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## First Fish Pond East of Holland Drain Thursday

**HOLLAND CLUB IS SHARING BLUEGILL FINGERLINGS WHEN IT DRAINS FISH-REARING POOLS**

Officials of the Holland Fish and Game club, with state officials, are emptying the bass pond on M21, near New Groningen, today.

Indications are the number of fingerlings will compare favorably with the number taken from the pond in three previous seasons, averaging 200,000 each year. The fry are being planted in Black Lake, the big bayou and Pine Creek bay.

The bluegill pond will be emptied Oct. 8.

The bluegill pond is so packed with fry that it will be difficult to handle them. Last year the pond produced about 400,000, but this year indications are that the 600,000 mark may be reached when the pond is emptied on Oct. 8. Since the bluegill pond was established in 1929 the total number of fingerlings reared, including this year's number, exceed 1,000,000.

There is no way of checking in advance the output of the black bass pond, for the reason these fingerlings take to deeper water.

The club has experimented with a shiner pond for two seasons and this pond, too, is proving a success. Many shiners are turned into the bass pond and the others are reared in a separate pond. Indications are that eventually the club will establish a real shiner pond. The Holland club has the distinction for experimenting with the first shiner pond in the state.

Fishing in local streams has been raised to a high standard since stocking of the lake and rivers.

The Holland officers are showing a neighborly spirit in giving some of their fish from the rearing ponds to good sports from other counties in the neighborhood. Allegan lakes will be the first to be remembered for Allegan sportsmen have always co-operated with the Holland Fish-Game club members.

The local fish ponds are said to be models of its kind and the bass are well fed on shiners while the bluegills are given daily rations of "Dophnia" or Japanese water bug.

## JOBLESS UNDER 500 IN HOLLAND THUS FAR

The committee having in charge the registration of those found without employment in the city of Holland have practically finished their tasks and tonight report that there are a trifle under 500 who are not employed. Any attempt will be made by the city to furnish as much work for these as possible and the jobs available will be assigned by Mayor Brooks from his office in the Chamber of Commerce building.

The aldermen in charge of the registration were Wm. C. Vandenberg, Al Kleis and Henry Prins.

The Bolhuis Lumber & Manufacturing Co. has purchased the building of Gerrit Sprietsma, 21 W. Eighth street. The transaction was handled by Henry Oosting.

Mrs. John J. Cappon of Los Angeles, California, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cappon, 156 West 12th street. She will remain here for about a month during which time she will visit friends and relatives.

The Chinese River Sword Fish, which grows to a length of 20 feet, is the largest fish occurring in fresh water. This species is allied to our common spoon-billed cat.

## JUST NONSENSE

A was mashed tomatoes against the Grand Haven C. of C. office window to spite the secretary. Possibly wanting him to "catsup" with his published industrial prospects.

Apparently those Grand Rapids commissioners who want Eastern Standard time "Aren't" afraid in the dark" (With apologies to the popular song).

Imagine an extra road into Holland. Yes, let's imagine and imagine.

"Bill" Olive claims insurance insures the insured he is sure.

If we are to vote on "beer or no beer" we would suggest as a ballot vignette a horned buck on his hind legs. It was "good for the blood in the spring" 15 years ago.

Chief Blom has been a fireman for 47 years and still he has not turned out to be an alarmist.

## Shooting at Fillmore Seems Mysterious

**THREE SHOTS SELF INFLICT-ED KILLS DESPONDENT WOMAN**

A most unusual suicide occurred some time Tuesday afternoon at Fillmore, four miles southeast of Holland, when Mrs. Minnie Zoet, it is supposed, went to her bedroom, drew a pistol and shot herself three times, each bullet lodging in her breast near the heart.

After a child had gone to her father in a store across the street and was not there, an investigation was made and this brought to light that Mrs. Zoet had been shot and was lying dead in a pool of blood in her bed chamber.

The woman's husband, Joe Zoet, told the officers he returned to the home Tuesday and found his dinner unprepared. He returned to his store, he said, and was summoned to the home at 3 o'clock by a 3-year-old son, who told him that "mamma is hurt." He said that he and his brother Gerrit found the body on the bed and told of picking up the pistol from the bed, placing it on a dresser, then setting it back on the bed in approximately the same position in which he found it. Three discharged shells were in the gun.

Mrs. Zoet, it was said, took her life while a 6-week-old baby lay asleep in the cradle and three small children were playing in or near the house. She had been in a weakened condition since the birth of the baby and this, it is believed, made her very despondent.

When the body of Mrs. Zoet was found it lay across the bed with her right arm thrown above her head. Her left arm had fallen alongside the body and the hand close to the weapon. The firing of the revolver was not heard by any one and physicians state that the woman must have been dead for some time before the tragedy was discovered.

Mrs. Zoet, before her marriage, was Miss Minnie Kraker of Allegheny and she was only thirty-one years of age.

Coroner C. Clay Benson of Allegan, who investigated, pronounced the death a suicide. The coroner could find no evidences of foul play, although it is quite unusual to find that a person could inflict three bullet wounds in a near fatal spot without "passing out." At least two of the three shots fired would have been fatal, it is said.

Mrs. Zoet, besides a husband, Joseph Zoet, leaves four small children, Jason, Hazel, Myrtle and Ruth Elaine, the latter only six weeks of age. She also leaves twelve brothers and sisters, Mrs. Ralph Voss and George Kraker of Overisel, Mrs. Gerrit Roon of East Holland, Ben Kraker of Grand Rapids, and Peter, Henry, Gerrit, John, Harm, Bert, Herman and Albert Kraker all of Allegheny.

The funeral services will be held privately at the home in Fillmore this Friday afternoon at one-thirty o'clock, when Rev. G. J. Vander Riet of Overisel, pastor of the Christian Reformed Church, will officiate.

## WEEVIL IS FOUND IN ALLEGAN GRAIN BINS

Weevils have been found in grain bins in Allegan county, County Agent A. D. Morley reports. Carbon disulphide formerly was recommended as a fumigant for this pest but Michigan State College now recommends the use of weevils, which has no fire hazard. It does not leave a permanent odor or poisonous residue on the treated grain.

## OTTAWA COUNTY MAN ON TRIAL ON RAPE CHARGE NOT GUILTY

Trial of Clyde Raab, 25 years old, married, Dennison on a charge of rape made by a Blenden township young woman, occupied most of a morning in court this week. Raab pleaded not guilty when arraigned. The court appointed Clarence A. Lokker of Holland as his counsel. The attack took place July 31 or August 1, according to the young woman. Raab testified that he might have settled for \$300 but did not have the money. The jury, after short deliberation, pronounced Raab not guilty. The case was tried before Judge Fred T. Miles.

## COMMUNITY TRAINING CLASSES FOR WORKERS IN CHURCH SCHOOL TO OPEN

The Community Teachers' Training Classes for all church workers and Bible students will resume its sessions on Monday evening, October 17, at 7:30 o'clock in the First Reformed church of Holland.

Special attention is called to the splendid courses to be taken up this fall. A course on the Old Testament will be given by Dr. A. Pieters. This course aims to lead to a deeper understanding, a deeper appreciation and a more effective use of the Old Testament. Another course on The Message and Program of the Christian Religion will be in charge of Dr. John R. Mulder. This course aims to lead christian workers to a desire to have a vital share in making the message and program of the Christian religion effective in bringing about a christian world.

It is earnestly hoped that Sunday School teachers and officers, weekday Bible school teachers, and leaders of young people's societies will find definite help through these courses, and that these courses will be as popular as they were three years ago.

The tuition will be \$1.00 per course. The course will run two weeks of one hour each. The two courses will follow each other on the evening to be decided by the group on Monday evening, October 17.

The officers for this training class chosen by the superintendents of this city are George Schulling, president; Klaas Bultuis, vice-president; J. H. Schipper, Sec. and treasurer; Prof. C. Kleis, Dean of School.

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

### FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The death of President James A. Garfield, shot at Washington, by a disappointed office-seeker named Charles Guitau, took place at Long Beach in the cottage of a friend. The president, after the shooting, lingered about for months with an entire nation hoping and praying for his recovery. The Holland City News at that time was printed in mourning—the column rules being turned bottom side up—the effect surely was dark and mournful looking but this was the custom when great men passed on. According to the News of September 24, the death bed presented a most affecting scene describing hourly the sinking of our martyred president.

Mrs. Garfield at her husband's side, was the brave outstanding figure in this national drama. The News also printed the message from the late Queen Victoria of England who said: "To the memory of the late President Garfield, an expression of her sorrow and sympathy with Mrs. Garfield and the American nation."

No sooner was the death of General Garfield announced official, when the vice president, Chester A. Arthur, was sworn in as the nation's chief executive. He was born in the state of Vermont.

Holland at the time of the funeral was in deep mourning. The churches were draped in black, pulpits and public buildings were festooned with white and black streamers. There were services in all the churches and the old cannon in Centennial Park boomed at intervals announcing the death and burial of President Garfield, a soldier and statesman. There were services at Washington, D.C., and also at Cleveland, Ohio, where the body now rests covered by a gigantic monument.

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

Albert Hidding, Charles A. Floyd, Roland Eiseley, Nick Whelan, Jake Lokker, Barney Cook, Peter McCarthy and Ben Mulder went on a two-day "bill posting" trip for the Holland Fair. They visited Crisp, North Holland, Olive Center, West Olive, Burnips Corners, Drenthe, Overisel and Jamestown. There was plenty of roast chicken for meals.

Gerrit Rutgers, rural carrier, was presented with a beautiful gold watch chain by the residents of Tennessee Beach for faithful service.

The bulls and bears departed from Holland last Saturday after a couple of years sojourn here and the "board of trade" brokerage office is a thing of the past, much to the regret of those who liked to take a "whirl at the market." Frank A. Carr, who conducted the office for "Deacon" George E. Ellis, mayor of Grand Rapids, stated that the "Deacon" had retired from the brokerage business.

J. B. Coffinberry is conducting a lot sale in the Steketee addition.

### CIVIC ORCHESTRA MAKES PLANS FOR THE 1931-32 SEASON

The executive committee of the Holland Civic Orchestra met Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Donald French, 291 W. Twelfth street.

Plans were discussed for a series of three concerts to be given by the orchestra during its 1931-32 season. It was planned to have one of the three concerts featured by an out-of-town artist while the other two will be given by the orchestra.

The first public appearance of the Holland Civic Orchestra occurred last May when they presented a concert during Tulip Week. Several new members have been added to the organization.

### MRS. G. DIEKEMA SPEAKS AT FEDERATION MEET

The thirty-seventh annual meeting of the Michigan State Federation of Women's Clubs opened at Muskegon Tuesday noon and will continue through Friday. Mrs. G. J. Diekema spoke at Thursday's session on the topic "As a Diplomat's Wife." Mrs. Sears R. McLean, of Holland, is one of the district presidents.

### ATTEMPT MADE TO GET INTO GRAND HAVEN SAFE

An attempt was made to break open the safe at the Thieleman Auto Co., Grand Haven, some time Friday night, as the safe was found the next morning with the combination broken off and safe jammed up.

Entrance was made through a rear window. The safe was carried into the garage and mounted on a heavy rubber tire evidently to deaden the noise made in trying to break the lock.

### MUSHROOM PROVED TO BE "STINK-HORN"

A prominent citizen last week found a strange sort of mushroom growing in his garden, took it up, wrapped it in a paper, and called that expert on fungi, Prof. Killmaster, to identify it. When the latter arrived the former apologized for a dreadfully bad odor prevailing all over the premises. Mr. Killmaster recognized it and told the inquirer he need not unwrap his package. What was found was a "stink-horn" mushroom which emits about the worst smell in all creation.—Allegan Gazette.

### Andrew Steketee and John Klingenberg attended the fair at Hartford Wednesday.

near the west limits of Holland, 150 lots have already been sold and there are 17 lots left. The property belonged to Andries Steketee, local dry goods merchant.

Charles J. Parreant of South Bend played a violin solo at the morning service at Hope church Sunday.

Casper Belt, the barber of Holland, drove his trotter, Sadie Brooks, to victory at the Greenville Fair Friday in a field of seven starters. John Boone drove Camille to victory in the 2:12 trot at the Grand Rapids fair Friday. She lost the first heat but won the next three straight heats.

### FIFTEEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Lightning fired the barn of Joseph Meeuwzen, a farmer living a mile south of the Zealand Cheese factory, causing a loss of \$5,000 with \$800 insurance coverage. Eight head of cattle, 350 bushel of wheat and 200 bushel of oats, beside other crops, were burned.

A rare gift has been made to Holland High School to be used in the physiology classes. It is a human skeleton donated by Mrs. Henry Kämmer and once the property of her late husband, Dr. Henry Kämmer. The skeleton had often been loaned to the school in the study of the human body but it never was the property of the school until now.

The fish tug Harvey Watson, owned by Chief of Police Van Ryke, brings in about 300 pounds of lake trout daily. The fishermen on the tug set hooks—thousands of them—about 15 miles out from Holland harbor.

Holland has escaped a barber's strike and a smooth face can be purchased for 10 cents as of yore and the "late birds" can still wait till 11 o'clock P. M. before coming in for a shave Saturdays. Holland knights of the shears and razors met in Charter's shop to discuss things. The Holland barbers had two aims in view—a 15-cent shave and a closing hour at 10 o'clock on Saturday. Three active members of this knighthood of haircutters stood firm for the old order of things and patrons will still have a nickel left on leaving the shop, and the barbers will be untiring servants still, who will wait on you till Sunday morning and then scrub out.

The camel from Lakewood Farm that died will be stuffed and placed in the Chicago Field Museum at Jackson Park. Mr. Getz has given Camel No. 2, also from Lakewood, to the Lincoln Park zoo.

The death of Mrs. Hazel Louise Van Landegend Strelinger, formerly of Holland, died at Monrovia, California. She was a graduate of Holland High School and was the most popular girl at the school.

Marriage license was granted to Dan Poppe, 21, and Miss Alice Ryenga, 19, both of Holland.

### GRAND HAVEN BOY HONORED AS BEST AT PINE LODGE CONFERENCE

Paul Boyink, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Boyink of Grand Haven, was awarded recently with a trophy emblematic of being the best all around boy at the Older Boys' conference held this summer at Pine Lodge, Holland, summer conference grounds of the Reformed church.

The handsome cup, awarded by Dr. and Mrs. Kriekard of Grand Rapids, was given to the Grand Haven high school student for being the best athlete and showing the most all around ability. He was a member of the Grand Haven High School 1931 state championship basketball team and was also on the high school tennis team last spring. He won the tennis championship and the horse shoe pitching championship at the Older Boys' conference last summer.

He was sent there as a representative of the Second Reformed church of Grand Haven.

### HOLLAND HIGH TAUGHT NOTRE DAME GRID STYLE

Holland High School will play Notre Dame style of football this season. Jerry Breen, the new coach, and a former Holland High School star, has played under Coach Crowley at M. S. C. for the last two years and is teaching his players the Notre Dame style of the game.

Holland will receive its first big test of the season against Muskegon High, Oct. 3. Holland has never been able to defeat Muskegon.

Bud Hinga, who has turned out powerful football and basketball teams at Holland, is now football and basketball coach at Hope College.

Rev. William Wolvius of Holland occupied the pulpit at Third Reformed church of Grand Rapids. Prof. Henry Hoppers of the Western Theological Seminary filled the pulpit at Bethel Reformed church in that city.

Rev. Winfield Burggraaf and Nicholas Burggraaf of Holland were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bosch on East Central Ave., Zealand, Wednesday.

Edward De Pree of St. Louis, Missouri, spent the last week-end in Zealand visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Henry De Pree. He also was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. John Van Zoeren, West 15th street, Holland. He was formerly in the chemists staff of the DePree Co.

## Holland To Get Next Sunday School Meet

**Expect 1100 at Sunday School Convention**

George Schulling, president of the Ottawa County Sunday School association, states that 1100 are expected at the Coopersville meet next Wednesday, October 7th.

John Vandersluijs will be there with his chorus of 85 voices and the Oakland Instrumental Four will furnish the music at the opening of the evening session.

Mr. Schulling predicts that Holland will have this convention next October, since it is Holland's turn.

The theme for the convention this year is, "Exalting Jesus Christ and Reconciling Self."

All the registered delegates will be furnished both their dinner and supper. The registration which includes meals, souvenir program and all convention privileges, is 75c.

The complete official program for next week Wednesday will be found on the first page of section two.

The officials of the Ottawa County Sunday School Association are: Geo. Schulling, president, Holland; J. A. Lehman, vice-president, Grand Haven; E. J. Walbring, vice-president, Coopersville; A. Niemhuis, secretary-treasurer, Holland; D. Boter, Asst. Sec'y and Treas., Holland.

District Superintendents — A. Steketee, Holland; J. J. Bolt, Grand Haven; L. W. Shears, Coopersville; C. Post, Zealand; H. P. Stegeman, Hudsonville.

Department Superintendents — Helen De Maagd, Coopersville, Cradle Roll; Mrs. E. Walvoord, Holland, Children's Division; Prof. I. J. Lubbers, Holland, Young People; Rev. H. Dykhouse, Eastmanville, Adults; Miss H. Warnshuis, Holland, Missionary; D. Damstra, Holland, Administration; Prof. E. Winter, Holland, Education; John Vandersluijs, Holland, Music.

## FORMER HOLLAND MANAGER OF NEW FURNITURE STORE AT GRAND HAVEN

The Bishop Furniture Co. of Muskegon will open a furniture store in Grand Haven, according to Evert J. Pruim, music and furniture dealer, who has signed a contract to manage the Bishop store in that city. Pruim formerly conducted a music store in Holland and Zealand.

## HOPE COLLEGE GOSPEL TEAM AT ZEELAND

The Hope College Gospel Team will take charge of the services of the First Reformed Church, Zealand, Sunday evening. Addresses will be given by Mr. Abraham Naoum, a native of Arabia; Rev. G. Van Peursum, who has recently returned from Arabia; and Mr. Justin Vander Kolk, principal of our Junior High School. Special music will also feature this service. In the morning, Rev. John Van Peursum will consider the theme, "Being Introduced to Yourself."

## MORE MEN ON THE PAY ROLL

Ottawa county will increase employment on road projects from 40 to 100 men in an effort to find immediate jobs for the result of a conference of highway engineers and commissioners at Grand Rapids yesterday.

## BEGIN ROAD FROM ZEELAND TO LAKEWOOD

Now that the county road commission is putting on nearly 100 more employees, road work is continuing in different parts of the county.

One of the first jobs undertaken here will be the extension of Lakewood boulevard, east of Zealand, which is an earthwork job. A road of two miles or more at Port Sheldon will be improved.

A jump ahead of most of the counties in the fact the engineers have been adding help and taking on work that ordinarily would be opened up in the spring.

There are 15 counties in western Michigan that wish to participate in the effort to aid employment during the fall and winter months as was voiced at the meeting held under the auspices of the Michigan Association of Highway Commissioners and Engineers.

## DUCK SEASON OPENED TODAY

Duck season opened today, Thursday, and will remain open to including the last day in October. The shortened season comes as the result of an order from Herbert Hoover, president of the United States, acting on the advice of the U. S. biological survey, whose report indicates that nesting grounds have been seriously affected by the drought with the result that fewer ducklings were born this summer.

Ex-City Treasurer of Allegan County, Henry E. Stanley, has charge of a force of men cutting timber around the bayou just above the Allegan municipal dam. About 20 residents of Allegan are cutting the trees along the banks of the Kalamazoo river five miles west of the city and converting the trees into stove wood for themselves. The trees are given free of charge to men without employment who reside in the city.

Mrs. Daniel Stern, chairman of the Welfare Board, of Allegan, states that last week there were canned 225 quarts of peaches and other fruit for community needs. The board requires more cans for preserving the later fruits and anyone who can further the cause by donating jars will please notify the chairman and they will be called for. With the great crops of fruits at nominal prices this year and many orchards going unpicker it seems that not one family in the county should go fruit hungry.—Allegan Gazette.

## WE HAVE HAD OUR SAY ON TIME QUESTION

The Holland City News feels that it has had its say why we should go back to Central Standard time, the time we have followed for a decade without any hardships. All our neighbors (except Zealand) as well as the rural folks have gone back to the winter schedule and Zealand is waiting.

Grand Rapids kicked over the traces—ignored the decision for Central Standard time of three previous elections. First the Commissioners voted for Central Standard time. Then they face about and rescind their action and by a tie vote, 3 to 3, with the Mayor deciding for Eastern Standard time, the time meddlers were victorious.

Even one of the commissioners who voted for Eastern Standard time said in substance, "I am throwing you a vote to please you, but I hope you get plenty of that kind of time this winter. I am against it, but I am voting for it."

Grand Rapids would like to have all the neighboring cities trail in behind her, so it won't confuse shopping hours. That fact should not worry Holland for it might keep some of these Holland dollars at home where these belong.

By the same token Holland might give some consideration to our neighbors on the country-side, who have already turned the clock back to Central Standard time. But above all, remember those little "kiddies" and their mothers who with Eastern Standard Time must prepare them for school in the dark.

## JAMESTOWN GOES BACK TO THE OLD TIME

Jamestown gets back to Central Standard time this week Saturday. They will have no more. They are following Douglas, Saugatuck, Fennville and Hamilton, all neighbors of Holland.

County School Commissioner Greenwood states that most of the country-side around Holland and Zealand and West Olive have already turned to Central Standard time.

## TOO DARK FOR OUTSIDE GAMES

Zeeland Record — Daylight is gradually waning. Baseball closed its evening sessions half a month ago while the indoor teams are now struggling along with the feeble amount of dusk available between 5:30 and dark. At present there is still plenty of daylight for the pupils starting to school in the morning, but the foreshortened days will probably hear a good deal of grumbling within a few months.

## ANNUAL PULL THIS AFTERNOON

This Friday afternoon the annual pull between the Freshman and Sophomore classes of Hope College takes place on the banks of Black river. This is a great event and is witnessed by thousands each year.

## MUNICIPAL PLANTING OF 500,000 BULBS STARTED YESTERDAY

The first shipment of 150,000 out of a consignment of 500,000 tulip bulbs has reached Holland from the Netherlands and the balance is expected to be received within two weeks. The consignment includes 12 varieties. The bulbs will be used by the city entirely and none will be sold to private owners.

John VanBragt, superintendent of city parks, and a crew of men have begun planting of the bulbs Wednesday. The bulk of the bulbs will be planted along curbs and at intersections, thereby establishing additional lanes leading to central park. Lanes will be laid out on Seventeenth, State, Twelfth and River sts. and city boulevards. Two rows of bulbs will be planted along curbs and at intersections will be studied. Each block will have a different color. The balance of the bulbs will be planted in city parks.

When tulip week comes next May it is expected approximately 1,500,000 tulips will be in bloom, the largest in Holland's history. The festival next year also promises to be the most attractive since it was launched as an experiment three years ago.

## PUFFBALL WEIGHING 5 POUNDS EXHIBITED

Grand Haven Tribune — A giant puffball mushroom is being exhibited at the Grand Haven Daily Tribune by A. H. Bartholomew, 1225 Woodlawn. The fungus, which is regarded by some as a great delicacy weighs five and a quarter pounds, is 35 inches in circumference one way and 33 the other. It was found on Crocker Flats, where others fully the size or larger have been found this year, said Mr. Bartholomew.

The season has been particularly fine for mushrooms, and many have been gathered, he says.

## QUICK GROWER

A little girl who had been left to watch the soup was presently heard to sing out, "O mother, come quick, the soup is getting bigger than the pot."

About twenty-five scouts from Zealand attended the Michigan State-Alma College football game at East Lansing, Saturday. They were the guests of Michigan State College. The scouts have been offered an opportunity to witness the Drake-Notre Dame game which will be played October 17 at South Bend, Indiana, as well as to see the Michigan State-U. of M. game on November 14 at Ann Arbor. Since many of the scouts are eager for the trip the troop will probably accept the invitation. — Zealand Record.

Alex Van Zanten, Bert Vander Poel, John Luidens and Andrew Klomprens were Detroit business visitors Thursday.

## Missionary From Africa on Local Program Oct. 8

**MISS JOHANNA VEENSTRA IS AN AUTHOR AS WELL AS A GOSPEL WORKER**

Holland Meeting to be Held at Central Ave. Christian Reformed Church

The fall meeting of the Women's Missionary Union of Holland, Zealand and vicinity is to be held on Thursday, Oct. 8 in the Central Avenue Christian Reformed church both afternoon and evening. The meeting promises to be one of great interest, judging from the program that has been arranged.

Miss Johanna Veenstra, missionary of the Sudan Union Mission, Africa, who is on furlough, will be the principal speaker both afternoon and evening. Miss Veenstra is well known to Holland folks, having spoken to local audiences on several occasions, and having many friends in Holland and vicinity, her father being pastor of the Sutphen Christian Reformed Church at the time of his death some years ago.

Miss Nelle Breen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Breen, of 245 W. 15th street, who sailed for Africa some months ago, is a co-worker with Miss Veenstra in Africa.

Other speakers will be Dr. Henry Beets, of Grand Rapids, who will speak in the afternoon. Dr. Beets will give his address in the Holland language. In the evening, beside Miss Veenstra, Mr. Huisjen, a worker of the Nathaniel Institute of Chicago will also be on the program. Mr. Huisjen will tell of his work among the Jewish people of Chicago.

The Christian High School Quartet of 1930 will render several selections.

After the afternoon gathering, those folks who are unable to go to their homes and return in time for the evening meeting, are cordially invited to gather in the parlors of the Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church, where supper will be served to them, in order that they can thus be enabled to attend both afternoon and evening meetings. The meeting in the afternoon will begin at 2 o'clock and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Everyone is most cordially invited.

It is rather interesting to know that Miss Veenstra is not only a missionary who has gone through all the pioneering and trials of missionary work in Central Africa, but in connection with her several duties, always of an arduous nature, she has found time to become an author and has written two most interesting volumes as this relates to her work. The first offering is "Pioneering for Christ in the Sudan." This book describes vividly her experiences as a new recruit in the mission field of darkest Africa. The landscape, the people, their habits, their housing, the jungles and the wild life therein is described in a very unusual manner so a layman can understand, and the beauty of it all is, that through the narrative the thread that tells why she came to Africa is closely interwoven. It indicates that Miss Veenstra has made great sacrifices for this cause, and has done this sincerely, loyally and cheerfully. Her second contribution is entitled "Black Diamonds." This volume reflects the great work that Miss Veenstra has already accomplished in the way of schools and missions. The last book may be considered a sequel to the first.

The revenue from the sale of the book has gone back into mission work. Thus far a warehouse to store supplies at the main station has been built and also a very modest home for Miss Veenstra and her co-workers.

## WINTER WILL SPEAK AT RURAL TEACHERS CLUB

The Ottawa County Rural Teachers Club will hold its next meeting at the North Holland church on Wednesday, October 7, at 7:30 p. m. All rural teachers teaching or residing in Ottawa county are invited



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### WE ALL PAY TAXES

Less than 3 1/2 per cent of the population of the United States pays more than 96 per cent of the federal income tax, and less than 7 per cent of all corporations in the country pay more than 95 per cent of the corporation income tax.

The average person, merely glancing at these figures, might decide that taxation is merely a matter affecting the rich individual, or the big business, and so none of his concern. But, unhappily, taxes do not work that way. If a company is taxed a dollar or a million dollars, there is but one way it can raise the funds to pay—by passing the cost on to those who buy the articles or services it sells.

Every person in the country is a tax-payer. When he buys food, pays rent, buys gasoline, takes out an insurance policy or goes to a theatre, he automatically pays some of his money to government. The old saying that death and taxes are inevitable is truer today than it ever was. And, as a result, tax reduction, far from being a matter that interests only the wealthy few, is a matter of tremendous personal importance to each of us.

### COWS PLAY PRANKS IN AN ONION PATCH

Deputy Sheriff Andrew Marron Tuesday, arrested Ernie Simpkins, 58, and son Glenn, 35, on an assault and battery charge preferred by Leonard Riley, 17, all residents of Watson township, Allegan county. The trouble was occasioned, it was said by the Riley cow getting into the Simpkins onion field. It was alleged Riley was badly beaten by the father and son. The men were arraigned before Justice Fides E. Fish, of Allegan, Tuesday, pleaded not guilty and demanded an examination which was set for Tuesday October 6. They gave bond of \$100 each.

### YOUNG MINISTER TO COMPLETE COURSE; WAS STUDENT AT HOPE

Student Pastor N. Keizer, who supplied in the First Reformed Church of Allegan during the past summer, left Monday to take up his work in the Presbyterian Seminary of Chicago. This is Keizer's last year at school. He previously attended Hope College in Holland. His home is in Byron Center. The church surprised Keizer with a farewell party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Bazaan one evening last week and presented him with a gift. He preached his farewell sermon here Sunday evening.

### NINE NABBED AT BERLIN FAIR FOR MISBEHAVING

Mark Overland of Utica, N. Y., was arrested at the Berlin Fair at Marne and appeared before Justice C. E. Burr, Grand Haven. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$25.00 and sent to jail for five days. If the fine is not paid he will be given 15 days in jail. Overland is one of nine young men taken by the county officers for misbehavior at the fair last week. The balance of the party were arraigned and pleaded guilty and were fined.

The Junior High Cafeteria opened September 14. There are about sixty students and teachers being served every noon. Many of the rural students carry their lunch and eat in the cafeteria. There are still many students who eat their lunch in the High School Cafeteria, perhaps because the new students do not know of the cafeteria yet.

—Holland High Herald.

### IN MEMORIAM

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Second Reformed Church of Grand Haven desire to pay a loving tribute to our friend and co-worker, Mrs. James Danhof, who was called to her heavenly home on August 18, 1931.

Mrs. Danhof was a member and a faithful attendant at all of our meetings and served as President for a number of years. She gave willingly of her time, talents, strength and material things for the benefit of our Society and church, and all things pertaining to the Master's work. We would best witness to her lofty Christian character, which endeared her to the community where she had spent her entire life. She was devoted to all the interests and services of the church and was a most helpful friendship and spiritual influence. Her cheerful trust in her Heavenly Father was an unfailing inspiration to all her friends. She was ever ready with her sympathy and assistance to those in need. Therefore he it resolved that we enter upon our records this minute of our sense of deep loss and that a copy be sent to her companion, Judge James Danhof, who has our deepest sympathy and that a copy be sent to the Leader for publication. Dated Sept. 28, 1931.

Mrs. Claud Van Hoef,  
Vice-President.  
Mrs. Henrietta Kaatz,  
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## GEORGE GETZ SENDS CONGRATULATIONS TO NEW CHIEF OF POLICE

George Getz of Lakewood Farm in a letter of some length congratulates Peter Lievens, the new chief of Police of Holland, upon his appointment. He stresses the fact that without doubt Mr. Lievens will make a good chief if his work at Lakewood Farm as deputy sheriff last year is any criterion.

He states that the gates and grounds around Lakewood were never better policed than when Mr. Lievens was on the job.

Mr. Lievens assumed the duties of his office today and Mr. Frank Van Ry will officially retire after serving faithfully for eighteen years. He was given a three months leave of absence and Henry Vander Schel of the Holland Baking Co. a member of the police board, was acting chief. Although he has had no police experience, he has done admirably, many big police cases coming up during his short term, including the bank robbery at Hudsonville, for which the culprits are already serving.

Peter Lievens also had a hand in these cases, arresting Peters, one of the active robbers, near Detroit. Lievens contemplates no radical changes in the work of the department. He stresses the desire to co-operate with police departments of other cities in the apprehension of criminals and promises to give Holland the best service he can render. He also aims to be a 24-hour chief, subject to call at any time, day or night.

## HOLLAND'S COMMUNITY DRIVE TO OPEN OCT. 28

The Holland Community Chest, Inc., has set October 28 and 29 as the dates for its second annual drive. Dick Boter, Henry Winter, and Dr. A. Leenhouts constitute a committee for preparing the budget to be submitted for approval to the directors.

The same project—Boy Scouts, Camp Fire Girls, civite health, city mission, Christmas baskets for the poor—aided last year again will be given support.

The campaign a year ago netted \$22,000.

## CHRISTIAN HIGH AGAIN RECEIVES CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

The Holland Christian High School again has received the certificate of approval from the University of Michigan. This certificate is for the maximum period of three years, expiring in 1934. Christian High has been accredited since 1924.

## AMERICAN LEGION OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED WEDNESDAY

The newly elected officers of the Holland American Legion Post were inaugurated Wednesday evening by a delegation of South Haven American Legion past members.

The new officers are Jack Bultman, commander; Louis Dalman, first vice-commander; Ray Soderberg, second vice-commander; John Roseboom, adjutant; Marinus De Fouw, finance officer; Harry Kramer, chaplain; Earl Nivison, sergeant-at-arms; and Dr. A. Leenhouts, historian.

## HOLLAND PREPARES TO AID THE UNEMPLOYED

G. R. Press—Council Members William C. Vandenberg, Albert P. Kleis and Henry Frins, committee on relief for unemployed, through Mayor E. C. Brooks announced Friday a registration bureau for men seeking work would be opened next week in the courtroom of the city hall. Three afternoons, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, from 2 to 5 o'clock will be devoted to compiling a list of applicants. The same method in use last year will be continued.

## HOLLAND PREPARES FOR ENTERTAINMENT OF SCHOOL HEADS IN '32

Mayor Earnest C. Brooks and C. A. Gross, secretary of the chamber of commerce, extended an invitation to the state association of superintendents of schools to hold its 1932 conference in Holland. Holland has been considered favorably as a central point for the convention.

Special rates to the superintendents have been offered by the management of the Warm Friend Tavern.

## NOT ALL PEACHES GO AT LOW PRICE

Here's a story of a fortunate peach-grower, a Mr. Sebright of near Hope, who told by a man knowing the facts. He recently made a contract with the Kalamazoo asylum for his peach crop at a price above \$2 per bushel, this because of the high quality of his product last year. This season the asylum, while agreeing to stand by its contract, asked if it could be reduced somewhat. Mr. Sebright was reasonable but he is still getting \$2 per bushel for his fine fruit.

## COLONY OF CAMPERS IS ORDERED OUT OF FENNIVILLE PARK

The colony of campers in Fenniville Village Park have gone. Following a visit from the town Marshall McCann and Sheriff Tweed, who, investigating the series of robberies, also they visited the camp and issued the ultimatum, "get work or get out." By Saturday night most of the campers, who were there ostensibly to seek employment in the fruit picking and packing industries, had "folded their tents like Arabs and had silently stolen away."

A gang of hoboes "up the tracks" was also broken up and five were taken before Justice Orther, who sentenced them to ten days each in the Allegan county jail.

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## FIRST NUMBER OF THE HOPE COLLEGE LYCEUM BUREAU



Claire Bruce as Katherine in "Taming of The Shrew"

## SHAKESPEAREAN PLAYERS COMING

It is announced that James Hendrickson and Claire Bruce and their company of Shakespearean Players will appear at Carnegie Hall, October 7, at 8:30 P. M. when "Taming of the Shrew" will be presented and at night at 8 o'clock when "Hamlet" will be given by the unusual artists.

This company has been presenting the Shakespearean plays with great success in the principal school and college towns of the country and has been brought to Holland by Dr. J. B. Nykerk of the Hope College Lecture Bureau. A large attendance is anticipated because of the high professional standing of the company. Unusually low admission prices have been made for students.

Entire new settings have been designed for the season's tour and Mr. Hendrickson and Miss Bruce announce that they have associated with them the finest company they have had since their organization

## EDING-ZYKE NUPTIALS PERFORMED SATURDAY

The St. Francis De Sales Church was the scene of a beautiful wedding Saturday morning when Miss Madalene Eding, daughter of Mrs. Jennie Eding, and John J. Zyke, son of Mr. Sylvester Zyke, were united in marriage.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of the "Wedding March" played by Mrs. Vance C. Mape. Father Frederick Ryan performed the double ring ceremony at 10:30 o'clock in the presence of many friends and relatives. Immediately after the ceremony, Miss Margaret Basso sang "I Love You Truly." She also sang "O Promise Me" and "Ave Maria."

The bride looked charming in a beautiful gown of white satin trimmed with fine lace. The bride veil was also trimmed with lace and the headress was caught with orange blossoms, worked in with pearls and rhinestones. She carried a bouquet of small white flowers with a touch of pink. Miss Mary Zyke, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. She wore an orchid satin gown with a large orchid hat and also carried a beautiful bouquet.

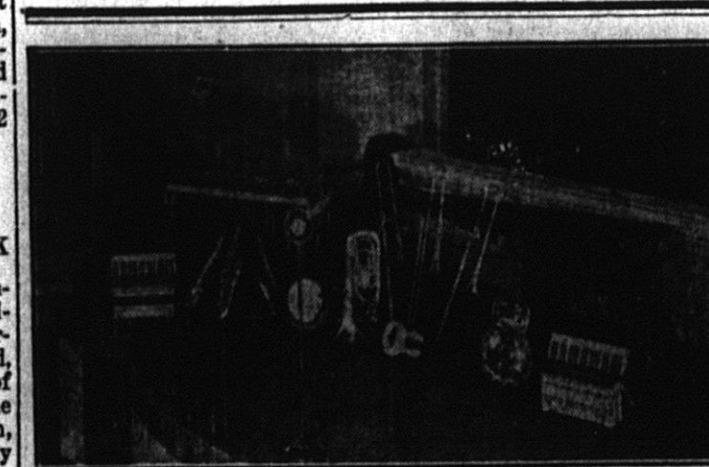
Carl Seif, who acted as best man, wore a dark suit as did the groom. Bernard Donnelly, Jr., acted as usher.

Following the wedding ceremony a wedding luncheon was served in the Woman's Literary Club to about 85 guests. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ephraim were master and mistress of ceremony.

In the evening a dance and wedding supper was held in the Woman's Literary Club rooms where about 200 guests gathered. Supper was served at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Zyke left Monday on a wedding trip to Sault Ste. Marie. Upon their return they will make their home at 129 E. Tenth street.

Miss Lalla Edner Mc Kay has opened her studio for the fall term.



## THE AMBASSADOR TRIO COMING TO HOLLAND FOR THE FIRST TIME

The well known Ambassador Trio of Grand Rapids is coming to Holland Friday, October 9th, to render a sacred concert in Trinity Reformed Church at 8 p. m. The trio is composed of Irv Rogers, Jack R. Van Nus and Ralph Miller. It is the state's, and possibly the nation's most versatile trio, each member being an accomplished player on several instruments. In fact, their

score of instruments are valued at \$2500. They have filled engagements in several states and have frequently given radio concerts.

The trio comes under the auspices of the Holland Christian Endeavor Union, of which Theodore Schapp is president. The C. E. Union has especially invited by letter young people's societies of the Christian Reformed, Reformed and Methodist Episcopal churches. The general public, however, is also invited. Admission is free but a silver offering will be taken to defray expenses.

## THE COSTS OF A FARM AGENT TO A FARMER IS WELL REPAID

Series of Meetings Showing How to Cut Farm Costs to Be Held In October

A few suggestions relative to agricultural agent costs and work are presented herewith. The main work of the agricultural agent is to assist farmers in adopting methods of farming that will aid and add to the farm income, to assist with the plans for making better use of home grown farm produce and to inform farmers on methods of preventing losses from insects and diseases and to assist with their marketing problems.

If by a suggestion on poultry sanitation each farmer in the county is saved the loss of one chicken that farmer has saved the cost in taxes to support an agricultural agent for two years. If by assisting farmers with feeding dairy cows a farmer produced one and a quarter pounds of butter more a year from his entire herd the value of that butter represents the cost of an agricultural agent in taxes for a year.

If by inducing farmers to treat their potatoes for disease or their grain for smut the farmers are saved the loss of one or two bushels they have saved enough to pay that share of their taxes for an agricultural agent.

The cost in taxes per thousand dollar valuation to cover the appropriation made by the Board of Supervisors for agricultural agent work amounts to three cents for the salary and three and three-tenths cents for the expenses including office clerk and field expense.

The first of a series of winter meetings for farmers in Ottawa County to discuss ways and means of adding to farm income and cutting farm costs will be held next week. The agricultural situation and what farmers can do to take advantage of it will be outlined by the agricultural agent. Plans will be made for future meetings, subjects will be selected and demonstrations announced. Meetings have been scheduled as follows: Nunica Grange Hall, Oct. 6; Allendale Town Hall, Oct. 7 and Robinson Town Hall, Oct. 8th, all at 8 P. M. fast time. Meetings will be held in each township before the series is ended.

Boys 4 H club members made 174 displays at the Berlin Fair last week in the largest and best display ever held in Western Michigan. Calves, Corn, potatoes, poultry, rabbits, garden and handicraft work exhibits were high quality and well arranged. Outstanding were the exhibits of corn and potatoes that won at the State Fair and they attracted much attention.

Winners of ribbons in the various classes were, Holsteins, Fred Westveld, Marne; Martin Muller, Nunica; Wayne Ruster, James and Dale Kelly, Martin Lubben and Floyd Heckel, all from Coopersville, Jersey, Howard Irish, Jr., Roy Peck, Leonard and Robert Schwallier, Howard Buster and Junior Berkel all of Coopersville. Bernard Van Huizen of Grand Haven. Guernseys, Chas. L. Lillie, Jr., Bernard Brower, Willis Bos, Guy and son Peck, all of Coopersville. Shorthorn, Ernest Vannatter, of Coopersville, Brown Swiss, Jacob and Claud Bouwkamp. The Blue Ribbon Calf club from Marshall Scholt, Robert Turner, leader, had the best exhibits of calves. Poultry ribbons were awarded to Gerrit Rauch, Holland, Waldo Johnson, Marne and Robert Loving, West Olive.

Rabbits, New Zealand Whites, Clyde Lundsen, Mawrence Wasolaski and Bernard Kiatouski, all Marne. Chinchilla, Richard Smith, Eldred Garter and Chas. Wasolaski, Marne. Flemish Giants, Victor John, Harry Sutter and Walter Sollow, Marne. Belgian Hare, Herman Lindley. The Sand Creek Club exhibit was best. Corn prizes were won by Frank Wasolaski, Marne, Joseph Brown, Coopersville, and Junior Nibbelink, Allendale. Potato prizes were awarded as follows: Irish Cobbler, Wm. Leonard and Bennie Weststrate, Coopersville. Basset Rural, Elwood McMillan, Bass River, Norman Gunster, Albert Brunner, Holland. Other early varieties, Bernard Colligan, Nunica, Lewis Nuland, Coopersville. Other late, M. Hug, Marne, Willard Swenson, Holland, Lewis Nuland, Coopersville. Handicraft, 1st year, Arden Barrett, Coopersville, Harvey Vander Laan, Hudsonville, Chas. Barnes, Coopersville. 2nd year, Chas. E. and Arthur L. Moore of Nunica, Waldo Johnson, Marne, 3rd year, Donald Bursh, Marne, Howard Irish, Jr., and Nich Van Wingerden, Coopersville.

Agricultural Agent Milham says that now is the time to organize winter clubs for handicraft work. Bulletins and information may be had at his office in the Court House.

## HOLLAND AIRCRAFT MOTOR FIRM'S NEW ENGINE O. K. D.

Following a conference with leading officials of the department of commerce and the bureau of commerce and the bureau of standards in Washington, O. E. Szekely, president of the Szekely Aircraft & Engine Co., Holland, reports business in aeronautics on the increase.

The Szekely SR3 series of engine used in light aircraft is the first of four new types of engines to pass the government test and three others will be tested next month.

The Szekely concern now is producing most of the engines used in light aircraft and anticipates an increased demand for its product on government approval. The concern's pay roll numbers about 40 members and mechanics are being summoned back to work to increase production.

## LAST RITES FOR MARINUS DE FOUW HELD WEDNESDAY

Marinus De Fouw, aged 78 years, died Sunday noon at his home 566 State street. He has been a resident of Holland practically all his life, coming here from The Netherlands at the age of three.

Mr. De Fouw is survived by his wife and three sons and four daughters. Heeman DeFouw, Cornelius DeFouw, Gerrit De Fouw, Mrs. John Van Wyk, Mrs. Henry Smeenge, Mrs. John Hamelink and Mrs. Gerrit Jaarda, all of Holland, also 35 grandchildren and eighteen great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home and 2 o'clock at the Central Avenue Christian Reformed church. Rev. L. Van Laar, pastor of the Prospect Park Christian Reformed church and Rev. L. Veltkamp of the Central Avenue Church officiated. Interment took place in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Grandchildren of Mr. DeFouw were pallbearers.

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## HOLLAND C. OF C. IS TO HAVE MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

A membership drive to increase the present roll in the Holland Chamber of Commerce will start on October 7. Sec'y Charles A. Gross announced that there are 225 members in the organization and that the drive is to bring the number to the 322 mark of last year. The drive will continue three weeks.

## HOLLAND STUDENT COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED

Mayor Herman VanArk of Holland High student council has announced several appointments for the current school year, as follows: Managing editor, Holland High Herald, George Combs; editor-in-chief and managing editor, Boomarang, Margaret VanRaalte and Stuart Gross; chairman of board—literary, John Leland; welfare, Olive Wisnhammer; park, Howard Vandenberg; public improvement, Dorothy Mae Kleis; Herald, Lois VanderMeulen.

New presidents of clubs include: Hi-Y, Willard Westveer; Athetnaeum, William Combe; Boys Glee club, Lewis Jalving; Teachers club, Mattie Dekker; Blue Triangle, Lois VanderMeulen; Kappa Delta, Olive Wisnhammer; Phi Beta, Clara Whitteveen; Alpha Chi, Hazel Marcus; Dnalloh High, Gordon Grinwis; police board, Kenneth Tyse, Warren Heusing, Ray Souter.

## DR. RUTHVEN TO SPEAK AT INAUGURATION OF HOPE COLLEGE PREXY

Formal invitations to the inauguration of Hope college's new president, Dr. Wynand Wichers, which will be held Oct. 15 have been sent to nearly 2,000 persons in all parts of the United States and Canada. Foreign countries, including China, Japan, Arabia and India also were among the nations on the list as recipients.

Those invited include ministers and missionaries of the Reformed church and presidents and heads of universities and colleges.

Dr. Alexander Ruthven, president of the University of Michigan, has been obtained as principal speaker at the exercises.

## COUNTERFEIT BILLS ARE PASSED IN NEARBY CITIES

Grand Haven Tribune—Information has been received here by the merchants service bureau stating that in a number of nearby cities north of Grand Haven a number of counterfeit \$5 and \$10 bills and checks are being passed. During these hard times merchants and business men are being preyed upon by a group of counterfeit passers and the bureau warns local merchants to keep a sharp watch.

No passing of counterfeit money has been reported here but not a week passes that the local bureau does not have a complaint of the passing of bad checks. The passers usually make small purchases and hand a large bill to the merchant, the passer taking the bulk in change.

## HOLLAND MAN IS FREED FROM ASSAULT CHARGE BROUGHT BY WOMAN

Henry T. Vandenberg of Holland, charged with assault, was acquitted in circuit court at Grand Haven following a brief trial. Marital troubles led up to the arrest of Mr. Vandenberg, testimony showed.

It was claimed by Mrs. Vandenberg that her husband attempted to run over her with his automobile and chased her over a vacant lot near where they were living and she had to flee and dodge about to get away from the oncoming "Lizzie". There were but a few witnesses and the jury remained out, but a little while when they returned the verdict finding the husband and the automobile "not guilty."

## EDUCATED SWATERS

High School Herald—The second hour history class of Miss Evelyn Steketee's witnessed Friday a rather exciting battle against man's old enemy, the fly. Armed with a fly swatter, August Kaaten entered the room in a determined manner. Throughout the period he succeeded to lay waste to every fly and the structure was frightful. Scores of flies littered the floor in the immediate vicinity of his desks. Another group consisting of Case Van Liere, Clifford Plakke and Raymond Ter Beek, using the more primitive methods, gave their score as forty-seven.

## GOODRICH SHIP SINKS SCOW IN GRAND HAVEN HARBOR

The Goodrich liner Grand Rapids, knocked a bucket from her propeller when, while backing out of port, she rammed and sank a gravel scow. The steamer was taken to South Chicago for repairs and will then be laid up for the winter. She continued on to Chicago after the accident.

The accident occurred while the big passenger craft was turning around. The wind was blowing hard from the west, catching the boat and throwing her against the scow, moored at the Barn dock. A hole was knocked in the scow and it sank, carrying a load of gravel with it.

The trip of the Grand Rapids was the last of the season. The steamer Alabama will continue passenger service between Chicago and Grand Haven.

## RIEMERSMA AND PA

High Herald—One-half hour late for the opening teachers' meeting which he himself had called, is the record of Holland's high school principal. And why? Two boys, Clinton and Paul Harrison, arrived to make their home at 328 River Avenue. Some troubles of his now are little ones.

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Veal, No. 2	9@10c
Spring Lamb	14@15c
Mutton	9@10c
Chickens, hv. 5 lbs. and over	12c
Chickens, Leghorns	12@13c
Broilers, 2 lbs. average	16@18c
Peas, per pound	5c
Grain Markets	
Wheat, old	35c
Wheat, new	37c
Oats	25c
Rye	25c
Corn, bushel	50c
Hide Markets	
Horse Hides	\$1.50
Beef Hides	2c
Sheep Pelts	10 to 25c
Calf Skins, (Country)	5c

LOCAL NEWS

Rep. Fred McEachron, president of the Hudsonville bank, was in the city yesterday to testify on a case in circuit court. He also listened to the sentence of the confessed robbers of his bank, which was meted out by Judge Fred T. Miles.—Grand Haven Tribune.

C. J. Den Herder, Zeeland banker and his children, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Den Herder, returned home from a pleasure trip to Washington, D.C., and other interesting points in the east.

Mrs. Peter Stegeman, of South Blendon is spending this week in Holland visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. Stegeman.

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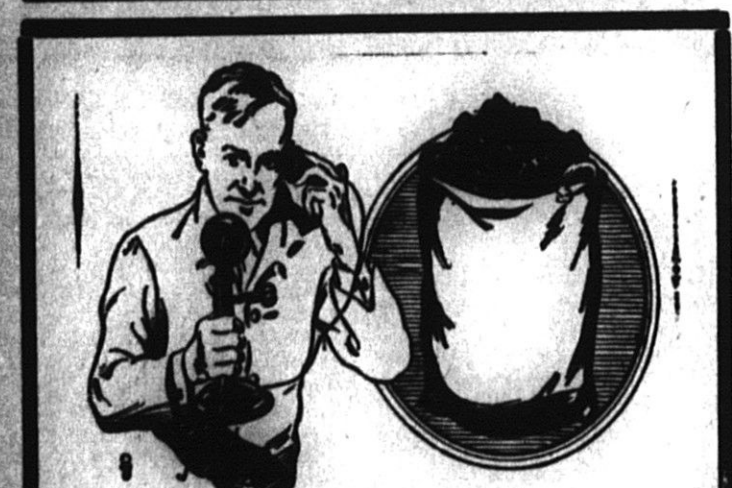


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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Langeland, of the Langeland Funeral Home, of Zeeland and Holland, will attend the National Funeral Directors Association Convention to be held in Detroit, next week, the four days, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Delbert Vaupell and Charles VanLente, of Holland, were among the guests at a party given by the official and clerical staff of the First State Bank of Allegan. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Heman E. Vaupell and daughter Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Clair McOmber, Mrs. Kate Lelise, Mrs. W. H. Stichel, Mrs. Lillian Straub and son Eugene, Misses Nellie Eggleston, Laura Allen, and Lucille Weber and Messrs. A. buffet supper and interesting details of travel were pleasant features.

Allegan county has a machine for spreading tarmac pavement while neighboring counties have none. So it happened that Allegan men laid forty miles of pavement this season.

Cards have been received announcing the birth of Lorie Ann to the loving care of Mr. and Mrs. J. Roelof Pieters of Kalamazoo, September 11. Mr. Pieters is the son of the late John A. Pieters and Mrs. Maggie Pieters, former residents of Fennville and Holland.

Bishop John N. McCormick of Grand Rapids will officiate at Grace Episcopal church, Holland, on Sunday, October 4, at 7:30 p. m. fast time.

There is still one hope for wheat. Nobody has yet tried stringing it for beads.

As a means of helping the poor, teachers in junior high school are canning peaches and preserves. More than a score of teachers are co-operating and have sent out a call for more fruit cans. These are being supplied by 600 students. The fruit is pared by the teachers after school hours and is then canned by students in the economics department. So far seven bushels of fruit have been canned.

Peter Steen, an aged gentleman from Drenthe, a few days ago made a trip on foot to Zeeland, a distance of nine miles. He started at four o'clock in the morning to avoid the auto traffic.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Westrate are spending a week in Coopersville at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Duine.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter O. Kramer have returned to their home in Detroit after visiting friends and relatives in Holland for about ten days.

large audiences have filled the Armory this week at the Immanuel church Bible Conference. Dr. H. A. Ironside of Chicago and Rev. William McCarrell of Cicero, Ill., were the speakers.

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While riding to school Friday morning, Leo Kowalko was injured when he fell from a car driven by Kenneth Stephan. The accident occurred when Stephan turned a corner and Kowalko was riding on the "turtle," lost his grip and fell to the curb. He suffered facial and internal injuries. His condition is not serious.

Rev. Harry Boot of Holland, missionary to China for the Reformed church, spoke before the Sunday school of Immanuel Reformed church, Grand Rapids, Sunday. Mr. Boot spent 23 years among the Chinese and besides being an authority on the Chinese language is one of the most influential members of the foreign mission colony centered about Chiang-Chiu.

Rainfall for this month in Ottawa county is now in excess of normal. With 75 inch that fell during the rain of the past 12 hours last Friday, rainfall for the month totaled 3.25 inches or .15 inch above the normal amount. The wind continued easterly and at times reached a velocity of 23 miles an hour.

Rev. Seth VanderWerf of Holland, field secretary of the board of domestic missions of the Reformed church, gave a motion picture lecture Wednesday night at Immanuel Reformed church, Grand Rapids. He discussed the work of the Reformed denomination in various parts of the United States.

The city council of Grand Haven has agreed to do away with the unsightly bathhouses along the south channel near the south approach to the new bridge. The bridge will be dedicated about November 1 and an effort will be made to have all the property around the bridge cleaned up by that time.

Peter Breen, 204 West Eleventh street, has been granted a building permit to remodel a basement.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schortinghuis of Ebenezer, at Holland Hospital, on September 29, a daughter, Esther Pauline.

The Monica Society will hold a baked goods sale Saturday afternoon and evening in the DeVries & Dornbos store on East Eighth St.

William C. Eby, pharmacist at Butterworth Hospital, Grand Rapids, left Tuesday morning for Toronto, Canada, where he will attend the American hospital convention.

The Holland American Legion band will play in Grand Rapids, Wednesday evening, October 7, during a night football game at Ramona Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brieve are on a two weeks' motor tour through northern Michigan. They will return by way of Wisconsin and Minnesota.

The three suspects in passing of counterfeit money in Ludington, Anthony Pirrotta, Joe Maglio and Ignazio Fricano of Grand Haven were released today by the state police as they failed to be identified when taken to Ludington yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Champion of Rock Island, Ill., celebrated their fifty-first wedding anniversary Friday with a special dinner at the home of their son, Roy B. Champion, in Holland, with whom they have been spending the summer. Champion was born in New York and Mrs. Champion in Iowa. They were married in Onslow, Ia., in 1880. Mr. Champion has been engaged largely in railroad and realty.

The James Hendrickson and Miss Claire Bruce company of Shakespeare Players will present "The Taming of the Shrew" in Carnegie hall here Wednesday, Oct. 7. A matinee is scheduled for 3:30 and an evening performance at 8. This company is brought to Holland by J. B. Nykerk of Hope College.—Grand Rapids Herald.

News has been received here of the recent marriage in New York of Dr. Paul W. Harrison, medical missionary in Arabia since 1909, and Mrs. Henry C. Bilkert, member of the Arabian mission since 1917. Tragedies within the last three years marked the termination of the lives of the principals' mates of former marriages. Mrs. Harrison was lost from the steamer while making the trip to America with her family, and Mr. Bilkert was shot by Wahabi tribesmen near Kuwait. Dr. and Mrs. Harrison plan to return to Arabia in the fall of 1932.

Samuel Falls, for 45 years a Spring Lake merchant and one-time postmaster, will retire from active business when he disposes of his present stock, he announced. Besides the postmasterhip, which he held 14 years, he was township treasurer two terms. He is an extensive real estate holder and will devote his time to personal business.

**IMMANUEL CHURCH**—Services in the Armory, Corner Central Avenue and Ninth Street.—Rev. J. Lansing Pastor.  
10:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.  
Evangelist Peter Vander Wall will speak on the subject "The Married Vow."  
11:30 P. M.—Sunday School.  
3:00 P. M.—Allegan Jail Service.  
7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship.  
Pastor J. Lansing will speak: subject, "Poisoned Water."  
Tuesday Evening, 7:30 o'clock—Zeeland Open Air Service.  
Thursday Evening—Prayer, Praise and Testimony.  
Saturday Evening—Open air services.

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Four boys from Chicago who ran away from home were held in the Holland jail over Wednesday night. They drove through the city in a car minus license plates and were taken to the city jail to spend the evening. The boys were at first angry but the next morning they seemed to forget their troubles when they arose and sang. They were held here until their parents came for them from Chicago. The boys are Edward Marshall, Louis Marshall, Edward Wottamyer and William Barnett, aged 14.

Heinie Venhuizen was the first motorist to have his driving permit signed by the new Chief of Police, Peter A. Lieveens, who took office today, Thursday. Dick Boter had intended to be the first one upon his arrival at the city hall he, saw that Mr. Venhuizen was ahead of him.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Venhuizen and Mr. and Mrs. A. Buter were in South Bend Wednesday on business.

The Ladies' Athletic Club will resume its meetings Tuesday evening, October 6, in the Junior High school gym. at 7:45 o'clock. Visitors are invited to this meeting.

An important meeting of the H. O. H. club will be held tonight, Friday, at 7:30 o'clock in the Woman's Literary Club rooms. Election of officers will be held and important business will be transacted.

Today, Friday, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, Prof. A. B. Lampen's Bible Class of Third Reformed Church will hold a silver tea in the Orange Grove at the home of Mrs. Albert Van Lente, 239 West Seventeenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Vande Water have returned from a ten days' trip to Plainfield and other points.

The last game of the Berlin Fair series between the Allendale and Comstock Park baseball teams which was called off on account of the weather will be played Saturday at Marne.

DR. VANDEN BERG DROPS DEAD

Dr. Martin Vanden Berg, a prominent dentist of Grand Rapids, and well known in Holland, for 41 years dropped dead as he was entering his car in front of his home, corner of Columbus and Sixth Streets. The deceased had been in ill health for some time. His wife was assisting him into the car when he was seized with an attack and death resulted immediately.

HUNTING DATES

The first of the fall hunting seasons opens Thursday. Some of the seasons opening Thursday are for the upper peninsula only and some for the entire state.

According to a bulletin published by the Department of Conservation to the seasons opening October 1 are:

Rabbits: Upper Peninsula only.  
Fox Squirrel: Upper Peninsula only.  
Ducks, Geese, Brant, Gallinules, Rails, Jack Snipe, Coots: entire state (season opens at 12 o'clock noon.)

Woodcock: Upper Peninsula, only.

The rabbit, fox squirrel and woodcock seasons for the lower peninsula will not open until on Thursday, October 15 when hunting for pheasants, ruffed grouse and prairie chicken will be permitted.

EXCHANGE CLUB HAD SORT OF A MEMBERS MEETING WEDNESDAY

The Exchange Club held their regular luncheon at Warm Friend Tavern yesterday and the delegates who attended the national convention at Memphis, Tenn., told of their experiences and the wonderful hospitality in this southern city.

Dr. Westrate said that they were all Anti-Communists there and the motto of the convention was "Shall We Keep America?"

Mr. Jake Fris states that there were at least fifty air men who came to the convention with their planes, all were Exchangeites, and he stated that the interest Exchange Clubs take in aviation has done much to foster it.

Dr. Davidson, pastor of Hope church, told the members why he believed in the Exchange Club and gave five reasons why. His belief in the group was based on the good fellowship of the club, its high ideals, and helpfulness and honor, its common sense and its high spirit of service.

"KEEP THE COMMANDMENTS"

Upon these words of the Savior a sermon will be preached in Lincoln Ave. church by Rev. J. Vanderbeek, pastor. That the law is expressly for the Christian, that he has a two-fold obligation to keep it, that God requires such of him, that such is the teaching of the whole Word of God from Genesis to Revelations will be pointed out next Sunday evening. Come and hear what the Scriptures teach on this subject. The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Scripture Cannot Be Broken."

SOUTH OTTAWA REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Henry Van Voorst et al to Holland Furnace Co., lot numbered 1 Bk. 2, in Prospect Park Addition to the City of Holland.

Bolhuis Lbr. & Mfg. Co. to Harvey Rial, Lot 81, Bk. F, in R. H. Post's Park Hill Addition to the City of Holland.

William Robinson and wf. to J. Arendshort Inc., lot number 12, Bk. 47, City of Holland.

Jacob Arendse and wf. to Bolhuis Lbr. & Mfg. Co., an undivided one-half interest in lot numbered 19 Moeke's Second Addition to the City of Zeeland.

Gerrit Sprietama and wf. to Bolhuis Lumber & Mfg. Co., lot 8, Bk. 30, excepting E. 56 ft., city of Holland.

Gerrit Lemmen and wf. to John V. Hulst, Jr., and wf., lot 180 of Steketee Bros. Addition to the City of Holland.

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COMMUNICATION

The following letter to Mr. Dillman was sent in to the Holland City News as a contribution throwing more light on the re-location of U.S.-31. The News always opens its columns to constructive "Public Pulse" articles, no matter on which side the writer may be. Whether the News agrees with a forum writer does not enter in. Here is a contribution from Carter Brown of Castle Park.

September 24, 1931  
Hon. Grover C. Dillman,  
State Highway Commissioner,  
Lansing, Michigan.

Dear Sir:

I had the pleasure of attending a council meeting at which the relocation of U.S.-31 was the main business of the meeting and also had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Austin Harrington discuss the relocation at the Rotary.

The thing, as I see it, merely resolves itself into an economic problem as to what is the best for the city of Holland and the surrounding community.

I am in the resort business in Lakeview township. Our resort covers approximately fifty acres. The amount of money brought into and left in the community yearly is approximately \$50,000.00. By moving U.S.-31 and pushing it further away from the resort section, my feeling is that you will greatly decrease the popularity of this lake frontage from the beachfront piers to the Macatawa River about nine miles, and I know of several tracts along this frontage which would be very readily salable if they were more closely connected with U.S.-31. I am wondering if there is any fifty acre farm along the proposed location which would yield \$10,000.00 to the community and Holland.

The State, as I understand it, is appropriating money to encourage tourists to come into the entire state. I also understand that the tourist business as estimated by the State Department is worth more than the four leading agricultural crops, namely, dairy, fruit farming, general farming and poultry raising. If this be the case it would seem more advisable to leave the road in its present location or if it is to be relocated, move it closer to the lake, thus more quickly bringing this lake frontage into its own.

We have no property to sell, nothing to gain and would much prefer the privacy than to have the road closer to us. My experience driving to and from the south, where I have a winter resort, is that the straighter the road the more rapidly the tourist travels and the greater distance he covers in a day. If you want tourists to stop along the way, the less straight the road, the better opportunity the farmer will have of disposing of their produce, and the slower the traffic.

Our experience further has been that in the case of a choice, the roads we always choose is the most direct route in order to cut down our time, rather than the scenic route, although it may be only a short distance greater.

From our personal standpoint, I don't believe we would suffer from the relocation of the road as we are not dependent upon the tourist trade, but believe there are many, many people in the community who will lose greatly if it is relocated.

I understand that about eighty per cent of the right of way has been secured by an energetic woman in Saginaw on the present U.S.-31 location.

From the standpoint of scenery, which is the thing that sells people always on a resort community, the old location is far superior to the new proposed location and is now a very interesting drive from Saginaw to Holland.

Thanking you very much for this opportunity of expressing my opinions, I am

Very cordially yours,  
CARTER P. BROWN,  
Manager, Castle Park.

CPB/W

The Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist Church will have a pancake supper Tuesday evening from 5:30 to 7:00 o'clock in the church parlors. Miss Virginia Fawcett will give a demonstration. Special music will also be furnished during the supper hour. Tickets for this supper may be obtained from any member of the society and group leaders.



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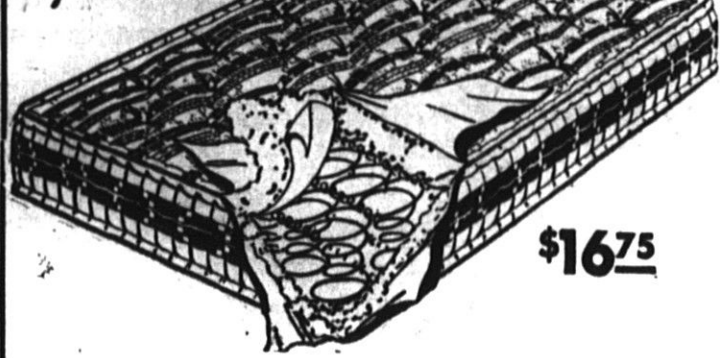
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Choice quality - rich and juicy

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Lean short ribs

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Sugar cured  
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Bulk  
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Prison BarsTEN TO TWENTY YEARS FOR  
KRAAI AND PETERS—TEN  
TO FIFTEEN YEARS FOR  
GILLETTELeonard Knoll Case Is to Be Ap-  
pealed, Attorney Carl  
Hoffman States  
TodayThe three convicted robbers of  
the Hudsonville bank are now be-  
hind prison bars at Jackson.Henry Kraai and Omar Peters,  
who made full confessions shortly  
after being caught by the Holland  
police, were sentenced by Judge F.  
T. Miles to a minimum of 10 and a  
maximum of 20 years in Jackson  
prison. No recommendation was  
made by the Holland judge.Willis Gillette, Holland, owner of  
the lunch stand at the limits on W.  
Seventeenth street, convicted last  
week in circuit court to robbery  
armed in connection with the rob-  
bery of the Hudsonville bank on  
July 28, was sentenced to 10 to 15  
years in Jackson prison with rec-  
ommendation of 12 years. The sen-  
tence was pronounced by Judge  
Vanderwerp of Muskegon, who  
heard the case.Willis Gillette stood before the  
court and mutely heard the words  
which will send him to state pris-  
on for many years, with no sign of  
emotion. The court room was al-  
most filled with spectators.Judge Vanderwerp said he heart-  
ily concurred with the jury in find-  
ing Gillette guilty and told theTHE BIG FOOTBALL  
DAY OF THE SEASON  
WITH GRAND HAVENHolland High has one football  
defeat and one victory thus far this  
season, winning from Sparta and  
losing to Kalamazoo. The big game  
of the season will be between the  
old "friendly enemy," Grand Haven,  
at Grand Haven.Here is the balance of the sea-  
son's schedule:  
Oct. 3—Muskegon.....There  
Oct. 10—G. R. Creston.....Here  
Oct. 17—Benton Harbor.....Here  
Oct. 24—Open  
Oct. 31—Grand Haven.....There  
Nov. 7—G. R. Davis Tech.....There  
Nov. 14—G. R. South.....There  
Nov. 21—Muskegon Heights.....Hereprisoner that his connection with  
robbing of the Hudsonville bank  
was a dastardly and cowardly act  
which he believed was worse than  
that of Omar Peters and Henry  
Kraai, confessed robbers, in that  
he had furnished the brains of the  
act, had supplied the loaded guns to  
men, younger than he and then  
took no active part in the prosecu-  
tion of the serious crime.The judge pointed out the fact  
that had the cashier, H. P. Stege-  
man or the teller, Miss Corey,  
through nervousness and fright  
made one false move the plan  
might have resulted in death and  
murder.Judge Vanderwerp warned the  
man to go into prison with the pur-  
pose of becoming a law abiding citi-  
zen upon his entrance into society  
again. Gillette is a young man and  
will still have many years of life, it  
is expected in which he will be able  
to expiate his participation in the  
dastardly crime, the judge conclud-  
ed.Gillette, Kraai and Peters were  
taken to Jackson prison by Sheriff  
Steketee, Under Sheriff Marvin  
Den Herder and other deputies.In sentencing Kraai and Peters  
Judge Miles pointed out that both  
previously had committed crimes  
and had been placed on probation.  
He called attention to the upstand-  
ing, industrious parents of both and  
their requests to "send my boy to  
Jackson rather than Marquette,  
that I may see him once in a while."After a deliberation of five hours  
and fifteen minutes the jury in the  
case of the people against Leonard  
D. Knoll, Holland meat and grocery  
merchant, arrived at a verdict of  
"guilty" of the second count of the  
charge, "receiving stolen goods,  
knowing these were stolen." The  
first count charged robbery armed,  
which would have involved Knoll di-  
rectly with the Hudsonville bank  
robbery. However the jury did not  
find him guilty on that charge.Knoll, whose behavior in the  
court room has been cool and ap-  
parently unmoved by what might  
be the outcome of the trial, paled  
when the words were spoken by the  
foreman, Edward Keas. He was sit-  
ting with his attorney at the time,  
when the jury filed in. The strain  
of the grilling days in the court  
room had begun to tell on him  
somewhat for during the five hours  
he paced nervously about the ante-  
room not far from where the 12  
men were deliberating his fate.The man who has lived in Hol-  
land for nearly 30 years, who has  
never been arrested before, up to  
this time, showed no emotion in the  
court room throughout the ordeal.  
His family, relatives and friends  
who, together with the unusual in-  
terest in the case, have swelled the  
crowd so as to tax the court room  
to the limits. Spectators mounted  
even up to the judge's bench that  
they might hear the testimony and  
watch the interesting legal battle  
between the opposing attorneys.The case hinged upon his word  
as against the word of Henry  
Kraai, confessed bandit, one of the  
principals in the robbery of the  
Hudsonville bank with Omar Pet-  
ers. Attorney Carl Hoffman de-  
manded a poll of the jury and as  
the clerk called the roll to ask if  
each juror had concurred in the  
verdict, the jurymen rose and  
answered "yes."The verdict concludes the rob-  
bery episode at Hudsonville, which  
startled western Michigan, when  
\$4,100 was stolen on the afternoon  
of July 28, by two young men. They  
were soon caught by Holland police  
and they confessed to the Holland  
police and to Mayor Brooks.Judge Miles, in his charge to the  
jury, said the only direct testimony  
against Leonard Knoll was in the  
statements of Henry Kraai, saying  
that he entered Knoll's store three  
times on the day of the robbery,  
once to ask where the car should  
be put; another to consult over the  
amount to be paid, and the last  
time to deliver \$500 to him for its  
use.The judge instructed the jury to  
disregard the testimony relating to  
the quarter of beef and other groc-  
eries that were removed from the  
store after Knoll's arrest, and said  
there could be no criticism of any  
attorney for accepting the same as  
payment for legal services, which  
Knoll had engaged following his  
arrest.The fact that Willis Gillette, con-  
victed as an accomplice in the rob-  
bery by making plans for the raid  
was not called by the people, Judge  
Miles told the jury, was not to be  
weighed as there was no direct evi-  
dence of Knoll's communication  
with Gillette before the robbery,  
despite the testimony in the  
previous case that Gillette went  
into Knoll's market on the day of  
the robbery, came out and pointed  
to the car, parked near the market,  
to Peters and Kraai.Judge Miles commended the atti-  
tude of the officers at the time of  
the arrest of Leonard Knoll saying  
they were entirely within their  
rights as officers of the law to get  
what knowledge they could in the  
prosecution of law and order.The arguments in the Knoll case  
began late Thursday as the case  
abruptly came to a conclusion when  
Carl Hoffman, defense attorney,  
announced that four witnesses he  
had expected to bring in were not  
available. Judge Miles would  
grant no additional time and ordered  
the attorneys to proceed with the  
arguments. He did, however,BROWN NOW CONFESSES  
TO SINKING POEL SCOWFurther confession from Nat  
Brown, held in the county jail for  
the bombing of the DeWitt cot-  
tage, states that he was respon-  
sible for the loss five years ago,  
of a large scow belonging to Wil-  
liam and Jacob Poel, which was  
moored on their property on Grand  
River.He stated in his confession to the  
state fire marshal that he had been  
denied the right to trap on the Poel  
property and that traps which he  
had set there had been taken up.  
Retaliation for this, he says, actuated  
him to drill holes in the scow and  
it was sunk.grant Mr. Hoffman the privilege of  
bringing the witnesses in Friday  
morning. One appeared, H. Donald  
Broersma, 54 Pleasant street,  
Grand Rapids, who testified that  
the license number on the car that  
he saw leave the Hudsonville bank  
at the time of the robbery bore the  
following numerals as part of the  
license number, 1077.He was not to be confounded in  
any detail of his testimony by Mr.  
Lokker's cross examination.The first argument on Thursday  
was presented by Prosecutor John  
R. Dethmers, who spoke for half  
an hour. Rather than adjourn out  
the judge suggested, Atty. Hoff-  
man argued for ten minutes, and  
then, after the jury had been ex-  
cused, argued for a motion to de-  
clare a mistrial, which was denied  
by Judge Miles.The motion was based on the  
questions asked by the prosecution  
in the cross examination of the re-  
spondent demanding to know "if he  
didn't have the money hidden in a  
quarter of the beef removed from  
the store and put in a cooler," and  
on other circumstances which the  
defense said was prejudicial. This  
was denied by the defendant, and it  
then became necessary for the prosecutor to put  
on witnesses to prove the point.  
This he said was prejudicial and  
left an impression that he said can-  
not be erased from the minds of the  
jury.Also on the grounds that testi-  
mony was given as to statements  
made by Gillette, contending such  
testimony was prejudicial despite  
instructions to the jury to disregard  
"hearsay" evidence, the court  
stenographer's testimony as to  
what the attorney had said in a  
previous trial; the endorsement of  
an additional witness' name on the  
information; reopening the case  
after the people had rested, were  
other items pointed out to the  
judge by Mr. Hoffman.The "reopening" referred to was  
the testimony of Andrew Knoll, who  
stated he was no relative of the re-  
spondent, was brought in by the  
people who testified that he went  
to the Knoll market after supper  
the night of July 28 to cash a check  
and that he met Kraai coming out.  
Henry Alderink, who lives near  
the Knoll store, was called as a re-  
buttal witness, and denied the  
statement of Percy Knoll, son of  
the defendant, that he had left the  
store at the time his father did the  
night of July 28. Young Knoll was  
on the stand in behalf of his father,  
telling the jury he and his grand-  
father were in the store from 3 to  
nearly 6:30 p. m., when he took his  
grandfather home in his car and  
his father left at the same time, go-  
ing in his Whippet car which was  
parked nearby.John Dethmer's opening argu-  
ment outlined the case for the peo-  
ple. He called attention to the fact  
that the old man, Leonard D.  
Knoll's father, 76 years old, was  
not put on as a witness and cited  
Knoll's failure to remember par-  
ticular details of any other day  
other than that of July 28.Carl Hoffman opened up his ar-  
gument by declaring the whole case  
was based upon the testimony of a  
criminal, Henry Kraai, a "three-  
timer," he said, whose credibility  
could not be counted upon. He sug-  
gested that Kraai, and his friend,  
Peters, were not apt to pay \$500  
for a car, when they could have  
easily stolen one for nothing."He is doing this to protect his  
own hide," he declared, "and prob-  
ably either gave the money to some-  
one, has hidden or lost it and is  
afraid to tell where it went to."He compared the slow testimony  
of his client, and even that of the  
prosecutor, who was questioned  
concerning a postcard, with that of  
the machine like answers and the  
glib testimony of Kraai. "He was  
too sure," he pointed out. "His  
story was too well learned but  
that he and Peters did not agree,"  
and then he read portions of testi-  
mony substantiating his state-  
ments."Kraai is the only man who says  
he gave the money to Knoll, Kraai  
is the only one who says he furn-  
ished the car.""There is only one question in  
this entire case," he continued,  
"and that is the credibility of Kraai.  
Another vital point, he said, "was  
the fact that the gas gave out in  
the Whippet, which prevented the  
robbers from continuing their  
plans. Would that have happened,"  
he questioned "if the car had been  
rented and was in readiness for  
such a journey?""Mr. Lokker was thankful, he  
said, his witnesses, Kraai and Pet-  
ers, did not agree perfectly in the  
minor details of the testimony, for  
if they had it would have looked  
like a planned story." They told  
what happened and as confessed  
violators of the law, they have  
nothing to conceal or hold back and  
no reason to lie about the actual  
facts."After the verdict of guilty was  
rendered, Attorney Hoffman de-  
fending Knoll held a brief session  
with his client and then stated that  
an appeal would be taken and Mr.  
Hoffman is now preparing a writ of  
errors in the case on which he will  
base his appeal to the state su-  
preme court.It was agreed by Judge Miles,  
Prosecuting Attorney Dethmers  
and Attorney Hoffman that Knoll  
should be released on his \$5,000  
cash bond pending sentence or an  
appeal.Many from Holland Take Part in  
Sunday School ConventionNext week Wednesday, Oct. 7, at Coopersville the 44th An-  
nual Convention of the Ottawa County Sunday School Asso-  
ciation will be called to order by Chairman George Schulling of Hol-  
land, who has been the head of the Association for a number of  
years. The program has been fully arranged and many from Hol-  
land and lower Ottawa will be prominent figure at this meet. It is  
expected that the convention next year will be held at Holland.  
Coopersville folks are making elaborate preparations for the Con-  
vention that will be attended by at least 500 delegates from all parts  
of the county.

The official program will be found below:

## Convention Program

October 7, 1931

COOPERSVILLE, MICH.

## MORNING SESSION

Rev. A. Persenaire, Presiding

- 9.00 A. M. Registration of Delegates.  
9.15 to 9.45 Inspirational Song Service. Mr. J. Vanderauluis  
9.45 to 10.15 Devotional Bible Study. Friends of Jesus  
Rev. J. C. Willis, D. D.  
10.15 to 10.30 Welcome Message, Mr. Peter Struik  
President of Coopersville District  
Response by Mr. J. C. Lehman  
10.30 to 11.00 Address: The Teachers' Message and Life  
Rev. Chas. A. Bowler, D. D., Pastor Presbyterian  
Church, Grand Haven  
11.00 to 11.05 Greetings from Kent County Sunday School  
Association  
Mr. Harold S. Chambers, Field Secretary  
11.05 to 11.35 Address: The Teachers' Equipment  
Rev. Henry Schultz, A. B. D., Professor  
of Exegetical Theology at Calvin Seminary,  
Grand Rapids, Mich.  
11.35 to 12.00 Music—Duet { Mrs. J. H. Bruggers  
Mrs. John Gunneman

Offering  
Appointment of Committees  
Dinner to all Registered Delegates  
Meals to be served at both the Methodist and  
Reformed Churches.

## AFTERNOON SESSION

Mr. J. C. Lehman, Presiding

- 1.00 P. M. Meeting of Committees to Prepare Reports  
1.15 to 1.30 Inspirational Song Service. Mr. Vanderauluis  
1.30 to 2.00 Devotional Bible Study. Disciples of Jesus.  
Rev. Willis  
2.00 to 2.30 Address: The Teachers' Vision  
Rev. John R. Mulder, D. D., Professor of  
Practical Theology at the Western Theological  
Seminary, Holland, Mich.  
2.30 to 3.00 Music—School Glee Club  
Offering  
Business Session  
President's Report  
Secretary's Report  
Treasurer's Report  
Departmental Report  
Committee Report  
Election of Officers  
3.00 to 4.45 Simultaneous Conference

## CHILDREN'S DIVISION

Mrs. Edith Walvoord, Presiding  
Mrs. Wm. Hietje, Devotionals  
Dr. Mulder, Leader in the Discussion

## Theme

## "WORSHIP"

"Worship is a personal approach to God."

## Objectives—

1. To help each child to develop a Christian concept of  
God in the world about him and in his own life.
- (B) 1. Devotions in the Sunday School  
2. Constructive Supervision  
(a) Filling Vacancies  
(b) Recognition of good Teaching  
(c) Teachers' Conferences  
(d) Teachers' Training Class
3. The Efficient Superintendent

## MISSIONARY EDUCATION IN THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Miss Dena Muller, Presiding and Devotionals

Miss H. Warnhuus, Leader in the Discussions

1. Missionary Organization
2. Missionary Programs
3. Missionary Methods

5.45 Evening Meal to all Registered Delegates.

## EVENING SESSION

Mr. George Schulling, Presiding

- 7.00 to 7.15 Instrumental Music—Oakdale Instrumental Four  
7.15 to 8.00 Praise Service, Convention Chorus,  
Mr. Vanderauluis  
8.00 to 8.30 Devotional Bible Study, Ambassadors for Jesus.  
Rev. Willis

8.30 to 8.45 Music

## Offering

- 8.45 to 9.30 Address: From Here, What?  
Rev. Hazen G. Werner, D. D., Pastor of  
the Cass Community Church, Detroit, Mich.

## Pillow and Text Benediction

Rev. C. E. Davis

1. Adjournment of Convention.
2. To help each child to develop a conscious relationship  
between himself and God.
3. To give each child an impetus to the great purpose of  
living at his best.  
Adaptation to Age Group—  
1. Occasional Worship together  
2. Usually by Age Group  
3. Carefully select Leadership and Material  
Elements in Children's Worship Service—  
1. Call to Worship 5. Music  
2. Prayer 6. Pictures  
3. Bible Passages 7. Offering  
4. Story

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S DIVISION

Mr. Andrew Steketee, Presiding  
Mr. Francis Wolbring, Devotionals  
Mr. Harold S. Chambers, Leader in the Discussion

1. Youth and the Kingdom of God  
(a) Worship (d) Christian Service  
(b) Biblical Knowledge (e) Life's Problems  
(c) Christian Character
2. Teaching for Results

## ADULT AND ADMINISTRATION DIVISION

Mr. D. Damstra, Presiding  
Rev. H. Dykhuis, Devotionals  
Prof. E. Winter, Leader in the Discussions



Local News

John DeFree, 225 West 28th St., has been granted a building permit for the erection of a garage.

Miss Rena Boven, superintendent of Holland hospital, is attending the international convention of the Hospital Superintendents' association which is being held in Toronto, Canada.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scholten, 111 West Fifteenth St., at the Holland Hospital, on September 23, a daughter, Ruth Elaine; to Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Sova, 200 East Eighth street, at the Holland

hospital on September 13, a son, Russell H.

Maurice Marcus left Monday evening for Louisville, Ky., where he will enter the Presbyterian ministry.

Mrs. James Wayer and Mrs. Gerit Van Foussem have returned from a speaking tour among the churches of Northern Illinois and Central Iowa in the interests of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions of the Reformed churches.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Dickinson of Fennville, at the Holland hospital, on September 25, a son, Charles Leonard Dickinson.

E. J. Yoemans, 208 West Tenth street, has been granted a building permit for the erection of a new roof on his home.

Mrs. Georgia Yore and Kenneth Parrish of Chicago, former Holland residents, were visiting here last Sunday and Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dykstra, 94 East Sixteenth street, at the Holland hospital, on September 24, a son, Melvin Jay.

Arthur Nienhuis has returned to Michigan State College at East Lansing and has enrolled as a senior.

Mrs. Helen Doane of Chicago was the guest of friends in Holland for a few days this week.

Louis Van Schelven drove to South Bend, Indiana, Saturday and spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. C. A. Pearant.

Mrs. Martha Robbins, 93 West Fourteenth street, has been granted a building permit to remodel a garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kimber have moved from West Twenty-first St., to a residence at 290 Van Raalte avenue.

Russell Kamper left last Friday for Ann Arbor where he enrolled as a senior in the dental school of the University of Michigan.

Mrs. G. J. Sutphen has returned to her home in Glenice, Me., after spending the summer in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rusticus entertained a group of friends and relatives at their home on West Fourteenth street last week Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in playing games and a delicious lunch was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. Veenhoven and son, Henry, Mr. and Mrs. George Heidema, Mr. and Mrs. H. Knoll, Mr. and Mrs. P. John Peddemore, H. Weychede and Mrs. Elton Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. Veen, and son, Justus, Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Rusticus.

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Odd—but TRUE



Those present were Mrs. Nell Van der Meulen, teacher, Miss Hermine Ihman, Mrs. G. Bredewey, Mrs. Roy Soderberg, Mrs. Henry DuMez, Mrs. Gary Vander Borgh, Miss Jeanette Veltman, Mrs. William Alderink, Mrs. Arthur Bowmaster, Miss Helene Van Kersen, Miss Cornelia Glerum, Miss Esther Rose, Mrs. H. Boot, Miss Clara Reeverts, and Miss Bertha DuMez.

Miss Jean Kule entertained with a birthday party last week Wednesday evening at her home at 130 E. Eighth street, in honor of Bill Van Vuren. The evening was spent in playing buncos after which a delicious lunch was served. Those present were: Miss Susan Gerritsen, Miss Doreen Dore, Miss Jean Kule, Bert Woldring, John Mokema, Bill Van Vuren and Mr. and Mrs. H. Dyke.

The Tawasi Campfire group held its first meeting of the year last week Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Alma Vanderbeek on Lincoln avenue. The following officers were elected: Miss Alma Vanderbeek, president; Miss Dorthea De Boer, vice-president; Miss Margaret Veries, secretary and Miss Inez Von Ins, treasurer. A social hour was enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Vredevelde celebrated their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary last week at their home at 152 West Seventeenth St.

A lively meeting of the Senior Christian Endeavor Society of the Sixth Reformed Church was held Sunday evening. The topic for discussion was "What Our Society Plans to do this Year." Bernard Vanderbeek, chairman of the missionary committee, had charge of the devotion and told of plans of the missionary committee which he would like to see carried out. Miss Rolene Van Voorst, chairman of the Prayer meeting committee, and Miss Alice Ryenga, chairman of the Lookout Committee, also gave short talks on plans which their committee had made for the coming year. Herbert Wyngaert, president of the society made a few remarks and pictured the future of the society. Several members took part during the discussion period. Special music was given by the C. E. male quartet. About fifty members and visitors were present.

Miss Margaret Elizabeth Vaun, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harry C. De Baun of Hackensack, N. J., and Howard Russell Sluyter of Grand Rapids, son of Rev. Henry Sluyter of Paterson, N. J., were united in marriage last week Wednesday evening at Hackensack. Mr. Sluyter graduated from Hope College in 1928 and Mrs. Sluyter is a graduate of the New York School of Fine and Applied Arts.

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12987—Exp. Oct. 17  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.  
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 3rd day of Sept. A. D. 1931.  
Present, Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.  
In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN B. MULDER, deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court:  
It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the  
5th day of January, A. D. 1932  
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.  
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
JAMES J. DANHOF,  
Judge of Probate.

A true copy,  
Cora Vande Water,  
Register of Probate.

10777—Exp. Oct. 17  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.  
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 24th day of Sept., A. D. 1931.  
Present: Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of FLORENCE and MINNIE ROCKFELL, Minors  
Gerrit W. Kooyers having filed in said court his 1st 2d, 3d, 4th and final accounts as guardian of said estate, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof, and for the appointment of Henry Spyker, as Guardian of said estate;  
It is Ordered, that the  
27th day of October A. D. 1931  
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account;  
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
JAMES J. DANHOF,  
Judge of Probate.

A true copy—  
HARRIET SWART,  
Dep. Register of Probate.

Theodore Schaap, president of the Holland Christian Endeavor Union, led the Christian Endeavor meeting at Fourth Reformed church on Sunday evening. The topic for discussion was "What Our Union and Society Should Accomplish in the Coming Year." An announcement was made of a program which is to be given by the Ambassador Trio of Grand Rapids on October 9.

A meeting of the board of the Holland Musicians' club was held Saturday afternoon at the home of the president, Miss Ruth Keppel. Plans for the year were discussed and interesting programs are being planned. The opening meeting will be held Wednesday, October 14, at the home of Miss Myrtle Beach on East Twelfth street. The topic for this meeting will be "Hungarian Music." Miss Nella Meyer will be chairman for this program.

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Members of the Rebekahs, Odd Fellows and families commemorated the eightieth anniversary of the Rebekah Degree at a meeting in the Odd Fellow hall Friday evening. A short business session was held and plans were made to begin the afternoon tea Thursday, Oct. 1. Progressive pedro will be played at these meetings, refreshments will be served and prizes awarded. The refreshment committee is composed of the following: Mrs. Myrtle Bennett, chairman, Mrs. Archie Johnson, Mrs. Leona Norlin and Mrs. Blanche Vande Vusse. Cards will begin at 2:30 o'clock and all women friends will be invited. Following the business Friday night Mrs. Leona Norlin read an article on the "Founding of the Rebekah Degree in 1851." Eleven tables were placed for the players and prize winners for the evening were Mrs. Blanche Shaffer, Ben Essenburg, Mrs. Geo. Laughlin and Charles Ketcham. A Pot luck lunch was served at the close of the evening.

A joint meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies of Hamilton, Ebenezer and Overisel was held last week Tuesday evening in the Overisel Reformed Church. Theodore Schaap, president of the Holland Christian Endeavor Union, led the Christian Endeavor meeting at Fourth Reformed church on Sunday evening. The topic for discussion was "What Our Union and Society Should Accomplish in the Coming Year." An announcement was made of a program which is to be given by the Ambassador Trio of Grand Rapids on October 9.

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erisel Reformed Church. Theodore Schaap, president of the Holland Christian Endeavor Union, gave an interesting address on the topic "Our Share in Making Christ Known to the World." Miss Edythe Boeve and Miss Harriet Oonk of Ebenezer also gave talks on the subject. Jerold Kleinhessel of Overisel was in charge of the song service.

Dr. and Mrs. Wynand Wichers have returned from the East where they spent several days. Dr. Wichers was in New York on business for Hope College while Mrs. Wichers visited friends in Toronto, Canada.

CRISP

Henry Rowhorst, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rowhorst of Crisp, died Saturday evening at Butterworth hospital, Grand Rapids. The child is survived by his parents. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home in Crisp. Rev. P. D. Van Vliet, pastor of South Olive Christian Reformed church, officiated.

ZEELAND

The freshmen, under the sponsorship of Mr. Kleis, held their first class meeting in order that they might choose their class officers. The results were: president, Leon Faber; vice-pres., Dwight Wyngaert; secretary, Winnifred Boone; treasurer, June Kieft; girl council member, Bernice Bouwens; boy council member, Melvin Bouma; class reporter, Mary Plasman.

The Woman's Mission Union of the Holland, Grand Rapids and Muskegon classes in the Reformed Church in America will hold its annual conference Oct. 8 in First Reformed church at Zeeland. Speakers will include missionaries on furlough and the program will cover addresses on home and foreign work. Mrs. J. A. Dykstra of Grand Rapids is president and Mrs. C. H. Spaan of Grand Rapids is secretary.

The freshmen of the Zeeland

12555—Expires Oct. 17  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 29th day of Sept., A. D. 1931.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of ALICE VANDER MEULEN, Mentally Incompetent

Johanna Oosterhof and Frank Van Ark having filed in said court their final administration account, and their petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment of the residue of said estate, to the executor of the estate of Alice Van der Meulen, now deceased;

It is Ordered, That the  
3rd day of November, A.D. 1931,  
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

JAMES J. DANHOF,  
Judge of Probate.

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Cora Vande Water,  
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schools were all called together and from the names on the list they voted for two to become athletic sisters. Bertha Van Eden and Lilian Borst were chosen. For the rest of their career in Zeeland High they will remain Athletic Sisters.

EAST SAUGATUCK

Mr. and Mrs. W. Postma entertained with a surprise party last week Monday evening at their home

in East Saugatuck in honor of Gilbert Postma, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Willard Koning, Leonard Fokkert, and Floyd Hemmeke. A delicious two course lunch was served. Those present were George Haverdink, Gerrit Hemmeke, Floyd Hemmeke, Willard Koning, Joseph Iverbeek, Leonard Fokker, Raymond Kaper, Lambert VanDin, Narvis Van Dis, and Gilbert Postma.

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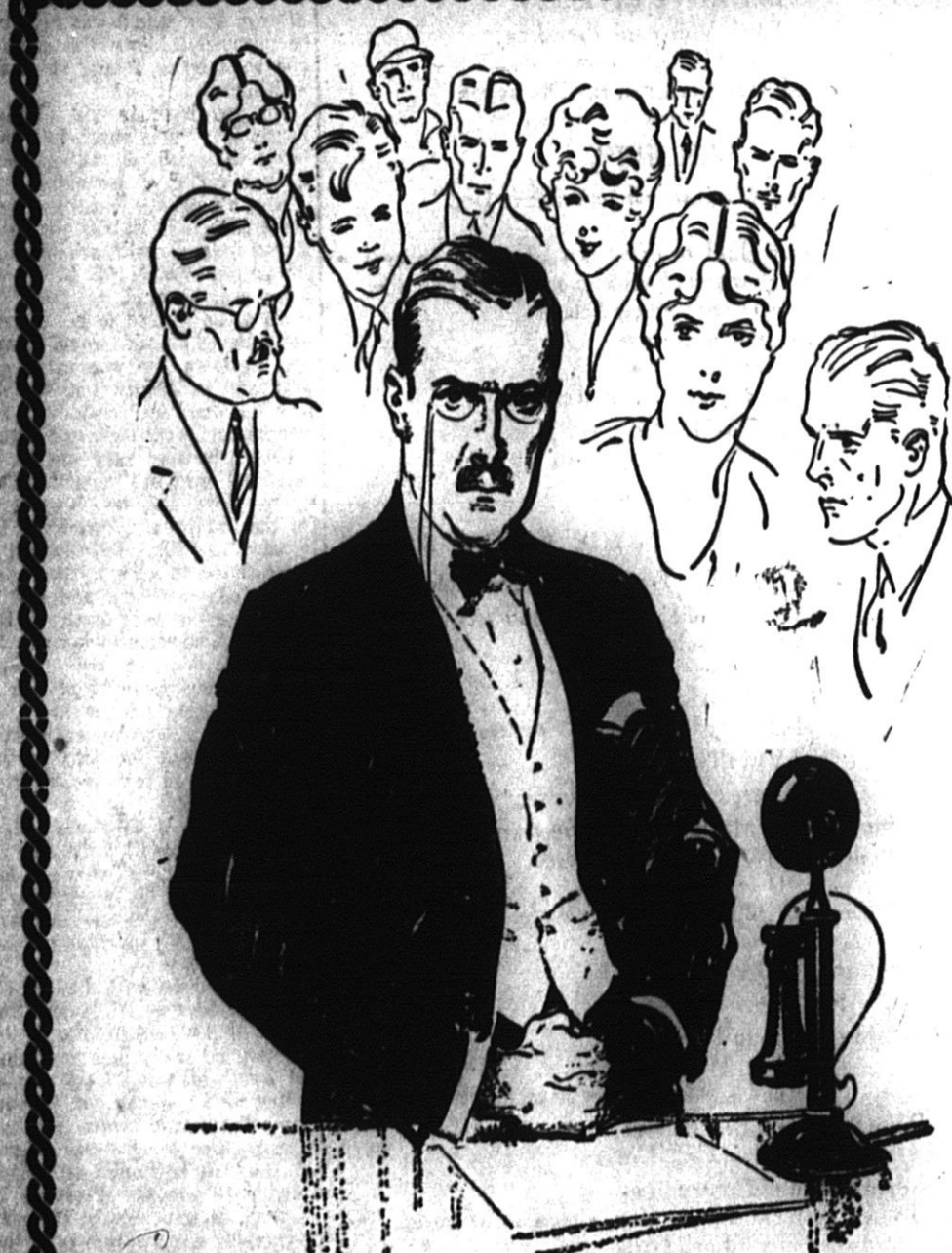
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Deer poachers who first get their victims drunk, then slay them, are the latest to make an appearance in the field of "game racketeering," according to a recent bulletin of the American Game Association. Officers patrolling the Wichita National Forest game preserve in Oklahoma reported this 1931 forest model of an old, old trick. They discovered bait composed of fresh, undistilled whiskey mash, of which deer are known to be fond. Nearby the officers found evidence revealing that intoxicated victims, unable to escape, had been slipped upon and stabbed.

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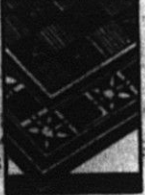
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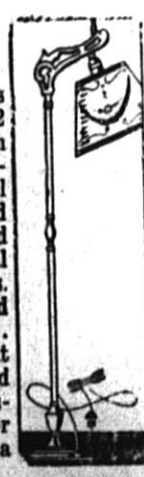
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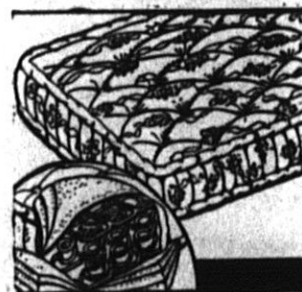
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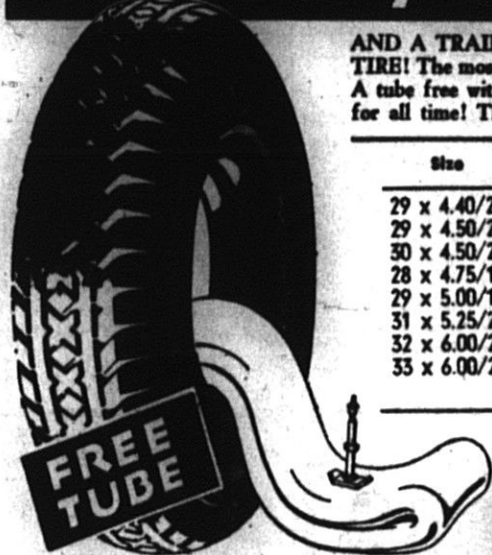


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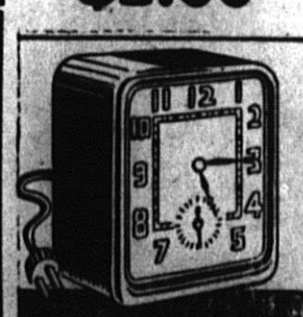
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