extensive improvements and alterations in order to take care of the new business afforded by its contract with the Ottawa County Gas Company and is putting in new benches of the most modern construction, a high pressure tank, an apparatus which will force the gas through the new main to Zeeland. It is fascinating to watch the process of manufacture.

Entering the retort house one is confronted with a row of brick structures, resembling in appearance the old fashioned Dutch oven. In the



gas forwarded from the plant of the Holland City Gas company.

As stated, the digging machine is almost human in its action, with the added advantage that it is tireless and absolutely accurate, besides doing the work of a small army of men making from 1,000 to 1,800 feet of clean cut trench a day with a neatly piled ridge of dirt alongside the trench, to be filled in after the pipe has been laid, fitted and tested. The pipe layers come closely behind the trench digger. As every length is attached to the preceding one, it is tested with compressed air, forty to fifty pounds pressure to the square inch. This detects flaws, if any exist, so that when the pipe is finally laid, it is perfect from one end of it to the other. Arrangements are made at certain intervals for what are called "drigs", places where water and other impurities can be pumped from the mains when necessary. These are the places where there are valves, are designated by posts painted red and marked either "D"

face of each of these benches there are six openings with oval top and straight bottoms resembling a furnace door. On the floor and at the center is an opening, the real furnace door. This leads to an interior cavity where the fire is conducted through flues around each of the long retorts of which the openings mentioned are the mouth pieces.

When the living inferno, fed from beneath, has reached its desired heat, a retort is opened and into its mouth, not much wider than a shovel, the expert stokers heave the coal with long, clean sweeps of their scoops. At first as the coal is forced back by this supply from the scoops delivered with remarkable accuracy, dense smoke belches forth, followed by tongues of flame as the heat ignites the coal in the retort. The charging must necessarily be quick and accurate. If not, much coal is actually consumed and its gas is thus wasted. As soon as a retort is filled the door is swung shut and sealed thus making the retort airtight.



for drip or "V" for valve.

As soon as the pipe is laid and tested, the covering process begins and continues to within a length of pipe from the last length attached. The coverer consists of a scraper formed something like the snow plow one sees cleaning the sidewalks in the winter. This fills the trench and leaves a ridge of dirt upon the surface. This ridge is allowed to remain until the dirt thoroughly settles when it is brought to a level with the roadway.

The trench digger is a silent worker operated with gasoline as motive power. There is no noise to speak of and farmers' horses do not seem to mind it in the least.

From the point where the pipe line joins the private right of way of the Ottawa County Gas Co., at the city limits of Holland to about a mile out, the trench digger had an easy time of it. Here, however, the old "swamp" territory was encountered, a spot the pioneer residents thought they never could fill. Into this morass were liberally bestowed saplings and brush, brush and saplings, covered over with dirt and when these sank from sight, more were piled on with logs added, until today there is a solid and excellent road constructed. It was into this formation the trench digger bit and tore. Axes were brought into play and clearing the line of these obstructions, the men behind completed the work for a stretch of about half a mile, when solid ground was again encountered and the pipe laying went merrily forward.

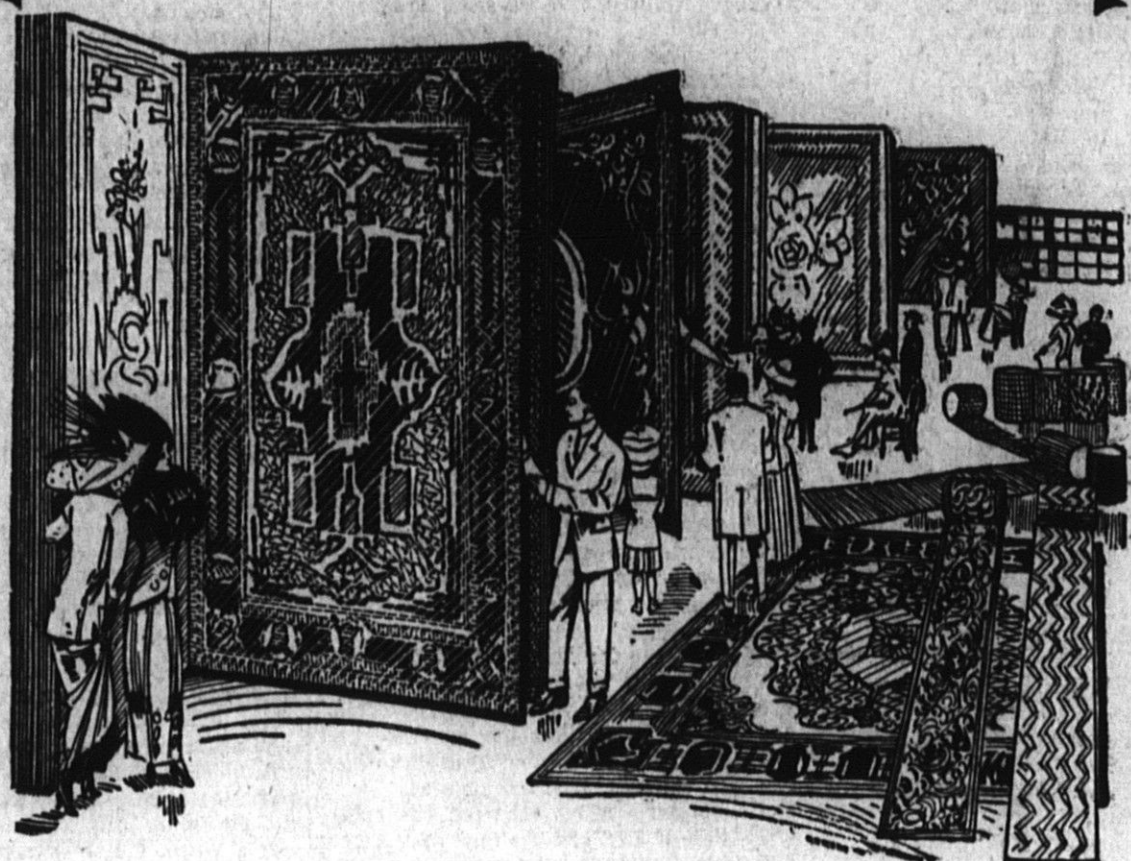
In the meantime the Holland City

The 400 pounds of coal with which it is charged literally cooks for four hours, when the gas having been extracted, the retort is opened, and a stream of living coals is pulled forth upon the stone floor where it is drenched with water and the coke is formed. This operation is repeated until the six retorts in each bench are charged and discharged. Record is kept of time and there is a continuous charging and unloading of retorts twenty-four hours a day for seven days in the week.

The gas generated from this cooked coal is conveyed to a hydraulic main where the preliminary step in purification is gone through when it comes in contact with the water which cools the gas, and extracts from it the coal tar. From this point the gas goes into a condenser, thence to a scrubber, where it is washed and scrubbed. This done, it goes through the purifiers to the station meter from whence it goes into the holder or reservoir, a finished product ready to be used day or night, rain or shine, furnishing an inexhaustible store of the safest fuel for cooking, heating and industrial purposes, as well as a never failing light of the highest character, restful to the eyes and pleasant to use.

This is the gas of the best quality that will be supplied to Zeeland when the pipe line reaches the city. It will pay everyone to walk out to where the trench digging and pipe laying operations are in progress. They can realize how wonderful are the results of modern invention.

Carpet and Rug Sale



SPECIAL CARPET SALE

We have been cutting and slashing Carpets this season and have a number roll ends left which we are going to close out at greatly Reduced prices.

6 pieces of best all wool Ingrain carpets from 25 to 50 yards in roll regular 85 and 90c quality at.....	65c
1 piece of 26 yards beautiful green scrole Velvet carpet regular price \$1.25 at.....	78c
1 piece of 35 1/4 small pattern 2 toned green Velvet at.....	85c
1 piece of 21 yds light floral Velvet at.....	78c
1 piece of 26 1/2 beautiful red oriental pattern Velvet at.....	98c
1 piece of 23 1-3 yds beautiful floral Axminster.....	89c
1 piece of 27 Oriental Tan Axminster at.....	98c
1 piece of 36 1/2 yds set pattern Tan Velvet at.....	98c
1 piece of 48 1/2 yds small brown pattern Velvet at.....	85c
1 piece of 54 1/2 yds brown new pattern Velvet at.....	85c
1 piece of 51 1/2 yds Tan Oriental Velvet at.....	98c
1 piece of 57 yds small brown and green pattern Velvet at.....	95c

Special Rug Sale

1 doz. 9x12 Axminster and Velvet Rugs at 25 to.....	33 1/3%
9x12 Axminster Rug rich Green floral Pattern.....	18.75
9x12 Axminster Brown and Green floral.....	18.75
9x12 Dark Brown and Green small pattern Axminster.....	18.75
9x12 Axminster Oriental pattern.....	18.75
9x12 Axminster Green floral.....	16.75
9x12 Axminster Tan and Green at.....	16.75
9x12 Seamless Wilton Velvet Brown scrole.....	15.75
9x12 Seamless Wilton Velvet 5 patterns.....	18.75
11-3x12 Velvet and Axminster rugs in floral oriental and small patterns and colors up from.....	26.75

SPECIAL 50 VELVET, AXMINSTER and BODYBRUSSEL Carpet samples 11-2yds. long, nicely bound at the price of 1 yard.

JAS. A. BROUWER,

212-214 River Avenue

HOLLAND MEN ARE CHOSEN
DELEGATES ARE CHOSEN TO THE
STATE CONVENTION IN
DETROIT

A meeting of the county republican committee was held in the court house yesterday for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state republican conference to be held in Detroit May 26.

The following delegates were selected by the committee:

Allendale, J. S. Thayer, Roelof Dragt; Blendon, Wm. Philpse, Robt. Johnson; Chester, Chas. L. Bean, A. Morey; Crookery E. Brown, O. B. Carpenter; Georgetown, C. Andre, F. McEachron. Grand Haven township Michael F. Donahue; Holland township, Rookus Cook, Luke Lugers, J. Rutgers, J. S. Brower; Jamestown, Gerrit Yntema, A. H. Bosch; Olive township, Henry Siersma, G. H. Brower; Polkton, Millard Durham; Henry Ferguson, C. C. Lillie; Robinson, W. H. Clark; Spring Lake, Wm. Savidge, Aloys Bilz, Len Patterson, Herman F. Harbeck; Talmadge, W. Stoddard; Wright, D. C. Wells, R. Burrell; Zeeland township, Arend Van Zoesen, John De Hope; Zeeland City, Jas. Cook, J. N. Clark, C. Van Loo, A. Larkins; Grand Haven, Jno. Danhof, W. I. Lillie, John Bos, Wm. Austin, Jacob Glerum, J. Van Anrooy, Jos. O'Brien, D. F. Pagelsen, A. J. Nyland; Holland City, Arthur Van Duren, Nick Whelan, Henry Pelgrim Sr., Abe Stephan, N. Bosch, Ben Mulder, G. J. Diekema, Chas. Mc Bride, G. Cook.

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