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**Missing Bronze
Plate On Marker
Has Been Found****BECAME LOOSE FROM
STONE WHICH MARKED AN
EPOCH IN ZEELAND-HOL-
LAND HISTORY**

Officers of Ottawa and Allegan County were advised to look for the bronze plate which had disappeared from the large stone marker, which stands half-way between Holland and Zeeland in the bend, bordering the east side of the Holland Country Club. The marker has been in place for several years, designating the spot where the early Zeeland and Holland emigrants congregated and were sent in different directions, either on farms or to Zeeland or Holland colonies during 1847 and years following.

It was noticed that the marker was gone a few days ago and officers were notified, since it might have been stolen; and if not, might have worked loose from its fastenings, dropped to the ground, and someone might have picked it up. The latter is just what happened. Officer Dave O'Connor at Police



Bronze plate on stone marker lost and found.

headquarters received a telephone call during the night telling of the whereabouts of the bronze plate. Janssen, living at rural route No. 3, Holland, not far from where the stone marker is located, observed that the bronze plate was loose, feared that someone might take it, so he personally carried it home and immediately notified Gerit F. Boonstra, Mr. Boonstra, who served on the committee to arrange for the dedication of the marker some years ago, told Deur to guard it until arrangements were made to replace it in the boulder.

Cyrus Vande Luyster of the Holland City News, who is a great grandson of Janssen Vande Luyster, in whose honor the boulder and marker were placed, called on Mr. Deur and is taking charge of the bronze plaque until further arrangements can be made.

It is quite a coincidence that Mr. Boonstra formerly owned the farm which is now a part of the Holland Country Club golf course. When he sold this to the Country Club, the few feet of land upon which the boulder stands was excluded from the sale. It was many years ago that this large boulder was placed there. Undoubtedly many motorists have stopped at this shrine to see what it was all about.

Black River, in those days, was quite navigable and allowed fishing smacks to come from Lake Michigan up Black Lake and Black River. It was about the half-way junction between the Holland and Zeeland colonies. Near that spot, in 1847, working men erected a hut on Black River, to which they returned to spend the night after working from early till late clearing the lands in the neighborhood. This so-called hut was called "Het Waterhuistje" and was later dubbed as "Castle Garden." Emigrants had gotten their first experience at "Castle Garden" in New York harbor, where they were given rigid examinations and directed properly. When they arrived to this vicinity, most of them in provincial garb and wooden shoes, they were directed from "Het Waterhuistje" to the place where they were to go and told what to do. Some bought land at a very nominal price, and a large number of the farmers in the vicinity of Holland and Zeeland today are the children and children's children of those pioneers who visited "Het Waterhuistje" after they arrived.

It was also a place where freight and baggage of emigrants were correlated, and this was especially true of those who went to Zeeland. To show how primitive everything was, the father of one old settler still living stated, "When we landed at that point we were compelled to creep over the river on a large tree lest we fall into the water."

Janssen Van De Luyster, the grand old man of Zeeland, and its pioneers, landed on Black River about a mile from the present site of Zeeland and built a shack on the river bank, according to a manuscript from the late Gerrit Van Schelven of Holland. Apparently this was not far from "Het Waterhuistje," so called.

Another historic sketch goes into still greater detail. Rev. A. Stegeman, in his historic sketch of New Groningen, states as follows:

"I remember the place on which by 'black' boats most of the household goods of the emigrants were transported to Groningen, Zeeland, Vriesland and Staatesland. At the spot where the Black River was crossed, a dock was built. Here they erected the 'Waterhuistje' that was called 'Castle Garden.' This hut was lived in by the Van Laere family who acted as care-

**HOLLAND CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE MOVES ITS OFFICE
TO BANK BUILDING**

The Holland Chamber of Commerce office has been moved from the third floor of Warm Friend tavern to the ground floor of the Holland City State bank building. The office had been located in the tavern for five years.

The general information desk in the lobby of the tavern will be closed, and this, too, besides the office of Mr. Stephan, secretary-manager, will be found under the clock. Esther Wentzel, who has been in charge for some years, will be found at the booth daily. She has made an excellent executive in that department.

See important Chamber of Commerce article, including future plans, on the first page of section two. It gives much important information besides a message from the new secretary-manager.

**OCEAN GOING BOAT
AT SAUGATUCK**

The first ocean-going boat to dock at Saugatuck this season was the Mako, owned by Thorne Donnelly of Chicago. It carries deep-sea fishing equipment, but now is being used as an experimental ship in efforts to improve ship-to-shore radio communication.

**GAME LAW DIGEST TO
BE PRINTED DIFFERENT**

This year's game law digest published annually by the Department of Conservation for distribution to hunters will be printed in a new style.

Last year the digest was a 20-page booklet. This year it will be a folder, similar to the state's fishing law digest, with six panels or 12 pages. One million copies are being printed.

Attorney Cornelius Vander Meulen of this city addressed the Zeeland Lions Club at their regular meeting last Monday night on labor unions and the present-day labor situation. Only when labor unions are set up on a basis whereby they can be held responsible for their acts, Mr. Vander Meulen pointed out, will our present-day labor problems be solved. In the future, unions will actually be an instrument to promote peace and prosperity in the industrial scheme, he added.

About 4,000 persons attended the first annual Farmers' picnic held Wednesday at Zeeland City Park.

takers and hosts for the emigrants." The late supervisor, C. Roosenraad and the late Henry De Kruij were on the boulder committee, and in their historic review they said the following:

"At a position seventy-one rods due south and sixteen rods east from the Memorial boulder on the old Zeeland-Holland road stood the 'Het Waterhuistje.' It was a 16 by 24 structure built by the Zeelanders in 1847 under the leadership of Janssen Van De Luyster. This place was a distributing point of supplies to Zeeland, Drenthe and Vriesland. Flat boats would carry the supplies to this site from Holland, Michigan. The structure was built of logs and had a bark roof. It was utilized by the early colonists for storage and temporary lodging."

New Groningen, because of this early beginning, proved to be quite a settlement in the early days. Today it is located on the hill east of the fish ponds, but in the early days it was located south and east of the present Country Club site, and the highway through it to Zeeland passed directly through the present Holland Country Club property.

The Old Groningen graveyard is still there, and many of the old pioneers, who knew of "Het Waterhuistje" and the early development of the banks of Black River, lie buried there. In later years a furniture shop and a saw mill were erected. In the bend at the New Groningen bridge was a large saw mill. The log boom and mill pond were just south of where that bridge is now located. In the early days, a flatboat, called the "mud turtle," used the logs from Point Superior, now Waukegan, down Black Lake, up Black River, to this mill, negotiating all the bends in this winding, twisting river.

At this late date there is scarcely enough water to float a rowboat, rather than a scow with logs, which River was much deeper and more navigable. Right near where there was also a half-way bridge where pedestrians could get refreshments and beverages. There were more oxen and few horses. A trip to and from Zeeland from Holland was a day's undertaking. Anyway, that large boulder on the quarter of a century ago, marking the spot for which it was intended and fully described on the copper plate, found below:

The inscription is as follows:

"In memory of Janssen Van De Luyster and the early settlers of Zeeland, Vriesland and Drenthe."

1847-1922

"HET WATERHUISTJE"

16 feet x 24 feet

These sturdy, God-fearing pioneers came from The Netherlands and in June, 1847, landed from a 'Flat Boat' at the then head of navigation of Black River at a point 71 rods south and 16 rods east from this marker.

A log house with bark roof known as 'Het Waterhuistje,' built in the forest on the south bank of the river, was their temporary home.

This served also for colonists arriving later and as a station for distribution of building material, tools and supplies shipped by raft or scow from Singapore on the Kalamazoo River.

**News Items Taken From the Files of
Holland City News Sixty, Fifty, Forty,
Thirty, Twenty and Ten Years
Ago Today****SIXTY YEARS AGO TODAY**

Paddy's description of a fiddle: "It was the shape of a turkey, and the size of a goose; he turned it over on its back and rubbed its belly with a stick and oiled it. Patrick!—how it did 'squeal'." Note:—This must have been a German-lirier. I had a brother once, who, in a minstrel show here, had to do an "Irish skit" after appearing in black-face. He did it in "coon" by mistake and brought down the house.

Glass eyes for horses are now made with such perfection that the animals themselves cannot see through the deception. Note:—Who says that wits did not exist 60 years ago?

George W. McBride, Republican, of Grand Haven, is to have a joint discussion with Mr. Richardson, Democrat, at Zeeland upon the issues of the day.

Rev. Wm. Coplin, whose term expires Sunday will preach his farewell sermon in the evening at the Methodist church.

The school census just completed shows the following results compared with previous years:

	1878	1877	1876
First Ward	275	271	271
Second Ward	131	128	120
Third Ward	352	315	312
Fourth Ward	155	166	159
	913	880	862
	880		

Increase 33 over last year. NOTE: It is evident that the Third Ward was then the largest in the city, in fact was the heart of town where building first began. As Holland grew other wards developed, and now all are larger than the third except the second ward, since that, too, is handicapped through its limited boundaries. Since 1876 two wards were added, namely five and six—the fifth being Holland's largest ward. The total school census today is 3930.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The telephone is becoming quite popular with merchants. The exchange now numbers 34 subscribers.

Married:—on Wednesday, July 18, Mr. Jake P. Van Ry, 12th street, to Mary McGinnes, both of Holland. Isaac Fairbanks, esquire, performed the ceremony at his office on River street. Note:—Mr. Fairbanks was the Indian agent who came 4 years before Dr. Van Raalte.

J. A. Sinclair and wife of Grand Rapids caught three pickerel in Black Lake. Together they weighed 25 pounds.

Sheriff Arie Wolman admired the beauty of Holland's resorts. On his arrival the perch stopped biting and even the young folks on the hills were less boisterous. Our sheriff's commanding way inspires a feeling of awe and fear that some have who have violated the law, and their consciences are not clear. Note:—What a sheriff he would have been! The young folks of today are not bothered with cops on every corner armed with laws until you can't read. That's the trouble, we have become lawless because of it. What was law abiding yesterday has become lawless today. A way after the sheriff got through arresting he became a cigar maker and ran a shop in a wooden building on the southeast corner of Eighth and Central, now the Pieters block, which formerly housed the First State Bank and Holland Post Office.

Postage stamps after having been rubbed on your head will not stick together. The Holland Postmaster, Jacob G. Van Putten, is authority for that. Note:—But what will it do to the hair? Maybe make it shine with glorifying high-lighting and many other flattering adjectives poured out by a broadcaster daily.

FORTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bertach a son, Sunday, at Mill Creek. Note:—and his name is Harris. He is following the advice of Horace Greeley, the Arctic explorer, who said, "Young Man Go West and Seek Your Fortune." Harris did just that and is now in Oakland, Calif., identified with a nationally known fruit and cannery enterprise. Mrs. Ed Bertach resides on River avenue, Holland. She is the sister of Wm. Blom and C. Blom, Chief of the Fire Department.

Fennville farmers are shipping their blackberries to Chicago for 50c to 55c per crate.

Ralph Van Vorst of East Holland, aged 21, was killed when his team ran away. He was hauling a load of pickles to town when someone carrying a shining dinner pail on the street frightened the horses. The dashboard gave way and the man fell between the horses and the wagon and the wheels passed over his chest. He died almost instantly. He was working on a farm owned by Allie Van Raalte of Holland. Funeral was held in Ebenezer church.

Among the sick Spanish-American war soldiers who arrived from San Juan, Cuba, on the transport "Concho" in New York harbor is "Bud" Smith, who is seriously ill. Note:—"Bud" was from Holland, raised on the Lake Shore, was a man-of-all-work. He spent much time as porter, night clerk and bus driver at the old City

Hotel." He was a "wise cracker" and was never known to become angry. He later moved to Bakersfield, Calif., where he conducted a cigar counter in a large hotel and when he died it was reported that he had made money.

Dick Smith, age 25 years, lost the thumb and index finger of his left hand in a furniture shop. Dr. Albert Knooihuizen dressed the wound.

Contractor A. J. Ward has finished the cement walks in front of the homes of James Westover and Henry Van Ry on College Ave. and is now finishing the walk of Dr. A. J. Mabbs on Eighth St. Wooden walks are fast disappearing, being replaced with cement.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Dr. J. W. Beardslee of the Western Theological seminary, Holland, has published a book of sixty pages. The little volume contains "Notes on Messianic Prophecy." The material in the book is arranged under three headings dealing with these prophecies. The volume is attracting considerable attention, especially among Bible students.

The Holland rural mail carriers held a meeting in the Holland City News office and elected the following officers: president, Anthony Roebach; vice-president, Gerrit J. A. Pessink; secretary, L. Tinhoft; treasurer, P. Stegeman; members of the executive board, J. T. Whipple, E. Klosterman and Gerrit Rutgers. Delegates to the Jackson state convention are L. Tinhoft and Gerrit Pessink.

James Price, the well known Holland architect, has just completed plans for a new home for the Zeeland State bank. It will be one of the finest of that type in Western Michigan. Note:—Thirty years later it is still a substantial and commodious structure in the heart of the town.

Simon Verwey, Holland mail carrier, lost a one dollar bill and he did not know how it had disappeared. Weeks went by and he was unable to find it. He then advertised in the Holland City News that he would reward anyone who found the bill and handed it to the Holland letter carrier and said, "We were wondering where it came from. We found the money in our mail some time ago."

A prize hog was killed on the stock farm of George Bork, near here. The killing was done by a prize bull who became angered at the hog, going her to death. After the battle the bull ran to a stall filled with "Paris green," used for potato bugs, drank it, and then laid down beside the porker and died. Both animals were prize winners at fairs.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

A double-column picture appears in the News of James De Kraker of Holland, sent from France. James is standing between two soldiers, one a Belgian and the other a French poilu. De Kraker is with Co. F, 35th Reg. Engineers, American Expeditionary Forces. The caption over the cut is "America and Her Allies." Both European soldiers have their arms over the American's shoulders. They are "saving the world for Democracy."

Four of the five Roberts Bros. meat dealers, 114 West 16th St., are now in the army of the World War and there is only one left to cut meat for customers.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. James Veneklasen of Grand Haven, a son. Note:—Mr. Veneklasen was formerly from Zeeland and Mrs. Veneklasen was formerly Miss Anna Schuilke of Holland, daughter of Prof. Schuilke of Hope college. She also was an accomplished pipe organist.

Daniel Den Uyl of this city, student at M.A.C., East Lansing, was chosen as one of twenty men of the college to go into officers' training at Fort Sheridan. He is a graduate of Holland high. His brother, Lieut. Simon Den Uyl, is now in France.

Fire Chief C. Blom has given 33 years of his life to the fire department at Holland since he entered as a volunteer. Note:—Add 20 more years to the chief's record and an enviable record it surely is.

Maurice Luideus of Olive has been campaigning among Holland ship men. He is a candidate for treasurer of Ottawa county.

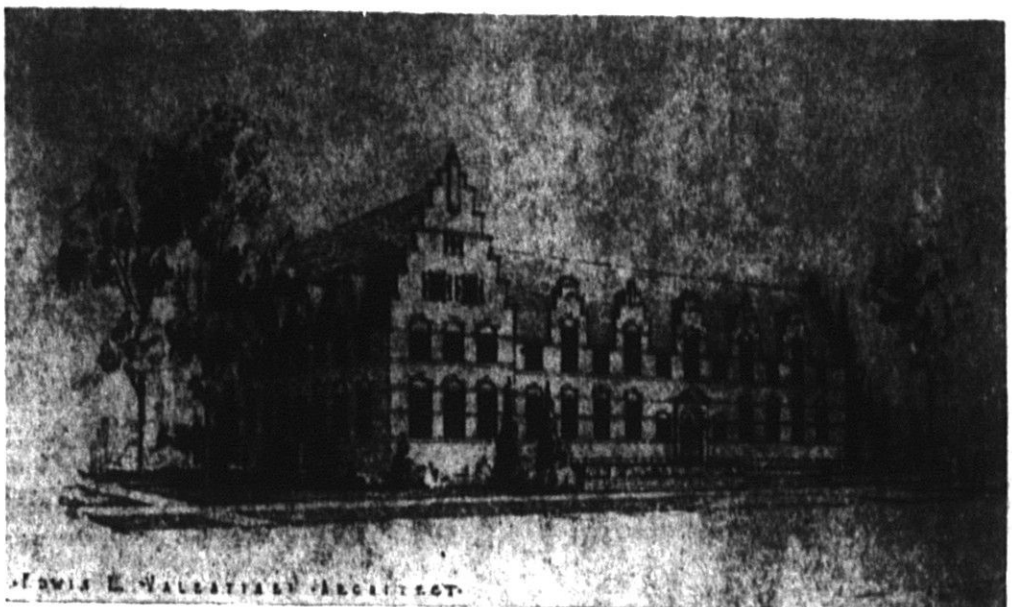
Earnest C. Brooks of Holland has received word from the U. S. government directing him to report for duty at the Field Artillery Central Officers' Training School at Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky. Mr. Brooks, who had been anxiously awaiting this call, recently had his shoulder blade broken in an auto accident. He will, however, go immediately, as ordered.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Stephan went to Grand Rapids where they took in Ringling Bros' circus. Note:—Well, Abe always did love circuses, no matter how many rings.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Richard Overweg, city clerk for 20 years, and now city treasurer for four years, is being mentioned as a candidate for Ottawa county treasurer. Note:—Richard did not make the grade at the primaries. He is now in Lansing and has been for eight years.

The News of July 15 gave a

**Architect's Drawing Of Combination Library And Museum
Costing \$150,000**

As the News goes to press this Thursday evening, a large meeting is being held in the Common Council rooms in the City Hall, fostered by the Board of Directors of The Netherlands Pioneer and Historical foundation, together with the Library Board and a special Council committee who called the meeting. For more than a year there has been considerable discussion over a joint Library and Museum building centrally located on the old hospital site on 12th, 13th, and Central Avenue. The old Dr. Kremers residence, which was Holland's second hospital, is now occupied by the Knickerbocker Club of Hope College. If the proposal carries at the coming election, naturally this old land mark will be raised to make room for this beautiful building with a Netherlands architectural complex.

Mayor Henry Geerlings is presiding tonight at this gathering and other well-known speakers with authority and who know the needs of a city the size of Holland, are Mrs. Grace McClure, State Library from Lansing, state capitol, and Frank Du Mond, director of the Grand Rapids Museum. Other speakers being called on will be representatives of the Holland Chamber of Commerce, local business men, representatives of civic and fraternal clubs, and members of Parents' Teachers' associations, besides other organizations and church groups.

This meeting is being held this Thursday evening to discuss the floating of a bond issue of \$85,000

for the building of a combination Library and Museum. These steps are taken at this time to make it possible to have the bond issue come up at the September 13 primaries. At that time Holland taxpayers will be privileged to go to the polls to vote their approval or disapproval of a proposal of that nature. Merged as a business organization, entrusted with public funds, it is necessary that the voters be equipped with all the facts. This proposal is one that is to be handled through the PWA, should the bond issue carry. Holland's share will be \$85,000. If the city votes this amount, then Holland will receive an out and out grant of \$69,550 from the United States government to be spent in this city in the construction of the building, a large share of it going into material and labor. It is pointed out that PWA money is available now, but the offer is not for an indefinite period, and for that reason it is urged to bring up the proposal at this time and receive through grant a very large part of what the building is to cost which naturally is to be a beautiful structure, well-located, across from Centennial Park. It is also pointed out that other cities have taken advantage of these grants and have built for themselves needed public buildings financed without this aid. It is up to the citizens of Holland to assemble the facts, find out about the advantages and the needs for a library and a museum which are very meritorious innovations for a city

they must estimate the cost, and when they know all the facts go to the polls on September 13, and with this knowledge gained, vote for what he or she believes is for the good of the city of Holland. This publication will give more details and facts for the education and enlightenment of the voter until Primary day.

Included in the museum-library building, which will be of brick and stone construction with a tile roof, will be an auditorium where public meetings may be held, a study reference room, and a children's story-hour room. The T-shaped structure will face 12th St. and will be so constructed as to provide for expansion in the rear. Architecture will be Dutch Colonial. The structure will be 150 feet in length, will be two stories high, and will be equipped with basement facilities. In a short time, the architect's complete description of the building will be released. The architect is Edward L. Valentine of Muskegon and this picture represents his drawing of the exterior of the building.

The Council committee on this joint Library-Museum proposal is composed of Aldermen Ben Stefens, Peter Huyser, Ed Brouwer, and Martin Oudemool. The committee of The Netherlands Pioneer Historic foundation is composed of Dr. Wynand Wichers, President of Hope College; Atty. C. Vander Meulen, George Tinhoft of the Holland Furnace Company, William Arendshorst, Dr. A. Leenhouts and Sec. Willard Wichers.

**OTTAWA VOTES "NO" ON
"SPUDS"**

The federal government's AAA potato control program was voted down in Ottawa county by a vote of 15 to 13. The total negative vote represented 7,500 acres, whereas the acreage of the "yeas" was 3,470 acres. The referendum was held Wednesday at the county seat at Grand Haven, at Smallegan Hall in Forest Grove, and at Chester Town Hall. The plan needed a two-thirds majority vote in order to become operative. In Allegan county, the vote stood 35-21 in favor of accepting the government program. The winning voters represented 8,826 bushels, while the losers represented 3,875 bushels.

**POSTPONE EXAMINATION
OF WEST OLIVE DRIVER**

Examination of Herman Haasevoort, 68, RFD No. 8, West Olive, on a charge of negligent homicide as a result of the death of Charles Eugene Fischer, 31, of Grand Rapids, in an automobile collision on the west of Zeeland, has been postponed for two weeks. Haasevoort is at liberty under a \$500 bond.

column story of how B. Arendshorst and sons, Wm. Arendshorst and John Arendshorst of the Holland Rusk Co. donated \$25,000 with which to buy the new Skinner pipe organ for Hope's new Memorial Chapel. Another gift mentioned was \$12,000 from Charles McLean for the tower chimes in memory of the late Mrs. McLean. Note:—The splendid contributions are in constant use. We are delighted with them, but ten years later few remember who were responsible for making them a part of our great institution of learning.

Clyde Geerlings, who was operated on for appendicitis at Holland hospital, is out of danger and doing nicely. Note:—He is the son of the mayor and now on the faculty of Holland high.

The big elephant at Lakewood Farm has been named "Nancy." This was decided by George Getz after a names contest as to what the quadruped would be called.

Mrs. Isla Pruim of Zeeland announced the date of her coming marriage to Mr. Gordon Van Eenennaam, a young attorney of Muskegon, a schoolmate friend at Zeeland at one time. The announcement was made at a bridge party held at the Holland Country club. Later the marriage is chronicled as taking place on Aug. 16, 1928.

Note:—Mr. Van Eenennaam has since been State Senator of Ottawa and Muskegon counties. Mrs. Van Eenennaam has always been an accomplished musical artist. Mr. Van Eenennaam is today deeply interested in the Allegan oil fields.

Mrs. L. Kolean of Hamilton was rescued from drowning when she came near falling into Rabbit river. The bridge at that point is old and one of the decayed planks gave way. In desperation the lady grasped the edge of the structure and remained hanging over the stream until her husband arrived with a rowboat and lowered the terrified wife to safety.

**BIBLES IN HOTELS IS AIM
OF GIDEONS**

The Gideon association will organize a camp in Holland this Friday evening at 8 p. m. in the Warm Friend Tavern. The association, whose work is international in scope, is composed of Christian businessmen who place Bibles in hotels, prisons, hospitals, and similar institutions.

The association has at present extended its distribution of the Bible to include schools, and, consequently, will have placed 250 Bibles in school rooms in Ottawa. Altogether the Gideons have placed 1,500,000 Bibles in various institutions up to the present time, this total being distributed in 22 foreign countries as well as in the United States.

Then name "camp" is derived from the passage in Judges where the Scripture reads: "And they stood every man in his place round about the camp." The Gideons have recently completed a campaign for membership in local churches.

Friday's organization meeting has been called for the purpose of organizing into a permanent camp business men in Holland, Zeeland, and Hudsonville. Camps are at present active in Grand Rapids, Detroit, Jackson, Battle Creek, Bay City, and Port Huron. Most of the churches in Holland and vicinity are cooperating in the camp organization here. All interested Christian businessmen are invited to attend the meeting, which will be held in the ballroom on the sixth floor of the tavern.

**HOLLAND SUGAR MILL WILL
EMPLOY MORE THAN
200 MEN**

Applications for employment for the 1938 season are now being taken at the office of the Lake Shore Sugar Co., 345 West 14th St., according to Supt. Byron Paschal. Applications must be in by Sept. 10. Between 225 and 240 employees will be required at the peak of the season. Mr. Paschal pointed out. Operations will begin either late in September or early in October.

About 100 days will be required to process the beets this season, the plant working 24 hours per day, seven days per week. Approximately 5,000 acres have been contracted by the local plant this year, to establish a new record since the reopening of the local sugar factory a few years ago.

Mrs. A. Vander Werf and family are occupying the cottage of John Arendshorst at Eagle Crest. Mrs. O. Veneklasen of Chicago, daughter of Mrs. Vander Werf, is their guest and Dr. O. Veneklasen was a week end guest at the cottage.

A white wild crane has been reported the past few days to have been seen on Lake Macatawa near Waukegan by residents in the area.

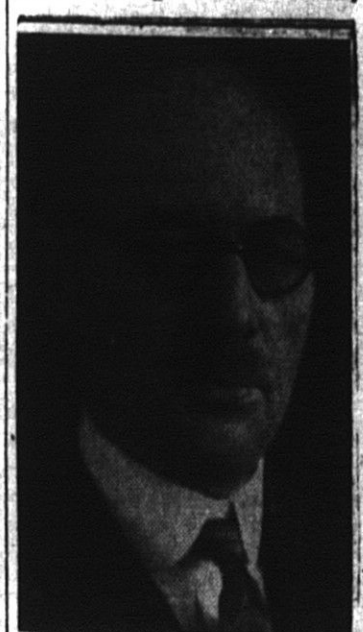
John R. Dethmers, Ottawa county prosecutor, left today on a week's trip in the Upper Peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McLean and daughter, Betty Jean, and son, James, have returned to their Can-
the Park home, following a trip in the East.

**Eminent Divine
and Educator
Dies at 63 Years****HELD MANY CHARGES IN RE-
FORMED CHURCH; WAS
PRESIDENT OF LOCAL
SEMINARY**

Cleared the Institution of All Debt,
One of Crowning Achievements

Students, fellow-faculty members and those affiliated with Western Theological seminary, as well as residents of Holland, were grieved this week to hear of the passing of Dr. Siebe C. Nettinga, 63, at his home, 133 West 11th St., Saturday, about 10:30 p. m. Dr. Nettinga had been president of the local seminary since 1930, although he had been affiliated with the seminary's teaching staff for some 20 years. Dr. Nettinga had been recuperating at his home recently from a stomach operation to which he had submitted June 2 at Mayo Brothers' hospital at Rochester, Minn. His condition became critical last Thursday, and a call to the residence disclosed then that attending physicians had returned a verdict of "no hope," and death would be only a matter of hours or perhaps, days. Members of the family had kept an almost constant vigil at the bedside since Thursday. The deceased seminary head was a native of Friesland, The Netherlands, where he was born Feb. 7, 1875. Coming to this country



DR. S. C. NETTINGA.

when he was seven, he received his earlier education in Sioux county, Iowa, after which he was graduated from Hope college in 1900, and from the institution over which he was president, in 1903. Preceding his acceptance of duties at the local seminary, Dr. Nettinga held pastorates at Spring Lake Reformed church, 1903-1904; at Grand Rapids Reformed church, 1904-1905; at Chicago from 1905-1912; and at Fifth Reformed church, Grand Rapids, from 1912 to 1918.

In addition to having been president of Western seminary, Dr. Nettinga also was professor of historical theology, to which chair he was appointed in 1919. A year previously he had been named lecturer in historical theology. Under Dr. Nettinga's presidency, the debt of \$22,000 on the seminary was entirely cleared, the account having been settled about a year ago.

Dr. Nettinga achieved a great honor in the Reformed denomination when he was named president of general synod in 1926. For many years he had been a member of the board of education of the Reformed church. He had served variously on the General synod committee of necrology, and history and research; had been a member of the board of publications and Bible school work; member of the committee on liturgy and member of the seminary board of trustees. He was a member of the editorial council of the Intelligence-Leader, church publication, and one of its constant contributors. Dr. Nettinga's most recent publication was a "History of the Reformed Church in Michigan," an article prepared for the Centennial Historical Encyclopedia of Michigan, as yet unpublished.

Dr. Nettinga was granted a Doctor of Divinity degree by Hope college in 1919.

Funeral services for the deceased Reformed church leader were held Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. private, from the home, with formal services at 2 p. m. from Hope Memorial church. The remains lay in state at Nibbelink-Notier church from 10 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. Tuesday. Interment took place in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Surviving are the widow, two sons, James, pastor of 89th St. Reformed church in New York city, and Paul, Chicago radio artist; a daughter, Mrs. Alvin Nevala of Westerloo, N. Y.; three sisters, Miss Julia, Mrs. Dick Kreulen, and Mrs. John Vandenberg, all of Hull, Ia.; and five brothers, Catherine of Hull, Ia., Tunis of Edgerton, Minn., Lolke of Wolsey, S. D. Meinder of Hull, Ia., and two grandchildren.

As yet no definite action has been taken toward the selection of a successor to assume Dr. Nettinga's duties. There remains a possibility that the seminary board might call a special session to appoint a successor. The Rev. L. A. Brunsting of Sioux Center, Ia., is president of the board of superintendents.

The large concourse of people attending the funeral services, as well as the many floral contributions, were mute evidence of the esteem in which townspeople, members of churches of his own denomination, and members of other denominations had held Holland's church leader.

Preceding the service, Kenneth R. Osburn, Hope College organist, presented a chime recital. A loudspeaking system had been installed in the chapel to enable all

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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

Holland is Second Closest to the
of the city of Holland, Mich., under the act
of Congress, March 3rd, 1879.
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- AUGUST**
- 1—Antient Invention in Delaware County, N. Y., 1845.
 - 2—"Tom Thumb," first American steam locomotive, used on S. & O., 1831.
 - 3—Queen Astrid of Belgium killed in auto accident in Switzerland, 1935.
 - 4—Five ravages thousands of acres along the Little Missouri River, 1890.
 - 5—General Fremont issued order freeing slaves in Missouri, 1861.
- SEPTEMBER**
- 1—Asteroid Euphrosyne was discovered by James Ferguson, 1864.
 - 2—Treasury department organized with Alexander Hamilton, secretary, 1789.

Another Link to Canada

The Thousand Islands International Bridge officially opened this week will stand as another visible link binding the United States and Canada.

Along with the Ambassador Bridge, which connects Detroit and Windsor, and the numerous other bridges already spanning boundary waters, this new structure is both a means of practical intercourse between the two countries and a symbol.

The strongest ties that hold Canada and the United States in the bonds of warm friendship are not of steel and concrete.

They are forged by similarity of aims, understanding of each other's problems, faith in each other's honesty and friendly intentions.

When great countries in Europe are watching with anxiety the maneuvers of millions of men in arms, Canada and the United States watch with deep satisfaction the opening of a new avenue of travel and commerce between them.

CONNELLY, PRIVATE CITIZEN

(Grand Rapids Herald)

William M. Connelly, for the last several years manager of the Chamber of Commerce of Holland, Mich., is now a private citizen for the first time in twenty years. Perhaps it may seem a bit strange to Mr. Connelly thus to be out of public life for a time and certain it is that all of Ottawa county will miss his active mind and physical energies.

Many years ago Mr. Connelly was a member of the Ottawa County road commission. His insistence upon the construction of concrete highways won him the nickname of "Concrete Bill." Whether this may have been applied originally in derision doesn't matter. The fact is that Ottawa county and all of Michigan benefited through the impetus he gave to the use of concrete in highway construction.

Later on Mr. Connelly went to the State Senate and there for several terms gave of his best for the interest of his district and for all of Michigan. Roads still were his hobbies and many an important and beneficial piece of legislation bears his name.

A few years ago Mr. Connelly took up the job of manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce. What he has done for Holland over these years will stand as a perpetual monument to his energy and foresight and ability. Industries have been brought to Holland, many of which Grand Rapids ought to have had. General energy was injected into everything having to do with Holland's welfare.

The greatest accomplishment of William M. Connelly as manager of the Chamber of Commerce was the development of the Tulip Time festival into a national event. Not only is this festival most colorful and most unique but it has attracted more recently to Holland all the various avenues of advertising of the nation. Famous actors of stage and screen, the best known radio commentators, the news reel concerns and reams upon reams of stuff sent out to newspapers and magazines have brought the name of Holland, Mich., to the front and of Tulip Time as a real rival of the famous rose festival at Pasadena, Cal. The development of that event will stand as a national memorial to Bill Connelly for many years yet to come.

Mr. Connelly is one of those energetic, resourceful personages who loves to think up things and then execute them. In his capacity as manager of the Chamber of Commerce of Holland he has done many things for which future generations of the citizens of that thriving city will thank him. Today Bill Connelly for the first time in 20 years is just a private citizen but we are willing to gamble at least a thrice that he will not be a private citizen for long. Somebody will draft him for the services he can render and whoever or whatever it may be who obtains his services will be the gainer.

ZEELAND PLACE FOR MISSION FEST LABOR DAY

The annual Mission Fest of the three Christian Reformed churches of Zeeland will be held Labor Day afternoon and evening at the Zeeland City Park. In the afternoon Rev. S. A. Dykstra, missionary to China, will give an address in the Dutch language. Rev. Baker, home-missionary at large of the Christian Reformed church, and Rev. Rijkers, Zeeland classis' own missionary among the Indians, will also speak. The Children's Hour, which proved so popular last year, will again be held. Musical numbers, vocal and instrumental, will intersperse the afternoon and evening programs as well as band and orchestral music, furnished at appropriate intervals.

In the evening Rev. Schoolland will address the audience on phases of his home missionary work and a pageant giving a history of the mission work of the Christian Reformed church will be given. This pageant was given so successfully several years ago in Muskegon. A large group of local talent, directed by Mrs. Larry Van Hattuma, is preparing this unusual treat. It promises to be a wonderful production with which to close the day's activities.

A well supplied canteen will provide suitable refreshments and a day of inspiration and Christian fellowship is assured with the well developed program that is to be given.

MICHIGAN GAS AND ELECTRIC CO. MOVES OFFICES TO TRAVERSE CITY AND THREE RIVERS

The Michigan Public Service Co., which has had its offices in the Sentinel building on West Eighth St. for some time, will move its equipment about Sept. 1 to its new headquarters in Traverse City, where it expects to be stationed by Sept. 6. The company will occupy the second and third floors of the Woolworth building in Traverse City, according to W. C. Blanchard, president of the company.

Officers of the concern at its new location will be; president, Mr. Blanchard; vice-president, O. H. Winger; secretary-treasurer, W. L. Campbell; sales manager, H. E. Davis; assistant manager, C. M. Reed; auditor, C. G. Baker; purchasing agent, B. M. Graham; assistant treasurer, G. H. Ramsey; and accounting dept., H. Decker, W. E. Etherington and C. W. Wangen.

The Michigan Gas and Electric Co., which was formerly combined with the Public Service Co., and which likewise had its offices in the Sentinel building, has been moved to Three Rivers.

OTTAWA BEACH HAS NEAR TRAGEDY SUNDAY

Mrs. Ann De Trappane, 23, 1542 Francis Ave., Grand Rapids, and Miss Margaret Pirozzo, 21, 43 Grand St., Grand Rapids, were rescued from the waters of Lake Michigan Sunday about 4:30 p. m., when a heavy undertow again struck the local lake area at Ottawa Beach.

Mrs. De Trappane was rescued by Fred Bocks, Jr., rural route No. 4, and after having been given artificial respiration by Curtis Baldus, life guard at the beach, was treated at Holland hospital. Miss Pirozzo was rescued by an unidentified person.

Members of the Holland coast guard station crew also participated in the rescue. Members of the crew were Chief Boatwain's Mate Alfred Anderson, Emmett Foster, Carl Walters and Robert Bush. Medical treatment was given at Holland hospital late Sunday to Robert Gust, two-and-a-half-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pas Gust of Chicago, Ill., who also were members of the party which included Mrs. De Trappane and Miss Pirozzo. Young Gust became suddenly ill while he was attending the outing.

Roughneck Starlings Gang Up on Hapless Hawk

A mass attack by a flock of starlings upon a large hawk which had either attacked one of their number or which they feared was about to attempt such an attack was recently witnessed by motorists driving on US-27, a short distance south of Ithaca, Mich.

The starlings, estimated by observers to number approximately 100 individuals, made their attack in a compact body and apparently under military discipline imposed by a leader. The group of birds, flying from two to three times as fast as the hawk, swept upon him from the rear, then wheeled to one side, turned about and returned toward their starting point. Once more they wheeled about and rushed at the larger bird, but this time they flew past him at one side and then, still in compact and perfect formation, made a complete circuit of the now badly harried hawk.

Several times they repeated their maneuvers, driving the hawk farther and farther from their home grounds. At last the leader appeared to decide that the enemy was thoroughly routed and no further attacks were necessary and starlings, still in formation, rushed back to their own location, where the formation broke ranks and the birds settled down to their feeding.

Never once during the attack upon the hawk did so much as a single bird leave the formation, and the entire battle was carried out with as perfect discipline as a company of German shock troops going over the top into no-man's land, giving the impression that the moves were all planned and directed by a thinking individual.

Homer of Holland Man Added a Storybook Touch

(Muskegon Chronicle)

Two Greater Muskegon softball teams were eliminated in the opening round of the local district softball tournament at Norge field last evening, with two Grand Haven and one Holland team surviving. Along with the two local teams, a combination from Zeeland met defeat.

The opening game of the evening, however, stole the spotlight as C. H. Dykema, big six-footer from Holland, pitching for Dykema Tailors of Holland, contributed the deciding wallop, setting up a 12-inning victory for himself over Muskegon Mobsters, 6 to 3.

The big pitcher hit a home run that added a storybook touch to the game. The teams are limited to one hour of play unless the score is tied. In that event the game goes on to a decision. With two minutes to go, and only half the sixth inning over, Dykema pitched the trick in time to start the seventh frame. At that time the Muskegon Mobsters team was leading 3 to 0.

His Mighty Homer Then, in the first half of the seventh, one player was safe on an error and Westerhof of Holland singled. The next two batters contributed outs, and the game was about over when Dykema came to the plate. The big pitcher then crashed a home run over left field wall, 230 feet away, to tie the game.

In the 12th R. Dykema walked. Tripp singled, and a successive doubles by Vangilder and C. H. Dykema added three runs. The big Holland pitcher, in addition to his hitting, allowed just three hits, two in the first and one in the 12th inning, pitching 10 hitless frames in between.

Grand Haven Teams Win In the other two games on last evening's program, Keller Tools of Grand Haven defeated the Zeeland Cream Tops 9 to 2, with Waskin allowing the Zeeland team just three hits and with L. Brazda and H. Deremo each getting two to pace the Grand Haven attack.

Casemier Foods of Grand Haven eliminated the Carl Store team of Muskegon Heights 6 to 5 in a close one, with signals by Boyink, and error on VanderMeiden's fly ball, and a single by L. Ryenga winning the game in the last of the seventh, which started with Carls ahead 5 to 4. Ryenga's single scored two runners.

GIRLS NEAR-TWINS THOUGH UNRELATED

Mrs. Hannah, of Montvale, and Mrs. Osborne, of Allendale, sharing a room at Hackensack hospital, New Jersey, met for the first time after they had babies on the same day—both girls.

Here's what across-the-room conversation revealed: They have the same first names—Edna. Their husbands have the same first names—Harold. Their babies will have the same names—Patricia Edna.

Their husbands' birthdays are in the same month. Each couple has been married three and a half years. The babies were their first. Both mothers are blue-eyed brunets. They wear the same size clothes. Their husbands are of the same religion, a different one from that of the wives, which is the same.

Each couple has a dog named Spot. And both mothers and both babies are doing nicely.

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COBB RECEIVES A COBB WHEN P.M. MAN IS FETTER AT TEMPLE

Approximately 65 officials and employees of the Pere Marquette railroad, wives and friends, last Thursday evening met at the Masonic hall to fetter Willard A. Cobb, yardmaster at Waverly, who retired from active service August 6 following 44 years of service with "the road." Pipes were given to Mr. Cobb and nine other company employees, who have retired during the past year, by their friends. Honor guests, besides Mr. Cobb, to receive the pipes were E. B. Rich, former agent in the city; Frank Harris, Wallace Haight, Everett Brandt, William Prince, James Butters, Peter Ver Schure, Sam Kurrs, and Peter Smith. All were present at the meeting except Mr. Haight, Mr. Kurrs and Mr. Ver Schure.

Wives of local employees served supper. Toastmaster at the meeting was M. M. Cronk, trainmaster at Grand Rapids, while F. D. Miller, agent of the Pere Marquette line in the city, directed the meeting. William Grady of Grand Rapids led group singing at the meeting. Budd Van Lier, accompanied by Merrick Hanchett, rendered several accordion solos. Each of the honored guests spoke briefly.

Mr. Cobb was signally honored when he was presented with a gorgeous bouquet of flowers from Holland shippers by Harry Harrington, local business man. Letters of appreciation in regard to Mr. Cobb's record were read by Mr. Harrington. They were sent by the Federal Baking Co., the Charles Karr Co., and by Ed Van Dyke on behalf of the Hart & Cooley Mfg. Co. A box of cigars was presented by Mr. Cronk to Mr. Cobb on behalf of a fellow employee of the Pere Marquette. An attached note read: "You being the finest man I ever worked for, I give you a box of cigars." J. A. Gridware, superintendent of Grand Rapids; Harry Harrington and Austin Harrington, local businessmen, gave brief addresses, praising the retired man, and the Pere Marquette line for its excellent service to the city.

Mr. Cobb, "the man with the most friends in Holland," responded, expressing his appreciation to those staging the affair. In reference to his work, which he said he had enjoyed wholeheartedly, he said: "Duty is the sublimest of words."

Local businessmen attending the banquet included Harry Harrington, Austin Harrington, Ed Slooter, Peter Ver Burg, Carl Harrington, Willis De Cook, Burton Naberhuis, John Woldring, and Albert Brink. Harry De Maar, Pere Marquette agent at Grand Haven, also attended, as did the following Grand Rapids delegation: J. A. Gridware, superintendent; William Grady, terminal trainmaster; C. L. McGrain, chief dispatcher; P. K. Pierce, trainmaster; Frank Manning, division engineer; H. S. Cross, chief superintendent's clerk; and Fred Keeler, chief representative of the general superintendent at Detroit.

NOTICE:

I wish to announce the opening of a
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LOCAL ACCESSORY FIRM HAS MOVED TO NEW QUARTERS

The firm known as the Automotive Replacement parts is now occupying a double store at 109-113 East 8th Street. Through dint of hard work and square dealing Mr. De Visser has built up an enterprise that demanded considerably more room, and he purchased the double store directly across from fire station No. 2 in the first ward. When Mr. De Visser started in a humble way he also operated a used car station, and handled junk, but in the fall of 1937 he turned this part of the business over to his son, Harry De Visser, so that he could devote more time to the Auto Replacement parts which is now installed in a very fine headquarters, centrally located.

Since Mr. De Visser is now well-equipped at the new stand, he has made connections with 80 different manufacturing concerns from whom products are being purchased.

PASSES JUDGMENT ON HIMSELF WHEN HE JUDGES LIFE

Dr. Kuizenga of Princeton Speaks.
Former Part Owner of Local Piano Co. Also Here

Members of the Holland Rotary club were addressed at their regular meeting in Warm Friend Tavern last Thursday noon by Dr. John E. Kuizenga, professor of apologetics at Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey. Dr. Kuizenga is former president of Western Theological seminary here, former pastor of Graafschap Reformed church, and was formerly on the Hope College faculty.

"Your opinions are frequently evaluations and condemnations of yourself," Dr. Kuizenga stated. "Lives are like wax to receive impressions, and like marble to retain them. Every man wears glasses which he himself made, and through which he sees what he has made of himself. When a man expresses his judgment in regard to life, he is probably passing judgment on himself." Illustrating his warning that men should be careful in their condemnation of others by drawing examples from real life situations, Dr. Kuizenga concluded, "There is an inevitable trend to interpret and color what you see by your own background."

Honored guest at the Rotary club's meeting was William L. Bush, 79, of Denver, Colo., formerly part owner of the Bush & Lane Piano Co., of Holland, Walter Lane being the other partner of the firm.

MANY VISIT OIL FIELDS

A number from here visited the oil fields near Hamilton during the week and saw a new "gusher" come in. Work is progressing at all four of the oil exploration operations around Fennville. Wells are being drilled and daily progress noted with interest, many persons visiting the oil fields daily. At the Todd farm three shifts are working and the hole is now down over 500 feet and that at the Hill farm has now reached about the same depth.

A local appearing in the Holland City News relative to Bernard Raterink of Zeeland, has been misconstrued as being Bernard Raterink, a young man of 16 years of Holland Township. This is untrue. The Holland Township boy is well-behaved, and the person involved is altogether a different person. Bernard Raterink is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Raterink, and the News stands corrected.

City Nurse Gives Workings of Local Health Unit

Miss Alma Koertge, city health nurse, late last week released her annual report, a summary of which follows:

During the year a total of 430 school calls and 1,890 home calls were made, 154 of these representing nursing cases. The remainder of the calls were made for the inspection of communicable diseases, calls on behalf of the clinics staged in the city periodically, calls for delivery of birth certificates and calls to arrange for care of patients.

Clinics were conducted as follows: Two for crippled children, two Michigan Tuberculosis Association X-ray chest clinics, 10 chest clinics, five pre-school clinics, four Cousen's fund dental clinics, one oral deaf clinic, and one psychopathic clinic for Kalamazoo state hospital. Miss Koertge has cooperated in various capacities with agencies in the city which devote themselves wholly or in part to health and welfare projects. These include the Woman's Literary Club, sponsor of baby and pre-school clinics and provider of cod liver oil for babies; Exchange Club, Goodfellows' foundation Rotary Club, care and transportation of crippled children, Junior Welfare League, Lions Club, blind fund, and the city health department, including City Inspector Ben Wiersma and City Health Officer Dr. William Tappan, control of disease and immunization for communicable diseases.

Because of the large number of calls made, Miss Koertge did not complete all her school inspections. Besides school and home calls, she spent three days at a health conference at Lansing, one day at Grand Rapids at Teachers' Institute, one day at a health conference at Muskegon, one trip to Grand Haven to consult with Probate Judge Cora Vande Water, one trip to Cutterville for a consultation with Dr. Mulder, six classes in child care, five trips to clinics at Grand Rapids, and 134 conferences with other health and welfare workers.

Mrs. Peter Croak of Holland was operated on, Sunday, at Douglas hospital.

AUTOMOTIVE Replacement Parts

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Store Phone 3821—Residence Phone 3920

Mr. Arie G. De Visser recently moved into his new building at 109-113 East 8th St. where he has taken on a large number of new lines of Automotive Parts—increasing the number to more than eighty lines. By handling this large number of products and buying direct from the manufacturers Mr. De Visser is able to give the Dealers in Holland and vicinity better service and help from factory field men. About a year ago the latest type "BEAR" Dynamic Wheel Balancer and Correction equipment was installed this being the only one in this vicinity. Casey Klomprens is in charge. Casey attended instruction school at the "Bear" factory. Five years ago Mr. De Visser started the company at 126 East 8th Street.



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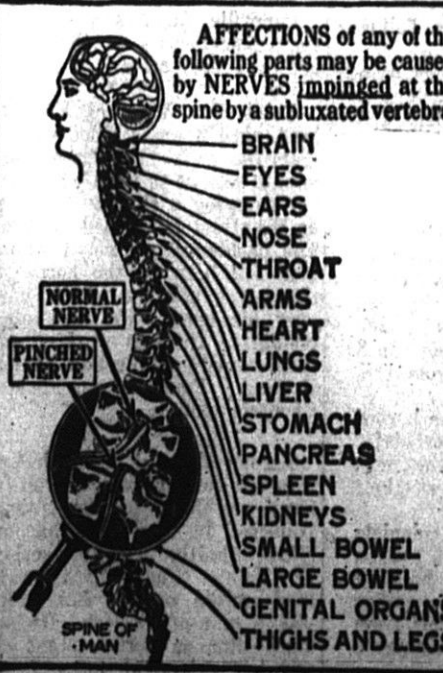
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THE "4-H" IN OTTAWA COUNTY

The annual 4-H elimination contests, staged at Michigan State College, for purposes of selecting members who will compete at Detroit State Fair, drew 46 Ottawa contestants to the Agricultural College.

Contestants were divided as follows: crops judging, 8; dairy judging, 8; poultry judging, 6; canning and clothing contest, 16.

A soil conservation team consisting of Lawrence Schmidt and Bill Fairchild of Coopersville, put on a demonstration before club officials and Soil Service officials from Washington, D. C. The boys selected the newly formed soils district of Ottawa County for this subject. Colored slides, showing effects of erosion, grass plantings, seed beds, etc., were used to illustrate the discussion.

A poultry team, Henry Geerlings and Virgil Jansen, Zeeland, gave a fine demonstration on vaccination of fowls.

Agricultural Agent, L. R. Arnold, expects to receive news very shortly as to the success of Ottawa members. Club leaders in the county have hopes that several youngsters will be chosen to compete at Detroit. Winners at Detroit will be sent on to Chicago early in December.

Three boys from the Beechwood School, Holland, were taken to East Lansing August 22-23 to compete in wood identification. If successful they will be sent to the Detroit Fair.

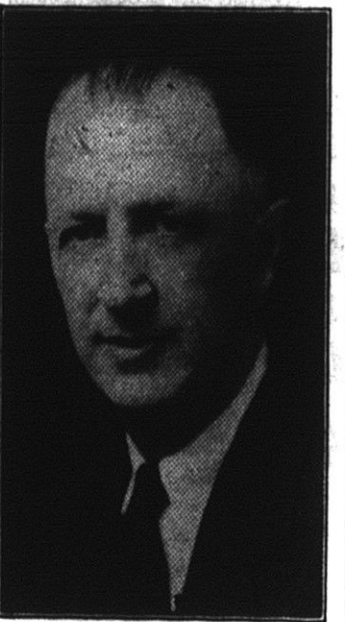
Summer club work will close in September. Members must display an exhibit at some local event. Most members will display at the

Berlin Fair. Mr. Arnold invites all residents of the county to look over the members' work which will be placed in the Club Building at Berlin Fair, August 29-September 2nd.

HOLLAND MEN DRAWN ON CIRCUIT COURT JURY

Guy Hittman, John G. Dirkse, John Rusten, Albert Graska and Joseph Van Loo of Grand Haven, Joseph Donner of Spring Lake, Lewis Wallinga of Allendale, Claude Kloosterhouse of Crocker, Franklin Reister of Chester, Herman Zimmerman of Grand Haven township, Bert Gemink of Olive, Arlie Bunnell of Polkton, Gerrit Idema of Robinson, Henry Heerspinck of Port Sheldon and Mrs. Lillian Brown of Wright, are north Ottawa residents drawn today for the circuit court jury for the September term. The term opens Sept. 6 with Judge Fred T. Miles on the bench.

Other jurors are Cecil Beck and Henry Gramsmeier, both of Holland, William Pading of Zeeland township, Tony Steen of Blenden, Albert Tate of Georgetown, Bernard De Pree of Holland township, Martin DeGroot of Jamestown, John Keikenvelde of Park and Charles Millard of Tallmadge.



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Otsego, Michigan

Proposed Vacating of Alley In Block 17, South West Addition, except West 88 Feet.

Holland, Michigan, August 17, 1938

WHEREAS, the owners of the property abutting on the alley in Block 17, Southwest Addition, except West 88 feet, in the City of Holland, situated and being between 15th and 16th Streets, and running from Maple Avenue to Washington Blvd., except West 88 feet thereof, have petitioned the Council to vacate, discontinue and abolish said alley, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Holland, deem it advisable to vacate, discontinue and abolish the alley lying between 15th and 16th Streets, and running from Maple Avenue to Washington Blvd., except West 88 feet thereof, described as follows:

Lots 1 to 8 inclusive and Lots 11 to 18 inclusive, with the exception of the West 5½ feet of lots 8 and 11, in Block 17, Southwest Addition to the City of Holland.

And the common Council of the City of Holland, hereby appoints Wednesday, September 21, at 7:30 P. M., in the Council Rooms of the City Hall as the time and place when the Common Council will meet to hear objections to same.

By order of the Common Council.

Oscar Peterson, City Clerk.

Registration Notice

for General Primary Election and
Special Election to be held on
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1938

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned City Clerk, will receive for registration at any time during regular office hours, the name of any legal voter in the City of Holland NOT ALREADY REGISTERED. This also includes those electors who have changed their residence and desire their registration transferred from one voting precinct to another voting precinct within the city.

Application for Registration must be made personally by applicant. Saturday, August 27, 1938, is the last day for receiving registrations for said election.

On the last day of Registration, viz: August 27, 1938, the office will remain open until 8 o'clock p. m.

Oscar Peterson, City Clerk.

The operating room at the Community hospital at Douglas and also the utility room on the second floor have been redecorated and a new light has been ordered for the operating room, an addition which has been a real need.

George Van Koevoering of Zeeland and John Y. Huizinga of Holland township have been elected as additional members of the Ottawa County Harry S. Toy-for-Governor committee, according to Henry Cook, committee chairman. Russell Klaasen of this city has been elected treasurer and chairman of the finance committee, members of which are Corey Van Koevoering of Zeeland; and Russell Burton, Marvin Lambers, Tannis Den Uyl and Simon Hillebrand, all of Holland. Arrangements have been made for a Toy-for-Governor rally, to be held in this city in late August, at which Toy will appear as headline speaker.

V.F.W. News

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC AT FREDRICKS' BEACH

The Veterans of Foreign Wars held their annual picnic at Fredricks' Beach last Saturday afternoon. Over one hundred people attended. After a five-inning ball game between the Post and Auxiliary they all had time for a dip in Lake Michigan after which the games were started. The small boys and girls had a peanut scramble followed by a pop drinking contest, sucking through straws, for boys. Then old man sunshine tried to turn the Veterans down but the Veterans of Foreign Wars just couldn't be outdone. They say that every dark cloud has a silver lining. After a short wait in the rain, everybody packed up and the caravan started for the Veterans' Hall at River Ave. Then the picnic started anew. After a real, honest-to-goodness picnic supper, the games for men, women, boys and girls of all ages, shapes and sizes were run off. The most attractive game was one for men and women. The wives hung peanuts on the husbands' faces but excluding the hair on the head, or below their adam's apple. The prizes went to Mr. and Mrs. Harold West and to Mr. and Mrs. Shud Althuis. The first prize winners had 27; second 23. After this everyone enjoyed some community singing and shuffle games. Refreshments for the grown folk and the boys and girls were not lacking.

The picnic committee certainly did a good job of it. General chairman Gerrit Klompars was assisted by his committees of Paul W. John and Shud Althuis and other willing workers, Frank Jilison, Ben Ross, Nell Klompars, Marie Ros and Aurilia Althuis.

Our next regular meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 8 at 7:45 p. m. Ladies Auxiliary meets same evening in the G.A.R. Room, City Hall.

Our picnic was well attended and we surely had a fine turn-out. Our good pal Adolf was general chairman, and he showed us how to put on a real picnic. For further particulars look elsewhere in this issue. Although old man sunshine turned us down, Wajah came to the rescue and suggested that we have our picnic at the V. F. W. hall. Remember the old saying that every dark cloud has a silver lining. Away we went and our picnic turned out to be the biggest and best on record. Even Harold West showed us something new. His wife had him all trimmed up with peanuts. His eyes, ears, nose and tonsils and with peanuts here, there and everywhere, it was a good thing some manager of some zoo didn't see him. Good boy, Harold.

Glad to have Comrades Parsons and Clark with us again. Let's get them all out, fellows.

Comrade Sierns says he is head over heels in work on the farm, but half of the time he has to use a rowboat to get around.

We now have a double shuffle game up at the hall. All we need now is to start a shuffle league. Some of the fellows have a good start, but they won't be hard to beat.

Comrade Kolmar is now in Columbus, Ohio, at the Veterans of Foreign Wars National Convention.

Sure have a good set-up on our fun parties now. New cards and new chips and don't forget every Friday night at 8 p. m. Public invited.

The V.F.W. Auxiliary will hold a baked goods sale Saturday, Aug. 27, at the Home Furniture Store, starting at 9:30 a. m.

Expires Sept. 17—17367
STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, in and for the State of Michigan, do hereby certify that at a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in the said County, on the 18th day of August, A. D., 1938.

Present, Hon. Cora Vande Water, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Van Tubbergen, Deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court:

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 21st day of December, A. D., 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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.

Cora Vande Water, Judge of Probate.
A true copy:
Harriet Swart,
Register of Probate.

LATHAM WILL SPEAK SUNDAY



White Shirt Brigade Also to Have Part in Services

Lance B. Latham and the White Shirt brigade will be guests at Immanuel Church Sunday evening in the Armory.

Mr. Latham is the pastor of the North Side Gospel center, Chicago, and director of Camp Michidune at

Lake Harbor, Mich. He will speak at the service Sunday evening.

The White Shirt brigade, under direction of Mr. Latham, will render special sacred numbers.

On Sunday morning Rev. Charles F. Fields will occupy the pulpit of Immanuel Church.

CHURCH NEWS

CITY MISSION

51-53 E. 8th St.

Geo. W. Trotter, Supt.
Sat., 8 p. m.—Open Air Service on the lot east of Mission, Music by Brass Trio and Mrs. Helen Braell, and also testimonies.

Sunday, 1:30—Bible School.
At 2:30—Song, music, message and praise.

Sunday, 6:30—Junior Prayer Band.
At 7:30—Evangelistic Service. Special music. George Trotter will be the speaker.

Tuesday, 7:30—Special service. Speaker from Marantha Bible Conference.

Wednesday, 7:30—Young Peoples Fellowship Club.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Services in Warm Friend Tavern.
Sunday service, 10:30 A. M.
Subject: "CHRIST JESUS."
Wednesday Testimonial meeting, 8:00 P. M.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner Central Ave. and 10th St.
Woman's Literary Bldg.
10 A. M.—Morning Worship with a guest speaker.

11:20 A. M.—Bible School.
6:30 P. M.—A young people's meeting full of interest.
7:30 P. M.—Evening evangelistic service.

A stirring song service of songs that you love to sing begins the meeting. Special vocal numbers by Roger Kuiken. There will also be a guest speaker.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

August 28, 1938.

Eli—Responsibility for Others—
I Samuel 3:11-14; 12-18.

Henry Geerlings

Eli was the fourteenth in the list of fifteen judges who played a conspicuous part in the life and destiny of the twelve tribes after the death of Joshua and Caleb. He acted as judge over a period of forty years, and was eminent for piety and usefulness.

His sons took advantage of the absence of their father from home on spiritual missions, and developed along lines that threatened the religious life of all the people. Their behavior around the Tabernacle on public occasions was disreputable. When the father learned that his sons were sensual and morally incapable of leading the people into fellowship with God he rebuked them, but their habits had already been formed and they paid no attention to what he had to say. The saying that "they knew not the Lord" gives us a perfect picture of their character. They employed their official position for gain. They were the sons of Belial—wicked, profligate, and uncontrollable persons.

The lesson story shows how Eli, in spite of his honored place in the church, neglected his two sons. They turned out miserably. First he was busy with religious duties that he had no time for fatherly duties to his sons. Perhaps we can think of some parallels, fathers who are good church leaders but poor religious leaders for their children.

With the result that the children cannot take their places when they are too old to carry on. The outcome will be the same if fathers are as neglectful of their sons as was Eli. A father's religion is not everything, and being religious is not a guarantee that children will follow his footsteps. Eli was a very religious father, but without constructive influence for his boys.

Against the record of Eli's failure with his sons we place the shocking revelation of God to Samuel concerning their fate and the sad outcome for Eli. Samuel reported this revelation to Eli. His condemnation was based on his failure to train up his sons to keep them in the way of righteousness. This condemnation was not a general reference to Eli as a sinner. There was a specification for his laxness. He did try when it was too late. The complaint of the people urged him to call a halt on his sons, but they had gone too far and too fast to be halted by a father's belated warnings.

His sons had to walk a path unmarked by their father. We call them prodigal sons but God held Eli responsible for their waywardness and unfitness to succeed their father in the priesthood. Eli was one father who missed his chance.

While he was busy here and there doing the work of the Lord his sons got away from religious restraint and became vile. While being a public leader in religion, his home life was a failure religiously.

It is highly important that the home and the church should cooperate to accomplish the objectives of Christian education of children. They are plastic. They need guidance and profit from it. Work with children is fruitful and assuring. They are worthy of our efforts and they respond to such efforts.

Church and home should cooperate in the education of children because the educational program is continuous. The home supplements the church, and the church shares the responsibilities of the home. The home is an educational institution and wields a tremendous influence in molding the character of children and youth. The home should provide an educational atmosphere, give Christian instruction, and engage in Christian activities.

The task of being a father involves at least three factors. Fathers should love their children. Nature has largely cared for this matter. Fathers should understand their children. This involves sympathy, love, and persistent study to determine the right relationship to children. Fathers should educate and guide their children. They should make the necessary financial provision for the education and training of their children. A father owes it to his child to share companionship with him; to give the necessary advice; to guide in the pathway of life, and to set a proper example in the major relationship of human experience.

Expire Nov. 12
MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of certain mortgages signed and executed by Carl Shaw and Eva L. Shaw, his wife, as follows:

First: That mortgage dated October 10, 1914, to Martin Dykema of Holland, Michigan, as mortgagee, recorded on October 13, 1914, in Liber 111 of Mortgages, Page 531, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County;

and which said mortgage was duly assigned to Albert H. Meyer on October 25, 1919, by assignment recorded in said Register of Deeds' office on October 14, 1920, in Liber 97 of Mortgages, Page 464;

and which said mortgage was duly assigned to Fred Ter Haar and Mary Ter Haar, his wife, or to the survivor of either, on October 23, 1922, by assignment recorded in said Register of Deeds' office on October 26, 1922, in Liber 97 of Mortgages, Page 555.

Second: That mortgage dated April 16, 1923, to Fred Ter Haar and Mary Ter Haar, his wife, or to the survivor of either, of Holland, Michigan, as mortgagees, recorded on May 1, 1923, in said Register of Deeds' office, in Liber 140 of Mortgages, on Page 7.

Third: That mortgage dated June 29, 1927, to Thos. H. Marsilje of Holland, Michigan, as mortgagee, recorded on July 20, 1927, in Liber 136 of Mortgages, on Page 380, in the office of said Register of Deeds; and which said mortgage was duly assigned to Fred Ter Haar on January 14, 1928, by assignment recorded January 23, 1928, in Liber 141 of Mortgages, Page 228, in said Register of Deeds' office.

And whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgages has become operative, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debts secured by said mortgages, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on the date hereof the total sum of \$2,626.36 for principal and interest, composed by the amount due on the separate mortgages in the order set forth above, for principal and interest, First \$1,302.70; Second \$720.80; Third \$602.86, and attorney fees as provided in said mortgages;

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the statute and said power of sale in said mortgages contained, for the purpose of satisfying the sums due on said mortgages, the costs and charges of said sale, and any taxes and insurance premiums paid before the date of said sale by the mortgagee, or assignee, the said mortgages will be foreclosed by sale of the premises to the highest bidder at public auction on the 18th day of November, 1938, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the north front door of the court house in the City of Grand Haven, Michigan.

Said premises are described as follows:

The following described land and premises, situated in the City of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, viz: All that part of lots eleven and twelve in Block fourteen of the City of Holland, which is bounded by a line beginning at a point on the south line of said lot eleven, one hundred fifty feet east from the southwest corner of lot ten, in said block fourteen. Running thence east along the south line of said lots, fifty feet. Thence north to the north line of said lot twelve. Thence west fifty feet. Thence south to the place of beginning. Said premises are subject to easement for use of a passage or driveway reserved in deed given to John Van Alsbury and recorded in Liber 108, page 513, in Register's office. Dated August 24th, 1938.

FRED TER HAAR,
Surviving Assignee of Mortgages, and Surviving Mortgagee.
DIEKEMA, CROSS & TEN CATE,
Attorneys for Surviving Assignee of Mortgages and Surviving Mortgagee.
Business Address:
Holland, Michigan.

ZUTPHEN

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ensing and children and Harm Ensing of Forest Grove visited Mr. and Mrs. George Ensing and family on Sunday evening.

Henry Brower is seriously ill at his home.

Rev. Henry Rikkers, missionary from Ship Rock, New Mexico, will give a talk on his work, in the local church, next Sunday evening, August 28.

Miss Jemina Ensing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Ensing, won a beautiful gold watch in a contest recently.

Mr. Chas. Bosch accompanied by a group of young people motored to Eastmanville to conduct the services at the infirmary.

Local folk attended the De Vree reunion on Wednesday.

Dale Arts of Holland spent a few days with his cousin, Kenneth Arts, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Koopman and sons visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cornelia Patnos of Forest Grove.

The families of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Arts of Holland, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arts enjoyed a wiener roast Friday evening.

Student Rolf Veenstra conducted the services here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Harn and family of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. George Ensing on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Peter De Weerd visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sprick of Vriesland on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ensink attended the Meyers reunion in Johnston Park.

News was received here that Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Brower of Grandville are the proud parents of a daughter; and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuiper of Vriesland, a daughter. Mrs. Kuiper was Miss Gertrude Brink before her marriage.

WELL I SWAN

Around Shinnecock Bay on Long Island Sound there is a large flock of European swans. . . apparently they escaped from some Long Island estate and quickly reverted to their wild state. . . as is their wont.

FOR SALE—Gas range, Beautiful, de luxe model. Original cost, \$125.00. Used only short time; leaving city. Will sacrifice for cash. Telephone 3506, Holland. c 3133

FOR SALE—Good rebuilt Electric Washer. Phone 9576, Holland.

OFFICE WORK WANTED—Senior High School graduate wishes to obtain office work. Has had two years of typing and shorthand, and one year of bookkeeping; also some office experience. Write box J c/o News.

WANTED—To borrow \$5,000 or \$6,000 on downtown business property. Last Mortgage Address: Box 35 in care of the Holland City News.

FOR SALE—Team of horses, 10 and 11 years old, weight 2,500. Walter Pullen, 2 miles east of Allegan on M-118.

GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a General Primary Election will be held in the City of Holland, State of Michigan

ON
TUES., SEPT. 13, 1938

At the place or places of holding the Election in said City as indicated below, viz:

FIRST WARD—Lincoln School, Columbia Ave. and 11th St.

SECOND WARD—Second Story of Engine House, No. 1, 63 West 8th St.

THIRD WARD—G. A. R. Room, Basement Floor, City Hall, Cor. River Ave. and 11th St.

FOURTH WARD—Washington School, Cor. Maple and 11th St.

FIFTH WARD—1st. Precinct—Polling Place, College and 19th St.
2nd. Precinct—Longfellow School, 24th St.

SIXTH WARD—Van Raalte Ave. School House, Van Raalte Ave. between 19th and 20th Sts.

For the purpose of placing in Nomination by all Political parties participating therein, Candidates for the following Offices, viz:

STATE
Governor, Lieutenant Governor.

CONGRESSIONAL
Representative in Congress.

LEGISLATIVE
Senator, Representative.

COUNTY
Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Auditor in Counties electing same, Circuit Court Commissioners, Drain Commissioner, Coroners, Surveyor, and such other Officers as may be nominated at that time.

THE POLLS of said election will be open 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 6 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

OSCAR PETERSON, City Clerk

Notice of

Special Election

FOR PROPERTY OWNERS

Notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held in the several wards and precincts in the City of Holland in conjunction with the General Primary Election on Tuesday, Sept. 13, 1938 for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition:

Shall the City of Holland raise by loan the sum of Eighty-five Thousand (\$85,000.00) Dollars to be used for the purpose of constructing a combined Library and Museum building as a P.W.A. project on property owned by the City and

Shall the bonds of the City of Holland in the total amount of \$85,000.00 be issued therefor and to be payable as follows:

Bond No's. 1 to 4, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1939
Bond No's. 5 to 8, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1940
Bond No's. 9 to 12, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1941
Bond No's. 13 to 16, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1942
Bond No's. 17 to 20, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1943
Bond No's. 21 to 24, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1944
Bond No's. 25 to 28, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1945
Bond No's. 29 to 32, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1946
Bond No's. 33 to 36, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1947
Bond No's. 37 to 40, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1948
Bond No's. 41 to 44, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1949
Bond No's. 45 to 48, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1950
Bond No's. 49 to 52, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1951
Bond No's. 53 to 56, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1952
Bond No's. 57 to 60, inclusive, amounting to \$4,000.00 Aug. 1, 1953
Bond No's. 61 to 64, inclusive, amounting to \$5,000.00 Aug. 1, 1954
Bond No's. 65 to 68, inclusive, amounting to \$5,000.00 Aug. 1, 1955
Bond No's. 69 to 72, inclusive, amounting to \$5,000.00 Aug. 1, 1956
Bond No's. 73 to 77, inclusive, amounting to \$5,000.00 Aug. 1, 1957
Bond No's. 78 to 83, inclusive, amounting to \$5,000.00 Aug. 1, 1958

together with interest at a rate fixed by the purchaser, but not to exceed 4% per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of February and August of each year?

☐ Yes

☐ No

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Where we will be pleased to meet all old and new friends.

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Corner River and Eighth Holland, Mich.

SALE NOW THROUGH SATURDAY

Pint Milk of Magnesia	14c
\$1.00 Mar-o-oil Shampoo	57c
35c Freezone for Corns	21c
60c Bayer's Diapiesin	39c
\$1.25 Moon's Emerald Oil	82c
25c Barbasol Shaving Cream	15c
75c Acidine Stomach Powder	46c
60c Peterman's Discovery	39c
\$1.00 Danderine for the hair	63c

Tobacco Sale

5c Cigars 2 for 7c
[with exceptions]
All 10c Tobaccos

— 2 for 15c

AT OUR FOUNTAIN

Pint
Orange Sherbet
FREE
with quart ice cream 25c

LOCAL NEWS

Attorney Oren S. Cross of Holland was in Grand Rapids Wednesday evening where he attended a meeting of the Kent County bar association.

Cecil L. Seery was named alternate grand juror and George S. Everhart, grand juror, of the Forty and Eight, at the state American Legion convention which concluded in Battle Creek last Saturday evening. Both men are of this city.

Guest pastor at Trinity Reformed church this Sunday will be the Rev. Jacob Prins, pastor of Immanuel Reformed church of Grand Rapids. The Rev. Henry D. Terkeurst is pastor of the local church.

Mrs. George Ter Haar of Chicago and Mrs. Henry Kammeraad of Waukegan were joint hostesses Friday afternoon at a pot-luck dinner presented at the former's home. Following the dinner, the afternoon was spent in playing games. Attending the affair were the following: Mrs. Simon Pool and daughter, Corrine, Mrs. Dick Plag, Mrs. Robert Pool and son, Lee, Richard, Mrs. Robert Evenhuis and son, John, Mrs. Richard Evenhuis and son, James, Mrs. Gertrude Mulder, Mrs. Anna Ruth Nienhuis and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pelton and granddaughter, Dorothy, Mrs. Al Lampen and son, Edgar, Mrs. Peter De Kraker and daughters, Edith, Joan and Lotie, Mrs. George Deur, Mrs. Pat Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. H. Boeve, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bousman of Kalamazoo, Mrs. Amos of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Ed Evenhuis, Mrs. Borgman, Mrs. Henry Grotenhuis and Mrs. Kate Cloeting.

Funeral services will be held today, Friday at 1:30 p. m. from the home, a mile south of Jamestown, and at 2 p. m. from Jamestown Reformed church, for Mrs. John Meyer, to whom death came suddenly Tuesday after she had celebrated her 40th birthday anniversary Monday. The Rev. Peter De Jong will officiate at the services, with interment following in Forest Grove cemetery. Survivors include the husband and two sisters, Mrs. Peter J. Hoeve of Forest Grove and Mrs. Arnold Brower of Grandville.

His seventh birthday anniversary was celebrated at his home on rural route No. 6, last Monday evening by Howard J. Van Voorst. Present at the affair besides the honor guest, were Mr. and Mrs. George Slager, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fought and son, Warren Lee; Mr. and Mrs. An-

The Midway Mobilgas station on the Holland-Zeeland highway will hold its grand opening this Saturday, August 27. Cigars and candy will be given free to all customers on opening day. Miss Dorothy Geerlings will be operator of the station.

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS—

Kelvinator Refrigerator
Estate Gas Range
Oak Breakfast Set
Walnut Book Case
Lloyd Baby Carriage
Walnut Desk
Porch Glider
Chairs and Rugs
Every piece priced for quick sale—

JERRY HOUTING
42 East 21st Street

draw Slager and sons; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slager, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Voorst, Misses Frances and Cornelia Van Voorst, and Bob and Elaine Van Voorst.

Their silver wedding anniversary was celebrated last Wednesday night at their home in Oakland by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown. Psalms and hymns were sung and prayer was offered by the Rev. Kalkman. The honor guests received many gifts from the group. Games were played, and a two-course luncheon was served to the guests, among whom were the Rev. Kalkman, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brower and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Schipper and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Bremer and Marvin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berens and Gerrit Berens, Mr. and Mrs. Herm Brower and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Brower and children, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Harm Berens, Mr. and Mrs. John Hulst, Sr., Mrs. A. Sneller, Mr. and Mrs. John Berens and Miss Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brower and Miss Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brower, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brower.

Eminent Divine and Educator Dies at 63 Years

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present to hear co-workers of Dr. Nettinga pay him glowing tribute for the services he had rendered during his lifetime.

Speakers included the Rev. William Van't Hof, pastor of Third Reformed church—the church attended by Dr. Nettinga—who read scripture passages; Dr. John R. Mulder of Western Theological Seminary, who pronounced the invocation and the benediction; Dr. Wynand Wichers, president of Hope College, and affiliate of Dr. Nettinga in the field of education, who spoke on the school relations of the deceased; Dr. Albertus Pieters of the local Seminary, who preached the funeral sermon; and Dr. J. Harvey Murphy of Hudson, N. Y., president of General Synod, who spoke as representative of synod, as well as a personal acquaintance of Dr. Nettinga.

Miss Martha Barkema rendered two vocal solos at the service, "Rock of Ages" and "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled." Mr. Osborn, serving as accompanist for both selections. Funeral arrangements were according to Dr. Nettinga's requests to his family prior to his death. Fellow faculty members of Dr. Nettinga at the local seminary attended the services in a body. Pallbearers were ministers who at one time were members of classes taught by Dr. Nettinga in the seminary. They were the Revs. Peter Muijskens of Beaverdam; Cornelius Vander Naald of Grand Rapids; Jake Prins of Grand Rapids; H. W. Pyle of Overisel; William Hilmer of Grand Rapids; and Spencer De Jonge of Spring Lake. Dr. Wichers, in his address, stated, "Dr. Nettinga has achieved the respect of the whole denomination. He was a man of great human understanding and was loved and beloved from the east to the west. We need no eulogy, but we must be reminded of the appreciation of his worth. Dr. Nettinga was worthy of any generation. That which he contributed is living today. Today, a new star shines among the immortals."

Dr. Pieters took as the text of his sermon John 5:35: "He was a burning and a shining light; and ye were willing for a season to rejoice in his light." Dr. Nettinga was one of these lights, sent from God to enlighten our age. Dr. Pieters pointed out, "He has been with us for a season, from whom shone forth, as from an unsullied reflector, the love of Jesus Christ." Continuing his figure, the speaker pointed out that the rays, as reflected in the deceased were the rays of regeneration, Written Revelation, Reformed theology, and history, respectively. "The entire Church rejoiced in him," Dr. Pieters concluded, pointing out that the same text he used for Dr. Nettinga's funeral address had been used previously at the funeral of the speaker's grandfather, the late James F. Zwemer.

Dr. Murphy, speaking as an intimate friend of the family, paid tribute to Dr. Nettinga's spirit of hope, courage, fortitude, and sacrifice, in spite of obstacles, difficulties, disappointments and problems. "Man is made not for time, but for eternity," Dr. Murphy added. "His element is the Infinite. Dr. Nettinga's soul has returned to God who gave it. His goal of life has been reached."

Following the singing of "How Firm a Foundation" by the audience, as Dr. Nettinga had requested, Dr. Mulder pronounced the benediction. Dr. Jacob Vandermeulen of the Western Theological seminary faculty pronounced the committal at the grave.

The Lievensse bowling alleys at Central Ave. and Ninth St. are being reconditioned for the current bowling season, according to Ben Lievensse, proprietor of the establishment. The opening date of the current season will be Sept. 10. The city's bowling leagues already list several entries and others are requested to file intention of entry with Garry J. Batema, manager, as soon as possible. The repair work is being done at the alleys by two mechanical experts of the Brunswick Balke Colender Co. of Detroit. The alleys are being sanded, resurfaced, and otherwise improved, Mr. Lievensse pointed out.

The steamer, Ben E. Tate, of the Paisley Steamship company, discharged 2,500 tons of coal on the Grand Haven Fuel and Dock company dock yesterday. The company expects another load before the season closes. The Tate arrived at 4 p. m. and departed about 9 p. m.

Meetings of the Republican club which was organized last Tuesday evening in Ganges will be held each Tuesday evening. Officers elected at the meeting last Tuesday were: president, Lloyd Darling; vice president, Waldo Phelps; secretary, Harry McCarthy; treasurer, Kirby Gooding. Board of directors: members include Lloyd Goodrich, Harry Hutchins, Eugene Moses, Claude Rogers, and Erwin Kasten.

HOLLAND FIRMS RECIPIENTS OF FINE CONTRACTS

Van Dyke and Voelker, Holland contractors, were announced this week as low bidders for the construction of a new bathhouse and concession at Grand Haven state park. The local firm bid \$48,179, which is \$2,000 less than the estimate of the architect who submitted plans for the project. Announcement of the low bid was made August 22 by the state budget division of PWA, under which government agency a grant was awarded the project. Peter Stekette of Holland was low on electrical work, while O. J. Dykman of Grand Rapids presented low bid on plumbing.

Buildings will be of steel, stone, redwood, and a fabricated material. A pavilion will be included in the project, as will superintendents' quarters, minnow tanks, toilet, shower, and medicated tank facilities.

STATE SENATOR IS GUEST OF REPRESENTATIVE MILES

Mr. Edward H. Fehling of St. John, State Senator from the 15th District of Michigan, was the guest of State Representative Nelson A. Miles of Holland. Mr. Fehling is a candidate for the nomination of Lieutenant Governor, and Attorney Miles introduced the man from St.



MR. EDWARD H. FEHLING

John to several friends and business men in this city today. Mr. Miles has had close association with the state senator, and they were often in collaboration on state measures at the last session of the Michigan legislature. Mr. Miles is a candidate for re-election for Representative of Ottawa County.

OLLIE'S SPORT SHOP NOW IN NEW LOCATION

Ollie's Sport Shop, together with Brad's Barber Shop, can now be found in their new location across the street from where they were located for a good many years. The location is 7 West 8th Street, Holland, and the building was formerly occupied by Beuhler's Market. Ollie Harris, manager, and Jake Lievensse, secretary and treasurer, extend an invitation to their former patrons and citizens of Holland and vicinity to look over their newly-remodeled sports store, which is indeed very inviting.

"MOTHER, WHAT'S DIPHTHERIA?"



Few children today know the full significance of the word diphtheria, but most of us recall when it was a fearful scourge that took a tremendous toll among children a generation ago. Scientific research, and popular cooperation has virtually wiped out that scourge, and it is for you to do your part in keeping it at bay. Have your child inoculated against diphtheria before the new school term opens, both for his own immunity and as a contribution to public health.

YONKER'S DRUG STORE

The Rexall Store

20 West 8th St.—Holland, Mich.

HOLLAND FURNISHES POWER FOR DREDGE WHEN TURBINES FAIL

The city will furnish electric power to the Lyons Construction Co. dredge Progress for the next several weeks. The company, which was dredging out a turning basin and deepening the harbor was forced to cease operations several days when the dredge's electric turbines failed. It will require several weeks to make repairs.

The board of public works, under the direction of Supt. Abe Nauta, installed transformers on a barge. Lines on poles attached to pontoons carry power to the dredge.

Week end guests of Mrs. J. D. Kanters were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd M. Kanters of Waukegan, Wis. The Hamilton Beach, Canada.

REPUBLICAN WOMEN HOLD MEETING

The Holland Republican Women's Club held their meeting Tuesday, August 23, at 2:30 p. m. in the Woman's Literary Club building. Mrs. Charles McBride, president of the club, presided. Dr. R. E. Liebers of Albion College and Mr. William Wilds, Ottawa County Clerk of Grand Haven, addressed the meeting. Dr. Liebers brought greetings from the Republican State Central Committee in Lansing.

People in Michigan must be awakened to the deplorable state of affairs, the speaker contended. We must study, know, and interest ourselves in the government and

must work to accomplish our aim. If the candidates are all right, then politics will be all right. Dr. Liebers stressed that there are facts that we should work for. They are: defend our constitution; let us make free America of people who are un-American; work for adequate relief; and balance the budget.

The new election law passed by the 1937 legislature was explained by Mr. Wilds. He said it will not be necessary to declare yourself when you vote. You will receive a ballot for each party, exactly alike in color of paper, size and printing, fastened together. In the booth you will detach the ballot of the party for which you wish to vote, and from that list of candidates you will select your preference for the various offices. You will then hand the ballot you wish to place it in the ballot box. You cannot split your ticket. The ballot must not be opened outside of the booth, making your vote void.

The Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Telling, read the constitution of the Club, which had been drawn up, giving the aims and purposes of the organization. The time limit of registration was announced as August 27.

HAMILTON

Mrs. Edward Miskotten, Eleanor Miskotten, Mrs. Joe Lugten, and Mrs. Harold Lugten spent Wednesday at Douglas Beach. Miss Eunice Hagelkamp of Grand Rapids spent the week end with her parents here. Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Hamelin are spending their vacation in

Northern Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Billings and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Eukendall of Kalamazoo spent last Wednesday evening at a beach party. Master Chester Hulst is spending a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lugten. Mr. and Mrs. George Schutmaat and family returned Monday night from a Northern Michigan trip. Mr. and Mrs. George Jacobusse, Jr., and daughters of Chicago, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Jacobusse, Sr., last week. Master Ronald Kaper submitted to a tonsillectomy at the Holland hospital last Friday.

Rev. Gerrit Koyker of Greybull, Wyo., conducted the Sunday services in the American Reformed church on Sunday.

Rev. H. De Pree, missionary to China, conducted the Sunday evening service in the First Reformed church.

Norma Jean Kempfers had as her guest Glenne Kieles of Holland last week. Mrs. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kool were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cornie Fisher at Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Koolker, Virginia and Gwendolyn Koolker, Mrs. Geo. Huizinga, Mr. Gerrit Koyker, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Du Mes and Mr. and Mrs. John Haakma and daughter, Connie, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Koolker and daughter, Joyce. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schaap and family were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ten Brink. Rev. and Mrs. Ed Tanis and family returned to their home in Waupun, Wis., on Tuesday.

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SCRATCH \$1.50

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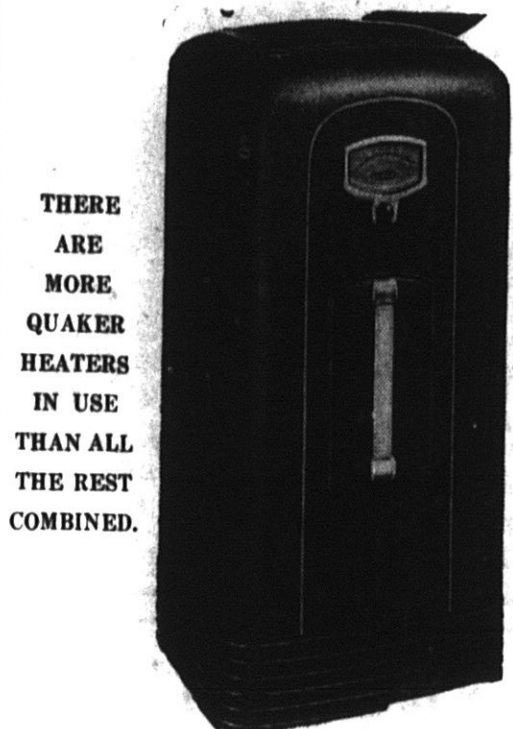
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Development Of
Recreational
Programs HereLEON MOODY THE SECRETARY
GIVES THE HIGHLIGHTSHistory of Playground Operations
Covers Nine Years

Recreation is a very important word to Leon Moody of our Public Schools. It is his everyday work, but he has also found time enough to think of the city as a whole, and with the other members has played an important part in developing recreational programs for the entire community.

These recreational features were begun nine years ago, and there has been some tremendous development in that short period; however, there is still room for improvement and enlargement. In an interview Mr. Moody recites at least a part of the history of this phase of living in our community.

Recreation has been a part of the life of peoples in various phases since time was. The field of development to the Greeks and Romans was through athletics and through art. The early American Indians had their form of recreation.

Modern civilization has learned to a degree at least, that empty minds will soon fill with something, and idle hands will soon become active either constructive or destructive. It is further discovering that it is much more profitable to keep opportunity in the open for little hands and old to keep busy, rather than to catch them and force them into confinement for wrong activity.

Agitation for a recreation program in Holland varied for several years. The Lions Club put on a program for equipment at Kollen Park, and in March, 1929, a commission was formed for the express purpose of guiding a recreation program for Holland.

The plan of organization included active participation by both city and public schools. Two members of the commission were appointed from the council, two from the Board of Education and two citizens at large. The first commission consisted of Dr. A. Leenhouts, Geo. Mooi, Andrew Hyma, Henry Te Roller, Al E. Van Lente, C. J. McLean, Henry Vander Schel, with Leon Moody as secretary and director of the program. This plan of organization proved workable and still maintains though the personnel has varied through the years.

The program was and still is financed by the city and board of education. Beside about one third of the financial aid the Board of Education furnishes school grounds and apparatus for use of recreation groups and the gymnasium after 6 p. m. during the winter months when not required for school programs.

Permanent improvements like horseshoe courts, tennis courts, shuffle board courts, etc. are built from special appropriations by the city. The tennis courts were both W.P.A. projects. Each court represents about \$800 and they are placed in batteries so when the tennis season is over they can easily be converted into ice skating areas. This proved to be a very popular addition last year and with the new area at 13th and Columbia, skaters should enjoy a great season.

Some folks have suggested roller skating, but this cannot be tolerated because of the chipping of the seams in the concrete by roller skates, which ruins it for tennis.

The tennis program has been arranged so that children can use courts during the day, but after supper, or 6 p. m., adults have first right since this is the only time of the courts' use. Persons using tennis courts, shuffle board courts and horseshoe courts are expected to furnish their own equipment outside of tennis nets which are furnished by the city. The commission does own a picnic kit containing 2 sets of horseshoes, volley ball and net, softball and bats, which it loans to reliable parties for picnics. They can be obtained from Mr. Moody. Eleven groups have made use of this service since July 1 of this year.

The program has varied some during the nine years of its operation. In 1929 swimming at Kollen Park was sponsored and was a very popular activity and the question is often asked, why not now? The answer is simply that each year over a period of years the water has been found unfit for bathing by the State Health Department. Beside Kollen Park, Longfellow and Lincoln school grounds were used for organized programs. The north side center at second street has been used and found helpful though too small for extensive activity.

The present program includes Northside, Lincoln, Longfellow, Van Raalte, and Washington school grounds; Riverview Park, 19th St. baseball diamonds, 19th St. softball diamonds, 21st and Pine softball, 22nd and Maple softball, 10 tennis courts at 13th and Columbia, shown in picture above, and our latest completed project. Six shuffle board courts located with tennis courts; and six lighted horseshoe courts located as follows: 12th and Columbia Alley, 15th and Van Raalte, 19th and Washington Blvd., 24th and State, East 9th St. alley and 19th St., across from ball diamond; some others have been located in different parts of city but from misuse and lack of use have been discontinued.

For the children an eight-week program is furnished. It consists of handicraft projects in leather, wood paper, cloth, glass painting, picture framing and the like, beside games and athletic competition. This is a morning program from 9 a. m. to noon for eight weeks. When asked what specific things were made this summer, Mr. Moody answered, "76 coin purses from leather, 389 pictures

framed, about 200 coping saw projects, about 200 vases (painted bottles) of various shapes, and many, many paper projects from magazines and tissue paper. One especially enjoyed by the children is the scrapbooks made each year to send to the children's hospital at Ann Arbor. Suitable pictures are cut from magazines and combined into a fine scrapbook. The Lincoln grounds this year wanted to include the children's ward in our own hospital so their project goes to that.

Special days are scheduled for features which include all children shows, dress-up days and the like add new interest and a spirit of good fellowship. On these special days prizes are offered for unusual showings, such as largest family of dolls, best dressed doll, clothing made by girl showing doll, unusual pets, largest pet, smallest pet, and so on.

Some of the problems of putting on a lively recreational program includes, first of all, finding people who really attract children to them so they can lead and not have to drive. "We find many skilled folk," Mr. Moody says, "but few who really are natural leaders for children." Another problem is, "to get folks to use things and leave intact for others to use—to use rather than misuse."

Holland's recreation program has had some high spots from the public improvement angle. In June, 1933, we began planning for the lighting system which materialized in 1937, a project made possible by real cooperation of the city of Holland, Hope College, the public schools, and individuals interested. This project was planned as a self-liquidating proposition and it is believed it will do so in five years or less.

A battery of ten tennis courts is another highlight in permanent building for the city's future and with this year's addition of four courts the city should feel a keen pride in these fine projects. There are always people behind the scenes who do a lot for movements, but because of the nature of things are not in the spotlight of the movements. One such in these projects is our City Engineer, Jacob Zuidema, and his assistant, Louis Dalman. Mr. Moody stated that looking ahead the commission still has hopes of some acceptable solution of the swimming problem and further balancing of permanent improvements in various sections of the city. Of the original staff of recreation instructors, three are still active, Ed Damson, Lucille (Lindley) Donivan, and Leon Moody as director of the program.

The Commission membership is composed of Geo. Damson, president; Geo. Mooi, treasurer; Al E. Van Lente, Andrew Klompans, Andrew Hyma, Henry Vander Schel, Jacob Zuidema, Louis Dalman, Ed Brouwer and Leon Moody, secretary.

The Rev. and Mrs. Francis P. Ihman and family have returned to their home at Racine, Wis., after they had spent two weeks in the city.

Harry Harrington, manager of the Austin Harrington Coal Co., Tuesday attended the sessions of the Michigan Retail Coal Merchants' association at Lansing. Harrington was the only Holland coal merchant to attend the annual convention.

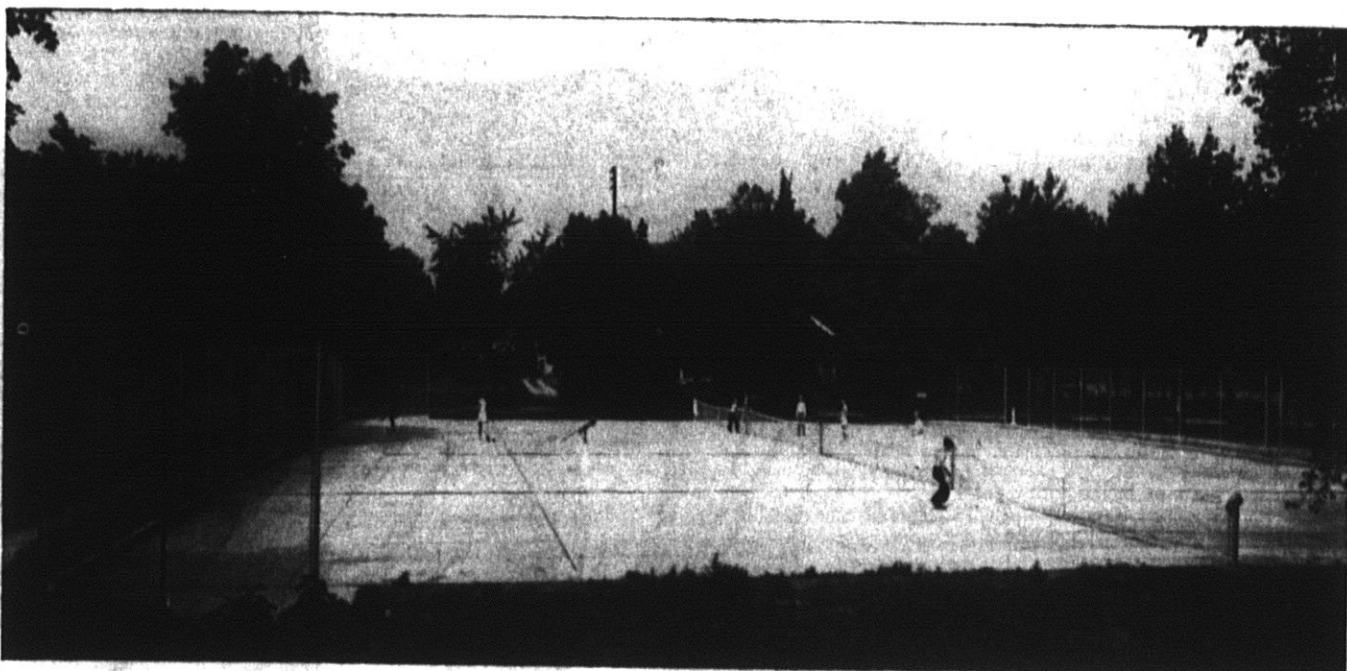
Application for a building permit has been made with City Clerk Oscar Peterson by Mrs. Maud Horning, 424 Central Ave., who desires to re-roof her home at an estimated cost of \$126.

Warner and Gerrit De Leeuw, West 17th St., are attending the annual convention of the League of Reformed Young Men's Societies in Chicago this week.

Miss Faith McCormick of Erie, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Jay H. Den Herder of Tennessee Beach motored to Detroit Tuesday.

Re-registration of voters will take place at the office of City Clerk Oscar Peterson each day this week until 5:30 p. m., and next Saturday, the deadline for Sept. 13 primary, until 8 p. m.

Holland's Latest Playground Development Is At Columbia Park



The above picture shows the completed tennis and shuffle board courts at what is known as Columbia Park. It is doubtful whether many people knew just what this piece of ground, west of the Gas Company plant was really named. Undoubtedly, there are few who knew that this site was the property of the city. Holland has done very little toward developing this park during the last 35 years, aside from planting some trees. Today, however, it is a fine recreational field, the building of which was started on May 6 and finished on July 20, under the supervision of city engineer, Jacob Zuidema and

his assistant, Louis Dalman. The project was WPA, and the site contains four full-sized tennis courts, built with reinforced concrete with wire mesh nets which is new and durable. The government furnished the unskilled labor, 25 men being employed during the two months of building. The city of Holland furnished the men who finished the job, 7 in all. The entire project cost the government and the city approximately \$6,000, the government furnishing \$250 toward material and \$2,500 for labor. The city's total cost is \$3,276 for labor and material. The shuffle boards spoken of are 6

feet by 52 feet. The equipment for shuffle boards used for playing must be furnished by the individuals themselves. The city was compelled to do this for the reason that the equipment was often lost or broken and the expense became prohibitive. When young folk bring their own play material it is considered better taken care of. Some four months ago the tennis courts were sponsored by the two first ward aldermen, namely, Prins and Kleis. They felt that this ward was rather poorly taken care of as this relates to recreational field. They brought the matter to the attention of the Mayor and the aldermen, and the plans as given

above were worked out, receiving the unanimous support of the "city fathers." Now the substantial playground has become a fact.

Much credit must be given to the city engineer and his assistant for a thorough job, and to "never stretch, sag, warp, tear, or rot, nor does it injure tennis balls." Carl is also responsible for the link-chain fencing, all evident in the picture. Mr. Swift of this city is a representative of the Flex-Link Company who manufactures the product that goes into the metallic features in a recreational grounds such as the one installed at Columbia Park.

OTTER IS REPORTED SEEN IN
CROCKERY CREEK, OTTAWA
COUNTY

An otter, rare fur bearing animal in this part of the country, was reported to have been seen a few days ago in Crockery creek, Ottawa county, by Fred Bethke.

He said he was with August Berg and Charles Merkins, all employed by the Ottawa County Road commission, near the bridge, one mile south of Nunica, which was being repaired. They all saw the little animal slide off the bank into the water.

Mr. Bethke said he had not heard of an otter being seen in this part of the country in 30 years or more. The editor of the News saw an otter glide into a stream northeast of Vriesland four years ago, showing there are a few in this country.

LET'S CATTLE OUT,
CUTS BINDER TWINE,
FARM HAND JAILED

G. Edge, farm hand, pleaded guilty today to willful destruction of property of the Stanley Zonick farm near Marne, Ottawa County, where he had worked. Edge told Justice George V. Hoffer he had been drinking. He did not know why he opened a pasture to let cattle out, smashed a tractor headlight, and cut a quantity of binder twine, he said. Edge was sentenced to pay \$50 fine, \$8 costs and serve 10 days in the county jail with 50 days additional if the fine and costs are unpaid. He had not raised the money today. Edge was arrested by the Ottawa County sheriff's department.

Mrs. Elizabeth Van't Hull, 80, died at Hackley hospital, Muskegon, Monday afternoon from complications resulting from a broken hip she suffered about a month ago. Survivors are three sons, Ralph and William Martinus of this city, Henry Martinus of Grand Rapids; three daughters, Mrs. Martin Wiersma of rural route No. 4, Holland, Mrs. Jennie Baird of Rockford, and Mrs. Martha Grass of Zeeland; 26 grandchildren, and 7 great grandchildren. Funeral services were held today from the Ralph Martinus home at 1:30 p. m. and at 2 p. m. from Seventh Reformed church, the Rev. Paul Van Eerden officiating.

Born August 18 at Holland hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Stegink, 344 West 19th St., a daughter; also at Holland hospital: on August 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boeve, rural route No. 6, a son; and to Mr. and Mrs. Martin De Graaf, 130 East 17th St., a son.

The following Holland girls have returned to their homes following a week's stay on a house party at Maple Beach: the Misses Gertrude Jalving, Doris Venhuizen, Charlotte Langeland, Rose Vander Schel, Hazel Meuwisen, and Frances Dornbos.

It Happens On Every Holiday Trip!

Surfboat Tips
Over Two Times
But Saves Yacht

Grand Haven Coast Guard in Thrilling Rescue of Sailboat in Lake

The most sensational coast guard rescue made off Grand Haven harbor in many years occurred a few days ago about 1,000 feet south of the south pier, when the 25-foot sloop "Pen" was towed off the beach. Her owner, E. J. O'Hara, and his wife, from Miami Beach, Fla., were aboard but were unharmed.

Three times the guardsmen attempted to get a line from the power surfboat to the sloop by means of the coast guard skiff, a smaller boat, as the sloop was so close to shore the big power boat could not be used.

The first time the skiff capsized and the two guards were hurled into the terrific surf which was pounding. They were nearly exhausted as they finally got back to shore. A second attempt was made and again the skiff capsized. The third time, after the sea quieted a little, the guardsmen were successful and the line was made fast from the sloop to the power boat.

Every man in the crew was brought to the south shore with the exception of the lookout, Thomas Laird, veteran of many years, as No. 1, was in charge in the absence of Boatswain Harrison Haas who is on leave. Mrs. O'Hara was taken off the sloop into the lifeboat and was brought to the Ferry hotel to recuperate. The sloop was sighted by the lookout at 2:45 a. m. as the skipper attempted to get into port. Because he ran out of gasoline the boat was beached ashore. It struck near the pier that was formerly used at the north end of the Oval for speed boats, and it was partially drawn off the piles when it was drawn off.

O'Hara told the guardsmen that he had no time to get the sails up and his anchor dragged until the sloop beached. The boat was towed to the Barrett boat works where it will be gone over, as it was taking in water badly and it is believed the hull is damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Hara have been resorting at Manistee and were en route from Manistee to Chicago.

"SALES MEAN JOBS" PICTURE
AT TAVERN

A preview showing of a sound motion picture on Salesmanship will be presented to members of the "Sales Mean Jobs" Crusade committee at 1:30 p. m., Tuesday, August 30, according to an announcement made by Charles R. (Sales Mean Jobs) Sligh. The picture will be shown in the ballroom of the Warm Friend Tavern. Possibilities are that the film may be shown to the general public at a later date.

DEADLINE FOR HALF-YEAR
PLATES NEAR

Bertal Slagh of the lower Ottawa county auto license bureau says that the use of the black and white colored half-year auto license plates will be illegal after midnight August 31, 1938 advises Leon D. Case, Secretary of State. All motor vehicles operating in the state after that date must be equipped with the green and black colored full-year plates which will be legal to use until February 28, 1939.

The Secretary of State points out that he has no discretionary power to extend the date permitting the use of half-year plates beyond August 31, 1938, the time limit having been established by statute.

The Secretary of State estimates that approximately 450,000 Michigan motorists are still operating their cars on half-year plates.

Bluegill's Eggs
Hatch in a Day

"Bluegill eggs hatch in a few hours after they are laid," says John L. Brass, district supervisor of the Hastings hatchery. "At normal water temperatures only 24 to 36 hours are required."

Brass says that the food sac of bluegill fry is very small, and within a few hours after hatching the fry rise from the beds. Bluegills make their "beds" on the edge of lakes and spawn in colonies. Sometimes the boundaries of their beds overlap.

Their choice of spawning ground is gravel and sand in lakes where this kind of bottom soil is available in shallow water. In lakes with a mud or marl bottom, they do the best they can with the material at hand.

Bedding places are chosen by the male fish, who "fans out" the bed with his tail and belly fins until the pebbles are clear. Brass says that he has seen beds in muddy bottom lakes which were excavated to a depth of four inches, fully two and a half feet in diameter, in an effort to clean a bed suitable for receiving the eggs.

The same bed may be used by different fish time after time. Each time, however, the fanning and cleaning operation is repeated by the new home builder. Fish spawn at night as well as during the day.

HELD FOR TRIAL CHARGED
VIOLATION POSTAL LAWS

Agnes Bondran, Grand Rapids, was brought to the Ottawa county jail where she will be held for trial in federal court, charged with sending obscene literature through the mails. She was bound to the federal court on \$1,000 bail.

With a recommendation for probation, David W. Raffenaud, 21, West 16th St., was found guilty to a charge of operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor by a jury, in court of Justice of Peace Raymond L. Smith, Tuesday morning. Raffenaud paid a fine and costs totaling \$78.35, was ordered to probation for six months, had his driver's license revoked for a year, and made arrangements to pay for a light post which it is alleged he struck while driving on North River Ave.

Application for a PWA grant on the proposed new million and a half dollar municipal light and water plant was filed with PWA officials in Chicago, Tuesday, by City Attorney Elbert Parsons, Charles Vos, assistant superintendent of the Board of Public Works, and Consulting Engineer Charles A. Hamilton of Grand Rapids. The application, upon certification by Chicago officials, was sent to Washington, D. C., to receive final approval from federal PWA officials there.

The 11th annual Nienhuis family reunion will be held at Hofman Memorial Park, 1 1/4 miles east of the cement-block schoolhouse, located three miles north of the junction of M-50 and U.S.-31, Labor Day, Sept. 5, 1938. Games, a short program, and dinner and supper will be featured.

First Meeting
Held Under The
New Secretary

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MAY
ORGANIZE A JUNIOR
CHAMBER SIMILAR TO
THOSE IN OTHER
CITIES

Mr. Stephan, New Director, says
Fine Things About
Industry

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce called by the president, Vaudie Vandenburg, secretary manager E. P. Stephan, presented a 21-point program which was unanimously adopted by the Board. The 4 propositions suggested by the Sec. Manager were: change headquarters to a ground floor location; Regular monthly meetings of the Board, and every member urged to attend; The matter of adequate dues; the revision of the Constitution and by-laws. The matter of changing headquarters was referred to the President and Secretary with power to act. The other 3 propositions were referred to other committees comprised of Alfred C. Joldersma, E. P. Stephan, and City Attorney Parsons.

There was also brought before the Board the advisability of organizing a Junior Chamber of Commerce. This was thoroughly discussed and met with the unanimous approval of the Board.

A Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce is a project which has had the ardent support of a group of young local business men for some time in the past. Similar bodies have been organized in other cities with marked success, the reporting committee told members of the board. John De Wilde, Joe Kramer and A. Klompans were appointed as a committee to map out plans and proceed to report at the next meeting.

Thursday's meeting was Mr. Stephan's initial meeting with the board in his official capacity as secretary-manager of the local organization. Mr. Stephan prepared an official message, entitled, "Why a Chamber of Commerce," to board members at this session.

Mr. Stephan dealt with the necessary functions of a Chamber of Commerce, civic needs, with police and fire protection, education, welfare needs, recreational features, our tulips, and last but not least, he stressed our industrial activities. While he could not mention the more than two score of industries located here by name, he referred to our industrial set-up in a flattering way and two of our leading plants, publishing Holland through-out the nation, to them he gave special mention. A complete report of Mr. Stephan, the new Secretary-Manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce follows below:

WHY A CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE?

In every city there is due provision made for the conservation of public health, for fire and police protection, for the function of education, for the proper upkeep of our streets, and the regulation of traffic. Aside from charter provisions, the religious life of the community is looked after by private organizations which are centuries old, and which may be expected to properly conserve these elements in which they are so vitally interested, and which promote the morality so essential to the stability of a free people.

The business, commercial, financial and professional life of the community is not provided for in the corporate charter, and should not be. We believe in free individual enterprise as the keystone of sound prosperity. However, we all go forward faster and more surely, when we pull together; when by mutual discussion we compromise our difference of opinion, ascertain our common interests, and in the spirit of voluntary cooperation, start to promote those interests. This is the answer to "Why a Chamber of Commerce?"

The success of the city, the very existence of all these other things provided for in corporate charters, depend fundamentally on the success of those who are engaged in the professional, industrial, and commercial life of the city. I am, and have always been, sold on the Chamber of Commerce. It is as essential as a post office or a bank. I thought so, when as Mayor of this city I called a meeting of our citizens for the purpose of organizing a Chamber of Commerce, and am more convinced today than I was then, that a city without a Chamber of Commerce is unthinkable. There is no substitute for a Chamber of Commerce. However, we are not going to get more out of Chamber of Commerce than we are willing to put in. Water does not rise higher than its source. If the men elected by the membership of the Chamber of Commerce, to the Board of Directors, are thoroughly sold on the value and importance of the organization, and are ready and willing to lend its best thought and service in accomplishing its aims and purposes, and unselfishly and wholeheartedly back up and help in its aspirations, we can bring out an era of good will and good times that will endear the Chamber of Commerce in the hearts of all its citizens.

I am not going into any detail at this time of what the Chamber of Commerce can or ought to do. This, I hope, will be developed as we meet from time to time in our regular monthly meetings. Of course, our aim is to keep Holland on the map, and have it increasingly continue to be a city where people really live.

In considering what made Holland famous and brought it to the attention of the people of this country—our Tulip Time festivities take first place. It is somewhat of an achievement, when a city of only 15,000 inhabitants, is given

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LOCAL NEWS

Among applications for building permits filed late last week with City Clerk Oscar Peterson in the city hall was an application for the erection of a gasoline filling station at 113 River Ave., by the G. Cook Co. Estimated cost of the station is \$3,500.

August 15 was the opening date of the annual training season for bird dogs. The season of pheasants opens Oct. 15.

An airplane, owned by the Ullrich brothers of Riverside, Ill., was damaged to the extent of about \$250 at Holland airport when it was crashed into a tree by the strong wind which prevailed in the city Saturday.

Miss Peg Van Kampen submitted recently to a tonsillectomy at Holland hospital.

The car of Mr. and Mrs. Hein Derks, 114 West Main St., Zeeland, was seriously damaged Saturday when a tree was uprooted in the storm and fell on the top of their 1937 sedan at 17th St. and Lincoln Ave. No one was injured.

D. Perkins, 22, Virginia Park, paid a fine and costs of \$20.65 when he pleaded guilty late Saturday to a drunk and disorderly charge in court of Justice of Peace John Galien.

Mrs. Gerrit Riphagen, West 17th St., was among those from Holland who attended the Wesleyan Methodist camp meeting at Hastings last Sunday.

The Fifth District Townsend clubs will hold a big basket picnic Saturday, August 27, both afternoon and evening, at Johnson Park, Grandville, Mich. Games, contests and a picnic lunch will be featured.

According to an announcement by W. H. Lillard, manager of Warm Friend Tavern, late last week, effective last Saturday morning, Neil Webb, who resigned as assistant manager of the local hotel after two years of service in this capacity, has been replaced by Ralph Jones, 18 East 12th St., who has been desk clerk for the past two years. Webb was a member of the Tavern staff for six years, while Jones came to Holland from Ludington, where he was a member of the staff of Hotel Stearns. Jones is a native of Danville, Ind. Harvey Nevensel of Holland, stockroom clerk, has been promoted to the position of desk clerk.

Robert Heasley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heasley, 303 Maple Ave., and Murray Snow, son of Mrs. W. Curtis Snow, 79 West 11th St., received a ducking in Pine Creek bay Saturday when their sailboat was tipped over by high winds.

Mrs. John Koetje underwent a minor operation at Holland hospital Friday morning.

Rev. P. D. Van Vliet will exchange pulpits with Rev. M. Bolt from New Era next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bybee Strembler and Eugene Strembler from Zeeland were Thursday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. James Knoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boers and Mr. Gerrit Boers from Overisel visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boers Wednesday evening.

Many local young people attended the annual winter rooster of the Christian Reformed church held at Port Sheldon Thursday evening. A fine time was enjoyed by all.

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Stephens, trying to raise funds for the Confederacy, stayed with friends on Fifth avenue, New York, walked about at random, was not recognized. The Wild river flows so fast before it reaches Broadminster that the impetus sends the water uphill.

EAST SAUGATUCK COUPLE TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McIntosh plan to celebrate their fifth wedding anniversary Sunday, August 28, at their home in East Saugatuck.

They will observe the anniversary with open house in the afternoon from 2 o'clock until 5 o'clock and in the evening from 7 o'clock until 9 o'clock when they will receive their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh are former residents of Allegan as is their son, Mr. H. W. McIntosh, who is superintendent of schools.

OLIVE CEINTER

Mrs. Charley Schemper, of Pine Creek, formerly of Olive Center, is confined to her bed with a stomachic ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Gil Vande Berge from Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. John Boonagard from Spring Lake, were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kraai.

Theodore Van Vliet was on a business trip to South Dakota recently.

Mrs. John Koetje underwent a minor operation at Holland hospital Friday morning.

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Miss Irene Reiser, 23, and Miss Margaret Burlage, 22, both of Chicago; and William Dykhuus, 24, rural route No. 4, Holland, were injured Saturday night on US-51, two miles southeast of Saugatuck, at about 10 p.m.

Miss Margaret J. Glass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Agie Glass of East Saugatuck, was honor guest last Tuesday night at a surprise linen shower, presented at the home of Mrs. P. Van Dyke. Mrs. Van Dyke and Mrs. John W. Walters were hostesses at the affair. Games were played and a two-course luncheon was served. Those attending the affair were: Mrs. Glass, Mrs. Van Dyke, Mrs. Walters, Mrs. James Walters, Mrs. Peter Achterhof, Mrs. Jake Molenaar, Mrs. Henry Hofmeyer, the Misses Beatrice Achterhof, Helen Mae Walters and Esther Walters, Mrs. Ruth Glass, Mrs. Carter Glass and Mrs. Ralph Glass, all of Grand Rapids; and Mrs. W. Drenton, Mrs. Bert Voss, Mrs. Henry Kempker and Mrs. Herman Nyhof, all of Hamilton.

ZEELAND

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. from the home and at 2 p.m. from the First Christian Reformed church, for Harm Van Rhee, 72, who passed away at his home here late Friday following a short illness. The Rev. William Kok officiated at the services, interment following at West Zeeland cemetery. The widow, two daughters, Hattie and Helen Van Rhee; two sons, John and George, both of Drenthe; two brothers, Johannes of Drenthe and George of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Albert Bredevel of Fremont and Mrs. Claas Brouwer of Oakland; and six grandchildren survive.

The annual Mission Fest of the three Christian Reformed churches in this city will be held at Zeeland City park Labor Day afternoon and evening. Speakers at the afternoon session include the Rev. S. A. Dykstra, missionary to China; the Rev. Mr. Baker, home missionary-at-large; and the Rev. Mr. Rikkers, Indian missionary. Special band, orchestra, vocal and instrumental numbers will be featured. There will be a Children's Hour during the afternoon. The evening program includes a pageant, depicting the history of mission work in the Christian Reformed denomination, directed by Mrs. Larry Van Hattama; and an address by the Rev. C. M. Schoolland of Holland. Canteen refreshments will be available.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett N. Clark of Zeeland announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Carol Clark, and E. Paul Babcock, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Babcock of Grand Haven, at a dinner presented by Mrs. Clark for her daughter at Holland Country club Friday night. Attending the affair were the Misses Dorothy M. Fair and Katherine E. Jackson, both of Detroit; Jeanne McCrate and Cecilia McCrate of Columbus Grove, O.; Mrs. Ernest Penna of Holland; and Mrs. William Baron, Mrs. Jay Van Dorpe, and the Misses Janice Van Koeveering, Helene Plasmans, Estella Karsten, Sylvia Huxtable and Helen Van Benensam, all of Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Van Dyke celebrated their 41st wedding anniversary at their Maple St. home, Thursday evening. The occasion was also Mrs. Van Dyke's birthday anniversary. Mrs. Van Dyke is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kamperman. Van Dyke is proprietor of the Van Dyke Farm Implement Co., in which he has been engaged 50 years. For 42 years Mr. Van Dyke was a member of the Zeeland fire department and was mayor of Zeeland from 1917-20. Mr. and Mrs. Van Dyke are both charter members of Second Reformed church, here. Van Dyke has been a member of the consistory on various occasions. Attending the affair at the Van Dyke home Thursday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Van Dyke and daughter, Dorothy; Mr. and Mrs. John Haan, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kieft, Mr. and Mrs. John H. De Pree, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Van Eenennaam, Mr. and Mrs. E. Van Loon, Mr. Gertrude Boer and Mr. William Kamperman, all of Zeeland; and Mrs. E. J. Pruim of Muskegon.

OTTAWA COUNTY

The second annual Westrate family reunion was held last Friday at the Tennessee Beach cottage of Dr. and Mrs. William Westrate. A sports program and a picnic supper were enjoyed by those attending. Officers elected for the ensuing year were: president, Marine Westrate; vice-president, C. J. Westrate; and secretary-treasurer, Jack Kamphuis. Those attending the affair included Mr. and Mrs. Marine Westrate, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Westrate and son, Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Westrate and daughters, Dorla and Adrianna, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Braamse, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Westrate and sons, Chester and Donald of North Holland, Miss Fanny Westrate, Dr. and Mrs. William Westrate and children, Yvonne, Warren, Billy and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kamphuis and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. James Slagh of Northland Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Schilleman and children, Phyllis, Bryce and Roger of Whitehall and Mr. and Mrs. Corrie J. Westrate.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wood presented an informal entertainment at their Waukazo home Friday evening, honoring Prof. and Mrs. E. F. Canaday, of Raleigh, N. C., brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Wood. Prof. Canaday is professor of Mathematics at Meredith College, Raleigh. A gift was presented to the honor guests, a supper was served at the outdoor fireplace, and bridge was played, prizes going to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Butler and Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Bosch. Others attending the affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. K. De Pree, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. DeWeese, Mrs. E. C. Brooks, Prof. and Mrs. E. P. McLean, Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Raymond, Mrs. W. C. Snow, Mrs. J. D. Seneyre and their house guest, Mrs. O'Meara of Kansas City, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Eaton and their guest, Mrs. C. A. McCarthy of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Eaton, Misses Helen and Mary Ann Canaday, Murray Snow and Robert Heasley.

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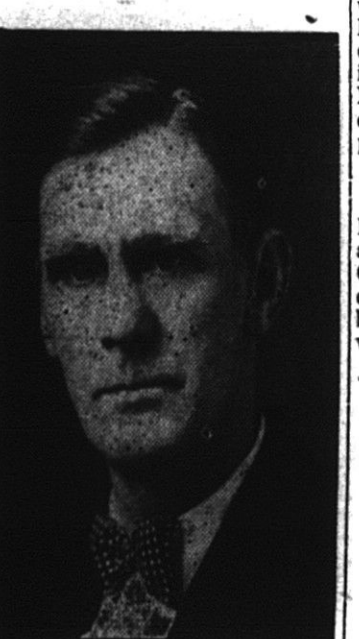
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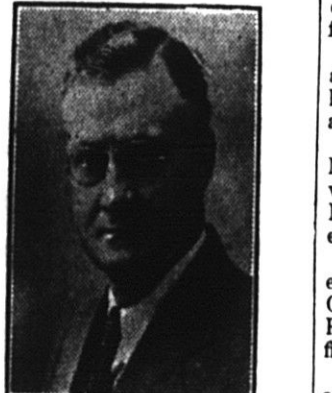


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LOCAL NEWS

The Back Bay, lake freighter, brought 2,500 tons of pig iron to Holland harbor from Toledo, O., last week. The iron was consigned to the Holland Furnace Co.

Upon his arraignment on an assault and battery charge last Friday afternoon, Dick D. Wier-

sema, 298 West 22nd St., pleaded not guilty.

Among the sons of Third church now in the ministry and spending the vacation in Holland is the Rev. Francis P. Ihman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Racine, Wis. Mr. Ihman and the two children are also enjoying the breezes on this side of Lake Michigan, but Francis is nursing a fractured ankle, sustained in Detroit two weeks ago.

Trees were uprooted during Saturday's windstorm at the Samuel Kurz home, 436 East Eighth St., at 70 East 17th St., at 70 West 12th St., and on East 21st St.

Repairs of the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. and the Holland board of public works were kept busy for several hours Saturday repairing damage resulting from high winds and the accompanying rainstorm.

The soloist at the morning service of Third church was Mrs. H. J. Osborne of Rock Island, Ill., sister-in-law of the organist.

BIG POPULATION

State authorities worried today about the case of Sheridan township, in Gladwin county, Michigan, populated by just four families.

Attorney General Raymond W. Starr, reading a formal report which asserted "it takes most of the adult members of the families to fill the township and school offices" and the rest of the relatives to elect them, decided there was nothing he could do about it. The report came from Gladwin county Prosecutor Bourke C. Wilmut, at Starr's request.

A CAT'S CURIOSITY

Found—a cat that curiosity almost killed.

It's Tibby, owned by Mr. and Mrs. William Hopkins of New York.

The cat stuck its head into the rear of a radio to see what made the music.

An official of the SPCA had to take the radio apart to free Tibby.

Raymond L. Smith

CANDIDATE FOR

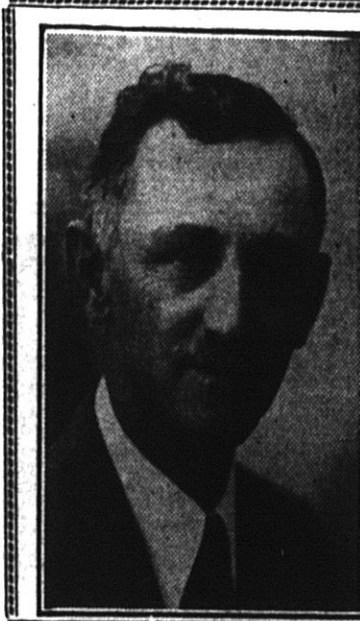
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OTTAWA COUNTY

Primaries September 13, 1938



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Register of Deeds
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Re-Registration Notice!

for General Primary Election

to be held on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1938

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will receive for re-registration the name of any legal voter in the Township of Holland NOT ALREADY REGISTERED, on August 24th at my office, from 8:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.; on August 27th at the Wolverine Hatchery, Zeeland, Mich., from 4:30 p. m. to 8:00 p. m.; on August 30th at the Township Hall from 6:00 p. m. to 9:00 p. m.; and on the last day of registration, September 3, at the clerk's office, from 8:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m. This also includes those electors who have not availed themselves of the opportunity to register at the various school houses.

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Walter Vander Haar, Holland Township Clerk



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HOLLAND STATE PARK SUPER-INTENDENT ENJOYS JOB; PROUD OF SAFETY RECORD

"One meets such interesting people" is a stock phrase but it may well be one of the reasons genial Carl Van Weelden, superintendent of the Holland state park at Ottawa Beach likes his job. With the camping limit eight days to a group, from 900 to 1,000 campers visit the park each month during the summer. He meets all kinds of people that make a camper's world.

Van Weelden has worked up to his present position from his former job of lifeguard. He worked in the latter capacity at the Grand Haven oval for a number of years, and is now in his fourth year of service as director of the Holland oval. Of Dutch ancestry, he makes his home in Holland. He is on call at all hours during the summer and spends much of his time in winter at the park.

The Holland park has a fine reputation throughout the state for its cleanliness, and is an attractive place to spend a vacation, as is attested by the size of the tent and trailer colony.

With the movement to secure a new bathhouse approved, camping facilities will be even better next year, Van Weelden says. The beach is constantly patrolled by experienced lifeguards, and the park superintendent is very proud of the fact that during the time he has been superintendent no drownings have occurred at Ottawa Beach, although first reports stated erroneously that the three drownings during the recent "freak storm" had occurred there.

In a communication received by the News from Miss Janet Mulder and Miss Metta J. Ross, who are vacationing on Drummond Island, the local vacationists report that fishing is fine and that so far the highest temperature has been 74 degrees.

COMMON COUNCIL

Holland, Mich., Aug. 17, 1938.

The Common Council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor. Present: Mayor Henry Geerlings, Aids. Kleis, Drinkwater, Kalkman, Brouwer, Huyser, Menken, Vogelzang, Smith and the Clerk.

Devotions: Mayor Geerlings. Minutes of the last regular meeting considered read and are approved.

Petitions and Accounts

Clerk presented several applications for building permits.

Granted, subject to the approval of the City Engineer and Fire Chief.

Clerk presented application of James S. Ayoud, 38 Antoine St., S. W., Grand Rapids, for license to sell tapestry and fancy goods for a 30-day period.

Denied.

Clerk Oscar Peterson presented operating report of Gas Co. for the month of May, 1938.

Accepted and filed.

Clerk presented application and bond of Ruben Nynhuis for license to construct sewers for the west 88 feet, and recommended that the petition be granted and that a hearing on the closing of this alley be set for Wednesday, September 21, at 7:30 p. m.

Accepted and filed.

Clerk Peterson presented oath of office of Jacob Bultman as a member of the Board of Appeals.

Reports of Standing Committees

Street Committee reported having received a petition from residents living on 15th and 16th streets, between Maple and Washington avenues, requesting that this alley be closed with the exception of the west 88 feet, and recommended that the petition be granted and that a hearing on the closing of this alley be set for Wednesday, September 21, at 7:30 p. m.

Adopted.

Street Committee further reported relative to a petition that was received some time ago for the paving of 21st street from State street to Michigan avenue. The committee reported that a majority of the property owners on this street favor paving and recommended that steps be taken to have this street paved later on.

It was also recommended that a date for the hearing on the paving be deferred until some later time.

Adopted.

Street Committee, to whom had been referred, together with the Ways and Means committee, a recommendation from the Board of Park and Cemetery Trustees to pave the driveway through Kollen Park, reported having had a joint meeting with the Park Board, the committee on Ways and Means and the Street Committee and recommended that the request of the

Park board be granted.

It was further reported that the funds for paying for this improvement could be taken from Gas and Weight Tax monies and an item be placed in the Park Board Budget next March to reimburse this fund.

Report adopted.

Committee on Claims and Accounts reported claims in the amount of \$7,734.37 and recommended payment thereof.

Adopted.

In this connection Ald. Huyser brought up the matter relative to the compensation claim payable to former police officer Benj. Kalkman. Mr. Huyser stated that for some time this claim had been questioned and he understood that some definite information was to be forthcoming in regard to the status of this claim.

Both Aids. Ed Brouwer and Drinkwater stated that they have continually questioned this item but felt that in as much as nothing definite had been done they had no choice but to allow the claim.

City Attorney Elbert Parsons stated that he had tapped and quite some time to get Dr. Tappan and Dr. Vander Vede to examine this claim in order to determine the status of this claim but up to this time had been unable to get a report on the matter.

After some discussion on the matter, it was moved by Huyser, supported by Smith, that the committee on Claims and Accounts withhold all further payment to Mr. Kalkman until such time as a definite agreement is reached in regard to the status of this particular claimant.

Adopted.

Sewer Committee, to whom had been referred the recommendation of the Board of Health, relative to constructing a sewer in the vicinity of the Superior Ice Company in order to service this plant, reported recommending that such sewer be constructed and that the Clerk instruct the Board of Public Works to prepare the plans, specifications and estimate of costs.

Adopted.

Civic Improvement committee reported receiving a considerable number of complaints in regard to the condition of the alleys in the downtown district. The committee stated that they understand that many of these alleys were privately owned. However, the committee suggested that a study be made to determine if some agreement can be reached between the property owners and the City of Holland by which the City might be able to get the control and use of these alleys and have them improved.

Matter referred to the Street committee for investigation.

Communications from Boards and City Officers

The claims approved by the Hospital Board in the sum of \$1,321.50; the Library Board, \$231.27; the Park and Cemetery Board, \$1,103.01; Police and Fire Board, \$3,192.06, and the Board of Public Works, \$25,122.67 were ordered certified to the Council for payment. (Said claims on file in Clerk's office for public inspection.)

Allowed.

Board of Public Works reported collection of \$15,712.45; City Treasurer: Miscellaneous, \$2,732.10 and 1938 taxes, \$78,757.07.

Accepted and filed.

Clerk reported bonds and interest coupons due and presented for payment in the amount of \$7,927.50.

Ordered paid.

Clerk reported that pursuant to instructions he had given notice of the proposed vacating of the alley in Block 2, Prospect Park addition, situated between East 20th and East 21st streets and running from College to Columbia avenue and of the time and place for hearing objections, if any, to said proposed vacating. Clerk further presented affidavit of publication to such notice. Clerk further presented communication signed by H. P. Kleis and Will Drost, protesting against said closing.

Ald. Huyser, chairman of the Street Committee, stated that an investigation has been made and that they favor the closing of this alley in spite of the protest. Mr. Huyser took the position that the alley was not being used and that those parties who protested did not have a legitimate reason for protesting the closing of this alley. Several residents who lived in the block that was to be affected spoke in favor of closing the alley. The property owners who spoke were Mr. Tom De Vries, Mr. George Schulding and Mr. Russell Berton. All of these men contended that the alley was not being used and that all property owners had access to their property from the street without using the alley. Aids. Brouwer and Kalkman suggested deferring action until the next Council meeting in order that they might find out just what reason these two property owners had against closing the alley.

RESOLUTION

We, the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Holland, knowing that God, in His infinite wisdom has taken away one of our pioneer citizens, namely, Isaac H. Fairbanks, feel that in his passing are reminded that the last poster of the second generation of a pioneer ancestor, has departed from this picture of life. Mr. Fairbanks was the son of a noble sire, who came to this vicinity even before the founder set foot in these environs. He was sent here by his government to treat with the Aboriginal tribes, the children of nature who made the forest their dwelling place, and the streams and woodlands their avenues of living. It was Mr. Fairbanks who aided Dr. Van Raalte as an arbitrator between the Indians and the Hollanders, and this sometimes would have brought trying situations but for the soft-spoken voice of the Indian interpreter.

Time passed from pioneering and trail blazing to an established order of American citizenry, embracing developments, such as he built the America of today—Holland was included in that upbuilding. The older citizens remember the genial Isaac Fairbanks, who came from the rural district of Fillmore to Holland, and who later became an honored citizen of this community, and played an important part in its civic and religious development. The Fairbanks name is known throughout the nation. Even a shrine has been dedicated to this great American family. Today the last of the sons of this pioneer, who, too, was a pioneer, was laid to rest in the same plot with his Indian agent father. The son, too, was of the same type, imbued with the same spirit and with the same aims and purpose in life. Americans of this type constitute the foundation of a real Democratic form of government. The example of this sturdy family we feel could be emulated by many of our citizenry of today. It is with deep regret that we hear of his passing, and wish through this resolution to send our sincere condolence to the relatives of this Christian gentleman, Mr. L. H. Fairbanks.

Respectfully submitted,
Edward Brouwer

Adopted.

Clerk presented a resolution to

ing the alley. After some discussion and a statement from the City Engineer that the alley was not being used, it was moved by Ald. Huyser, supported by Smith, that the alley be officially closed.

Adopted by Ayes and Nays as follows:

Ayes: Drinkwater, Kalkman, Brouwer, Huyser, Menken, Vogelzang, Smith—7.

Nays: Kleis—1.

Mr. Kleis stated that the reason for voting against this closing was due to the fact that the Council would be setting a precedent in closing any alley where objections had been filed by property owners. Mr. Kleis favored deferring action until more could be learned about the reason for these protests.

Clerk presented communication from Board of Police and Fire Commissioners recommending additional water mains and a fire hydrant on Central avenue near the dump.

Request Board of Public Works to install necessary mains.

Clerk presented communication from Wm. M. Connelly, together with a report of the annual audit recently completed; and also an abbreviated report giving a resume of the status of the Chamber of Commerce at the time he assumed control in 1932 and also at the present time. Mr. Connelly further provided a copy of his report for each member of the Council.

Accepted and filed.

Clerk presented communication from Board of Public Works for the purchase of a 10-inch main throttle valve for the 5,000 K.W. turbine at a cost of \$1,467.00.

Approved.

Clerk presented communication from Board of Public Works for the purchase of sewer pipe from T. Koppel's Sons at a quoted price of \$763.35.

Approved.

Clerk presented communication from Board of Public Works recommending the construction of a new electric power plant and applying for PWA for a grant to aid in financing such new plant.

Unanimously adopted.

(Note: The Common Council, together with the Board of Public Works and other officials, had an informal meeting on the previous evening to consider the above proposal. It was brought out in this meeting that the capacity of the present plant would have to be increased in the near future in order to keep up with the increased demand for electricity. It was stated that the Board were contemplating the purchase of a new generator at a cost of upwards of \$300,000.00. However, at this time, they felt it would be possible to secure a new plant under a PWA project and by so doing it might be possible to secure a grant of 45% of the entire cost. The consulting engineer, Mr. Hamilton, estimated a complete new modern plant to cost approximately \$1,500,000.00. It was further brought out that the Board now had a surplus of approximately \$500,000.00 that could be used toward the construction of a new power plant.)

It was further brought out that if a new plant was started now it would be between two and three years before it could be completed and the Board estimated their earnings during this period, together with the surplus they now have on hand, would be sufficient to finance the cost without any bond issue whatever. It was the consensus of opinion at this meeting that now was the opportune time and that the Board should take immediate action in filing an application with the PWA for a grant of 45% of constructing such a new electric light and power plant.)

Motions and Resolutions

Ald. Ed Brouwer submitted a resolution commenting on the resolution of Gerrit W. Kooyers attached thereto, from which it satisfactorily appears to the Court that the defendants above named, by their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are proper and necessary parties defendant in the above entitled cause, and;

It further appearing that after diligent search and inquiry it cannot be ascertained, and it is not known whether or not said defendants are living or dead, or where any of them may reside if living, and, if dead, whether they have personal representatives or heirs living or where they or some of them may reside, and further that the present whereabouts of said defendants are unknown, and that the names of the persons who are included therein without being named, but who are embraced therein under the title of unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry; except that it appears that George Huntington and Charles Huntington are non-residents of Michigan and are residents of North Dakota.

On motion of Gerrit W. Kooyers, Attorney for Plaintiff, it is ordered that said Defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cause their appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and in default thereof that said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by the said Defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns.

It is further ordered that within twenty days Plaintiff cause a copy of this Order to be published in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed, published, and circulated in said County, such publication to be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession.

FRED T. MILES, Circuit Judge.

Countersigned:

WILLIAM WILDS, Clerk of Circuit Court.

Take notice, that this suit, in which the foregoing order was duly made, involves and is brought to quiet title to the following described piece or parcel of land situated and being in the Township of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

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GERRIT W. KOOYERS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Business Address: 20 West 24th St., Holland, Michigan.

purchase the so-called Tannery property and to issue bonds to cover the costs, estimated at \$16,500.00. This proposition to bond the City for that amount to be submitted to a vote of the people on September 13, 1938. Bonds were to be retired in ten years.

It was moved by Ald. Kalkman, supported by Drinkwater, that the Council submit this proposition to a vote.

Aids. Brouwer, Menken and Kleis commented on this proposition. These aldermen stated that they had no particular objection to submitting this proposition to a vote; however, they felt that the citizens should be fully informed of just what the cost would be in addition to just the purchase price of \$16,500.00. Mayor Geerlings questioned the wisdom of submitting this proposition to a vote. Ald. Huyser stated that the people looked to the Council for information and guidance in many of these things and he felt that the Council should not submit it to a vote as in their own opinion they did not think it the proper thing to purchase this property.

After considerable discussion pro and con, the motion was put.

Motion of Ald. Kalkman, supported by Drinkwater, was presented with the following results:

Ayes: Kleis, Drinkwater, Kalkman, Brouwer, Menken and Smith—6.

Nays: Huyser and Vogelzang—2.

Since the City Charter requires 7 votes to pass any resolution, it was declared lost.

Council appointed the following inspectors of election for the General Primary and Special Election, September 13, 1938:

1st Ward—Dick Brandt.

2nd Ward—John Woltman.

3rd Ward—Peter Brusse.

4th Ward—Wm. Lawrence.

5th Ward—1st Prec.—Martin Wabeke.

5th Ward—2nd Prec.—Fritz Jonkman.

6th Ward—Herman Stegda.

Polls open 7 a. m. and close 6 p. m.

Adjourned.

Expires Oct. 1

ORDER OF PUBLICATION ON

BILL TO QUIET TITLE

UNDER STATUTE

STATE OF MICHIGAN

THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE

COUNTY OF OTTAWA

IN CHANCERY

Sadie Palmer, Plaintiff,

vs.

Alexander C. Mitchell, Cyren Burdick and Matthew Mitchell, as trustees, of Black River Harbor association.

Matthew Mitchell, James S. Bosworth, William S. Driggs, Hosea B. Huston, James Millen, Paul Mitchell, Jr., Jonas White, Edith Huntington, George Huntington, Charles Huntington, Judson E. Rice Hiram Rogers, William W. Whitmore, Eliza Hopkins, Lyman Mower, Alexander Jenkins, Cyren Burdick, Israel Foote, Jan Van Putten, Jacob B. Bailey, George Stansky, William McKay, Henry H. Barrow, Edmund Priou, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns.

Defendants.

At a session of said Court held at the Court House in the City of Grand Haven, in said County, on the 24th day of August, A.D., 1938.

Present: Hon. Fred T. Miles, Circuit Judge.

On reading and filing the Bill of Complaint in said cause and the Affidavit of Gerrit W. Kooyers attached thereto, from which it satisfactorily appears to the Court that the defendants above named, by their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are proper and necessary parties defendant in the above entitled cause, and;

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 27th day of July, A.D., 1938.

Present, Hon. Cora Vande Water, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of George E. Kollen, Deceased.

THE GRAND RAPIDS TRUST COMPANY, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, having filed in said Court its Eighteenth Annual Account as Trustee under the Will of said deceased, and its petitions praying for the allowance thereof, and for the allowance of its fees as such Trustee,

IT IS ORDERED, That the 30th day of August, A.D., 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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

CORA VANDE WATER, Judge of Probate.

A true copy: Harriet Swart, Register of Probate.

Expires Aug. 20—17397

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in the said County, on the 26th day of July, A. D., 1938.

Present, Hon. Cora Vande Water, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jan (John) H. Hoffman, Deceased.

LOCAL NEWS

Dr. W. Hoeksema has opened dental offices in the new Mass Bldg. on River Ave. and 10th Street, Holland. He announces full particulars elsewhere in this issue.

Henry Vander Veen, 452 Harrison Ave., has been informed of the death of his mother, Mrs. Ralph Vander Veen, 72, in Groningen, The Netherlands, on August 12.

Mrs. John Vande Water, Vernon Vande Water, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Dalman and family are visiting in Winnebago, Neb., with Mrs. Dalman's sister and brother-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. James Ottipoby.

H. Wyenberg, chief heating engineer of the Holland Furnace Co., attended a meeting in Lansing, on Tuesday, sponsored by the Michigan Retail Coal Merchants association. Mr. Wyenberg led an open forum discussion.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Carleton Pelgrim and daughters, Marie and Lois Estelle, have left for Coral Gables, Fla., their home, after spending the summer at the George Pelgrim home on West 4th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Serier of Ionia had as guests at their home last week end Junior Plakke and Ray Serier of this city.

About 95 local dealers attended the showing of an educational film by the National Carbon Co. at the Royal Neighbors hall last Tuesday evening.

Julius Baltus, 70, Allendale township farmer, committed suicide Tuesday afternoon by shooting himself in the stomach with a .38 calibre revolver, at his farm home, which is located a mile

south and a mile east of Allendale. Coroner Gilbert Vande Water pronounced death due to suicide. Despondency was blamed for the act. A daughter, Mrs. John Rosenzweig, found the body stretched on a bed in the home, after she returned home, having been gone for about three hours. Wolbrink funeral home at Allendale was given charge of the body. Besides Mrs. Rosenzweig, a son, Gustave of Grand Rapids, survives.

A family celebration last Tuesday marked the 81st birthday anniversary of John Visscher, who resides at the home of his daughter at 242 West 19th St. Joining in the celebration were children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren of the honor guest. Visscher came to the country from The Netherlands at the age of 12. He originally resided in Sheboygan, Wis.

Mrs. Fred Bouwman and daughter, Miss Alice Bouwman, were joint hostesses at a surprise miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Florence Bouwman. The shower was held Friday night at the Bouwman home, 183 West 28th St. A two-course luncheon was served. Games were played with prizes going to Beatrice Deur, Mrs. Hermina Overbeek, and Mrs. George Jansen. Others attending the affair included Mrs. John Dykstra, Mrs. H. Jansen, Mrs. C. Overbeek, Beatrice Timmer, Alice Jansen, Mrs. J. Vande Water, Mrs. George Jansen, Mrs. J. Lappinga, Mrs. J. Weenui, Mrs. Willard Deur, Mrs. Julius Deur, Mrs. Ed Kraima, Mrs. H. Dorr, Mrs. Minnie Orman, Mrs. John Deur, Mrs. A. Vanden Elst, Mrs. S. Houkeboer, Mrs. Frank Bouwman, Miss Cornelia Bouwman, Mrs. J. Van Huis, Miss Fannie Markvluwer, Mrs. J. Vande Wege, and Miss Henrietta Meiste.

William Arendshorst, Jr., and

Miss Elizabeth Arendshorst, who recently left on a trip to the South and East with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Arendshorst, have returned to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Poppen, 105 West 19th St., announce the birth of a daughter Tuesday at Holland hospital.

Police Chief Frank Van Ry's report on traffic violations for the past week follows: speeding, \$5 each; F. Nordstrand, W. Haystman, Clarence Tyink, Harry Covington, and Donald Meeuwse; failure to signal for turn, \$5, Peter De Neff; failure to stop for through street, \$3; John Ver Hoeven.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dirkse of Passaic, N. J., are visiting friends and relatives in the city for a few weeks.

ZEELAND

Miss Myrtle Mae Vanden Bosch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob P. Vanden Bosch of this city, and William Lamer, son of Andrew P. Lamer, also of Zeeland, spoke their wedding vows Tuesday evening in a ceremony conducted at 8 p. m. in the parlors of the Third Christian Reformed church, here. The single ring ceremony was used by the Rev. Peter De Young, who officiated. While the bride party assembled, Mrs. George Ter Haar, sister of the bride, played the Lohengrin Wedding March by Wagner. The bride was attired in white tulle, floor length, and carried a bouquet of white roses, tied with a white bow. Julius Lamer served as best man, while Miss Henrietta Van Huis was bridesmaid. Following the ceremony, a wedding supper was served to about 50 guests by Miss Velma Whittelet, Mrs. Bert Selles, Miss Florence Wadyke, Sylvia Van Hoven, and Mrs. Bert Bouwman. The bride, a native of this city, is an employee of the S. S. Kresge Co. of Holland, Mr. Lamer, who was born in Grand Rapids, is employed by the Colonial Milk Co. of that city. The couple will best home at 16 Jefferson St., Zeeland, after August 28.

Mrs. Joan Danhof of this city was elected first vice president of the state American Legion at the state Legion convention which closed at Battle Creek Tuesday.

EBENEZER

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Christian, formerly of Holland, now in Grand Rapids, visited in Ebenezer last Thursday.

E. P. McLean and Carter Brown of Castle Park have purchased the Ebenezer church barns, which will be used for building antique cottages at the Castle.

Mrs. Clifford Giles submitted to an appendectomy at Holland hospital this week.

The Rev. and Mrs. M. Moget of Fenton, Ill., visited the Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Schortinghuis Monday night. Services at the local church were conducted by the Rev. Gerrit Timmer of Clymer Hills, N. Y., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornie De Jong and daughter, Glenda Beth, of Leighton, Ia., spent a week at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Schortinghuis. Mrs. De Jong is a sister of Mrs. Schortinghuis.

A barn on the H. H. Boeve farm on rural route No. 5 was seriously damaged by Saturday's severe windstorm.

Political Advertising
CLARK ENDORSED BY ZEELAND COUNCIL ON MONDAY
(Zeeland Record)

A very hearty endorsement was given City Attorney Jarrett N. Clark at the session of the common council at its regular session on last Monday night.

Mr. Clark, who has been city attorney for more than twenty years is aspiring to the office of prosecuting attorney for Ottawa county, and the common council felt so well pleased with his ability and service in the city's interests that it does not hesitate to recommend him to the electors of this county for the office to which he aspires.

Mr. Clark is a native of Western Michigan, having been born at Glenn, Allegan county, where he received his grade and high school education. After graduating from the law department of the University of Michigan he at once located in Zeeland, and for the past thirty years has been a resident there, practicing law.

Besides being city attorney in Zeeland he has filled the office of Justice of the Peace many years and he has been Ottawa county circuit commissioner for eight years. He is not only endorsed by the common council, but all Zeeland is solidly behind him for this office. He is able, honest, and energetic, and the voters of the county will not be disappointed should he be nominated and also elected to this office.

Mrs. Johannes Heerspink celebrated her 85th birthday anniversary last Tuesday afternoon with a party given at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Johanna Slenk, 194 West 17th St. A gift was presented the honor guest by the group. A three-course luncheon was served following which a social time was enjoyed. Invited guests were the honor guest, Mrs. Stephen G. Oudemolen, Mrs. George Heerspink, Mrs. Fred Lemmen, Mrs. Ben Van Zanten and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. G. J. Heerspink, Mrs. Fred Heerspink and family, Mrs. Henry Bouwman, and Mrs. Slenk and children, Sarah, Fanna, John, Jr., and Dolores.

A number of friends and relatives were entertained at a wieners' roast last Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Peter De Vries at their home on rural route No. 6. Attending the outing were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Dyke, Jr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Fik, Bill Bouwman, and Mr. and Mrs. P. De Vries and family.

THE WISE COW



First Meeting Held Under The New Secretary

(Continued from page 1)

third place by the magazines and newspapers of the country in its floral festivals. Do we fully appreciate this distinction and what that means? But, better than that, to the thousands of visitors to our fair city, this festival ranks first for its uniqueness and singularity. It is entirely divorced from commercialism or carnivalism. People from the outside take pleasant note of this, and wonder how we do it. The continuation of this marvelous event must be earnestly and seriously considered by the Board of the Chamber of Commerce who have sponsored the festival. Tulip Time in May is here to stay. Holland's spirit of "We Will" is going to carry it through, and I know that there are men and women in this city who will see to it that each succeeding Tulip Time Festival will measure up to the prestige that has been established.

In the second place, Holland has been brought to the attention of the people of the nation by its great Holland Furnace Co., the largest warm air furnace builders in the world. I wonder if our city fully appreciates what this institution means in our city life and in advertising Holland? It is nationally known as the Ford automobile, Gillette razor, or any other nationally advertised product. But, better than that, the fact that the name of the organization is Holland Furnace Co. advertises our own city—Holland. I am not going into the many local advantages this company has meant to this city, such as the employment of hundreds of people, the building of the Warm Friend Tavern, the erection of the most beautiful office building in the United States, etc., etc., but just call attention to the fact that the Holland Furnace Co. is and has been a great factor in advertising our city. We are glad to have them here, and it is one of the functions of the Chamber of Commerce to make them happy to be in this city.

The contribution of the Heinz Co. to the prosperity of the city is worthy of mention. In fact, every industrial and mercantile establishment, big or little, in its own measure, and in its own way, is a factor in our economic welfare, and is deserving of our consideration in our plans and purposes. Let us keep this in mind, that a Chamber of Commerce function is not primarily to bring in new industries, but that it must be helpful to all legitimate and professional business in our border, of whatever nature. Business is not alone affected by conditions in the field of production and distribution. It is affected by community conditions, by local advantages and disadvantages, by the attitudes of local government.

To sum it all up, the Chamber of Commerce must endeavor to bring about a spirit of good will between the city, its industries, its commercial and professional bodies. To the extent that this is brought about, will lie the success and popularity of the Chamber of Commerce.

So much for general scope of the Chamber of Commerce. In a more specific way, I wish to call your attention to what I think should be done by the Board. First—the headquarters of the organization should be on the ground floor in the very best location obtainable, where it is easily accessible to the public, both local and transient. Second—There should be regular monthly meetings and every member should feel that it is his duty to attend. Third—The matter of dues should be earnestly considered, and make it so that it will be permanently fixed and judiciously distributed. Fourth—Our constitution and by-laws should be amended and brought to date. There are undoubtedly other matters that should be brought before the Board for their consideration, which I will be glad to do, but these I have mentioned should have first and immediate consideration.

FOR RENT—Downstairs, 334 Washington Boulevard, Holland.

OVERISEL

Prof. and Mrs. Glen Nykerk and daughter, Carolyn Joy, have returned to Drayton Plains after spending their vacation with relatives and friends.

The Albers' School reunion will be held Saturday, August 27, at the Overisel Community Grove. All former teachers, pupils and members of the district are invited to attend. A program is being arranged. A basket picnic will be served at noon. Coffee and lemonade will be furnished.

Dr. and Mrs. Zachary Veldhuis, Mrs. Ruth De Roos and daughter, Frances, are on a trip through the West, also visiting Dr. and Mrs. John Veldhuis in Montana and Mrs. De Roos' relatives in Dakota.

Vivian Voorhorst of Holland is a guest of Arlyne Voorhorst for a few weeks.

Mr. George Schuling of Holland had charge of the Christian Endeavor Society Tuesday evening. "Walking With Christ" was the subject.

The Young Ladies Mission Guild of the Christian Reformed church invited all former members of the Guild to attend a reunion at Zeeland Park, Tuesday evening. Games were played and a program was rendered. About 100 were present.

Miss Johanna Kamp of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting at the Christian Reformed parsonage.

A wieners' roast was enjoyed Wednesday evening by the young people of the Christian Reformed church at Tunnel Park.

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