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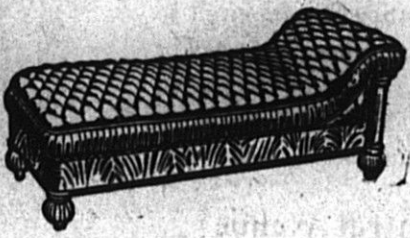
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There are two words of advise that all should remember—GO SLOW.

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I will give you full instructions how to build a cement silo yourself. I can furnish the moulds to make the blocks, the steel door frame and bands, the wooden doors and the roof.

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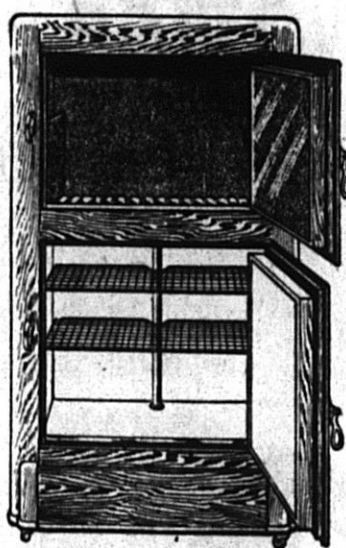
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CITY AND VICINITY.

Zeeland is advocating the idea of having a home coming week.

Bert Van Putten of Zeeland who was held in the county jail last week pending an examination as to his sanity has been released.

Rev. H. J. Veldman of the First Reformed church will leave the latter part of this week to attend the sessions of the General Synod to be held at Ashbury Park, N. J., during the course of next week. He will be absent two Sundays.

A. J. Fairbanks and A. Schillman of the Buss Machine Works are building a 25 foot launch which will be launched Saturday. It is a beautiful little boat and will have a speed of 12 miles an hour.

Lewellyn and Charles Karr of E. Sixteenth street caught a fine specimen of the horned owl. The bird measures four and a half feet from tip to tip of wings and weighs about five pounds. The boys will have the "wise bird" mounted.

The board of estimates held its initial meeting Monday morning at nine o'clock. Mayor Henry Brosse was elected chairman. The board made the hours for meeting during the week from 8 to 10 in the morning and from 1:30 to 4:30 in the afternoon.

John Oelen, employed as a sweeper at the Bush & Lane Piano Factory had two fingers cut off Saturday by a buzz saw. Oelen was talking with the foreman and, not noticing that the saw was in motion took hold of it, with the result of losing two fingers. Dr. J. J. Mersen attended him.

Peter VanLopik has returned from a trip to the northern life saving stations. He had an enjoyable visit with Capt. Wm. Walker at Glen Haven and reports that Billy is captain and catcher of a station baseball team and is ready to meet any like team in the country. While he was there they defeated an Indian team 8 to 7 and Billy distinguished himself behind the bat.—G. H. Tribune.

W. Fred Goodrich, who has been sailing on the steamer for the past seven years, recently took an examination which resulted in his being granted papers allowing him to accept a position as first mate. He has now been given the place of second mate on the steamer City of Benton Harbor and is right in line of promotion.

The steamer Saugatuck has gone to Ludington to enter the service of the Nessen Transportation company of Manistee. It is understood that the company has bought her and will run her between Ludington and Pentwater. However the sale was conditional and the boat may return to the Kalamazoo river again.

A decision has been handed down by the supreme court in the matter of G. Lage of Zeeland and J. Kuite, sr., of Holland, affirming the judgment of the lower court, and it is now up to Kuite to take some other steps in order to establish the line between his property and that of Lage on Main street, at Zeeland. It will be remembered that the circuit court held that Kuite was not the proper party to bring the suit, he having sold the property on contract.

Fennville is getting very good according to the following from the Fennville Herald: "For various reasons, President Edward Hawley has deemed it wise to wipe out the old 'black list' of names of persons to whom liquor dealers are prohibited to sell. Some of the persons so posted are dead, some had joined the church and the list was so worn and marked up that it could hardly be made out. This action also gives a chance for the forbidden parties to show whether they have the proper stamina to conduct themselves in an orderly manner. President Hawley promises to revive the list for any who do not maintain orderly conduct. It is to be hoped that this course will prove a wise one."

Advertise in the News.

Judge Everett of Chicago is having a 25 horse power engine installed in the ferry boat Tuscarora.

Lieut. Gov. P. H. Kelly was in the city today. He will deliver the commencement address for the Douglas high school tonight.

After an illness of tuberculosis Matthew Ver Lee, of Zeeland, died at the home of his parents on Main street Tuesday afternoon at the age of fifteen years. He is survived by his parents, two sisters and three brothers, Jeanette, John, Sena, Arnold and Ruthford. His sister Hattie died ten months ago from the same disease.

Gerrit Verhoof and Albert Elders was arrested by Officer Meeuwssen Monday for riding their bicycles on the sidewalk on west 12th street. The streets are now in good condition for the cyclists and Chief of Police Kamferbeek will show no mercy to offenders. Verhoof and Elders each paid a fine of \$5.00. On Tuesday morning Thomas De Vries was arrested for the same offense and paid his five spot.

Last Saturday afternoon Chief of Police Kamferbeek arrested John Tubergen on the charge of stealing a bicycle lamp from a wheel belonging to Kuite's Economy Meat market about two weeks ago. The wheel was standing in the alley next to the market, where it was left for a few minutes when it was discovered the lamp was missing. The police were notified and they started an investigation which resulted in the arrest of Tubergen. When arraigned before Justice Van Duren he pleaded guilty and was fined \$5.

Allegan is agitating the advisability of having the city council appoint a milk and dairy inspection. Not long ago a lady in the city found a milk ticket in the bottom of a bottle when the milk was emptied denoting very plainly that the bottle had not been cleaned nor sterilized by the milkman after its return by the customer. Very frequently have other people found lobbard milk in the bottom of their bottles, and the milk received in them was of course sour, though supposed to be fresh. There are some people, too, while not strenuously objecting to a little water occasionally.

While cutting a beef heart Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Thomas P. Eastman, found to her great surprise a large needle lodged in the center of it. The needle had not been put there recently as it was rusted and grown. How or when the cow swallowed the needle, if that be the way it got there, and how long it took to work its way to the heart and a lot of other things will go down as a mystery. The needle undoubtedly got into the cow's feed, and after it had reached the stomach, worked its way into the heart. That it did not kill the animal long before she met her fate at the butchers ax is another mystery.

The body of little Margaret Hudson of Allegan who was drowned a week ago last Sunday was found Saturday shortly after twelve o'clock. A reward of \$300 had been offered if the body were found within 10 days from May 20. The body was found caught in the underbrush about a quarter of a mile from the place where the accident happened. Every effort had been made to recover the little body and a government diver, Thomas Moran, was sent, but the stream was too muddy and the current too swift to give results until the big dam about two miles up the river was closed so as to lower the water.

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Troost, living about eight miles north of Holland in Olive township on a farm, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. A large reception was held at the home at which most of the children, grandchildren, neighbors and friends were present. Mr. Troost is seventy three years old and his wife, whose maiden name was Aaltje Deminee, is seventy. Both were born in Staphorst, Netherlands, province of Overisel, where their marriage ceremony took place. In 1882 they emigrated to America and settled on the farm where they are still living. Mr. and Mrs. Troost had eight children, six of whom are still living, and there are in all twenty-two grandchildren, most of whom were present at the reception last night. The names of the children are John and Roelf of Lynden, Wash.; Mrs. A. Johnson of Grand Rapids, Bert, Henry and Mrs. J. Bartels of Olive township.

On the seventh page of this issue will be found a fac simile of the program used at the public exercises at the "Laying of the Keel" of the missionary ship in 1864. It is one of the historic documents of Holland.

Four young men from this city, George Klungel, John Penne and Clyde Hagit and Don Wilson, each aged about seventeen, left Saturday to become sailors on one of the United States battleships. They enlisted at the office at Grand Rapids and will first serve for a few months on a training ship.

The suit of Clay H. Hollister against Tieman Slagh and Klaas Zuidewind of this city which was scheduled for trial before Judge McDopald in the Circuit court, at Grand Rapids, was postponed at the last moment and the parties proceeded to adjust their differences in an amicable settlement. The case involved some \$7,700 and grew out of a contract to supply glass for the Slagh building on Eighth street.

Theodore De Veer, the Dutch journalist who is at present touring Mexico, will write a book on his impressions of that quaint historic country. He made a trip through Mexico before, and this time is touring those places less frequently visited by travellers. Mr. De Veer says that many of the curious customs and habits of dress are fast disappearing and giving place to new ideas in dress and habits of life. The disappearance of the old time customs is taking away, the journalist says, much of the picturesqueness that has given old Mexico an atmosphere of poetry and song.

In New Salem, that quiet little spot in Allegan county, they evidently believe in treating saloon keepers with a velvet hand according to the following news item: "This notice was handed to the correspondent by the ladies of the congregation of St. Mary's church, New Salem: We hereby notify Mr. Anton Almon, the saloon-keeper, not to run his place of business as he has before, to keep his saloon shut on Sundays and legal holidays and not to sell to minors or drunkards, or to sell more than one eighth of beer to anyone. If this is not strictly obeyed, prosecution will follow."

Klaas Buurman, who drives the street sprinkler had a rather unpleasant experience with his "water wagon." Klaas was filling the tank at the corner of Ninth and River. But he was rather absentminded and perhaps visions of how white bass are biting at the park were flitting through his mind. He forgot to disconnect the hose but all unconscious of the "tie that binds" drove away. He was considerably more than mildly surprised when a miniature geyser started up behind him. Before he could succeed in stemming the flood, the basement of Van Dyke & Sprietema had received a goodly share of city water.

"One of the pleasantest acquaintances I made during my trip to Washington," said John Vander Sluis, "was with the butler of the President. He is an old grey-haired man whom it does a man good to meet. He is 84 years old, and goes about his duties with a dignity befitting one who has served more presidents than perhaps any other living man. He was the butler of President Lincoln and showed him out of the White House when he left there for Ford's Theater where he was shot, and he helped to carry in Pres. Garfield when he fell by the hand of the assassin. It is a fine thing to visit the capital," continued Van, "it gives a man a good deal of wholesome respect for his country and its institutions."

The twenty-first annual convention of the Ottawa County Sunday School association will be held in the First Reformed church in this city June 5. The state association of which this is a branch will hold a convention at Detroit, when delegates will be named to the national convention, which will convene at Louisville, Ky., June 18 to 23. The officers of the Ottawa association are: President, Charles De Boer, Spring Lake; vice president, A. Lahnis, Zeeland; primary superintendent, Mrs. B. Lubben, Coopersville; home department superintendent, Mrs. Safford, Spring Lake; teachers' training, Rev. A. P. Bourns, Spring Lake; temperance department, Miss F. Parkhorst, Nuncia; secretary-treasurer, J. C. Lehman, Grand Haven.



ZEELAND

B. Jonkman of Grand Rapids is visiting his parents here.

Miss Edna Brandt who has been ill is able to be out again.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van den Bosch Friday—a son.

Mrs. G. Terpstra of Borculo has been in town visiting friends.

Rev. H. Vander Werp of Zutphen conducted services at the Christian Reformed church Sunday.

T. Van Wyk and Mrs. Anna Northuis were in Zutphen to visit with friends.

Attorney Joy Heck was in Grand Rapids Thursday on business.

Wm. Van Koeveing went to Grand Rapids yesterday on business.

John Fris was in Oakland Monday on business.

Mathew, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ver Lee on Main street, is very ill.

The First Reformed church is having a new cement laid in front of the church.

Mrs. Platte of Chicago is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Kamps on Church street.

Prof. B. Keppel of Evanston, Ill., is spending a few days at the home of his parents on Central avenue.

A horse belonging to J. DeWeerd of Borculo became frightened at an interurban car Monday and breaking loose from the wagon galloped down the Main street, but did little damage outside of busting his harness.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Schipper of Springfield, S. D., will make an extended visit with relatives here. Sunday evening Rev. Schipper conducted services at the First Reformed church.

Word has been received here of the death of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Trap of Thompsonville, Mich. Mrs. Trap is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Kley of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hirdes visited relatives in Grand Haven last week. It so happened that Mike's birthday anniversary occurred in the meantime and two friends stealthily came during their absence and planted a fine maple shade tree in their front yard, to serve in the way of a birthday present.

Invitations are out to the marriage ceremony and wedding reception of Abram Post and Miss Grace DeJong, which event will take place on next Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents on the Vriesland road. Also to the marriage of Johannes Bakker and Miss Kate Ver Hage on Friday, the 29th, at their future home on Michigan avenue.

Hietje Bros. bought a fine team of oxen from John Huizen of Overisel. They were transferred to John J. Andersen of Muskegon for the Muskegon Packing House. The oxen are of the same age, 5 years, and are same color weighing together 38.00 pounds. John Huizen used them last winter to draw logs from the woods.

Hamilton.

Mrs. G. Ensing went to Filmore Monday to visit her sister for a few days.

Ray Kimber of California arrived last week and is visiting his brother Charles in this city for a short time. Before his return to the far west he will visit his brother William in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. H. J. Klomprens was at the home of her sister, Mrs. Helder, in Filmore this week assisting in caring for the latter's husband who has been ill for some time.

Mr. Lousbury of Allegan was here all last week taking pictures of buildings, people, etc. His work is finely executed and orders for work are increasing.

Last week Friday George Terpstra, one of our meat market men, took a boarder at the rate of \$4.50 per week. The fellow said that he would take a short walk before breakfast but he never returned to enjoy it. Mr. Terpstra went to his pocket book and found \$25 missing and the "cat never came back!" The last that was heard of the thief was that he was loitering near Waverly.

Albert Hidding of Holland was in Hamilton Monday looking over the beauties of our pleasant village. He admired the scenes and will come again in a short time.

Everybody's friend—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures toothache, earache, sore throat. Heals cuts, bruises, scalds. Stops any pain.

Overisel.

Last Thursday afternoon occurred the closing exercises of the Alber's school. A very pleasing program was rendered.

Fred Klumper of Zeeland spent Sunday with relatives here.

G. Poelakker and family left last Monday for Hull, Iowa, where they will make their future home.

A. Voorhorst wife carrying a cultivator, suddenly weakened and became so depressed that he had to go to his bed for a few days. He is now improving.

Dr. Dabink and family of Holland spent last Saturday with relatives here.

Next Monday evening there will be a meeting of the citizens of this community to plan for a Fourth of July celebration.

Rev. H. Boot conducted the afternoon services at the Ref. church last Sunday.

The Misses A. Visscher and C. VerMeulen of Holland spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Fanny Kooiker.

R. Vanden Burg of Grand Rapids spent a few days this week with E. Hartering.

Saugatuck

Miss Emma Blink of Chicago is the guest of Saugatuck friends.

G. Y. Taylor is home for a few days while he is moving his family into the Mrs. B. Sailor house.

The Ludwig Real Estate Agency has closed a deal whereby W. L. Stolp of Aurora, Ill., buys the J. C. Bartholomew place near New Richmond and Mr. Bartholomew buys the Mrs. Lizzie Winslow place in Saugatuck.

Wiley & Plummer have sold out their restaurant and billiard room to Morgan Edgecomb. Mr. Wiley will go to southern Illinois, in a few days to buy fruit, but Mr. Plummer has not decided upon his occupation.

The water has destroyed the cement wall on the west side of Mrs. Zwemer's place. The wall was put up to prevent the soil from washing away but the great amount of rain we have had recently undermined it.

The Saugatuck High School Alumni will hold its annual banquet Tourists' Home Saturday evening, May 30th. Each member may invite one guest and all tickets must be procured from the treasurer, Mrs. Roger Reek, on or before Monday, May 25th.

Valuable Information

Something Every Person in Holland Should Know

Nearly three hundred years have passed since the medicinal, curative elements known to exist in the cod's liver were first discovered and recognized by physicians as a specific in the treatment of pulmonary and wasting diseases, and as a body-builder and strength creator; but how to extract those medicinal elements from the oil in which they were enveloped, has been the study of some of the most expert chemists in the world.

Now the process discovered by two eminent French chemists, Morgues and Gautier, should interest every person in Holland. By an extractive concentrating process, they discovered a way to separate the tonic, body building and curative elements contained in fresh cods' livers from their useless oil.

Because Vinol contains no oil, but embodies all the medicinal value of cod liver oil, with tonic iron added, it is fast superseding old fashioned cod liver oil and emulsions. As a body builder and strength creator for old people, weak women, delicate children, after sickness for all pulmonary troubles, nothing has ever been known to excel Vinol. We ask Holland people to try Vinol on our offer to return money if it fails to give satisfaction. R. M. De Pree & Co., Druggists, Holland, Mich.

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After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulets, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

JEROME DENOUNCED

New York District Attorney Gives a Very Hot Roast by Pierce.

PROSECUTOR SPARES HIM NOT

Declares His Administration of His Office a Disgrace.

Reply Hits the Yellow Journals Who Were "Yamming and Yowling," and Says the Judiciary Was Scared.

Elizabeth, N. Y., May 27.—District Attorney William T. Jerome, of New York county, was the central figure in the final proceedings here before Commissioner Hand, appointed by Governor Hughes to hear testimony in connection with the charges of dereliction in the performance of the district attorney's official duties made by William A. King and others, of New York city. Jerome began his summing up after the filing of a brief by Franklin Pierce, attorney for the complainants, in which the district attorney was roasted. Some of the things Pierce says of Jerome are these:

Guilty of Disgraceful Conduct.

"Every thoughtful man knows that conditions in New York county are a hundred times more dangerous to the welfare of society than murder itself," and that "a graver calamity could not visit the people of New York than the continuation of the evil example and the disgraceful conduct of William Travers Jerome in the office of public prosecutor of New York county." Even in the investigation just completed "Jerome has conducted himself in a manner warranting his removal from office."

Refers to the Perkins Case.

"It is undisputed that Mr. Jerome would not furnish any evidence to the March grand jury, and we have his own statement that if it had found an indictment against George W. Perkins he would have refused to sign it." For the purpose of shielding Perkins from prosecution, Pierce said, the district attorney instituted a proceeding "and thereby procured a decision which he says controls his action as against all other companies making campaign contributions." This "brief" is 200 pages of typewritten matter.

FLIMSY AND MENDACIOUS

That Is How Jerome Characterizes the Proceedings.

Jerome launched into a long analysis of the motives which, in his belief, animated those most active in bringing and pressing the charges against him. He supported his contention that the proceedings were "flimsy and mendacious" by asking the commissioner to note, for one thing, that the complaint had not been verified "not even on information and belief." He said he had lived all his life in the city of New York, had been twice elected to office, "and I consider, sir, that I was elected to exercise my judgment in the discharge of the duties of that office and not the judgment of irresponsible editors of yellow journals and what they might say I ought to do."

Regarding the charge that he had refused to advise the grand jury to indict George W. Perkins in the so-called \$50,000 political contribution case, Jerome said: "It was perfectly plain that Bryan's election would have been followed by a shrinkage in the value of the securities of the New York Life Insurance company of, say, at least 10 or 12 per cent; so that with \$450,000, 000 of securities this contribution by Mr. Perkins was a shrewd business move, even if it were illegal? But was it illegal? Moreover, there was abundant evidence that the officials of almost every financial institution in New York city had contributed to the Republican party committee to help defeat Bryan; so that if Perkins was guilty then I had my work cut out for me good and plenty for a year or more ahead."

"I tried to get a judicial decision in the matter. Judge O'Sullivan refused to take it up and decide it. The judiciary of New York city was as scared as anybody in New York, because it was on one hand J. Pierpont Morgan's partner, and on the other hand the yellow journals were yamming and yowling."

Jerome said there was no rule of law by which he could have brought John A. McCall's evidence before the Armstrong committee to the attention of a grand jury. "I have been called a liar and charged with not being a bloodhound and many other awful things," he declared, "but there has never been even an insinuation that I have a dollar in the world except what I have received as salary." Similarly Jerome defended his other alleged lapses from proper vigilance, and when he had concluded Commissioner Hand declared the hearing adjourned for the day.

More Murder by the Reds.

Geneva, May 27.—The police are investigating what appears to be the murder by the Russian revolutionary committee of a man named Naidoff, thought to have been a Russian government spy. Naidoff was shot to death by a compatriot whose description is known. He is still at large and a search of all Russian revolutionary centers in Switzerland has been ordered.

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It's pretty hard to attend to duties

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They cure every kidney ill.

Otto G. Van Dyk, retired farmer, 28 W. Eighteenth street, Holland, Mich., says, "I unhesitatingly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as the most reliable remedy on the market today. A short time ago I was suddenly taken with a sharp pain or crick in the small of my back. I did not pay much attention to the pain at first, but it gradually grew worse until it became a dull, constant pain across my back and loins. My condition soon became so serious that I was unable to walk, when my son who had used Doan's Kidney Pills with excellent results advised me to try them. He procured a box for me at George L. Lage's drug store and I had taken only a few doses when the pains greatly lessened. I continued using them and gradually improved until I received a positive cure. I now feel as well and strong as ever and attribute my present healthy condition to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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Eggs, per doz. 11
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Lard 10
Pork, dressed, per lb. 7
mutton, dressed 10
Turkey's live 13
Beef 6-7

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Wheat, red 56
Oats, white choice new 56
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Barley, 100 lb 1 40

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Middlings 1.50 per hundred 29.00 per ton
 Bran per 1.35 hundred, 28.00 per ton

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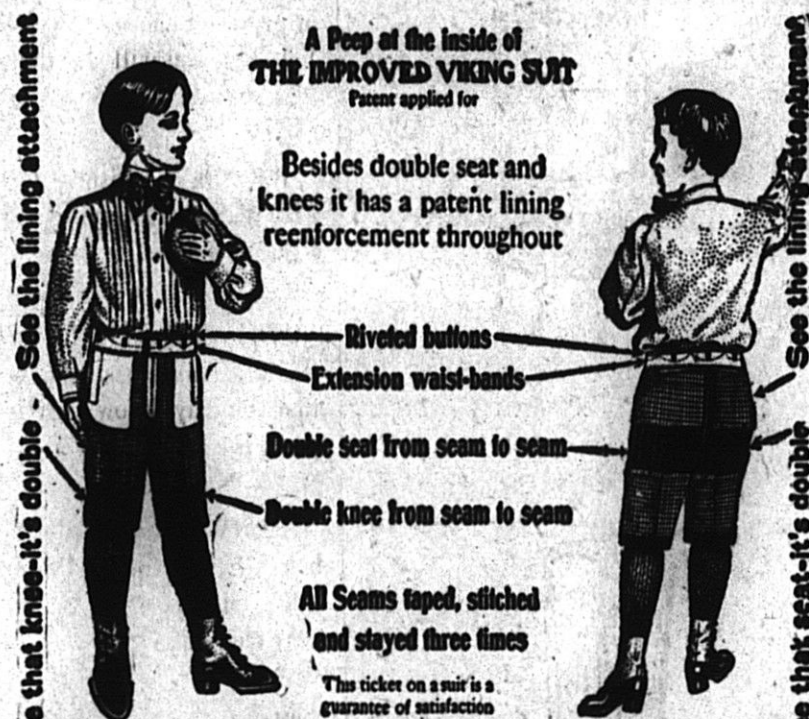
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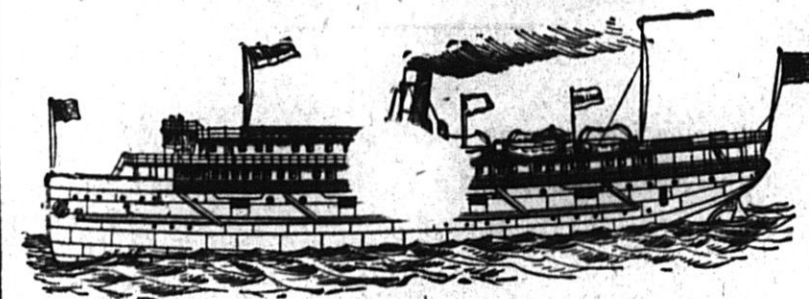
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Resources	
Loans and Discounts	\$516,491.72
Bonds, Mortgages and Securities	380,289.59
Overdrafts	1,107.24
Banking House	27,275.00
Other Real Estate	1,623.38
Furniture and Fixtures	4,930.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers	8,989.64
Due from Banks in reserve cities	\$9,355.08
U. S. and National Bank Currency	37,787.00
Gold Coin	37,315.00
Silver Coin	4,054.95
Nickels and Cents	721.05
	169,233.08
Checks, and other Cash Items	415.93
Total	1,110,355.58

Liabilities	
Capital Stock Paid in	50,000.00
Surplus Fund	30,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	10,529.65
Commercial Deposits	142,027.60
Savings Deposits	586,105.77
Savings Certificates	291,692.56
	1,019,825.93
Total	1,110,355.58

State of Michigan, County of Ottawa, SS.

I, G. W. Mokma, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. W. MOKMA, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of May, 1908.
My commission expires May 19, 1910.

Henry J. Luidens, Notary Public.
Gerrit J. Kollen,
Correct Attest, W. J. Garrod, Director's
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High School Commencement.

Sunday June 21 marks the opening of the commencement week for the public schools. The baccalaureate address to the graduating class will be delivered on Sunday morning in the Methodist church by Rev. Jenkins. The class day exercises will occur on Monday evening in Hope church and the commencement address and presentation of diplomas will take place on Wednesday evening.

The program for the class day is as follows:

Music—Octette, Misses Hadden St. Clair, Habermann, Allen, Knutson, Van Ark, Notter and Oosting; Salutatory—Rose Voland; Class History—Henrietta Slagh Duet—Misses Notter, and Hadden Oration—Lloyd Kanter's Class Prophecy—Le Vane Nies Music—Octette Class Will—Rhea Allen Valadictory—Serena Haberman Class Song—Class of 1908

The program for Wednesday evening includes choruses and instrumental numbers, the presentation of diplomas and an address by C. Frank Vreeland, the well known platform and pulpit orator and popular lecturer whose subject will be "The Message of Abraham Lincoln to the Twentieth Century."

The graduates are as follows: Henrietta Slagh, Llewellyn Karr, James Williams, Lloyd Kanter's, Oletta Knutson, Le Vane Nies, Rose Voland, Jennie Swift, Serena Habermann, Henry Te Roller, Agnes Bylsma, Jacob Zuidema, Clarice Walters, Irene Van Ark, Sylvia Hadden, Lola St. Clair, Katherine Oosting, Matilda Notter, Rhea Allen.

The closing exercises of the eighth grade will take place on Tuesday evening, June 23, in the High School assembly room. There will be about 80 graduates and their program will be as follows:

Piano Duet—Lloyd Conkright and Edward Stephan Declaration—Theodore Zwemer Chorus of Girls—Harold Mc Lean Eighth Grade Chorus—Longfellow Dramatization of "The Courtship of Miles Standish"—Presentation of Diplomas

Annual Election.

Chicago May 23.—At the annual election of the Illinois Motor Boat club this week the cruising committee announced the plans for the summer, which includes a cruise of the club boats to Ottawa Beach and Macatawa bay on Aug. 4-5, this being the one big event of the year with the exception of the Chicago-Mackinac race for power boats. The club will cruise to the Black lake resorts again at the time of the annual regatta and Vene-tian evening in August.

The Columbia, built in Oshkosh by members of a Columbia Yacht club syndicate to race for the Lipton cup, was launched at Chicago today and will receive its first tuning up at once in preparation for the races of the summer.

Orr's New Boat.

Pleasure, comfort and speed was the result of the trial trip Thursday of the "Idella," a new 40-foot launch built and owned by W. H. Orr, manager of the local Citizens Telephone Co. Mr. Orr initiated the boat's first trip by taking out the employees of the Citizens Telephone company. The trip taken was out on Black lake to Macatawa Park and then out into the "big" lake. Mr. Orr is highly elated over the showing made by his boat.

The cruiser is one of the finest equipped on the lake. It is complete with gallery, parlor, lavatory and other modern appliances. It is equipped with a 12-horse power engine and will work up speed of about eight knots an hour or more.

Otto To See Queen.

Word has just been received that Dr. John Otto, an alumnus of Hope college and one of the foremost missionaries of the Reformed church, is returning on fulough from Amoy, China, where he has labored most successfully for some years. Dr. Otto visited Holland some five years ago when he enjoyed a year's rest and recreation.

He returns this summer for a six months vacation which he takes at the earnest solicitation of a friend who pays all the expenses of the trip. Dr. Otto's labors during the past four year have impaired his health to such a degree as to necessitate his return to this country for a time. He took the Siberian route from China, spending two weeks in the Netherlands where he has been tendered many receptions and a few days ago was commanded to appear before the dowager Queen Emma, a very unusual distinction. The queen's mother is very much interested in the Wilhelmina hospital one of the three hospitals Dr. Otto has founded in Amoy. The

money for Wilhelmina hospital was largely donated by wealthy Hollanders.

Dr. Otto expects to reach America in time to attend the commencement exercises of Hope College. He will be accompanied by his daughter Elizabeth who has been spending the past two years in Amsterdam at a famous girl's school.

Mrs. Otto who was a daughter of Dr. Phelps the first president of Hope is living in Grand Rapids where she is educating her other four children.

Merchants To Decorate.

Memorial Day will be observed this year in this city as it never was before if the merchants' plans do not miscarry. With but a single exception merchants are making plans, that if carried out will make former Decoration days observances look insignificant.

The committees appointed by the Holland Merchants' association to make arrangements for the merchants to march in the parade is proving a success and a good many have expressed their determination to fall in line.

The merchants along the line of march are going to decorate the store fronts with flags and bunting and among those who will decorate are Du Mez Bros., Walsh Drug store, Coster Photo Co., Wolverine Tea Co., C. D. Smith, Hotel Holland, H. W. Hardie, Vissers & Dekker, Harmon's Barber shop, E. J. Fairbanks, A. H. Meyers, City Grocery, Van Ark Furn. Store, Notter, Van Ark & Winter, B. Stekete, G. T. Haan, J. A. Vander Veen, Boston Restaurant, P. Boot, L. Fris, Spritsma Shoe Store, Stern-Goldman Holland City News.

Fraternal Entertainment.

Friday night the Fraternal society of Hope College entertained the gentlemen members of the "A" class in Fraternal hall. The "A" class members will enter the college department next fall and will become eligible to join one of the three college societies. Each society entertains them one evening so that the individual members can determine which literary society suits them best.

Last Friday night the Cosmopolitans did the entertaining and last evening it was the Fraternal's turn. A fine literary program was rendered after which visitors were called on to make some remarks. After the program the social committee served refreshments and all indulged in a good old fashioned college spread.

Grand Haven Council Good To High School

Grand Haven, May 23.—The Common Council has given Grand Haven High school an athletic field. For many years Grand Haven High school has been in sore need of a field for athletic sports and games. The students have been forced to move about from one field to another in order to carry on their sports. Consequently athletics in the High school have not been at a particularly high tide.

This year the school has a promising baseball team, which has had trouble in finding a place to play. There is only one field and the demand is too great for the dates. The grounds are not controlled by the school and the arrangement was not entirely satisfactory. Recent developments have set the athletes thinking.

Har. a five year lease.

Supt. Van den Berg took up the matter with the common council, the school board and some prominent citizens and all of them seemed favorable to securing a field for strictly high school purposes.

Some years ago the late Ald. Kamhout fathered a resolution setting aside the pest house grounds as a civic athletic field. All of this time nothing has been done toward improving them. Supt. Vanden Berg conceived the idea of securing this property for the high school athletes. As a result the school will get a five year lease, binding itself in return to expend \$50 annually for the improvement of the grounds.

Training Quarters.

The new field contains about seven acres of good dry ground, located within easy walking distance of the central portion of the city. It has previously been used as a baseball field, but at present requires some work before it is in shape for fast work. This will be done at once, however, as the athletic association has some money at its disposal, and it is likely that all the remaining High school games will be played upon the new field.

The property contains a three room building which will undoubtedly go with the lease, and which will make an excellent dressing room and training quarters. After the baseball season the grounds will be put in shape for the foot ball season and during the summer may be rented by the school to other teams.

Senato-Russell's Political Announcement

Senator Huntley Russell's announcement that he will be a candidate for land commissioner at the republican state convention clears up the congressional situation in a manner decidedly satisfactory.

Since the primaries at which he was defeated for the congressional nomination by G. J. Diekema, he has felt a desire to again enter the race. But in common with his friends and many others throughout the district, the unusually good record made by Congressman Diekema impressed him with the idea that the congressman as a matter of justice to himself should be continued in office, and he therefore banished from his mind the thought of congressional honors, and, entering the arena of state politics, announced his candidacy for land commissioner.

Senator Russell is particularly adapted to the demands of this office. He has paid particular attention to forestry problems during his public career and at the last session of the senate, as a member of the forestry committee, took an active part in promoting meritorious forestry legislation. His friends all over the state recognize his fitness for this office and it is a safe bet that he will land a winner.

He did the graceful thing when he announced his candidacy by pointing out that the excellence of Mr. Diekema's record entitled him to a continuance in the office of congressman from the fifth district. His friends are lined up for Diekema to a man, and this insures his renomination without trouble. This will enable Mr. Diekema to devote his time to the duties of state chairman; he will as before head the republican hosts of this state in a battle that will make all other political parties sit up and take notice.

Fear is the graveyard of prosperity.

The president missed a fine opportunity to create enthusiasm at the conference by announcing: "A message from the governor of North Carolina."

The citizens of Allegan offered a reward of \$300 to the finder of the body of Margaret Hudson, if found within 10 days from May 20. This is certainly showing a humane spirit and reflects credit upon our neighboring city. Many a time money is advanced to unearth crime or to punish criminals, but seldom, it is too seldom, given to dry the tears of the sorrowing.

The power of mind over matter may be seen in the fact that what President Eliot has to say about athletics is attracting a great deal more attention than anything John L. Sullivan might have to say about education.

A new kind of gas which can be bought by the bottle and used for illuminating purposes has been invented by a German. Fifty cents worth of it will furnish a 50-candle power light eight hours a day for six weeks. People who have their money invested in gas stock will regard this inventor as a menace that should be suppressed.

All the world guys a lover.

How could a breathless man be without pants?

Fortunately girls are not wearing the old-fashioned hoop skirts along with the Merry Widow hat.

Andrew Carnegie says the United States has the worst monetary system in the world. Yet some men have accumulated quite satisfactory wads under that system.

A year of great crops, as 1908 promises to be, cannot be bad for business unless a Democratic victory is threatened. But it isn't.

David B. Hill will leave in July for his first visit to Europe. Mr. Hill is a Democrat still, so still that he prefers to be out of the country during another Bryan racket.

The perfidity of woman has had another illustration in the case of Mrs. Gunness, who was false even to her teeth.

WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER 35 Years ago To-day.

At the election of officers for the Young Men's Christian Association the following gentlemen were elected: President, G. J. Kollen; vice president, Elmer Annis; recording secretary, A. Visscher; corresponding secretary, A. M. Kanter; treasurer, H. Walsh.

On Thursday afternoon the firemen of this city were out on review. The company made a fine appearance with their hand engine and other apparatus. They marched through some of the streets, the Holland City Cornet Band playing some of their choicest pieces, leading. The big gun was also brought into requisition, just to enliven the occasion. Altogether the effort was satisfactory to the citizens, and creditable to the company, and can but result in making more effective the organization.

WHAT YOU SAW 30 YEARS AGO

Ascension Day, last Thursday, was duly observed by the True Dutch Reformed church of this city.

The attention of the public is called to the dissolution notice of E. Kruisenga & Son. John Kruisenga takes up the business his aged father lays down and will henceforth do business in his own name.

At the new brick yard of Messrs. Veneklasen & Sons work is progressing finely. One kiln has been burned, and they are now ready to furnish their customers with either white or red brick of superior quality. The yard has a capacity of from 18,000 to 25,000 brick per day and the demand is so good that the proprietors intend to manufacture all they can during the season.

The astonishing news reached Wm. VanPutten on Saturday evening last, that his trustworthy and efficient drug clerk, "Tommy" Huizenga, died shortly after on that evening at his home in the village of Zeeland. He had been ailing for some time, but imagined he was recovering up to the moment of his demise. The day of his death was his birthday—he was exactly nineteen years of age.

WHAT YOU SAW 25 YEARS AGO

DECORATION DAY

At a meeting of citizens and a few veterans, held at the News office on Wednesday evening, at which the committee of the council were present it was resolved that the day be suitably observed, and for this purpose the following committees were appointed:

On arrangements, to act with committee of council, Messrs. P. H. McBride and John Kramer.

On Speakers, Mayor Beach and G. Van Schelven, Esq.

On Decoration, L. T. Kanter and R. E. Werkman.

On Music, C. L. Waring, D. Gilmore and Dr. B. J. DeVries.

On Finance, L. T. Kanter, B. P. Higgins and John Kramer.

On Grounds, R. Vanden Berg.

Capt. M. DeBoe was appointed as Marshal of the Day, and Prof. G. P. Hummer as Assistant Marshal.

The Rev. Thomas Walker Jones was chosen as chaplain.

The procession will form at the corner of Eighth and River streets at 12:30 M. and will march to the cemetery in the following order:

Dr. Gee's Musical Class.

Children of the public schools.

Committee of Ladies on Decoration.

Common council and city officials.

Faculty of Hope college.

Fire department.

Citizens.

Veterans and members of Holland Soldiers' Union.

The order of exercises at the cemetery has been arranged by the committee as follows:

1. Music—Dr. Gee's Musical Class.

2. Prayer—Rev. T. W. Jones.

3. Music—Vocal.

4. Address—By Speaker.

5. Music—Vocal.

6. Decoration of Graves.

7. Exercises at the Slab erected in memory of soldiers who lie buried elsewhere.

8. Doxology and Benediction.

Decoration Day next Wednesday promises to be a day long to be remembered by our citizens. The various committees are hard at work on the duties assigned to them. The committee on arrangements reports that they have been successful in making all the preliminary arrangements for the exercises at the grove, near the cemetery and that a stand and seats are to be erected for the accommodation of the speaker and the people present.

The committee on decoration has added forty-eight young ladies to their committee. The young ladies, whose names we give below, will, in groups of four, decorate the twelve soldiers' graves at the cemetery: Lucy Aling, Sadie Howard, Kitty Vaupel, Jennie and Martha Zech, Jennie Kanter, Ida and Francis Blower, Cornelia Cappon, Kate Sroter, Maggie Panels, Fannie

Boyd, Lillie Jones, Maggie Boone, Kittie Doesburg, Rika and Laura Meengs, Christina and Katy Herold, Johanna Schraivesande, Josephine Kiekinveld, Maggie Pfanstiehl, Mary Steffens, Ella Hunt, Dina Nibbelink, Cora Fisher, Minnie Cappon, Martha Nyland, Cornelia Van der Veen, Jennie Verbeek, Mary Van Putten, Dina Reidsma, Nellie De Koning, Dollie Charter, Jennie Kremers, Martha Blom, Christina Wynhof, Hannah Sprietsma, Minnie Kremers, Lena Jonkman, Lizzie Borgman, Minnie Mohr, Rika Te Roller, Christina Oggel, Mina and Della McDonald.

The instrumental music for the day will be furnished by Dr. Gee's Musical Class, while the vocal music will be under the direction of Dr. B. J. DeVries, with the following vocalists, the Misses Mary Allcott and Helene Pfanstiehl, soprano; Rika Boone and Christina Pfanstiehl, alto; and Messrs. D. Gilmore and John Nykerk, bass.

A radical change has been made in the dry lines of this city. Ed. J. Harrington has purchased the drays of John Serier and W. C. Nibbelink and will hereafter run the drays of this city in a systematic and business like manner.

WHAT YOU SAW 20 YEARS AGO

Edward Fried and wife have moved to Grand Rapids where they will live this summer.

Sergeant P. A. Moes, of the Innes Rifles, M. S. T. of Grand Rapids, called on his many friends here this week.

W. Wyatt, of Holland township, presented us with a hen's egg this week which measured over 7 inches in circumference the long way.

Tommy Moran drove "Turk" last Wednesday afternoon a mile in 1:13 and the horse passed the quarter pole in 36 seconds. Tom thinks his pet is coming on finely and he has good reason for thinking so.

Through the kindness of Supervisor Van Duren we are enabled to give our readers the following facts as collected by him while making his assessment roll. The real estate of this city foots up to \$674,905, the personal \$279,300. There were 92 births and 43 deaths during the year. There are 40 ex-soldiers, 156 horses, 93 cows and 74 dogs in this city.

An old man, 80 years of age, by name A. Van Dam, residing just north of the city, while in town last Saturday afternoon and standing on the corner of Eighth and River Sts., dropped to the sidewalk in a fainting fit. He was carried into the store of E. Vander Veen and Drs. Yates and Van Putten immediately summoned. The physicians tried in every way to revive him, but without effect and he expired. The body was taken home and on Tuesday he was buried, the funeral services being held in the First Reformed church. Mr. Van Dam was one of the first settlers in this section and was well known to the old residents of the city.

WHAT YOU SAW 15 YEARS AGO

From six to eight inches of snow fell at Marquette Wednesday. The Negaunet Snow Shoe Club turned out forty-four strong and took what is expected to be the last tramp of the season.

A. R. Lewis of Marshal, Mich., who has taken the managership of the Western Union Telegraph office in this city, arrived this week and has arranged to move the office from its present location in the depot to the printing office of the Ottawa County Times. Mr. Lewis will bring his wife here next month. Henry Toren has been engaged as messenger for the new uptown telegraph office, which will be opened June 1.

Ed. VanDrezer has bought the brick store of H. Vander Haar on Eighth St. Consideration, \$3,000.

Misses Jennie Roost, Anna Dehn and Anna DeVries, of the graduating class in the high school, passed a successful examination before the county board the other day, each receiving a third grade certificate.

Married at the residence of the bride's parents, three miles south east of this city, on Wednesday, by H. Geerlings, Rokus H. Cook and Miss Annetta Van Voort. Thursday evening the young couple gave a reception to their many friends in this city.

Died in this city Friday afternoon, Tannetje Verplanke, aged 82 years. Funeral on Saturday at 2 p. m. from the Ninth street B. C. R. church. The deceased came here in 1847, with her first husband, Gillie Dok, who died a few weeks after their arrival. Three weeks thereafter she married Abram Verplanke, whom she survived six years. She was a good matronly woman, loved by her children and respected by her friends and neighbors.

The Waverly Stone Co. have forwarded to the World's Fair an exhibition of their quarry, consisting of a pyramid of five blocks about four

feet in height. The four sides of each block are finished differently—pointed, tooth chiseled, rock faced and smooth. This exhibit will constitute a part of the Michigan display in the mineral department of the World's Fair. All the stone quarried in this state is sent in the same style and finish, in order the better to compare. The Waverly pyramid was a beautiful specimen of material as well as of workmanship. The latter was done at the marble works of R. N. De Merell.

J. R. Kleyn has prepared the plans and specifications for the new brick block of Notier & Verschure and Lokker & Rutgers and they are now on exhibit at the store of the latter for the perusal of contractors.

WHAT YOU SAW 10 YEARS AGO

Tom Tilma, a typo in the News office, residing east of the city, brought with him on Monday morning a quadruped chicken, hatched the day before. It was well developed and lived when born.

A twelve-pound muskallonge was captured in Black Lake Saturday by Prof. J. T. Bergen and Geo. Deuing.

In a few days the post office department will begin issuing to postmasters a new series of postage stamps commemorative of the holding of the national and international Trans-Mississippi Exposition at Omaha, Neb. The scenes represented on the stamps will be as follows: One cent, Marquette on the Mississippi; two cent, Mississippi river bridge; four cent, Indian hunting buffalo; five cent, Fremont on Rocky Mountains; eight cent, Troops guarding train; ten cent, Hardships of Emigration; fifty cent, Western mining prospectors; one dollar, Western cattle in storm; two dollar, Harvesting in the West.

It was a pretty spring wedding that took place on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Clark on Fifteenth street, when Rev. Adam Clark united in marriage their daughter, Oda Mae and Edgar Hiler also of this city. The rooms were neatly decorated in lilac and green. The bride was dressed in henrietta, trimmed with pink silk and white embroidered chiffon, and carried white and pink carnation. The groom was dressed in the conventional black. After the ceremony refreshments were served, the guests, who were limited to the relatives, leaving at a late hour.

President McKinley has issued a second call for 75,000 more volunteers. Michigan's quota under the call is 2,622. This will be two regiments of infantry and a battery or troop (four companies) of cavalry.

No peace can be satisfactory which will allow Spain to retain possession of Porto Rico. The fiat has gone forth that Spanish misrule shall be driven from the western continent, and this involves Spanish excavation of Porto Rico as well as Cuba.

THE CLAM BAKE AT JENISON.

By FRANK CO DRINGTON.

Without doubt the biggest event of the kind which has ever been pulled off in Western Michigan was the closing meeting of the Grand Rapids Ad Club Monday at Jenison park. The heavy rains experienced in Grand Rapids never reached beyond Vriesland, and with the exception of a shower in the evening the weather was ideal. The attendance was very large, not only from Grand Rapids but from Chicago, Detroit and Holland, while the games were witnessed by all of Bird Center and a large part of Saugatuck. It was such a great success arrangements are being made for a tri-city meeting at Macatawa some time in the summer, Chicago and Detroit Ad clubs to meet with Grand Rapids.

No Rhode Island clam bake in its native environment could have been more successful than this one. The charcoal fires in the great stone pit dug for the occasion were lighted early in the morning by the inhabitants of Bird Center, who were on the alert as hosts of the occasion under the guidance of O'Neill & Hoffer, the celebrated fish and clam men. They did well was evidenced later on when nearly 300 diners were unanimous in declaring it to have been the best clam bake they had ever attended. The service was fine, the guests were hungry, the speeches were good and the May meeting set a mark that will be hard to beat.

The moving boat brought 40 advertising men from Chicago and every car from Grand Rapids brought crowds during the afternoon, including the Detroit delegation.

Parade Carries First.

The first event of the day was the parade led by the Holland band in the garb of that country and all wearing wooden shoes. Grand Marshal of the day, "Pete" McCarthy, mayor of Bird Center, led the parade to the field of action where a program of sports such as this part of the state has never before witnessed was carried out, with the permission of the mayor of the place to go as far as they liked until 9:30 p. m., the time for retiring at "Bird Center." This speech having been made in the center of the baseball diamond, the speaker then to show his good will condescended to lower his dignity to the extent of pitching a few balls at the plate and finding this recreation unbecomingly new laurels for his brow he gave up the game and Grand Rapids and Chicago began in earnest. It was an easy matter with the assistance of the umpire for Grand Rapids to beat Chicago this time and they did so in a walk-away, score being 10 to 0. The batteries were Collins and Green for Grand Rapids, Pitterson, Pierce and

Ruggles for Chicago. The game was umpired by "Billy" Fenton, the popular tenor, who would certainly have to change the tenor of his ways if he umpired professionally. The field events which followed were exciting in the extreme. J. A. Solomons of the Star Clothing Company was at the head of the committee in charge of the contests, assisted by George Fortier with megaphone, Don Safford, William Fenton, C. L. Merriman and Stuart Foote. Handsome prizes were at stake and the contestants competed for them in a manner which showed that they fully realized it.

Sports Were Enthusiastic.

The winner in the 100 yard dash was declared to be Graham Patterson of the Pacific Monthly, Chicago. Booser and Mills of Grand Rapids were second and third respectively. Hammer, Patterson and Gibbs, all of Chicago, also ran.

The fat man's race was won by George R. Wilson of Chicago, although W. D. Bishop of this city and Wilbur Higgins of Chicago came in almost in the same breath with the winner. Among the notable entries in this event were W. P. Bull of Toronto, king's counsel; C. J. Waltz, E. C. Westman of Chicago, Lou Covell, Meyer May, L. E. Torrey and Joe Hart. Mr. Bull, who wears a full set of whiskers, laid down in this event, as the prize, a Gillette razor, was not to his liking.

The three-legged race required two heats, Booser and Patterson contending for honors over Mills and Schurman. Other entries were Fenton and Duffy, Porter and Scott.

The egg race was won by Mr. French of the Associated Sunday Magazine, Chicago, in a graceful manner. Booser was second, Mills third and Foote and Gibbs also made tries.

The bag race was won by Scott with Booser and Nick Whelan close and Fenton and Porter and Wheeler also contesting.

The slim man's race was won by Schurman. Other entries being Scott, Porter, Mort Wheeler, Gibbs, French and Reed.

The Bird Center "Darby."

What was undoubtedly the greatest race ever pulled off in Western Michigan, was the Bird Center "Darby." There were five entries, owners driving their own nags, and the course was over a baseball diamond, two or three potato pits and incidentally a few chickens and pigs. Little things like that made no difference to the starter, who gave his name as Marse Cassidy, but who looked suspiciously like the Hon. Peter McCarthy of Bird Center. Anyway, the starter used a bung started a running start and declared he would fine every driver who didn't win. Every wood pile, old wagon, tops of houses, etc., were thronged with cheering crowds, while the pool sellers yelled themselves hoarse in trying to get the Chicago crowd to put their bets down. The entries were such as made you think of the thoroughbred, they were so different. They could go as they pleased, and they did, while the affairs called buggies they were hitched to dragged on behind. It is asserted that one owner was given so much root beer by an advertiser who had bet 100 cents to win 200 cents that he lost his nerve and incidentally the race. The event was run honestly and from the time the frying pan started until "Pete" McCarthy lost his voice, there was a babel of sounds. It was a one heat affair. The summary:

"Corn Starch," g. m. Mattison, first; "Carrot," red g. Doyle, second; "Gravel," red g. Timmer, third; "Whipped Cream," bay g. Tinnhol and "Cabbage," bay g. Welch, unplaced; "Celery," DePree, and "Ice Wagon," Timmer, scratched.

Balloon Race.

The balloon ascension race was marked with a fine ascension by Mme. Maxwell and a successful drop near the grounds. The 14-year-old son of Mme. Navarre, who took her place because of an accident she has sustained in Chicago Saturday, made an attempt at an ascension but his balloon sailed badly and he came easily to earth without opening his parachute.

Feast Was Merry.

The best having been saved to the last, all were in splendid appetite for the feast, which was served shortly after 6 o'clock by Caterers O'Neill & Hoffer of Detroit. The menu consisted of crabs, early Bermudas, clams, early Virginia Sweets, watercress, lobsters with Holland sauce, chicken a la pit, Bird Center salad, breads, Holland rusks, Zeeland cheese, coffee and cigars, the cigars being the courtesy of Mr. Leopold Powell of Leopold Powell & Co., makers of the famous Espina cigar, Tampa and New York.

After the feast President William MacInnes made the announcements in a happy manner and complimented Charles Floyd, one of the youngest members of the club, for having not only made the event successful but possible. Many toasts were offered to those present. A letter from Congressman Diekema was read regretting his inability to be present, owing to his important legislation at Washington, and N. J. Whelan was introduced as toastmaster in his stead. He made a happy sailing of the big fleet around the horn calling forth a burst of applause. Mr. Whelan made a hit when, referring to the alleged statement that "Billy" Fenton, after closing up his duties in connection with the recent electrical show, went to his home and said to Mrs. Fenton:

"Dear, I am all tired out. I have got to take vacation."

"Yes, you do look tired and deserve a nice outing," was the response "Now I tell you what to do. Get your fishing paraphernalia together and go to the Thousand Islands and spend a week on each of them."

The Advertiser's Glee club gave the first selection and the first speaker on the program was O. J. Mulford of Detroit, who gave "The Origin of Street Car Advertising." Mr. Mulford is of the Mulford Advertising agency and gave several interesting experiences in his work. Orchestra music followed, which was made interesting by the strenuous efforts of the leader, "Billy" Fenton.

Mr. Bull Made Fine Address.

W. P. Bull of Toronto, king's counsel, took the place on the program of Jere C. Hutchins of the Detroit United Railways, and spoke in a most interesting manner. He gave a ringing talk on the possibilities of New Ontario and also the great developments which are being made in Cuba where he with others are interested. He opened his remarks with a little repartee to the speaker before him, who had said that all advertising nowadays was of the pure and legitimate kind.

Speaking of Canada, Mr. Bull said that the country had had a wonderful development in the last hundred years. That a new era had now come, and that a steady increase in values had attained till now the province of Ontario, one of the oldest in the Dominion, was studded with prosperous towns, forming one of the most happy

communities in the world. He stated that nowhere could there be found a more highly educated and prosperous rural community than in old Ontario.

Canada's Vast Exports.

Going north, he referred to the vast imports made to the United States by Canada, the products of the forests, mines, and the farms, of the large amount of live-stock sent over here, and also of the large number of young men who had come to Michigan to make their homes.

The speaker then dwelt largely on his knowledge of Cuba and its fast developments. He stated that three years ago he founded the town and colony of Bartle, in the eastern part of Cuba. He said that in selecting a location, he was influenced only by his own knowledge of the soil after having spent a lifetime in agricultural work in Ontario, and also by the fact that Sir William Van Horn had spent millions in the railroad, fruit, sugar cane developments at this point. Also, this is where the largest sugar cane farm in the world is located in which Hetty Green, the world's richest woman, and others are interested.

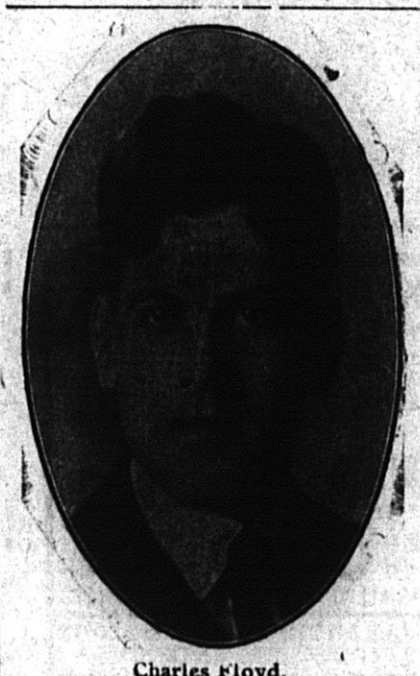
Bartle's Wonderful Growth.

"Three years ago," said Mr. Bull, "Bartle was in the midst of primeval forests. Today it is characterized by the bishop of Cuba as the best Anglo-Saxon colony and town in Cuba." Mr. Bull established his winter home there, one of the most palatial in all Cuba, and has pictures of his wife and five children who play out doors all winter, riding through the fields of sugar cane and grove of mahogany and oranges.

The speaker was well received by his audience and his talk highly educational one, caused much favorable comment.

"Charlie" Floyd Cheered.

"Charlie" Floyd, who with his company did so much to make the event a success, was appropriately introduced



Charles Floyd.

as "The Live Wire, the Young Man Who Does Things." Mr. Floyd made a neat response and was heartily cheered.

W. A. Rankin, the Chicago representative of the New York Street Car Advertising company, gave a neat talk. A message of regret was read from J. S. Morton of the Graham & Morton steamship line. Senator Huntley Russell sang the famous solo, "The Sword of Bunker Hill," with the usual telling effect, and another selection was given by the Glee club, composed of Messrs. Fenton, Smith, Riley, Juro, Herriman and McInnes. They sang Schubert's "Serenade" in a manner which called forth much applause.

Wit and Humor to the Last.

Representative Whelan kept the program sparkling with wit and the evening wound up with everyone in the best of spirits. Souvenirs were placed at each place by the following companies: Colgate company, New York; Heinz company, Pittsburg, Pa.; Dean-Hicks Printing company. The latter furnished the programs, which were in the shape of steins and contained pretty little Holland scenes.

The prizes were presented by Gillette Safety Razor company; P. J. Koke, jeweler, Grand Rapids; C. A. Mitts, Hotel Pantlind; Dick Brink; Houseman & Jones company; G. J. Johnson Cigar company, retail store; Star Clothing company; Foster, Stevens & Co.; Giant Clothing company; W. B. Jarvis company.

The Detroit party, including Dr. E. Heinemann, president of the common council, and 10 admen, left early on their way to Manistee, where they will attend the Michigan League of Municipalities.

Among those from Holland who were around the festive board were: Charles C. Floyd, Con De Pree, Ben Van Raalte, Ben Mulder, N. J. Whelan, Wm. Orr, Austin Harrington, John B. Mulder, Prof. E. Diment, Dr. Mersen, Albert Hidding, Dr. Tischer, John Kelley, Allen Burk, Ed. Schackelton, Wm. G. Van Dyke, G. Doesburg, Fred Tilt, John Cappon, Abe Cappon, C. Verschure, Tom Tilma, Al Tanner, F. K. Colby, Inspector Everett.

Those from Zeeland were John Brower, Joy Heck, A. Lahuis, Tony De Kruij, P. Van Eenennaam.

G. & M. Makes Improvements.

Improvements are being made at the Graham & Morton dock at the foot of Seventh street that will provide for the comfort of the patrons of the line. The most important improvement will be the installing of two large 150 candle power arc lights at the east and west ends of the dock.

Beginning either this evening or Monday the Interurban train will run down to the dock and the passengers instead of having to walk from Eighth street, down the dark road to the boat will be let off within a few yards of the landing. New planks are also being put in the dock to replace the old and worn ones. Fred Zalsman, the local agent is wearing a smile that won't come off during these warm days. The reason for the smile is because business is picking up. The other night the boat's passenger list was 160. Fred says he expects the largest Saturday night excursion load tonight that any boat has had this season.

FOUND—A pair of silver bowed glasses, one glass broken. Owner will please call at News office, pay for this notice and receive property.

ENGLAND SAYS NO ALUM IN FOOD

and strictly prohibits
the sale of alum
baking powder—

So does France
So does Germany

The sale of alum foods
has been made illegal in Washington and the District of Colum-
bia, and alum baking powders are everywhere recognized as
injurious.

To protect yourself against alum,
when ordering baking powder,

Say plainly—

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

and be very sure you get Royal.

Royal is the only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape,
Cream of Tartar. It adds to the digestibility and wholesomeness of the food.



IN SOCIETY

Mrs. Henry Jenner and daughter of Goshen, Ind., and Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Cook of Holland, have been in Allegan this week on account of the death of Margaret Hudson, their niece. Mrs. Mabel Huntley and daughter Francis of Hammond, Ind. are with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen.—Allegan Gazette

James Deto has returned from a visit with his grandparents in Mountague.

Miss Florence Kramer of Detroit was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Whelan Saturday and Sunday.

Joe Sizoo of New Brunswick, N. J., is in the city visiting friends.

Rev. A. L. Warnhuis of Amoy, China, is in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. Huntley Russel of Grand Rapids was in the city Friday.

A VanPatten was in Grand Rapids Thursday.

Mrs. Elbert Diekema was spent last Thursday in Grand Rapids.

A surprise party was given in honor of Gertrude Wabeke at the home of her parents last Thursday night.

Mrs. Will Porter of Howell has returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. DeBoer of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mrs. add Mrs. P. Van Kolken.

William Nichols, aged 20, this city and Miss Elsie Walkey, aged 18, of Glenn, Allegan county, were married Saturday afternoon by Justice F. T. Miles. The groom is employed at King's. The young couple will make their future home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Agard of Chicago are visiting friends in the city.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mc Bride Sunday morning—a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Smith of Blanchard spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Bishop of Slater, Mo., are the guests of Supt. and Mrs. W. T. Bishop.

James Vivian of Crystal Falls, Mich., is visiting relatives in this city. He is on his way to the Masonic Grand Lodge meeting in Jackson.

Mrs. Clermont Smith of Glen Lynn, Ill., spent Sunday with Mrs. Florence Lindsay.

John W. Van Zanten, of New Brunswick, N. J., has arrived home to spend his summer vacation.

G. De Vries of this city was in Grand Rapids Monday on business.

Miss Florence Nies of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Edward Hunderman who has attended the P. and S. Medical School is here for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morse of Chicago spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Fred Tilt returned from Chicago Monday.

Mrs. W. J. Scott entertained at her home, East Ninth street, last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Fay Scott, who has recently arrived from Seattle, Wash., and will make Holland her home in the future.

John Green of Grand Rapids visited friends here Monday.

Mrs. Ben Mulder and daughter Lucile were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Beach and Mrs. Starky of Chicago are at the Castle.

Harry Dornbos has been engaged as clerk at G. Van Putten's.

H. Gillespie of Chicago is having his cottage on Mishwaukee avenue at Macatawa remodeled.

Chas. Jandorf and family of G and Rapids spent Sunday at their cottage at Macatawa.

John Prakken has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the Bush & Lane Piano factory.

A. May and family of Grand Rapids have taken a cottage at Macatawa for the summer.

Prof. John Beardslee of Hope college occupied the pulpit of the Second Reformed church at Grand Haven Sunday.

Nicholas Whelan was in Detroit Tuesday in the interests of the Bartle Dairy Co., of Cuba. He is negotiating with parties there to put in machinery for the dairy plant. The company for which Mr. Whelan is handling this work has a tract of 25,000 acres of land in and around Bartle.

Frank Mooney was in Grand Rapids Tuesday on business.

Miss Mary Whelan of Chicago arrived here Wednesday for a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Wm. Halley, 209 W. 12th St.

Mrs. Taylor of Traverse City, is the guest of Mrs. B. B. Godfrey.

Mrs. Murphy of Ottawa Beach who took a trip to Wisconsin, on the Oak Leaf, returned yesterday.

Miss Aleta Fairbanks has resigned her position as bookkeeper for the Bush & Lane Piano Co.

John Miller was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mrs. G. J. Diekema was in Grand Rapids yesterday.

Miss Margaret Van der Veen of Grand Haven is visiting relatives here.

L. C. Bradford returned from a fishing trip up north Tuesday.

James Mulder was in Zeeland on business Tuesday.

Miss Maud Williams was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Charles Bachman of Allegan, who has been the correspondent of the News for a long time, has moved to Grand Rapids.

Joe Warner, the landscape painter, went to Grand Rapids yesterday.

Miss Mae Seery is spending a week in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Wm. Hazenkamp left Tuesday for Chicago and Wilmette to visit her daughter, Mrs. D. Zoet-haut.

Miss Mae Toren has returned from Chicago, where she spent a week visiting friends.

R. C. Easley was in Muskegon yesterday on business.

Mannes Stegemen of New Brunswick is in the city visiting relatives. He will occupy a pulpit at Grant this summer.

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Last Meeting of the Year.

The Woman's Literary club held its closing meeting Tuesday afternoon. Responses to roll call were "House-keeping in Germany" and many interesting responses were given. The first hour of the afternoon was taken up with the annual reports of officers. The recording secretary, Mrs. James Price reported that 32 meetings had been held during the past year with an average attendance of 35. The largest attendance was 61 on May 12 and the smallest 16 on February 25. The membership has been 88, with 41 associate and 47 active members. The club has had a most profitable year, having studied the history of Germany from the time of Napoleon to the present day. The club has had many pleasures and but one shadow to mar the brightness of the year. On February 20, Mrs. E. Vaupel, associate member passed away.

The report of the treasurer, Mrs. C. J. Dregman showed the club to be in prosperous condition though the home building fund is making inroads on the club funds.

The report of the corresponding secretary Mrs. L. M. Thurber was also interesting as was the report of the librarians, Mrs. M. A. Sooy and Mrs. R. H. Post. The president then called on the chairmen of the four new committees appointed by the board of directors in March. These committees with their chairmen are as follows:

Civic Improvement, Mrs. C. J. Dregman; Anti-tuberculosis, Mrs. O. E. Yates; library extension, Mrs. L. M. Thurber; school visiting committee, Mrs. J. C. Post. All the committees reported progress.

After a short intermission, an interesting paper on Franz Liszt, the great pianist, teacher, and virtuoso, was read by Miss Yates, Mrs. E. D. Kremers illustrating the paper by playing the "Rosamonde" transcription and the "Liebestraume." The closing paper of the afternoon was read by Mrs. J. B. Mulder, her subject being German inventions.

The club will hold its annual picnic on Thursday, June 4, at Saugatuck. Dinner will be served at Tourists. Home and a special will leave the city at 10:30. The dinner tickets will be 50 cents and the car fare 25 cents provided more than 100 go. In case there are less the fare will be 30 cents. Returning, cars will leave Saugatuck at 4:30 and 6:30.

DEATHS

Sylvia VanderSchaaf, aged seven months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. VanderSchaaf, West 28th St., died Monday. The funeral services were held at the house at 4 o'clock Tuesday, Rev. Bolt officiating.

Mrs. Maria DeGroot, aged 74, died Monday at the home of Otto Brusse in Beavertown. Deceased was one of the pioneers of Ottawa county, coming to Vriesland from the Netherlands in 1874. She is survived by two sons, Peter and John. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home, Rev. G. P. DeJong officiating.

Mrs. P. F. Koopman, aged 92, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Anna Sijkema, East 17th St., Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Koopman has resided in this city for six years, coming here from Alto, Wis. The funeral was held Tuesday from the house at 1 o'clock and from the Central avenue church at 2 o'clock.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bolt died Tuesday night. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from the home, 430 Pine St.

Going to Cuba

One man writes from Cuba that he was badly crippled up with rheumatism and his wife was a sufferer from asthma, and in four months after landing in Cuba were as well as they had ever been in their lives.

The soil is excellent for vegetables, tobacco and sugar cane. Horticulturists claim the natural conditions for raising citrus fruits are better than anywhere else on the earth. Oranges, lemons and grapefruit orchards are being developed. The settler is able to raise three crops of vegetables a year on the same land in which three are maturing.

The Cuba Land & Improvement Co., in the Murray Building, in Grand Rapids, are making some especially fine offers to small investors who can go down in September. A postal will bring all the desired information.

On Saturday Decoration Day, the postoffice will be open from 7 o'clock to 10 o'clock in the forenoon. There will be one delivery of mail by carriers in all parts of the city, leaving the office at 7 a. m. Collections from all street letter boxes at 5 p. m. No rural service.

News want ads pay.

Spring Days

These first days of Spring find us ready for Spring business. We invite you to come and view the new wearables. We never entered upon a season better prepared to suit everybody's ideas and pocket books.



Men's Suits

Black, and all the latest shades.....\$5.00 to \$25.00

Young Men's Suits

Ages 15 to 20 years.....\$5.00 to \$18.00

Boys' Suits

Boys' Knee Pants Suits.....\$2.00 to \$7.50

All suits altered free of charge if necessary.

Suits made to order in our own shop under our own supervision. Try us for your next suit.

GENTS' Furnishing Dept.

Shirts of all kinds 50 cents to \$2.50

Hats and Caps to fit all heads. large and small.

Collars, Cuffs, Neckwear, Socks, Handkerchiefs, and everything usually carried in a first-store.

Give us a trial and be convinced.



Our Shoe Department

consists of everything in that line, from the cheapest Plow Shoes to the finest Patent Leather. We carry the largest and most complete line in the city and vicinity. We carry such makes as the

Ralston, Douglas and Rindge

shoes for our men's line, and Mayer and Smith, Sterling and



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Dorothy Dodd

for our ladies line. Give us a chance and we will make your feet glad.

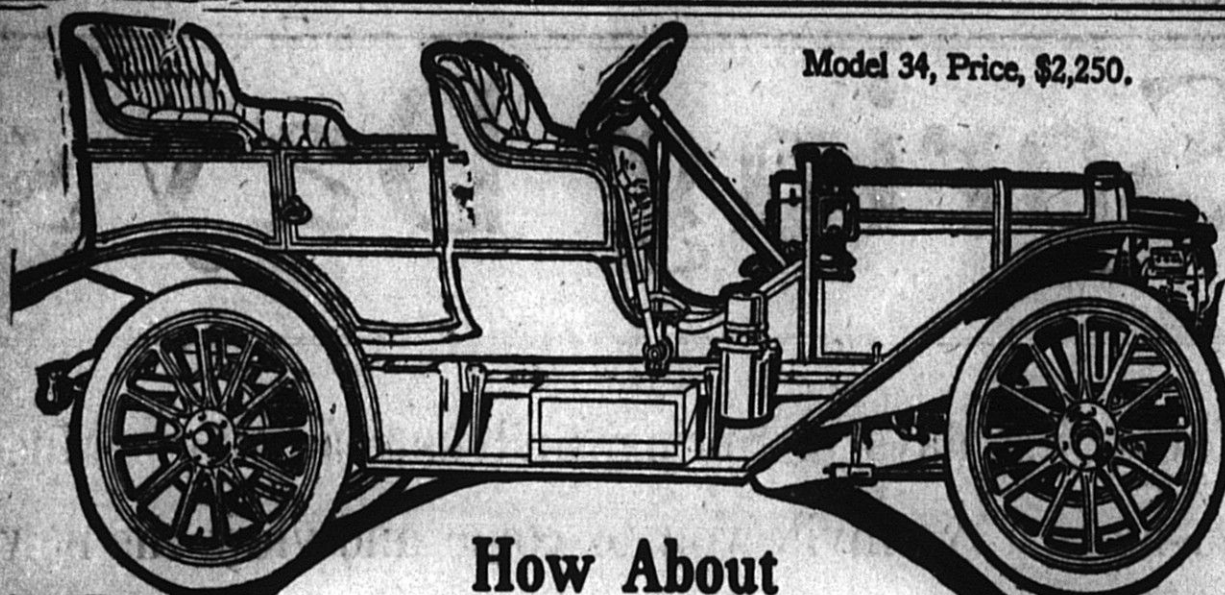
The Lokker Rutgers Co.

- Clothiers -

39-41 E. Eighth St.

Holland, Mich.

Model 34, Price, \$2,250.



How About That Automobile?

There is more in automobiling than shows on the surface—more of health—of happiness—of exhilaration—for yourself, your family and your friends.

Just think of the delightful trips you could take, and still be on hand every day for business.

There is a difference in automobiles—some cost too much originally—and others cost too much afterwards.

Rambler

Automobiles are not in either class. They sell at \$1,400 and \$2,250 and they cost next to nothing to operate.

We will gladly give you facts and figures to prove it.

All we ask is the opportunity to show you the new Rambler models and to take you out for a ride—that you may know from actual experience how comfortable the Rambler is, how smoothly it runs, and what lasting satisfaction it gives.

No matter how little or how much you know about automobiles, we can tell and show you many things about the Rambler that are exceedingly interesting.

We are willing to put our time against yours—and a call from you won't mean a promise to buy.

Come in and let's talk it over. Will you?

H. De Kruif
ZEELAND

TWO LEADERS UNITED

Ohio and Nebraska Join Hands to Boost the Political Publicity Bill.

BRYAN WIRE SECRETARY TAFT

Suggests a Combine Not in Restraint of Business.

Republican Candidate More Than Willing, and the Deal Is Made—Currency Bill May Yet Be Passed.

Washington, May 27.—Two men who likely will battle for the presidency at the November election have joined hands on behalf of one of the most important reforms proposed in national politics in a score of years. Secretary Taft, replying to a suggestion by wire from William J. Bryan, expressed the hope that a campaign contribution publicity bill would be made law. He also was able to show that he had advocated such a bill more than a month ago—advocated it in writing over his own signature. The newspapermen had heard of Bryan's telegram before Taft reached his office, and he did not receive it until some hours later.

Bryan's Telegram to Taft.

Bryan's telegram is as follows: "I beg to suggest that as leading candidates in our respective parties we join in asking congress to pass a bill requiring publication of campaign contributions prior to election. If you think best we can ask other candidates to unite with us in the request." Before the telegram arrived Taft had a talk with the president and he soon had his reply ready, which reads: "Your telegram received. On April 30 last I sent the following letter to Senator Burrows, the chairman of the committee on privileges and elections of the senate." The letter referred to strongly urges the passage of the "publicity bill," and says that "so far as my personal influence is concerned I am anxious to give it for the passage of the bill."

More Telegrams from Bryan.

Taft then adds to his telegram the statement that since writing to Burrows he has publicly said he hoped the bill would pass. Later Taft received another telegram from Bryan, dated yesterday, declaring the Nebraska gratification at receiving "your telegram, and trust the publication of your letter will add the weight necessary to turn the scales in favor of the measure." Then Senator Culberson and Representative Williams each received a telegram from William J. Bryan as follows: "Please secure copies of my telegrams to Secretary Taft and his reply concerning campaign contributions. His letter to Senator Burrows may enable you to secure action on the bill."

HOPE RISES FROM DESPAIR

Currency Bill May Yet Pass—Depends Largely Upon the Senate.

Washington, May 27.—The senate and house conferees on the currency bill held three meetings yesterday and at the third reached a tentative agreement on which will be based a compromise agreement which the Republican members of the conference hope to reach at an adjourned meeting today. The following are the main points of the understanding that had been reached:

The reserve provisions in the Vreeland bill, calling for a retention of 25 per cent in central reserve cities and 15 per cent in other reserve cities, is reduced to a straight 10 per cent reserve without reference to classification of cities. A higher rating is given to state and municipal bonds than to other securities upon which an emergency currency may be taken out by banks. That is to say, county, state and municipal bonds will be valued at not to exceed 90 per cent of their market value, and all other bonds at not to exceed 70 per cent of their market value, both without regard as to whether they are offered as security for additional circulation under the national clearing house plan or under the individual bank bond security plan.

The amount of circulation issuable upon a commercial paper basis is limited to 40 per cent of the capital of the applicant bank, instead of 100 per cent as provided in the Vreeland bill. The redemption fund requirement of 5 per cent under the present law is increased to 10 per cent for all emergency currency taken out. The total amount of currency issuable is confined within a maximum of \$500,000,000 as provided by the Aldrich bill. A time limit of three years is placed upon the life of the bill.

Some minor details are yet to be worked out, but it is considered certain that this bill will be reported in both houses. That the house will pass it and with little debate is considered certain also. But the senate action is not so sure. It is thought that body will pass the bill, but when is another story. It seems absolutely certain that there will be much oratory—not of a filibustering character, but to enable the senators to get their views on record, especially those opposing the bill. To do this may take a day, and may take a month.

Senate and House in Brief.

Washington, May 27.—The session of the senate dragged along in such an unimportant way that little effort was

required on the part of managers of the filibuster to occupy the time by dilatory tactics. A bill was passed amending the navigation laws in many minor respects.

The two floor leaders of the house occupied the center of the stage, and performed their usual feat of charging each other with responsibility for the conditions at present existing in that body. As to the rest the conference report on the military academy appropriation bill was agreed to, and bills were passed on various subjects, few of which were of any public interest.

CASE OF THE PRINT SHOP

Elimination of Stillings Has Saved the Government \$40,000.

Washington, May 27.—By direction of the joint printing investigation committee of the senate and house there has been submitted to congress the report of the subcommittee which has been investigating affairs in the government printing office, an investigation which resulted in the suspension and subsequent resignation of Public Printer Stillings. After referring to the fact that the committee had recommended the suspension of Stillings, which it says was on account of "the unfortunate state of affairs in connection with the organization and the purchases of the government printing office," the report proceeds:

"Upon the strength of this recommendation the president suspended the public printer. The action taken by the president at the instance of the committee effected a saving of nearly \$40,000 through the termination of the audit system contract, which otherwise would have been wastefully expended." Discussing the audit system the committee says: "Although no evidence of fraud or positive wrongdoing on the part of the public printer developed, the facts secured indicated great laxity in the procedure of the printing office in relation to the purchase of supplies, particularly purchases in which the audit system was interested, and justifies severe criticism in several important particulars."

BISHOPS ARE ALL CHOSEN

M. E. General Conference Selects the Eight New Ones—Other Elections to Follow.

Baltimore, May 27.—The Methodist Episcopal conference has completed its election of new bishops and the elect are as follows, the last four being elected yesterday: Rev. Dr. W. F. Anderson, of New York; Rev. Dr. J. L. Neulsen, professor in Nast Theological seminary, Berea, O.; Rev. Dr. W. A. Quayle, pastor of St. James' church, Chicago; Rev. Dr. Charles W. Smith, editor of the Pittsburg Christian Advocate; Rev. Dr. Wilson S. Lewis, president of Morningside college, Sioux City, Ia.; Rev. Dr. Edwin H. Hughes, president of DePaul university; Rev. Dr. Robert McIntyre, pastor of the First church, Los Angeles, Cal.; and Rev. Dr. Frank M. Bristol, pastor of the Metropolitan church, Washington.

The bishops elect will be consecrated at a special service, which will be on Sunday afternoon at the Lyric. The episcopal election out of the way the conference will now proceed to the election of a missionary bishop for Mexico, a secretary of the general conference, four publishing agents, thirteen editors, corresponding secretaries of various boards, trustees, a new commission on aggressive evangelism and a number of other officials.

WILL BE A LONGER TIME LOW

That Interval Between Drinks Spoken of by Two Carolina Governors.

Raleigh, N. C., May 27.—North Carolina was carried for state prohibition by a majority that is estimated at from forty thousand to forty-two thousand on reports and estimates received up to this writing. The Prohibition ticket has carried seventy-eight out of the ninety-eight counties by majorities approximating 48,500. The anti-Prohibition ticket has twenty counties by majorities approximating 5,000.

This calculation is partly based on estimates, and the Prohibition leaders say that it is possible for the Prohibition majority to reach 50,000. The election passed off very quietly, no disturbance of any moment being reported. The total vote cast in the state was about 175,000.

Fourteen Persons Drowned?

Colbert, Okla., May 27.—Fourteen persons who had taken refuge on an island formed between the new and old channels of Red river are reported to have been drowned when the flood waters covered the place where they had taken refuge. The report lacks verification.

Rain Storm Fatalities.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 27.—During an electrical storm George and Claude Blessing, sons of George Blessing, living a mile south of New Hampton, Mo., while trying to rescue some chickens from the rain were struck by lightning and killed. Jacob Durand, of Falls City, Mo., while attempting to secure his hat which had blown into Muddy creek was drowned.

Alleged Briber Acquitted.

St. Louis, May 27.—After deliberating one hour a verdict of acquittal was rendered by the jury in the case of Fred W. Priemeyer, member of the house of delegates who was indicted on a charge of bribery. This was the second trial of Priemeyer, the jury in a former trial having disagreed.

ORDER FOR APPEARING

State of Michigan, 20th Judicial Circuit in Chancery. Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the county of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the seventh day of March, 1908.

Story & Clark Piano Company Complainant

First National Bank of Flint National Bank of Flint, Genesee County Savings Bank Levi S. Gould, and Jacob Traber, Defendants

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that the defendants, Levi S. Gould and Jacob Traber, are not residents of the state of Michigan, and that it cannot be ascertained in what state or country the said defendants reside, on motion of Louis H. Osterhous, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that said defendants cause their appearance to be entered in said cause within five months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days from this date, said complainant cause this order to be published in the Holland City News, a weekly newspaper, published and circulating in said county, such publication to continue once in each week for six successive weeks.

Philip Padgham, Circuit Judge
Louis H. Osterhous, Solicitor for Complainant
Business Address
Grand Haven, Michigan

ORDER FOR APPEARANCE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—20th Judicial Circuit in Chancery. Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa, in Chancery, on the 14th day of February, 1908.

Story and Clark Piano Company, Complainant.
Genesee County Savings Bank, First National Bank of Flint, Union National Bank of Chicago, Levi S. Gould, Julia S. D. Bissell and Caroline D. Bissell, Defendants.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that none of the defendants, except the Genesee County Savings Bank and the First National Bank of Flint, reside in the State of Michigan; that the Union National Bank of Chicago is a banking corporation, having its offices and place of business in the City of Chicago and State of Illinois; that it cannot be ascertained in what state or county said Levi S. Gould resides; and that Julia S. D. Bissell and Caroline D. Bissell reside in the State of Connecticut; on motion of Louis H. Osterhous, Solicitor for Complainant, it is ordered that said defendants cause their appearance to be entered in said cause within five months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days from this date, said complainant cause this order to be published in the Holland City News, a weekly newspaper published and circulating in said county, such publication to continue once in each week for six successive weeks.

Philip Padgham, Circuit Judge.
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Business Address: Grand Haven, Michigan.

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 15th day of May, A. D. 1908.

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

In the matter of the estate of MARY A. WAITE, Deceased.

Nellie M. Waite having filed in said court her petition praying that said court adjudge and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered, that the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.
BERNARD BOTTJE, Register of Probate.

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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 19th day of May, A. D. 1908.

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

In the matter of the estate of CHARLES BOYENGA, Deceased.

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

It is ordered, that the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.
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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 19th day of May, A. D. 1908.

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

In the matter of the estate of MAMIE VAN LENTE, JENNIE VAN LENTE, BERTHA VAN LENTE AND GEORGE VAN LENTE, Minors.

Bernardus Riksen having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered, that the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that the next of kin of said minors, and all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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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much longer as may be necessary, and at least six hours in each day dur-
ing said four days or more; and that any person desiring to do so, may
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Dated, Holland, Mich., May 7, 1908.

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The Laying of the Keel

[Many of the old timers will remember the exercises held on the shore of
Black Lake on June 24, 1864 at the keel of the missionary ship. Many of the
veteran Soldiers of the Cross, who took part in this program have long ago
fought their last fight. The secretary of the day, Rev. A. Zwemer "the father
of missionaries, still lives in our city, having attained an honored and ripe old
age. The following is facsimile of the original program printed on that oc-
casion.]

PUBLIC EXERCISES

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OF THE

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AT HOLLAND, BLACK LAKE, MICH. FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1864.

- I Voorgebed,—REV. A. C. VAN RAALTE, D. D. President for the occasion.
- II Psalmgezang, Ps. 72: 3, 4.
- III Reading Scripture, (Isaiah 60) by REV. T. ROMEYN BECK.
- IV Address by REV. PHILIP PELTZ, Cor. Sec. of the Board of Foreign Missions.
- V Vertaling van DS. PELTZ'S rede.
- VI Singing of a Missionary hymn by the children under the leadership of
Mr. Cs. DOESBURG.
- VII Address by REV. J. N. TALMAGE, Missionary at Amoy, China.
- VIII Vertaling van DS. TALMAGE'S rede.
- IX General Singing,—*"From Greenland's Icy Mountains."*
- X Gebed.—DS. P. J. OGGE.
- XI Aanspraken door DS. S. BOLKS, DS. JOH. VAN DER MEULEN en anderen van
de Klassis Wisconsin.
- XII Psalmgezang, Ps. 98: 1, 2.
- XIII Aanspraken door DS. C. VAN DER MEULEN, DS. J. H. KARTEN en anderen
van de Klassis Holland.
- XIV Missionary Ode, (Tune Rockvale) by the Academy Choir under the lead-
ership of Mr. WM. B. GILMORE.

(WRITTEN FOR THE OCCASION BY REV. PHILIP PHELPS, JR.)

- 1 Hasten on the work of love,
Free-will offerings bring!
Smile upon it, from above,
Thou, our Heavenly King!
Why to us this haven lent,
Who, the truth, possess?
Let that truth by us be sent,
Other souls to bless.
- 2 Hasten on the work of zeal,
Willing hearts and hands!
Here we lay the hallowed keel;
Greet it, distant lands!
Forest! yield thy living oaks,
Sought in God's dear name:
Woodman! consecrate thy strokes;
Thine's a bless-ed fame.
- 3 Hasten on the work of hope—
Hope will soon be sight:
In expectant vision's scope,
There is full delight.
See the strong-ribbed sides outstand,
See the masts arise,
See the eager sails expand,
Beauteous to our eyes.
- 4 Hasten on the work of faith,
Trust no earthly powers.
Wealth of worlds, our Sovereign hath;
All, by faith, is ours.
We are rich, for rich is He,
And we His receive:
His resources we shall see,
If we but believe.
- 5 Hasten on the work of prayer—
Prayer for Jesus' sake:
When we make His cause, our care,
Ours—He, His, doth make.
If in prayer, we do not tire,
Happy then, the end:
God will grant our heart's desire,
Even more, will send.
- 6 Hasten on the work of joy:
Give our Lord, the praise:
For He deigns, us to employ,
Then rewards His grace.
Shout for joy, ye woods around!
Joyful be, O lake!
Songs of joy, ye heaven's resound,
Hallelujahs, wake!
- 7 Hasten on the work of rest
Worldly care! here cease.
In these labors, we are blest
With our Saviour's peace.
Follow us, such work as this,
When there shall be given
Perfect rest and love and bliss—
Evermore in heaven.

- XV Laying of the Keel. (*Het Leggen der Kiel.*)
- XVI Concluding Prayer.—REV. PHILIP PHELPS, JR.
- XVII Singing by the Academy Choir,—Ps. 117—Tune, *Creation.*
- XVIII Slotzang.

*Dat's Heeren zegen op u daal,
Zijn gunst uit Sion u bestraal:
Hij schiet! Heelal zijn naam ter eer
Loof, loof, nu aller Heeren Heer!*

XIX Benediction.

The exercises will commence at 3 o'clock, P. M.

A. ZWEMER, Sec'y for the occasion.

The Ships That Sailed.

*"Dat onze kinderen zullen gevormd worden tot verspreiders van
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(List of the sons and daughters of the Emigration who sailed to
foreign shores, most of them graduates of Hope College.)

Safe Home in Port:

Rev. E. J. Heeren,	R. C. A.,	India	1872
Mrs. L. Vennema Heeren,	"	"	187
Rev. L. Hekhuis, M. D.,	"	"	188
Rev. Peter J. Zwemer,	"	Arabia	1892
Rev. Harry J. Wiersum,	"	"	1899
Mrs. Nettie K. Boot,	"	China	1903


In Commission:

Rev. John A. Otte, M.D.,	R. C. A.	China,	1887
Mrs. Frances C. Otte,	"	"	1887
Rev. Wm. Hazenberg,	Ind'p't,	S. Africa,	1889
Mrs. Visscher Hazenberg,	"	"	1889
Miss Nellie Zwemer,	R. C. A.	China,	1891
Miss Elizabeth M. Cappon,	"	"	1881
Rev. A. L. Warnshuis,	"	"	1900
Mrs. Anna D. Warnshuis,	"	"	1900
Rev. Harry P. Boot,	"	"	1903
Miss Gertrude Wonnink,	"	"	1906
Rev. Henry J. Voskuil,	"	"	1907
Rev. Henry P. De Pree,	"	"	1907
Mrs. Kate E. De Pree,	"	"	1907
Rev. Albert Oltmans, D. D.,	"	N. Japan	1886
Mrs. Alice V. Oltmans,	"	"	1886
Rev. D. C. Ruigh,	"	"	1901
Miss Jennie M. Kuiper,	"	"	1905
Rev. Albertus Pieters, D. D.,	"	S. Japan	1891
Mrs. Emma Kollen Pieters,	"	"	1891
Rev. Harman V. S. Peeke,	"	"	1893
Rev. Garret Hondelink,	"	"	1903
Mrs. Grace W. Hondelink,	"	"	1903
Miss Grace Thomasma,	"	"	1904
Miss Jennie A. Pieters,	"	"	1904
Mr. Antony Walvoord,	"	"	1905
Mrs. Edith Walvoord,	"	"	1905
Rev. Willis G. Hoekje,	"	"	1907
Rev. S. M. Zwemer, D. D.,	"	Arabia,	1890
Mrs. E. DePree Cantine,	"	"	1902
Mrs. May DePree Thoms,	"	"	1906
Rev. Jas. E. Moerdyke,	"	"	1900
Rev. John Van Ess,	"	"	1902
Mr. Dirk Dykstra,	"	"	1906
Miss Minnie Wilterdink,	"	"	1907
Rev. G. J. Pennings,	"	"	1908
Rev. Gerrit Huizenga, Am. Baptist,	"	India,	1897
Mrs. K. Telder Huizenga,	"	"	1897
Rev. Henry Huizenga,	"	"	1896
Mrs. S. Anvelink Huizenga,	"	"	1896
Rev. J. Kruidenier, Un. Presb.,	"	Egypt,	1889
Mrs. H. Poel Kruidenier,	"	"	1889
Rev. William Gleysteen, Am. Presb.,	"	China,	1904
Rev. J. J. Banninga, A. B. C. F. M.,	"	India,	1903
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Saturday is the opening day at Jenison park. There will be special attractions to celebrate the opening. The Interurbans will play their first game and the trick and comedy wheel acrobats, Rose and Lemon, will do their famous Globe of Death stunt. Altogether it is expected to be an opening worthy of a brilliant season.

By stepping directly in front of an approaching Holland Interurban car at Holleman station, near Jamestown, Monday morning, Johanna Ver Hage, aged 19, was thrown to the side, sustaining fractures of the right ankle and forearm. The girl, who lives with her parents in Vriesland, had just alighted from a car and turning toward the station, came in contact with the car from Grand Rapids while her attention was distracted by a slowly moving freight car. She was brought in the same car from which she had alighted, to Jamestown, where Dr. A. B. Lanting of Georgetown set the broken limb. Dr. J. J. Mersen of this city and Dr. Huizenga of Zeeland were hurriedly summoned. Miss Ver Hage left her home in Vriesland in the morning to visit her uncle at Holleman's, after which she intended going on to Kalamazoo. When she got off the car her attention seemed drawn to a freight on the side track and she stopped deliberately in the path of the approaching west bound train. The motorman in anticipation of some one getting off the east bound car alacked up perceptibly even before the girl rounded the rear of the car she had just quitted. As soon as he saw her, the motorman pulled the whistle cord and strapped it fast, but doubtless Miss Ver Hage became bewildered and walked blindly to her fate. Although the injured girl is in a critical condition, she is doing well, and will doubtless recover.

Choral Union Concert

On Monday evening June 1st the Choral Union of Hope college will give their annual concert in Wijnants Chapel. The concerts in the past have been of such a high order that they have the reputation of being the musical event of the year at Hope college. Prof. J. B. Nykerk is the leader of the Choral Union and he has put in a great deal of work to make the concert a success. All of the best voices in the college are members of the Choral Union.

The program this year will be at mixture of cantatas and duets and solos. Two short cantatas will be given, "Barbara Frietchie" and "Hymn to Dionysus." In the former the solos will be sung by Mrs. Fenton, the well known soprano of Grand Rapids. This cantata is popular and full of wartime vim.

"The Hymn to Dionysus" was composed about a year ago by Ernest Walker. It is a fine piece of classical music.

In the second part of the program Mr. and Mrs. Fenton will render several duets and solos. The program is designed to please a real every day audience. It contains both classical and popular selections.

Tickets are 25c and 35c and can be obtained at Hardie's.

Fortunes Good Turn for Elinor Young

Saturday afternoon a gentleman of the detective force of Grand Rapids was in the city trying to locate Elinor Young. The wheel of fortune has made one of its unaccountable turns, it seems, and the young girl has become the heiress of a large estate. Just what the estate is or where it is, seems to be a little in the dark, at least until the administrator succeeds in locating Miss Young.

The girl, who is now about 16 years old, left Holland about five years ago. She was an adopted child of Miss Trowesdale, who, it will be remembered, used to conduct a boarding house on the corner of Twelfth and River streets. Miss Young is the daughter of theatrical parents, and the circumstances of her childhood seem to be a trifle in obscurity, which fact may perhaps be connected with the estate. The child left Holland about five years ago in company with Miss Trowesdale and went to Memphis, Tenn., and it is supposed that she went upon the stage.

Miss Trowesdale, who adopted the child, was the daughter of the well known Mr. Trowesdale, who for many years was Superintendent of Public Instruction in the Memphis schools, and who before the Civil war published the best known Democratic paper in the South.

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Announcement

Dr. Kollen has given out the following announcement in regard to the Commencement exercises for 1908, to which the public is cordially invited:

Sunday, June 14, 7:30 p. m.—Baccalaureate sermon, Hope church.
Monday, June 15th, 2 p. m.—Class day exercises of A class, Carnegie hall.
Monday, June 15, 7:30 p. m.—Ulfas club anniversary exercises, Carnegie hall.

Tuesday, June 16, 6 p. m.—Union banquet of the alumni of the college and Preparatory department, Carnegie hall.

Wednesday, June 17, 7:30 p. m.—Commencement, Carnegie hall.

Notes of Sport.

Henry Karsten, the one time University of Michigan pitcher of Zeeland, has signed a contract to pitch for the Muskegon team this summer.

Hope college was defeated Saturday afternoon by the Holland Independents by a score of 10 to 2. The game was easy for the Independents and the college boys were completely outplayed. The season for Hope is practically over as commencement will come along in a couple of weeks.

The Crescents defeated the Blue Jays Saturday on the Nineteenth St. grounds by the score of 11 to 5.

The Holland Interurbans have re-organized for the year and will play their first game Saturday afternoon at Jenison Park with the "Earnie Reeds" of Grand Rapids. The manager of the team is Ade Van Putten and Ray Toren of the Canadian League is the coach. They are making arrangements for a game with Petoskey, Ludington, Bloomingdale and many other fast teams in the state. Following is the line up as now arranged for the year: Ossignac and Hendricks pitcher; Schonten or Van den Berg catcher; "Legs" Vanden Berg, first base; Jarvis, Second base; Hendricks or Ossignac, Third base; Sweed Vos, s. s.; Van Ry r. f.; Ederly, c. f. Alexander, l. f.

"The Hollands" have re-organized for the season with the following officers: Charles Berg, manager; Roy Hiler, captain; Luke Overweg, treasurer.

Council Proceedings

Mrs. Van den Tak, who was injured July 4, 1907, by falling on a sidewalk sent in a petition to the council Monday night asking for money. Shortly after the accident Mrs. Van den Tak started suit for \$5,000 against the city on the grounds that she was injured on account of the poor conditions of the walks.

"Her lawyers after investigating the matter" said the city attorney last night "decided that they had no case and would not push the suit for her."

Bert Slagh, representing the Holland Merchants' association urged the council to allow the city money for the purpose of observing Memorial day. After taking into consideration the present conditions of the city's funds the council allowed \$75 for the purpose instead of \$125 as in previous years.

The John H. Sparks circus was granted a license to show here and to have a street parade. The council ordered that street sprinkling in all parts of the city should be started at once.

Some of the aldermen have been receiving complaints from people in regard to awnings in front of stores being too low. The scaffold on the building occupied by Zalsman's second had store is considered by some as dangerous and the question of having it removed and the awnings raised higher was referred to the board of police and fire commissioners.

Mayor Henry Bruss Monday night in the council chamber reversed all previous stands he had taken in regard to the transferring of money from one fund to the other when he sanctioned the unanimous vote of the aldermen to allow the city treasurer to pay all orders drawn by the authority of the council, out of money in his hands belonging to any or special fund.

The mayor's action followed as the result of the meeting held in the afternoon between the ways and means committee and himself. At that meeting the mayor proposed various plans but none were accepted. The meeting adjourned, but not until the mayor and the three members of the committee decided to think over seriously the question of transferring funds. Shortly after the council meeting was called to order last night a five minutes recess was taken and the mayor and the ways and means committee got together once more. When the star session was ended the committee were wreathed in smiles and the mayor seemed entirely satisfied and at ease.

Alderman Nicholas Prakken rose to his feet and addressed the meeting as follows: "It has been resolved by the ways and means committee that in



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view of the overdraft of some of the general funds of the city and in order to enable the council to meet the obligations incurred by the city, especially those of labor, the city treasurer will be directed for the time being to pay all orders drawn by the authority of the council out of any moneys in his hands belonging to any or special funds of the city, in accordance with the policy heretofore followed by the city of Holland in times of stringency. Before putting it to the council for a vote the mayor informed the aldermen to think well of what they were doing. City Attorney McBride informed the aldermen that if they passed the resolution they were without a doubt going as far as they dared. When the mayor finally put it to a vote it passed unanimously.

Take Notice.

Everyone who holds a Hope College Lecture course ticket, can hear Prof. Zueblin free of charge when he speaks in Carnegie hall on June 11. The management has decided to give this lecture as an extra to its regular patrons. The tickets are to be taken to Hardie the jeweler who will reserve the seats. As often happens many of the tickets were either lost or destroyed at the end of the course, but the manager has the names of all holders of course tickets on his books and anyone who held a ticket and has lost it can obtain one for the Zueblin lecture by handing in his name to Mr. Hardie together with the general location of his seat.

The tickets of course are not transferable because only those whose names are on the list will be recognized in handing out the tickets for the lecture. Prof. Zueblin is the man whom many of this city went to hear when he spoke at Grand Rapids during the civic revival. The liberality of the lecture course management together with the natural interest of the speaker will doubtless pack the hall.

Hope To Build Parsonage.

At the congregational meeting held in the parlors of Hope church last Friday it was voted unanimously to build a parsonage on the pretty lot adjoining the church on West Eleventh street. The church has long felt the need of a suitable home for its pastor

and the decision reached at last night's meeting was the result of the action of the consistory in bringing this matter before the people.

In accordance with the sentiment of last night's meeting two committees were appointed, a finance committee consisting of Geo. W. Browning, J. G. Van Putten, Prof. Kleinheksel and Geo. E. Kollen and a building committee consisting of C. M. McLean, B. D. Keppel, W. J. Garrod, Mrs. J. C. Post and Mrs. G. J. Diekema. The finance committee is to determine which of two methods shall be used in raising the necessary funds for the building; whether the money shall be raised by subscriptions to be paid in yearly installments or whether the entire amount shall be borrowed at once and payment deferred until some future time. The building committee is to prepare plans and receive bids, both committees to report at a congregational meeting to be held in the course of a few weeks. The parsonage will in all probability be built this year.

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

In the matter of the estate of Arend Browner, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 27th day of May, A. D. 1908, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 27th day of September, A. D. 1908, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1908 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated May 27th, A. D., 1908.
EDWARD P. KIRBY,
Judge of Probate.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

In the matter of the estate of Geertuida H. P. Otte, deceased.

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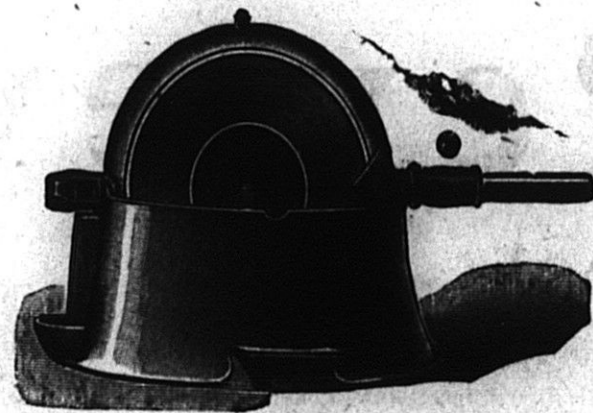
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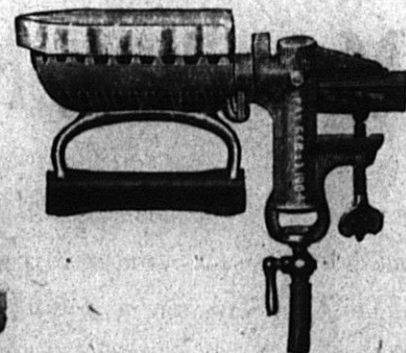
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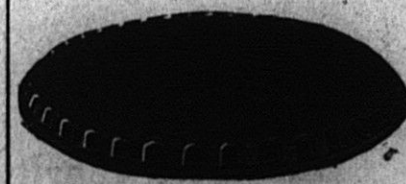
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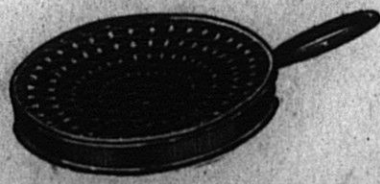
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