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With the spirit of Christmas prompting us, we wish to express our appreciation of the business entrusted to us during the past twelve months and to extend our best wishes for a Merry Christmas, and Happiness and Prosperity for the New Year..

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CHRISTMAS EVE WILL FIND BEAUTIFUL TREE IN PARK

ELECTRICAL DISPLAY WILL BE WONDERFUL, IT IS SAID

Carrol Singing Will Start at 7:00 On Christmas Eve

For the first time in its history the citizens of Holland will be privileged to witness a beautifully illuminated Christmas tree in Centennial Park.

The large tree, 30 feet high, has already been placed just east of the large fountain.

The tree will be beautifully decorated and the electrical display is going to be wonderful.

On the very tip of the tree a large star will send its scintillating rays to every nook and corner of Holland's beautiful park. Other lighting effects artistically placed will make the spreading branches of this wonderful fir tree look like the trees of "Ye olden days."

Lights will be turned on promptly at 7 o'clock, Friday, Christmas eve, and immediately carrol singers, many in number, will send forth strains of joy, singing "Peace and Good Will to All Men."

No speaking exercises will be held, but the singing of Christmas Carols will constitute the entire program.

From the tree the carrolers will go about the city, singing as they go.

The groups of carrol singers selected from every church are in charge of Major Willis Diekema.

The beautiful tree was taken from a woods near Overisel, and is thirty feet high, and 14 feet across. W. H. Wing of the Ottawa Furniture Co. had it hauled to the city with the large furniture van, while William Orr and his men of the Citizens Telephone Company placed the tree.

Abe Nauta, electrical engineer of the Board of Public Works has charge of the electrical display.

The celebration of Christmas in this way had its inception with the ladies of Elizabeth Gehuyler Hamilton Chapter, D. A. R. The ladies in charge are Mrs. Charles H. McBride, Mrs. John Telling and Mrs. R. M. Waltz.

This same society has been very thoughtful in placing Christmas wreaths in every window of Holland Hospital, and also giving Christmas cheer to 200 children of the City Mission, when a Christmas tree was planned for them at the Woman's Literary Club rooms Tuesday and a gift for each and every one was found upon its branches.

Truly this society is fostering a Christmas spirit to the extent which has seldom before been seen in this city.

THE SEASON HAS CHANGED AND WINTER IS HERE

THE SHORTEST DAY HAS COME AND GONE

Just think of it! The days are already getting longer. Yesterday was the shortest day and today a few seconds of extra daylight have been added, at least so says the calendar. The season changed from fall into winter at 10:17 o'clock last night. At 10:18 official winter had already begun, notwithstanding the fact that rain was falling.

At the time of the season's change the wind was in a southeasterly direction and if the prognostications of old tars and seadogs hold true, then for the next three months the prevailing wind will come from a southerly direction which means that this vicinity will have a warm and open winter.

Lake Michigan no doubt like the gulf streams have tempered the climate on these shores to considerable extent. Bathing was still in progress in Big Lake the latter part of October when the water was even warmer than in midsummer.

Sailors state that with a lot of ice in Lake Michigan late spring will prevail while a warm fall means the beginning of an open winter.

TRAINING CLASS TO BEGIN THIRD YEAR'S WORK

The Teachers' Training Class of the Holland Sunday Schools will begin the Third Year Course at the beginning of the New Year. As the regular course as outlined for the year is very elementary and similar to work of the first two years with specialization in some department, Dr. Kuizenga has been granted permission to substitute a course of his own. This course is a regular Bible Study course on the life of Paul and his Epistles, with actual duty of the passages, lectures, etc. The class has wished for such a course from Dr. Kuizenga, and the members are pleased that the wish can be gratified now. The course is one which will appeal to all teachers, but especially to teachers of Senior, Young People and Adult Bible Classes. Arrangements will be made so that those who are working for the third year certificate, may do so without hardship.

Dr. Kuizenga will announce what texts are to be used, as soon as he returns from the East.

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT PERVADES HOLLAND AS NEVER BEFORE

NEARLY ALL THE CHURCHES ARE TO HAVE EXERCISES FOR CHILDREN

A Great Deal of Benevolent Work Is Also Going on Throughout The City

A spirit of Christmas seem to have taken hold of Holland such as has seldom been seen here before.

Nearly every organization of any kind in the city, practically every church and society in the church, and nearly every business house or manufacturer in the city is planning for others.

The biblical phrase "Am I my brother's keeper" has no place in the minds and hearts of our citizens this Christmas tide.

Elsewhere will be found a report of what the D. A. R. has been doing. The B. P. O. E. of this city has not been slow in extending a brotherly hand. The city welfare society in which every citizen is interested and is contributing is receiving an endless lot of gifts and money in order that the less fortunate may find Christmas cheer within their homes on Christmas day. There are a great many other avenues we might mention from which come helping hands extended by thoughtful citizens.

The different churches have also not forgotten the children in their Sunday schools. With the exception of a few, all will have Christmas exercises at the close of which the children will be liberally remembered and the Christmas of 1920 will not be forgotten by them for some time.

Below will be found the time when Christmas exercises will be held in the respective churches:

Thursday
Hope church.....7:00 P. M.
Methodist church.....7:30 P. M.
North End Mission.....7:30 P. M.

Friday
Christmas Tree in Centennial Park.....7:30 P. M.
4th Reformed church.....7:30 P. M.
Eiscopal church.....7:00 P. M.
6th Reformed church.....7:30 P. M.
Third Reformed church.....7:30 P. M.

Saturday
9th St. Chr. Ref.....4:00 P. M.
Central Ave. Chr. Ref.....3:30 P. M.
Trinity Ref. church.....4:00 P. M.
Prospect Park church.....2:00 P. M.
First Reformed.....8:00 P. M.
16th St. Chr. Reformed.....6:45 P. M.
City Mission.....7:30 P. M.

Christmas exercises already held were for the children of St. Francis church Sunday last.

A Christmas tree for the City Mission children was also held at the Woman's Literary Club Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

LOCALS

The Misses Clara Bouwm, Gertrude Vanden Berg, and Bertha and Sena Vos visited friends in Grand Rapids Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hoover of the Heinz Co., spent Tuesday visiting in Grand Rapids.

The Masons of this city will hold their annual ball Friday evening, December 31, New Year's Eve. Great preparations are being made for this occasion and the "hop" is going to be an elaborate affair.

Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock a Christmas program will be given by the Methodist church Sunday School. The program is under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Winstrom. It will be a miscellaneous program composed of music, recitations, dialogues, exercises, etc.

He Just Can't Wait to See Santa Claus



GUNS AND KNIVES IN ABUNDANCE ARE CONFISCATED

THREE SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS ARE LOCKED UP BY LOCAL OFFICER

Had Two Sheep in Car, Also Whisky Still and Guns and Italian Daggers

Police headquarters this morning looked like a museum of deadly weapons. Spread out on the table was an assortment of guns and knives and daggers that spoke of amazing secret crimes. Among the other articles was a complete whisky still, copper coil and all the fixings.

All these goods belonged to three men now in the Holland City jail. They were picked up by Officer Bonetkoe on River avenue during the night. The officer became suspicious at the way an auto was driving along the street and he stopped the car. In the back of it he found two live sheep and some other articles that seemed to confirm his suspicion.

The men, whose names were given as Andrew Bionda, Paul Palica and Frank Laata, claimed they had secured the sheep at the stockyards and were taking them to Grand Rapids. But the clothes of one of the men seemed to show they had picked the animals up in a barn somewhere.

The men were locked up on suspicion and this morning they were thoroughly searched. They had one automatic pistol of the largest type made together with two magazines of shells, one other pistol fully loaded, one Italian stiletto that closed like a razor, one huge knife about two feet long, a blue handkerchief folded for use as a mask and a whisky still. Besides that there were other articles, among them three gallons of wine, and one empty whisky bottle.

From the auto license card Chief Van Ry learned that the car belonged to Bionda and that his home is at 271 Market avenue S. E., Grand Rapids. The other two also gave their addresses as Grand Rapids. Two of the men are in the twenties and one is somewhat older.

Chief Van Ry immediately called up the Grand Rapids department to have them investigate. Meanwhile the men are being held on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. All the indications seem to point to the fact that they are stick-up men and that the Holland police have hold of a trio of dangerous characters.

OTTAWA COUNTY FARMERS COMING TO THE FRONT

Ottawa county proved that in some respects she is raising as good or a better quality of products than in our sister states. At the recent International Livestock Exposition and Grain Show held in Chicago, a prize of \$25 was awarded for third premium on white winter wheat grown in Ottawa county. The grower of this sample of wheat which upheld the reputation of Ottawa county was W. Peck, of Tallmadge township. Mr. Peck has just reason to be proud of the ribbon and prize won and surely Ottawa county will take off her hat to him, because nowhere are better exhibits found than at this exposition.

The samples of wheat were those taken from the farm exhibit, held by the Ottawa county bureau, held in the Visscher building in this city, when several farmers from this locality also received prizes on their wheat, corn and egg production.

Other activities amongst the farmers in this vicinity are the election of officers of the different farm units who work in connection with the farm bureau of Ottawa county.

Officers elected from the respective townships in this vicinity follow below:

Holland-Park Townships—President, George W. Straight; vice-president, G. K. Vanden Berg; secretary-treasurer—E. B. Scott; delegates, J. Friezer and Ben Van Lente. Regular meeting first Friday in even months.

Olive Township—President Maurice Luidens; vice-president, Peter Baumann; secretary-treasurer, Henry Harrington; delegates, Maurice Luidens and Abe Any; alternate, P. Baumann and John Hienstra. Regular meeting first Tuesday in the month, alternating between first and second precinct. First meeting West Olive church in January.

Blendon township—President, Roy La Huis; vice-president, Herman Brink; secretary, Wm. Flipse; treasurer, Wm. Havedink; delegates, R. P. Larner, Harm Karsten and Roy La Huis. Meetings first Tuesday in odd months.

Georgetown Township—President, Bert Sweet; vice-president, Theodore Curtiss; secretary-treasurer, Wm. Berger; delegates, Wm. Boynton, C. Lowing and Bert Sweet. Regular meeting third Friday in each quarter beginning in March.

Robinson Township—President, Fred Graham; vice-president, Ben Meeuwse; secretary-treasurer, Casimir Szopinski; delegates, Adrian Knight; Fred Graham. Regular meetings second Thursday in even month.

Leslie Risto transacted business in Grand Rapids today.

The Act of Cashing in or Starting again your Christmas Saving



Is a welcome opportunity to those who have had the experience

Now you know whether you had money enough for all the season's demands.

Taxes, turkey, fuel, and gifts all make unusual drains upon the purse, and the only sure way of providing for this season is by accumulating throughout the year.

If you were a member of our 1920 Christmas Savings Club, you probably found the check you received a great help, and you either have joined or will join the 1921 club now forming.

If you have never tried this plan of providing for Christmas you should adopt it for the coming year.

It is an easy and sure way of accumulating funds available at the Christmas season by making small weekly or monthly payments.

Two weeks before Christmas you will receive a check for either \$100.00, \$50.00 \$25.00, \$12.50 or \$5.00 or any combination of these amounts increased by interest at 4 per cent.

The FIRST PAYMENT IS DUE NOW, so you should join at once and have an even start with the hundreds of others who have already enrolled.

Call and make your first payment, or, if more convenient, mail or send it by some one else.

Only, do not delay. Join at the first opportunity—today if possible.

PEOPLE'S STATE BANK

LOCAL MARKETS

No. Red Wheat.....\$1.70	Middlings.....48.00	Butter, dairy.....40
No. 1 White wheat.....1.68	Low Grade Flour.....75.00	Beef.....14
Rye.....1.30	Hog Feed.....74.00	Eggs.....75
Corn Meal.....42.00	Screenings.....54.00	Oil Meal.....65.00
Cracked Corn.....43.00	Hay, loose.....27.00	Cotton Seed Meal.....55.00
St. Car Feed.....43.00	Hay, baled.....28.00	Horse Feed.....80.00
No. 1N Feed per ton.....42.00	Straw.....14.00	Alfalfa Meal.....60.00
Bran.....40.00	Pork.....13	Scratch Feed with grit.....60.00
	Butter, creamery.....45	Scratch Feed, no grit.....63.00

In the twenty years ago column of the Grand Haven Tribune, the following item appears. "D. C. Wachs, Populist candidate for member of the state board of education received 859 votes in the state."

Peter De Haan and Miss Susan De Haan left for Houston, Tex., where they will spend the winter with their sister.

POULTRY AND RABBIT SHOW OPENS IN ZEELAND DEC. 29

The Zeeland Poultry association will stage its annual poultry and rabbit show starting Dec. 29 and continuing the rest of the week. The presiding judges will be D. Merias, of Grand Rapids and W. M. Wise, of the Michigan Agricultural college. A rabbit section will be included in the exhibit.

DATES FOR 1921 HOLLAND FAIR ARE DECIDED ON

The dates for the Holland fair for 1921 have been set for September 13, 14, 15 and 16. This is the same week in September as that during which the fair was held this year. It is a week ahead of the Grand Rapids fair. The Allegan fair will precede the Holland fair by about two weeks next year as it did this year.

Austin Harrington, Seth Nibbelink, and John Arendshort representing the Holland fair, attended the Michigan Association of fairs convention held at Detroit for two days this week. They have just returned home after the visit to Detroit.

There were a number of good speakers at the state convention who discussed the interests of fairs from various angles. The same problems that confront the Holland fair confront most of the fairs in the state and the local men gained a good deal of information from officials from other fairs who told of their experiences.

Prof. Halliday of the Animal Husbandry department of M. A. C. emphasized the necessity of looking after the testing of cattle for tuberculosis. No cow can be exhibited at any fair that was not tested six months previously for tuberculosis. The owners must show a certificate of good health for the animal before the cow can be admitted.

That was the reason, Mr. Arendshort declared, why the cattle exhibited at the Holland fair this year were so few. The farmers of southern Ottawa and western Allegan have been somewhat backward in having their herds tested. If the fair next year is to have a good representation of cattle the farmers will have to go in for testing their herds soon now.

Much emphasis was also laid on the advisability of encouraging boys' and girls' clubs in the farming communities.

MORE SEALS SOLD THAN EVER BEFORE IN HOLLAND

Mrs. G. H. Thomas, chairman of the Civic Health Committee of the Woman's Literary club, in charge of the Christmas Seal Sale, today announced the result of the sale. The efforts of the committee and of the school children were most successful this year and the number of seals sold is larger than ever before in the history of the movement.

The total number sold was 61,100, which is nearly ten thousand more than last year. This will net a total sum of \$611. About eighty per cent of this will remain in Holland for local health work, such as the medical and dental clinics, the milk fund, the maintenance of a tuberculosis person at a sanatorium, etc.

LOCAL Y FIVE TO MEET JUNIOR COLLEGE

The Holland Y Basket Ball team which met the strong Kalamazoo team from Kalamazoo College last Wednesday night and went down to defeat with the small margin of two points, have been encouraged by their showing and have booked several more games which ought to give the fans a chance to see some lively basket ball this winter.

Through the courtesy of Dr. Diment of Hope College the Y has been able to secure the Hope Gym. for the date of Dec. 22, Wednesday, when they will meet the Junior College of Grand Rapids. Junior College has a heavy schedule of games this winter, playing all the leading colleges of the state and the Holland association is lucky in securing them as opponents for next week. A preliminary game will be played to the big game and will be an attraction in itself when the Y reserves will tackle the strong Seminary team.

THREE HUNDRED AUTO LICENSES ISSUED THURSDAY

More than \$4,000.00 was collected Thursday by County Treasurer J. H. Den Herder from the auto owners of Holland and of this section of Ottawa and Allegan counties for auto license plates. It is estimated that another couple of thousand dollars could have been gathered in if there had been a large enough clerical force and if the plates had held out. The treasurer and his assistants worked at top speed all day until 5 o'clock when the supply of license plates gave out.

The system of distribution of plates through the county treasurer is proving exceedingly popular with

local auto owners. Thursday they flocked to the Wolverine Garage in hordes, as they had done a week before when Mr. Den Herder appeared here for the first time. The streets on two sides of the garage were lined with autos of persons who were waiting for their turn.

Three hundred licenses were issued on Thursday. Mr. Den Herder had not taken any more with him because he had estimated that it would be physically impossible to issue very many more than that in a single day.

To accommodate the local car owners Mr. Den Herder will come to Holland once more before the end of the year. This will be on Tuesday Dec. 28, when he will bring with him a good supply of license plates for distribution. Auto owners are again urged to secure their application blanks in advance and make them out in advance, with the exception of the signature of the notary. This will expedite the work very much. Mr. Den Herder will again be at the Wolverine Garage.

THE HOLIDAYS IN GRAND FOR JOLLY ENTERTAINMENT GO TO THE RAPIDS EMPRESS

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WEEK AND A BIG ALL-KEITH JOY BILL**

NEW YEAR WEEK

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WITH
**THE DANCING FORDS
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**TWO SHOWS NEW YEAR'S EVE—
SECOND SHOW WITH SPECIAL
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At Our Two Stores

At Our 13th St. Store

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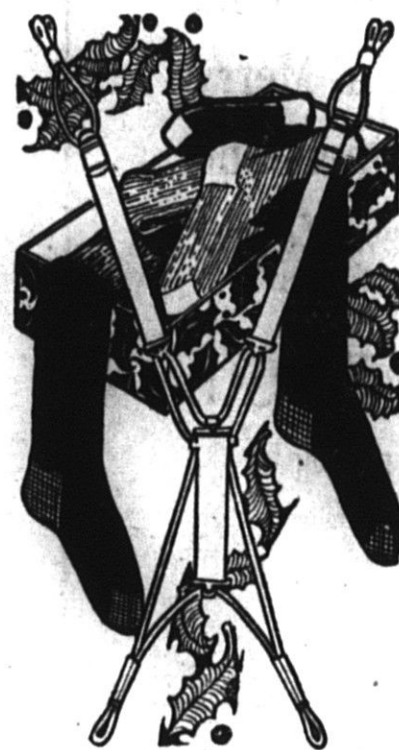
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ORDER NOW, for spring delivery. It will be a saving to you as well as insuring you that the work will be completed by Memorial Day. Call at our show room and look over our large stock of finished work. Open every weekday from 7:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. Evenings by appointment.

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Holland, Mich.

GREETINGS OF THE SEASON.

The directors of the Holleman-Deweerd Auto Co. and their employees, all of whom are stockholders of the corporation, wish you one and all, a Merry Christmas, a Happy and a Prosperous New Year.

Any business you may have entrusted to the Holleman-Deweerd Auto Co. during the past year, has, in addition to benefiting the stockholders, benefited the employees. Besides dividends on their stock and their regular salaries, the employees receive as a bonus a portion of the profits of the corporation.

The directors of the firm take special pride in the fact that more than fifty per cent of their employees have been in their service from two to six years; that the firm has developed through the sale of a product in which it enjoys unbounded faith and confidence.

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WOMEN DECIDE THAT WOMEN ARE VAIN

The Northside Boosters Association held its annual banquet Friday evening and rabbit was served a la bunny style, 44 rabbits having been roasted for the occasion, and 126 persons sat down to eat them.

One feature of the program that had been arranged was a debate between six men with women acting as judges. The subject of the debate was, "Are women more vain than men?" and after the talkfest was over the women decided that the women were.

The three men who handled the affirmative side of the question were Harry Harrington, Arthur White and Carl Emmink. The negatives were Oliver Hansen, Ed Scott and Prof. Robert Evans.

Vocal solos were rendered by Mr. Dick Ter Beek and Mr. Earl Kardux. Austin Harrington who was present was called on for a speech and chose as his own subject "The North Side Bridge." He stated that the common council of Holland were working on a project of curtailing the limits of Holland, near the bridge, in order that the bridge might be moved nearer the city. In that case the city and the state would pay fifty-fifty of the proposed bridge. Should the city not succeed in doing this, the city of Holland would have to pay the bridge construction alone if it wished it in that locality, otherwise the bridge would have to remain where it is now located.

Mr. Harrington stated that if a bridge is built it should be constructed to answer the purpose for years to come, adequate to handle the travel of the rapidly growing North Side, which is assuming metropolitan proportions.

The evening's festivities wound up with community singing led by Prof. Robert E. Evans of Hope College.

The toastmaster of the evening was C. Plakke who welcomed the guests around the festive board.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM IS GIVEN AT P.T. MEETING

An interesting meeting of the Washington School P.T. club was held Thursday evening. It was a Christmas program, and Mr. C. Vander Meulen gave an eloquent address on the subject, "Christmas Ideals." The address was full of the spirit of Christmas. A number of Christmas songs and recitations were given by the pupils of the school, and a group of students of the high school gave an entertaining play, "The First Christmas Tree." This was one of the best features of a thoroughly enjoyable program.

There were six school children who won prizes offered by the committee for selling five hundred seals or more. The prize in each case will be a book. Two of the prize winners, Edgar Landwehr and Margaret Dregman, are from the Washington School, and four others are from the Froebel school—Bernard Keefer, Lester Ellensgroek, Francis Van Hartesveldt and Chester Belt.

Francis Van Hartesveldt is the champion seal salesman in the city this year. He sold a total of 650 and as a result he will receive a grand prize in addition to the book that was offered for five hundred seals.

The members of the committee sold 33,902 seals to the business men and the children sold a total of 27,198.

Froebel school sold 8,261, Lincoln 1,866, Longfellow 2,793, Van Raalte 2,243, Washington 7,000, Junior High 2,257, high school 2,179, and the Christian school 3,606.

POULTRY SHOW BEING HELD IN VISSCHER BUILDING

The Holland Poultry and Pet Stock Association will hold its annual exhibit from December 22 to December 25. The exhibit will be held in the Visscher building, formerly occupied by the Cook Music store. A premium list of 4,000 copies was mailed to the patrons, a copy going to every farmer on the Holland and Zeeland rural routes. As many as were left after that were distributed in the city Saturday.

Seven hundred birds have already been entered for the exhibit, and further entries are being made. The entries will close on Monday night. Birds will be shown in the exhibit from Muskegon, Grand Rapids, South Haven, Wisconsin, Zeeland, Hudsonville and many from Holland and vicinity.

W. C. Young of Dayton, Ohio, will be the judge on standard, and C. E. Foreman of the Ontario Agricultural College at Gulep, Ont., will be judge on utility. These two men are authorities in their line and have served in the same capacity in many of the big poultry exhibits.

A. P. Siersma is president of the Holland Association, Edward Brouwer, secretary, J. J. De Koster, treasurer and Peter Havinga the show superintendent.

The birds are expected to begin coming in on Tuesday, and a great many will arrive on Wednesday. Some of the finest stock ever seen here is expected for this year's show, and the association officials are preparing for an exhibit that will put in the shade many of the former attempts to gather together fine poultry in a hall in this city. The place of exhibit is centrally located and it is expected that the show will be visited by a large number of people. Cash prizes, silk ribbons, special premiums and special cash premiums will be offered for the winning birds at the exhibit.

NEW SHERIFF TO BRING NEW MEN INTO HIS OFFICE

Sheriff Delbert Fortney is preparing to take up his new duties as the sheriff of Ottawa county on January 1. When he steps into office the new sheriff will take in a new group of appointees to all the various offices in his department. Mr. Fortney has named Jerry Dykhuis as undersheriff and Nicholas De Witt of Olive township as turnkey. The new undersheriff is a son of former Sheriff Henry Dykhuis and during his father's regime served as a deputy. He is a brother of former sheriff Hans Dykhuis.

EXCHANGE CLUB ISSUES DIRECTORY OF MEMBERS

The Holland Exchange club has issued a little pamphlet containing the constitution and by-laws of that organization. These little volumes are being circulated among the members of the club so that all may become familiar with the rules and regulations governing the meetings. A directory of the members is also printed in the volume. Behind each name is a statement as to what business the member is in, his residence and business address, and his house and telephone numbers.

MISS ANNA S. KOLYN TO MARRY GRAND RAPIDS ATTORNEY

A very beautiful party was given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Mary Kolyn and Miss Anna S. Kolyn, honoring Miss Marie A. Dykstra, who is to be a January bride. About 25 guests were present.

A delightful buffet luncheon was served. It was at this time that the first surprise of the afternoon was made known. Tied to the napkins were exquisitely hand-decorated sachet envelopes and seemingly blank cards. Upon dipping the cards into a bowl of water a great secret was disclosed—the engagement of Miss Anna Kolyn to Mr. Theodore Elferdink of this city.

Miss Anna Kolyn was graduated from Hope College in 1916. Since that time she has been teaching in high school—one year in Zeeland and the past five years in Holland. In both social and school life Miss Kolyn is extremely popular.

Mr. Elferdink was graduated from Holland high in 1912 and from Hope College in 1916. It was while attending the latter institution that the romance began. For one year Mr. Elferdink was in public school life, being principal of the High school at Fennville. After this he went to Ann Arbor to study law at the University of Michigan. Since completing his course Mr. Elferdink is practicing in Grand Rapids.

After the luncheon there was a second surprise—a surprise for the guest of honor. A tray of beautiful gifts was set before Miss Marie Dykstra—the occasion being a "Nose and Toes" shower. The party was one of the most charming social events of the season.

TO CONDUCT BILLIARD HALL IN FORMER BANK BUILDING

A force of men was busy Monday breaking down the temporary vault used by the Holland City State bank during the months that that institution was located in the VanderVeen building on West Eighth street. A few odds and ends of the bank's fixtures are still to be moved to the fine new building in the tower block but this was expected to be all completed before the end of Monday.

Chris Korose has leased the building and will in the near future transfer his billiard business from the Harrington building on East Eighth street to the new location. The interior will be remodeled and redecorated and Mr. Korose expects to establish one of the finest billiard halls this city has ever had.

ALLEGAN BOY AWARDED HARVARD SCHOLARSHIP

The John Harvard scholarship has been awarded by Harvard University to Garret Mattingly of Allegan. He is a graduate of Kalamazoo high school and was captain of the first military company organized at Kalamazoo high school. He is a sophomore at Harvard.

LOCALS

The M. G. R. C. Girls Friday evening met at the home of Ella Berkompas, East 17th street. One of the features of the evening was a Christmas grab bag, besides a program of music and games. Refreshments were served.

Dr. J. B. Nykerk of Hope College was in Benton Harbor Friday evening. He was down as one of the

judges to decide an oratorical contest between the Kalamazoo State Normal High and Benton Harbor High. The subject discussed by the students was the question of arbitration between employer and employee.

That sausage in which a New

FINAL CLEARANCE SALE

—OF—

LADIES COATS AND SUITS IS NOW IN PROGRESS.

The season of the year has come when we are closing out the balance of our stock of Ladies Coats and Suits at greatly reduced prices. Our assortment includes the beautiful "Printzess" garments. We have a nice line to select from, splendid styles and the newest ideas are embodied in our assortment of dependable ready-to-wear garments. We invite you to step in and see our fine showing.

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In connection with our Sale of Coats and Suits we will give a discount on READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS as follows:

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20 PER CENT DISCOUNT on Ladies Silk and Wool Skirts.
10 PER CENT DISCOUNT on Ladies Silk and Cotton Waists.
40 PER CENT DISCOUNT on Ladies Silk and Wool Dresses.
20 PER CENT DISCOUNT on Gingham and Percale House-dresses.
20 PER CENT DISCOUNT on Childrens Gingham Dresses.
20 PER CENT DISCOUNT on Ladies and Childrens Sweater Coats.
20 PER CENT DISCOUNT on Ladies Muslin Underwear.
10 PER CENT DISCOUNT on Mens, Ladies and Childrens Wool and Cotton Underwear.

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SERVE SELF GROCERY

Cuts down your living expenses wonderfully. Some customers are saving from 40c. to 50c. on a single basket full.

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HOLLAND.

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MICH.

York man found a diamond must have been made back in the period when diamonds and pork were about the same price.

The Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, is planning to have carols sung through out the streets of the

city Christmas eve by a chorus of voices under the leadership of Major Willis Diekema. They hope the public will enter into the Christmas spirit by having their windows well illuminated and thus encourage the efforts of the singers.

The Misses Alice Vos and Mary

Landman were Grand Rapids visitors this city closed his garage between 2 and 3 p. m. Saturday during the funeral of Horace Dodge. All the Dodge garages were closed during the same hour.—G. H. Tribune.

LOCALS

Dr. John E. Kuizenga has returned from New York state where he has been for two weeks, speaking in the different cities and at the same time recruiting young men to study at Hope and at the seminary. The purpose is to get young men interested in the ministry as a life work.

A meeting of the Lakeview P.T. club of the Lakeview school at Lagers Crossing was held Friday evening. A program consisted of selections by the Lakeview orchestra, readings by Bernie Mulder of Holland, and recitations by pupils of the school, and selections by a quartet. After a short business meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

Miss Thelma Welton of M. A. C. is home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Welton of East 24th street.

The Grand Rapids Herald of Sunday prints a picture of Earl W. Breyman as director of sales of the Red Cross Christmas seals for the Anti-Tuberculosis society. Mr. Breyman heads the Kent county sales force for the benevolent cause. Earl is a former young Holland boy and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Breyman also formerly of Holland. His father at the time of residing in this city, was manager of the American Express company, in connection with his jewelry store.

Paul Springer of Fennville, who served as lieutenant on a submarine chaser during the war, has been cited for distinguishing himself while engaged in the hazardous duty of patrolling the waters in the war zone, and he has received the Navy Cross from the president.

It is just 20 years ago that Sheriff Frank Van Ry returned to Holland according to an item in the "Twenty Years Ago Column of the Grand Haven Tribune" which states: "Sheriff Frank Van Ry was packing his house hold goods preparatory to moving to Holland."

It cost a promising Fennville youth just \$22.75 to hit the principal of the school in the eye with an apple. What the parents did to the boy is not known. The teacher was holding a meeting of the younger boys in the high school building when the older boys interrupted the proceedings by throwing apples.

Dr. Harry Walker picked a dandelion blossom last Monday and on Tuesday D. M. Force brought to the Commercial-Record a hatful of large and beautiful pansies which blossomed out of doors in his garden. Open winter? — Saugatuck Commercial-Record.

Castle Lodge No. 153 K. of P. of Holland is preparing for several fraternal and social features for the winter. Several members of the lodge constitute a committee on entertainment and the first innovation will be the giving of a card and dancing party on December 23. The card party starts promptly at 8:15 with good music and dancing afterward. Henry W. Wilson is chairman of the entertainment committee.

Grand Haven is also going after milk peddlers since Holland made the start. The Grand Haven city fathers can't see why citizens should continue to pay such high prices for milk when the larger cities in the country are lower than in Grand Haven when it comes to milk prices.

When Mrs. C. H. Judd left Holland Wednesday for China for the mission field she took with her a phonograph purchased in Holland. The phonograph was made possible by the Woman's Missionary society of Hope church. That society donated \$76 toward the purchase of the phonograph as an expression of good will toward Mrs. Judd, who was formerly Miss Belle Takken of this city.

Miss Rena Wierda and Charles De Wys of Zeeland were married at the home of the bride.

Gilbert D. Karsten Post of Zeeland elected the following officers: David Van Ommen commander; Anthony Mulder, vice commander; Jack Boonstra, adjutant.

Miss Anna Kolyn entertained Saturday afternoon for Miss Marie Dykstra, who is to be a January bride.

The first game of the Y. M. C. A. indoor base ball league that was to have been played on last Tuesday night has been postponed for one week on account of the play to be presented in the high school. The complete schedule of the league's games will be published soon.

Instead of giving and receiving gifts at its usual Christmas program the members of and children of the First Reformed church of Hamilton will save the money and give it to the starving people of China.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. De Merell will leave Saturday for the Bermudas. They will be located at Hamilton, Bermuda, and expect to be away for about four months. The trip will take four days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. Nordhof, Sept. 17, a boy, David Harold.

Prof. L. H. Tate, teacher in St. Riban's School for boys at Syracuse, Ill., and Frances L. Tate, a student in St. Katherine's school for girls at Davenport, Ia., will come home tonight to spend the holidays with their parents, the Rev. and Mrs. M. Tate.

Most of the stores in Holland will be open evenings on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. Some of the stores, like jewelry stores, Five and Ten Cent stores, and a few others, are open nights now.

Officer Steketee, is laid up for the first time in his career as patrolman, which covers a period of about 15 years. Chief Van Ry is on the beat himself part of the time in order to fill the gap. It is expected that Mr. Steketee will be back on the force within a few days.

Frederick T. Reese was given a judgment of \$524 against Mary O. Elliott in Allegan circuit court for alleged fraud in sale of a piece of land. The plaintiffs were sold pine barrens for \$1300.

The Strand Theater on Christmas Day will have D. W. Griffith's big sensation, the marvelously beautiful story of romance and adventure entitled "The Love Flower," from the story of "Black Beach" by Ralph Stock, which was but recently published in Collier's Weekly. This is one of the best productions so far brought out by Mr. Griffith and will be enjoyed by all who witness this portrayal by the film route on Christmas day at the Strand Theater.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Den Uyl—a son.

George Richardson was served with a capias warrant Saturday in which Elmer Fast begins suit for \$10,000 damages. Richardson furnished \$2000 bonds. The case was begun by Atty. D. S. Fase and C. E. Misner of Grand Haven is acting for the defendant.

About 200 attended a fine Christmas program given by the Van Raalte School P.T. club Monday evening. After the regular business meeting a program was given by the children including a Christmas hymn and a Christmas play. Sidney Jarvis did excellent work as Santa Claus and he distributed gifts to all.

There will be no Ladies' Guild meeting on Wednesday. The next meeting of the Guild will be held in January.

A regular meeting of the A. C. Van Raalte Post G. A. R. will be held Wednesday evening in G. A. R. Hall for the purpose of election of officers for the ensuing year.

Hope's Basketball team split 50-50 in the first two games of the holiday season. Hope was defeated by South Bend 40 to 15 and scored a victory over the Whiting Owls at Whiting, Indiana 30 to 10. In the second contest Hope's men scored as follows: field goals, Wassenaar 5, Van Putten 4, Jappinga 3, Schuurmans 2; free throws, Jappinga 2.

Rev. L. L. Legters, a former Holland boy and Hope graduate, has resigned the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Bishopville, S. C., and expects to make a survey of the conditions of the American Indian in Central America.

Advices from New Jersey announce the death of Rev. John Justin 81, one of the veteran ministers in the Reformed denomination.

On Wednesday, December 29, at 9 o'clock a. m. on the farm of Bert Bazaan, one-half mile north and one and one-half miles west of the Crisp store, or one and one-half miles north of the Harlem station.

The following item taken from the Daily Star, Queensborough, New York, tells of the acceptance of a call to Paterson, N. J., by Rev. Henry Sluiter, a former Holland boy, who lived on Graves Place. It will be remembered by the older residents that his father was the bell ringer for the city of Holland at the old Ninth street Christian Reformed church, before the "Mocking-bird" sounded its whistle for morning, noon and night. The eastern paper has the following:

"Rev. Henry Sluiter, pastor of the First Reformed church has accepted a call from a congregation in Paterson, N. J., and in the middle of next month will conclude his labors in College Point and take charge of his new pastorate."

"Mr. Sluiter came to the 1st Reformed church five years ago and since then has endeared himself to many persons of all creeds."

"He always took an active part in any movement that had the good of his fellowman as its goal."

"He was chairman of the Community Council and was much interested in the Boy Scout movement and Red Cross work."

"During the war he served in all activities. He made mid-day talks at the local factories and his efforts added greatly to the record of the town made in the loan and Red Cross drives."

"On Sunday December 5, he will preach his fifth anniversary sermon and on the following Sunday he will deliver his farewell sermon."

County Treasurer J. H. Den Herder notified the Wolverine Garage Saturday that it would not be possible for him to come to Holland with auto plates on Thursday. Mr. Den Herder will be here on the Tuesday following, namely on December 28. At that time those who have so far failed to secure their license plates can come to the Wolverine garage to secure them.

When Mr. DenHerder was here last Thursday a number of license blanks were made out by him for persons who could not secure the plates because the supply gave out. These plates arrived at the Wolverine Garage Saturday and the owners can come in and claim them.

For the past week the children of the City Mission have been talking of nothing else than of the big Christmas tree that has been erected for them at the Woman's Literary club, under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The tree was put in place and trimmed and on Tuesday morning its branches were loaded with gifts ready for the exercises that took place Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock.

There were 200 boys and girls of the mission invited to congregate around this beautifully lighted tree, and somewhere on its spreading branches there was a gift for each one of the two hundred.

There also was a program in which gram in which some of the boys and some of the boys and girls of the Mission took part.

Boys and girls from other Sunday schools also furnished numbers and Miss Evelyn Metz, who is indispensable on an occasion of that kind, was the star attraction.

The committee having the Christmas doings in charge were Mrs. W. J. Olive, chairman, Mrs. John Ogel, Mrs. Martha Robbins, Mrs. Wm. J. Garrod, and Mrs. William Van den Berg.



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special prices for
Xmas.

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CITY MISSION CHILDREN ENJOY CHRISTMAS TREE

The City Mission was a bright and busy place Friday afternoon, when the W. C. T. U. invited the Mission's Sunday School children to attend a Christmas celebration, including a Christmas tree. More than 100 children were made happy by receiving candy, nuts and oranges, as well as a gift of a toy or some more useful present. The happy smiling faces of these children showed that they appreciated the Union's effort to create Christmas cheer.

A rather elaborate program was presented, including the following numbers: Christmas Welcome, Miss Rishaggen; The First Christmas Eve, Mae Beekman; Ring Bells of Christmas Sadie Zeerip; a musical "The Legend of the Twilight Bells," Miss Dea Ossewaarde; solo "The

BIRTHDAY OF A KING

Dr. Gilmore, who also gave an interesting talk. Miss De Pree of Korea, with two assistants, sang "Pass Me Not, O Gentle Saviour," in the Korean language; she also told of poor Korean children and of their great need; a number of Korean curios were also shown. During the distribution of the present Miss Sue Hamelink gave several selections on the piano; she also accompanied Miss Ossewaarde and Dr. Gilmore. The tree and distribution of presents were in charge of Mrs. Weersing, Mrs. Smeenge and Mrs. Ehrman.

FENNIVILLE MAN GIVEN \$5,000 FOR LOST LOVE

The affections of Mrs. Leon Joslin were worth half her husband's estimate, in the opinion of the jury that awarded the Fennville man \$5,000 judgment against Glenn Richards, also of Fennville. Joslin asked for \$10,000, declaring Richards had alienated his wife's love.

LOCALS

Miss Beatrice Steketee was a Grand Rapids visitor Tuesday.

Arthur Viascher and Arthur Heuer were in Grand Rapids on business Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Van Dyk was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Batema and William Batema have returned from a 500 mile auto trip.

B. P. Donnelly, George Bosman, Percy Ray and Ben. Du Mez, were among those in Grand Rapids on business Monday.

Miss Beulah Du Saar is spending the holiday with her parents on W. 9th street.

Henry Brusse has returned from a trip through the cotton belt. He will be home for three weeks.

Edward Leeuw went to Detroit Monday to drive in an Essex sedan for the Brink & Leeuw garage.

Miss Katherine McBride, a student at the National Kindergarten Academy in Chicago is visiting her home for the holidays.

M. A. Clark, chemist for the De Pree Chemical Co. is seriously ill. Thelma Vrieling of Holland passed the week-end in Allegan with her grandmother Mrs. E. J. Marklike.—Allegan News.

Attorney G. J. Diekema returned from a business trip of two days at Columbus, Ohio.

John M. Slagh, professor of Latin in the Oak Park, Chicago, High School, is spending a few days in Holland visiting friends and relatives.

John Henry Meengs of Cedar Grove Wis., is home for the holidays. He is instructor at the Hope Classical Academy.

Fred Gallen of Detroit is visiting his parents for the holidays.

Tuesday—Marshall Lewis in "Burning Daylight" a Jack London story and Christy comedy.

AT THE STRAND



Good Pictures Direct Current

Thursday—Shirley Mason in "Girl of My Heart," by Frances Marion Mitchell and a big two reel Christy comedy.

Friday—Marie Doro with Godfrey Tears in "Midnight Gambols" and Mutt and Jeff and Lost City.

Saturday—D. F. Griffith's big masterpiece "Love Flower" and a Pollard comedy. First show 1:30.

Monday—Will Rogers in "Cupid, the Cowpuncher." Meet Will Rogers and his gang from the story Alec Lloyd Cowpuncher, a rip, roaring comedy drama also Jack Dempsey.

Tuesday—Madge Kennedy in "The Truth," good, full of fun and Christy comedy.

Wednesday—Mildred Harris Chaplin in "Inferior Sex." Big picture and big two reel Sunshine comedy.

HOLLAND BUSINESS STATISTICS SENT TO ENGINEER'S OFFICE

The Holland Harbor Board thru G. Van Schelven, secretary, Monday sent to L. W. Goddard, of the U. S. Engineer's office at Grand Rapids, in concise form the statistics as to Holland's industries that the department at Washington called for in connection with the movement to have the Holland harbor repaired and put in good condition. These statistics are asked for by the terms of the last rivers and harbors act, passed last June. What the department wanted was a statement as to the population, banking interests, business and manufacturing activities of the city. The statistics were compiled by Mr. Van Schelven from a large mass of information furnished him by the local business concerns and they are of interest to the general public here as well as to the authorities at Washington. It took Mr. Van Schelven more than a day to compile the figures although the complete final report covers only a very small space.

The business concerns covered in the report include the following: woodworking, lumber, etc.; iron, machinery, etc.; milling, etc.; breadstuffs; agricultural, musical, banking, pharmaceutical, etc. etc. etc. all other grouped under one head.

The total capital invested in these concerns is given as \$12,761,000; the total number of men employed 4,850; the annual output, \$46,392,000. The population of the city is given as 12,300. This is a couple of hundred more than the 1920 census gives, but several hundred of men engaged in Holland's industries live just outside the city limits, and with this fact in view the statement of population is extremely conservative.

The statistics are for Holland city only, and the Harbor Board, in its letter accompanying the statement, call attention to the fact that "no reference is had in the enclosed to the volume of shipments in and out of Holland Harbor via the Graham & Morton line to and from the neighboring cities of Zeeland and Grand Rapids."

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Ottawa Mutual Benefit society was held in the Visser hall. The following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year: President—John Slighter; Vice-Pres.—J. Haringsma; H. J. Beekfort, Secretary; A. Van Ry, Treas.

After the business was transacted a social hour was spent and short talks were given by different members of the society. The report of the treasurer showed that \$317 had been collected during the year and \$266 paid out for benefits. The balance on hand at the close of the fiscal year was \$316.

The Christmas holiday trade took a decided spurt in Holland beginning Saturday according to the statement of a number of merchants. One merchant declared that his total holiday business Saturday amounted to almost as much as his biggest day last year at Christmas time. Many lines of business gave similar reports for Saturday and in general holiday business, which had been lagging a bit, took a decided spurt as far as Holland business houses were concerned.

The picture that was to have been shown at the Colonial Monday and Tuesday, "The Hour Before Dawn" was not shown because the film burned up in Saginaw when on the way to Holland. The management substituted another good picture and hopes to get "The Hour Before Dawn" here later.

LESS THAN TWO WEEKS LEFT OF TAX GATHERING

There were only two Saturdays this year during the December tax gathering campaign. This is so unusual that it happens only once in a great many years. Usually there are four Saturdays during the winter tax month and occasionally even five. But this year taxgathering did not begin until the first Saturday of the month had passed. There are only four Saturdays in the month this year and the fourth is Christmas when no taxes will be collected. Saturday is a popular day on which to pay taxes but this year the people who wait until the last day of the week had little opportunity to do so.

Until Saturday night City Treasurer Henry Geerds had collected a total of \$33,120.76 in taxes. This week the usual office hours will be kept, but next week the treasurer's office will be open every evening until 9 o'clock, and on the last day of the year the office will be kept open as long as taxpayers keep coming.

Y RESERVES DEFEAT 2ND CONGREGATIONAL

The Holland Y Reserves defeated the 2nd Congregational Basket ball team of Grand Rapids Monday night in Grand Rapids. The game was fast all thru and the first half ended 19 to 1 in the Y's favor. The second half was played about even both sides caging a number of baskets. The Y was represented by the following lineup—Knutson, Warnshuis, Wyngarden, Knooihuizen, Zwemer, Ter Haar and Wolters. Knutson and Warnshuis were the basket makers for Holland, while Barney and Luther for Grand Rapids.

The game was played at Fairmont school and John Barkema refereed. The Y Reserves will play Seminary Wednesday night.

HOLLAND COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA CALLS FOR HELP

Here is a real opportunity for some public spirited citizen to render a great benefit to a movement which is helping our youth to develop into self-reliant, capable, clean manhood and citizenship.

In the past the Boy Scout movement in Holland has been somewhat handicapped owing to a lack of finances and a definite central organization. During the past few months, however, money has been liberally supplied by different organizations and the boys have been given two nights each week at the splendid high school gymnasium, where they also have a scout room for their business meetings. Also a splendid executive committee has been formed.

to supervise the work, and Mr. Ernest Brooks has been elected to be directly in charge as Scout Commissioner.

Now, the final great need is a down town office where the Executive Committee, Members of the Council, Scout Masters, and Scout Commissioner may have their general headquarters to hold meetings and discussions pertaining to the work, and to maintain a small library containing all necessary information pertaining to the work. A central meeting place of this kind would strengthen the supervising organization on whose success all the work as a whole really hinges. Such an office, donated by some public-spirited citizens, would place Holland on a proper footing in the Boy Scout movement for a city of its size, and its influence would be felt in nearly every home in the city, as the Boy Scout Movement reaches the boy and his relationship to the home in the only way that the boy can most easily be reached. That way is thru the activities he is most interested in.

There may be unused space in some building which the owner would be glad to have used rather than stand vacant. Perhaps some local business man, maintaining an office, would be glad to donate a part of his place toward this movement and thereby have someone in his office during his absence to answer telephone calls or business of any other nature while he is away.

Who will step to the front and answer this call? Kindly notify the Sentinel office at once.

LOCAL FIRM HAS SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS

The HollemanDeweerd Auto Co. are closing one of the most successful years from the standpoint of sales, of business and of expansion. The firm will deliver an average of nearly one new Ford car per day of the year. Thirty-five tractors were delivered since March 1, 1920. Their volume of business this year will exceed the \$400,000 mark.

A new building at Byron Center is nearly completed. Albert Balkema, contractor, of Grandville, was awarded the building contract. The heating and plumbing contract was awarded to B. J. W. Berghorst of Zeeland, the contract for electrical work to the Winstrom Electric Co. of Holland. The building when completed will be one of the largest modern suburban garages in Western Michigan.

Since the firm became incorporated, every one of the employees have purchased an interest in the firm and the concern takes pride in the fact that every employee is a stockholder.

During the fall of the year, the firm issued \$40,000 of eight per cent preferred stock of which more than sixty per cent has been sold thru the concern's own salesmen. More than fifty persons in the territory, the majority of whom own Ford cars or Fordson Tractors, are stockholders.

in the company.

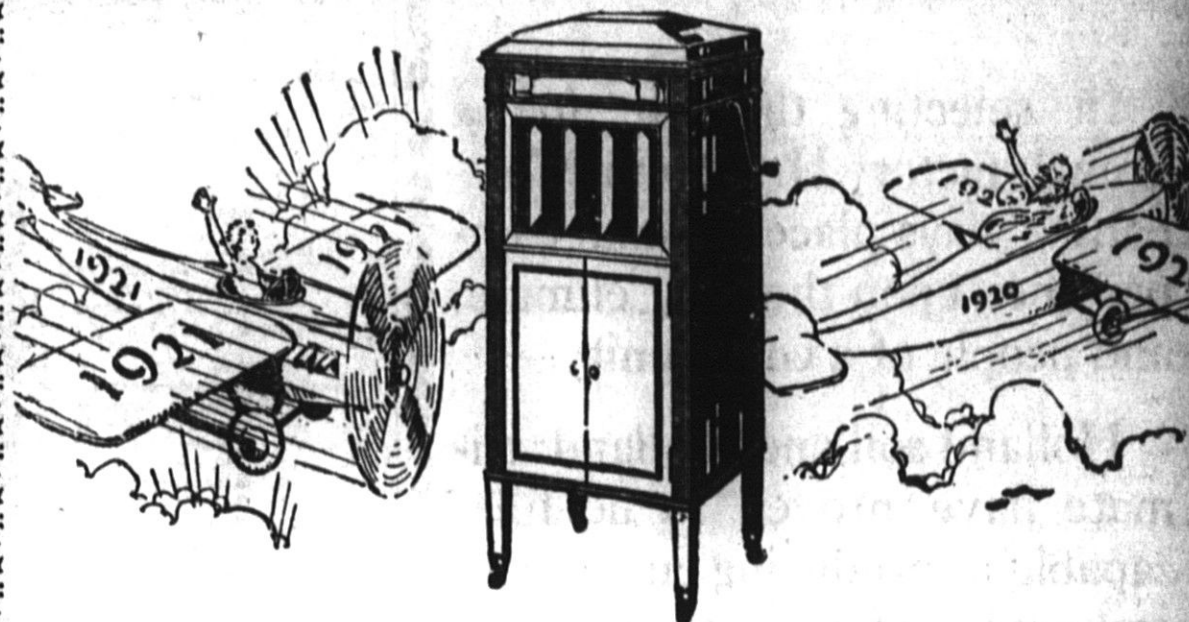
In spite of abnormal business conditions, the sale of new Ford cars has actually increased during the months of November and December. Sales have been stimulated by an active sales campaign, by the recent enormous cut in Ford prices, and thru the fact that Ford is today losing money on three of its models. This fact, coupled with the usual

spring shortage prompts many prospects to buy now.

The managers of the Holland-Deweerd Auto Co. have been assured that Ford cars will not be cheaper in the spring. On the contrary, the Ford Motor Co. is planning an adjustment of prices which will make the delivered price uniform in the United States. If this plan becomes effective, prices at points near the factory will be raised and prices at

points distant from the factory or assembly plants will be lowered.

Members of the firm look for a revival of business in the spring. They are preparing to take care of an unusual volume of trade for the year 1921, and are confident their volume of business for 1921 will eclipse any previous year by a wide margin. Practically their entire allotment of cars for March and April has already been sold.



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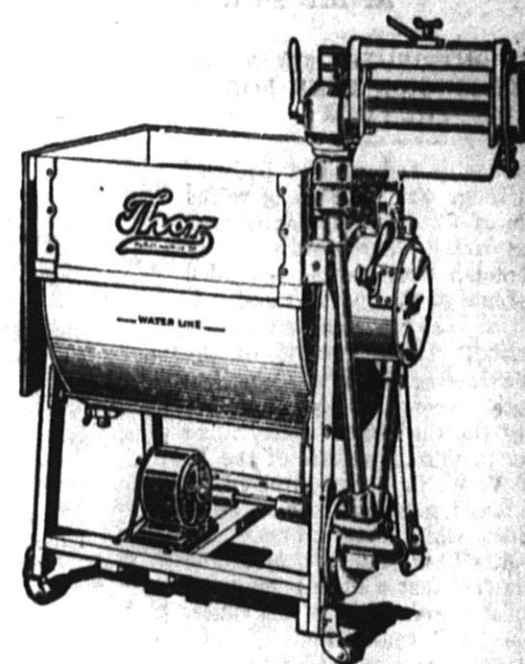
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By this great offer you can add a THOR to your Christmas plans without disturbing them a bit. Give the personal gifts just as you were going to but give the family a THOR now instead of waiting till later on. And while this great offer lasts you get this splendid machine for only \$5.00 down—just a five dollar bill—not another cent till Feb. 1st.

OFFER GOOD ON ANY THOR WASHER OR IRONER.

On this Christmas offer you may have any THOR washing machine or a Thor Electric ironer. \$5.00 for any washing machine. \$5.00 for the Thor ironing machine.

Remember, it does 95 per cent of all ironing. No more wonderful present could be given. Practical, useful gifts have become the rule for Xmas.

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Don't wait. Be sure of your machine. Place your Christmas order early. The great Christmas rush of 1920 is on. This is none too early to place your order. Wives! Call this announcement to your husbands attention. Husbands! Telephone or call and make your plans to give her the biggest and best surprise of her life. Take advantage of this offer now. This one-half price term opportunity positively closes at midnight December 24th.

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Thus at the close of another year we remain satisfied with our selection of Holland as the site for our Western Michigan factory.

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between Central and Michigan Avenues reported that they had found it advisable and necessary to have a lamp placed at said location, and that they had instructed the Board of Public Works to install same.

Accepted and approved.
The committee on sewers, drains and water courses reported recommending that the City Engineer be instructed to tunnel underneath the P. M. Railway at Sixth street near College Avenue in order to connect the premises of Frank Sink and Lucas Bass with the Sanitary sewer, and that the expense of same be collected from the party having such compulsory sewer contracts.

Adopted.
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CENT A QUART

The price of milk in Holland has come down. This is one of the most cheering Christmas greetings that can be imagined for the average householder who is naturally always on the look out for a drop in prices of the commodities that the family cannot possibly do without.

The Holland milk dealers announced Monday morning that the price milk in Holland after this would be twelve cents a quart instead of thirteen. The drop of one cent is now in effect. While it is not a big drop and will not mean a big cut in the family budget of the average family, the householder feels that every little bit helps, and the announcement will without doubt be greeted with a Christmas smile.

STRETCH OF PIER
TOPPLES OVER
INTO CHANNEL

The stretch of pier at Macatawa that was moved off its base early in the season by the wind has finally fallen into the channel, something that had been expected for some time. The pier at first was shoved over some four or five feet, and for a long time it hung precariously, leaning over into the channel. The storms of last week completed the work begun earlier in the season, and now the bit of pier lies on its side in the channel.

There is now a gap of some three hundred feet almost opposite the Coast Guard station. With the pier a good deal of sand has slipped into the channel but not enough to make the passage of vessels impossible.

The broken pier and the sand obstruct about thirty feet of the north side of the channel. But in view of the fact that the channel is 180 feet wide at that point there is still plenty of space for vessels to pass the obstruction, and it is not believed that navigation will be seriously interfered with next spring.

ZEELAND BIRDS WIN IN
ILLINOIS STATE CONTEST

Q. DeVries Zeeland is in receipt of a beautiful prize ribbon as evidence that his entries in the Illinois State Egg Laying Contest, came in the winning class for November. This contest is participated in by all the leading poultry breeders throughout the country, and the prize winners are sure to be high laying specimens. The birds are all held for a whole year and have monthly rottings with prize ribbons. At the end of the year the winners will be determined and their owners will receive certificates.

THE MAYFLOWER
WILL GO IN HOLLAND
FOR ONE CENT

Postage stamps of a special series commemorative of the Pilgrim tercentenary celebration soon will be on sale at the Holland postoffice.

The special series which now is being prepared for distribution by the department at Washington will include: 1c stickers green in color and bearing a picture of the Mayflower; 2c stamps red in color and bearing a representation of the landing of the Pilgrim and 5c stamps blue in color and with picture of the signing of the compact.

All stamps in the series will be appropriately one and one-sixteenth by three-fourths inches in size. Across the top will be lettered "Pilgrim Tercentenary", and beneath each picture its title on a curved scroll. Down the left side will be a decorative panel of hawthorne blossoms and along the right side another of trailing arbutus.

Stamps of this issue will be sold only on request as the supply is limited.

HOLLAND Y QUINTET TO
DEFEAT JUNIOR COLLEGE FIVE

Wednesday evening the local Y quintet will play the Junior College five of Grand Rapids in the Carnegie Gym. Coach Drew gave his men a good work out Monday in preparation for the game. Last Wednesday the game with Kalamazoo showed there could be much improvement. Junior College of Grand Rapids has one of the strongest college teams in the state this season. Last Saturday they held the Grand Rapids Y to a 20 to 17 score.

The preliminary will be between the Western Theological Seminary and the Y Reserves. This will be the Seminary students' first game and will likely be an interesting fray. The preliminary will commence at 7:30 P. M.

Black Lake is completely frozen over for the first time this year. At least it is frozen over so far as the eye can see from this end of the lake and Capt. Van Weelden of the U. S. Coast Guard reports the same from that end of the lake.

BEAUTIFUL GIFT
JEWELRY

The sterling design of this season's jewelry styles are well represented in our cases.

QUALITY—STYLE—BEAUTY

You're assured of the best when you buy your jewelry here. One of the most favored of ladies' neck ornaments is a string of beautiful Pearls.

Also especially popular this season are:—

Ladies' Wrist Watches, Gents Pocket Watches,
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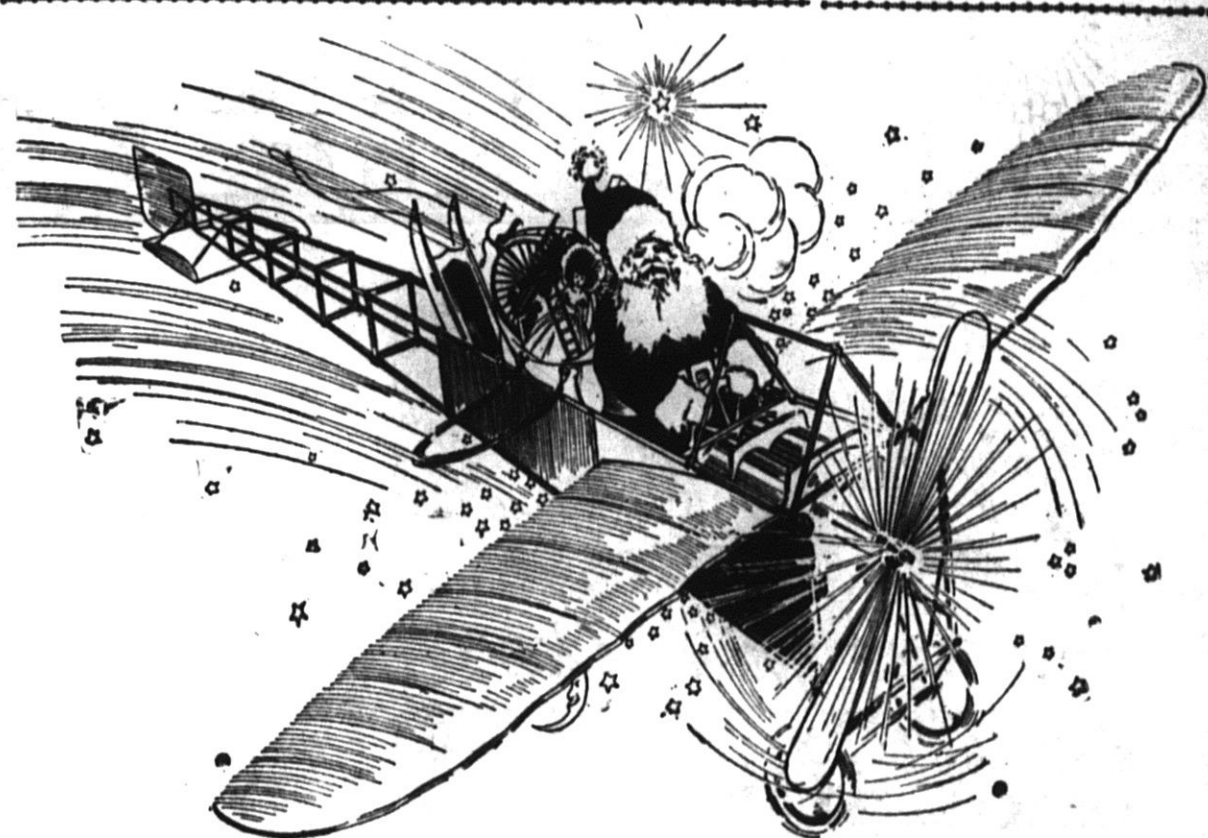
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JEWELRY STORE

24 East Eighth Street,

Holland, Michigan.



Christmas Gifts.

Our large assortment of useful Christmas Gifts will help you settle the perplexing question as to what to give. We call to your attention just a few of the many things we have to offer:

Japanese Vases,
Japanese Nut Bowls,
Cut Glass,
White Ivory,
Kid Gloves,
Handkerchiefs,
Purses,
Fruit Bowls,
Silk Hosiery,

Ribbons,
Fancy Waists,
Fancy Aprons,
Bath Robes,
Camisoles,
Sweater Coats,
Cloaks,
Suits,
Skirts.

Be sure and visit our "Serve Self" Grocery and see the remarkable savings we are offering.

Holland, DU MEZ BROS. Mich.

"THE PILGRIMS" GREETED BY A PACKED HOUSE

PAGEANT IS WELL STAGED;
SHOWS NATION'S PROGRESS
IN PANTOMIME N

Pictures the Sturdy Pilgrims Landing;
Country's Development Even to
Airplane Period

"The Pilgrim's" a pageant by Constance D'Arcy Mackay, presented at Holland's High school auditorium was greeted by an enthusiastic audience and what is more the building was packed to the doors in spite of the inclement weather.

Folks no doubt felt rather sturdy having the Pilgrims of 1620 in mind and sleet with slippery walks did not deter them from attending so worthy a production, and by their presence encouraging the efforts of those who made this interesting and educational spectacle possible.

From the production one could readily form a mind-picture of how these simple-minded people, called Pilgrims, awoke one fine morning on board the staunch white-winged ship the "Mayflower" and with astonished gaze, cast their eyes upon an unbroken tangle of forests. How with trepidation they must have landed at Plymouth Rock, fearing the unknown dangers that might be hidden in this awesome wilderness. How gingerly they must have made their first investigation of those darkened glades before settling down to pioneering in the impenetrable wilds among new, but trying environments.

The first episode depicts the denizens of the Plymouth colony going to meeting on a Sabbath morning. The men and women dressed in Quaker garb marched two by two thru the unbroken forest. Heading the solemn procession, armed guards, with blunderbusses well loaded kept a weather eye open for any danger that might cross their path. Coily

the madens followed and armed Pilgrims bring up the rear. Preparedness was ever the watchword, even in the days of the Pilgrims, for an attack from Indians, featuring grotesquely in paint and feathers, soon followed. But the Red Men were soon subdued as these children of the woods with bow and arrow were no match for the Pilgrim who had his flint-lock and a well-filled powder horn.

The Indian attack apparently did not interrupt the services nor dampen the religious fervor that dominated the Pilgrims, for soon a real orthodox Lutheran hymn was sounded and came echoing thru the forest. In this episode is also pictured the drab everyday life that the Pilgrim must have led. The spirit of intolerance was plainly evident on every hand and the straight and narrow path of piety was the only one that these forefathers of ours were bound and were allowed to travel. A young maiden busily spinning her yarn from a wheel out of doors was frowned upon and ordered to leave her shady nook, where gentle breezes coolly blew her tresses about and the blue sky overhead filled her with admiration for things in nature that were beautiful. No, she must go indoors where spinning is supposed to be done.

A Quaker school is next depicted, with its full compliment of bright and dull students as the case might be. The print teacher with a handful of blue beeches as an implement of punishment, together with her questions directed to the pupils and the answers received in turn, brought about some laughable situations. The bible in the school was no issue in those days as there were several in evidence, and besides the terminating of a school day's work was invariably followed by the repeating of the Lord's Prayer in unison.

The real characters who first appear are Priscilla Mullens and Mr. and Mrs. William Brewster. At the close of the episode the Spirit of America appears to Brewster and remains as the dominant figure thruout the rest of the pageant.

America (in the person of Miss Frances Howlett) in a dream reveals to Brewster the wonderful accom-

plishments that have been made possible within these three hundred years and this pioneer of the forest—this simple minded Pilgrim—is shown what has been the outgrowth of their early beginning and what has been built upon the foundation, laid by the men of Plymouth Rock.

Before him, pass in a kaleidoscopic review, events that mark the pages of American history; Washington, Penn, Franklin and Lincoln pass before the Pilgrim in person. The event in the lives of these great men are depicted in pantomime.

America describes vividly the four great war periods in which this nation was involved. The Revolutionary war, the Civil war, the Spanish-American war and finally the great World war. And as America described these combats waged to free humanity and perpetuate democracy the Pilgrim is destined to see these noble soldiers who did battle in these conflicts. Deeds of valor is not all that this Pilgrim was destined to see. America who gives way to Progress (in the person of Miss Mary Donnelly) has still more startling revelations to make. Progress reveals to the astonished Pilgrim the development of wonderful achievements brought by men of peace. Mighty giants of science, art and letters pass before him. Men endowed with inventive genius are made known to him, and stands in wonderment, the Pilgrim is entirely unable to grasp the full meaning of the unbelievable things that he has been made to see.

Great men such as Stuart, Whistler, Hunt, St. Gaudens, Mac Dowell, Franklin, Field, Bell, The Wrights, and Edison are presented to him. He sees the result of their handiwork. The cable across the ocean, the telephone, the wireless, and the airplane, and his astonishment knows no bounds.

In this episode dancing girls with faces covered, appear before the astonished Brewster and with static step encircle the wondering Pilgrim, he asking of America, "who are these with covered faces?" America replies, "we have shown you the possibilities of the past, these are future years and even I cannot reveal their import, but future generations will know what they have in store."

And so the scroll of American history covering the past 300 years was unfolded step by step and in the grand finale the Pilgrims of Plymouth Rock passed in awesome wonder before America's achievements up to the present day.

Although most of the pageant is in the form of a tableau, Paul Van Verst as William Brewster and Frances Howlett as America, and Mary Donnelly as Progress took the speaking parts. All did excellent work, and handled their respective lines like veterans.

Miss Ruth Keppel and her High school orchestras gave the audience a genuine surprise. The citizens of Holland are generally not aware that the high school has an orchestra that has developed such a marked degree of perfection.

Miss Martha Barkema favored the audience with a vocal solo and very pleasingly sang "Mighty Lak" a Rose."

The entire cast did mighty fine work, "We'll tell the world." What the Pilgrim's expression would be is hard to conjecture.

The pageant will be repeated to-night.

Following is the program that will be given at the Pilgrim pageant in the high school auditorium:

Episode One—An open glade near Plymouth Colony on a Sabbath morning.

Episode Two—The same glade on a week day. The characters who first appear are Priscilla Mullens and Mr. and Mrs. William Brewster. At the close of the episode the Spirit of America appears to Brewster and remains as the dominant figure thruout the rest of the pageant.

Episode Three—Out of doors in a New England colony a hundred years later.

Episode Four—America introduces some of her great soldiers and statesmen.

Episode Five—The years summon the Spirit of Progress who shows some of America's great artists and scientists.

Episode Six—Ensemble.
Cast of leading characters—William Brewster—Paul Van Verst; Mrs. Brewster—Esther Bazaan; Priscilla Mullins—Adelia Henevelt; Miles Standish—Egbert Fell; John Carver—Frederick Stegkeda; William Bradford—Henry Oosting; John Alden—Russel Haight; A Man—Frank De Young; A Woman—Wil-

helmina Rinkes; America—Frances Howlett; Progress—Mary Donnelly. Bert Meulenbelt of Hamilton was calling on friends in Holland Tuesday.

Christmas Specials

Good Percale, yard wide	15c.
Plaid Dress Gingham	20c.
Best Apron Gingham	18c.
Men's \$1.75 Shirts and Drawers	\$1.25
Blankets per pair	\$1.50
40c. White Outing Flannel	19c.

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By the piece, by the dozen
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next Christmas you will have
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Our Christmas Club is the most attractive plan for saving money ever devised. It enables those of small means, those in moderate circumstances, and even those of large interests to lay aside money. It provides a method for accumulating money by systematic saving.

How to Join -- It is Easy.

Look at the tables below and select the club you wish to join and come into our Bank with the first deposit. We will make you a member of the club and give you a pass book showing the club you have joined.

This is all there is to it. No cost or dues, or red tape.

Have \$500
Next Christmas
You can if you put
\$10 a week
in OUR
CHRISTMAS CLUB

HOW TO HAVE MONEY NEXT CHRISTMAS

Increasing Club Plan

1c CLUB	Deposit 1c 1st week, 2c 2nd week.	\$ 12.75
	Increase 1c each week--in 50 weeks	
2c CLUB	Deposit 2c 1st week, 4c 2nd week.	25.50
	Increase 2c each week--in 50 weeks	
5c CLUB	Deposit 5c 1st week, 10c 2nd week	63.75
	Increase 5c each week--in 50 weeks	
10c CLUB	Deposit 10c 1st week, 20c 2nd week	127.50
	Increase 10c each week--in 50 weeks	

Even Amount Club Plan

25c CLUB	Deposit 25c each week--in 50 weeks	\$ 12.50
50c CLUB	Deposit 50c each week--in 50 weeks	25.00
\$1 CLUB	Deposit \$1 each week--in 50 weeks	50.00
\$2 CLUB	Deposit \$2 each week--in 50 weeks	100.00

Even Amount Club Plan

\$5 CLUB	Deposit \$5 each week--in 50 weeks	\$ 250.00
\$10 CLUB	Deposit \$10 each week--in 50 weeks	500.00
\$20 CLUB	Deposit \$20 each week--in 50 weeks	1,000.00
\$100 CLUB	Deposit \$100 each week--in 50 weeks	5,000.00

WHY WE HAVE THIS CLUB

It is part of the business of our Bank to encourage thrift and to teach economy. In no better way can we render service to all of the people of this city and community than by giving them a definite plan for saving their money. Our Christmas Club is just such a plan.

To make "Savers" not "Spenders" out of our girls and boys.

To enable everyone, old and young, to become acquainted with the banking business, so that when they have money they will know its value and how to take care of it.

To give a "Bank Connection" and show how our Bank can help you in financial matters.

A CLUB FOR THE BABY AND THE BIG BUSINESS MAN

All parents want their children to save their money so that when they are grown up they will have the money necessary to make their "start."

Our Christmas Club is the ideal method for this purpose.

Big business men realize that there may come a time when some READY MONEY would come in very handy, and there is no easier way of having this ready money than by systematic deposits in our Christmas Club. It will not injure your business or cause any inconvenience to lay aside some money each week—and when you do need it—you have it. Every business man knows this is true.

JOIN OUR Christmas Club Today.

HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK



Will Next Christmas Find You Ready for It?

Will you have ample funds to purchase gifts for all your loved ones—gifts as nice as you want them to have? Or will you be compelled to economize on them all in order to slight none?

You can meet next Christmas with plenty of ready cash if you will join our Christmas Savings Club now and lay aside a small sum every week until gift-buying time.

Ask for details.

We Pay Good Interest on All Club Deposits

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Just a little each week in one
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Puts your mind at ease on Christmas shopping problems for an entire year at least.

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KEEPING THE STOMACH

Healthful

Health Talk No. 6

By JOHN DE JONGE, D. C.

"So you too have been forced to live on crackers and milk and other equally uninteresting and joyless diets." How often has this remark been addressed to you?

Barring abuse, everyone should be able to eat what he likes in reasonable quantity, without suffering. The facts, however, are that nearly every one is limiting himself, and trying to temper the quantity and kind of foods eaten just to pamper a delicate stomach.

Stomach health depends upon a normal supply of nervous energy. The chiropractor finds the alignment of joints of the spine disturbed at what is shown as "stomach place" in every case of stomach disease. When a chiropractic spinal adjustment accurately restores the alignment of "stomach place" digestion once more becomes vigorous and effective.

Stomach Health is Restored!

"At the age of sixteen I went into a shop and hard work and poor meals, gave me a nervous stomach weakness. I suffered terribly for four years, paying specialists of all kinds for relief which never came. I had about given up hope when I began chiropractic adjustments. Today I am sound and well."—BESSIE TAU, Chiropractic Research Bureau Statement No. 1245 D.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Camp Tawankwa, under the guardianship of Miss Geiger, went on a hike to Macatawa Park Saturday.

Miss Sleezer, State secretary of Y. W. C. A. was at the High School Wednesday afternoon and helped to organize the Girl Reserves. Martha Gabbard was elected president; Beatrice Tyner, vice-president; Mary Pieters, secretary; Anna Meengs, treasurer. Miss Sleezer also spoke in assembly Thursday morning.

The High Y Club was led by Dr. Leenhouts Thursday evening, and he gave a talk on the "Formation of Good Habits." Mr. Fred Beuwerkes visited the club and made a few appropriate remarks.

Regular meeting of the Kappa Delta Literary society was held on Thursday evening. A clever Christmas playlet "The Bells of St. John's" was given.

Mr. Riemersma read the averages of the different classes Friday morning: the 12-1 class averaged 88.67%; 11-2 class 88.27%; 12-1 class, 87.80%; 11-1 class 87.40%; 9-1 class, 86.62%; 10-2 class, 85.35%; 10-1 class, 85.11%; 9-2 class, 84.98%. The average for the entire school was 87.14.

DON'T FIND OUT WITH MATCH IF GAS TANK IS EMPTY

Allegan News—A man came near losing a Dodge touring car by fire at Allegan at the Brown Bros. Ford agency, and that in a very foolish manner. He went there to buy gasoline and foolishly lit a match to see how near the tank was filled. He found out. The lighted match had no sooner been thrust near the gasoline tank than up shot the flames of the ignited gas. Those standing near called to the man not to light the match when they saw what he intended to do. Luckily Mr. James Martin, the electrician in the garage had the bravery to place his open hand over the opening in the tank and thus put out the blazing fluid, though the burning gas around the opening burned his hand badly. The act saved the Dodge car, but who would run the risk of life for the value of a car? It was not only a brave act but one not many men would perform.

"And Santa, Be Sure and Don't Forget—"



HOLLAND FOX COMPANY ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING OF NEWEST INDUSTRY HERE HELD THURSDAY

Concern Starts Business With Eight Pairs of Foxes; Expects a Thriving Business

The Holland Silver Black Fox Co. held its annual meeting Thursday and the following officers and directors were elected by the stockholders for the ensuing year: Harry Huntley, president; Arend Siersma, vice-president; Arend Smith, secretary; Lee De Feyter, treasurer and manager. Cornell De Waard, member of board of directors.

Although fox raising is somewhat of a new venture for Holland, it nevertheless is a large industry in the United States and Canada, involving millions of dollars.

The Holland Silver Black Fox Co. is starting in the business with eight pairs of the best strain of foxes that are procurable. They are out of the Prince Edward Isle, Canada, stock, the original stock having cost \$20,000.00 for three pair. Anybody interested in the fox business is invited to the farm which is located near Pine Creek on the Grand Haven pike road.

At the stockholders' meeting it was decided to sell about \$3,000.00 worth of treasury stock, which is the only stock unsubscribed. The future of the Silver Black Fox can be judged from the price of pelts at the present time on the St. Louis market. They are quoted at a higher price than the last fur sale in the face of the fact that all other furs have fallen to a very low mark.

The highest price paid last year was \$2700 for one pelt, and the average price for primed, unprimed, good, bad and indifferent pelts was a little less than \$400 per pelt. Mr. Siersma at the corner hardware is ready to explain the stock proposition.

A considerable number of people from Holland attended the convention of the National Silver Fox Breeders Association in Muskegon a week ago. They gathered a great deal of information about the business and gained many pointers on how to make it a success here. It is such a new industry so far as Holland is concerned that comparatively few people have as yet learned what the prospects are in the business but considerable interest is shown in the fox farm north of Holland and many are visiting the place.

Andrew Lubbers of Hamilton has an oil company in that territory. He will begin work Jan. 1.

Mrs. R. Van Dyke spent the week-end in Grand Rapids.

DEBATE WITH DETROIT LAW SCHOOL IS ARRANGED

LOCAL STUDENTS WILL DISCUSS COMPULSORY ARBITRATION IN LABOR DISPUTES

The Debating League of Hope College has completed final arrangements with the Detroit School of Law, for a debate to be held sometime during the earlier part of February. Two teams from each institution will participate in the debate, one to be held in Detroit and the other here. The debaters that are to meet the lawyers here will uphold the negative side of the question. They are: Judson Osterhof, Dick Blocker, and Daniel DeGraaf. Maurice Visser, Anthony Engleman and Winfield Burggraaf will take the affirmative side in the debate at Detroit. The question for the debate reads: "Resolved, That the Federal Government shall adopt a system of compulsory arbitration to settle all labor disputes in the basic industries."

Mr. and Mrs. John Kronmeyer announce the engagement of their daughter Gladys to Clarence Klies. Miss Kronmeyer is at present teaching in the public schools at Hamilton and Mr. Klies is principal of the Saugatuck High School.

ZEELAND CHURCH ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The First Chr. Ref. church at Zeeland, the elders for the ensuing term to begin January 1, are P. Bareman, N. Frankena, H. Geerlings and T. Palmboos. The deacons elected are: J. Joling, R. Nykamp, P. Van Noord, and J. Vereeke. The contributions for the year amounted to \$9,959.37, of which amount nearly two thousand dollars was for special purposes, mainly missions.

SHERIFF'S WIFE GIVEN A FAREWELL AT GRAND HAVEN

Mrs. Cornelius Dornbos was delightfully surprised at her home on Fourth street by a company of her friends, the occasion being a farewell to Mrs. Dornbos who is leaving the first of the new year for Holland. Following an evening devoted to visiting, supper was served at the large table which was attractively trimmed with flowers and shaded candle light. Those present were Mesdames Dornbos and Richard O'Brien and the Misses Williams Young, Anna VanHorsen, Miss Julia Den Herder, Miss Dorothy Den Herder.

ENGAGEMENT OF LOCAL COUPLE ANNOUNCED TODAY

The engagement was announced Friday of Miss Frances M. Thoms, and Mr. Walter A. Scholten. Miss Thoms is of Mesopotamia, Arabia, and is at present a member of the Senior class of Hope College. Mr. Scholten is a graduate of Hope College and is at present a student at the New Brunswick Theological Seminary.

FOR SALE—Young Gurnsey cow, soon to freshen. Martin Van Leeuwen, near Saugatuck.

NOT SO MANY DIVORCE CASES IN OTTAWA COUNTY

SIXTEEN CASES LISTED FOR TRIAL ON CRIMINAL CALENDAR FOR TERM

Holland and Vicinity Supplies Its Share of the Quota To Be Tried

The January term of the Ottawa County Circuit court will furnish considerable activity for judge and jury, to say nothing of the attorneys. The January calendar has been compiled and a survey of the work at hand shows the following cases; criminal, 16; civil jury cases, 7; civil non-jury, 11; chancery, contested, 13; chancery, default, 5; cases in which no progress has been made for more than one year, 11.

There are but seven divorce cases on for trial in Ottawa county at the January term of court, four of them are contested and three are default cases. The divorce cases are not published, under the court rules, until after decree has been granted.

Holland as usual furnishes its quota of cases in all classifications.

The following is the criminal calendar for January, People vs. E. K. Laning et al, malicious destruction of property; People vs. Pearl Rosenberg, for sentence; People vs. Lucas Grabiec for sentence; People vs. J. Vander Wagon, disorderly; People vs. Chester Van Lopik, certiorari; People vs. Peter Koopman, disorderly, appeal; People vs. Roy Swanson, bastardy; People vs. K. Krazk, violation of Prohibition Law; People vs. George Vander Poel, for sentence; People vs. Jacob Reims, violation of prohibition law; People vs. Willis Wolter, larceny from vessel; People vs. Clarence Jager, bastardy; People vs. Peter Koopman, liquor law; People vs. Charles Reghel, liquor law; People vs. Harry Maxted, Art Pickering and Richard Vander Meulen, unlawful use of auto.

Civil Jury Cases—Adeline Rasmussen, vs. Francis Bryce; Glen D. Cain vs. Charles Taylor; Kent Fuel Co. a corporation vs. Rink VanTil, et al; Maggie Ott vs. S. A. Wilson; Anna Schudd vs. Robert Oss; Leonard E. Braggio vs. Leonard D. Kroll et al; Jamison Lumber Shingle Co. vs. the Bolhuis Lumber & Mfg. Co.

Many Non-Jury Cases
Anna Van Hattma vs. Arthur Van Duren; Herbert Terberry vs. Fred J. Addison, Jr. and Arthur Killian; Hass. Bonding & Insurance Co. vs. Admrew or Hoef, et al; William Helminck vs. Michigan R'y company; Mary Donker, Admr. vs. W. M. Callister, et al; Mary Link vs. W. B. Bauman, et al; Glen Pellman, et al vs. E. A. Gibbs; H. Van Dyke vs. Wm. Nykamp; Peter Berghuis vs. Max Duwe & Co. Inc., et al; E. L. Wellfatin vs. Holland Co-operative Ass'n; Edward Peters, et al to vacate plat.

Chancery Causes Contested—Jennie Isenhardt et al vs. Clara Johnson to quiet title; Walter H. Clark vs. James H. Tuttle to quiet title; Mary H. Boyce vs. N. R. Howlett accounting; Henry G. Moes vs. John Moes, accounting; Katherine Vander Veen vs. Clara Quinn, injunction; George Fitzpatrick et al vs. George Yore, et al, to set aside deed; Frank L. Pike et al vs. Macatawa Resort Co., Jay H. Grebel vs. Robert B. Grant injunction; Jarrett N. Clark vs. Elizabeth Allen Chapman.

Chancery Causes, Default—First Reformed church of Allendale vs. W. M. Ferry or unknown heirs to quiet title; G. Witteveen, et al vs. Augusta Hurlburt, et al to quiet title.

No Progress Made in These Cases in which no progress has been made for more than one year—B. W. Donaldson vs. Wm. F. West; Lambertus Vander Laan vs. Reindert DeVries; Della Schultz vs. Walter Zwemer; Jacob Heyboer vs. Arthur Van Duren et al; Everet Boersma vs. Abraham Post; Peoples State Bank vs. Henry Winter, Admr.; Thos. Cusack vs. T. R. Meyers, et al.

VRUWINK TAKING ACTIVE INTEREST IN SPORTS

Rev. Henry A. Vruwink a graduate of Hope College, now pastor of the Second Reformed church of Grand Haven is taking an active interest in sports at the county seat. He has taken a special interest in the Company F basketball team and can be seen at every game.

The energetic dominie opened the first game of the season between the Grand Haven and Muskegon teams by tossing the first ball into the fray.

Henry Vruwink knows all about the game being one of the big five at Hope in 1906 and 1907 when George De Kruij was coach.

His brother John was even a better player occupying a star position on the Chicago University team after he left Hope College.

Grand Haven fans will find that they have a minister who knows all about the fine points of the game.

Percy Ray of the West Michigan Furniture Co. is in Chicago on business.

Wm. Winstrom of the Winstrom Electric Co. was in Byron Center on business Friday.

NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED BY MASONIC ORDER

The new officers of Unity Lodge F. & A. M. were installed in Masonic Hall Wednesday evening with much ceremony. Messrs Snyder, Donaldson and Anderson of Grand Rapids were the installing officers. It was a public meeting and many guests were present. Addresses were given by Rev. P. P. Cheff and Supt. E. E. Fell. A luncheon and smoker followed the installation ceremonies, Mr. Percy Ray presiding as toastmaster.

The following officers were installed: W. A. Cobb, W. M.; Merrick Hanchett, S. W.; M. A. Bosworth, J. W.; C. A. Bigge, S. D.; C. E. Drew, J. D.; Edward Sooter, Sec.; Mayo Hadden, Treas.; Stewart, L. Risto and Mr. Combs; Tyler, Wm. Murphy; marshal, Jay Den Herder.

HOPE COLLEGE

PLAYERS WIN A

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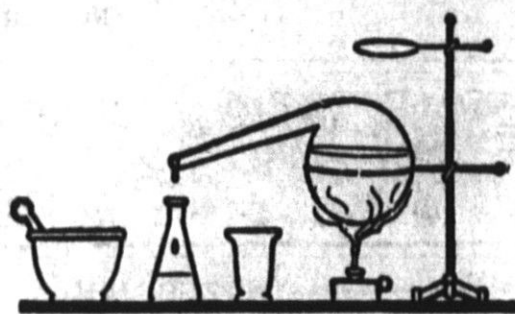
The second basketball game of the season scored a second and double victory for Hope. A record audience including the representation of Calvin College of 100 rooters, witnessed the games at Carnegie Gym. Thursday night. A band of each college added signally to the enthusiasm and spirit shown by the strong support of the studentry. Even music was furnished in masquerade style when a delegation of the local band, aided by college comedians, entertained the audience with a stunt.

The preliminary game between the Calvin Rivals and Hope Reserves, ended with the score 19-18, in favor of Hope. This game proved more interesting than anticipated, as neither team lent much satisfaction as to superiority. The first half ended 11-9, favoring the locals. In the second half the visitors were on the offensive until the Reserves brought the score to a 17-17 tie, with about five more minutes to play. Dave Priest starred for the Reserve team. Calvin scored five field goals, and eight out of 14 foul throws. The Reserves scored eight field goals and three out of seven foul throws. Haken refereed the game.

The big game was hailed with a great deal of applause. Both sides were somewhat delinquent in starting the score, until the locals finally took the initiative and led through the game. The game ended with the big margin of 30-13 in favor of Hope.

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At the Congregational meeting of the First Christian Reformed church of Zeeland, it was decided to raise the salary of the pastor, Rev. M. Van Vessum to \$2,200 a year. At the congregational meeting of the 2nd Reformed church, the pastor, Rev. B. Hoffman was presented with \$300 in cash.



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SOLDIER DEAD ON WAY HOME FROM FRANCE

The bodies of three Grand Haven soldiers who gave their lives for their country are on the way home from France. Relatives of the boys who made the supreme sacrifice for America, have been notified by the government that the remains of the soldiers are now on the way. They will arrive in New York and received by the government, later being sent from there to Grand Haven. No information has as yet been received as to when they will reach Grand Haven.

The bodies are those of Sergeant Paul Fett, formerly of Company L, who was killed in August 1918, at Juvigny, when the 32nd division advanced in the face of heavy machine gun fire an wrestled important positions away from the enemy.

Paul Fett, one of the best known of the soldiers of old Company F, fell in the fighting in the front line. In the same engagement many of his company comrades fell dead or badly wounded from the terrible machine gun fire.

Sergeant Fett will be buried with military honors, both Company F, the present M. N. G. company and the American Legion turning out to pay tribute to the memory of the well known soldier. No time can be fixed for the service as yet.

Frank Mastenbrook, popular high school boy, who went overseas with the U. S. Engineers, died of illness in France and was buried there. Several of his old friends visited his grave in France. His brother Paul Mastenbrook of Grand Haven was overseas with him.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Scott have been notified that the body of their son, Leonard Scott, who died of illness in France, was being sent to America. Leonard Scott at the time of his death was a member of Co. F, 310th Engineers. He had served both his own country and Great Britain in the military service.

NOTICE

I will be in Holland at Vander Bie & Dulven's Garage on Tuesday, December 28th, for the purpose of distributing license plates.

JOHN H. DEN HERDER,
Treas. of Ottawa County.

NOTICE

I will be in Zeeland on Tuesday, the 21st at the Zeeland State Bank, to issue auto license plates. Application blanks can be obtained there.

Will be at Hudsonville on Wednesday the 22nd at the Garage.

John H. Den Herder,

NOTICE—To the taxpayers of Olive Township:—I will be at First State Bank, Saturday, Dec. 18 and Saturday, January 8; at Koops' store, at Borculo, Dec. 21 and January 4; at West Olive store, Dec. 28 and Jan. 6; at home every Friday. Bert Vander Zwaag, Olive Township, Treasurer.

Exp. Dec. 25

Expires Jan. 8—8179

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 17th day of December, A. D. 1920.

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

In the Matter of the estate of

UOE BATEMAN, Deceased

Grietje Wierda having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, That the

17th day of January, A. D. 1921

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.

A true copy—

Cora Vande Water, Register of Probate.

Expires Jan. 8—8862

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 10th day of December, A. D. 1920.

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

In the Matter of the estate of

PETER BROWN, Deceased

Otto P. Kramer, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

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Expires Dec. 25—8860

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 2nd day of December, A. D. 1920.

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

In the Matter of the estate of

GERARDINA FRALIJEMMA, Deceased

John De Jongh having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, That the

3rd day of January, A. D. 1921

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Expires Dec. 25—8860

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 2nd day of December, A. D. 1920.

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

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

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

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said county on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1920.

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

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No. 8823—Expires Dec. 25
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

In the Matter of the Estate of

HARRISON THORP, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 3rd of December A. D. 1920, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at the probate office in the City of Grand Haven, in said county on or before the 3rd day of April A. D. 1921, and that said claims will be heard by said court on

Tuesday the 4th day of April A. D. 1921 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Dec. 3 A. D. 1920.

JAMES J. DANHOF, Judge of Probate.

Expires Dec. 25—No. 8493

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said county on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1920.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of

JAN VAN VOORST, Deceased

Peter Naber having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

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Expires Dec. 25

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

In the Matter of the Estate of

JOHN G. HUIZINGA, Plaintiff.

vs.

The Unknown Heirs of Harm Jan Smit and George B. Smit, and their respective unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, defendants.

Present:—The Hon. Orien S. Cross, Circuit Judge.

On filing the Bill of Complaint in this cause, it appearing that it is not known and that the plaintiff, after diligent search and inquiry, has been unable to ascertain whether the defendants, the unknown heirs of Harm Jan Smit and George B. Smit, and their respective unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are living or dead, or where they may reside if living, or whether the title, interest claim, lien, or possible right to the real estate hereinafter described, has been assigned to any person or persons, or if dead, whether they have representatives or heirs living, or where some or any of them reside, or whether such title, interest claim, lien, or possible right to the said following described real estate has been disposed of by will, and that plaintiffs have been unable after diligent search and inquiry to ascertain the names of said persons included as defendants herein.

NOW THEREFORE on motion of Diekema, Kollen & Ten Cate, attorneys for plaintiff, it is ordered that the said defendants, the unknown heirs of Harm Jan Smit and George B. Smit, and their respective unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, and every one of them shall enter their appearance in this cause within three months from the date of this order; and that within twenty days the plaintiff shall cause this order to be published in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in the city of Holland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, and that such publication shall continue once each week for six weeks in succession.

The above entitled cause concerns title to the following described property located in the city of Holland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, as follows:

Lot numbered Five (5) in Block Numbered Fifty-five (55), in said city of Holland, according to the recorded plat thereof, of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan.

Dated, Grand Haven, Michigan, Nov. 10th, A. D. 1920.

ORIEN S. CROSS, Circuit Judge.

Diekema Kollen & Ten Cate, Attorneys for plaintiff.

Business Address—Holland, Michigan.

The sole and only purpose in bringing this suit is to remove certain clouds from the record title of the following described premises situated in the city of Holland, County of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, as follows: Lot numbered Five (5) in block numbered, fifty-five (55), in said city of Holland, according to the recorded plat thereof, of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan.

DIEKEMA KOLLEN & TEN CATE, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Orrie J. Sluiter, County Clerk.

Expires Dec. 25—7075

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 1st day of December, A. D. 1920.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of

PETER DE KRAKER, Deceased

Peter J. Zalsman having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

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Expires Dec. 25—7388

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said county, on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1920.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of

WILLIAM LUTWENSE, Deceased

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

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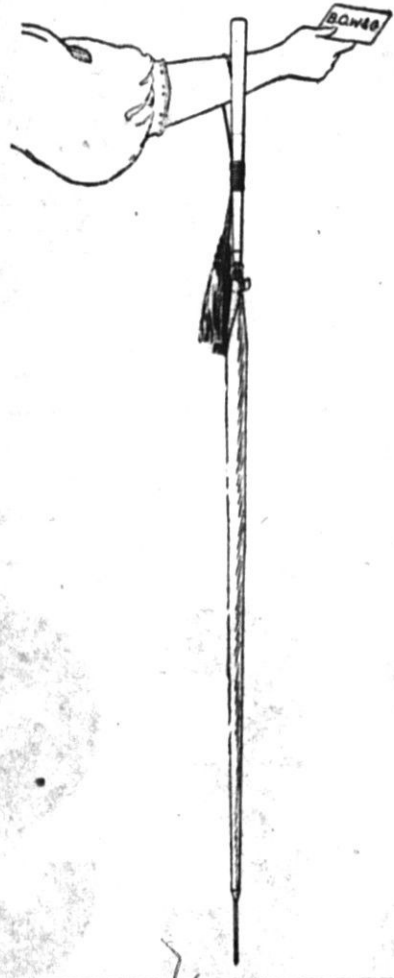
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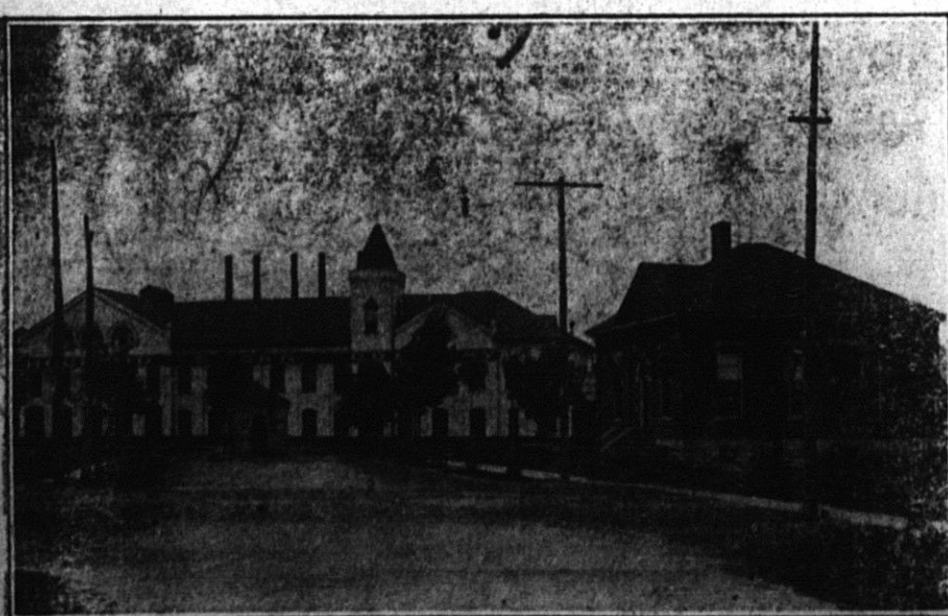
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