

7-28-1927

Holland City News, Volume 56, Number 30: July 28, 1927

Holland City News

Follow this and additional works at: https://digitalcommons.hope.edu/hcn_1927



Part of the [Archival Science Commons](#)

Recommended Citation

Holland City News, "Holland City News, Volume 56, Number 30: July 28, 1927" (1927). *Holland City News: 1927*. 29.
https://digitalcommons.hope.edu/hcn_1927/29

This Book is brought to you for free and open access by the Holland City News: 1920-1929 at Hope College Digital Commons. It has been accepted for inclusion in Holland City News: 1927 by an authorized administrator of Hope College Digital Commons. For more information, please contact digitalcommons@hope.edu.

Volume Number 56

July 28, 1927

Number 30

**SOME MAIL BOXES
IN ALLEGAN CO.
HAVE NO NAMES****ALLEGAN RURAIS WANT MAIL
BOXES PLAINLY MARKED**

Farmers and city folks around Allegan want rural mail boxes plainly marked and are making an effort to bring this about.

They say that the main point is that numerous people know some farmer but many of these do not know exactly where his farm is. Names on mail boxes would help them acquire this information and add a feeling of community unity.

Then, too, the farmer who plainly marks his mail box so that all who pass may see that John Smith lives there is more likely to take pride in the appearance of the place.

It is also suggested that the name be put on in more places than once. The postoffice department has been trying for years to have all rural mail boxes marked with the owner's name, but the fact remains that many mail boxes are not marked at all and some are marked only on one side.

**COTTAGES NUMBERED
AT HIGHLAND PARK**

Cottages at Highland park, Grand Haven, are numbered now and street signs are up designating lanes and ridges heretofore unnamed. This resort stretches for miles down the beach and finding an individual cottage has been like hunting for a needle in the proverbial haystack.

**ANNOUNCES SUM-
MER CLEARANCE SALE**

On page two section one of this issue the Rose Clock announces its summer clearance sale on dresses and coats.

**ARE TO INSPECT
NEW PLANT HERE**

President Wynand Wichers, of the Holland Chamber of Commerce, state that some time next week, Friday, August 5th, the members of the Chamber will be given an opportunity to inspect the new C. J. Lawrence plant on the north side.

The box making factory is equipped with some strange machinery and the operation of these are worthwhile seeing. The plant also has some large printing presses used to print reading matter on millions of box cartons and milk bottle stoppers. After the inspection the members of the Chamber of Commerce are invited to a dinner at the Warm Friend Tavern.

All members are urged to attend both the trip to the new plant and the dinner at six o'clock. More details will be found in the Holland papers later.

**CASTLE PARK FOLKS
HOLD BIRTHDAY PARTY**

At a birthday celebration for Mrs. H. A. Wilkie and Mr. Carter Brown at Castle Park, music was furnished by the Heyman Trio, violin, flute and piano, while little Carter Wilkie Brown, dressed in Spanish costume, distributed gifts.

George Dibble of Chicago, well known gospel singer, will be at the Grand Rapids Gospel art port Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. The Gospel art port which was named by Louis Rader, is located on Power and West Leonard.

There is free parking space for a thousand cars. Mrs. Dibble will speak also. Mr. Dibble is often heard over WHT, Chicago. These meetings are in charge of Casey Vander Jagt.

**MERCHANTS-
WHOLESALE
HOLD MEETING****TWO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
HEADS SPEAK AT WARM
FRIEND TAVERN**

Thirty wholesalers from Grand Rapids came to Holland early yesterday by motor bus and first called on the trade, not for business reasons, but simply to extend "good will" to a neighbor.

At noon fifty Holland merchants joined the wholesalers at luncheon at the Warm Friend Tavern and a spread worthwhile was set up by landlady Lesland.

After the repast there was music by Mr. Rietberg of the Wolverine Four of Grand Rapids, who favored the gathering with solo selections that were well received. Ed Ritzema gave some rare selections with piano and accordion numbers that brought him liberal applause.

The two speakers present were Lee Beece, head of the Grand Rapids Association of Commerce and Wynand Wichers, head of the Holland Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Wichers in a short address welcomed the visitors and stated that the Holland litch string was ever hanging out, to its neighbor Grand Rapids.

Mr. Beece graciously responded to welcome and stated that the Grand Rapids delegation was there to spread "good will" which he already found in large measure in Holland.

Mr. Beece spoke to some extent on American history and the spirit of America. He brought in "Lindy" stating that the "Spirit of St. Louis" in reality was the "Spirit of America."

The luncheon was called at 12:15 o'clock and at 1:30 o'clock the meeting adjourned and the wholesalers departed for the Furniture City.

**CASTLE PARK FOLKS
HOLD BIRTHDAY PARTY**

At a birthday celebration for Mrs. H. A. Wilkie and Mr. Carter Brown at Castle Park, music was furnished by the Heyman Trio, violin, flute and piano, while little Carter Wilkie Brown, dressed in Spanish costume, distributed gifts.

George Dibble of Chicago, well known gospel singer, will be at the Grand Rapids Gospel art port Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. The Gospel art port which was named by Louis Rader, is located on Power and West Leonard.

There is free parking space for a thousand cars. Mrs. Dibble will speak also. Mr. Dibble is often heard over WHT, Chicago. These meetings are in charge of Casey Vander Jagt.

**REV. EUSEN OF
BOSTON TO PREACH
AT CENTRAL PARK**

Next Sunday the Rev. Ray A. Eusem, pastor of the Eliot Church of Newton, Mass., will preach at the Central Park church. His sermon topic for the morning service at 10 a. m. will be "The Way of Jesus' Greatness." At 3:30 p. m. he will preach on the theme, "The Galilean Accent on Life." Mr. Henry Steunenberg of Fulton, Ill., will play the organ at both services and the Misses Ethel and Geneva Heneveld will sing a duet at the evening service.

A most cordial invitation is extended to all to come and worship at Central Park.

**FENVILLE IS AFTER
THE AUTO SPEEDERS**

Fennville is going to check up on the speeders. Some of the tourists are coming over the concrete at the rate of 45 to 50 miles. Fennville has been closing its eyes to this fast driving and has been lenient up to this time. The officials state that there will be no speed traps but visitors and citizens alike must drive within reason or be arrested.

**GREEK STAGE IN
WOODS POPULAR
AT THE RESORT****AMPHITHEATRE OPENS SEASON OF
1927 AT CASTLE PARK**

On Saturday night, July 16, the beautiful Greek Amphitheatre at Castle Park was opened with a musical program when Miss Grave Holscheider, soprano, and Miss Helen Vining, composer-pianist, gave a joint program. These two artists have just returned from a three months tour of Europe where they appeared in concert in many of the important music centers. They were warmly welcomed by an enthusiastic audience in the Amphitheatre.

France Coates Greek, costume songstress of Chicago, appeared in groups of charming songs from different lands on Friday night, the 22nd. The Heyman Trio with Ruth Heyman, violin soloist, were the assisting artists.

On Friday night, July 29, Mr. Edmond Vance Cook, poet-philosopher, will give the program in the theatre. He offers a delightful treat to young and old. The program starts at 8:45 fast time and promises to be a great attraction for the resorters for many miles. Many friends of Castle Park are interested to know of the activities of this Greek theatre.

**GIRL'S CONFER-
ENCE LARGER
BY 100 PER CENT****ARE TO HOLD BANQUET AT PINE
LODGE FRIDAY EVENING**

Those at the head of Pine Lodge feel that the showing made at both the boys and girls conference is indeed gratifying. The girls camp especially is shown remarkable gains in fact more than 100 per cent according to Dr. Martin, pastor of Third Ref'd church.

There are 50 in all. It is stated one church, Immanuel, in Grand Rapids, sent 10 alone. Holland sent 5, Chicago 2, Morrison, Ill. 2, and the balance are scattered from different churches. Last Sunday the girls attended Hope church in a body and this Sunday a block of seats will be reserved for them at the Third Ref'd church.

Friday night of this week a banquet is to be given at Pine Lodge at 6 o'clock, when besides the girls, there will be several visitor guests. There will be a speaking and musical program tomorrow night. The festivity is to be called "The Rain-Bow" banquet.

Mr. R. Ferguson, nationally known swimmer, is a guest of the Perkins family at Jensen Park.

**News Items Taken From the Files of Holland City
News Fifty, Twenty-five and
Fifteen Years Ago Today****Fifty Years Ago Today**

Fifteen hundred Indians, under the guidance of Chief Bull, residing in Canada, inform the Canadian Mounted Police they are tired of fighting. Chiefs at the encampment include Spotted Eagle, Rain-in-the-Face, Medicine Bear and others. Sitting Bull and his tribe are the redskins who wiped out General Custer and his men. Not a soldier was left to live at the Little Big Horn fight.

Messrs Luce Leweke & Co. started to work in their marble shop yesterday.

Mr. S. D. Clay, attorney at law, from Grand Rapids, made an eloquent appeal for temperance on Sunday evening last, under the auspices of the Holland Reform club, at Kenyon's Hall. Mr. Clay is naturally eloquent, and never fails to interest his audience.

The terrible excitement created by the railroad strikers all over the country is the absorbing topic of the day. Troops are being concentrated at Grand Rapids, and at all available points throughout the whole country as a precaution against mob violence. As some points new difficulties have occurred, but over the whole it is settling down suddenly. However, at Chicago some blood has been shed and quite a number of companies have been organized to protect property, but the greatest danger is over.

In New York everything remained quiet until yesterday and an abundance of troops in readiness to keep it so.

While in Providence, R. I., President Hayes slept under a bed quilt which was made in the year 1687 by a direct ancestor of Mr. William Elery, who was the signer of the Declaration of Independence from Rhode Island. The president's bed was used since it covered the form of President Washington, on the occasion of his last visit to Newport just after the revolution. The owners refused to allow it to be used by President Jackson when he visited the state.

Miss Mia Buckingham of Muskegon has been appointed teacher of Mathematics in the Holland high school.

15 Years Ago Today

The marriage of Miss Agnes Gertrude Stapekamp, daughter of Mrs. Dena C. Stapekamp, to Rev. Victor William Bleekink, son of Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Bleekink, will occur on Wednesday evening, August 7, at the home of the bride on East 16th St.

Mrs. Gerrit Stool was pleasantly surprised at her home 88 E. 21st St. Friday afternoon by the members of the Prospect Park Art club. The club presented her with a beautiful hand-painted plate in honor of her birthday. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in games, winding up with dainty refreshments.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Anne Susan Schuelke and the Rev. James G. Fenneklaasen on Thursday, August 15. Both are graduates of Hope college.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sief on 12th street—a daughter.

**SISTER OF EX-
MAYOR BRUSSE
DIES IN CALIF.****WAS WIFE OF THE LATE JOHN
JACOB MAAL OF HOLLAND**

A communication arrived in Holland yesterday from Orrie D. Maal, formerly of Holland, now of California, tells of the death of his mother also of this city. The letter from Mr. Maal follows:

"My Christina Maal, formerly of Holland, Mich., passed away Sunday evening, July 17, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dora Buurman, of 923 West Dryden Glendale, California.

"Mrs. Maal was born Oct. 2, 1860 in Buurlo, Province, Gelderland, Netherlands. She was married in 1883 to John Jacob Maal, her maiden name was Brusse, sister of Henry Brusse of Holland. Her husband died early in 1888. In 1902 she came to this country with her son and daughter and settled in Holland, Mich., where she lived until 1925, when she moved to Glendale where her daughter, the son already a resident of Glendale.

"Mrs. Maal was a member of the 4th Reformed church of Holland, Mich. She leaves besides the daughter, Mrs. Gerrit Buurman, 623 West Dryden, a son Orrie D. Maal, 953 Broadway Dr., a son-in-law, Gerrit Buurman, 623 West Dryden, a daughter, Mabel Bradward-Maal, two grandchildren, Nellie and Christene Buurman, all of Glendale, California; a brother, Henry Brusse, 69 West 12th St., and a sister Mrs. G. Blok, 291 W. 19th St., both of Holland, Mich.

"Beautiful funeral services were held Wednesday, July 20, at 2 o'clock in the 'Little Church of the Flowers', Forest Lawn. Rev. M. Pijpe, formerly of Holland, now of Los Angeles, officiated.

"She was laid to rest in the 'Valle of Memories' Mausoleum. Memorial Park, Glendale. Many former Holland people now in California attended the services."

**ATTEMPTING TO GET
WIFE OUT OF JAIL,
GETS PINCHED**

Hugo Olson, 39, of Evanston, Ill., reversed the process and literally broke into Muskegon jail yesterday morning. He was arrested last week on a statutory charge preferred by her husband. Crampston was released on bond and met Olson. The two became fast friends and according to Sheriff Covell, conspired to get the third party out of the triangle out of custody.

The officer "smelled the rat" and refused to let Olson see his wife. Unable to get to her with whatever plans they may have worked out, Olson and Crampston sought to communicate with her by means of notes passed in with fruit.

Wednesday morning Olson brought a bag of bananas to the jail. He was detained while Covell did a bit of research work. A note advising Mrs. Olson that the charge against her was to be dropped if she would keep quiet was found.

**LAST HATCHERY TO SHUT
DOWN IN OTTAWA COUNTY**

The hatchery of the Lakeview Poultry Farm owned and operated by Martinus J. Kole, Holland, Mich., Rfd. No. 8 is the last hatchery to close down in this county this year. The big red hen was warmed up and the first eggs set on January 24th bringing the first hatch off on February 14. The last hatch of approximately 5,000 chicks was taken off Wednesday July 27.

They specialize in Barred Rocks, Rhode Island Reds and White Leghorns. The season's output was 200,000 baby chicks. Shipments were made practically all in the state of Michigan.

Just recently Mr. Kole bought out the famous rock breeder George Campbell who will discontinue this breed. The sequi-centennial male was included in the deal.

Mr. Kole reports a successful season and expects to install another 47,000 egg capacity "Smith" incubator to take care of his increasing business.

Riemersma and Hoover both got pretty two base hits up against the fence for the longest blows for the Holland team.

**A "DARK HORSE"
HEN LEADS IN THE
EGG CONTEST****M. S. C. MARATHON GOES MER-
RILY ON**

A pen of White Leghorn hens from Grand Rapids, a "dark horse" the fifth international egg laying contest at Michigan State College, has forced its way into the lead of one of the most spirited poultry races in the history of the local competitions.

Only a few weeks ago these hens were tenth place but after gaining their "second wind" they pushed up rapidly. They were entered by F. G. De Witt, of Grand Rapids.

In rising to first place, Mr. DeWitt's hens displace a pen of Leghorns entered by Harry Burns, of Muskegon. Mr. Burns' hens have laid about 200 more eggs than De Witt's, but these eggs were underweight and could not be counted in the official returns. De Witt's birds have produced few underweight eggs.

**HOLLAND WOMEN
GET THANKS FOR
LEPER DONATIONS****MISSIONARIES IN AFRICA ARE
VERY GRATEFUL FOR EFFORTS
OF LOCAL SOCIETIES**

Tell of Work That Is Being Done at the Inhabamane Mission

Each year the members of the ladies' federation of women's clubs of the churches of Holland make a substantial collection for the work among the lepers at Inhabamane, P. E. Africa. A few years ago the members of the Holland societies donated the money with which a leper hospital was built, named the C. V. R. Gilmore Leper Home, in honor of the president of the federation, Mrs. C. V. R. Gilmore. This spring another substantial sum was sent to the leper mission and yesterday, Mrs. Gertrude Boer, the secretary, received the following letter of thanks, which is printed so all of the hundreds of members of these societies may have an opportunity to read it:

Box 41 Inhabamane P. E. Africa, June 8, 1927.

Dear Mrs. Boer and Ladies of the Federation of Women's societies: Your letter of the 20th of March brings to us the good report of the annual meeting and certainly thrilled our hearts. We were with you that day in prayer and some of the Christian lepers also. Although we did not meet in a physical way we did meet around the common mercy seat. In thought we were back to that meeting when we were with you and realized how powerful His presence was felt there that day. We have the faith that the prayers of that consecrated body of women will be the means of doing much for Christ among these unfortunate lepers here at Inhabamane. We pray as we have often prayed that we may be in truth instruments in God's hands to help answer these prayers. We wish to thank you most sincerely for your noble sacrifices and the gift of eight hundred dollars. I just came from the leper camp and if some of you could see how happy and contented they are I am sure your hearts would be thrilled with the satisfaction that your efforts are not in vain. The boys were making maps. I'll admit some were rather clumsy because part of their fingers are gone. The girls and women were digging peanuts; they have eight bags of peanuts already harvested and will get a good many more. They have about ninety chickens, but the corn crop this year was a failure also the beans because of the heat and no rain.

Also we want to thank you most sincerely for the personal hundred dollars you sent with which we will be able to bring Ruth, our daughter, home for the July holidays. She certainly will miss the dormitory where she has been about this. This is about the only hardship that we missionaries must contend with, sending our children away when they are about ten years old and only getting to see them for a little while every two years. So you can realize what it will mean to have Ruth come home to us and also to Ruth to be able to be together for the month of July. So we most heartily thank you for this. Also it was very thoughtful of you to send the hundred dollars for a helper. If you could follow us around for a day or two you would realize there is a lot to do here and a helper will take a lot of the burden from us. Zefania is looking after the boys in the leper camp and Liawatchy for the women, being paid from this hundred dollars.

Also in your letter you mentioned the money for repair so I am having it done at the present time, giving it a cement wash and a coat of paint inside and the roof and tarring the floors on account of the white ants. Also retouching the roofs of two of the outbuildings including a kitchen and dining room which were already on the place and belong to the Gilmore Home. This will cost in the neighborhood of \$400.00.

I am sending you the film as you requested of the C. V. R. Gilmore Leper Home. I think this is a better view of it than the one we first sent you; also pictures of the beginning of the coconut grove and the river that runs through the place, also one of the buildings just completed of four, for more lepers.

In closing let us again thank you and the noble women for what they are doing for these unfortunate lepers. We certainly need your money and are hearts are full of gratitude for it, but we need more your prayers; for we may be able to carry out the things that God wants us to do.

Most sincerely yours,
Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Stauffer.

**LOCAL BOAT
COMPANY HAS
A NEW HEAD****CAPT. EDW. TAYLOR MADE GOOD-
RICH LINE MANAGER**

Announcement is made of the appointment of Capt. Edward E. Taylor, assistant general manager of the Goodrich Transit company, as general manager with complete authority over the operating and passenger and freight traffic departments. Capt. Taylor has been connected with the Goodrich Transit company for many years, afterwards with the Graham & Morton Transportation company, and upon the consolidation of that company with the Goodrich lines, was made assistant general manager. His promotion to general manager of the Goodrich line will be well received by shipping interest and all the officers and employees of that company.

**GOSPEL MEETINGS TO BE
HELD AT HUDSONVILLE**

John Wesley Lee one of America's Greatest Evangelists will speak in the big tent recently erected in Hudsonville, Mich. Mr. Lee will speak commencing Monday, Aug. 1 and for one week. He is highly recommended by Paul Rader and Casey Vander Jagt.

Pearl MacDonald will be in charge of the services. Other prominent speakers will follow. Meetings begin at 8 p. m.

**Holland Team Sure
Was Frozen Out On
Wednesday Night**

The Leonard Refrigerators showed the Holland fans that they were one of the best ball teams in the state when they shut out the local team 6-0 last evening. In the inning they got to Stegenga for four solid hits and three runs and kept up the hitting until the fifth inning when Marve gave way to Ashley who pitched an air tight ball and gave the lepers only two hits in the remaining innings of the game. Marve has been suffering from a sore arm and he did not have the old stuff on the ball. Ashley seemed to have the old Indian sign on the visitors and got along like a big leaguer. Murphy the Leonard twirler was in great form and gave the Holland boys only five scattered hits which were far too few to score. The big fellow has not lost a game in the Grand Rapids league and he doesn't seem to be in any danger of losing one if he pitches like he did last night.

**QUOIT PITCHERS IN OT-
TAWA TO HOLD TOURNAY**

The Ottawa county quait pitching tournament will be held here, starting Monday, August 1st, and will be held on the Nineteenth at recreation grounds. Local hopes rest on Harry Klompans, David Verecke and Lester Venhuizen. Venhuizen challenges all comers.

Cash fares on street railways at Muskegon have been advanced from eight to ten cents, following the favorable action of the city commission on a petition from the Michigan railway company. Three car tokens may be secured for 25 cents, according to the new ruling.

**Macatawa, Castle
And Waukazoo
Play Base Ball****ANNUAL LEAGUE OF INDOOR
TEAMS IS FORMED BY THE
RESORTERS**

One indication that Macatawa has not lost her spirit is evidenced in the fact that from her ranks comes the champion of the resorters, the Macatawa Resort League and "Play Ball!" It has been the custom for many years to form this league and exchange games for both recreation and entertainment. Past years have seen some exciting games and this year promises to hold up the general reputation of the players. Games have been played at Macatawa and the Castle by the Macatawa team. These will be returned as defeats are not taken as final.

Taselaar pitches for the Macatawa sand-lot while Lindbloom of Chicago heads the Waukazoo pill-puffers. The three teams in the league invite every one to get a team together and send in a challenge to Box 71, Macatawa. This is a fine source of amusement and rivalry between resorts. These ought to be plenty athletes willing to display their prowess and defend their local resort. Of the seven large resorts reached by this paper, at least a few will form teams and join in the fun.

Rev. John H. Warnshuis and wife, Dr. Warnshuis, and their two daughters, Jos and Lois, are the guests of the former's sister and brother-in-law Dr. and Mrs. Henry J. Pyle, 1368 Fifth street, Muskegon—Muskegon Chronicle.

**ANOTHER PURPOSE WHERE
C. OF C. STEPS IN**

The duties of a Chamber of Commerce are not alone along the line of securing of factories but there are other ways in which this organization can be of use. Members of the Chamber were on hand to greet 2,500 poultry men last week. They were present to give a welcome to many wholesale merchants yesterday and the president gave them a happy greeting. The chamber again functioned when the Boys Conference was held at Pine Lodge. The young men, guest in this city, were also the guests of the local Chamber of Commerce for a half day. Actions of members were pressed into service and the boys were taken thru the city and were shown some of Holland's manufacturing plants. They left favorable impressions with Holland and are bound to talk about it.

**LOCAL BOAT
COMPANY HAS
A NEW HEAD****CAPT. EDW. TAYLOR MADE GOOD-
RICH LINE MANAGER**

Announcement is made of the appointment of Capt. Edward E. Taylor, assistant general manager of the Goodrich Transit company, as general manager with complete authority over the operating and passenger and freight traffic departments. Capt. Taylor has been connected with the Goodrich Transit company for many years, afterwards with the Graham & Morton Transportation company, and upon the consolidation of that company with the Goodrich lines, was made assistant general manager. His promotion to general manager of the Goodrich line will be well received by shipping interest and all the officers and employees of that company.

**GOSPEL MEETINGS TO BE
HELD AT HUDSONVILLE**

John Wesley Lee one of America's Greatest Evangelists will speak in the big tent recently erected in Hudsonville, Mich. Mr. Lee will speak commencing Monday, Aug. 1 and for one week. He is highly recommended by Paul Rader and Casey Vander Jagt.

Pearl MacDonald will be in charge of the services. Other prominent speakers will follow. Meetings begin at 8 p. m.

**Holland Team Sure
Was Frozen Out On
Wednesday Night**

The Leonard Refrigerators showed the Holland fans that they were one of the best ball teams in the state when they shut out the local team 6-0 last evening. In the inning they got to Stegenga for four solid hits and three runs and kept up the hitting until the fifth inning when Marve gave way to Ashley who pitched an air tight ball and gave the lepers only two hits in the remaining innings of the game. Marve has been suffering from a sore arm and he did not have the old stuff on the ball. Ashley seemed to have the old Indian sign on the visitors and got along like a big leaguer. Murphy the Leonard twirler was in great form and gave the Holland boys only five scattered hits which were far too few to score. The big fellow has not lost a game in the Grand Rapids league and he doesn't seem to be in any danger of losing one if he pitches like he did last night.

**QUOIT PITCHERS IN OT-
TAWA TO HOLD TOURNAY**

The Ottawa county quait pitching tournament will be held here, starting Monday, August 1st, and will be held on the Nineteenth at recreation grounds. Local hopes rest on Harry Klompans, David Verecke and Lester Venhuizen. Venhuizen challenges all comers.

Cash fares on street railways at Muskegon have been advanced from eight to ten cents, following the favorable action of the city commission on a petition from the Michigan railway company. Three car tokens may be secured for 25 cents, according to the new ruling.

**Macatawa, Castle
And Waukazoo
Play Base Ball****ANNUAL LEAGUE OF INDOOR
TEAMS IS FORMED BY THE
RESORTERS**

One indication that Macatawa has not lost her spirit is evidenced in the fact that from her ranks comes the champion of the resorters, the Macatawa Resort League and "Play Ball!" It has been the custom for many years to form this league and exchange games for both recreation and entertainment. Past years have seen some exciting games and this year promises to hold up the general reputation of the players. Games have been played at Macatawa and the Castle by the Macatawa team. These will be returned as defeats are not taken as final.

Taselaar pitches for the Macatawa sand-lot while Lindbloom of Chicago heads the Waukazoo pill-puffers. The three teams in the league invite every one to get a team together and send in a challenge to Box 71, Macatawa. This is a fine source of amusement and rivalry between resorts. These ought to be plenty athletes willing to display their prowess and defend their local resort. Of the seven large resorts reached by this paper, at least a few will form teams and join in the fun.

Rev. John H. Warnshuis and wife, Dr. Warnshuis, and their two daughters, Jos and Lois, are the guests of the former's sister and brother-in-law Dr. and Mrs. Henry J. Pyle, 1368 Fifth street, Muskegon—Muskegon Chronicle.

**OTTAWA SHERIFF
ROUNDS UP FOUR
FARMER BOYS****DISTURB CAMP MEETING AT AL-
LENDALE ON LAST SUN-
DAY****Pay Heavy Fines in Grand Haven
Justice Court**

The officers of the Ottawa county sheriff's department arrested four young men from Allendale township recently for disturbing a religious meeting and yesterday morning they were arraigned at Grand Haven. Pageden at Grand Haven.

The officers of the sheriff's department arrested the following young men recently for disturbing a religious meeting. They are Albert Mulder, Albertus Snoelink, Benjamin Snoelink and Cornelius D. F. Pageden. Arraigned before a fine of \$10 and costs of \$2.

The Allendale lamp meeting which has been held for the past ten days has been continually annoyed by boys disturbing their meetings and this week called the sheriff's officers to quell their actions.

Sheriff Kamferbeek insists that all churches or religious gatherings in the country have every consideration that those in the city enjoy and will do his utmost to arrest offenders and secure peace and order. He wishes to see these meetings.

There have been several complaints coming from other county organizations and sheriff Kamferbeek will not tolerate this sort of thing he says.

Last year several arrests were made for the same thing and fines were given. The arrests caused a vast section of the county but the idea seems to have sprung up again and only punishment seems to have an effect.

Summer time is a season when some of the county lads seem to take their fun out in disturbing others who are enjoying a religious gathering, and coming and going in cars they are able to quickly move from one locality to another.

LOCALS

Miss Gertrude Beltman was a Grand Rapids visitor yesterday.

Barend Arendshorst, oldest baker in Holland, is celebrating his 85th birthday today.

Sam Miller, former Depot restaurant man, is in Rockford, Mich., buying a touring house on wheels. Mr. Miller is due for a trip abroad.

Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Kendrick of Iowa are the guests of their daughter Mrs. Milton L. Hinga, 586 Central Av. for a few weeks.

Miss Edith Mae Chaff, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Paul P. Chaff of Omaha, Neb., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Boonstra of Zeeland.

Mrs. Wm. Hirdes of Beaverdam and sister, Mrs. A. Clark and son of Holland let for Oola, Colorado, to visit their parents and with other relatives.

Miss Gertrude De Roo, who holds a position as bookkeeper at the Holland Furnace company, is enjoying a week's vacation at Zeeland.

Rev. and Mrs. Bernie Mulder and two children of Bells, Iowa, arrived at Zeeland on a few weeks' visit with Rev. Mulder's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Mulder, residing two miles southwest of Zeeland.

J. B. Mulder and daughter Miss Jonette were called to Pontiac this morning because of the illness of Ronald Mountain, who is the son-in-law of Mr. Mulder.

Mrs. Frank Rhoads, E. 10th St. and Mrs. Nick Hofstee left this morning for an extended trip of three weeks through Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mokma of Holland left for Le Grand, Mich., where they attended the funeral of Jacob Vanden Bosch, son of the late Rev. Vanden Bosch, formerly of Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Duren and son Allen and daughter Marjorie of Indianapolis, Ind., returned home today after spending a week at Waukazoo at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Van Duren.

Rev. C. Muller of Grand Rapids will have charge of services in the First Reformed church at Zeeland, next Sunday evening. Rev. John Van Peursem will preach in the morning and has chosen for his theme, "New Wine in New Bottles"—Zeeland Record.

Jan Sevenama, Dutch Evangelist, from Amsterdam, Netherlands, will speak for one week beginning next Sunday, July 31st, in the Gospel tent on Church and Washington St., Zeeland. Meetings begin at 7:30.

Friday night's band concert at Zeeland will be of special interest, because the Junior organization will play with the American Legion Post band. The band will play in the Zeeland park and a general invitation is extended.

Dr. Edward Masselink who has charge of the Sabbath day services in the Third Chr. Reformed church at Zeeland, during this summer, will preach at the Fourteenth St. Chr. Reformed church of Holland next Sunday morning.

A larger number of bathers than ever before this season took advantage of Lake Michigan yesterday afternoon at Muskegon. Since city health officials condemned the Third-ard municipal beach as unsanitary more people have been turning to Lake Michigan for their swimming and bathing.

Miss Grace J. Schukelbeir, who was Third Chr. Reformed church, Normal school has accepted a teaching position in Jackson for the coming year. Her sister Miss Beatie Schukelbeir, who has been teaching in MI. Clermans for the past two years will return there after spending the summer at her home in Spring Lake—Grand Haven Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Duren entertained the Van Duren family with a dinner at the Holland Country club Tuesday. There were 15 Van Duren present including the mother, Mrs. G. J. Van Duren. This is the first time since the war that a reunion was held and when all could be present. When George Van Duren returned from overseas a similar gathering brought them all to Holland.

LOCALS

Miss Gertrude Beltman was a Grand Rapids visitor yesterday.

Barend Arendshorst, oldest baker in Holland, is celebrating his 85th birthday today.

Sam Miller, former Depot restaurant man, is in Rockford, Mich., buying a touring house on wheels. Mr. Miller is due for a trip abroad.

Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Kendrick of Iowa are the guests of their daughter Mrs. Milton L. Hinga, 586 Central Av. for a few weeks.

Miss Edith Mae Chaff, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Paul P. Chaff of Omaha, Neb., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Boonstra of Zeeland.

Mrs. Wm. Hirdes of Beaverdam and sister, Mrs. A. Clark and son of Holland let for Oola, Colorado, to visit their parents and with other relatives.

Miss Gertrude De Roo, who holds a position as bookkeeper at the Holland Furnace company, is enjoying a week's vacation at Zeeland.

Rev. and Mrs. Bernie Mulder and two children of Bells, Iowa, arrived at Zeeland on a few weeks' visit with Rev. Mulder's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Mulder, residing two miles southwest of Zeeland.

J. B. Mulder and daughter Miss Jonette were called to Pontiac this morning because of the illness of Ronald Mountain, who is the son-in-law of Mr. Mulder.

Mrs. Frank Rhoads, E. 10th St. and Mrs. Nick Hofstee left this morning for an extended trip of three weeks through Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mokma of Holland left for Le Grand, Mich., where they attended the funeral of Jacob Vanden Bosch, son of the late Rev. Vanden Bosch, formerly of Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Duren and son Allen and daughter Marjorie of Indianapolis, Ind., returned home today after spending a week at Waukazoo at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Van Duren.

Rev. C. Muller of Grand Rapids will have charge of services in the First Reformed church at Zeeland, next Sunday evening. Rev. John Van Peursem will preach in the morning and has chosen for his theme, "New Wine in New Bottles"—Zeeland Record.

Jan Sevenama, Dutch Evangelist, from Amsterdam, Netherlands, will speak for one week beginning next Sunday, July 31st, in the Gospel tent on Church and Washington St., Zeeland. Meetings begin at 7:30.

Friday night's band concert at Zeeland will be of special interest, because the Junior organization will play with the American Legion Post band. The band will play in the Zeeland park and a general invitation is extended.

Dr. Edward Masselink who has charge of the Sabbath day services in the Third Chr. Reformed church at Zeeland, during this summer, will preach at the Fourteenth St. Chr. Reformed church of Holland next Sunday morning.

A larger number of bathers than ever before this season took advantage of Lake Michigan yesterday afternoon at Muskegon. Since city health officials condemned the Third-ard municipal beach as unsanitary more people have been turning to Lake Michigan for their swimming and bathing.

Miss Grace J. Schukelbeir, who was Third Chr. Reformed church, Normal school has accepted a teaching position in Jackson for the coming year. Her sister Miss Beatie Schukelbeir, who has been teaching in MI. Clermans for the past two years will return there after spending the summer at her home in Spring Lake—Grand Haven Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Duren entertained the Van Duren family with a dinner at the Holland Country club Tuesday. There were 15 Van Duren present including the mother, Mrs. G. J. Van Duren. This is the first time since the war that a reunion was held and when all could be present. When George Van Duren returned from overseas a similar gathering brought them all to Holland.

LOCALS

Miss Gertrude Beltman was a Grand Rapids visitor yesterday.

Barend Arendshorst, oldest baker in Holland, is celebrating his 85th birthday today.

Sam Miller, former Depot restaurant man, is in Rockford, Mich., buying a touring house on wheels. Mr. Miller is due for a trip abroad.

Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Kendrick of Iowa are the guests of their daughter Mrs. Milton L. Hinga, 586 Central Av. for a few weeks.

Miss Edith Mae Chaff, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Paul P. Chaff of Omaha, Neb., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Boonstra of Zeeland.

Mrs. Wm. Hirdes of Beaverdam and sister, Mrs. A. Clark and son of Holland let for Oola, Colorado, to visit their parents and with other relatives.

Miss Gertrude De Roo, who holds a position as bookkeeper at the Holland Furnace company, is enjoying a week's vacation at Zeeland.

Rev. and Mrs. Bernie Mulder and two children of Bells, Iowa, arrived at Zeeland

FORMER OTTAWA MAN LOANED TO AMERICAN R. C.

Dr. Wm. De Kleine, former Ottawa county physician, has been invited by the American Red Cross to help in the period of six weeks in the rehabilitation work in the flooded area of the Mississippi valley. Dr. De Kleine, who has won a national reputation as a health worker, was called upon because of his success in health organization work.

The former Ottawa county man is employed by the American Child Health association, his present headquarters being in Fargo, North Dakota, where he is conducting a child health demonstration among the children of that city. Before going to Dakota he conducted a similar demonstration in Mansfield, Ohio. Each demonstration covers a period of about four years, during which time the director organizes the community on such a basis with respect to child health that at the close of the period the city has been practically made over in its health machinery. When a demonstration closes the community takes it over and makes it a permanent part of its civic activities.

The American Red Cross is one of the sponsors of this movement, and Dr. De Kleine's success in child health work has attracted the attention of the national officials who thereupon called on him to help in the solution of the pressing health problems in the flooded area. The American Child Health association loaned Dr. De Kleine to the American Red Cross for six weeks' period.

Dr. De Kleine's career in health work has been an interesting one. He graduated from Hope College about 25 years ago and took a medical course. He located in Grand Haven in general practice but became dissatisfied with that kind of work. Although he had a remunerative practice he sold out everything, pulled up stakes, and went back to school to prepare himself for a career of public health work. Since then he has served as health officer in various cities and during the last few years he has been one of the main factors in the success of the work of the American Child Health association.

R. W. JUDSON LAUNCHES "COMOCO," \$300,000.00 BOAT ON SPRING LAKE

Spring Lake boasts the most beautiful cruiser on the great lakes, the new "Comoco," the lake and sea cruiser, belonging to R. W. Judson, president of the Continental Motors company. The boat is valued at \$300,000, is 140 by 20 feet and has 2500 h. p. Bessmer, Diesel engines. It accommodates 12 passengers, and carries a crew of 10.

The boat was built in Bay City and launched July 1. It will make its first cruise in Lake Michigan with a party of young people, the guests of the Misses Gertrude and Ione Judson.

SOON TO RETURN FROM EUROPE

Miss Clara Yntema, daughter of Mrs. D. B. Yntema of Holland township, will sail Saturday from France, according to a message received by her mother. Miss Yntema on a year's leave of absence from the Grand Rapids schools where she has been teaching went to Europe last October for several months' study. She spent some months at the American Academy at Rome and when that closed she went to Paris where she has been studying at the Sorbonne. She will sail on the steamship "Berengaria" of the Cunard line.

SIGNS OTHER THAN OFFICIAL TRAFFIC MARKERS MUST GO

All signs other than official signs erected to direct traffic on trunk line highways must go. This is the verdict of Frank T. Rogers, who sent a communication to the Muskegon city commission asking that any flash signs not erected by the officials be ordered removed.

Mr. Rogers called attention especially to flash signals of an advertising nature erected along the trunk line. City Manager I. R. Ellison said that as far as he knew there were no signs in Muskegon of this nature.

"I believe that Mr. Rogers is right on such signs as the one recently erected near the railroad crossing at Grand Haven," explained the manager. "This is a flash danger signal which flashes all the time. The official signs flash only when a train is approaching, while the other signs flash all the time. The result is that sooner or later the motorist will pay no attention to the official flash signs and accidents will result."

Mr. Rogers in his letter said that every effort was being made by the state to keep advertising signs off the trunk line highways.

"They mar the beauty and they result in accidents," said Mr. Rogers.

ECHO OF ALLEGAN BANK FAILURE IS HEARD IN LAWSUIT

This was filed in Allegan circuit court Wednesday.

Suits against the township of Allegan against William J. Brouwer, and George Starling, A. L. Robinson and Arthur Odell, bondsmen, for the township funds deposited in the defunct First National bank.

Judgment of \$10,000 is asked in the complaint, filed by J. W. Cornelius, Hollis of Grand Rapids, acting for the township.

No action has been taken relative to calling a grand jury to investigate the affairs of the bank by Prosecutor Harry Fell as yet.

An investigation was demanded by the supervisors in the June session and the prosecutor instructed to act. It is understood that in not beginning proceedings the prosecutor is acting on advice of federal authorities who have the matter in hand.

Supervisor A. De Jongh of Salem township was the leader on the board in demanding the investigation.

The annual reunion of the Garter family will be held July 31 at the home of Mrs. G. Estlund of Coopersville. The family is a pioneer in that locality, coming there in 1847. Herbert Garter of Conklin is president.

MISSIONARIES ARE CALLED BACK AGAIN TO CHINA

The board of foreign missions in the Reformed Church in America has received reassuring reports concerning the safety of its corps of missionaries in China. Letters received during the past two weeks indicate that missionaries on furlough will be able to return to their posts. Miss Tena Holboer of this city is planning to return in August.

Some of the missionaries who had been advised three months ago by the board to concentrate in the port city of Amoy, have returned to their stations. The field in Amoy was opened by the Reformed church in America in 1842.

NEARLY DOUBLE CAMP ROLL

Having nearly doubled the attendance at the Pine Lodge Girls' Conference in one year, the leaders are now greatly encouraged. Forty-three girls are enrolled as compared with twenty-four in 1926. Grand Rapids has 28 on the list, Immanuel Reformed church leading with nine to its credit. Morrison, Illinois and Chicago divide honors on having sent delegates farthest. The day's schedule begins with the morning drill and ends with taps after a camp-fire. One of the most interesting parts of the day is the flag-raising, a ceremony in charge of the group having the fewest delegates.

Besides the regular classes in Bible, missions, methods, and organized recreation, several tournaments are on. Swimming is becoming popular, with a life-guard present.

A "Snap Contest," with prize for the best collection of pictures, and a camp paper are causing some excitement. On Wednesday night Miss Tena Holboer will speak at 8 o'clock, when several visitors will not doubt be present.

HUYSER FAMILY MET TODAY AT BEAVERDAM

The annual reunion of the Huyser family took place today in the grove of Mr. C. Huyser at Beaverdam. In the neighborhood of 140 members of the family were present, about that number gathering each year to renew acquaintanceship with one another. The activities opened at ten o'clock this forenoon.

J. P. Huyser of Holland is president of the organization, W. Van Eenam of Zeeland secretary, W. J. Berghorst of Zeeland treasurer, and Peter Huyser of Holland historian. The historian read a history of the family events of the past year, a budget was read by Chester Verkleuen of Holland, and three-minute talks were given by Peter D. Huyser, Andrew Schutt, and Rev. Mr. Bogards, all of Beaverdam. There was also a program of sports, including a baseball game.

PIONEERS TO GATHER AUG. 4

The seventeenth annual meeting of the Western Allegan County Pioneer society will be held at the county park Thursday, August 4. Dinner will be served promptly at noon, followed by the usual program of speaking and reminiscences. Hon. Theo. Wade is expected to deliver the principal address.

As the early pioneers have all passed on, this society is now composed of their sons and daughters. The descendants of the early settlers, together with all who are interested in the early history of Allegan county, are expected to attend this meeting.

JUDGMENT OF \$50.06 GIVEN RECKLESS DRIVER

A judgment was rendered against Jefferson Thompson in favor of Charles VerMuriën of Third street, Grand Haven for injuries to his car as a result of a collision between Thompson's car and VerMuriën's on Sunday, July 17.

Thompson, a butler for Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson Rollins, Spring Lake, was arrested for reckless driving when he injured the car and Tuesday morning the court allowed VerMuriën \$50.06 and costs of \$5.75. This amount has not been paid, five days being the limit of time in which to adjust the matter.

Geerlings Served As Secretary of Board 30 Years

Dr. Abraham Leenhouts was re-elected president of the board of education at the opening session of the new board this week. James A. Brouwer was re-elected vice president and Henry Geerlings secretary. The personnel of the board was changed by the election of Mrs. George E. Kollen.

Mr. Geerlings is the oldest member of the board, having served consecutively for nearly 30 years. He also has been secretary for nearly 20 years.

The 100 teachers have been engaged for next school year. About 15 are new. E. E. Fell will continue as superintendent and J. J. Riemersma as principal of Holland high school. The new \$150,000 Washington school will relieve congested conditions.

MUSKEGON PLANS TO WIDEN CIRCLES

The Muskegon city commission at a committee meeting came to a tentative agreement that an appropriation should be included in the 1928 budget for the widening of Sunset Circle at Pere Marquette park. It is planned to make the oval twice the present size.

The first circle was built one year ago, while the second was constructed this season and opened a few weeks ago. The circles and the park will be dedicated formally, August 3, when a celebration will be held.

The circles have proved too small, but the city made plans so that they could be enlarged to twice the present size.

In the will of Mrs. Marian Hocken-dorf, of Allegan, admitted to probate Tuesday gifts of \$500 each were made to the Episcopal church and gifted there. The remainder of the estate is distributed among friends and relatives.

WHAT IS SMALLEST FRATERNAL ORDER IN HOLLAND CITY?

What is the smallest fraternal order in Holland? Since fraternal orders, like most organizations, are always trying to grow, no one ever takes the trouble to find out which is the smallest. Many would like to claim to be the largest, but so far no one has been found claiming the championship for being the smallest—for capturing the booby prize, as it were.

But it developed in connection with the convention of the Woman's Benefit association at Port Huron, that the branch of that order in Holland would probably be quite certain to land the prize for being the smallest fraternal order in the city. The local branch is called Rosebud Review No. 53 and, to be exact, it has 11 adult members and one junior member. So small is the local branch that it never holds meetings because it has no quorum and hence cannot do legal business.

But although small, Rosebud Review No. 53 is very much alive. It has been in existence for many years and its members are extremely loyal to the order. They are proud of the fact that although their branch is perhaps the smallest fraternal order in Holland it is part of an organization that is the largest fraternal benefit society for women in the world.

Miss Blina M. West was again honored with the election to the supreme presidency at the convention in Port Huron and other supreme officers were elected from all parts of America.

These officers will be installed by a guard of young women from Butte, Montana, who made a special trip to Michigan for the purpose. Mrs. Mina O. Smith, Belleville, Ohio, honorary past supreme commander, will be installing officer. Mrs. Elizabeth Co-well of Honolulu was the longest distance delegate and was much feted. Her address before the convention on Hawaii traditions and customs was one of the convention features.

Law amendments acted on cover popular new plans of insurance, including pensions, disability, educational benefits, thrift and sickness. The office of a national health supervisor was created by the convention to supervise the wide field of health activities engaged in by the association.

Official titles were changed to president and secretary in place of commander and record keeper respectively. All other titles are to correspond. Women may now take as high as \$10,000 in benefits instead of the former \$5,000 certificate. The corporation was made perpetual instead of thirty years as formerly.

Supreme President West left the convention to accept Governor Green's invitation to attend the annual governors' conference banquet, July 26, at Mackinac Island, as representative national committeewoman for Michigan.

MAYOR THOMPSON ONE OF SPEAKERS TUESDAY NIGHT

The governors' conference at Mackinac Island ended Wednesday with the election of officers and the transaction of other business matters having to do with the organization. The big function Tuesday night was held at the Grand hotel where the banquet was staged.

At that time Mayor William Hale Thompson of Chicago, Gov. John E. Martineau of Arkansas, former Governor Pinchott of Pennsylvania, Governor Sam Baker of Missouri and Governor Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland spoke with G. J. Diekmann of Holland presiding.

Mayor Thompson, speaking as the chairman of the flood control conference held in Chicago, appealed to the governors for whole-hearted support in working out an adequate and permanent method to control the waters of the Mississippi and expressed the hope that the problem never would become "any ambitious man's political football."

Mr. Thompson said: "Mr. Hoover fixes the cost of flood control at \$150,000,000 to be expended over a 10-year period. There is nothing to indicate just how Mr. Hoover has arrived at this figure, but there is a hint that in the Hoover plan we would continue to follow largely the same policy which the government has for some years now been pursuing."

Gov. John E. Martineau of Arkansas one of the states hardest hit by the recent flood, gave his fellow executives the benefits of his long, intensive study of the river situation.

"I want to impress upon you that Mississippi floods can be controlled and should be, and that this is a national responsibility, expense of which should be borne entirely by the federal government," said Gov. Martineau.

"Secy. Hoover who is thoroughly familiar with every phase of the present flood tells us the Mississippi can be controlled by the adoption of a bold and proper engineering plan. Engineers estimate that this plan when put into operation will not cost more than the Panama canal."

"If a foreign foe should enter our country and kill a single American, the whole nation would be aroused. Yet 750,000 of our own citizens have actually been driven from their homes and their savings of a life-time taken from them by this common enemy, the Mississippi flood. Will the congress in the present day after such an appalling calamity delay longer the discharge of their duty to these people?"

The Mississippi river situation is the greatest single conservation problem ever put before any nation, Gifford Pinchot, former governor of Pennsylvania, told the conference. He supplemented the statement by saying: "It is my honest conviction that the levees—only policy of the army engineers, who have been working on this plan since 1879, is the most colossal blunder in history."

Pinchot urged that the president and congress elect a national representative commission to launch a comprehensive plan of relief, rehabilitation and prevention.

"I don't know the cost of such a project and I do not care what the cost will be. We must take into consideration every factor which contributes to this problem and at least control the crest of the flood, which does the majority of damage."

"Every state has its corrupt practices and in every state the act is far too generally violated," said

Gov. Sam Baker of Missouri, speaking on purity of the ballot.

Gov. Baker asserted there is no political menace whereby purity of the ballot may be preserved, but if laws for protection of honesty and integrity are desired, statutes should be enacted to punish for vote selling. "Punish the seller as well as the buyer," he said.

"The liquor question, in my opinion, could have been solved years ago if we had provided punishment for the illegal consumer as well as punishment for the illegal manufacturer," he said.

Gov. Baker declared his belief that moral education in the home is more important for clean politics than legislation. Indifference of the people, he said, is the deadliest and most insidious foe of free elections.

"When good men and women grow apathetic toward their civil obligations, we are brought face to face with a condition precursory to political ruin," he said.

A "House of Governors," composed of governors from all the United States, organized to effectively uphold state's rights and to "play a powerful part in the non-partisan life of the country," was advocated by Gov. Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland, at the banquet.

An organization, "on a stronger and more comprehensive basis than the yearly association meeting, with a competent secretariat and trained assistants and adequate facilities" was pictured by Gov. Ritchie as an ideal outcome of the annual conference held by the governors.

Strong and effective state action, rather than remote and uniform federal action, "is desired," the governor said, and the proposed House of Governors—a "League of States" as he termed it, could so function as to uphold state rights and could become in effect, "almost a third house in the republic."

"Such an organization could act, to be sure, only in a voluntary and co-operative manner."

"Half the issues that now eventuate in federal legislation and federal bureau could and should be handled by the states," the governor declared, "but there is no effective medium by which or through which the demands for progressive state action, for uniformity or concord, can make themselves felt, except through the federal government itself or through 48 separate movements in 48 separate states."

The rights and duties of the states could be furthered by such an organization to a vital extent," the governor told the banquet guests. He proposed a consideration of the matter to be reported later.

Toastmaster Diekmann, knowing most of the speakers well, fittingly introduced them to the six hundred guests at the banquet.

Attention Holland Business and Professional Women's Club. The Triangle club of Grand Haven invites the members of the club to attend their annual picnic at the state park at Grand Haven, Wednesday, August 3. Luncheon will be served at 7 P. M.

Miss Jeanette Caudle of Laporte, Ind., is spending a few days with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fairbanks, 232 1st Ave.

Mrs. Dewey Jaarsma and Miss Marie Plagmann are motoring to South Bend and Goshen, Indiana, where they will be guests of friends of Mrs. Jaarsma for several days.

AUTHOR CLAN TO MEET THIS WEEK AT MACKINAC IS.

The quarterly meeting of the Michigan Authors Association is to be held Thursday and Friday of this week at Mackinac Island. Holland and Grand Haven will be represented at the meeting, as will Grand Rapids, Ann Arbor, Muskegon, Detroit, Kalamazoo and most of the other cities of the state.

The convention will consist of two dinner meetings at the Grand hotel on Thursday and Friday evenings. During the day the members of the association will join with the members of the Michigan History association at the meetings at Mackinac Island and St. Ignace, where a monument is to be dedicated.

The programs of the Michigan Authors association will include addresses by James Schermerhorn of Detroit, Harold Titus of Traverse City, Arnold Mulder of Holland, Ivan Swift of Harbor Springs, and several others.

The association during the past year has grown to a membership of 228, nearly all of them at present residents of Michigan, with about fifteen former author-residents of this state but now living in another state.

Among the latter are Lew Sarrett and Douglas MacLoch, both of whom have spoken in Holland. They are former Michiganians but now live in Chicago. Fifty-three Michigan cities are represented in the membership list, with Ann Arbor, Grand Rapids and Detroit leading the list.

Some of the better known authors who are members of the association are Myrtella Southard, Lawrence H. Conrad, Ray Baker, Robert Frost, President Clarence Cook Little, Herbert S. Mallory, Prof. T. E. Rankin, Prof. H. P. Scott, Dr. J. H. Kellogg, Senator W. N. Ferris, N. H. Bowen, Geo. B. Catlin, Russell Gore, H. M. Nimmo, Leo J. Smith, Walter J. Muilenberg, Mrs. Myrtle Koon Cherryman, Ben East, Mrs. Henry Huist, Constance Mayfield Rourke, Ivan Swift, Dr. Lucius L. Hubbard, Prof. Smith Burnham, Caroline Bartlett Crane, Prof. George Sprau, Helen Hull, James Oliver Curwood, Hon. Chase S. Osborn, Harold Titus, Frank R. Adams.

Friday night at 8 o'clock East Holland will cross bats with the strong Holleman and De Weerd ball team. East Holland has won most of their games, recently they held Hamilton to a tie, the H. & D's beat East Holland in a previous game and will try to repeat. The game will start at 8 o'clock on the 19th St. diamond.

Miss Peggy Aldering of W. 10th St. has left on her vacation stopping at Flint, Detroit and Niagara Falls. She will also visit Southern Canada.

Mrs. Dewey Jaarsma and Miss Marie Plagmann are motoring to South Bend and Goshen, Indiana, where they will be guests of friends of Mrs. Jaarsma for several days.

POULTRY BODY TO MEET ON AUG. 12

The Michigan State Poultry Improvement association will meet upon a plan of reorganization, including the selection of a full time field manager, to have complete charge of accreditation and certification work at the annual business meeting at Michigan State college Friday, Aug. 12. The session will open at 10 a. m.

T. S. Townsley, former field manager for the Ohio Poultry Improvement association, will be the principal speaker. An amendment will be proposed to change the manner of electing directors. The proposal provides for the election of five members this year, each to serve a two-year term, instead of nine serving one-year terms.

Fire destroyed the farm home of Milan Brown at Baseline lake, Allegan county, about noon Tuesday. The loss is estimated at \$3,000. Insurance carried amounts to \$1,800.

The seventh annual reunion of the North Evergreen school at Coopersville will be held on the school grounds Thursday, August 4. Interurban cars will be met at Coopersville at 11 and 11:40 a. m.

Well Holland is up with the rest of the country in its work in prevention of diphtheria among its children is shown by the publication of a booklet, "Diphtheria—Curable and Preventable," by the American Association for Medical Progress. In Holland over 90 per cent of the children have been immunized, a record that is not surpassed by any city and is far better than the record of some of the largest cities in America. As a result of this work diphtheria has become practically non-existent in this city—which is the goal of immunization work everywhere.

"With the development of a safe and effective means of protecting children on a large scale against the hazard of diphtheria, has come a new era in the fight against this disease," remarks the pamphlet, just issued. The report points out that in New York City, where a toxin-antitoxin campaign was begun about five years ago, approximately one-half million children have been immunized. During this five year period, 1922-1926, the average number of cases per year dropped 34 per cent over the previous five years, 1917-1921, and the average number of diphtheria deaths declined 41 per cent, which represents a saving of more than 450 lives to reach year.

In 1926, among seventy larger cities of the country, New Haven, Connecticut and Youngstown, O., shared the distinction of having the lowest diphtheria mortality rate, that of 0.6 per 100,000 population. This low record marks a decline from 18.5 for Youngstown and 7.1 for New Haven for the five year period 1920-1924. Both reductions coincide with the general immunization of children by means of toxin-antitoxin in the respective cities. Among the 36,000 school children in New Haven, there has not been a single death from diphtheria in the past two years, and of the 25 children who had diphtheria, 24 had never received toxin-antitoxin treatment.

OFFICERS SHOT AT OTTAWA COUNTY CONVICT

The two inmates of the Michigan reformatory at Ionia who walked away from their work on M-43 late Monday were recaptured Tuesday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff William McKendry and Motorcycle Officer Theo. Allen. They were chased at a point three miles west of Saranac in the Grand river where they plunged in the water in an attempt to get away. After several shots were fired over their heads they surrendered. They were Paul Arendt, 18, sentenced from Flint for forgery, and John Szymanski, 20, Ottawa county, sentenced for auto theft. Szymanski comes from North Ottawa and was sent up by Judge Cross more than a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. De Maat, 250 W. 17th St., returned from Cleveland, Ohio, Tuesday, where they spent a few days visiting their niece, Marie Sierveld.

FENNVILLE HOME-COMING COMING AUGUST 27-28

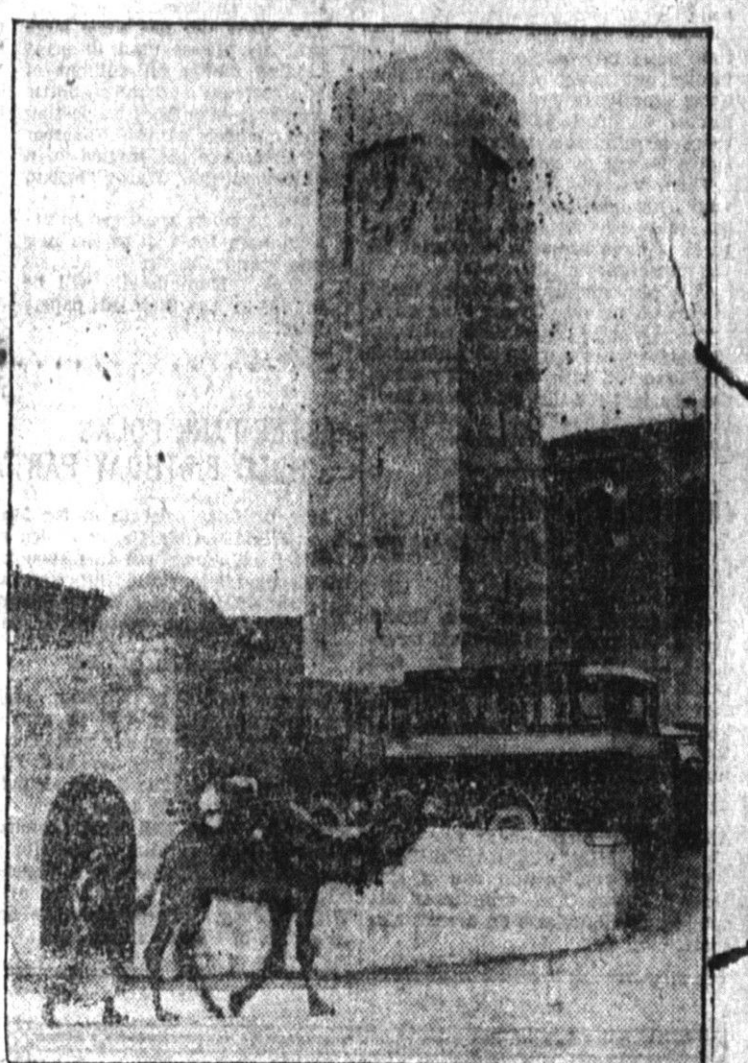
Fennville will have a home-coming as usual. Plans have been completed for the annual celebration August 27 and 28.

Committees were appointed by President E. C. Foster as follows: General chairman, Duncan Weaver, invitations and concessions, J. A. Patton, finance, Marcus C. Hutchinson, a time table, C. L. Fowlck, sports, Billy Whitbeck, speakers, May or W. S. DuVall, advertising, H. L. Reynolds, and reception, Charles Crutcher. Baseball games, foot races and other sport events will be arranged and prizes will be awarded.

Band music will be furnished throughout the day and a free pavement dance in the evening of Saturday is planned.

A committee for Sunday services was made up of Rev. E. J. Cross and Rev. A. E. Williams, assisted by W. E. Shiffert and J. H. Crane.

Motorizing Jerusalem



Jerusalem, city of many conquests, has been conquered again—this time by modern transportation methods, which are rapidly gaining headway in the Holy City. Side by side with the picturesque Bedouin and his lumbering camel—symbol of centuries of slow, primitive travel—is the modern Reo bus in the photograph, a vehicle which makes its daily rounds through streets that once echoed to the tread of the Crusaders. In the background is the famous Clock Tower of Jerusalem, a gift of the former German Emperor.

AN EVENT MANY HAVE WAITED FOR

Rose Cloak Store's SUMMER CLEARANCE

Our Summer Clearance Sale . . . delayed almost four weeks owing to the rapid change of stock within that period, which assures you the latest styles even in a Clearance event. Many of the garments are special purchase numbers intended to raise the standards we have established for unusual values in timely and desirable merchandise. Smartest dress and sports apparel, most desirable coats with a full eight weeks of real summer ahead.

Clearance

COATS

\$25.00

Values to \$55.00

Many advance styles, very modish ones, superb quality fabrics, values that will surpass any you have ever seen.

Coats \$12.50

30 mixed and tweed coats, desirable for early Fall wear, extraordinary materials, values to \$35.00

Choose from 150

DRESSES

\$12.50

This is the largest collection of dresses at one price we've ever offered. They are beautifully made of flowered georgette washable crepes, striped and printed silks, long and short sleeves. The new square and V-necks. This is an opportunity to supply yourself with vacation frocks at great savings.

Sizes for Misses and Women

Rose Cloak Store

THE SHOP OF EXCLUSIVE SERVICE

37 E. 8th St.

Holland, Mich.

MEAD & WESTRATE

15 West Eighth St.

HOLLAND, MICH.

ANNOUNCE THE

GRAND OPENING

And Demonstration of U. S. Purple Stamps and Mid-Summer Clearance of New Merchandise

Sale Begins Saturday Morning, July 30th and Continues Until Saturday Evening, August 6th

Free

Fresh
Cut Flowers
To the Ladies
Ballons to
The Children

TO THE PURCHASING PUBLIC

When a new business concern invades a field it is already in the hands of rivaled interest and steadily adds new friends and patrons to their store which is a proof of ever increasing popularity to this store. Although the last comer in Holland, Mich., and by dint and liberal treatment and straight-forward business principles we now rank among the most popular. Our prices, our quality, our service and our style always satisfies the most elite.

This Mid-Summer Clearance of Brand New Merchandise will bring to you many extraordinary bargains that are well worth your attention and time to come to this store and purchase.

MEAD & WESTRATE, 15 West Eighth St.

Free

\$3.50

In Merchandise

For every full book of U. S. Purple Stamps. A positive, definite, fixed, unmistakable known sterling value. Always ask for U. S. Purple Stamps. Save on what you spend.

Saturday added thousands will eagerly embrace this glorious opportunity to begin collecting these peerless premium winners. Our liberal FREE Stamp Offer extends to every member of Holland, Michigan's buying public. If for any reason you have neglected of becoming one of the throng of Purple Stamp collectors a visit to the stores that give U. S. Purple Stamps will convince you that you can not afford to miss the most important and most staple factor in Holland's economical trading center. Begin Saturday with the collecting of U. S. Purple Stamps.

Plant a Stamp Seed and Watch it Grow into a Full Book of U. S. Purple Stamps. Every purchase you make in this store—is an investment—not only in the value of the merchandise itself—but in the real and material addition on saving that is yours—if you take Purple Stamps. With these stamps you are soon able to fill a book and a book once filled places in your possession the purchasing power of thousands of useful and attractive gifts—all of which are worthy of a place in your home. Start a book today. Every time you make a purchase be sure to get your stamps. Save them! Remember they help you to save on what you spend

We Were Never So Well Prepared to Supply Your Mid-Summer Wants

Our Mid-Summer stocks are perfect. High grade ready-to-wear apparel and merchandise was never priced as low. Conditions never favored the consumer as they do today. Our organization, with its unlimited resources has taken advantage of every opportunity to reduce the cost to the consumer. This policy is strongly exemplified in the pricing of merchandise through out our entire store, giving you the very highest standard of quality at prices that you would ordinarily have to pay for an inferior grades of merchandise elsewhere. The energy of summer is flowing through this store. There is vim, there is vigor and keen desire to push forward. Even the merchandise seems to have caught the feeling and spirit of the season. Never has the merchandise looked more fresh and attractive. New, New, New things, everywhere in the store.

← \$1.00 Worth (10) U. S. Purple Stamps Free to Start Every Book →

We List But a Few of the Hundreds of Items That Will be Offered Special During This Mid-Summer Clearance Sale

Unbleached Muslin

Numbers You all Know. Compare these Prices
Harding, 36 in. wide, fair quality, yd. 10c
Black Rock, 36 in. wide, heavy weight, yd. 13½c

Bleached Muslin

Hope, 36 in. wide, good quality, yd. 12½c
Daisy, 36 in. wide, soft finish, yd. 15c

Bleached Sheetting

Fort Mills, 24 yds wide, per yard 39c
Lockwood, 24 yds wide, per yard 44c
Pequot, 24 yds wide, per yard 48c
Lockwood, 2 yds wide, per yard 42c
Pequot, 2 yds wide, per yard 44c
Lockwood, 1½ yds wide, per yard 40c

Unbleached Sheetting

Port Mills, 24 yds wide, per yard 37c
Lockwood, 24 yds wide, per yard 44c

Bleached Sheets

72x90 good quality, each 89c
81x90 good quality, each \$1.00

Crash Toweling

Stevens P. Bleached or unbleached, 18 in. wide, yd 19c

Wash Goods

Lot 1—Peggy Prints, Piza Cloth, Figured Voiles, Batiste, etc. Very pretty assortment. Fast colors. 25c to 35c values at, per yard 19c

Lot 2—Souisettes, Wandover Prints, Fasheen, Madras, Gaze, Marvel, Plain and figured, 50c to 60c values, per yard 39c

Lot 3—Cotton Rajahs, Cotton Charmeuse, Rayon, Normandy Voiles, Tissue Gingham, Colored Indian Head, etc. Values to 69c. per yard 42c

Lot 4—Figured Voiles, Dimity, Flaxen, Batiste, K. Cord, Rayon Voiles, Broadcloth, Mixed Crepes etc., values up to 75c per yard 48c

Lot 5—All our best quality wash materials in Rayon Silks, Silk Mixed Crepes, A. B. C. Silks, Linens and brocaded materials. Beautiful Plaids, Checks and floral designs. Also plain colors. You can afford to buy several dresses at these low prices. Values to \$1.50 at per yard 89c

Special Silk Sale

Medium weight flat Crepe or heavy weight Crepe De Chene, 40 in. wide, in white, rose or green, usually sold at about \$2.25 per yard. Sale price, yard \$1.50

THE BALANCE OF OUR STOCK

All figured Silks at 15 percent discount
All plain Silks at 10

Turkish Towels

Size 19x42, good weight, blue, gold, or rose border, Special 23c each or per doz. \$2.65

Huck Towels

All White, size 17x29, fair quality. Special, each 10c (only one doz to each customer)
Another lot, size 18x36, good weight, all white or rose and blue border. Special 19c. each, per doz. \$2.25

Bathing Suits

We still have a full line of Ladies, Misses and Children's Suits. All new and latest styles.

TAKE YOUR CHOICE AT 15 PERCENT DISCOUNT

Turkish Towels

Size 25x50, blue, gold or rose borders, also an extra heavy double thread towel with wide fancy border. Lavender, gold, rose and blue. 50c and 60c. values, each 42c

Bed Spreads

Extra large size Krinkle Spreads, 81x108 scalloped borders. Good quality. Two shades of blue and rose colored stripes. Reg. \$2.25 value, each \$1.69

Pillow Tubing

42 in. Barker Mills, linen finish or plain. Best quality 42c value, per yard 32c
45 in. best quality, 45c value, per yard 35c

Crash Toweling

Part linen, bleached or unbleached, good weight 17c value, per yard 10c

Fancy Pillows

Just 50 pillows in this lot. Covered with a good quality Rayon silk and trimmed with fancy braids. Beautiful color combinations. \$1.39 value, each 89c

Curtain Material and Draperies

Nothing reserved. Every piece of material in this department included in this sale. All new styles and the latest creations in this particular line. Prices range from 19c to \$2.50 per yard.

During Sale you can Buy these Goods at 15percent Discount.

Hosiery Department

Unusually attractive is the offering of our hosiery values. Presenting variety in weaves, and most interesting is the range of low prices. Fortunate purchases and special planning earlier in the season make possible these good values:

Our Special Range is \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50.

Every pair guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or replacement will be made.

Our Special Purple stamps with every purchase

Sport Hose

Boy's and Girl's and Children's fancy sport hose, 3-4 or full length. Very pretty assortment. All sizes. Values up to 75c a pair.

Umbrellas

Beautiful assortment pure silk umbrellas. Fancy borders. Most of them have 16 ribs, amber tips and handles. Values to \$15, your choice at, each \$8.50
The balance of our stock at 15percent discount.

Bargain Table

The values on this table are very exceptional. They should be seen to be appreciated. This is where one dollar will answer for two. Beautiful Jersey and plain Rayon Gowns, Bloomers, Teddy Bears, Combination Suits Step-ins, Princess Slips, etc. All the new shades. And just think of it!

Only \$1.00 for your Choice!

Blankets

Just Received a beautiful line of all wool double and single bed blankets. Priced at \$12.50 to \$18.50 at 10 percent off during this sale.

All Blankets from \$2.00 to \$10.00 at 15percent off

Extra Special

One lot single blankets 64x76. Fancy plaids in blue, lavender, gold, rose, pink and gray. good weight. While they last at, each 98c

Mid-Summer Clearance of All Silk Dresses

One lot of Silk Dresses—materials are Tub Silk, Printed Silk Foulard, Georgette, Flat Crepes and Satin in light and dark shades, \$12.50 to \$14.75 values, in all sizes. Special sale price each 9.75

All our beautiful \$14.75 dresses, light or dark shades, silk prints, knit suits, georgettes and flat crepes, in all sizes. Priced during our Clearance sale at each 12.95

Wash Dresses

Of fine Rayon, Silk and Cotton Crepe, English Prints, Noiles Dotted Swiss, etc. Regular price \$2.95 to \$7.95. During this sale they go at 10 per cent discount.

House Dresses

Are put into three groups for this sale
\$1.00 \$1.50 \$2.00

FINAL CLEARANCE OF ALL SPRING COATS

All our \$15.00 to \$22.50 Coats are put in one lot for this Final Clearance. Sizes are 12 years to size 40. Both dress and sport coats. While they last take your choice of the lot of \$9.95

All \$35.00 to \$40.00 Coats, sizes up to 49, beautiful materials and fur collars. During this sale \$22.50

We have a few of the better coats. Fine hand tailored garments made of finest cloths. Regular \$45.00 to \$80.00 coats. During this sale they go at One-Third to One-Half off price.

All \$17.50 to \$19.75 dresses are put in one one group for this sale. This includes the better silk dresses and party gowns. All sizes 16 to 50. Latest models and shades. Sale price 15.00

We have a few of the finer dresses \$24.75 to \$29.75 values. Priced for our Clearance sale at 19.75

Girls Panty Dresses

Sizes 2-6 years. A good assortment to select from at each \$1.00

Boys' Wash Suits

Clearance Sale of all boy's wash suits. Sizes 3 to 8 years. Regular prices are 89c. to \$3.00. During this sale all go at ONE-FOURTH OFF.

No Returns—No Refunds—No Alternations

Slickers

Glazette Frosted Slickers. All sizes 16 to 44. Colors are red, blue, and green. Priced for Clearance Sale at only, each \$2.95

Mortemoth Moth Killer, per bottle 98c

C. OF C. GIVES THE FACTS ABOUT THE RATE ZONE EFFORT

Local Body and Other West Michigan Organizations Initiated The Fight

Are Now Joined By Michigan Manufacturers Association That First Opposed

The Holland chamber of commerce makes the following detailed statement as to the present situation as to the elimination of the Michigan freight rate zones:

"In view of the article appearing in the Holland Sentinel and several other newspapers, announcing the purpose of the Michigan Manufacturers association to proceed with a formal complaint looking to the elimination of the Michigan freight zones, it may be interesting to the users of transportation at Holland to know that through R. L. Tuttle, their traffic counsel, on behalf of the Grand Rapids association of commerce and the Holland chamber of commerce and the Manufacturers traffic bureau of Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, a petition was issued, dated December 1, 1925, in M. P. U. C. docket 1688 for the re-opening of the Michigan Traffic League in class rate case looking to the elimination of the zone B adjustment and that the Michigan Public Utilities Commission, responsive to the petition of December 1, 1925, did reopen that proceeding and it is now open and before the Michigan public utilities commission.

"That further in the eastern class rate investigation I. C. C. docket 18879 pleading in which proceeding before the interstate commerce commission has been had and briefs filed in behalf of the same interests your traffic counsel introduced testimony and is seeking the elimination of the Michigan zone B in which territory Holland, Grand Rapids, Benton Harbor and St. Joseph are located as to both state and interstate traffic that the interstate commerce commission advised your counsel that the eastern class rate investigation above referred to was the proper place for such pleading, and that the Michigan Manufacturers association were urged in behalf of all of the Michigan zone territory to make such pleading in the eastern class rate case which they declined to do.

"It will further be interesting to the users of transportation in Holland to know that in argument on the petition before the Michigan public utilities commission in the proceeding in docket D-1593 that we were op-

posed before the commission in argument by Detroit, Jackson, Battle Creek, Kalamazoo, and all the principal cities on the main line of the Michigan Central railroad. If the Michigan Manufacturers association have had a change of heart and are now prepared to advise the communities who have already acted on this matter in behalf of the state of Michigan, and in order to relieve the unwarranted transportation burden, their assistance will certainly be gratefully received and they have been so advised of that fact by the Grand Rapids association of commerce, through Mr. L. H. Blare, its secretary.

"It would not be necessary, had the Michigan Manufacturers association joined us in our pleading in the eastern class rate investigation to now institute a formal complaint separately attacking the zone adjustment, because we were notified that the Eastern Class rate investigation was the case in which such pleading should have taken place, and a formal complaint could have been accomplished and was by the communities in Western Michigan accomplished in the eastern class rate investigation.

"The continued existence of the zone adjustment in Michigan has been very largely the result of the efforts upon the Pere Marquette railway to hold the zone basis of freight rates, notwithstanding the fact that the Michigan roads as a whole earn a greater return and have a lower operating ratio than any railroad in the classification territory to which the commission's attention has been directed by your counsel in the eastern class rate investigation.

"The Michigan public utilities commission in Docket D-1688, which was the intra-state portion of the Michigan Traffic League case, in which case by its decision and re-adjustment of the Michigan rates actually created some increase in the Michigan intra-state rates for the purpose of bringing about uniformity with the interstate adjustment and sacrificing all other considerations. It is the purpose of your traffic department to prosecute these matters before the commission, and we earnestly solicit the cooperation of other organizations in the state to have the zone B adjustment completely abolished as both state and interstate traffic, and it is hoped that the Michigan Manufacturers association will co-operate with us in a sincere effort to accomplish this and it is our purpose to work in the closest harmony with all of the communities located within the affected Michigan territory, looking to a complete elimination of zone B differentials as they now exist and such other modifications of the zone in Michigan as conditions seem to justify.

"It will doubtless interest the users of transportation in Holland to know that their traffic department is also engaged in negotiation with the Pere Marquette railway looking to the elimination of an equally serious factor of disadvantage in the form of inflated mileages at the present time in

excess of the distances that workable routes would give it, and the consideration that such communities as Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo, Allegan, and other points at present enjoy, an example being that a check to over five hundred points in the state of Ohio and to Buffalo, Pittsburgh and West Virginia territory indicates that with the exception to some communities that are nearer to our actual distances, via workable routes will create a saving in freight transportation to Holland equal to the elimination of the zone B differentials and in some instances very much greater.

"It is only fair that the interests of Holland should be advised of the action of the traffic department of the Holland chamber of commerce, and what they are endeavoring to accomplish in behalf of the users of transportation at Holland."

The big feature of the playground this week Friday will be the wagon, scooter, and kiddy car tournament. Each playground will hold its own contests and prizes will be given in all the classes. There will also be prizes offered in any way shape or form to the winners of special races that are to be held.

In the homemade class, wagons, scooters, automobiles, landy gigs and almost any style of vehicle may be entered. A prize will be given for the best made up car. It may be painted or decorated in any way shape or manner. The only rules that must be followed are that it must be home-made. A prize is to be given to the driver of the fastest home-made car, wagon or auto. The races will be run at or near each ground.

In the scooter class, one that is factory made, a prize will be given for the best decorated. A float or two would make better competition. Some boys should enter a circus wagon or any like decoration. A prize will also be offered for the fastest traveling scooter or wagon.

A scooter race will be held, open to all classes. The scooters can be made out of an old board, with a set of roller skate wheels, or it can have the large sized rubber tired wheels such as are found on a buggy. There is no limitation in regard to size or speed of the scooter. Each boy must own his scooter in order to enter. The scooter race will be the feature event as decorations will also be taken into consideration.

The last event on the program for Friday is the kiddy car race. The kiddy car is a three wheeled velocipede. The two main wheels are placed in the rear, with a front wheel that turns on a pivot. Each car must be raced by the owner. There is to be no distinction in the class of the cars. The purchased car and the home made car are to be placed in the same class, making the competition very keen, with both types of cars entered. No tricycles will be allowed, so please do not bring them to the playground.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. C. Greengood, Mr. and Mrs. John Elhart, Julia, James and Jane Ruth Elhart are making a trip to Bay City where they will attend the Rawleigh's convention, after which they will go to the Straits and a few other places.

Officer Skeetee of the Holland police force has been ill at home for a week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rutgers at Hamilton, a son, Mrs. Rutgers before her marriage was Miss Mabel Green.

James Vender Wege caught his hand between a belt and a pulley and suffered a triple fracture of his left arm.

The last day of the mid-summer tax collection campaign will be Aug. 15, next August, 16th, as erroneously stated Tuesday.

Hollis S. Baker, manager of the three factories of Baker & Co., at Allegan, has announced the erection of a panel department building in order that they woods for the manufacture of furniture may be made in that city. Additional dry kilns at the Allegan Furniture shops will be erected and considerable new equipment is to be added. According to Mr. Baker, 270 men now are employed in the three plants and when the additional buildings are completed additional employment will be offered. Floyd Holland now is in full charge of the factories.

The Ladies Auxiliary 1594 will meet August 5th at Eagle hall.

County Drain Commissioner Henry Sierana of Grand Haven will be in Holland on official business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Heuvel and family motored to Niagara Falls and other places for a 10 days' trip.

Mr. Lewis Jacobs, who underwent an operation of the nose last Friday, is improving nicely.

Rev. P. F. Chert and family, of Omaha, Neb., are spending a month at Macatawa Park.

The Reformed church at Overisel has extended a second call to Rev. W. Pyle of Hollandale, Minn. Mr. Pyle is a graduate of Western seminary.

Among those who attended the big derby race at Kalamazoo were John Kleis, E. K. Lanning, Gerrit Wisink, Jay Nicholas, and H. Doesberg.

Rev. D. D. Douglas, rector of Grace church, will be in charge of services at Grace church, Grand Rapids, during the month of August, while the regular pastor is on a vacation.

F. F. Blanchard of Plainwell was given 20 days in jail and fined \$55.00 and costs for driving while drunk by Justice Pidas E. Fish Monday at Allegan. Blanchard was arrested Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Albert Stoble of Martin.

A farewell reception will be given Rev. Edwin W. Hughes and wife of Allegan at the Episcopal parish house next Tuesday evening by members of the Church of the Good Shepherd. Mr. Hughes and family will leave a few days after the reception for their new home at Astoria, Ore.

PLANES MAY HAUL TRAINS OF THE SKY

New York—"Air trains," with powerful airplanes for "locomotives" and motorless gliders as "cars," rushing passengers and freight across the sky were pictured today as fascinating possibilities of the future by Sumner N. Blossom, editor of Popular Science Monthly, discussing the significance of recent steps in the progress of aviation.

"Aside from the astounding success of the trans-Atlantic flights," said Mr. Blossom, "a number of remarkable inventions and experiments in recent weeks have added new impetus to the development of air travel. Among these was the recent actual demonstration, at Karlsruhe, flying harbor near Berlin, Germany, that 'flying trains' can be made to work. In this test a biplane took the air, towing a full sized glider—probably the first stunt of its kind in history.

"While in full flight at an altitude of 100 feet, according to reports, the pilot of the glider cut his machine loose and swooped down to a safe landing, the towing plane landing nearby. The German pilot Esenlaub who built and maneuvered the glider, expressed the belief that long distances can be covered without difficulty by a plane and a glider in this fashion. Other aeronautical experts are even more optimistic. They foresee an 'air train' of a number of gliders carrying passengers and freight bound for several points along the line of flight. At each of these points one of the gliders would be 'uncoupled' from the train and would descend with its freight and passengers, much as railway cars are switched to a siding. The rest of the train would continue its flight.

"The wonderful possibilities of the glider were shown not long ago when Ferdinand Schultze, at Passien, Germany, set a new world's record for motorless gliding by soaring for fourteen hours and eight minutes! His success eclipses the previous record of ten hours and twenty minutes held by the Frenchman Massaux.

"Another new development, which seems to promise much in the way of safety, is an 'automatic pilot' for airplanes, invented by Robert Mitton.

of Los Angeles, Calif. It is said to keep the plane on a given course and on an even keel. A whirling gyroscopic steers the plane through a mechanism operated by compressed air and a pendulum.

"Increasing available power in the air, also, is indicated in recent advances in motor design. The latest is a new barrel-shaped rotary motor devoid of gears, crank shaft and timer, devised by Elbridge Gerry Smith, airplane motor engineer, and now under construction at Garden City, Long Island. Smith is convinced that the new motor will produce two horsepower for every pound of its weight, making it several times as powerful as the best engines now available.

"Greater power at all altitudes, higher speed and capacity for heavier loads likewise are promised through the use of a new built-in supercharger developed at the research laboratories of the General Electric Company at Lynn, Mass. Heretofore the supercharger used with engines or Army and Navy airplanes have been separate attachments. Now they can be made an integral part of commercial airplane motors, merely by the addition of two gears and a mechanism known as an 'impeller'.

"Physical and mental tests to determine the fitness of pilots, improved airway beacons and landing fields, methods of transmitting radio weather reports and maps to pilots in flight—these are among the recent advances that are swiftly bringing safe and reliable air transportation.

We print Wedding Invitations and would like to get your order. First class work. Holland City News, Phone 3050.

FOR SALE—New 2 tube Radiola III Radio with tubes. Price \$10.00. 514 Central Ave.

YOU are reading the want ads! So do 5,000 other folks—they read them ALL every week. If you want to SELL, BUY, RENT or HIRE anything, use the WANT ADS. Telephone 5050.

FOR SALE—Three doors, inquire 153 E. 16th St. Holland.

YOU are reading the want ads! So do 5,000 other folks—they read them ALL every week. If you want to SELL, BUY, RENT or HIRE anything, use the WANT ADS. Telephone 5050.

FOR good Printing call on us.

We Print Wedding Announcements. Come in and see our samples.

380 Cent

Telephone 7175-5 rings

HOLLAND THEATRE Saturday

"DEARIE" Starring IRENE RICH

Also Fox Comedy and News. Added Attraction: 3 Acts of Vaudeville

MONDAY ONLY

"THE MUSIC MASTER"

The most dramatic Photodrama of the day
ALSO ADDED COUNTRY STORE NIGHT

Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Matinee Daily

The Greatest Mystery

Play The Screen

Has Ever Seen

"THE CAT AND

THE CANARY"

with LAURA La PLANTE

For Thirty Years
The Play From
Which This History
Making Picture Was
Made

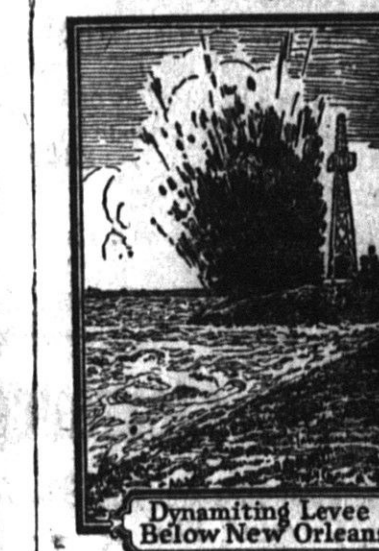
TELEPHONE WORKERS FACE RAGING MISSISSIPPI FLOOD IN HEROIC EFFORTS TO MAINTAIN TELEPHONE SERVICE



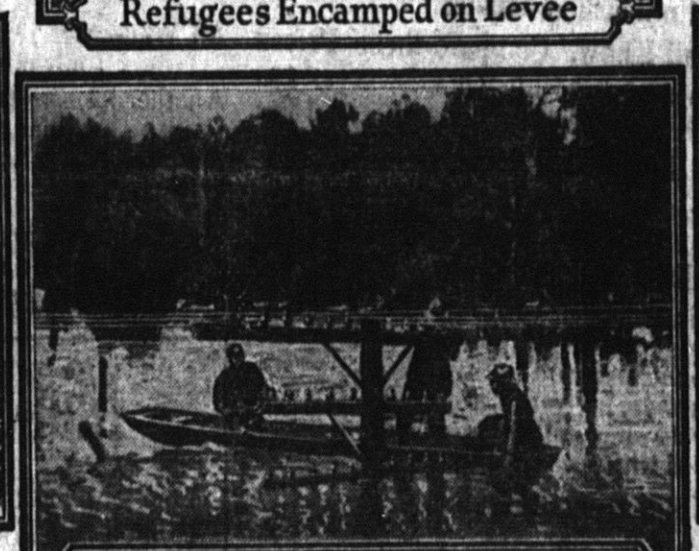
Main Street, Greenville, Miss.



Refugees Encamped on Levee



Dynamiting Levee Below New Orleans



Raising Telephone Lines Above Flood



Telephone Folk Commuting by Boat



After the Levee Was Cut

By R. T. BARRETT

TRYING to outguess the Mississippi at full flood is next to impossible. Men who have lived upon its banks all their lives admit that, in such a flood as that through which the entire valley of the river has passed during the spring of the present year, it is almost hopeless to attempt to forecast where the swollen waters will find a weak spot in a levee, breaking through in a crevasse and flooding thousands upon thousands of acres of fertile farm lands and driving armies of people from their homes.

All that can be done is to make such predictions as are possible, and then to co-ordinate all the factors involved in the fight against the rising waters so thoroughly that there shall be no wasted effort, no loss of time or money or energy.

It has been through such co-ordination that Secretary of Commerce Hoover and the army of relief workers under his direction have been able to prevent the flood which has swept the valley from Cairo, Ill., to the Gulf of Mexico, admittedly the most widespread disaster the nation has ever experienced, from becoming far more tragic.

To this co-ordination many factors have contributed, but none more helpfully than the telephone. Just as communication systems have proved themselves invaluable in war, so they have proved themselves invaluable in this tremendous campaign of peace—a campaign directed, not toward the destruction of lives, but toward saving them. How thoroughly this

task has been accomplished, how completely co-ordinated all of the relief forces have been and how efficiently all facilities for communication have operated is apparent from the recent announcement of Secretary Hoover that 400,000 people have been removed from threatened localities "to places of safety with the loss of but half a dozen lives."

In this important work of co-ordinating the flood relief forces, a unique opportunity for service was given to telephone men and women—an opportunity to which, through out the entire flood area, they responded to the full. Direct, personal and capable of use by anyone without the intervention of trained operators to send or receive messages, telephone communication proved particularly suited to the needs of the flood workers. Without it, as more than one of the officials in charge of this enormous task have declared, this remarkable record of saving human lives could never have been accomplished.

Merely to maintain telephone lines, merely to operate telephone switchboards, under such conditions as those met during the Mississippi flood, is no light task. To go beyond the demands of normal service—to make the thousands of special installations required in camps, on levees, and at Red Cross or Flood Relief Commission headquarters or to carry the extra burden of emergency traffic flowing through the switchboards—is a task immeasurably more difficult.

Along mile upon mile of toll line it was necessary for plant men to work in boats, raising the wires from submerged crossarms to extensions above the level of the flood waters. In scores upon scores

of central offices operators worked for long stretches unrelieved, in many cases under conditions of extreme hazard. Switchboards in danger of being put out of service by the rising waters were raised to platforms or scaffolds, the operators continuing calmly at their work, putting through emergency calls which swelled the traffic in many cases to three times its normal volume.

Many central offices were completely surrounded by water which flooded the streets to a depth of from eight to fifteen or twenty feet. Thus isolated, the operators stuck to their posts of duty, food and drinking water being brought to them in boats. In some cases it was necessary to chop away the siding of the buildings in which the switchboards were located, in order that access to the operating room might be effected.

When an artificial crevasse was created by exploding heavy charges of dynamite in the levee at Poydras, below New Orleans, in order to divert a portion of the flood waters from the main river channel and thus to reduce the level at the city itself, a long span of telephone lines was strung on extra tall poles in the hope of maintaining service which would otherwise have been interrupted.

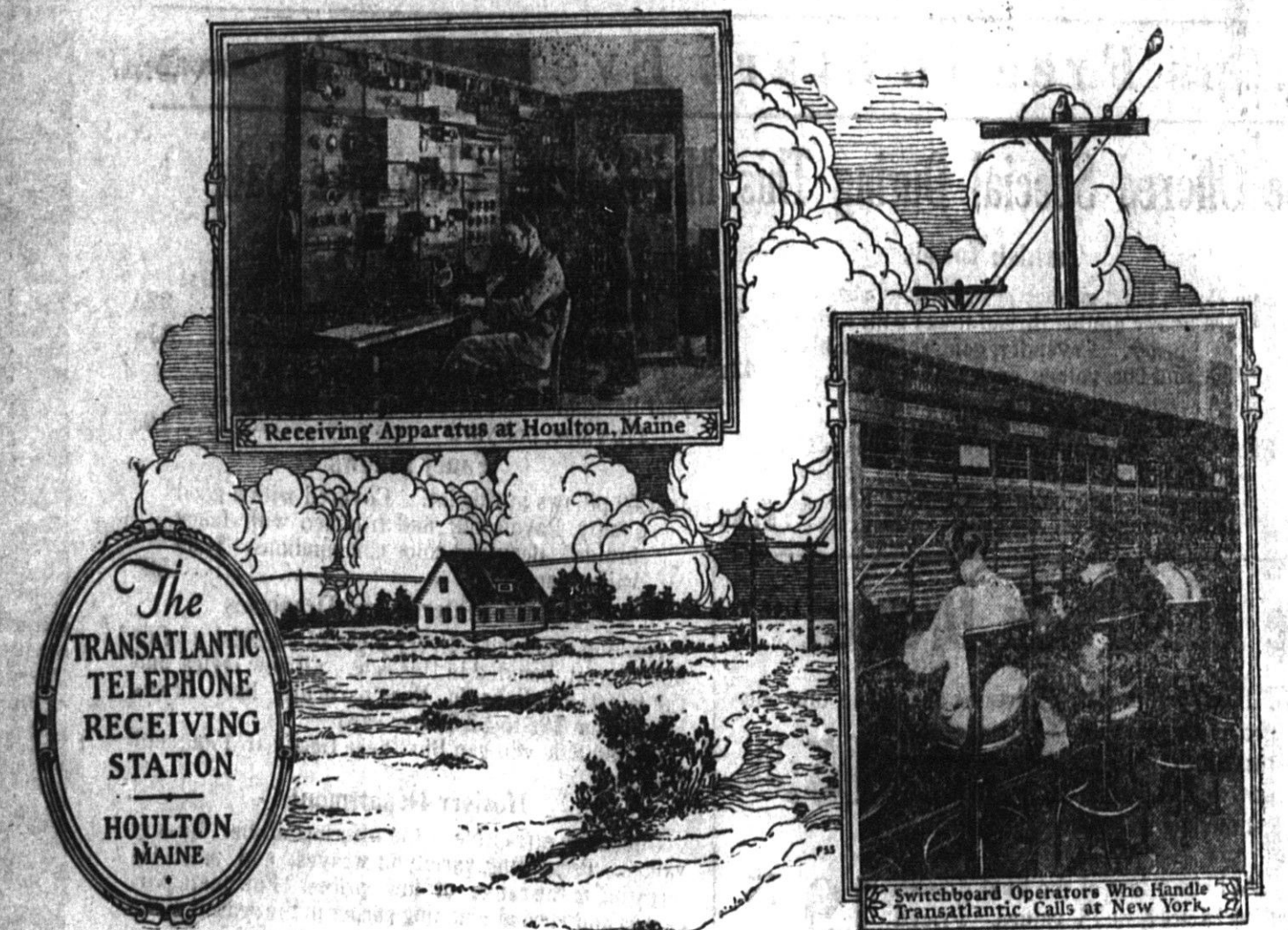
Scores of telephones were installed along levees for the use of construction forces battling to turn back the flood waters, or for the use of national guard sentries on duty there. One of these emergency installations, on the levee at MeCrea, La., deserves especial mention. The nearest point at which a line could be reached with which a connection could be made was at a small village fifteen miles away.

A plant crew began stringing this fifteen miles of wire at daybreak, their route leading through swamps and low-lying marsh lands in which it was necessary to work in water that was, at times, waist-deep. A heavy rain was falling and the road along which the route ran was almost impassable to the heavy truck in which telephone supplies were carried. On stumps, fence posts, trees and temporary poles hastily set in the soft ooze of the swamp, the line was run, foot after foot, mile after mile. By a quarter past five of the same day the work began the job was done and the telephone was in service.

During all this strenuous day, a thousand men were fighting grimly to prevent a break in the levee and a crevasse was expected at any moment—an element of hazard which made the performance of the telephone men particularly noteworthy.

So the story runs, from Cairo to the mouth of the Mississippi and far up some of the river's largest tributaries; a story of devotion to duty, of resourcefulness, of preparedness so complete that not even the unexpected found telephone men and women unready for any service required of them. Men and women of the telephone service from one end to the other of the long thousand-mile battle line of which this grim war against disaster and death was fought, proved themselves to be of the stuff of which heroes and heroines are made. They maintained a vitally important public service—made doubly important by an emergency that transformed the most matter-of-fact messages into matters of life and death. They proved themselves true to telephone tradition.

ENGINEERS FACED RIGORS OF WINTER WAY DOWN EAST IN BUILDING TRANSATLANTIC RADIO RECEIVING STATION



Receiving Apparatus at Houlton, Maine

The TRANSATLANTIC TELEPHONE RECEIVING STATION HOULTON MAINE

Switchboard Operators Who Handle Transatlantic Calls at New York

FEW episodes in engineering science have gripped the popular interest as has the opening of commercial transatlantic radio telephony. One of the most fascinating elements in this new achievement is that eastbound and westbound voices travel different geographical routes, the voice from New York to London going by way of the radio transmitter at Rocky Point, L. I., thence across the sea. The westbound voice comes from Rugby, England, to a receiving station at Houlton, Me., and from that point the voice travels 650 miles by wire to New York.

Aroostook County, Me., has acquired some place in the sun through its potato-growing talents. A glacier once kindly deposited a fine loam over this county, situated in the most northerly part of the United States. As a result, this section has become famous for its many and excellent potatoes. Houlton, Me., is the seat of government of Aroostook County. This town of 6,500 people, whose every interest centers and revolves about potato-growing, is one of the wealthiest towns per capita in the United States. Located about 130 miles northeast of Bangor and only four miles from the state line bordering on New Brunswick, Canada, it can be said, therefore, that Houlton is, without question, "way down east." There is a small section of the state of Maine which lies even a few miles further east, but using a bit of poetic license, Houlton can be said to be on the easternmost line of the United States.

A Radio Paradise Prior to November, 1925, experiments in receiving the transatlantic radio had been conducted at Belfast, Me., on the coastline, 25 miles south of Bangor. From this work and a study of the U. S. Weather Bureau reports, it was found that Maine had very few electrical storms relative to states farther down the coast and also to states more inland. This meant, therefore, that Maine is relatively a sort of radio paradise where little static and extraneous interference is present to confound the radio listener. Therefore, when it was decided to build a station for commercial service, it was thought best to go farther north and east where that important factor in radio receiving, namely, the ratio between strength of static noise and the strength of the desired radio signal would be more satisfactory throughout the year.

Hence, a new sort of pioneering was begun. Apparatus of a nature never before seen in the village of Houlton had to be transported there and taken to the site which is three miles west of the town. A modest building was begun, and as soon as it was covered in, research engineers and their assistants were dispatched from New York and Boston to begin the work. In Houlton, snow comes about October and stays until May. During February and March the normal temperature is about five degrees below zero and, at times, the thermometer drops to twenty-five below. The receiving antenna, of a type called the wave antenna, had to be erected. To the layman this antenna looks like a telephone line. The one at Houlton is six miles long and 25 feet high and lies along an east and west direction. A 40-foot right-of-way had to be cleared of trees and underbrush. A gang of men, adept with ax and saw, began in November, 1925, and continued for about five weeks to brave the rigors of the Maine winter, in order that a receiving antenna might be ready to pick up the signals from London when the time came.

Facing Wintry Blasts During the early days of experimentation, the engineers in charge worked at all hours to study the time when the signals best arrived from across the sea. It was, perhaps, a bleak and dreary place, but to engineers who were carrying on original experiments of a daring character, to whose ears came voices from across the sea and who realized they were engaged in building the foundations of a great communication service between England and America, what mattered cold weather, drifts of snow, early morning hours and wood stoves. Of course, a radio broadcast receiver was installed, which gave cheer during the rest hours. Snowmobiles, skis, snowshoes and fur coats came to be part of the life of men who before

had known little of such accoutrements of guides and scouts in the north woods.

Operating on Schedule At the present time, the operating schedule at the receiving station at Houlton, Me., calls for four engineers, two of whom are research engineers still further studying transatlantic radio problems; two operating engineers and two assistants. About 4 o'clock a. m., these men arrive at the station. Immediately they begin to check their apparatus, determine the voltage and condition of the battery supply. By telegraph and telephone they communicate with New York. Test currents of different frequency are transmitted from and to New York. Vacuum tubes are inspected, and when test signals begin to come from across the Atlantic, the radio receiver in all of its phases is carefully checked, and at 8:30 the circuit is ready for business.

During the day, when it is a pleasant one, one of the men may take a stroll with his snowshoes along the six mile antenna, ordinarily 25 feet high, but to him trekking along through the snow, it may be only 20 feet high or 18 feet high, depending on the thickness of the snow beneath him. For those who wish to take a little rest during the cool summer months which Maine enjoys, it will be of interest to know that Houlton, Me., is on United States route No. 1. The villagers are of a most hospitable sort.

Markets

Wheat, No. 1 Red	\$1.17
Wheat, No. 1 White	\$1.17
Corn	\$1.10
Oats	\$0.55
Rye	\$0.55
Oil Meal	\$6.00
Cracked Corn	\$7.00
St. Car Feed	\$7.00
No. 1 Feed	\$6.00
Scratch Feed	\$5.00
Dairy Feed 24 per cent.	\$4.00
Hog Feed	\$4.00
Corn Meal	\$4.00
Sorghum	\$4.00
Brn	\$3.00
Low Grade Flour	\$4.00
Gluten Feed	\$1.00
Cotton Seed Meal	\$4.00
Best	\$1.15
Meddling	\$1.15
Pork	\$10.11
Chickens, Leghorns	15
Chickens, heavy	18.20
Eggs	24
Creamery Butter	41
Dairy Butter	36

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Yager and family from Oak Park, Chicago, are spending the summer at Beechwood, the Warnock estate on the Lake Shore, near Saugatuck, an entertaining house party honoring their daughter, Miss Louis Yager. This estate was offered President Coolidge for a summer White House.

Miss Grace Holverscheid, well known soprano of Chicago, will come to the castle for her vacation. She will remain throughout August. There is a possibility that she may be heard at one of the services at Hope church during her stay here.

Harry Koe of Ann Arbor is spending his vacation at Macatawa at the home of Mr. T. Tazelaar.

It is stated that at Saugatuck nearly every available cottage is being rented this year.

Henry Luidens, for years connected with the First State Bank, has been confined to his home, 307 College av. for some time by illness.

Two large red and black signs have been put up at the River and 8th street intersections directing tourists. An arrow points the way to Grand Rapids and another to Muskegon.

A marriage license has been issued in Kent county for Johannes Hennings, 30, of Grand Rapids and Bertha Mow, 25, Holland.

Peter Boersma of Holland was fined \$10 for passing a street car in Grand Rapids according to the official record in traffic court there.

Mr. and Mrs. Con De Pree, Mr. and Mrs. John Bosman, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Diekema, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Landwehr and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Mc Bride have returned from Mackinac Island where they attended the governors conference.

The old brick building on Eighth-street and College avenue is being renovated and painted. A half century ago it was built by the Vander Bergs as a millinery shop and with the exception of a few years, some sort of a hat store has occupied it ever since. Mr. Arentsen, realtor and insurance man is bringing about a transformation with paint and brush.

Miss Theresa Smallegan has given up her position in Holland to spend the few remaining weeks of her vacation at Forest Grove in preparation for the school work she will begin in August in Gray Hawk, Kentucky.

Miss Marian Van Dam of Forest Grove has accepted the position as bookkeeper at the Holland Furnace Co.

The semi-annual picnic of the Ganges Alumni Ass'n will be held the last Saturday in July at the Allegan county state park.

Cornelius Pippel, and Lambert Gibson, two young men from Zeeland were picked up by Deputy Frank Shann about 1 o'clock last Sunday morning in the north end of town. They were amusing themselves in an effort to break some electric lamps in the region of the park. The young men were ordered to appear Monday night before Justice Crane, who fined the offenders \$5 each with additional costs of 2 each.—Fennville Herald.

The Third Chr. Reformed church congregation of Zeeland have chosen Candidate Wm. Hendricksen of Grand Rapids and extended a call to him. Mr. Hendricksen expects to meet with the congregation on July 31st.

W. De Wys, residing near Noordeloos, northeast of Holland, fell from a loft in his barn to the barn floor, causing severe bruises.

Miss Tena Holkeboer of Holland and missionary of China will speak at the Fremont mission fest to be held at Fremont Lake Park today. This is the 19th annual festival of the Christian Reformed church of that city and Reeman. Rev. W. A. Vanderwerp of Alton, Ottawa County, is also on the program.

Mrs. Lizette Coady, district president of the Woman's Relief Corps of Michigan with headquarters at Detroit and her secretary Miss Mae Simpson and Mr. Coady were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Van Zoeren, 205 West 15th St.

A marriage license has been issued in Kent county for Harold J. Stephens, 23, Grand Rapids, and Ethel Golden, 21, Coopersville.

The official thermometer at the Waterworks indicated 95 in the shade yesterday. A timely downpour this morning brought slightly cooler weather. The weather man promises cloudy and decidedly cool for Friday.

Score of farmers from Ottawa County and but a few from around Holland are going to Lansing next week when 3,000 Michigan farmers will meet at M. S. C. The headliner will be William M. Jardine, secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. who will touch on some of the difficulties, notable among them the tendency of youth to leave opportunities on the farm for the whirl and bustle of industry. The conference will be in session August 1 to 6.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Berenga from Patterson, N. J., are in the city visiting friends and relatives. They will sail August 13th for Africa where they will enter the Mission field.

Bus and private automobiles conveyed 90 residents of the Holland Home, Grand Rapids, to Pine Lodge on Lake Tuesday for an outing. The program included dining at the Lodge hotel and a visit to the Getz farm.

FRENCH CLOAK SALE
In this issue the French Cloak store makes an announcement of their tremendous July summer sale. The local area gives several dozen dazzling bargains in their ad in this issue.

CAT AND CANARY AT HOLLAND AUG. 2, 3, 4

Thrills from start to finish with a mystifying plot that defies detecting until the final scenes are the highlights promised in "The Cat and the Canary," the Universal-Jewel mystery drama that comes to the Holland theater the week of August 2, 3 and 4.

Headed by Laura La Plante, the picture embraces an all-featured cast, including Arthur Edmund, Carlew, Forrest Stanley, Creighton Hale, Gertrude Astor, Leonora Stigman, Flora Finch, Tully Marshall and Martha Mattox.

The screen story, which was adapted from the famous stage play of the same name by John Willard, has to do with the fortunes of six relatives of a wealthy old recluse who died leaving a will that was to be read at the hour of midnight in his home a year from the day of his death.

The attorney, who reads the will, is murdered and suspicion falls in turn on each of the relatives. The reason for the murder and the disclosing of the murderer provides rare entertainment.

Paul Lent, who is responsible for the direction of the picture, recently came to this country under contract to the Universal after making some of the most outstanding European successes of the year.

J. O. Miller, director of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co. today announced that a new division of the company would locate a plant at Muskegon within a few months. It will employ 300 men and produce approximately \$1,500,000 worth of their product yearly. The product was not announced.

A plant discontinued two months ago, located on Irving st., may be used for the new division of the company.

NORTH HOLLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bosch and family attended a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Havenga on 11th street, Holland on last week Friday evening, which was given in honor of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bosch, who were quietly married three months ago. Relatives and friends of both the families were present and dainty refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Bosch were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts. They are both well known here. The bride formerly lived with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bosch, who then lived a short distance west of here.

Plans are being made to repeat the play entitled "Robert and Mary," on next week Tuesday evening, August 2 at 8 o'clock. The play will again be given at the North Holland School and every one is invited to attend. Tickets are now for sale which can be purchased of the different Loyal Workers members.

Relatives and friends have received word from Mr. Hero Nienhuis stating that he was enjoying his pleasure trip in Canada and different points of interest through the Upper Peninsula. Mr. Nienhuis left some two weeks ago, also attending a wedding of his cousin at Charlevoix. He is expected home the latter part of this week.

Five families from this place enjoyed a ride to Buchanan beach on last week Wednesday evening to take a good swim. The water was not quite as warm as they would have liked it, nevertheless, they had a bath. When almost ready to return home Mr. Ed Schilleman, our local merchants, surprised the 24 members present, by sailing from his car a basket containing some home and foreign goods. They all promenade back to the lake front, where they enjoyed a weenie roast.

DRENTHE

Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Dam are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first-born, an eight-pound daughter, Carolyn Ann. Mrs. Van Dam's maiden name was Miss Joanna Van Hattama.

At the annual school meeting recently held, W. K. Kalandor of Drenthe was re-elected as member of the board. It was also decided to have the school building reshipled.

The annual mission picnic of the church of Drenthe, Oakland and Westfield was held Wednesday afternoon and evening. A good program was arranged. A large crowd attended. The Ladies Aid society of Drenthe held their regular meeting at the parsonage where they were entertained by Rev. and Mrs. Essenburg. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Essenburg consisting of sandwiches, cake, coffee, ice cream and wafers. An enjoyable afternoon was spent by every one present. The dominie and his estimable wife prove royal entertainers.

OVERISEL

Fred A. Langeland of Grand Rapids, in company with his brother, James, of Overisel, have purchased the brick home of Dr. Chas. Yonker at 16 East Main street, Zeeland, and will conduct a funeral home there. The former has already moved his household effects from Grand Rapids where he has followed this vocation for the past four years. James Langeland has been an undertaker in Overisel, the official chapel will be at the disposal of those who desire to avail themselves of this modern convenience as well as a modern limousine funeral car.—Zeeland Record.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Looman, Overisel—a son.

PORT SHELDON

On Wednesday evening, July 13, the baseball team of Noordeloos was given a supper at Port Sheldon by the girls who are the faithful boosters of the team. After an hour of bathing a three course supper was served. The following were present, Mr. and Mrs. Corey Bosch, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bloemanna, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Van Parow, Messrs. Peter Elzinga, Albert Pyle, Delbert Schilleman, Herman and Albert Janssen, Harry Pavell, John and Henry Bosch, and Miss Catherine Janssen. Miss Gertrude Bosch, Miss Grace Bruinma, Miss Josephine Bultema, Miss Ruth Bultema, Miss Minnie Diepenhorst, Miss Marie Westrate, Miss Margaret Smith and Miss Metta Kemme. An enjoyable time was spent and all returned home at a late hour.

Summer resort season is at its height at Port Sheldon.

FOREST GROVE

Rev. and Mrs. Prins of Forest Grove are entertaining as their guest for a time, the latter's seven-year-old niece, Lucie Myers, of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Van de Bunte and children and Miss Martha Van de Bunte of Holland were recently Sunday day visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Intema.

Clifford Koe, of Forest Grove, while unloading a car of coal in Hudsonville fell from the car on the rails of the track and received painful injuries to his hip altho' he manages to be about and at work again.

Miss Gertrude De Kline of Forest Grove has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Vos at Holland.

Mr. Henry Boer of Hamilton, a few days ago stopped for a chat with Mr. and Mrs. Dick De Kline. While they were talking, one of the tires blew out, thus necessitating a longer stay to make repairs. Mrs. Boer affirms that Henry has such "staying qualities" and this was again manifested here when he could not resist the invitation to supper by Mr. and Mrs. De Kline, and he stayed for that meal.—Corr.

Friends will be interested to learn of the birth of a son—eight pounds and fourteen ounces—to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Plomp of Holland recently. Mrs. Plomp bore her marriage was Miss Grace Ter Haar a former resident of Forest Grove, who has many friends and a number of relatives here.

Mr. B. Ter Haar and his sister, Mrs. D. Grinwis, both of whom reside in Holland, attended the afternoon service in the Forest Grove church last Sunday.

The hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook of Forest Grove were saddened by the loss of their infant daughter, Ruth June, who passed away on Tuesday, July 13th, having lived less than a week. Our sympathy is extended to the bereaved parents.

ZEELAND

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Weering, Pine Street, a daughter, Sunday, July 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, Jr., Zeeland, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zuwerink, East Washington street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Haveman, North Holland, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Bytzama of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, have been spending a few days at Zeeland at the home of their mother, Mrs. D. Van Bytzama.

The school census of Grand Haven city are about three times those of Zeeland city. The exact number is 3319.

Miss Evelyn Brandt of Zeeland is spending a few weeks at the home of her brother, Herman, in Indiana assisting them with the work as Mrs. Brandt is confined to her home with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Staal of South State street, Zeeland, announced the engagement of their daughter, Anna, to Benjamin F. Morgan of Phoenix, Arizona. The marriage will take place in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj C. Van Loo and family returned from a trip to Pontiac, Flint and Detroit where they motored.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weiling, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ver Hage, have returned from a motor trip to the Niagara Falls via the Canadian route. They returned by way of Cleveland and Toledo.

Mrs. Ida Dalman and daughter, Mrs. Andrew Douma and son Russel Douma from Ripon, California, are spending a few months visiting in Zeeland and vicinity. They are the guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. John Hoeksema.

Rev. Wm. Pyle arrived in Zeeland from Hollandale, Minnesota. Rev. and Mrs. Pyle are planning a vacation trip through northern Minnesota.

Mrs. Dirk Wiersma submitted to a serious operation at the Emergency Ward at Zeeland. He is recovering.

The First Reformed church congregation of Zeeland held their Sunday school picnic at Pine Lodge last Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Mr. Cornelius Boone of Zeeland, who has been very seriously ill the past six weeks with pneumonia is again able to be up from his bed. Indications are that he will now rapidly recover.

Mrs. Jannet Derkse, who has been employed at the Modern Poultry Breeder office at Zeeland for some time, submitted to an operation for the removal of her tonsils at the Emergency Ward. The young lady is on the road to recovery.

Rev. J. Van Dyke is holding Bible class meetings in the Wyngarden house on East Main street every Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Rhee and mother, Mrs. A. Korstanje, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Van Loo in Holland, Tuesday evening.—Zeeland Record.

Among those attending the State Firemen's Convention at Lansing from Zeeland, are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bouwens, Mr. and Mrs. George Van Der Weide and Mr. J. A. VerHage.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hefte, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Romeyn and Mr. and Mrs. David Vereke.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Hulsenga of Holland visited friends in Zeeland on Saturday.—Zeeland Record.

The Swamp Angels had with them a jazz orchestra who, after the game, entertained the community in the community hall.

The second big ball game during the last week was staged Friday evening when the locals played against the Heinz 57 team. The game began with Case Wentzel pitching, and Tim Mosier, another old player, catching for the locals. Tim caught throughout the game but Ithman was put in for pitcher in the second inning. He did not pitch through the whole of the remaining innings of the game however, as Nyhoff, who ordinarily plays third base, pitched the last few innings. The visitors got in one run in the first inning and eight in the second. The locals, however, got in three runs in the second. Neither side scored in the third inning, but the visitors scored three in the fourth. The locals were equal to a small comeback and scored four in this inning. The fifth inning gave two scores to the visitors and the sixth gave them two more. The locals succeeded in getting in three runs in the sixth. The game became exciting. The score was 16-10 in favor of Heinz, but our boys were picking up and had one more chance to score. The visitors made no score in the last inning but the locals scored three more runs, falling to win the game—losing by a 16-13 score—but making the game exciting to the last and showing a fine fighting spirit throughout.

The Hamilton Community Welfare association met at the Community Hall last Tuesday evening to make final arrangements for the Labor Day celebration which is held here annually.

Mr. and Mrs. Bouwman of Holland were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ten Brink.

Miss Dora Westvelt of Zeeland has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Kuite last week.

Martin Kronmeyer, who submitted to an operation for appendicitis at

the Holland hospital three weeks ago, returned home last Wednesday. He is reported to be slowly improving.

Beatrice Lugten, Laura Caswell, Marian Maxam, Lela Caswell, Eleanor Voorhorst and Alleen Dangremond enjoyed themselves at a house party last week in the cottage of Rob Wolters on Lake Michigan.

Next Sunday the pulpit of the First Reformed church will be occupied by Rev. A. H. Strabbing of Holland, a former pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Meengs and daughter from Grand Rapids visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Boer Sunday.

JULY SALES

For the last two days of the month we are going to clear our stock of

COATS and DRESSES
Friday and Saturday--July 29 and 30

Don't miss this opportunity and be here Friday and Saturday, as you get your best choice for two days only. Every Coat and Dress in our entire stock is included in this sale. We must clean up our stock now.

DRESS PRICES HIT HARD

Not a Garment to Escape

Even at that, the sale would amount to very little if the dresses included were of the "cheap sales" variety. To the contrary, they are all our own fine dresses, taken from our regular stock and marked down to a price no higher than inferior grades for this time of the year. EVERY GARMENT IN OUR STOCK MUST GO.



Here Are Some of the Prices:

13 Dresses,	former price	\$10.75,	choice	\$ 7.75
11 "	"	12.50,	"	9.25
20 "	"	16.75,	"	11.75
20 "	"	17.50,	"	12.50
4 "	"	22.50,	"	15.75
12 "	"	27.50,	"	18.75
4 "	"	32.50,	"	23.75
5 "	"	36.50,	"	27.50



Coat Prices Get a Terrific Blow

Every Garment Desirable

Only in a sale of this kind, the purpose of which is to close out every garment, regardless of its value or former price, could any woman hope to get such bargains.



For convenient choosing we have arranged them in groups as follows:

Womens and Misses Coats

9 Coats,	Former Price	\$18.75,	Choice	\$ 9.50
3 "	"	22.50,	"	11.25
16 "	"	27.50,	"	13.75
4 "	"	31.50,	"	15.75
4 "	"	32.50,	"	16.25
3 "	"	36.50,	"	18.25
4 "	"	47.50,	"	23.75

Childrens Coats For Your Choosing

6 Coats,	Former Price	\$ 8.75,	Choice	\$ 5.75
5 "	"	10.75,	"	6.75
3 "	"	12.50,	"	7.75
2 "	"	13.75,	"	8.75
2 "	"	14.50,	"	9.15
1 "	"	23.50,	"	13.75
1 "	"	27.50,	"	16.75

A Point in True Economy. Don't Miss This Opportunity.

Ninety-six beautiful RAYON and TUB DRESSES in all sizes, shades and styles. Former prices from \$6.50 to \$7.75. Just the dress for afternoon, street, office or store wear. Your choice for Friday and Saturday only at \$4.75

Value is determined by what you get, and not by what you buy. You can buy cheaply made garments almost anywhere and at almost any price, but that does not determine values.

We are not proclaiming our goodness from the house tops, but we do say that all garments included in this sale are right from our own stock, new high class merchandise, dependable quality with prices cut to the core.

French Cloak Store

Where Women Love to Shop

30 East Eighth St.

Where You Always Find Something New

The Holland hospital three weeks ago, returned home last Wednesday. He is reported to be slowly improving.

Beatrice Lugten, Laura Caswell, Marian Maxam, Lela Caswell, Eleanor Voorhorst and Alleen Dangremond enjoyed themselves at a house party last week in the cottage of Rob Wolters on Lake Michigan.

Next Sunday the pulpit of the First Reformed church will be occupied by Rev. A. H. Strabbing of Holland, a former pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Meengs and daughter from Grand Rapids visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Boer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Kaper and family motored to Fennville last week Wednesday evening.

Rev. H. Fellman and family from New York are visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Tans last week Thursday. The 91 in attendance partook of a beautiful dinner and supper. Dr. Kleinster was elected president for the coming year.

Geneva Dogger of Holland was a guest at the Maxam home Saturday.

Alberta Klomparsen visited her sister Verletta in Saugatuck last week Thursday.

Sipes Tigers were defeated Monday evening in a exciting game with the Vacs-A-Taps of Holland. The game started with an Allegan man pitching for the locals. He pitched through the first four innings, but Dick Wentzel, our regular pitcher, was put in in the fifth inning, and the game was finished with Fred Wentzel pitching for the Tigers. The visitors made no score in the first inning but Mert Dangremond made one run for the locals.

In the second inning neither side scored, while in the third the visitors got in one run. The Tigers made an excellent comeback and got in three runs—one by Mert and the other two by Drenthe and Brink. The next inning showed another run for the visitors, while the locals were quickly sent into the field with some good fielding on the part of the visitors—all three outs being flies caught by the fielders. Nyhoff got in a run for the locals in the fifth inning. The last four innings the visitors scored two, one, one and three runs respectively, while the Tigers did not score, leading the final score of the game 9-5 in favor of the Vacs-A-Taps.

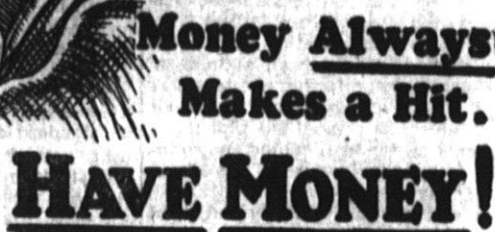
James Hulsenga, returned to her home in Hamilton last Sunday from Berculo where she has been visiting for a time.

Word has been received that the Rev. Roggen family has arrived safely in Iowa. They went by automobile. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brower are visiting in Milwaukee and Chicago.

The L. Kroepelot family from Fremont were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. W. Schutmaat Sunday.

The L. Kroepelot family from Fremont were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. W. Schutmaat Sunday.

The L. Kroepelot family from Fremont were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. W. Schutmaat Sunday.



PEOPLES STATE BANK
HOLLAND, MICH.



**Shore Line
Motor Coach
Company**
WARM FRIEND TAVERN

Standard Wrecking Co.

John Gosselar, who has acted as manager of the Boter Shoe Store for the past year, is leaving this position for a promising job with the Jerrold company. Mr Gosselar will be stationed in a Jerrold store at Benton Har-

Mr. Milham is confident that this section will become one of the centers of the entire country and says members of the M. S. C. graduates are turning to this as one of the most interesting and profitable businesses for the young man of the future.

this summer and the fame of this orchestra has been traveling far. Mr. Kolkowski and the management have been making every effort to give the crowds coming from Grand Rapids, Muskegon, and Holland the best possible in the way of music and service.

The Chicago Tribune of Sunday states that Mr. Getz and others have been in conference with Tex Rickard and it begins to appear that the

men of that city, is strutting today for he is the only great-grandfather. It is safe to say, in that vicinity who has achieved such dignity at the early age of 57.

His granddaughter, Mrs Chas. Edward Hamm, presented him with his

A similar park at Grand Haven bears the name of Oval and the one soon to be opened at Muskegon is called "Sunset Circles."

city. Black Lake lies in the background and the upper left of the picture is the channel into Lake Michigan. Holland's harbor is among the finest on the east shore of the lake.

MAY BALLOT THIS FALL ON THE NEW CITY CHARTER

A new charter for the city of Holland—that is a prospect for the present year, judging from the progress that has been made recently in a task which has been under way for several years. Present plans are to submit the proposed new charter to the vote of the people some time this fall and it seems likely, at least if the people approve of the document, that Holland will be under the government of a new charter before the end of the present year.

The new charter work was initiated several years ago, during the administration of Mayor E. P. Stephan. Mr. Stephan, during the closing months of his administration, appointed a charter commission composed of Arthur Van Duren, James De Young, C. H. Me Brien, Benj. Wiersma, and the city clerk. This body of men set to work going over the old charter and making such changes as new conditions seemed to make necessary. The commission held meetings from time to time to discuss the various changes and took under consideration such suggestions as were made by citizens interested in giving Holland a more up-to-date charter.

The work has necessarily been very slow. It often happens that some small change develops a great deal of difference of opinion and much time is required to adopt a few words in the document.

But all the changes have now been made. The document was revised often in typewritten form and now it is in the hands of the printer. The tentative charter will be turned out in printed form so that every citizen can be furnished with a copy. In this way all will have an opportunity to read it and study it before voting on it.

The new charter will not be revolutionary in any way. In the main, it is understood, it will follow the lines of the old document, but there will be many changes in detail and also some that will make considerable difference in the method of conducting the city government.

The present charter of the city of Holland was adopted in 1913.

P. M. STATION

MOVES AGAIN

The old Pere Marquette depot, used by the railroad during the days when a branch from Holland brought many an excursion and thousands of merry-makers to Ottawa Beach, is being moved.

The building has moved twice before since it was built, and its last journey was necessary because it stood in the right-of-way of the new road leading to the oval on the lake front. It stands now in reverse position, just south of its former location, and houses the community postoffice and a delicatessen store.

Rev. A. J. To Paske and family, of Clymer, New York, are the guests of Mr. To Paske's parents, Rev. and Mrs. P. De Jong, in this city. Mr. To Paske will conduct the services at the Sixth Reformed church Sunday.

WANT TUNNY TO TRAIN AT MUSKEGON, MICH.

The Muskegon chamber of commerce offered Gene Tunney, the present heavyweight champion, a complete training headquarters in the town of Muskegon, Mich. Tunney, who is expected to be placed on the map as well as Chicago, provided the big fight is staged at the windy city. Local fans are in hopes that George Dietz will offer Jack Dempsey the use of Lakewood farm for his training quarters. Holland would benefit by this type of advertising as a great sport center.

MANY ATTEND GIRLS' MEET

Forty-seven girls are enrolled at the girls' conference in its third annual session this week at Pine Lodge. Most of the girls are connected with churches in Grand Rapids, although some are from Holland, Chicago, Byron Center and other places.

The daily program is featured with a Bible hour in charge of Miss Hanna C. Hoekje of Holland high school, missionary speakers, recreation, and a banquet is scheduled for Friday evening, a purpose meeting Saturday evening and a pageant Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nettie R. De Jong, principal of the girls' school at Chagchong, China, conducted an informal conference on the porch of the lodge.

ADD SECTION TO FORAL HALL AT THE FAIR

The directors of the Holland community fair are to build a new addition to the floral hall and it will be 35x110 feet, which will double the capacity of the hall. The amateur flower display is becoming larger and larger each year, and this feature is proving a wonderful attraction at the fair each year. The trouble has been that flowers could not be displayed properly and this could not help but detract from the exhibits.

The plan was not to have a building program this year, since a great deal of building has been done during a period of five years. However, the request came from Mrs. J. W. Vandenberg, wife of the late Dr. Vandenberg of New Holland. She has faithfully served as superintendent of that department for 40 years and, Mr. Vandenberg said they didn't have a heart to turn her down, as she has made an able superintendent and has done a great deal to build up the floral display at the fair.

The interior of the building will also be improved to display the flowers to better advantage.

GAS THIEF TAKES TWO GALLONS OUT OF AUTO

A gas thief is evidently around Grand Haven, for Saturday night there were several petty thefts recorded, including two gallons of gas taken from a car belonging to a Chicago man. The manager of the Thomas Store lying on Elliott street also reported the loss of gas.

FOUR BANKS TOP \$5 MILLION MARK IN S. E. OTTAWA

Zeeland Record—The local banks have again made a record mark in resources, according to the reports just published, which shows that the southeastern corner of Ottawa is the banner section when it comes to per capita wealth. Few of us realize the good fortune and prosperity we are permitted to enjoy.

The total resources of the four banks in this territory, the Hudsonville State Bank, of which Hon. Fred P. McElchorn is cashier; the Jamestown State Bank; Albert H. Bosch, cashier; the State Commercial & Savings Bank; and Zeeland State Bank, are over five millions of dollars. The exact figures are: The commercial deposits in these banks amount to \$1,773,480.93, and the savings, \$2,547,869.24.

These bank resources total nearly \$4,000,000 for every man, woman and child in the section.

The Zeeland State Bank is coming strong, doing sixty per cent of the banking business; the State Commercial & Savings Bank does about twenty per cent and the Hudsonville and Jamestown Banks each about ten per cent. The figures are: Zeeland State Bank, \$3,003,898.04, State Commercial & Savings Bank, \$1,092,262.45, Hudsonville State Bank, \$477,377.13, Jamestown State Bank, \$454,032.45.

The savings deposits in these banks are respectively, \$1,469,565.12, \$459,173.40, \$238,714.86, and \$239,410.04. The total resources in the banks of Zeeland are \$4,006,151.39, an average of more than \$15,000 for each man, woman and child. The savings total \$2,547,869.24, about one half the total resources. This enormous wealth in resources brings a confidence and prosperity that is not shaken by any individual misfortune that may befall us.

Although we must not belittle our various sources of wealth, we must extend a large measure of the credit for the present conditions to the great influx of money brought by the poultry industry. The six millions of chicks shipped from this city and surrounding community every year brings at the least \$600,000 and a million dollars in the combined poultry products receipts is not an unreasonable estimate. By far the greater part of this money, possibly eighty per cent of it, remains in Zeeland, and this is a great asset to the community. It brings us much wealth for all to enjoy. This industry is bound to continue and increase. The farmers and hatchery folk are learning more and more every day that a good hen is more valuable than a poor one and that a good one costs a lot of money, raise and keep. The difference comes in the egg-basket, which in turn comes into the banks.

Banks are the barometer of the financial condition of a community, and these figures here, "If you ask, is inspiring to all that are in position to appreciate the rapid strides we are making. There was never more money, we never were more prosperous.

TRIBUNE AGAIN SUGGESTS G. H. AS THE CAPITAL

Once again the Chicago Tribune comes out editorially and suggests Grand Haven as the permanent capital of this country. Traverse City is reported to have offered the federal government a location on the shores of a near-by lake. Although they will favor strongly any Michigan city as capital they have stressed Grand Haven as a central and beautiful location easily accessible and in close touch to the big cities of the country.

The editorial goes on to say they are not prepared to limit the possibilities of establishing a capital either in the small town or the big timber belt of Michigan. Part of the editorial follows:

"It is apparent that federal government needs a change of air and there is no better air than Michigan air. The capital was placed on the Potomac to persuade the southern states to help pay the northern states war debts after the revolution. To take it away from the Potomac this section of the country is willing to pay the southern states' war debts. That will square accounts and will be an honorable adjustment, permitting the removal of the national works to a spot more favorable to national interests.

"The French say that the perfume of a woman is lost in the forest. It is certain that the holiness of a statesman is. No man could be overpowered by international emotions in the Michigan woods. If he were it would be assumed that a buck deer had him treed or that he had tried to pick up porcupine. Michigan would provide a capital where government would eat well and sleep well and of it nothing better could be expected or rationally hoped."

YOUTH TIME OF GREAT DEEDS

Indianapolis, July 26.—Most amazing thing about the triumph of Col. Charles Lindbergh is the modesty with which he accomplished his epic flight.

Least remarkable fact about him, yet that which has received the most acclaim, is his youth, according to Benjamin N. Bogus, noted psychologist.

"Majority of the great discoveries and achievements that have thrilled the world down the ages have been accomplished by men of about Lindbergh's age," declared Mr. Bogus. "Galileo discovered his famous laws at the age of 23. Alexander the Great had conquered the world at 22. Watt discovered the steam engine when he was 24. Westinghouse perfected the airbrake when he was 22. Edison, the dynamo when he was 26; McCormick the reaper when he was 22. Einstein the theory of relativity at the age of 24, and Napoleon was commanding general of the Army of Italy at the same age."

"Lindbergh's years were in his favor. That a young man should accomplish his remarkable feat was to be expected. His youth will never stand out in the pages of history, but his modesty will. It will go down to posterity along with George Washington's truthfulness, Lincoln's humor, and Roosevelt's smile."

Wayne Watkins of Jackson, Mich., spent the week-end with Harold De Loof, West 17th street. The young men were roommates while attending Ferris Institute, Big Rapids.

IS ON HIS WAY TO THE MINISTRY

Marvin Maria, a graduate of Holland high school, has shaped his course for a Methodist minister. Maria spent two years at Hope college, two years at Albion college, two years at Northwestern university and now is taking a course in sociology in a New York institution on a scholarship awarded him at Northwestern. Maria has visited many of the leading buildings in New York city in connection with his course in sociology.

BATH CLEARS TRAGEDY SPOT

Wreckage of the Bath consolidated school building that has remained unremoved since May 18, the day Andrew Kehoe set off the dynamite that caused the deaths of 44 persons and injured nearly as many more, is being nearly cleared away.

Farmers of the community, including parents of several children lost in the blast, have donated their services and but little of debris remains to be moved.

Underneath the wreckage of the building, workmen have found plaster covered books, ball mits, pens, pencils, marbles, dolls, balls and several pieces of wearing apparel once belonging to the little totos whose lives were snuffed out while they were preparing for their summer vacation.

A new structure soon will rise on the site of the wrecked building. Plans for a new building are nearing completion.

Meanwhile, residents of the district are co-operating in every way possible to make the site ready for the builders. The treasury of the district has no funds. Donations throughout the state will be expended to relieve present suffering.

HOW LARGE IS BRITISH EMPIRE?

Chicago, July 26.—A bold swash-buckler of the sea, who has thousands of square miles of the British Empire and never got caught.

Unless John Bull keeps better track of his empire, it is quite possible he may find some of it missing, according to Glen B. Winship, New York journalist, in an address here.

"Nobody seems to know how large the empire is," said Mr. Winship. "There are official figures for the areas of each part of the empire, presumably arrived at by careful geographical surveys, yet the totals arrived at are never the same. The 'Total area of the British Empire,' it is proved by pretty many-colored diagrams in the London Times Atlas, is 13,780,000 square miles. Taking a more moderate stand, the Statesman's Year Book, with seeming accuracy, gives it at 14,424,000 square miles. Whittaker's Almanack makes the assertion that it is 13,900,782 square miles large, and the World Almanack states its area is 13,370,826 square miles.

"Even considering the British Isles alone, there seems to be some question of the correct figure. The Statesman's Year Book gives the area, excluding Ireland, as 89,041 square miles but Whittaker's Almanack, which may be splitting hairs, insists it is six miles larger, and half a dozen square miles of land in the 'tight little right little' is a word of more money, enough so that even John Bull himself might give it a second glance."

SAYS THAT DAININESS IS WOMAN'S GREATEST CHARM

Chicago, July 26.—Of woman's charms, which is her most alluring to man?

"Men as a rule, arrives at the correct answer without knowing why," said Miss Ruth Miller in an address to club women here. "If you ask them, they doubtless would say beauty, wit, grace, sympathy, graciousness. All are admirable but none is what wins a man. Beauty, wit, grace without daintiness are as roses without perfume. Daintiness is woman's greatest charm. It is the intangible but distinctive mark of her femininity.

"Daintiness is difficult to define. It is a strain of melody in the grand crashes of opera. It is a whiff of fragrance that recalls old romance. It is felt rather than seen. But without it, beauty is cold marble and grace is intellect in fire that gives no heat. A woman who lacked daintiness would lose nothing if she wore pants."

"This superlatively feminine quality creates its own atmosphere. The dainty woman is a natural artist. Her gown expresses her. Her culture is a delicate use of lipstick and cosmetics with delicacy. The distasteful odor of perspiration she dispels with astringent applications. She bedews herself with perfume that seems an emanation of her personality. The dainty woman must be fragrant."

"In this age of sex equality, daintiness is the quality women are most in danger of losing. Every day in every way, women, doing man's work, are becoming more and more like men. If femininity is ever submerged in the rush of changing sex ideas and ideals, the world will be within telephone distance of hell."

UNCLE SAM WANTS 300 INCOME TAX AGENTS

The United States Civil Service Commission says that the Bureau of Internal Revenue is in need of 300 agents for income tax work in the field.

An examination has been announced by the Commission for these positions under the title of Junior Auditor. Applications will be received until August 3.

The entrance salary is \$2,100 a year. Higher-salaried positions are filled through promotion.

The examination includes tests in accounting and a rating on education and experience.

Full information may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or from the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners at the postoffice or court house in any city.

DISTRICT DELEGATES TO LEGION CONVENTION TO MEET IN MUSKEGON

Delegates from the Ninth district to the state department American Legion convention at Jackson August 15-17 will meet at Muskegon August 7 to name a chairman, select an executive committee and map out a program to be followed at the convention. The district is allowed 43 delegates, of which 12 are from Merritt Lamb post of Muskegon.

THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS

NEW HOSPITAL AT ZEELAND READY ABOUT OCTOBER 1

The Dr. Thomas G. Huinings Memorial Hospital association, the members of the board of which were elected by the vote of the donors a few weeks ago, met on July 18th, at the Zeeland State Bank and elected their respective officers.

C. J. Den Herder was elected president of the board and James C. De Pree was elected secretary. The announcements of the various committees have not yet been given out, but it is expected that the work will be a little time before the building is to be turned over to the hospital board. Mrs. Van Strydom has the use of the home until August first, after which some repairs will have to be made, such as putting in an elevator and re-decorating.

The time for the completion of this work has not been set because there are many things that may hinder the progress of the work; but it is hoped that all will be complete before Oct. 1st.

The draft of the constitution and the by-laws that will govern the performance of the association is now being drawn and will be submitted for approval at the next meeting of the organization. The body is progressing in fine shape and will be all set for action when the property becomes available.

The beautiful VanStrydom home—stead is a fine structure for a hospital. It is just the right type of building, three stories high with full basement, situated on a small rise in the ground, and has about twenty rooms suitable for wards and individual rooms, and has an automobile approach at both front and rear. After its conversion it is probable an open day will be set aside for public inspection.

CANADA AWAITS THE PREMIER AND PRINCES

Ottawa, Ont., July 26.—All Canada has turned its eyes toward the approaching visit of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, his youngest brother, Prince George, and of the Right Hon. Stanley Baldwin, prime minister of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, all of whom are passengers on the steamship Empress of Australia, which is due to arrive at Quebec on Friday.

It will be the first occasion that a British premier has visited Canada during his term of office. Either the premier's visit or another visit from the heir to the throne or his sailor brother, both of whom have visited the Dominion before, would have been a source of major importance. Coming together the event may overshadow in national jubilation the formal celebration of the Diamond Jubilee in the early part of July.

Both visits are to be fleeting ones and there is likely to be considerable heart burning in communities not favored. For cut-and-dried itineraries has been prepared for the stay of the distinguished visitors but some of the more important features have been announced as follows:

Arriving at Quebec Friday, the Prince will open the season with two days in the ancient city, leaving on Sunday afternoon for Montreal by steamer. Two days will be spent in Montreal, where a civic reception will be held and the visitors shown the sights of the city. Premier Baldwin accepted an invitation to address the Canadian club there.

Tuesday is the day fixed for the arrival of the party in Ottawa, where three days will be passed. Only on Wednesday will the time of the Prince of Wales be devoted to official duties. At noon of that day His Royal Highness will unveil the Altar of Sacrifice in the Memorial Chamber of the Victoria Tower. On the same day he will unveil the statue of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, recently elected at Parliament Hill. Later in the afternoon he will visit the International Poultry Congress.

While in the capital Premier Baldwin will address the Canadian club and Mrs. Baldwin will address the Women's Canadian club. During their stay in Ottawa both the Princes and the premier will be guests at Government House.

After leaving Ottawa the two parties will go to Brockville where they will board a private yacht and cruise through the Thousand Islands to Kingston where there will be an hour's reception. Then they will proceed by boat to Toronto.

This will be reproduced under different conditions, perhaps the most spectacular feature of the visit to Canada sixty-seven years ago of the Prince of Wales' royal grandfather, then called Prince of Wales, and afterwards King Edward VII. The Prince of Wales of 1860, who was accompanied by his colonial secretary, cruised along the north shore of Lake Ontario, calling at various ports until finally Toronto was reached.

The party is expected to arrive at Toronto Friday evening, August 6th, and will remain over Saturday and Sunday. In Toronto there will be a state dinner as well as a Canadian club luncheon to be addressed by Premier Baldwin. While at Toronto a side trip will be made to Niagara Falls and then the party will start for the West. At Banff the Princes and Premier will part temporarily. The two Princes will proceed to the Prince of Wales' ranch at High River, Alberta, while the Premier will return East.

Reuben A. Spruiell, aged 51, residing near Allegan, without a doubt is the heaviest man in Allegan county. Mr. Spruiell is 5 feet 11½ inches tall, tips the beam at 370 pounds. At times he has weighed 385 pounds. Mr. Spruiell has a sister, Hattie Spruiell, a former Allegan school teacher, who weighs 280 lbs.

Clyde Thurber, alleged liquor violator and proprietor of Arrowhead Inn, Ada, demanded examination when arraigned before United States Commissioner Arthur Van Duren at Holland and furnished \$1,000 bonds. The hearing was set for July 28.

Mr. and Mrs. John Granau of Chicago, who are enjoying their cottage at Macatawa Park, were apprised by telegram Thursday that their brother had been shot during a holdup in that city. They closed their cottage and hurried to Chicago.

THIRD REFORMED CHURCH TO HOLD PICNIC THURSDAY

Third Reformed Sunday school will hold its annual picnic at Jensen Park next Thursday. The school is the largest among the 187 affiliated with the particular synod of Chicago, having an enrollment of 1,118.

Wynand Wichers, cashier of First State Bank is superintendent. The outing will be in the nature of a basket picnic and a program of diversified sports is planned.

"Dobbins" Are Rapidly Disappearing In the Rural Districts

Every year 1,000,000 horses vanish forever from America's farms, placing horse production today back where it was in 1895, according to motor company dealers. These dealers, who are at Detroit Monday, there are, however, 339,789 more motor trucks on farms than there were in 1920, the figures show.

Last year the farmers of the country raised only 500,000 colts as against 1,500,000 three years ago, the statistics showed, and from an average of \$68 a head in 1918, horses dropped to an average price of \$63 per head in 1925.

"These great decreases," the report says, "are mainly due to the fact that the horse cost more, the less it is employed, while the motor truck costs less, the more it is employed."

The trend of modern farming, according to the statement is distinctly and universally toward a larger number of days work in the year for the truck, and a fewer number of days in the year for the horse.

AMERICA LEADS IN THE NUMBER OF TELEPHONES

Out of a total of 37,763,963 telephones in the United States on January 1, 1926, the United States possessed considerably more than half. There were on that date 19,935,918 telephones in this country, or 61 per cent of the world's total.

The number of telephones in Europe on the same date was 4,770,000, 27 per cent of the world's total, the remaining 13 per cent being scattered over the globe in Asia, Africa, Oceania, South America and countries in North America outside of the United States.

The figures used in the foregoing statement are taken from a recently published compilation of telephone and telegraph statistics of the world. It has taken some time to obtain authoritative data from the more distant countries and so the most recent figures are for January 1, 1926, which available figures are available in January, 1926.

It is interesting to note that out of 19,935,918 telephones operated by private companies throughout the world, 16,935,918 were in the United States, and that the number of telephones per 100 population on this continent was 16.3. In Europe, the country is markedly greater than that in Europe. In the United States there were 14.8 telephones per 100 population, as compared with only 1.5 telephones where over 80 per cent of the telephones are under government ownership and operation. The only country approaching the United States in the matter of telephone development was Canada, which on January 1, 1926 had 12.2 telephones per 100 of its inhabitants. Denmark and New Zealand followed with 9.2 and Sweden with 7.2. Norway with 6.3 and Australia with 6.1. Germany ranks next to the United States in absolute number of telephones, having 2,888,016, but had only 4.1 telephones per 100 inhabitants. In Great Britain and Northern Ireland there were 3.9 telephones per 100 population, while France had only 1.3 telephones for every 100 inhabitants.

In South America, Argentina led in development, having 1.9 telephones per 100 population. The telephone development of South America as a whole was only one-third that of Europe, which in turn was barely more than one-tenth that of the United States. In Asia the majority of telephones were in Japan, which had 1.1 telephones per 100 inhabitants.

A notable feature of American telephone development is the large number of telephones to be found in the smaller towns and rural districts. In communities under 50,000 population in the United States there were 11.7 telephones per 100 inhabitants, while in communities of 50,000 or more, the places in America greater than the total telephone development of any country except Canada. In Europe, rural development is almost negligible.

This is clearly indicated by the statistics for foreign cities. Telephones in the chief European countries are concentrated in the larger cities. London had more than one-third of the total number of telephones in Great Britain. Paris, though it had only 455,561, telephones, also had more than one-third of all the telephones in France. In Germany, though telephones are more widely distributed throughout the country than in either Great Britain or France, they are still largely concentrated in the biggest cities.

Despite the wide diffusion of telephones in the United States, however, American cities are much more highly developed than comparable foreign cities. New York, for example, had in relation to its population nearly four times as many telephones as London, nearly three times as many as Paris and over twice as many as Berlin. Not only this, but New York City had in actual numbers more telephones than the whole of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Chicago had more telephones than the whole of France. San Francisco had more telephones than Italy, while Omaha, with a population of only 223,000 people, had about one-third as many telephones as the whole of Russia with its 140,000,000 inhabitants.

Not only was the United States of the world put together, but American telephones than all of the rest lands use the telephone often than the inhabitants of any other country. There were 196 telephone conversations per capita in this country in 1925, as compared with only 32 conversations per capita in Germany, though that country ranked second to the United States as regards the number of telephones in service. Denmark averaged 155 conversations per capita, followed by Norway with 107 and Sweden with 100 conversations per capita. Japan, with 33 conversations, outranked Great Britain and France with 25 and 20 conversations per capita, respectively. There were in the United States during 1925 twenty-two billion four hundred million completed conversations—equivalent to one every second for over seven hundred years.

NO BANK ROBBERY SINCE VIGILANTE SYSTEM STARTED

There has not been a single bank robbery in Michigan outside of Detroit since the vigilantes were organized some months ago. This fact was brought out in connection with a meeting of the Ottawa county bankers held in the Warm Friend Tavern. Ottawa has joined the vigilante system and the banks of this county will be protected in that way. All the members of the vigilantes have been appointed for Ottawa and bank robbers would get a very warm reception in this county, but it would not be the kind of warmth they would greatly enjoy.

The meeting at the Warm Friend Tavern was the second meeting of the Ottawa county bankers since they were organized some months ago. In September the bankers will hold a joint meeting with the vigilante organization to establish personal contact and with a view of each providing the other with the kind of co-operation that will give results.

E. P. Sherwood of Grand Haven was chairman of the meeting at the new session and the 6:30 dinner Miss Warm Friend Tavern. After the business session, the vigilantes gave the bankers a very warm reception, which was well received. She was escorted several times. Prof. Robert Winter, head of the education department of Hope college, gave an address on "Investments," referring not to stocks and bonds but to human material and values. He pointed out that much depends on the man behind the counter. If he is sure, most of the advertising done by a firm is neutralized. The address was well received and heartily applauded by the assembled bankers.

Twenty-seven members of the Ottawa county banking institutions were present at the meeting, which was a highly pleasant and a highly profitable in the sense that it established a closer bond of union among the bankers. The next meeting will be held on the shore of Lake Michigan near Agnew.

Kenneth Vanden Bosch, of Grand Haven, who has been at Roosevelt Hospital at Battle Creek for a number of months, is to return to his home this week. Mr. Vanden Bosch has entirely recovered his health, which had been affected during the war and his friends there will be glad to welcome him.

Mrs. Ed Heitje left Thursday evening to visit Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heitje at Standford, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heitje at Hartford, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. John Kammerman, at Norwalk, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. John Boeve at Akron, Ohio, and Mr. Eddie Heitje at Flint, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mulfinger of San Antonio, Texas, are visiting in this city.

HUDSONVILLE FARMER HAS RICH WHEAT HARVEST

Demonstrating bumper crops can be raised on the sandy lands north of Hudsonville; Albert T. Hopp raised upward of 34 bushels of wheat to the acre on a 7-acre tract of this land. The threshing machine measure counted exactly with the weight given by S. Van Noord, who purchased the crop.

This seven acres grew alfalfa eight years. It was plowed under last fall and sowed to wheat. The crop was exceptional for such land.

OFFER \$5000 FOR AN ORCHID

Boston, Mass., July 26.—Five thousand dollars for an orchid. And the offer refused! Thousands of orchids, worth much more than their weight in gold, grow in the conservatories of John T. Buterworth, of Framingham, who began cultivating them as a boy in Lancaster, England. For thirty-five years he has been the biggest prize winner at the annual flower shows here and in New York City. Recently he created a sensation for one plant, with seventy-eight blossoms, he refused a Boston offer of \$5,000, the highest price ever recorded.

The exotic growths, some brought at great risk and expense out of the forests of Mexico, Brazil, Colombia, Venezuela, Indian and the Philippines, although more hardy specimens are to be found in Pennsylvania and let the Indiana band dunes, are housed in a building where Mr. Buterworth refuses to let any one handle them. Most delicate care is necessary. Even the temperature must be standard and unfluctuating. Oil heat is used to maintain absolutely even temperature and to safeguard the fragile plants. Damaging fumes and not would be especially costly in the case of the rare collection.

"Don't call me orchid king," said Mr. Buterworth. "I dislike titles. I'm just a plain ordinary florist who has made a specialty of orchids. I am proud of my plants and the good opinion my family, my fellow townsmen and the trade have for me. That's all and glory enough for any man in this world."

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Howser and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Howser, of Oxford, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dryden. Mrs. Karl Howser was formerly Miss Julia Dryden.

Mrs. Ame Venema of Passaic, New Jersey, widow of the late president of Hope college, is the guest of Miss Anna Vlescher at her home, 630 State street.

Joseph T. Wright, manufacturer of loose-leaf factory machinery, of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent a few days at the resorts and called on the local printers. This was Mr. Wright's first visit to Holland and he was surprised at the size of Holland and the extent of its summer resort surroundings.

Russell Mulder was operated on for appendicitis at Holland hospital today.

HAVE A GAS STOVE And a Gas Plant

All in One!

NOW you can have the stove you've so often wished for—a stove that gives you all the conveniences

MAHA HAS GOOD CHANCE FOR NEXT CONVENTION

Although the matter of selecting the 1928 meeting place of the International Baby Chick association that closed a four-day session at the Hotel Hamilton Friday will be left to the executive committee, Omaha was considered to have an excellent opportunity of winning. The Nebraska city had put up a consistent campaign for the convention and was favored by many of the members. The other cities favored are Chicago and Cedar Rapids, O.

President S. A. Norman, of Knoxville, O., and H. H. Knapp of Shelby, Ohio, a past president, were re-elected to fill the two vacancies of director at large. Both are widely recognized as leaders in work to improve the business. Mr. Knapp having secured the admission of baby chicks to the mails in 1918.

All officers were re-elected as follows: President, Mr. Norman; first vice president, L. W. Purnell, O.; second vice president, B. C. Young, Bellingham, Wash.; secretary, C. J. Bashore, Silver Lake, Ind.; managing director, Reese V. Hicks, Kansas City, Mo.

A program calling for quality production instead of quantity production was favored by the organization. It was indicated at the final business meeting. The organization endorsed the movement to produce credited and certified chicks.

The bureau of animal industry, U. S. Department of agriculture, was asked to define the terms used in accrediting flocks with a view of standard usage. The organization went on record as favoring care in advertising statements, condemning exaggeration and misstatements of any kind in publicity matter.

More than 100 members left the Hotel Hamilton at 9 a. m. Friday by automobile enroute to Ottawa, Kan., to attend the World's Poultry Congress. Canadian officials will meet them as soon as they cross the line and conduct the party to the Canadian capital. Several stops will be made enroute in Canada.

The convention just closed was the largest in the history of the organization.

Many Muskegon people are visiting the Getz farm near Holland. Every week-end brings hundreds to the farm from all sections of Michigan. The place has proved a popular one for Muskegon people—Muskegon Chronicle.

J. D. Kanters of Holland and son, Lloyd M. Kanters, of Waukesha, Wis., left Monday by auto for eastern Canada and Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Kanters' printing office will be closed until August 4th.

ENTERTAINS ON HER SEVENTH BIRTHDAY

Miss Ruth Kolesan entertained a number of her little friends at her home at 17 East 18th street, the occasion being her 7th birthday. Those present were: Julia Van Wyk, Sena Schippers, Adelaide Ter Haar, Florence Krasel, Carolyn Ter Haar, Julia Benford, Maxine Michemshuizen, Ruth Hoeksema, Kathryn Hoeksema, Dorothy Brouwer, Harriet Van Weelden, Alice Prince, Grace Prince, Marjorie Kolesan, Ruth Kolesan, Ruth Mae Plogmans. Games were played and refreshments served. All reported a good time.

ONE KILLED IN ALLEGAN COUNTY AUTO WRECK

A 12-year old girl was killed, and four women and two small children were badly injured early Thursday evening near Pearl, on the road between US-31 and M-87, about sixteen miles south of Holland.

Helen Hicks, sister of Avis, escaped uninjured. The accident occurred when the car struck loose gravel and a wheel came off. The machine turned over, plowing the entire party underneath. Mrs. Royan, Miss Burton, and Avis Hicks were rushed to John Robinson hospital at Allegan where Avis died almost immediately. Mrs. Royan went to her home after first aid, and Mrs. Burton will be confined to the hospital for several days.

Mrs. Sincerney, her two children and Mrs. Sheehy were taken to Saugatuck, where they were cared for by Dr. R. J. Walker. Mrs. Sheehy, Mrs. Sincerney and her son were later taken home to Allegan, but Lorraine is in the Saugatuck hospital Dr. Walker is hopeful for her recovery in spite of her serious injuries.

Mr. Hicks and Mr. Royan are partners at Allegan in an automobile accessory shop.

Coroner C. Clay Benton has not yet decided if an inquest will be held. Avis Hicks, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hicks of Allegan was killed.

The injured are: Mrs. Charles Royan, driver of the car, suffered cuts about the face and a broken arm.

Miss Mary Burton of Akron, O., guest of Mrs. Royan, had four ribs broken.

Mrs. C. C. Sincerney of Buffalo, N. Y., and two-year-old boy, were slightly injured.

Lorraine, seven-year-old daughter of Mrs. Sincerney, suffered internal injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Kingsbury Scott left Monday for Milwaukee where they will take a boat for Mackinac Island, to attend the meeting of the Michigan Authors association. They will make a trip down the west coast of Michigan stopping at several points enroute.—Grand Haven Tribune.

OTTAWA COUNTY WOMEN VICTIMS OF EYE DOCTOR

Information given to Prosecutor Fisk Bangs of Eaton county points to the fact that fake doctors have been making a good living off residents of this section. A man calling himself Dr. Anderson of Pierce Institute, Buffalo, called at the home of Charles Reeder, two and a half miles north of Mulliken, near Charlotte, March 9, it is alleged, and removed a cataract from Mrs. Reeder's eyes. Mrs. Reeder paid him \$312.50, going with him to Portland to keep quiet about the operation.

On Tuesday of last week Dr. R. A. Williams called on the Reeders with a companion. He stated that Dr. Anderson had been killed in an automobile accident, and that before he died he told Williams he was afraid that the operation he had performed on Mrs. Reeder had not been successful and he wanted Williams to operate again.

Williams had the same kind of car that Anderson had driven.

Williams examined Mrs. Reeder's eyes and told her she should have the operation again, which she did. He charged her \$1,500, and they went to Portland to get the money, but for some reason were unable to do so.

While in Portland Williams kept in the background. Although he did not receive compensation, he did not again ask for any money or a note. He stated that Anderson and he were directors of the Pierce Institute.

Last March Mrs. James Brandt of Hudsonville became the victim of fake doctors, who got considerable money from her. They used the same proposition that was used on Mrs. Reeder and Joseph A. Ahlen of Mulliken, who was swindled out of \$3,115 by fake eye doctors in the spring.

Prosecutor Bangs is following a clue in Cleveland which may lead to the arrest of the swindlers.

DOUGLAS MAN ADMITS HE FIRED CIDER MILL

John Ensing, 44, of Douglas was arrested Wednesday evening by Deputy State Fire Marshall Mehtens on the charge of arson. Ensing has confessed he set fire to his cider mill at Douglas Sunday evening, July 17. He is in jail there awaiting arraignment.

Mrs. Lette Jackson, aged 72, died Friday at Saugatuck at the home of her niece, Mrs. Mamie Priest Heath, after an illness of 10 months. Mrs. Jackson was the widow of William Jackson and had lived in Saugatuck many years. She is survived by two daughters and three sons. She was a member of the Rebekah lodge. The funeral was held at Saugatuck Sunday.

COMMON COUNCIL

Holland, Mich., July 20, 1927. The Common Council met in regular session and was called to order by the mayor.

Present: Mayor Kammeraad, Alds. Westling, Kleis, Drinkwater, Brive, Laepple, Hyman, Thomson, Van Zanten, Postema, Visser and Vande Water, and the clerk.

Devotions were conducted by Ald. Kleis.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Petitions and Accounts. Holland Gas Co. submitted their operating report for the month of June, 1927.

Filed. Ben L. Vandenbergh of the Wooden Shoe Diner petitioned for permission to attach one end of support for electric sign to city's steel pole.

Denied. Nick Essmabagger petitioned for permission to erect a drive-in oil station at the northwest corner of Fairbanks Ave. and 8th St., the station to be of brick construction.

Granted. Abel Postema petitioned for permission to connect roof drain on building at 51-53 E. 8th St. to the storm sewer on 8th St.

Referred to Sewer Committee with power to act. Clerk presented the following applications and bonds for licenses to engage in the business of selling soft drinks: Ed Zwemer, George Puiflet, Haan Bros. and Klingenberg & Bos.

Bonds approved and licenses granted. Wm. Van Appledorn and others petitioned for permission to construct culvert over creek between 22nd and Cherry Sts.

Referred to Committee on Bridges and Culverts. A. J. Van Dyke and others petitioned for sidewalks on north side of W. 21st street between Van Raalte and Harrison Avenues.

Devey Jaarman and others petitioned to close alley between 21st and 22nd streets from State to College Ave. Referred to State Committee.

Reports of Standing Committees. The Committee on Streets and Crosswalks reported the completion of the State Street Paving job and that they had gone over the street and found it to be satisfactory, and further reported recommending its acceptance.

Adopted. The Committee on Streets and Sidewalks to whom was referred the petition from the Christian School for the closing of 20th street between State St. and Michigan avenue, reported having duly investigated the matter and recommended that the street remain open, and the petition denied.

Adopted. The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the matter of a gasoline curb pump installed by Mr. Arnold reported having stopped him from selling gasoline and recommended that it be referred back to the License Committee with power to act.

Adopted. The Committee on Claims and Accounts reported having examined the following claims and recommended:

Payment thereof: Al P. W. at lamps, light \$ 1029 87 Western Union, rent 1 50 C. W. Malt, Parcel Co., towels 8 33 B. P. W. labor, etc. 230 85 J. Jacobs, sidewalk, repairs 34 60 Fred Zilgerman, driver 5 00 Sam Plagenhoef, do 7 00 R. De Feyter, do and janitor 12 00 Joe Ten Brinke, do 75 50 Mich. Bell Tel. rent, calls 28 05 W. Vandenbergh, haul rubbish 7 50 Holland City News pub. 101 75 Mrs. C. Steketee laundry 12 00 John H. Schouten adv. expenses 7 15 Holland City Pump Shop, labor 3 25 G. Buis supplies, labor 17 95

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the B. P. W. July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the council for payment:

1. R. H. Kersey clean wells 340 00 Mich. Bell Tel. pole contract rent 73 30 City of Holland bonds 2707 34 G. Broukhorst teamwork 72 00 Wm. Bronkhorst gravel 6 00 H. Kraker Co supplies 65 00 B. P. W. water, supplies, comp. 1507 98

Postmaster envelopes 22 88 Mrs. Alice Teerman comp 29 50 Ralph Brower do 38 00 White Bros Elec labor 18 99 Knapp Tire Shop repairs 8 10 Commercial Ptg Pnt 51 25 Mich. Bell rent calls 38 56 T. Van Landegend supplies 42 00 Western Union telegrams 2 36 Corner Hdwe supplies 26 10 Scott-Lugers lbr 31 90 T. Koppels Sons cement 2 30 W. Westbroek supplies 31 10 Kardux Shop repairs 1 15 Kardux Shop supplies 30 73 Licensee Batt water 6 54 Dr. A. Leenhouts services 1 00 I. Vos oil 128 24 De Free Hdwe supplies 10 23 J. H. Bomb Mig brushes 30 73 Gamewell supplies 30 73 W. H. Salisbury & Co supplies 60 37 Dayton Irrigation Co repairs 3 02 Amer Well Works labor 6 75 Crosby Steam Gage Co charts 5 88 Bourbon Cooper Co repairs 29 79 Allis Chalmers Co supplies 30 73 Esterline Angus Co charts 13 30 Amer Eng Co brackets 17 00 Iron City Wiping Mat Co wiping cloths 70 22 J. L. Smelling & Ref Wks lead 670 27 American bolts 17 38 J. B. Clow & Sons stems 17 11 B. Cook & Co Aud books 200 00 Addressograph Co labor, et 11 73 Richards Mig Co do 249 58 K. Anderson Co valves 90 55 K. Money & Co transformers 50 48 General Elec do 110 70 Rice App meters 5 66 Standard Oil oil 3310 01 Traverse City Iron Wks supp 253 41 Hatfield & Dillen coal 71 48 P. H. Relevance by freight 48 68 G. H. Leeman do 25 24 R. B. Champion supp 250 00 A. Nauta ass't 135 42 G. Appledorn clerk 87 50 Clara Voorhorst stenog 62 50 Josie Van Zanten do 50 00 Chas. Vos stockkeeper 80 00 J. Karrenman treas 23 40 H. Karsten draftsman 75 00 J. Schipper cl wk 52 20 Gertrude Stroeve do 22 00 J. F. Jellema chemist 31 00 R. Damstra labor 28 20 Wm. Crabbe do 36 65 Bert Smith eng. 100 00 C. Wood do 75 00 James Annis do 75 00 F. Smith do 75 00 F. Silkkers do 82 31 M. Macnehan do 87 50 F. Van Etta do 87 50 A. Palmer do 87 50 C. J. Rozeboom sta att. 77 88 C. J. Rozeboom line foreman 95 25 F. Wise lineman 81 58 C. Ming do 70 25 F. W. Van der Vliet labor 51 25 I. Bowman do 40 00 L. E. Snyder lineman 73 50 L. Silkkers labor 40 00 Ted Telgenhof, lineman 71 50 R. B. O'Brien do 67 28 R. B. O'Brien do 67 28 N. Houtman, meter tester 78 55 M. Kammeraad, troubleman 101 46 M. Kammeraad meterman 80 60 J. De Boer labor 59 50 J. Den Uyl do 57 00 J. Bakker do 41 40 B. Streur do 42 00 J. A. George do 125 00 Wm. Dekker do 53 25 L. Koppelaar do 42 08 E. Seaver do 60 00 C. Kimball do 40 05 E. Tuttle do 42 00 Wm. Postma do 59 15 J. Postma do 54 25 L. Karel do 46 80 A. E. McClellan do 84 18 D. De Boer do 35 75 T. Tuttle do 59 50 J. Veldheer do 83 10 J. De Witt do 49 50 F. Van Dyk do 57 00 J. Hulst do 54 00 A. Tymes do 54 00 Wm. Streur do 39 60 Wm. Crabbe do 58 88 S. Wierma do 52 88 A. Peltama do 35 78 G. Becker do 36 45 J. Vander Zwaag do 35 78 P. Romeyn do 29 48 C. Ogden do 58 33 F. Teerman do 36 00 C. Haseman do 6 30 E. Vander West do 49 50 J. Wabeke do 5 85 G. Wabeke do 45 68 N. Vanden Bergh do 36 23 Jack Zitek do 47 35 M. Woodwyk do 13 95 W. Prins do 50 40 W. Prins do 47 70 W. Donley do 6 30 G. Nienhuis do 48 38 L. Vander Poel do 36 90 H. Elferdink do 36 28 G. Bodden do 6 30 E. Bitner do 47 25 P. De Nier do 4 02 L. T. Elzinga do 2 93

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. hydrants, light \$1344 77 Western Union, telegrams 4 62 Holland Batt. Sta., repairs 1 75 Associated Truck Lines, freight 60 00 Knapp Tire Shop, repairs 4 20 Graphic Art Sign Co., signs 40 87 B. P. W. labor, lamps 58 02 Cor Steketee patrolman 70 00 P. Bontekoe do 70 00 R. Cramer do 72 55 D. O'Connor do 70 00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. light \$ 11 71 John VanBragt, supt. sexton 125 01 A. Westerhof labor 63 00 Jack Ver Houw do 87 70 H. Van Kampen do 53 24 H. Smith do 40 58 D. Overway do 44 40 G. Vander Maat do 67 24 Henry Bekker do 87 20 D. Boeve do 87 20 James Barne do 15 65 R. Vande Water do 87 95

Accepted and filed. The committee on public Bldgs. and Property reported having received contract from Architect McCarthy for plans and specifications for the erection of a garage on the city hall property.

Mayor and City Clerk authorized to sign contract.

Committee on Sidewalks to whom was referred the petition of H. Van Wieren and others for sidewalks on the north side of E. 22nd St. between Central and College Avenues reported recommending that said petition be granted.

Adopted. Said committee further recommends the reconstruction of sidewalks on the north side of Third street east of River avenue.

Reports of Select Committees. Ald. Laepple reported that the Sewage Disposal commission had reached a settlement with E. W. Krueger whereby the City is to make a final payment of \$4615.11.

Carried. Mayor reported that at a meeting of the hospital commission they recommended that contract for refrigeration at the Holland hospital be awarded to White Bros. Elec. Co. at a total cost of \$2,316.04.

Adopted. Communications from Boards and City Officers.

The following claims approved by the Library Board, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment.

John McKee, book 3 00 Gaylord Bros. supplies 19 41 Corner Hdwe. do 1 50 N. L. Rodenhous, rebinding 103 40 B. P. W. light 4 65 Fris Book St., books 88 00 Row Peters & Co. do 6 33 Jeanette Hoffman, services 65 00 Agnes Tyse do 42 90 Minnie Marillje do 90 00 Dora Schermer, do 150 00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the board of park and cemetery trustees, July 29, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. light \$ 11 71 John VanBragt, supt. sexton 125 01 A. Westerhof labor 63 00 Jack Ver Houw do 87 70 H. Van Kampen do 53 24 H. Smith do 40 58 D. Overway do 44 40 G. Vander Maat do 67 24 Henry Bekker do 87 20 D. Boeve do 87 20 James Barne do 15 65 R. Vande Water do 87 95

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. hydrants, light \$1344 77 Western Union, telegrams 4 62 Holland Batt. Sta., repairs 1 75 Associated Truck Lines, freight 60 00 Knapp Tire Shop, repairs 4 20 Graphic Art Sign Co., signs 40 87 B. P. W. labor, lamps 58 02 Cor Steketee patrolman 70 00 P. Bontekoe do 70 00 R. Cramer do 72 55 D. O'Connor do 70 00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. light \$ 11 71 John VanBragt, supt. sexton 125 01 A. Westerhof labor 63 00 Jack Ver Houw do 87 70 H. Van Kampen do 53 24 H. Smith do 40 58 D. Overway do 44 40 G. Vander Maat do 67 24 Henry Bekker do 87 20 D. Boeve do 87 20 James Barne do 15 65 R. Vande Water do 87 95

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. hydrants, light \$1344 77 Western Union, telegrams 4 62 Holland Batt. Sta., repairs 1 75 Associated Truck Lines, freight 60 00 Knapp Tire Shop, repairs 4 20 Graphic Art Sign Co., signs 40 87 B. P. W. labor, lamps 58 02 Cor Steketee patrolman 70 00 P. Bontekoe do 70 00 R. Cramer do 72 55 D. O'Connor do 70 00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. hydrants, light \$1344 77 Western Union, telegrams 4 62 Holland Batt. Sta., repairs 1 75 Associated Truck Lines, freight 60 00 Knapp Tire Shop, repairs 4 20 Graphic Art Sign Co., signs 40 87 B. P. W. labor, lamps 58 02 Cor Steketee patrolman 70 00 P. Bontekoe do 70 00 R. Cramer do 72 55 D. O'Connor do 70 00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. hydrants, light \$1344 77 Western Union, telegrams 4 62 Holland Batt. Sta., repairs 1 75 Associated Truck Lines, freight 60 00 Knapp Tire Shop, repairs 4 20 Graphic Art Sign Co., signs 40 87 B. P. W. labor, lamps 58 02 Cor Steketee patrolman 70 00 P. Bontekoe do 70 00 R. Cramer do 72 55 D. O'Connor do 70 00

Exp. Oct. 22 MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the moneys secured by mortgage dated the 21st day of February, A. D. 1903, executed by John Van Strate, and Jennie Van Strate, his wife, of the Township of Georgetown, County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, to David McCarty of the City of Holland, Ottawa County, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, on March 3, A. D. 1903, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. in Liber 68 of mortgages on page 489 which said mortgage was duly assigned by said David McCarty to Kommer Schadelee of Holland, Michigan, on April 18, A. D. 1904, and which said assignment was duly recorded in the said Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, on April 20, A. D. 1904, at 8 o'clock A. M. in Liber 72 of mortgages on page 353; and which said mortgage was again duly assigned on September 1, A. D. 1914, by Arend Visser as executor of the estate of Kommer Schadelee, deceased, to the Council of Hope College, a corporation, located at the City of Holland, Ottawa County, Michigan, and which assignment was on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1914, duly recorded in said Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1914, in Liber 98 of mortgages on page 99, and

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the time of this notice is Two Thousand Forty-six and 64/100 Dollars (\$2046.64) principal and interest, and the further sum of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) as an attorney fee provided for in said mortgage and by law and no suit or equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage nor any part thereof whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, such mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at a public auction to the highest bidder at the north front door of the courthouse in the City of Grand Haven, in the County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, on Monday, the 24th day of October, A. D. 1927, at two o'clock P. M. in the afternoon of that day, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

All that certain place or parcel of land situated in the Township of Robinson, in the county of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Twenty-five (25), T. 36 N. R. 15 W. containing Range Fifteen (15) West, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) Acres more or less according to the Government survey.

Dated Holland, Michigan, July 20, A. D. 1927.

THE COUNCIL OF HOPE COLLEGE, Mortgagee.

Dickema, Kollen & Ten Cate, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address: Holland, Michigan.

Exp. Aug. 13-11258

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, on the 22nd day of July, A. D. 1927.

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

In the matter of the Estate of GENIVRA BURDICK, Admin.

William F. Burdick having filed in said court his petition praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 23rd day of August, A. D. 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon, 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 notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JAMES J. DANHOF, Judge of Probate.

A true copy:—Corra Vande Water, Register of Probate.

Exp. Aug. 13 NOTICE

Proposed Changing Name of Street. First Avenue to Washington Blvd.

WHEREAS, First Avenue is the only avenue designated numerically in the city of Holland and the name is misleading, inappropriate and not descriptive as applied to the avenue thus designated, therefore,

RESOLVED, That the Common Council of the City of Holland deems it advisable to discontinue and abolish the use of the name "First Avenue" as applied to the street thus designated in the plats and maps of

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The committee on poor presenting the report of the Director of the Poor for the two weeks ending July 20, 1927, in the sum of \$120.00.

Accepted and filed. The committee on public Bldgs. and Property reported having received contract from Architect McCarthy for plans and specifications for the erection of a garage on the city hall property.

Mayor and City Clerk authorized to sign contract.

Committee on Sidewalks to whom was referred the petition of H. Van Wieren and others for sidewalks on the north side of E. 22nd St. between Central and College Avenues reported recommending that said petition be granted.

Adopted. Said committee further recommends the reconstruction of sidewalks on the north side of Third street east of River avenue.

Reports of Select Committees. Ald. Laepple reported that the Sewage Disposal commission had reached a settlement with E. W. Krueger whereby the City is to make a final payment of \$4615.11.

Carried. Mayor reported that at a meeting of the hospital commission they recommended that contract for refrigeration at the Holland hospital be awarded to White Bros. Elec. Co. at a total cost of \$2,316.04.

Adopted. Communications from Boards and City Officers.

The following claims approved by the Library Board, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment.

John McKee, book 3 00 Gaylord Bros. supplies 19 41 Corner Hdwe. do 1 50 N. L. Rodenhous, rebinding 103 40 B. P. W. light 4 65 Fris Book St., books 88 00 Row Peters & Co. do 6 33 Jeanette Hoffman, services 65 00 Agnes Tyse do 42 90 Minnie Marillje do 90 00 Dora Schermer, do 150 00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the board of park and cemetery trustees, July 29, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. light \$ 11 71 John VanBragt, supt. sexton 125 01 A. Westerhof labor 63 00 Jack Ver Houw do 87 70 H. Van Kampen do 53 24 H. Smith do 40 58 D. Overway do 44 40 G. Vander Maat do 67 24 Henry Bekker do 87 20 D. Boeve do 87 20 James Barne do 15 65 R. Vande Water do 87 95

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. hydrants, light \$1344 77 Western Union, telegrams 4 62 Holland Batt. Sta., repairs 1 75 Associated Truck Lines, freight 60 00 Knapp Tire Shop, repairs 4 20 Graphic Art Sign Co., signs 40 87 B. P. W. labor, lamps 58 02 Cor Steketee patrolman 70 00 P. Bontekoe do 70 00 R. Cramer do 72 55 D. O'Connor do 70 00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, July 18, 1927, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

B. P. W. hydrants, light \$1344 77 Western Union, telegrams 4 62 Holland Batt. Sta., repairs 1 75 Associated Truck Lines, freight 60 00 Knapp Tire Shop, repairs 4 20 Graphic Art Sign Co., signs 40 87 B. P. W. labor, lamps 58 02 Cor Steketee patrolman 70 00 P. Bontekoe do 70 00 R. Cramer do 72 55 D. O'Connor do 70 00

NEW CLUB HOUSE IS DEDICATED AT VIRGINIA PARK

Virginia Park residents were out in force Friday and real community spirit was shown. The Virginia Park Boosters club, and that includes practically every resident, dedicated their new club house Friday.

Some time ago Hub Harrington and John Miller, moving south at Virginia Park, donated a large lot with the understanding that a club house be built. This place of meeting, which is 32x40 feet, is practically completed and was dedicated to the public Friday.

With the opening of the new hall it was only fitting that a suitable program be arranged for and as picnic sports were reasonable a baseball game was also staged between East Saugatuck and Virginia Park teams. It was a battle for blood, running ten innings with a tie score of 3-2. The game was stopped, it is said, because of exhaustion.

A program of music and readings was especially well received. "Dugan" Van Vyven never fails to please with his monologues and musical turns. Miss Harriet Heneveld, who has gained fame at Hope college in oratorio, contents and who has just won the state V. C. T. U. essay contest, pleased her audience greatly with some fine readings. George Ryder came as a neighbor from Macatawa adding to the program with humorous monologues. Ryder had many take-offs up his sleeve on present-day affairs and his puns were received with much laughter. Al Berkompa and John Post of Holland also contributed materially to the program and their efforts were well received. The orchestra furnished the musical program.

The refreshment committee saw to it that there was a liberal supply on hand. Hub Harrington told the committee that "the road to a man's heart is thru his stomach" and that reason tables were loaded down with ice cream, cake and sandwiches and the loudly hissing urns poured forth a liberal supply of "coffee."

It was understood that one of the boosters present was to receive one of the line lots in the Harrington-Miller sub-division, donated by this firm. Frank Bolhuis of the Bolhuis Lumber & Mfg. Co. was the recipient, but as soon as his name was called he announced that he donated the lot to the Virginia Park Boosters club who could dispose of it as they saw fit, using the proceeds towards the development of Virginia Park.

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

It was also announced that the boosters were planning to have a picnic at the new building, which will be of wide interest. The funds go to the new building project. F. C. Ehrmann, H. Begin, E. E. Draz, G. L. Olson, C. F. Vanderweide, and Secretary William Wilcox are the committee.

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

The boosters in closing this social meet announced to those present that the latch string at Virginia Park would always be hanging out to all friends and neighbors and incidentally they borrowed one of Holland's slogans, namely that "Virginia Park was the place where folks really lived."

ADVISES GIRLS TO APE MONKEY AS BEAUTY AID

Chicago—Act like a monkey, girls, if you want to retain your girlish figure.

Cutting monkeylike on the bed-room chandelier each morning will give even the tall-est members of the human race that stretch of vertebrae which is the secret of Old Man Monk's perfect thirty-six.

"How do monkeys retain their suppleness?" demanded Miss Ruth Miller, health adviser, in discussing the relation of exercise and excessive perspiration to scientific astringents. "Did you ever watch them play? They swing by their arms and tails upside in all directions."

"In the absence of caudal appendages, human beings may get the same movements and stretch of vertebrae by going to massuers, working on stretching machines, or hanging by their necks. Daily monkey swings on some simple homemade apparatus like the swinging rings or the pulleys you screw onto the door frame and fit with a rope are the most satisfactory. Swinging by one or both hands on the rings morning and evening will reduce the vertebrae four to five inches, holding the pulley one's self of the floor by adjusting the noose of the pulley loosely about the neck will limber up the human back bone as much as swinging by the tail stretches a monkey's vertebrae."

"A program of music and readings was especially well received. "Dugan" Van Vyven never fails to please with his monologues and musical turns. Miss Harriet Heneveld, who has gained fame at Hope college in oratorio, contents and who has just won the state V. C. T. U. essay contest, pleased her audience greatly with some fine readings. George Ryder came as a neighbor from Macatawa adding to the program with humorous monologues. Ryder had many take-offs up his sleeve on present-day affairs and his puns were received with much laughter. Al Berkompa and John Post of Holland also contributed materially to the program and their efforts were well received. The orchestra furnished the musical program."

SOLDIERS OF THREE WARS IN 1 FAMILY

A Civil war veteran, a Spanish-American war veteran and a World War veteran, all in the same family, were in the Soldiers and Sailors' reunion at Allegan in Courthouse square Friday. They were Luzern Durand, his son Edward Durand, and his grandson, Miles Lemoine.

Luzern Durand is the oldest member of the family. He was born in the county. His father, Henry, served three years in the army during the Civil war and Luzern enlisted as a mere lad in Company B, 13th Michigan infantry during the duration of the war.

His son Edward saw service with Company C of the 32nd Michigan, in the Spanish-American war, and his grandson, Miles Lemoine, was a member of America's overseas forces during the World war.

Luzern participated in the memorial service at Allegan this year. May is commander of the Allegan C. J. Bassett G. A. R. post, and commander of the 13th Michigan, of which only a scant dozen surviving members live in this section of the state.

He was born in Allegan county in Cheshire township and is 81 years old. The three men, representing three generations of soldiers, attended the G. A. R. state convention in Benton Harbor in June.

A fair sized crowd attended the forty-fourth annual meeting of the court-house square Friday.

Rev. Cornelius Stuart of Grand Haven department, chaplain of the United States Veterans, and Mrs. Stella Palmer of Lansing, district president of the Sons of Veterans, were the principal speakers.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

The Allegan association voted to unite with the Western Allegan-Van Buren county association and next year's reunion will be held at Scott Lake early in June. Henry Dow of Casson, permanent colonel of the Western Allegan-Van Buren association, was retained to head the united organization.

FARM WOMEN END FOUR DAY CAMP AT SPRING LAKE

Following four days of relaxation, social pleasure and profitable lectures, the second annual Ottawa county women's camp closed Friday with the firm determination to return next year by all fortunate enough to attend.

"Peaceful Retreat" has been all the name implies for the group of 30 women from rural homes, some enjoying the first real vacation of their lives and others joining it as their first house party.

The feature talk on Thursday's program was given by Miss Sutter, editor of the poultry department of the "Farmer's Wife."

It was a practical demonstration on caponizing, killing and dressing chickens for market and home use and was heard with much interest.

Miss Sutter killed a chicken by quickly opening the mouth and cutting a deep vein and then in a twinkling plucking the feathers to reach the brain and nerve centers which control the muscles, holding the feathers of the chicken tightly in place. If this is done properly it permits dry picking the feathers easily.

This method proved far ahead of the old way of the axe or wringing the chicken's neck and was done so quickly as to hardly cause a motion from the lesson hen.

The lecturer demonstrated caponizing chickens. This process she said adds tenderness, adds greater weight with less feeding, brings higher prices. It is only in the larger breeds. Her suggestions for tattooing the hen on the wing to identify in case of theft was interesting. It is done in the web of the wing, without pain to the hen, with a punch and indelible ink.

C. P. Milham, county agriculturalist, created interest in farm life, stressing the point that children could be made to love and see the advantages of farm life. If properly presented where the home is made attractive.

Martha Mae Hunter, nutrition specialist, filled her talk with interesting facts on the value of foods and nutrition. One's features and expression are largely a matter of proper feeding from birth and in the prenatal stage, she said. Growing old prematurely or delaying the painful stage was also one that could be avoided somewhat.

Her talk was illustrated by a mass of photographs which indelibly fixed the assertions. Seated under the trees in the midst of beautiful surroundings, preservation of the body of children and adults was made doubly impressive and important.

A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

The ladies themselves concluded the delightful program. A trip to the Hopkins gardens and a launch ride up and down the lake with an evening of fun provided by the ladies themselves concluded the delightful program.

FARMER GOT BACK AT BLIND TIE MAN

A Kingman county farmer got three knits sent out by the "blind tie man." He took them out, put in three old ties and remailed the package, remarking, "The blind ones won't know any difference."

Lyons (Kan.) News. Which reminds me of the yarn Helie Mitchell of the Bemidji (Minn.) Pioneer told me about the way he and some of the Minnesota publishers handled one of these "blind salesmen."

They put his name on their subscription lists and began sending him their papers, accompanied by a subscription statement. When the "blind salesman" protested, they informed him that while it was true he had not subscribed to their papers they had not ordered his ties, either.—Publishers' Auxiliary.

A SNEENGE GETS SEMINARY CONTRACT

The contract for the annex to the dormitory at Western Theological seminary has been awarded to Abel Sneege of Grand Rapids at an approximate cost of \$27,400, exclusive of heating and plumbing.

The structure will be started at once and is expected to be completed with the opening of the institution in September.

The annex will be built of brick and tile, three stories, 78x37 feet. The interior will be finished in oak, hardwood floors and the windows will be built in steel. The number of student rooms will be increased by 36.

The annex will be connected with the main building by a passage way and the full equipment will consist of 56 rooms, four of which are arranged in suite for joint occupancy of 2 students.

ORCHESTRA GIVES FEATURE DANCES

The Macatawa Dance band at the Macatawa Hotel gave a feature dance Friday night which was attended by a large number. It was one of the most successful feature dances ever given at the hotel.

By request of many, the management of the band has decided to give one special dance each Wednesday night when a candy dance will be staged, with confetti and serpentine accompaniments, as at the ballroom Friday night. Wednesday night the orchestra will also have two new dance pieces. "Don't Like It, Not Much," and "Havanah."

A log cabin filling station has been completed by George Mollerhauser, Jr., on US-31, one half mile north of Agnew. He has also made a fine picnic and camping grounds in connection for clubs and parties wishing to spend the day or night there.

The attractive home recently built just north of Saugatuck at a cost of \$30,000, was offered by the late Mrs. Minnie Unger Flint, to President Coolidge as a summer home. It has been sold to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown of Chicago who expect to make this their summer home, spending their winter elsewhere. Next spring some additional improvements are to be made on the grounds surrounding the home.

The Fruit Growers State bank at Saugatuck has an enviable record and reputation. Its deposits now show \$970,000 and its last statement showed no overdraft, no bills payable and no redemptions. Its capital stock is \$100,000 and surplus \$50,000, with undivided profits of \$5,000.92.

The children will enjoy one thing at the community fair this year. Ver Plank, very popular with the youngsters, will return with a drove of Shetlands.

A number of the children who were eligible to take part in the annual picnic of the Holland city mission could not go because they were without shoes and stockings. These were loaned them by the mission. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

So she got busy and rounded up enough pairs of shoes and stockings to supply all those who were without them. The children properly clad joined the happy company at the city mission and all enjoyed the picnic. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

Did the 400 picnickers eat during the day? Ask the members of the Exchange club committee, which club provided the picnic. There was hardly a crumb left of the 1,300 bunns that were ordered and served. The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed. The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed. The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed. The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed. The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed. The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed. The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed. The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed. The picnic was a success. The children themselves would feel out of it unless properly dressed.

HOLLAND LANDS STATE EXHIBIT FOR FAIR HERE

Secretary Arendshorst has been busy for many years to get the state of Michigan to make their agricultural exhibit at the Holland Community fair. Before this there never was enough room but at a recent directors' meeting it was decided to turn the large dining hall under the grandstand into an exhibition hall, and the entire place will be turned over to the agricultural department of the state of Michigan, which will send men here to put the exhibit in shape.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

This long dining hall of over 100 feet is well adapted for an exhibition of this kind since long tables are necessary and a great deal of wall space must be available. Naturally the secretary of the fair is charged with the duty of securing and placing the exhibit.

HOLLAND MAN ARRESTED AS A DRUNKEN DRIVER

John Wiele, 41, restaurant proprietor of Holland, was arrested on Sunday afternoon on M-51 near Grandville by Deputy Sheriff Bouwman, who answered a call informing him that Wiele was driving from one side of the road to the other. A charge of drunken driving was placed against him at the Kent county jail where he was taken.—G. R. Herald.

MUSKEGON WOMAN, 70, DIES IN AUTOMOBILE

Mrs. Henry Solomon, 70, 1112 Ambrosia-st., died suddenly Sunday afternoon in her husband's car while it was crossing the north Muskegon bridge after an afternoon of berry picking near Hart. She was born in the Netherlands and had lived in this country 46 years, all of which were spent in Muskegon. She was a member of the Fifth Reformed church. The husband, four sons and three daughters survive. Funeral services were held Tuesday.

ALL HOLD PICNIC AT THE SAME TIME

Zeeland struck a bright idea to get picnics out of their system all at the same time. Through concerted effort all church picnics were held on the same day and that on the day when the merchants have their half holiday. The idea worked out very satisfactorily, for nearly every citizen went to the picnic. This meant no shopping and the merchants aided in making the outings of their respective churches a success, closing their places of business for the day.

CANADIANS ARE BECOMING GREAT EATERS OF EGGS

Quehup, Ontario—Canada's federal government is empowered to undertake the grading of all agricultural products in the nine provinces as a result of enabling legislation recently passed in Ontario, Quebec and Prince Edward Island.

Benefit of this long-sought legislation will spur consumption of agricultural products tremendously in the Dominion, according to W. R. Motherwell, minister of agriculture, in an address here before a gathering of 500 producers.

"The Dominion's per capita consumption of eggs has grown from 16 dozen to 26 dozens annually since grading of eggs has been undertaken," said Mr. Motherwell. Canadians are now the greatest individual consumers of eggs of any country in the world.

"Increased consumption as a result of the law applies, as well, in almost every other agricultural product, notably in butter and cheese. It is due principally to grading that Canadian cheese now occupies the commanding position it does on the British market."

ARE PLEASED WITH WELCOME GIVEN HERE

"Everybody connected with the chick convention was highly pleased with the hospitality of Holland and Zeeland Wednesday," said J. P. Garlock, chairman of the entertainment committee. "We all think it was a wonderful display of friendliness and it was a high spot in the whole convention. The trip to Lake Michigan was highly worth while. Everybody who wished to go had an opportunity. Transportation was provided for all and we had them safely back in Grand Rapids by 10:30 Wednesday night, without a mishap of any kind and even without the slightest traffic snarl. And all of them speak well of the way they were treated in Holland and Zeeland."

"I wish especially to express the appreciation of the convention for the services of the state troopers and the county sheriff's office. The party was accompanied all the way by Sergeant Earl Troop, Peck and Deputy Birdie of the sheriff's force. They did all they could to make the trip pleasant for the visitors and saw to it that all kinks were ironed out as soon as they formed."

"I wish especially to express the appreciation of the convention for the services of the state troopers and the county sheriff's office. The party was accompanied all the way by Sergeant Earl Troop, Peck and Deputy Birdie of the sheriff's force. They did all they could to make the trip pleasant for the visitors and saw to it that all kinks were ironed out as soon as they formed."

"I wish especially to express the appreciation of the convention for the services of the state troopers and the county sheriff's office. The party was accompanied all the way by Sergeant Earl Troop, Peck and Deputy Birdie of the sheriff's force. They did all they could to make the trip pleasant for the visitors and saw to it that all kinks were ironed out as soon as they formed."

RADIO RETURNS BRING DOWN TOWN CROWD

Holland Thursday night had the appearance of Saturday night. Radios at Van Tongeren, Ollie's and the Superior sport shops were going full tilt, reporting the Sharkey-Dempsey mill, round the house and these places of business were crowded.

At the Vandenberg, Ter Beek Bros. furniture store a large locally manufactured radio gave the fight to a crowd of fully a thousand. The loud speaker had been arranged over the entryway

Special - For the Closing Days of July

All Summer Furniture 25% Off!

Hesitate No Longer! Now is the Time to Save!

All Refrigerators,
Porch and Sunroom
Furniture
INCLUDED!

Van Den Berg Bros. & Ter Beek Bros.

Why Wait 'til
Next Season
and Pay
MORE?

23-25 West Eighth Street

SAMPLE FURNITURE

HOLLAND, MICH.

HOLLAND CITY NEWS

32 WEST EIGHTH STREET
(Second Floor)
Holland, Michigan

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY

Entered as Second-Class Matter at
the Postoffice at Holland, Mich., un-
der the act of Congress, March, 1879.

Terms \$1.50 per year with a discount
of 50c to those paying in advance.
Rates of Advertising made known
upon application.

Locals

Carl W. Trautman of Grand
Haven has purchased a new Hacker
Craft with a 225 H. P. engine. The
boat is expected to make some records
in the next race on Spring Lake.
Ted Clark is another speed fan who
has a new Krie Kraft cadet. This is a
smaller edition of the Krie Kraft, a
little smaller but speedy.

John Easing, whose mother lives in
Holland and who was arrested, charged
with setting fire to his elder mill in
Douglas, was bailed out by a
brother, Gerald Easing of Grand
Rapids. The Easings are well known in
Holland, all having lived here at some
time. Gerald Easing is totally blind
and is an expert in teaching other
blind how to work at different trades.

The tentative program for the formal
dedication of the Pere Marquette
Ork, at Muskegon, as outlined at a
meeting of the committee in
charge there Friday night, now con-
templates the substitution of sea-
planes from the Great Lakes Naval
Training station for the planes from
Beafridge flying field, which will not
be available on August 3.

Three cars left here Saturday noon
containing Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Dieke-
ma, Mr. and Mrs. Con De Free, Mr. and

Mrs. John Bosman, Mr. and Mrs. A. H.
Landwehr and Mr. and Mrs. Charles
McBride. The motoring party are on
their way to Mackinac Island to at-
tend the governors' conference where
Mr. Diekema will act as toastmaster
at the banquet.

William Huyser of Ada attended the
Huyser family reunion at Beaver-
dam Wednesday for the fourth
time. Huyser missed 11 former re-
unions because he was unaware of the
fact, his relatives living in Ottawa
county until four years ago, when he
read in The Grand Rapids Press an
item about the proposed reunion. At
that time he became acquainted with
kin he never had known.—Grand
Rapids Press.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Spyker, Jr., and
family and Mr. and Mrs. J. Spyker,
Sr., have left on a week's motoring and
camping trip in northern Michigan.

Mrs. Martin Van Alsburg motored
from Decatur, Ind., to visit her moth-
er, Mrs. Mary De Graaf, West 15th
street.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Hoag of Saugat-
uck are motoring to Mackinac Is-
land as guests of Gov. Fred W. Green
during the governors' conference
there this week.

Miss Dorothy Van Tak, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Tak, east 9th
street, and Mr. Morris Yelton, son of
Mr. and Mrs. William Welton, Lincoln
Ave., were married at South Bend,
Ind., Saturday.

Among the prominent Grand Ha-
ven people who will attend the gov-
ernors' meeting at Mackinac Island
this week are Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel
Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. William Hatton,
Mr. and Mrs. William H. Loutit, Guy S.
Warren and M. P. Church.

John Willeis, 41, a baker, of Hol-
land, was fined \$100 and costs in Jus-
tice Harry L. Crowell's court in Grand
Rapids Monday when he pleaded guilty
to a charge of driving an automob-
ile while under the influence of li-
quor.

Louis P. McKay, formerly of this
city, is visiting his sister, Miss Lalla
P. McKay, West 9th street. Mr. Mc-
Kay is professor of public school music
at Indiana university, Bloom-
ington, Indiana, and also supervisor of
music of the Bloomington city schools
and organist and choir master of the
First Presbyterian church.

TAXPAYERS ARE VERY SLOW THIS YEAR IN SETTLING

What's the matter with the tax
payers of Holland? That is
question that is beginning to be asked
in the city hall in view of the fact
that taxes are not coming in the way
the city officials had reason to expect
they would. When the figures are
compared with last year, it also ap-
pears that the Holland tax payers,
whatever the reason, are backward in
paying their money to pay their
bill with the city. The total collected
up to the present time is considera-
bly below the total of a year ago this
time.

Although only about two weeks
and a half are left for paying taxes,
the total collected up to date is only
about one-eighth of the amount that
must pass over the counter of City
Treasurer Karremann before the mid-
dle of August. To be exact, the total
amount to be collected in summer
taxes this year is \$449,065.73. The
total that had been collected Monday
night was only \$54,874.86. That
means that the city treasurer still has
a very long way to go before he can
balance his books for the summer
tax campaign and begin work on the
December tax rolls. With nearly four
hundred thousand dollars to collect,
the city treasurer's office will be up
against a very busy time during the
next three weeks.

While it is true that the lion's share
of the tax total is always collected
during the closing week of the cam-
paign and sometimes during the closing
day or two, the city hall records
seem to indicate that the small tax
payer is not coming in as early this
summer as usual. Many small tax
payers have settled with the city but
many others, a rather large number
of them in fact, are delaying and are
not settling up as early as other
years. The large tax payers always
wait until almost the last day, but
the fact that the small ones are show-
ing signs of doing the same thing this
year seems to indicate that the closing
week of the tax campaign will be
unusually crowded this year.

Grand Haven firemen are most for-
tunate. Fourteen of them received
handsome purses from residents of
Highland park. The money was turned
over to the fireboys at the city hall
by prominent men living at the
Grand Haven resort. J. K. Goodrich
stated that the tokens were for sub-
stantial services rendered when three
cottages were burned a week ago.

Miss Gertrude Moeke, of Zeeland,
whose condition was for a time quite
critical after an operation for appen-
dicitis in Holland hospital, is much
improved. There are now hopes of
her early recovery.

Several Holland people attended the
services at Paul Rader's summer
conference grounds at Lake Harbor
Sunday. They report a large attend-
ance there. The meetings are held in
the large open air auditorium which
is built in the hills. Several Holland
boys are also there, attending the
younger Radio Rangers camp.

One year ago Sunday the attend-
ance at the Sunday school of the
Sixth Reformed church was 192 and
the collection was \$9.20. Yesterday
both the attendance and the collection
were identically the same. Those in
charge of the records at that Sun-
day school were amazed at the coin-
cidence.

Funeral services for Avis Hicks, 6,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry G.
Hicks, who met death in the Royan
automobile accident on M-36 in Gan-
ges township, Thursday evening, were
held at the Episcopal church at Allen-
dan at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.
The services were conducted by Rev.
Edwin W. Hughes, rector of the church.

Grand Haven firemen are most for-
tunate. Fourteen of them received
handsome purses from residents of
Highland park. The money was turned
over to the fireboys at the city hall
by prominent men living at the
Grand Haven resort. J. K. Goodrich
stated that the tokens were for sub-
stantial services rendered when three
cottages were burned a week ago.

Miss Gertrude Moeke, of Zeeland,
whose condition was for a time quite
critical after an operation for appen-
dicitis in Holland hospital, is much
improved. There are now hopes of
her early recovery.

TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS

Week Ending July 23-27

Conrad J. Slagh, Holland, no parking light, \$3.00.	Dewey Geldersma, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$5.00.	Ester Ming, Holland, no parking light, \$3.00.	Dick Olsen, Zeeland, no parking light, \$3.00.	James Rooks, Holland, disregarding traffic lights, \$3.00.	Lawrence Nyland, disregarding traffic lights, \$3.00.	W. G. Vanden Berg, no parking light, \$3.00.	Paul Jordan, Hamilton, speeding, \$10.00.	Jay Prins, Holland, speeding, \$10.00.	John Bosch, Holland, passenger, running board, \$5.00.	Roy Crouch, Holland, no parking light, \$3.00.	Chas. Rosema, Holland, disregarding traffic lights, \$3.00.	Joe Havenga, disregarding traffic light, \$3.00.	Viola Neff, Holland, not stopping at stop street, \$3.70.	Francis Wadell, Castle Park, speeding, \$5.00.	Wm. Vander Veer, Jr., Holland, speeding, \$10.00.	Isaac Haak, Zeeland, not stopping at stop street, \$3.00.	J. L. Edelbroek, Chicago, speeding, \$5.00.	Ralph Newland, St. Joe, speeding, \$5.00.	Jay Birmingham, Chicago, speeding, \$5.00.
---	--	--	--	--	---	--	---	--	--	--	---	--	---	--	---	---	---	---	--

ALLEGAN FARMER IS HURT IN A MOWING MACHINE

The ligaments of one leg of Robert Blaha, 40, were severed Saturday while he was operating a mowing machine on the farm of Ludwig Gundersen, west of that city. Blaha stopped the machine to make necessary adjustments when the horses started and before he could get out of the way the machine hit him just above the ankle and severed the tendons. Blaha has a wife and several children.

INJURED IN AUTO CRASH

Two automobiles were wrecked in a head-on collision on the Alpena Rd. Sunday. The occupants narrowly escaped serious injury.

One machine was driven by a woman from Chicago and in trying to pass a truck on the road she failed to see the car, occupied by two Muskegon men. The impact threw the Muskegon car into the ditch. One of the men suffered cuts and bruises about his face and body, while the other was pinned under the machine and suffered burns on his face and hands from the acid. The woman driver also sustained cuts and bruises. The names of the parties were not learned.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McDermann of Zeeland are attending the National Photographers' convention in New York city this week.

ANOTHER HEN CLINIC TO BE PUT ON HERE

Under the auspices of the Holland Poultry association, there will be another poultry clinic held in the city hall on Wednesday, August 3, in the court room. Dr. Graham of Illinois, an expert in poultry diseases, will be present and all poultrymen having diseased or ailing birds of some kind are requested to bring them to the city hall at this time.

The doctor will hold a clinic on these birds and will point out step by step what all them and point out what is best to be done to eradicate the ailment. Holland has had two such clinics before and they proved very popular and instructive.

The meeting next week Wednesday has been called for 8:30, fast time, allowing poultrymen from the rural districts to attend. Ladies are also invited.

A regular meeting of the poultry association will also be held at the same time in order to form plans for a large exhibit at the Holland fair the later part of August. The fair association recently gave poultrymen a new poultry building and chicken fanciers intend to fill up this hall to capacity this year.

Mrs. Annie Alfet, 67, a lifelong resident of Allegan and vicinity, died on Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Claude Allen, after an illness of three years. Surviving are three daughters and three sons. The funeral was held Tuesday morning.

HOPE FOR RECOVERY OF INJURED BOY

Thomas Mitchell, the 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mitchell, who was seriously injured on Friday night, near Cooperville, is still holding his own at Hattson hospital, Grand Haven and hopes for his recovery are held out. Dr. John A. Graham, well known Chicago surgeon and a friend of the family, is with the boy constantly.

The boy rallied once enough to throw his arms about his mother's neck and ask for a glass of water. The other injured are recovering in their homes.

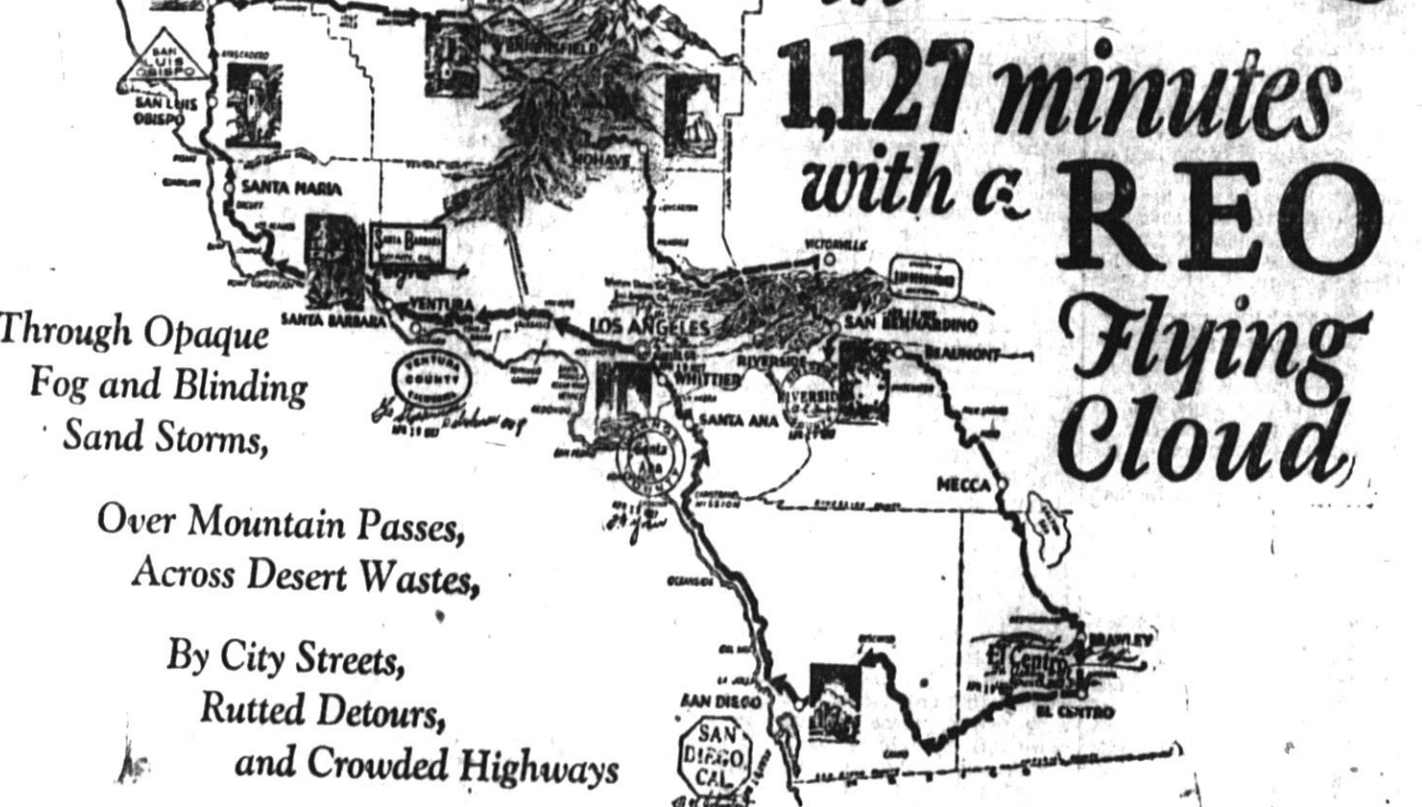
FINE ALLEGAN TRIO FOR REFUSING USE OF ROAD

Fines of \$10 each and costs totaling \$57 were assessed against Lena and John Millies and Thomas Leach of Allegan by Judge Cross Monday for violation of terms of a supreme court order.

The Millies and Leach were brought into court on complaint of George Schutmaat, Heath township supervisor, who claimed they prohibited his using a road through their property to his land as provided in a supreme court ruling in the matter.

Homer J. Beuschel of Sparta escaped unhurt when his machine collided with another machine near Holland Monday on the Alpena Beach road. Mrs. L. C. Kelley and Mrs. Beuschel, occupants of the car, suffered serious cuts and bruises and left by bus for Sparta after their wounds were dressed. The occupants of the other machine escaped with minor bruises.

959.5 Miles of ROAD in 1,127 minutes with a REO Flying Cloud



Through Opaque Fog and Blinding Sand Storms, Over Mountain Passes, Across Desert Wastes, By City Streets, Rugged Detours, and Crowded Highways

SPEEDWAYS have been the experimental playgrounds of the automobile industry. On their banked curves and smooth straightaways, the manufacturer could find out what his car would do under ideal conditions.

On highways the motorist finds out what his car will do for him under the conditions he will meet day by day.

A Day's Sail in a Flying Cloud

Ten counties of Southern California were recently traversed in less than a day in a Flying Cloud. Leaving the Western Union office at Sixth and Spring Sts., Los Angeles, at 2 a. m., the stock Flying Cloud brougham, driven by two amateur drivers, raced around Southern California and checked in again at the same Western Union office at 10:58 p. m. the same day.

959.5 miles in 20 hours and 58 minutes elapsed time. Deducting the hour and 34 minutes for stops for gasoline, oil and checking in and out of the various counties plus 37 minutes lost behind a stalled truck on a detour, and the ACTUAL RUNNING TIME OF THE FLYING CLOUD FOR 959.5 miles of road was 18 hours 47 minutes.

An average of 51.09 miles per hour while traveling. An average of 45.7 miles per hour including all stops.

Peoples Auto Sales Co. 209 Central Ave. Phone 5551

NO OTHER AMERICAN CAR LASTS AS LONG AS REO—NOT ONE

J.C. PENNEY Co. "where savings are greatest"

60-64 E. 8th St., Holland, Mich.

Worthy Savings In Our Mid-Summer Notion Week

25th Anniversary
Pearl Buttons
Of Many Kinds

All sizes—for every sewing need.

8c

25th Anniversary
"Jim's Special"
Suspenders

The kind of comfortable, neat-fitting suspenders that men all like.

49c

25th Anniversary
Vacuum Lunch Kit

Our Great Value This pint size vacuum bottle. The lunch kit into which the vacuum fits.

79c
49c

25th Anniversary
Our Own Brand
Sanitary Needs

8c

25th Anniversary
Trimnings and Binding

Our own Penimaid—bindings, tape and edgings—in assorted colors.

8c

25th Anniversary
Notions, 4c

Needles
Linen Tape
Key Rings
Stocking
Darners
Elastic
Shoe Laces

25th Anniversary
Buy Now!
During Notion Week

Penguard Safety Pins
Tape Measure
Thimbles
Shoe Laces
Buttons

4c

25th Anniversary
Buy Now!
During Notion Week

Penguard Safety Pins
Tape Measure
Thimbles
Shoe Laces
Buttons

4c

25th Anniversary
Buy Now!
During Notion Week

Penguard Safety Pins
Tape Measure
Thimbles
Shoe Laces
Buttons

4c

HERE IS DAILY RADIO SCHEDULE

The broadcasting schedule for station WHEM, located in Holland, Mich., studio in Warner Friend Tavern, 1470 Kiloicycle, 204 meters. 12-1 general program; 5:30-sport club, sporting department of Sentinel; 7:45-orchestra; 6:00-6:30-Children's hour with Aunt Marie; 8:10-Popular program.

KENT COUNTY TREASURER SERIOUSLY ILL

John W. Clark, 59, county treasurer of Kent, and veteran of the Spanish-American and World wars, is seriously ill of tubercular peritonitis at his home in Plainfield township. His illness, aggravated by an operation performed three weeks ago, dates back to October, 1918, when he was gassed while serving with headquarters company, 126th infantry, overseas.

THE OTTAWA GUARD WILL TAKE BUSES TO GRAYLING

For the first time in the history of the National guard of Michigan the men will be transported to Grayling for the summer camp, Aug. 2 to 20, by bus. The baggage will be transported by truck. The men will be transported by bus to Grayling for the summer camp, Aug. 2 to 20, by bus. The baggage will be transported by truck. The men will be transported by bus to Grayling for the summer camp, Aug. 2 to 20, by bus. The baggage will be transported by truck.

The Holland Lion's club were again on the move with an unusual program Wednesday night from 7:30 to 10 o'clock.

The program was a varied affair, with each Lion giving his best to make the evening's entertainment from the studio in the Tavern one of the best ever presented over the air from here.

The entire program is put on for the benefit of the children of Holland. Funds are to be solicited by the Lion's club for the children's playground to be erected at Kollen Park. If every radio listener would call 2818 during the program and subscribe a dollar or more, the playground would become a reality this summer.

The playground is to be absolutely free to anyone who desires to use it. The plan of the Lion's club is to make the playground a safe place for children to play on and have a good time. They will receive proper supervision and the money which is donated will be used to buy or build the best equipment possible.

One of the big features of this program was a Lion's park which some people have never heard. The Lions will let out their roar of happiness for the money that comes in.

The program was of the request type. "Kasten's Melody Men" were with the Lions. They have a fine dance orchestra. Your request will be filled by one of western Michigan's best orchestras if you only put them in. Other vocal numbers and selections were given by the various members of the Lion club.