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MELIPHONE "BUST" ATTRACTS LARGE AUDIENCE AS USUAL

The preparatory school at Hope college is proving to be a great favorite in entertainments, for again Friday evening a large crowd came out to see the annual program of the Meliphone society.

The annual "Meliphone Bust" social is looked forward to by the community and people within and without Holland came to see the well-rendered program.

The entertainment Friday night consisted of a word of welcome by Theodore Luidens president of Meliphone society; a piano solo by Peter Holkeboer; budget by Herman Knol; a vocal solo by Miss Cornelia Nettinga and a play entitled "Coam-na-goppel."

Those who took part in the acting of the play are as follows: Frank Workman, William Meengs, Theodore Luidens, Peter De Ruiter, Lambert Olgers, Nelson Doak, Clarence Berkompas, Thomas Ten Hoeve, John Tyssse, Harry Groud, Harley Kleinhek sel, Silas Wiersma and John De Vries.

The stage managers were Adrian Ter Louwe and John De Vries. John Wierda, a graduate of Hope, at present a scholarship student at the University of Illinois, coached the play.

During the past year the Meliphone society has had a membership of 25 young men. Its officers are Theodore Luidens, president; Harry Groud, vice president; Peter De Ruiter, secretary; and Lambert Olgers, treasurer.

The Juniors of Holland High school gave a regular picnic at Jenison Park as a pre-graduation function taking place in High School events. The following officers of the different committees have been unusually busy making necessary arrangements and the day being ideal the picnic proved to be an unusual success.

Besides, the menu which sounds very plecticky, with boiled ham, baked beans, potato salad, pickles, olives, and radishes with Parkerhouse rolls, winding up with ice cream and cake, was a spread fit for a hungry man.

The program prepared was interesting and follows: Introduction of Postmaster, Cecil Hill Response.....Eugene Kammeraad Greeting..... Hazel Albers Class Poem.....Eugene Damstra "Uke" Quartet

Della Hoffman, Inez Prince, Hazel Albers, Evelyn Neinhuis Toast, "To the Boys".....Alice M. Hyma Toast, "To the Girls".....Carl Damson "Uke" Quartet.....Theresa Mool The Class of '24.....Miss Geiger Advice to the Class.....Mr. Riemersma The Goal Ahead.....Mr. Fell "Uke" Quartet.....Sports The class officers are: President, Cecil Hill; vice-pres., John Mulder; sec'y and treas., Marion Ingham. Committee Chairman—Program, Edna Cook; refreshments, Julia Zeldewind; sports, Carl Damson; class patroness, Maibelle Geiger; director of class day, Gertrude M. Wicks.

LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER TO TOUR EUROPE

Miss Lida Rogers, for several years instructor in our local high school, is to make an extended trip through Europe. She will be accompanied by a niece Miss Rosamond Rogers of Mantague. They expect to leave June 21, on the steamer Marbourn, a Canadian Pacific liner.

First a trip will be made down the St. Lawrence river to the ocean and their destination on the other side will be Glasgow.

The ladies have mapped out a trip as follows: England and Scotland and then Holland. A side trip will be made up the Rhine, when the party will go through Switzerland.

From Switzerland they will go to Italy and visit Rome, Florence, Venice and Genoa.

From Italy there will be a trip of two days over the battlefields in France and Belgium, and a stay of a week in Paris.

Miss Rogers and her niece expect to be away at least nine weeks.

Next fall Miss Rogers will again return to Holland High as instructor in biology.

JAMESTOWN CREAMERY MANAGER PAYS FINE

Lewis De Kleine, manager of the Interurban Creamery Co. of Jamestown, appeared before Justice Van Schelven Friday morning on the charge that he had not pasteurized the skim milk from his creamery that is returned to the farmers. The state law requires pasteurization of skim milk and about a year ago several Ottawa county creamery managers were fined for violating this law.

The complaint against De Kleine was made by Mr. Woltman, state agricultural inspector.

Mr. De Kleine paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$7.25.

KALAMAZOO MAN TO GIVE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

The board of education has secured Rev. John W. Dunning, pastor of 1st Presbyterian church, Kalamazoo, to deliver the commencement address to the class of 1925 of Holland high school. The exercises will be held on June 21, in high school auditorium. The program will include the salutatory by Bert Vander Meulen and the valedictory by Miss Harriet Heneveld. Diplomas will be presented to 76 graduates. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. S. M. Zwemer Sunday morning at the First Reformed church.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Boven at 376 Central avenue, a son, Robert Wayne.

Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Cook were visiting in Grand Rapids Thursday afternoon.

Ed Leeuw of the Hudson-Essex was in Grand Rapids Thursday.

Jacob Lokker transacted business in Grand Rapids Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Smeenge motored to Grand Rapids Thursday.

GETZ OFFER TO BUILD THE ROAD ACCEPTED

Chairman Austin Harrington of the Ottawa Road Commission stated that at a meeting held at Grand Haven Friday it was decided to accept the offer of George Getz of Alkewood Farm whereby he loans the county \$10,000 to complete the Alpena road to the beach, the county to pay Mr. Getz when it is convenient.

It was also decided to finish the grade of the short cut road to Grand Rapids from Zeeland to Hudsonville this summer, and to concrete on Hudsonville along the Pere Marquette track to Jenison, a distance of four miles, the bids to be let within two weeks.

When this piece of road is completed there will be concrete from Hudsonville into Grand Rapids and only the stretch between Zeeland and Hudsonville will have to be done in order to make a complete highway from Holland.

The commission took under advisement the matter of rerouting the north and south county road running through Chester township. This road now runs through an unsettled section but if rerouted as proposed the topographical features will favor the road construction more and in addition the villages of Conklin and Harrisburg will be included in the highway which will be extended to Muskegon county where it will join with Trunk line 43. The section of the road in Muskegon county is in good shape and it is proposed to make the Ottawa county road as serviceable. Hitherto there has been little if any use for the road as it does not include the two settlements mentioned.

Bids were also authorized by the commission to be taken on June 28 for the construction of a quarter of a mile of pavement to connect the paved road coming from the village of Conklin with the concrete of M-16 going past Coopersville.

PICNICKERS COME THRU HOLLAND WITH BANNERS FLYING

Fifty automobile loads in parade formation passed through Holland with streamers and banners flying representing more than 200 picnickers consisting of naval men of the Furniture City Post American Legion, who with their wives and sweethearts were guests of Fred Z. Pantlind, mine host, manager of the Hotel Ottawa.

The parade started from Pearl St. bridge, Grand Rapids, and proceeded to Holland and from there to the Holland resorts.

All preparations had been made for a wonderful time and the supper was held on the beach with a large bonfire to light up all around.

During the afternoon and evening the hotel and grounds were at the disposal of the ex-service men and games of all kinds took place on the water as well as on the lawn.

Tables filled the long verandas and cards as well as other table games were features. Mr. Pantlind surely entertained royally at Ottawa Beach Saturday.

POSTMASTER IS NAMED FOR GRAND HAVEN OFFICE

The appointment of Major George L. Olsen as postmaster at Grand Haven, has been recommended by Cong. Carl E. Mapes, representative in Congress from the Fifth District. The recommendation has been forwarded to the postoffice department by Cong. Mapes from where it goes to President Harding for his signature. Major Olsen's commission will then be issued in due time. The vacancy in the Grand Haven postoffice occurs late in July with the expiration of the term of Peter Van Lopik, present postmaster.

While the appointment of the postmaster at that office is not under the U. S. Civil Service, the applicants are obliged to submit their questionnaire in lieu of examination, and the eligibles were certified by the civil service commission to the congressman for his selection of an appointee. In the list of the eligibles, Major Olsen drew a preferred classification because of his service as a soldier in the World War.

Major Olsen is a native of Grand Haven. Upon his return from the war, he acquired an interest in the abstract business of George D. Turner and assisted in organizing the Turner Abstract Co. and the Olsen Insurance Co. in which business he is now engaged. He has always been a stalwart Republican though he never before sought political office. He is at present treasurer of the Ottawa County Republican committee.

KAMINSKI IS EXAMINED IN JUSTICE COURT

John Kaminski of Robinson, who is held on a charge of having liquor in his possession unlawfully, was examined before Justice Hugh Lillie at Grand Haven. Justice Lillie took the case under advisement announcing no decision.

On May 4, Officer Rosema placed Marion Kaminski, father of John, under arrest on a charge of selling liquor. Rosema had just before taken a bottle of moonshine from a man who stated he had purchased the same from Kaminski, according to a statement made by the prosecuting attorney. Upon placing the older Kaminski under arrest, the officers allege that the son seized the liquor which was to be used as evidence and broke the bottle by striking it upon a stove. The elder Kaminski has been bound over to circuit court following arraignment some time ago. Justice Lillie has taken the matter of John Kaminski under advisement.

FUNERAL PROCESSION FOR MURDERED MAN MILE LONG

Probably one of the largest funerals ever held in Allegan county was the funeral of John Westveld, who was killed by Luke Karsen. The funeral was held in the 1st Reformed church in Hamilton. William Ten Brink, the undertaker, stated that the funeral procession was nearly one mile long which drove to the cemetery at Zeeland, where the deceased was buried.



VACATION!

WHEN you go on your vacation this summer, take NO money. You can then travel without fear.

Q The holdup men on trains -- on highways--around hotels--at resorts, will have poor luck if you and others will permit us to suggest that you take NO money.

Q Travelers' Checks are the safest method of carrying the where-with-all to give you a happy and restful vacation.

Q "Restful"—that's the sort of surroundings that work magic to tired bodies and brains.

Q And when you have a/constant subconscious feeling that you may have your "wealth" taken from you and the vacation trip spoiled, there is little rest.

Q Travelers' Checks cost but a small sum here. Take all of your money in that form. You can get any denomination desired.

Q Banks, hotels and transportation companies everywhere will cash your Travelers' Checks. Each morning sign one and pay your bill. You will thus have sufficient change for the day.

FIRST STATE BANK

A CLARION CALL TO FOLKS OF THRIFT!

The Sale Supreme START THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 9 a.m.

Our First Sale—Here's The Reason, Folks

This store is now enjoying a public confidence and patronage that we never before attained, and each day sees a gratifying amount of our good merchandise sold to pleased customers of this establishment. Our aim has always been to offer high class serviceable merchandise at the lowest price consistent with good quality.

When any firm becomes satisfied, they become stagnant, and it is our desire to progress with the changing times and conditions. We want to be known far and wide as the most up-to-date and progressive Jewelers and Watchmakers in this community. That's the reason for this get acquainted and get together sale.

We aim to do our advertising by the good values we give you, as well as through the newspapers and we hope to convince you that your dollar bill will buy you more real value here in Jewelry, watches and silverware than you ever believed possible.

We have been in business here for over 20 years, and have never had a sale. So we tell you now, we stake our reputation on the values offered during this sale. We guarantee our merchandise to the fullest extent, and will take back, exchange or refund money on any article, for any reason whatsoever, during this sale as well as at any other time.

We want to make a lot of new friends, as well as greet our old friends, so from Thursday, June 21, to Saturday, June 30, you can buy any article in our stock, including diamonds, at a great reduction from the regular price.

We want to please you. IT'S your SALE, Folks. come and buy with confidence. Yours for Progressive Business, (EO. H. HUIZINGA & CO.

ITEMS Listed on this page are only a few of the many bargains to be obtained here during this sale. ENTIRE STOCK ON SALE—June 21-30.

MEN—Here is an Extra Value! \$20 Elgin Watch \$12.95

Green gold and white gold, 12 size engine turned cases, fine Elgin movement, fully guaranteed by the maker and by us. This is a real value, and a watch that will keep perfect time for many years—regular price is \$20. Sale price \$12.95

Geo. H. Huizinga & Co. 18 W. 8th St. HOLLAND, MICH.

Ladies' Rings Solid gold Rings, set with rubies, aquamarines, topaz, white sapphires, turquoise, etc.—new designs, very attractive and sell regular from \$10 to \$15 each. SALE PRICE \$7.35

Men's Watch Chains Waldemer style Watch Chains, yellow, green and white gold filled, light or heavier, links and bars—the kind of chains you men have been paying \$5.00 to get— SALE PRICE \$2.69

Wrist Watches, Elgin, Gruen, and other good makes, 15 Jewel movements, yellow gold or green gold, 20 year guaranteed cases, and the regular price of these fine watches is from \$25 to \$30. We have about 3 dozen only of these, and to offer them as a special bargain during this sale. \$14.95

Rogers Chest of Silver \$7.85 Ladies, here is a wonderful buy. Rogers Chest of silver, 26 pieces, beautiful new design, put up in attractive mahogany oak and cloth covered flat cases. Fully guaranteed in every respect and we challenge the world to produce a greater value. Really worth \$15.00, during this sale Only \$7.85 All white Ivory toilet articles, mirrors, brushes, trays, jewel cases, etc. 33 1-3 off during sale.

Men's Cuff Buttons Men's green and gold filled, yellow gold filled and white gold filled cuff buttons, very good designs and patterns, and sell regular from \$1.50 to \$3.00. Special 89c.

Alarm Clocks Here is a special bargain—we have about 50 of these fine large size Alarm Clocks, guaranteed by the maker.—sell regular for \$1.50. Sale price 98c.

Silver Candle Sticks The old Dutch design in candle sticks is very popular now—We have two styles and quantities —\$4.00 Candle Sticks—now \$2.45 —\$5.10 " " " \$3.45

Earrings: Assorted colors and styles in new designs—both short and long ear drops, including the new King Tut style—reg. price from \$1.50 to \$3. Sale Price - 60c.

Sheffield Water Pitcher Plain finish and hammered designs in large size pitchers, colonial style and bowl shapes. Regular price is \$12.00. \$7.35

33 1-3% Off All Cut Glass

33 1-3% Off All White Ivory

STRAWBERRY SEASON IS OPEN AT THE CANNING FACTORY

The strawberry canning season opened at the Holland Canning Co. on Tuesday and berries have been coming in from a wide radius.

crop and the strawberry run at the local factory will be one of the shortest in years. It will probably not last much more than a week.

The strawberry growers are bothered by an insect that gets into the vines and injures the crop. This pest was much increased by the dry weather and killed many berries.

News advertising pays.

COLONEL LINDSEY BLAYNEY



In Col. Blayney, equally celebrated as a soldier, world traveler, diplomat, and scholar, Chautauqua is to be congratulated upon securing another of America's distinguished sons.

To mention but a few of the high honors which have come to this distinguished citizen: As a volunteer officer in the World War he participated in three major campaigns, finishing the war as Lieutenant-Colonel of Infantry.

Dr. Blayney, who among many other officers is a member of the National American Commission of the American Legion, has traveled in the Americas, Asia, Africa, and Europe, served in the U. S. Consular Corps in Germany, and made an expedition into Central Morocco.

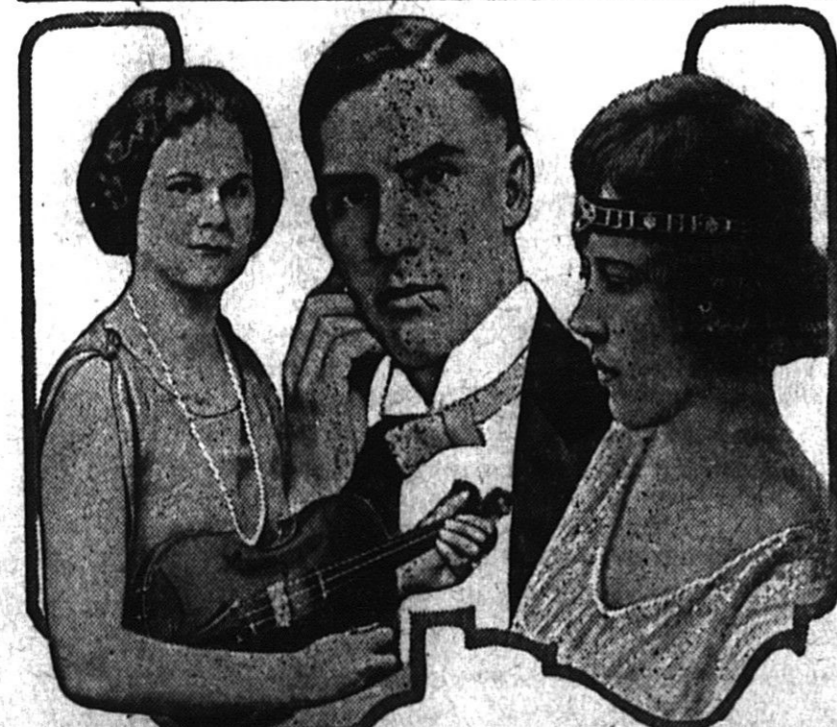
You cannot afford to miss him on the third day of the assembly.

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE"



To furnish clean wholesome entertainment is a part of the mission of a Chautauqua program. To that end the Meisner players, a carefully coached professional company, have been secured to present the inimitable comedy "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE" on the opening night of the assembly.

THE ARTIST TRIO



In Margaret Freck Brown, pianist, reader and whistler, Miss Louise C. Lee, violinist, and George H. Weber, bass, we are fortunate in having a group of musical artists who will interpret in programs of solos, duets and trios, the music of the masters as well as other selections you will be delighted to hear.

"NOT AN ELEVATOR IN LIFE, YOU MUST CLIMB"

The High school auditorium was well filled with the relatives and friends of eighty-two pupils who graduated from Junior High school Monday evening and most of them will be found in the Freshman class at the high school next fall.

Mrs. James Wayer was the main speaker at the exercises and she gave a discourse that was unusually impressive. She inspired the graduates to make the most of themselves in order that their parents might realize the hope and faith they had in their children.

The program followed out and the list of graduates together with the teaching staff of junior high are found below:

- Invocation.....Rev. S. VanderWerf
Selections.....Junior High Orchestra
"The Star".....Bellingham
"A Lullaby".....Mazkowskai
Junior High Chorus
Address.....Mrs. J. A. Wayer
"Here's Music in the Air".....Junior High Boys
"Polk Dance".....Gabriel-Marie
"Rest".....Franz Abt
Junior High Chorus
Presentation of Diplomas.....Supt. Fell
"Fairy Revels".....A. E. Johnstoh
Junior High Chorus
Class March
Played by C. Koopman, G. Visscher
Junior High Teachers—Minnie K. Smith, Principal; Iva Stanton, Sena Koelker, Nina Daugherty, Ada Whitman, Minnie Nelson, Martin D. Bos, Nella La Dick, Christina Cappon, Roy Cogdal, Beatrice Osborne, Richard Martin, Rena Blyma, Henrietta Oudemool, Zora Barnaby, Henrietta Zwemer, Grace S. Fuller, Rose Nelson, Marjorie Sterling, Jean Goldsmith, Anna M. Dehn, William Slater, Ruth Keppel, R. G. Evans.

"The Four-fold Standard" was the subject of the baccalaureate sermon preached Sunday forenoon in the 1st Reformed church by Dr. S. M. Zwemer to the graduates of Holland high school. Dr. Zwemer stated as his major premise that the crown of civilization and education is character and his sermon was an analysis of how the goal of education, the formation of character, may be attained.

The judgment of our friends is a second standard, and this is some times more accurate, sometimes more sympathetic, oftentimes more cruel, always more searching, never warring.

The final and determining standard is the Lord's judgment, said the speaker. It is impartial, full of compassion, and in this judgment mercy and truth meet.

The Holland high school graduating exercises will be held Thursday evening in the high school auditorium when a class of seventy-six will receive their diplomas. Rev. John W. Dunning, of Kalamazoo, will deliver the graduating address, and a feature of the program will be the awarding of numerous prizes. The prizes will be handed out by Principal J. J. Riemersma and they are as follows:

The program will be as follows: Invocation, Rev. J. H. Brugger; "Apple Blossoms," (E. Grieg, arr. by Fears) and "Merry June" (Chas. Vincent), Senior girls; salutatory, Bernice Vander Meulen, whose grade for four years was 96.89; address, "Striking the Upward Trail," Rev. John W. Dunning; "Before the

Storm" (A. B. Wilson), boys' quartet; valedictory, Harriet L. Heneveld, whose average grade for four years was 97.20; "Drowsily Come the Sheep" (Ashford) and "Little Brown Baby" (Wilson), boys' quartet; presentation of diplomas, Supt. E. E. Fell, presentation of prizes, Principal J. J. Riemersma; presentation of class memorial, John Ten Brink; doxology and benediction.

Following are the graduates: Gertrude Bazan, Lulu Berens, James Bouwman, Maxine Adeline Boon, Gertrude E. Bussies, Veron M. Cook, Russell Damstra, Harold L. De Loof, Fleming Carrow De Vries, Harold G. De Vries, Gerrit De Weerd, Lois De Weerd, Margaret Helen De Weerd, Sydney E. De Weerd, Kathryn J. Dinkeloo, Agnes Dogger, Winfred Dykstra, James Everett, Egbert H. Fell, Robert Fleming, Marcelle Galtentine, Thelma Katherine Haas, Mae Elizabeth Hadden, Harriet L. Heneveld, LeRoy L. Hill, Rutherford G. Huijzing, Ruth Alice Hyma, Russell Japings, Hazel A. King, Adrian J. Klaassen, Cora Knoll, John W. Knoll, Mable Florence Lage Ella C. Lanning, Hazel Frances Lokker, Elmer A. Lordahl, William G. Maat, Ruth L. Marcotte, Worthy Monroe Maxted, Cathalene D. Mersen, Russell H. Mulder, Frederick Oiert, Lawrence Oosting, Kenneth J. Parish, Joanna Myrtle Parker, Alice Plasman, Geraldine Rynbrandt, Elsa Lillian Schmid, Dorothy H. Slagh, Frances Marie Spoelstra, Ella Steffens, A. Frederick Steketee, Katherine Louise Stevens, Nella Wilma Tams, Vernon D. Ten Cate, Jeannette Teusink, Marie Tien, Viola Ruth Van Anrooy, John Van Den Brink, Esther E. Van Den Tak, Margaret E. Vander Hart, Bernice Van der Meulen, Katherine A. Van der Veere, George F. Vande Woude, Wilma Van Doesburg, J. Earl Van Lente, Jacob Van Zanden, Gertrude Verhey, Chester Harold Voorhorst, Jay A. Wabeke, Ernest Lester Wandrooy, Ethel Virginia Whitcomb, Garrett Egbert Winter, Hartger Egbert Winter, Gertrude Oriena Woltring.

SAYS THAT SOME HAVE NO RIGHT TO COLLEGE EDUCATION

That not every boy and girl has a divine right to a college education was the arresting and outstanding thought thrown out by Wm. Prakken, principal of the Highland Park high school, in the master's address at the annual banquet of the Hope College Alumni association in Hope church parlors Monday evening.

Mr. Prakken, who graduated 25 years ago, has made a record as a high school principal and his address was full of interest. He declared that unless a high school student has the capacity for carrying a college course and unless he has enough character to assume the responsibilities of an education he is better off without it.

Mr. Prakken also paid a warm tribute to the denominational college, declaring that it is necessary as a place where religion and morality are taught. The public schools and high schools and universities, he said, almost completely ignore religion and the denominational college is necessary to teach it and keep it alive in the hearts of the people.

AMERICAN HISTORY PRIZES TO BE AWARDED AT H. S.

The excellence of Holland High School's History department has often been commented upon. Our schools are quite unlike those in a number of cities, for the question is often brought up as to whether or not proper instruction in American history is given. This subject is so often a bone of contention that in many states the legislatures have taken action prohibiting the use of certain text-books and making compulsory a certain number of courses in American history for each student before the required number of credits for graduation are attained.

GETTING READY FOR CITY AND SCHOOL TAX CAMPAIGN

The summer tax gathering campaign for Holland will begin on the first Monday in July and City Treasurer Bowmaster is getting things into shape for a strenuous six weeks. The summer taxes can be paid at any time between the first Monday in July and August fifteenth.

master will have to collect \$303,606 in city and school taxes, the former amounting to \$133,606, and the latter to \$170,000. The tax rate is \$26.55 per \$1000 assessed valuation, and any one who knows what his valuation is can easily figure out for himself what his summer tax bill will be.

ULFILAS PROGRAM AT TRACTS MANY LISTENERS

A good-sized audience gathered in Carnegie hall on Monday evening to listen to the annual program of the Ufilas Club, a society on the campus in the interest of the study of the Dutch language and literature. These annual entertainments are very popular and people come to them from many miles away, showing that the interest in the Dutch language and literature is still keen in the communities surrounding Holland.

PRIZES FOR ELKS FAIR TO RUN TO FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS

Grand Haven Tribune—Edward Sellgman, chairman of the committee

in charge of the Elks' Beach fair and Harvey Berger, in charge of the entertainment committee, returned yesterday after a trip to Chicago where they negotiated for \$5000 worth of prizes to be awarded at the fair. Several excellent vaudeville entertainers were seen in regard to securing their services and it is stated that some high class talent will be induced to come there.

GOOSE EGG, HATCHED BY HEN BRINGS FORTH TWINS

Bellevue, June 19—The goose that laid the golden egg has arrived. It belongs to Albert Weston, Bellevue. The goose laid a 14-ounce egg, that was set under a hen and two lively geese were hatched. Both are as healthy as the others in the hatch.

CHOIR GIVEN OUTING BY CONSISTORY

The members of the choir of Trinity Reformed church, were given a fish supper Monday night by the consistory of the church in appreciation of the work of the choir during the past year. The party some thirty in number, drove in automobiles to Weed's place near Douglas, where a delicious supper was served.

Miss Mildred Temple, organist at Trinity church the past year, will leave soon for her home in New York. She graduates this year from Hope College and will not be back next fall to resume her work as organist. So the party was also in part a farewell supper in her honor.



"Can a Wrist Watch Keep Good Time?"

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Looks like a big crop of cherries this year. Better get your cherry pitter early as last year there was a shortage. We have a good stock of three kinds at 95c \$1.25 \$1.50

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A mighty good paint for the money. It is made on a good formula and it's spreading capacity will surprise you. Price, per gallon, only \$2.50

Winchester Arms Co.

are now making fishing tackle. We are selling their steel casting rods at \$1.95 with full agate mountings \$3.00

Lawn Swings

Juvenile size at \$6.00 Full size, "steel hung" strongly made 4 pas. \$9.00

Refrigerators

We have the "Grand Rapids"—"Belding Hall" stone lined and "Ash Wood" \$15.00 and up

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The cast aluminum "Maytag" is, considering its long life, the cheapest machine on the market. It washes in from 3 to 6 minutes and is most convenient to work with. It is very easy on clothes as there is no rubbing or stamping of the clothes. The circulation of the water does the work. We are glad to let you try one. You will find every type here \$45.00 and up

John Nies' Sons Hdwe. Co.

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FIGHT IS MADE FOR IMPROVEMENT OF THE HARBOR

At least fifty men from the Holland Chamber of Commerce left via autos at 9:15 from the city hall Saturday morning to meet Major Skinner...

After South Haven and Saugatuck harbors had been inspected it was Holland's turn. The boat tied up to the pier and the men aboard were met by the large Holland delegation...

The engineers proved to be hard on the bit, and at first did not give the committee much encouragement. Things began to warm up some at intervals and at one time quite a heated discussion arose between Major Skinner, Captain Harrington and Mr. Diekema...

A better understanding prevailed however at the close of the session in which Congressman Carl Mapes pointed out to the engineers that at least some beginning and some tangible plans should be forthcoming soon. The committee pointed out to the engineers that the top decking of the channel had pretty well rotted away, and that it was absolutely dangerous for resorters to promenade or to go fishing on the pier...

The committee however, succeeded finally in getting the south pier fixed up somewhat, in order to make it less dangerous to the resort public and which after all is not a part of the government's duty.

The break in the north pier was also a bone of contention as all plans had been made to put a row of stone on the inner part of the gap, instead of fixing up the break with new revetments to correspond with the rest of the pier.

Arguments were brought to bear that departing from the old way of building piers would show that this is patchwork. Other points brought out were that the stone might slide into the channel and would be sucked up by the "General Meade" in her sand sucking operations and do considerable damage to machinery.

Engineer Skinner put the question on these arguments, however, stating that these stone piers are now being used in Chicago by the government as well as in other lake port towns, and that the government had planned this for Holland harbor and any deviation from these plans would mean untold delay.

"Nat' Robbins, head of the Graham & Morton Transportation company, who was one of the committee from Holland partially supported Major Skinner in his contentions and the committee then felt, knowing how slow the government works, that it was best to get what possibly could be gotten without delay.

Besides the dredging, the plans are to fix the break in the pier and the broken tops of the piers as well this summer.

One point was brought out very forcibly by Major Skinner when new revetments and piers were asked for in the broken part of the north side of the channel. Major Skinner blurted out that the government doesn't build docks and piers in front of private property in order to furnish dockage for individuals who own the ground.

The fact is, the pier and ground on the south side belongs to Uncle Sam while the ground on the Ottawa Beach side where the pier is broken is privately owned property.

The committee worked very diligently with the engineers. For three hours they argued in the boiler heat visiting every part of the pier and breakwater and no doubt the engineers have left this port greatly impressed knowing that Holland has its fighting clothes on and wants adequate harbor facilities which it so richly deserves.

NEARLY ONE THOUSAND ADDED TO REFORMED CHURCH

Statistics compiled by Rev. Peter Moordyke stated clerk for the particular synod of Chicago in the Reformed church denomination shows gains over the figures for 1923 of 247 families, 704 communicants, 1,543 Sunday school enrollment and \$75,451 in contributions for all purposes.

The Chicago synod comprising 226 churches, 13,185 families, 28,075 communicants, 22,468 baptized non-communicants, 2,455 adherents, 121 Sunday schools with an enrollment of 20,969 and total contributions for the year of \$947,332. The number received on confession was 1,246; on certificate, 1,030; children baptized, 1,360; adults, 122. The losses show that 897 were dismissed and 262 deaths are reported.

The largest churches with respect to number of families are: First Roseland, 860; Third, Holland, 852; Central, Grand Rapids, 850; Bethany, Chicago 808; First, Holland, 800. As pertains to communicant membership Third, Holland, leads with 896. The largest Sunday school is Third, of Holland with 1,088. Central church, Grand Rapids, heads the list in contributions totaling \$90,149 of which \$78,937 was collected for remodeling the church; Hope church of Holland, is second with \$30,844.

The synod numbers 99 pastors, 25 churches are without pastors, 17 missionaries in the orient are affiliated with the membership of the synod.

The normal class of the Sixth Reformed church enjoyed a wondrous feast at Ottawa Beach Friday evening.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Order of Blue Goose is being held at the Ottawa Beach Hotel Wednesday Thursday and Friday of this week.

HOLLAND LINE MOVES TO SHOW ALONG WITH THE LIMBERT LINE

One of the surprises which will fall upon buyers who visit the Manufacturers' building will be the absence of the Holland Furniture Co. and E. P. Stephan from its old familiar space on the 4th floor. Ever since the Manufacturers' building was built, Holland has occupied that space with its splendid line of bedroom furniture.

And always "Mayor" Stephan has been in the doorway trying to boss the buyers around just as he tries to boss the Holland city council around—and doesn't get away with the former any better than he does with the latter.

But the Holland has hooked up with C. P. Limbert Co. and Stephan has linked arms with Dick Van Raalte, the moving genius of the Limbert line, and they are showing their lines together on the ground floor of the Blodgett building in the space which the Limbert line has occupied ever since there was a Grand Rapids market.

The combination is an excellent one since the dining room line of Limbert works along side of the bedroom line of Holland very nicely. And since for some time many of the salesmen for each line have sold the other it was logical that they should be shown together.

The space has been beautifully fitted up and the entire first floor and basement are being utilized. Now there will be two big Dutchmen to greet the buyers when they enter the space whereas there used to be but one in each place.

The Ottawa Furniture Co. has taken over the entire third floor space formerly occupied by itself and by the Tell City Furniture Co. and all the rest of that wing of the Manufacturers' building. Ottawa Furniture Co. has been making remarkable strides in the last couple of years with A. A. Visscher in command and with Jim De Pree seconding the motion and it is now offering one of the most attractive lines in the market. With the new space enlarged and fitted up to best advantage the display will be one of the finest in this big building.

—G. R. Herald.

PUBLIC UTILITIES CO. PAYS A DIVIDEND

The American Public Utilities Co., headed by Joseph Brewer, has paid its first dividend in four years. The war, the unprecedented prices in coal the high cost of labor, had wiped out any chance of a dividend, but the company is again on a paying basis and the first dividend will be paid on July 15 after a lapse of four years.

The Holland Gas Works is part of this organization. However it is very doubtful if the local company has contributed much toward putting the American Public Utilities company on a dividend paying basis.

The Holland plant had always been considered a bad asset but notwithstanding this fact, local Manager E. P. Davis has been showing some remarkable results. In recent years there have been some extensive main extensions and connections made in the Fifth and Sixth Wards which before that time was a tone of contention and brought a great deal of legal difficulty between the gas company and the city.

The gas company was rather up against it because of the original low rate, and with the oncoming part of the war which brought on unheard of conditions and peak load prices, all attempts to maintain old rates in all public service companies was next to the impossible, and rate readjustment took place as a matter of course.

Through the aid of a reasonable gas company, a reasonable mayor and common council, and a sensible public utilities commission rates were amicably adjusted and the former strained relations between the company and the city have been dissipated.

Besides the Holland plant the company has large holdings in several cities in the south, including light, power, and street car rights, furnishes light and heat in Salt Lake City, owns a \$5,000,000 dam in Eau Claire, Wis., that furnishes electric power and light to northwestern Wisconsin and to part of Minnesota, including the large cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul.

All these different holdings under one head constitute the American Public Utilities company, including of course the Holland gas works.

BRYAN ASKED TO OTTAWA CONVENTION

Efforts are being made by Rev. H. Bel, pastor of 1st Christian Reformed church, Muskegon, to secure W. J. Bryan as a speaker at the State Sunday School convention of the Christian Reformed denomination to be held in Grand Haven October 12. Rev. Bel is secretary of the coming convention. The state convention was held in Muskegon last year with marked success. At the meeting Rev. W. Groen pastor of the First Christian Reformed church of Grand Haven was elected president of the coming convention and Grand Haven was named as the convention city.

Should Mr. Bryan accept the offer it is expected that the number of delegates attending will be much larger than would ordinarily attend. Mr. Bryan is popular in Christian Reformed circles because of his denunciation of the Darwinian principles of evolution.

PUPILS HOLD PICNIC AT JENISON PARK

The pupils of the Lincoln school and the parents and teachers enjoyed their annual picnic Saturday afternoon at Jenison Park. The trip was made in automobiles and the company formed a long procession down 8th street. The parade was headed by the American Legion band and this band also furnished the music at the park during the afternoon.

A fine program of sports was carried out and the merchants of Holland saw to it that the winners had appropriate prizes. For these donations the picnic committee is extremely grateful. Auto owners were also generous in giving the use of the cars to take the pupils and parents to the park. There were plenty of good things to eat, and the afternoon was spent delightfully by all.

Mrs. T. Slagh is in Ann Arbor to attend the commencement, her son Harold being one of the graduates.

Miss Belle Fuller of Grand Rapids is spending the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kraker.

Lillian N. Cooley, 17, who was given a divorce from her husband by Judge O. S. Cross in circuit court on March 23, this week was married to Joseph G. Stockdale, 20, of Allegan.

PYTHIANS TO AWARD MEDALS TO H. S. PRIZE WINNERS

Castle Lodge No. 153 of the Knights of Pythias are again presenting medals to the Holland high school seniors. In line with their work on American citizenship the Pythians stage a state-wide contest among the students in the high schools and award very desirable prizes to the winners. The local contest is arranged by the English staff of the high school. Each scholar competing must present a carefully prepared essay on the subject "What it means to be a good citizen."

Over fifty papers were offered by the students showing the large interest these contests provoke as well as the keen rivalry to be the winner of medals. A solid gold medal beautifully engraved goes to the writer of the paper selected by the judges as most deserving of first place, and a silver medal is the second prize. In addition the winner has the honor of having his paper turned over to the committee to be considered for the state prize which is a solid gold watch, a trip to the Pythians' expense to their state convention at Charlevoix. The winners of the contest this year will be awarded their medals at the high school graduation exercises on Thursday evening.

COACH SCHOUTEN GIVES HOPE CO-EDS LETTERS

Fourteen Hope co-eds have been awarded sweaters and much-coveted physical training.

The requirements were a hike of 20 miles a week, with a maximum of five miles per day; 10 hours indoor baseball, 10 hours basketball, 10 hrs. tennis and 12 hours of setting up exercises. These netted 800 points.

The electives, 10 points each, included volleyball, hockey, canoeing, rowing and skating ice or roller. Other events included 30-yard swim, two perfect strokes, dead man's float, 25 points, and 50 points each for 50 yard dash, ball throw javelin throw, broad jump and high jump. Points necessary for sweater, 1,000; letter "H", 700.

The coeds receiving sweaters are: Mabelle R. Du Mez, Leona Sthes, Ruth M. Hoekstra, Anita M. Meoora, Holland; Kath Natalie Reed, Saunware; Edith D. Banninga, Edith Clerk, Agnes Buikema, Lois G. Brockmeier, Grand Rapids; Jeanette Veldman, Grandville; Florence N. Klow, Spring Lake; Anna Wyn-garden, Zealand; Harriet J. Vander-bush, Baldwin, Wis.; Henrietta Jean Kuiper, Cedar Grove, Wis.; Jeanette Van Arendonk of Schuylerville, N. Y. was awarded an "H."

ROTARY DELEGATES FLOCK TO ST. LOUIS FOR BIG CONVENTION

St. Louis June 18—Whether they started from home with their faces set toward the east or in the opposite direction toward the setting sun made no difference to the delegates and their wives from Australia and New Zealand to the 14th annual convention of Rotary International which opened here Monday. They had about the same distance to come, as they were forced to travel 1,000 miles north as well as from 12,000 to 15,000 miles east or west, no matter which way they came.

Nine of the 17 globe circlers are members of Rotary clubs in five cities in Australia and New Zealand and the remainder are wives of these members.

The antipodes are not the only far distance places that are contributing to the crowd at the convention. A. W. Beam represents Manila and Harry Norman made the journey from Shanghai. H. E. Ewing is here from Buenos Aires, L. Daly is from Montevideo, Uruguay, while there are delegates from Panama.

YOUNG MAN IS HELD ON FOUR CHARGES

Facing charges of bigamy, desertion, non-support and perjury, Arno Friedline, 18 years old, is in custody at Allegan while the officers are investigating one of the most tangled matrimonial affairs that has come to their attention.

Friedline married Alice M. Nedlow of Allegan, a 16-year-old girl, May 21. He is said to have told the clerk he was 21 and the girl 18. His arrest followed the return of the license to the clerk's office where it was discovered numerous pencil corrections in the license had been made without authority.

The ages of Friedline and his bride had been changed to read 18 and 16 and words had been scribbled on the license to the effect that consent to the marriage was given by the bride's mother.

Friedline is said to have confessed he has a wife, known as Exie Fletcher whom he married in Ligonier, Pa., April 22, 1922, and who now lives in Rector, Pa., with their child.

PRINTS PICTURE OF HOLLAND SUPERINTENDENT

The Grand Rapids Sunday Herald contains a large cut of Superintendent of schools, Mr. Egbert E. Fell of Holland. Mr. Fell was chosen one of the district vice presidents of the Michigan State Parent-Teachers' clubs. Mr. Fell has charge of all the work of this district of which he is the first officer in charge. This is the seventh district. He has served the Holland schools as city superintendent for the past 14 years. He always has shown the keenest interest in the local P.T. clubs of the city and of the rural community. He also has taught for a number of summers at summer normal schools throughout the state.

CATCHES MUSKELLUNGE WEIGHING 30 POUNDS

Joe Rhea of Holland caught one of the biggest muskellunge of the season Saturday afternoon. The fish weighs about thirty pounds; the fisher with the help of two partners succeeded in landing it in 20 minutes. It was taken in the big bayou. Fishing has been very good here the last few days; perch, white bass, and black bass are very plentiful and many are being caught.

All the pupils of the 8th grade of Olive Center school passed the examination and those that were awarded their diplomas are as follows: Mae De Jongh, Sina Kraal, Evelyn Dams, Lawrence Dams, John Boers, and Harold Vander Zwaag. The school was taught by C. Holthrop of Perryburg.

MISS CHURCHFORD PRESENTED WITH A FORD COUPE

Miss Nellie Churchford will after this not have to walk in the discharge of her duties as head of the city mission. Saturday evening a committee of citizens who admire Miss Churchford's services in Holland and who think she is filling a place of great influence here called at her home with a new Ford coupe and presented her with the title deed of it.

The presentation of the car was a complete surprise to Miss Churchford. The committee had worked so quietly that she had received not the faintest inkling. "It came near to resulting in a funeral," Miss Churchford said Monday; "my heart seemed to stop beating because of the surprise, and I certainly feel grateful to those people who made this possible. I do not know who contributed to it but I wish to thank all most heartily."

The committee that canvassed for funds and bought the car for Miss Churchford was headed by Paul Vander List, of the Holland Furnace Co., and other members of the committee were Charles Barnes, also of the Holland Furnace Co., and Gerrit Bar-ense, of the Barense & Van Voorst Co.

MONTELLO PARK DEFEATED EAST SAUGATUCK TEAM

The Montello Park base ball team defeated the fast East Saugatuck team by a score of ten to 3. Both teams played good ball. Wm. Vandenberg, pitching for Montello Park, struck out ten men, while J. Tubergen, on the mound for the losers, fanned seven men. The Montello Park manager would like to arrange games with either the Merchants, Warm Friends or the Federals. Call J. Pelton, Montello Park Grocery.

ARE SURPRISED BY THEIR RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Taylor, 291 W. 13th street, were very pleasantly surprised Friday evening when twenty of their relatives walked in at 8:30 with well filled baskets, it being Mrs. Taylor's birthday. Mrs. Taylor received many pretty gifts. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Robinson and son Robert; Virgil Johns, Alvin Hoornring, Mr. and Mrs. E. McWilliams, Dale and Virginia Mc Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosema, Miss Helen Fosema, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Stam and Cornelia Stam, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Taylor and Miss Betty Taylor.

DELEGATES TELL OF WORK DONE BY THE SYNOD

The Western Michigan delegates to the synod of the Reformed church held at Asbury Park, N. J., have returned and report that it was the largest synod held in years. The total enrollment reached 202.

The million dollar fund for disabled ministers, finishing its first year of active service, reported over one hundred thousand dollars collected and deposited in the bank, \$60,000 of which has come in this last year and nearly \$400,000 more promised which will be paid in the next four years.

The closing of the Progress campaign of its five years of assigned work shows that great gains have been made. Five years ago the church was given about \$1000 a day for missions and benevolences. Now she is giving \$2000 a day and the goal is set at \$100,000 a month. The work will go on, led by a program council made up of representatives of all the boards of the church.

One afternoon was spent reviewing the work of the board of foreign missions which despite the fact that it closed the year with a debt reports

great advance in the past year and with future opportunities greater than ever before caused by changing of world conditions in the far east. There are 12 new missionaries who will go to their fields in the near future, while consolidations and co-operation will make for greater efficiency in the field.

The report of the special committee appointed last June by the Synod that met at Pella, Ia., known as the committee on survey, whose work was to investigate the various organizations of the church with a view to great efficiency, presented an elaborate report, in which many startling changes were suggested, such as the abolishing of the Particular Synods, the reducing of the boards of the church from seven to four, combining the Woman's boards of foreign missions and domestic missions with the regular boards under these names; combining the board of publication with that of education, making a new board of ministerial relief and doing away with the separate treasurers of the various boards and combining all the business of the church into one central treasury and business office; the doing away with the book sales-room and making many other combinations looking toward efficiency and economy. This report was ordered printed and sent to all parties interested, they to state their opinions of the same in a communication that shall be received by the General Synod of 1924.

Dr. Worcester is a Congregational minister and opposition to his election developed because the charge was made that his orthodoxy was doubtful. The opposition to him charged that he was a "modernist" and in view of the fact that that is a sore point in the synods of nearly all denominations, this spring he had a hard time of it before the election was finished. A searching examination of the charges was made and according to one of the members from here who returned on Thursday Dr. Worcester was finally elected on the strength of a recommendation made by a committee of members from the eastern churches, including the members of the New Brunswick faculty. The faculty members in particular, including Dr. J. W. Beardslee formerly of Holland, strongly recommended Dr. Worcester and denied that he was not orthodox. When this report had been made the election was made possible.

Dr. E. J. Blekink is elected as president of the Western Theological Seminary by the synod.

The synod of the Reformed church that was held at Asbury Park, N. J. and that came to a close on Thursday came near having a spectacular fight

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PERE MARQUETTE TO BUILD NEW DEPOT AT GRAND HAVEN

Word was received in Grand Haven of the official approval of plans for a new railroad station to be built there by Pere Marquette R.R. The present Pere Marquette station is a frame building which has been in use for many years and has nearly become inadequate for the growing business of the company at Grand Haven.

During the last few months increases in traffic, particularly in the freight traffic, have been sufficient to warrant the construction of a new station so that after due consideration the plan was approved.

It is stated that President Frank H. Alfred of the company has given his official approval of the plan and that the project calls for the expenditure of not more than \$50,000. It is assumed that the station will be built on the order of the new station at Sarnia which was completed at a cost of \$30,000.

The building at Grand Haven will undoubtedly be of brick. Work on it is expected to start in the near future as soon as temporary quarters can be arranged for. The new station will be built on the site now occupied by the old station. It is planned to have the station completed by the first of 1924.

A large audience gathered in Carnegie Hall Thursday evening to attend the graduating exercises of the "A" class of the Preparatory department. This class has 31 members and while the class-day exercises were held Thursday night, the diplomas will not be handed out until next Wednesday evening at the annual commencement of Hope College.

The feature of the program was a two-act play called "The Butlers." Between the acts Theodore Luidens president of "A" class presented Miss Helen Moser, the coach, with a beautiful bouquet of roses. Miss Moser is a member of the senior class and took the part of the heroine in "Secret Service." She has won distinction in campus dramatics and it was largely due to her work that the "A" class play was a success.

Other members on the program were: Professional "The Patriots' March" by Mendelsohn, Miss Serena H. Top; Invocation, Dr. S. C. Nettings; president's welcome, Theodore Luidens; quartet, "Come All Ye Lads and Lassies," Cornelia A. Nettinga, Mary Weaver, Theodore Luidens and Herman Janssen; oration, "The Clarion Call," Miss Helen Olgers; vocal solo, "Minor and Major," C. G. Spross, and "The Year's at the Spring," by May H. Brake, sung by Miss Cornelia Nettinga; class prophecy, Miss Winnie Vrooland and Mr. Silas Wiersma.

MANY POULTRY FARMS VISITED DURING TOUR

This spring's poor hatches and low prices forced apparently, to diminish the enthusiasm of poultry raisers who participated Thursday in the second annual tour of poultry farms in Ottawa county, Michigan's greatest poultry county and one of the greatest chicken regions in the country.

One of the instructive entertainment features of the tour was a culling demonstration and lecture by Prof. C. M. Ferguson, extension specialist, explaining the work which the state experiment station proposes to do in feeding during the next year. One demonstration flock in each township in Ottawa county will be one of the projects to be pushed.

The tourists manifested considerable interest in the different types of poultry houses used and also in the per centage of hatch obtained this spring. The hatches varied according to different makes of incubators and considerable dissatisfaction was expressed by poultrymen with one company's product.

The following hatcheries and farms were visited: Brummer's, Edward Fischer, Henry Morris, all near Holland; Grandview and Superior hatcheries, near Zeeland; Clyde Hollis Alex Klooster and Alfred Terhaar's near Jamestown; J. J. and Jacob Nyenhuis near Borculo; H. Ringerwolt and Henry Garrits, Hudsonville White Leghorn ranch, Paul DeGroot, Arthur Dyksterhuis and Emmet Culagan. The tour broke up at Coopersville.

Following are the batting averages of the Holland Independents as revised since the last game: Dahlstrom 11-5-454; B. Batema, 31-12-337; Woldring, 49-19-335; M. Hoover 26-10-384; G. Batema, 48-17-454; V. Hoover 40-14-350; Shaw 49-17-347; Japinga 44-15-340; Ingham, 37-12-324.

RELIGIOUS PERPLEXITIES

It is popular to speak of the crisis in the churches. It is said that we are living in critical times. Some people are perplexed. This is not strange. Believers of all ages have been perplexed and troubled. Paul was baffled. He was troubled, perplexed, persecuted, cast down—there was a crisis in his day. St. Augustine felt that his time was critical. We believe that the Reformation days were critical. Only the spiritually secure ages were free from a crisis. Life brings with it some perplexities. Life's great troubles are just like they were in the days of Job. Sorrow, evil, broken hearts, shipwrecked lives have been here a long long time. The times we live in bring perplexity to the believer. But no one can live truly without being at some time or other sorely perplexed. Christianity does not keep difficulties from us. Some people think that religion ought to guard them from all adversity. This is a mistaken idea. Paul said, "perplexed but not in despair." Many people are in despair. Christianity keeps us from despair. It does more. First it does not remove difficulties from life but rather makes us more aware of them. It lifts them up, it throws the searchlight upon them and shows them to us. The Christian is most conscious of evil and of the presence of sin. Job was sorely troubled. David was much disturbed. The Christian religion makes pain, sin, sorrow more real. But it does more. It keeps us from despair. Our religion increases our ability to bear the burdens of life. We are pointed to a cross it is true, but also to Him who bore the cross. Explanations we do not always receive but inspiration we may secure. We can encourage ourselves in the word. We are made able to meet the crisis. Power is assured us. Despair is far from us when we trust in the limitless resources of God. The Christian therefore is a true optimist. We can't get rid of religious perplexities but we overcome them through Him who overcame them through Him who overcame.

HOLLAND DEFEATS GRANDVILLE-JENISON BY 15-3 SCORE

The fans Saturday were given several thrills at the local ball park while Holland swamped the G-J aggregation 15 to 3—namely the hitting of Spriggs, he getting five hits on as many attempts, while the infield executed two double plays and Gerry Batema helped execute the first triple play of the season. Gerry getting an unassisted double play and making all the three put-outs of the triple.

This all occurred in the fifth. C. McCoy first up drew a walk. Ohler hit Seamon hit to Japinga, throwing to Gerry who threw to Spriggs to head off McCoy from scoring.

Gerry who then ran over and tagged Ohler out as he was approaching 3rd. Grandville did all of their scoring in the sixth. Kerjes first up got a double. E. McCoy hit scoring Kerjes. Sullivan drew a walk, VanBunte walked, Westveld hit bringing in two.

Van Drummel fled out to Shaw. C. McCoy struck out. Ohler got a walk and Seamon fled out to Merle Hoover for last out.

The local boys are getting the habit of putting the game on ice early. Jappinga first up drew a walk, Gerry struck out. Ingham drew a walk, M. Hoover laid down a pretty bunt and through a bobble of Van Bunte he reached first safe, filling the sacks. Poppen placed a beautiful sacrifice to left field. Dickie scoring, Shaw drew a walk filling the bags ago. Spriggs got a hit scoring two. V. Hoover got a hit bringing two more in. Babe struck out ending the inning.

In the third we again had sport with Van Bunte. Japinga first up got a hit. G. Batema reached first safely when Van Drummond couldn't ham sacrifice the runner, reached first safely. M. Hoover was put out at first by Van Drummond. Poppen struck out. Shaw came through with two-bagger. Spriggs registered his third hit but was put out stealing. Sullivan to Ohler. In the 6th Miller went in to pitch for the G-J's but in this inning and the seventh the locals had their batting eyes sharpened and through eight hits scored six more runs.

Next Friday at 6 o'clock and Saturday at 3:15 the strong Colored Athletics of Chicago will be here. They are highly recommended and a real good game is looked for. All you fans looking for a real game come out and root.

Summaries—2 base hits—Spriggs, Shaw, Woldring and Kerjes. Triple Play—Jappinga, Spriggs, Batema. Double play—Japinga, Batema, Ingham, V. Hoover, Batema, E. McCoy, Ohler, Van Drummond. Struck out—By Poppen 4; by Van Bunte 4; Miller 1. Bases on Balls—Van Bunte 3, Poppen 4. Hit by Pitcher—Van Bunte. Sacrifice hit—Van Drummond, Shaw. Stolen Bases—Spriggs, V. Hoover. Time 2 hrs. 10 min. Ump.—Tony.

Fear that a prison sentence at this time for Luther Karsen, confessed slayer of John Westveldt of Hamilton would prove fatal to his mother, 87 years old and prostrated by his act, has led Judge Cross to defer sentence for a few days. The delay was granted at the request of relatives of the aged woman.

Oscar Cross, teacher of piano in the Hope College School of Music will sail from New York Wednesday on the steamer Doric. According to the Grand Rapids papers, Mr. Cross is a painter as well as a musician and will study with teachers in France and other countries.

John Bredeweg was arrested Friday night by Deputy Sheriff Vander West on the charge of being drunk. Before Justice Van Schelven Saturday forenoon he pleaded not guilty but in the afternoon he changed his plea to guilty and was given a fine and costs of \$20.75.

Miss Lalla E. McKay is in Kalamazoo to attend the commencement exercises of the Western State Normal School. Her brother Louis Paul McKay organist of the Christian Science church in Kalamazoo is a senior graduate and receives his B. A. degree.

The Fraternal society, the oldest literary society at Hope College held its 38th annual banquet Thursday evening at the Woman's Literary Club rooms. The banquet halls were beautifully decorated with a world scheme as a setting. Besides the thirty-one active members and their guests, several alumni were present.

Mr. Ernest Vanden Bosch of Grand Haven was toastmaster and he opened the program with a toast on the subject: "Terra Nostra." The program consisted of toasts by active and graduate members. Those who spoke were: Willard Bloemendal on the subject "Colossus." Prof. A. E. Lanpen on "U. S." John Reussard on "The Learning Tower." Teunis Baker on "The Pole Star." Cornelius Vander Meulen on "Jungles." Hessel Yntema on "The Phaos." Dr. S. M. Zwerner on "Hieroglyphics;" and a vocal solo by Willard Bloemendal. The last number was the "Frater's Song," by all.

THIRTY-THREE WILL GRADUATE FROM THE ZEELAND HIGH

The Zeeland High school will close during the coming week and the number of graduates is larger this year than any previous year totaling 33.

The class honors are as follows:—Hilda Wells 95.1, valedictorian; Josephine Lippenga and Gertrude Shoemaker, 94.2, joint salutatorians; Mabelle Coburne, 93.7; Lillian Schermer 92.7; Henrietta Bulthuis, 90.1.

The class officers are, president, Irving Glerum; vice-president, LaVerne Van Bree; secretary-treasurer, Cecilia Ver Hage.

The following is the program for commencement week: Friday, June 15, 7 p. m., Junior-Senior Banquet, Second Reformed church parlors.

Sunday, June 17, 7:30 p. m., Baccalaureate sermon, Rev. J. Van Peurssem, First Reformed church.

Thursday, June 21, 8 p. m., Annual Commencement Exercises, at First Reformed church.

Bids for the construction of the five miles of federal aid highways in Ottawa and Muskegon counties, are to be received at Grand Haven June 28, advertisements having already been submitted by the state highway department. It is expected that work on this highway will start early in July.

Three miles of the proposed paving is in Muskegon county, while two miles is in Ottawa county. The Ottawa county road is to be paid for under the Covert act as far as the county's portion is concerned.

The late start on the Pike construction means that it will require all the season to complete the new highway.

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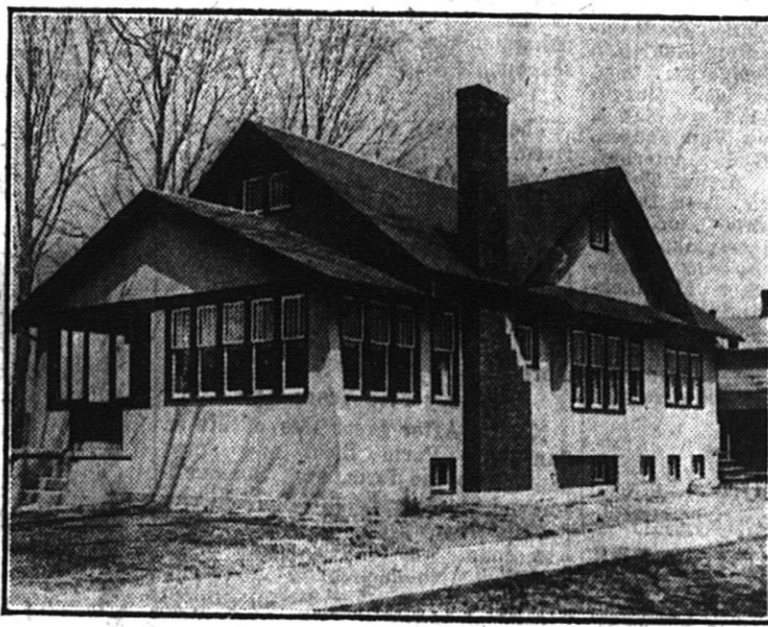
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Health Talk No. 25 By JOHN DE JONGE, D. C. Ph. C.

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NEWS ADVERTISING PAYS

LOCAL

Five members of the Grand Haven high school basketball five were awarded their monograms at a school chapel recently. Capt. Den Herder, DeKiep, Van Dongen, Nyland and Worsfold. DeKiep is the only man who will not return but Coach Cohrs will have a number of capable subs and second team men to draw from.

The Holland Independents will play the Illinois Giants, one of the leading colored basketball teams in the mid-west, here Friday and Saturday. The first will be a twilight game at six o'clock and the second at 8 o'clock on Saturday.

The commencement exercises of the Holland high school will take place tonight at the high school auditorium. An unusual program has been arranged by Supt. Fell, Principal Riemersma and the teaching staff.

Miss Lida Rogers left on her European trip today, and will be away until school opens again this fall. Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Robbins Sr. of Grand Haven, who have many friends in Holland, left for California the first of the week.

The Grand Haven Tribune in its 26 years' long column tells of the celebrating of the coming of the first interurban. Factories were shut down as a banquet was held and the veteran George W. Mc Bride made the speech.

Tomorrow, June 22nd, is the longest day in year. Official summer is under way at 6:03 tomorrow morning. The wind blows at that time, it is said, will be the prevailing wind during the season, but as last spring on March 21, the wind was southwest by south, we had snow in May, the prognostications are exploded. On the other hand for the last seven seasons it has held good.

One of the biggest public auctions ever held in Holland is to be conducted by B. H. Bownmaster at one o'clock Saturday of this week when the James A. Purdy tract of land near the Holland Furnace Co. and the Bush and Lane Piano Co. is to be sold in lots to the highest bidder.

At 9 o'clock and for 9 days possibly the largest jewelry sale ever held off in Holland, is taking place at the emporium of George H. Huizinga & Co.

Right on the dot this morning the sale was started by Manager Joe Keolker and the smashing prices on cut glass and silverware and other jewelry store articles are unusually appealing.

Counties Farm Agent C. P. Milham made a tour of the grape district in this county recently and discovery of a disease was made which will in three destroy the usefulness of an extensive Ottawa County vineyards unless measures are taken to check it at once.

The disease mentioned is known as "Dead Arm." It is a fungus disease which first attacks wounded trunks of the vine. It gains headway and presently destroys the usefulness of the plant spreading to other plants meanwhile.

TELLS GRADUATES VITAL FACTOR IN CHARACTER

That regeneration is the determining factor in character, transcending in its power the influence of heredity, environment and personality, was the theme of the baccalaureate sermon preached Sunday evening in Carnegie Hall by Dr. S. M. Zwemer to the senior class of Hope College. The hall was well filled. Several of the churches of Holland had omitted their regular services to give the members an opportunity to attend the baccalaureate exercises.

The class and faculty members marched in to the strains of the professional, "The Son of God Goes Forth to War," by Heber-Cutler, and the invocation was pronounced by Rev. P. P. Cheff. A quartet composed of Mrs. W. J. Fenton, Miss Mabel Anthony, Mr. W. J. Fenton and Mr. Francis J. Campbell, sang "Lord, When My Raptured Thou," by Beethoven-Shelley, and "God, to Whom We Look Up Blindly," by Geo. W. Chadwick. Dr. J. Carlton Pelgrim, of Frankfurt, Ky., offered prayer.

The determining factor in character, the speaker concluded, is God. Without the regenerating power of God in the human heart the full strength of character cannot be built, and Dr. Zwemer called upon the graduates to take hold of this power in their lives.

"LESS NOISE OR NO BAND CONCERTS" DECLARES MAYOR

That Holland is interested in band concerts has long since been demonstrated from the vast crowds that attend in Centennial Park when the night of the concert is announced. Tuesday night at least 3000 were jammed around the bandstand to listen to the first program of the season, arranged by the band master, John Van Vyven for this occasion.

The American Legion Band showed considerable improvement after six months of diligent practise during the winter. The mayor and many of the aldermen were present for the first night for it is through these gentlemen and by virtue of an appropriation that makes band concerts possible to the city of Holland.

HOLLAND RUSK CO. GOES BACK TO THE ORIGINAL OWNERS

Announcement was made Wednesday that the Holland Rusk Co. has once more come into the possession of the original owners who founded the concern in 1895. A number of Holland and Grand Rapids men purchased the plant and equipment of the Holland Rusk Co. Inc., and will operate it from now on. The new owners include E. Arendshorst and his two sons William and John Arendshorst, who were among the founders of the business and who connected it for many years. The building on East Eighth street has the name "Arendshorst" in stone over the entrance and that name will now once more be an appropriate designation for the building.

CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES 16 STUDENTS

EXERCISES HELD LAST EVENING AT FOURTEENTH STREET CHRISTIAN REF. CHURCH. The 14th street Christian Reformed church was crowded to overflowing when sixteen students graduated from the Christian High school. The deliberations were very impressive and an unusual program was prepared by the faculty of the school.

The program, the list of graduates the names of faculty and board members are found below: Organ Voluntary and March, Mrs. J. Pieper; prayer, Rev. B. H. Einik, president of the board; duet, Mr. J. F. Jellema, violoncello. Mr. A. H. Muyskens violin; address Dr. W. H. Jellema; song, Octette, Prospect Park Christian Reformed church; offertory, Mrs. J. Pieper, collection for Christian High; song, Quartet, Miss Theda Dobbin, soprano, Mrs. Helen Schutte, soprano Miss Minnie Haveman alto, Miss Gertrude Boersma alto; address to graduates, Rev. L. Heeres; song, Octette; presentation of diplomas, Mr. A. H. Muyskens; closing prayer.

The graduating exercises of the School for Christian Instruction will be held on Thursday evening, June 21, at 7:45 o'clock in the Ninth St. Christian Reformed church. There are 51 graduates in the class this year. Rev. J. Zeeuw will be the principal speaker of the evening and a number of the graduates will take part in the program, which is as follows: Prelude, Colonial Orchestra; invocation, A. Rosbach; children's exercises: (a) "We Praise Thee"; (b) "Remember Thy Creator"; Klander-garten; "Did You Pass?" Russell Fredricks; prize essay, "Why I should Continue My Education"; chorus, Speak, for Thy Servant Hearth; (b) "A Loyal Heart"; patriotic drill by girls; "Counting Eggs"; Margaret Hoestra and Marius Potts; "Plea of the Nations"; class reading, "Life-boat"; Esther Ten Brinks; "Our Class"; graduates; offertory, Colonial orchestra; address, Rev. J. Zeeuw; presentation of diplomas; class song; "Help Us Now"; awarding of prizes; "Good Night," Lois Vrieling; benediction.

G. H. STARTS CON-DEMNATION PROCEEDINGS AGAINST OWNERS

At a meeting of the Grand Haven city council the first step in getting an alley put through in the rear of the buildings on the north side of Washington street between First and Second streets was taken. Acquisition was also made of a strip of land on the beach near the State Park. The council discussed various other measures but no other action was taken in any instance.

EAST SAUGATUCK COUPLE SURPRISED BY RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schrotenboer of East Saugatuck were given a real surprise Saturday evening when 30 of their relatives walked in at 7:00 with refreshments for all, it being Mrs. Schrotenboer's birthday. Mrs. Schrotenboer received a beautiful dinner set. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Kool, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kool and children, Mr. M. Kool, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Eglakraut, and son Victor, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Herman Slenk and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Bultema, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tucker, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Welling.

MAN POWER CHANGED TO ELECTRIC POWER

The large Grand Trunk bridge over Grand River at Grand Haven will be swung electrically instead of by man power. For years this large span was turned slowly by means of a crank propelled by two men. The operation was slow and boats going through had to wait for the bridge, while railroad trains were delayed because of the open bridge.

Fifty Years Ago To Date

Just after the men had quit work for the day, fire was discovered in the tannery belonging to Simon Schmid. The alarm was immediately saved anything and within a short time the building was a heap of embers. Efforts were made by most of the citizens to save the leather in one part of the building and the vats but they were only partly successful.

The village of Zeeland is still progressing. A new store is being built by C. Brusse the clothing man and also by De Pree Bros. Note—Mr. Brusse is the father of Wm. Brusse and Peter Brusse of Holland. Both of these gentlemen were formerly in the clothing business in this city.

What Hope College looked like financially. In the first place we take from the seventeenth annual report of April 27, 1883 the following: number of students 119; of these 25 are young ladies. This is the largest number ever reported. By gift and purchase the college can now show a large library containing 365 bound volumes. The finances are in very good condition. The liabilities amount to \$1,000; the total amount of cash balance is \$2,227.68; the total amount of the various investments is \$36,663.00 paying from 7 to 8 per cent interest.

The biggest size man in this city is little Tim Smith, the messenger boy for the Western Union now dressed in his new suit. Note—Tim graduated from messenger to news boy on the railroad, to brakeman on the train, to cigar salesman at resort hotels, to hotel manager, and now he is independently rich. Tim is the brother of Peter Smith, the notorious fisherman of Holland, and was a schoolmate of the writer.

The primary school money has arrived. For Holland the amount is 77 cents per capita, and as we have 1,552 pupils of school age the amount received is \$1,195. Note—The primary money received during the past year is \$44,261.10, approximately \$12.00 per pupil. Take that rotten plank out of your side walk and quit kicking on the marshal.

James J. Jeffries knocked out gentleman Jim Corbett in the tenth round at San Francisco with a solar plexus blow. Pope Leo passes away at Rome. Dick Vander Haar was Marshal of Holland twenty years ago. Chester L. Beach is now the cashier at the store of F. K. Colby at Macatawa Park. He has just finished a course in bookkeeping at the business college. Note—Mr. Beach is now one of the heads of the Bush and Lane Piano Co.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kamerbeek, Grave Place, when their daughter Miss Reka was wed to Mr. I. Van Westenberg. The bride was beautifully gowned in white silk covered with lace. The ring ceremony was used with little Miss Sarah Lacey carrying the ring in a culla lily. Rev. Van Westenberg, a cousin of the groom assisted Dr. J. E. Kuizenga and Dr. Blekink in the ceremonies. Mr. Van Westenberg who is a graduate from the Seminary will go to Marion, New York to live with his charming bride.

With hundreds of summer tourists coming into Michigan every day and the traffic on state trunk lines becoming almost congested, Col. R. C. Vandercreek, head of the state department of public safety, has issued orders to his motorcycle force to use every effort in regulation of the traffic and enforcement of the state motor vehicle laws.

While the new uniform traffic law does not go into effect until late in August an effort will be made to educate the motorists in its provisions. Chief among these are the giving of vehicles on trunk lines the right of way and the use of the arm signals on all turns.

In addition to enforcing the laws regulating speed the state police also plan on conducting a safety campaign during the summer in hope of cutting down the large number of accidents which result each summer during the resort season. A recent check has been made of the more important trunk lines, and additional markers are being placed to insure the safety of the tourists. The state highway department is co-operating with the safety department in handling the tourist traffic. On all important or long detours, a large map, is posted at the beginning of the detour, showing the route closed, and the route to be followed. These maps are painted on a large signboard which will be placed in the center of

STATE POLICE TO REGULATE TRAFFIC ON STATE HIGHWAYS

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