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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

VOLUME NUMBER 45

Thursday, Oct. 19, 1916

NUMBER FORTY-TWO

MEN of MICHIGAN

DO YOU GET THIS:

1. That no Board of Trade or similar organization, in seeking for new business and new residents ever call attention to the fact that their city has a goodly number of saloons, but do speak of railway and water facilities, of schools, churches and colleges? Why? Because it is a recognized fact that business men and good citizens no longer consider the saloon an asset, but a liability. United States government statistics prove that for every dollar of revenue we receive from the saloon we pay \$2.50 to take care of criminals, paupers, insane and feeble-minded people it produces.

Or This:

2. That the states which are now "Dry" are so well satisfied with the financial and moral results of the introduction of Prohibition that there is no thought in the minds of the voters of these States of ever returning again to the licensing of saloons? The people say, thank God we have dissolved partnership with this accursed business and are done with it for good. These are the words of Judge Charles A. Pollock of the Third Judicial District of North Dakota: "The years of experience which have been mine to enjoy, together with the words which are constantly coming from all over the state, lead me to conclude that our people are more strongly in favor of the law now than ever before and that there will be no steps backward upon the question in the future."

And This:

3. That the big cities, like Seattle and Denver, which had Prohibition thrust upon them are today heartily glad of it? The editor of the Seattle Times, who fought his best against prohibition on economic grounds has in a month's time alone been converted to the cause of the "Drys." Here are his words: "We already know it is a great benefit, morally and from an economic standpoint. Its moral benefit has been tremendous. Seattle had 260 saloons and we had an average of 2,600 arrests a month for crimes and misdemeanors growing out of liquor drinking."

"In January we had only 400 arrests and 60 of these were made January 1 and the results of hang-overs from the old year."

"And on top of that great moral result, we have these economic facts: In the first three weeks of January the savings deposits in the banks of Seattle increased 15 per cent. There was not a grocery store in Seattle that did not show an increase of business in January greater than ever known in any month before in all the history of the city, except in holiday time."

And Denver? Have the "Wets" heard of Denver lately? If they haven't will they kindly take our advice and read the Grand Rapids Press: Here boiled down into a composite interview, is what the people of Denver say: "Prohibition has been a splendid thing for Denver and Colorado. I voted wet two years ago because I thought prohibition would be disastrous to business. I have been surprised to find the results just the opposite. If the question should come up again I'd vote dry in a minute. So would big majorities in Denver and Colorado. The state is dry forever."

And Also This:

4. That the Churches are back of this "Dry" movement as never before? THE GREAT ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH has set its huge shoulders to this wheel and is helping mightily to push the cause along. To these burning words ARCHBISHOP JOHN IRELAND gave utterance:—"The saloon is the deadly enemy of the health, of the home, of the family, of the country, and of God. And America demands, and it will demand in stronger tones yet, that this American saloon shall disappear from the face of our fair land. We must work and bend every effort so that Catholics in political matters will always be arrayed against the liquor interest." Positions equally strong have been taken by the Methodists and Baptists and Congregationalists and Presbyterians and Reformed. All of these great bodies are practically a unit against the saloon today. There is no question about it that if they will stand in solid phalanx NOV. 7, voting for the State-wide Amendment and against Home Rule, the enemy will be routed.

Ottawa County Dry Campaign Committee

Political Advertisement

KOMFORTER KOTTON KOMPANY PUTS IN \$5,500 MACHINE

WILL INCREASE CAPACITY OF PLANT 300 PER CENT

There are Eighty Needles in Quilting Machine.

Possibly the most complicated machine in Holland will be installed in the Komforter Kotton Kompany in the near future. Attorney Van Duren has been in New York City for the past week making arrangements to have this quilting machine built for the company in which he is interested.

It will take five months to build the new device which is very compact and has eighty large needles. The machine will cost the company \$5,500 after it is installed and will increase the capacity of that plant at least 300 per cent. The company was forced to make some move as they are way behind in their orders. It will be the largest and only machine of its kind in the United States.

MRS. KRESS IN A CHI. STREET CAR ACCIDENT

THREE CARS PILE UP; TWO FATALLY HURT; MRS. KRESS FORTUNATE

Mrs. John Kress has arrived in this city after a month's absence and is under the doctor's care as the result of a street car accident while away. Mrs. Kress was called to Seattle a month ago because of the illness of her mother.

On her return journey to Holland, while riding in a State street car in Chicago, she was a victim of a severe wreck. Three cars, temporarily held up by a fire, were released and forged ahead with small space between. The first one struck an obstacle and stopped with a jerk. The two following piled up against the first, smashing the cars and throwing the passengers to the floor in a shower of glass and splinters.

Two ambulances carried the injured away, two women being considered fatally injured. Mrs. Kress was among the most fortunate. She was able to make the journey to Holland after being laid up in that city and now will be under the doctor's care and confined to her home for about a week. Her legs and hips were badly bruised.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING

Thursday Night In the City Hall

There will be an important meeting of the Chamber of Commerce in the City Hall this evening of this week at 7:30 sharp.

All business men and those interested are requested to be present. It matters not if you are not a member of the Chamber of Commerce. You are invited just the same.

The meeting is called to find out whether Holland wants another Fair or not and no doubt there will be some interesting developments at this meeting.

SECOND SHOOT OF CLUB SHOWS ADVANCE

TWENTY-SIX MEMBERS SPEND AFTERNOON ON RANGE FOR SECOND AND BETTER SHOOT

Officer C. Steketee Leads Day With a Score of 59; Vander Bie Second With 57.

With twenty-six of the Holland Rifle Club members out to the second shoot on the range, two miles north of the city, yesterday afternoon, marked improvement in the scores was shown. Many who last time registered a row of "goose eggs" this time come out with honorable mention.

Officer C. Steketee heads the lists in the total of the day with a score of 59. He is closely pushed by M. Vander Vie, master of the range, who chalked up 57.

The entire shoot was passed over in the afternoon as an earlier start was made. At 12:45 the autos left River and Eighth street and the shooting began at once. Some were not able to stay for the complete shoot and consequently suffered in scores.

The need of more rifles and another target, to allow more rapid shooting and clearing of the list, is evident. The twenty-six gathered about the stand at 200 and 300 yard marks, the only two distances shot, had long waits for their turns, spent in criticizing the member shooting and in turn being criticized.

An important meeting of the club is to be held Tuesday evening in the Board room of the City hall, at which time, besides other business, the name of every prospective member must be in to let that individual in on this season's shooting. An application will be made for more rifles and ammunition but they will not arrive in time for this season. Admission fee to the club is one dollar. Next year it will be two or more for newcomers.

The tale of the tally board yesterday is this:

At 20-Yds.—Scored Made Above 20
J. Wagner 21; Fred Hietje 26; M. Vander Bie 35; C. Steketee 31; D. Homkes 28; N. Hofsteen 29; C. J. Dorabos 32; John Hoffman 26; H. Vander Schel 24; George Van Landegend 24; Chas. Van Zylen 29; F. Oosting 22.

At 300 Yds.—Scores Over 15
S. Ver Wey 15; F. Hietje 23; M. Vander Bie 22; C. Steketee 28; T. N. Robinson 15; N. Hofsteen 24; C. J. Dorabos 15; J. J. Van Putten 19; L. De Feyter 20.

TO START A YOUNG MEN'S REPUB. CLUB

ORRIE SLUITER OF GRAND HAVEN TO MEET VOTERS IN CITY HALL FRIDAY

A Young Men's Republican Club is to be formed in this city next Friday evening. Orrie Sluiter of Grand Haven is boosting the idea that is bound to meet with success here.

A meeting will be held in the city hall Friday evening to organize. All young voters of Holland are invited to be present and start a winning club in Holland. The Republican sentiment here assures a good number.

Active campaign work will be planned and the Young Men's Republican Club of Holland will make an effect on the community if the enthusiasm is shown that is expected. All republicans are invited.

Mrs. Wm. Halley and Mrs. Fred White left this morning for Montague where they will attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Anton Bux.

\$16,000 FIRE IN CITY OF ZEELAND

MAYOR MOEKE'S PLANING AND SAW MILL BURNS TO THE GROUND

Wife of One of the Firm Discovers the Fire; Live Wire Also Causes Danger to Crowds Watching Flames

(By CHRIS DE JONGH)

The City of Zeeland witnessed its greatest fire in years Wednesday evening, when the machine shop of the G. Moeke & Sons' Planing and Saw mill was completely destroyed by fire. The fire started at exactly 9 o'clock and raged for several hours. The loss was so heavy that only a rough estimate can be made. Mayor John Moeke, a member of the firm said that the fire consumed \$16,000 worth of property, and that this amount might be augmented when a complete report was made. It was partly covered by insurance. The amount of insurance was about \$7,000, thus leaving a loss of about \$9,000.

After several months of quiet rest, the Zeeland fire department was called into active service, when the wildly crying fire whistle told of a fire such as had not been witnessed in this city for many years. Mrs. Gerrit Moeke, wife of Gerrit Moeke, a senior member of the corporation, was the first to notice the fire and she very quickly turned in the alarm. Mrs. Moeke noticed the fire from her residence, which is located just across the street from the Moeke Planing Mill. As the firm was rushed with orders, it was a custom with the workmen to work several hours overtime each day. It so happened that they worked until 8:30 that evening and when one considers the fact that at 9 o'clock the factory was already hidden in flames, it is remarkable how rapidly the flames gained headway.

The fire was first discovered in the engine room, which is located on the north side of the building, just south of the Pere Marquette railroad track. The conflagration was evidently caused by sparks escaping from the boiler. But it is still a question whether the fire began on the roof of the building or directly below in the engine room. As the firm did not employ a night watchman the building was left to itself when the doors were closed at 8:30. And as the flames had already enveloped the boiler room, when the fire was first detected, the exact cause of the blaze is uncertain. Suffice it to say that such a conflagration arose that the manufacturing district in which the majority of the workmen are employed, was threatened with destruction.

The wind was from the east and several sparks were carried the short distance of 50 feet where stood the Colonial Mfg. Co. building. This large structure was saved by an application of water on the roof. However, several workmen employed by the Colonial company, carried their tools which they daily use out of the building, as the outcome of the fire was dubious. It is certain that if the wind had been from the west the large wooden factory of the Star Furniture Co would have also been destroyed as it was located just a short distance east of the Moeke saw mill. To the east of the Star building, but a short distance off to the east, lay the Wolverine Mfg. Plant. Just south of the burning building was situated on the south side of the street the office of G. Moeke & Sons, their large lumber yards and commodious lumber sheds.

The situation—a burning building in the midst of several other large structures—was enough to make the firemen, handicapped as they were, do their level best.

The structure was a large wooden one and consequently the flames quickly crept along the roof and interior of the building. With great rapidity they reached the south end of the structure and soon the building was enveloped in flames. Four streams of water were played in the flames. Although such a large amount of water was used, that the building seemed surrounded by a lagoon, the fire could not be abated. When it was noticed that the surrounding buildings were in immediate danger, the hoses were used on these structures in order to prevent a possible spreading of flames. The heat of the flames was so intense that the atmosphere for several yards around the building was very hot.

The horror of the situation was intensified by the exploding of a valve on the boiler. The subsequent buzzing as the steam escaped and the possibility of an explosion caused the crowd, which had accumulated in large numbers, to recede from the burning building at a safe distance.

The spectators were put in danger and the firemen handicapped by the "live wires" which threatened to fall any moment. A large transformer was used to supply the factory with its electricity for power. The wires leading to this were charged with 2,400 volts. After dangerously swinging in mid-air for some time the wire were cut off. It is said that if the wires had not been heavily insulated, a casualty would have resulted when one of the firemen directed a stream of water on these live wires.

The large smoke-stack and the heavy water tank fell to earth with a crash when the roof gave away. When the interior of the building had been consumed and the outside partitions were still burning, several firemen attempted to push the south end down. In so doing the walls of the entire building were pushed down and this facilitated matters for the firemen. At 12:30 after the burning of three and a half hours, the fire was extinguished, but several members of the fire depart-

ZEELAND PLUNGED INTO DARKNESS

HIGH TENSION WIRE FROM CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY OUT BY FIRE

Democratic Meeting Put Out of Commission by Fire.

The Moeke fire in the city of Zeeland last night had a strange effect on the town. The site of the blaze was a pillar of fire that lit up the sky as a beacon light. The rest of the town was inky blackness.

Threatened with electrocution thru the stream of water playing about the factory, the firemen were forced to cut the high tension wires from the Consumers Power company, the city's source of supply. The town was at once plunged into darkness, adding to the terror already rife.

A county Democratic meeting was in action in one of the halls. Prominent Democrats of the county had voiced their political persuasions when the hall was suddenly thrown into darkness. What had sounded like the curfew was found to have been the fire whistle. The meeting was adjourned to the scene of excitement.

TO STAGE PAGEANT IN HIGH ON MONDAY

CHORUS OF FIFTY TAKE BIG PART; GORGEOUS COSTUMES; ADMISSION FREE

Next Monday evening at 7:30 one of the greatest events of the season will be staged—the cantata pageant. The high school auditorium is to be the scene of its rendition. A chorus of fifty voices will be a large part of the pageant, with other characters taking leading parts. The cast numbers seventy-five.

The gorgeous costumes for the appearance of the cantata pageant have been secured in Grand Rapids. A large company of Holland people are taking the different parts and have been practicing for some time to make their parts perfect.

Another thing. No admission is to be charged Monday night. The entire city of Holland, or as many as will come early to get a seat and standing room in the auditorium are invited to come.

LITTLE ORANGE CAPS GONE

LITTLE ORANGE CAPS COME BACK

Here is a mystery. Dick Boter & Co. ordered 54 nice little orange colored caps for 54 nice little students of the Hope college freshmen class. The little orange caps stood on the counter when received for but a few moments—presto change—Little orange caps are gone—can't be found. This morning, change presto—little orange caps in front of Boter's store early in the morning, made a trip over night. But who is the magician?

CONCERT AT HIGH FRIDAY AS FIRST

LECTURE COURSE TO STAGE THREE OF BEST ARTISTS IN COUNTRY.

The Concert Company, three noted artists with musical prizes and awards and scholarships without number, secured by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Best, will appear in the high school Friday night for the first of the high school course. A season ticket for a dollar, taking in three of the best entertainments ever brought to Holland, is a surprisingly low price.

The Senior class, in charge of the ticket sales, are finding a fine demand, especially on the part of those who attended last year's. Friday night's concert will be especially good, introducing a boy violinist of fame, a baritone and a pianist.

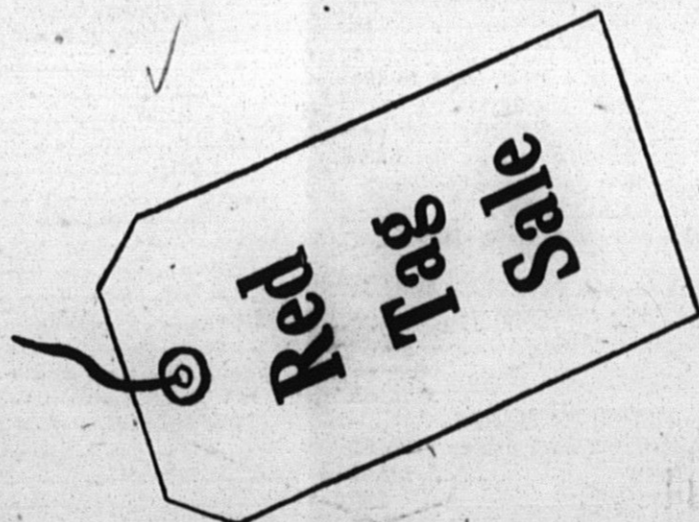
Hobson of Merrimac fame will be in the city to speak on the "wet" and "dry" issues on November 3.

Bert Vanden Berg of the George H. Huizenga Co., was in Grand Rapids attending the Wanda-Bykema wedding.

ment remained until early this morning. The loss was very great. There were several valuable machines in the building. One of these cost upwards of one thousand dollars. The firm furnished lumber for several local contractors, and these men will be handicapped by the loss of their material. Mr. Gerrit Moeke has been in the lumber business for years, and having incorporated his sons in the business, he established a large business. The reason why the men were employed overtime Wednesday night, was that the Phoenix Cheese Company of Zeeland wanted a large supply of cheese boxes completed as they were in need of them. The fire destroyed all the cheese boxes that were being constructed at the time of the fire. This leaves the Phoenix Co. in a bad fix as they will probably be unable to ship out some of their cheese.

When asked what plans were made for the future, Mayor Moeke responded that they had none as yet "for," he said, "it will take several months to rebuild and equip a machine shop like the one that was burned."—Chris De Jongh, Correspondent.

They are saying all over town that—
Jas. A. Brouwer's



is the greatest
**Furniture, Carpet and
Rug Sale**

EVER HELD IN HOLLAND
OR VICINITY

What everybody says is so—is so
Come and See

GOSIP OF OUR CORRESPONDENTS

ZEELAND

Mr. and Mrs. George De Jonge and daughter, Mable spent Saturday, visiting with relatives in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. R. Kremer of Grand Rapids is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. Amsink, who resides a few miles south of Zeeland.

The Ladies Aid society for the Christian School met Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the hall above the store of Bareman and Vanden Bosch.

The Work Society met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. Denmore in Hudsonville.

Adrian Van Putten of the American Humidifier Co., was in the city on business.

Miss Edith Lackey has returned from Swan Creek where she visited with relatives for a short time.

Mrs. J. A. Elenbaas underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils at her home on Lincoln street last Thursday.

Mrs. R. Fritze, who was principal of the Zeeland High school for several years previous to this year is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wirenga.

M. P. Davis of Holland made a business trip to Zeeland Wednesday.

Mrs. C. Platte has returned home after spending an extended visit with relatives here.

John Haan of Haan Bros' Drug store has purchased a Chandler Touring car.

After spending a visit of two months with relatives and friends in northern Michigan, especially in the vicinity of Levering, Mr. Anthony De Kruij returned home this week.

Invitations have been issued announcing the approaching marriage of Elizabeth Bouwens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Bouwens of Zeeland to Harry Maynard of Grand Rapids.

The event will take place on Thursday, October 26th at Grand Rapids. A reception will be given in the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bouwens, Jr., in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. J. Languis and Mrs. Cornelius Languis and daughter, Gertrude left this week Wednesday for a few days' visit with relative in Grand Rapids.

Among those who took the examination which was recently held in the city hall for post office mail clerk in the Zeeland Post Office were the following: William VanEeneam, Adolph De Koster, John P. Vanden Bosch, and Gerrit Gommers.

County School Commissioner N. R. Stanton was in Zeeland Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Dykhuizen and two children have spent a short visit with relatives in Grand Haven. From there they left for Muskegon, where they will spend a few days visiting with the former's sister, Mrs. Frank Mahan.

The Ottawa County Supervisors and Good Road Commissioners passed thru Zeeland in automobiles on their way to Holland.

Cornie Van Voorst made a business trip to Grand Rapids Tuesday.

The Young Ladies' Society of the Third Christian Reformed church met this week at the home of Lizzie Nykamp on Lincoln street.

JURY IS CHOSEN FOR NOVEMBER TERM OF COURT SEVERAL LOCAL MEN NAMED ON OTTAWA COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT JURY.

ANNUAL ROAD TOUR IS A SUCCESS

Road Commissioners and Supervisors in Whirl Around County. Austin Harrington Pilot of Tour

All Visit in Holland After Which They Disband and Go to Their Homes

With the blare of a trumpet, Connolly's trumpet ringing out on the crisp air of the morning, the annual good roads tour, staged under the auspices of the county road commission started away from Grand Haven with a whirl Tuesday morning.

A good dozen cars were mobilized at the court house and these were hurriedly filled by members of the board of supervisors and county officials, by the members of the road commission, Capt. Austin Harrington and Messrs. Connelley and Cook, who acted as hosts.

The route was through Spring Lake, over the famous concrete road to the Crockery line with a detour around the construction work now being done on the Wolverine paved way.

All of the newspapers in Grand Rapids were asked by the Ottawa county supervisors to send representatives to join the travelers at dinner.

After about an hour spent in Grand Rapids, during which time Captain Harrington, major domo of the party kept his eye out for the safety of his train from the clutches of the traffic officers, the party started back into Ottawa by the way of the Grandville road.

STATE POULTRY ASS'N GETS 16 FROM HERE

Mr. E. P. White of Saugatuck, Secretary of the National Baby Chick Association, addressed the Holland Poultry Association Monday night on the advantages of the trap-nest in selecting the best laying hens.

Monday night sixteen members were secured for the Michigan State Poultry Ass'n. The next meeting will be held the first Monday in November when the White Leghorns and Barred Rocks will be discussed.

SUMMARY OF ZEELAND SUNDAY SCHOOLS GIVEN

The following summary of the Sunday schools of the three Christian Reformed churches of Zeeland has been secured. The school of the First Christian Reformed church was organized in January of the year 1883.

CITY 'Y' FUND GETS \$68.54 AT CHAUTAUQUA

Total of 779 Season Tickets Were Sold This Year.—Company Gets \$1150.52; Read List

A glance at the amount left over after all expenses had been paid for the last Lincoln Chautauqua will tell why the committee was so anxious to get the people interested in the week before Chautauqua opened and that the alarm as not a false one.

The first year of the summer entertainments here netted the city Y. M. C. A. fund \$221.78. This year it was \$68.54. Instead of going in the hole, as it was feared, the committee was able to increase the 'Y' fund.

STATEMENT Holland Chautauqua, 1916 RECEIPTS 721 Tickets sold at \$1.50.....\$1081.50 58 Children's tickets, at \$1..... 58.00 Single Admissions..... 386.55 \$1526.05

DISBURSEMENTS Nat. Lin. Chautauqua System \$1150.52 Chair Rental 102.25 Piano Rental 5.00 Draying 19.66 Labor 26.15 Commission 14.35 Board and Lodging 96.15 1915 Sundries 18.86 1916 Sundries 15.81 Lumber 8.77 \$1457.51

FOR Y. M. C. A. FUND First Year.....\$221.78 2nd Year..... 329.62 Lincoln Rebate 7.00 3rd Year..... 208.75 Interest 51.39 4th Year..... 68.54 \$887.08

Respectfully submitted, Harry Harrington, Treasurer.

HUMAN FLY IS HUMBLED, SAY THE 5,000

DAREDEVIL'S NERVE RESTED ONLY IN TAKING \$25 FROM AUDIENCE

Cold Feet on Part of 'Fly' Proves Contagious and Crowd Thins After an Hour

A "Human Fly" came to Holland Tuesday. He left the same night without any brass band music but with \$25 of perfectly good Holland money.

Tuesday, unannounced, two young men entered the portals of the city. One was Jack Williams, the world-famed human fly. The other was his press agent. The latter was armed with a folder of press notices from Kalamazoo, Dowagiac, Battle Creek and other towns of Michigan.

Modern advertising had its results Tuesday. At 7 o'clock the scheduled time, a crowd filled Eighth street and River avenue for a half block each way, stopping all traffic.

The press agent appeared at the foot of the three-story building and shouted in approved style so well that no one understood him.

Five times they squeezed thru the press of humanity and cleaned them to the extent of \$25. Then the attraction appeared. Amid the loud acclaim of the thousands he showed great skill in reaching the second story on a wire grating that formed a ladder.

Then he rested. The crowd grew restless. The searchlight rose ahead and pointed the way to the third floor. Daredevil Jack raised his hand to the rough stone walls, a picnic climb for any steple-jack, raised the corresponding foot, and replaced them on the window ledge.

After an hour of lingering and long-ing, Mr. bug determined to make or break himself. With a leap he grabbed the third story window ledge and drew himself up. Fully one-hundred people were left to applaud.

In derision the Daredevil twitched the nose of the dignified tower clock and the hands flew back four minutes. Then all was peace and darkness on the roof.

Manager Himebaugh, in a streak of advertising activity, had bargained for his appearance in the Royal theater after the climb, to tell the good people "how he did it".

The next train north carried Mr. "Human Fly". Muskegon was said to be his destination.

A crowd of 5,000 will remember Jack Williams as a "human flea". They were all bitten to the extent of a jitney.

HOLLAND FAIR HAS \$75.74 TO THE GOOD

OWES \$10,500 AND INTEREST ON SEVERAL IMPROVEMENTS MADE

Remember the Chamber of Commerce Meeting Tomorrow Night in the City Hall

The following is the financial reports of the Holland Fair in detail and gives our readers some conception of what it costs to stage an exhibition such as Holland puts on.

RECEIPTS 1915 Bank balance.....\$ 40.27 Season Tickets..... 49.00 12394 Adult tickets at 35c..... 4337.90 1603 Children tickets at 15c..... 240.45 1419 Vehicles at 25c..... 354.75 462 Evening at 25c..... 115.50 1522 Grand Stand (day) 25c..... 380.50 205 Grand Stand evening at 15c..... 30.75 6342 1/2 tickets at 10c Gets building..... 634.25 All concessions day..... 760.56 All concessions evening..... 397.98 Exhibit entries..... 181.00 Race horse..... 455.00 Rentals (art hall and grounds)..... 666.90 Advertising Fair Book..... 842.00 Membership..... 6.00 Refund..... 10.50 Inner Circle..... 46.00 Delivery Passes..... 20.00 Refund for light from concessioners..... 29.00 Telephone calls..... .30 Collected for fly nets..... 10.25 Old Barn..... 58.00 Hay sold..... 1.05 Return Passes..... 4.00 Total collected.....\$9689.91

DISBURSEMENTS Bills 1915.....\$ 68.50 Interest on note First State Bank..... 50.00 Gents' Rest Room..... 310.00 Permanent Improvement..... 361.29 Free Attractions, Fireworks, Japs and Darkies..... 875.00 Music, 3 bands and Fishers' Orchestra..... 758.05 Racing..... 1905.00 Judges..... 82.00 Painting Race Horse barns..... 85.00 Plumbing..... 160.60 Premiums..... 1215.50 Fair Book..... \$509.44 Printing and advertising..... 557.91 Labor (all kinds)..... 571.42 Sundry..... 525.00 J. Schouten, (allowance)..... 50.00 Postage..... 126.00 Hay and straw..... 194.55 Miscellaneous expenses..... 1017.22 Insurance..... 277.09 J. W. Brink (payment race horse barn)..... 359.20 Bank Balance..... 20.74 \$9689.91

TO COLLECT Fair Book advertising.....\$ 8.00 State Allowance..... 449.00 \$457.00

Manure G. J. Deur..... 8.00 \$465.00

INTEREST DUE GEO. F. GETZ \$6,000 at 6 per cent.....\$360.00 (First State Bank) \$2,000 at 5 per cent, six months..... 50.00 \$410.00

Total receipts for 1916.....\$10,154.91 Total expenses for 1916..... 10,079.17 Balance when all accounts have been collected and all disbursements made..... \$75.74 Liability on new horse barn.....\$2500.00 J. ARENDSHORST, Acting Secretary.

Lewis De Kraker the veteran butcher of Holland and also a veteran in the Civil War, is attending a reunion of his regiment "The First Michigan Engineers and Mechanics" organized in 1862 in Grand Rapids.

The Harvey Watson of Holland owned by Frank Van Ry of this city has been chartered by the Grand Haven fishermen to take the place of the fish tug Alice, which has been taken to St. Joe for repairs.

HOLLAND CITY MARKETS

Beach Milling Co. (Buying Prices of Grain) Wheat, white..... 1.45 Wheat, red..... 1.50 Buckwheat..... .80 Oats..... 49.52 Rye..... 1.15 Corn..... .93

(Feed in Ton Lots) St. Car Feed..... 38.00 No. 1 Feed..... 33.00 No. 1 Corn Meal..... 38.00 Cracked Corn..... 38.00 Bran..... 29.00 Middlings..... 35.00 Screenings..... 29.00 Low Grade..... 40.00 Oil Meal..... 42.00 R. K. D Dairy Feed..... 29.00 Badger Feed..... 35.00 Blue To Dairy Feed..... 27.00 Krause Hi-Protein Dairy Feed..... 33.00 Cotton Seed Meal..... 40.00

Thos. Klomprens & Co. Hay, loose..... 9.00 Hay, baled..... 11.00 Straw..... 7.00

Molenaar & De Goede Beef..... .10 Mutton..... .14 Spring Lamb..... .17 Pork..... .13 Veal..... .14 Spring Chickens..... .15 Chickens..... .14 Eggs..... .26 Butter, dairy..... .28 Butter, creamery..... .33

The Way to Make Money is to SAVE IT SO THEY SAY The way to save it is to—well, the best way we know anything about is to come to our



and invest in Furniture, Carpets, Rugs or Draperies THE MORE YOU BUY, THE MORE YOU SAVE Jas. A. Brouwer

DRESS-UP NOW This is the time of the year when men and young men nationally dress-up. Suits and Coats A fine line of Pinch Back Clothes in all colors AT MODERATE PRICES. For Ladies We have the latest styles in novelty shoes. They have to be seen in order to be appreciated. A visit to our store will convince you. Otto J. Cohan The Progressive Clothier 19 W. 8th STREET

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NEW 100-TON AUTOMOMATIC RAILROAD SCALE AND THREE MILLION GALLON PUMP INSTALLED.

One of Holland's most important sections of the manufacturing district is again settling down to its season of throbbing life.

Sugar beets are pouring into the storage bins of the Holland-St. Louis Sugar Company, have been coming in for several days, and the slicing began yesterday.

Several changes have been made in the machinery and equipment used in the manufacturing of sugar in this factory. A new 3,000,000-gallon water pump has been installed to furnish the water supply, for carrying the beets to the slicer, for washing and for condensing steam.

A new electric generator, giving the motive power for the pump, has also been put in.

An automatic railroad scale of 100-ton capacity is a part of the new machinery. This scale, a Buffalo, is equipped with an automatic weighing beam and greatly facilitates the work.

The beet crop this year is good, although not a record-breaker, and one of the most successful years of its history is predicted for the Holland factory by Manager C. M. McLean.

HEINZ CO. SUING FOR PRODUCTS

FARMERS SELL PRODUCE TO OTHER PARTIES FOR HIGHER PRICE.

The H. J. Heinz Co. at Saginaw have been forced to bring suit against a number of their growers who have broken their bean and cabbage contracts by selling the above named contracted products to other persons than the H. J. Heinz Co. and it is reported that there will probably be a good many more suits brought, unless the growers deliver the products contracted.

It is to be regretted that this company, who has a universal reputation for fair dealing with the growers and who have often times voluntarily advanced the price of contract products, to be compelled to bring court action against growers, to compel them to fulfill their contract.

Growers who have delivered beans on their contract for this season with the H. J. Heinz Co. are well pleased with their treatment and it is to be hoped that this company will not be forced to bring action against any of the growers in this territory.

DREW MEN AT HOME FOR NEXT BATTLE

This Saturday Holland fans will have another chance to see the champion high school squad down another foe on the 19th street grounds. Kalamazoo High school, a stranger to the Holland team, will journey to this city for the next match.

Kalamazoo has never been met before. Central of Grand Rapids played this aggregation to a 60-0 shutout a week ago. In order to keep up to the standard set for Holland when the locals met Central, the score Saturday will have to be about 60. That means work and seems now to be beyond reach. Kalamazoo has improved since it met Central and is playing football.

The rest of the schedule for the season includes G. R. Union the following week, an open date Nov. 11, Grand Haven here Nov. 18 and then the Alumni game on Nov. 30.

RAISE \$1,000 IN TWO WEEKS, BOYS

THAT WAS ALL, BUT IT WAS ENOUGH SAID; WILL THEY SUCCEED.

John Kooiker and C. J. Dornbos were told by the Chamber of Commerce Friday night that they are to raise \$1,000 in two weeks. Simple? Hardly. But they took it good naturedly and expressed the hope that the citizens, when addressed by them, would appreciate their dilemma.

The fund is to be used for two purposes. The first is \$800 for the sidetrack to the Veneer buildings. The other is \$200 for decoration purposes in honor of the coming state Sunday school convention. The city's streets are to have a gala day appearance for the big parade.

Now when you hear a hard luck story in your ear, dig down deep and help Holland along in two things at once. It's a rare chance.

IN OPPORTUNE TIME FOR \$30,000 BOND

THAT IS THE OPINION OF WAYS AND MEANS; MAY VOTE IN SPRING

Since the Chamber of Commerce decided to appeal to the Common Council for a vote of the people on the proposition of having the city bonded for \$50,000 to aid the Bonus Committee, many puzzled queries have been heard as to what was done about it.

The Committee on Ways and Means of the Common Council, to whom it was referred, tabled the idea. They with the Mayor agreed that it was not an opportune time to bond the city for more factories when such a cry for laboring men already filled the air.

The project very possibly will be brought up at the regular spring election, but the likelihood of a special election with its attendant expense is not great. Opinions as to whether the bonding would be practical or not differ, making the vote seem a necessity.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Rounsville, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Wall, Mrs. Charles McCollough and Earl Rounsville motored here from Lansing over the week-end and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fraak Wall at their home 63 West Eleventh street.

HOLLAND GAINS NATIONALLY KNOWN FACTORY

LAST EMPTY FACTORY BUILDING IN CITY IS SOLD TO BIG COMPANY.

The most important session of the Chamber of Commerce of Holland held in years Friday night filled the only remaining empty factory building in the city.

An eye-sore to the public for the past three years, the empty Veneer Works' building on West 16th street, will soon be occupied by the Veit Manufacturing company of Grand Rapids. A cash consideration for the building is to be paid the First State Bank of this city, owners of it by the Veit company. Three vacant lots owned by the city and adjoining the factory were given to the Veit Manufacturing Company and a fund of \$800 needed to build a sidetrack from the Michigan Railway line to its doors was started at the meeting Friday night by contributions amounting to \$280.

The sidetrack to the factory now assured, was the deciding link between the Veit Mfg. Co and Holland. Failure on the part of the Chamber of Commerce to provide that inducement would have meant the loss of the factory, as that point was made firm by the company.

The occupancy of the building will be started next week. The company will move the equipment to its new location a department at a time. Sixty men with families will be taken from Grand Rapids to live and work here.

Its business value, the gain to Holland, can be estimated when the following facts are considered: The sixty employees will increase to a hundred within a year. The firm has been in business for the past 15 years. Its annual output is \$200,000. In Bradstreet's its credit is high. They are manufacturers of bank, library, office and public building furniture, cabinet work, high grade trim, store furnishings, bronze work, marble and tile. They have orders ahead now that would keep them busy till next March. They have furnished the fixtures for the First State Bank of this city, the Grand Rapids Savings bank, the Steketee building being erected, the Kent Savings Bank, the Pantland Hotel and many other celebrated buildings over the country as well as in this vicinity. They are the largest one of their kind of factory in the United States. Besides the cash paid for the Veneer building, they will spend \$5,000 for improvements. Their pay roll amounts to \$30,000 annually. There will be no stock sold in the concern.

The only reason they are changing their location is the great growth of business demanding more room and the limited conditions of their present home in Grand Rapids on Colbrook street. Another city gave them a flattering offer but they preferred Holland because of the conveniences here.

When A. H. Landwehr, presiding as chairman of the Chamber of Commerce, explained the business necessary to precede the coming of the factory, City Attorney Charles McBride at once disposed of the matter of the three vacant lots by moving that they be presented to the Veit company with the Veneer building. Henry Winters supported the motion and it passed unanimously.

Then the sidetrack fund of \$800, they agreed that it should be raised, caused a difference of opinion in the manner in which it should be separated from the citizens. Some wished to have the old-fashioned way of a subscription list used while others wanted the members of the Chamber of Commerce, 170 in all asked to contribute so much each to make up the fund.

That it might tend to lessen the number of members of the Chamber of Commerce by taxing them when they are not present was the argument of others. The best way seemed after all to use the old way. But to start it off, subscriptions were called for at the meeting, first on a \$10 list and then on a \$5 list. For the first 24 raised their hands and for the second eight signified their willingness.

To fill out the required amount, John Kooiker and C. J. Dornbos were appointed as a committee of two to canvass the citizens for it. They are to use any assistants they see fit to press into service.

10,000 POUND EXPRESS PACKAGE LEAVES CITY

WESTERN TOOL WORKS SENDS TWO DRILLS TO CANTON OHIO.

A rush order for two Western Radial Drills was received by the Western Tool Works and the making was done with all possible speed. The contract called for their shipment from Holland by October 15. On October 13, however, two of these drills left the former mayor's machine works and were shipped by express to Canton, O. Instead of shipping them on the 15th the company received word Saturday that the drills weighing 10,000 pounds had arrived on the 15th in fine condition.

The express charges were slightly over \$150, so you see that's drilling some all the way round.

EXPERIENCED POULTRY MAN MAKES ADDRESS

H. D. WHITE OF SAUGATUCK, A RAISER OF RECORD BIRDS TO BE HEARD IN WOODMAN HALL.

Mr. H. D. White of Saugatuck will give a series of lectures at the next meeting of the Poultry Association to be held Monday evening at Woodman hall at 8:00 P. M. sharp.

Mr. White is connected with the Shorewood Farm where record egg-layers are produced in large numbers and shipped to all parts of the country. All their stock is trap-nested and exact records are kept of the number of eggs each hen lays.

The speaker is an expert along the line of producing trap-nested and pedigreed stock of high egg production and his talk will be of especial interest to market poultry and egg men. Everybody is welcome to these meetings.

MRS. GARVELINK, 90, FRACTURES WRIST

AGED INVALID BROKE HIP FOUR YEARS AGO; ILL SINCE; MAY BE SERIOUS

Mrs. Phoebe Garvelink, aged 90, mother of Mrs. Austin Harrington and with whom she is making her home, Sunday morning suffered a fractured wrist. Because of her advanced age the result to her health may be serious.

Mrs. Garvelink, on rising in the morning, lost her balance and fell. The fracture was at once reduced but Mrs. Garvelink is suffering as a result. She has been an invalid for four years, since she fractured her hip.

PEERLESS CO. READY IN NEW LOCATIONS

The Peerless Mfg. Co., formerly located on North River Avenue, has leased the Home Interior Finishing Co. plant on East 17th Street. They have transferred their equipment and are now ready for business.

D. Van Lente has been elected manager and treasurer and the firm is prepared to carry on the work in the most satisfactory manner. For the present the piano and table lamps, silk shades and candle sticks can be seen at 279 Central avenue. Shades are made to order and a large stock is on hand for Christmas trade.

WOULD BUILD AN ASPHALT DRIVE

PROPERTY OWNERS ON NORTH SIDE TO IMPROVE ROAD TO PINE LODGE.

A petition is being circulated among the property owners on the north side of the lake to the effect that they will be allowed to construct a fine drive of either cement or asphalt from the Grand Haven bridge to Pine Lodge.

It is their desire to come under the Covert Act, that the abutting property owners pay for the improvement. Twenty-five per cent of the improvement cost would be paid by the county.

The realizing of this new road would mean much to the city as well as to the rural residents. The north side is a popular drive and would be more so with the proposed improvement. The surface would resemble River avenue north of First street.

The I. O. O. F. Lodge has changed its hall from the Woolworth building on Eighth street to the second floor of the new Overland garage on Central Ave. A large hall with several different rooms, a platform and a gallery, are found in the new quarters, built especially for the Odd Fellows.

Plans are being made for more extensive work this winter and many celebrations will take place. A campaign to increase the membership roll will be started.

HOLLAND RESIDENT ALL OF HIS LIFE

S. STEKETEE, 32, DIED THURSDAY AT ANN ARBOR; SHOE EMPLOYEE 14 YEARS.

Thursday noon occurred the death of Simon Steketee, aged 32, in the University Hospital at Ann Arbor. Mr. Steketee went to the hospital a week ago for treatments and, complications setting in, his death resulted Thursday. He is survived by his widow and one son, Harold.

Steketee had lived in Holland all of his life, having been born here. Since 1902 he has been an employee of the Holland Shoe Company.

The funeral of Simon Steketee was held Monday at one o'clock from the home on West 21st street and 2 o'clock in the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church, Rev. Hoeksem officiating.

The festivities of the O. E. S. grand chapter meeting closed Thursday afternoon. The officers, delegates, visitors and members of the Eastern Star were delighted with the hospitality they received in Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids was honored in the election of Mrs. Gertrude Parkhurst to the station of grand associate conductress. In four years she will be worthy grand matron, a distinction which Grand Rapids has not held in 26 years.

MICHIGAN TEA RUSK RE-ORGANIZES

IS NOW A CORPORATION INSTEAD OF A PARTNERSHIP

The Michigan Tea Rusk has been incorporated in the sum of \$50,000. This prosperous firm was formerly a co-partnership. The officers of the re-organized company are as follows: Gerrit J. Schuurman, of Fremont, president; Jacob Heering, vice-president; George Schuurman, secretary and treasurer; Edwin Heeringa, General Manager.

These officers together with William Beckman, the foreman of the plant, constitute the board of directors. The concern reports a large and growing business. The re-organization was perfected thru the law firm of Diekema, Kollen & Ten Cate.

The wedding ceremony of Miss Louise Stults and Anthony Boven took place three weeks ago at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Meeboer. This is a requested correction of Thursday's statement that it all happened in Justice Robinson's office. Their friends have forgiven them and are wishing them bon voyage on the sea of matrimony.

Raymond McIntyre of West Olive and Gladys Rolin of Berlin were married Saturday night at 6 o'clock at the M. E. parsonage by Rev. Minor. The groom is a rural mail carrier at West Olive.

(Political Advertisement)

PROHIBITION AND DIVORCE

- Prohibitionists say: "The licensed saloon is a wrecker of homes and a sunderer of the marriage tie."
Here is startling proof to the contrary offered by the U. S. Census Bureau in its recent report on marriages and divorces.
Strangely enough "dry" Maine and Kansas, where saloons have been barred for generations, far surpass Michigan in proportion of divorces.
And that despite the laxity of Michigan's divorce laws and the number of unhappy marriages contracted in Windsor, Michigan's Gretna Green.

DIVORCES IN RATIO TO POPULATION.

Table with 4 columns: State, Population (1900), Divorces, Ratio (1887 to 1906). Rows include Maine, Kansas, Michigan, and Michigan vs Maine.

DRUNKENNESS AS A DIVORCE CAUSE.

In "dry" Maine, from 1887 to 1906, 1,882 divorces for drunkenness were granted. Maine has forbidden the liquor traffic for 70 years. In "dry" Kansas during the same period 661 divorces for drunkenness were granted. Kansas has been "dry" for 30 years. IN "WET" MICHIGAN DURING THE SAME PERIOD THERE WERE BUT 572 DIVORCES FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Divorces for Drunkenness Compared to Total for All Causes.

Table with 2 columns: State, Percentage. Rows include Maine, Kansas, Michigan.

- Did prohibition save the home and continue the marriage tie in Kansas and Maine? Did prohibition reduce the divorces in those states?
On the score of divorces, Michigan does not need prohibition.
If solution of the liquor problem is necessary, that solution can be reached only through the Home Rule smaller option system.
With Home Rule the problem could be solved not only by the state at large, but by each city, village and township.
Write for literature on the Home Rule smaller option system.
Write for an instruction ballot.

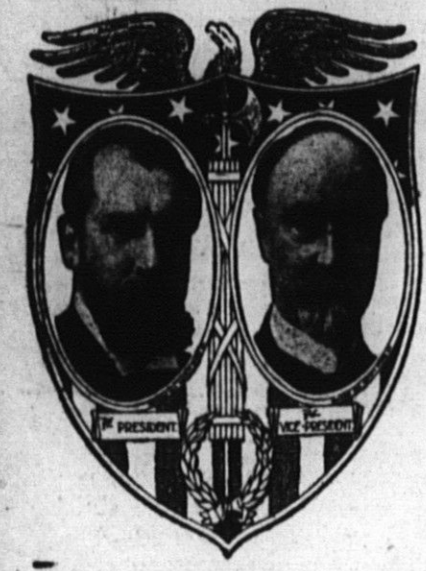
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For Attorney General:—Alexander J. Grosbeck.
For Justice of the Supreme Court, (to fill vacancy):—Grant Fellows.
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For Register of Deeds:—Peter J. Rycenga.
For Prosecuting Attorney:—Fred T. Miles.
For Circuit Court Commissioners:—Dan. F. Pagelson and Leo C. Lillie.
For Coroners:—Dan. G. Cook and Wm. J. Presley.
For Surveyor:—Emmet H. Peck.
For Drain Commissioner:—B. Kammeraal.

HUGHES AND MICHIGAN
The News is sincerely of the opinion that Hughes will defeat Wilson. And the News is by no means pessimistic about it, knowing that Wilson's election was a three-cornered fluke in the first place; and his record of 'peace and prosperity' an accident of circumstances and no 'record' of his at all, for that matter, it having been well said that Wilson kept us out of the war, because no one wanted us in, but rather got us mixed up in two or three small wars. Hughes is a strong man, Wilson a phrase-maker, a student and no academician, and a pretty darn good practical politician, but by no means a man to be re-elected president of this country.
All of which will not prevent many from voting for Wilson on account of the general facts (which they do not go behind for causes) that the country is not at war in Europe, and times are good—despite the high cost of living.
We believe Wilson will be defeated in the state of Michigan by 75,000 votes, as a conservative estimate. We believe Wilson will gain in Detroit because of one fact over which he has no control—the fact that Judge Connolly, a Democrat, is going to poll a heavy vote against Marx, a Republican, as well as because of the reasons quoted above. But Michigan is a strong Republican state, and mighty few Republicans will jump the fence next month.

FIRST NUMBER WILL MAKE A HIT
The Hope College Lecture Course brings to Holland this year the unusual in the art of music. The first musicale of the course is the Tollefsen Trio and Louis Kriedler.

The Tollefsen Trio is recognized by the art critics of all the great dairies of the East as among the elite of the musical profession. Louis Kriedler is leading baritone of the Century Opera company, and of the Metropolitan Opera company. That Holland is unusually favored by the appearance of these great artists can not be doubted. Together they appear as the first number of the course on Thursday, Oct. 26.

This is only one of the five wonderful entertainments offered by the Hope College Lecture Course for the coming season. Any one of the numbers is worth the price of a season ticket. Tickets can be had at the Huizenga Jewelry store.

A. C. Kelley has reduced his price on bread to 5 and 10 cents. These are the prices bread sold for when flour was half its present price and if Mr. Kelley can make anything at those figures he is surely a financier. It is cheaper for housekeepers to buy their bread under the present conditions than to bake.—Saugatuck Commercial Record.

Mrs. C. J. Dornbos of this city is visiting friends and relatives in Kalamazoo.

LOCAL NEWS



Henry Ottema has become an employee of the De Pree Chemical Co.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hyma—a son.

The Grand Rapids Board of health wants \$4,000 to motorize the city garbage department.

Ex-Sheriff Cornelius Andrie and Supervisors Lake and Slater were in the city Tuesday.

The Charlotte Tribune has raised the price of that paper just one third owing to the high price of paper.

Leo Meyers and Ira Palmer have left for Ohio, where they will be employed in a sugar manufactory.

Charles Dickenson of Grand Haven has again been selected a member of the county poor commission to serve with Gerrit Van Schelven of Holland.

Word has been received of the birth of a daughter, Marguerite, to Mr. and Mrs. Perry H. Hiles of Edwardsville, Illinois. Mrs. Hiles was formerly Miss Julia Atwood of this city.

The W. I. W. Class of the Third Reformed church will hold its monthly business meeting at the home of Mrs. W. Allen on West 15th street, this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Hope College society men set themselves on record Friday night by a straw vote on the presidential candidates. Results, Wilson 73, Hughes 61, National Prohibition, yes 124, no, 10.

Wm. Zonnebelt was chosen one of the members of the Ottawa County Board of School Examiners. He is a teacher at Boreloo.

Master John Slag, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slag, of 60 West 16th Street, is confined to his home by illness.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Dalman, 539 College Avenue, Wednesday morning—a son.

Mrs. Allen Harris left Monday for Saginaw to attend the Rebekah convention. Detroit and Flint will be visited on the return.

A new electric street light has been installed in 18th street and the P. M. R'y track by the city. This place has always been quite a dark spot for the residents living in this vicinity and the improvement is appreciated.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Bowerman's household goods have arrived from Fremont and they are busily engaged in fitting out their new home next to the M. E. church.

Reformed church of Graafschap to Frederick Rutgers, parcel of land in Graafschap, Fillmore, \$100. Real Estate transfer in Allegan News.

Herman Garvelink who saved the fast train from going over a broken bridge near East Saugatuck, received a check of \$50 as a reward from the company.

D. L. Hagerman was re-engaged as Ottawa County agricultural expert by the board of supervisors Saturday. This makes his second year.

Messrs. C. W. Blyler and Henry Dannenburg of Diamond Springs, took 59 bushels of clover seed to Holland recently. Dick Slipper and George Paul each had a similar load.

Workmen are just putting the finishing touches on the new sewer system in the business part of Hudsonville. A trunkline of sewer piping has been laid out and minor branches will be installed as needed.

In the very near future a hospital committee meeting will be called by Nicholas Bosch for the purpose of comparing notes. The committee says it is progressing very nicely in their work of canvassing donations for the project.

Hope College seniors and Juniors played even in Interclass football Friday, neither side scoring. The Juniors were pressing the graduates hard at the final whistle. Jack Karsten refereed.

All Hope College students rushed out of the Van Raalte hall at the beginning of second hour recitations Friday morning. Something was wrong with the signal bells, and these kept ringing instead of the fire alarm bell.

The Central School P-T club will hold its first meeting of the year tonight at 7:30. A large attendance is expected. Prof. A. Raap will read a paper on "The Child of Today." Mrs. Pardee will give a vocal selection.

A. H. Tracey was elected to the board of county poor commissioners in Allegan county Tuesday to succeed Frank Lowne. He received a majority of one vote.

Ed St. John of Central Park sustained a broken leg in Odd Fellows' hall Saturday night. St. John and others were raising a platform when the stepladder slipped and the frame fell on his leg crushing it below the knee.

Wm. H. Bertsch of Holland, son of Dan Bertsch, living on the park road, has been promoted from Major to Lieutenant Colonel. Mr. Bertsch is a graduate of West Point and is now stationed at McAllen, Texas on the Mexican border.

The Holland Interurban is replacing the broken bricks between the track on River avenue with new ones. The work was started Tuesday morning. Tony Romeyn who has been ill at his home on West Nineteenth Street, is improving slowly.

Little Jeanette H. Karsten, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Karsten of West Sixteenth street, has recovered from her operation which Drs. Winter and Fischer performed.

Dr. Preston Scott sold to Fred F. French of the Grand Rapids Trust Co. a fifty foot lot on the Bay at Jenison Park for \$1500. Mr. French will soon start to build a bungalow of \$3000 on the newly acquired property.

John Griffin of New Richmond, south of Holland, is in a critical condition at the home of his mother in this city. Some time ago he ran a rusty nail into his hand and the injured member is badly swollen and causes him much pain.

Miss Mary Lubbers of East Saugatuck, formerly deputy register of deeds at Allegan, was operated upon for appendicitis in a hospital in Grand Rapids. Miss Lubbers is well known in Holland.

Dwight Spears, 72, an Eaton Rapids farmer marketed 1,200 bushels of pickles from five acres of land and realized \$800. This is considered an exceptional yield, especially since Spears has but one arm and tended his entire 80 acres himself.

Good Roads Connelley and J. W. Oakes, promoters of the Alter Car Co., of Grand Haven, were in Holland Tuesday with the first car of that make made. It certainly looks like a car all around and on its trial trip with the supervisors and county road commissioners, never missed a stroke.

Advices from Japan state that Rev. D. C. Ruigh has recovered his health and that he has been able to resume his work as a missionary at Tokio. Mr. and Mrs. Ruigh is a graduate of Hope College and has been on the mission field for 15 years.

Funeral services of Mrs. Emma Huddleson, who died at Saugatuck, were held Thursday from the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Crissey at Saugatuck. Mrs. Huddleson was born in 1842 and since the death of her husband, who was killed in Ogden, Utah, about 12 years ago, she had lived in Saugatuck.

A gift of chimes has been made to Calvin College by the Corps society of that institution. The system will consist of one large bell and three smaller ones hung in different parts of building. The cost will be \$400, the money being taken from the lecture course fund.

The Holland Poultry and Pet Stock association is laying plans for its December show, which promises to be the biggest in its history. Several silver trophies and a large list of cash and merchandise awards will be offered.

James Kahler, aged 18, of Allegan and Bernard Abbott, aged 17, of Dorr, are in jail here charged with breaking into the Pere Marquette depots in Allegan and Dorr. Kahler pleaded guilty to stealing \$30 from the depot at Allegan and Abbott is charged with the theft at Dorr.

With farmers bringing in Muskegon the first of their fall crop of potatoes, the bottom has dropped out of the tuber market in this locality and will undoubtedly be hitting the \$1 mark before the end of the week. Potatoes at retail hit the highest mark they have ever been quoted at here a fortnight ago, when \$2.40 was reached.

Fred G. Crosby president of the Crosby Transportation company, denies the report that the line has been sold to Col. E. H. R. Green of New York, son of the late Hetty Green. He confirms the report, however, that Colonel Green has purchased the steamer United States to be refitted at his private yacht.

The buggy and horse of Henry Nyenhuis of Vriesland went over in the ditch when the auto of Mr. Vander Werp shot by and scared the horse. The buggy top and thills were broken and the occupants consisting of Henry Nyenhuis, Anna Nyenhuis with Dickema, Kollen & Ten Cate, and Jennie Nyenhuis, a teacher at Forest Grove, were dumped in the muddy stream at the roadside. Repairs for a bridge are being made there and the road for that reason is very narrow. Miss Anna received injuries to her arm. Otherwise the accident was uneventful.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Becker, 70 West Twelfth street, Monday night—a 9½ pound addition to the salesforce of the Humidifier company. He is to be president of the 1940 American Humidifier organization.

While coming to Grand Haven in his auto with a load of meat, Sam Van Ree of Titusville was hit by an eastbound interurban freight car at a crossing in Nunica. The auto was demolished, but Van Ree escaped without serious injury.

Egbert Winger formerly of Holland but lately a teacher at Spring Lake has gone to Iowa. This left a vacancy on the Board of County School Examiners and Henry P. Stegeman was appointed to fill his place for one year by the Board of Supervisors.

Miss Minna Comisky of British Columbia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. De Merrell. She is a delegate to the National Grand Chapter of Eastern Star convention to be held at Louisville, Ky., and stopped over on her way to visit her Holland friends.

Austin W. Sherwood of Allegan, recently celebrated his 86th birthday. He claims the distinction of living in Allegan longer than any other person in that town. Mr. Sherwood came to Allegan when less than one year old. He is a retired business man, having been in the furniture and undertaking business there many years.

Holland has a White City of its own. So think the passengers on the G. & M. Line on disembarking. Austin Harrington has had all of the comparative coal sheds at the foot of Eighth street a whole colony of them, painted white. Another case of black and white, most likely as a means of showing off the coal.

The new Board of County Canvassers chosen by the Board of Supervisors Friday are Henry Van Noord, of Jamestown, Earl P. Thurston of Chester, and Jacob Gierum of Grand Haven. These men will have charge of canvassing the vote this fall on present, county and state officers and also the Home Rule and Prohibition amendments.

Congressman Carl E. Mapes will spend ten days in Ottawa county before taking up campaign work in Kent. The congressional committee will issue an itinerary covering the campaign in both counties.—G. R. News.

One Hundred thousand dollars have been asked for by the Road Commissioners to be appropriated by the Ottawa Board of Supervisors, \$90,000 for new roads and \$10,000 for road repairs. The Board has not acted on the proposition up to this time, but is expected to Monday.

Edwin F. Sweet, Democratic candidate for governor and Roy J. Wade, Democratic candidate for congress in this district, will tour Allegan county next Monday speaking at Plainwell at 8:30 a. m., also at Martin, Wayland, Dorr, Hopkins and Allegan. The speech at Allegan will be delivered in the opera house in the evening.—G. R. Press.

A new advertising idea for Holland has been introduced by the "Dry" forces. All pedestrians on Eighth street after dark have noticed and complimented it. The bulletin boards between the shoe shining parlor and the Harmon block have "Safety First" bills, picturing children as the cause for a "dry" vote, and by night this is illuminated by several electric lights, shaded from the sidewalk, but throwing a bright glare on the pictures.

The Men's Adult Bible Class of the 14th Street Christian Reformed church attended the funeral of Simon Stekete who was a faithful member of this class, in a body. Resolutions of sympathy were adopted by the class of which a copy will be sent to Mrs. Stekete and which will also be published in the Banner, the denomination's periodical.

Hope College Freshmen toques are at Boter's. All Freshmen must secure them by next Thursday. Several Freshmen have already broken the rules in regard to the fair sex this week.

Henry Meengs of New Holland will soon have an auction sale, selling out his farming outfit. Mr. Meengs will move to Holland and become the janitor of Hope College.

ELECTION NOTICE

To the Qualified Electors of the City of Holland, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that the next ensuing GENERAL ELECTION will be held on

TUESDAY, NOV. 7, A. D. 1916

At the places in the several wards or precincts of said city, as indicated below, viz.:

- FIRST WARD**—Second Story of Engine House No. 2, 106 E. 8th Street.
- SECOND WARD**—No. 147 River Avenue.
- THIRD WARD**—Basement Floor, City Hall, Cor. River Ave. and 11th St.
- FOURTH WARD**—Polling Place, 301 First Avenue
- FIFTH WARD**—Polling Place, Cor. Central Avenue and State Street.
- SIXTH WARD**—Basement Floor, Van Raalte Ave. School House on Van Raalte Avenue between 19th and 20th Sts.

For the purpose of electing the following officers, viz.:

PRESIDENTIAL—Fifteen Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States.

STATE—One Governor; one Lieutenant Governor; one Secretary of State; one State Treasurer; one Auditor General; one Attorney General; one Justice of the Supreme Court (to fill vacancy.)

CONGRESSIONAL—One United States Senator; one Representative in Congress for the Congressional district of which said city forms a part.

LEGISLATIVE—One Senator in the State Legislature for the Senatorial District of which said city forms a part; one Representative in the State Legislature for the Representative District of which said City forms a part.

COUNTY—One Judge of Probate; one Sheriff; one County Clerk; one County Treasurer; one Register of Deeds; one Prosecuting Attorney; two Circuit Court Commissioners; two Coroners; one County Surveyor; one County Drain Commissioner; one County Road Commissioner.

Also for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition, viz.:

... TO AMEND Article XVI of the Constitution, by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 11, providing for pro-

hibition in the state forever of the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away, bartering or furnishing of any vinous, malt, brewed, fermented, spiritous or intoxicating liquors, except for medicinal, mechanical, chemical, scientific or sacramental purposes.

TO AMEND Article VIII of the Constitution by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 30, providing that every incorporated city and village and organized township shall each have the right to determine whether or not there shall be prohibited therein the manufacture and sale of malt, brewed, fermented, vinous, distilled or intoxicating liquors.

TO AMEND section 30 Article V of the Constitution, relative to right of repeal of local or special acts by the Legislature.

TO AMEND Article XII of the Constitution by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 10, requiring the legislature to provide by law for the incorporation, regulation and supervision of fraternal benefit societies.

WOMEN ELECTORS

Should there be any proposition or propositions to vote upon at said election involving the direct expenditure of public money or the issue of bonds, every woman who possesses the qualifications of male electors and owns property assessed for taxes or owns property subject to taxation jointly with her husband or with any other person, or who owns property on contract and pays taxes thereon, all such property being located somewhere within the district or territory to be affected by the result of said election, will be entitled to vote upon such proposition or propositions, provided her name is duly registered in the voting precinct above designated.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m., and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

Dated, October 19, 1916. RICHARD OVEEWEG, City Clerk of Holland, Mich.

There is a Real Difference

Cream of tartar, derived from grapes, is used in Royal Baking Powder because it is the best and most healthful ingredient known for the purpose.

Phosphate and alum, which are derived from mineral sources, are used in some baking powders, instead of cream of tartar, because they are cheaper.

If you have been induced to use baking powders made from alum or phosphate, use Royal Baking Powder instead. You will be pleased with the results and the difference in the quality of the food.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO. New York

The parents-teachers' club of the Longfellow school met Friday evening with a large crowd in attendance.

An automobile owned by Arie Bosch of Boreale was consumed by fire. The owner of the car left it standing in front of a farm house and when he returned it was ablaze.

It is just two years ago that ex-Mayor Nick Bosch was under a knife for four hours when a difficult operation was performed upon his throat at Post Graduate Hospital at Chicago.

The Ministers' social Conference met in the chapel of the Seminary Monday. Dr. Kolyn acted as president.

Rev. J. C. Pelgrim, son of Henry Pelgrim, Sr., wrote his father that he officiated at one of the most prominent weddings in the state of Kentucky last evening.

Ward Granger, who was charged with violation of the local option law, has been acquitted by a jury in Circuit court in Allegan county after one of the most bitter local option fights in the count's history.

The Grand Haven Building and Loan association which was recently organized but has not yet been put into active operation, promises to be one of the biggest and most popular institutions in that city in a very short time.

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Brouwer, 526 Hall street are entertaining their niece, Mrs. G. Brouwer, and daughter Anna of Holland, who are attending the conference of the Reformed church.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nauta returned on the boat Friday morning from a 7-weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Chicago.

John Kinzler who formerly lived here but has resided in the northern part of the state recently, now lives in Holland.

Rev. J. Veneklaasen is in Holland attending the synod of the Presbyterian churches of Michigan.

Miss Christine Fris and Miss Jeanette Schoon were Grand Rapids visitors today.

Mr. C. J. Dornbos, republican nominee for sheriff was in Grand Haven Friday on business.

Dick Boter and John Van Tatenhoven of P. S. Boter & Co., were in Grand Rapids on business Friday.

Herman Koster was in Grand Rapids Friday.

Frank Miles of Ganges, formerly of this city, made a business trip here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Van Dyke and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luidens motored to Rockford Friday.

Mrs. A. H. Meyer and daughter Marguerite and Helen were Grand Rapids visitors Friday.

Mrs. Robert Leenhouts took the interurban for Grand Rapids Friday morning.

Emory P. Davis was in Grand Rapids Friday.

Harry Darbee was in Grand Rapids Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Vorbeck and son of Wayland, entertained a party of friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. Kuhlman and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson of this city, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stratton and Miss Ruth, of near Richland, were in Grand Rapids with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Thoms on Friday.

The Misses Ruth Mulder and Elizabeth Nibbelink have returned from Grand Haven, where they spent the week-end, guests of the Misses Alice Danhof and Verna Cantwell.

Miss Margaret Dalman, Louis Dalman spent the week end in Grand Haven with their parents.

Ernest Thoms of Grand Rapids was in the city Sunday.

Misses Mary and Helene Hilarides were Grand Rapids visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Tilt was in Grand Rapids Monday.

A. Walter Knowles who is attending M. A. C. spent the week end at his home at Central Park.

Mrs. William Wilson of Grand Rapids spent Saturday visiting relatives in the city.

Jake Lokker, Joe Kooiker, Mrs. R. B. Champion and Mrs. Bouwens were in Grand Haven Monday in the interests of the dry cause.

John Vander Haar of New York City is visiting relatives here. He is in the automobile game there.

Mrs. J. F. White, Mrs. E. P. Davis and son Roscoe, spent the day in Grand Rapids.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Holt have returned from the East to make their home at 102 West 13th Street.

Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott motored to Grand Rapids yesterday to attend "Experience" at Powers Theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Coster will return last evening from a motoring trip to Hicksville, Ohio.

A. H. Landwehr was in Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Miss Selma Landwehr was in Grand Rapids Wednesday.



A surprise party was given for Miss Katherine De Kraker at her home on College Avenue, in honor of her 18th birthday.

The Rebekah Thimble and Card party will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Oosting, 230 West 8th street Friday, October 20, as there is no heat in the hall.

Three or four hiking parties have started out from here to walk the beach to Holland, but so far none have accomplished the feat.

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HOPE COLLEGE LECTURE COURSE

The following article appeared in the Grand Rapids Press concerning the Lyman H. Howe Pictures which appear here Nov. 6 on the Hope College Lecture Course.

Seldom has finer example of motion picture program composition been seen in this city than that of the Lyman Howe travel festival which opened a four nights' engagement at Powers' Saturday and Sunday.

The travel trips through Norway, Hawaii, Spain and at the West Point are interspersed with pictures representing a variety of subjects.

No finer pictures of Norway and the great snow country of the frozen north have ever been depicted on the screen.

The visit to Hawaii, the "paradise of the Pacific," is a succession of beautiful scenes, the most unusual being the surf board riding on the beach at Waikiki and the visit to the crater of the volcano of Kilauea.

scribed by Billy Sunday. It is a moving mass of molten horror. In Spain the beautiful Moorish architecture of the medieval period, the trip through the Pyrenees and the glimpses of modern Spain are replete with charm and romance.

Good farm, well located, for sale on easy terms or will consider house and lot as art payment. Investigate. Address Farm Trade, care Holland City News.

Competent young lady wants position as accompanist or orchestra work. Inquire at this office.

A reception will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ray Friday evening in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Harold Holt. The congregation is cordially invited.

Property owners and gasoline dealers should read carefully the state fire marshal's regulations before purchasing or attempting to install underground tanks.

(Political Advertisement)

Democratic Ticket

Table listing candidates for National, Congressional, State, and County offices, including Woodrow Wilson, Thomas R. Marshall, John T. Winship, etc.

I am a Thief

I steal mileage from your good tires and life from your perfect tubes. I steal pleasure from your motor trips and time from your delivery system.

I am a vicious thief, for I pilfer your patience and destroy what I cannot use. I am an expert thief, for I do these things unaware.

I am the Stone Bruise

A MAXOTIRE will protect your tube and lock out the stone bruise and so is guaranteed to prevent blowouts.

Our knowledge of MAXOTIRE efficiency is so definite that we are selling the ordinary 3,500-mile Goodyear tire equipped with MAXOTIRES on a written guarantee of six thousand miles of services free from blowouts.

The Union Sales Co.

"A Smallage Concern" 9 Oakes St., S. W., Citizens 8880 Grand Rapids, Mich.

VOTING BY MAIL

HOW TO DO IT

With special reference to the Election Nov. 7, 1916

WHO ARE ENTITLED TO VOTE BY MAIL.

(Excerpt from Act No. 270, Public Acts of 1915)

Section I. For the purpose of this act the term "ABSENT VOTER" shall be taken to mean ANY ELECTOR in the actual MILITARY SERVICE of the United States or of this State, or in the ARMY or NAVY thereof, in time of war, insurrection or rebellion, MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE while in attendance at any session of the Legislature, STUDENTS while in attendance at any institution of learning, and COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS who are absent from their legal residence upon the day of any general, special or primary election, and who are qualified electors of this State, as contemplated by section one of article three of the constitution.

Sec. 2. Any absent voter, as defined by Section one of this act, who will be entitled to vote on election day, who is absent from THE COUNTY of which he is an elector, on the day of holding any GENERAL, SPECIAL, or PRIMARY ELECTION, held for the purpose of nominating or electing national, state, legislative, county, township, city, village or other municipal officers, or for the adoption or rejection of constitutional amendments or initiated or referred measures or other propositions submitted, may vote at any such election, upon compliance with the provisions of this law.

HOW VOTER SHOULD PROCEED

Any voter coming within the provisions given above, expecting to be absent from the county on Nov. 7, 1916, and desiring to vote by mail at said election, must make application either in person or by mail to the undersigned City Clerk, for a blank form to be filled out by said voter so as to constitute an application in proper form, for ballots to be voted at said election.

To the Clerk of the city of... Please mail to my address given below, a suitable blank form for use in making application for ballot to be voted by myself in the... Ward (No....) of the City of... Nov. 7, 1916, under provisions of Act 270, Public Acts of 1915.

WHEN TO MAKE APPLICATION TO CITY CLERK FOR BALLOT

Application for ballots on the form provided by the City Clerk can be made at any time WITHIN THIRTY DAYS prior to the date of election, provided it reaches the City Clerk in time for mailing out the ballots.

Upon receipt of the blank application form, the voter must fill it out fully and completely and mail the same to the City Clerk at the address given below, or deliver in person to said clerk.

CITY CLERK TO MAIL INITIALED BALLOT TO APPLICANT

As soon as the ballots are printed, and at least ten days before the election, the city clerk will mail to said applicant the ballots to be voted by said applicant at said General Election, provided the applicant is duly registered or will be a qualified elector at said Election.

HOW VOTER SHOULD PREPARE BALLOT

Upon receipt of the ballots, the elector should proceed to mark the ballots in accordance with his choice, FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN, after which he will fold them so that the Corner bearing the initials of the City Clerk may be seen without unfolding the ballot, which he will place in an envelope sent him for the purpose and securely seal same. Upon the back of this envelope will be found a blank affidavit, which the voter must fill out and swear to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths.

WHEN ABSENT VOTER RETURNING CAN VOTE IN PERSON

No absent voter returning to his place of residence, will be prohibited from voting in person within his precinct, NOTWITHSTANDING THAT HE MAY HAVE MADE APPLICATION FOR AN ABSENT VOTER'S BALLOT OR BALLOTS AND THE SAME MAY HAVE BEEN MAILED BY THE SAID CLERK: PROVIDED, That such voter has not availed himself of the privilege of an absent voter, as provided by this act, and voted ballot or ballots mailed him by the said clerk, and provided he return such ballot, or ballots if received, to the board by whom same shall be marked "cancelled" and placed in the regular ballot boxes with other ballots.

By Opinion of Attorney General, Members of the National Guard are not Entitled to Absent Voter's Ballots Under this Law.

NOTE—There is no provision for Registering by mail for Absent voters but every voter MUST be registered. See Registration Notices for this election. Dated this 7th day of October, A. D. 1916.

RICHARD OVERWEG, City Clerk, Holland, Michigan.

My office is located at City Hall in said City.

**WHAT YOU SAW IN THIS PAPER
THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO**

Capt. W. H. Juscelyna was presented with a eleven pound daughter a few days ago.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Dr. F. J. Schouten lately purchased the fine large residence of his brother, Dr. R. A. Schouten of Grand Rapids, on the Corner of Ninth and Fish streets, and will now live near his drug store in the First Ward, where he will have his office.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Thursday evening the dry goods store of D. Bertsch was robbed of \$10 in change.

Married, Wednesday by Rev. E. Vander Vries, at the new residence of the wedded couple on Tenth street, Egbert Woltering and Miss Wera Kuypers.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Knutson Wednesday morning—a girl.

Thursday afternoon Louis Dangremont and Miss Caba Grootenhuis were united in marriage by Rev. G. H. Dubink at the home of the bride's father, in the presence of relatives.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Eiting Wednesday—a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barkel, East 17th street, Wednesday, a son.

Jacob Stadt died Sunday morning at his home East Eighteenth street, at the age of 78 years.

TEN YEARS AGO

Aart Van Dyke, aged 66, died last Monday night at 12 o'clock at his home on West 21st street.

William Last and Miss Anna Kanera were married at their future home 45 West Tenth street Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the presence of about fifty friends by the Rev. E. J. Blekink. The couple were unattended and the wedding march was played by the bride's sister, Mrs. E. Penshara.

**DID YOU GET A CARD
FROM THE WATERMAN?**

**DOES IT SHOW THAT YOU HAVE
BEEN USING A GREAT DEAL
OF WATER?**

**"There's a Reason" Says Superintendent
Champion, of the Board of
Public Works**

During the past three months, July, August and September, the water department was called upon to deliver a large amount of water to its consumers because of the unprecedented duration of hot weather. Because of the heat, heroic measures were necessary to preserve the beauty of the lawns and of which the people of Holland may justly be proud. The one thing that above all others, perhaps, impresses the casual summer visitor is the well kept lawns and homes within the limits of Holland.

But because of the nature of the soil large quantities of water are required to keep the grass green and some conception of this statement may be found in the following table which shows the comparative amount of water in gallons, pumped during the three months of 1915 and of 1916.

	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	TOTAL
1916	45,802,228	46,531,622	31,258,656	123,592,506
1915	28,530,640	24,141,800	23,712,500	76,384,940
Increase	18,271,588	22,389,822	7,546,156	57,207,566
Per Cent.	64.1	92.6	31.7	75

It is but a natural consequence that such a large increase in pumpage will find a corresponding increase in the registration of water passing through the meters of private consumers.

It has been the practice of the Water Department to mail a postcard at the end of the first three months of each half year, to those consumers who have used an amount of water equal to or in excess of the amount allowed under the gross semi-annual charge.

Quite a number of people have been somewhat disturbed over the receipt of cards but it is believed that a review of the figures given above and a consideration of the fact that there were no less than 968 cards mailed out will drive from their minds any suspicious thoughts they may have entertained toward the much-abused though innocent water meter.

There have been one or two consumers who were under the impression that the pumpage figures given before covered a period of considerable rainfall. The table following gives the answer to that question, it containing rainfall dates from June 26 to Sept. 25th:

June 26—.3 inch rainfall
June 30—1.15 inch rainfall
July 20—.11 inch rainfall
Aug. 3—.75 inch rainfall
Aug. 5—2.05 inch rainfall
Aug. 10—.11 inch rainfall
Aug. 11—.12 inch rainfall
Aug. 26—.11 inch rainfall
Sept. 4—.20 inch rainfall
Sept. 5—2.32 inch rainfall
Sept. 7—.85 inch rainfall
Sept. 13—.06 inch rainfall
Sept. 14—.16 inch rainfall
Sept. 15—.01 inch rainfall
Sept. 17—.09 inch rainfall
Sept. 23—.06 inch rainfall

It will be noticed that with the more abundant rainfall of September there was a corresponding falling off in the amount of water pumped.

Izzy Altman was in Cleveland where he went on business and to visit relatives. He returned with Mrs. Altman and daughter by auto.

Dana Ten Cate was in Detroit on business Tuesday.

John Hoffman and Nick Hoffstein were in the Robinson marsh Tuesday.

**80-MILE GALE WRECKS
PROPERTY; STOPS BOAT**

**G. & M. LINE PARALYZED BY THE
STORM; PORCH ROOF OFF AND
CHIMNEY OVER.**

The first severe storm of the fall season Monday night fell over Lake Michigan, holding up lake traffic. Neither the Steamer Puritan nor the Steamer Benton Harbor, the former in the Chicago harbor and the latter in Holland, made any attempt to leave their docks. The night was too wild for a safe trip across Lake Michigan.

In Holland the wind and rain became heaviest at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon and for a period half fell. The wind blew a gale all night, throwing the sea over the breakwater at Macatawa.

Some damage was done by the strong wind. The roof of the porch on the north side of the bath house at Macatawa was taken off and strewn over the walk below. The high chimney on the hotel Macatawa kitchen was blown over. Several small boats along the shore were washed from their moorings and later found far up on land.

**SAUGATUCK TO BECOME
A FACTORY CITY**

**THAT IS AIM OF ENERGETIC LAKE
SHORE COMMERCIAL
CLUB**

The Lake Shore Commercial Club of Saugatuck starts its fifth year of useful labors with Capt. W. G. Phelps, proprietor of Hotel Butler, as president.

The Commercial Club has accomplished a vast amount of good for the little town at the mouth of the Kalamazoo since it was organized and its members believe far better things are in store for it. The task of completing the steam railroads and the Interurban to pro-rata freight rates is one of the matters now being taken up and if this can be accomplished nothing will stand in the way of making the place a factory town in which case they expect to make Holland hustle to maintain the lead it now has as a flourishing city.

The club starts in the new year with \$320 in the treasury, \$135 of which is money set aside as a fund to build a tower on Mt. Bald Head and an approach to it.

The subject of increasing the membership fees is also being considered. Saugatuck Harbor has been maintained the past few years through the efforts of this club and but for its efforts the two large boats, "North and South America" could not have gotten up the river this fall and would have layed-up for the winter at some other port, for thru the efforts of the outgoing president, W. H. Allen, the government was induced to spend \$10,000 on the harbors the past season.

**GIVEN AT CENTURY
MUSICAL PROGRAM**

**CLUB'S SECOND MEETING OF
YEAR HELD AT VISSCHER
HOME; SWEET STRAINS**

The second program of the season in the Century Club's activities took place Monday evening at the home of Att. and Mrs. A. Visscher, on State street. The following program was rendered, it being the Musical Meeting:

- Mae Dowell—Improvisation, Shadow Dance, Novallette.....Miss Wing
- Rudolph Ganz—Rise O' Star Sibella—A Moonlight Idyll.....Miss Wing
- Sibella—A Moonlight Idyll.....Miss Wing
- Carpenter—The Cock Shall Crow.....Miss Wing
- Kernochan—We Two Together.....Miss Wing
- Liszt—Sonetta 123.....Miss Wing
- Cyril Scott—Danse Negre.....Miss Wing
- Cyril Scott—Lullaby.....Miss Wing
- Mae Fayden—Birthday Song.....Miss Wing
- De Bussy—Arabesque in G.....Miss Wing
- Liszt—Concert Etude in F. Minor.....Miss Wing
- Kernochan—Smuggler's Song.....Miss Wing
- Salter—A Singing Bird.....Miss Wing
- Metcalfe—Little House O' Dreams.....Miss Wing

Refreshments were served by the following committee: Mrs. Browning, Mrs. Cappon, Mrs. Sutphen and Mrs. Thurber.

**RECRUITING OFFICER
HEADQUARTERS HERE**

**TO MAKE PERMANENT STATION
IN HOLLAND IF POSSIBLE;
HERE A WEEK**

Again Holland young men are being enticed into the service of Uncle Sam. This time it is the regular army man who is here. S. G. Imbierski from the Grand Rapids Headquarters at 117 Moore Avenue is making his headquarters at the Bristol Hotel and is ready to meet men to whom army life makes an appeal.

A permanent recruiting station for Holland is possible. This recruiting officer from Grand Rapids is looking the ground over and upon his recommendation it depends. Judging from the outlook now, it is very probable that it will be a feature in the business district before long.

Imbierski will be here till next Monday.

F. C. Hall of Grand Rapids was in the city Tuesday.

Harry Oakes of Grand Haven was in the city Tuesday on business.

Miss Hazel Wing was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Gerrit Klassen of the Klassen Printing Co. was in Grand Rapids on business Tuesday.

John Kelley, of the Donnelley-Kelley Glass Co. was in Grand Rapids on business today.

**HARVEY WATSON WAS
CAUGHT IN STORM**

**ONLY TWO MEN TAKE HER SAFE-
LY INTO THE HOLLAND
PORT**

The Harvey Watson, owned by Chief of Police Frank Van Ry, was caught in the storm that blew up unexpectedly Monday afternoon.

The staunch craft left St. Joe at 2 o'clock when the wind was blowing a stiff gale from the southwest. When it was well on its way to Holland the wind shifted to the northwest and when near Holland, was blowing at the rate of 45 miles an hour. At 6:50 with the sea rolling clear over the breakwaters the fishing tug shot between the piers, little the worse for its rough experience.

Capt. Gus Larson and John Walters the engineer were the only two men on board on this trip.

**CROSS GIVES POTTS 2 TO
15 YEARS SENTENCE**

**Conviction for Carrying Burglar Tools
— Had Also Been Bounded Up By
Holland Police**

Robert Potts is the supposed name of a fellow about thirty years old who was arrested last July in Bradley after Sheriff Short of Allegan County had found him in possession of a set of rather crude burglar tools. He was first seen sleeping in a wood near the Bradley station. Later the officer found him in a store in Allegan county and that it advisable to search him. He found a bag containing about 200 pennies and a dozen or fifteen keys and picks for unlocking doors and locks. Because of these things, he was brot to the Allegan jail and later charged with intent to break and enter. He had a long wait in jail during which time he insisted that he was not a burglar and had no intention of breaking and entering. He was tried in Allegan and the jury found him guilty.

The officers believe Potts knows something if not a good deal about the robbery of the Schooley barber shop in Fennville last spring. Potts denied having been in Fennville but he admitted he was in Holland about that time. It seemed plain enough that he was a petty thief, robbing gum machines if nothing more serious. There was no way to determine the degree of his badness and the jury evidently thought it well enough to have him taken care of for a time at least. Certainly he was not a respectable laborer—he admitted he had not done a day's work in several weeks previous to his arrest.

Judge Cross gave him from two to fifteen years, recommending two

**CONDITIONS IN
HOLLAND GIVEN**

**W. C. T. U. HOLDS INTERESTING
MEETING AT HOME OF MRS.
BROWNING.**

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. E. Browning, 87 West 14th street. There was a large attendance of enthusiastic ladies. The devotionals as conducted by Mrs. C. S. Dutton were in keeping with the topic, "Purity." Some touching instances were related in response to roll call.

It was a great privilege of the ladies to listen to an address by one who was born in Japan and had passed her whole life in that country. Mrs. W. C. Hoekje, the speaker, told of the many deplorable social conditions existing in Japan, citing some personal experiences to show that the people are more ignorant and misguided than wicked. The government is trying to control immorality, but the pitiful part is, they know not God. In comparison with America, Mrs. Hoekje closed by using the Savior's words, "Who shall cast the first stone."

Miss Grace Browning feelingly rendered two vocal solos, "Just for Today" by Abbot and Prayer by Hillar. Mrs. C. J. Dregman read an interesting paper on the conditions in America. The subject was finally narrowed down to conditions in our own little city of Holland and some of the assertions made were very startling. Many of the pitfalls for the young were pointed out and parents were urged to impart full information to and also gain the implicit confidence of their children. Much useful knowledge was embodied in this paper.

The members sang heartily "Make Michigan Dry." A definite plan of action is being arranged for the next few weeks, and very significant posters and literature are being distributed.

The hostess was assisted in serving tea by her daughter, Miss Grace Browning and Mesdames Post and Dregman.

**BUY VICTROLA FOR
MISSIONARY'S WORK**

**HOPE CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL
CLASS TO GIVE JAPANESE
TEA TOMORROW.**

Class number 8 in Hope Church Sunday School, named the Willing Workers, will give a Japanese Tea in the parlors of the church on Saturday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. Tea will be served in real Japanese fashion by fifteen Japanese maidens in costume of the country. These little maids will also have for sale a collection of articles, mostly their own handiwork.

The proceeds will go toward the purchase of a Victrola, soon to be sent on its mission of service to far-away Japan, to be used by Missionary Willis Hoekje. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends who would like to encourage by their presence and support, this sort of the "Willing Workers". Mrs. Frances E. Browning is the teacher of this industrious class.

When you feel discouraged and despondent do not give up but take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets and you are almost certain to feel all right within a day or two. Despondency is very often due to indigestion and biliousness, for which these tablets are especially valuable. Obtainable everywhere.—Ad

**BUILD WIRELESS
STATION ON
HIGH SCHOOL**

**MOST POWERFUL MARCOONI OUT-
FIT EVER IN VICINITY TO BE
MADE BY STUDENTS**

**To Build Towers on Roof; Will Receive
from Coast and Gulf of Mexico
Daily.**

A wireless station larger than any ever erected in this vicinity, having its aerial about 75 feet above the ground and 190 feet long—that is the plan of the scientifically inclined students of the high school, led by physics instructor A. Sirrine.

These students are to organize under the name of the Scientific Research club, a name that was used two years ago for a club of that kind but not revived last year. The body of the organization will be seniors of the physics department, tho' some underclassmen have shown scientific ability that will admit them to the membership roll.

Two large wooden towers, built according to fire laws and with all precautions, shaped with the greatest efficiency possible in view, will be put up at either end of the long high school building roof. These towers will be about 20 feet high. Each end of the aerial will be hung on these towers with the operating room inside the school.

The aerial will be made up of four wires 190 feet long. All four will be used for receiving but only two for sending as the law prohibits the infringement of a certain wave length to bar interference with government and commercial stations. As the length and height both decide the strength of the station it is expected that with the proper apparatus in the operator's room stations on the Atlantic coast and near the Gulf will be heard from during the day and still further at night.

Receiving messages will claim more attention than sending them, except to the small private stations here in the city. These stations have heard from the Gulf of Mexico on a clear night, so the distance to be within the reach of the new apparatus can be imagined.

This Scientific Research Club, to be re-organized within the next two weeks, will be kept active in new lines during the winter, according to plans being made by the prospective members. Work in electricity and photography will be taken up in advanced lines. Special studies in photography will be snapped, developed, enlarged, made into lantern slides and even hand-painted. In all of their work the club will be directed by Prof. A. Sirrine.

Meetings will be held regularly about once a week, but the work of the club will be done by the members at odd times during the day.

**WESTERN TOOL WORKS
MAY ENLARGE PLANT**

**PLANS MADE BY ARCHITECT JAS.
PRICE READY AND GROUND
IS BEING FILLED IN.**

The low land adjoining the Western Tool Works is being filled in by John Boone incident to the enlarging of the plant.

Plans have been completed by Architect Price and are now being gone over by Mr. Bosch for his approval. If the plans go through, of which there is little doubt, the factory including the old part will be just 100 feet square, two stories. The capacity of the plant will be nearly doubled thereby which is very necessary judging from the large list of orders this firm is now behind in.

**COUNTY NURSE
WILL BE RETAINED**

**BOARD SO DECIDES YESTERDAY
MORNING; COUNTY TREASUR-
ER'S BOOKS NOT TO BE
AUDITED**

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors Wednesday morning it was decided to retain the county nurse system for another year at least. The vote stood 17 to 8 in favor of the system.

This does not involve Miss Post's job in the least as she retains her position until next January when the Board will act upon her retention for another year.

A great many of the members thought it would be advisable to have the county treasurer's books audited by expert auditors as a matter of business. This is done in other counties and even in Holland each year.

The committee was divided upon this matter and brought in a minority and a majority report. The Board accepted the majority report and the county treasurer will have his books audited as in the past.

The Board will be the guests at the county poor farm tomorrow with Gerit Van Schelven and Postmaster Wm. O. Van Eyck of Holland and Mr. Dickinson of Grand Haven as the hosts.

Holland, Mich., Oct. 12, 1916
Holland City News
Holland, Michigan.
Dear Editor:—

The most important issue that will confront the voters of Michigan on November 7 is the so-called Home Rule Amendment. Literature has been spread thru the city containing ordinary wet fallacies and in this letter I would just say a few words regarding this wet measure. First of all, this amendment was submitted at Lansing thus: "We, the organized liquor dealers, believe," etc., etc., so that we may know that the brewers and saloon keepers are backing it.

Secondly, the fact that the wets have presented this amendment is only one more proof of dry ascendancy in Mich. Here is a fact worth noting,—that the minority always strives for the small unit, and the majority for the large. For example, many years ago in this state the dries knew that state prohibition was far from possible, so they made a whole county was the smallest large a unit. Hence, the dries sought the township unit. But as sentiment grew, the dries petitioned for county option. One county after another went dry until today we have 45 dry and 38 wet. Consequently, the next move is for a still larger unit, namely, state-wide. Preparations are being made over the country for a great national dries are gaining and want the larger unit.

But the wets now want Home Rule. Is their prestige waning? Seemingly so. But see what they want. The smallest unit possible, even down to the city. Now what would Home Rule mean to the city of Holland should it pass? This city might have an overwhelming majority for dry, but if Grand Haven wanted saloons under Home Rule, they could have them. But isn't that all right? Well, last night's paper says the drunks have doubled since the last report. Who feeds, cares for them, and stand for their nuisance? That is thrown upon the whole county. Warden Simpson at the Jackson State prison says that 75 per cent of all the men there are there because of drink. More than 90 per cent of the prisoners at the Detroit House of Correction were in-temperate upon their own confession (more than 5000 of them). The individual citizens would have their say

as to whether they wanted saloons or not, but all of us would be compelled to pay for the care of the wreckage they throw off.

Ohio has Home Rule or ruin, for such it has turned out to be. Ohio lost in a day what she had fought for, for many years. The reports that have come to us regarding the expensive venture of this measure should open the eyes of all of us here in Michigan. Vote "yes" for statewide prohibition, and "no" on Home Rule.

Thanking you for the space allowed, I beg to remain,
Yours sincerely,
CITIZEN.

**REGULATION OR PROHIBITION,
WHICH?**

From the report of the Prosecuting Attorney of Wexford county, having a population of over 20,000, it appears that 138 arrests were made during the year 1915, and that of this number only 12 were for violation of the local option law. Holland alone had 19 arrests for drunkenness during one single month—September, 1916. How does Holland, the city of churches, and the home-town of Hope College and the Western Theological Seminary like that? Will she not redeem herself by an overwhelming vote against the saloon before the State Sunday School Convention meets here in November? We believe she will.

But to return to Wexford county. The brewers and distillers and "wets" generally are fighting state-wide prohibition, and advocating "home rule" because they say prohibition does not prohibit.

Remember the law forbids stealing just as strongly as it forbids selling liquor, in other words, there is statutory prohibition against stealing, but does it prohibit? No! The same report shows nine arrests for violating this law. Prohibition against stealing does not prohibit.

There is statutory prohibition against gambling. Does it prohibit that? No! Ten people in Wexford county were arrested last year for violating this law. Prohibition against gambling does not prohibit. Neither does it prohibit fighting and bastardy, burglary, embezzlement, forgery, rape and slander for these laws had also been violated.

Prohibition in 138 cases (only 12 which were liquor cases) did not prohibit in Wexford county last year, according to D. G. F. Warner, worthy confere L. J. Wilson, of the Home Rule (Home Ruining) League, we ought to repeal all these prohibitory statutes and adopt some effective system of regulation.

That is to say, we should regulate the manner, and set apart places, in which people should steal, gamble and fight; govern by regulation the commission of bastardy, burglary, embezzlement, forgery and slander.

No, Mr. Voter, even though prohibiting these offenses does not entirely stop them yet the law must stand. To regulate evil is wrong in principle. A sin against high Heaven!

And prohibition is not a failure—just consider Dry Wexford county, 12 liquor cases a year; wet Holland with regulation, 19 cases of arrest for drunkenness in one month.

Mr. Voter—Remember Nov. 7. Prohibit this liquor business by statute, by voting "yes" for state wide prohibition and "no" for the so-called, Home Rule Amendment.

Holland Dry Campaign Committee. P. S.—Will those who are "on the fence" and the "wets" please read the Grand Rapids Press of Friday, October 13, and see what a boon was forced upon Denver by the "Drys"! Do Detroit and Grand Rapids and Holland want such a boon? Then make it dry, Nov. 7.

Do You Eat?

What \$1.00 of Your Money Will Buy Today

Variety of Food	Price	Food Value for \$1.00
Eggs	.30 Doz.	3480 energy units
Beefsteak	.30 Lb.	3640 energy units
Breakfast Foods (average)	.07½ Lb.	5350 energy units
Mutton	.22 Lb.	6700 energy units
Pork Chops	.22 Lb.	6980 energy units
Cheese	.24 Lb.	7860 energy units
Milk	.08 Qt.	7880 energy units
Potatoes	2.00 Bu.	12500 energy units
Beans	6.00 Bu.	15600 energy units

WHEAT FLOUR.....10.00 BBL. 23600 ENERGY UNITS

The United States Department of Agriculture, Bulletin No. 142, says white bread made from wheat flour is the most nourishing and cheapest food—above figures prove it.

Think of it! \$1.00's worth of wheat flour baked into bread provides enough nourishment to last a man in full vigor doing moderate muscular work, seven and one-half days.

This means that every dollar invested in

Lily White
"The Flour the Best Cooks Use"

goes almost twice as far, when baked into bread, as one dollar invested in any other variety of food.

Besides you save nearly one-half by baking your bread instead of buying it.

You will have better bread, too.

Every sack of Lily White Flour is all pure, wholesome, healthful and nutritious.

The next time you bake bread use Lily White Flour. Then spread a good, big slice of the fresh bread with good butter, and if you don't say Lily White bakes the best looking, best tasting, tenderest bread you ever ate we will treat.

Please remember every sack is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money returned.

VALLEY CITY MILLING COMPANY,
Grand Rapids, Mich.

MRS. GILMORE IS RE-ELECTED PRES. OF W.M.A.

SEVEN HUNDRED WOMEN ATTEND MISSION CONFERENCE IN GRAND RAPIDS.

The big things which the Reformed church women are doing for their mission enterprises were set forth Thursday, at the eighteenth annual Woman's Mission conference at the Second Reformed church, on Botwick avenue, of Grand Rapids. Mission workers from nearly every corner of the globe and representatives from the various mission boards of the Reformed church in America were present.

Over 700 women attended the meetings, delegates coming from nearly every point in western Michigan, special cars carrying big delegations from Holland, Zeeland and other points on the Holland Interurban.

Physician for 3,000,000 People

Dr. E. J. Strick in an address at the morning session presented the needs of the hospital at Amoy, China, where he is the medical missionary.

Rev. G. D. Van Peursem of Arabia, who was to speak at the afternoon meeting, was not able to be present and Dr. E. J. Strick of China, spoke, describing conditions in China. Dr. E. J. Strick is the only physician for 3,000,000 people. Mrs. Taber Knox reviewed the work done by the home mission boards of the Reformed church. Miss Leona Vander Linden, of China, discussed the work in China, and Mrs. Richard Harper described the work done among the Comanche Indians in Oklahoma. At the evening session Rev. Richard Harper and Mrs. J. W. Conklin spoke.

Mrs. Gilmore Re-Elected President.

At the business session Mrs. C. V. R. Gilmore, of Holland, was re-elected president. Other officers were elected as follows: First vice president, Mrs. John Van Zomeren, of Grand Rapids; second vice president, Mrs. J. Van Westenberg, of Grand Rapids; third vice president, Mrs. B. Hoffman of Zeeland; secretary, Mrs. E. J. Blekkink, of Holland; treasurer, Mrs. J. N. Trompena of Grand Rapids.

The next conference will be held in Holland.

The missionary union numbers 2,210 members in the three classes of Grand River, Michigan, and Holland, and during the past year the societies in these classes contributed \$2,641 to the domestic mission board and \$3,448 to the foreign mission work.

A Chair 200 Years Old Was Reserved Seat for Mrs. Gilmore

At the convention and mission conference held at Grand Rapids Thursday to which Mrs. C. Van Raalte Gilmore was again elected chairman, she was not only honored with this position but also had the privilege of deliberating over the meeting while seated in an armchair with a most unique history. In the first place the chair is two hundred years old which in itself is quite a coincidence. When Mrs. Gilmore was called to the chair she was asked to be seated in the one designated and while seated was handed the following communication relating to the history surrounding the "old arm chair" which she read to the members of the mission convention assembled:

"The chair which is about two hundred years old was a family relic completely made by hand in Goes, Netherlands, somewhere between the years 1720 and 1730.

"In 1847 it was brot to America by Mr. Verlee who died in the chair while crossing Lake Michigan from Milwaukee to Black Lake, Mich.

"Mrs. Abraham Naaljem being niece became owner of the chair at the death of her uncle. She loaned it to Dr. Van Raalte for a pulpit chair in the Reformed church in Ottawa county. Later it was used for a short time as a pulpit chair by Rev. Vander Meulen at Zeeland.

"In 1881 it was presented to Mr. J. C. Heyboer by Mrs. Naaljem and it to this day, without any repairs holds a prominent place in his home and considered by him as the first pulpit chair in the Western States.

WILL FURNISH ONE ROOM IN NEW HOSPITAL

The "Hollandsche Onderlinge Hulp Vereeniging," held their annual business meeting, Friday evening, Oct. 6, and the following officers were elected: Vice-President, Frank Brieve.

Trustees, John Slighter, Andrew Klomprens.

The auditors handed in their report for the past six months and reported as follows: Money received by contributions, and membership, \$851.50; money paid out by sickness and death, \$588.

Eight new members were added during this meeting, and the society is progressing rapidly. As it has been planned to build a new hospital here, the society has taken upon itself to furnish one room in same. Although the society is not rich, its members are all in favor of helping this good cause along. Having the name of "Aid Society" it also proves to be of aid in many ways, and every male person of good health, and conduct, can join the same, for the small sum of \$6 per year, or 50 cents per month. In order to help your neighbor, who is not so well off, the society was organized, starting with 104 members in Oct. 1907, and now having reach over 300 members. Next month the society expects to meet in its new hall and will celebrate with their families. They are now busy getting the program ready. Speeches in both the Holland and English languages, music and recitations and refreshments will be given on that occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Hadden and son, Mayo Junior, left for their home in Detroit Monday morning.

Mrs. A. H. Dandwehr and daughter, Miss Donna, have returned home from Kalamazoo. Mrs. Oscar Nystrom has also returned from the Celery City.

CLAIMED PUT MONEY IN CHURCH TO KEEP IT IN GRAAFSCHAP

CASE COMES UP WEDNESDAY WHEN BRINKMAN AND LUGERS WILL SCRAP IT OUT

Allegan Gazette—The October court calendar in Allegan Co., "went to pieces" suddenly Wednesday after two days of trial. It was expected the term would last two weeks or more and that many cases would be brought on for hearing. Tuesday Judge Cross received notice of the settlement of the matter of the estate of the late Henry Parker of Wayland and another dispute in the estate of George Munn. Then he heard that attorneys in two or three other cases, who were supposed to be ready, would be unable to attend this term of court, and their cases had to be postponed till next term. In various ways and for different reasons the expected work failed to appear and Judge Cross therefore dismissed the jury for the term. They had a short stay. Next week Wednesday, Judge Cross will hear the case of Brinkman vs. Lugers, the Graafschap church controversy. The congregation, classic, and other factors in the church voted to move the building from its present location in Graafschap to a site near Riverside Park, Macatawa. Some weeks ago Circuit Court Commissioner F. E. Fish of Allegan issued an injunction restraining the church officers from moving the building. Now Judge Cross will hear the full case and it is expected many people from that vicinity will be here to hear it. Brinkman and others claim that they put money into the church upon the understanding and agreement that it would always remain where it is. The first time for hearing this case was first announced as Monday but it was changed later to Wednesday.

MAYOR SPEAKS AT HIGH SCHOOL

TALKS ABOUT MAKING A HIT; USES BASEBALL STARS AS EXAMPLE

Mayor Vandersluis gave an interesting talk to the pupils of the High school Tuesday morning, where he was called upon to take part in the morning exercises.

Mr. Vandersluis used as his text "Making a Hit." He questioned the pupils in this way: "Who made the highest number of hits in baseball this year? The scholars in unionism said "Speaker." "Who came next?" came another inquiry: "Cobb", was the answer. "And that is just the point that I want to bring home to you," said Mr. Vandersluis. "These ball players have made a hit in their particular vocation and you young ladies and gentlemen can also make a hit in life by excelling in your lessons; by living clean moral lives and who knows what these stepping stones may lead to. Positions of trust are generally given to those men who make a hit in life. Some day you may become alderman of this city or mayor, (the students smiled,) or governor of the state or president of the United States." This even made the young ladies prick up their ears and smile, as the chances are rather remote at this time for a lady from Holland to become president of the United States.

All the same, John's talk took well and received a generous round of applause from the students when he had finished.

TO HOLD EXAM. FOR A RURAL CARRIER

WILL BE HELD IN ZEELAND NOV. 11 FOR HUDSONVILLE VACANCY; APPLY AT ONCE

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the County of Ottawa, Michigan to be held at Zeeland, on November 11, 1916, to fill the position of rural carrier at Hudsonville and vacancies that may occur on rural routes from other post offices in the above mentioned county. The examination will be open only to male citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a postoffice in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form No. 1977. This form and application blanks may be obtained from the offices mentioned above or from the United States Civil service Commission at Washington, D. C. Applications should be forwarded to the Commission at Washington at the earliest practicable date.

HORSE AND AUTO MIX; ANIMAL SUFFERS HURT

VALUABLE HORSE OWNED BY FRED HIETJE BREAKS CARTILAGE IN LEG.

The modern movement, the ato displacing the horse, had "knockout" effects on a valuable animal owned by Fred Hietje, 205 East 15th Street, this city. The two, the horse and the machine "mixed it" at the corner of 15th and Columbia Monday afternoon, the former coming out second best.

It was during that hard rain and wind at 5 o'clock. The 12-year-old son of Fred Hietje was driving the rig homeward, having his coat up over his ears. Auto No. 49537 drove up at a right angle and swerved ahead to pass. The horse reared and came down on the machine.

A pronounced limp was the only noticeable result to the animal. A veterinary was called, who examined the leg and announced that the cartilage on the joint was broken. Everything will be done to save the leg as the value of the horse swarrants it.

Number 49537 in the register is that of Abel Smeenge, this city.

Marriage License
John H. Bukampson, 22, Holland, clerk; Grace H. Houting, 20, Holland.

FARM IMPROVEMENT WORK IN THIS COUNTY

M. A. C. PUTTING IN SEPTIC TANKS IN THIS VICINITY

O. C. Robey, farm mechanics expert of the Michigan Agricultural college at Lansing is here assisting Agricultural Agent Hagerman in installing septic tanks and water systems in some farm houses near Allendale and in the vicinity of Holland.

The septic tanks are made of concrete and are constructed at a very low cost. These tanks are used for sewage disposal. The pressure tanks which are used in the water system are constructed at a nominal cost. With these advantages the farm may be equipped with running water, good sanitary sewage disposal system, and also lighting systems.

Any person who is interested in so equipping their farm with these modern conveniences should take the matter up with County Agent Hagerman. The services of the county agent and the mechanical expert are free.

Mr. Robey is instructor at the Michigan Agricultural college and thus comes under the head of extension work. He is paid by the state.

Mr. Robey and Mr. Hagerman left yesterday for a few days' jaunt thru the country. On Friday they will be glad to talk the matter over with all those interested and furnish estimates.

ABSENT VOTE LAW INTERESTS CITY

RULES THAT ABSENT ELECTORS MAY VOTE

Holland no doubt will be interested in the new ruling of the attorney general relative to the absent voters' law. This city has several hundred students attending college here who come under that law.

There are also several students abroad, traveling men and some sailors to whom this law also applies.

In a new ruling by the attorney general the registration board will be permitted to record the names of voters they know to be qualified and who are absent from the city on registration days.

This new ruling means that traveling men and students will be permitted to register through friends, providing that their names are on the old registration books, and will also be permitted to vote under the absent voters' act. The members of the Michigan National Guard, however, will be barred from voting.

Assistant Attorney Frank E. Shaw was in Lansing and secured this new opinion from the attorney general. It will be welcome news for about 200 students and traveling men voters from Holland, who come under the old ruling of the attorney general, would be barred from voting.

W. L. C. ENTERTAINS VISITING BOARD

PLAYLETTE "ROSALIND" PROVES GREAT SUCCESS; VISITING PRESIDENTS THANK HOSTESSES

Hospitality day was observed Oct. 17 by the Woman's Literary Club with the entertainment of the Board of Directors of the Muskegon, Grand Haven and Allegan clubs. The Board of Directors of the local club served a one o'clock luncheon at the club dining room to the guests, the color-scheme being carried out in yellow and white.

After luncheon the guests were escorted to the auditorium where they were welcomed by the president, Mrs. George Kollen. Mesdames Thayer, Campbell and Lilly, presidents of the visiting clubs, responded with words of appreciation. Mrs. Milton Hoffman rendered two vocal solos, Prof. Heusinkveld presiding at the piano.

Very entertaining was the playlette, "Rosalind", Mrs. Thurber taking the part of the landlady; Mrs. Kollen, that of Rosalind, and Prof. Hoffman the part of an admirer of Rosalind's daughter, Beatrice, who later proves to be Rosalind herself.

A vocal duet by "Mesdames Pardee and Vander Veen, accompanied by Miss Nella Meyer, closed the afternoon's program.

HOBSON OF MERIMAC FAME TO SPEAK HERE

DATE WILL BE GIVEN LATER WILL SPEAK ON STATE WIDE PROHIBITION

Ex-Congressman R. P. Hobson of Merrimac fame, the author of "The Great Destroyer," naval officers and scientist of the first rank is scheduled to speak in Holland in behalf of the "dry" cause in the near future.

Author speaker of note, who for four years was the pastor of the Presbyterian church in Philadelphia with which Hon. Wanamaker is connected, and who in a short time has made a name for himself in Western Michigan as a great pulpit orator. Rev. Jarvis of Grand Rapids, will also visit Holland and plead for the adoption of the state-wide amendment and against the Home-Rule Amendment.

Dr. Jarvis will be here Friday, October 27. Keep your eyes open for Mr. Hobson's date and date.

A romance which a few years ago when both were students at Hope college has culminated in the engagement of Miss Nellie Smallegan of Forest Grove and Herbert E. Van Vranken of Schneckady, N. Y.

Henry Pelgrim, sr., was in Graed Rapids Wednesday on business. Jake Fris was in Saugatuck on business Tuesday.

PROHIBITION AND DRUNKENNESS

- ☞ There is no mistaking the sombre chronicle that prohibition DOES NOT prohibit.
- ☞ The experience of Michigan in its 22 years of prohibition ending 1875 is first proof of such failure.
- ☞ And of today are the experiences of Kansas, and of Maine, of Georgia, Mississippi, Tennessee, and the others.
- ☞ Everywhere liquor is sold in flagrant violation of law. Bootleggers, blind tigers, kitchen-bars abound.
- ☞ Prohibition compels secret drinking, and it results in excessive drinking. Prohibition emphasizes and intensifies drunkenness. It never cures.

THE STORY OF FAILURE

☞ Compare the record of drunkenness in the "dry" states with those of the states under COMMON SENSE and regulation.

Under License	Arrests for Drunkenness	Under Prohibition	Arrests for Drunkenness
Detroit, 775,0002105	Topeka, Kas., 43,384 745
One per 368 inhabitants.		One per 59 inhabitants.	
Cincinnati, 363,5911358	Wichita, Kas., 64,0001480
One per 267 inhabitants.		One per 43 inhabitants.	
Kent county (Grand Rapids), Pop. 279,000 341	Portland, Me., 60,0004006
One per 525 inhabitants.		One per 15 inhabitants.	

(From State and U. S. Statistics.)

Detroit with 12 TIMES the population of Portland, Me., and with its large floating population, had only One-Half the arrests for drunkenness.

Michigan with 47 TIMES Portland's population had but twice as many arrests for drunkenness.

☞ In addition to arrests for drunkenness, "dry" Topeka had 302 arrests for bootlegging, and "dry" Wichita, 380. Both are in Kansas, where "Prohibition has been found to be workable."

☞ "Dry" Bartlesville in "dry" Oklahoma is the "drunkenest" town in America. In 1915 it had one arrest for drunkenness to every 12 inhabitants. Augusta, Ga., and Bangor, Me., come next in order.

☞ Milwaukee, Wis., made famous by its beer, has 350,000 population and 2,300 saloons. Its greatest record for drunkenness was in 1905. In that year there was 2,958 arrests, including "disorderlies." The ratio was 1 to every 123 of population.

Prohibition is the Enemy of Temperance

- ☞ When your laws make it impossible for men to get light stimulants openly, they will get the violent drinks secretly, and you make drunkards of them.
- ☞ Realize that education and self-control mean temperance. Realize that bigotry, intolerance, control of a majority by a minority, cause secret drunkenness, and never true temperance.
- ☞ Don't promote drunkenness in Michigan. Promote true temperance.
- ☞ Work for, vote for the home rule smaller option system of regulating the liquor traffic. Let each city, village and township decide this question for itself. Let each individual, as nearly as possible, do that. Let him be his own judge, his own guardian.
- ☞ Send for the amendment under which 121,000 voters signed their names.
- ☞ Send for the instruction ballot today.
- ☞ Vote "YES" for HOME RULE—TRUE RULE and "NO" against state-wide prohibition November 7.

L. J. Wilson, Publicity Manager,
Michigan Home Rule League, 1933 Dime Bank, Detroit, Mich.

REV. H. J. VELDMAN ADDRESSES P-T CLUB MAKES A FINE IMPRESSION WITH THE AUDIENCE

The P-T club of the Lincoln (Columbia Ave.) school began its series of monthly meetings last evening. Rev. H. Veldman addressed the club giving to each parent and teacher present an inspiration that can not fail to have awakened a deeper interest for "the child in our midst?"

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE OPENS IN ST. JOSEPH WILL PROVIDE SHIPPERS WITH DAILY MARKETS

The Office of Markets, Department of Agriculture, has opened a temporary office at St. Joseph, Michigan, during the fruit shipping season. This office is established primarily to provide shippers and growers with authentic daily market and shipping information.

NIGHT SCHOOL STARTED WITH TWO BIG CLASSES

Night school has started in the high school last night the second session of the year was held at 7:30. Two classes were being taught at the start, Commercial Course and Sewing and Millinery.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

Rev. E. Koster of Morrison, Ia., a retired pastor, has moved to this city and will make his home here. Mr. and Mrs. Izzy Altman and daughter Lois, returned by motor from Cleveland, Ohio.

PROHIBITION NOTES

Table with 2 columns: Dry, Wet. Rows include Cosmopolitan, Knickerbocker, Fraternal, Meliphone, Total.

The league at the University of Michigan certainly has a splendid set of officers and they are decidedly on the job. Between 75 and 100 students are expected to get into the campaign in some way or another, and the county campaign manager is co-operating splendidly.

Ray Visseher, Arthur Visseher, Henry Winter and Jake De Pree motored to Grand Rapids to hear Republican Candidate Hughes.

HERE IS A CASE OF "SAFETY" LAST GRAND RAPIDS MAN LOSES HIS TENTH WHEEL IN NINE YEARS

Grand Rapids, Oct. 12.—Grant Parmlee has become convinced that fate never intended him to ride a bicycle. With in the last nine years 10 bikes owned by him have been stolen.

HOPE SOPHS. DEFEAT JUNIORS, SCORE 18-0

In inter-class football at Hope College Wednesday, the Sophomores defeated the Juniors 18 to 0. The first score came after Capt. Hakken had been taken out on account of injuries.

PUBLIC SALE

G. J. Heerspink, Tuesday October 24 1916, 1/2-mile south and 1/2-mile west of Graafschap, at 10 o'clock a. m.: 1 good working mare, 5 years old, weight 1250 lbs; 2 cows 1 2-year-old heifer, due soon; 2 pigs; 125 chickens, 30 pullets; 1 top buggy; 1 cutter-gear; 1 express wagon; 1 big wagon; 1 gravel spring tooth drag; 1 hand cultivator; 1 set work harness; 1 buggy harness; 1 fly net; 1 set new horse blankets; 1 robe; 52 gals. lime and sulphur solution; 2 creamery cans; 75 bu. oats; 6 and 7 ton hay and straw; 6 acres corn in the shock.

Public Sale

Will be held Thursday, October 26, 1916, at 10 A. M., on the farm of Fred Bouwman, 5 miles south of River Ave. 1-mile west and 1-mile north of the E. Saugateck Church. The following things being sold: 5 milk cows, (3 fresh, 2 due this winter); 80 chickens; 1 Shepherd dog; 2 sets work harness 2 lumber wagons (1 new); 1 sleigh; 1 small sleigh; 1 cutter; 1 McCormick binder; 1 Mc Cormick mower; 1 horse rake; 1 Keystone hay lagger; 1 Keystone Side Rake; 1 corn harvester; 1 hay rack 1 harpoon, complete; 1 plow; 1 riding cultivator; 2 hand cultivators; 1 spring tooth drag; 1 top buggy; 1 hand-drill; 1 double wagon box; 25 ton hay; 140 bushels of Oats; 8 acres corn in shocks; potatoes Late; grindstone; creamery cans and other article to numerous too mention.

How Catarrh is Contracted.

Mothers are sometimes so thoughtless as to neglect the colds which their children contract. The inflammation of the mucus membrane, at first acute, becomes chronic and the child has chronic catarrh, a disease that is seldom cured and that may prove a life's burden.

D. A. R. GUEST OF HONOR GIVE TALK FIRST MEETING SINCE MAY HELD THURSDAY; HEAR OF GRAND RAPIDS WORK.

The first meeting since May of the Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter, D. A. R. was held at the home of Mrs. Charles McBride. The guests of honor were Mrs. Victor Seydel and Mrs. Apted of Grand Rapids. Miss Martin was elected regent of the chapter and in a graceful speech accepted the office and told of her hopes for the coming year that the chapter might accomplish much.

FURNACE GIVEN TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDY

HUMIDIFIER, GAS ENGINE AND HOLLAND FURNACE LECTURES PART OF SENIORS' COURSE

The high school senior class should soon be the best informed body of the world on Holland's factories and productions. They should soon be able to become salesmen for any of the industries here. The other classes may share this knowledge.

Public Sale

Will be held Thursday, October 26, 1916, at 10 A. M., on the farm of Fred Bouwman, 5 miles south of River Ave. 1-mile west and 1-mile north of the E. Saugateck Church. The following things being sold: 5 milk cows, (3 fresh, 2 due this winter); 80 chickens; 1 Shepherd dog; 2 sets work harness 2 lumber wagons (1 new); 1 sleigh; 1 small sleigh; 1 cutter; 1 McCormick binder; 1 Mc Cormick mower; 1 horse rake; 1 Keystone hay lagger; 1 Keystone Side Rake; 1 corn harvester; 1 hay rack 1 harpoon, complete; 1 plow; 1 riding cultivator; 2 hand cultivators; 1 spring tooth drag; 1 top buggy; 1 hand-drill; 1 double wagon box; 25 ton hay; 140 bushels of Oats; 8 acres corn in shocks; potatoes Late; grindstone; creamery cans and other article to numerous too mention.

How Catarrh is Contracted.

Mothers are sometimes so thoughtless as to neglect the colds which their children contract. The inflammation of the mucus membrane, at first acute, becomes chronic and the child has chronic catarrh, a disease that is seldom cured and that may prove a life's burden.

this city, that are already booked for a space in the Industrial Room in the high school. The city's gas-testing apparatus will be used and lectured upon. Other samples of Holland's output are applied for and confidently expected.

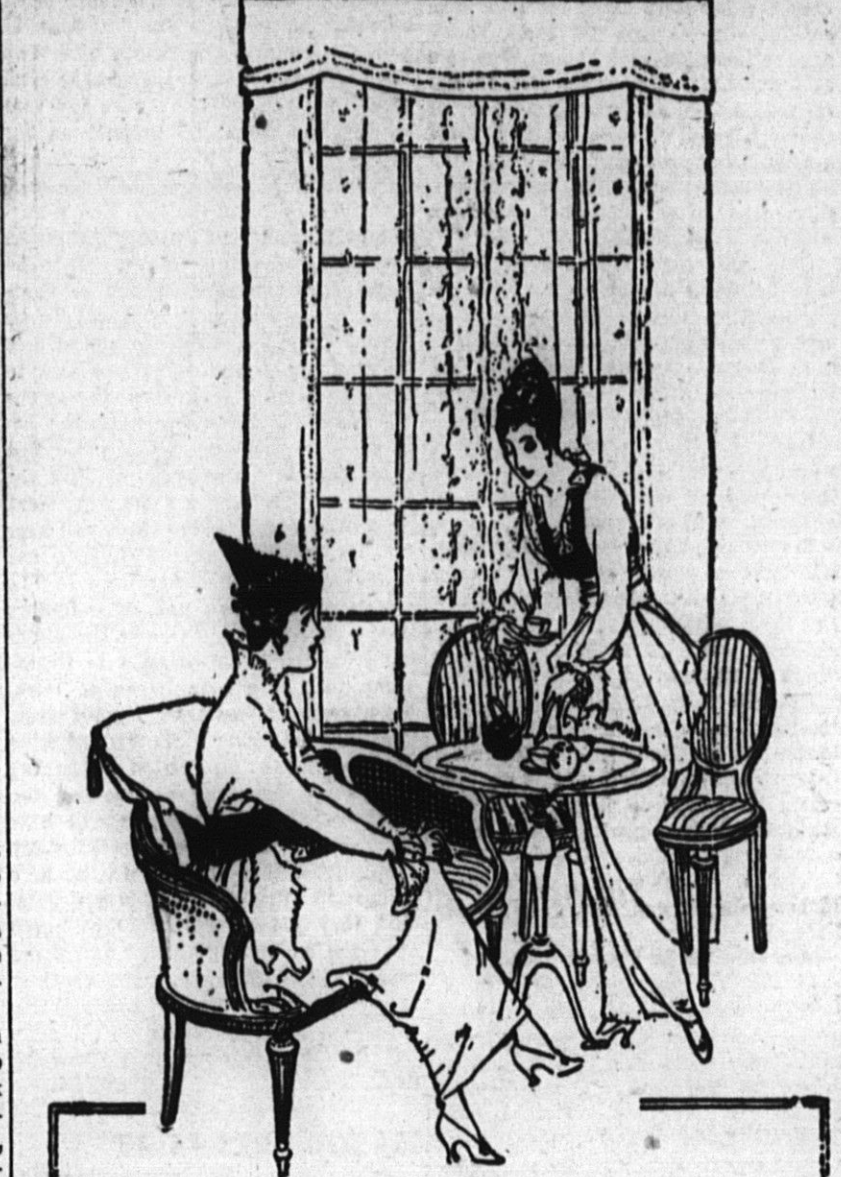
The latest acquisition is the Holland Furnace. Ever ready to help the city in any way, Manager A. H. Landwehr met the idea of Prin. Drew more than half way and the heating plant is promised. The humidifier will be delivered at the high school in the near future. The Brownwall engine is already installed in the Industrial Room.

Physics instructor A. Sirmine with his class will be the principal worker in the new room. As a part of their course, they will become thoroughly acquainted with the apparatus. The two phones to connect Principal Drew's office and Janitor Stekettee's headquarters in the basement have arrived and will be rigged up at once by the physics class for practical experience.

The Scientific Research club met Tuesday night for the first time in two years to start a movement of reorganization. It was decided to draw up a new constitution to be adopted in the near future when the election of officers will also take place.

The Industrial Room will be in charge of the club, the members to do the re-wiring and make the work bench. The club is to put up a wireless station on the high school at once, the apparatus to be made by themselves. The former printing room in the physics laboratory will be the operator's room.

Public Auction already pulled, 1 acre of potatoes good size, 1 cream separator Simplic, 1 set double harness, 1 big wagon, 10 bags rye, 1 light wagon, 1 light buggy, 1 single harness, 1 cook stove, 1 heating stove, also all farm machinery. Farm also for sale. Will be glad to have you call any day before sale. Lugers & Schilleman, Auctioneers.



The Outsider's View of Your Home

Did it ever occur to you that hundreds of people see your home from the OUTSIDE for everyone who sees the INSIDE? What they notice mostly is your windows and how they are trimmed. Its the windows that give expression, character to a house.

Smiling, attractive windows may be yours with

Quaker Craft LACE CURTAINS

Have you seen these distinctive curtains? Have you noted its effect at a window? Call and examine our splendid stocks. We have them in White, Ivory and Egyptian at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, up to \$6.00 a pair.

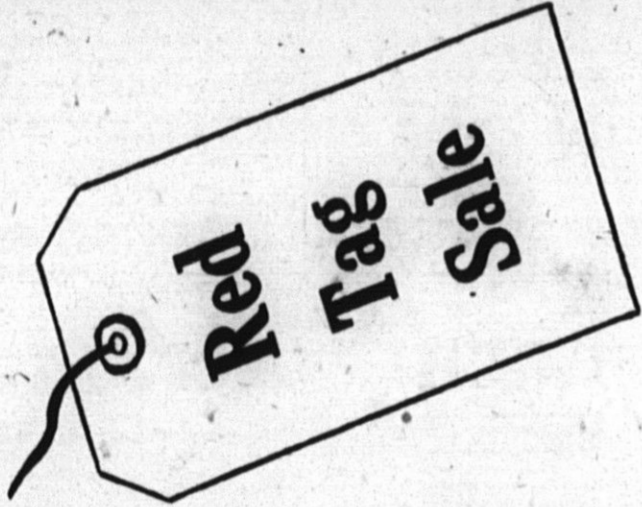
DU MEZ BROS. "What we say we do, we do do"

JAS. A. BROUWER

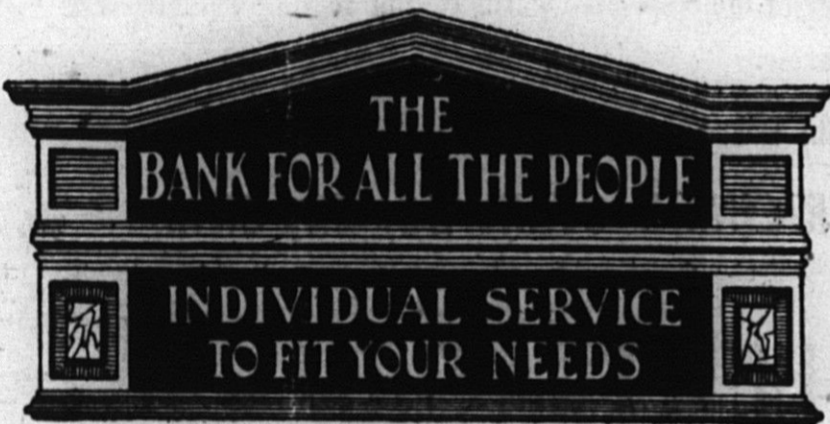
Advertisement for A. Stekettee & Sons featuring new gloves, crepe waists, and underwear. Includes prices for various items like wool dress goods and union suits.

Advertisement for Red Tag Sale featuring ladies and childrens union suits. Includes prices for various items like wool dress goods and union suits.

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Remember everything in Furniture, Carpets, Rugs and Draperies at the



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WE regard the financial affairs of our customers, as matters strictly confidential.

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We pay 4% on time deposits.

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HOLLAND, MICH.

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A Few Dandy Farms for Sale

on which we would consider to take city property in exchange

20 Acres, 1 1/2 miles from Graafschap. All improved, good loam soil. A beautiful house, nearly modern. Large barn. Good water.

\$2450

40 Acres, 1 1/2 miles from East Saugatuck church. All improved. Good clay loam soil. 7 roomed house. Large barn and other outbuildings.

\$3700

43 Acres, 2 miles from Zeeland, near school. All good clay loam soil. House with 7 rooms. A large barn and other outbuildings.

\$4,800

80 Acres, 3 miles south of Graafschap. 70 acres clay loam soil and balance sandy loam. A good house and large barn. Good water.

\$7,700

70 Acres, 1-2 mile from Boreculo. Sandy loam soil. Good house. Large barn. Good orchard. Plenty of good water.

\$3,600

Many Others. Ask for Catalog.

JOHN WEERSING

30 W. 8th Street

Holland, Mich.

IF you can't get back to the old home for that best of all days, Thanksgiving, a new photograph will come nearest to taking your place—will bring cheer to homekeeping hearts.



The Lacey Studio

Holland, Michigan
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Perfect Fitting Glasses

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THE
Optical Specialist
24 Eighth St., Holland

Boy Wanted To Learn Printing Business

Must be over 16 years of age

GOOD WAGES TO START

POOLE BROS.

13th St. and Van Raalte Avenue

ARRESTED FOR WIFE DESERTION; IS GONE

TRAVERSE CITY MAN TAKEN IN HAND BY LAW; CORRESPONDING WITH WIFE

John T. Evans of Traverse City was arrested in this city for wife desertion and left with Sheriff Campbell of Grand Traverse County. Evans was taken in charge by the local police after a complaint had been made by the Poor authorities of Traverse City.

He had come to Holland about three weeks ago and was an employee of the Holland Sugar Co., at the time of his arrest. As correspondence between himself and his wife was common, the authorities knew where to find him. His wife refused to make a complaint.

Evans who is about 44 years old, is in ill-health and barely able to support himself. He had found a good job with the local factory and would have been able to take care of himself. Now the Poor authorities will have two on their hands.

TEAR APPARATUS APART TO STUDY

Again the claim that this year's course in physics at the high school is the most practical in its history has been strengthened. The dynamo and storage batteries from an automobile have been installed in the laboratory on the third floor and are being used in real work.

The seniors are getting valuable information out of their experiments with the apparatus. Under the supervision of their instructor they are taking the dynamo apart and studying it, cleaning it and putting it together again.

Another important addition to the equipment of the laboratory that seems to be almost certain is the gas testing outfit used by the City Engineer. This piece of machinery may be taken from the city hall in the near future and placed in the high school for study and actual use.

FUNDS NEEDED FOR SCOUT EXISTENCE HERE

ASSURED \$500 PER ANNUM. FREE OFFICERS, GIVING FREE SERVICE, TO CONTINUE SUCCESS.

In 1914 Only 22 Scouts, One Commissioner; 302 Scouts, 8 Assistants Now; Need More Officers.

The following accounts give the vital facts concerning Holland's part in the greatest movement of the age, the Boy Scouts of America.

Secretary's Report Covering Two Years to May 1916.

We secured our first charter in May 1914, and renewed it in May 1915. Charter has not been renewed for 1916 owing to lack of action on the part of the Council. This is the connecting link between Holland and the National organization.

When our first Charter was received, we had enrolled 22 boys and one Scout Commissioner. By August of 1914 we had 82 boys and one Scout Commissioner, four Scoutmasters and four assistants. February 1915 we had 298 boys, two Scoutmasters, one Scout Commissioner and six assistants. August 1915 we had 242 boys, one Scoutmaster, one Scout Commissioner and eight assistants. May 1916 there had been enrolled 302 boys and no increase in officers. However, of the total enrollment, nearly 100 boys had either moved, gone to work, or outgrown scouting, and nearly 50 more are passive because of the inability of so few officers to give so great a number the attention they must have.

It is with pleasure we announce that two new Scoutmasters have been added to the force and this together with the efficiency and willingness exhibited by the assistants will enable us to extend our efforts to new boys. Other men are becoming interested, and if they volunteer, the aim of the Commissioner to have ten troops in Holland will be realized.

No endeavor to secure new boys has been made since 1915. The difficulty lay in accepting the numbers who wished to join. Up to May 1, 1916, 290 boys had taken the Tenderfoot degree; 142 boys had taken the Second Class degree; 18 boys had taken the First Class degree; 54 merit badges have been earned.

The Commissioner reports that since May 1, 30 more have taken first class tests and 48 additional merit badges have been earned. More than 2000 good turns have been reported, ranging from saving life, preventing accidents and fires to helping mother with the dishes, shoveling snow for a sick or disabled citizen or preventing destruction of bird life.

Three summer camps have been held averaging 30 boys per week, without accident and with perfect discipline, health and content. Civic service has been given freely on a number of occasions both at home and abroad. Cooperation with any of the city departments or charities, as well as the state and government departments is eagerly looked for.

It is apparent that the work is now on a firm foundation. The men in charge have boiled things down to where more water may be added and they will do so with a little encouragement from those who benefit by their work.

T. N. ROBINSON,

Secretary,
Financial Report—Two Years Ending May 1916

RECEIPTS

From Council	\$158.00
From Private Subscriptions	254.50
From Scouts for dues, registration, fairground work, etc.	154.57
From Scouts for Camp Exp.	168.45
From Other Sources	135.65
Total	\$871.17

DISBURSEMENTS

Two Charters	\$ 50.00
Two Membership Nat. Council	10.00
Officers' Commissions	14.80
Registration Scouts	80.20
Badges, Flags, Etc.	24.10
Postage and printing	32.40
Office Equipment	41.20
Camp Equipment	163.04
Troop Equipment	68.30
Hikes, Exhibitions, Inter-City Contests, Fairgrounds, Camp	99.50
Troop Bulletin and magazines	28.40
Camp Dan Beard, 5 weeks	226.55
Cash on hand	32.68
Total	\$871.17

INVENTORY

Camp Equipment	\$125.00
Troop Equipment	60.00
Office Equipment	30.00
Badges, Etc.	18.00
Cash	32.68
Total	\$265.68

Treasurer's Report

By the statement you will note that of the money advanced by individuals and council members, \$412.50 (and that by the way, is all that has been given to date), all of it and some earned by the Scouts themselves has been disbursed for fixed expenses; \$74.80 of it for annual charters and officers' registrations and the balance for fixed office, camp and troop equipment.

The operating expenses are taken care of by the boys themselves.

New equipment is needed and it is desired to start a fund to cover a location for a fixed camp. The executive officers are also desirous of extending their work, organizing new troops, re-registering old officers, registering new ones, securing a new charter, etc.

It is estimated that ten troops should be maintained in Holland and the cash requirements will be very nearly \$500

WILL ADVERTISE CITY'S HARBOR PROBLEMS

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AND SECY BOTER TO FORM EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

Will Make House List and Factory List; Answer All Letters of Inquiry.

The crying need for laboring men in Holland, both skilled and unskilled workers, became the subject of desperate action on the part of the Chamber of Commerce at their meeting Friday night. Plans were made to advertise in several papers that are read over the state and in the western states, giving definite information. Letters and personal invitations to outsiders to come to Holland will also be a part of the campaign.

"We need 500 more men at once, not 300", was Chairman A. H. Landwehr's synopsis of the situation. City Attorney McBride brought out the matter in telling of some of the factories threatening to close up unless more laborers could be secured. "Plans should be made to get outsiders interested in Holland. While in Lansing recently I was surprised at the number of Holland boys I met on the streets who were working there."

Said A. C. Keppel, "We should advertise in all of our local papers telling how we need men. I know of examples of the results such an advertising brings and its what we need." Mr. Landwehr branded that as an action that might tend to make the Holland men already employed dissatisfied and seek work in several places at once thinking they can do better. Skilled labor must come from outside.

"Country boys make better workers than city boys after they get city-wise," said Mr. Keppel. "The local papers would reach them. Especially in the winter the farmer boys can work in the city."

The question of an employment bureau was introduced by Herman Cook. "I met three men by chance between Saugatuck and Holland who wanted to work in Holland, but didn't know just where to apply. Why not have an employment bureau to direct such men and help the labor problem out of the hole that way?"

A. Peters arose. "Advertising would not be complete without a source of information mentioned," he said. "The secretary should take care of that." "From the publicity we have gained through the local papers I have already had eighteen letters of inquiry from outsiders," said Secretary Dick Boter.

Then the solver of the question arose and unfolded a plan that was ultimately adopted. Principal C. E. Drew of the high school took the floor. "Why not have the high school help by writing letters to the inquirers? Why put it all on the shoulders of the secretary? The Commercial Course students could take it up as a part of their work. It would be practical for them and an aid to Holland at the same time. They have to be kept busy. Why not make it pay? I am ready to help all I can." A round of applause followed this offer and the plan was added to by others, at once recognizing the feasibility of the proposition.

The result is this: The high school students will aid Secretary Boter in solving the labor problem by taking the letters of inquiry from his hands, and, assisted by Prin. Drew, answer them with a full round of definite information. Four of the students will form a committee in charge of the work. A house list will be made of all homes open for occupants and all opportunities for homes. Another list will be secured from the manager of each factory showing just what kind of labor he wants and how many in that way. They will then be ready to direct outsiders in a way that will bring results.

The housing problem was discussed with several manners of solving it brot forward. Only a few dwellings in the city are vacant and they are not of a kind that would be desired by skilled laborers. New homes must be built by some association or agency and sold on the rental basis, where the tenant buys his home with the amount paid for rent. This was the consensus of opinion.

The Misses Jeanette and Minnie Westerhof, of Paterson, N. J., spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Peter Rezelman. They also visited the local seminary and called on Mr. John Kujte a student in that institution.

W. C. Walsh was a Grand Rapids visitor Friday.

per annum, distributed about as follows: Office Expense, including postage, printing, travel expense, charter, registration, books, maps, etc., \$100; Office furniture, \$100; Land and fixed Camp Site, \$150; New Troop and Camp Equipment, \$100; Extension Work, \$50; total, \$500.

If land is not rented, the amount set aside could be applied against its purchase as could also any sum left over of the different funds.

With the assurance of \$500 per annum to work on, the officers believe, if we continue to operate under the present services free plan, the work can be brought up to the highest point of success in Holland.

The amount asked for is trifling compared with what is required in towns of smaller population where the officers are paid, and the devoted workers here should be encouraged to this extent.

HENRY GEERLINGS,
Treasurer.

HOLLAND MEETS OLD RIVALS WITH SUCCESS

COUNTY SEATERS SHOW GAME FIGHT AGAINST DREW'S STRONG MACHINE

Surprise Own Backers By Playing, But Holland Tears Thru for Expected Victory

Perfect football weather Saturday gave the impetus that carried over three hundred Holland people, students and citizens, to Grand Haven by steam and motor at noon. The mighty three hundred returned after dark, triumphant. Grand Haven's goat "was got."

A stiff breeze that favored the punting of the defenders of the south goal was the only blemish on an otherwise "dream day." Slightly cloudy, with the sun breaking thru at frequent intervals, the chilly weather provided a tang that put a fighting spirit into the play.

But the fighting disposition of the two elevens was not entirely due to the weather man. Another atmosphere bore more heavily upon the field—the Grand Haven-Holland spirit. Its presence is enough at any time to assure the spectators of a blood battle and they were not disappointed Saturday.

The result of the hour of twisting, plunging and tackling, 13-0, tells the story of the unexpected stay put in Holland's advance by the Grand Haven warriors. A victory by at least 25 points was the opinion of the followers of the game in both camps. Both were surprised.

Great credit is due the plucky fight put up by the county seat footballers. Holding the Drawmen down to a two touchdown victory was beyond the expectation of the most optimistic when the fray opened on high school field in the Ottawa capital. It can hardly be expected that a similar stand will be made by the visitors when they meet Holland in this city for the return game of the season. The forecast for that match is a very one-sided game.

Holland's weight told on the Grand Haven line. A plunge, when blocked by the latter, would result in a mass of humanity that, invariably swayed and fell for a two-yard gain. But many a time the hosts suffered a shattered line that let a Holland backfield man thru for a telling run. The end runs by Cappon were a feature of the game while wee Jappings' line sprints thru the smallest of openings were responsible for a great number of valuable yards for Holland.

Marked looseness showed itself in the forward passing department of the fray. Both sides gained yards and lost the ball repeatedly by this method. Calling a pass was a gamble with even chances for success and a 10 or 15 yard gain or failure and the loss of the ball. Holland's surest method and most used was straight line tactics.

Only once did it seem certain that Grand Haven's shutout was to be broken. Mastenbrook covered a fumble near Holland's ten-yard line and sprinted over an open field for the white goal line. But Cappon threw himself at the runner from behind and downed him on the 5-yard mark. Not gaining then by line plunges or end runs, Grand Haven tried a forward pass for those final 5 yards and was in turn robbed by Irving. Rather than risk a fumble in the shadow of their goal posts, Cappon punted far down the field and the danger was gone.

The legs of Koopman from the Grand Haven backfield in the first half put a wrinkle in the county seaters that was felt. The half back was forced out by a bad knee. Jan Dommelen at half for Holland suffered the same misfortune when his ankle gave out in the first few minutes, and he was carried from the field to give place to Jappings. Time out was called repeatedly by both sides to aid injured players.

Penalties became common in the heat of the fight, but the one cutting the deepest hole in Holland's credit was called as Cappon made a 15-yard run for a touchdown and the ball was taken out to the 30-yard line for holding on the part of a Drawman.

Irving's ability to carry the ball back on receiving a punt killed the gains made by the aerial drives on Grand Haven's part. Several times the pigskin was brot back by Holland's quarter from past midfield to within 10 yards of its starting point.

The two touchdowns of the game came in the first and third quarters. Cappon made the first by steady gains and a 10-yard plunge. His try at goal failed and the score was 6-0. In the third quarter Boyd made two successive plunges from the 10-yard line that netted Holland six more points. This time the goal kick scored, giving the 13-0 points. The remainder of the match was a see-saw motion.

The lineup at the whistle was:

Holland	Grand Haven
Cobb	R. G. Bolt
VanDerMeulen	C. G. Diephouse
Thibeau	L. G. Gibbs
Klemmings	R. T. Fase
Hoek	L. T. Kaatz
VanPotten	R. E. Mastenbrook
Poppen	L. E. Vyn
Irving	Q. Mahan
Cappon	R. H. Lysaght
VanDommelen	L. H. Koopman
Boyd	E. B. Fitzsimmons
Referee—Dame, Grand Rapids. Umpire—Buck, Grand Rapids. Time of Quarters, 15 minutes.	

Miss Nellie Phillips of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with her mother in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Holley of Fennville spent the week-end with relatives and friends in this city.

MUSICIANS FRIDAY HIGH SCHOOL COURSE TO DRAW FIRST LARGE CROWD WITH STARS.

The first of the C. W. Best Artists Series will be the drawing card for the large crowd of citizens and school pupils tomorrow night.

They are Miss Lois Brown, pianist, Winston Wilkinson, boy violinist and Francis Wheeler, baritone.

The students are making a last lap in the ticket selling campaign. Each group in the senior class has a retinue of slaves among the lower classmen who are getting rid of the admittance season tickets for a dollar.

GIVE PRES. CUT GLASS AS TOKEN

BEECHWOOD P.T. CLUB SHOWS APPRECIATION OF OUTGOING PRESIDENT WITH GIFT.

The P. T. Club of the Beechwood school held their meeting Friday evening. The following program was enjoyed: Piano solo, Mrs. James Van Dyke; Reading, Mrs. Frank Bertoch;

After the business session, the president, Cora Books, in behalf of the club, presented the retiring president, Mrs. Edith Kardux, with a beautiful cut glass dish as a token of appreciation of her efforts in building up the club since its organization.

The committee served coffee and doughnuts at the close of the evening. The next meeting will be held in the afternoon of the second Friday in November.

COMMON COUNCIL

Holland, Mich., Oct. 6, 1916. The Common Council met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Mayor Vandereis, Aids. Friss, Verchura, Brieve, Drinkwater, Kammeraad, Lawrence, Briak, Postma, Vander Hill, Wiersema and the Clerk.

The regular order of business was suspended. The Clerk reported that pursuant to instructions from the Council, he has given notice of the numbering and filing in his office, of the special assessment rolls for delinquent light power and water rentals, and for delinquent scavenger bills, and of the time and place for reviewing same, and that no objections to same had been filed in the Clerk's office.

The Clerk also presented affidavits of publication as required by law.

On motion of Aid. Drinkwater, the rolls were confirmed and ordered to the Board of Assessors to be spread on the General Taxes.

The Clerk further reported having given notice of the numbering and filing in his office of the assessment roll of sewer connections in the sanitary district when ordered to be made by the Common Council, and of the time and place for reviewing same, and that no objections had been filed in the Clerk's office.

The Clerk presented affidavit of publication as required by law.

On motion of Aid. Lawrence, the roll was confirmed, ordered divided into ten equal annual installments, and the Board of Assessors instructed to prepare roll of installment falling due Feb. 1, 1917.

The Board of Assessors presented assessment roll of the installment falling due Feb. 1, 1917, of sewer connections in the sanitary districts and ordered to be made by the Common Council.

Condensed. On motion of Aid. Drinkwater, the re-registration was confined to one day, viz., Saturday, October 28, 1916.

On motion of Aid. Kammeraad, the following were designated as places for holding registration on Saturday, Oct. 28, and election on Tuesday, November 7, 1916.

First Ward—Second story Engine House No. 2, 106 East 8th Street.

Second Ward—No. 147 River Avenue.

Third Ward—Basement Floor, City Hall, Corner River Avenue and 11th Street.

Fourth Ward—Polling Place, 301 First Avenue.

Fifth Ward—Polling Place, corner Central Avenue and State Street.

Sixth Ward—Basement Floor, Van Raalte Avenue School House, on Van Raalte Avenue, between 19th and 20th streets.

Ald. Congleton here appeared and took his seat.

On motion of Aid. Friss, Received, that the Council reconsider its action, taken at a meeting held Wednesday, October 4, 1916, on the petition of the Holland Furnace Co. for the vacating of the East 200 feet of 51st Street, of Prospect Park Addition.

Carried.

On motion of Aid. Wiersema, WHEREAS, The East extremity of 21st Street, in the City of Holland ends upon the premises of the Holland Furnace Company, in said city, and the said Holland Furnace Company owns lots numbered Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) of Block One (1) in Prospect Park Addition to the City of Holland, which bounds the North side of the extreme East Two Hundred (200) feet of said street, and also owns lots numbered One (1), Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4) of Block Six (6) in Prospect Park Addition to the City of Holland, which bounds the South side of the extreme East Two Hundred (200) feet of said Street, and

WHEREAS, the said Holland Furnace Co. requires said part of said street, viz: the extreme East Two Hundred (200) feet thereof in order to construct thereon a large addition to their plant, which is necessary to their manufacturing operations, and said company owns all of the property abutting upon said part of said street, and the said street is closed at its Eastern extremity, and said part of said street is not open for the use of the general public.

Resolved, that all voting aye.

The committee on sidewalks to whom was referred the petition for the construction of sidewalks on the North side of 18th Street, between Maple and First Avenues, reconvened, meeting that the petition be granted, and the sidewalks ordered constructed.

Adopted.

Adjourned.

Richard Overweg, City Clerk.

When You Take Cold.

With the average man a cold is a serious matter and should not be trifled with, as some of the most dangerous diseases start with a common cold.

Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of your cold as quickly as possible. You are not experimenting when you use this remedy, as it has been in use for many years and has an established reputation. It contains no opium or other narcotic. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE PROBATE COURT for the County of Ottawa

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. ORRIE SLUITER, Register of Probate.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 13th of October, A. D. 1916, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 14th of Sept., A. D. 1916, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 18th of October, A. D. 1916, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 16th of February, A. D. 1917, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 13th day of February, A. D. 1917 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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Notice is hereby given that four months from the 14th of Sept., A. D. 1916, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 14th day of October, A. D. 1916.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Tryntje Schemper, Deceased.

Klaas Schemper having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of Nov., A. D. 1916, 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.

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Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Hazekamp, alias Hendrik Hazekamp, Deceased.

John Hazekamp, having filed in said court his petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person.

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Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate. ORRIE SLUITER, Register of Probate.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 16th of October, A. D. 1916, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 16th day of October, A. D. 1916.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Margaret Stuver, Deceased.

Fred T. Miles, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to himself or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of Nov., A. D. 1916, 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

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE PROBATE COURT for the County of Ottawa

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. ORRIE SLUITER, Register of Probate.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 14th of Sept., A. D. 1916, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment.

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Notice is hereby given that four months from the 15th day of January, A. D. 1917, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 14th of Sept., A. D. 1916, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment.

At a session of said Court, held at Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 9th day of Oct., A. D. 1916.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Dick Van Bemmel, Deceased.

Kate Van Bemmel having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 6th day of Nov., A. D. 1916 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 notices 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.

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. ORRIE SLUITER, Register of Probate.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 7th day of Oct., A. D. 1916.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sophronia A. Wright, Deceased.

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

It is Ordered, That the 6th day of Nov., A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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

EDWARD P. KIRBY, Judge of Probate. ORRIE SLUITER, Register of Probate.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 7th day of Oct., A. D. 1916.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage, dated the 18th day of July, A. D. 1913, executed by Mortimer A. Sooy and Katherine L. Sooy, jointly and severally as husband and wife, of the City of Holland, County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, to Blanche A. Landon of Kansas City, Missouri,

AND WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice, is the sum of Seventeen Hundred Ninety One and 20-100 (\$1791.20) dollars of principal and interest, and the further sum of Thirtyfive (\$35.00) dollars as an Attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the North front door of the court house in the City of Grand Haven, in said County of Ottawa, on the Twentieth day of November, A. D. 1916 at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: The following described land and premises, situated in the city of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, viz.: That part of Lot Numbered Nine (9), Block Numbered Fifty-three (53), bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the Southeast (S. E.) corner of said lot, running thence North on the East line of said lot, Ninety (90) feet, thence West parallel with the North line of said lot, Forty-two (42) feet, thence South parallel with the East line of said lot, Ninety (90) feet to the South line of said lot, Forty-two (42) feet, to the place of beginning, together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Dated this 23rd day of August, A. D. 1916.

BLANCHE A. LANDON, Mortgagor. CHAS. H. MCBRIDE, Attorney for Mortgagor. Business Address, Holland, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—THE PROBATE COURT for the County of Ottawa

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At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven in said County, on the 7th day of Oct., A. D. 1916.

Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Dick Van Bemmel, Deceased.

Kate Van Bemmel having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

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NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the North front door of the court house in the City of Grand Haven, in said County of Ottawa, on the Twentieth day of November, A. D. 1916 at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: The following described land and premises, situated in the city of Holland, County of Ottawa, State of Michigan, viz.: That part of Lot Numbered Nine (9), Block Numbered Fifty-three (53), bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the Southeast (S. E.) corner of said lot, running thence North on the East line of said lot, Ninety (90) feet, thence West parallel with the North line of said lot, Forty-two (42) feet, thence South parallel with the East line of said lot, Ninety (90) feet to the South line of said lot, Forty-two (42) feet, to the place of beginning, together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging.

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Present: Hon. Edward P. Kirby, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Dick Van Bemmel, Deceased.

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BLANCHE A. LANDON, Mortgagor. CHAS. H. MCBRIDE, Attorney for Mortgagor. Business Address, Holland, Michigan.

Special Notice to Each Voter!

At the time and places given in the following notice, every qualified elector must re-register his name. Unless the voter registers, he cannot vote this fall! Former registration does not count.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That, at the time and places mentioned in the accompanying notice of registration, a re-registration of the qualified electors of the respective wards of the City of Holland will be made as required by Sec. 6, Title II, of the City Charter.

By order of the Board of Registration, RICHARD OVERWEG, City Clerk

Holland, Mich., Oct. 16, 1916

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

Every Voter Must

REGISTER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Board of Registration of the City of Holland will meet at the places hereinafter designated on

Saturday, Oct. 28

Nineteen Hundred and Sixteen

Between the hours of 8 o'clock A. M. and 8 o'clock P. M.

For the purpose of making a registration of the qualified voters of the several wards of said city:

- FIRST WARD—Second story of Engine House No. 2, 106 E. 8th Street
SECOND WARD—No. 147 River Avenue
THIRD WARD—Basement Floor, City Hall, Cor. River Avenue and 11th Street
FOURTH WARD—Polling Place, 301 First Avenue
FIFTH WARD—Polling Place, Cor. Central Avenue and State Street
SIXTH WARD—Basement Floor, Van Raalte Ave. School House, on Van Raalte Avenue between 19th and 20th Sts.

By Order of the Board of Registration of the City of Holland, Richard Overweg, City Clerk

Dated Holland, Mich., Oct. 16, 1916

Section 6, Title II, of the City Charter

The board of registration of the city, at their session previous to the General Election in November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, shall make a re-registration of the qualified electors of their respective wards, in books of the form provided by law. The same rules shall be observed in such re-registration as are provided by law for registration of electors in cities; and a like re-registration of the electors of each ward shall be made at the session of the board next preceding the general election in every fourth year thereafter. When such new registry of electors shall be made the former registry shall not be used, nor shall any person vote at any election in such ward after such registration unless his name shall be registered in such new register. Notice that such re-registration is required to be made shall be given with the notice of the meeting or session of the board at which it is to be made.