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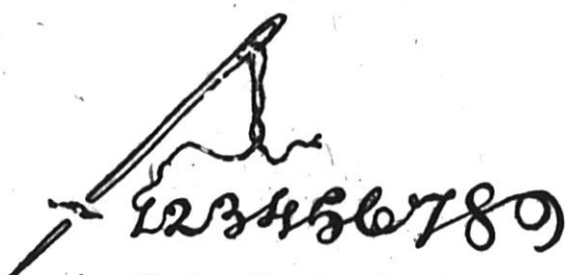
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## A DISPLAY THAT HOLLAND SHOULD INSTALL AT FAIR

Old Relics Once Took in Earlier Days of Holland Exhibition.

At a recent fair held in Allegan the association there put on a unique display as these relate to antiques. During the first year of the fair 39 years ago, when the fair grounds was still on the old lake front, Holland too had a curio building in the form of a log cabin.

Ancient china, old fashioned clocks, hair dressing outfits from the old country, cooking utensils of yesterday and a great many things that might be catalogued in antique lore were found in this log cabin.

The building was the most popular place on the grounds at that time and would be again if such an exhibit would be placed somewhere on exhibition at future fairs.

The Allegan Gazette in its fair write-up found below, gives some idea of what such an exhibit would be like.

Let's have it at Holland:

This year a very attractive booth was devoted to a display by the city library. Among the features were old books—one a New England speller—some 100 years old, a child's two-foot book-shelf, and a "ladder" of juvenile books, graded from the smallest reader up to more mature children. There was also a display of the work done in rebinding books, and an object lesson of the various abuses books endure.

The display of antiques was very creditable, the more so as but few are reminders of former exhibits. Of particular interest were some dolls of foreign make, with daintily finished clothes, and one of the apple-checked china dolls, 50 years of age, which were once so popular before the days of real hair, moving eyes, and plaintive wailing "mamma."

A book of paper money, rainbow colored, showed a great variety of this money printed by German cities following the war. A bowl cut out of a huge tree knot, 75 years old and as good as new; a boot-jack (labeled for the benefit of the younger generation); a rocker 125 years old, and a graceful chair brought to Michigan 67 years ago, were wooden curiosities as attractive as the spinning-wheel. A wedding dress 100 years old, a rolling pin 90 years old and evidently handled by gentler hands than those of Jiggs' wife, a military cocked hat of 1812, some very charming candlesticks and an unusual violin, were other things noticed among a great variety of interesting objects. Nor should a sighting compass and a Gunter's chain, used in surveying Ohio, be overlooked.

## GRAND RAPIDS PAPER GIVES ATTORNEY CREDIT FOR ORGANIZING BASEBALL TEAM.

Grand Rapids Press.—The Holland Independents will close their schedule of 38 games Saturday of next week with the Kelly Ice Creams of Grand Rapids on the local diamond. The Independents will work hard to split 50-50 on the series, the Kellys holding the big end of 3 to 2 victories in five games played. Next Saturday the Independents will play the Cadillac Elks. Thus far the Independents have won 24 out of 36 games.

The Independents were organized about 12 years ago. It originally was a high school aggregation, supplemented with a few outsiders. The team was organized by Thomas N. Robinson, now one of Holland's leading attorneys. Five of the charter members still are playing in the team—Spriggs, Te Roller, Woldring, G. Batema, B. Batema and Shaw. Spriggs has been manager for several seasons.

Dopesters figure that the Holland Independents are one of the fastest semi-pro teams in the state. Here's the solution: The Kellys hold a one-game margin over the Independents, but were defeated by the Kelloggs in the tournament. The Independents defeated the Kelloggs twice this season in a series of two games.

One interesting feature in the art department was the many watercolors by Ralph Schepers, of R. F. D. No. 3, Holland. One that especially interested fair visitors was "The Fountain in Centennial Park," realistically pictured by him in his large collection.

## A BARGAIN.

1921 7 Pass. Chandler Sedan. 4 Brand new Tires -- Seat covers.

Car in splendid condition.

WOLVERINE GARAGE,  
Corner 9th St. and River Ave.

## CUT-OVER OF TELEPHONE TOOK UP FIVE MINUTES

PHYSICAL CONNECTION OF HOLLAND'S TWO LINES MADE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Since eight minutes after six o'clock Wednesday evening Holland has been with only one telephone system for the first time in many years, ever since the Citizen's Co. was organized in this city. The Citizen's Company and the Bell Telephone Co. went out of existence at 6:08 Wednesday night in a physical sense, and Thursday Holland is served by the Michigan State Telephone Co. The cut over was made shortly after 6 o'clock. The work was started at 6:03 and was finished at 6:08, only five minutes being required for the ceremony.

The first call over the physically consolidated telephone was a long distance message to Chicago. The subscribers soon took advantage of the physical consolidation and called up persons who formerly could only be reached on the Bell phone.

The name "Citizen Telephone" will go out of existence and when the new directories are printed they will be directories of the "Michigan State Telephone Co."

## FAIR ATTENDANCE NOW OFFICIALLY SHOWN

Comparative Statement Made Covering Four Years.

Secretary Arendhorst and Treasurer Ben Brouwer have at last compiled official figures showing exactly how many paid admissions were received at the gate and grandstand.

It is evident that on Wednesday there were 5,655 adults, 1,391 children and 782 vehicles. On Thursday 6,363 adults, 864 children and 1,398 vehicles, while on Friday there were 1,502 adults, 147 children and 251 vehicles.

A compilation covering the last four years, namely 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922 follows below:

	1919	1920	1921	1922
Wednesday—				
Adults.....	2463	4384	3249	4746
Vehicles.....	153	368	331	546
Children.....	1087	1293	1031	1261
Grand Stand.....	417	892	1122	2018
Thursday—				
Adults.....	5985	8701	8604	6174
Vehicles.....	1079	1287	1865	1202
Children.....	1231	1384	1396	919
Grand Stand.....	929	1255	1639	2045
Friday—				
Adults.....	496	3034	1981	1839
Vehicles.....	95	363	282	323
Children.....	146	427	337	230
Grand Stand.....	184	775	783	943

A compiled statement of the fair of 1923 will be found below:

	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Adults.....	5655	6363	1502
Vehicles.....	782	1398	251
Children.....	1391	864	147
Gr. Stand.....	2497	1821	447

This does not include the tickets sold down town before the Grand Stand each day, which if figured would add materially to the number of admissions.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TAKES LIVE INTEREST RESORT WORK

Will Help Sell Michigan To The Tourist Public.

The more that is done by the Michigan Tourist Bureau towards making Western Michigan the playgrounds of the nation, thru its campaign of publicity, the better Holland likes it, for the reason that this city is reached by two pike lines, namely M 11 and M 51.

The work of the Tourist Association has long since been felt in Holland, and is evident since thousands of automobile tourists who come through this city travelling northward, leave their money at the different places where they stop along the east coast of Lake Michigan, as they go.

In order to help foster this project the chamber of commerce has taken four memberships with the Tourists Association, and has been instrumental in getting many other private business houses who also add their memberships.

The Tourist Association has a wonderful system of advertising, practically covering the entire United States, and the number of tourists who visit Michigan each season is growing by leaps and bounds.

Some conception may be gained when an average of 375 strange automobiles passed over 17 street entering Holland, in one hour.

Surely Holland is going to reap benefits from some of these, and Holland is going to be shown to every one of them, and no one passing through Holland will fail to be impressed.

Recently the Merchants Association also took memberships in the tourists association, which only goes to show that these two local organizations are alive to the advantages that the bureau affords.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. De Haan and son Robert M., left Wednesday for Ames, Iowa where Mr. De Haan has taken a position in the English department of Iowa State College. Mr. De Haan is a graduate of Hope, class of '22 and received his M. A. degree at the U. of M. in June.

## TO USE VOTING MACHINE IN THE LOCAL ELECTION

ONE WARD IN HOLLAND WILL HAVE CHANCE TO USE THE NEW METHOD

At the special election that is to be held in Holland on October 29 the people of one of the wards will have an opportunity to vote with a voting machine. D. A. Wolfe, representing a voting machine company, appeared before the common council Wednesday night and asked permission to demonstrate his machine to the people of this city. To make this demonstration as general as possible it was decided to let Mr. Wolfe install his machine in the voting place of one of the wards so that the people can find out how it works in actual practice.

A voting machine such as will be installed costs \$1,040.75. Holland would need at least six machines, one for each ward, and probably two or three in some wards. But Mr. Wolfe pointed out that his company installs machines on the plan of having them pay for themselves. He claims there is a definite saving in the cost of each election and this amount is paid over to the voting machine company until the machines are paid for.

Mr. Wolfe took as an illustration of saving in costs of election in the recent Portney-Kamferbeck case. Such a thing would be impossible with a voting machine, he declared, and the costs of that case would have gone a considerable ways in paying for such a machine. Also, fewer election officials are needed and the time saving in elections is great. A majority of one, he declared, is just as decisive a voting on machine as a majority of a thousand. The machine makes no mistakes and there is never need for a recount. The results of an election are available immediately after the close of the polls and they are definite and sure. The human equation, with its possibility for error, is eliminated.

## A SERIES OF SERMONS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

In view of the many young people worshipping in Trinity Reformed Church Sunday evenings, the pastor, Rev. C. P. Dame, will preach a series of sermons Sunday evenings especially for young people. The topic of the series is, "The Battles of Youth." The following subjects will be considered: "The Battle against Self," "The Battle against Doubt," "The Battle against Unbelief," "The Battle against Discontent," "The Battle against Evil Habits," "The Battle against Sin," "The Battle against the World," "The Battle for Christ-likeness." The pastor will begin the series next Sunday evening with the subject, "The Battle against Self." The youth, the middle aged, and the aged are invited.

## MRS. HARDING SENDS NOTE OF APPRECIATION TO PEOPLE OF HOLLAND

The people of Holland through Mayor Stephan have received a black-bordered note from Mrs. Warren G. Harding, wife of the late president of the United States, thanking them for their expressions of sympathy. The letter was addressed to "The Citizens of Holland, Hon. E. P. Stephan, Mayor," and read as follows: "Mrs. Harding deeply appreciates your message of sympathy and begs that you will express her sincere gratitude to those associated with her."

## FROEBEL SCHOOL WINS FIRST; ZEELAND WINS SECOND

Holland High School Gets Prize of \$20.00—All Paid by Holland Furnace Company.

The winding up of matters pertaining to the Holland Fair has taken considerable time, and it was difficult for Secretary Arendhorst to give any details relative to the prizes awarded and paid to the different schools who exhibited in the educational department up to this time.

These figures are now available however, and the total amount paid to the school prize winners was \$141.00, liberally donated by A. H. Landwehr of the Holland Furnace Company as a special premium gift.

Six grade schools exhibited, and the judges found that Froebel School won first prize, receiving \$20.00.

Zeeland School won second, receiving \$15.00; Van Raalte Avenue School receiving third prize, won \$10.00.

The following schools being favorably mentioned received \$5.00 each, namely Longfellow, Washington and Lincoln.

In the Junior High Contest Holland Junior High won first prize, receiving \$15.00.

Zeeland Junior High winning second prize, received \$10.00.

Holland High School being in a class by itself and having no competition won the High School prize of \$20.00.

Mr. Landwehr has always taken it upon himself to pay these special educational prizes each year, and the tendency to excel in school work is noticeable at each succeeding fair, not alone in the quantity of the work, but also in the quality exhibited.

Not alone is a great deal of interest shown by the pupils, but by the parents and fair patrons as well, judging from the crowd constantly seen in the educational building during fair week.

It is hoped that Mr. Landwehr may continue his liberality to establish this educational innovation begun some five years ago.

It surely is an excellent exhibit that cannot help but foster efficiency in educational work.

## COMMITTEE WILL GIVE PAVING PROGRAM SOON

ANNOUNCE WHICH STREETS ARE TO BE COVERED NEXT YEAR

On the recommendation of Mayor Stephan, the committee on streets and crosswalks will in the not distant future announce its paving program for the summer of 1924. Petitions have been coming in from certain streets asking for paving next year. Wednesday night there was another from the people along 20th street from First avenue to the interurban track, 27 of them signing a petition for paving there. Other petitions are looked for soon.

The committee on streets and crosswalks however will make its decision on paving with the needs of the whole city in mind and not merely with the wishes of any single street in view. Holland's paving program will proceed first along the streets that are most vital to the city's traffic. In other words, it will be a program, a plan that has been carefully considered from all angles, and will not be merely a helter-skelter affair, putting down a few blocks of paving here and there, the one unconnected with the other.

In 1924, as in 1923, the plan will be to pave heavily traveled streets and to pave them in such a way that they will connect with other streets that have already been paved. In this way the people will get the most benefit out of them.

To carry out this plan, the petition of some people may have to be denied. There has been a radical change in regard to paving in Holland and many more people want it now than used to be the case. The petitions for paving are expected to be much more numerous than can be taken care of in a single season. The committee has announced that the program next summer will not be as heavy as this summer.

## MORE THAN SEVENTY VARIETIES IN VEGETABLE DISPLAY.

Gerrit Warmelink of 1st avenue has for the past three years won first prize on his vegetable display in the horticulture department at the fair, and this year is no exception.

Mr. Warmelink had on display seventy different varieties of vegetables and had them uniquely arranged showing them off to good advantage.

Klaas Coster won second prize on his vegetable display, while G. J. Deur won first and Coster second on the display of fruit.

## MASON COUNTY TROUBLE SEAT IN ROAD WORK

CONTROVERSY IN MASON COUNTY MAY HOLD UP PROPOSED PIKE BUILDING

To all indications at the present time, the big stumbling block to putting over the wholesale paving of the West Michigan Pike, will be in Mason county. The trunk line is to be rerouted in that county and the rerouting will leave out the town of Scottville which is now on the Pike route.

It is also stated unofficially that Mason county cannot see their way clear to levy funds for road building at the present time.

The work of road improvement covers five counties, Oceana, Mason, Benzie, Manistee, and Grand Traverse. At the present time it is stated all of them are lined up with the exception of Mason.

## COUNCIL BACKS B. P. W. IN ITS LIGHT EXTENSION POLICY

ELECTRIC PLANT MUST BE CONDUCTED ON BUSINESS PRINCIPLES

By a unanimous vote the common council went on record Wednesday evening that the city administration will back up the board of public works in its policy of running the electric light plant on business principles. The board has for many years followed the principle that no extensions are to be made unless a profit can be shown from it.

Three citizens on the southern edge of the city asked for electric light and the board was willing to grant it provided they paid for the extension of the line, since there was little hope of making it pay for itself out of the profits as there were only three homes and no others in sight.

This matter has been quarreled over all summer. Sometimes the property owners agreed to the plan and then again they refused. Mayor Stephan took the matter up and arranged with one of the property owners, a Mr. De Nult, to meet with the board of public works and talk it over. Mr. De Nult agreed to come to the meeting, the Mayor reported to the council last night, but did not show up. Thereupon the council went unanimously on record of backing up the board of public works in its stand.

## FENNVILLE SHIPS MOST APPLES.

Allegan county shipped the most apples in Michigan through Fennville. In the entire state there were 6,015 carloads of apples shipped. In Fennville alone 391 carloads were shipped which makes Fennville the heaviest shipper of any point in the state with the exception of the lake ports of Muskegon with 622 cars and Grand Haven with 607 cars, both of which handled apples grown in other counties.

Holland shipped only five carloads, but this may be due to the fact that the Holland Canning Co., the H. J. Heinz Pickle Co., take up a large supply in this immediate vicinity.



## HOLLAND MAN DIES IN A VERY PECULIAR WAY

A most peculiar death took place in the home of Mrs. Mersen, on Central avenue and Tenth street, some time Saturday between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

Mr. John Ledebor, member of one of the old Holland families, who was living at the Mersen residence, went to the bathroom at ten o'clock for the purpose of taking his usual morning bath.

The family thought it strange that Mr. Ledebor had taken so long about his toilet. At two o'clock he had not yet reappeared from the bathroom, and the entire household became alarmed and steps were immediately taken to enter the room.

The door was found locked however, and a ladder was used from the outside to enter by the widow. When access was gained to the bathroom, it was found that Mr. Ledebor was dead.

J. S. Dykstra, undertaker, was immediately called and stated that he found Mr. Ledebor in the bath tub which contained no water, his chin being fastened between the two faucet handles for hot and cold water.

Mr. Ledebor who was a paralytic and got around with difficulty apparently slipped while getting his bath ready and fell in this peculiar position which undoubtedly caused his death.

Dr. Tappan was immediately called and stated that the head showed a severe fall, and thinks that the fall rendered Mr. Ledebor unconscious and the peculiar position of the throat between the faucets possibly strangled the man, he being unable to take care of himself in his helpless condition.

Mr. Ledebor comes from the old family of Ledebors of the earlier days. He was the youngest son of the late Dr. Barnard Ledebor, who was the second mayor of Holland and who lived in large rambling house on the site now occupied by the city hall. The home was later owned by the late Dr. O. E. Yates and was a social center in the earlier days.

Mr. Ledebor it will be remembered was the brother to the late Dr. Frank Ledebor, the late Reba Ledebor, and Abe Ledebor. Mrs. James TenEyck of Fairview, Ill., was a sister and Mrs. D. B. K. Van Raalte of this city is also a sister.

The funeral took place Monday afternoon, Rev. Paul P. Cheff, officiating, and the body was interred in the Ledebor family plot.

Mr. Ledebor was 63 years of age.

## MORE CASES OF SMALL POX ADDED TO LIST

Two more cases of small pox were added to Holland's list of people afflicted with this disease.

The city health department put another house under quarantine on Monday and that makes four homes in the city where there are cases of the disease. In one home there are 8 cases, all the children being down with the disease, and three other homes are under quarantine.

Every precaution is being taken to prevent the spread of the disease, but in spite of everything it appears as if the disease is slowly working its way from one place to another. There is as yet no cause for serious alarm, as three quarantined homes do not constitute an epidemic, and it is possible that the disease may be confined to these three places. But the health department has issued a warning that now is the time for the people of Holland to co-operate with the department to prevent the spread of the disease. It is not wise, Health Officer Godfrey pointed out, to wait until an epidemic is here. The time to deal with even a distant threatened epidemic is before it has a chance to make any headway.

There is a sure way of preventing an epidemic and that is by general vaccination, he points out. If all the people in the city were properly vaccinated, the danger of the spread of the disease would be almost nil. But the time to vaccinate is when the disease has not yet taken hold. No one knows when he may come into contact with some one who has been exposed to small pox and if he is vaccinated the contact is without danger for him.

Quarantine can help some in preventing the spread of the disease but the difficulty is that often the disease is not diagnosed as small pox until the patient has exposed many others. Frequently it is looked upon as chicken pox or its incubency. Vaccination is the only sure preventative, the health officer points out.

Mayor Stephan Monday forenoon called a meeting of the board of health to review the situation. The full board was present and all members went on record as being in favor of a general vaccination. The board does not want to give the impression that the situation is dangerous but the members believed it was their duty to meet and issue a warning at this time when a warning will do the most good.

## SISTERS WED AT SAME TIME FRIDAY MORNING

A double wedding was solemnized Friday forenoon in which the brides were sisters and which was held on the birthday of one of them. The contracting parties in this multiple ceremony were John Albert TerVree and Miss Jeannette Tiesenga, and Benjamin Michael Nash and Miss Edna Tiesenga. The ceremony was performed at the birthday of Miss Edna Tiesenga.

The marriage took place at the parsonage of the First Reformed church. Rev. James Weyer tying the double knot. The two couples soon after left for Grand Rapids to visit another sister of the brides, Mr. and Mrs. Nash will also make a trip to Milwaukee. Both couples will make their homes in Holland.

Peaches from the Fennville district topped everything in price on the Chicago market last season according to information received by R. H. Shoemaker, federal and state market representative and placed in his summary of the Michigan 1922 peach deal.

Mrs. Martha D. Kollen and children and Mrs. C. J. Lokker have arrived in Holland after spending three months touring Europe.

## LOCAL

The September meeting of the P-T association of the Beechwood school was held Friday evening and a good attendance was present. The program consisted of a piano solo by Carla Emmick; lecture on China by Milton Van Dyke; violin solo by Lewis Fairbanks, accompanied by Marion Wierda; first vice president, Irene Van Alburg; second vice-president, Mrs. Ruth Bocks; secretary, Mrs. Eli Arnold; treasurer, Jane Plakke. A social hour followed the election of officers.

Grape season is now on at Spring Lake, Ottawa's grape belt. At least fifty carloads of grapes will be shipped this year each car containing 1200 baskets of Jumbo grapes.

Word was received in Holland that Harvey Oltman, who is connected with the American embassy in Tokyo, Japan is safe. It was learned Tuesday on Monday his parents Dr. and Mrs. Albert Oltman and their two daughters, Evelyn and Janet, left for Japan to join him.

The home of Fred Dorgelo has been ordered quarantined, due to smallpox, by Health Officer Godfrey. Eight members of the family, including children from 1 to 16, are said to be suffering with the malady. Miss Elizabeth Wearne, a former teacher in the public schools of Holland, is visiting friends in this city. Miss Wearne has been teaching in Detroit since leaving Holland and the coming year she will continue her studies at Ann Arbor.

A tire was stolen from the back of Henry De Kraker's car at the Fair Grounds Thursday and a spare was taken from the car of B. A. Mulder. There were several other minor thefts reported.

Frost failed to show up around Holland between Thursday and Friday as predicted, the lowest temperature at the Waterworks being 41. Between Friday and Saturday night however, there was a light frost according to G. J. Deur of Holland township. The frost was the heaviest in low places but did no material damage.

The entire court house family was at the Holland fair this week including James Danhof, county clerk O. J. Sluiter, Drain Commissioner Henry Rysma and Register of Deeds Mr. Rysma. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Van Anrooy also came with a party and the lady clerks in the county house made up a party of their own, motoring down to the Holland fair.

Remember that checks or money contributions for the Japanese relief fund will be received at any of the three Holland or two Zeeland Banks. Don't let lower Ottawa forget its duty to suffering Japan. Contributing quickly is the only way in which the quake districts may be aided soon, which is necessary and remember too that the loss of life has been appalling and the needs are unusually great.

The Salvation Army and the Elks Lodge of Grand Haven are fostering a Japanese Relief drive and are meeting with liberal response. North Ottawa Red Cross is also starting a drive and apparently the county sent is going over big. Holland must not be outdone in this matter. Hope sends its missionaries to Japan and it seems that this city is more directly interested than even Grand Haven although the terrible calamity makes it every one's common cause.

Rev. Martin E. Anderson, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church, Detroit, has been booked as one of the leading speakers at the Ottawa County Sunday school convention to be held at Holland on Oct. 9 and 10. President George Schulling of the county association is negotiating for other speakers and already has secured E. K. Mohr of New Buffalo, the Rev. J. C. Willems of St. Joseph and Rev. S. C. Nettinga of Western seminary.

There was not an arrest made either in Holland or at the fair grounds during the entire week of the fair. Notwithstanding the fact that Chief Van Ry and Sheriff Fortney had made the usual preparations to meet all emergencies. This surely must allay the fear of some who thought that the night fair would bring about the carnival spirit and the misdeeds that go with it. Although more than 15,000 people came to the exhibition, no occasion arose where even reprimands were necessary. Surely a law abiding crowd.

The Borculo school has opened for the fall term. Teachers for the term are Mr. Anthony Mulder, Zeeland as principal, and Miss Geraldine Bouwman of Holland and Elizabeth Bosch as assistants.

Miss Henrietta Bolman of New Groningen is taking a course at the Holland Business college.

Former Sheriff Hans Dykhuys and wife of Grand Haven motored to the Holland fair Friday.

There was not an automobile accident reported at the fairgrounds or in the vicinity of Holland during fair week.

Everett Bekken has gone to Grand Rapids to attend the Methodist Conference as a delegate from the Sunday School of the Methodist church in Holland.

Miss Olive Bertsch who has been spending the summer with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bertsch at Beechwood has returned to Needles, California, where she will resume her work as instructor in English.

Miss Gertrude Holkeboer left on Wednesday night for Chicago where she will resume her studies at the Moody Bible Institute. Miss Holkeboer is the daughter of Mrs. D. Holkeboer.

Herman Van Dyke, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. Van Dyke, left Wednesday night for Chicago where he will resume his studies at Moody Bible Institute.

Hayden-Koopman Auto Co. with a large Chevrolet truck dragged the race course yesterday at the Community Fair which helped considerably to dry the track and at the same time advertised this popular make of truck.

Thursday afternoon the Holland Independents defeated the Shelby Commercials on their own battle ground to the tune of 6 to 3. The weather was more suitable for football but in spite of this fact both teams played a good brand of base ball. Dahlstrom who has pitched several games for the mound for Shelby and pitched his head off to defeat the Wooden Shoes, but could not stand up under the heavy artillery. Holland nipped Dolly for about ten hits, Hoover and Waltz doing most of the damage.

Both fire departments were called to a 17th street chimney fire on Saturday forenoon. The damage was small.

Adam J. Westmaas, Muskegon, and Mrs. Westmaas have left for Amoy, China, where Rev. Westmaas will become a missionary. He was ordained at Muskegon Wednesday night at the First Reformed church in Muskegon. He is a graduate of Western Theological seminary.

E. H. Babcock, the new superintendent at the county seat schools, succeeding L. H. Vandenberg, was the speaker before the Grand Haven Exchange club Monday.

Seven building permits for \$14000 were issued last week by the Grand Haven city manager's office. Included on the list were three residences and one large garage being built by the Challenge Refrigerator Co.

Miss Virginia Van Vert and Miss Lenore Aldworth will attend Columbia University this year. Carroll Van Ark has also left for New York City to resume his studies in the Columbia School of Journalism.

Michigan will have to wait until January 24, 1924, for a total eclipse of the sun, according to Prof. Hussey, of the U. of M. Much can be done to wait patiently, if, meanwhile, it can have a part in unveiling of the sun these cloudy days.

Rev. J. M. Vander Kieft, pastor of 14th St. Chr. Ref. church for two years, has received a call from the church at East Saugatuck, recently vacated by Rev. John H. Geerlings. Mr. Vander Kieft also is considering a call to Doon, Ia.

Cornelius Evers of this city has accepted a position as instructor in mathematics at the Michigan Agricultural college. Mr. Evers recently resigned a similar position in Clarkburg, W. V., where he was teacher in a school for ex-service men.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kronmeyer and Mr. and Mrs. George Hofmeyer of Holland were out of town guests at the wedding of Miss Irene Bylisma, Alpine avenue, Grand Rapids, and Rein Vander of that city. Rev. J. M. Van Zomeren well known in Holland, officiated.

Miss Lalla E. McKay has returned from an extended motor trip to Manitowoc, Wis., and also Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Rochester, N. Y. Her piano studio is open to all students desiring music lessons.

Monday several deaths were reported in Holland and these broke a mortality record, or rather a want of a mortality record for this city. This city has been more than two weeks without a single death, according to local undertakers Monday. This is considered a very long period for Holland not only but for any city with 12,000 inhabitants.

Robert H. Hooker, aged 65 years, died Sunday night at his home at 190 West 8th street. He is survived by his wife and five children, his wife being a sister of E. S. Gale, West 8th street. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock at the home on Thursday afternoon, Rev. Harry Idle, rector of Grace Episcopal church officiating.

The brothers and sisters of K. Kraght, gathered at his home at 190 Central avenue, Thursday and surprised him on his 68th birthday. Mrs. Kraght was in on the secret and she served a delicious dinner, after which a program was given.

Herman Nyhof, Hamilton R. F. D. No. 1 was the lucky recipient of No. 3863 which entitles him to a rebate of \$100 on any make of Chevrolet car sold by Hayden-Koopman Auto Co. of Holland, who are using this method in advertising their line at the Holland fair. Thursday was Mr. Nyhof's lucky day it seems.

Work on the addition to the Grand Haven city water and electric light plant is being held up by a shortage of cement according to George Snyder contractor. Mr. Snyder recently was awarded the contract at \$16,696, by the council. It is the plan to make the addition as attractive as possible. The plant is located on the harbor drive leading to the state park.

News of the death of Miss Jennie Kuypier, Reformed missionary to Japan, was confirmed in a cablegram to the board of foreign missions in New York city Thursday afternoon and relayed by telegram to Rev. W. J. Van Kersen of this city. The cable stated that Miss Kuypier was instantly killed in the quake at Karizawa. Miss Kuypier had been connected with the Japan mission for 18 years and a few months ago was appointed head of the girls' school at Yokohama. The cablegram also stated that all the other Reformed missionaries had been accounted for.

The coast guard at the local harbor has experienced a light season. However three drownings have been reported and only a few instances occurred where the life savers had to respond to calls for aid. The drownings were at Saugatuck, at the Getz boat house at Ottawa Beach, and at Montello Park.

Rev. Harry P. Boot and family have reached Holland from Amoy, China, on their furlough. Mr. Boot has been connected with the Amoy mission for 20 years. They will make their home in the mission residence donated by Mrs. H. J. Kollen to the board of foreign missions.

The Grand Rapids classes of the Reformed church embracing 23 churches has been holding its sessions at Grand Rapids. A great deal of work was done, however the part of the deliberations that interests Holland is the fact that Rev. Nicholas Boer of the Third Reformed church and Rev. C. H. Spaan of Grace Reformed church were appointed as members of the council of Hope College, while Rev. A. Kierk of Bethany church was appointed a member of the board of Western Theological seminary. Appointed to the classical board of benevolence of Hope college were Rev. J. Van Zomeren of Trinity Reformed church, Rev. A. De Young of Fifth Reformed church and Elder J. Kloote, sr. of Third Reformed church.

Rev. R. Bloemendal of the North Blenden Reformed church will preach his farewell sermon on Sept. 23.

On page 128 of this week's issue of the Saturday Evening Post, on the news stands today, appears a full page advertisement of the San-To Co.

The Misses Hulda Nies and Martha Barkema entertained with a "500" party Wednesday evening at the home of the former on Michigan Avenue. Prizes were won by Ethel Dykstra and Walter Stokette. A two course luncheon was served to the following: Ethel Dykstra, Walter Stokette, Marian Bazaan, Wilfred Arbustree, Mary Donnelly, Phillip Reimold, Beatrice Tyner, Lambertus Beuwkes, Grace Gardel, Pat Kelley, Frances Huntley, Fred Kremer, Hulda Nies, Hans Knutson, Bartha Barkema. The party was given in honor of several of those present who will soon leave for school.

Mrs. J. L. Hoffman, who submitted to an operation at her home, 294 Van Raalte avenue Saturday, is nicely improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bloemendal and Mr. and Mrs. A. Kousch have returned from Chicago where they attended the funeral of their sister, Mrs. William Muys, who died at the age of 64. Mrs. Muys was formerly Miss Johanna Bloemendal and spent her girlhood in Holland.

One of the special exhibitions at the fair is an old clown 63 years of age. He is the only man that has ever turned a somersault from the knees. He claims that he waited 40 years to find another man who could do likewise, but has found none either young or old. He does this stunt daily in front of the grandstand. Some spy boy for 63 summers.

Jacob Valder Veen of Grand Haven has discovered a freak sunflower growing in the crotch of an old soft maple tree at his property corner of Washington and 5th sts., in some manner where a limb had been broken off and the tiny roots gained a hold. Evidently enough nourishment was secured by the plants to keep it alive and it is well developed and blossoming.

Quite a surprise came to Mrs. Grace Bohl, wife of the orchardist at Beechwood. It seems that a daughter of Mrs. Bohl who had been mourned as dead for more than thirty years advised her mother that she was living in Wisconsin. Her name is Grace Scott and she left home when she was but 18 years old, not telling the reason for going. Mrs. Bohl many years ago was informed that the daughter was killed in a gasoline stove explosion and that the body had been shipped to England where Mrs. Scott was born. According to a letter received the daughter is now the wife of Fred Person, a rural mail carrier at Lyra, Central, Wisconsin.

Dr. William De Kleine, formerly of Ottawa county and now health officer of Saginaw, was elected chairman of the public health division of the Michigan State Medical society in session in Grand Rapids. He was also chosen as president of the Michigan State Public Health association, an organization affiliated loosely with the State Medical society and meeting when that body holds its annual conference.

Dr. De Kleine has won recognition in medical circles not only as a successful health officer in Flint and Saginaw but also as a writer on public health themes. For some years he conducted a daily health column in a number of Michigan papers and at present he writes for several papers one article a week.

One of Zeeland's veteran business men and one of its best known citizens passed away Tuesday morning at about 9 o'clock when death came to Thomas Van Eenennaam at the age of 74 years. Mr. Van Eenennaam had been suffering with heart disease for some years. About three weeks ago he suffered a severe attack but he rallied from that and was again in good health. He had been very well the past week or more and had eaten a hearty breakfast Tuesday morning.

After breakfast he sat down in his arm chair, yawned in evident relaxation and seemed to be in good spirits. Suddenly he sagged down in his chair and was dead.

Mr. Van Eenennaam for many years conducted Zeeland's only hotel. He was one of the oldest hotel men in this part of the state. He also many years ago conducted a general store in Zeeland and his grocery wagon visited farm homes for miles in the surrounding country.

At 8 o'clock Saturday night both fire departments were called out to the Colonial theater where it was found that Sam Quigley's Chevrolet car was ablaze and by the time the chemicals took effect, the body and cushions and top were destroyed.

The total damage to the car is said to be about \$250.

It is stated that a cigarette thrown in the car started the fire and that the blaze did not start near the gasoline tank. Quigley lives on Sixth street.

Traveling 400 miles in one day, Mr. N. J. Jonker and party arrived in Holland at 2 o'clock Sunday morning, having made the trip from Davenport Ia. to this city in a single day. The persons in the party were Mr. Jonker, the Misses Jeannette and Grace Jonker, Joe Jonker and Miss Otteline De Vries of Overisel.

They left Holland five days ago and visited Rock Island and Moline, Ill., and Davenport, Ia. Rock Island was Mr. Jonker's old home town and he had not visited it for 34 years. He visited many old friends there and renewed many former friendships. The party traveled approximately 300 miles during the five days' trip.

The old nursery rhyme, "Jack and the Beanstalk" has no doubt come true in actual life on a farm of Wm. Venhuizen, Holland township. Mr. Venhuizen has made a successful experiment in raising the gigantic bean and has six specimens of the vegetable on display in the J. Y. Huizenga seed store on River avenue. He was awarded first premium on the bean at the Holland fair.

The bean grows on a vine secured in West Virginia and is the first time that it has been raised in this section. The pod when full grown resembles a baseball but only it is much larger and heavier.

Venhuizen raised the bean in his flower garden. The largest specimen is 4 1/2 feet long, 2 inches in circumference at the neck and about 5 inches at the end and weighs 18 lbs. It is supported by a stem of about 1/4 of an inch in diameter but very tough.

The bean is developed within a month. Venhuizen has watched its growth, which is two to three inches a day. One of the pods contained 425 seeds. (The bean is prepared for the table the same as squash and those who have eaten them say they make a delicious vegetable.)

Monday evening, Sept. 17, all the Camp Fire Girls of Holland met in the lower hall of the Woman's Literary Club House for a pow wow. The girls assembled at 5:30 each carrying her own lunch in a box or ket and wearing a middle and a dark skirt or bloomers. The evening was spent in singing Camp Fire songs and planning activities for the ensuing year.

Camp Fire is an international organization of girls who appreciate the highest values in life and wish to live so that their daily lives may be the application and expression of their ideals. Every Camp Fire Girl in our country is alive to the larger demands which life in our own republic is making upon the women of today and is keen to fit herself for the full discharge of her responsibility. She consecrates herself to her program of work, health and love, interpreting each in terms of her duty to the home, to the community and to the state. Striving to keep the seven points of the Camp Fire Law: "Seek beauty; give service; pursue knowledge; be trustworthy; hold on to health; glorify work and; be happy."

Following is the Camp Fire Credo: I believe in the future; I believe, therefore, in the to-day, And I try to make my life A joy to myself and A pleasure to those about me. I realize the destiny within me. I try to find the beautiful in life And where it is not I create beauty. I feel my responsibility as a citizen of a great nation; I feel my glory as one of the mothers of the new generation which with new eyes and with steadier steps will reach the high places that now are but a purple haze on the horizon. I believe in the new womanhood, with citizenship and social consciousness. I know I am and hold within me the promise of the future. I realize my responsibility; I do not flinch nor falter. I am a Camp Fire Girl.

ALLEGAN, Sept. 14—Charles Nelson, 44, recently released from Kalamazoo State hospital, where he had been a patient for several months, shot and killed his wife, Caroline, 48, at Pullman ten miles southwest of this city Thursday morning. He then committed suicide. One shot pierced Mrs. Nelson's heart and another her temple. Both died instantly.

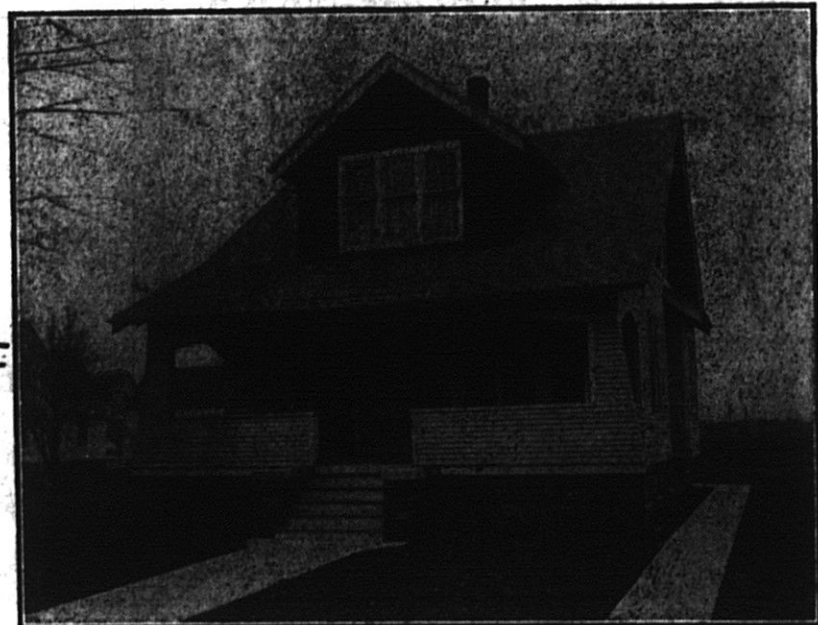
The murder and suicide were witnessed by the couple's five-year-old daughter.

The tragedy occurred in the farm home of William Bensinger about one half mile from the place where Nelson, since his release from Kalamazoo State hospital has been living with his mother.

Mrs. Nelson, who has been living in Chicago since her husband was pronounced insane, had returned only Wednesday night for some canned fruit at her home. Not wishing her visit to be known to her husband, she stopped at the Bensingers.

Thursday morning, when the Bensingers drove away on a marketing trip, they left Mrs. Nelson, and her daughter in their home. The shooting, as near as officials could ascertain occurred about 10 o'clock. The child, when questioned, could give no further information than that a quarrel had ensued which culminated in the death of her father and mother. Sheriff Hare was notified immediately upon the return of the Bensingers. He dispatched Deputies E. Robbins of Allegan and Sheldon Phillips of Pullman to the scene. An inquest was held by Coroner Ray Benson of Allegan.

The daughter of the Nelsons is at present being cared for at the Bensinger home.



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## FRAUD CHARGE

OUSTS FORMER  
HOLLAND PASTOR

Late Saturday the Michigan Methodist Episcopal Conference in session at Grand Rapids found Rev. James Wesley Esveld, former pastor of the Holland Methodist church eight years ago, guilty of misappropriation and embezzlement and expelled him as a member of the conference.

Mr. Esveld's expulsion from both the ministry and membership in the conference followed the report of the jury sustaining charges of misappropriation of funds and falsification and fraud, growing out of the accused pastor's former charge at Lansing.

The verdict was announced to the conference meeting in Trinity Community church, by the Rev. Hugh Kennedy, secretary of the Detroit area of the Methodist Episcopal church.

It was reached with regret, Mr. Kennedy concluded.

Bishop T. S. Henderson rose to lead in a prayer and silence fell over the assembled preachers and laymen.

"May the Lord bless our brother and keep him true to Christ," the Bishop prayed. "Keep us true to him also."

Mr. Esveld had been summoned to appear at the trial but did not do so. He was represented by his counsel, the Rev. N. A. McCune, of East Lansing and the Rev. J. R. T. Lathrop, of Ithaca.

The trial, conducted before "a select committee" of 15 pastors, referred to as "a jury," followed a hearing of several months ago before a committee of district superintendents which resulted in the suspension of Mr. Esveld until the present conference.

At the preliminary hearing all the charges were sustained except that of slander, and the latter was not considered at the trial. The charges were preferred by the 25 officers of the Methodist church at Lansing.

Last April, when he was under suspension, Mr. Esveld asked permission to withdraw from the conference. His request was refused, because of reports said to have been circulated by him that he had not had a fair hearing.

After the denial of this request Mr. Esveld accepted a Baptist pastorate in Cadillac. He left Lansing asserting that the charges against him were "the excuse and not the reason for suspension."

"I had long been known as a non-conformist," he said. "They will undoubtedly welcome my decision to get out."

Rev. G. B. Fleming of Holland was one of the pastors of the M. E. denomination to sit in judgment in the Esveld case.

The indictment contained five counts each comprising about three cases of reputed misappropriation, falsification and embezzlement. He was found guilty of the first, second third and fifth counts.

He was alleged to have taken \$225, at least part of which was returned.

According to the testimony the minister first erred while at the Lansing church and also later after his transfer to the Cadillac pastorate.

The evidence taken at his trial in Cadillac was read to the select few named by Bishop Henderson to represent the conference and to write a verdict. Almost five hours of reading was necessary to complete this work.

As Rev. Hugh Kennedy arose to read the verdict a hush fell over the assembly. With a few introductory remarks during which he said that he regretted deeply the action made necessary, he read the verdict.

TWO HOPE STUDENTS TO  
CONDUCT RESTAURANT

A transaction has been negotiated whereby Simon Korose and Harvey De Weerd of Hope college become proprietors of Duke's Cafe. These men are both prominent students at the college, it being remembered that the former achieved national distinction in oratory last year and the latter was one of Hope's best debaters and this year "mayor" of the student body. There will be no change in policy of the business and the new proprietors intend to participate at college as regular students. They are full-fledged students and will graduate next year. The steward and chef, Charles Patterson, continues to hold his position as before.

Peter De Vries, former owner of the cafe, will attend the University of Michigan this year. He has won a scholarship there and will continue to pursue his literary studies. Mr. De Vries left for school a few days ago. Heemstra and DeWeerd resumed their new duties Saturday.

BEST APPLE IN 13 STATES  
IS MICHIGAN APPLE

Thirteen states and Canada consumed Michigan's 1922 apple crop, according to a review of the apple deal issued by R. H. Shoemaker, state federal representative of the bureau of market.

A total of 3,913 cars were shipped during the season and they were distributed among Illinois, 2008 cars; Indiana, 887; Iowa, 11; Kentucky 37; Michigan 680; Minnesota, 86; North Dakota 2; Ohio 422; Pennsylvania 17; South Dakota 6; Tennessee, 16; West Virginia 5; Wisconsin 219; Canada, 5; unknown 14.

More apples were shipped to Chicago by boat than by rail, 983 cars going by the water route as compared with 926 by rail. Half of the crop was shipped to Chicago and the balance was distributed in small lots among 354 cities and villages in the 13 states.

REV. BOWERMAN  
BURNS A \$4200.00  
CHURCH MORTGAGE

One of the happiest men at the M. E. conference is Rev. J. E. Bowerman of Burton Heights, former pastor of the M. E. church at Holland. For Burton Heights got ready for the conference by burning a \$4200 mortgage, remnant of an \$18,000 incumbrance, last Monday night, the eve of the conference session, and Mr. Bowerman came to the conference Tuesday ready and anxious to hear the name "Burton Heights" in the annual call for financial reports from the churches of the conference.

The Burton Heights structure is a \$40,000 edifice where worshipers a congregation which ranks fourth in size among the Methodist congregations in that city and which is one of the most rapidly growing congregations in Grand Rapids. Mr. Bowerman, it is understood, will soon have a new charge.

THREE DEATHS IN  
SAME FAMILY IN  
FOUR MONTHS

Mrs. Edward R. Armstrong, aged 33 years, died Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wierda in Allendale. Mrs. Armstrong was formerly a resident of the north side near Holland. This is the third death in the same family within four months, the other two being children of Mrs. Armstrong, Ivan, aged 3 years, and an infant child.

The deceased is survived by her husband and her parents, and the following brothers and sisters: Andrew of Robinson; Mrs. Peter Boersma of Holland; Gerrit of Grand Rapids, Frank and Jr. of Allendale, Mrs. John Bos of Zeeland; and Ida, Jennie and Julia at home. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 at the 14th street Chr. Ref. church, Rev. J. M. Vander Kleef officiating. Interment was at the Holland cemetery.

TO PROTECT GAME  
IN WAUKAZOO WOODS

The game in the Waukazoo woods will be protected against hunters. The property owners south of the old railroad track at Waukazoo have sign-boarded their property with "No Hunting" signs. Announcement was made Monday by the property owners that all persons caught hunting in these woods will be prosecuted.

\*Batted for Maas in 9th.

FREIGHT BOAT WILL  
FINISH SEASON ON  
SAUGATUCK RUN

The steamer Pere Marquette No. 3 has been chartered by the Graham & Morton line to finish the season on the Saugatuck-Chicago run, the City of St. Joseph making her final trip for this year last Sunday night. The No. 3 will carry freight only, passengers being cared for via the Interurban and the Holland division. This arrangement is far preferable from the fruit growers' point of view, to that of former years, when their product was carried on Holland by a small boat and transferred to the Chicago steamer. The direct boat gives the grower more time for picking and obviates one loading and unloading schedule—and leaves Chicago at 7 a. m. of the fruit. The boat now leaves Saugatuck daily at 8 p. m. fast time—an hour earlier than the previous Saturday nights.

"GREEN-MILL CAFE"  
IS NAME OF NEW LO-  
CAL RESTAURANT

"The Green Mill Cafe" is the name given by Chris Korose to his new restaurant located in the former David Bloom building west of the First State bank on Eighth street, which building was purchased by Mr. Korose some months ago. It has been put into first class shape for a modern cafe, no expense having been spared by Mr. Korose to have all the appointments and the equipment up to date.

An addition has been built to the back for kitchen purposes and a new front has been put in the building with vestibule and double doors, the only feature of its kind in the city. The walls are beautifully paneled in walnut. In addition to the regular dining room there is a semi-private dining room for family dinners and social parties. Everything in the place from the kitchen to the vestibule is of the latest restaurant equipment and special attention has been given to ventilation, a modern ventilating system having been installed that keeps the air pure in both the kitchen and dining room. A rest room for ladies is another feature of the place. Mr. Korose will conduct the cafe himself.

Mrs. P. Coburn and Miss Nettie Coburn and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Kleis of Holland motored to Detroit to visit with C. C. Coburn.

LEONARD YNTEMA  
WEDS GIRL IN  
URBANA, ILLINOIS

The Champaign, Illinois News-Gazette contains the following article about the marriage of Leonard E. Yntema of Holland:—

One of the most charming of the early autumn weddings was that of Miss Margaret Jeannette Busey, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Busey, and Leonard F. Yntema of Holland, Michigan, which took place at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at the residence of the bride's parents, 503 West Elm street, Urbana.

Rev. R. D. Cramer, pastor of the Universalist church, Urbana, officiated, using the single ring service. Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Paul Busey, accompanied by Miss Irma Hubbard sang, "White Nights" by Metcalf and "Hayfields and Butterflies" by De Riego. As Miss Hubbard played DeKoven's "Wedding March" Miss Busey, in a beautiful gown of white crepe de chine and Brussels' point lace and carrying a shower bouquet of white roses and sweet peas, descended the stairs, attended by her mother, Mrs. G. W. Busey as matron of honor, in a gown of blue crepe. Miss Garreta Busey, sister of the bride, and Miss Clara Yntema, sister of the groom, each in green and orchid crepe, were bridesmaids. Dwight B. Yntema was best man.

The house was decorated throughout with huge baskets of hydrangeas and gladiolas. On the porch were hanging baskets filled with garden flowers.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served on the lawn.

The couple left on a wedding trip, the destination unknown. They will be at home October 15, at 502 West Elm street, Urbana.

Mrs. Yntema was graduated from the University of Illinois in 1920. She is a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority, Sigma Xi, Iota Sigma Xi and Aletheian. She taught for one year in the Crossnore school at Crossnore, N. C.

Mr. Yntema is a graduate of Hope College at Holland, Mich. and the University of Illinois. He is a member of Sigma Xi, Phi Eta, Phi Lambda Upsilon and Alpha Chi Sigma fraternities. He is now on the staff in the department of chemistry at the University.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. M. E. Yntema of Holland; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Yntema and daughter, Mary Ellen of New York City; Miss Clara Yntema of Holland; Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Yntema, Chicago; Dwight and Chester Yntema of Holland.

PARK TOWNSHIP  
MAKES APPEAL TO  
GOV. GROESBECK

The Park Township board has entered the controversy over the pollution of Black Lake. At a meeting of the board it was unanimously decided to appeal to Governor Groesbeck for aid in stopping the pollution of the water. The letter sent to the governor reads as follows:

To the Honorable,  
The Gov. of the State of Michigan,  
Lansing, Michigan.

The township board which is also ex-officio the Board of Health of Park township, Ottawa county, Michigan, respectfully represents that Black Lake, a body of water about six miles long, lies partly within Park township, running from Lake Michigan, a distance of about five miles, while the easterly one mile of said lake lies within Holland township.

That the city of Holland is situated upon the easterly end of said lake; that Black river, a small stream, empties into the easterly end of said lake, that the city of Holland empties its sewage into said Black river which carries it into Black lake; that there are a large number of summer homes located on both shores of Black lake practically its entire length, that three large resort hotels are also situated thereon, viz.: Ottawa Beach, Macatawa and Waukazoo Inn, that said resort hotels and cottages annually attract to said lake many thousands of visitors from all parts of the United States, with the result that the inhabitants of said township are enabled to dispose of their produce and obtain profitable employment as mechanics, tradesmen, keepers and laborers; that property values have steadily advanced, many expensive homes having been erected, which added greatly to the taxable value of the township—water front building sites without improvements readily selling for \$25 a front foot as a minimum; that great publicity has recently been given to what is alleged to be serious pollution of the waters of said lake by the emptying of the sewage of said city of Holland into said lake with the result that owners contemplating building have abandoned the projects, visitors at the resorts refuse to bathe in the lake and threaten not to return thus imperiling both the property values of said township and the principle and only business carried on therein.

We the Town Board of Park Township, therefore, respectfully petition that you will come to our aid and invoke the power of the state to require said city of Holland to cease forthwith the pollution of said Black river and Black lake with its sewage which is rapidly destroying the sanitary condition of said Black Lake and the value of property on its shores.

Respectfully submitted,  
TOWNSHIP BOARD,  
of Park Township,  
By Robt. Christopher, Chairman.

I. A. M. Witteveen, township clerk, of Park Township, hereby certify that the foregoing petition was unanimously adopted by the township board of Park Township this sixth day of September, 1923, and copies thereof directed to be sent to the Governor and the Department of Health at Lansing, Michigan.

A. M. Witteveen,  
(Seal) Township Clerk

FORMER HOLLAND WOMAN  
DIES IN MUSKOGON

Mrs. Gerrit Molengraaf, aged 62 years, died Saturday at 3:30 o'clock at her home in Muskogon. Mrs. Molengraaf is very well known here and lived in Holland until a few years ago. She is survived by her husband three children, Mrs. T. Hesselink and Henry Molengraaf of Holland and Mrs. L. Tuttle of Detroit, one sister Mrs. Terstra of Holland and one brother, Mr. C. Whitegraaf of Holland.

The funeral was held Tuesday at 1:30 at 68 W. 8th street.

SECRETARY ARENDSHORST  
GIVES A LIST OF LOSSES

Secretary of the Holland Fair John Arendshorst handed in the following list of lost and found articles that is rather unique.

Here they are—

LOST—Purse by Minnie J. Douma. Leave at De Free Booth.

FOUND—Little girl. Call 195 E 21st street.

LOST—Cane in grandstand.

LOST—Hat. Tell Mike Schoon.

LOST—Green handbag. Belongs to Mrs. O. S. Riemold R. F. D. No. 7.

LOST—Boys gray blouse in grandstand. Call A. H. Landwehr, Maple avenue.

LOST—Elgin watch; phone Clyde Coster, 5735 Citizens.

Stolen out of machine—Robe and tools. Car parked near Educational building.

LETTER CARRIERS TO HOLD  
A BANQUET IN OCTOBER

Rural letter carriers of Holland and Zeeland were royally entertained at the home of G. Rutgers. B. Vander Heide of Zeeland was elected delegate to the state conference to be held in Detroit, September 22nd, and plans were also made for a big banquet of postoffice employees to be held the second week in October.

G. J. DIEKEMA WILL  
BE THE SPEAKER AT  
THE POSTAL BANQUET

Gerrit J. Diekema of this city will be the speaker at the annual postoffice banquet Oct. 3 in the M. E. church at Holland. E. G. Oosterbaan, former Muskogon postmaster will introduce the speaker of the evening. The banquet arrangements are in charge of the rural carriers of the Holland postoffice.

B. Vander Heide of Zeeland, president of the Ottawa county Rural Letter Carriers association, will give a condensed report of activities at the Detroit Welfare conference of postal workers, Sept. 22, which he will attend.

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SERIOUS CONDITION

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CAR WRECKED  
ON ALPENA ROAD  
TUESDAY MORNING

Harry Vander Ploeg was seriously injured Tuesday forenoon on the Alpena road and the car in which he was driving was almost completely wrecked when it skidded on the pavement, running off the road and dashing into a tree partly turning over. Vander Ploeg was pinned between the top and the door of the wrecked car. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and rushed to his home in Holland. A bone in his hand was broken, his chest was injured and he received other injuries.

Vander Ploeg, who is employed by De Weerd Bros. at Ottawa Beach, was returning home on account of the rain. He was in a Studebaker car with Andrew VanderPloeg, Nell Syepma, and Albert Bredeweg. The others in the car were only slightly injured. The accident happened about a half mile west of the Grand Haven road.

Another car followed the one that was wrecked and Vander Ploeg was taken in this to Holland. The men who assisted him were Nell Syepma, Andrew Vander Ploeg, Albert De Weerd, Tom Straatman, Raymond De Weerd, and Jacob Sjoerema. It is expected that Vander Ploeg will recover.

Traffic records on the West Michigan pike were broken on Labor day, according to figures tabulated by Chester Wightman, who was stationed at the town line between Ganges and Saugatuck townships. Wightman's census showed that 3,205 automobiles passed the point between 7 a. m. and 9 p. m.

SNAKE BITES MAN AT THE  
COMMUNITY FAIR

A tent man of Billy Clark's show, named Charles Lamoot is at Holland Hospital reviving from a rattlesnake bite.

When Lamoot was teasing one of the reptiles in the Bradley and Chapel show, the snake struck the man on the hand and he was rushed to Holland hospital where he was given medical aid.

It was stated that Lamoot was playing with the snakes against the advice of the men who own them and who were giving an educational exhibit at the fair.

According to reports at the hospital all indications point to the man's recovery, altho his hand is badly swollen which naturally is always the case with rattlesnake bites.

HUNTING INSTRUCTIONS  
FROM THE STATE GAME  
DEPARTMENT

Arend Siersma, secretary of the Holland Rod and Gun club, has received some detailed information from John Baird, director, department of conservation at Lansing that includes the game warden's department as well and while there is a mass of information, Mr. Siersma states that the paragraphs below are the most essential to know. Here they are:—

Resident licenses may be sold to any person over 17 years who is a citizen of the United States and a bona fide resident of this state, for six months previous to making application for license. A resident alien having first citizenship papers may not secure resident license—final citizenship papers are requisite. Also resident licenses may be sold to minor children over 12 years and under 17 years of age whose parents are citizens of the United States and residents of this state, when application and oath are filed by one of their parents or legal guardian on condition that such minor will be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian or some person appointed by them when hunting and trapping.

Non-resident licenses may be sold to non-residents of this state who are citizens of the United States, and alien residents who have permits to possess firearms.

In case of loss of license a person may secure another by making affidavit of loss and paying the regular fee of one dollar for same.

Minor children may hunt upon the enclosed lands of their parents, upon which they reside only, without securing a license to do except where such lands have been dedicated to the state as a game refuge, in which instance no one is permitted to hunt on same.

Stolen out of machine—Robe and tools. Car parked near Educational building.

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To halve Peaches.  
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easily."

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Canning Comp'y

TWO PROMINENT MEN  
AT ALL THE FAIRS

Two men who have been prominent at all fairs held practically since the beginning were noticeable at this year's fair, one for his absence and the other for his presence.

Mike Bos, the dapper little man at the gate has been occupying that position for 39 years.

Mike was at the gate when Holland had its first fair in the Keppel addition that now comprises Kollen park, the Sugar factory and the Holland Shoe factory sites, and without a miss old Mike, who lives north of the city, has been collecting pasteboards at the fair, and believe us, no one got by Mike Bos unless he had the necessary credentials.

The man who was conspicuous for his absence was John Murray, whose death occurred some two months ago.

Even before John became a resident of Holland he made the annual pilgrimage from Charlotte, then his home town, which by the way is some race horse town, to take in the Holland fair, and being an exceptional judge of horses, he was selected each year as one of the judges.

For more than thirty years John Murray was seen in the judges' box by Holland fair patrons, never missing. However this year his absence, owing to his recent death, caused many comments, as it was immediately noticeable that someone who had occupied a position in the judges stand for a score or more of years was absent and that man was John Murray.

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LOCAL

Martin Jorgenson, 32, a Danish farmer and peppermint grower, living 15 miles south of Holland, fell unconscious on the top of a load of peppermint. He died about two hours later without regaining consciousness.

Peter Gunst, 34, Civil War veteran, still is a patient at Holland hospital from injuries sustained in an automobile accident about ten weeks ago. Gunst was run down by an automobile twice on the same corner within three weeks. His condition is serious.

The 11-year-old Jay Rycenga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rycenga of Grand Haven, was badly injured Saturday morning when he fell from an ice truck to the street and was run over, the wheels passing over his abdomen. The boy was immediately removed to Hattson Hospital where he is reported to be in rather serious condition. His recovery is hoped for.

The P. M. R'y has been handling a daily average of 21 cars of peaches and 13 cars of grapes out of the Chicago-Petoskey district besides quantities of plums, apples and other fruits. Large shipments also are being made of new potatoes from the Grand Rapids-Port Huron district.

Secretary Arendshorst of the Holland Fair requests all those who have accounts against the fair association to send them in as soon as possible in order that this year's business may be closed with dispatch, and a report of all the disbursements given to the public. Delayed bills are liable to go over into another year if the submitting of them is too long delayed.

The Model Drug store has just placed a beautiful electric sign weighing 700 pounds, containing thirty 75 candle power lights. The sign is so placed at the corner of the building that it will be visible from both River avenue and 8th street. The sign is 9 feet tall and the word "drugs" is spelled out in electric letters each more than a foot tall.

Fire swept Berkeley, Calif., burning 600 homes and doing damage of \$10,000,000, rendering 2,000 homeless. Holland will be especially interested in this item from the fact that Chas. S. Dutton and family, well known in this city, are residents in Berkeley. It also is the largest college town west of Chicago and it is stated that several of the buildings have been reduced to ashes.

Two new boulevard lights have been placed on Hope College campus at the cross walk. The improvement was very necessary and the grounds are now well lighted.

Hundred per cent meetings are unusual. However this can be said of a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce held Tuesday night. Every member of the Board of Directors, every chairman of every committee was present. It was found that not a person who was asked to be there had remained away after all noses were counted.

Rev. W. B. Stoddard of Washington, D. C., spoke to a fair-sized audience relative to the 'Lodge and the Church,' Monday evening in the 9th St. Christian Reformed church. Mr. Stoddard's contention is that there is no necessity to make a secret of anything that is good. He stated further that the lodge members had a tendency to substitute the lodge for the church, naturally 'to detriment to the church, and to themselves.

A smooth advertising stunt took place at the fair when a surprise was sprung by William C. Vandenberg of the Vandenberg Bros. Oil Co. Mixed with set pieces of Niagara Falls, The Flag and a barnyard scene, and other large letters were emblazoned against the dark skyline, spelling out "Texico Vans Gas". A snicker thru the audience was followed by prolonged applause. Surely a unique advertising stunt.

The H. J. Heinz company is erecting a new vinegar storage addition to its local plant, 90x162 feet, which will materially increase the storage capacity of that concern.

Miss Betty Stegenga left yesterday for Holland where she will be one of the Grand Haven students to enter Hope College for the coming year.—Grand Haven Tribune.

Now the Klan is active in Allegan county. The cross was burned near Plainwell, and the next day a speaker told the folks all about the Klan. Allegan people were however not much enthused.

The two new are lights placed on Hope College campus at the head of the walk leading to Carnegie Gymnasium were presented to the college by the class of 1919. President E. D. Dimment announced at the Chapel services Wednesday morning.

A survey of Allegan county for evidence of goults among school children is being planned under the supervision of Miss Lena Laude, county health nurse. Meetings will be held in Otsego, Plainwell and Allegan schools early next month. It is announced.

The body of Ray Cooper, 16, was found at 10 o'clock Tuesday night at the head of Norris creek, Fruitport. He had been duck hunting all day and a search was begun when he did not return in the evening. It is believed his gun was discharged as he stepped out of his boat. Cooper was a student at Muskegon high school.

The total number of adults attending the fair at Holland was 13,520 and 2,402 children passing through the gates. The total number of vehicles upon the grounds was 2,431. A detailed compilation covering four years will be published tomorrow.

It is stated that 560 was the largest number of students enrolled at Hope College at one time. This year the enrollment will be still larger, but just how much President Dimment could not give out officially. Among the students can be found men of all nationalities including Japs, Chinese, Indians, and naturally the whites.

The wiring in a coupe stored in William Fant's garage at Grand Haven and owned by K.H. H. Outman, caught fire Tuesday night and resulted in an alarm being turned in to the fire department shortly after one o'clock. The coupe had just completed a run from South Haven and for some unknown reason the wiring burned out causing quite a smudge.

Mrs. Fred Zwemer is planning a reunion of the Zwemer family in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Theodore F. Zwemer Friday evening, who expect to leave for India via New York, as missionaries of the Reformed denomination. Mrs. S. M. Zwemer was due to sail from New York for Cairo, on Tuesday to join her husband in mission work. The Zwemer family will be represented in India, Egypt and China.

The column of 20 years ago of the Grand Haven Tribune contains the following: "James De Pree of Holland was trying out for the Michigan football team."

A request will be made by the Chamber of Commerce to the Common Council asking for a room in the City hall as a headquarters. The room of the city attorney on the third floor has been vacant for some time and Mayor Stephan stated that he would take this matter up with council seeking their approval. It is only fair that this organization be given such a room if it is available, for all activities are for Holland's benefit.

PERSONAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Justin Kronmeyer—a son, on Monday, Sept. 17. Bert Golds of West Thirteenth St., is spending the week in Benton Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Slag took in the fair at Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Mulder of West 15th St. is spending a few days in Muskegon with relatives.

Mrs. Richard Overweg and daughter, Mrs. D. Rotman visited the Grand Rapids fair Tuesday.

All Royal Neighbors are requested to be present at a meeting Thursday evening to arrange plans for the coming convention.

Miss Jennie Prakken has returned from a visit with her brother John Prakken and family at Seattle, Wash.,ington.

There will be work in the third degree tonight at the Masonic Temple. All members and visiting brothers are urged to be present.

James Ten Brink has been appointed managing editor of the Maroon and Orange, the Holland high school paper.

Mrs. Otto Kramer and daughter Gertrude have returned from a month's visit with relatives in North Dakota.

The Western Theological seminary opened Thursday for the new year.

Ald. Frank Brieve and son left on Monday for a trip to Cincinnati, Ohio. City Clerk Richard Overweg was in Grand Rapids on business Monday.

F. C. Hall of Grand Rapids was a Holland visitor Tuesday.

Thad Taft, buyer for Rose Cloak store has returned from a buying trip to Chicago.

Miss K. M. Doesburg will return from her vacation with a few days, and will open her class in music next week. Miss Doesburg has been on an extended trip during the summer visiting Detroit, Chicago and points of interest in Wisconsin.

Rev. Manus Stegenga of Hudsonville has declined the call to Calvary church at Grand Rapids.

The annual convention of the Michigan Funeral Directors' association will be held at the Ottawa Beach hotel in June, 1924.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fairbanks of Findley, Ohio, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fairbanks.

Gerrit Waltemink, who lives on 1st avenue, had the largest display of vegetables at the Holland fair and received first premium in this line.

HOLLAND'S HEAVENS ARE NOW CLEAR OF FOOTBALL STARS

Holland surely was in the limelight for the past few years when "Cappy" and "Roby" arose from the mass of students and shone as stars in the football firmament.

For three years the length of time during which their light shone brightly, Holland was very much on the map as a city that turns out wonderful football timber.

So prominent had Holland become that big Coach Yost saw fit to come to this city and be honored with a sporting world.

Another condition prevails today. Each Yost has called 55 men together, the best in the college, eligible banquet, together with the two men who made Holland famous in the football. In this galaxy of would-be stars, not a Holland man appears.

The skies are swept clear of all shining lights who would redound to Holland's glory.

The Detroit News has the following relative to the condition that was and the condition that is:

Of the 21 letter men last year on the University of Michigan football team, ten were missing when the 1923 squad practiced Saturday. Seven of these ten who did not report were selected to start the Ohio State-Michigan game last year and were regulars throughout the season.

Capt Paul Gobel and the late Bernard Kirk, Michigan's two star ends in 1922, Jackson Keefe, one of the best back ever developed at Michigan, Franklin C. Cappon, one of Michigan's greatest full backs, Douglas F. Roby 185 pound halfback and Robert T. Knode, who ably filled Kipke's place last year when Kipke was on the sick list, are lost to the squad this year as are W. J. Van Orden, S. M. Garfield, R. F. Rosett, and George Dunleavy, who played in the Ohio State game last fall.

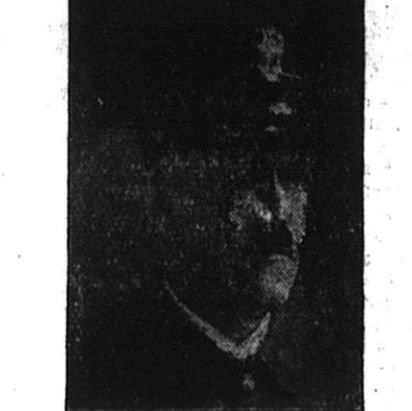
Realizing the difficulty of securing men to take the places of those lost, F. H. Yost, veteran coach, invited the largest squad in the history of Michigan to return for early practice. Michigan, facing one of the hardest schedules that a Wolverine team ever attempted, will be represented this year by a team largely chosen from these men, 55 in all, and many of the places vacated by the 10 absent letter men will have to be filled with green material that has never proven its worth under fire.

Just how near Coach Yost and his group of assistants will come to turning out a winning team cannot be known until October 6, the date for the opening game with Case. The most immediate problem will be the finding of two ends and a capable full back and half back and after the first few days of fundamentals, the candidates for these positions will be tried out.

CELEBRATES 15TH YEAR AS PATROLMAN

C. Steketee, patrolman No. 1 on the Holland police force Monday was celebrating his 15th year on the Holland police force, and the occasion will be properly observed at his home on West 18th street Monday evening.

Mr. Steketee has been on the force nearly from the time of the establishment of a police force in Holland, and has been a very faithful public servant.



He served under three chiefs, namely Fred Kamferbeek, H. J. Dyk-huis, and the present chief, Frank VanRy, who has been chief of the police force for more than ten years.

During his period in office thus far, Mr. Steketee has done a great deal of criminal catching, not alone in Holland as patrolman, but also in Ottawa county as deputy sheriff.

As a minion of the law this city has always appreciated the efforts of Patrolman No. 1.

FARMER GETS THREE K. O.'S INSIDE OF THREE SECONDS

There was one act on the free attraction list at the fair Wednesday that turned more enterprising than those who saw it than anyone else but that had not been formally scheduled by the fair directors.

Max Steiner, of Muskegon, field agent for the International Harvesting Co., has an exhibit of trucks. Nov. 24th, as all his many friends in Holland and Muskegon know, is death on liquor, and so when he saw two men taking a drink in one of his enclosed trucks he immediately saw red.

In a voice like that of one of the prize winning bulls, that resounded over the grounds and attracted the attention of all, he ordered the men to get out, which order they did not obey. Thereupon Steiner took one of them by the nap of the neck and the seat of his pants and put him out not too gently.

But the man was also a very husky lad and he proceeded to attack Mr. Steiner. And then the thing happened. Steiner, who has muscles like steel and power back of them like the motors of his own trucks, knocked the man down with one blow. The man came back for more, whereupon Steiner knocked him down again. Once more Mr. Man returned and once more Steiner gave him the K. O. And that was all that was needed. Nearly all the people on the grounds were there by this time and they hugely enjoyed the fight.

HOLLAND MEN NAMED IN THE CLASSIS REPORT

Grand Haven Tribune—Rev. Henry Schipper, pastor of the First Reformed church of this city, as stated clerk of the Classis of Muskegon, R. C. A. has compiled his report of the first session held under the re-arrangement of churches. Mr. Schipper's resume of the session is as follows—

The Classis of Muskegon, met in its first stated session with the First Reformed Church of Muskegon, on Tuesday, Sept. 11. The meeting was called to order by the retiring president who led in devotional exercises. On roll call the churches were found to be almost fully represented.

The ministers who were present as charter members of the new Classis, signed the constitutional formula in the order in which their names appeared in their former classical connection.

According to rule Rev. John Bovenkerk of the First Muskegon church succeeded himself as president and Rev. Henry Mollema of Spring Lake became temporary clerk.

A number of teaching and ruling elders were received as corresponding members and granted the privileges of the floor.

Four churches were recommended to the board of Domestic Missions, for supplementary aid.

The interests of education, foreign missions, domestic missions and the ministers' fund were ably presented by the various agents and committees earnestly abetted by Prof. A. Raap, Rev. W. J. Van Kersen and Dr. J. E. Kulzenga, and enthusiastically endorsed by the classis.

Rev. A. Karremann and Chas. Stopple were elected to the council of Hope college.

Rev. J. Bovenkerk was nominated to serve on the board of superintendents of the Western Seminary.

The rules of order of the Classis of Grand River were revised to meet the needs of this classis and revised were unanimously adopted.

At the instance of the classis of Grand river candidate A. J. Westmaas was at the evening service ordained to the gospel ministry of a missionary evangelist to serve in the foreign field. In the candidate's home church, the president of classis, Rev. J. Bovenkerk, the candidate's own pastor, presided, read the form for ordination, led in the laying on of hands and the prayer of ordination and charged the newly ordained missionary. Rev. J. E. Kulzenga, also a son of the church, preached the ordination sermon. Rev. W. J. Van Kersen charged the congregation. All the ministers present were invited to participate in the laying on of hands. Rev. Westmaas dismissed the gathering.

Classis by having voted grateful appreciation for the royal manner in which the church and ladies cared for the members of Classis.

According to the rule adopted the classis will meet with the Reformed Session the second Tuesday in April, 1923.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ON HARBOR PROJECT

A very constructive undertaking that the Chamber of Commerce is fostering and has been sustaining for some time, is a better harbor.

Committees have met, members have seen engineers, have consulted with them, inspections were made of Holland harbor, a very cold reception was given them by one engineer who is now out of the district, and out of it all some good is to come.

The latest effort made by the Holland Chamber of Commerce is to appoint a delegation of three to go to Washington to interview Secretary of War Mr. Weeks, for the purpose of securing a resurvey of the harbor here.

Congressman Mapes will also cooperate with this committee, and no doubt some progress in the right direction will be made.

The meetings held this summer have not been for naught for the government men are now working on our piers and are at least making a start. Progress has been made at a snail's pace, however, and the men who are fostering this much needed improvement are becoming restive because the government seems to work so slowly.

The impression has prevailed for some time that some of the engineers are not enthusiastic about this port, and the progress made might give rise to this contention. Whether this be true or not this paper is not in a position to say.

The committee appointed however, intends to go right to the fountain-head, where things are done, and see that Holland gets the harbor it deserves with the least possible delay. The committee appointed to take up this work are Austin Harrington and G. J. Diekema of Holland, and former Senator William Alden Smith of Grand Rapids.

TO HAVE CHARGE OF MUSIC AT BERRIEN CONVENTION

For the fourth successive year John Vanderstul has been invited by the Berrien County Sunday School Association to take charge of the music at the annual convention which is to be held in Waterville on October 24. The association has promised him a chorus of ninety voices and an orchestra of 25 pieces.

Vanderstul has won a reputation in Michigan as a choir leader and a number of county Sunday school associations each year make a bid for his services. Berrien county has sometimes in the past drawn on Chicago talent for the musical part of its annual convention, but ever since the Holland man took hold three years ago he has been invited each year to come back.

BAND TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD IN KALAMAZOO

Kalamazoo Sept. 19—A band tournament open to all city and village bands in cities under 4,000 population has been arranged for the Kalamazoo County fair and responses have been received from 16 organizations in as many different cities and villages in southwestern Michigan that they will take part. This will mean 300 bandmen on the race track at one time. This tournament will be held Friday October 5 and prizes total \$400 in cash and many instruments that have been given by musical houses. Judges have been selected from the big city bands. All of the bands will be massed at one time and afterwards each band will play a short number alone.

HOLLAND MUST HAVE A NEW P. M. DEPOT

The local press has for some time back brought to the attention of the public the great necessity for a new passenger depot for Holland.

It has pointed out repeatedly the unsanitary conditions, the inadequate accommodations, and the unsightly appearance of an old building that was moved to Holland from the little village of Oakdale, some twenty five years ago, the moving being done on flat cars.

It has pointed out repeatedly that Holland's freight and passenger business with the Pere Marquette railroad amounts to more than \$1,000,000 annually and this statement has never been denied by any of the railroad officials.

A railroad man recently stated, and he seemed to speak with authority, that Holland was the third best city from the point of business that the Pere Marquette has, Detroit coming first, Grand Rapids second, and Holland third.

Surely a view of our passenger station would indicate that Holland is about the poorest paying city on the line, with the exception of Grand Haven, and by the way, our neighbors to have a new depot within the very near future. Anyway, so much for the depot.

However, from now on there is going to be some concerted effort brought to bear, and the Chamber of Commerce will not stop until a new depot is assured.

That was the sense of a meeting of the directors and the executive committee of the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday night.

The men back of this organization are bound that this depot problem will be disposed of once and for all, and plans are being well laid to put Holland's right to a new depot property before President Alfred of the Pere Marquette railway.

Holland has had many meetings and banquets on this project before, but something always came up to knock the thing in the head.

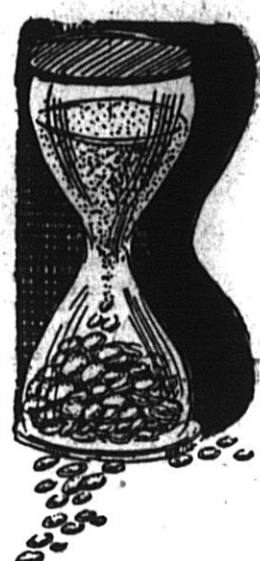
The committee appointed to take this matter up with the president of the railroad is a real live one, and Holland may be assured that these men will not stop in their efforts until something tangible is forthcoming from the Pere Marquette.

These men appointed to do this task are Mayor E. P. Stephan, G. J. Diekema, A. H. Landwehr, Arthur Vischer and Con De Pree.

These men will have facts and figures to show why Holland is entitled to a new passenger depot, and has been entitled to a new one for a score of years.

The committee has already met and will try to have something definite by the end of the month, and in time for

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LIKE the sifting sands or the water that has gone over the dam—so is the waste of a spendthrift. — His substance never returns.

Q So too the money of a spendthrift sifts away like the sand in an hour-glass and it is lost to the spendthrift forever.

Q Spending is a habit, and one that is hard to break.

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Q A spender spends and has nothing to show for it.

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the regular meeting of the entire membership of the chamber of commerce.

URGES STUDENTS TO MAKE GOOD USE OF THEIR LIVES

Winants chapel was crowded Wednesday forenoon with students and

townspeople when the open exercises of the new school year were held. Rev. J. H. Bruggers pronounced the invocation and Dr. E. D. Dimment read the scripture and gave the opening address of welcome. He called attention to four deaths during the summer. Dr. P. Moordyk of the College council, Dr. Muyskens, Dr. A. T. Godfrey, of the faculty, and Mr. Jack Scheepel. The new faculty members were introduced to the students and audience. They are: Miss Jeannette Vander Werp, Latin; Nella Meyer, French; Mr. A. Timmer, history and mathematics; E. Van Zyl, chemistry; Gerrit Vander Borgh, mathematics; Irwin J. Lubbers, English and public speaking; and Dr. A. Pieters, Bible.

Dr. J. E. Kulzenga delivered the convocation address. He gave an inspiring message to the students, calling upon them to make the most of their present opportunities. Present power, he declared, is the accumulation of interest of a past honest investment. He showed from the lives of such men as Booker T. Washington what can be done with a human life even when the opportunities are few. Hard work and honest endeavor will bear fruit. What a person sees in life depends to a large extent on what he is. Taking illustrations from the world of athletics, Dr. Kulzenga called attention to the success attained by Miss Willis, the tennis champion and by Christy Mathewson, the famous baseball pitcher. Mathewson was attacked by tuberculosis but he kept up his fighting spirit and won against great odds. And all such victories are an inspiration to all. Dr. Kulzenga gave numerous illustrations in support of his main theme, and at the close emphasized three points: He urged the students to make a resolution now to do their best to be the men and women they would like to be; to form associations that will help them to be their best selves; and to play square today, and then let tomorrow take care of itself.

Dr. A. Pieters pronounced the benediction.

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LOST—Small green leather handbag containing name, money, keys, etc. Liberal reward. Return to Holland City News office.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Phernambucq will soon leave for California where they expect to spend the winter with Mrs. Phernambucq's son, William Last.

The members of the Collection Department finally collected enough nerve to tell him to get out of their territory (or something like that) and he did get. All of the girls have a warm place in their hearts, or rather heads, for this gentleman, "Chief Roughstuff."

Bacon and weenies sizzled over a huge fire, and afterwards toasts on subjects such as "Why I am the most popular girl in the office," "Why Lemons are sour," etc., were given. Games and songs finished up the evening's fun.

Hope college will open the football season here on October 6 with Grand Rapids Junior college. Kenneth Van Lente has been elected manager and Henry Hidding captain. Coach J. H. Schouten has issued a call for the first scrimmage and it is expected that a large field of candidates will be available. Last season Coach Schouten began work on developing a new team and this season will be able to start his squad with four or five second-season men.

deducted the Model Meat Market for the past quarter century, has sold the business to his son Edward Phernambucq. The new owner has been connected with the business for many years and the change in ownership will not cause any change in the conduct of the business, except that the former owner will retire from active participation in the business.

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Mr. and Mrs. Oscar DeGroot and daughter Emma Gladys together with Mr. Harry Coppel and sister Winnie of Ellsworth, were visitors at the home of Mrs. G. Rutgers. Mrs. W. Channeles and daughter Glenda Sarah accompanied them to their home upon their return last Saturday. She will be a guest at the De Groot home for an indefinite time.

Mr. H. J. Juries was a Holland visitor last week.

F. Maroe from Chicago is visiting at her home in Hamilton.

Lambert Gates moved to his new farm west of Diamond Springs Monday.

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Mr. Gerrit Molengraf. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hesselink. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tuttle. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Molengraf.



## FIERY CROSS BURNED AT GRAND HAVEN

"The Klan has come to Grand Haven." This exclamation was in the mouth of every Havenite Saturday night when the first burning of the Fiery Cross, emblem of the Klan, was witnessed on Dewey Hill across the harbor at Grand Haven. The hill is so situated that the burning was visible from any part of the city. Much talk has been heard of the Ku Klux Klan activities throughout the nation and especially Michigan since it brings the affair nearer home. Holland and other cities south of Grand Haven have witnessed Ku Klux demonstrations and have had evidence of Klan activities for some weeks past but this was the first time that any evidence of the Klan had been brought to the county seat.

## DETROIT MAN TO BE PASTOR OF LOCAL CHURCH

Rev. J. C. De Vinney, of Detroit, has been named by the Methodist Conference as pastor of the Methodist church in Holland to succeed Rev. G. B. Fleming who will assume the pastorate of a Methodist church in Eaton Rapids. Mr. De Vinney is a prominent Methodist minister, having held pastorates in Grand Rapids, Mt. Pleasant, Big Rapids and Detroit.

"He is one of the finest men in the conference," said Rev. Mr. Fleming today, "and the people of Holland will like him. He has been a personal friend of mine since I was a boy and I can't speak too highly of him. He is a forceful preacher and a fine pastor and comes here with a record of genuine service to his credit."

Mr. De Vinney and his family, consisting of his wife and ten children, will move to Holland within the next week or two and he will probably occupy the local pulpit next Sunday.

Mr. Fleming's appointment to the Eaton Rapids church is in the nature of a fine promotion. The congregation in Eaton Rapids has a fine church building that cost \$65,000, a ten thousand dollar parsonage, a membership of over 600 and a Sunday School of over 700. The church is free from debt and is a strong factor in the life of that community.

During his four years' service in Holland Mr. Fleming has been very successful in his work. He has received into the church 237 members in full communion, 138 on probation, and has baptized 68 persons. More than \$6000 was spent on building improvements, and the indebtedness was reduced by \$2,400, bringing it down to \$5,300. The past year has been the best year the Methodist church has had financially since it was organized. The sum of \$6,175 was raised for benevolences, the church budget amounted to \$4600, and the church debt was reduced \$1,000 making the total amount raised over \$12,000.

## INDIAN COMPOSER COMES TO HOPE AS A STUDENT

An Indian of marked musical ability, who has shown considerable ability as a composer of Indian melodies, entered Hope College as a Freshman Tuesday and will begin his work Wednesday as a regular student. His name is George La Mere and he has just arrived in Holland from his home in Winnebago, Nebr.

Mr. La Mere during his high school days was a member of the band at Haskell Institute, the largest Indian school in the West located at Lawrence, Kansas. He has also traveled two seasons in Chautauqua, as a member of an Indian orchestra. He plays the cello, the clarinet and the oboe, and also sings, having a fine baritone voice.

Mr. La Mere's chief claim to recognition however is that he has done considerable work in the line of interpreting the native Indian melodies to the American public. He has helped such noted composers as Lieurance and Charles S. Skilton with Indian suites, and his work has been given by such famous bodies as the Minneapolis orchestra, the New York Philharmonic orchestra, and the Boston Symphony Orchestra. His music consists of Winnebago melodies and they interpret the spirit of the Winnebago Indians to which tribe he belongs. His skill in the composition of the native music of the Indians is such that the noted composers with whom he has collaborated look for big things in music from him.

Mr. La Mere comes to Hope College for his education through the influence of Rev. Mr. Watermuller, who is at the head of the Winnebago Mission and who is himself a graduate of Hope.

Plans are already being made to have Mr. La Mere give a recital of Indian melodies later on in the year at Hope College.

After a vacation of two months the Home Missionary society of the Methodist church held a meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. C. W. Fairbanks, 232 First avenue. The new president, Mrs. J. Rank, presided. Community singing was in charge of Mrs. C. Gross. Devotionals were conducted by Mrs. A. E. McClellan. As the study book and literature had not been received, the time was taken up with discussions, and plans were formed for the work of the coming year. It was decided to hold a singing bee next week Wednesday to can fruit for the Aldrich Deaconess Home in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. G. C. Moody conducted interesting enigmas as arranged by Mrs. G. C. Fleming, who was unable to be present. Vocal solos were given by Miss Ada Whitman and piano selections by Miss Eva Clark. There was a good attendance and the meeting was enthusiastic. Hostesses were Mesdames E. B. Rich and Carrier and Miss Ada Whitman.

## ATTENDANCE AT FAIR IS LARGEST IN HISTORY

Although an exact compilation of Holland Day Fair attendance cannot be given at this time, suffice it to say that the attendance at the gate by far surpasses the number at any previous Wednesday in the history of the fair.

A downpour of rain at 5 somewhat spoiled the race card during the afternoon and none of the events were finished. The directors could have called off these races but felt that was rather unfair to the horsemen and decided to finish up the heats on Thursday left unfinished on Wednesday.

At the beginning the track was rather heavy owing to the rain the day before, but hard work in the morning brought the course in good condition by the time the gong rang for the first heat.

During the speed program there were an unusual number of minor accidents caused by breaking down sulkeys.

Just before the first heat of the second event Busy Bee, owned by L. Thompson, and driven by K. Gates of Allegan, collided with another sulky because of the congestion. The driver was thrown to the ground and the driverless pacer swept around the course with a one-wheel vehicle, the other wheel being smashed in the collision. In the same event a wheel was broken from the sulky of Babe Afton driven by H. Sturtevant. Babe kept going around the track repeatedly without a driver to the delight of the vast audience, coming in third in the race and apparently did better alone than with a driver for in the previous event he came in 6th.

In the third heat of the same event something happened to the cart of Dan Hope, owned and driven by C. M. Thompson. The horse came in 7th on the rim with the tire dragging.

In the second heat of the first event the sulky of Emir Gregor was badly wrecked. The driver of this horse, F. Talbot, rolled over unto the course, badly shaken up, but unhurt.

A real treat was in store for the race fans at the Community Fair on Thursday.

Not alone was the regular program good but both events of the day before were left unfinished because of the sudden rain storm and these exciting finishes the following day were also witnessed by Thursday's patrons.

Johnnie Boone of Holland, one of the most expert horse jockeys in the state, brought his horse owners into either first or second money on every event.

Unlike Wednesday's races, there were no mishaps and the weather and track were ideal.

The grandstand altho not quite so well filled as on Wednesday when every available seat was taken was within a few hundred seats of being filled to capacity, so from that standpoint the fair directors cannot help but be satisfied.

The events by heats of both Wednesday and Thursday's racing cards follow:

### Wednesday's Events

First Event—2:30 Trot, Purse \$300  
1 Emir Gregor, bm., by Tommy Gregor owner, C. Taylor, Coopersville, driver F. Talbot 1 4 1 1  
2 Axle, bg., by Mainleaf, W. Young, owner and driver, Grand Rapids, Mich. 2 1 2 2  
3 Miss Hal Direct, brm., by Baron Peter, Rivers & Son owners, Niles, G. Rivers, driver 3 2 3 3  
4 Highland Fern by Queen Villia, Jay Nichols, owner and driver, Holland 4 3 4 4  
Time—2:27½, 2:32½, 2:24½, 2:25  
Second Event—2:30 Pace, Purse \$300  
1 Dan Top, brg. by unknown C. M. Thompson, owner and driver Hartford 1 4 7 1 1  
2 Oliver Niles, bg., by Peter Niles, A. Keller, Grand Rapids, owner, J. Boone driver 2 1 2 2  
3 Helen Dukeshire, brm., by Wilbur Leu, A. H. Worrlow, owner and driver, Hartford 7 2 3  
4 Fred R., bg., by Col. Hodges, Neal Russel, owner and driver 4 2 6 4  
5 Baron Medium, by Baron Hall, Henry Ellis, owner and driver Mishawaka 9 8  
6 Rosebud bm., by unknown Ernest DeHaan, owner and driver, Holland 3 4  
7 Axlad, bm., by Axlien, H. Van Dyk owner and driver, Holland 9 8  
8 Babe Afton bm., by Jersey, B. H. Sturtevant, owner and driver, Allegan, J. Moll driver 4 3 4  
9 Busy Bee by Essee Bee, L. Thompson, owner, Allegan, K. Gates driver 5 5 5  
Time—2:22½, 2:24½, 2:25½, 2:25½

### Thursday

First Event—2:14 Pace, Purse \$300  
1 Halido, bm. by Hal B. E. M. Joslin owner and driver Fowlerville, Mich. 1 1 1  
2 Banjo, bg., by unknown, R. C. Herpolsheimer, owner, Grand Rapids, J. Boone driver 2 2 2  
3 Roanwood, gg., by George B. W. Grinage, owner and driver, Allegan, driver 4 3 4  
5 June D., by Joe Kirk, C. Thompson owner and driver K. Gates, Allegan 5 4 3  
6 Cronie Tell, bg., by Motell, C. H. Steward owner and driver, Paw Paw, Mich. 3 5 5  
7 Cochoat Banks, owner, Audrian, Grand Rapids 6 6 6  
Time—2:17½, 2:16½, 2:15½

The second event of Thursday that was unfinished will be continued on Friday's card and will appear in Saturday's issue.

Altho the first day of racing was very eventful with spills, broken wheels, and other minor accidents, no mishaps took place Thursday and only one on Friday when "Rosebud" owned and driven by Ernest DeHaan of Holland stumbled and fell and the crowd at first thought that the neck of the horse was broken, but after careful investigation it was found that the pony was unhurt and it appeared again in the next heat.

The crowd Friday although very enthusiastic was not as large as in previous days, however those who did come to see the races saw a fine program pulled off without any delay.

The first heat run in Friday's races

was the unfinished race in the second event of Thursday. Below will be found a detailed report of all the races by heats, finishing up the card for the week:

### Thursday—2nd Event

2:19 Pace, Purse \$300  
1 Barbara, brm., by Strongmont, C. M. Thompson, owner and driver, Hartford 1 1 3 3 1  
2 Major Axworthy, bg., by Kaffir Axworthy, E. M. Joslin, owner and driver, Fowlerville 2 2 2 1 2  
3 Isaac Masters, bg., by Dan Master, L. W. Cays, owner and driver Cassopolis, Mich. 4 3 1 2 2  
4 Hurley Boy, chg., by Hedgwood Boy, Glover, owner, Benton Harbor, L. De Long, driver 3 5 4 4  
5 Alice Gordon, brm., by Gordon Prince, C. H. Stuart owner and driver, Paw Paw, Mich. 5 6 5  
6 Cooley Tod, blm., by Tod Mac, J. A. Johnson owner and driver, Benton Harbor 9 9 9  
7 Elbrino Belle, brm., by Elbrino R. Van Dusen owner and driver, Lowell, Mich. 7 4 8  
8 Peter F., bg., by Bay Peter, Jay Nichols, owner and driver, Holland, Mich. 6 8 7  
9 Lena B., brm., by Ma-Joq Muscivite, owner and driver, Bloomingdale, Mich. 8 7 6  
Time—2:19½, 2:17½, 2:16½, 2:16½, 2:21½, 2:20

### Friday—First Event

2:22 Trot, Purse \$300  
1 Nellie Niles, blm., by Black-stell, R. Van Dusen, owner, and driver Lowell, Mich. 1 1 1  
2 Hazel Custer, chm., by Ed Custer, Mrs. Audrian owner Grand Rapids, driver, Bob 3 2 3  
3 Euro, brg., by Walnut Hall, Glover, owner, Benton Harbor, L. De Long, driver 4 3 2  
4 Silver Bell, brm., by Silver Davitt, C. M. Thompson, owner and driver, Hartford 2 4 4  
5 Miss Alcyon, brm., by Red Alcyon John Mohl, owner and driver, Grand Rapids 5 5 5  
Time—2:21½, 2:24½, 2:21½, 2:21½, 2:21½, 2:23

### Second Event—2:25 Pace, Purse \$300

1 Dan Hope, brg. by unknown C. M. Thompson, owner and driver, Hartford 1 2 2 1  
2 Busy Bee, by Essee Bee, L. Thompson, owner, Allegan, K. Gates, driver 3 1 1 2  
3 Rosebud, brm., by unknown Ernest De Haan, owner and driver, Holland 2 6 3  
4 The Leader, brm., by Major Muscivite A. H. Worrlow, owner and driver, Hartford, Michigan 5 4 4  
5 Silver, sm., by Henry C. Smith, Ray Well owner and driver, Allegan 4 5 4  
6 Pastime, owner, Diemer, Zeeland, Mich. 6 6 5  
Time—2:22½, 2:24½, 2:21½, 2:21½, 2:21½, 2:23

### Third Event—2:17 Trot Purse \$200

1 Alita, brm., by Treganthe, C. H. Stuart, owner and driver, Paw Paw, Mich. 1 1 1  
2 Hattie V. Todd, brm., by Iowa Todd, Rivers & Sons, owners Niles, Mich. Rivers, driver 2 2 2  
3 Teddy Exponent, by The Exponent, Chas. Long owner and driver, Allegan, Mich. 3 3 3  
Time—2:24½, 2:23½, 2:21

A new departure on the speed program that takes well and will be put on another year is the saddle horse show in front of the grandstand. The beautiful animals without an exception, very attractive and well groomed appeared on the track going through the stunts best known to equestrians of ability.

The three gaited class was the first to be exhibited with seven entries. In this class the beautiful saddle horse "Starlight" owned by R. R. Bradley of Waukegan easily took the honors and was presented by the Chairman, Seth Nibbelink with a blue ribbon and a silver cup.

The horse was ridden by a colored man who surely knows how to ride astride. In this event Glory owned by C. P. Brown took second honors and "Kling" owned by Noble took third honors.

In the hunting and jumping class "Tennessee," owner Brown, took 1st prize; "Satan" owner, Roger Strick, second; "Springfield," owner C. P. Brown, third.

In the High School class, "Queen" owner, Noble, captured 1st prize; "Cherry" owner, John Boone, 2nd prize; and "Horse" ridden by Miss Ferguson, took 3rd prize.

On Thursday the saddle horse events that were staged in front of the grandstand again took with the fair patrons, and we simply must add this new departure to next year's attractions at the Community fair.

Mr. C. P. Brown is superintendent of that department, and he handled all these events like a veteran, backed by one of the best saddle horse judges in the country, namely Edwin Cordrey of Grand Rapids.

Thursday one of R. R. Bradley's horses, "Gray Gull" took the honors. Miss Ferguson was in the saddle and did wonderful work as an equestrian. The judge pronounced her mount as winning the Grand Champion prize, and the crowd expressed their approval through prolonged applause. She was presented with a ribbon and a beautiful large silver loving cup.

Other prize winners in the grand champion class were "Starlight" also owned by Bradley and "Queen" owned by Noble, taking second and third places respectively.

In the three gaited class for women "Gray Gull" owned by Bradley with Miss Ferguson as rider took the first prize, "Glory" owner Brown with Mrs. C. P. Brown as rider won second while "Queen" owned by Noble with Miss E. Boone as rider, took 3rd place.

In the five gaited class for men, "Queen" owned and ridden by Noble captured first prize; "Tennessee," owner Brown, rider Stredwick, took second, while "Cherry" John Boone, owner and rider took third.

In the Hunters and Jumpers class, "Glory" owner C. P. Brown, rider J. Andres captured first prize; "Satan" owner and rider R. Strick, second, "Tennessee," owner Brown, rider, R. Stredwick, third.

In the Shetland pony class the little pony owned by Jay Nichols captured the prize.

About 200 teachers attended the county teachers' institute in Allegan Saturday. The principal speaker was Prof. H. Z. Wilbur of Ypsilanti normal.

## BABIES WIN BANK BOOKS IN CONTEST

Nine bank books were issued on Wednesday afternoon by the three Holland banks for nine babies under two years old who won prizes at the Holland fair in the baby contest. There were 34 babies in the contest. All were weighed and measured and thoroughly examined at the Health Center at the fair and nine prizes were handed out.

In the class from one to six months' old babies first prize was won by Ellen Lane Boss, second prize by John A. Vander Woude, third prize by Herbert Colton, Jr.

In the class from six months to one year Noreen De Young won first prize, Earl Stetekoe second, and Paul Dume, third.

In the class from one to two years first prize was won by Henry Rogers Troop, second prize by Arline Ruth Shannon, and third prize by Marion J. Overweg.

First prize in each case was a \$3 bank account, second prize a \$2 account, and third prize a \$1 account.

The contest was put on by the civic health committee of the Woman's Literary club of which Mrs. George Albers is chairman, and was in charge of Mrs. Helen de Spelder Moore, of Lansing, Dir. Blanche Haines of the child-hygiene division of the state department of health, and Mrs. Victor Vaughan, assistant to Dr. Haines.

The examining doctors were Dr. Francis M. Howell, Dr. W. M. Tappan, and Dr. Almes of Hackley Hospital. Dr. Almes served as judge. The Woman's Literary club was represented by Mrs. James McLean, Mrs. Frank Whelan and Mrs. C. Bergen.

Thursday afternoon the attendants were to be Mrs. George Albers, Mrs. Edwin Moore and Mrs. Bergen. Miss Gray and Miss Hoejke, Muskegon visiting nurses, assisted Wednesday; Miss Koertge was in general charge.

In addition, to the bank account, each prize winner will receive a photograph from the Jones studio.

The doctors and nurses and members of the civil health committee expressed their appreciation for the Health Center that the fair association has placed at their disposal. The baby contest is expected to arouse much interest in the regular weekly baby clinic that will be held each Friday morning at the Hospital annex after this.

### Twenty-five babies were examined

at the baby clinic at the Holland fair health center on Thursday and nine of these received prizes. Three first prizes, consisting of a bank book with three dollars in it, were given, three second prizes of \$2, and three third prizes of \$1. In each case also the prize winner will receive a photograph made by the Jones studio.

The prize winners on Thursday were: one to six months old babies—first, Mildred May Scholten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Scholten of Zeeland; second, Roy Vernon Misner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Misner of Holland; third, Gladys Marie De Vries, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Corlie De Vries of Holland.

Six months to one year old babies—first, Hester Angeline Timmer, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Timmer of Holland; second, Jeannette Vanden Bosch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vanden Bosch of Zeeland; third, Alma Kapenga, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Kapenga of Holland.

One to two year old babies—first, Howard Kammeraad, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kammeraad of Holland; second, Mary M. Kreudhof, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kreudhof of Zeeland; third, Ruth Tharriet Gunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gunn of Holland.

The examiners and judges were Dr. G. W. Thomas, Dr. Howell, Dr. Lucy Almes of Muskegon, and Miss Frances M. Erb, city child welfare nurse of Muskegon. The representatives of the civic health committee of the Woman's Literary club, the organization that put on the contest, were Mrs. George Albers, Mrs. C. Bergen, Mrs. James McLean and Mrs. Edw. Moore.

As a kind of continuation of these clinics, baby clinics will be held every forenoon at the Holland hospital annex.

An exhibition that cannot help but receive expressions of admiration when one enters the art hall at the Community Fair, is a miniature city street some 40 feet long.

The street is filled with beautiful homes, a cement sidewalk is laid the entire length, there are curbs and gutters and trees, with sidewalks leading to every home, beside a concrete driveway to a miniature garage in the rear upon which also miniature automobiles are placed. Each home is surrounded by a green lawn and in the rear of each little house flowers and foliage abound in profusion.

The display is put on by the Bolhuis Lumber & Mfg. Co. under the supervision of Frank Eszenberg, who explained the entire getup to a representative of this paper.

The little houses are replicas of the larger ones which the firm calls "Expressive houses" in its trade-mark.

The toy homes so to speak are exact models built to measure that now adorn some of the thoroughfares of Holland.

For instance the home occupied by Mrs. Dykstra on 16th street, the home of Herman Van Tonkeren on East 14th street are shown here as well as the homes now occupied by Benjamin Veltman on W. 18th street and John Harmon on East 18th St. A beautiful mansion of Dr. Meengs of Grand Rapids also built by the Holland company, is found on this miniature street.

Besides this display the company too has 150 photographs of expressive houses built in Holland. It also shows in the large booth the extraneous conveniences that are built into each house, that do not commonly go into a house contract.

This one exhibition alone is sure to win the prize of admission to the fair and no doubt this corner of the art hall will be popular.

Prizes for the largest general collection, composing more than 50 varieties, were awarded to Gerrit J. Four of Holland, first and Klaas Koster of Laketown, second. Forest Grove Farmers' club captured first premium in the farmers' club exhibit and the Woman's club of Jamestown was awarded second premium.

## LOCAL

William Leach of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Laura Stratton, also of that city, were seriously injured when a Studebaker light six sedan driven by Leach went into a ditch near Nunclun, Ottawa county, Sunday.

According to the story told by Mr. Leach he was forced into the ditch by an oncoming speeder who would have struck him had he not turned. Mr. Leach managed to get his car out of the ditch and under its own power he reached Grand Haven where the car was left for repairs.

Leach suffered severe bruises and Mrs. Stratton was badly bruised and had several ribs fractured. An ambulance took them to Grand Rapids Sunday night after they had received treatment at the Hattson Hospital.

Both rear tires and right rear wheel on Leach's car were damaged, the fenders were badly bent and glass in the doors and headlights was also smashed.

An Overland touring car near Grand Haven was also forced into a ditch on Saturday night and was badly damaged when its driver was temporarily blinded by undimmed headlights.

Billy Clarke's Broadway Shows at the fairgrounds which had an exhibition boxing and wrestling contest connected with the circus, consisting of professionals in that line of work, did by no means cop all medals and prizes in this city. Considering their daily training and bouts several of our boys gave them a show for their money.

"Grappling Si" of Zeeland won each challenge he made, and several of our men or boys played their part. Mr. H. Weaver, who holds a regimental belt on the Mexican border in 1917 in boxing, won the victory in a seven minute wrestling challenge with the circus heavyweight, and challenged Mr. Bailey, the Canadian for a 24 round boxing bout, which the manager would not accept. Holland and our neighboring towns contain very good men in this work considering the training the local boys are receiving.

To walk from one end of America to another these days when most walks are auto rides has become such a commonplace that a Hope College student decided to stroll in from his home in New York state to Holland instead of taking the more conventional means of traveling by train.

Elmer J. Van Lare, of Wolcott, New York, started out on foot to reach Holland and he arrived here safe and sound after four days of traveling, only a little more time being taken to make the journey than would have been the case had he traveled by rail.

He carried a knapsack but did not try to carry his trunk with him, having sent that on ahead of him by express. He had little difficulty getting rides from passing autoists and walked only a comparatively short distance.

Announcement was made Monday that Capt. C. A. Lippincott, who will succeed Capt. G. B. Lofberg as superintendent of the Tenth Coast Guard district at Grand Haven, had arrived and would take over the post at once.

Capt. Lofberg left Tuesday for San Francisco, Calif., where he will take over the post as superintendent of the 12th Coast Guard district embracing stations along the coast of California and on half of Oregon's coast.

Capt. Lippincott comes to Grand Haven from Bay Shore, N. Y., where he was superintendent of the Fifth Coast Guard district. Capt. Lofberg has been in charge of this district for ten years, having come from Racine, Wis., where he was in charge of the Coast Guard Station there.

A Welcome Home party was held Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Dogger, 272 East 8th St., in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson who have just returned from a trip to Mr. Erickson's old home in Sweden. The home was beautifully decorated in red, white and blue, and the table decorations consisted of a steamship coming into New York harbor facing the Statue of Liberty.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koenig, Mr. and Mrs. John Berkompas, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dogger, Mr. and Mrs. S. Karsten and Mr. and Mrs. J. Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Erickson told the story of their long journey to an interested group of listeners and a delightful evening was spent.

The clubs of Holland are hard at work making preparations for the opening of the winter's work. Many of these organizations will resume their activities about October first after the summer vacation and some of them have already resumed.

The Rotary club meets right along during the summer months, one reason being that many Rotarians from other states came to Holland and the resorts during the summer and the local club wants the advantage of their presence just as they wish to meet with the home members here.

The Exchange club is looking forward to one of its most active years the coming winter season. Its committees have been hard at work and arrangements have been made for some very good speakers during the next few months.

The Century Club will resume its meetings on the first Monday in October. This organization meets every other Monday night and most of the programs for the coming year have been arranged for. Some very fine talent has been secured from other cities, while local musicians and speakers will also take part in the course of the year's work. S. R. McLean is president this year of the Century Club.

The Social Progress club, which also meets every other week, Tuesday being its meeting night, is getting ready for the initial gathering early in October. Its year's programs will consist of papers by the members and discussions also by the members. Dr. R. M. Waltz is president for the coming year.

Mrs. G. J. Diekema as the president, will this year meet every other week instead of every week as has been the custom until now. The number of programs will be fewer, but some well known out-of-town speakers have been secured to give variety to the meetings.

Henry Tuls and Arthur J. Van Dyke left Monday evening for Cleveland, Ohio, on business.

## SPORT NOTES

The game between the Kelley Ice Creams of Grand Rapids and the Holland independents at Waterworks Park Saturday was rather an uninteresting game, one-sided, and long drawn out.

It might be called a comedy of errors with the errors breaking in Holland's favor.

Mags was in the box for the Ice Creams who allowed six men to walk. While 12 hits was the toll taken by the locals.

Anderson pitching for Holland let the hard-hitting Kelleys down with only seven hits, struck out three men, and allowed not a player to walk.

The features of the game were the hitting of White of the visitors who got three hits out of four times up to bat. Anderson's two bagger to center and the fielding of Garry Batema.

The House of David from Benton Harbor was present at Waterworks Park Monday evening with King Benjamin missing.

What appeared to be a hopeless defeat turned out to be an eleventh hour victory and the local boys piled up three runs in the 9th inning, necessary to beat the team with the flowing locks.

Miller who was on the mound for the House of David was nicked for 12 hits and passed five men to first.

Anderson pitching for Holland played his usual "crack" game, securing six strikeouts, allowing eleven hits quite scattered, however he didn't allow a man to walk.

Up to the seventh inning the game was tie, but in the eighth King Benjamin's men "The unbarbered Samson" rallied, scored three, brought about by three hits sandwiched with a couple of errors. All was excitement after that moment. In the 9th Holland with three men on bases and only one out could only push in one run. Woldring bunted, forcing Shaw into home. Babe was nearly taken on a double, and Doc Waltz was robbed of a nice hit by a pretty catch of Virets.

In the 9th "Hick" Hoover first up got a hit, Garry Batema drew a walk, Woldring got a hit, Waltz flew out to third base, Spriggs struck out, but catcher missed the ball. Ashley then came through with a hit sending in two runs, enough to win the game.

No. 9813—Exp. Oct. 6  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

In the Matter of the Estate of FRANK J. KUIJE, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 6th of September, A. D. 1923, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 6th day of January, A. D. 1924, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday the 8th day of January, A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Sept. 6, A. D. 1923.  
JAMES J. DANHOFF,  
Judge of Probate.

No. 9801—Exp. Oct. 6  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

In the Matter of the Estate of ADRIAN GIERUM, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 10th of September, A. D. 1923, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 10th day of January, A. D. 1924, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.



## Out of the Darkness

by CHARLES J. DUTTON

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Once more Miss Potter lapsed into her old sullen mood and refused to add anything further. Bartley plied her with questions, but in the end she had added nothing to her first statement that Slyke's staring eyes had frightened her and she had closed them. She insisted, however, that she had not touched the bedclothes, that they had been close around his neck and up over his chin when she found him.

When we were alone, Roche turned to Bartley and said, "There goes your theory of murder. You can't prove now that he did not kill himself."

Bartley listened to Roche with the air of a man whose thoughts were far away. When he paused, he did not reply at once.

"Roche," he said at length, "I am sure it was murder, not suicide. It's one of the most mysterious crimes I have ever heard of. We are up in the air. We know of no reason either for Slyke's having been murdered or for his having killed himself. There is a great deal yet to do. You had better get a couple of your men up here as quickly as possible and search the house."

Roche went out to telephone for his men and Bartley walked over to the window. I followed him and we stood looking out at the view.

He placed his hand on my shoulder. "Pelt, you have a good deal of work to do today. I want you to find out all you can about the men who were at the poker game. Then you must see that man Lawrence and get his story. Find out why he stayed behind the others. If you have any time left, you had better look up in the files of the local newspapers the burglary of last year."

"You don't think that had anything to do with the murder, do you?" I asked in wonder.

He gave me one of those smiles of his that tell nothing, and drawled out, "I am not saying, but you know we came up here on a burglary case, not a murder mystery."

He did not give me time to wonder what his reply meant, but continued, "Better go to Currie's and get the car. Here are the names of the men you are to see."

As I was leaving the room he waved his hand and called after me with a smile, "Good luck! See you tonight."

### CHAPTER V

In Which I Hear More About the Burglary.

Currie was sitting on the piazza when I reached the house. He got up hurriedly and advanced to me.

"Where in the devil is John?" he asked.

He apparently knew that we had called over to Slyke's, but he did not know the reason. I answered, "He is over at Slyke's; Slyke was murdered last night."

His large red face grew purple. "Murdered?" he gasped. "My God, who did it?"

I told him all I knew. He listened with intense interest and growing horror. When I ended by saying that Bartley would be back to dinner, he shrugged his shoulders.

"There goes my visit with John. I have been after him for a long time to come up here; and when he does, he finds a murder right on my doorstep." He paused, then added, "I wonder who killed Slyke. I never liked him very much, but I know of no reason for his being murdered."

I went to the garage and backed out his little runabout, and started for town. In front of the post office I stopped the car and got out. I knew that if the postmaster would give me the addresses of the men who had been at the card party, it would save me a lot of time. Upon explaining my errand, he gave me the desired information. One of the first names on the list was that of the editor of the local newspaper, and it suggested an idea to me.

Arriving at the newspaper office, I found the man I sought just going out to luncheon. When he learned that I had come to ask him some questions about Slyke, he invited me to lunch with him.

We went to his club, and in the small dining room found a table to ourselves. When I mentioned the list of names, he told me all that he knew. A few men, mostly old friends, met every week or so to play poker. They went to Slyke's usually because, as he put it, "Slyke had more booze than the rest of us." The games were friendly affairs and the stakes low. When I asked him if Mr. Lawrence stayed after the others had gone home, he replied that he had and that he thought Slyke himself had asked him to remain, though he did not know for what reason. Suddenly it occurred to him that what he had

aid might place Lawrence in an awkward position.

"Jim Lawrence," he said, "could have had nothing to do with Slyke's death. Lawrence is so darned nervous himself that he would never have dared to fire a gun. It's too bad he stayed behind last night."

As I wanted to interview Lawrence next, the editor accompanied me in his car to point out the building where Lawrence had his office. Here he left me, saying that if I would call at his office in about an hour, he would have the back files of the newspaper I wanted ready for me.

Lawrence's office was on the second floor of a brick building, and his door bore the sign "Law Office." At a desk, reading a newspaper, was a man of about forty-five, with a very thin, nervous face. He threw down the paper and eyed me questioningly. When I told him that Slyke was dead and that I had come to learn about his interview with him, he moved uneasily in his chair; but when I added that we believed that Slyke had been murdered, and that as far as we knew he was the last person to see him alive, he was absolutely unnerved. I could see that, until I mentioned the word murder, he had thought that Slyke had committed suicide. For a second I wondered if, after all, he had not had something to do with the crime.

Taking a chair by his side, I said, "You were the last person, so far as we can discover, to see Mr. Slyke alive. We know that you stayed for a few moments only, and that he himself asked that you remain. As you were the last one to see him alive, we are much interested in what you can tell us of how he acted. Did he seem nervous or upset?"

My question did not make the man by my side any easier. He answered quickly, in a high-pitched voice that broke several times, "I did stay; but the other men will tell you that I was going home with them until Slyke asked me to wait a moment. I had no idea beforehand what he wanted. I wish to God I had gone with the rest. Some d—d fool will say I killed him."

It was just what some people would say, when it became public that the butler had not heard Slyke's voice again after Lawrence's departure. But for myself, I could not connect guilt with the thin, nervous figure beside me.

"What did he want to see you about?" I asked.

Lawrence flushed, then half grinned, as he answered, "He asked me if I wanted to buy some Scotch whisky."

"Buy some whisky?" I repeated in astonishment.

"Yes, it seems foolish, doesn't it? But that's what he wanted to see me about. He said he had lots more than he needed, and that he could let me have five cases."

I said nothing, trying to digest this astonishing information. I had been wondering what it was that Slyke wanted to see Lawrence about, and had even made several guesses; but never in my wildest imagination had I supposed that it was about whisky. I could understand why Lawrence should want to buy it, for good whisky is hard to get; but why Slyke, presumed to be a rich man, should want to sell five cases was beyond my comprehension.

He saw my surprise and said, "It does seem strange. I was surprised myself. I had heard that he had a lot of booze; but we were not the closest of friends, and nowadays a man like his liquor goes only to his pals. The man who will let you have five cases of whisky is a pretty good friend."

I smiled at his answer. He was right. People with imported liquor were not giving it away. And what was more, few men of Slyke's position were selling their private stock.

"He told me," Lawrence continued, "that he had a great deal more than he could use, and that he would sell me some for one hundred dollars a case. That's pretty cheap for imported stuff."

"And then you left him?" I asked.

"Yes. He told me he was not going to bed yet. Said someone was coming in about half-past one."

Here was a new piece of evidence. Slyke, then, had not gone to bed after Lawrence left, but had waited up for some other visitor. It was curious, to say the least. One o'clock in the morning is not a usual hour for receiving callers.

"Have you any idea who it was?"

"No," he said, shaking his head. "I haven't the least idea. As I was starting to go he said, 'Stay awhile. I am expecting a man about two, and have to wait up for him.' That's all I know about it."

It was not much of a clue, still it was better than nothing. It did establish the fact that there had been someone else with Slyke that night. That is, if he were telling the truth. The burning question in my mind was, who was that second person? Was he the one who had killed Slyke? The odds seemed to favor it. Lawrence had little further information to give me. He said that Slyke had not been especially nervous, nor had he acted like a man afraid of anything.

I rose to go, but paused at a new thought.

"Oh, Mr. Lawrence, did Slyke give you a drink?"

He had accompanied me to the door, and paused, one hand on the knob. "Yes, he did, up in the room over his sleeping room. He got out a bottle and two glasses and we had a drink."

"You did not see three glasses, did you?"

"No," he answered, surprised at my question. "No, only two."

Thanking him, I said goodbye and left.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## To Make Your Service Better

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In the Telephone organization are people whose business it is to solve your service difficulties.

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MICHIGAN STATE  
TELEPHONE CO.

Holland, Mich., Sept. 5, 1923.  
The Common Council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Mayor, Stephan, Ald. Blue, Kie's, Brieve, Laepple, Kammeraad, Brinkman, Peterson, Wickerink, Dykstra and Vander Hill and the Clerk. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Petitions and Accounts.  
Sears McLean and others petitioned, requesting the consideration of the Council in the matter of paving Maple Ave. between 8th and 19th Sts.

Referred to the Committee on Streets and Crosswalks.

T. R. Van Wert and others petitioned for a street light on the extreme western limits of 16th St. at Montello Park.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lighting.

Holland Bottling Works applied for permit to construct a building 40x49 feet of tile, and for hauling stone, under a contract with H. J. Glover & Son, and presented signatures of property owners in the vicinity stating that they had no objection to same.

Ald. Laepple moved that the petition be granted subject to Ordinance.

Ald. Kammeraad moved to amend same so as to refer the application to the Aldermen of the First Ward with power to act. Said amendment prevailed. The question then recurring on the original motion as amended, prevailed.

Arie Vos petitioned for permission to place an ornamental standard for an electric lamp between the sidewalk and curb adjacent to his premises at 136 W. 19th St.

Granted.

Clerk reported that notices had been served on the City by the Taber Construction Co., stating that they are sub-contractors for the construction of part of the work, viz: excavating and hauling stone, under a contract with H. J. Glover & Son, and that they rely upon the security of the bond given by the principal contractor under Sections 14827 and 14828 of the Compiled Laws of Michigan of 1915. Also notices of M. W. Elkins, A. H. Busman, E. W. Holmquist, C. R. Elkins and Fred Stokes, stating that they performed labor and rendered services for H. J. Taber in grading and preparing public streets for paving, and that H. J. Taber is indebted to them for services performed, with the request that the rights of the bondholders be protected under the terms of the bonds filed for such purpose.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and City Attorney.

Holland Gas Works submitted their operating report for the month of July, 1923.

Filed.

John Fransberg applied for a permit to construct a second story above his store building at Central Ave. and 18th St., 18x55 feet, to be used as living rooms at an estimated cost of \$2,000.

Referred to the Aldermen of the Third Ward with power to act.

Geo. Kolan reported that the roof water of the Ford Garage entered his basement and destroyed his property, and requested the Council to look into the matter and relieve such conditions.

Filed.

Vander Berg Bros. Oil Co. petitioned for permission to erect a filling station on the vacant lot opposite the Knickerbocker Theatre building on E. 8th St.

Referred to the Aldermen of the First Ward with power to act.

The Committee on Claims and Accounts reported having examined the following claims and recommended payment thereof:

J. I. Holcomb Co., Supplies \$40.11  
H. Hoekema, Straps 2.80  
Holland Gas Works, Gas .87  
McBride Ins. Agency, Premium 167.61  
Mrs. E. Annis, Aid-August 20.00  
Joseph Warner, Aid-August 116.67  
Richard Overweg, Taxi 57.00  
Helen Klomparsa, Asst. Clerk 57.00  
Chas. H. McBride, Attorney 60.00  
M. B. Bowman, Treasurer 55.55  
C. W. Nibbelink, Assessor 108.33  
J. Boerma, Janitor 50.00  
F. Olgers, Janitor 50.00  
H. B. Bosch, P. D. & Ins. 50.00  
B. S. Godfrey, H. O. 75.00  
Alma Koertge, City Nurse 87.49  
Hubert Pelgrim, Services 1.07  
A. H. Brinkman, Freight, Cigs 20.62  
S. Oudemolen, Wiping Rags 3.00  
C. J. Kulte, Rent 7.00  
Fleming Estate, Rent 30.00  
Mrs. F. Chapman, Nurse 60.00  
N. Kammeraad, Shoes 6.00  
Richard Oub Co., Taxi 2.05  
City Treas., Poor Order 23.20  
Thos. Van Zanden, Labor 48.16  
Gerald Elenbaas, Labor 52.11  
E. Miedema, Labor 8.25  
Harvey Rial, Labor 5.00  
Yellow Cab Co., Taxi 42.50  
E. P. Stephan, Rent (Garage) 11.02  
Postmaster, Envelopes 6.00  
Eris Book Store, Ribbon 46.75  
Lievense Battery Co., Flusher 69.57  
Wm. Modders, Labor 1.80  
W. Woolworth Co., Supplies 23.50  
City Treas., Labor Adv. 5.63  
G. Van Haften, Brick 6.16  
I. Vos, Oil 59.22  
Vanden Berg Bros., Gas 2.00  
E. Jordan Iron Wks., Manholes, Grates 723.00  
S. B. Adm., Demurrage 10.00  
Wm. Bronkhorst, Gravel 10.00  
A. H. Brinkman, Freight, Cigs. 9.95  
J. Hulst & Son, Oil 162.76  
Pere Marquette Rd. Freight 27.92  
Bolhuis Lumber Co., Lumber 282.35  
G. R. Boone, Labor 187.28  
G. Kratt, Labor 99.45  
S. Nibbelink, Labor 134.55  
Ted Bos, Labor 127.80  
F. Lohuis, Labor 115.20  
G. Van Haften, Labor 64.80  
Wm. Bronkhorst, Labor 112.00  
Wm. Grotenhuis, Labor 72.00  
Chas. Koningsburg, Labor 69.32  
A. Van Raalte, Labor 71.56  
G. Van Nieren, Labor 75.00  
G. Appeldoorn, Labor 75.00  
H. Nyboer, Labor 70.24  
J. Dykema, Labor 108.00  
P. De Neff, Labor 108.00  
H. De Neff, Labor 94.25  
Al. Tilma, Labor 62.24  
Wm. Ten Brinke, Labor 69.76  
W. J. Crabb, Labor 76.00  
Vander Meer, Labor 156.00  
J. Hooijer, Labor 62.50  
J. Last, Labor 138.55  
D. Jappinga, Labor 63.56  
Henry Mol, Labor 62.50  
E. G. Lubbers, Labor 61.00  
F. Oldemulder, Labor 74.00  
J. Ter Witt, Labor 1.20  
A. Terlouw, Labor 34.40  
L. Dalman, Labor 78.20  
Carl Dykstra, Labor 55.80  
G. J. Ten Brinke, Labor 58.84  
G. Van Nieren, Labor 57.00  
A. Vander Hal, Labor 60.00  
Geo. De Haan, Labor 70.24  
A. Zylstra, Labor 67.36  
Wm. Alofe, Labor 55.36  
A. Vander Tul, Labor 55.36  
John Breen, Labor 55.36

J. Woodwyk, Labor 55.44  
G. Modder, Labor 51.00  
C. Vande Burg, Labor 56.00  
C. J. Dornbos, Labor 90.00  
L. B. Beeuwkes, Labor 28.00  
John Ten Brinke, Labor 48.00  
J. Ten Brinke, Labor 35.56  
P. J. Oostinga, Labor 3.85  
Jno. De Jongh, Labor 23.56  
A. Vanden Brink, Labor 72.44  
Jacob Zuidema, City Eng. 125.00  
Mich. Eng. Laboratories, Inspecting 406.81  
City Treas., Postage 1.00  
City Clerk, Postage 2.71  
Western Union, Rent, Telegram 84.94  
B. Vande Bunte, Labor 23.20  
Jac. Ver Houw, Labor 6.88  
A. Westerhof, Labor 6.88

Allowed and warrants ordered issued \$7,669.51

The Committee on Poor reported presenting the report of the Director of Poor for the three months ending Sept. 5, 1923, in the sum of \$181.50.

Accepted and filed.  
On motion of Ald. Brieve,  
The Committee on Public Buildings and Property were requested to have the Board Room on the third floor cleaned and proper light.

The Committee on Sewers, Drains and Water Courses to whom was referred the petition for the construction of water mains in 28th St. west of Central Ave., reported recommending that the matter be referred to the B. P. W.

Adopted.  
The Committee on Sidewalks reported recommending that certain sidewalks be ordered repaired and the City Engineer be instructed to serve notices for same.

Adopted.  
The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the application and bond of M. Goldmann to conduct a junk shop at 8th St. and Columbia Ave., reported that the said Mr. Goldmann had erected a fence along the 8th St. side of his premises and that same met with the approval of the Committee, and therefore recommended that the bond be approved and license granted.

Adopted.  
Reports of Select Committees.  
The special Committee to whom was referred the matter of trees being killed along the public streets because of leaky gas mains, reported having taken up the matter with the local representatives of the Gas Works and that they have been assured that the system will be revised so that there will be no leakage in the gas mains.

On motion of Ald. Blue,  
The matter of extending the sidewalks on the west side of Fairbanks Ave., north of 9th St., to the north end of said street, was referred to a special Committee of three to be appointed by the Mayor, and to the City Attorney, Mayor appointed as such Committee: Ald. Dykstra, Peterson and Wickerink.

Communications From Boards and City Officers.  
The following claims approved by the Hospital Board, Sept. 1, 1923, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

Holland Gas Works, Gas \$3.77  
G. Griessen, Scavenger Work 15.05  
Seabury & Johnson, Supplies 30.94  
E. R. Squibb & Sons, Drugs, etc. 27.77  
Citizens Tel., Rent, Calls 4.30  
B. P. W. Light, etc. 46.29  
DeFouw Elec. Co., Fluores 3.20  
A. Harrington, Coal 28.00  
Superior Ice Co., Ice 11.84  
B. P. W., Lamps 2.50  
Model Laundry, Laundry 68.35  
Robert Bros., Meats, etc. 73.42  
Van Putten's Gro., Groceries, etc. 119.42  
Vaupel's Pharm., Drugs 116.25  
Du Mez Bros., Cotton, Eggs 20.02  
Jacob Boven, Milk, Eggs 44.94  
Holland Gas Works, Gas 5.58  
Dannstra Bros., Labor, Repairs 63.90  
Alice Fry, Cook 68.45  
Agnes Visser, Landlady 61.75  
Minnie Ensing, Domestic 69.45  
Mrs. G. Vanden Berg, Mending 4.47  
Mrs. F. Boot, Rent 10.00  
Henry Geerlings, Janitor 50.00  
Ann Iben, Office Girl 26.00  
Mabel Miller, Supt. 106.44  
Rena Boven, Asst. Supt. 125.00  
Edna Glingric, Nurse 110.00  
Deanette Ploeg, Nurse 100.00  
Helen Jolderma, Nurse 85.00  
Ethel Sabin, Nurse 100.00  
Nora TerBeek, Nurse 66.25

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.  
The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, Sept. 4, 1923, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

H. Kraker Pblg. Co., Labor, etc. \$1.53  
John Van Braet, Supt. 91.67  
A. B. Kammeraad, Labor 8.80  
H. Nieuwenhuis, Labor 73.35  
Dick Overweg, Labor 73.35  
A. Westerhof, Labor 68.45  
Jac. Ver Houw, Labor and House Rent 22.72  
A. B. Kammeraad, Labor 58.67  
Jac. Ver Houw, Labor 59.96  
T. Koppel's Sons, Cement 31.25  
G. Van Schelven, Supt. 25.00  
Wm. Vander Water, Sexton 100.00  
Wm. Scheerhorn, Labor 105.00  
John Sagers, Labor 10.00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.  
The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, Sept. 4, 1923, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

M. C. Benham, Signals 100.00  
Lievense Battery Co., Storage, etc. 15.10  
John Lucas & Co., Paint 10.25  
Model Laundry, Laundry .46  
Holland Gas Works, Labor, Grease 2.45  
H. Damsen, Electric, Cigs 4.50  
Geerds P. O., Batteries 4.50  
Knapp Tire Shop, Repairs, etc. 16.45  
Cor. Steketee, Patrolman 95.00  
D. Bonte, Patrolman 97.50  
Jous Kerkhof, Patrolman 97.00  
Dave O'Connor, Patrolman 97.00  
H. Swerlens, Patrolman and Uniform 100.00  
F. Van R. Chief 70.84  
Dick Homkes, Spec. Police 5.00  
Tom Smeenge, Spec. Police 5.00  
Fred Zigmund, Driver 94.50  
Joe Ten Brinke, Driver 94.50  
Sam Plancher, Driver 94.50  
Wd. De Vries, Driver and Janitor 97.00  
Cor. Steketee, Laundry 4.30  
John Tel. Co., Telegrams .95  
Fire and Police Subscription 8.40  
Vanden Berg Bros., Gas 8.40

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.  
The following claims approved by the Board of Public Works at a meeting held Sept. 4, 1923, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

Roy B. Champion, Supt. \$208.33  
G. Appeldoorn, Clerk 75.00  
Clara Voorhorst, Sponser 50.00  
Joe Den Uyl, Sponser 42.50  
M. B. Bowman, Treas. 19.45  
A. B. Naute, Asst. Supt. 104.17  
A. B. McClellan, Chief Eng. 100.00  
Frank Smith, Engineer 80.00  
Frank Smith, Engineer 70.00  
Fred Slikkers, Relief Eng. 70.00  
Clarence Wood, Fireman 62.50  
C. Martin, Fireman 62.50  
C. Skinner, Fireman 62.50  
J. Ten Brinke, Station Attndt. 60.00  
Chas. Vos, Stockkeeper 83.96  
J. P. DeFeyer, Line Foreman 80.24  
Nick Prins, Lineman 80.24  
W. De Neff, Lineman 80.24  
Chas. Ter Beek, Lineman 70.72  
G. Bander Elm, Driver 69.00  
Guy Pond, Elec. Matorman 82.53  
Homer Ten Cate, Elec. Meter Tester 54.10  
M. Kammeraad, Troublemaker 77.95  
N. Kammeraad, Water Insp. 84.96  
Sam Althuis, Water Meterman 67.80  
Wm. De Boer, Labor 81.00  
Marjorie Kammeraad, Clerical Work 84.00  
Stanley Cortis, Draftsman 9.00  
G. J. Ten Brinke, Labor 16.20  
J. Van Haften, Labor 12.80  
J. Vander Hal, Labor 12.80  
Wm. Breen, Labor 12.00  
J. Woodwyk, Labor 4.00  
G. Mooney, Labor 8.00  
C. Vandenburg, Labor 12.00  
J. Ten Brinke, Labor 8.00  
John Ten Brinke, Labor 4.00  
Fred Lohuis, Labor 6.30  
M. Kammeraad, Labor 60.30  
J. Veen, Labor 58.60  
J. Jacobs, Labor 45.60  
H. Hamberg, Labor 16.20  
R. Koolman, Labor 63.68  
W. Hillebrandt, Labor 19.55  
L. Packer, Labor 15.80  
N. Van Zaik, Labor 14.40  
G. H. Hart, Labor 14.40  
J. Veltheer, Labor 93.50  
J. Jonker, Labor 55.40  
F. Howard, Labor 10.80  
E. Beckman, Labor 60.68  
J. Gringman, Labor 41.85  
J. Van der Veld, Labor 66.83  
Wm. Priem, Labor 16.20  
O. Bontekoe, Labor 16.20  
G. Tubbergen, Labor 48.88  
H. De Vogt, Labor 27.00

M. Woudstra, Labor 65.48  
R. Gerrits, Labor 16.20  
R. Kramer, Labor 67.05  
Ivan Bosman, Labor 60.00  
John Atkins, Trenching 165.50  
B. P. W. August Light, Power, Water 1,172.50  
City of Holland, Taxes, Interest 10,882.50  
City of Holland, Pipe 36.16  
A. H. Brinkman, Freight, Cartage 64.71  
L. Lanting, Repairs 13.10  
Bishop & Raffenaud, Supplies 1.42  
De Fouw Elec. Co., Supplies 94.46  
B. P. W. Supplies 9.90  
J. Andras & Sons, Cross Arms 181.76  
Postoria Inc., Lamps 78.50  
W. W. Strickler & Bros., Pipe Cutter 4.66  
Standard Gro. Co., Soap 4.66  
Western Elec. Supplies 72.81  
Barelay, Myers & Bertsch, Pipe 15.33  
Standard Oil Co., Oil .50  
B. J. Baldus, Supplies 9.21  
I. Vos, Kerosene 165.60  
City of Holland, Auditing 167.47  
Amer. Elec. Supp. & Insulation 2.26  
Holland Lumber Co., Lumber 23.83  
Holleman-Devered Co., Supplies 2.20  
Eagle Trans. Lines, Freight 1.07  
Jno. De Boer, Supplies 1.07  
First State Bank, Rent, Repor. Bx. 14.40  
Buss Mach. Works, Cutting Pipe 9.43  
Edison Elec. App. Co., Repairs 4.46  
Burroughs Add. Mch. Co., Maintenance 316.92  
Pittsburgh Meter Co., Meters 18.76  
H. Channon Co., Pipe Cutter 11.67  
Amer. Elec. Har. Co., Repairs 2.34  
Electric Appliance Co., House 536.16  
Jas. B. Olov & Sons, Specials 338.82  
Raymond Lead Works, Pig Lead 35.40  
National Cast Iron Co., Specials 165.87  
H. Mueller Mfg. Co., Curb and Corp. 23.36  
General Elec. Co., Transformer 309.70  
Pere Marquette Ry., Freight 2,467.33  
Reliance Coal & Coke Co., Coal 1,988.00  
F. R. X. Mfg. Co., Fire Extinguisher 1.68  
Bolhuis Lbr. Co., Supplies 1.68  
Holland Furnace Co., Material, Labor 2.99  
American Ry. Exp., Express 2.99

Allowed and warrants ordered issued.  
B. P. W. reported collected of \$18,082.50  
Light, Water and Main Sewer Fund collections.

Accepted and the Treas. ordered charged with the amount.  
Clerk reported the collection of \$978.75 for Licenses issued, sidewalk construction and paving assessment.

Accepted and the Treas. ordered charged with the amount.  
City Treas. reported the collection of \$21,653.79 for 7th and Lincoln Ave. Paving and 17th St. paving bonds and accrued interest and \$9,003.22 for paving assessments, hospital fees, etc.

Accepted and the Treas. ordered charged with the amount.  
Justice Van Schelven reported the collection of \$44.75 Ordinance fines and Officers' fees, and presented Treasurer's receipt for the amount.

Accepted and the Treas. ordered charged with the amount.  
City Treas. reported relative to City and School Taxes as follows:

Total of Roll \$303,734.74  
Amount collected on and before Aug. 15 297,598.68

Leaving a delinquent amount of \$3,750.06  
Fees on amount collected after Aug. 15 95.64

Adopted and the Treas. ordered credited with the uncollected amount and charged with the collection fees.

Clerk reported having collected and receipted for \$400.00 for the purpose of keeping in good order and repair the approved monuments, vaults and lot improvements, as well as for the planting



## PROSECUTOR TELLS OF CIRCUIT COURT CLEANUP

Prosecuting Fred T. Miles of this city gives this paper an unusual review of what happened in circuit court as it relates to the criminal cases. Mr. Miles also moralizes on the results of the outcome of some of the cases especially pointing out how the "Loose foot" manner of signing bonds for defendants in criminal cases may work hardships to the signers of bonds as much as shown in a zealous court matter.

Mr. Miles' contribution follows below:

Relative to the Peoples' Cases: the following cases have been disposed of this term—

**Case No. 1.** Violation of the liquor law did not appear; his cash bond of \$300 was returned and turned in to the County Treasurer.

**Case No. 2.** Charged with violation of the liquor law, pleaded not guilty on the opening day of the term and his case was the first one set for trial. Witnesses were subpoenaed and produced on the first day that the jury appeared, whereupon Mr. Kaminski charged as plea from not guilty to guilty and no case was tried that afternoon.

**Case No. 3.** Walter Jonsson, charged with larceny, did not appear on the first day of the term, but appeared the following week and pleaded guilty.

**Case No. 4.** Donald Wiersma, arrested by the Holland police for having intoxicated liquor in his automobile, possessing and transporting it, pleaded guilty on the first day of the term. He was represented by counsel and pleaded guilty to unlawful possession of liquor.

**Case No. 5.** Adrian (Bob) Kuite was charged by the Holland police with keeping a place where liquor was possessed and disposed of unlawfully. He stood trial and was fully defended, but was found guilty.

**Case No. 6.** George Steever who ran the hotel at Spring Lake was charged with unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor at the hotel and pleaded guilty. At the same time the raid was made by the officers his wife was arrested also, but no complaint was made against her and she was allowed to return to the hotel, as Mr. Steever took the entire blame, himself, and she claimed she did not have anything to do with it.

This hotel has been a bad place. A few years ago Murphy ran it and was prosecuted for violation of the liquor law both in Ottawa county and before the U. S. court. As the government officials had precedence in the matter he was sentenced by Judge Sessions to quite a long term at Leavenworth; following his possession of the place Edward Fons, the owner, ran it. He was arrested for violation of the liquor law and was convicted by a jury August, 1922. He took his case to the Supreme court and a new trial has been granted him owing to a technicality in the complaint for the search warrant. Following his conviction a suit was brought by the prosecuting attorney on behalf of the people to close the barroom there, which was closed by order of the court for one year, and is still closed. Shortly after he went out of business the hotel proper was rented to Steever and his wife, but there seems to be a special attraction for liquor at that place, and now Steever is sojourning at Ionia.

Prentiss S. Woodall, the Holland Druggist, arrested by the Holland police charged with selling intoxicating liquor (Jamaica ginger) stood mute on the first day of the term and demanded a trial but later on the 16th day of August came in with his counsel and pleaded guilty.

Mitchell Schragg of Holland, who lives on Sixth street, was charged by the sheriff's department with a violation of the prohibition law, manufactured and possessing a large quantity of wine and home brewed beer. He at first waived examination but afterwards secured attorney and demanded an examination which was duly held before Justice William Brusse of Holland. A motion was then made in the circuit court to dismiss the case, on the claim that the complaint for the search warrant was insufficient. This motion was denied by the circuit judge. He was then tried before the jury and found guilty. He is now, through his attorneys perfecting an appeal to the supreme court, basing his right to a reversal, as is usual in the liquor cases, upon the technical proposition that the complaint for search warrant was insufficient.

Milan Fisher of Muskegon, was charged with larceny and on the opening day of term pleaded guilty to the charge.

Louis Kamhout of Grand Haven, formerly a policeman in the city of Grand Haven, was charged with unlawful possession and transportation of liquor. A case was found in an intoxicated condition about 2 o'clock on Sunday morning near the Grand Truck depot at Grand Haven, where he smashed his car into a box car. Officer Lawrence De Witt seized the liquor, but Kamhout and his wife managed to break the two gallon jugs of moonshine whiskey on the sidewalk evidently believing that if the liquor was destroyed prosecution must fail. The case was tried before a circuit court jury who found him guilty. He is carrying his case to the supreme court basing his appeal on the ground that the officer had no business to search his automobile, and also that there is insufficient proof that the liquor was intoxicating.

Archie McDonald of Georgetown township, was charged on complaint of his son, with cruelty to animals. He was found guilty in Justice court and appealed his case to the circuit court. At that time his son had come to the conclusion that he was mistaken about the matter and the case was dismissed upon the statement of his son that the facts were different than he had at first supposed, and upon the payment of the costs, the court allowed the same to be dismissed.

John Kaminski of Robinson township, was charged with unlawful possession of liquor. It is claimed that his father, Marion Kaminski, sold a quantity of moonshine whiskey to John Verhoeks, who was used as a decoy, the officer, standing across the street and watching for Verhoeks to come out of the house. The officer secured the liquor from Verhoeks and went back into the house with it to arrest the father whereupon the son grabbed the bottle and smashed it over the stove. A motion was made to dismiss this case and the circuit judge held that the possession was too transient, or brief, to constitute real possession, and dismissed the case.

Frederick Rupright the inventor of the famous Rupright engine, was charged with the sale of intoxicating

liquor to one Robert Collins. An examination was held and Robert Collins testified, but when it came time for the trial Mr. Collins had disappeared out of the state and could not be produced. The case was tried anyway without the presence of Mr. Collins and the testimony that he gave in Justice court was produced against him. The case was quick spirited. Mr. Rupright's defense was an alibi. He claimed that he had been over in Robinson township at the hour of the day when it was alleged the sale was made to Collins. The jury found that a reasonable doubt existed and acquitted Mr. Rupright.

John Zalsman was arrested, charged with possession of liquor. He occupied the Difficult Repair Shop, being the first story of the building occupied above by Rupright. It was claimed that he was storing the liquor under his stairway and quite a large quantity was secured by the police department in their search. They did not obtain this liquor by virtue of a search warrant, but claimed that Zalsman had voluntarily invited them in the building. A motion was made before the circuit court to dismiss the case upon the ground that the officers were not lawfully in this room, and that Mr. Zalsman had not in fact invited them into the room voluntarily. The court found that the so-called voluntary, and dismissed the case against him.

Henry West of Olive township, charged with taking indecent liberties with his sister's little 9-year-old girl, was found guilty by the jury. He claimed that he had a good reputation and also an alibi. He did not secure a bond at the close of his trial, and is now awaiting sentence in the county jail.

Arend R. Brouwer, of Holland township, accused of carrying concealed weapons upon his person, pleaded guilty. This case is the outgrowth of the Holland Furnace Co. labor scrap where outside organizers at a downtown meeting attempted to unionize the shop at the meeting. Brouwer carried a gun when arrested.

Edward Fons who was granted a new trial by the Supreme court was not tried at this term of court. The principal witness against him was E. F. Hyde, who left the state about the time of the decision by the Supreme Court and it was not possible to locate him during the August term of court.

S. S. McCormick and B. C. Linday of Grand Rapids, were arrested, charged with violation of the so-called Blue Sky Law. They were promoters of the about to be famous Michigan Food Products Co., that was to be organized and do an enormous business at Hudsonville. Many of the farmers subscribed to the stock and gave notes and money. After their arrest these gentlemen returned as much of the money as they could raise, and returned the notes. On the opening day of term they pleaded not guilty, and prepared to contest their cases. Later in the term, however, they changed their plea of not guilty to guilty, and their cases will no doubt be disposed of soon.

When sentence day arrives Maggie Arendsen, of the city of Holland, whose case was affirmed by the supreme court for violation of the liquor law and who, it will be remembered was tried three times before a conviction was secured, will appear for sentence.

John Tinhoft took his case to the supreme court by certiorari, and secured a writ of habeas corpus releasing him from the custody of the sheriff pending the hearing of the case in the supreme court, upon condition that he give a bond in the sum of one thousand dollars. His case was heard in the supreme court where it was decided that he court delay in sentencing him was not unreasonable and he was remanded to the custody of the sheriff. He did not return to the sheriff, and the sheriff has been looking for him since. His bondsmen of Zeeland, who had given

a bond in the sum of one thousand dollars, conditioned that he would obey the order of the supreme court for the trial Mr. Collins had disappeared out of the state and could not be produced. The case was tried anyway without the presence of Mr. Collins and the testimony that he gave in Justice court was produced against him. The case was quick spirited. Mr. Rupright's defense was an alibi. He claimed that he had been over in Robinson township at the hour of the day when it was alleged the sale was made to Collins. The jury found that a reasonable doubt existed and acquitted Mr. Rupright.

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## JOHN VANDERSLUIS BEGAN SINGING AT AGE OF TWELVE YEARS

John Vandersluis gives an interview in the Grand Rapids Sunday Herald's church page as this relates to his start in life as a church singer and later as a chorister. Says "Mr. Van" in this paper:—

"When I was 12 years old I did my first group leading. That was the leading of a Sunday School class. In 1873 I led my first choir. This was one of the greatest joys of my life. After serving for 20 years I moved to Holland, where I joined the reformed church and took up the leadership of the old Third Reformed choir, which was noted in those days for its wonderful singers."

"During the time I worked as leader of this choir I had one of the largest choirs in the state. This choir or chorus was composed of 600 voices, which was the city's best. That was during the Sunday school convention in 1916. When Hope college held its semi-centennial in the same year I had another large choir. This choir gave open air services which added greatly to the pageant presented at that time."

Mr. Vandersluis stated that many of his former pupils are now singing in various parts of the world. Some have gone into the mission field; others are in different work, but they still remember their former leader. Mr. Vandersluis served the church in Holland 30 years before his recent retirement.

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**PROPOSED LATERAL SEWER**  
Twenty-sixth Street, Between River and College Avenues.  
City of Holland, Mich.  
City Clerk's Office, September 8, 1923.  
Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Holland at a session held Wednesday, September 5, 1923, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, that a lateral sewer be constructed in Twenty-sixth Street, between River and College Avenues; that said lateral sewer be laid at the depth and grade and of the dimensions prescribed in the diagram, plan and profile, and in the manner required by the specifications for same provisionally adopted by the common council of the city of Holland, September 8, 1923, and now on file in the office of the clerk, and that the cost and expense of constructing such lateral sewer be paid partly from the general sewer fund of said city and partly by special assessment upon the lands, lots and premises of private property owners abutting upon said part of Twenty-sixth Street, and being adjacent to said lateral sewer, and such other lands, lots and premises as hereinafter required and specified, assessment according to the estimated benefits therefrom determined as follows: Total estimated cost of lateral sewer, \$2,300.45.

Amount to be raised by special assessment on private property according to estimated benefits received from said lateral sewer, \$2,300.45.

Amount to be paid from the general sewer fund, \$118.27.

That the lands, lots and premises upon which said special assessment shall be levied shall include all the private lands, lots and premises lying within the special assessment district designated by a red line in the diagram and plat of said district by the common council in connection with the construction of the sewer, all of which private lands, lots and premises are hereby designated and declared to constitute a special assessment district for the purpose of special assessment to defray that part of the cost and expense of constructing a lateral sewer in said part of Twenty-sixth Street in the manner hereinbefore set forth and as heretofore determined by the common council, said district to be known and designated "Twenty-sixth Street Special Sewer Assessment District."

Resolved, further that the city clerk be instructed to give notice of the proposed construction of said lateral sewer, and of the special assessment to be made to defray part of the expense of constructing such sewer, according to diagram, plan, and estimate on file in the office of the city clerk, and of the time when the common council and the Board of Public Works will meet at the Council Rooms to consider any suggestion or objections that may be made to the construction of said sewer, to said assessment district and to said diagram, plan, and estimate.

**RICHARD OVERWEG,**  
City Clerk.  
Sept. 13, 20, 27, 1923.

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To: Perre Marquette Ry. Co., The De Pree Co., Mrs. L. De Groot, W. Byron, Geo. Hulst, N. Sandy, Henry Vrieling, D. L. Vries, Frank Stegenga, Jas. Kole Est., Frank Dyke, Boone Bros., Wm. Zonnelt, John Vrieling, Henry Knips, and all other persons interested, take notice:

That the roll of the special assessment heretofore made by the Board of Assessors for the purpose of defraying that part of the cost which the Council decided should be paid and borne by special assessment for the construction of a sheet asphalt wearing course on North Central Ave., from 8th St. to the Perre Marquette Ry. track at 5th St., is now on file in my office for public inspection.

Notice is hereby given that the Council and Board of Assessors of the City of Holland will meet at the Council Room in said City on Wednesday, October 3, 1923, at 7:30 p. m., to review said assessment at which time and place opportunity will be given all persons interested to be heard.

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To: John Voss, Alex. van Zanten, R. G. and J. Nieuwe, C. Koeman, Jacob N. Haan, Frank Charter, B. J. Albers, Mrs. B. J. Albers, and all other persons interested, take notice:

That the roll of the special assessment heretofore made by the Board of Assessors for the purpose of defraying that part of the cost which the Council decided should be paid and borne by special assessment for the construction of a sheet asphalt wearing course on South River Ave., from 17th to 19th Sts., is now on file in my office for public inspection.

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Resolved, that a lateral sewer be constructed in Twenty-first Street, between Central and Michigan Avenues; that said lateral sewer be laid at the depth and grade and of the dimensions prescribed in the diagram, plan and profile, and in the manner required by the specifications for same provisionally adopted by the common council of the city of Holland, September 8, 1923, and now on file in the office of the clerk, and that the cost and expense of constructing such lateral sewer be paid partly from the general sewer fund of said city and partly by special assessment upon the lands, lots and premises of private property owners abutting upon said part of Twenty-first Street, and being adjacent to said lateral sewer, and such other lands, lots and premises as hereinafter required and specified, assessment according to the estimated benefits therefrom determined as follows: Total estimated cost of lateral sewer, \$1,200.45.

Amount to be raised by special assessment on private property according to estimated benefits received, \$1,108.18.

Amount to be paid from the general sewer fund, \$118.27.

That the lands, lots and premises upon which said special assessment shall be levied, shall include all the private lands, lots and premises lying within the special assessment district designated by a red line in the diagram and plat of said district by the common council in connection with the construction of the sewer, all of which private lands, lots and premises are hereby designated and declared to constitute a special assessment district for the purpose of special assessment to defray that part of the cost and expense of constructing a lateral sewer in said part of said street in the manner hereinbefore set forth, and as heretofore determined by the common council, said district to be known and designated "Twenty-first Street Special Sewer Assessment District No. Two."

Resolved, further that the city clerk be instructed to give notice of the proposed construction of said lateral sewer, and of the special assessment to be made to defray part of the expense of constructing such sewer, according to diagram, plan and estimate on file in the office of the city clerk, and of the time when the common council and the Board of Public Works will meet at the Council Rooms to consider any suggestion or objections that may be made to the construction of said sewer, to said assessment district, and to said diagram, plan, and estimate.

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Dated: Holland, Michigan, Sept. 8, 1923.  
**RICHARD OVERWEG,**  
City Clerk.  
Sept. 13-20-27.

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## MARKET REPORT

Wheat, white No. 1.....	\$ .99
Wheat red No. 1.....	1.00
Corn.....	.95
Oats.....	.44
Rye.....	.55
Oil Meal.....	54.00
Cracked corn.....	40.30
St. Car Feed, per ton.....	40.00
No. 1 Feed per ton.....	39.00
Scratch Feed, no grit.....	37.00
Dairy Feed, 24%.....	54.00
Corn Meal, per ton.....	39.00
Screenings.....	35.00
Brans.....	35.00
Low Grade Flour.....	51.00
Middlings.....	41.00
Cotton Seed Meal 36%.....	50.00
Gluten Feed.....	46.00
Hog Feed.....	46.00
Hay, baled.....	\$12-\$14
Straw.....	10.00
Dairy Butter.....	.43
Creamery Butter.....	.43
Eggs.....	.32
Beef.....	11-12
Spring Chicken.....	20
Pork.....	10 1/2-11
Red Dog.....	43.00

## LOCAL

Jimmy Welsh of Grand Haven and Jack Van Anrooy of Holland leave on Tuesday for a long trip to California. The journey will be made in Mr. Welsh's Dodge car and the boys expect to remain on the coast all winter.

At the last meeting of the Grand Haven Home Building & Finance Association which was held Tuesday evening it was voted to make a 3% dividend among stockholders for the period from April first to October 1 of this year. A dividend for the year 1920 or the first six months of the organization was also voted upon. This takes in the period from April 1 to October 1 in 1920. This means that on October 1 a full 6 per cent will be paid on the stock held by over 150 parties.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Himebaugh of the Park road left today for Detroit, to attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Dorothy Hoffman of Buffalo, N. Y., who has been visiting here for the past summer.

Rev. H. D. Skinner, pastor of the Methodist church at Grand Haven, has been returned to that pulpit by Bishop Henderson's appointment. Mr. Skinner has been very successful at Grand Haven.

A young man is exhibiting in a Western Michigan fair a curtain composed of 400 small flags representing 55 different countries, which he sewed himself entirely by hand. As the League of Nations grows older, even greater results are hoped for.

Members of the Allegan county circuit court of this vicinity are Otto Westing of Fillmore; Henry DuMez of Laketown; H. W. McIntosh of Sargatuck; Albert Smoes, Jr., of Overland; and John E. Slotman of Heath. Court will convene the first week in October with Judge Cross on the bench.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Lide, formerly of Holland, have returned to Miami, Fla., after a stay of a month. Some years ago, Mr. Vander Lide was a grocer on West 8th street, but later went into the real estate business in Miami, where he has done well. He states that living is cheaper there than in the North and a good flat can be secured for \$40 a month. He also points out the saving of a coal bill which has become quite an item.

How many seeds in a watermelon? Very few people know. Mrs. Westing, however, seems to understand all about the "coons" favorite fruit for she said there were 567 in one cut-up by Joe Koolker in the George Huizenga's Company booth at the fair. She apparently was correct, for Joe who wanted to know, and was pleased because he found out, just filled her lap with silverware as a reward. The melon contained 567 seeds.

Gerrit Molengraaf who lost his wife at Muskegon, interment taking place in Holland, returned to his home accompanied by his daughter Mrs. Leonard Tuttle.

## HOLLAND TO BE REPRESENTED AT LEAGUE CONVENTION

When the League of Michigan Municipalities holds its annual convention in Grand Rapids, Sept. 26-27, Holland will probably be better represented than any other city outside of Grand Rapids. The league met in Holland 1 year and at that time the local city officials became deeply interested in it. Mayor Stephan is the present president of the league and he will close his term of office at the Grand Rapids meeting, making the event with an exaugural address at one of the meetings.

Mayor Stephan, City Attorney Mc Bride, City Clerk Overweg and some other city officials will attend all the meetings, and on Thursday night when the annual banquet will be held at the Pantiind hotel, it is expected judging from a canvass that Mayor Stephan held at the council meeting Wednesday night, that all the aldermen and other city officials will be present.

## CHORAL SOCIETY SELECTS WILLIAM BROUWER AS LEADER.

The Choral Society of the 9th Street Christian Reformed church held a very enthusiastic meeting Tuesday evening in the parlors of the church with about 35 members present.

The president, Rev. James W. Ghysels, called the meeting to order, and made a few appropriate remarks, welcoming both the old and new members, after which election of officers was held and other business was transacted. The officers for the coming year are as follows: Henry R. Brink, President; Roy Strong, Vice-President; Secretary, Miss Deane Beltman; Treasurer, Henry Vanden Berg; Assistant Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Ella Lanning; Librarian, Samuel Dykstra, assistant Librarian, John Schrottenboer. The Misses Nelle Breen and Anne Holkeboer and Teunis Den Uyl were appointed as members of the music committee.

It was unanimously decided at the Choral meeting that William Brouwer who so ably directed the chorus last year, will be asked to do so again this year, and the members will prevail upon him to do this work.

The chorus expects to render a cantata in the near future.

## NEW MEETING PLACE FOR THE HOLLAND EXCHANGE CLUB

The Holland Exchange Club opened its season yesterday with the largest attendance in its history for the first meeting of the year.

The club gathered around the table in the beautiful new Masonic Temple and by a unanimous vote decided to rent this room for its noon-day meeting place for the coming year. The facilities of the Masonic Temple are excellent for a club as large as the Exchange Club is.

President A. Leenhouts gave a wonderful talk on the possibilities of service that can be rendered to the city of Holland by the Exchange Club, and later called upon E. P. Stephan, A. A. Vischer, Dr. J. E. Kuizenga, W. J. Olive and C. A. Lokker, veteran and prominent Exchangeites for short talks.

The keynote of all these talks was that a member can only expect to get out of a club in proportion to the service that he renders his organization and urged all members to put their shoulders to the wheel.

An agreeable surprise was in each and every member when Van Vyven the genial musical director of the club, who has no peer in Western Michigan announced that there isn't an organization in Holland with musical talent equal to that of the Exchange Club.

The club is interested in civic problems and no doubt will render valuable service in one line or another during the coming year.

Appropriate resolutions were adopted as these relate to Dr. Godfrey, who was a member and who recently passed away.

## HOLLAND TO VOTE ON BOND ISSUE

The people of Holland will be called upon to go to the polls in a special election on October 9. On that day they will be asked to vote on the bond issue of \$42,250 for the so-called tannery creek sewer. The situation is probably familiar to most people and there seems little doubt about the result, but the bond issue to be legal must be authorized by a vote of the people.

The common council Wednesday evening took the necessary steps to provide for the election and the ballots will be prepared in accordance with the regular rules in such cases.

## COUNCIL PASSES ELECTRIC SIGN ORDINANCE

A new ordinance was passed by the common council Wednesday night governing the erection and maintenance of electric signs in Holland. The new ordinance contains nine sections and describes in detail what signs can be erected, which are prohibited, when they are to be lighted, what their construction is to be, and soon. The ordinance is in accordance with the latest ideas on electric signs and brings the city's law on this point up-to-date.

## TRUNK ROADS THROUGH CITY NOT TO BE THROUGH TRAFFIC STREETS

When is a through traffic street not a through traffic street? This question engaged the attention of the common council Wednesday evening, and the aldermen decided that the state of Michigan was not going to tell the city of Holland which streets were to be through traffic streets. City Attorney Mc Bride gave the opinion that the new state law making all trunk lines through traffic streets would be certain to be fund unconstitutional in so far as they applied to city streets. The aldermen thereupon instructed the police department to place conspicuous signs at the north and west entrances on the pike and on the east entrance on the Zeeland road informing the traveling public that these streets are not through traffic streets, in spite of the law passed by the state.

The action arose out of an accident recently on the corner of River and 17th. If the state law applied then one party was regarded as liable for the damage; if not, then, he could not be held responsible.

## PARTIES MUST FIGHT IT OUT IN COURT ALDERMEN DECIDE

The common council went on record Wednesday night to the effect that it is not a judge in the private disputes between neighbors. The common council will step in only in case public property, like streets and so on is involved. Two neighbors in the second ward got into a dispute in regard to the roof water of one of the parties flowing into the basement of the other party. The man whose basement was made a claim against the common council thru Alderman Drinkwater, but the council declared that when one person has a grievance against another the only thing to do is to take the matter into court and fight it out there. The city of Holland has no concern about such disputes and will not undertake to settle them.

The claims and accounts against the city of Holland the past two weeks amounted to \$5,911.74, and the committee on poor spent \$122 for temporary aid.

The chamber of commerce has been granted a room on the second floor in the city hall for its meetings. The aldermen unanimously agreeing that this body was entitled to a room in the building.

The annual tug of war that creates considerable excitement among college folks and Holland citizens as well, will take place next week Friday at the usual place on Black river near Waverly, when either the Freshmen or Sophomores will be pulled into the drink. Following the pull the victors will parade downtown leading the vanquished by the long rope used in the contest. Holland is well represented at this pull each year.

The Western Theological Seminary opens Thursday. The committee for the reception of new students will meet at 2 p. m. in Semilink Hall. All those who are not registered will there present themselves.

On Friday morning Prof. John E. Kuizenga, D. D., Professor of Practical Theology, will deliver the opening address. The subject he has selected is "The Pastoral Care of the Sick." The place of meeting is the chapel of Semilink Hall, and the time 8 o'clock a. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the opening exercises.

## AUTOMOBILE PARTY TRAVELS

451 MILES IN ONE DAY at the top of his voice with every stamp. Clarence Voss arrived home at 8:50 Thursday evening from St. Louis, Mo., traveling a distance of 451 miles since 6:35 in the morning. The party consisted of Clarence Voss, J. P. Hamilton and John Holsema, left Monday at 9 P. M. and traveled 1102 miles in a little better than three days. They visited Chicago, Peoria and Springfield, Ill., and also the House of David on the return trip.

## MUSKMELONS HE COULDN'T SELL WERE THOROLY MUSHED

Bill Diemer of Zeeland, sometimes called the wild man of that vicinity, who runs a blacksmith shop together with a melon patch, quit the shop the other day to sell his melons on the street. Instead of peddling them from door to door he used the method of the crier of old, with such strong effect that all Zeeland could hear his stentorian voice. But Diemer's melons wouldn't sell, and Bill who, by way, is a quick-tempered individual, failing to get rid of them, jumped in to several bushels of luscious melons,

and in a pulp, screaming at the top of his voice with every stamp. The melons he didn't smash, but he did mash them, and now the Zeeland Record wants him arrested for disturbing the peace, and malicious destruction of property.

Harry L. Hulbert, warden of the state prison at Jackson, addressed the members of the Rotary Club Thursday noon at their regular meeting.

A Ford touring car belonging to G. W. Straight was stolen from in front of the Masonic Temple Wednesday night at about 11 o'clock. The engine number is 5452369 and the license number is 353859.

The September birthday meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Berthel on the North Side Friday afternoon. Members are asked to come and bring a friend.

Richard Van Bree, Zeeland druggist, Tuesday night fell and broke his leg as a neighbor's dog playfully jumped against him.

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