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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

VOLUME NUMBER FORTY-EIGHT

THURSDAY, June 5, 1919

NUMBER TWENTY-THREE

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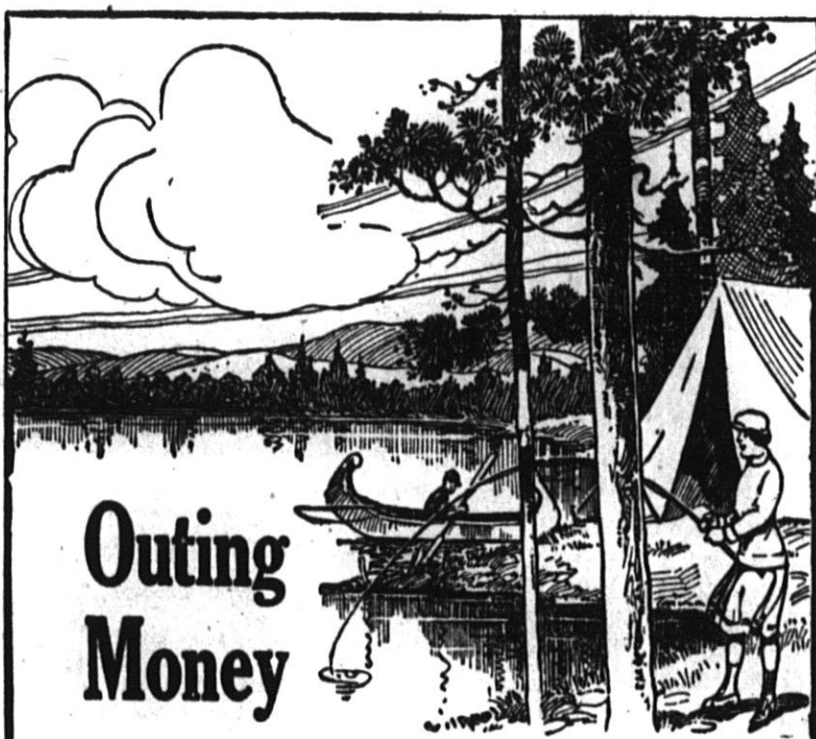
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TODAY

THRIFT MEANS SOMETHING LAID UP FOR A RAINY DAY

BUILDING INVOLVES SUM OF \$24,000.00

COUNCIL GRANTS PERMIT FOR ONE; TO INVESTIGATE THE OTHER

Petitions for building permits for two buildings, involving the expenditure of \$2400 came to the common council last evening. One permit was granted and the other was referred to the street committee and city attorney for further investigation.

The Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church asked for a permit to build a \$12,000 addition to their church. This is to be built to the east and south of the present building. It will eliminate the difficult entrance on 14th street and make a more adequate entrance on Central Ave. When it was shown to the satisfaction of the aldermen that the drip from the roof would not be on the walk but that the roof would be pitched north and south, the permit was readily granted.

Gerrit Sprietsma asked for a permit to erect a one story building at a cost of \$12,000 on the corner of River Avenue and Tenth street. There was some opposition to the erection of a one story building in this section and the matter was referred to a committee for investigation.

Between fifty and sixty friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Nivison at Olive Center to help welcome their son Earl Nivison, who has just returned from France with the Red Arrow Division. Mr. Nivison has been in the service for Uncle Sam almost two years and he says it feels mighty fine to get home. Music and games as well as a dainty luncheon were enjoyed by those present.

COUNCIL BACKS UP HOME COMING CELEBRATION

MAYOR BOSCH IN MESSAGE ASKS ALDERMEN FOR ACTION OF THIS KIND

Aldermen Respond By Appropriating Sum of \$500.00 For Celebration Fund

The city government will be officially behind the big Home Coming celebration that is to be held in Holland on July Fourth. This action is the result of a message presented to the common council by Mayor Bosch at the regular meeting Wednesday evening. As soon as the message had been read Ald. Prins supported by Ald. Blue, moved the appropriation of \$500 for the celebration and this suggestion was unanimously adopted.

The message reads as follows:
Holland, Mich., June 4, 1919.
To the Honorable, the Common Council of the City of Holland.

Gentlemen—
You have doubtless learned from the newspapers that a Home Coming celebration is to be held in Holland on July Fourth in honor of the soldiers and sailors from this city and vicinity who have returned to their homes and who have re-entered civil life.

This movement is a spontaneous expression of the peoples' sense of gratitude towards these men who offered their lives when the country needed them; and it is, in my opinion, all the more significant because it is spontaneous and not the result of any manufactured feeling on the part of the public. It is not being organized by the city government but by the people themselves, as it should be, because every man, woman and child in the city had a stake to gain or to lose in the recent war, and hence has ground for gratitude to the men who did the fighting or who were ready to do battle for American ideals.

But it is my sincere conviction that where the people of Holland are leading it will be an honor for the government of the city to follow. And I believe your honorable body should take some action that will officially recognize the coming celebration and that will show that the city government is wholeheartedly standing ready to support those who are at the head of the movement in any way they may direct.

I believe this all the more earnestly because I am certain that this celebration will make history for Holland. It will be recalled at campfire meetings of veterans of the World War for many years to come. Altho no celebration can pay the debt we owe to the service men, the Home Coming will give some slight indication of what the people of Holland would like to do and what they think the men who wore the uniform deserve.

For that reason I am convinced that you will agree with me that we as a city government do not desire to lose the honor of giving this Home celebration official recognition and support.

Respectfully submitted,
Nicodemus Bosch, Mayor.

SALARY IS RAISED FOR CLERK OF BOARD

The council last night granted without debate a salary increase asked for by the board of public works for William Winstrom, clerk of the board. The board some weeks ago asked for an increase for the clerk, making his salary \$1,500. The question was later the subject of a discussion between members of the board and the council, and still later it was subjected to special investigation on the part of a council committee that met with the board to discuss the increase.

When it came up for consideration last evening it appeared that all the wrinkles had been ironed out. At least not a word was said when the matter was taken off the table, each alderman merely voting yes when his name was called.

BEATS DAUGHTER AND IS SENT TO JAIL

Theodore Kienstra living on 20th street in the Diekema addition was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Homkes on the charge of beating his daughter about the head and also kicking her liberally. The man claims that his daughter was altogether too sassy and staid out too late at night and being of a quick tempered disposition, he "let the girl have it." The man paid a fine of \$3.75 and is spending six days in jail. He was fined by Justice G. W. Kooyers.

RAISED RATES SO MEMBERS OF BOARD KICK

POLICE BOARD ASK COUNCIL FOR RIGHT TO INSTALL NEW BOOTH PHONE SYSTEM

Calls for Expenditure of About \$2,000 But Believed to Be Saving for the City

Raising the rates of booth telephones from \$30 a year to about \$80 a year appeared too much of a boost to the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners to swallow and hence they presented to the council last evening a plan whereby the city can go into a booth telephone system of its own.

The plan of the board was presented to the aldermen by Chief of Police Van Ry. The installation of the new system will cost about \$1,900 or \$2,000. But the board had not provided for it in their budget and hence they appealed to the council for the right to adopt it.

Hitherto the board has had a contract with the Citizens Telephone Co. by which the company takes care of the booth call system at a cost of \$30 per year per booth. There are six booths in all about town where the patrolmen stop on their beats and make their calls to show that they are covering their beats properly. This made the total cost \$180 a year. But this contract runs out July and the company raised the rate to \$80 per booth per year, the board reported, making the total cost \$480 per year. At this rate the board figured that, taking the \$2,000 at six per cent there would be a great saving to the city.

Ald. Prins suggested that all the patrolmen were honest and that therefore the city can get along without the booth system. He was in favor of stopping the telephone service and also not putting in another for the present.

Some of the other aldermen, while believing that the patrolmen are honest and will cover their beat, phone or no phone, believed that such a system would be for the protection of the patrolmen themselves, and that it would be unbusinesslike not to have a phone system. The matter was referred to the ways and means committee.

GAS PRICE TO BE NEAR THE \$1.50 MARK

THAT ANNOUNCEMENT IS MADE BY COMPANY'S NEW HEAD TO COUNCIL

Exact Figures Not Yet Arrived At But Will Be Announced Very Soon

Holland in the near future will have to pay about a dollar and a half for gas.

That is the nub of an address made to the common council last evening by Mr. McGuire, the new owner of the Holland City Gas plant. Mr. McGuire discussed the matter with the aldermen informally some time ago, but last evening he appeared at a formal meeting of the aldermen so that he might discuss the gas situation in the presence of the citizens and take the people of Holland into his confidence.

"We want to sell gas on any basis which we can live at the gas plant," he declared. "We don't want to be arbitrary. We don't want to make the price higher than absolutely necessary, but we shall be compelled to make it high enough so that we will not lose money. Experts are now at work going over the situation and within a few days the figures will be ready for publication."

But altho he did not have the exact figures as yet, Mr. McGuire suggested that so far as he could see now there would be no way of placing the figure at less than \$1.50. He declared that by adopting a graduated scale, this figure might be shaded just a trifle, especially to wholesale users of gas, but that that sum was about what the people would have to expect.

Mr. McGuire declared that his reason for appearing before the council was to make clear that the company wished to do all it did above board and in the open. He declared that if later conditions permitted he would be glad to lower the rates, but that the high price of everything made a higher gas rate than the people are paying now imperative. He said the company would never indulge in arbitrary practices but wished to consult with the council and wished to maintain relations of friendship and good will with the people of Holland.

LONG WRANGLE INDULGED IN ABOUT SEWER

COUNCIL AND PROPERTY OWNERS DISCUSS PROJECT AT GREAT LENGTH

Many Misunderstandings Are Removed; Sewer May Not Be Built This Year

Two or three hours were consumed at the meeting of the common council last evening in a discussion of the east 14th street sewer project. A number of citizens from the east end of town were present to protect against the building of the sewer. Peter Ver Wy was the chief spokesman for the property owners and he occasionally mentioned the main theme but he incidentally touched on a great variety of other subjects, including such extraneous matter as the peculiar methods of cabbage cultivation in the Netherlands.

At one point in the discussion an issue of veracity arose between Mr. Ver Wy and Heath Officer Godfrey. Mr. Ver Wy claiming that the health officer had said that the 14th street sewer was not necessary. A hurlyburly call was sent to the health officer who happened to be in the lodge rooms at the moment conferring a degree. He hustled down to the council rooms thinking some one had been hurt, but he found that nothing more than feelings had been injured. Dr. Godfrey repeated his statement made at an earlier meeting that health considerations required the building of the 14th St. sewer. He declared however that if both 13th street and 14th street sewers could not be built this year, at least 13th street should be built.

The property owners were under the impression that they would have to pay for a sewage pump costing \$4,000 and much of their opposition came from this. It was explained to them that the pump would not cost more than about \$800 and that a considerable part of this would be paid out of the general sewer fund of the city. It was further explained to them that the sewer assessment could be spread over either five or ten years and that the cost to the average property owners would be about \$3.00 or \$9.00 a year for five years.

When all this had been made plain, much of the opposition fell away. Many of the property owners expressed their opinions on the subject. It is likely however that the sewer will not be built until all the other projects now on tap have been worked off, so that it is likely the sewer will not be built this year.

CENTRAL AVE. CHURCH PASTOR GOES ON AN AUTO TOUR

WILL VISIT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, IOWA AND DAKOTA

Rev. B. H. Einink is having a four weeks' vacation and he and some of his friends are going to make the best of it with an auto trip thru the middle west.

The party consists of the Dominie and son William and Lutas Smit and son Thomas. They left at midnight last night for Chicago and will travel thru Illinois, Iowa and South Dakota. They will strike the principal cities on the route and will make headquarters at Sheldon, Iowa, visiting Orange City, Sioux City, Sioux Center and Pella.

WANT RURAL MOTOR EXPRESS ESTABLISHED

MAYOR IS DELEGATED BY COUNCIL TO ATTEND SESSION IN GRAND RAPIDS

Holland is to take part in an attempt to establish a rural motor express in this part of the state. A meeting for this purpose is to be held in Grand Rapids and the city was invited by those backing the plan to send a representative to the gathering.

The aldermen decided that Mayor Bosch would be the right man to attend the meeting. The believed that a rural motor express would be very desirable for Holland and they asked the mayor to go and speak for this city.

As the result of a sensational raid made at Muskegon on the steamer City of Holland upon its arrival from Milwaukee, the police force arrested John Reed, charged by the officers of being one of the big bootlegging leaders in this part of the state. Reed claims, however the liquor found in his room was checked for another party thru his work as baggageman of the vessel.



DRENTHE

Mr. and Mrs. Hessel Yntema from Grand Rapids spent the past Friday with Miss Johanna Yntema.

Mr. and Mrs. J. DeVries from Holland spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Van Spyker.

Miss Hattie Masselink and Henry Moes were united in marriage by Rev. W. Vander Werp at the home of the bride's father in Drenthe Wednesday afternoon in the presence of relatives and friends. They will make their home in Hudsonville where the groom is practicing medicine.

T. De Vries from Detroit is visiting at the home of his parents over Decoration day and Sunday.

Miss Hattie Lanning and Gerrit Boeve made a trip to Grand Haven last Tuesday by auto.

C. Ver Hulst and R. DeVries attended the funeral of Wm. Borst sr., at Vriesland the past Saturday.

Mrs. W. Vander Werp and Marjorie spent Monday in Grand Rapids with Mrs. Schram.

Last week Thursday Miss Elizabeth Van Hattuma and Wm. De Kleine were united in marriage at the home of the grooms parents. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white satin and georgette crepe and was unattended. The wedding march was played by Gertrude De Kleine, a sister of the groom. Many beautiful gifts were received and an elaborate supper was served. A reception was given for the young people in the evening, the ceremony being performed in the afternoon by Rev. W. Vander Werp. The young couple will make their home on the farm of H. A. Lanning which they bought recently.

DRENTHE

Miss Minnie Nyenhuis left for Grand Rapids for a short stay the past Monday.

R. DeVries attended the exercises and parade at Holland the past memorial day.

Henry Vredevelde has returned home from France after several months of hard fighting at the front.

Mrs. Ageman from Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Miss Johanna Yntema.

Mr. Bouke Wierda from Holland spent the past week at the home of C. Ver Hulst.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Moes are busy in getting settled at their future home in Hudsonville.

A new lighting system is being installed in our church this week and the people are looking forward to having services on Sunday evenings.

Miss Tena Kamps from Grand Rapids spent Decoration day at the home of her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ver Hulst from Hamilton spent Decoration day with their relatives and friends here.

Several of the soldier boys took part in the parade at Holland and Zeeland last Memorial day.

Miss Florence Pomeroy from Grand Rapids who was formerly a nurse here called at the home of Dr. A. J. Brouwer Sunday.

Mrs. H. Wentzell from Grand Rapids spent the past week Thursday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Van Spyker.

Miss Vander Poel from Holland is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Kruythof for a few weeks.

The grave of Nicholas Daining was decorated with flowers and flags by some of his former schoolmates last Memorial day in honor of him who gave his life for his country. Mr. Daining was the only soldier taken away from our midst, but has been remembered by his friends. Harm Van Spyker a returned soldier from France took a picture of the grave with his school mates standing reverently along side of it. They were Mr. and Mrs. H. Ver Hulst, Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Spyker, Margaret De Vries, Mary and Maude Ver Hulst and John Ver Hulst.

BRIDE TO BE GIVEN

CUPBOARD SHOWER

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. J. C. Post gave a cupboard shower for Miss Gertrude Dosker, who will be a June bride. After the refreshments were served in the parlors during which Miss Sherwood poured, the company adjourned to the porch. From there a hunt began for various articles of the shower which were hidden in trees and bushes around the grounds. Miss Dosker was guided in the search by couplets indicating in a general way the position of the articles. The guests were Mrs. Leslie Gull, of Topeka, Kansas, Mrs. Jake DePree, Mrs. R. M. DePree, and the Misses Martha Sherwood, Anna Vischer, Evelyn Keppel, Gertrude Keppel, Beatrice Steketee, Wilma Meyer, Anna Dutton, Myrtle Karr, Frances Bosch, Eva Leenhouts, Irene Van Zanten, Marie Vander Veen and Lavina Cappon.

John Weersing was in Grand Rapids

NOORDELOOS SCHOOL CLOSES ITS DOORS

The Noordeelos public school was closed with appropriate exercises consisting of a program followed by sports of various nature. Several prizes were given to both young and old. Geraldine Beld aged 5 years, was awarded the prize for being neither absent nor tardy for the year, and Henrietta Kemme, who was absent one-half-day, was awarded a like prize. Ice cream and cake, lemonade and crackerjack were served to all present.

KEEPS 3 WIVES IN CHICAGO; HOW DO THEY DO IT?

"Taint no joke to have three able bodied, affectionate, robust wives when you love them all, according to Joseph Edward, termed the "lovingest and busiest" married man in Chicago today.

When "Lovin' Joe" sat down to breakfast with wife No. 2 and the steaming hot, golden hued coffee was set upon the table, he thought of his "poor little wifey No. 3" and rushed away to have breakfast with her, and after the bacon was on the table carefully arranged by No. 3, Joe just had time to go to the "first love."

And all three demand his love and presence in their homes, regardless of the heartaches of the others.

Thus, "Lovin' Joe" paddled his matrimonial canoe down the turbulent, winding river of Bigamy until—

Yesterday Joseph Howard was arrested by Detective Sergeants Harry Gray and John Daly of the Kensington station.

So busy was Joseph keeping three homes on \$100 a month that he disregarded the law entirely in his matrimonial affairs and here is how he expressed himself after he realized his predicament:

"It was tough taking care of 'em," he said reminiscently. "Kept me working day and night. I gave No. 1, \$10 a week, No. 2 \$40 a month and No. 3 all there was left. It surely was a tough proposition.

Then he brightened suddenly.

"There's plenty of work now," he said enthusiastically. "I'd intended to get each a good job and let them support themselves. Darn it, that's what I ought to have done in the first place."

He regarded the reporter with a sly smile.

"I don't expect to get married again for about ten years," he said.

The reporter agreed Edwards probably would be in for about that long and asked:

"They say that you have a fourth wife; is that so?"

"Well," I don't know; it might be so," he answered.

Edwards, whose home is in North Dakota, was arrested by Detectives Gray and Daly at the home of wife No. 1, on the complaint of wife No. 2, whose suspicions had been aroused and who had played detective and trailed him.

His marital history it is said, is as follows:

Married No. 1, Mary McKinstrey Ulrich, Sept. 30, 1910 in Hoboken, N. J., and lived with her at 208 Hill St., Chicago.

Married No. 2, Anna E. Swatek, at Wheaton, Ill., Nov. 17, 1917, and lived with her at the home of her parents 1519 W. 104th St., Chicago.

Met No. 3, Mabel J. La Due, in North Dakota, married her in Mason City, Ia., Dec. 2, 1918, and made his home with her at 58 W. Erie st., Chicago.

"I met No. 3 while traveling for the company," Edwards explained cheerfully. "I was pretty short of money, so I came home and borrowed \$100 from No. 2, telling her I had to go to a hospital for an operation, took the money and met Miss La Due at Mason, City, Ia."

None of Them Angry

You'd think one or two of the wives might be a little put out about Edwards' philandering. But he certainly has a way with them, for they're not.

"I've a prior right to him, and I'm certainly not going to give him up to those other women," said Mrs. Mary McKinstrey Ulrich Edwards, wife No. 1.

Mrs. Anna E. Swatek Edwards, wife No. 2, went to see the triple husband in jail after his arrest. It was her inquiry that put him there—they found him entering the home of No. 1.

"I am willing to forgive, forget, and take you back if you get out of this," she told him, tearfully.

Mrs. Mabel J. La Due Edwards, wife No. 3, can't go to visit him. She is being held as a witness at the So. Chicago station it is said.—Chicago American.

A fire in the roof of the Arbeiter Hall on First street at Grand Haven Monday night during the storm called out the fire department. The company made a fast run with the truck and soon had the flames under control. Not a great deal of damage was done.

A VERY IMPORTANT CHICKEN STORY

The following statement was furnished us by M. S. Harkema whose residence and greenhouse business is in Laketown township, Allegan county, near Macatawa Park. Mr. Harkema is now county agricultural agent of Newaygo county and is interested in anything that relates to farms or farming. Poultry therefore is also a very important byproduct and for that reason Mr. Harkema has been keeping an accurate account of the profits derived therefrom. A very exact record has been kept on his poultry and the figures given below are absolutely reliable and give an idea of the possibilities of a well selected and properly cared for flock of poultry.

The fall and winter of 1917 and 1918 was so abnormal from the standpoint of securing feed for our poultry that thousands of farmers sold part or all of their flocks. It took a great deal of nerve to buy corn at \$2.50 per bu. and all other feed at equally high prices and feed it to a flock of hens. People could hardly be blamed for hesitating to do it.

When my foreman showed me the feed bill I was inclined to follow the lead of other commercial poultrymen and cut down the number of my flock; but it was necessary for me while filling the berth of a county agricultural agent to know whether poultry could be made to pay under these conditions or not; so orders were given to keep an accurate record of all feed and expenses for the year. Everything was weighed out to them, feed was bought at feed-store prices, skim milk and buttermilk charged up to them at \$1 per hundred pounds. The hens were kept in cheap houses under normal farm conditions. Eggs were sold to a Detroit grocer and none kept nor sold for hatching.

Record began Jan. 1, 1918, running to Jan. 1, 1919, as follows:

350 hens at beginning of that period	
Cost of feed.....	\$338.16
Sale of eggs.....	1459.37
Balance or labor income.....	\$21.21

From the above figures it will be seen that in spite of the high cost of feed, poultry may be made one of the very best paying branches of our farm activities, furnishing steady employment and income the year around.

Poultry keeping is a game in which all the cards are stacked in favor of the person who plays the game right. While the person who is careless in the selection of his breeders; is a poor feeder; and does not have the proper equipment, is the man on the other side of the table.

None can succeed with poultry unless he recognized these fundamental principles.

1. No breeders should be kept for breeding purposes that moult before Oct. 1, the later the better as early moulters are always slackers. Choose cockerels to mate with these birds that are quick maturing, vigorous fellows. These will be somewhat undersized when matured but when high egg production is our aim size must probably be sacrificed for quality.

3. Houses must be tight on three sides with plenty of ventilation. Fresh air is as necessary as good breeding or feeding.

3. When we consider that a hen is a machine that manufactures eggs we must bear in mind that no machine can turn out a finished product until the raw materials from which this product is made is first fed into it in the right proportions. We must be as careful about feeding hens a balanced ration as we are with the high-producing dairy cow.

Keep down the expense of feeding by culling out the slackers, first in the fall and later as they show up from time to time. No hen that shows any signs of disease should be retained for a minute. If this system is followed with direct marketing of quality stuff, one can be reasonably sure of success.

TWELVE WIN STANDING OF ONE HUNDRED

The Teachers' Training Class, conducted by Dr. J. E. Kuizenga, is attracting the attention of the state.

The class closed its year's work recently and the standings for the third examination have just returned. The returns show that twelve of the students who took this examination have come out of it with a perfect percentage. This is a record that has not been duplicated by any class anywhere in the state.

The first examination, conducted a few months ago, resulted in three students winning a percentage of one hundred. In the second examination, nine won this coveted honor, and now in the third, twelve. The fourth examination will be given June 9. The state superintendent of Teachers' Training classes declared that the papers from the class in this city were the best of all those submitted by all the classes in the state.

Mrs. James Purdy was a Grand Rapids visitor Wednesday.

Article No. 3

A PERIOD OF CHANGED CONDITIONS NOW AT HAND

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We are not going to tell you so much about one of Holland's leading industries this week, but we are going to point out to you why this city is an ideal place to live in.

In the first place public health means everything to one's family. States statistics show that the general health of Holland stands higher in this state than does the general health of any other city of its size.

Consequently the death rate is lower in Holland comparatively than in any other city in Michigan.

Holland's drinking water is unsurpassed for taste and for cleanliness. Repeated analysis is sent from time to time to the state chemist at Lansing proves that Holland's drinking water is absolutely pure, and always has been.

Holland is a city of homes. It is not a shanty town; it has no dilapidated streets, in fact, Holland is a veritable park with shade and lawns, with beautiful curbing, with homes well kept, both outside and inside.

Scores of laboring men own their own homes in the city of Holland, and scores more are planning to build for themselves a homestead in a town where life is worth living.

What is more important than a school system that cannot be surpassed anywhere?

Holland's grade schools are among the best in the state, and Holland's new high school is as fine as the finest in the United States, voted so by every stranger who visits it. Its teaching staff are the pick among the educators and you who cast your lot in Holland can be assured that your little and big ones can receive an education here that cannot be improved upon in the larger cities of the country, and what is more, they are not beset by sordid environments which a parent has so often to contend with in cities much larger than Holland.

Next week we will take you further into Holland's educational advantages and also the religious phase of this city, besides taking you a step further through the Charles P. Limbert plant.

—Educational Publicity.

FOR SALE—Milk cows; small bull for service, \$35; seed oats 90c per bu.; young pullets white Leghorns and Plymouth Rocks. Zeeland phone 223 three rings. Henry A. Van Dyke, Holland R. No. 2. 21239

Holland Township Board of Review

The Holland township board of review will meet at the supervisor's office in said township on Tuesday and Wednesday June 3 and 4. Also on Monday and Tuesday, June 9 and 10. The board will hold sessions on these days from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.

Signed—John Y. Huizenga, A. H. Bloemers, John P. Hartgerink, Board of Review.

Dr. and Mrs. William DeKleine of Flint spent Memorial day with friends in Grand Haven. Both the doctor and Mrs. DeKleine still take a great interest in Grand Haven and Ottawa county. The doctor declares that the Ottawa roads are the best in the state today and takes pardonable pride in the fact that he was one of the good road pioneers in this county.

—G. H. Tribune.

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HOLLAND BOY TO COME HOME AS A MAJOR

One of the happiest men in Holland Monday was G. J. Diekema, and it was the result of a cablegram that came Monday morning from his son Willis in France announcing that he would sail from France on June 7. But the cablegram, altho it was of greatest interest to the father of the young officer by reason of the information it gave of the son's return, is of general interest because of its laconic way of announcing another promotion in rank.

The message reads as follows:

"Diekema, Holland,

"Sailing date June 7. Love.

"Maj. Diekema."

That word "Major," overlooked for a moment, is the point of interest. It means that Mr. Diekema, since his last letter home has received yet another promotion. The last time he wrote or wired it was still "Captain Diekema," now it is "Major Diekema."

And that is all his father knows about it. Promotions have come so rapidly to Mr. Diekema that apparently he takes them as a matter of course and does not even take the trouble to relay them home on the wire except in this brief, off-hand way.

Major Diekema some time ago sent home to his father a "Citation" awarded him by Pershing. This document is of course carefully guarded and highly prized. It reads as follows:

United States Army

U. S. A. A. E. F.

Citation

First Lieutenant Willis A. Diekema, (Pilot) 91 Aero Sqdn. for distinguished and exceptional gallantry at St. Mihiel, France, on 14th September, 1918, in the operations of the American expeditionary Forces in testimony, thereof, and as an expression of appreciation of his valor, I award him this citation. Awarded on 27th of March, 1919.

"John J. Pershing,
"Commander-in-Chief."

AGED RESIDENT OF FERRYSBURG DIES SATURDAY

Mrs. Harriet McCooley, pioneer resident of the village of Ferrysburg died Saturday afternoon at her home there at the age of 89 years. Mrs. McCooley had been in feeble health for some time, and although there were no members of her family still surviving the neighbors who had lived beside her so many years gave her tender care. They were with her, too when the end came.

Mrs. McCooley was born July 4, 1830. She took up her residence in Ferrysburg in 1858 and for the last sixty-one years she made that village her home. Her husband, Frank McCooley died many years ago. Since then she has lived alone most of the time. After her death neighbors attired the aged woman in clothing which she had worn at her wedding.

Funeral services were held at her home Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. Rogers of this city officiating. Burial was in Spring Lake cemetery.

HARD CIDER IS

VERY BAD MEDICINE TO THIS PERSON

Hard cider, a shot gun, and a few indiscreet remarks, as to what he was going to do to some of the people in his neighborhood, proved bad medicine to Sam Bartaschewick, who lives a mile west of Nunica. Sheriff Dornbos and his crew drove up into Crookston on a hurry call and returned bringing Sam with them. He is in jail now cooling his fiery temper and recovering from the effects of the stale apple juice.

DOG LICENSES ARE NOW READY

The dog tags can now be gotten at the city clerk's office and you owners of canines must get busy, for if you don't get your dog's tag by June 1st you will surely get your dog if you don't watch out.

Peter, the best dog catcher in Michigan, is no respecter of size, pedigree, common cur or a blooded pup is all the same to him and somehow a dog has a way of disappearing and apparently is laid to rest in the happy hunting grounds for dogs, of which Peter Ver Wey is the sexton.

Saturday of this week is the last day of grace and Monday will find Peter on the trail of tagless dogs.

ASK FOR BIDS ON NEW BUILDING

Plans are rapidly maturing for remodeling of the Holland City State Bank building. The bank is now asking bids on the job to be in before June 16.

When the building is completed according to the plans that are now on file at the bank, it will be one of the finest buildings in Holland not only but one of the finest in Western Michigan exclusive of Grand Rapids. It is to have all the latest devices in the banking business equipment.

CARL BOWEN RESIGNS HIS CITY POSITION

Holland has no superintendent of the Board of Public Works. Carl T. Bowen, who stepped into the shoes of R. B. Champion nearly a year ago asked that a special meeting of the board be called Saturday night which was held, when he tendered his resignation asking that it take immediate effect.

The board complied with Mr. Bowen's wishes and altho the old superintendent is still to be found at his desk in the City Hall, technically our Board of Public Works is without a head.

The direct reason for Mr. Bowen's resignation was the fact that he was tendered the superintendency of road building in six counties, which carries with it a salary of practically \$3,000 a year.

State Highway commissioner Frank Rogers wanted a competent engineer and surveyor, and for that reason selected Mr. Bowen for that position.

It is understood that Mr. Bowen will have headquarters in Grand Rapids, and will have Ottawa, Allegan, Kent, Muskegon, Van Buren and Ionia counties to look after, although that has not yet been definitely decided.

At the last election at \$50,000,000.00 appropriation for good roads in Michigan was voted for, to be duplicated with another fifty million dollars from the U. S. government. When this proposal carried State Highway Commissioner Rogers began to gather around him some of the best men that it is possible to get, and one of the first selections was Mr. Bowen, who is recognized as a thoroughly competent surveyor, engineer and road builder.

Mr. Bowen came to Holland about five years ago from Iowa, where he was a graduate from the Iowa State University as a civil engineer.

During his administration the city started to build its own streets instead of letting them by contract.

Holland had been having so much trouble with different contractors that it tried the home-made method which proved a great saving to the city not alone, but gave the property owners much better and more durable streets.

Another resignation that was not entirely expected will come from Frank Bolhuis, a member of the Board of Public Works.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT SURPRISE TO FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Bert J. Gibbens, surprised their many friends by announcing their marriage which took place Thursday afternoon at the parsonage of Rev. J. P. Battema. The bride was formerly Miss Clare Essenburg of this city. The young couple have just returned from a short honeymoon; and are making their home for a short time with the groom's parents on West 15th street.

CONVENTION MAY BE LANDED FOR MACATAWA

It is possible that another convention will come to this section the coming summer as a result of the fame of Black Lake resorts. While the convention, if it comes at all, will not come to Holland itself but to the resorts, Holland is interested in landing it because of the character of the convention.

The secretary of the Michigan State Library Association addressed a letter to the Holland City Library asking for information in regard to Macatawa Park as a place to hold the annual convention. The secretary of the association said she had heard that Macatawa might be a good place to hold the gatherings and she wished to learn whether it would be practicable.

The annual convention of this body is to be held either in September or October all the information available in regard to Macatawa as a meeting place and has further informed the officials of the Macatawa Park association with a view of opening negotiations that will result in bringing the convention here. President Swan A. Miller declared Tuesday that it would be entirely possible to hold the convention provided arrangements could be made to hold it during the first half of September.

The president and secretary of the Michigan State Library association are expected to arrive in Holland some time this week to make personal investigations in regard to Macatawa as a meeting place.

The State Library association is composed of the librarians of most of the cities in Michigan. Former conventions have been held in such places as Lansing, Sault Ste. Marie, Detroit, Jackson and others. A strong attempt will be made to bring the delegates to this section this year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Van Dyke are spending the week end with relatives in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Jacob Nibbelink and daughter Mary Elizabeth of Muskegon are guests at the home of Mr. Seth Nibbelink, 3 West 9th street.

TRAVERSE CITY MAN TAKES HOLLAND BRIDE

A very simple wedding took place Monday at 1 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Rich when their daughter, Miss Ruth Adelaide, was united in marriage with Ralph Anthony Wilhelm of Traverse City.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. F. Bowerman, pastor of the M. E. church.

Miss Rich is well known and popular, she graduated from the Holland High school three years ago and spent one year at St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Ind. and one year at Olivet college. The groom is a popular business man of Traverse City.

After a four weeks' trip, the young couple will make their home at Traverse City. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilhelm of Traverse City, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce N. Keister of Bellvue and Mrs. E. Keister of Sparta.

MEMORIAL DAY IS A BRILLIANT SUCCESS

Friday was an ideal day for Decoration Day. One made to order could not have been better than what the weather man gave to Holland.

The change of time from holding the exercises in the afternoon to the morning met with general satisfaction and there is little doubt but that this change will be a permanent one.

The work of the different committees showed that they had the situation well in hand, and the entire program was pulled off with clock like precision.

The exercises started promptly at 9 o'clock when Professor John E. Kuizenga gave the Memorial day address.

The parade was one of the largest demonstrations ever held on a Decoration Day in this city and the line of march was practically as published before.

It was noticeable that the marching ranks of the Grand Army men is becoming rapidly depleted. In fact only a little over a dozen of the former sturdy fighters of '61 were keeping step to the rifle and drum, while a score of others rode in automobiles because for them, marching days were over.

One new element in the line-up was some two hundred soldiers and sailors who have just returned from the world war. They shared honors in applause from the onlookers with the civil and Spanish War veterans.

These young veterans certainly are a sturdy lot of well preserved men and one could readily see why with two million of them going at the Hun, in behalf of a just cause, the allies were successful.

The marchers after parading River and 8th street slowly wended their way to Pilgrim's Home cemetery, where impressive services were performed and the graves of soldiers of the Civil War, Spanish War, and World war were decorated.

A departure from the regular program of other years was the decorating of a banner containing names of the absent dead of the recent world war by the Willard Leenhouts Post.

After the exercises a bountiful spread was served by the Woman's Relief Corps to the soldiers of all the American wars, after which the exercises of the day were officially closed.

WERE WEDDED ON MEMORIAL DAY

A pretty wedding took place Memorial Day afternoon on the Woldring farm north of Holland when Miss Ella Woldring was united in marriage with Leonard Bareman. John Bareman, a cousin of the groom, acted as best man, and the bride was attended by Miss Jennie Woldring, her sister. The wedding march was played by Miss Mary Bareman.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white and carried a large bouquet. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Einik of this city in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. De Cook of Bangor and Mr. and Mrs. K. Kuiper of Grand Rapids.

TWO LOCAL FIRMS NEED MORE ROOM

Because both of them needed more room to make place for a constantly growing business two Holland firms have made changes that will give them the added accommodations. The furniture firm of De Vries and Dornbos needed another floor to take care of their business and the Van Tongeren Cigar company needed another floor for the same reason.

The cigar company was located on the third floor of the DeVries & Dornbos building, which they vacated to allow the furniture men to expand. The cigar factory was moved to the Eagle building at 76 East 8th street, of which building they will occupy the ground floor and basement.

Joe Bowman of the "O-Joy" Co. was in Grand Rapids on business Tuesday.

MOCK WEDDING IS FEATURE OF "SHOWER"

Miss Henrietta Steketee entertained with a miscellaneous shower at her home in honor of Miss Amy Michmerhuizen who is to be a June bride. The rooms were beautifully decorated with hearts and flowers. One of the main features of the evening was a mock marriage in which seven of the young ladies took part. The bride-to-be received many beautiful and useful gifts accompanied with well wishes for the future. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess and an enjoyable evening was spent by all.

PROGRAMS PLANNED FOR INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT

Programs have been planned for all the evenings of the Industrial Exhibit at the High school next week. A program will also be presented Friday afternoon, beginning at 1:30. The programs are as follows: Thursday 8:15 to 8:30, selections from the Public Speaking classes, including extemporaneous speeches and readings; from 8:30 to 9, a scene from the "Merchant of Venice" will be presented by Miss Coleman's classes; from 9 to 9:15 the Latin Classes will give a Vestal Virgin drill.

The program Friday afternoon will be as follows: Girls' quartette; boys' quartette; piano solo, Alice Mc Vea; Ukelele quartet; Speech, Edward Quarles. Mr. Quarles was formerly chairman of the Greater G. B. movement and is now chairman of the Kent county War Board. He spoke before the Victory club a short time ago.

Friday evening from 8:15 to 8:30 selections by members of the Public Speaking classes. From 8:30 to 9 Miss Wicks' English classes will present dramatized scenes.

Finance Committee Makes Plans for Home Coming Fund

In order to take care of the finances of the Home Coming celebration in Holland on July Fourth, the finance committee has been enlarged. The following names being added: Fred Beeuwkes, D. Boter, C. A. Bigge, J. J. Rutgers, J. Arendshorst, J. Lokker and W. J. Olive. These together with the others mentioned earlier, will make a canvass of the merchants for funds.

The finance committee for the manufacturers began work Tuesday. This committee is composed of Mayor N. Bosch, A. H. Landwehr and J. A. Kelley. This committee has evolved the plan whereby each manufacturer will be asked to subscribe at the rate of one dollar for each employee. Several manufacturers have already signed up on this basis.

The subscriptions among the merchants will be on a different basis but each will be asked to volunteer an amount that will give him a fair representation in the celebration.

The names of the firms subscribing will be published in the Sentinel. The first list is to be published next Saturday, June 7. This list will include all subscribers whose subscriptions are made before Friday noon, June 6. All who wish to get in on this are asked to notify one of the members of the committee or Dr. Leenhouts, chairman of the celebration, before Friday noon.

RECEPTION HELD FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS

A family reunion which at the same time was a reception for two returned soldiers was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Ry. It was primarily in honor of Ralph Y. Reaves who has just returned from France. Mrs. Reaves was formerly Miss Madeline Van Ry. Incidentally the reception was also in honor of James Van Ry, a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Ry, who returned from France some weeks ago.

LOCALS

Miss Mae Koning returned Friday night from Ferris Institute at Big Rapids where she has just graduated. She will take a position as bookkeeper with the Holland Furnace Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Geerlings have adopted a little girl from the Michigan Children's Home at St. Joseph. The foster parents are very much taken up with the pretty little child.

Robert Pool took the car to Grand Rapids Friday.

Martha Evenhuis and Nellie Smeenge were in Grand Rapids Friday. Miss Maggie Ver Hulst of Sheboygan, Wis., is visiting at the home of J. Van Putten, sr., for the summer.

Decoration day the thermometer registered 95 in the shade on Eighth street.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. A. Stegenga of Grand Rapids, Decoration Day, a daughter.

Miss Agnes Kramer of this city returned to her studies at U. of M. Monday.

FREE CLINICS TO BE BOOSTED WITH PROGRAM

The free clinics that are being conducted in the free dispensary building of the Holland hospital are to come in for some attention on the part of the public in a program that is to be given for the benefit of this health work in Holland. The clinics were established through the generosity of a considerable number of merchants, manufacturers and others from Holland and other places, and their further financing will depend somewhat on such things as the entertainment that is being planned now. The clinics have been doing a wonderful work in Holland and they are to be expanded as time goes on.

The entertainment will consist of a pageant entitled "The Spirit of Freedom," written and staged by Miss Frances Bosch. The pageant was very successfully given at a W. L. C. meeting some time ago, when however the general public did not have an opportunity to see it. This time the public will be able to enjoy it at the small cost of 15 cents, which is the price the tickets are sold at.

The date is Monday evening, June 9; the time is 8 o'clock; and the place is the High school auditorium. More than forty high school students will take part in the pageant.

In addition to that the Kappa Delta Girls and the members of the Sigma Phi of the high school will give songs in costume and furnish other entertaining features to the program. The high school orchestra will probably furnish music.

It is announced that the program will not be a long one, the time covered not exceeding an hour and a half. Those in charge hope to give a program however that will please all.

HOLLAND TO HAVE \$5000.00 CELEBRATION

Holland is going to have a five thousand dollar Home Coming celebration on the Fourth of July. That was decided upon at a meeting of the committees held Monday evening. While the details have not yet been worked out, the general outline of the day's events have been decided upon.

It is planned to collect \$5,000 from the manufacturers, merchants and citizenship in general, which sum will cover the expenses of the most elaborate celebration ever held in Holland. There will be a long parade in the morning, a pageant, and a program of addresses. All this is to be worked off in the forenoon so that the afternoon can be devoted to sports and exercises of various kinds.

The size of the celebration is shown by the fact that the committees have already engaged six bands for the day. There will be band music, not merely at one spot, but throughout the city.

The service men of Holland and vicinity will be the guests of Holland on that day. It was announced Tuesday that it would be absolutely impossible for a service man on that day to spend a cent of his own money in Holland. He will not be able to give it away. But he will lack for nothing. That is what the finance committee subscriptions are to take care of. They will see to it that there are funds to give the service men all they can eat and all they can see and enjoy in the line of entertainment. The best the city has will be at the disposal of the service men, and all without money and without price.

Although there will be a formal program the emphasis of the day will not be on that. The celebration will be for the purpose of giving the returned soldiers a good time, and the enthusiasm of the various committees shows that the good time will be forthcoming.

WOMAN'S LITERARY CLUB ENDS YEAR'S WORK

The last meeting of the year of the Woman's Literary Club was held Tuesday afternoon and a very fine program was enjoyed. Reports from the various standing committees were given explaining the work accomplished during the year.

It was reported by the treasurer that fully a third of all the money raised for the club during the year was realized from the Winter Garden Festival, given by the January Committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. N. Bosch.

The program consisted of the following: Scenes from "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" and "Uncle Tom's Cabin," cleverly enacted by the pupils of Miss Anna Kolyn; scenes from "Ivanhoe" and "The Last of the Mohicans," realistically presented by the pupils of Miss Frances Bosch; solo by Miss Marie Danhof of Hope College. Miss Danhof responded to an encore. Tea was served by the April committee and a social hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. Olive, the president, during the meeting, called the attention of the club members to the pageant to be given in the high school auditorium next Monday evening as a hospital benefit.

AGED MARINER OF THE LAKES ENDS CAREER

A veteran mariner of the Great Lakes passed out on his last voyage Tuesday when Captain Klaas Van Weelden, veteran master of sailing ships, died at the Reed's lake sanatorium at Grand Rapids. For more than a year Captain Van Weelden's health has been failing steadily and three weeks ago he was taken to Reed's lake for treatment. Little hope was held out for his recovery and during the last few days his death was expected at any time.

Captain Van Weelden was born January 30, 1839, in the Netherlands. When still a small boy he came to America with his parents, coming almost directly to Grand Haven where he had since made his home. When a youth he began sailing the lakes, and spent a lifetime aboard ship.

He followed the lakes during the days when the great lumber industry was thriving along the shores of Lake Michigan and hundreds of lumber schooners were in commission carrying the product of the mills to the market. Captain Van Weelden became master of some of the famous old schooners of those days. During his career on the lakes he sailed some of the best craft of the early days.

He knew every port on both shores of Lake Michigan in fair weather or foul and he knew where to find shelter for his craft, when the fall winds blew. In every sense of the word he was a master of ships. His acquaintance with lake craft was extensive and as a sailor he was known from one end of the lake to the other.

Captain Van Weelden's last schooner was the Willie Loutit, and during his career he commanded ships of his own as well as for other owners. He had few accidents and seamanship and good judgment were his strong points in commanding his craft.

Many years ago he retired from the lakes, and lived quietly ashore. His wife died 33 years ago and since that time he has made his home with his daughter. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Charles Dykeman of Grand Rapids, Captain Jacob Van Weelden, keeper of the U. S. Coast Guard station at Macatawa, Mrs. Everett Zwemer, Isaac Van Weelden and Peter Van Weelden of Grand Haven. The remains were brought home Wednesday afternoon. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Capt. Everett Zwemer on Second St., Grand Haven.

HOPE ADOPTS TWO SEMESTER SYSTEM

Changes in the calendar and curriculum of Hope college as announced in the alumni news letter will re-establish the two semester system abolished several years ago for the system of three quarters a college year. The first semester for the coming year will begin Sept. 7 and continue until Feb. 2. The second semester begins Feb. 2 and ends with commencement exercises on June 16.

A new schedule of courses is being prepared for adoption September. The number of elective courses has been increased. The most radical changes in the schedule involve courses of biblical literature, which will be given to each class one semester per year, two hours a week and in public speaking which will run on the same schedule as the new biblical course. Under the previous system one hour a week was required for the entire four years' course. Credits will be given for the courses.

A greater variety will be offered in all courses.

President Dimment's annual report, part of which is printed in the letter shows that the Hope College Y. M. C. A. has 100 members and that the student missionary volunteer band is in a healthy condition. It reports the patriotic league made up of college women as responsible for the sale of thousands of dollars worth of liberty bonds and active in Red Cross and war work campaigns. The college membership has raised over \$3,000 for benevolent purposes, the report shows.

The faculty has been organized under a college extension committee and is engaging itself for lectures.

ZEELAND MAN FALLS FROM WELCOME ARCH

Peter De Vries, Zeeland's city engineer, will be laid up for a long time. Decoration day morning while assisting in putting the finishing touches on the big welcome arch now being erected on the Main street in honor of the returning soldiers and sailors, and also for the demonstration that is to be held on July 4, in some way fell from the top of the arch on to the pavement below landing on his feet. The impact with the hard pavement, was so severe, however that De Vries broke his leg above the ankle. He was quickly picked up by his helpers and taken to his home where the broken members was attended to.

The Christian schools at Beaverdam, Hudsonville, and Allendale will hold their annual picnic on Tuesday, June 3 in Smith's woods at Beaverdam, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning. Rev. Bottier will preside and Rev. De Boer, Rev. Schaap, Rev. Keizer and Rev. Tills will give short addresses. The pupils of the schools will also take part in the program. Refreshments will be sold on the grounds.

LOCALS

Holland merchants started their 9-hour labor schedule Monday, opening at 7:30 a. m. and closing at 5:30 P. M. except Saturdays, when the stores will be opened and closed at the usual time.

The Holland Furnace Co. purchased the warehouse of Frank King back of Baker's drug store and will use it for a show room and business office.—Allegan News.

The body of Helen Szukiewicz, the five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Szukiewicz, who was drowned with her brother and sister near the Calkin bridge at Allegan a week ago last Sunday was found floating in the river about one mile below where the tragedy occurred.

The Citizens Trans. Co. has put a fine new Reo bus on the line which no doubt will be pleasing to the traveling public. The new bus will accommodate several more passengers than did the old "Lizzie."

Harry Michmershuizen, who has long been an employee of the Holland Ptg. Co., has resigned his position there and has accepted one with the Holland Furnace Co. Mr. Michmershuizen left Monday for Pontiac where he will be located for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Brouwer, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vander Ven, and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Luidens, left Monday for an auto trip to the Straits and the Upper Peninsula. They will visit Petokey, Bay View, Frankfort, the Soo and other points of interest along the way.

Sunday, June 8, at 10:30 A. M. in stead of the regular morning worship, Children's Day will be observed at Hope church with exercises appropriate to the occasion. All are cordially invited to attend. The collection as usual will be devoted to the Sunday school, this year specifically towards the payment of the new Sunday school piano.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. DeKleine who spent the past week in Holland visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Godfrey, returned to their home in Flint, Monday.

Elmer Poppe with the Reo Motor Co. at Lansing spent the week end with his parents in this city.

Axel Ekeblad, formerly with the Hardie & Ekeblad Co., now of Chicago spent the week-end with friends in Holland.

Mrs. C. De Kraker received a telegram Monday stating that her son James arrived in New York Decoration Day.

Allegan gets only one bid on a big job of street paving and the city is at a loss as to what to make of it. They had the bid tabled and possibly will call for others.

Election of officers this evening at the Odd Fellows hall. All Odd Fellows are requested to be present.

Walter Walsh and Herman Van Tongeren were in Grand Rapids on business Wednesday.

Herman Van Tongeren was in Grand Rapids Tuesday to serve on the Grand Jury for the Western District of Michigan.

Rev. Mr. Cadman, missionary from French Indo-China, addressed Hope college students Wednesday morning on the work being done there.

An attractive program has been prepared as a hospital benefit at the high school auditorium on Monday evening, June 9. Help the free clinics at the hospital. Tickets only 15 cents.

Sherman D. Upham is now living on his Sunset farm two miles north of Ottawa Beach, his address being R. R. 2, Holland.—Saugatuck Commercial Record.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk of Hope College gave the Memorial address at Forest Grove. The day was also spent as a homecoming to the returning overseas doughboys.

Mr. and Mrs. John De Vries and daughter Lois of Muskegon motored to Holland Decoration day and were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry De Vries, West 15th St.

Vance C. Mape of the Holland Aniline Co. has arrived in the city with Mrs. Mape who formerly was Miss Mary Clothilde Schroeder of Nankato, Minn. The newly weds have made their home at 20 West 12th street. The returning benedict and his estimable wife were greeted at the depot by several friends from the Holland Aniline Co. who saw to it that confetti, wedding signs and other things incident to bridal send-offs were not missing. The happy couple were escorted to their future home by several automobile loads of friends. There were present many enthusiastic noise makers and all gave Mr. and Mrs. Mape a royal welcome to Holland and home.

Mr. and Mrs. Strenton and son and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brummel, of Detroit returned home Sunday after spending the week-end at the home of Miss Jean Fris.

Postal Clerk Fairbanks has just returned from a few days' vacation trip. Miss Viola Sturton of Chicago returned Sunday night having spent the week end with Miss Bena Bazaan.

The establishment of a nursing directory in every county in Michigan is one of the plans of the Michigan State Nurses' association as part of its program of work for the immediate future. In most cases such directories will be established at the county seat or in one of the most accessible cities in the country.

Allegan Odd Fellows are going to have a beautiful building in that city. The building will be 50x100 feet three stories high.

It's the Filipinos who now demand their independence. The year 1919 is certainly proving to be full of Fourths of July.

Pres. E. D. Dimment of Hope College leaves for Ashbury Park, N. J., this evening to attend a meeting of the General synod of the Reformed church.

The Union bar, Bickford and Jap-pinga have added a delivery service to their soft drink parlors and are now prepared to take care of all orders placed in their care for the line of soft drinks which they carry.

Dorothy Newhouse, aged 13, is the only school pupil in the city who has been awarded a certificate for penmanship of the left hand in the Palmer method. Miss Newhouse has her certificate and prizes it highly.

S. R. McLean has been appointed permanent secretary of the Home Coming organization.

Mrs. Anton Seif, Jr., died at her home, 164 West Tenth St., on Sunday, June 1, at the age of 37.

Miss Florence Van Hill, who is staying at the home of her grandparents in Byron Center, was home for a day.

John W. Bosman celebrated the 89th anniversary of his birth Monday with a family reunion at which all his children were present. Mr. Bosman has lived in Holland more than 50 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Salisbury of Grand Haven announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris M., to Frank E. Wilsburg. The wedding will take place during the present month.

Lewis Davis was slightly injured Monday night on Fairbanks Av. while riding his bicycle when he touched a high tension wire that had broken down. The injury was not serious, Davis escaping possible death by a small margin.

Rev. Samuel M. Zwemer, on furlough here from Cairo, Egypt, and Rev. Jas. F. Zwemer of this city, presented a bronze tablet to the Reformed church in Vriesland in memory of their father the late Rev. Adrian Zwemer and special services were held in that church commemorative of the occasion at which the donors delivered brief addresses.

Rev. and Mrs. Tower of Byron Center, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fleetwood and Shelvin Fleetwood, their grandson, who just returned from overseas, all from Byron Center, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Hil. Mr. Van Hil is a brother to Mrs. Tony Ratering of this city, while Mrs. Van Hil used to make her home here and has relatives and many friends in this vicinity.

Gerrit Oudemolen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Oudemolen, 181 W. 9th street, who has been in the hospital in Philadelphia since March 5, surprised his parents by suddenly coming home. Mr. Oudemolen is here on a 30-days' furlough.

Walter Rick, 26, was brought back to Kalamazoo Thursday to face a charge of having embezzled \$505.06 from the Michigan Railway company while he was a ticket agent. Officers have been searching for Rick since he left two years ago. He was captured in Detroit.

Jane De Weerd of Boreulo and Mr. Ralph Zuwerink of Zeeland were married at the home of Mr. Zuwerink's parents at Zeeland. Rev. M. Van Vessum performed the ceremony. Mr. Zuwerink has served the country with the 85th division in France for several months and has been in action a number of times and wounded once.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Steggink in honor of Clarence Steggink who recently returned from over seas. He has been across for 15 months. Mr. Steggink was presented with a gold watch, the presentation being made by Ben Steggink, an uncle. A very enjoyable evening was spent and dainty refreshments were served.

There was just one soldier boy who did not arrive Thursday with the gallant Red Arrows of the 126th infantry, when the big demonstration was held for Grand Haven boys, and there were two parents who looked eagerly into the bronzed faces of the heroes of Company L for their boy. They were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fortino for Frank, their son, was detained at Camp Custer until his citizenship papers were fixed. Although one of the most fearless and brave of his company, Frank did not have the honor of claiming America as his birthplace for he was born in sunny Italy and came here about nine years ago.

James Van Ry and Marjins DeFouw of Holland were guests Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Woerkom.—G. H. Tribune.

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Monday night, June 2, a most attractive recital will be presented by the violin pupils of Miss Ruth Keppel at the Literary Club House. The program consists of violin solos, a violin duet an unaccompanied double trio and an ensemble class, assisted by Miss Evelyn Keppel, vocalist; Miss Vera Keppel, reader, and Mrs. Robbins, accompanist. Many very promising pupils will be presented in the recital. This is the first entire violin recital to be given in Holland in a number of years, and will therefore be an interesting attraction to the people of Holland. Miss Keppel wishes to extend a cordial invitation to the public.

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent Friday at 258 West 20th street when Mr. Henry Slenk of East Saugatuck and Miss Johanna Heerspink, 67 West 17th street were united in holy bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Lamberts from East Saugatuck. Mr. Paul Koster from this city took a picture of the big crowd who attended the wedding. Dainty refreshments and smokes were served. Old and young enjoyed a very good time wishing the young couple much joy and a long happy life. At 7:30 the same evening the young people who were invited also spent a very enjoyable evening. The couple will make their home at 258 W. 20th street. They received many useful and pretty gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Goudzwaard of Muskegon visited relatives over the week end here.

Miss Henrietta Kalley of Grand Rapids was the guest of Miss Bee Du Saar over Sunday.

Mr. J. Broekema with Marshall Field & Co. of Chicago spent the week-end and Decoration day at his country home.

Anna Slagh spent the week-end with her grandmother in East Saugatuck.

Misses Angie and Ruth Westveld of Holland spent Saturday in Pennville.

Harry Paul of Grand Rapids is visiting for a few days in the city with friends.

Attorney Thos. N. Robinson and family motored to South Haven over the week end and were the guests of Mr. Robinson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John DeGlopper of Holland were Memorial Day visitors in the city.—G. H. Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Everitt Dick of 12th street have returned from a visit in Chicago.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Visser—a baby girl.

BIG PLANS ARE MADE FOR THE HOME COMING

More detailed plans were made Tuesday evening in the city hall at a meeting of the general committee for the Home Coming Celebration that is to be held in Holland on the Fourth of July. All doubt was dispelled Tuesday evening that the Home Coming would not be one of the biggest things ever put on in Holland, when the members of the committee began to talk it over. The general committee was composed of members representing a very large number of churches, manufacturing institutions and other organizations in the city, and the enthusiasm shown was immense.

The main business was the parcelling out of detailed work to the various sub-committees. Chairmen for these were named and these men will choose their own co-workers. All will be expected to get busy immediately so that no time will be lost to make the Home Coming celebration a really big event in the history of Holland.

The outstanding feature of the celebration will probably be the reception of the returned veterans of the World War. A large reception committee is to be formed and this committee will, in a public demonstration, show the returned heroes that they are thrice welcome home. This feature of the program will be in the hands of the city Y. M. C. A.

There will be, other features such as a long parade of floats and decorated automobiles, addresses in the course of the day by able speakers, first aid demonstrations, a pageant, and many other features. Committees for all the different events have been appointed. Following is the list of the chairmen who will get down to real work immediately:

Music, John Van Vyven; parade, John Van Tatenhove; sports, Dr. R. M. Waltz; Publicity, B. A. Mulder; First Aid and Rest Rooms, Miss Alma Koertge; concessions, F. C. Congleton; Fire Works, John Arendshorst; decorations, W. H. Orr; transportation, Andrew Klompereans; marshals, John H. Schouten; speakers, T. N. Robinson.

Sixty acres of timber lying just west of Byron Center has been sold to the Highman Packing Company of Grand Haven to be cut and used in the manufacture of berry and celery boxes.

MAY RECITAL GIVEN AT HOPE COLLEGE

The May recital of the Hope College School of Music, which was held Wednesday evening in Winants' Chapel, proved an unusual success. A larger number of pupils than have heretofore taken part in the annual recitals, presented a most acceptable program of piano, vocal and violin selections. Mrs. William Fenton of the department of voice presented Miss Harriet Steketee who sang "The Pine Tree" by Salter, and "A Burst of Melody" by Seiler; Miss Marie Danhof who gave "By the Waters of Minnetonka," by Lienance and "Madcap Marjorie" by Norton; Miss Evelyn Keppel and Miss Helene Van Raalte who rendered "The Herald of Spring," a duet, by Cooke; Miss Henrietta Bloemendaal, whose selection was "My Heart at thy sweet voice," by Saint-Saens; and Tennis Prins who sang "The Orange Garden" by Whitcombe and "When I get back to England," by Gaul. The clear tone work, the distinct enunciation, and the artistic rendition of all the songs are the result of Mrs. Fenton's excellent training.

The violin selections were "Concerto No. 1 in A Minor"—Accolay, by Mr. Edward Steketee; "Sonata 5 Opus 24;—Beethoven, by Miss Harriet Baker, "Fantaise Elegante" (from "Lucia de Lammermoor")—Donizetti-Singele, by Miss Elizabeth Zwemer. A violin quartet composed of Prof. Meinecke, Miss Baker, Mr. Steketee and Miss Zwemer played "Minute in G" by Beethoven, and "Gavotte" by Gossec. The quartet was a novel feature and proved most pleasing to the audience. Prof. Meinecke has won heartiest commendation for his solo work on the violin; the exceptionally fine program Friday night testifies to his unusual ability as a teacher.

Miss Gertrude Stephan, Miss Sara Veldman, Miss Nella Meyer and Miss Martina De Jong, represented the department of piano under Mr. Oscar Cress. Miss Stephan's selections were "Muzurka in F Minor" by Leschetizky and "Romance d' Amour" by Schuetz. Miss Veldman played "Bonda Sapriceiso" by Mendelssohn; Miss Meyer rendered "Chan d' Amour" by Stojowsky and "Revolutionary Etude, Op. 10, No. 12" by Chopin; and Miss DeJong played "Black Key Etude, Op. 10, No. 5" by Chopin, "Lotus Land" by Scott, and "Prelude in G. Minor" by Rachmaninoff. Mr. Cress has presented his pupils to Holland audiences for four years, and each year they have charmed their hearers by their pleasing and effective playing.

Miss Vera Keppel read very acceptably "The Man in the Shadow," by Richard Washburn Child. Miss Keppel

is a pupil of Miss Ethelyn Metz of the Hope College School of Expression. Mrs. Martha C. Robins, Mrs. R. A. Page, Miss Meyer and Prof. Meinecke served as accompanists, and credit must be given them for their excellent sympathetic work.

RAVEN CONTEST IS WON BY A FRESHMAN.

The annual Raven oratorical contest was held in Winants Chapel Tuesday and is considered one of the strongest contests ever held here. And for the second time since the foundation the contest was won by a member of the Freshman class, Mr. Winfield Burgraaf of that class winning first place from every judge in both 'thot and composition and in delivery. The previous time was when Mr. Cornelius Wierenga won the contest five years ago, and then started the record which has remained unbroken by winning the state contest.

The winner's oration was entitled "The Pruning Power" and outlined the ravages of the principles of Bolshevism, and ascribed to Education the task of pruning the pernicious principles of the movement. Mr. Burgraaf spoke with a grace and latent power that give high promise of another state victory next year.

The winner receives thirty dollars in prize money and also represents Hope college in the Michigan oratorical league.

Second place was awarded to Mr. William Brink with the oration entitled, "The Renaissance of Religion." Mr. Brink receives twenty dollars of the prize money. Other speakers were Fred Voss with "A Mixing Pot or a Melting Pot"; Peter Cooper with "The Challenge of the New Era"; John Vander Ploeg with "The Dawn of a New Era"; and Mr. Francis Ihrman with the oration "Lest We Break Faith."

The judges for the contest were Dr. S. M. Zwemer, Prof. S. B. Nettinga of the Western theological seminary, and Att J. H. Den Herder. Bernie Mulder acted as chairman of the evening.

The Ladies' Oratorical contest to choose a state representative will be held in the chapel this evening at eight o'clock. A prize of twenty-five dollars offered by Pres. E. D. Dimment will be divided between the winner of first and second places. The public is cordially invited.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our former neighbors and friends for so kindly aiding and remembering us in our sorrow thru the death of our young son Clyde La Roy. The floral offerings were beautiful and we appreciate the thoughtful-ness.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnston,
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SOCIETY NEWS

GRAND HAVEN
MAN WEDS A
HOLLAND GIRL

A very pretty wedding took place Monday morning at ten o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Con De Pree when their oldest daughter, Miss Helene Marie, was united in marriage with Nathaniel Robbins, Jr., of Grand Haven. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. P. Cheff, pastor of Hope church, in the presence of the immediate families of the bride and groom.

The bride was given away by her father, Con DePree, and Mr. Hunter S. Robbins, brother of the groom, filled the office of best man. Miss DePree wore a "going away" gown of blue serge and she carried a bouquet of roses. Immediately after the conclusion of the ceremony the young couple left on an automobile tour to Chicago; from this place they will go to California where they will spend their honeymoon, returning to Holland about July.

Miss De Pree is a popular member of Holland's younger set. She is a graduate of Holland high school and also of the National Park Girls' Seminary of Washington, D. C. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Robbins of Grand Haven. He attended the architectural engineering school of the University of Michigan for three years. When America called for men to win the fight against Germany, Mr. Robbins answered the call, returning with the rank of corporal. He served sixteen months as interpreter in the Military Police at Brest, France.

The marriage Monday morning was marked by extreme simplicity, the ceremony that made the young couple man and wife taking place in the sun parlor of the DePree home on West 12th street.

BIG INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT OPEN
IN HIGH SCHOOL.

The biggest thing of its kind ever attempted in Holland opened in Holland high school last evening at seven o'clock and will continue during Thursday and Friday, closing Friday evening. The public is invited to attend the exhibit and take part in what practically amounts to an industrial fair. An attempt will be made to register all visitors and for that reason all are asked to enter the building by way of the north east door.

The Industrial Exhibit proper will be on the gymnasium floor. On the first floor will be a Fine Arts exhibit, a Domestic Arts exhibit, a Domestic Science exhibit and an exhibit by the board of public works.

On the second floor will be an exhibit of the English department, known as the "English Drive."

On the third floor a wonderful exhibit has been worked up by Miss Rogers of the Natural Science department. On this floor also will be seen the wonders of science as arranged by Mr. Sirrine. And another department that will show its work here is the Commercial Department.

Last evening at 8:15 four public speeches were given by students in the auditorium to demonstrate the school's work in public speaking. At 8:30 o'clock Miss Bosch's dramatization classes, 9-1 and 9-2 put on dramatics, while at nine o'clock the history and democracy classes gave tableaux illustrating important events in American history.

This evening at 8:15 in the auditorium four more public speeches will be given, and dramatics will be staged by Miss Coleman's 10-1 and 10-2 classes. At nine o'clock the Latin department will give a Vestal Virgin drill. Friday evening at 8:15 there will be four more public speeches, and Miss Wick's 11-1 and 11-2 classes will give a typical recitation.

DOG DRINKS CIDER

STAGGERS IN FILM

One of the bits which will delight all in "Daddy Long Legs" the Mary Pickford picture featuring the famous little star, is the performance of a dog who drinks part of a jug of apple cider. Audiences at the Miles, where the picture will be shown in conjunction with the vaudeville this week, will see a new type of humor in the antics of this animal which gives a first rate imitation of a tippler trying to make his way home after a too liberal imbibition.—Detroit News-Tribune.

DOG DIES A PECULIAR DEATH

Allegan Gazette.—The fine Boston bull dog belonging to J. Sirrine, died last Monday evening from the effects of a bump on the head received while chasing another dog away from the Sirrine automobile. Mr. Sirrine was turning into his yard after taking a ride when the dog of a neighbor ran up to the machine and began snapping at the forward wheels. "Duff" chased away the other dog and in doing so struck his head on the under part of the machine.

Can, but Don't.

German experimenters have found that explosions can be caused in gas works by sparks from telephones, although nothing of the kind has been known to occur.

OCULISTS WILL
SOON HAVE ALL KINDS
OF BUSINESS

HOLELESS LEG IS HERE; "NOTHING BELOW THE KNEE" IS PARIS EDIT

The holeless leg has come. "Nothing below the knee" is the newest edict of fashion, so the Paris mannequins are appearing in the paddock of the fashionable Longchamps racetrack without stockings.

It remained for the fashionable arbiters of the Rue de laaix to discover that the real thing would be more effective and cheaper, and as they do not sell stockings anyhow, the dressmakers, sent their beautiful mannequins to the opening of the Longchamps race course with a chilly feeling about the knees.

Milkwhite calves were displayed beneath the very short dresses which are still in vogue for the Spring season as if to insure that the bare legs will get the proper amount of attention. They did.

The shoes are worn low-cut with leather thongs crisscrossed about the ankles. About fifty per cent of the women wore bracelets of silver or gold about the ankle. They are extremely light and some of them have bells attached which tinkle when the wearer walks. At the same time the ankles throw off dazzling rays in the warm afternoon sunshine.

EVEN THE DEAD
VICTIMIZED BY PROFITTEERS, IS CHARGE

THE LIVING WINCE AT HIGH COST; THE DEAD MAY TURN OVER IN THE GRAVE

Muskegon, June 5.—Muskegon has discovered the latest in profiteers, if the statement made by Alderman Stoppels is correct. It is the profiteer who is holding the cemetery lots for an increase in price, while Muskegon endeavors to solve the problem of where it is to bury its dead.

Alderman Stoppels charges that many lot owners are holding them for exorbitant prices, while using the plots of relatives for their own dead. He has asked the council to curb the speculators in cemetery lots, and also charges that the lots held by the speculators are being neglected.

Former Mayor Smith proposed the opening of Woodlawn Cemetery, two miles from the city, Muskegon having purchased 100 acres of land for this purpose several years ago. The cemetery proved unpopular and was finally abandoned.

The former mayor named a commission to plan for the opening of Woodlawn and at the April election the proposed bond issue of \$20,000 for improving the grounds, was defeated by a small vote, largely because the commission had made no definite recommendations as to the cost.

Former Holland boy was picked was the city adopt a plan for closing the driveways at the three cemeteries thus providing about 800 burial lots. The city attorney ruled that, if this land was replatted it would revert to the adjoining lot owners, and with the protest of lot owners that it would cause trespassing the plan was abandoned.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Van Dyke are spending the week end with relatives in Grand Rapids.

The Eternal Why.

"Papa," said an inquisitive boy, "don't fishes have legs?" "They do not," answered papa. "Why don't they, papa?" "Because fishes swim and don't require legs." Then he asked, "Papa, ducks have legs, don't they?" "Why, yes, ducks have legs." "Well, ducks swim, don't they?" "Yes." "Then why don't fishes have legs, if ducks do? Or why don't ducks not have any legs if fishes don't?" Papa gave up.

How to Attain Old Age.

Sir George Reid's golden rule for the attainment of old age is worth a place in the Office Window as a corrective to all war valetudinarians: "I have aimed at health and happiness, and when confronted by a formidable obstacle I have first tried to knock it over; failing this, to get round it; if not, then under it; and if all these maneuvers failed I have been content to lie down in its grateful shade, lauding it as a beautiful blessing in disguise."—London Chronicle.

SAYS SEWER
EXPENSE IS AN
ECONOMY

PREVENTING ONE CASE OF ILLNESS MORE THAN PAYS FOR IT

So Declares Health Officer In Educational Talk to Property Owners

True to his office as health officer of the city, Dr. B. B. Godfrey last night engaged in a bit of public health education in connection with a discussion of the 14th Street sewer. The objection having been raised that some of the people of the district could ill afford not to have the sewer built.

"One case of typhoid fever or other disease resulting from an open vault or contamination of the water," he declared, "will cost a family much more in doctor's bills and in loss of time than the cost of the sewer. We used to think that it was safe to have a well some fifty feet away from a vault, but the best authorities now hold, and they prove their case, that it is not safe within a radius of 500 or 600 feet. The transmission to the well is made by suction, and such suction is much greater than most people realize."

"It may seem hard to pay for a sewer, but it is not nearly so hard as to pay for illness, with possible death in its wake. And it is demonstrated again and again that the unsewered districts are the ones that most frequently suffer from typhoid fever and similar diseases."

"The general policy of the health department, and in this it is strongly backed up by the city government, is to get every home in the city that can be connected with the sewer so connected. It means some outlay of money, but in the long run it means the saving of money through preservation of health and avoidance of unnecessary doctor's bills. Moreover we are our brother's keeper and no one who can connect with a sewer has a right not to connect since thereby he is endangering the health of his neighbors and probably of the whole city, since contagious diseases once started often travel fast."

"It is the greatest economy in the end to live the hygienic sanitary life, and connection with the sewer is strictly a life and death matter in many cases. This is no exaggeration but the plain truth based on actual facts."

FORMER HOLLAND
MAN OPERATED THE
HOPKINS PLANT

THREE KILLED THROUGH A BOILER EXPLOSION

The Hopkins Creamery Co. at Hopkins, Allegan county, where a boiler blew up and three men were killed, is the same plant formerly managed by Lane Van Putten, a Holland man.

The dead are: Walter Hazen, 30, engineer at the plant.

Memo Kraft, 42, farmer.

George Hoerner, 28, farmer.

Those injured: LaVerne Seeley, manager of the plant.

August Marquard, farmer.

Keith DeRyee, 14.

Bert Lindsley, farmer.

Although the officials of the plant have not discovered the cause of the explosion, they put little stock in the rumor that dynamite might have been placed in the coal bin and unknowingly thrown into the fire boxes.

The boiler room of the plant was completely demolished and the plant itself was practically razed, the entire south wing being blown to bits.

A number of horses were killed and Manager Seeley was found pinned beneath one of them.

People around the village had narrow escapes from the flying debris. Windows were broken and bits of glass covered the sidewalks and streets.

According to the firemen the boilers were in good condition and had about 80 pounds of steam a few minutes before the explosion. This amount, it is said would not be sufficient to cause the boiler to give way.

Tweeds Copied From Nature.

Ideas for the colors in the best Scotch tweeds are found in the bed of the River Garry, in the pass of Killiecrankie. Granite, porphyry and jasper are found there in rich reds, grays and greens, beautifully mottled and mixed in finely contrasted colors.

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Important to Keep Varieties to Be Used for Sirup Production From Mixing With Others—Use Care in Storing Seed Heads.

Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Good, pure, viable seed of sorgo r sweet sorghum has been greatly in demand the last two years and a little extra money can be realized by farmers in the sorghum belt if they will save the seed from their fodder and sirup sorghum varieties, especially if they have pure strains of such standard varieties as black amber, red amber, orange, sumac, honey, and gooseneck.

In addition to the demand for seed of these varieties for fodder and sirup production there is a limited demand by sirup producers for the seed of such varieties as Colman, Red X, Collier, and McLean. The average farmer, however, who is growing the sorgo primarily for forage purposes had best confine himself to some one of the first-named varieties.

The importance of keeping the varieties to be used for sirup production from mixing with other varieties is strongly emphasized. The sweet varieties from which seed for future planting is to be gathered should not be grown near any other sirup or fodder variety. Even then the seed heads should be carefully selected with a view to trueness of type or variety.

With fodder varieties one can go into a field of shocked fodder and gather the seed in paying quantities by cutting with a knife the heads from the bundles or from the individual stalks, if the fodder has not been bound. The heads can be thrown in piles at the base of the shock, after the practice followed in husking corn from the shock, but this entails considerable waste and it is better to take a team and wagon into the field and throw the heads directly into the wagon box. If the field has been properly rogued and has ripened uniformly it is more economical for two men to work together and by means of a chopping block attached to the wagon box separate the heads from an entire bundle at one stroke.

The gathered heads should not be stacked in the field, but hauled into the farmyard and piled in long, narrow ricks in an open shed. Care must be used in storing the heads. Unless they are thoroughly dry when gathered large quantities thrown together in a crib or bin are likely to heat and thus seriously impair their germinating power. The piles of heads should be examined at least every two weeks, and if any signs of heat develop they should be turned with forks to forestall all damage. Where an open shed is not available for the protection of the ricked heads they may be piled in the open and covered with a tarpaulin or with bundles of fodder until they can be thrashed.

Allowing seed designed to be used for planting purposes to be wet by every rain and snow which comes is inexcusable even where wet periods are infrequent and the total amount of moisture likely to be small. Seed intended to be used for feeding purposes will not be injured to any considerable extent by a small amount of moisture, but wet seed, especially during a season when freezing temperatures prevail, will be rendered almost worthless for planting. Freezing temperatures do little injury to dry seed.

FARM BUREAU IDEA SPREADS

Canada and Australia Ask Information on Plan of Work—Is Increasing in Scope.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Inquiries have been received by the United States department of agriculture from Canada and Australia for full particulars regarding the organization and operation of farm bureaus in the United States, indicating that interest in the plan of work is no longer confined to our own country, but that other countries are eager to adopt a similar type of organization.

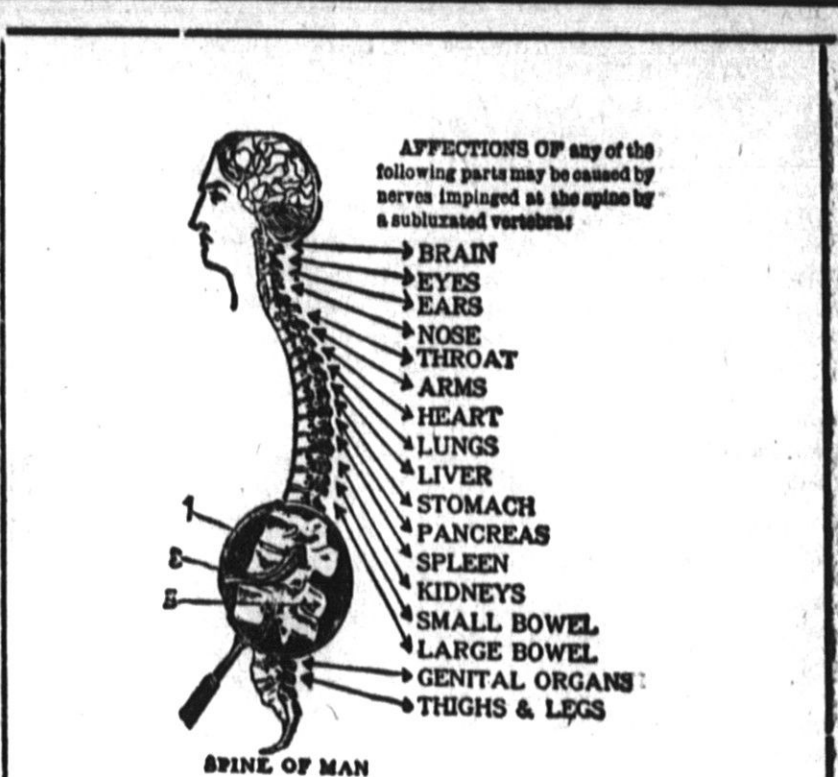
The farm bureau is not only an organization to aid the work of the county agent, but is becoming the official agency, or institution, educational in character, for co-operating with the state and nation in meeting agricultural needs, and in planning, administering and directing all phases of extension work in agriculture, and home economics in the country.

LAW OF FOOD CONSERVATION

To Turn Inedible Feeds Into Edible Foods Is Great Aim—Dairy Cow Is Efficient.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

One great law of food conservation is to turn inedible feeds into edible foods in the cheapest possible manner. The dairy cow will utilize coarse materials, inedible by humans, such as grass, corn-stalks, and hay, and will turn them into milk, which is suitable for human food. Other farm animals are converters of coarse roughage into edible foods, but are not so efficient as the dairy cow.



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DID SEASON

CASS AND VAN BUREN COUNTY
DISTRICTS EXPECT TO HAVE
BIG YIELD

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Dowagiac, Mich., June 4.—The J. Hungerford Smith grape juice plant at Lawton will have a capacity for 6000 tons of grapes this year, or 500 cars, according to reports coming from that village. The Welch factory, also at Lawton will handle nearly as many tons, while the Armour plant at Paw Paw will also be in the market.

There are rumors that the grape juice people are offering as high as \$100 per ton for the crop this year—they paid around \$80 per ton last year—and if the crop should prove to be a good one—which it promises now—grape growers in the Wayne fruit belt will reap a big harvest. Yields as high as two tons per acre are common, and often three tons per acre have been reported. It was just 60 years ago that the first grapes were planted in Lawton. Four or five men secured 2,000 vines and set them out. There was little or no market for the product at that time, and for several years but little increase in the acreage was noted. Then came the boom and since then as high as 5,000 acres have been planted in that vicinity in one year. Grape growers in the Wayne fruit belt last year received \$100 per acre for their crop and this may be doubled this year.

Miss Bessie Baumgartel left Friday noon to spend the summer at Charlevoix.

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James Boyer, Holland R. S.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the Matter of the Estate of DENA DE BOE SLOOTER, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1919, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of 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, on or before the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1919, and that said claims will be heard by said court on

Monday the 6th day of October A. D. 1919 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated June 3rd, A. D. 1919.

JAMES J. DANHOFF, Judge of Probate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

In the Matter of the Estate of MARINUS BISSCHOP, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1919, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of 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 Third Day of October, A. D. 1919 will be heard by said court on

Friday, the 3rd day of October A. D. 1919 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated June 3, A. D. 1919.

JAMES J. DANHOFF, Judge of Probate.

No. 8260—Expires June 21

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Wheat, white No. 1—	\$2.45
Wheat, red, No. 1—	2.50
Buckwheat, per hundred—	2.25
Rye—	1.30
Oats—	.80
(Feed in Ton Lots)	
St. Car Feed—	\$70.00
No. 1 Feed—	70.00
Cracked Corn—	73.00
Corn Meal—	71.00
Hominy—	71.00
Middlings—	54.00
Bras—	50.00
Dairy Feed—	58.00
Horse Feed—	62.00
Screenings, per hundred—	2.50
Scratch feed without grit—	76.00
Scratch feed with grit—	73.00
Hi-Protein dairy feed—	68.00
Oil Meal—	75.00
Cotton Seed Meal—	68.00
Molenaar & De Goede	
Eggs—	.36
Pork—	.23
Mutton—	.22
Veal—	.20
Beef—	.18
Butter, dairy—	.50
Butter, creamery—	.55
Chickens—	.25
Thomas Klomparsen & Co.	
Hay, loose—	36.00
Hay, baled—	38.00
Straw—	13.00

LOCALS

There will be a regular meeting of the Star of Bethlehem tonight in the lodge rooms. All members are asked to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. H. De Waard and sons Russell and Gordon spent the week-end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. F. Nivison of Olive Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knooihuizen have returned from Spring Lake where Mr. Knooihuizen was superintendent of schools and has just completed a most successful year.

The resignations of Prof. Arthur Heusinkveld and Rev. J. F. Bowerman as members of the Censor Board were received by the council last night and the vacancies thus created were filled by the appointment of John Vanderluis and Simon Kelyn.

Repeatedly this paper has stated that no erroneous communications will be printed unless the name of the writer is attached. "Observer" giving his reason for the demise of the Crisp Creamery Co. will have to sign his name before the article receives consideration. Simply signing "Observer" will not do.

The funeral of Clyde LaRoy Johnston of Caledonia took place from the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Dekker, on the North Side at 10 o'clock yesterday. The child of 19 months died of pneumonia and the body was taken to Holland by automobile. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. F. Bowerman, pastor of the M. E. church. Burial took place in Holland Township cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston were former residents of this city.

The Star of Bethlehem, O. E. S. No. 40 gave the Memorial Services at the meeting of the Ottawa County Association of Stars yesterday at Lisbon. The meeting yesterday was the summer gathering of the county Stars and a very enthusiastic meeting was held. The following represent those in attendance from the Star of Bethlehem Chapter: Mrs. G. A. Lacey, Mrs. Gertrude Burt, Mrs. Edna Bertsch, Mrs. Arthur White, Mr. James Van Dyke, Mr. Arthur White, Mrs. Meengs, Mrs. Margerite Schouten, Mrs. D. Thompson, Mrs. Bisto, Mrs. Helen Doan, Mrs. A. G. Galentine, Mr. and Mrs. C. Markham, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oosting, Mrs. J. Hoffman, Mrs. Tyner, Mrs. Gertrude Deagen. From the Holland Chapter: Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott, Mrs. E. Allen, Mrs. Al Van Duren. The trip was made by automobile and was much enjoyed by the Stars.

Miss Janet De Graaf entertained a party of friends last evening at her home 75 West 15th street in honor of Miss Amy Michmershuizen who will be a June bride. The guests presented her with a beautiful electric toaster. Cake and fancy ice cream was served and music and games were indulged in. Those present were the Misses Amy Michmershuizen, Mae Koning, Janet Jonker, Henrietta Steketee, Ella Berkompas, Maggie Bronkhorst, Kathryn Waasenaar, Nellie Zeerip, Janet De Graaf.

The Indians gave away the whole of Manhattan Island for a couple of Manhattan cocktails and a string of beads. Now it is impossible to get a half bedroom on it without signing away next year's salary as a first payment. If the old Indian chief who once owned the place should return today a flock of real estate operators would take his tent away, set it up in another alley, put in a couple of floors, and offer him the attic for \$100 a month, providing he'd do the janitor work and cut out the war whoop stuff.

C. Rowsdort of Olive Center was arrested by Deputy Game Warden Dick Homkes on the charge of shooting a woodpecker. This is against the law but the boy is said to have claimed ignorance of the state law.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Kuizenga are on an extended trip East.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Preston Scott, Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Alfred Van Duren motored to Lisbon yesterday to attend the county convention of the O. E. S.

Ald. Brieve reported to the common council last night that the sum of \$88.50 had been expended for temporary relief since the last meeting.

During Monday night's severe electrical storm lightning struck an automobile which was being tried out by Deputy Sheriff Lew Bouwman and M. Verhage. The bolt grazed the top of the machine and knocked off the hats of both men. The top was slightly burned.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Higgins and sons Russel and Roy and daughter, Bessie and Mr. Charles French motored from Chicago in a 1919 Ford Sedan in eight and a half hours on Decoration day and visited over Sunday with their mother, Mrs. B. P. Higgins.

ONE NEW MEMBER OF B. P. W. IS NAMED LAST NIGHT

MARTINUS VANDER WATER TAKES PLACE VACATED BY DICK BOTER

Council Fails To Elect Member In the Place of Frank Bolhuis

Midnight stopped the common council last evening, the aldermen deciding that enough was enough and going home wearily when the hand of the clock pointed to twelve.

Not that they had finished the business but they decided to pass up the rest until the next time. The midnight hour caught them in the midst of the allotting for a member of the board of public works to take the place of Frank Bolhuis who recently resigned. Three ballots had been taken and no choice had been arrived at. Mayor Bosch thereupon exercised his prerogative of declaring the council and the aldermen went home.

A little earlier three ballots were taken to elect a man to take the place of Dick Boter resigned. On the third ballot Martinus VanderWater was elected.

The council meeting was the longest one held in two or three years. That was not by reason of the fact of quarrels however between the aldermen or between the aldermen and spectators, as has sometimes been the case in the past. The city officials and those in the audience part of the council chamber remained good natured throughout and the various difficulties that arose were smoothed out patiently and carefully.

The council now has appointed three of the five members of the board of public works and at the next regular meeting the fourth member is to be named by the aldermen.

SHOWER GIVEN FOR JUNE BRIDE

MISS NELLIE KUYERS IS REMEMBERED BY HER MANY FRIENDS

A miscellaneous shower was given last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoeland in honor of Miss Nella Kuyers who is to be a June bride.

One of the main features of the evening was a mock marriage in which seven took part. Those present were: the Misses Sena Troost, Mildred Smith, Julia Mulder, Jennie Kolk, Anna Van de West, Lydia Eelhart, Lizzie and Sena Miedema, Hilda Stegeman, Gertrude Pot, Donna Kraai, Margaret Dornink, Nella Kuyers, Mrs. E. Schrottenboer, Mrs. D. Oosterbaan, Mrs. S. Plagenhof, Mr. B. J. Diekema, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoeland. The bride to be received many beautiful and useful gifts accompanied with best wishes for the future. Dainty refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Miss Verna Cantwell of Grand Haven is the guest of Miss Betty Nibelink, West Ninth street.

Keep Up the "Friend Supply."
The success of every life, as well as its happiness, depends very largely on its friendships. Take time to make friends. Take time to keep them. There are a great many unnecessary things which can be omitted from our daily activities and no harm done, but for the making and for the keeping of our friendships in repair one must find time, whatever else is neglected.

Hickory Best Fuel Wood.
Hickory of the nonresinous woods is said to have the highest fuel value per unit volume of wood, and has other advantages. It burns evenly and holds the heat. The oaks come next, followed by beech, birch and maple.

War Macaroni.
Somebody is complaining of the size of the war macaroni. We have always preferred the 44-calibre kind to the sort they call vermicelli, as Samvel Weller would say.

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HOLLAND'S WATER TO BE EXAMINED BY GAME DEPT.

CITY IS SAID TO BE ONE OF THE GREATEST OFFENDERS IN WATER POLLUTION

Deputy Game Warden Boswick of Lansing quietly came to Holland yesterday in order to find out what Holland is doing with its water supply or rather the water supply of its fish.

There are certain regulations and laws that govern the throwing away of refuse into lakes and streams in the state of Michigan, and the game department apparently wishes to find out if Holland and its people are living up to these regulations.

The game department representative stated immediately that he knew the city of Holland was one of the worst offenders.

It is well and publicly understood by the city officials that it will soon have to contend with one of the biggest questions it has yet faced in many years.

Holland is guilty of emptying its sewerage into Black river and lake and these bodies of water at this end are at least no longer fresh water streams, but are fast becoming stagnant pools. While we are sorry for the fish, if these waters continue, we may soon have to feel very sorry for our near and dear ones who may be taken away from us thru an epidemic caused from this cause.

Anyway a liberal supply of the city's contribution besides some coming from the Cappon-Bertsch Leather Co. and the Holland Aniline Co. have been secured and the refuse from other factories dumping into Black Lake, may also be analyzed. From the tune of Deputy Boswick's conversation there is liable to be something done to stop this water pollution in order that the fish may be saved. Deputy Dick Homkes assisted the State Deputy in securing evidence.

COULD ONLY MAKE \$5000 BANK DEPOSITS

MR. CHAPLIN BANKS A BIT TO THE SURPRISE OF THE CASHIER

There is at least one bank in America that will not open an account for less than \$5000. That is the First National of New York, of which George F. Baker is the head.

There is a story told of a slight, very

youthful, mild-looking man who went into the bank one morning and saying he wished to open an account, was told by the cashier of the \$5000 limitation.

"That will be all right," said the young man. "I have a check here for \$20,000. May I deposit it?"

"Um! Yes," said the cashier.

"By the way," remarked the young man, "there will be a check coming for me each week. I shall ask to have it sent here for deposit to my account. Will that be all right?"

"Yes," said the cashier.

Regularly each week for a year or more a check came from Los Angeles and was deposited to the credit of the young man. Each check was for \$10,000.

The new depositor was Charlie Chaplin.

HOLLAND BOY PICKED AS BEST SOLDIER

FOUR BRIGADES OF MARINES TO TOUR BELGIUM, FRANCE AND ENGLAND

Will All Be Refined With New Outfits Before Starting on Their Cruising Trip

A letter received by the family of Barend Kammeraad, shows that the former olland boy has been picked as one of several soldiers to tour the European countries.

Len Kammeraad was prisoner at one of the German camps until all war activities had ended. The letter from Mr. Kammeraad follows:

Honnningen, Germany, May 3,

Dear Sister—
Saturday afternoon and nothing to do but lay around and do as I please. And of course that is pretty easy.

But say, sister, let me tell you something first. I have been chosen as one of the best soldiers in the 4th Brigade marines, to go on a tour through Belgium, France and England on an expedition. There is to be a regiment of soldiers picked out of seven divisions. We are to draw all new outfits so we will look spick and span when we start out. I sure wish we could parade in old Holland once, and show the natives what a real soldier looks like. You see they don't know, as all they see is national guards.

We have a pretty good billet for our stay in this town. There are four of us in a large room and we all have beds to sleep in. We also have a piano

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in the room so if you happen to walk in the house inside of the next week why come in and give us a little music. Gee, I sure wish you were here this afternoon. We have nothing to do so we would have a nice time. Two hundred and eighty-five picked out of the 5th and 6th marines. And believe me, we are some company too. We were just assembled yesterday according to size. The tallest men are in the front and the smallest ones in the rear. I am in the middle of the third platoon, so you can imagine the size of the leading ones. Because you know I am not such a little runt either.

Believe me it is some sight to see them step out too. Rather us, I mean. We left Segindorf yesterday morning for this place only about twenty

kilos away. I think we are to stay here a couple of weeks. Then we go to Coblenz and there we'll have a chance to talk. But I expect that will all come in good time, and not in such a long time either.

They are selling ice-cream and pie at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon and I guess it is up to me to be there, as those articles are not so plentiful around here.

Well, sister, when we get started I will drop you a card from every place we stop at, as I don't expect we will have much time for a letter.

I will probably write a letter soon again, perhaps before I leave this place, so I will ring off.

With lots of love to all,
Len Kammeraad.