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# HOLLAND CITY NEWS

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Holland City State Bank has an interesting feature, page 3 of this issue.

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## SUGAR BEET FARMERS HAVE MONEY IN THE BANK

OTHER FARMERS FAIL TO PAY TAXES THIS YEAR

About as steady a crop as can be found is the sugar beet crop, but that fact has nothing to do with this story just now.

Sears McLean, who has just returned from a northern trip where potatoes apples and hay are plentiful and where sugar beets are extensively raised, states that this year hundreds of farmers up north, never even took the trouble to dig up their potatoes.

Potatoes are selling for twelve cents a bushel and farmers have not the time to waste on a price of this kind.

He found other farmers loaded down with apples of the highest variety and these were going to the cider press at 25c a hundred.

Farmers too, were baling hay at \$9 a ton and as the bean crop was also a failure the agriculturists had a close squeeze financially this year.

Mr. McLean stated that a conference with a supervisor in that district he was told that between sixty and seventy per cent of the farmers would have to forego the paying of taxes until the following year because of the crop failure, or the extremely low market on crops that were abundant. The supervisor also told him that it was quite noticeable that farmers in the district who had raised sugar beets not only paid their taxes but had money in the bank.

The country through which Mr. McLean took a trip was near Cadillac, Everett, Charlevoix and other districts in that vicinity.

See what the Peoples State bank is giving away on Page 8.

## THOUSANDS TO SEE "LIGHT OF THE WORLD"

CARNEGIE HALL CROWDED TO THE DOORS TO WITNESS RELIGIOUS PAGEANT

Christ in the Manger Brings Christianity to the World

Carnegie Hall was crowded to the doors last night with an audience that came to witness the great religious pageant "The Light of the World" so appropriate for this season of the year. This great religious play semi-orchestra, semi-pantomime, is one of the most gigantic and most successful productions ever attempted by local talent. One hundred and fifty participants from the different churches were instrumental in bringing the "Light of the World" to Holland in song and story.

The pageant by H. Augustine Smith, A. M., of Boston University, was first presented in the Imperial theater in Tokyo, Japan, on October 8, 1920 under the direction of the author.

The pageant is centered around the birth of Christ, and unfolds itself in a way that cannot help but prove that The Great Nazarene is the cornerstone of the Christian religion of today, and that the entire fabric of our religious activities, and our Christian faith first found its humble beginning when the shepherds saw The Star that led them to the babe in the manger.

As the Wise Men, the Prophets and the Shepherds were led two thousands years ago, so the beautiful Star throwing its radiant light in the Christian pageant, also leads the Shepherds, Prophets, and Wise Men to the manger, over which the Madonna is casting a watchful eye, with guardian angels all about.

The large chorus of one hundred voices directed by Mr. Vandersluis sing in unison softly carolling the opening number.

With rhythmic steps the prophets and the Magi kings followed by the shepherds wend their way to Christ's birthplace. The Prophets tell of the coming of the Messiah and how these prophecies are here fulfilled.

After the prophets have spoken the Madonna in the person of Miss Helene Van Kaalte, leaning gracefully over the crib, softly and sweetly sings her lullaby to the imaginary Christ Child, who lies in the manger, and upon whom she casts loving and care full eyes.

As she coos to the babe, three angels appear from different directions and with outstretched arms come slowly toward the manger.

As the angels appear an Antiphonal choir softly sings "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord of Hosts."

The last strains of music dying away, Christianity appears in the person of Miss Nelle Kole, and lights her torch at the cradle of Christ and goes forth to spread Christianity over the entire world and to find followers of Him who is really the Light of the world.

Six ambassadors espousing Christian religion, kneel before Christianity, light their torches and go forth to get still other recruits. In this way the Christian religion finds a broader field through the Sunday school teacher, the evangelist, the teacher of religious education, the business man, the soldier and last but not least, the missionary.

Their work has brought the "light of the world" to many who are in darkness, and in order to typify the harvest that their preachings and teachings have brought, groups of recruits are brought at the feet of Christ, and their garbs of drab are transformed into gowns of spotless white.

As the groups finally fill the improvised stage a paean of glory from the principals in the cast, joined in with the large chorus below, burst forth in great crescendo, in Hallelujah chorus.

The curtain falls on a production that cannot help but uplift and impress the audience.

The pageant will be repeated tonight and tomorrow night and there is no doubt but that the wonderful rendition of this great spectacle will please a majority of the citizens of Holland.

Before the pageant is given Rev. Paul Hinkamp of Hope College gives a stereoscopic view of the birth and the childhood of Christ.

Special mention should be made of Miss Henrietta Warnshuis who for weeks has been directing the pageant with untiring faithfulness.

The list of characters not including those who took part in the chorus are the following:

First Prophet, Carl E. Schroeder; Second Prophet, John Vanderploeg; Prophet Isaiah, Cornelius Wierenga; Three Magi Kings—A. C. V. R. Gilmore, Gerrit Ter Beek, John Ter Beek; Madonna, Helene Van Kaalte; Three Attending Angels—Maxine Lucas, Margaret Anderson, Katharine Tyner; Five Shepherds—Clarence Laman, Charles Parson, Walter Roughgarden, Henry Dekker, Elmer Van Lare; Spirit of Christianity, Nelle Kole; Education, Mrs. G. H. Thomas; Nine Grecian Maidens, Episcopal Church; Church, William Slater; Nine Crusaders, Boy Scouts; First Ambassador, Mrs. Harris Meyer; Second Ambassador, Martha Gabbard; Third Ambassador, George Damson; Fourth Ambassador, Theodore Zwemer; Fifth Ambassador, Dick Boter; Sixth Ambassador, Minnie Vrooland; Seventh Ambassador,

## TO PUBLISH LITTLE GUIDE SUNDAY SCHOOL PAPER

SMALL PUBLICATION IS TO BE EDITED BY HENRY GEERLINGS OF THIS CITY

For the past year Mr. Brower of the Holland Printing Company has been publishing a Sunday school guide giving valuable Sunday school information for the Reformed churches.

This paper has a wide circulation of more than 7,000, and circulates wherever Reformed churches are established in the United States.

The Guide has been edited by the Rev. Clarence Dame, Rev. S. Vander Warf and Henry Geerlings.

After January 1st what is called the Little Guide, will also be published together with the Big Guide, and will be edited by Mr. Geerlings.

The matter will be for young people and children, and will be put up in simpler style so the younger folks can understand the subject matter in hand.

Puzzles and other interesting features for young people will also be contained in the guide.

It is intended that the Little Guide shall be circulated in the same field as is the Big Guide, the distinction being that one is for old, and the other for young folks.

It is stated that the Christian Endeavor topics will be published weekly in the Big Guide which is a new departure.

## HOLLAND DOES NOT WIN FEDERAL BAKERY PRIZE

Some two months ago the Federal Bakery of Holland together with 800 other bakeries under the Federal System offered a prize for the best title to a picture that was placed in the window of the bakery representing a rushing crowd attempting to enter a confectionery store of the Federal variety.

Merrick Hanchett started an advertising campaign through the Sentinel and Holland City News asking for slogans and received a little over 1200 responses, all having a suitable subject for the picture in question.

The first prize was for \$250.00, the second prize for \$100, the third prize \$50 and ten prizes of \$5.00 each.

The first prize was won by E. L. Blystone, of Greensburg, Pa., and the winning subject was the following: "They Come in Doves to Get Our Loves."

Miss Ethelyn Metz received favorable mention in the contest.

## NEWS READERS

The column fifty years ago will be found on page eleven of this issue instead of in the accustomed place and the continued story Periwinkle House will be found on Page 15. Those who have not kept up with the continued story can get back copies by dropping the News a postal card.

The Holland Poultry Association next year is to put in what is called a junior department. The association wishes to interest young people in poultry considering that the young man of today will be the poultry man of tomorrow. A start is already being made this year when Henry Bosch, city inspector, offers a five dollar silver cup to the youngest exhibitor.

## "WISE MEN FROM THE EAST" DEPICTED IN BANK LOBBY

George Bosman the local artist has built in the lobby of the First State bank a large booth which contains all the information and plans relative to the Christmas savings.

Miniature Christmas trees adorn the top of the booth. Christmas bells adorn different parts of this cozy corner and in the center of holly wreaths, "Christmas Savings 1923," is painted.

In front of the booth is a large painting depicting the Wise Men from the East following the Star.

The booth arrangement is a little different again than other Christmas innovations connected up with the business enterprise.

The whole thing is unique and speaks well for the artistic ability of Mr. Bosman.

Winfield Burggraaf, Student or Bible Group, Hope church; Primary Children, Third church; Burdened Souls, Methodist church; Religious Teachers, Third church; Business Men, First church; National Group, Sixth church; International Group, Trinity church; Antiphonal quartet, Willis Diekema Mabelle Mulder, Mrs. Arthur Visscher, C. Vander Meulen.

The executive committee who were instrumental in helping to make the pageant a success follow below: Mr. George Schuiling, president; Mr. Roy B. Champion, Mr. W. Westveer, Sec'y, Mrs. J. H. Den Herder; Director of Pageant, Miss Henrietta Warnshuis; Director of Chorus, Mr. John Vandersluis; Mistress of the Robes, Mrs. S. R. McLean; Light Manager, Mr. A. Nauta; Stage Manager, Mr. A. Smeenge; Publicity, Mr. D. Damstra; Finance, Mr. Otto P. Kramer; Ushers, Mr. A. Nienhuis; Accompanist, Mr. Harris Meyer.

## FERILIOUS CHINESE VOYAGE IS MADE BY HOLLAND YOUTH

HOLLAND MAN HAS A NARROW ESCAPE FROM RIVER PIRATES

Party of Three Navigates Canton Delta in Small Craft; Fired On By Black River Junkers at Night

Under a Canton, China date line of December 13, the Grand Rapids Herald has the following relative to a Holland man. Says the Herald:

H. M. Van Dyke of Holland, Mich., and two American companions, C. H. Haines, Philadelphia and I. H. Ware of Detroit, completed in 27 1/2 hours a voyage of more than 100 miles thru the treacherous Canton Delta, an achievement that is looked upon as almost miraculous. Their boat the Wanderer, was equipped with a small Chinese sail and an outboard motor and loaded down with cooking utensils and blankets. Another American started to make the trip alone in a small craft but was forced to quit when his boat was sunk in a choppy sea.

Their first getaway proved successful as, after a vain battle with the tide, they tied up in the shadow of the rocks. Unseen, they watched the hulking black junks drive swiftly by, on their way from Canton to the open sea. With the turn of the tide the journeymen chugged on toward the mouth of the Pearl river. They passed the major part of the Chinese navy, three old cruisers that had been anchored below the Bocca Tigris forts ever since they deserted Dr. Sun Yat Sen's cause last June.

Late in the afternoon the sail was run up and the motor idled against the tide. The strong following sea, bucking the tide, constantly tended to cause the tiny, overloaded craft to broach.

One of the exciting incidents told of by the men was when a big black junk, showing no lights, bore down on them and fired three times. The Wanderer veered off to port. A half hour later a steamer towing a passage boat came up from behind, opened fire with two rifle shots, and when they showed a light, followed with three more shots, but did not stop to make inquiries.

Upon reaching Whampoa, Dr. Sun's headquarters during the early part of the fighting last summer, the crew realized that the supply of gasoline and oil was inadequate. By mixing a big percentage of kerosene the voyagers nursed the boat up to the Canton dock at 2:50 in the morning on the crest of the flood tide. The total running time was 22 hours and 50 minutes.

## A CHRISTMAS PACKAGE GOES TO CHRISTMAS SAVERS

BLOM'S CANDY FINDS ITS WAY TO PEOPLES BANK PATRONS

The local banks are all vying with each other to make things as Christmas as possible. One has a beautiful tree, another has a unique booth but it is up to the Peoples State Bank to play Santa Claus.

The Peoples have purchased from Blom's Candy store 1,000 beautiful packages of candy, and these sweets are handed out to each Christmas Saving patron starting an account at that bank.

On the outside of the package are the greetings of the season from the Peoples State Bank.

## WRIGHT FARMER IS TAKEN BY OFFICER ON THEFT CHARGE

Y. J. Doty, a farmer of Wright township, was arrested yesterday by Undersheriff Jack Spangler charged with larceny. It is stated that Doty broke and entered the home of Chas. Cole, taking therefrom a silvertone phonograph and fifty records. Undersheriff Spangler followed him to his home and while the officer was searching Doty's barn it was stated that an attempt was made to return the stolen articles. Arraignment will be before Justice H. W. Irwin of Coopersville.

## YOUNG LADIES DISTRIBUTE \$285 FOR MISSIONS

The Young Ladies' Mission society of the 9th street Christian Reformed church held their annual meeting on Monday evening at the church parlors.

Election of officers for the coming year was held and resulted as follows: Pres., Miss Jean Slenk; vice-president, Miss Anne Holkeboer; secretary, Miss Nella Den Uyl; treasurer, Miss Florence Branderhorst; assistant secretary and treasurer, Miss Nelle Breen.

The society during the year collected the amount of \$285.60 which was judiciously distributed among the foreign and domestic missions and other benevolent causes fostered by the church.

Mr. Heeringa, who is the oldest member of the consistory and also one of the oldest members of the church gave the young ladies a very interesting talk, pointing out to them the best way in which to help missions along.

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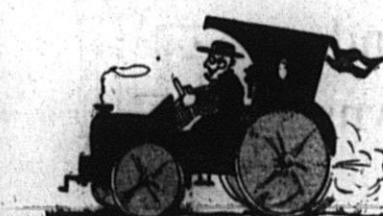
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" 7 pass. Touring.....	1475.00		Freight and War Tax Extra

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1 Buick Touring.....	500 00
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### SERVANT GIRL ROBBED HOME; TAKES "FRENCH LEAVE"

The Ottawa county sheriff's department has finally removed the veto from news regarding the robbery which was staged at the home of James Johnston, 403 Lake Ave. Grand Haven. Sheriff Fortney has been hard at work on the case and officers in Grand Rapids and Detroit are working on the affair in conjunction with the sheriff so that arrests are predicted within a short time.

Five hundred dollars worth of wearing apparel belonging to Mrs. Johnston, eleven dollars in money and vanity cases were taken. The silver was untouched so that the theory is the servant girl, who is suspected of the robbery, is a novice.

Some time ago Mrs. Johnston engaged a new maid who came to her highly recommended by Grand Rapids parties. According to Mrs. Johnston this young lady whose age was estimated at 18 and whose name was understood to be Helen Brown, was the very acme of perfection as a servant and filled every requirement with the greatest satisfaction. She made very few friends and no company who was unknown to her employer. She spoke English with a broken accent and was believed to have been of Polish nationality.

Last Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and their children went to Grand Rapids to spend the day, leaving the maid in the house alone. When they returned, they found that the articles enumerated had been removed and that their maid had also departed. Even the suit case and gladstone bags had been utilized in removing the booty and in all about \$500.00 worth of goods had been taken.

Sheriff Fortney was immediately notified and he commenced work on the case getting in touch with Grand Rapids and Detroit police. It was learned that the girl came from Detroit and it was assumed that when she left she went to Grand Rapids. Investigations also proved that her recommendations from the prominent Grand Rapids people were bogus. It is also believed that the name of Helen Brown is an alias. Police are of the opinion that a confederate was working with the girl and that they left in an automobile.

### VOTED SINCE CIVIL WAR; NOT A CITIZEN

Hendrik John Weaver, Charles A. Wauchek, John Salapaka, Andrew Schley, and Paul Gregerson of Germany; Leopold Reiss of Austria; Anthony C. Lohreto of Italy; Rev. Wm. Kuiper of Holland, and Samuel Johnson of Norway were admitted to U. S. citizenship in the Allegan court. Olaf Kristian Stanberg of Norway was compelled to repudiate when it was found that one of his witnesses was not a citizen. This was Charles Potter of Pullman, who came to this country from Canada in 1858, enlisting in the Union army in 1863, and has in general been a good citizen "with his heart in the right place", as Judge Cross said. He had been informed shortly after the war that his honorable discharge from the army made him a citizen, and as such he voted in Illinois and Michigan and held elective offices with honor. Fortunately there is in his case a short cut provided to receive in name what he has enjoyed in fact. One applicant must wait until his witness returns and another, whose 22 year old daughter is a high school graduate, could not pass the examination and must study some more, although, as he says, he is so busy that he has no time.

### ALLEGAN COURT TO HAVE A BUSY WEEK

Circuit court is in session at Allegan. There seem to be an unusual number of cases actually ready for trial and it promises to be a very busy session. The criminal cases against Lee Pullman and Edward Barbeau, rape; Arthur Funk, larceny from a building; and Ira Whitman, compelling a female to be defiled, are on call for this week, the jury being in attendance Monday. These and the cases against Gustav Bluthardt, violation of prohibition law, and Eugene Smith, forgery, which may possibly be tried, will complete the calendar.

Fifteen civil jury cases were announced ready and a goodly number of contested chancery cases. 22 divorce suits as against 18 last term does not look as if the marital dove of peace was making good.

### GRAND RAPIDS CIVIC ORCHESTRA WILL PLAY IN HOLLAND

The Grand Rapids Civic orchestra will come to Holland on the evening of Friday, December 15, to give a concert in the Holland high school auditorium under the auspices of the Christian School alumni association. This is a seventy-five piece symphony orchestra under the direction of Ottokar Malek, a noted musician. Mr. Malek is a man who has knowledge, taste and emotion and he can make his audience tingle to the delight that a symphony orchestra above all other means can create. The organization is a thoroughly drilled orchestra playing with verve and spirit. The strings are especially excellent.

The nucleus of this organization was the former St. Cecilia orchestra which Mr. Malek has developed and expanded into a full symphonic organization, the personnel including many of the foremost violinists and other instrumentalists in Grand Rapids and Western Michigan and also many student musicians in high school orchestras.

This orchestra has achieved a remarkable reputation in Grand Rapids and throughout Western Michigan and its coming to Holland is an event of great importance. It will give local music lovers a chance to hear a concert such as comes very seldom to a city of this size.

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\$ 20.05

\$ 22.10

\$ 22.80

\$ 23.40

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## HARD COAL NOT TO BE HAD AT ANY PRICE

Local fuel administrator Austin Harrington has issued warning to the people of Holland and vicinity that hard coal is not to be had anywhere for love nor money. The last means has been exhausted to secure hard coal for this community and it has failed. That being the case, Mr. Harrington believes it would be wrong to keep the public in ignorance. People who need hard coal or who will need it in the near future are advised by him not to depend on being able to get some at the time when their present supply is exhausted. The wise thing to do, he thinks, is to find a substitute for hard coal, either by putting in other stoves that can burn soft coal or by finding ways and means of burning something else in their hard coal stoves. It should be definitely understood that the hard coal situation is hopeless.

Mr. Harrington made a special effort to find a trace of a hard coal supply while on his recent trip to Washington where he represented Holland at the Rivers and Harbors Congress. He stopped off at Buffalo to try to make arrangement to have a supply shipped to Holland, but the effort was fruitless. Hard coal was simply not to be had at any price.

Mr. Harrington made this special effort largely in the interest of the poultry men of Holland and Zeeland. These men have been using hard coal extensively in their business and the hard coal famine will be a great inconvenience for them. But they, as well as people who use hard coal extensively in their business have to look to some other kind of fuel.

Mine run of Pocahontas coal is to be had, but the egg and lump of that kind of coal also is non-existent at the present moment. However, there is no danger of a real famine because other grades of soft coal are to be obtained in sufficient quantity.

## MOTHER MAKES AN APPEAL FOR HER CHILDREN

Miss Nellie Churchford, head of the City Mission, goes to her mail box these days with something like fear and trembling, afraid that she will find still more letters in them begging for clothes to keep needy men, women and children—especially children—in Holland warm. She has a number of such letters and she has been making every effort to supply the needs, but the resources are lacking.

Tuesday, when the wind was blowing a sixty mile gale, a little boy came to Miss Churchford, bearing a note from his mother scribbled in pencil. The note reads:

"Dear Miss Churchford: If in any way you have any clothing for children or that can be made over for children I'd be very glad to have you help me as I've six children and it's all my man can do is to keep in eats. Hardly that as he isn't hardly making anything, so if you have anything for them that you can help me I'll appreciate it very much. I've four girls and two boys. They need clothes and shoes and rubbers and I don't know where they're coming from, and I need some myself, and thank you for help in the near future."

About all Miss Churchford could do in answer to this appeal was to send her a few odds and ends. Her resources were exhausted and she had little or no clothing on hand to give away. All the clothes donated recently have been passed out to needy families. But appeals like this one are coming constantly from various parts of the city, and it is an unhappy condition when the Mission cannot respond. So acute have things become that Miss Churchford finally decided to make a direct appeal to the kind hearted people of Holland to help her keep the people in Holland who are suffering warm.

The mission is open every afternoon and anyone wishing to donate clothes for this cause can take them there. All kinds of clothes are needed—bed clothes, underwear, children's clothes, women's and men's clothes, shoes, rubbers, and in fact anything that can be worn. The need is immediate. People are suffering from cold in Holland at this moment.

## VICTORY STARTS BASKET BALL SEASON AT HOPE COLLEGE

The 1923 Orange and Blue basket ball quintet started the season with a victory when they defeated the strong all veteran independent Franklin team of Grand Rapids here Friday evening, by a score of 13-7. The game was hard fought before a large crowd. In spite of hard work Schouten's proteges allowed their opponents to get a liberal lead before they finally came up to their usual form of playing. The Furniture City veterans outdid the locals in basket-shooting, while the Hope squad overcame a lead through passing and team-work as the game progressed.

The Franklin Rays lost to the Hope Reserves in a furious preliminary 17-7. Both teams played hard but were lacking in basketball form.

Line-up and summaries:

Hope	Franklin
Van Lente	R. F. Dekker
Irving	L. F. Vander Riet
Jonkman	C. Kuiper
Riemersma	R. G. Boersma
Joldersma	L. G. De Graaf

Field goals:—Irving 2, Jonkman 2, Riemersma 1, Joldersma 1, Dekker 1.

Thursday evening the Knights of Pythias will put on work in the third rank in the local Castle hall.

A marriage license has been issued in Kent county for Elmer Woodward, 25, Grand Rapids and Henrietta Wierenga, 18, Zeeland.

## YOST CALLS CAPPON GREATEST FULL BACK IN THE CONFERENCE

Franklin C. Cappon of Holland, was one of twenty men awarded gold football charms Monday afternoon at the University of Michigan, according to a dispatch from the Michigan News Bureau. This honor came to Cappon for helping to carry the Michigan team to the championship this year and is the university's method of showing appreciation for the good work of the Holland man. Impressive ceremonies were held Monday afternoon in the Michigan Union building during which the presentations were made by Coach Yost. In making the presentation to the Holland man, Yost heralded Cappon as the greatest full-back in the conference.

G. J. A. Pessink, a former rural carrier of Holland, now sexton in a large Chicago church, was here Friday night to take in the mail carriers and postal employees banquet at the Woman's Literary Club Friday evening.

## COMMUNICATION

In answer to a communication signed by certain citizens of Graafschap in regard to the Jan Harm Scholten chicken case, I wish to state my side of the matter:

The article says that "neither the owner nor the meat market could see anything wrong with the chickens." I am a trained chicken man and I wish to state positively that one of the chickens had a lump on the side of his head as large as half an egg and the most inexperienced person could see that it was a sick bird. Others had running noses and eyes closed by disease, which also any ordinary examination would reveal. The statement that neither Mr. Scholten nor the market man knew the chickens were diseased is not the truth.

Here are the facts. I saw the chickens on the back of Scholten's buggy, corner Maple and 17th. I waited till he came back to his rig and asked if he was going to sell the birds. He said "yes." I then informed him some of them were sick and instructed him to take the sick birds back home, allowing him to sell the others. He became indignant and made objections. I then positively and definitely instructed him not to sell the sick birds.

After dinner I went to the meat market where he intended to sell them and I found the whole crate of chickens, sick birds and all. I asked the market man if Scholten had taken any birds home, but he said he had not, nor had he called the market man's attention to the fact that he had been forbidden to sell some of the birds. I then positively forbade the market man to sell the sick birds and told him that if any of the birds died to keep the carcasses as I might need them in court. The market man called up Scholten later, told him the circumstances and the next morning Scholten's son came to Holland and took the sick birds back home.

When brot into court Mr. Scholten admitted to Justice Van Schelven and Chief Van Ry that he had been warned not to sell the sick chickens and that he had sold them in spite of the warning. Both Mr. Van Schelven and Mr. Van Ry are ready to back up this statement.

I have no apologies to make. I simply did my duty as inspector and tried to protect the people of Holland against sick poultry. Under similar circumstances I should have to do the same thing again and I shall certainly do my best to prosecute all who try to un'ad sick poultry on the people of Holland.

Henry S. Bosch,  
City Inspector.

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## LOCALS

Mrs. Harry Parks, of Lansing, formerly a resident of Holland, died Monday night at her home. The remains were brought to Holland for burial. Mrs. Parks was formerly Miss Alta Welch and is a sister of Mrs. Lura Risto, West 12th street, this city. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 from the home of Mrs. Risto, 298 W. 12th street, Rev. G. B. Fleming officiating. Interment was in Holland township cemetery. Mrs. Parks was 55 years old. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Risto and Mrs. Schneeberger.

While working at Johnston Bros. plant at Ferrysburg Monday morning Francis Barelo of Spring Lake was badly injured when a chain on a traveling crane broke letting a heavy cylinder down upon the unfortunate man's right foot. The accident happened at about 11 o'clock and the fifty members of the Holland Knights of Pythias went to South Haven Monday night to see the grand lodge officers put on initiatory work. Four Holland candidates were put through. This work was put on in the lodge rooms, after which the company adjourned to the Centre Theater where the grand lodge members put on the beautiful lessons of friendship. After that all went back to the lodge rooms where talks were given.

Tickets are to be distributed among the school children for entries into the poultry show to be held over the Overland garage during the Christmas holiday. These tickets are to be distributed in the schools, and while the regular admission is ten cents, the ticket and a "jitney" will admit the children on any afternoon or evening except Christmas night. The Holland Poultry association has done this to encourage the young folks in poultry raising.

The Michigan Engineering society held a meeting in Lansing last Saturday which was attended by Carl Bowen, Ottawa County engineer. Mr. Bowen is a councilman from the Muskegon Chapter of the association. Morris Buck of Muskegon is the other councilman. Mr. Bowen's election was very recent. The society has about 920 members. A convention will be held in Muskegon by the society on Feb. 7, 8, and 9.

Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Warnhuis of London have reached this country. Mr. Warnhuis is attending a conference in New York city and Mrs. Warnhuis is at the home of relatives here. They have been connected with mission work in China for 20 years and two years ago Mr. Warnhuis accepted a position as secretary for the international mission commission, with headquarters in London.

A letter has been received here from the East stating that Rev. Victor J. Blekkink succeeds Rev. P. T. Phelps as pastor of the Reformed church at Cohoes. Both ministers are Hope graduates and their years of graduation are 27 years apart. Mr. Phelps is the oldest son of the late Rev. Philip Phelps, first president of Hope college, and Mr. Blekkink is a son of Rev. E. J. Blekkink, president of Western Seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Shaw returned Tuesday to Bowling Green, O., after spending two weeks at the home of Mr. Shaw's sisters, Mrs. J. A. Hoover. John Wanamaker, the great merchant and former postmaster general under Wm McKinley, died at his winter home in Florida at the age of 85 years.

The Young Ladies' Mission Society of the Ninth Street Christian Reformed church held their business meeting Monday evening. Officers were elected for the coming year.

The summer hotel at Douglas conducted by C. J. Powers, located on the River road was destroyed at 5 o'clock Sunday morning. The loss is approximately \$3,500. The family had been away and the proprietor started to warm the house with a heater going to neighbors until it became warm. When he returned the house was in flames. Douglas has no waterworks or fire department, consequently nothing could be saved.

The Holland Poultry association has culled thus far 50,000 birds this season, and before the season is over as many more lazy hens will be culled and sent to the butchers. The territory covered embraces Holland, Graafschap, Saugatuck, East Saugatuck, Overisel, Fillmore, West Olive and other points in this vicinity.

The student council of Holland high school expect to adopt the suggestion of Mayor Egbert Fell that the council be enlarged to meet the demands of a growing community. Ordinances governing the working out of a student court system have been adopted and the wheels of justice have been set in motion.

The Lions club of Grand Haven will meet as usual Thursday night at the St. John's guild hall. It is important that all members be on hand at the meeting. Capt. Carl Bowen of the Lion's bowling team, formerly of Holland, has issued his defy to the Muskegon Lions and the match will take place Thursday night.

Mrs. W. I. Lillie has received a letter from her son, Dr. Ivan Lillie of the famous Mayo clinic of Rochester, Minn., announcing his graduation on December 14 with the class in Ophthalmology in the graduate school of the University of Minnesota. Dr. Lillie will specialize in treatment of brain and eye disorders.—G. H. Tribune.

The Mission drive is being conducted not by the Mission itself but by a number of Holland's best business men who have interested themselves in this work and who feel that the Mission ought to be placed on a sound financial basis. Two years ago a drive was held and enough was collected at that time so that it was not necessary to hold a drive last year. But the money is not exhausted and so the present movement is designed to supply the Mission with funds to operate the coming year.

When fire broke out in the home of Mrs. A. Van Ingen on East 15th street between Van Raalte and Harrison avenues Friday her 14 year old son probably saved the lives of his baby brother and 4 year old sister when he carried the two from their blazing home. The mother had left the children at home while she did some shopping. John De Jong who was delivering groceries in the neighborhood, saw smoke bursting thru the roof and turned in the alarm. The fire which is believed to have been caused by defective wiring, did considerable damage to the roof and upper story of the building.

Former Sen. Newberry of Michigan called on Pres. Harding Saturday to say good-bye. He left later for Detroit, and said that with Mrs. Newberry he would make a tour of the world, starting some time in January. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Visscher and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Brooks were among those who took in Otis Skinner's at Powers Friday night.

Now that there is no longer any grass to cut in Centennial park the employees are busy feeding the grass so that there will be again plenty to cut next summer. Workmen have been busy the past few days scattering powered lime over the grass. Two tons of this is being put on the grass in the park. The lime is necessary occasionally to sweeten the soil.

The December meeting of the Aid Society of Hope Church will be held in the church parlors, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The members of Mrs. Diekema's class are cordially invited to attend. All are requested to come out to listen to the glowing reports of money raising campaigns. Mrs. Joe Dykstra and committee will serve.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Treasury gave notice on July 26, and frequently since, that the Victory notes bearing the distinguishing letters "A. B. C. D. E. or F" prefixed to their serial numbers, were called for payment Dec. 15, 1922, and that no interest will accrue after that date, the amount of such notes turned in would indicate that there are many holders who do not realize that there will be no income from their investment after Friday next; nor will the interest due on Dec. 15 be paid on the registered notes until they are presented for redemption.

The Churchford Mission drive that is now on in Holland is being consistently pushed by a number of men in charge of this work and additional funds are being reported from time to time. A few days ago the De Pree company made its report, and to-day reports were made for two more concerns in which the drive has been completed. The Holland Furnace company reported Company \$80.92.

Walter Van Haitsma, who has been enjoying a few days vacation visiting with his mother and other relatives and friends in Holland township, left for East Lansing Thursday morning where he will assume the work of head engineer in the construction of a complete new drainage system at Michigan Agricultural College. Mr. Van Haitsma has for the past few years been doing M. A. C. drainage department extension work in the eastern part of the state and his work has proven so satisfactory that it was decided by the department to place the college work under his charge. The college will re-survey the entire farm grounds with a view to establishing a new drainage system to replace the old inefficient system as well as to take care of additional territory.

Gerrit Ter Vree of Holland has completed 33 years of service as a member of the Holland fire department and during all these years he seldom missed a fire. For many years he was captain of Columbia hose company, No. 2 and 12 years ago was promoted to the position of assistant fire chief. Next to Fire Chief Blom he is the oldest fireman in the service, Cornelius Blom having served nearly 37 years.

The convention spirit has had a lasting effect upon the members of the American Legion band and plans already are being considered for attending the next annual convention to be held next year at San Francisco. The proceeds from its next concert will be laid aside as a nest egg for the expenses connected with the trip. At the annual election John Van Vyven was re-elected director and Henry Toop, president and manager. The band has attended three large conventions since its organization.

A glance at the files of the Tribune reveals the strange fact that the date November 30, the past three years has been accompanied by a tragic happening. On November 30, 1920, George P. Hummer, prominent Holland manufacturer was killed when his auto turtled near Grandville. On November 30, 1921, John Vyn of this city met a tragic fate at the cemetery crossing in Sprink Lake. This year on November 30, Mrs. Peter Koopman was shot and killed at her home on Fulton street in this city by an unknown assailant.

—Grand Haven Tribune.

The question was put before the student body and was unanimously passed. The Freshmen have received their winter togas, and the small cotton-tops will be seen parading the streets of Holland, until the time designated. The rules as originally formulated required the first-year men to wear their caps throughout the entire college year. This has been slightly modified.

Paul V. Sangren, who this fall assumed the responsibility as superintendent of schools at Zeeland, was made a very tempting offer as instructor of psychology and education at the Western State Normal school at Kalamazoo, and he has decided to accept the position. The Zeeland board of education has consented to release him and has accepted his resignation to become effective at the holiday season. Mr. Harry S. Denison of Davison, Mich., has been engaged to fill the vacancy in the Superintendent's office, and will assume his duties immediately after the holidays.

A big sand shovel belonging to the D. J. Heunsey Co. is taking sand from one of the big sand hills near Grand Haven and is filling along side the large bridge being constructed between Grand Haven and Ferrysburg. A large area in that vicinity will also be filled for building lots.

John Mulder, teamster, was severely injured when caught in a cave in under Zwemer's garage. Mulder was digging too near the wall. A portion of it gave way. He was partly buried under the sand and a large piece of concrete fell on his chest. His body was badly bruised.

The "Frosh is still to be a Frosh" is a decision rendered by the Hope College student council, subsequent to a recent revolt of the lower classmen, when they refused to don their green caps. At a mass meeting the president of the student council presented an ultimatum rendered by the council to the effect that "it is the expressed will and desire of the Hope College student body that the Frosh shall don the green caps, and wear the green ribbon until that day when the Seniors shall appear in their caps and gowns."

Forty students in the high school at Zeeland are listed on the honor roll with credits of 90 per cent or over for the third month of the school year. The high percentages were earned by Hilda Wells, 96.25; Marie Dykens 96; Josephine Lippinga 95.75; Evelyn Achterhof, 95.5; Otto Yuteman, 95.5; Gertrude Shoemaker, 95; Harold Boer, 95. The high percentages were distributed by classes as follows: Seniors, 12; juniors 6; sophomores, 12; freshmen, 10.

Dr. Samuel Zwemer delivered the main address and emphasized the importance of literary evangelization. The printed page can many times duplicate a missionary's influence, he contends and expressed his belief that this form of spreading the gospel would come into prominence as the great factor in Christianizing the world. Dr. Peters in Japan, it was pointed out, finds that this method of religious and missionary work is helping greatly in reaching the millions in foreign lands.

Albert Doesburg arrived in Holland today from Honolulu, where he is engaged in business. Mr. Doesburg will spend a few days with relatives here and when he returns home he will be accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Jennie Doesburg.

A flag pole is being raised in front of the Western Theological Seminary.

Keeper S. Bernard and William Fisher stationed at the White Lake station had a thrilling experience in rescuing two Montague fishermen whose tug was in danger of being driven against the pier by the high seas Wednesday. The two managed to launch the tug boat and went to the rescue. Only two men are stationed here the keeper and a number one, so that the feat was very commendable.

The December meeting of the Beechwood P. T. Club was held last evening in the school auditorium. The large number present enjoyed a very fine program. The Colonial Orchestra furnished the music for the evening. The program: reading, "Sauerkraut", Mr. Jas. Schuiling; a two act play, "Tickets for the Sheffield Choir," was given by Mrs. Jennie Kardux, the Misses Delia and Josephine Leenhouts, Janet Hoffman, Beatrice Rooks, and Norma Kardux. Dainty refreshments were served, and a social hour enjoyed by all.

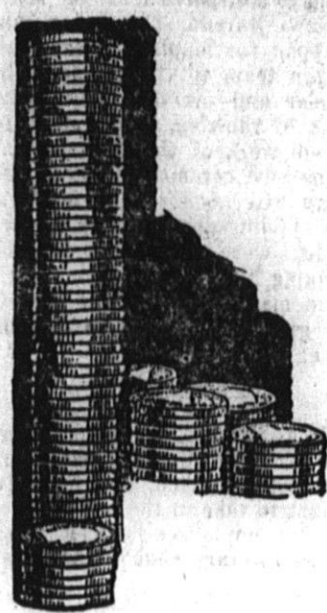
The Third Reformed church has come right to the front and for activity and finance has closed the best year in its history. At a congregational meeting held Tuesday night the reports submitted were very flattering indeed, showing that the total amount collected during the year approximated \$28,019.25. The budget adopted for next year totals \$24,434, of which amount \$9,600 is for benevolences. The total amount collected by the church societies, including the Bible school was \$6,164.11. The Third Reformed church was organized in 1867 and present statistics show approximately 320 members and a Bible school enrollment of nearly 1,100. The church supports two missionaries in the foreign field, one medical missionary in preparation and is one of the six Reformed churches to support the Bible chair at Hope College.

Among the most charming of pre-holiday activities was the Monday afternoon bridge party given by Mrs. John Boone and Mrs. John DeGlopper at "La Fluer" the beautiful Virginia Park home of Mrs. Boone. Five tables of bridge were played, prizes being won by Mrs. F. E. Sherk and Mrs. Ralph Van Toll, both of Grand Haven. A delicious supper was served at tables made beautiful with Christmas effects. The guests numbered Mesdames Van Raalte, Dykstra, Lane, Wilson, Taylor Vander Haar, Van Drezer and Romersma of Holland; Mesdames Oakes, Ripley, Van Toll, Campbell, Nyland, Gleason, Sherk, Fuller, Kiel, Long Bryce Lowe, Bosman, Cotton and Miss Campbell of Grand Haven.

Some illustrious guests from abroad will find their time well occupied while in this vicinity: Rev. S. M. Zwemer of Cairo, Egypt; Rev. A. Oltmans of Japan, Rev. A. L. Warnshuis of London, Eng., and Peter Prins who has just returned from the Near East, are listed as speakers at the Hope Fraternal stag banquet to be given Dec. 29, at the Pantlind Hotel, Grand Rapids. All the speakers are graduates of Hope and alumni of the Fraternal society.

The Christmas meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George Albers, 254 College Ave. Following will be the program: devotions, Mrs. A. Walvoord; response to roll call, Christmas sentiments; music in charge of Mrs. James Weyer; paper, "The Fine Art of Giving," Mrs. Gertrude Boer; current events, Miss Katherine Post. Tea will be served by Mrs. S. Pas and committee. Each member is asked to bring a gift for the city mission Christmas tree. Parliamentary law class will begin at 2:30.

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	Members paying 25 cents a week fixed, for 50 weeks, at .....\$12.50	Members paying \$1.00 a week fixed, for fifty weeks get .....\$50.00
		Members paying \$2.00 a week fixed for fifty weeks, get .....\$100.00

Remember that besides the above named amounts the accrued interest at 4% is also added.

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# First State Bank

HOLLAND, MICHIGAN

The Grand Rapids Trust held its annual meeting Tuesday and among the large number of directors Gerrit J. Diekema of Holland and Wm. H. Loutit of Grand Haven were chosen. Thursday evening the Royal neighbors will hold a class adoption and 25 candidates will take the initiatory degree. This ends a successful membership contest which has been in progress for two months. Mrs. Alf. C. Smith of Detroit, supervising deputy of Michigan, arrived in the city Tuesday to assist the local officers in their work. Delegations from Allegan and Grand Haven are expected to be present. Visiting members are welcome.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion will give their annual bazaar this week Saturday at the G. A. R. rooms in the city hall, all day and evening. Dinner will be served throughout the day. The ladies will have an unusually large display of Christmas things to dispose of at this bazaar Saturday.

How cold it really has been the past few days is not fully appreciated by most people, but the Graham & Morton company found out that it had been some cold. When the steamer "City of Grand Rapids" came up the bay it had to cut thrice of considerable thickness.

Fire alarm was turned in from box 35 at 8:30 Wednesday morning which proved to be a roof blaze caused by a chimney on the home of Henry Vande Linde, 55 W. 17th St. Not much damage was done.

The Holland Chapter, Sons of the Revolution, will meet Thursday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Van Verst. Mr. Chester Beach will read a paper on "George Washington and William Mc Kinley as War Presidents".

Many Holland Poultry fanciers are exhibiting at the first annual poultry show of the Ottawa County Seat Poultry Association now open in Grand Haven. At least 75 birds from Holland have been entered and not a few from Zeeland are also on exhibition.

The Ladies Aid of the Sixth Reformed church will hold their annual bazaar Saturday in the building next to the Yankee Bakery. Fancy goods and lunches will be on sale all day.

Miss Marguerite Meyer of Holland is again prominent in the Rotogravure section of the Detroit Free Press of Sunday. Two weeks ago a beautiful scene in Holland, The Netherlands, was portrayed, and in Sunday's paper the "Old Curiosity Shop" immortalized by Charles Dickens was pictured. The little shop is located at 14 Portsmouth street, London, England, and is a favorite haunt of tourists who visit London. Although the shop has been used for everything practically, at one time it being a wastepaper store house, today its windows are again filled with curios, which always attract the attention of pedestrians. It will be remembered that Miss Meyer was one spent.

Holland slaughter houses will be inspected with others in the state. Owners of 328 slaughter houses were told by the state department of agriculture to clean up. The department order followed the report of an inspection by H. Peake, department inspector which revealed only four slaughter houses out of 332 inspected in good condition. Of the remainder 141 were sent formal sanitary notices and the rest were given verbal orders to improve conditions.

Eighteen members of the C. C. class of the Wesleyan Methodist Sunday School met at the home of their teacher, Rev. M. H. Kingsbury, for a social time Friday evening. The first number on the program was a sumptuous chicken dinner very much enjoyed by all. Following this a miscellaneous program of toasts readings and musical numbers was given. The class then packed several boxes of clothing for a mission station in North Carolina. Everyone seemed to have a good time and felt that the evening was profitably spent.

A marriage license has recently been issued at Grand Haven for Harry J. Orr 31, and Mrs. Beatrice Lawver, 32, both of Holland. Harry and his bride quietly slipped away to the Methodist church parsonage where Rev. G. B. Fleming tied the knot. Mr. and Mrs. Orr will reside in their new home on Eighteenth-st. and Maple avenue.

Attorney and Mrs. Theodore Elfordink of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with relatives in this city.



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The coldest night of the season was between Saturday and Sunday when the mercury in Holland went down to 19 degrees above zero.

Christmas greens this year will cost slightly less than they did last year, according to a report today by the state department of farms and markets in New York. The report quoted prices on Christmas trees, holly and pine roping, showing slightly lower prices than in 1921.

The Ottawa Benefit society held their annual meeting Friday evening in Visscher's hall. The following officers were elected: President, John Slighter; Vice-president, Jas. Block; Sec'y, Henry J. Beckfort; Treasurer, Anthony Van Ry; members of the executive committee for two years: George B. Lemmen, for three years, Louis Laman. Mr. Neil VanderMeulen delivered a very inspiring address followed by Mr. James De Pree and A. A. Visscher. Students from Hope College gave a dialog. The reports showed that the organization is in a flourishing condition and that a total of \$318 was paid out for benefits during 1922. After the program refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed.

The annual luncheon of the Grand Rapids Federation of Women's clubs was held at 12:30 Thursday at Grace church parish house. Mrs. George Kollen of Holland and Mrs. Dorian M. Russel, president of the State Federation gave addresses. Mrs. C. B. Newcombe, violinist, and Miss Lynette White, pianist entertained with music. Miss Madge Miller sang and the decorations were arranged by Mrs. F. Vrana. Mrs. John Bodbyl is in charge of the tickets, and the general chairman of arrangements is Mrs. Jerome Westerhoff.—G. R. Herald.

### WOMAN IS ACQUITTED OF SELLING SICK CHICKENS

Ruth Hayward, who lives in Holland, but conducts a farm on the North Side, and who was arrested under the city ordinance, charging her with selling sick chickens to a local butcher was found not guilty within an hour after the testimony had been heard.

Attorneys Ten Cate and Lokker appeared for Mrs. Hayward and City Attorney C. H. M. Bride defended the health ordinance.

City Inspector Henry Bosch brot the complaint, and the jury who pronounced the lady not guilty were: G. T. Haan, Mat Witvliet, Hub Boone, Casper Belt, Alex Van Zanten and Simon Bos.

## COLD AND WIND HINDERS FIRE FIGHTING AT SPRING LAKE

### GRAND HAVEN TRIBUNE TELLS WHY FIRE DEPARTMENT DID NOT RESPOND

Early Tuesday morning Spring Lake was visited by an \$8,000 fire. Flames broke out in the rear of a restaurant called "Bill's Lunch Room" at 1 o'clock in the morning. The high wind spread the flames rapidly through three adjoining buildings however a volunteer fire department aided by two pumps from Muskegon prevented the blaze from sweeping the business district.

Two persons were injured in making their escape by leaping from a window. Mrs. Sharpe fractured a leg in the fall, while John Koster, one of the firemen was injured by a portion of a fallen wall.

Two children, Eva and George Sharpe were also trapped by the fire, but jumped from the windows into the arms of by-standers uninjured. The buildings are all owned by John Buss.

The Spring Lake fire of which an account was given in Tuesday's paper was fought under the most trying difficulties. A terrific wind was blowing 50 miles an hour together with a driving snow and temperature 18 above zero made the weak little fire department of Spring Lake have their hands full. Calls were sent into Grand Haven for aid but the Grand Haven Tribune states as follows:

"A call was put in at first to the Grand Haven company when the fire started at about 1 o'clock, but such a call has to be made by the mayor or village president or some other official and this was not the case so that the local department did not respond. It is doubtful whether the Grand Haven chemical truck could have done much good as pumping equipment was needed. This city would have also been without fire protection in the meantime. The Grand Haven firemen were up and dressed standing by their truck when President Bilz of Spring Lake decided that a pumper was necessary.

"Later as the fire and the Spring Lake volunteer department appeared to be in a deadlock, it was decided to call the Muskegon department. This was done. In the meantime the Spring Lake volunteers had saved as much as possible from the buildings and were endeavoring to check the

fire with three hose streams from a hydrant connected with the town water supply."

The above item will again show how sensible Holland was to put in another good pumper. Holland now has two excellent pumps and we can help ourselves as well as our neighbors. Grand Haven having no pumper could do little good at the fire.

Muskegon is equipped similar to Holland, consequently gave valuable aid at Spring Lake preventing the city from burning up the way it did nearly forty years ago.

John S'ekman won over Willis Gillette, both of Zeeland in a wrestling match staged there Monday evening.

Siekman won the first fall in one and a half minutes with a reverse body hold, also winning the second fall in the same manner in two minutes.

"Grappler Cy" was referee. After the big bout Dalman Bros., well known wrestlers gave a very lively exhibition showing much science and speed, but neither could be induced to meet "Grappler Cy" in a future bout.

At the last meeting of the Zeeland Merchants association it was decided to entertain the farmers in the vicinity of Zeeland at the dairy school to be held December 19, which is being arranged by county agricultural Agent Milham. The meeting will be held in the Third Christian Reformed church on South Centennial street and commence at 10 A. M. and close at 4 P. M. Mr. Hayes, dairy specialist from M. A. C. will be the principal speaker and will speak on Dairying and C. P. Milham, county agricultural agent will also speak on related farm subjects.

Another school has been arranged at Forest Grove on December 20th. Dinner will be served at this place also Mr. Hayes and Mr. Milham will be the speakers. The meeting will begin at 10 and close at 4. Every farmer in the vicinity of the two places should make a special effort to attend these schools. They are the same as the old time institutes and a valuable amount of information can be gathered from them. Remember the dates, December 19 at Zeeland and December 20 at Forest Grove.

At the International Live Stock and Grain Show which was held in Chicago recently, three agriculturists from Ottawa county placed in the exhibition of their products. In the

exhibition of single ear corn, Clyde Morris of Hudsonville placed 12th in field of 175 entries. These include growers from Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, southern Canada, Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin and South Dakota. Bert Walcott of Marne took 18th place out of an entry list of 107 in wheat. David E. Hanson of Marne took 33rd place out of an entry list of 87 in oats. These last two were in competition with the growers from all over the United States.

In the basement of the church building Trinity's Relief Society held its annual business meeting Tuesday night. According to the report read by the treasurer, this organization just closed its banner year, with a gain of \$357.84 above claims and expenses for the year. Anthony Van Ry was re-elected president; Henry Van Lente, vice-president; Charles Dykstra, secretary; George Albers, treasurer; and Martin Vande Water, member of the board of directors.

After the business session a very interesting as well as inspiring address was delivered by the Rev. J. G. Brower of the Immanuel Reformed church of Grand Rapids. The program included a piano duet by Harry and J. Kramer; a reading by Mr. P. Schoon; and a vocal solo by Mr. J. Ter Beek; also a talk by the president, A. Van Ry. Refreshments were served by members of the church's League for Service. The wives and lady friends were guests of the society members.

Mrs. G. J. Van Duren, in charge of the clothes drive for the Near East, has sent another shipment of clothes to headquarters. The clothes for this shipment were donated by the St. Francis De Sales church, Methodist church, Star of Bethlehem Chapter, and the Women's Auxiliary. A list of the goods sent follows:

Men—9 overcoats, 4 small coats, 7 trousers, 4 vests, 17 articles of underwear, 6 shirts.

Boys—7 coats and jackets, 8 trousers.

Ladies—20 coats, 2 suits, 9 dresses, 10 skirts, 1 petticoat, 6 waists, 9 Union suits.

Girls—8 dresses, 1 waist, 1 middie, 5 skirts, 8 coats.

Children—45 articles of underwear, 72 articles of clothing.

Miscellaneous—8 sweaters, 33 caps and hoods, 68 pairs stockings, 1 quilt, 24 pairs shoes. Unclassified—11 articles

## LOCALS

C. Wabeke of Virginia Park, who was seriously injured by a Pere Marquette train nearly a week ago is improving nicely at Holland hospital and the authorities have hope for his recovery.

Six cars of fruit trees have been shipped into this territory through Ottawa and Allegan county. The Weller Nurseries of Holland received a consignment as well as the Cooper Nursery of Coopersville, the latter receiving 2500 cherry trees. J. Mort of Douglas received over 3,000 apple trees while Fred Burgland of Fennville received a consignment of 1500 cherry, pear and apple trees. The price of nursery stock, it is said, is the lowest since the war and fruit farmers everywhere are putting in a large supply.

In Sunday's Herald a large picture is shown of the Older Boys' Conference of the Y of the state of Michigan held at Battle Creek. There are 24 banners in the picture and Holland is conspicuously found in the front row. There are more than 1200 boys represented in the picture and it was taken just before a visit was made in the Postum Cereal plant of the "Pure Food City".

A marriage license was issued in Grand Rapids to John S. Kness of Holland and Jessie Blant of Grand Rapids. It will be remembered that John was connected with the Graham & Morton Transportation Co. as local agent for many years. The happy couple will leave for California within a few days where they will spend the winter.

Marion, the 9-year-old son of Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Stegeman, of Overisel died Sunday night at 6 o'clock of diphtheria. The funeral was held at 1:30 at the home Monday afternoon, Rev. J. A. Roggen, of Hamilton, officiating. Interment took place in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Prisoners at Ionia are reported as working overtime to fill the orders for Christmas toys which they are making in the new factory. It isn't so hard to believe that Santa Claus may come in through a chimney, when you realize that he sometimes goes out through a tunnel.

Members of the Holland High football team do not appear in the All-State Eleven picked by Everett C. Swanson of the Grand Rapids Herald. Grand Haven is also not to be found on the first team altho Westerhof of the county seat is placed on the second team as best halfback.

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From the present demand, there will be a shortage of Victrolas during the next few weeks. Do not put off your decision any longer. Place your reservation now and assure yourself of the acknowledged supreme instrument. You need pay no money. Simply come in and reserve the instrument for later purchase; but be sure to act soon.

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  - Victrola 111, Mahogany, Oak or Walnut \$225
  - Victrola 120, Mahogany, Oak, or Walnut \$275
  - Victrola 130, Mahogany or Oak \$350
- Horizontal Models**
- Victrola 210, Mahogany \$100
  - Victrola 240, Mahogany, Oak or Walnut \$115
  - Victrola 260, Mahogany or Walnut \$160
  - Victrola 280, Mahogany or Walnut \$250
  - Victrola 330, Mahogany \$350

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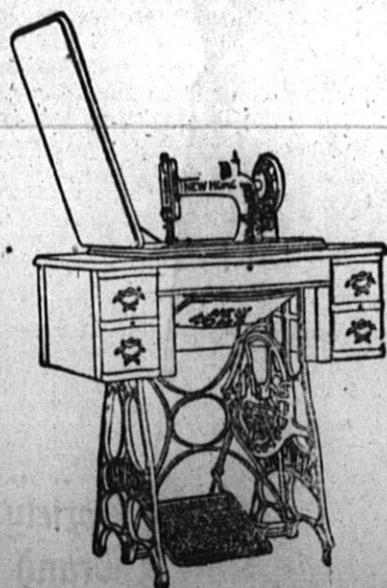
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Violins, Mandolins,  
Guitars, Ukuleles,  
Harmonicas, Accordians,  
Cornets, Clarinets, and all sorts  
of musical novelties.  
There's a Christmas  
idea in this list.



## FRIDAY WAS SENTENCE DAY IN CIRCUIT COURT

Friday was hangman's day in Circuit Court and although Judge Cross didn't go that far, he did hang some severe sentences around the necks of some violators.

Not satisfied to select Friday as the day to mete out punishment the judge held himself to thirteen sentences out of twenty three that were to get theirs.

Among those sentenced were the following:

Frank Godhardt of Grand Haven was fined \$100 and \$4.75 costs and was put on two years probation under Chief of Police Pippel. Godhardt will also serve a sixty day sentence in the county jail. The fine is to be paid in monthly installments.

Jack Knoll, the barber, found guilty of stealing from his employer, Casper Belt, a Holland barber, paid \$36.62 costs, will spend thirty days in the county jail and is on two year's probation.

John Rusmus of Holland was sentenced to pay a \$100 fine, \$10.90 in costs and was given a prison sentence of from six months to one year in Ionia with a recommendation for six months.

Stanley Marthodon of Jamestown was assessed a \$100 fine, \$4.85 in costs and was sent to Ionia for from six months to one year.

August Stubelink of Jamestown was given a fine of \$100, paid costs of \$17.85 and was sentenced to Ionia for from six months to one year.

Simon Sezdowski of Grand Haven was sentenced to Ionia for from six months to one year and was assessed a fine of \$100 and costs of \$9.35.

Klir Raak of Grand Haven was fined \$100 and costs of \$18. He was also given a prison sentence of from six months to one year in Ionia.

Leland Follett of Grand Rapids who was taken in Blenden on a serious charge was fined \$100, costs of \$58.30 and was sentenced to spend one year in Ionia with a prison sentence extended to ten years in the event of default.

Charles Reese of Robinson was fined \$100 and costs of \$4.75 with a sentence of sixty days in the county jail with this time extended four months in the event of default.

Claus Katt of Ferrysburg was fined \$100, paid costs of \$8 and was given a sixty day sentence to the county jail with an extension of four months in the event of default.

Mary Spivak of Robinson was fined \$200 and costs of \$26.85. She was given a sixty day sentence to the county jail with an extension of four months in the event of default.

Ernest Moore of Park township was fined \$100 and costs of \$17 with a county jail sentence of ninety days and extension of the same time in the event of default.

In court when one of the offenders was called before the court to receive his sentence because of conviction on a liquor law violation charge, he affected poor hearing. Judge Cross advised him to come nearer and the man advanced almost the entire distance toward the bench. "Have you had anything to drink this morning?" queried his honor suddenly. The offender fell back as if stricken and did not again approach the bench during the course of his sentencing. His hearing was apparently very much improved by the words of the court.

Judge Cross Tuesday morning suspended jail sentence on Fred Dryden of Holland, placing him on probation with the promise that he will be a real man in the future. The judge found extenuating circumstances in the case and felt he wanted to give the young man another opportunity. It was felt that Dryden went joy-riding with some one else's automobile more as a prank than with the idea of theft, and as the young man has been well behaved since the incident happened, the judge felt that another chance is coming to him.

## JUDGE CROSS COMPLETES COURT TERM FOR THIS YEAR

Six offenders were the sum total of those sentenced in circuit court after the 13 were given their punishment and as the remaining have appealed their cases to the supreme court this completes the list making 19 in all who were sentenced by Judge Cross.

In the county jail there are 21 alleged law violators lodged at present and soon 11 of these will be taken to Ionia to complete jail sentences.

Alfred Hannon, Olive township farmer who was found guilty of passing bogus checks was given a sentence of 30 days in the county jail. He was assessed a fine of \$50 and costs of \$4.75. His fine is to be paid in monthly payments of \$5. He passed a bogus check for \$9.60 on a Grand Haven merchant and this must be paid back. Hannon will also be on probation for two years during which time he must stick to the farm. His probation officer is Chief Pippel.

Robert Marsh of Grand Haven, was found guilty of wife desertion and must pay costs of \$4.85. He is put on probation for two years under Chief Pippel and must get a job and support his wife and children.

Cyrus Wise also of Grand Haven was convicted of liquor law violation, and must pay a fine of \$100 and costs. He was sentenced to Ionia for from 6 months to one year.

George Jones and Frank Green, of Ferrysburg, were sentenced to Ionia for from 6 months to one year. They each were to pay \$50 fines and costs of \$3.35 each. They were found guilty of stealing some auto supplies. Martin Newcombe, the lad taken at Grand Haven in connection with some thefts at the Van Hoven residence on Wallace street, was sentenced to Ionia for from six months to five years with a recommendation from the court that he be kept in confinement the minimum time.

All of the cases with the exception of one came from Grand Haven.

## LARGE GATHERING CAME TOGETHER AT POULTRY MEETING

At least one hundred poultry men from this vicinity met in the Vander Veen building to listen to K. A. Zimmerman, former superintendent of Lakewood Poultry Farm, now superintendent of M. A. C. Poultry farm at Lansing.

In a very instructive talk, Mr. Zimmerman told of winter feeding for egg production giving the poultry men a great many pointers.

County Agent Milham also gave a great deal of chicken information and thanked Superintendent Brower of the Holland Poultry Association for his "easy chair" story boosting the Grand Haven association.

The Holland Poultry show this year will be on the second floor of the Overland garage building, formerly used for I. O. O. F. hall. This place is well heated and there is ample room for a big show.

The secretary has sent out his catalogs for the year containing a resume of everything poultry including cups, ribbon and special premiums.

The premium list is neatly gotten up in two colors, the cover being appropriately adorned with a feather and egg border. It is stated that the catalog surpasses in uniqueness and otherwise, the one gotten out for the National show held at Madison Square Garden, New York.

The cover design is one specially originated by Mr. Brower, and spells poultry throughout.

There will be at least 750 entries at the poultry show, some birds coming from Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio. Birds not seen here before are the Russian Orloffs. These birds have a beautiful plumage and come from

Northern Michigan.

Other birds not known here are the Dark Cornish. These are also shipped from the North.

The catalogues have already been distributed the dates of the show being December 21 to 25 inclusive, the show closing Christmas night.

## GOVERNMENT TO HELP PAYERS OF '22 INCOME TAXES

The internal revenue bureau has made plans to extend further aid to federal taxpayers this year in an effort to reduce the number of errors that annually have crept into the income tax returns of the millions who help pay the way of the government. Schools of instruction for deputy collectors and attaches of revenue collectors' offices are being held throughout the country, it was announced today. The revenue bureau believes the method of training will result in reducing the amount of rechecking and delay necessitated by misunderstanding.

### PUBLIC AUCTION

On Thursday, Dec. 21, at 9 a. m. on the farm of Henry Geurink, Jr., located two miles north and 1/2 mile west of Borculo.

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On Thursday, December 21, at 9 o'clock A. M. on the farm of Henry Bonzelaar, located 3 miles south of Graafschap, on the town line road between Laketown and Fillmore, the following goods will be sold at public auction: 2 horses, 7 years old, one 1200 and the other 1300 pounds; 4 Guernsey cows, 2 fresh, 1 to freshen soon; 1 Guernsey bull; 2 sows, 3 sheep, 1 Deering grain binder; 1 Milwaukee corn binder; 1 side rake; 1 Sterling hay loader; 1 John Deere mower as good as new; 1 horse rake; 1 fertilizer grain drill; 1 riding cultivator; 1 hand cultivator; 1 three section spring drag; 1 60 tooth drag; 1 pulverizer; 1 shovel plow; 1 Gale corn planter; 1 New Idea Manure spreader; 1 top buggy; 1 two seated buggy; 1 dray wagon; 1 steel wheel truck wagon; 1 big sleigh; 1 bob sleigh; 1 cutter; 1 hay rake; 1 De Laval separator; 10 acres corn in shocks; 20 vt ensilage; about 16 tons hay; baled straw; 1 platform scale; 1 fanning mill; 1 feed grinder; 1 pair work harness; 1 buggy harness; six soup barrels; 1 laundry stove; 1 oil heater and other articles too numerous to mention.

Six months credit will be given on notes with good security. 4% discount on sums above \$5. Below \$5 cash. Lunch at noon.

H. Lugers & Son, Auctioneers

ing of the forms the taxpayers must file.

Forms for the preparation of the returns soon will be in hands of the collectors in an effort to speed the filing of the returns, which must be delivered to the collector by March 15.

## WINS FAME FOR PREVENTION OF LABOR TROUBLES

The Racine (Wis.) Journal-News of recent date contained an interesting story of how Cedar Rapids, Ia., has become a city that is free from labor troubles through the efforts of G. A. Kanter, formerly of Holland, now of Racine, and one other man. About a decade ago Mr. Kanter was a citizen of Cedar Rapids, Ia, and at that time he and another

man named Roy Stewart, representing the employers' association, worked out a plan for preventing labor troubles which has worked splendidly all these years and which has made Cedar Rapids practically free from serious labor troubles. The Wisconsin paper describes the plan as follows:

"When a dispute is imminent or when there is likely to be a demand for a wage readjustment, employers and employees submit a list of men that they would like to have serve as arbitrators. Oftentimes the lists contain the same names. The aim is to get men that are believed to be honest and disinterested. Both sides usually have sufficient confidence in the integrity of ministers of churches, college professors, bankers, doctors, and lawyers.

"From this list three names are

drawn for every arbitration. To it are added two representatives of employers and two representatives of the unions. The disputants then present their cases, either in person or by representatives. The court weighs the facts, and the decision of the majority prevails and becomes the decision of the court. In theory the two employers and the two union arbitrators cancel each other, leaving the decision to the three disinterested arbitrators, but unanimous decisions have not been unknown."

### SWEET CIDER

Sweet cider for sale delivered anywhere in the city in 15 gallon kegs at 25c per gallon. Or 30c per single gallon, with or without preservatives.

E. H. HOUSE, Phone 5, Saugatuck, Mich.

### NOTICE

To the taxpayers of Olive Township: I will be at the following places to collect taxes, the First State bank at Holland, Dec. 16-23-30; Jan. 6, H. Koop store at Borculo, Dec. 27-Jan. 3 at B. Gebben store, West Olive; Dec. 26-Jan 2; every Friday at home. Jacob Kraai, Olive Township Treas.

Expires Dec. 30—9620  
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 8th day of December, A. D. 1922.

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

In the Matter of the estate of Engbert Beekman, Deceased  
Mrs. Alice Beekman having filed in said court her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered that the

8th day of January A. D. 1923 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for 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.

## Christmas Shopping At Our Two Stores

### At Our 13th St. Store

Christmas suggestions can be had in the New Idea Dress Patterns, Dry Goods and Notion Shops and Toys.

### At Our Central Avenue Store

Gifts in the line of Shoes, Slippers, Suitcases, Comfy Slippers are always acceptable.

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A good pair of Blankets for \$2.00 a pair and up.

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## PRINS GIVES FIRST HAND NEWS FROM THE NEAR EAST

For the first time since the Near East became a great world problem Holland people had an opportunity Sunday evening to get first hand information on it when an address on the subject was given in the First Reformed church by Peter Prins, who returned from the Near East on Friday night. And local people took advantage of the opportunity to the extent of occupancy every seat in the building; others tried to hear the address but could not get in.

Mr. Prins spoke quietly and he carefully avoided the story of the horrors and atrocities of recent date, declaring that the experiences he had gone through were too vivid to him and he was not physically able to endure giving an account of them now. "Deportation," he said, was a synonym for "death." People are deported to the interior in droves, which, he said, means that they are sent to certain death. Mr. Prins asked the minister of interior why this policy was pursued, and the answer was, "We have this racial problem on our hands, and the easiest way to get rid of these people is to kill them off by deporting them."

Mr. Prins gave a graphic picture of his efforts to establish farm colonies at Rhodesia. He took 1200 refugees and established them on two large farms of some 400 acres, with the idea of doing constructive work and making these people self-supporting. The plan worked splendidly; the people built homes for themselves and were on the way to self-support when the recent devastations interfered and most of the work was undone.

Speaking of relief work, Mr. Prins declared emphatically that all the rumors to the effect that the relief money did not actually reach the field were unfounded. All workers, he said, are held to an extremely strict account. The need is so great that only \$1 a month is allowed for a person per month, and so great has the demand become that older people are no longer helped, but only children can be given aid. People are herded together like sheep, and providing shelter means providing four square feet for five persons. Mr. Prins made a strong appeal for clothing for the Near East and he said the need was greater than anyone could imagine.

## ZEELAND AND ALLEGAN HOLD PRACTICE DEBATE

Wednesday evening the debating team of Zeeland high school joined the Allegan team in a practice debate upon the question of constructing the lakes-to-seas waterway, the subject selected for debate in the state this year. Allegan took the negative; and while both sides showed prospects of ripening into strong debaters the home speakers made the stronger argument and the better appearance, outclassing the visitors in every particular. Miss Shoemaker was the best of the visitors, and on the Allegan side the honors were pretty evenly divided. Particularly pleasing was the handling of the rebuttal by the local contestants, no notes being used and language and argument being fully equal to the prepared addresses. The Zeeland team was composed of Gertrude Shoemaker, Otto Yntema, and Harry Brower. The Allegan debaters were Persis Dykstra, Gerald Dykstra, and Vernon Reynolds. As that was a practice debate there were no judges and no decision was made.—Allegan Gazette.

## DOUG. AND MARY PLAN TRIP AROUND THE WORLD ON A SPECIAL LINER

Douglas Fairbanks and Mary Pickford plan to circumnavigate the globe in a Japanese liner next year. They will start from San Francisco.

The ship which they are said to have chartered belongs to the Toyo Kisen Kaisha and has 80 first class accommodations. Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks it is understood, have invited 50 friends to accompany them on the trip. They intend not only to study the effect of their films in foreign lands but also to inspect the distributing offices for their films in the orient.

## BUS CAPSIZES NEAR GRAND RAPIDS; SIX ARE INJURED

Late Sunday evening a Grand Rapids-Greenville bus carrying 23 passengers collided with a touring car near the West Michigan State Fair grounds, capsized, and scattered 23 passengers along the highway.

Six of them were badly injured, and were immediately taken to the hospitals in Grand Rapids.

The driver of the bus states that another car attempted to pass and then swerved toward the bus knocking off a rear wheel which then caused the car to topple over with its human freight.

Most of the injured were cut by the broken glass, when the side of the bus struck the ground. Both colliding machines are entirely out of commission.

B. Keefe, of Keefe's restaurant, has purchased a Hudson coach of the Hudson-Essex garage.

Holland, Mich., Dec. 6, 1922. The Common Council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Mayor Stephan, Alds. Prins, Blue, Brieve, Drinkwater, Kammeraad, Laepple, Lawrence, Dykstra, Wickerink, Vander Hill, and Sprang, and the Clerk. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

**Petitions and Accounts.** The Holland Gas Works submitted their operating report for the month of October, 1922.

**Filed.** Clerk presented the following resolution passed by the Holland Co-operative Association: "Resolved that it is the sense of the members of the Holland Co-operative Association that the result of the last election as shown on the face of the ballot should be followed in regard to the election of Sheriff of Ottawa County."

**Filed.** Lyle O. Stevens and John Glerum petitioned for permission to install a gasoline service pump on E. 8th St. adjacent to No. 65. Referred to the Committee on Streets and Crosswalks.

**Al. Franzburg & Son** applied for permit to construct a garage, 12 x 16', at an estimated cost of \$150.00, at the southeast corner of Central Avenue and 13th St. Referred to the Aldermen of the Third Ward with power to act.

The Clerk presented the following notice served on him by the State Board of Health, (also a reply to said notice written by the City Attorney): "Please take notice, that the State Department of Health of the State of Michigan, has examined the description, plan and spacing of the following system of the City of Holland, Michigan, heretofore filed with said Department, and finds that said sewerage system is DEFECTIVE, INSANITARY and DANGEROUS to individuals and to the public health generally."

Therefore, you are hereby NOTIFIED and ORDERED to take proper action within ninety days from date of receipt of this notice, to correct or cause to be corrected and thereafter proceed without unnecessary delay to the completion of said sewerage system, by perfecting the following alterations, changes and additions will, in the opinion of the said Department of Health, render said sewerage system adequate and sanitary and relieve the same from its danger to individuals and to the public health, to wit:

To construct, install and maintain an adequate sewerage disposal plant, ample and sufficient to eliminate by filtration all deleterious matter from sewage passing through said system before the same is deposited or allowed to reach the waters of the Black River, Black Lake, or any other river, stream, lake or other waters within the STATE of MICHIGAN.

This notice and order is served in pursuance and under authority of Section 11 of Act 358 of the Public Acts of Michigan for the year 1921.

**Reports of Standing Committees.**

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

Holland Gas Works, Gas.....	75
R. Overweg, Clerk.....	108.33
Helen J. Klompars, Asst. Clerk.....	54.00
Chas. H. McBride, Attorney.....	50.00
M. B. Bowman, Treas.....	18.59
C. W. Nibbelink, Assessor.....	100.00
Jerry Boerma, Janitor.....	55.00
B. Olgers, Janitor.....	50.00
H. S. Bosch, P.D. & Insp.....	41.67
B. B. Godfrey, O. O.....	75.00
Alma Koertge, City Nurse.....	19.16
Mrs. E. Annis, Aid, Nov. wall paper.....	25.35
Joe Warner, Aid, Nov.....	20.00
McBride Ins. Agency, Premium.....	250.00
Onderdonk Printing Co., Pamphlets.....	61.74
DuMez Bros., Toweling.....	3.63
M. Brant, Cleaning Booth.....	5.00
B. P. W., Safety Signal.....	59.48
B. P. W., Lamps.....	624.35
Thos. Marshall, Ins. Premium.....	83.76
L. Kardux, Rent, Mrs. Kulte.....	9.00
J. Van Putten, Rent, Mrs. Mulder.....	9.00
Fleeman Est., Rent, Mrs. J. Stam.....	7.00
Dienhorst Bros., Coal, (Kulte).....	18.75
B. B. Godfrey, Expenses.....	2.38
Bosch & Estle, Plaster, Paint.....	23.40
John Nies Son Hdwe. Stove, etc.....	27.40
Mrs. Annis.....	3.00
G. Grisson, Scavenger work.....	3.00
Dr. G. H. Thomas, Services.....	20.00
T. Keppel's Sons, Lime.....	3.00
G. Van Putten, Poor orders.....	88.00
Peoples Bank, Poor orders.....	155.00
Dr. A. T. Godfrey, Testing milk.....	5.00
Holland City News, Printing.....	154.00
Wm. Modders, Plumbing.....	115.00
T. Keppel's Sons, Pipe, labor.....	1704.80
A. B. Kammeraad, Labor on trees.....	19.00
A. Westrom, Labor on trees.....	19.00
Martha Frakkien, Services.....	12.50
Hospital Specialty Co., Sanitary Mach., Supplies.....	20.57
J. Zuidema, Salary.....	130.57
Mrs. Browning, Rent.....	3.00
A. Boone, Gravel.....	6.75
B. P. W., Coal.....	8.70
A. H. Brinkman, Trucking freight.....	9.1
Associated Mfgs. Co., Brooms.....	13.00
City of Holland St. Fund, Rent of mixer, etc.....	227.60
Jas. B. Clow & Sons, Pipe.....	332.17
P. M. Ry. Co., Freight.....	52.42
Holland Salvage Co., Labor.....	26.10
S. Nibbelink, Labor.....	53.80
F. Lohuis, Labor.....	135.90
G. Van Haften, Labor.....	129.60
A. Alderink, Labor.....	45.20
B. Coster, Labor.....	10.00
Wm. Roelofs, Labor.....	57.20
G. Appledorn, Labor.....	58.80
M. Nyboer, Labor.....	44.40
P. De Neff, Labor.....	102.00
H. De Neff, Labor.....	46.20
G. J. Ten Brink, Labor.....	80.85
Wm. Ten Brink, Labor.....	79.75
Al. Tilma, Labor.....	87.45
V. J. Crab, Labor.....	54.80
G. Van Wieren, Labor.....	60.00
A. VanderHul, Labor.....	58.00
A. Van Raalte, Labor.....	60.40
Geo. De Haan, Labor.....	58.00
C. J. Dornbos, Labor.....	80.00
J. Hooijer, Labor.....	53.60
A. Vanden Brink, Labor.....	53.60
De Fouw Elec. Co., Supplies.....	3.42
Standard Grocer Co., Towel holder.....	14.61
Rochester Germicide Co., Supplies.....	6.00
Dr. T. A. Boof, Services.....	4.00
C. W. Nibbelink, Office supplies.....	25.00
J. & H. DeJongh, Poor orders.....	48.00

Allowed and warrants ordered issued. The Committee on Poor reported presenting the report of the Director of Poor for the three weeks ending December 6, 1922, in the sum of \$158.50. Accepted and filed.

The Committee on Sewers, Drains & Water Courses to whom was referred the petitions of the Holland Chair Co. and the Jas. A. Brower Co. for permission to connect the roofs of their new buildings with the storm sewers, reported having made investigation at both places and recommended that the petitions be granted provided the contractors provide suitable devices for taking care of any overflow in case the city mains become over-taxed or blocked in any way.

**Adopted.** The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the application and bond of Dave Blom to conduct a billiard hall at 174 River Ave. reported that the Committee could not agree in the matter, but that the majority of said Committee recommended that such license be denied.

On motion of Ald. Wickerink. Resolved that the report of the Committee be and the same hereby adopted. Said resolution prevailed by Ayes.

Ayes: Alds. Prins, Kammeraad, Laepple, Brinkman, Dykstra, Wickerink—6. The vote being a tie, the Mayor voted Aye.

**Messages from the Mayor.** The Mayor reported that the City of Grand Rapids and other cities were sending representatives to Washington, D. C. in behalf of the harbor project and that the City of Holland by all means should be represented, and that he had appointed Hon. G. J. Diekema, and John C. Hamilton as delegates from the City of Holland.

On motion of Ald. Laepple. Resolved that the action of the Mayor be and the same hereby approved, and that the expense incurred by the said delegates be paid by the City.

**Carried.** The Mayor reported that the Radio Club desired the use of a room in the City Hall once a week every two weeks for the purpose of giving lessons in radio.

On motion of Ald. Blue. Permission was granted. **Communications Officers.**

The following claims approved by the Hospital Board, Dec. 2, 1922, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

Holland Gas Works, Gas.....	3.45
Citizens Tel. Co., Rent, calls.....	4.40
Board of Public Works, Electricity.....	53.11
A. Harrington, Coal.....	43.65
Model Laundry, Laundry.....	64.57
Damstra Bros., Repairs.....	3.20
Jas. A. Brower Co., Linoleum.....	54.43
Superior Ice Co., Ice.....	8.60
De Free Hdwe Co., Kitchen Utensils.....	11.72
Roemer Drug Co., Suture material.....	11.18
B. P. W., Lamp, Labor.....	22.50
G. Grisson, Scavenger work.....	22.50

Kardux Grocery, Groceries.....	18.05
First Ave. Market, Meats.....	68.02
Jacob Boven, Milk, eggs.....	27.64
Bomers & Smeenge, Repairs.....	15.35
Holland Gas Works, Gas, Nov.....	4.05
DeFour Elec. Co., Wiring, fixtures.....	13.45
Frie Book Store, Supplies.....	1.26
Midland Chemical Lab, Surgical Soap.....	10.08
A. Harrington, Coal.....	321.70
Frypel Phat., Drugs.....	57.35
Alice Fry, Cook.....	64.30
Agnes Visser, Laundress.....	69.83
Minnie Ensing, Domestic.....	63.15
Gertrude Vanden Berg, Mending.....	7.00
Ann Ben, Office girl.....	20.00
H. Deesburg, Janitor.....	10.00
Mrs. P. Bott, Rent.....	10.00
Mabel Miller, Supt.....	150.00
Itena Boven, Asst Supt.....	125.00
Edna Glingrich, Nurse.....	100.00
Jeanette Ploeg, Nurse.....	85.00
Fenna Van Vessem, Nurse.....	42.50

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The following claims approved by the Board of Park and Cemetery Trustees, Dec. 4, 1922, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

Weller Nurseries, Bulbs.....	8.00
H. Deesburg, Janitor.....	18.00
J. Van Dis, Filing saws.....	1.50
Wolverine Garage, Gas.....	3.42
Henry Kraker Pibg. Co., Labor.....	4.52
Supplies.....	3.96
D. Overweg, Labor.....	6.74
A. B. Kammeraad, Labor.....	33.34
A. Westerhof, Labor.....	45.60
Jac. Ver Houwe, Labor.....	73.19
W. Zigande Water, Ashes to Cemetery.....	5.00

270.98

Allowed and Warrants ordered issued.

The following claims approved by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, Dec. 4, 1922, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

Mich. State Tel. Rent, toll.....	4.50
D. C. W. Lights.....	7.00
Dr. C. J. Abbott, Services.....	2.00
I. Vos, Gas.....	8.80
Dr. W. Westrate, Services.....	3.00
C. Steketee, Patrolman.....	95.50
P. Bontekoe, Patrolman.....	95.00
R. Cramer, Patrolman.....	94.50
D. O'Connor, Patrolman.....	94.50
H. B. Swierenga, Patrolman.....	94.50
F. Van Ry, Chief.....	70.81
L. Bowman, Patrolman.....	4.50
Holland Gas Works, Gas.....	1.00
Thos. Klompars, Coal.....	40.20
Superior Ice Co., Coal.....	22.50
Vereke-Sierma Hdwe. Wrench.....	4.70
Vanden Berg Bros, Gas.....	3.73

997.44

Allowed and Warrants ordered issued.

The following claims approved by the Board of Public Works at a meeting Dec. 5, 1922, were ordered certified to the Common Council for payment:

Roy B. Champion, Supt.....	208.33
J. Appledorn, Clerk.....	62.00
J. A. Voorhorst, Stenog.....	37.50
Josie Van Zanten, Stenog.....	37.50
M. Bowmaster, Treas.....	104.17
Abe Nauta, Asst. Supt.....	100.00
A. E. McClellan, Chief Eng.....	8.00
F. Smith, Engineer.....	70.00
Frank McFall, Engineer.....	70.00
Jas. Annis, Engineer.....	70.00
F. Slikkers, Relief Eng.....	70.00
Chas. Martin, Fireman.....	62.50
M. Burch, Fireman.....	62.50
C. J. Rozeboom, 19th st. Attn.....	50.00
Fred Rozeboom, 19th st. Attn.....	55.45
J. P. DeFeyer, Line foreman.....	71.65
Nick Prins, Lineman.....	74.12
Chas. Ter Beek, Lineman.....	54.50
Guy Pond, Elec. Meterman.....	77.34
Henry Zoet, Elec. Meter tester.....	46.80
Chas. Vos, Stockkeeper.....	72.65
M. Kammeraad, Fireman.....	78.48
L. Kammeraad, Water Insp.....	35.40
Sam Althuis, Water Meterman.....	76.50
John Den Uyl, Labor.....	68.50
J. Koolman, Labor.....	68.50
V. Paulis, Labor.....	65.25
C. Kammeraad, Labor.....	37.20
E. Mouw, Labor.....	53.60
C. Dykstra, Labor.....	63.80
F. Slikkers, Labor.....	67.47
J. Veltje, Labor.....	70.50
J. De Riddler, Labor.....	40.95
J. Harsevoort, Labor.....	5.60
Fred Wise, Labor.....	75.00
K. Buttles, Labor.....	54.70
Cor. Roos, Labor.....	152.74
Bosch & Estle, Painting.....	69.80
Wm. Broekhorst, Gravel, Testling.....	572.76
B. P. W., Nov. light, power.....	97.75
B. P. W., Supplies.....	53.20
T. Keppel's Sons, Pipe.....	15.40
De Kraker Pibg. Co., Supplies.....	3.70
F. C. Teal Co., Insulators.....	24.50
Holland Engine Co., Spark Coll.....	6.00
A. H. Brinkman, Freight, cartage.....	9.19
H. Mueller Mfg. Co., Carb. Corp.....	139.65
Auto Trim & Upholst. Shop, Supplies.....	3.50
Laclede-Christy Clay Prod. Co., Supplies.....	3.50
A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., Supplies.....	23.52
Volter Vanderk. Co., Boots.....	14.50
American Ry. Exp. Express.....	1.52
Electric Appliance Co., Wire, meters.....	778.48
Illinois Elec. Co., Bolts.....	4.78
Federal Stamp Co., Steel.....	2.20
Wm. Mach. Tool Wks, Labor.....	12.23
Eldson Elec. Appl. Co., Repairs.....	9.80
W. E. Dunn Mfg. Co., Metal.....	6.00
Rutgers & Braamse, Hose, gauge.....	1.00
Holland City News, Printing.....	34.00
Lake Erie Glass Co., Coloring Lamps.....	2.46
Fostoria Inc., Lamps.....	417.09
Addressograph Co., Platen refaced.....	6.00
General Elec. Co., Fuses.....	117.12
B. P. W., Comp. Insurance.....	1.00
Scott-Lugers Lbr. Co., Lumber.....	2.50
T. Markus, Iron wood.....	2.92
Roller Smith Co., Changing dials.....	772.46
J. W. Dykstra Co., Coal.....	336.77
Mitchell & Dillon Coal Co., Coal.....	914.15
P. M. Ry. Co., Freight.....	5.60
H. R. Brink, Supplies.....	3.40
Mich. State Tel. Rent, toll.....	11.88
Hazeltine-Perkins Co., Glycerine.....	9.29
Barclay, Ayers & Bertsch, Wrenches.....	45.79
The Mamer Co., Steel.....	35.578.30
City of Holland, Bonds, accrued interest.....	42,943.76

Allowed and Warrants ordered issued.

Board of Public Works reported the

collection of \$15,700.57 Light and Water

and collections.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered

charged with the amount.

Justice van Scheiven reported the collection of \$22.19 insurance fines and officers fees.

Supt. van Scheiven reported the collection of \$228.86 from the sale of Cemetery Lots.

City clerk reported the collection of \$11,001.12 for licenses and street improvements.

City treasurer reported the following collections: \$812.00 hospital hospital, \$200.00 sewer & water connections, \$200.00 material and supplies sold, \$20.00 rent from Willite Construction Co., \$20.00 fire services outside of the City, \$25.00 Dancing Academy License.

Accepted and the Treasurer ordered charged with the several amounts.

City engineer reported balance due in the sum of \$520.44 to the Willite Road Construction Co. on the River Ave. and W. 14th St. paving contract.

Accepted and warrant ordered issued on the Treasurer for the amount.

City Engineer reported estimated amount due the Willite Road Construction Co. on the 7th and Lincoln Ave. paving contract of \$11,567.22.

Accepted and the warrant ordered issued on the Treasurer for the amount.

Clerk presented bond and contract of the Willite Road Construction Co. for the paving of 17th St. between River and Central Avenues.

Approved.

Clerk reported recommending that bonus No. 1 of Street Improvement Series "L" 19th St. Special St. Assessment District and River Ave. and W. 17th St. Special Assessment District due Feb. 1, 1923, together with the interest coupon attached to same, be ordered canceled.

Adopted.

Clerk reported that he had given notice of the numbering and filing in his office of special assessment roll for the paving of River Ave. from 13th to 17th St. and 17th St. from River to Ottawa Avenue, and of the time and place for reviewing said rolls and that no objections to same had been filed in his office.

Confirmed.

**Motions and Resolutions.**

On motion of Ald. Kammeraad.

Resolved that the Special Assessment Roll of the 19th St. Paving Special Assessment District, and the Special Assessment Roll of the River Avenue and W. 17th St. Paving Special Assessment District of instant and interest due February 1, 1923, be directed to the City Treasurer for collection, and that the Clerk be instructed to attach his warrant for the collection of such rolls, said collection to be made within sixty days from the date of such warrant as required by the provision of the City Charter.

Carried.

On motion of Ald. Dykstra.

Resolved that the Pere Marquette Ry. Co. be notified to place a signal or danger bell on the Chicago Division of their tracks at 17th St.

Carried.

On motion of Ald. Blue.

The matter of having gates placed at the Pere Marquette Ry. crossing at 8th and 12th Sts. and the taking up of the matter with Pere Marquette authorities was referred to the Mayor and City Attorney.

On motion of Ald. Blue.

The matter of placing a suitable barrier for protection at the intersection of 8th and Gerritsen Sts. was referred to the Committee on Streets and Crosswalks with power to act.

Adjoined.

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## MARKET REPORT

Wheat, No. 1 red	\$1.25
Wheat, No. 1 white	1.23
Rye	.74
Oil Meal	51.00
Cracked Corn	31.00
Scratch Feed with grit	47.00
Scratch Feed no grit	46.00
St. Car Feed per ton	34.00
No. 1 Feed per ton	33.00
Screenings	37.00
Brans	32.00
Middlings	37.00
Low Grade Flour	50.00
Cotton Seed Meal 36%	48.00
Cotton Seed Meal 43%	54.00
Glutin Feed	44.00
Dairy Feed 24%	48.00
Dairy Feed 16%	29.00
Hog Feed	46.00
Hay, baled	\$12 to \$14
Straw	8.00
Eggs	.40
Butter, dairy	.49
Butter, creamer	.54
Beef	9.10
Pork	10-11
Chickens	12-16

## LOCALS

The pastor of Trinity Reformed church will continue the series of sermons on "Bible Types of American Women." The sermon of next Sunday evening will be "The Ideal Woman of the Home."

John Broekema, who has his summer home on the Graafschap road immediately off the Pike and who is connected with Marshall-Field & Co. of Chicago, has been quite ill of late and his doctors have advised him to go south for three months. He is already in Jacksonville, Fla., and will within a few days establish himself at Miami. Mrs. Broekema and son Myron are making the trip by automobile, and will reach there within a few days. Mr. Broekema's eyesight has been troubling him and he is leaving his business on physician's orders. The Broekema's are well acquainted here, and no doubt their friends will be interested.

Ed Leewu of the Hudson-Essex Garage is a regular Santa Claus. He has a large Christmas tree trimmed up and filled with scintillating electric lights in all colors of the rainbow. On each side of the tree two beautiful Hudson Coaches decorated with Christmas bells occupy conspicuous places.

Rev. H. A. Vruwink was elected as president of the Grand Haven Boy Scouts' council; Paul Taylor, vice president; Charles R. Shoupe, representative to the National council; B. P. Sherwood was re-elected secretary and William Phillips scout commissioner.

Representative G. W. Kooyers is to sever his connections with the Home Furnace Co. the first of January when he returns to Lansing as representative of this district in the Michigan legislature. Mr. Kooyers has represented the company in Lansing for some years; he has long been planning to relinquish that work to enter the investment field but he remained on the job until a successor had been trained and until the business was firmly established in Lansing.

With the opening of the legislature he will leave the concern and devote all his time to his legislative work. When the legislature adjourns he will enter the investment field in Holland.

A meeting of the Holland Radio Ass'n will be held Thursday, Dec. 14 at 8 o'clock p. m. in the club rooms, on the 3rd floor of the city hall. The purpose of this meeting will be to perfect the organization of the club arrange for a program, and elect new officers for the coming year. The Holland Radio Ass'n was organized about a year ago, and held bi-weekly meetings in the high school during the past winter and spring months with an attendance of about 30.

The club is organized for education.

## OBITUARY

George Osborne was born in England, Nov. 24th, 1862. When only a small boy he came with his parents to Holland and settled near Holland. This was just before the big fire of 1871. He began working on the railroad when quite young and worked up until he became a conductor. He lived in and near Holland until middle life when he moved to northern Michigan, living at Cadillac, Mancelona and Big Rapids. He married Dora Harvey and there were born to them five children, Mrs. John Rabbers of Grand Rapids; Fred of Norfolk, Va.; Charles of Owosso; and Mrs. Ruth Rose of Detroit. One baby died in infancy. These four children his wife, four brothers and two sisters survive him.

A number of years ago he was converted in Cadillac. Since that time he has been a devoted worker in the church, going out on Sundays with other men to hold religious services in out of the way places where they had no church, trying to spend part of his time in the service of the Master he loved.

He was a kind husband and father and had a wide circle of friends. He was a great lover of children and was never so happy as when amusing them. The children all looked upon him as their particular property and "Uncle George" was everywhere welcomed with delight. He had a sunny, happy disposition, always looking on the bright side of life. This was such a well known characteristic of his that he was affectionately known as "Old Grin," by the trainmen among whom he worked.

A year ago last June he had a stroke of paralysis that stopped his work although he was able to be around all the time. Last Saturday evening he suffered another stroke and died about midnight. He and his wife had lived with their daughter, Mrs. John Rabbers in Grand Rapids since his first stroke. He was buried here in the Osborne lot in the Pilgrim Home cemetery. Contributed.

JOHNNY LAVAN  
PLAYS IN ORIENTFORMER CLASSMATES MEET  
IN THE DISTANT ORIENT

On November 4, 1922, the All-American Baseball Team opened the series with the Keio team in Tokyo,



JOHNNY LAVAN

Japan. John Ter Borg, '19, writes that about 10,000 spectators watched the performance of the big Amer-

cans and the little Japanese. One was reminded of Fisher's cartoon's about Mutt and Jeff. The American team easily beat the Orientals. Penneck, the All-American pitcher, never allowed a man past third base.

That which interests Hopeites the most concerning this famous baseball team is the fact that one of their own number is a member of this aggregation. Johnny Lavan found an old classmate in Tokyo in the person of Harvey Oltmans of the American Embassy. The two went to classes and played on athletic teams together at Hope and later at the U. of M.

Lavan secured his degree in medicine at Michigan and when his big league days are over will practice his profession. He has been in major league baseball since 1913 and with the St. Louis Cardinals since 1919, having secured a reputation on the diamond as a flashy infielder and a timely hitter. Lavan has just recovered from injuries which kept him on the bench during the last weeks of the season.—Hope College Anchor.

It will also be remembered Johnny Lavan made his first appearance in Holland when this city was in the State League for one season. At that time Johnny thought so much of Holland that he started to go to Hope in order to remain here. His work as a baseball player attracted the scouts of the larger leagues and since that time he has played in big company and has made considerable money.

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REV. ELLIOTT IS  
GOING TO ISLAND

## OF HAYTI

The Seventh-Day Adventist church of this city is to have a change of pastors. Mr. Walter P. Elliott who has been serving the church in this connection has been called by the general conference of the Seventh-Day Adventists for service on the island of Hayti. Mr. Grant Hosford, a graduate of Emanuel Missionary College and successful as an evangelist will fill the vacancy here. Mr. Hosford comes to Holland from the church at Grand Lodge, Michigan, where a new building was recently erected under his direction to accommodate the growing flock in that city.

Mr. Elliott, in speaking of his new field of labor says, "Though Hayti has presented many obstacles for mission work it has proven a very fruitful portion of the vineyard. We have conducted mission work there for about fifteen years and are rewarded with a present baptized membership of nearly nine hundred and a staff of sixteen native workers. We also have a well equipped school at Cape Hatien on the northern shore of the island. Here is a splendid class of young people and constant training for the Master's service. Mrs. Elliott and I will locate at Cape Hatien in a modern bungalow recently erected for the superintendent of the field. The people speak French and Christian literature in French is in ever increasing demand. At the present time we are erecting a very creditable new church building in the capital city, Port Au Prince."

To direct the Adventist mission work in its various departments and interests throughout the Republic of Hayti is Mr. Elliott's new task. The reluctant to leave Holland and his growing church and good friends Mr. Elliott feels that in as much as he has given his life to the furtherance of the Gospel he must go where the need is the greatest even though it demands unlimited personal sacrifice. He, with his family, will leave Holland in about a week expecting to sail from New York the 28th of December.

HOLLAND BOATS  
WERE DELAYED ON  
ACCOUNT OF STORM

The Grand Trunk ferry Grand Haven has been held in that port for nearly 18 hours due to the high winds which have been blowing. The Goodrich liner Alabama was also held over in Muskegon.

The steamer "City of Grand Rapids" has also been delayed on account of the storm. Leaving Monday night she hit the beginning of a gale and immediately made Benton Harbor, where she laid up until 7 o'clock Wednesday when she proceeded on her way to Holland reaching her dock here just before noon Wednesday.

The gale was one of the most severe thus far this season besides blowing a blizzard. The wind came due west at 47 miles an hour and the highest velocity attained was 49 miles.

Only once before this year was the velocity of the wind greater, and that was last week Tuesday when it reached 52 miles keeping the large car ferries and other steamers into the Grand Haven port.

At that time the "City of Grand Rapids" weathered the gale and entered Holland harbor at the usual time. However she struck hard on the bar at the mouth of the harbor, and some of the crew were thrown to the deck.

One of the reasons why the "City of Grand Rapids" made Benton Harbor Tuesday morning, was the fact that the captain did not dare to risk another chance of hitting the bar at the mouth of Holland harbor.

Once before this season the boat nearly lost her steering way, and this would prove very disastrous entering between the piers as the ship in swerving, one way or another, might strike the piers and disaster would be inevitable.

It will be remembered that some 18 years ago the steamer "Argo" also struck the bar, and losing her steering way went beyond the North pier where she was beached and the Holland life saving crew had to take the passengers and seamen off by way of the breeches-buoy.

Another argument in favor of more appropriation and better harbor facilities for this port.

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## 本日の配置

氏名	守備	投手	捕手	一塁	二塁	三塁	遊撃	左翼	右翼
Horner	捕手	1	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Scott	投手	2	CF	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Miller	捕手	3	LF	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Fisher	投手	4	CF	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Kelly	投手	5	RF	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Gutlin	投手	6	RF	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Franklin	投手	7	RF	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Armstrong	投手	8	C	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Paul	投手	9	P	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Hart	投手	10	P	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Young	投手	11	LF	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Swett	投手	12	C	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
French	投手	13	P	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Linan	投手	14	RF	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中
Armstrong	投手	15	P	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中	鈴木	田中

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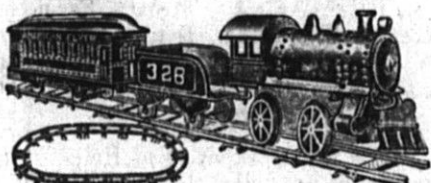
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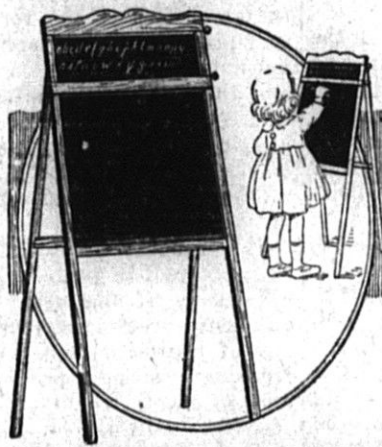


Character dolls, mamma dolls, baby-dolls, kidbody dolls, doll heads, cradles, beds, trunks, piano's, ironing-boards, flat irons, bureau's and dressers, coffee mills, china or aluminum dishes, small brooms, tables and chairs, sewing boxes, rockers, purses, perfume's, doll buggies, handkerchiefs, ribbons, purses with chains, bead necklaces, pictures, work-boxes, china dresser-sets, sewing baskets, manicure sets, pin cushions, ivory combs, mirrors, trays, brushes, powder and hairboxes, house slippers etc. etc.



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Chemcraft outfits, Meccano outfits, Carrom-boards, Mechanical trains, electrical trains, motors, transformers, drums, friction toys, work benches, iron-toys, boats, all kinds of mechanical toys, horses and wagons, pocket knives, tinker-toys, rocking horses, automobiles, engines, pumps, pop guns, air-rifles, baseball mits, footballs, reins, tops, mouth organs, watches etc.



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All kinds of aluminum ware, trays, handkerchiefs, brass or stone jardiniere, stone teapots, pyrex glass, boston bags, box paper, silver plated knives, forks and spoons, china cups and saucers, sugars and creamers, celery trays, cake plates, salads bowls, glass water sets, sherberts, cut glass bowls, and baskets, manicure sets, powder and puff boxes, chinese baskets, fancy towels, purses, canteen or vanity bags, ivory combs, trays, mirrors and brushes.



### For Men:

Humidors, cigar stands, ash trays, initial handkerchiefs, vacuum bottles and lunch kits, shaving sets, mirrors, mugs and brushes, pocket knives etc.



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### FISHING TUGS COME IN- TO HOLLAND HARBOR

Two fishing tugs, "The Star" and the "Cecil W." have come into Holland harbor and are making Harrington's dock their headquarters. The tugs, with crews of about five men apiece, came to Holland from Northport, making the trip safely in spite of a good deal of bad weather. They were weatherbound twice on the trip; being compelled by heavy seas to run into ports for shelter. The distance from Northport is 220 miles.

The tugs expect to stay here until the harbor becomes ice-locked. They will go after trout and already have their setlines out but no lift has as yet been made. When fishing from this port becomes impossible because of the ice the tugs will go to some port further south to continue operations during the winter.

### PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, local, county and state anti-tuberculosis workers have succeeded in the last five years, in making a substantial reduction in the death rate from the white plague, and

Whereas, this reduction has been accomplished in large part by means of preventive and educational methods that have cut down the spread of this dread disease, and

Whereas, the chief need at this time in the program of effort against tuberculosis is an awakened public realization of the menace and appreciation of the importance of guarding against it, in order further to reduce the death rate, therefore

I, the Mayor of Holland, do hereby proclaim Sunday, December 10, Tuberculosis Sunday, and the week beginning December 10, Tuberculosis Week, in keeping with the action of hundreds of sister cities throughout the nation, urge that the people of our city give some thought to the danger from the disease and the best methods of protection against it.

I further commend the cause to the ministers of our city, and to the newspapers and all other educational influences, with the thought that they may well devote some effort on that day and during that week to cooperation in the work of popularizing prevention, and to this end should emphasize the task of the penny Christmas Seals, which make the anti-tuberculosis work possible. Given under my hand and seal, this 8th day of Dec.

Signed E. P. Stephan.  
Mayor of Holland.

### MAKES IT STILL EASIER FOR THE AUTO OWNERS

City Clerk Overweg who is this year in charge of passing out auto license plates to the people of Holland and the surrounding communities in Ottawa and Allegan counties, will keep his office in the city hall open every evening until 8:30 for the accommodation of persons who cannot call during the day.

All auto owners are reminded that they must show three documents when they call at the clerk's office for a license plate: 1—The certificate of title; 2—The driver's license; 3—the card showing the number of the license plate now on the car.

Mr. Overweg again reminds auto owners that they are requested to come in for their plates either before Christmas or after New Year's, leaving the last week of December free for the extra work in connection with the collection of city taxes.

### COMMUNICATION

Editor—

In some of the newspapers in Holland it appears that a certain farmer of Graafschap offered to sell some of his diseased chickens in order to get rid of them, regardless of the fact that neither the owner nor the meat market who wanted them could see anything wrong with them. Not only that, but the owner, J. H. Scholten, did not know the man who made the remarks of some being diseased, and Mr. H. Bosch, Inspector, did not give his name nor his office as inspector, but went to the justice, sentenced him with a fine and costs of \$31.70. He had to pay he was in the trap.

Is that right? If Mr. H. Bosch had said, "I am inspector and some of the chickens are diseased," and then Mr. Scholten had sold them anyway, then it would have been an entirely different case. Is it right to let some one blindfolded run into trouble and cost?

Graafschap is very indignant in this matter; it is not an honor to Holland. We feel offended and request that the above be published.

(Signed) A. Tien, P. Van Klavern, A. H. Strabbing, G. J. Rutgers, G. Zagers, C. Mulder, J. Mulder, W. Stoketee, J. Lambers, H. Labers, H. Bonzeelaar, A. Jipping, G. Ensink, H. Koops, H. Tien, H. J. Wolters, G. Den Bleyker, John Klomprens, F. Peterson, D. Derks.

### CONGRESSMAN ANSWERS THE MERCHANTS' TELEGRAM

John Vandersluis, vice president of the Holland Merchants' association, has received the following letter from Congressman Carl E. Mapes showing that Mr. Mapes is keeping in touch with the harbor situation here and will do his part to receive attention for Holland from the government:

"Dear Mr. Vandersluis: The telegram signed by yourself and Mr. Fred Beuwerkes is received. You may be assured I will gladly co-operate with the Holland committee and assist in all ways possible now and in the future to aid the harbor project at Holland."

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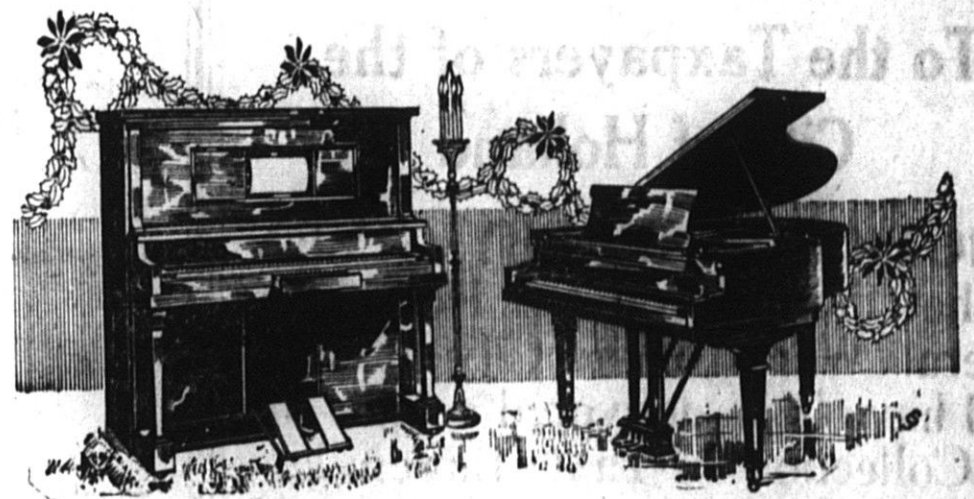
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The following officers for 1923 were named: C. Vander Meulen, C. C.; George Pelgrim, V. C.; Wm. Wishmeier, Prelate; A. J. Westveer, K. of R. S. and M. F.; John Olert, M. E.; Pat Nordhoff, M. A.; Rue Burch, I. G.; John Ederle, O. G.; Oscar Peterson, M. W.; E. F. Davis, trustee for two years; Louis Van Schelven, Fraternal Correspondent.

The Knights of Pythias held their annual election of officers at their regular meeting in K of P hall Thursday evening. The lodge has had a very successful year and many new members have been added. It has also passed a busy year of work and prospects for the coming year's activities are bright.

#### JOHNSON WINS OVER CUNNINGHAM 100 TO 67.

Earl Johnson tied Harvey Sullivan last night when he defeated Cunningham by the score of 100 to 67 at Post's Billiard Academy.

This was an exceptionally good game, both men going very strong until the last when Johnson twice made a run of 14 balls, winning on the last run of 14 without a miss. Much interest is being taken in these games the last of which will be played next Thursday night, when Johnson and Sullivan meet for the city championship, for which a beautiful silver cup is being offered by Post's Billiard Academy.

International real estate organization, established 20 years with sales \$20,000,000 annually desires a man of force and unquestioned integrity to list for sale and show real estate around Holland. Buyers secured through extensive advertising and numerous big city branches. A splendid opportunity for insurance man, machinery salesman or farmer. It means \$3000 to \$7500 yearly to right man. State all qualifications in first letter. E. A. Strout Farm Agency, Ford Bldg. Detroit, Mich.

#### WHY A WISHBONE.

The wishbone of a hen, or, as the sedate medical encyclopedias chart it, the furculum of a fowl, has been an agent of the wishing goddess.

Way back in the middle ages when superstitions were in their heyday the custom of two people grasping opposing ends of a wishbone from a chicken and yanking them apart began. The idea was that whoever had the best luck in getting the biggest piece of the wishbone would have the wish in their hearts at that moment come true.

The medieval British folks the custom was "Merry-thouting," and the wishbone was known as a "merry thought." And while we're disserting on wishbones here's something you may not know: The wishbone is a forked bone in front of the breast bone of most birds, and not the bone corresponding to a man's collar bone, as ye editor of the "Whys?" thought.

Preceding the British custom is a quaint ceremony from Sicilian weddings that may account for the wishing bone custom. After the wedding feast the father of the bride would pick up a bone, and handing it to the groom say: "Pick this bone, for you have taken a hand in much harder task." Then the groom grabbed the bone and hoped for the best.

Despite the fact that the origin of the happy custom is shrouded in antiquity, grownups to-day when they scrambled around "Ma" to get the wishbone from the Sunday chicken, as "them was the days." And as children we all believed in our wishes coming true if we were the lucky puller, just as we did in Santa Claus.

What's your pet "Why?" Simply send it on a nenny postal to the "Why?" Editor, Chicago Evening American.

#### W. M. TRAVER, HARTFORD CANNER, FOUND GUILTY BY FEDERAL COURT JURY

A jury in federal court at Grand Rapids Thursday returned a verdict of guilty in the case of William M. Traver, head of William Traver & Co., Hartford canners and growers, charged with using the mails to defraud in his business relations with the St. Joseph Valley bank of Elkhart, Ind. The deliberations lasted nearly two hours.

Traver and Mrs. Traver, the aged Hartford man's second wife and many years younger than he, were in the court room together when the verdict was read. They made no comment and counsel for the defense said no appeal would be made. Bond of \$10,000 demanded in the case was continued and Traver and his wife, who, according to Traver's testimony, signed most of the alleged worthless paper read into the records, left for their home. Traver will appear for sentence at a later date, it was said.

The members of the Holland Rotary club were treated to a splendid glimpse of conditions in the Mohammedan countries of the east and northern Africa at their regular meeting Thursday when Dr. S. M. Zwemer discussed his recent travels through these countries and gave a short review of the conditions that prevail there.

The speaker stated that in so far as commercial conditions were concerned these lands are enjoying an even greater period of prosperity than before the war, but that there is an underlying element of unrest that is evident on every hand. This unrest is caused by the dissatisfaction of the Mohammedan population with the Christian rule of the British French and Dutch governments in their various colonies.

The speaker likened the antipathy to the feeling that would prevail in the south if the negroes were to be in the ascendancy over the whites. It was a surprise to many of those present to learn that in point of shipping thru the Suez canal the Dutch are third that the Dutch and not the British operate the finest ships and that the Dutch claim the allegiance of more than 32 million Mohammedan subjects, in its eastern colonies and they are among the most prosperous of all the eastern peoples.

Mr. Zwemer discussed the varying policies of the three governments the British policy of concession, the French policy of assimilation and Dutch policy of paternalism over ability of the three governments, and pointed out the advantages and disadvantages of each. In conclusion he sounded a note of optimism over the ability of the three governments through their several policies to cope with the situation and preserve equilibrium.

Attorney Raymond Visscher is on a business trip to Ashtabula, Ohio.

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#### NOTICE

Notice to the taxpayers of Holland Township—From Dec. 10th until Jan. 15th I will be at the following places to collect taxes: Every Tue., Wed. and Sat. at Holland City State Bank. Every Thursday at the Zeeland State Bank. Friday's at home and Monday, Jan. 8th at Harrington's North Side Store.

Henry Van Doornik,  
Holland Township Treas.

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#### Exp. Feb. 18, '23

#### MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Henry Kruthoff and Minnie Kruthoff to Zeeland State bank, dated January 30, 1913 A. D. and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Ottawa County, Michigan, on February 17, A. D. 1913, in Liber 107 of Mortgages on page 90, which mortgage was assumed by James Farrell and Florence Farrell by the terms of a Warranty Deed, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, on July 15, A. D. 1921, in Liber 187 of Deeds, page 242, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for Principal and Interest the sum of \$221.60, and an attorney fee of \$25 as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the Statute in such case made and provided, on Monday the 19th day of February A. D. 1923 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the Courthouse in the city of Grand Haven, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest and all legal costs, together with said Attorney fee, to-wit:

The North one-half (N½) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of Sec. twenty-five (25) in Township Six (6) north of Range Sixteen (16) West, containing eighty (80) acres of land, more or less, the right of way on the North and South Quarter line of about one-half acre (½) acre being excepted; all situated in the Township of Olive, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan.

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9614—Exp. Dec. 23

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. 1922.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Grace Wilson, Deceased

Lynn H. Wilson having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, that the

8th Day of January A. D. 1923

at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for 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,

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

#### Expires Dec. 23—7608

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 28th day of November A. D. 1922.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Johanna Baas, Deceased

Frank M. Palmer having filed in said court his petition praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described for the purpose of paying debts.

It is ordered, That the

2nd day of January A. D. 1923

at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

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

JAMES J. DANHOF,

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

#### Expires, Dec 23, —6564

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate court for the county of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven in said county on the 27th day of November A. D. 1922.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert T. Wareham, Minor

Mary J. Wareham Anderson having filed in said court her petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described for the purpose of distribution.

It is ordered, That the

2nd day of January A. D. 1923

at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

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

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN—That the General Tax Roll of the several Wards of the City of Holland have been delivered to me for the Collection of Taxes therein levied, and that said taxes can be paid to me at my office in the City Hall, corner River Ave. and 11th Street, at any time before the

## 1st Day of January Next

without any charge for collection, but that five per cent collection fee will be charged and collected upon all taxes remaining unpaid on said first day of January.

I shall be at my office on every week day from the first Monday in December to and including the 24th day of December, between the hours of 8:30 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. and on Saturdays until 8:30 p. m. And from the 26th day of December to and including the 30th day of December, 1922, between the hours of 8:30 a. m. and 8:30 p. m., to receive payment of such taxes as are offered me.

Dated Holland, Mich., Dec. 4, '22.

M. B. Bowmaster, City Treasurer.

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## WHAT YOU SAW IN THE HOLLAND CITY NEWS

## Fifty Years Ago

The bridge across Tannery Creek on west Twelfth street has been completed and folks living on the west side of the creek will not have to jump from log to log to get across the marsh in order to get on the east side to go to town. The street will also be filled in up to the bridge. Note—The bridge spoken of was located between former May- or Bosch's residence and the Dr. Leenhouts home recently purchased by M. Whalen. The deep ravine still evident in places was a wide one extending over several hundred feet. Gradually this has been filled in and beautiful homes now cover what was once a deep marsh filled with log stumps and fallen trees. The old bridge has long ago been replaced by brick culverts and the sand roadway is now a boulevard.

## Forty Five Years Ago.

The schooner Wollur lost her yawl during her last trip. The three master is captained by John Borgman.

The schooner Kate Howard of Holland was severely damaged and finally beached during a severe gale. The schooner endeavored to run into Michigan City but struck the pier hard, knocking over part of the light-house, carrying away her fore boom and fore-sail. Capt. Waring's daughter who was aboard was also severely injured. Force pumps from Chicago were on hand quickly to pump out the Howard and got her afloat again.

## Forty Years Ago.

Frank van Ry has been appointed night watchman by the common council. Note—This was Frank's first efforts as a mirror of the law. He has since been marshal of this city, sheriff of the county and is now Chief of Police of Holland, a position he has held for the past ten years. The chief has also been captain on several sailing vessels and later on a steamer plying on the great lakes.

Last Friday afternoon R. E. Werkman closed negotiations for the sale of the Phoenix Plating Mill to a gentleman by the name of Scott of Bad Axe. The consideration, as near as we can learn, is in the neighborhood of \$13,000. Note—The gentleman in question was the late B. L. Scott, who became one of Holland's substantial business men. The mill was located where the Post Office now stands and made the owners a great deal of money. The firm was reorganized and became the Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., and the firm still holds that name. When the government was casting about for a site for the new Post Office the mill property appealed to them and the lot was purchased for \$15,000, and the mill was moved to the new building on north River Ave. For some years John Koolker has been part owner and manager.

Oil was struck in Allegan and 100 barrels of the crude variety was pumped. Note—A great deal of money was sunk in these Allegan Oil Wells. Some six years ago this oil boom of thirty-five years ago was boomed again and more "suckers" bit. There seems to be some oil around Allegan but not in sufficient quantities to make it pay. In the first venture much Holland money was lost.

## Thirty Years Ago

President Harrison was defeated by Grover Cleveland. Cleveland carried 23 states and 299 electoral votes. Michigan's vote was divided between 9 for Harrison, 5 for Cleveland.

Henry J. Cronkright carried out the terms of an election bet with David Blom. Henry bet on Harrison Dave on Cleveland. Henry road Dave around two city blocks in a wheel barrow. At the lead was the Holland Martial Band and following was a group of laughing, gleeful democrats three hundred strong.

## Twenty Five Years Ago

John Holquist and Frank Hadden are at odds about the proper height of a partition fence between their two lots on Eleventh Street. Perhaps the courts will have to decide. Note—What changes time brings. Today there are no fences between properties and the way this difficulty was settled was by removing the fence entirely and becoming more neighborly. Mr. Holquist years ago went back to Sweden his native country.

## Twenty Years Ago

Rolan Astra, Fred Sarry and Harry Van Duzen bagged twelve large rabbits at West Olive.

Joseph Brewer of Grand Rapids applied for a gas franchise in Holland seeing that this city wanted to install gas for lighting and heating.

Peter De Kraker was the first man to step up to treasurer Wiltendink's desk to pay his taxes. The total amount to be paid this year is \$80,000, about \$6,000 more than the year before.

The main feature of the meeting of the Century Club held at the home of Mayor and Mrs. J. C. De Roo was a debate on the question: "Resolved that the employment of women in industrial pursuits is detrimental to society". In the discussion of this momentous question Attorney Arend Visscher and Mayor De Roo advanced ponderous arguments in support of the affirmative and it looked black for the opposition until Mrs. R. N. De Merrill and Mrs. C. J. Dregman told in logical style why the negative should be sustained. The settlement of the question still hangs free, for the club was so evenly divided that neither side cared to call for a vote. Note—Time has long since settled the question discussed by the club. Women everywhere have been entering into the business life of the country without detriment to

the women or to the nation.

## Fifteen Years Ago

Nick Whelan will shortly leave for an extended trip thru Cuba and will visit a newly established town named Bartle. Note—Later, Mr. Whelan wrote a very interesting book describing his visit and entitled "Ten Days in Cuba."

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Nick Hofsteen and Paul Flieman bagged twelve quail, four rabbits and one large goose while out hunting yesterday. Henry Harman, Peter Dulyea and William Thomas brought down 14 quail in a two hour hunt. A quail on toast supper followed.

## Ten Years Ago

Ralph Moomy and Miss Emma McWilliams were quietly married at the home of his mother Mrs. Alice Moomy, 247 W. 14th Street. Rev. Whitman officiating.

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Rev John M. Vander Meulen was ordained as pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of Louisville, Ky.

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Jan Van Thee of Drenthe is celebrating his 95th birthday and is still active and strong and is able to read without glasses. Note—Mr. Van Rhee has long since passed to his reward.

The Sunday school of the First Reformed church held its annual business meeting Thursday evening and the reports showed an unusually prosperous year. The total receipts for the year were \$4,600, of which \$1,300 was for missions. The enrollment at present is 939, with an additional home department of 43 and a cradle roll of 97, making a total membership in the Sunday school of 1,081. The average attendance for the last quarter has been 710, which is considered a very high percentage.

The officers elected Thursday evening are: superintendent, George Schulling; assistant superintendent, A. Neinhuis and Mrs. A. Walvoord; secretary, James Nykerk; assistant secretary, Walter Vander Haar; treasurer, Herman Raterink; assistant treasurer, D. Schaftenaar.

A new addition is being built to the Sunday school to provide more room for the growing membership. The foundation is in and the superstructure will soon be erected. The cost of this addition will be \$4,000.

The city health department is waging war on the sale of diseased poultry in Holland. Last week a farmer paid a stiff fine for this offense, and Thursday two more farmers were arrested on a similar charge. The men were Hendrik Hoo and Sidney Gunn, of the north side, the charges being that they offered poultry for sale in Holland that were suffering from roup. The fowls were not actually sold but were among lots that were offered to two local markets.

Under the personal direction of Miss Eunice Ryan, clothing specialist from the Michigan Agricultural College, and Miss Eva Schuur, Ottawa county home demonstration agent, 14 different groups of women in Ottawa county are receiving instructions in all the different kinds of sewing and dressmaking. There are five lessons in the course and the classes are held two days in each month. The first lesson embraces sewing machine instruction and all the general kinds of attachments and the little things that make sewing hard. The second lesson teaches how to make tailor tacks and pattern alteration and costume designing. Third lesson teaches the making of a fitted waist pattern in muslin, coloring, dyeing and renovating. The lessons are held at the different homes or town halls or grange halls.

The meeting places are in the townships of Grand Haven, Spring Lake, Crockery, Polkton, Talmage, Jamestown, Georgetown, Blendon, Allendale and Robinson. The classes are well attended by the women and young girls who are anxious to learn home dressmaking.

The annual Christmas seal campaign began in Holland this week and will continue until Christmas. Members of the civic health committee of the Woman's Literary club will see the business men the coming week and will offer the little health stickers to them. The city will be blocked off as usual and each member of the committee will have a certain territory to cover.

On Friday, Dec. 15, the seals will be released to the school children and they will then be given a chance to sell them until Christmas. They will not be allowed to canvass the business section of the city because the committee does not wish to have the business men pestered at a season when their time is very valuable.

The complaint was made by city inspector Bosch and the men pleaded guilty when brought before Justice Van Schelven, who fined them the costs. Roup is a contagious disease hens afflicted with it are not considered safe human food by the health department. All farmers offering such poultry for sale in Holland will be presented in the same way, the department announces.

The College Y. W. C. A. deserves praise for securing these artists.

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**WHITE BEANS**

**Holland Canning Co.**



BEGIN TO PLAN

# TO DAY

## On Your Christmas Shopping

COME into our store and roam around at leisure and possibly some Christmas idea's may suggest themselves to you.

A UNIQUE CHRISTMAS GIFT

### BOOKS

Our Children Department and our popular fiction department is one of the largest in Western Michigan.

### STATIONERY

Eaton Crane and Pike's the best known Stationery in America can be had in X-mas boxes; our assortment is complete and the prices vary from 50 cents to \$5.00.

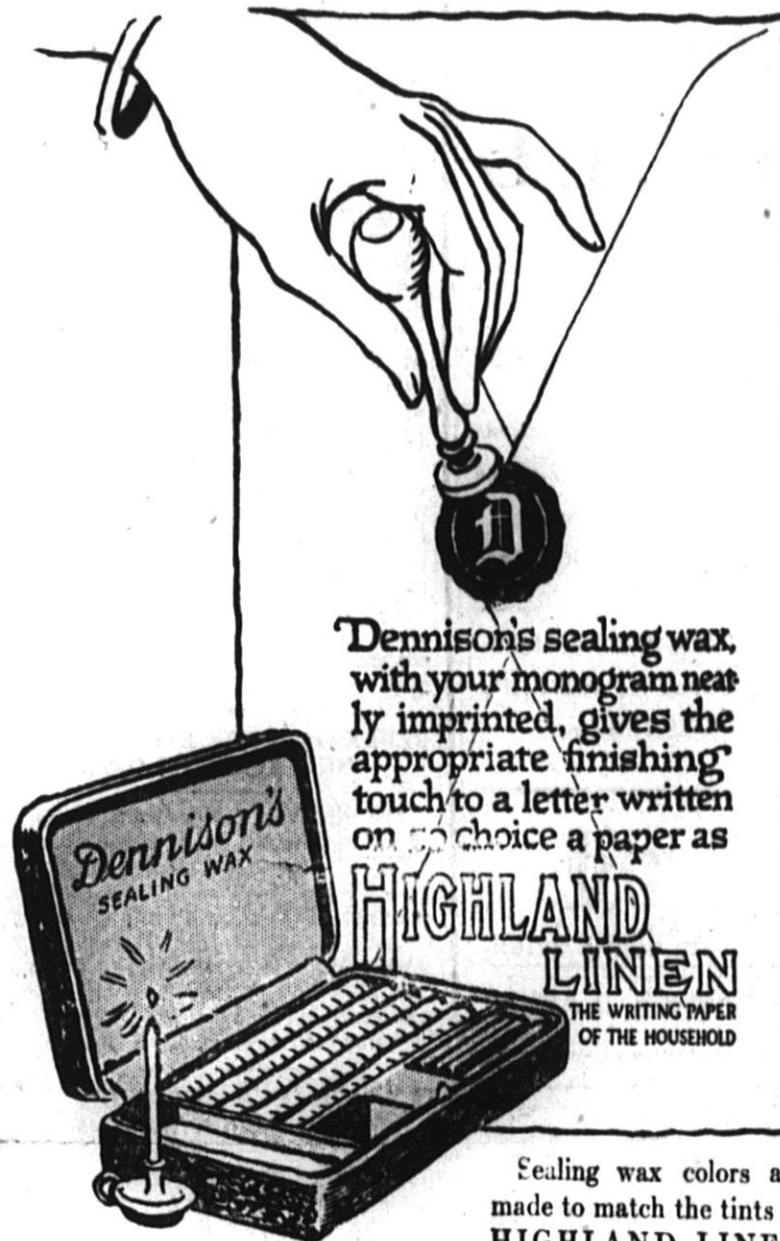
### BIBLES

Oxford Bibles and Testaments, Psalters, pocket and home size. Dutch Bibles, Family Bibles.

### FOUNTAIN PENS AND EVERSHPAR PENCILS

We carry a large line of Waterman, Sheaffer-Moore and Wahl Pens.

Our Eversharp's are the genuine "Wahl". Eversharp and can be matched with the Wahl Fountain Pen. Pencils 50c. to \$6.00 Pens \$2.50 to \$9.00



Dennison's sealing wax, with your monogram neatly imprinted, gives the appropriate finishing touch to a letter written on choice a paper as

**HIGHLAND LINEN**  
THE WRITING PAPER OF THE HOUSEHOLD

Sealing wax colors are made to match the tints in HIGHLAND LINEN

### PHOTO ALBUMS AND MEMORY BOOKS

A large assortment to select from

### WHITE IVORY

Langsdorf, beautiful French White Ivory, in sets or separate pieces. Desk sets, also marble (imported) desk sets.

### NARCISSUS BOWLS WITH BULBS

We are again showing the Norwood line which made such a hit last year as gifts. This year our line is still more complete!

### TOYS

Dolls, the real rag ones. Blocks, of all description. Wooden Toys that will stand a lot of usage.

### CARROM BOARDS

### TINKERTOYS

"Scatter Sunshine with Christmas Cards". This years line of Christmas cards and gift dressings and boxes are BIGGER than ever. A Real Gift—A Magazine Subscription!

# FRIS BOOK STORE

PHONE 1749

30 W. EIGHTH ST.



APPROPRIATE

## Christmas Gifts

Gifts that are useful and enduring --- which fill a want or satisfy a desire---are the most pleasing remembrance of the Holiday season. Careful selection is one of the first considerations. Many of the lines we carry were selected with this thought uppermost in our mind: "Are these the most appropriate gifts our customers can buy?" We feel satisfied that none are better.

### SOME EXCELLENT SUGGESTIONS:

Diamond Rings, Wrist Watches, Sterling Silver Ivory Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Pearl Beads, Waldemar Chains, Fountain Pens, Cigarette Cases, Eversharp Pencils, Bar Pins, Mantel Clocks,

Gifts that reflect the Good Taste of the Giver and prove Worthy Remembrance may be had here

At A Moderate Outlay

**STEVENSON'S**

JEWELRY STORE

24 East 8th St.

HOLLAND, MICH.

SPECIAL

FOR

## THE HOLIDAYS!

WHAT is more appropriate than to buy your Best Girl a suitable box of candy as a Holiday Present. We have a fine line to select from. On the other get your gentleman friend his favorite smoke here.

**Charles Dykstra**

Central Avenue Druggist

Corner Central Ave. and 16th St.

Citz. Phone 1112



PERSONALS

Wm. Arendshorst of the Holland Engine Co. was in Grand Rapids on business Friday.

The Masonic Lodge F. & A.M. will give their annual New Year's Ball Saturday evening, Dec. 30, at the Woman's Literary Club rooms. Full details will be given later.

Mr. Arie Euurman who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Holland Hospital is slowly recovering.

Mr. J. Van Lente and daughter Ruth were Grand Rapids visitors Saturday.

Egbert Nyland of Graafschap and Mrs. Alice Klomprens were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. James M. Martin performing the ceremony.

HOPE COLLEGE  
TO MAKE DRIVE  
FOR \$1,500,000.00

At the invitation of Cornelius Dosker of Grand Rapids who for years has taken a decided interest in Hope College, several prominent business men of Grand Rapids, Muskegon and Grand Haven sat down to a banquet given Voorhees Hall, where covers were laid for 150 guests.

The tables were artistically decorated and at each plate a fine souvenir of Hope College could be found. Around the walls of the banquet hall, large printed posters were in evidence telling of Hope College and its needs.

After the banquet Mr. Dosker of Grand Rapids told in a forceful talk that the guests were not there alone to partake of food and enjoy themselves, but that there was a question of most vital importance concerning Hope College, the institution they most dearly loved, that had to be met.

He then introduced President Dimment of Hope, who in an eloquent appeal and in a detailed statement told of Hope's needs, and that the plan was to raise an endowment for the college of \$1,500,000.00 to be added to the present endowment fund.

Dr. Dimment stated that the present property value of Hope including land, buildings, and equipment was \$1,200,000.00; and the fact that at present there were 540 students seeking an education there demonstrated the popularity of this institution.

Dr. Samuel Zwemer of Cairo, Egypt, an alumnus of Hope, in a stirring address told of the great influence fostered by the college that reached to the ends of the earth.

He stated that Hope College was one of the strongest institutions in the world of Orthodox Christian faith.

After the addresses were made subscription blanks were passed around among the guests and four were returned pledging \$2,000.00 each, while there were several for a thousand five hundred, and one hundred.

The sum total of the pledges made at the banquet was more than \$15,000 which is to form the nucleus of the million and a half endowment fund that is contemplated.

The first \$40,000.00 is to go for campus improvements, repairs to Van Vleck Hall, the old building that every student loves most dearly, and to new equipment and to replacements of some of the old.

The authorities of Hope College are exceedingly pleased with the hearty cooperation shown at this first banquet.

REBEKAH LODGE ELECTS  
NEW STAFF OF OFFICERS

The Rebekah Lodge held election of officers at the lodge hall Friday evening. After the business meeting a social hour was spent followed by dancing. The following officers were elected: N. G. Gretchen Daily; V. G. Bertha Mattison; Sec., Amelia Brighall; finance secretary, Rose Harris; treasurer, Ida Habing; musician, May Ingham; staff captain, Kate Herrick.

FURNACE CO. MISSION COLLECTION WAS \$450.50

Because of a misunderstanding in taking the figures over the telephone, the Miss Churchford Mission collection in the Holland Furnace company factory was given in Friday's Sentinel as \$50.50. The figure should have been \$450.50. The Furnace company people always come across with a liberal subscription for causes of this kind and the men there, as well as in most other factories, have a special warm spot for the Mission, so that the figure stated Friday was an injustice to the concern.

The Ottawa Furniture company has also reported its collection for this cause. The amount was \$81.

Mrs. Edson, who took the Red Cross roll call at Hudsonville, reported \$2 to Mrs. G. J. Van Duren.

HOLLAND'S MAIL  
DELIVERY SERVICE  
25 YEARS OLD

City mail delivery service is twenty-five years old and Friday evening in the W. L. C. rooms the postoffice force celebrated their silver wedding to their work, as it were. A delightful banquet was served, the entire force being present as well as some members no longer on the force. The original four members of the force, Paul Coster, Jacob Geerlings, W. E. VanderHart, and Mr. Doesburg were all there, as were other members no longer carriers, Albert Kleis, Thos. Venhuizen, South Bend, Ind., Maurice Luidens, and G. J. A. Pessink, Chicago. Postmaster Oosterbaan and Messrs Beukema and Weir of the Muskegon force were also there.

Immediately after the banquet Jacob Geerlings stated the object of the meeting, namely to foster a better feeling of cooperation and fellowship among the members of the postoffice force. He called on George Schuiling to lead in a community singing. During the banquet Mr. and Mrs. John Rutgers, Jr. furnished music, and Mrs. Rutgers was presented with a bouquet of flowers.

Mr. Geerlings gave a brief history of the service relating some interesting experiences of the early work of the carriers and the rapid growth of the service. W. E. Vander Hart was introduced as toastmaster, and he was at his best getting off many a clever hit at the expense of the members of the force.

Postmaster Van Eyck, the first speaker, called attention to the need of cooperation between the various branches of the force to make the service what it ought to be and he said that to-day such a spirit exists. A quartet composed of J. Van Lente, D. Van Kolken, Horace Dekker and Al. Vegter, furnished music. Gerrit Rutgers, representing the rural carriers, spoke on welfare work and the relation of superiors to subordinates. Dick Van Kolken, representing the clerks, gave a clear and concise review of what has been done for the boys in a legislative way. Anthony Rosbach read a budget, and Postmaster Oosterbaan of Muskegon spoke on "Humanizing the Postoffice." Talks were given by Mr. Coster, Mr. Pessink and Mr. Luidens.

SAUGATUCK MAY GET  
A HALF MILLION  
DOLLAR HOTEL IF—

There seems to be only one little thing delaying starting of work building a 600 room hotel on the Park House site. As we understand it, the plans are all drawn—and were drawn, probably, before the architect ever heard of Saugatuck. The site is known to be ideal, and all that remains to be done is to select a suitable person who is willing to invest half a million or so to make the dream come true. As it is desirable to secure just the right man for the highly important position of financial backer, this little preliminary may consume considerable time—say a thousand years.

Saugatuck Commercial Record. Contributes Article On This Subject To "Michigan Roads and Paving."

At the annual meeting on Monday evening of the First Chr. Reformed church of Zeeland, P. Bloemasma, N. Frankena, and J. Mollder were elected elders for the ensuing two years; and A. Ter Haar, D. Huizenga, G. Lampen and C. Shoorbeek as deacons. The total church receipts for the year were \$12,500.49 of which \$3,157.97 was offered for missions.

Ten members of Calvin's band of 15 were present, and about 45 attended the meeting, which ended in a social time and fellowship. Hope's band numbers over 40 members.

S. & H. STAMPS S. & H.

Practical Holiday Gifts

Handkerchiefs

Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, white and colors.

Beautiful line of Swiss and Linen Handkerchiefs, with embroidered corners in white and colors.

Also embroidered edges and Venise lace edges.

Ladies Handkerchiefs in fancy boxes, 3 in box a 25c, 30c, 50c, 60c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.60, \$2.25 and \$2.50 a box.

Children's Handkerchiefs, embroidered designs, 3 in box a 15c, 20c, 25c, and 50c a box.

Fancy Colored Towels and Wash  
Cloths to Match.

Fancy colored Towel sets in boxes a 85c, \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 1.85, 2.25 and 2.50 a box.

Several pieces of all linen table Damask 20 pct discount.

Ladies Chamoisette Gloves in black, beaver, brown and gray shades. Double silk lined Gloves.

Fancy Boudoir caps a 25c, 30c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50.

Children's Fancy Handbags a 25c, and 50c.

Dresser Scarfs, with hemstitched and lace borders.

Fancy white aprons a 45c. to 1.50 each.

Fancy Blankets for bath robes.

Ladies' camisoles, pink, navy and brown satin.

Splendid line of Wool Gauntlets and Wool Hosiery.

Ladies' Silk Hosiery all prices.

Gifts for Babies

Blue and pink figured Blankets.

Wool crib blankets and bound blankets, white, blue and pink.

Infants mittens in white and colors.

Bootees, knit caps, hoods and veils.

White drawer leggings.

Emb. bibs, lawn and crepe de-chines.

Children's Sleeping Garments (Denton.)

Cashmere Jackets (Embroidered).

Infants Sweaters and Knit Jackets.

G. Van Putten  
202-204 River Avenue  
Holland, Michigan

The Army Store

Next to First State Bank, Holland

In order to show our appreciation of the splendid patronage we have received, we will make it possible for you to save even more than heretofore.

A specially low price has been placed on our fine line of

WOOLEN BLANKETS

and we invite you to come and inspect, both quality and size.

While we specialize in Blankets, we are showing some real bargains in Mens goods:

Sheep Lined Coats, Makinaws,  
Corduroys and Breeches

"Merchandise at a Price"

is our strong point.

The Army Surplus  
Property Store

5 West 8th St.



YORK CONSOLE

A Beautiful  
NEW MODEL

THE OPPORTUNITY You Have Been Waiting For. The accepted Phonograph of the day—Priced within your means.

EXCLUSIVE FEATURES

BRUNSWICK PLAYS ALL MAKES OF RECORDS without attachments

This means that with a BRUNSWICK in your home, you can enjoy all the great artists regardless of the make of records for which they record.

This is accomplished by the ULTONA—a part of the BRUNSWICK—not an "attachment."

Another exclusive BRUNSWICK feature is the ORAL TONE AMPLIFIER or horn, made entirely of wood and moulded like a fine old violin. It is responsible for much of the wondrously beautiful BRUNSWICK tone.

PRUIM'S MUSIC HOUSE,

PHONE 1592 19 E. 8TH STREET HOLLAND, MICH.

BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS BRUNSWICK EARLY!

\$34,000

Being distributed by the Holland City State Bank to-day in Christmas Savings Club Checks. ARE YOU IN ON IT?



The Christmas Savings Club Idea is no longer a kids game. Grown-ups are doing it too. Wage earners, business men, women, children, everybody's doing it. We have a Club for all!

SEE WHAT WE HAVE PAID OUT THE LAST FIVE YEARS!

1918	\$9000.00
1919	13000.00
1920	24000.00
1921	26000.00
1922	34000.00

Several of our customers are receiving checks for \$1000.00 saved out of their earnings during the year. Comes in mighty handy at Christmas time.

COME IN AND JOIN TO-DAY.

4% Interest Paid on all Accounts.

HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK

We are not on Main St. but we got the Prices.

APPROPRIATE  
CHRISTMAS GIFTS

FOR THE FAMILY.

For the Children: Sleds, Airguns, Jack Knives, etc.

For the Ladies: Aluminum Ware, Pyrex Ware, Electric Irons, Scissors, Alarm Clocks.

For the Men: Razors, and Safety Razors, Pocket Knives, Flashlights, Watches and Tools.

We Can Save You Money  
In Your Christmas Gifts!

DEUR & ZWEMER HARDWARE CO.  
Phone 1676. 13 West 16th St.

Tri-Weekly Through Service

TO AND FROM JACKSONVILLE FLORIDA

Via Cincinnati and the L. & N. R. R. in

THE SOUTHLAND

EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY

Going		Returning
6:00 P. M. Lv.	Grand Rapids	Ar. 11:55 A. M.
7:35 P. M. Lv.	Kalamazoo	Ar. 10:20 A. M.
11:20 P. M. Lv.	Fort Wayne	Ar. 6:15 A. M.
3:55 A. M. Lv.	Richmond	Ar. 1:50 A. M.
7:00 A. M. Lv.	Cincinnati	Ar. 9:15 P. M.
8:50 P. M. Ar.	Atlanta	Lv. 7:25 A. M.
9:45 A. M. Ar.	Jacksonville	Lv. 8:20 P. M.

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Pennsylvania System





# VAN DEN BERG BROS. & VAN ARK

## STOCK REDUCING SALE

**Offers Important Savings on Furniture, Rugs, Stoves, etc. etc.**

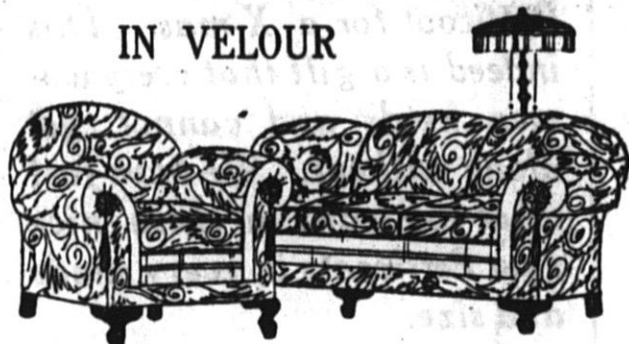
One of the great advantages of combining the Van Den Berg Bros. store with the Van Ark Furniture Co. is the opportunity it offers for carload buying at great cash Discount.

Our Grand Rapids store has for several years been operating on carload basis of buying--and the prices we can offer our customers are thus greatly reduced.

Many lines carried in the Holland store, however do not correspond with our Grand Rapids stocks--and so in order to make our stocks uniform as is necessary for carload buying, we have decided to discontinue many lines now being shown in our Holland store. **YOU POCKET THE SAVING.**

Below are a very few of the remarkable values offered for Tomorrow's selling.

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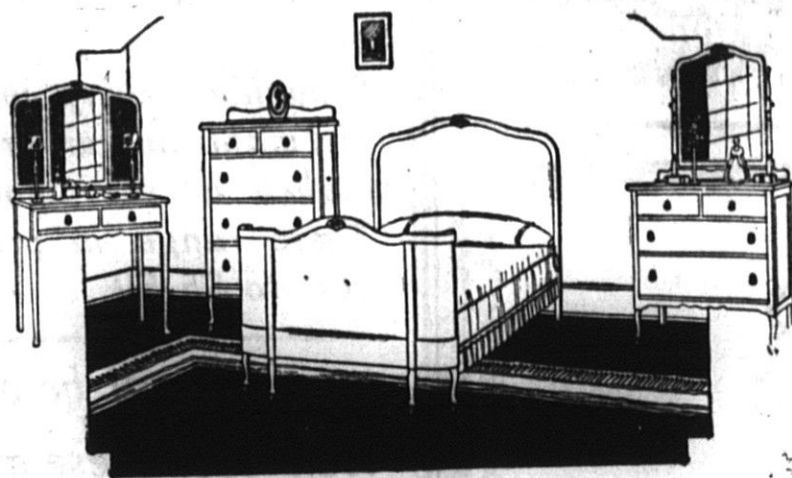


The Beautiful  
**DAVENPORT**

Shown here at

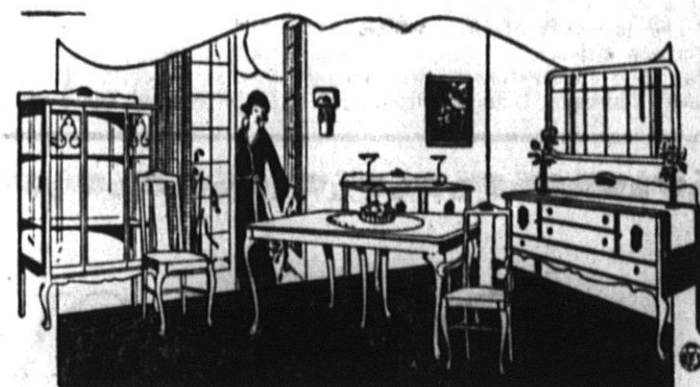
**\$59.**

Chair or Rocker  
to Match \$37.50 each



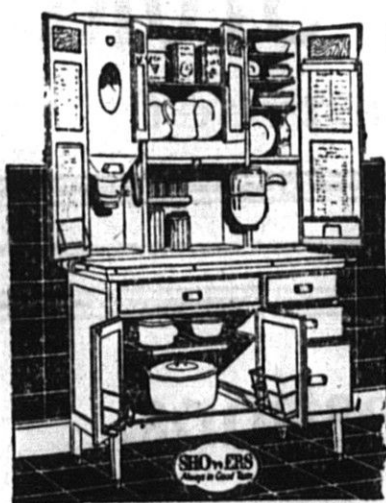
This Pretty Bow-end Bed, Dresser  
and Chiffonette in Queen Ann period **\$79.**

See how inexpensively you can furnish your bedroom from our stocks. A solid carload of suites enables us to quote some really remarkable prices. The suite at \$79.00 is finished in American Walnut.



This 8 piece Walnut  
Dining Room Suite **\$98.**

You can easily afford a suite like this one at the saving we make you on it. By all means, come in and see this and many other suites now on display at the Van Den Berg Bros. & Van Ark Store. The suite consists of Buffet, six ft. extension table and six chairs with blue leather seats.



**HOOSIER**

Kitchen Cabinet

**\$25% Off**

We are closing out all our Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets at a saving of 25 pct. Come in and share the saving.

Come and  
See our  
Special

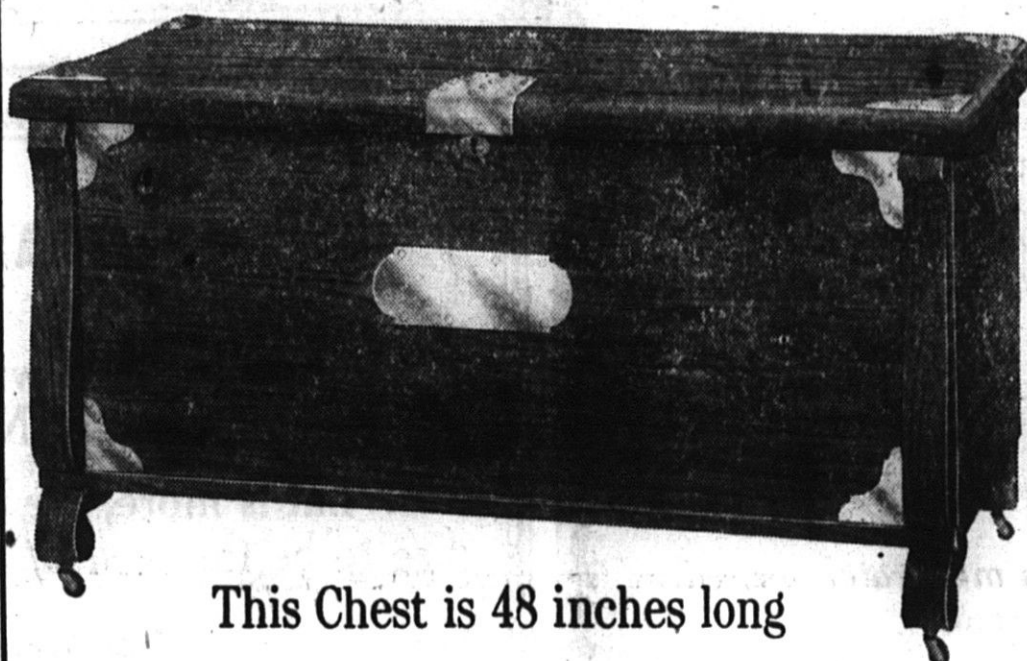
**DOLL  
CAB**

at

**\$10.95**

Comes in  
Grey, Blue  
or Ivory.  
Order yours  
now for  
Christmas  
Delivery,  
and save  
at least \$5.00

**Did You Ever See the Equal  
of this Cedar Chest at 19.<sup>75</sup>?**



This Chest is 48 inches long

Carload buying, plus low overhead--makes a real Cedar Chest Bargain possible. Before you buy yours be sure to see our line. It will be well worth your while--in dollars and cents. We store free till Christmas. Dozens of others to select from here.

100  
Kiddie Cars

Worth \$1.75

**98c.**

Each.

Velocipedes  
Boys Carts  
Card Tables  
Medicine  
Cabinets  
Clothes Bars  
Bath Stools  
etc. etc.

**TO BE  
CLOSED  
OUT**

at Prices that  
will move  
them quickly.



**THE FREE**

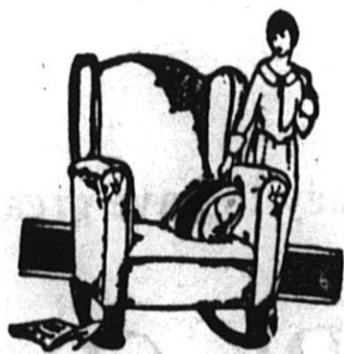
Sewing Machines

Going at Greatly

Reduced Prices.

A complete line of the "Free" Sewing Machines is scheduled to be moved at prices that will astound you. Some as low as \$29.75. Come, select yours before they are all sold.

**FOR "DAD"**



This Comfy Genuine Leath. Fire-side Rocker - **26.<sup>75</sup>**

A Fine Gift for the Home at a price within your reach.

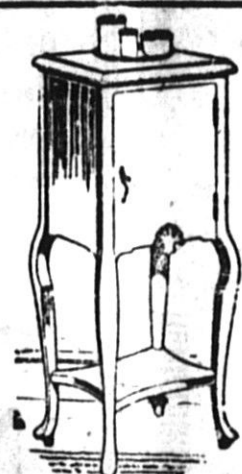
**Aluminum  
and  
Granite Ware**

at  
Close-Out  
Prices.

Hundreds of pieces of Granite and Aluminum Ware--to be sold at a fraction of their real values tomorrow. Need any?

**Stoves  
at Great  
Reductions**

7 Base burner  
coal stoves  
All A. B. and  
Stewart Gas  
Ranges, all  
Heaters  
and Coal and  
Wood Ranges  
Sharply  
Reduced



**SHOWER STANDS**—All styles and  
Prices. Small stands as low as  
**\$3.75**

**Closing Out**

**PATHE**

Phonographs and  
Records

**AT SPECIAL  
PRICES**

Come in and make  
your Selection  
for Christmas  
Delivery, now.

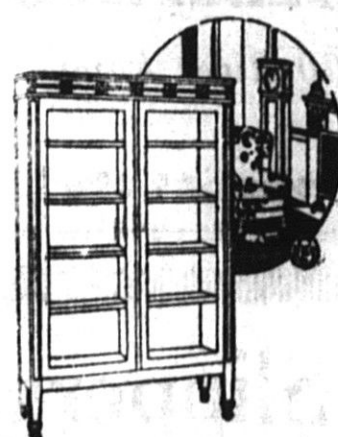
**INGRAIN  
CARPETING**

Yard wide all Wool quality  
Sold regularly for \$1.65  
**SPECIAL AT**

**\$1.29 a yd**

Yard wide cut on warp  
Ingrain Carpet.  
Regular \$1.35 grade

**Special at 98c.**



A Bookcase Makes  
a Fine Gift

We have them in all styles--at prices that you cannot afford to overlook. See them tomorrow.

"Gunn" Sectionals  
as low as **\$26.<sup>75</sup>**

**Young Folks --- Now is the time to Furnish**

**Your Home at a Saving. We Store Your Purchases till You Need them.**

# VAN DEN BERG BROS. & VAN ARK

Open  
Saturday  
Evening

**SAMPLE FURNITURE**

23-25 W. 8th St.

HOLLAND, MICH.

Open  
Saturday  
Evening



**CERTIFICATE OF TITLE MUST POSITIVELY BE DISPLAYED**

**No Auto Owner Can Get a 1923 License Without It**

City Clerk Overweg is now busy taking affidavits for 1923 automobile license plates. He calls attention to the fact that certificate of title must be shown when taking out a license.

If you have mislaid or hid your certificate of title, find it for without it you cannot receive your plates. The clerk may feel sorry for you, but without the certificate you will waste time arguing. The following directions have been issued to branch managers relative to the issuing of licenses:

1. Every automobile owner must present a certificate of title which must conform to the application for registration. Do not fill in the title number on your application for license plates as this will be done by the branch manager.

2. In case you have a certificate of title to the car you wish to license and which has been properly assigned to you but for which you have not secured your new title from the secretary of the state the branch manager will issue your title only on condition of payment of \$1 and on surrender of the title. The secretary of state will send you a new title.

3. In case there is a variance between the application and the title, the branch manager will issue license only upon condition that you surrender incorrect title to him, make out a correct application and pay \$1. The secretary of state will send you a new title.

4. Under no circumstances will any branch manager issue license

plates upon any but a new car, even if the application for license is accompanied by an application for certificate of title as the law requires that all applications for certificate of title be checked against the stolen car file. Under no circumstances will this rule be violated.

The Instructor Publishing Company, doing business in Zeeland since 1915 when it was organized, found that so much of its time was taken up by making out government reports such as all corporations have to make and so much of its money had to be paid out in special corporation taxes, that it was not worth while to keep up the standing of the concern as a corporation and hence notice of its dissolution has been issued. As all officers of corporations know, every corporation has to make out a large variety of reports to keep the government informed about the details of the business, and many an officer of many a concern many times a year feels like doing what the Zeeland concern is now doing.

The dissolution of the Instructor Publishing Company does not mean however that the concern is going out of business. It will merely cease to exist as a corporation but "The Instructor," the Sunday school paper of the Christian Reformed church published by the company will continue to appear as usual, and the same men who had charge of both the business end and the editorial end of the paper will continue to function in their various capacities; only they will function as a collection of individuals and not as a legal corporation.

The paper since its beginning has been printed by the Zeeland Record company and it will continue to be issued by that concern. It is an eight page paper and has a circulation of fifteen thousand copies a week. Rev. L. J. Lamberts, of Fremont, is the editor, and Rev. M. Van Vessum, of Zeeland, associate editor. Mr. A. Van Koeveering, of the Zeeland Record, is secretary and treasurer of the firm.

During its eight years of existence "The Instructor" has entered more than 75 percent of the 250 Sunday school organizations of the Christian Reformed church. Six Sunday schools of other denominations, including Reformed, Presbyterian and Methodist, are among the subscribers.

Miss Breijtspraak plays with accuracy of pitch, breadth of beautiful tone, and with style heard only when a master plays. Her interpretation of D'Ambrosio's Concerto was exceedingly well played, and the reception it received not only proved her an artist, but denoted an appreciative audience.

Helen Wing again lived up to her reputation as an original artist in her own verses and music in the form of piano-likes. The original verse entitled "The Circus" was given without music. Her listeners seemed to hang unto every word she said. Her work may be summed up as "simply charming."

**LUDEN'S**  
MENTHOL COUGH DROPS  
for nose and throat  
Give Quick Relief

# SHOP EARLY!

**Only 14 more Shopping Days before Christmas.**  
**We just want to suggest a few good and very useful gifts, which every women will appreciate.**

**WE OFFER FOUR SPECIAL ARTICLES:**

**No. 1**

**A pair of Silk or Wool Phoenix Hose that fit the purse and fit the ankle and satisfy you for mileage they will wear out; but they take their time about it.**

**No. 2**

**A pair of Gloves. You may have them in any style in kid, cape or cloth gloves, either in wrist, two clasp or gauntlet, strap wrist or elbow length.**

**No. 3**

**A pair of Pettibockers in any shade or any quality. Something every women or girl wants and an article that makes a very good gift. These range in price from 98c. to \$5.50.**

**No. 4**

**Why not give her a nice Petticoat for a X-mas. This indeed is a gift that every women needs and cannot get along without. We have just what you want in these nice new Petticoats in every shade and size.**

**We will be very glad to have you come in and look over these articles. Compare their value and then you will be more than pleased with our showing.**

## FRENCH CLOAK STORE

**26 East Eighth Street**

# The HOOVER

**It BEATS... as it Sweeps as it Cleans**



Give "her" a Hoover for Christmas and you will lighten the labors of housekeeping through all the days of her life. For The Hoover lasts a lifetime and through the many years of its usefulness it keeps rugs and draperies furniture immaculately clean, enhancing their beauty and prolonging their life.

Give "her" a Hoover for Christmas and you will give her the best; you will give her a thorough cleaner, for it beats, as it sweeps, as it cleans.

**We suggest you reserve one now. It is moderately priced. Convenient terms, if desired.**

## GEERDS ELECTRIC CO.

**200 River Avenue**

**Phone 1235**

# Slippers For Christmas!

**Oh! the very Thing.**



I am glad you remind me. For father, mother, sister, brother and oh! the baby, they all need Slippers. I'll just go over to the Enterprise Shoe Store for they have a big line of all kinds of slippers. Lets see, for father a pair of Cavaliers, Faustus or Romeo's for mother, a pair of Romeo's or Juliets for sister, a pair of Comfys with soft padded soles, for brother and a pair of Everetts or Opera's, and the baby, a pair of soft Comfy or Puss in the Boot, and the best thing the price is very reasonable this year.

**River Avenue**

**Enterprise Shoe Store**

**Holland, Mich.**

# Christmas Suggestions!

**Useful gifts that will please the recipient of same, are always found at Notier Van Ark Co.**

**What is more, we also guarantee all our merchandise to be the best of quality for the price.**

Suits	Leather Vests	Suit Cases	Tie Pins
Shirts	Underwear	Bags	Handkerchiefs
Shoes	Hose	Umbrellas	Flannel Shirts
Slippers	Socks	Neckties	Collar Bags
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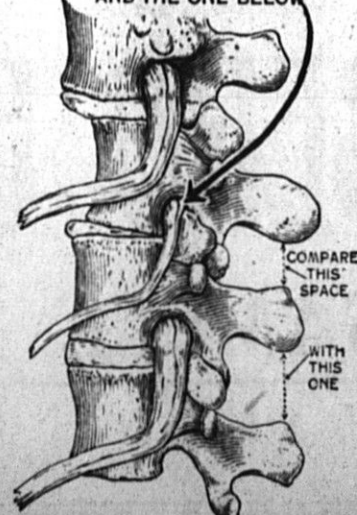
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# Periwinkle House

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## SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I.—The time is the late '60s or early '70s and the scene a steamboat on the Mississippi river. All the types of the period are present and the floating palace is distinguished by meriment, dancing and gallantry. There are the customary drinking and gambling also. Virgil Drace, a young northern man, is on his way south on a mission of revenge. He meets an eccentric character in the person of one Liberty Shottle, who is constantly tempting the goddess of chance. They form a singular compact.

CHAPTER II.—Drace gets his mind off his mission by entering into deck sports in which he exhibits an unusual athletic prowess. Liberty Shottle is again unlucky at cards and attempts a financial negotiation with Drace. The latter, seeing an opportunity to use Shottle, confides to him that his mission is to find a certain ex-guerrilla, Stephen La Vitte, who had murdered Drace's father. It is his determination announced to his new chum, to hang La Vitte as high as Haman. Drace has become enamored of a mysterious beauty aboard the boat.

"Hush, Mr. Boyce," said the girl. "There are people near—this is no place to discuss such things."

The young man lowered his voice, and Shottle could hear no more. He calmly finished his chicken and then sought out Drace, whom he found pacing up and down impatiently.

"Well," demanded Drace.

"His name," announced Shottle, "is Boyce. Frederick Boyce, probably—or maybe John. It would be John, I'd think."

"Hang his name!" exclaimed Drace. "Did you find out hers?"

"Nadine," replied Shottle with a triumphant air.

"Nadine," repeated Drace, and caressed the name with his lips. "But what's her last name?"

"Brown probably, or maybe Jones. Or it might even be Smith."

Drace scowled his wrath at such flippancy. "Look here, Lib," he said

## TO PAY EXPENSES OF DELEGATES TO WASHINGTON

The Common Council Wednesday night voted to pay the expenses of G. J. Diekema and Austin Harrington during their trip to Washington where they are representing Holland at the Rivers and Harbors Congress. These two men were appointed by the Mayor to look after the interests of Holland harbor, and they went to the national capitol expecting to pay their own expenses in addition to giving almost a week of their time to the city.

Mayor Stephan called the attention of the aldermen to this fact and recommended that the men's expenses be paid. They already gave the city a great deal by sacrificing a week's time, he declared, and they should not be asked to pay their own way. The council unanimously voted to pay the expense account.

## WHO'S WHO WAS TICKLISH QUESTION IN LOCAL CASE

On Rural Route 8, near Graafschap, there are two J. H. Scholtens and this fact has given one of them some unpleasant notoriety. One of the J. H. Scholtens paid a fine in a local court the other day on the charge of selling diseased chickens to a local market, and now many of the friends of the other J. H. Scholten, living on the same route, think that he is the one. He naturally objects to the notoriety. There seemed at first no way out of the difficulty, but at last the innocent J. H. hit on the idea of designating the convicted J. H. as "Jan Harm". "If you put it that way," he said, "everybody out there will know which J. H. it was." So here goes—it was "Jan Harm" Scholten who was convicted in the local court, at least the other J. H., whatever the initials stand for, says it was.

## "UNCLE RASTUS" HELPS OUT IN FINE PROGRAM

"Uncle Rastus Johnson of Virginia," bringing his guitar with him entertained the P-T club of the Pine Creek school. Jennie and Cornelius Dirks, Henry and Joe De Ruiter, furnished other numbers, such as budgets, readings, dialogs, and Chris Hansen, with his harmonica, accompanied by Uncle Rastus on the guitar, was compelled to respond to many encores. When Hansen became tired, Uncle Rastus responded with a solo, playing his own accompaniment. The next meeting will be held Jan. 5, and the identity of "Uncle Rastus" was revealed when it became known that he was C. Hansen, of Maple avenue.

Mrs. W. C. Walsh was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Everett, of Lansing, Mich.

Music lovers were well repaid for coming out Thursday night to hear E. Breijtspraak and Helen Wing at the Y. M. C. A. concert given at Winants' chapel.

"I'll give you twenty-five dollars to find out her full name and where she lives. I'll give you a hundred if you'll find somebody who'll introduce me to her."

"It's a bet," said Shottle. "But I must warn you're late. Boyce wants her to marry him, and he's got a hold on her father. But she stood him off."

"H'm—she stood him off? My offer stands, Lib. She couldn't possibly throw herself away on a low-looking fellow like that."

Shottle asked for the twenty-five in advance, was denied and took himself off, grumbling. He found Boyce and the girl called Nadine just leaving the little alcove, and stopped them, bowing low. "Sir," he said, addressing Boyce, "I have been directed to inform this lady that she has been awarded a prize as the best waltzer in the room. If you will be so good as to give me her name and address in order that it may be delivered to her?"

Boyce regarded Shottle suspiciously. "Well!" he exclaimed. "I didn't know they did that sort of thing here. What is the prize and who is giving it?"

"The prize," replied Shottle blandly, "is a—turkey. It is given by the—by a leading butcher of the town."

Boyce laughed, and the girl added her silver merriment. "I'm sure I'm flattered," she said. "The name is Nadine la Vitte, and the address—"

She broke off, and flushed a little. Shottle's jaw had dropped; then he gulped with an extraordinary contortion of his face in the endeavor to mask his astonishment. "And the address?" he pursued.

The girl and Boyce exchanged a troubled look. "I think," interposed Boyce, "it would be better to take the—fowl home tonight. Perhaps you would be good enough to deliver it to our carriage. It is ordered for one o'clock—Number 297." Bowing with peltan grace, Shottle departed, but he delayed some ten minutes in dark thought before he sought Drace again. For Shottle wanted the hundred dollars, and if he were to tell Drace that her name was La Vitte! Could it be possible that she was Stepho's daughter?

He presented himself before Drace at length. "Master," he announced, "her name is Nadine Brown and her address is Carriage Number 297."

"Carriage Number Two— But that is no address. And—"

"Listen, Master," went on Shottle hurriedly. "I have a scheme—a magnificent scheme. Not only shall you be introduced to this lady, but you shall be presented to her in the role of a protector and rescuer."

"How in the world will you manage that?"

"Very simple. At ten minutes past one, you are to be standing on Blank street just beyond the lamp at the corner of X street. Carriage 297 will drive past. From out the shadow of a garden wall two men will spring out and stop the carriage—attemp to rob this Boyce fellow and that girl. You will rush up with a cane—a cane, Virgil, no pistol—and drive off the robbers! You are a hero—the lady thanks you. Tableau!"

"But—but—"

"Leave it all to me—but give me that twenty-five dollars. I know fellows who'd hold up the devil himself for five."

At ten minutes past one o'clock Virgil Drace was standing in the shadow of a tree near the street-crossing decided upon, cursing himself for a half-brained fool and Shottle for an adde-pated rogue. A rattle of wheels came to his ears, and a cab approached him. As it came under the lamp at the corner, Virgil was sure he recognized the flamingo neck of Liberty Shottle rising from the turned-up collar of the caddy on the box.

"Good Lord!" gasped Drace. "He's done it. Pray heaven Boyce carries no pistol."

The cab passed him. And then from the shadow of a wall a hundred yards or so distant two dark figures darted out. There came a hoarse command, a stifled scream, a cry for help. Drace ran forward and found Boyce, Nadine and the supposed cabman standing with uplifted hands beside the vehicle while a masked desperado threatened them with a pistol and a second robber demanded their valuables.

Now Drace played his part right gallantly, rushing upon the robbers with uplifted cane. The fellow with the pistol fired once—then a blow on the wrist from Drace's stick sent the weapon flying. The pain of the blow enraged the fellow, however, and as Drace made at the second robber, the first one struck him heavily, momentarily dazing him. The two supposed robbers now took to their heels, pursued half-heartedly by Cabman Shottle and energetically by Boyce, who had been robbed in good earnest. And to complete the melee, the poor cab-horse, frightened by the pistol-shot, galloped off with the ramshackle vehicle lurching behind it.

Nadine turned to Drace, her face lighted with gratitude. She held forth her hand. With a grace that would not have mocked a Highlander who, schooled in France, had followed home the Queen of Scots, he bent over it and reverently touched it with his lips. Wild was her nature, this half-barbaric maid, and she snatched her hand away, but repenting instantly, smiled and spoke.

"I thank you much. You are brave. You are like one on the stage, the hero."

Her words came freely, and with just enough of accent to convince that they were sweeter than if there were none. Drace asked her if she remem-

bered him, and her black velvet eyes flashed dark in astonishment.

"How could I when never have I seen you? You must mistake me. No."

"I saw you on the boat, at the ball at the St. Louis," Drace said. "But come to think of it, I know that it would be vanity on my part to believe that you have seen me."

"No, it would not be vanity," pleasantly she contradicted him, shaking her head, her cloud of hair. "The brave do not be vain, but I did not see you. I am so sorry. You sorry, too, ha?"

She laughed, and Drace thought that never till that moment had he heard music in its sweetest purity. Then Boyce and Shottle returned, panting—Shottle to disappear again in pursuit of his vanished vehicle.

"Sir, I thank you most heartily for your assistance," said Boyce, grasping Drace's hand. "My name is Boyce—Rupert Boyce. May I—"

"Mine, sir, is Virgil Drace," responded that young man. "I am only too glad to have been of help. I'm afraid, however, you'll have to finish your journey on foot. May I have the pleasure of walking with you?"

This suggestion, however, Boyce declined. And although Drace insisted as far as the bounds of courtesy would permit, both Boyce and the girl evaded consent. And they left him standing thunderstruck on the street corner—for the girl had said, giving him her hand again in parting: "I thank you once more for your help, Mr. Drace. I hope I may see you again some time. My name is Nadine la Vitte, and I am often in New Orleans."

Drace passed an uneasy night, his mind torn by his suspicion that Nadine la Vitte was the daughter of old Stepho. And when Liberty came to his room next morning, eager for praise and reward, the truth came out. Nadine was indeed the daughter of old Stepho; Liberty had overheard enough while disguised as the cabman to confirm that. But where she lived in New Orleans, Liberty had failed to learn; he had planned to drive them home, but the runaway of the cab horse had sent that plan agley.

## CHAPTER IV

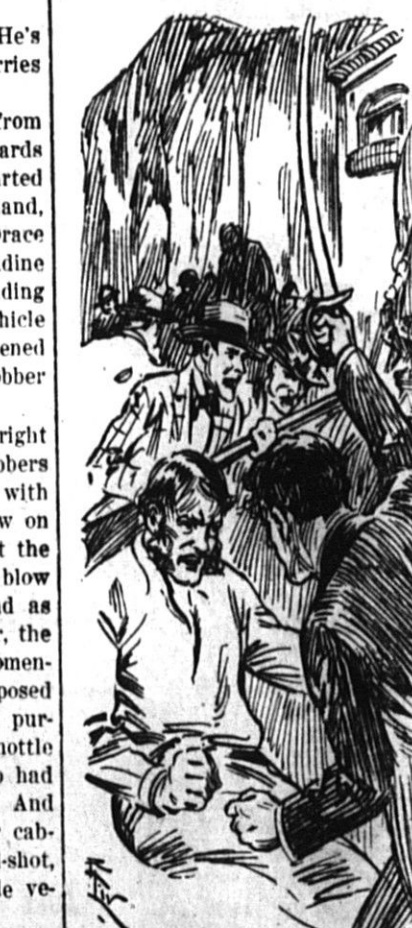
Now more than ever was Drace resolved to find where the girl lived, to find old Stepho, to— What would he do when he found them? He was bent on revenge upon his father's murderers, on solving the secret of that buried money; yet he was in love with that arch-scurdrel's daughter. Or was he? He must find her, make sure. And he said as much to Shottle.

"There are some things that can't be done by mere determination," said Shottle, his mind on filling a flush.

"No, but judgment ought to be the master and director of determination. I tell you what we'll do. This afternoon we'll take the French quarter by streets and knock at every door."

That afternoon they set out on their quest. But the scheme of knocking at every door soon seemed foolish and impertinent. They decided to halt only in front of habitations that seemed to invite inquiry, consult their instinct; but as repeated failure blunts instinct dull, hope became a critic, without creative adventure, and advised a return to the hotel. Then they thought that night would be a fitter time. They might catch sight of the girl or Boyce at the theater.

They went to one, and from a stage-box gazed through rented glasses at every face. Not there. They went out, walked a short distance, talking not of disappointment but of hope, and turned into a narrow and dimly lighted street. Suddenly there broke the noise of a rising tumult, yells and



Some One Gave Him an Old Carbine and Another Gave Drace a Cavalry Saber.

gunshots. And over walls and from dark recesses came pouring excited men. Drace and Shottle found themselves in the midst of a mob, surging toward another mob rushing into an open space where torches discovered a band of executioners hanging some poor wretch to the limb of a tree. Where there were no houses, the garden walls were too high to offer a means of escape, and as they could not fight their way back, Drace and Shottle were swept onward. Torches flared and all sorts of weapons were

revealed in the pitiful yellow light—old muskets, swords, pistols with brass barrels from ancient Spanish armories, clubs and pikes that might have served Cromwell. Some of the men looked respectable, others desperate; they were of many nationalities, all anger-smitten and excited.

"What's it all about?" Drace inquired of a bare-headed old man who panted beside him.

"The carpet-bag devils. They hang a citizen."

"We are on the right side, anyway," Shottle cried. "Give me a gun—give me something."

To be Continued in Our Next Issue.

## SOUTHERN SINGERS TO BE HERE NEXT WEEK

The Southern Normal and Industrial Institute for negro children is located at Brewton, Ala. This is an enterprise of the Reformed church in America conducted through her Board of Domestic Missions. The purpose of the institution is to train negro children to be self-supporting and to become leaders of their people. Prof. James Dooley is principal of the school. He will be in Holland next week for a series of meetings. Prof. Dooley will tell of the work they are trying to do. He brings with him a group of negro singers that will render a number of negro melodies and jubiles.

The schedule of meetings is as follows: Monday, Dec. 11, Third Reformed church at 7:30; Tuesday, Dec. 12, High school, 8:15 A. M., Seminary 4 P. M., First Reformed church 7:30 P. M.; Wednesday, Dec. 13, Junior high school 8:30 A. M., Harlem church 7:30 P. M.; Thursday, Dec. 14, Trinity Church 7:30 P. M.

## GARAGE OWNERS DISSOLVE PARTNERSHIP

The partnership between J. C. Westrate and M. C. Westrate, proprietors of the Overland Garage, has been dissolved. J. C. Westrate has bought the interest of M. C. Westrate and will continue the business as sole owner. The two brothers have been in business together for the past six years and have made a notable success of the plant. The new owner has announced no immediate changes but the garage will continue to serve the public in much the same way as before.

## WANT TO GUARD R. R. CROSSING IN CITY

A viaduct over the P. M. railroad on 16th street or a subway under it; railroad gates across at the P. M. track on eighth street and Ninth-st.—these are some of the proposals made at the meeting of the common council Wednesday to make the crossings safe. It was pointed out that all funerals cross the track on 16th street and that the crossing is dangerous. Many near accidents have happened on Eighth and 9th streets and it was pointed out that gates could be operated on the two streets from a single tower.

The whole question was referred to Mayor Stephan and City Attorney Mc Bride. They will take it up and try to work out some solution.

Suit for damages has been started in the Muskegon county circuit court by Leon Langlois Grand Haven & Muskegon bus line operator vs. W. B. Asher of South Bend, Ind. The suit grew out of an accident on the Grand Haven road a few weeks ago, which resulted in the arrest of the defendant on the charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated.

Fred Currin of the car ferry Milwaukee was arrested by the Grand Haven police on a charge of assault upon J. D. Ivanhof. Ivanhof is in charge of the commissary and Currin is employed under him it is understood. When arraigned in Justice Lillie's court, Currin pleaded not guilty and trial was set for next Monday.

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LOCALS

The public program of the Ulfilas club of Hope College has been postponed until after the holidays.

A marriage license was issued in Grand Rapids to Wessel Northous, 25, Belmont; Mary Verecke, 30 of Zeeland.

Miss Hara Mapes, 85, pioneer of Allegan county, died Thursday morning following a stroke of paralysis. Two daughters and one grandson survive.

Wm. A. Nash, 58 years old and retired business man died suddenly Friday morning at his home. He was at the head of the Allegan Furniture Co.

The annual meeting of the Young Men's societies Alliance was held in Chicago. The following delegates from Holland were in attendance: Henry Maas, John Kolean, Maple Avenue church; Peter Grevengeod and Ed. Holkeboer, 14th St. church; Jack Vanden Berg and Simon Dykstra, 9th street church; Jay Schadelee, George Kuiper and M. Arnoys, 16th street church.

The Grand Haven banks distributed \$70,000.00 in Christmas Savings Saturday. This means \$75 for each man, woman and child in the city. Holland bans will last \$102,000. The per capita amount will be about the same.

A joint meeting and reception was held in the Voorhees Dormitory halls Wednesday evening of the Calvin and Hope College Volunteer Bands.

Mrs. John H. Boeve died Wednesday at her home in Ebenezer. She is survived by her husband, four sons and three daughters. The funeral was held Monday at 12 o'clock at the home and at one o'clock at the Ebenezer Reformed church, Rev. G. Flikkema officiating.

The College literary societies are entering upon the annual fall debates and will hold the inter-society elimination debates in order to select the men who shall represent Hope in forensics during the coming season. Hope has slated her usual rivals, The Detroit School of Law, Kalamazoo and Alma College. The question for debate is, "Resolved, that the United States enter the League of Nations immediately." The issue is a live one and will attract a good deal of interest when the contests will be staged.

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