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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS

VOLUME 41

THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 1912

No. 25

## Exceptional Bargains IN HOUSES

- \$1100**—18th Street, near College Ave. Good house with 6 rooms and cellar. Having Electric Lights, City water, sewers up to lot, gas in street. A fine hen house, shade trees and cement walks. Will consider to take a good lot in exchange.
- \$1300**—18th Street, near Central Ave. A neat house having 7 rooms, besides woodshed, pantry and cellar. Has city water, gas, electric lights, cement walks and sewer in the yard. \$450 down and \$8 per month.
- \$1400**—16th Street, between College and Columbia Avenues. Large lot. The house has 8 rooms and large cellar, city water, gas for cooking. There is a nice large barn. Also cement walks and shade trees.
- \$2250**—15th Street, between Maple and First Ave. This is a nearly modern and new residence, and worth a good deal more than we ask. It has front hall and stairway also back stairway. Large rooms and large cellar. Good barn.
- \$2900**—A nearly new modern residence, oak finished and double floors. Nearly all conveniences, and one of the best locations in the city.

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## The Watch Works

deserve first consideration when purchasing a time-piece. Our constant aim is to supply our watch customers, first of all with dependable Time Keepers. The selection of a handsome case is comparatively easy from the large line of new patterns offered here.

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is a benefit to any man

## A Good Suit

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Our made-to-your-order Suits embodies all those little details and essentials so easily overlooked at times. Add to these the splendid fit, richness of material and air of up-to-dateness, and you have a Suit to be proud of.

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Siamese Grapefruit.

In Slam there are three kinds of grapefruit, all seedless. One kind has red meat. Two kinds are sweet and one is sour.

### ENROLLMENT TIME CLOSING

All electors who are not enrolled and who fail to do so by June 27 will be unable to participate in the primaries which occur on August 27. Any elector can have his name placed on the list by calling on the clerk of the township or city in which he lives.

The primaries in August will be the most important which come under the provisions of the law creating that system of nominating candidates. At that time the various parties will select complete state county and congressional tickets.

Those candidates to be selected for the county tickets include nominees for judge of probate, sheriff, county clerk, county treasurer, register of deeds, two coroners two circuit court commissioners a county surveyor and a drain commissioner. The state candidates to be selected embrace governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state and a senator and representative from this district.

In addition to voting for candidates for congress from this district one of the candidates being Carl Mapes, now State senator, electors will also ballot for their preferences for United States senator to succeed Wm. Alden Smith, who will again run this being his first term and a congressman at large. Thus far there is but one candidate in the field, he being Pat Kelley.

This will be the first time in many years that Michigan will send a congressman at large to Washington. This state now has twelve but since the reappointment it is entitled to thirteen. As the legislature has not revised the districts since the law allowing another national representative was enacted, it is necessary to choose the new one by a general election in which all of the electors of Michigan will participate.

### ZEELAND POPULATION IS GROWING

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. Nienhuis, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. H. Nienhuis, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. J. Woodhulst, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. J. Lemmen, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bos, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Wabeke, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Janssen, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Korneelje, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Karsten, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Enno Kraal, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hieftje, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Tiekje Bosgraaf, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. John Van der Zwaag, a girl.

### DE KRUIF LANDS IN OLD COUNTRY.

A writing from Henry Kruijff under date of May 27 received a few days ago states that they had then been on the ocean six days and so far it was a constant source of enjoyment. Their steamer was due in Rotterdam about June 1. They plan to first spend a week or ten days in the Netherlands and then proceed up the Rhine to Germany, Switzerland, Italy, France, Belgium, England and Scotland.

A special meeting of the board of supervisors has been called for June 25. The call was issued yesterday and was signed by Supervisors Roosenraad, Hatch, A. J. Knight, Parks, Cline, Rycenga, Nyland and Hilderink. The special meeting will be held at the court house at two o'clock in the afternoon and the principal business will be the consideration of the county good roads bond situation. It is expected that the board may take action toward advertising for bids on the twenty year maturity bonds in conformity to the ballots.

### What Do You Know About Furniture

You have lived with it all your life, but can you tell from a picture whether a piece of wood is oak or elm, whether it is green or well seasoned. Do you imagine that LOOKING at a finish establishes the amount of labor spent in filling, staining and polishing. There is no standard by which you can measure the value of furniture except that of confidence. You must TRUST THE HOUSE from which you BUY, and we don't expect you to believe any claims we present unless We believe FIRST; therefore we are prepared to guarantee everything we carry; to pledge MONEY'S WORTH OR MONEY BACK.

For over forty years the "BROWER" character has been building behind the quality of the furniture sold and just now you will find it at its best.

**James A. Brower, 212-214 River Street**

### Common Council

The Common Council met in regular session last night in the council rooms in the city hall, waded through a great deal of routine work and adjourned until Friday night when the Twelfth street sewer proposals will be considered.

John Zoet was granted permission to build a boat house north of First street and east of River. The petition of Thomas Kloparsens to build a scale on East Seventh street near Columbia was referred to the committee on streets and crosswalks with power to act.

The Board of Education was granted permission to use the board room in the city hall for their caucus and the police room for the holding of the election the second Monday in July. The Holland City Gas company was granted permission to take up part of the pavement on West Eighth street near Maple in order that they may get down to the main and make needed improvements, they agreeing to put the street back into its present condition.

A communication from the attorneys of the Calumet Construction Co. was read to the council in which they said that they would like to settle by arbitration or otherwise. This is the company which constructed the well over which there has been so much talk. The well was not built according to the contract in that it lacks eight feet of being as deep as the contract calls for. The company asks full price for the work but the Board of Public Works and the Ways and Means committee which conducted investigations cannot see things in the same light as the well people. The well is in good shape and is being used and the Board of Public Works and Ways and Means committee are willing to come to a fair settlement made upon a cost basis. In view of the fact that the company will send representatives here to meet with the city officials the settlement was left in the hands of the Board of Public Works and the Ways and Means committee who were also given power to act. This created some discussion but as it was shown that it would be more business like and the officials would know where they were at and what they could and could not do and there also might be a chance to settle at once and would not have to wait.

A petition asking for street sprinkling on College avenue between 16 and 19 street was referred to the streets and crosswalks committee with power to act. A petition asking for sidewalks on Columbia avenue between 15 street and the piano factory was granted.

The gas tests showed a lower average than has been read for some time but this was due to lack of pressure which will be remedied as soon as the new holder has been installed.

A communication from the Bd. of P. W. stated that the C. H. Wheeler Mfg. Co., which had been awarded the contract for the installing of a condenser, had refused the contract on the grounds that they could not meet some of the conditions. As thirty days have already been lost and the board is anxious to push this matter through the Board asked that the contract be changed to name the new Co. and awarded to the next lowest bidder. There is a difference of \$230.00 in the bids and the Board holds a check of \$881.00 from the first firm. The council complied with the request of the Board.

The culvert over the creek on 26 street will be repaired in the near future the high water of this spring preventing any work being done before. The city will purchase 6 more garbage cans.

The restaurants which buy milk from licensed peddlers and sell same to their customers will not have to pay the regular license fee but one of \$1.00.

James A. Brower carries a full line of Oak, Mahogany, or Walnut dressers from \$10 to \$45.

Tickets will be sold on the Interurban at the rate of 60c roundtrip not including city fares in Grand Rapids or 70 cents with the city fares. The company is now giving half hourly service to Grand Rapids in the morning and afternoon.

Another rate goes into effect on Thursday, when the company will begin selling 24 ride family ticket books at \$8 each. These tickets are good between Holland and Grand Rapids and may be used any time up to and including October 31st.

### Lincoln And the Split of 1860

Says a syndicate article which is being published in many newspapers, "It was this complicated split which brought about the election of Lincoln." The reference is to the split in the Democratic party in the Charleston convention of 1860, and the nomination of two tickets elsewhere, one headed by Douglas, the favorite of the Northern Democrats, and the other by Breckinridge, the candidate of the Southern section of the party. There was another ticket also in the field, that of an element calling themselves the Constitutional Unionists, whose nominee was John Bell of Tennessee. Lincoln was the Republican candidate.

But Lincoln would have been



elected even if the Charleston rupture had been averted. He carried all the free states except New Jersey in which there had been a fusion of the other candidate against him, but he won four of that state's seven electoral votes. The only states which he would have lost had the Democrats been united were California and Oregon. If the seven electoral votes of those two states were taken off Lincoln's total he would still have had 173 electoral votes, as compared with 130 for Douglas, Breckinridge and Bell in the aggregate, or a majority of 43.

It was not by accident that the first Republican presidential victory was won. The Republican party had a majority in the states which held the preponderance in the electoral vote. Lincoln received very little support in the slave states, or only about 26,000 votes in the aggregate, and 17,000 of these were cast for him in Missouri. But in almost all the free states he would have had a lead even if there had been a coalition between his three antagonists. His majority in the electoral college was a fair expression of the sentiment of the American people of that day. Even as early as 52 years ago the Republican party was a pretty vigorous organization.

Wouldn't it be well for our commission to charter the job.

As time passes how things change. Only recently the Gas company was too heavily watered, now it is not watered enough.

Al Howard the holdup man had his victims encircle trees. It would no doubt have been more desirable to climb them.

**MERCHANTS IN FAVOR OF AN ALL DAY OUTING BUT DO NOT DECIDE ON TIME AND PLACE**

The merchants will hold another annual picnic this summer but the time and place has been left in the hands of a committee of five who will investigate the matter and report to the association. The members of this committee are John Vandersluis, Bert Slagh, Andrew Stokette, Gerard Cook and H. Van Lente.

The Holland Independents took the Moguls of Grand Rapids into camp Saturday afternoon at the 19th St. grounds by a score of 8 to 0. Serrine pitched another great game and would have scored a shut out but for one or two misplays.

The feature of the game aside from Serrine's pitching was a home run by Meraman over the left field fence. The boys are putting up a good game and are game fighters but are not receiving the support that they deserve.



We have reduced our regular meals from 35c to 25c.

First Class and Up-to-date. Big cut on all Egg orders. Just put in a new French Broiler. Will broil Steak, Chops, Ham, Chicken, Liver and Fish.

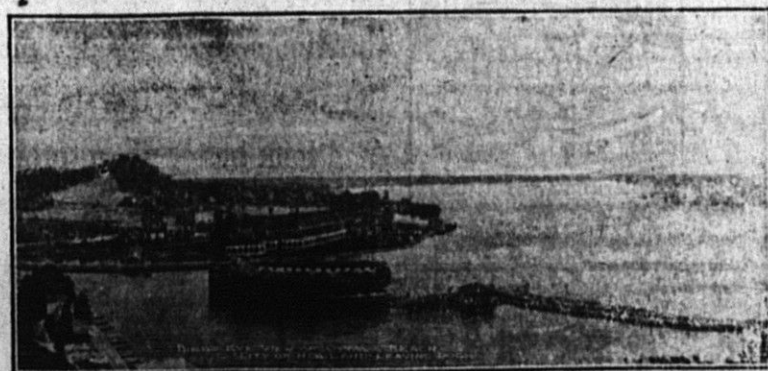
Come in and see our Special. Change every day.

**VAN'S CAFE**

John Hoffman, Prop.

## GRAHAM & MORTON LINE

CHICAGO BOAT—Daily Steamer Between Holland and Chicago



Leave Holland every night at 9:30.

Leave Chicago every night at 8:00

Passenger fare, \$1.50, lower berth \$1.00; upper berth 75c

Close connections with the G. R. H. & C. Interurban for Grand Rapids, Saugatuck and intermediate points, and Steam Railways for all Central Michigan. The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.

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Chicago Dock, foot of Wabash Avenue





## Zeeland

The Rev. D. R. Drukker, pastor of the First Christian Reformed church of Zeeland has announced that he had declined a call extended to him from the First Reformed church of Kalamazoo.

In a fast game played here Saturday between the Zeeland Independents and the Holland South Ends, the Independents got the best of the South Ends and defeated them by the score of 7 to 4. The feature of the game was the hitting of Edding, of Zeeland and Halley, of Holland. The batteries—Independents Brouwer and Te Beek; South Ends, Box and Ashley. Struck out by Brouwer 7, by Box, 6. Bases on Balls—Brouwer 1, Box 5.

Henry Mulder of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Mulder.

H. Brumel of Grand Rapids spent Sunday in the city with his friends.

The Rev. J. B. Jonkman was in the city on business Saturday.

J. G. Meengs of Vriesland was in the city on business Saturday. Paul De Kruij of Ann Arbor is spending a few days with friends in the city.

The services at the Forest Grove Reformed church were conducted on Sunday by the Rev. Mr. Bouma of Holland.

The Rev. G. De Jong of this city conducted the services Sunday at the Reformed church in Vriesland.

J. Kivit of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kivit.

An appropriate reception was given the Senior class of the Zeeland High school on Monday evening. The affair was in form of School by the junior class Tuesday a lawn fete at the home of Mrs. S. Foutwens on Maine Street. An Orchestra discoursed music during the evening, and an appropriate program rendered by both classes. It is needless to say that refreshments were served.

P. H. De Kruij, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry De Kruij of this city, has been awarded a \$600 scholarship by the University of Michigan for the highest work in bacteriology. Mr. De Kruij is a junior medical student at the university and will devote a year to research work. In addition to the above he has been elected as member of the corps of assistants on the hospital staff at the University hospital.

At the regular meeting of the Civic club it was decided to hold the annual picnic on Wednesday, July 24, at Jenison park.

Mrs. F. Laepe entertained the Ladies Good Will society at her home Friday.

Baron D. Sytama and J. M. Thomas were in Grand Rapids on business Friday.

Len Bos and family have moved to Grand Rapids.

Miss Florence Mac Dermard arrived home Friday to spend her summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Mac Dermard. She has just closed a very successful season's work as instructor in the Kent City High school.

The annual picnic of the Civic Club will be held next Wednesday June 24, at Jenison Park. The committees appointed by Pres. J. N. Clark are putting forth their best efforts to make it a grand holiday.

Prof. Herbert Keppel of Gainesville, Fla., is spending his summer vacation with his parents in the city.

H. Beldt of Beaverdam was in the city on business Thursday.

Herman Van Sytler of Grand Rapids was in the city visiting with Corie Hirdes.

Miss Minnie De Bruyn entertained a number of friends at her home on Thursday evening.

Dr. C. Boone left for Chicago on Thursday evening after spending a few days with his parents.

The Rev. J. Ghysels of Passaic, N. Jersey, is visiting at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. D. R. Drukker.

C. De Koster's new home is nearly completed.

Joe De Pree, student at the U. of M. is home on his summer vacation.

D. Van Loo left Tuesday for Chicago where he will attend the Synod of the Christian Reformed church.

A. LaHais left on business for Detroit Tuesday.

Miss Nora Coburn of Clear Water, Minn., is visiting friends in the city.

Muskogon on business today.

Deputies Sheriff Salisbury and Kiels were in the city on business Monday.

Mrs. Jacob Shoemaker, who has been dangerously ill during the past ten days, is slowly improving.

F. J. Titus was in Drenthe on business Monday.

## ZEELAND

C. P. Van Dyke returned yesterday from Milwaukee, Wis., where he has been spending a week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Oosting of Holland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Vanden Berg of this city.

Mrs. C. Platt left last evening for Chicago where she will spend a few days with friends.

J. Stegenga of Borculo has left for Chicago where he will go as delegate to the Synod of the Christian Reformed church to be held at that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schilleman and two children of Auburn, Ind., left Monday for their home after making a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Schilleman of this city.

Misses Katie and Hilda Dykema of Holland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dykema of this city.

Raymond and Cornie Schaap of Orange City, Ia., are spending a few days with relatives and friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wixson of South Haven spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Titus.

The Rev. Mr. Vander Werp of Zutphen was in the city on business Monday.

## PRETTY ZEELAND HIGH SCHOOL FUNCTION HELD IN THAT PLACE.

Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brouwer in Zeeland, the members of the Junior class of the Zeeland High school gave a reception to the members of the Senior class. The following program was rendered: opening address, Supt. J. C. Hoekje; address by the Junior class president, Wm. Jonkman; address by the Senior class president, Jacob Boonstra; vocal solo by Miss Edna Brandt; address by member of faculty, Miss Stanton; address by member of the board of education, B. Neerken.

Music was furnished by the Zeeland orchestra and dainty refreshments were served.

The graduating exercises of the Senior class of the Zeeland High school will take place on Thursday evening, June 20 at the First Reformed church of Zeeland. The class numbers seven: Jacob Boonstra, Edna M. Brandt; Allen B. Elliot, Jennie Hunderman, Henrietta N. Neerken, Jennie Nyenhuis, Adrian VanFarowe. The class colors are Brown and gold. The class flower is white rose, and the class motto is "Quality, not Quantity." The class officers are: President, Jacob Boonstra; vice president, Allen B. Elliot, secretary, Edna M. Brandt, treasurer, Adrian VanFarowe.

The following program will be rendered.

Processional .....  
Invocation.....The Rev. P. P. Cheff  
Salutatory.....Edna Brandt  
Vocal Solo.....Bert Elliott  
Class History.....Jennie Nyenhuis  
Piano Solo.....Henrietta Neerken  
Class Will.....Bert Elliott  
Piano Solo.....Jennie Hunderman  
Declaration.....Adrian VanFarowe  
Class Prophecy.....Jacob Boonstra  
Vocal Solo.....Edna Brandt  
Valedictory.....Henrietta Neerken  
Class Song—"Brown and Gold"  
Presentation of Diplomas.....  
Benediction.....The Rev. J. Smittier

## RUSK

George Schipper of Rusk has sold his fine 80 acre farm to John Sall of Rusk. Mr. Schipper will retain possession of the farm till October first and then he will move to Holland with his family.

## JAMESTOWN

Invitations are out to the wedding of Hattie Meyers and Raymond H. Freeman, both of Jamestown, Mich. The ceremony will be held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Meyers at Jamestown.

Rev. G. DeJongh of Zeeland conducted services at the Vriesland Reformed church Sunday.

P. Roon principal of the Forest Grove school was in Zeeland on business Friday.

Principal Henry K. Boer of Jamestown was in Holland Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Noord were visiting in Jamestown Thursday.

## OVERISEL

The funeral of Frederick Koopman took place Tuesday at Overisel. Services were held at 12:30 o'clock from the home near Overisel and at 2 o'clock from the First Reformed church of that place. The Rev. G. Hekhuis, pastor of the church officiated. Interment was at the Overisel cemetery.

Mrs. and Mrs. Hendrik J. Kollen and Mr. and Mrs. John Vrieling, pioneers of the Van Raalte colony, commemorated the fifty first anniversary of their marriage at their homes respectively in Holland and Overisel. These two couples both took the matrimonial vow in the

Reformed church at Overisel in 1861 and lived on adjoining farms for forty seven years. Mr. and Mrs. Vrieling are still occupying their farm home, while Mr. and Mrs. Kollen moved to Holland four years ago.

A pretty wedding took place at Overisel Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Jennie Pomp of Overisel, when her daughter Anna, was united in marriage to Dennis Nyhuis of Overisel. Many relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony which was performed by the Rev. G. Hekhuis, pastor of the Reformed church of Overisel.

A fine wedding supper was served and the couple received many beautiful and useful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Nyhuis are well known in this vicinity and will make their home in Overisel.

Last Thursday evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Frederick Voorhoorst in Overisel, a wedding reception was given to a large number of friends and relatives in honor of the marriage of Miss Ruth Lavina Voorhoorst and the Rev. John Wolterdink, also of Overisel. The bride is well known in Holland, having attended schools here, and afterwards having held the position as stenographer in this city for a number of years.

The groom graduated in May from the Western Theological seminary. The young couple will leave in the near future for Clymer, Hill, New York, where the Rev. Mr. Voorhoorst will become pastor of the Reformed church.

## HOLLANDTOWN

Twenty six chickens belonging to John Wellings who lives at the fair grounds were killed a few nights ago. The coops in which the chickens are kept were left unlocked and in the morning the chickens were strewn around the yard. At first Mr. Wellings thought that thieves had done this wholesale killing but further investigation convinced the officers that the killing had been done by a dog.

## HAMILTON

A pretty wedding took place at Hamilton Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. William Drenten of Hamilton, when their daughter Gertrude, was married to Henry Kamper of Hamilton. Many relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony which was performed by the Rev. Hankamp, pastor of the church. A fine wedding supper was served and the couple received many beautiful as well as useful gifts.

## OLIVE CENTER

J. O. Fletcher and a party of four narrowly escaped death when an auto which he was driving skidded, turned turtle in a ditch near Olive Center Friday. The occupants fell clear of the car which was a total wreck. Mr. Fletcher and the others were badly bruised. The car was going less than 15 miles an hour.

Maurice C. Scofield and Miss Elizabeth M. Black were united in marriage by the Rev. P. E. Whitman at the parsonage of the M. E. church. Both are from West Olive and they will make their home there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kleevens and family of Holland have been visiting friends here.

## JENISON PARK

The Lakeside Inn at Jenison Park opened for the season Sunday. A large number of guests are already scheduled for the place. Hotels at the other resorts will also soon open.

## DRENTH

The pupils of the North Holland and Drenth schools spent the day at Jenison Park yesterday.

Mrs. J. Mast of Drenthe has issued invitations to the approaching marriage of her daughter Fanny to Ren Hammer of Zeeland. The ceremony will take place at the home of the groom's parents in Zeeland June 27.

## SAUGATUCK

Saturday was a big day in Saugatuck, about three hundred people from this city, Grand Rapids, South Haven and Chicago going there to witness the launching of the new steamer Anna C. Randall. As the steamer started to move down the ways, Miss Mary Randall, daughter of one of the owners broke the bottle of wine over her prow and christened the steamer.

The new boat is owned by Capt. W. P. Wilson and Henry Randall of Saugatuck and will replace the John A. Alper on the Saugatuck and South Haven run during the months of July and August, plying between Chicago and Saugatuck the remainder of the season. She is 105 feet long, 20 feet four inches in beam and has two decks. She is equipped with a Port Huron 1616 engine and boilers 66 in. x 10 ft. and will average about 16 miles an hour. She will accommo-

date 400 passengers and this will go far toward making the trip to South Haven less tedious than at present.

During the season a great deal of fruit is picked up on the run to South Haven and stops will be made at Pier Cove and Glenn Pier for fruit and passengers. Daily trips will be made leaving South Haven in the morning and Saugatuck in the afternoon arriving at South Haven in time to connect with the Chicago and South Haven Transportation Co., steamers.

## BEAVERDAM PIONEER DIES AT THE AGE OF SEVENTY

After a long illness, Peter Verecke died at his home in Beaverdam Tuesday. He attained the age of 70 years. He was one of the pioneers of that vicinity having come to this country with his parents in 1852. They settled on a farm near Beaverdam and he has resided there all his life. He was born in the province of Zeeland, the Netherlands. His wife died about 25 years ago. The deceased is survived by four sons, five daughters, one brother and one sister. Funeral services were held today at 12 o'clock from the home in Beaverdam and at 1 o'clock from the Reformed church there.

## Allegan

After the losing of the iron nerve he has displayed since his arrest in Detroit two weeks ago, Wawryn Sesziak Sunday broke down and confessed to Assistant Prosecuting Attorney John Smolinski of Grand Rapids, who has been assisting Prosecutor E. M. Stone with the case that it was he who killed Siemon Drzewicki and threw his body in the Kalamazoo river at Allegan. He declares Mrs. Drzewicki knew nothing of the murder until two days later.

Monday Sesziak appeared before Judge Cross in the Allegan Circuit court for sentence. It was the first time a murder case had come up before Judge Cross and he was visibly affected when he sentenced Sesziak to spend the rest of his life in the Marquette state prison. Mrs. Drzewicki was at the same time sentenced to spend one year in the Detroit House of Correction on the charge of illegal cohabitation.

The murder of Drzewicki was deliberately planned, according to Sesziak's confession. On March 2 he purchased a revolver, but was unable to kill his victim that day. On the day following Sesziak says he took him to a clump of woods near the Drzewicki farm house and there shot him twice. He then beat in his head with a grab hoe, buried the body in the snow and then later carried it to the river, broke a hole in the ice and threw it in at night.

The murder, according to Sesziak, was prompted by his love for his victim's wife. She was unwilling to give up her husband, altho she allowed Sesziak to live in their home, and when Sesziak could get rid of the man in no other way, he deliberately planned, it is said, to kill him. At first he declared the murder was suggested by Mrs. Drzewicki, but later denied that she knew anything of it.

As both parties are Polish and can not speak a word of English, Prosecutor Stone and Sheriff Velney Ferris have had to depend almost entirely upon Attorney Smolinski of Grand Rapids to work out their case.

Drzewicki's body was found floating in the river about four miles below Allegan four weeks ago today. It was brought to Allegan and buried. The following Saturday it was exhumed and an autopsy showed that the man had been murdered. The arrest of the woman in Chicago and the man in Detroit followed, through excellent work of Sheriff Ferris and Prosecutor Stone. At first both denied any knowledge of the affair but under the sweating of Attorney Smolinski the man weakened and confessed. He was arraigned before Judge Cross in the Allegan Circuit court this morning charged with first degree murder, and when he pleaded guilty the sentence followed.

## Blendon Township Highway Commissioner Prepares for County System Work.

L. Parady, commissioner of Highway ways of Blendon township has a force of five teams and ten or twelve men at work putting the highways in shape, preparatory to starting work for the county good roads system. There are still several steel bridges to be built on account of the many wash out last spring.

## For Sale Cheap

A Bakers Wagon used only three months is as good as new and is a beauty cost \$175 with wheels and runners. Will sell it very cheap because parties have gone out of baking business. The wagon will answer very well for a milk wagon. Inquire Holland City News. Gas Company.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of  
*Dr. H. Fletcher*  
In Use For Over Thirty Years  
**CASTORIA**  
900 DROPS  
ALCOHOL 3 PER CENT.  
A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of  
INFANTS & CHILDREN  
Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.  
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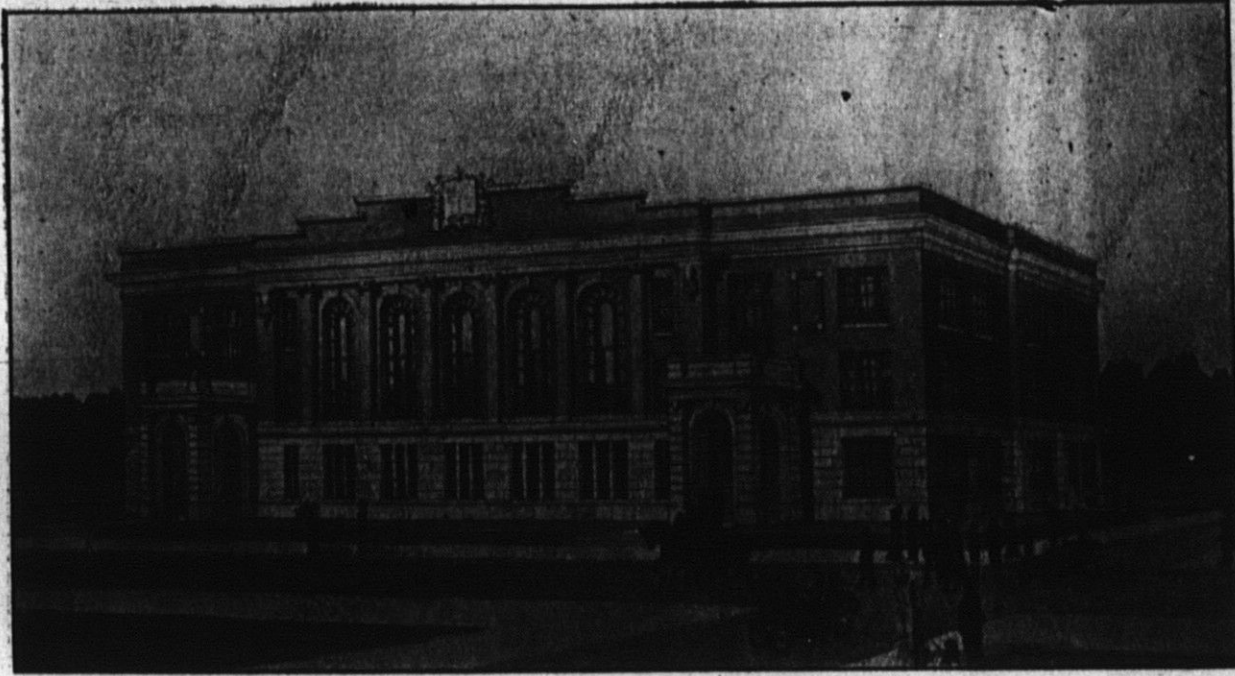
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## Holland's \$100,000 High School



# **PROF. JOHN E. KUIZENGA DELIVERS BACCALAUREATE SERMON TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.**

"Right Building," was the subject Prof. John E. Kuizenga chose in addressing the graduating class of Holland High school in the Third Reformed church Sunday morning. The church was crowded and the class, the faculty and the board of Education attended the baccalaureate sermon in a body. The address of Prof. Kuizenga was an eloquent one and it was charged with the desire of the speaker to impress upon the young people of the high school that the building of a life is not a haphazard matter, but is governed by the immutable laws of God.

"All of you must be builders," said Prof. Kuizenga, "for build you must. It is one of the laws of life. From the very cradle the child shows that the building instinct is implanted in man's nature. He builds houses of blocks and later graduates to the hammer and the saw, or, in the case of a girl to thread and needle. They must build because they cannot help themselves.

"And the youth cannot help but feel that he is and must be a builder. He feels it in his very body. In his pulse beats the blood of achievement and in his brain the poet visions will give him no rest. Every morning he feels that something big is going to happen to him and he must be up and doing to take part in the big things of life. You cannot tell him that life is not worth living. Every cell in his body and every thought of his mind give that thought the lie. He is made for great things; he is the great builder.

"Still later perhaps comes the realization that God is the great builder and that we are his laborers. Our lives are hemmed in by habit. As infants we begin to learn and we waste countless movements in learning to control our muscles. Gradually habits are formed and we do thousands of things without consciously thinking of them. In this way God comes to our aid. He builds up habits to give us time for the big things of life. He helps us so that we may be laborers and do the work that the Master expects of us.

"And this involves the responsibility of building in such a way that God can build with us. The only way to build a church is to make the foundation so strong that it will support the superstructure. The only right way to build your life is to build it in such a way that God can build his temple upon it."

In conclusion Prof. Kuizenga addressed a few words of helpful advice directly to the graduating class telling them to build in such a way that the Master builder could stamp his seal of approval on their work.

## **A HUNDRED AND THIRTY OF THEM GRADUATED TUESDAY AFTERNOON.**

At 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the graduating exercises of the Eighth Grade of the Public Schools were held in the High school assembly room. A hundred and thirty proud youngsters received their diplomas that show that they have completed the work of the first eight years of their education and they prize the certificates as much and more than a college senior of his sheepskin.

The program opened Tuesday afternoon with a piano duet, "Postillion d'Amour" by Fr. Behr, by Nellie Phillips and Florence Bylma. This was followed by the invocation by the Rev. J. Van Peursem, pastor of Trinity Reformed church. A song, "The Vesper Hour," by E. Batiste was given by Beatrice Steketee, Pearl Donichy, Violet Griffin, Jeanette Helmers, Emily Enstrom and Marletta De Boer. This was followed by two songs, "Summer Now Hath Come Among Us" by Piusuti, and "The Spinner" by Harry Clapp by the 8-2 class.

Prof. C. J. Dragman gave an inspir-

ing address to the graduates, which followed by a piano solo, "Midsummer Night's Dream" by Dorothy Hunt. Then the 8-2 class gave "Fly Away Birdling," by Franz Abt, after which Supt. E. E. Fell presented the graduates with their certificates. The program concluded with a piano duet "Galop" by Elsie Gowdy and Harrietta Steketee.

The D. A. R. prize was awarded to the B. Class of Room 6 of the High school building. It was a beautiful picture in colors of "The Return of the Mayflower," and was awarded to the speaker for the best average standing in the American history for the year.

Following is a list of the graduates who received diplomas Tuesday afternoon.

Room 7, High School—Promoted January 28 to 9-1

John Anderson, Bernard Brink, Elmer Burgh, George Butterfield, Florence Bylma, Fred Chrispell, Aleda Cnossen, Jennie Cook, Harley Dangremond, Marrietta De Boer, Marinus De Fouw, Arthur De Jongh, Merl Dick, Pearl Donichy, Andrew DuMez, Emily Enstrom, Harold Gee, Joseph Geerds, Violet Griffin, George Glupker, Jeanette Helmers, John Hooker, Earle Johnson, Margaret Knutson, Ina Lordahl, Preston Mantling, Paul Oltmans, Nellie Phillips, Lambert Rinkus, Dick Romeyn, El-



**E. E. FELL**  
Superintendent of the Holland Public Schools

mer Romeyn, Bernard Romeyn, Cora Schaftenar, Hazel Scott, Alberta Mae Sirrine, Beatrice Steketee, Lucy Steketee, Jessie Teerman, Grace Van Den Brink, Jennie Van de Water, Anna Van Putten, Gertrude Van Weele, Rein Visscher, Christena Wolfert, Henry Woodruff, Charles Zalsman.

Room 6—High School.

Nellie Altena, Roy Ashley, Helen Bell, Josephine Belt, Harris Bertsch, Henry Barkema, Orie Blok, George Bontekoe, Mamie Bush, Rena Byron, Christine Cappon, Norman Cobb, Nelson Cole, Julia Chervensky, Gustave De Vries, Daniel DenUyl, John Diekema, Marie Elferdink, Nina Fanser Verlin Forney, Ellen Hoffman, Ethel Hoffman, Dorothy Hunt, Justus Huntley, Theodore Hoekstra, William Klinton, John Klein, Daisy Kraai, Harold Lage, Helene Meyer, Will Mulder, Evelyn Mulder, Elizabeth Nibbelink, John Ottema, Wilbur Oudermeulen, Ruth Price, Audrey Rank, Mabel Rupper, Marie Self, John Schmidt, Frank Schroeder, Minnie Slagh, Coryna Smitter, Aida Smeenge, Edward Smith, George Smith, Norman Simpson, John Ter Vree, Pansy Trimble, Jerry Van Ark, Dorothy Van Eyck, Josephine Van den Brink, Mary Van Putten, Josephine Van Slooten, Ray Van Valkenberg, William Veaning, Adrian Veele, Jacob Wierda, William Wiersma, Roy Wise, Theresa Wise, Chester Westover, Harry Young, Albert Zuidema.

Room 6—Maple Grove

Martha Beckman, Earl Hoek, Henry W. Rosenberg, Russell A. L. Beekman, Marie Bolks, Minnie Nykerk, Henrietta Steketee, Edward Oonk, Martin Stoel, Maggie Dronkers, Sylvester E. Paulus, Nellie Vander Me-

len, Mary E. Geegh, Elmer E. Poppe, Morris J. Van Kolken, Elsie Gowdy, Bertrand J. Pothumus, Winifred M. Zwemer, Anna M. Hoagland, Leslie L. Risto.

## **Senior Class Exercises Tonight**

This evening the Thirty-Third annual commencement exercises of the Holland High school will be held in the Third Reformed church. Following is the program of the evening: Piano Duet—"Processional March" (Alexander Hollander) Hazel VanLandegend and Jeanette Mulder; Invocation, Rev. P. E. Whitman; Piano Solo—"Etincelles" (Sparks) Moszkowski, Majorie Dykema; Salutation, Evelyn Gertrude Keppel; Address, Rev. Matthew Kolyn, D. D.; Vocal solo, Summerline Song (Oley Speaks)—"I'm Wearing Away," (Arthur Foote), Mrs. Ben Hubbard; Valedictory—"The School of Life" Esther Caroline Meengs; Violin solo—Romance (from 2nd Concerto—Wienawski) Ruth Keppel; Presentation of Diplomas, Supt. E. E. Fell; benediction, Rev. J. Van Peursem.

The graduating class this year is the largest that has graduated from the local school. There are thirty-one members whose names follow:

Ettamae Atwood, Frances Marie Posch, Martin H. Cnossen, Herman C. Cook, Marcelline Louise Deto, Elizabeth H. DeVries, Gertrude H. De Boer, Julia Doyle, Ethel Dykstra, Theodore H. Elferdink, Iva Elizabeth Fansler, Cornelia Johanna Gerum, Marie C. Habermann, James H. Harrington, Evelyn Gertrude Keppel, Harry Kramer, Hazel D. Loveland, Esther Caroline Meengs, Marguerite Anna Meyer, Bruno Herman Miller, Anna Florence Misner, Jeanette Mulder, Harold Parsons McLean, Edward E. Post, Alfred Theron Sirrine, Nelson Steketee, Hazel Van Landegend, Russell G. Van Ry, Elizabeth A. Wentzel, Declain E. Whelan, George Robbert.

## **B. STEKETEE TAUGHT SUNDAY SCHOOL DURING THAT LENGTH OF TIME**

A remarkable example of length of service as a Sunday school teacher is furnished in the person of B. Steketee of this city. Mr. Steketee has been a teacher continuously for 40 years, and it is doubtful if this record can be duplicated in this city or in the neighboring cities. At the next quarterly meeting of the teachers of the Sunday school of the First Reformed church to be held June 28, Mr. Steketee will commemorate the event with his fellow teachers. In today's issue of The Leader, Mr. Steketee calls attention to the anniversary and continues:

"I would very much enjoy the privilege of shaking hands with as many of my old scholars as are living. I find that the records of former years are not to be found, hence I cannot begin to recollect the names of the scholars belonging to the various classes, I have had the privilege of teaching; many are gone to their eternal reward, some I know have died in the happy consciousness of redeeming love.

"These years have been blessed years of service to me, and I believe they have been fully as profitable to me as to them; many are engaged in active life, as fathers and mothers of families, as ministers of the Gospel, missionaries of the Cross in Foreign lands. Doctors of medicine and business men, how I would like to meet them. I am thankful though, casting a glance over the list as far as I can remember them, that so many have spent years of service in the work of the Sunday School."

When your child has whooping cough be careful to keep the cough loose and expectation easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as may be required. This remedy will also liquify the tough mucus and make it easier to expectorate. It has been used successfully in many epidemics and is safe and sure. For sale by all dealers.

## **HENRY BRUSSE REMAINS AS A MEMBER OF CHARTER COMMISSION.**

A permanent quietus has been put on the agitation to unseat former Mayor Henry Brusse as a member of the Charter Revision Commission. At the regular meeting of the commission in the council rooms Monday evening the question of Brusse's eligibility was the first matter that came up for discussion. At a previous meeting that broke up abruptly a demand had been made that some competent judge's opinion in writing should be placed on record on the matter to show the petitioners that their petition had been taken up in due form by the commission and had not been ignored. This request was complied with when the following letter of Judge McDonald of Grand Rapids was read to the commission:

June 14, 1912.

Mr. Henry Brusse,  
Holland, Michigan.

Dear Sir:—

Confirming my oral opinion relative to your title to the office of charter commissioner will say that the law providing for the incorporation of cities in this state leaves the determination of your qualifications entirely to the commission. If I am correctly informed as to the action of your commission your right to the office cannot now be questioned by any one and if it could be a petition from citizens would not be the proper method of procedure.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) John S. McDonald.

This letter and the petition that gave rise to it were thereupon filed by the commission by a unanimous vote, all voting yes, except Van Tongeren who was not present, and the whole affair was disposed.

The commissioners seemingly felt relieved that this vexing question has been settled and during the rest of the evening the most harmonious meeting was held that has been held since the commission was created some weeks ago. A great deal of time was spent in arguing the various questions that were presented, but there was no hard feeling and the commissioners showed that they were ready to do business. All were of one accord and in all it was the pleasantest meeting the commission has held so far. There was an agreement from start to finish and the commission is now in genuine working order ready to do the active work that is expected of it.

## **VILLAGE OF BENTHEIM TO SPEND DAY IN SPEAKING AND GAMES.**

The little village of Bentheim will celebrate the glorious 4th of July in the approved safe and sane style. A committee has been appointed and is busy preparing a program. Among the speakers are the Rev. Mr. Van der Ploeg of that village and the Rev. Mr. Walkotten of Hudsonville. The program will begin at ten o'clock in the morning and will include singing and speaking. There will be plenty of entertainment day and night and there will be two base ball games, one in the morning and one in the afternoon. Valuable prizes will be awarded to the winners of various contests. In the evening there will be a fire works display.

## **NO DECISION REACHED AT MEETING BUT COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO SOUND SENTIMENT**

Committee Will Report at End of Week Whether Merchants Prefer Wednesday or Thursday Afternoon or Tuesday Evening.

The merchants discussed the proposed half holiday for themselves and their clerks during the months of July and August quite thoroughly Monday but as a number of firms were not represented and as the sentiment of those present was divided some preferring Wednesday at noon and still others who would rather close their stores Tuesday evenings instead of any of any afternoon no decision was reached in this matter.

Instead a large committee composed of one member from each line of business who is to find out the sentiment of his competitors was appointed. This committee consists of the following merchants:

Druggists—Nelson Pyle.  
Clothing—Wm. Vissers.  
Dry Goods—John Vandersluis.  
Dry Goods—L. J. Gouda.  
Grocers—East End, E. Westing, West End, John Farma.  
Hardware—Ray Nies.  
Furniture—H. Van Ark.  
Books and Stationery—Chris Fries.  
Electricians—H. De Fouw.  
Tailors—Nick Dykema.  
Coal Dealers—A. Klomprens.  
Cigar Dealers—H. Van Tongeren.  
Jewelers—John Karreman.  
Shoe Dealers—John Rutgers.  
Millers—G. Weurding.  
Bakers—Wm. Vander Schel.  
Music Dealers—Herman Cook.  
5 and 10c Stores—Miller.  
This committee will consult with

each one of the merchants who handle their particular line and find out whether he favors a half holiday on Wednesday or Thursday afternoon or whether he is in favor of closing his place of business on Tuesday evenings. This committee is busy now and will get together tomorrow to make their report.

## **ALLEN HOWARD GIVEN FROM 3 TO 7 YEARS AT IONIA IN MUSKOGON COURT.**

What appeared to some of his auditors to be a thinly veiled criticism of the action of Judge McDonald of Grand Rapids who a week ago sentenced a 20 year old lad who held up an auto party at the point of a revolver, to Jackson prison for life, was made by Judge Sullivan Monday in sentencing Allen Howard, self confessed perpetrator of seven holdups in Muskegon and Holland.

Judge Sullivan declared that he does not believe that a young man, only 23 years of age, like Howard, is such a menace to society that he must be locked up for life. He did not directly refer to Judge McDonald, but his statement was apparently aimed at the latter.

Johnson's offense was his first, whereas Howard, who also used a revolver in his holdups participated in seven different affairs of this kind besides having a previous criminal record, which would make his case a much more serious one than Johnson's. The two sentences of Judge Sullivan and Judge McDonald stand in startling contrast on the different policies of the two judges in dealing with criminals. Howard was sentenced to serve from three to seven years at Ionia, the minimum term being recommended.

Judge Sullivan further took a fling at the "sawdust" resorts, which he declared lead to "hell and destruction." In sentencing Howard the Judge urged the young man to brace up and make something of his life when released from prison.

"It is a most serious crime that you have committed," said Judge Sullivan. "The punishment provided by law for the offense is the same as that provided for second degree murder, certain kinds of burglary and rape, which indicates how serious a crime the framers of our laws thought your offense is. It is a serious offense to steal something. But when you point a loaded revolver at a man's face and threaten him with death unless he gives up his property, your assault is not only upon his property but upon his person and life.

"I wish I could do more than I can for you. Unfortunately it has come to the knowledge of the court that you were convicted of burglary in Kent county in 1910 and sentenced to the Ionia Reformatory for a period of from one year and six months to 15 years by Judge Stewart. Your conduct in prison must have been good, as you were released shortly after completing the minimum period. You were released under the parole law, a good law, intended for the reformation of men convicted of crimes especially, of young men.

"You got work as a teamster, and later as a railroad employee. You started out to redeem your life.

"By this time Howard was swallowing hard, and wiping tears from his eyes.

"But you turned aside, continued Judge Sullivan. "You squandered the money you earned on riotous living. You frequented houses of ill fame, which lead to hell and destruction. Then you began holding up people at the point of a gun.

"In excuse of your crime you say you have been drinking. You should have remembered that no one can reform a man but himself. Reformation comes from within. If you knew that drinking would lead you to crime you should never have touched another drop of liquor. You should have avoided it as a pestilence.

At this point Judge Sullivan read the law covering Howard's case and affecting paroled prisoners. Continuing he said:

"There is but one method that leads to success, and that is being a good man.

"I am sorry," said Judge Sullivan in a low voice, uttering the words slowly, "as sorry as I can be that you are here before me this morning to be sentenced." Howard had some difficulty to restrain his sobs.

"I don't think a young man 23 years of age is so bad that the safety of society demands that he shall be locked up for life," continued Judge Sullivan with considerable vigor. "The object of punishment for the crime is twofold. The first object is the reformation of the offender. The second object is to protect society. The object of the court today is to give you a chance to reform."

Judge Sullivan then pronounced his sentence.

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## **ALLEGAN COUNTY MAN GIVEN TEN DAYS IN JAIL.**

Ed McCarthy, another Allegan county man who came to this city tanked up was arrested by Deputy Sheriff John Kleis Saturday night and pleaded guilty before Justice Robinson this morning.

Following the campaign started last week of breaking Allegan county people of the habit of coming to this city and drinking more than is good for them and making themselves a nuisance on our streets McCarthy was sentenced to pay \$10.00 and costs or spend 15 days in the county jail at Grand Haven. He took the jail sentence and was taken to Grand Haven Monday afternoon.

It is expected that the rest of those who come from dry counties will learn the lesson that McCarthy said he had learned Monday morning or rather profit by the lessons that have been given dry county drunks during the past week. When leaving the court room Monday, McCarthy said, "believe me, when I want something to drink after this, I won't come to Holland for it. I'm going to Chicago." This was not the first time for McCarthy. He has paid the city several visits and has passed more than one night at the jail.

## **BOARD OF REVIEW COMPLETES ITS WORK TUESDAY MORNING.**

After having been in session a total of seven and a half days the Board of Review ended its work Tuesday forenoon. A comparison of the figures of the total valuation this year with the valuation of last year shows that the one of 1912 is considerably larger than that of 1911. The total assessed valuation this year as shown by the Board is \$6,840,235.00; that of last year was \$6,790,280.00 or a difference of \$49,955.00. The valuation this year would have been much higher, had it not been for the new mortgage law. A change in this law that went into effect the first part of the present year had the result that a larger number of mortgages were paid up and so about \$175,000 were taken from the assessed valuation, that cannot be figured in the regular report of the board.

The large increase in the assessed valuation of Holland property is accounted for by a large number of the houses that have been built as well as additions to factories and other institutions. In many of the wards of the city building operations have been very active during the past year and the valuation of the properties is constantly increasing. Moreover, the property all along the line is constantly being improved and paved streets and sidewalks are making them more valuable constantly.

The Board of Review began its sessions on May 27. It is composed of Mayor Bosch, Supervisors Chris Nibbelink and G. W. Kooyers, Henry Luidens and City Attorney Arthur Van Duren. City Clerk Overweg also attends the meetings and keeps the records.

In view of the fact that the movement for a "safe and sane" Fourth of July has become a national one, it is fitting that Holland should join in and put this city in the list of cities that have taken measures toward eliminating death and accident on Independence Day. Fortunately there has in the past seldom been a death in Holland as a result of a Fourth of July celebration, and the accidents have also been few. Because this is a small city the dangers are not as great perhaps as in the larger towns. Nevertheless, the danger of the deadly tetanus is always present and the greatest possible care should be taken to prevent accident. Obviously the best way to have a "safe and sane" Fourth in Holland is for all the people to take proper precautions.

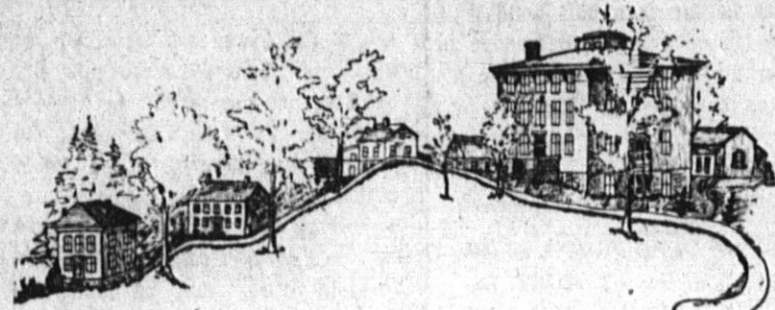
The health of the people should be the first consideration of city government and should be as carefully guarded as circumstances will allow. For that reason I think it is not amiss to recommend to the people of Holland at this time when the Fourth is still some weeks off to do every thing in their power to make it a "safe and sane" Fourth in Holland.

Quiet picnics or social gatherings where people can commune with nature or with one another are just as effective in showing a spirit of patriotism as the noisier methods that have often been employed. While it may be impossible to eliminate altogether the use of fireworks, never the less the dangerous toy pistol should be tabooed, as well as the deadly cannon cracker. Parents can do much toward insuring the safety of their families by guiding their boys and girls in buying only harmless explosives on that day. A little care and good judgment will help to get ahead of trouble. Let us all try to place Holland in the column of cities that shall be without accident or death on the Fourth.

NICODEMUS BOSCH,  
Mayor



# Hope College Commencement Week



"When fond recollections present them to view."

Hope College owns this week. It is commencement week. As the years go by larger and larger becomes the scope and influence of this institution and more and more does the interest of the community in this academy of learning increase. This week the commencement exercises of the college were the dominant features of the happenings in city. From all parts friends of the institution gathered to join with the faculty, the citizens and friends here in the deliberations incident to commencement week.

## Baccalaureate Sermon.

To an audience that taxed the seating capacity of the Third Reformed church Sunday night the Rev. Dr. H. E. Dosker of Louisville, Ky., delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the senior class of Hope College. Choosing as his theme "Paul's Attitude to The World of Thought," the speaker delivered a scholarly and eloquent address to the graduates and gave them much helpful advice to take with them as they enter the walks of active life.

"Graduation and commencement" said Dr. Dosker, "these are the two words that mark all the stages of life. We graduate from the nursery to the family and commence again. We graduate from the family into the kindergarten and commence again. Then we graduate from the kindergarten into the public school and begin again; from the public school we graduate and enter high school, only to make another commencement. From high school, into college, from college into professional schools, from professional schools into active life, active life into the life beyond—all are graduations and commencements."

"In the life of Paul the graduating class of 1912 can find an example of the world of thought. Paul could have brought the world to his feet as a thinker of his day in the philosophy of his day; instead he preferred to lead a life of sacrifice. He looked upon the world of thought in two ways; first, as mere human intellectuality; secondly, as intellectually having a divine cast.

"The world's intellectuality—mere human intellectuality—is very wonderful. The student traces the great civilization of Egypt in the wonderful 'Book of the Dead,' he learns of the civilization of the Babylonians, and the other great eastern nations and stands amazed at their accomplishments. Then he thinks of Greece and Rome. Later after the period of intellectual darkness in the Middle Ages comes the Revival of Learning and the development of the world of intellect of modern times. The world's thought life has been truly wonderful.

"But behind it all we must place a question mark. All science is after all but a seeking after truth, and the absolute truth the man of mere intellect cannot find. It is merely a tuning over; every now and then a scientific hypothesis is overthrown and another takes its place, and all the while it is merely a going from one darkness to another darkness.

"But there is another intellectuality that is greater and that comes to an absolute conclusion. It is intellectuality illuminated by the divine. It is not true that a man cannot be a believer and a true scientist at the same time. There are instances of the greatest scientists being devout believers.

"Paul was a man of great intellect. But he did not make the mistake of prizing intellect merely for its own sake. The barren pride of intellect, that looks down upon everything that does not agree with it, was not his. Paul was a giant thinker but he had learned the lesson of obedience. He made his intellect subservient to a higher will. And obedience of this kind is the watchword today. No man can be great unless he has learned to obey. The life of the believer is the broadest life possible. It can include all science, all art, all aesthetics, all education, but it makes them all subject to the divine will."

Addressing the graduates directly, Dr. Dosker said in part: "Oh to be young at the opening of this glorious century. In this age wonderful events are going to take place because great forces are working in so

every seat in the building was taken. In fact quite a number of people had to be turned away who could not find room in the hall. The program marked the beginning of commencement of Hope and the excellent program was a good beginning.

After a piano duet by L. Dalman and H. Meyer the invocation was pronounced by Prof. J. W. Beardslee, Jr. The president's welcome was delivered by George Steininger, president of the society.

Zenas Luidens gave a humorous recitation, "Pyramus and Thisbe" and Gerard Raap gave a flute solo.

The society oration was delivered by Walter Scholten whose subject was "John Elliot." Mr. Scholten reviewed Elliot's work among the American Indians and then called attention to the condition of the Indians at the present time. Harris

## Preparatory Exercise

The graduating exercises of the "A" class of Hope College were held in Carnegie hall Monday afternoon. Every seat in the building was occupied, a large number had to be satisfied with standing room in the back of the hall. The class entered the hall while Wagner's "Tannhauser" grand march by Fred Beyer was played by Nellie Marie Pelgrim and Lavine Cappon. After the invocation by the Rev. M. Kolyn, the class prophecy was read. It was composed by Sophia Van Vessum, Lavine Cappon, Peter Verhoek and G. A. Rutgers. It contained many a glimpse into the futures of the members of the class and produced many a laugh from the audience.

A double trio, "Barcarolle" by Of fenbach was given by the following members of the class: Lucile Brown, Alice Koning, soprano, Ester Straight, Adriana Kolyn, altos; Peter Verhoek, George Steininger, basses.

The class oration was delivered by George A. Pelgrim and his subject was the "Battle of Tours." Mr. Pelgrim eloquently described the struggle between the Cross and the Crescent on the battle field of Tours. The two civilizations clashed here in a death struggle and when Charles Martel won this battle for Christianity it meant more than the mere winning of a battle. It marked a period in the history of the world's advancement in political and moral liberty.

Harris M. Meyer, gave a piano solo prelude in G Minor, by Rachmaninoff, after which Adriana Kolyn read the class poem entitled "Rainbow Gleams."

The program ended with Goldsmiths play, "She Stoops to Conquer." This play, which in the history of Eighteenth Century literature, marked a return to the purer English comedy and a revolt against the so-called "weeping comedy," calls for high his tronic art. Moreover the atmosphere of the piece is entirely different from present day life which also makes it more difficult; but in spite of all that the students succeeded in doing the difficult work very creditably. The delightful comedy of Goldsmith gives perennial delight. The following took part in the play: Christine Van Raalte, George Steininger, G. H. O. Hoppers, Martha Ossewaarde, Clara Yntema, Simon Holkeboer, John Kulte, Gerard Raap, Peter Verhoek, Nellie Smallegan, Arthur C. Cloet ingh, Harris Meyer, Gerrit A. Rutgers, Folkert De Roos.

The class that graduates this year is a large one, the number being forty.

## The class roll follows:

Albert Bakker, Anna Beukema, Char lotte C. Boer, Sara L. Brown, Lavine Cappon, Arthur C. Cloeting, Folkert De Roos, Lambert J. Geerlings, Slim van Holkeboer, G. Henry O. Hoppers, James Houloose, Adriana S. Kolyn, Alice Koning, John Kulte, Henry Maatman, Milton J. Maatman, Harris M. Meyer, Edward Mulder, Martha Elizabeth Ossewaarde, George A. Pelgrim, Nellie M. Pelgrim, Gerard A. Raap, Gerrit A. Rutgers, Otto C. Schaap, Adrian H. Scholten, Walter A. Scholten, Nellie Smallegan, George Steininger, Esther N. Straight, Dick H. Van de Bunte, George Van Dyke, Christine C. Van Raalte, Vera E. Van Valkenburg, Sophia J. Van Vessum, Peter Verhoek, James Waalvoord, Effie H. Werkman, Henry J. Witteveen, Clara E. Yntema, Theodore Zwemer.

## MELEPHONE SOCIETY

Friday night in Carnegie Hall the Meliphone society of Hope College gave its annual entertainment, and

every seat in the building was taken. In fact quite a number of people had to be turned away who could not find room in the hall. The program marked the beginning of commencement of Hope and the excellent program was a good beginning.

After a piano duet by L. Dalman and H. Meyer the invocation was pronounced by Prof. J. W. Beardslee, Jr. The president's welcome was delivered by George Steininger, president of the society.

Zenas Luidens gave a humorous recitation, "Pyramus and Thisbe" and Gerard Raap gave a flute solo.

The society oration was delivered by Walter Scholten whose subject was "John Elliot." Mr. Scholten reviewed Elliot's work among the American Indians and then called attention to the condition of the Indians at the present time. Harris



Miss Irene J. Stapelkamp

Meyer gave a reading, "The Lance of Kanana," after which P. Stegeman read the budget, composed largely of

takeoffs on the members of the society and the college faculty.

The program closed with a play entitled "The Freshman." It naively told the story of a young student unjustly accused of being a thief, his vindication, his winning of the football game for his school and his triumphs over his enemy. Those who took part in this play were: G. Pelgrim, M. Vander Meer, J. Vander Broek, Z. Luidens, A. Voerman, C. Wierenga, G. Steininger, P. Stegeman, P. Cooper, J. Houloose, P. Verhoek, G. H. O. Hoppers.

Piano Duet.....Meyer and Dalman  
Invocation.....Prof. J. Beardslee, Jr.  
Presidents Welcome.....G. Steininger  
Humorous Reading.....L. Luidens  
Oration.....Walter Scholten  
Flute Solo.....Gerard Raap  
Reading.....Harris Meyer  
Budget.....Paul Stegeman

Remarks.....Dr. Wennema  
Play—"The Freshman".....

## ULFILAS

For some two hours Monday night a mammoth audience in Carnegie hall listened to a program that was exclusively in the Holland language. An audience that filled every seat in the house, that took up all the additional chairs that could be mustered and that put standing room at a premium showed that there is still in this city a very great interest in the Holland language and that there are here still many people who can understand and who appreciate the language of their fathers and mothers. The "Voorspel" was played by Gebhard Stegeman and this was followed by an invocation pronounced by the Rev. P. A. Bouma, pastor of the Fourth Reformed church of this

## Senior Class of 1912

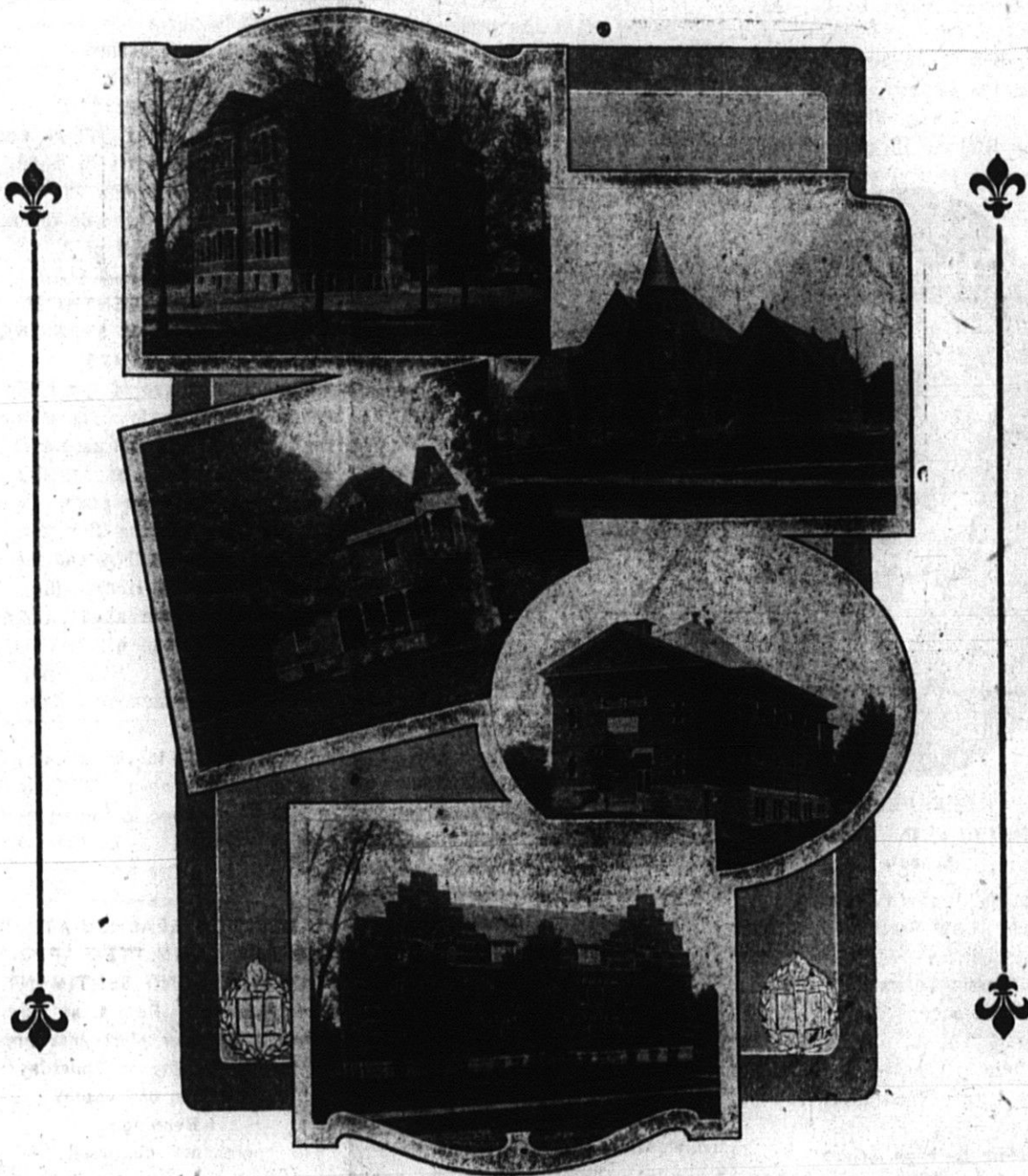


The class of Hope college which graduates this week is the largest ever to graduate from the college since its incorporation 1866. The class numbers 25, whom six are women. Miss Irene J. Stapelkamp does not appear in the picture but will be found above.

During the year the class was honored by three of its members, Miss Stapelkamp, who won first place in the women's department of the state oratorical contest at Olivet; Hessel E. Yntema, who was awarded second in the men's contest and Anthony Luidens, who was a member of Hope's victorious team in the triangular debate with Alma and Olivet.

From left to right: Upper row—Arthur F. Schaefer, Scotland, S. C.; Oliver G. Propers, Cedar Grove, Wis.; Gerrit Van Zoeren, Zeeland; William W. Visscher, Holland; Hessel Yntema, Holland; Bert Van Zyl, Aton, Ia.; Frederick Zandstra, Chicago; John Bennink, Kalamazoo; John V. Stegeman, Holland; Middle row—William J. Stronks, Aton, Ia.; Arthur H. Heusinkoeld, Fulton, Ill.; John W. Brink, Maurice, Ia.; James B. Mulder, Zeeland; William W. Walvoord, Holland, Neb.; William H. Atwood, Holland; Anthony Luidens, Holland; Frederick J. Van Dyk, Grand Rapids; Lower row—Donald L. Brush, Herkimer, N. Y.; Gertrude J. Hoekj, Holland; Ida O. Danhof, Grand Rapids; Mae E. DePree, Zeeland; Caroline J. Borgaards, Holland; Bernice H. Hoffman, Sully, Ia.; Stanley Fortuine, Holland.

These are monuments for which Dr. Kollen can be given credit. Besides these and many other beneficiaries he, this year succeeded in securing \$100,000 to be used for Hope's maintenance.



Among those who have brought honors to Hope this year.



The Debating Teams that defeated Olivet and Alma Colleges

Top row left to right: A. Luidens, J. Tillema, E. Koeppe. Bottom: H. Hoff, C. Dame, G. De Motta.

The program Monday evening had special significance because of the fact that it was the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Ulfilas club. The president of the club, B. Van Zyl, in his address of welcome, called attention to this fact and briefly reviewed the history of the club during the past 25 years. He referred to the founders of the society and showed by naming them that most of them are now prominent men in the various walks of life. Among those who later supported the club are such prominent pastors as the Rev. J. M. Vander Meulen and the Rev. H. J. Veldman. Former members of the club have also entered other professions and usually made good.

H. Colenbrander gave a recitation entitled "Het Eerste en Beste Hotel". It told the story of a Netherland farmer making a visit to the great city of Rotterdam and the experiences he had there.

The oration of the evening was delivered by Anthony Luidens. His subject was "De Hollander in Amerika", or, translated, "The Hollander in America." He told of the good influence the Netherlands had had on American society and lauded the good qualities that characterized the Hollander wherever he is. As an example of the great influence of a man of Holland descent on the American people he cited Theodore Roosevelt.

The budget, which was very humorous, was read by Harry Hoff and the program closed with a clever little play entitled, "Burgemeester's Prulk", in which the following took part: Gerrit De Motta, Clarence Dame, John Brink, Bert Vander Woude, B. Van Zyl, H. Colenbrander, Oliver Droppers, and John Muyskens.

Tuesday evening in Voorhees hall a large number of the graduates of Hope College who happen to be in the city in connection with the commencement week exercises gathered at the alumni reception. The reception hall was crowded from 8 until 10 o'clock and talk flowed freely as old friends renewed acquaintances after many years of separation in many cases. There were ministers and professors and lawyers and doctors as well as their respective wives. Punch and wafers were served and later in the evening the guests gathered in the beautiful dining room and were served with ice cream and cake.

The reception was held in lieu of the annual banquet of the alumni association which is usually held. Occasionally, a reception of this kind is given instead of the banquet and the one of last night was a most enjoyable affair.

At a business meeting of the Hope College Alumni association held in Winants chapel this morning the following officers for the coming year were elected: President, Dr. J. J. Mer sen; vice-president, The Rev. Benj. Hoffman, of Zeeland; secretary, the Rev. J. Van Poursem and treasurer, Hon. A. Visscher.







## WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER

## WHAT YOU SAW 35 YEARS AGO

Dr. R. A. Schouten was the recipient of a handsome present Wednesday night—a daughter.

Mr. J. H. Nibbelink is building an extension to his livery stable.

The seventy-first annual meeting of the General Synod of the Reformed church was opened in the Rev. Dr. Orniston's church at Twenty-ninth street and Fifth avenue, yesterday afternoon.

On the 27th inst. it will be commencement at Hope college.

## WHAT YOU SAW 30 YEARS AGO

The Hotel at Macatawa Park is progressing finely and before many days will be finished. We understand that W. J. Scott of this city is to run the hotel when completed.

Strawberries 15 cents a quart. A few more days of the present weather will enable us to see the berries without a magnifying glass, and in buying there will be no danger of financial ruin.

The new flouring mill when completed will employ twenty two men.

The Baccalaureate sermon of Hope College, will be preached by Pres. Dr. Chas. Scott, in Hope church tomorrow evening.

Petitions are being sent to the president asking him to pardon Guiteau, and one of them sets forth that Garfield's death "was not necessarily caused by shooting." If the doctors are really to blame for Mr. Garfield's death Guiteau should be hung for furnishing them their victim.

## WHAT YOU SAW 25 YEARS AGO

G. Van Schelven, editor of De Hope, has been appointed secretary of the Board of Education.

Prof. J. B. Nykerk, tutor in Hope college, has been offered a position as instructor in mathematics and music at the Northwestern Classical Academy at Orange City, Ia.

The students of Hope college presented for public inspection the initiatory number of a college journal, known as The Anchor on last Thursday afternoon. The paper is a two column, 12 page sheet and it is well filled with a spicy editorial and local matter, as well as articles of a literary nature by students and professors. The editorial staff consists of John Van Westenburg, H. G. Kerpel, H. Kremers, G. H. Albers and John VanderMeulen.

## WHAT YOU SAW 20 YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Blom jr. Tuesday—a son.

At the Wednesday session of the Synod of the H. C. Ref. church of Grand Rapids, Rev. Dr. N. M. Steffens of Holland was elected as the fourth professor in theology at the seminary located in that city.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. B. J. De Vries Wednesday—a son.

The Shady Side resort will hereafter be known as Jenison Park, the property having passed into the hands of Luman Jenison.

## WHAT YOU SAW 15 YEARS AGO

Hon. G. J. Diekema will orate at Coopersville on July 3rd.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Kiekentveld, on Thursday morning—a son.

The marriage of Geo. J. Huntley and Miss Helen Astra was solemnized at the home of the bride's father on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the presence of a large circle of relatives and friends.

## WHAT YOU SAW 10 YEARS AGO

The Graham and Morton dock at the foot of Eighth street will be extended west a distance of fifty feet giving it a total frontage of 300 feet.

A very impressive ceremony took place at the laying of the cornerstone of Van Raalte Memorial Hall this week.

## SOME BEETS

Reports to the National Farmer indicate the area planted to sugar beets this season will slightly exceed 175,000 acres, compared with 152,000 acres in 1911.

This is regarded as a conservative estimate and there is ample opportunity for the weather to improve so that the entire acreage signed so can be planted.

The favor with which Michigan farmers regard beet growing is shown in the greatly increased disposition to grow beets. Every year the farmers are signing more acreage, and the fact that approximately 25,000 acres more have been signed this year than last and that manufacturers could have signed 35,000 acres more had they felt they could handle the output, is a great argument in favor of Michigan as a sugar producing state. More than 30,000 Michigan farmers are engaged in this industry and in the 16 beet sugar states 125,000 farmers are engaged in beet culture.

This is an industry the Democrats in Congress want to crush solely in behalf of Arbuckle Bros., Specklees and three or four other refiners of foreign raw sugar.

## EVERY MOTOR BOAT MUST HAVE FIRE EXTINGUISHER.

Under the ruling of the United States commissioner of navigation all steam driven motor boats must be equipped with apparatus for the prompt extinguishing of burning gasoline.

This rule applies without regard to whether the craft may carry gasoline for fuel or any other purpose. Evidently it represents the literal interpretation of a law designed primarily for gasoline driven craft of small size and steam driven craft of more than 65 feet length. The ruling of the commissioner is to the point and Collectors of Customs Walter I. Lillie is notifying his deputy collectors that steam powered motor boats not using gasoline nor carrying the volatile fluid must be equipped with provisions for extinguishing gasoline fires if they would not commit a constructive offense against the law.

The collector quotes from the law as follows: "That every motorboat and also every vessel propelled by machinery other than sixty-five feet in length, shall carry ready for immediate use the means of promptly and effectually extinguishing burning gasoline."

The term motorboat is defined in a federal act to include every vessel propelled by machinery and not more than 65 feet in length except tugboats and towboats propelled by steam.

It will be apparent that the law by including the term motor boats, provides that every machinery driven craft under 65 feet shall be provided with extinguishers and the commissioner has been forced to make an arbitrary ruling that forces steam boats under 65 feet and not tug boats to carry extinguishers for gasoline flame whether the craft has gasoline aboard or not.

Whether you own a boat of five or 50-horsepower, whether you intend to cruise inland waters or offshore, it is a good policy to begin the season right. In order to reduce accidents to a minimum the department of commerce and labor intends to rigidly enforce the rules and regulations regarding power boat equipment. It is therefore of timely interest to owners to know just what these regulations demand.

It behooves every boat owner to look well to his light, signaling, life preserver and fire extinguisher equipment and see that each portion thereof conforms with the government requirements.

It will be noted that in most cases Fresnal glass of prescribed minimum dimension is now obligatory.

While in some cases it may be possible to substitute Fresnal lenses for the plain now in your lamps, it will in the majority of cases, be cheaper and far more satisfactory to purchase a new set.

While purchasing lights it is well to spend a trifle more for quality, thus saving in the long run.

Get the right kind of a whistle or signal—one upon whose performance you can depend at all times, without a chance of its refusing to work when you need it most, and remember that the government definition of an effective signal is one of at least two seconds duration.

## Get a Real Fog Bell

See that your fog bell is a real fog bell and that your fog horn is more than a toy—the inspector won't accept excuses that "it always worked before" when some of your signaling apparatus falls down under his test.

Your life preserver must bear the United States government inspection stamp, and you will find it a great deal more economical to purchase real "made-to-use articles" than to run for the inspector, who will be looking for you shortly after the season of 1912 opens.

Don't forget it is just as obligatory to carry two copies of the pilot rules as compiled by the department of commerce and labor for the particular waters upon which you will navigate, as it is to be found with the right number of life preservers on board.

The following shows how motorcraft are divided into classes by the government regulations, and just what is required in the way of equipment for each class of motor boat, from the smallest up to those not exceeding 65 feet in length.

## CLASS I

Power boats under 26 feet over all. One two-way light, red and green. One range light, white. One whistle or signal capable of a blast of two seconds' duration. One effective fire extinguisher. One life preserver for each person on board. Two copies pilot rules.

## CLASS II

Power boats 26 feet or over less than 40 feet over all. One bow light (white) Fresnal lens of not less than 10 square inches area. One port light (red) Fresnal lens of not less than 16 square inches area. One starboard light (green), Fresnal lens of not less than 16 square inches area. One range light (white), Fresnal lens to show all around horizon. One screen for port light not less than 18 inches in length. One screen for starboard light not less than 18 inches in length. One whistle or signal capable of a blast of two seconds' duration. One effective fog bell.

One fog horn. One effective fire extinguisher. One life preserver for each person on board. Two copies of pilot rules. CLASS III Power boats 40 feet or over and not more than 56 feet over all. One bow light (white) Fresnal lens of not less than 31 square inches area. One port light (red) Fresnal lens of not less than 25 square inches area. One starboard light (green) Fresnal lens of not less than 25 square inches area. One range light (white) Fresnal lens to show all around horizon. One screen for port light not less than 24 inches in length. One screen for starboard light not less than 24 inches in length. One whistle or signal capable of a blast of two seconds' duration. One fog bell eight inches in diameter at mouth. One fog horn. One effective fire extinguisher. One life preserver for each person on board. Two copies pilot rules.

## Could Shout for Joy

"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart," wrote C. B. Rader of Lewisburg, W. Va., "for the wonderful double benefit I got from Electric Bitters, in curing me of both a severe case of stomach trouble and of rheumatism, from which I had been an almost helpless sufferer for ten years. It suited my case as though made just for me." For dyspepsia, indigestion, jaundice and to rid the system of kidney poisons that cause rheumatism, Electric Bitters have no equal. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50 cents at Walsh Drug Co., H. R. Doesburg, Geo. L. Lage.

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## Folia A Foul Plot.

When a shamemul plot exists between liver and bowels to cause distress by refusing to act, take Dr. King's New Life Pills, and end such abuse of your system. They gently compel action of stomach, liver and bowels and restore your health and all good feelings, 25c at Walsh Drug Co., H. R. Doesburg, Geo. L. Lage.

## GREAT LIST OF HORSES

We have received a list of the horses named in the stakes for the Grand Rapids Grand Circuit meeting which is to be held this year July 8, to 12 and is to be the opening event of the Grand Circuit. This list shows 144 of the greatest trotters and pacers in training, most of whom will make their first start over the fast track at Comstock park. Last year the Grand Circuit horses raced 61 heats over that track in the average time of 2:07.8 which was the fastest of the year. The quality of the horses named in the rich events for this year indicates that still better time may be made. The purses offered amount to \$37,000.

## Drives Off A Terror.

The chief executioner of death in the winter and spring months is pneumonia. Its advance agents are colds and grip. In any attack by one of these maladies no time should be lost in taking the best medicine obtainable to drive it off. Countless thousands have found this to be Dr. King's New Discovery. "My husband believes it has kept him from having pneumonia three or four times," writes Mrs. George W. Place, Rawsonville, Vt. "and for coughs, colds and croup we have never found its affections. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Walsh Drug Co., H. R. Doesburg, George L. Lage.

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## Modest Man.

Sometimes, but not often, a man loses the desire for tobacco and devotes the rest of his life to bragging about his will power.—Aitchison Globe.

## FOR TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

On Wednesday, July 10, at Grand Rapids the Furniture Manufacturers' Purse of \$10,000 will be raced for and as more than thirty horses have been named in it a great field and a great race is looked for by all horsemen. This will be the third time this rich purse has been raced for at Comstock Park track and it has now become one of the big features of harness racing. For the five day Grand Circuit meeting the Furniture City Driving Club offers \$37,000 in purses and there will be four great races every day beginning July 8 and ending July 12.

## DR. DAVID MILLS WILL LOCATE HERE JULY FIRST.

Holland is to have a new physician in the very near future. About July 1, Dr. David Mills will open an office in the Vander Veen building, formerly occupied by the city of Holland and used for clerk's offices.

Dr. Mills graduated from the medical department of the University of Michigan this month and he is a doctor of osteopathy. Nine years ago he graduated from the Kirksville, Mo. School of Osteopathy and since that time he has been practicing at Alpena, Mich. During the summer he will make his home at Macatawa Park and in the fall he and his family expect to come to Holland to live.

## Rotting Timber Causes Collapse of Model Laundry Water Tank.

At about 7 p. m. Tuesday the water tank of the Model laundry collapsed the structure crashing thru the back room of L. Lanting's blacksmith shop. Rotting timbers was the cause of the accident.

The tank which has a capacity of about 3,000 gallons was filled with water which was kept in readiness in case the city supply should be scarce at times. The damage will amount to \$200.00. The laundry worked along as usual today. A new tank will be erected soon.

## AFTER AN EXISTENCE OF 56 YEARS NOW OUT OF EXISTENCE.

The Van Lente singing school, Holland's oldest musical organization has disbanded. It was organized 56 years ago, following the erection of the old Van Raalte church. Its initial membership was fourteen. Its organization was due to the discord in singing psalms at religious gatherings in pioneer days. Although the meetings were started in a log cabin 24x18 feet interest in the organization multiplied so rapidly that eventually much larger quarters were secured. A debating society was organized in connection with the school and later English hymns were introduced, which served to increase and strengthen its membership. The enrollment at one time reached 200 and the choir was formerly in frequent demand at public gatherings.

## CASE OF CRUELTY IN AGNEW

Charles Schnase of Agnew paid a fine of \$50 in Justice Wachs court at Grand Haven Friday for beating his 12 year old daughter, Isabel with a wire. Complaint of Schnase's alleged bad treatment of the little girl was made to Prosecuting Attorney Osterstrenuous methods of chastising her plain over to the sheriff's officers for action.

According to the story told the officers the little girl was whipped with a wire, raising severe welts upon her body. The girl told the authorities that her father had whipped her before but he had never before used a wire with which to strike her. She told the officers yesterday that she was not afraid to go home as she did not believe her father would use such strenuous methods of chastising her again.

## OLD JERUSALEM WAKING UP.

Paris, June 12.—Contracts have been let in France for cars and street railway tracks to be built in Jerusalem. Contracts for street lighting have been let in England for water and telephone systems in Germany; in Austria for a fire system and in Italy for sewers. The City of David is to be modernized in every detail. The ancient capital of the Jews, whose known history runs back to 1400 B. C. is to resound with the gongs of the trolley car and the fire engine of A. D. 1912.

The narrow, tortuous and dirty streets which the naked feet of the crusaders trod are to be asphalted and drained and kept clean and will be washed down by an up to date water supply.

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## GAS CO. NEED WATER

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## Enticing Little Girls

Last Tuesday in Justice Miles' court Regal Van Til was arraigned to answer to the charge of furnishing liquor to minors. This is a circuit court offense and Van Til demanded an examination which was held Tuesday. He was released Wednesday after giving bail to the amount of one hundred dollars furnished by his father.

The charge was lodged against Van Til on complaint of Chief of Police Kamferbeek of the evidence furnished by two young girls, Minnie and Grace Zuverink, sixteen and nineteen years old. The officers declare that they had seen these witnesses

out late nights repeatedly and that they were given to street walking. After being questioned by the police they furnished affidavits to the effect that last Friday evening Van Til and Harry Meyer against whom warrants were sworn out, took them out, taking with them from the city a basket of beer.

The girls appeared in court yesterday as witnesses against Van Til. He was bound over to circuit court and his trial will be held at the next term. Meyer waived examination and his trial will also be held at the August term.

## MARGARET LEENHOUTS AND HERMAN STEKETEE UNITED IN MARRIAGE.

A pretty wedding took place last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Leenhouts, West Thirteenth street, when their daughter Margaret, was united in marriage with Herman Steketee. The Rev. E. J. Blekkink, pastor of the Third Reformed church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of relatives and a few friends. The ring service was used.

To the beautiful strains of Lohen grin's "Bridal Chorus," ably rendered by Miss Henrietta Warnshuls, the bridal party entered the room and took their places. After the ceremony, Miss Harriet Steketee sang "Love's Coronation," and "I Love You Truly." The bride was dressed in a beautiful gown of white voile and carried a bouquet of swanzonia. The rooms were decorated tastefully with smilax. The wedding supper was served by four cousins of the bride.

Both the bride and groom are very well known in this city. The bride is prominent in the work of the Third Reformed church, and Mr. Steketee is in the employ of B. Steketee. They will make their home on West Sixteenth street.

Among the out of town guests were S. Couburn of Hudsonville; C. Leenhouts, Vriesland; Mr. and Mrs. D. Dykstra, Bahrain, Arabia; George Dangremont, Saugerties, N. Y.; the Rev. J. B. Steketee, Raritan, Ill. The young couple were well remembered with many beautiful and useful gifts.

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St. For choice steaks, fowls, or game  
in season. Citizens phone 1045.

**DE KRAKER & DE KOSTER, DEALERS**  
in all kinds of fresh and salt meats.  
Market on River St. Citizens phone 1068.

### BAGGAGE AND TRANSFER.

**ISAAC VERSCHURE, THE 10-CENT PAR-**  
cel delivery man, always prompt. Also ex-  
press and baggage. Call him up on tee Cit-  
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**TYLER VAN LANDEGEND, Dealer in**  
Windmills, Gasoline Engines, Pumps and  
Plumbing Supplies. Citz. phone 1038. 49 W  
th Street.

### DENTISTS.

**DR. J. O. SCOTT, DENTIST. OUR MOTTO**  
is good work, reasonable prices. Cit-

**HOLLAND City Rug and Carpet Weaving**  
Works, Peter Luidens, Prop. Carpets and  
rugs woven and cleaned. Carpet cleaning  
promptly done. Carpet rags and old ingrain  
carpets bought. 54 E. 15th street. Citizens  
phone 1597.

### BANKS

#### THE FIRST STATE BANK

Capital Stock paid in..... \$50,000  
Surplus and undivided profits..... 50,000  
Depositors Security..... 150,000  
4 per cent interest paid on time deposits.  
Exchange on all business centers domestic and  
foreign.

G. J. Diekema, Pres. J. W. Beardslee, V. P.

#### THE PEOPLES STATE BANK

Capital stock paid in..... \$50,000  
Additional stockholder's liability..... 50,000  
Deposit or security..... 100,000  
Pays 4 per cent interest on Savings Deposits

**DIRECTORS:**  
A. Visscher, D. B. V. J. C. Daniel Ten Cate  
Geo. F. Hummer, J. J. Yntema, J. G. Rutgers

### DRY CLEANERS.

**THE HOLLAND CLEANERS, 9 EAST**  
Eighth St. Citizens phone 1522. Drying,  
cleaning, pressing.

## The Flower Shop



**Chas. S. Dutton**  
Proprietor

### NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES.

**FRIS NEWS DEPOT, 30 WEST EIGHTH**  
St. Citizens phone 1749.

#### EXPIRES JUNE 22

**STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate**  
Court for the County of Ottawa.  
At a session of said court, held at the  
Probate office, in the City of Grand Ha-  
ven in said county on the 3rd day of June  
A. D. 1912.  
Present, Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge  
of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of  
**Anna Du Pree, Deceased.**

Isaac Marselli having filed in said court his  
petition praying that a certain instrument in  
writing purporting to be the last will and testam-  
ent of said deceased, now on file in said  
court be admitted to probate, and that the ad-  
ministration of said estate be granted to him-  
self or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the  
1st day of July A. D. 1912,  
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate  
office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

**EDWARD P. KIRBY,**  
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.  
Orrie Sluiter  
Register of Probate  
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#### EXPIRES JUNE 22

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

At a session of said court, held at the probate  
office, in the city of Grand Haven, in  
said county on the 29th day of May, A. D.,  
1912.

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

In the matter of the estate of

**Robert A. Marsh, deceased**

Matilda Marsh having filed in  
said court her petition praying that a  
certain instrument in writing, purport-  
ing to be the last will and testament of  
said deceased, now on file in said court  
be admitted to probate, and that the ad-  
ministration of said estate be granted to  
Matilda Marsh or to some other suit-  
able person.

It is Ordered, That the  
1st day of July, A. D. 1912  
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate  
office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing  
said petition.

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said county.

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ORRIE SLUITER,  
Register of Probate.  
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#### EXPIRES JULY 29

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

In the matter of the estate of

**Martin W. Cramer, deceased.**

Notice is hereby given that four months  
from the 5th day of June, A. D. 1912,  
have been allowed for creditors to present  
their claims against said deceased to said  
court for examination and adjustment,  
and that all creditors of said deceased are  
required to present their claims to said  
Court, at the Probate office, in the City of  
Grand Haven, in said county, on or before  
the 5th day of October, A. D. 1912, and  
that said claims will be heard by said  
court on the 5th day of October,

A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the fore-

noon.

Dated June 5, A. D. 1912.

**EDWARD P. KIRBY,**  
Judge of Probate.  
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#### EXPIRES JUNE 22

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

At a session of said Court, held  
at the Probate Office in the City of  
Grand Haven, in said County, on the  
4th day of June, A. D. 1912

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

In the matter of the estate of

**Isabelle Skinner, Deceased**

Emma J. Hunt, having filed in said  
court her petition, praying for license to sell  
the interest of said estate in certain real estate  
therein described.

It is ordered that the

1st day of July, A. D. 1912

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate  
office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing  
said petition and that all persons interested in  
said estate appear before said court, at said time  
and place, to show cause why a license to sell  
the interest of said estate in said real estate  
should not be granted.

It is further ordered, That public no-  
tice thereof be given by publication of a  
copy of this order, for three successive  
weeks previous to said day of hearing, in  
the Holland City News, a newspaper  
printed and circulated in said county.

**EDWARD P. KIRBY,**  
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.  
Orrie Sluiter,  
Register of Probate.  
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#### EXPIRES JUNE 22

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

At a session of said Court, held  
at the Probate Office in the City of  
Grand Haven, in said County, on the  
4th day of June, A. D. 1912

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

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#### DR. BELL'S ANTI-PAIN

For Internal and External Pains.

#### EXPIRES JUNE 29

NOTICE is hereby given, that by  
virtue of a writ of fieri facias, dated  
the 20th day of April, 1912, issued  
out of the Circuit Court for the Coun-  
ty of Ottawa, in favor of Grace Ellis,  
against the goods and chattels and  
real estate of Arthur W. Reigal, in  
said county to me directed and de-  
livered I did on the 6th day of May  
last, levy upon and take all the right  
title and interest of the said Arthur  
W. Reigal, in and to the following de-  
scribed real estate, that is to say: all  
that certain piece or parcel of land  
situated in the City of Holland, Otta-  
wa County, Michigan described as  
Lot No. seven (7), Block "A" in Bos-  
man's Addition to the City of Hol-  
land.

All of which I shall expose for sale  
at public auction or vendue, to the  
highest bidder, at the north front  
door of the court house in said coun-  
ty, that being the place of holding  
the Circuit Court for said county, on  
the 24th day of June, A. D. 1912, at  
three o'clock in the afternoon of said  
day.

Dated this 6th day of May, A. D. 1912.

**John P. Killes**  
Deputy Sheriff

**Diekema, Kollen & Ten Cate**  
Attorneys, Business Address:

Holland, Mich. 19-71.

#### EXPIRES AUGUST 17.

**Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.**

Default has been made in the pay-  
ment of a real estate mortgage, dated  
the 29th day of Oct., 1910 recorded in  
the office of the register of deeds,  
for the county of Ottawa and State  
of Michigan, on the 1st day of July  
1911, in Liber One Hundred Four  
(104), of mortgages, on page One  
Hundred Eighteen (118), which mort-  
gage was made and executed by  
Peter Stegenga and Minnie Stegenga  
his wife, both of Holland, Mich., as  
Mortgagors, to the First State Bank  
of Holland, Mich., a corporation, as  
Mortgagee.

The amount now due and remain-  
ing unpaid for more than thirty days  
after the same fell due, is the entire  
principal of the mortgage together  
with interest thereon, amounting in  
all to One Hundred Nine Dollars and  
Twenty Eight Cents (\$109.28), to-  
gether with taxes on said property  
paid by said Mortgagee for the year  
1909, amounting to Sixteen  
Dollars and Thirty Nine Cents (\$16.  
39), and taxes for the year 1911,  
amounting to Sixteen Dollars and  
Eighty One Cents (\$16.81), making  
the total amount now due and unpaid  
One Hundred Forty Two Dollars and  
Forty Eight Cents (\$142.48), together  
with an attorney fee of Fifteen Dol-  
lars, (\$15.00) provided for in said  
mortgage and by the Statutes of the  
State. No proceedings at law or in  
Chancery have been instituted to re-  
cover the debts secured by this  
mortgage or any part thereof, and  
notice is therefore, hereby given, that  
by virtue of the power of sale in  
said mortgage contained, and the  
statute in such case made and pro-  
vided the premises in said mortgage  
described will be sold at public ven-  
due to the highest bidder at the  
North front door of the Ottawa  
County Court house, in the City of  
Grand Haven, Ottawa County Michi-  
gan, on Monday the nineteenth (19)  
day of August at three o'clock in the  
afternoon of said day, for the purpose  
of satisfying said mortgage and the  
expense of sale. Said premises are  
situated in the City of Holland, Coun-  
ty of Ottawa, State of Michigan, and  
are described as follows, to-wit:—

The East Half, (E. 1/2) of the West  
One Hundred Ten feet (W. 110 ft.)  
of lot five (5) in Block Sixty Two  
(62), in the City of Holland, accord-  
ing to a recorded map or plat of said  
City.

The mortgage above described be-  
ing a junior mortgage, a senior mort-  
gage of Four Hundred Fifty Dollars  
(\$450.00) against this property hav-  
ing been given by said Mortgagee to  
said Mortgageors in May, 1909, the  
property will be sold on this fore-  
closure, subject to said senior mort-  
gage, which is recorded in Liber  
Seventy Six (76) of mortgages on  
Page Four Hundred Thirty Seven  
(437) in the office of the Register of  
Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan.

Dated this 20th day of May A. D.

1912.

**First State Bank of Holland,**

Mortgagee

**Diekema Kollen & Ten Cate**

Attorneys for Mortgagee.

#### PROPOSED LATERAL SEWER

Twelfth Street Between Lincoln

Avenue and Columbia Avenue

City of Holland, Michigan.

City Clerk's Office,

June 1, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that the

Common Council of the City of Hol-

land at session held Friday, May 31,

1912, adopted the following resolu-

tions:

Resolved that a lateral sewer be

constructed in Twelfth street be-

tween Lincoln and Columbia avenues;

that said lateral sewer be laid at the

depth and grade and of the dimen-

sions prescribed in the diagram, plan,

and profile and in the manner re-

quired by the specifications for same

provisionally adopted by the common

council of the city of Holland May 31,

1912, and now on file in the office of

the clerk and that the cost and ex-

pense of constructing such lateral

sewer be paid partly from the general

sewer fund of said city and partly

by special assessment upon the land

lots and premises of private property

owners abutting upon said part of A

Twelfth street and being adjacent to

said lateral sewer and such other

lands, lots and premises as hereinaf-

ter required and specified assessed

according to the estimated benefits

thereto determined as follows: Total

estimated cost of lateral sewer, \$700-

92.

Amount to be raised by special as-

essment on private property accord-

ing to estimated benefits received,

\$599.34.

Amount to be paid from the gener-

al sewer fund, \$101.58.

That the lands, lots and premises

upon which said special assessment

shall be levied, shall include all

the private lands, lots and premises

lying within the specified assess-

ment district designated by a red

line in the diagram and plat of said

district by the common council in

connection with the construction of

the sewers, all of which private

lots, lands and premises are hereby

#### THOUSAND PEOPLE WILL

COME TO JENISON PARK ON

THAT DAY.

Jenison Park is to have its formal

opening today when the

Madison Square Board of Trade

will hold their annual picnic with

about a thousand people. The park

had an informal opening on Decora-

tion day, but next Thursday will be

opened and all concessions running

until the close of the season.

Dancing does not begin until a

week from Saturday, June 29th, when

there will be dances every night.

Lafferty's band will begin playing at

Jenison Park this week and will give

a concert on Saturday June 22, and a

sacred concert on Sunday June 23,

playing both days afternoons and

evenings.

The new merry go round which not

completed for Decoration day will

be ready for this formal opening. The

builders were disappointed in the

shipment of horses and chariots from

Kansas City on account of the

freight handlers strike. This equip-

ment has now arrived and the new

merry go round with its fine band

organ is now practically completed.



## LOCAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Van Kolken—a boy.

Dr. B. J. De Vries has purchased a Cutting touring car.

Jacob Jappenga claims the pool puv Ajunoo sup jo wjdurqo Sujfud that they may name.

Dr. H. E. Bosker and family of Louisville, Ky., arrived in this city and will spend the summer at their cottage at Central Park.

According to the government annual reports, the manufacturing establishments of Holland turned out five million dollars worth in manufactured goods a year.

The first milk from cows which have been subjected to the tuberculin test was brought to the city Monday by J. Schaap who receives his milk from Mr. Prins, southeast of the city. Prins' herd of 18 cows was examined by Dr. Brouwer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Enslin of Jamestown have issued invitations to the approaching marriage of their daughter, Truida to Cornelius Heyboer. The ceremony will take place Tuesday afternoon, June 25 at 3 o'clock at their home in Jamestown.

B. L. and C. B. Scott have put on sale the Elmwood addition to the City of Holland. This addition has been recently platted. It is located on First and Van Raalte avenues between 22nd and 24th streets. It is in the section of the city where the new Dearborn factory is being built.

The Degree of Honor meet at the home of Mrs. Nicholas Hoffsteen, 195 West Thirteenth street last evening.

Deputy Sheriff John Klaver, has tendered his resignation to Sheriff Andre and has severed his connection with the Ottawa county sheriff's office.

Architect George DeWeerd says he will have the new Dearborn Engraving Co., under roof within 90 days. George is some hustler.

All the flags on public buildings were at half mast Friday in recognition of George Van Duren, who was a public servant of the city for many years.

All the places of business in this city will be closed all day, July 4, so make your plans accordingly and lay in a full and complete supply before hand.

Rev. A. Karreman of the Ninth Reformed church of Grand Rapids will not accept the call extended him by the North Park Street Reformed church of Kalamazoo.

Louis Lawrence left for Lafayette Ind. Saturday night where he will take a course in pharmacy for the next few months. Almer Hoek has succeeded Mr. Lawrence as clerk at Lage's drug store.

Jack Knoll was sentenced to 65 days by Justice Robinson in Detroit House of Correction for being drunk. Knoll was on suspended sentence, given him by Justice Miles some time ago, but again transgressed.

Miss Bertha Voland of Ottawa Beach and Herbert Fabel of Grand Rapids were married Monday afternoon at the bride's home at Ottawa Beach. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. P. Whitman. The couple will make their home at 7 West Crescent street, Grand Rapids.

Miss Elizabeth Hunt, teacher of history and Latin in the Holland high school, left Monday afternoon for New York, where she with her sister, will sail for Europe Saturday. They will visit England, Holland, Germany, France, Switzerland and will return to this city about the first of September.

Clarence Kamphuis aged 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kamphuis of this city, fell from the topmost limb of a tree and was seriously injured Monday. The lad has a mania of tree climbing, and while sitting on the highest limbs of the tree the branch broke, throwing him to the sidewalk, 20 feet below. Slight hope is held for his recovery.

Dr. Davis Mills of Ann Arbor has moved to this city and will practice his specialty is osteopathy. He has located in the Vander Veen block in the room formerly occupied by the City Clerks prior to the City Hall. Dr. Mills is a graduate from the Kirksville school of Osteopathy and also from the medical department at Ann Arbor. He has had nine years of successful practice and comes well recommended.

Rev. Albert Vanden Berg, pastor of the Third Reformed church at Grand Rapids, has been elected president of Hope college council. The other officers are: vice president, The Rev. Henry J. Veltman; treasurer, Arend Visser; secretary, Gerrit J. Diekema.

The Michigan delegation had a mascot at the Chicago convention, at least the Roosevelt members of that delegation had. This was a tiger cat which Edwy Reid of Allegan had charge of and declared it meant good luck to his cause. Now the cat is styled a hoodoo by the Roosevelt men who are trying to get the Taft men to care for it.

The Woman's Relief corps presented the North Side school with a beautiful silk flag at the closing exercises Friday evening. The presentation speech was given by Martha Bell who gave a very interesting history of the American flag. Last year the corps presented the Van Raalte avenue school with a flag on flag day.

School Commissioner N. R. Stanton and examiners, H. K. Boer and Lawrence Vander Berg are sending out the diplomas to the eighth grade pupils who were successful in passing the examinations held some time ago in Holland, Allendale and Coopersville. Five Hundred pupils took the examinations and about two hundred and seventy five of them passed.

Rattle Snake point at Waverly must go, as far as it being the rendezvous for "Weary Willies" in concerned. For a time after the murder of a fellow tramp last summer, the "boos" steared clear of the place, now they are coming in droves, and the authorities are taking a hand. They will be told to leave or face a sentence at Detroit House of Correction. A thing they dread more than work.

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Robert Alward for many years one of the prominent political figures in Ottawa county is very ill at his home in Ivanrest, near Grandville. Mr. Alward was supervisor for the township of Georgetown for nine years and served as treasurer of the township. From 1897 to 1903, he represented the second district of Ottawa in the state legislature. Mr. Alward is suffering from the effects of an attack of the grip and his condition has become serious.

Assistant State Fire Marshal H. A. Wolf of Muskegon was in the city Sat., and made a tour of inspection about the city, conducted by the local fire Marshal Blom. He looked about for old and dilapidated buildings and it is expected that some of them will be condemned. Fire Marshal Blom and Isaac Jappenga and Dirk Knoll have recently returned from the Fire Marshal's Convention held in Kalamazoo.

In Pilgrim Home cemetery is a tombstone which marks the grave of a woman who is still very much alive. All the lettering is carved in it, including the date of her birth, while the date of death is left blank. Before his death two years ago G. Posthumus, a marble dealer, placed a large monument upon his cemetery lot, together with two slabs, one for himself and one for his wife. Mrs. Posthumus has remarried.

Miss Floy Raven of this city has been awarded a scholarship in the University of Chicago in the department of English. Miss Raven is a graduate of Hope college of the class of 1910 and during the past year she has been instructor in English in a high school. During her college course here and while teaching she did exceptionally good work and it was on this basis that Dr. Manly, head of the department of English at the University of Chicago, granted her the scholarship.

Petoskey, June 19.—Considerable mystery surrounds the disappearance of Charles Mulder, of Holland, who left the home of his sister, Mrs. O. Reed, Monday morning, for a short bicycle ride. Nothing has been heard of him since. Mr. Mulder came to Petoskey with his wife in hopes of benefitting his health. Searching parties headed by officers are endeavoring to locate the missing man.

As a sequel to a neighborhood quarrel, Geo. Nash, 204 W. Thirteenth street, was arrested on complaint of Mrs. John Homfield, 196 West Thirteenth street charged with using bad language. He appeared in Justice Miles court Tuesday morning and the outcome of the case was that Nash was sentenced to serve 15 days in jail. Nash then employed counsel and will appeal the case to the Circuit court. His attorney hustled around and had him released from the local lockup in less than an hour. As usual there are two sides to the story and the case will most probably be tried in the August term of the Circuit court before Judge Cross. Thos. N. Robinson has been retained as counsel for the defendant.

**Borculo Couple Is United in Marriage**

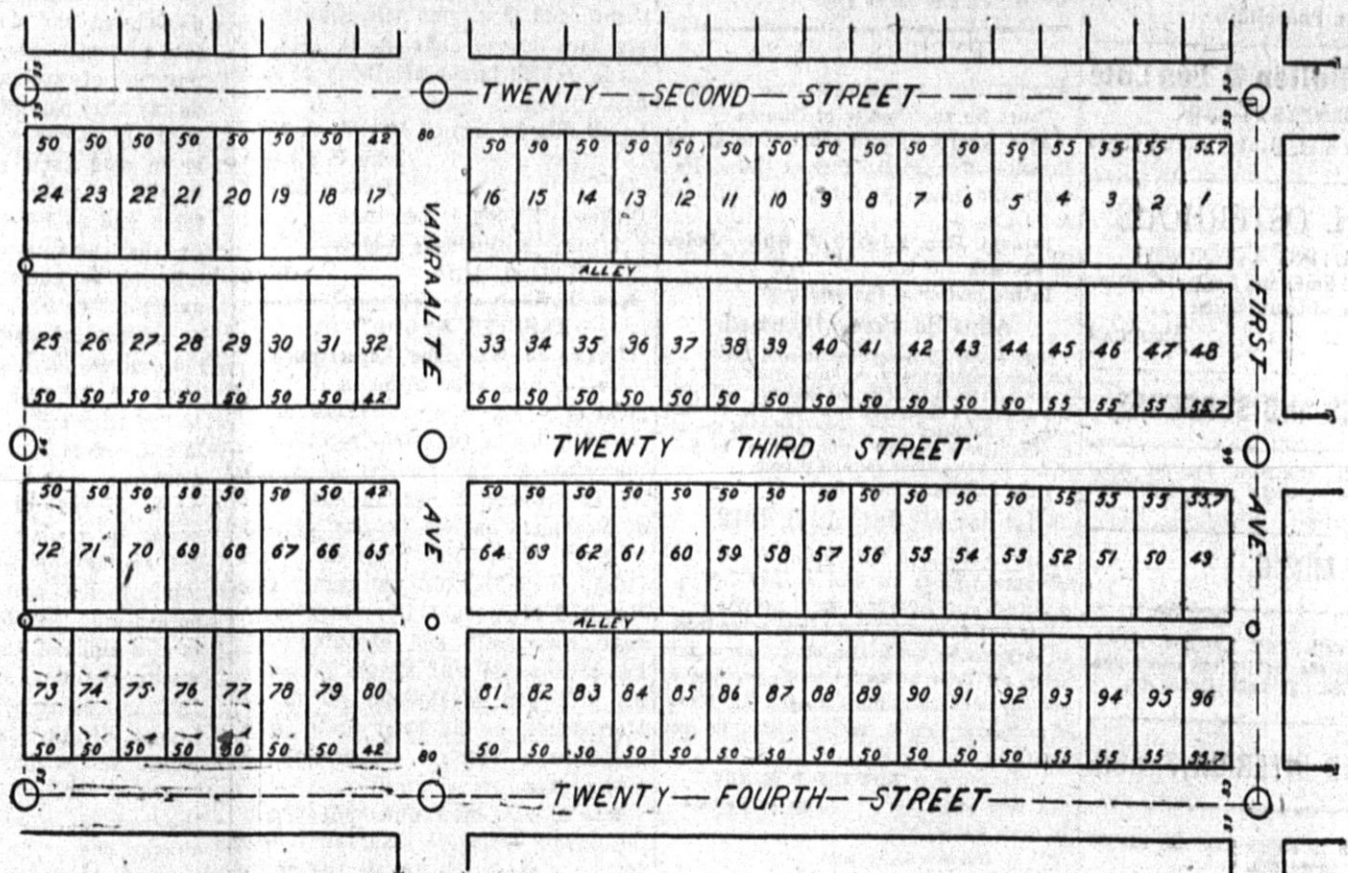
By Zeeland Justice  
Justice Roosenraad of Zeeland officiated at a wedding in the private office of County Clerk Jacob Glerum in Grand Haven Monday afternoon. The happy couple was Roy Noider and Miss Anna De Weerd, both of Borculo, and the bride and groom were attended by Lew De Weerd and Miss Anna Kraal also of Borculo.

# SAVE \$\$\$\$

## As Others Are Doing By Buying Lots In B. L. SCOTT'S ELMWOOD ADDITION

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This is a Money Saving Proposition as well as a First Class Investment. Only a few years and your deed to a first class lot will be like getting a present from home.

Let the Boys and Girls form the habit of saving \$\$\$

There will always be lots of lots, but further out

This is the bunch of 95 lots close in

Free Auto Ride out and back every afternoon

## B. L. & C. B. SCOTT

Office 236 River Street

CITIZENS TELEPHONE 1214

Holland, Michigan

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. George De Weerd were in Grand Rapids, the guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Doesburg of Gary, Ind., has been visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Doesburg.

W. Bond and daughter Ruth of St. Johns, Mich., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doesburg of this city.

John Whelan of Sturgeon Bay, Wis., is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Russel Doesburg of St. Johns, Mich., has been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doesburg of this city.

Miss Priscilla VenHuizen is visiting friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kardux were Grand Rapids visitors Friday.

Miss Ella Balgooyen has been visiting in Grand Haven.

Mrs. George Browning left for Battle Creek Saturday morning.

Miss Ethel Riemers has been visiting relatives and friends in Grand Haven.

"Butch" Den Herder, a student at the University of Chicago has been visiting friends here.

## SOCIETY

Mrs. Dan Bertsch entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church at her home on Park Road yesterday.

The Misses Grace Browning and Hazel Wing left Monday morning for Boston where they will visit for a few days. Leaving Boston they go to New York from which port they will sail for Europe Saturday where they will both travel and study. ed to Lansing Monday in Mr. McLean's car. They are attending commencement exercises there this week.

Fred White left for Fort Cromer, Wyoming Sunday night. Mr. White is head sawyer in a large lumber mill there.

John Benjamin has returned from Milwaukee where he attended the funeral of his nephew Paul R. Benjamin, who died in Liverpool, England.

Paul Dyer and C. L. Kuite will attend the convention of Eagles at Traverse City this week as delegates of the local lodge.

## A Wedding Announcement

A wedding of interest to many Holland people was that which was celebrated in Battle Creek Tuesday night, June 11th. Miss Ruby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Conkey was united in marriage to Edward G. Smith of that city. The wedding was at 7:30 o'clock the Rev. U. L. Montgomery of the North Presbyterian church of Kalamazoo officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Laura Henning of South Haven. John D. Smith acted as best man for his brother.

The bride was charmingly gowned in white and carried bridal roses. The bridesmaid wore pink and carried pink and white carnations. The bridal couple received many fine presents in cut glass, linen, silver and china, also a handsome library table made by the groom's father.

This comes as a surprise to the many friends of the bride, who was a resident of this city a number of years. The young couple will start housekeeping at once in their newly furnished home, 160 Lathrop Ave., Battle Creek, Mich.

Tuesday a. m., Mrs. Durfee, dead of the Women of Hope College, entertained the Senior Class at breakfast at Voorhees hall. The table had been beautifully decorated with daisies, the class flower, and the color effect of purple and white, the class colors, was carried out. The breakfast lasted the greater part of the forenoon, and was a most happy event. At the conclusion of the meal Mrs. Durfee made a graceful little address to the class, the members of which are soon to leave the campus, and H. V. E. Stegeman, president of the class responded. After the singing of the Hope College song pictures of the group were taken.

**WILL PLAY THE ZEELAND MERCHANTS GAME OF BALL ON AFTERNOON OF JUNE 27.**

The Holland Merchants have accepted the challenge of the Zeeland merchants for a base ball game next week Thursday afternoon and whether the local merchants have a half holiday or not the game will be played.

George Steffens was appointed as Captain of the Holland team and everything is left in his hands.

## SPORTS

Saturday afternoon the Roters and the Crescents played a ten inning game on the Nineteenth street diamond. At the end of the tenth inning the score was 4 to 4 and the teams were compelled to quit to give the Independents an opportunity to play their game. The batteries for the Roters were Overweg and Stogl and for the Crescents, Dirks and Ver Schure. Struckout by Overweg, 14; by Dirks, 9. Hits off Overweg 3; off Dirks, 7. The feature of the game was a two base hit by Scheerhorn. The Roters would like to arrange for games with out of town teams. Address, Alle Stegenga, East 15th St.

**"ONE-THIRD OF A CENTURY"**  
F. W. WOOLWORTH CO.  
Hold a Great Sale in their 617 Stores.

In the celebration of Thirty-three and one-third years of successful business enterprise, the 617 stores of F. W. Woolworth Co., situated in all of the principal cities of the United States and Canada, are to hold a record-breaking Sale during week of June 24th to 29th, inclusive. This is to be known as "One-Third of a Century Sale" and during this week this firm proposes to offer to their friends and customers an array of special values in every department that will completely eclipse all previous efforts.

The business of this Company was established by Mr. F. W. Woolworth in Utica, N. Y., just "One-Third of a Century" ago. He began with a few hundred dollars worth of merchandise starting an exclusive 5c store in the old Arcade Building, the first store of its kind ever opened. His next store was opened at Lancaster, Pa., and a line of 10c goods was added, and it was here that the popular 5&10cent business was first established. Later, the well-known firms of S. H. Knox & Co., F. H. Kirby & Co., C. S. Woolworth & Co., E. P. Charlton & Co., and W. H. Moore & Son were established in the same business.

These firms maintained a friendly relation to each other, their proprietors being intimate personal friends. It was but natural that eventually the interest of these firms should be merged together, as was done last March, the new firm taking the

name of "F. W. Woolworth Co."

During all these years this firm has faithfully followed the original plan of adhering strictly to the popular prices of 5 & 10c. During recent years, while the prices of nearly all commodities have been constantly advancing, the variety and value of merchandise offered by the Woolworth stores has been constantly increasing. This had been made possible by the enormous purchasing power of this firm. Every new store opened meant increased purchasing power, and this resulted in better value to the public.

Manufacturers who find it necessary to quickly turn their overproduction of stock into ready cash, find in this firm with its unlimited purchasing power, an opportunity to dispose of extraordinary quantities of merchandise. This explains some of the values that will be offered during this sale.

You will do well to carefully watch the windows each day to see some of the Special Values offered during the week of the Sale, and in addition to items advertised in the windows, there will be placed on the counters a large variety of other bargains of which no previous announcement will be made.

No such gigantic sale has ever before been attempted by any mercantile organization, and it is the purpose of this firm to make this Sale fittingly celebrate the auspicious event which it commemorates. They wish to invite their patrons and the public generally to visit their store during the week of this unusual sale that they may secure some of the exceptional bargains that will be offered.

## PUBLIC SALE

On Friday June 23, 1912, 10 o'clock a. m., a public sale will be held on the farm of Weger Brouwer, located one mile west of the store of Wyble Nienhuis in Crisp, Olive township, of all the stock and implements and hay on the land and three tons of old hay; also the farm, 39 acres will also be sold to the highest bidder on easy terms. Time will be given till December 1, 1912 on sums above \$3.00. A good lunch will be served at noon.

Lugers & Schilleman, Auctioneers.