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It really wasn't a bit funny, but Police Officers Ralph Woldring (left) and Dennis Ende oblige with big smiles in this predicament when about \$150 in pennies and nickels hit the street during a drenching rain Wednesday afternoon. The heavy cart got away from Woldring when he took to the street to avoid a messy stretch of sidewalk on East Eighth St. Since it happened conveniently

near the Penna-Sas studio, Art Sas came running with his camera before all the coins were picked up. The officers were wet and the money was wet—and the treasurer's office complained too. As for that container, the size is deceiving. When full, it takes two husky men such as Woldring and Ende to carry it.

(Penna-Sas photo)

## Group to Screen Applications for New City Manager

### 3 Aldermen Included In Special Committee Appointed by Mayor

The first meeting of Common Council in the new year under the new city charter was uneventful, with few changes in effect immediately.

Besides passing several resolutions required to put certain parts of the new charter into effect, council suggested that Mayor Harry Harrington appoint a committee of five, of whom three would be council members, to screen applications for the position of city manager, and make recommendations on hiring a manager to council.

Mayor Harrington appointed the following to the committee: Ald. Arnold W. Hertel, John Beltman and Robert Notter; Henry S. Maentz, president of First National bank, and W. A. Butler, publisher of the Holland Evening Sentinel.

In announcing the committee, the mayor asked all aldermen to take an active interest in selecting a city manager, to feel free at all times to seek information and make suggestions and to feel their full responsibility in the final selection.

City government for the present will continue much the same as before and it was felt few changes will be made until a city manager takes over on or before June 1.

Council passed several resolutions for the new charter covering routine rules and time of meeting. Council appointed the city attorney and city engineer to the board of review for one year along with three other members for one, two and three year terms. Supervisor John Gallien was retained for a one-year term. Neal Wiersma was appointed for a two-year term and John H. Van Dyke to a three-year term. Compensation for members was set at \$8 a day.

Resolutions also assigned the responsibility for construction, maintenance and extension of sewage disposal facilities and fire alarm system to the Board of Public Service.

Mayor Harrington asked council to consider retaining the name "Board of Public Works" instead of the new term "Board of Public Service" to forestall confusion in changing records, stationery and the like as well as retaining a name well known here more than 50 years. The suggestion was referred to the ordinance committee for study and possible drafting of a proper amendment.

All city departments were instructed to submit an interim budget from the end of the fiscal year to the beginning of the new fiscal year on July 1. All departments also are asked to submit by Feb. 15 budgets for the fiscal year beginning July 1 through June 30, 1952.

The Rev. J. Kenneth Hoffmaster, pastor of First Methodist church, gave the invocation, emphasizing in his prayer a special plea for divine guidance in making the various changes in city government.

### House Entered

An unknown thief entered the home of Don Van Oosterhout, 188 West 21st St., Wednesday evening and made off with a penny bank and some chewing gum. Police reported the house was ransacked and a jewelry box was rifled but nothing was missing from it. The break-in occurred between 6-7:30 p.m.

### Cross Appointed

City Attorney O. S. Cross was appointed legislative contact man by Common Council Wednesday night. The appointment was suggested by the Michigan Municipal League which sends considerable literature regarding legislation of interest to municipalities.

## Note From Son in Korea Brightens Holland Home

"Am very tired tonight. Will try and write again tomorrow. May we all be together next year at Christmas time. I am sure we will be."

"Please wish my many friends in Holland a merry Christmas for me and thank them for their letters and prayers."

His address is: Lt. William H. Draper, 0-44299, U.S.M.C.R., 2nd & S Co., First Marine Battalion, First Division, F.M.F., in care of F.P.O., San Francisco, Calif.

Another holiday surprise at the Draper home was the arrival of son Dick and Mrs. Draper's brother, Tom Holden. Both are home on furlough from Camp Pendleton, Calif.

Christmas morning the Drapers received a telegram from their Bill.

The last letter previous to the one received Dec. 20 arrived the middle of November.

Indeed it was a happy Christmas at the Draper home.



Fire Chief Andrew Klomparens (left) examines the gold retirement badges awarded to three retired members of the local department by Common Council. Altogether the men served the city for 106 years. All were retired last year. Jack Knoll, second from left, was retired after 41 years of

service. Next in line, Sam Althuis, served for 35 years and Fred Zigterman completed 30 years last September. Zigterman drove the last team of horses owned by the department for two years before the horses gave way to trucks. (Sentinel photo)

## Obliging Trucker Robbed of \$300 While on Highway

An obliging truck driver was robbed of \$300 early this morning, apparently by a hitch-hiker.

Don Koops, box 122, Hamilton, is the victimized trucker. He told police this story: While having a cup of coffee in Ludington at 7:30 Wednesday night, he picked up a hitch-hiker who was headed for Benton Harbor. They drove to Grand Haven where Koops had to unload some salt before continuing to Holland.

Koops said the rider helped him with his unloading job, and was alone in the truck while he was making a phone call.

When the pair approached the US-31 and M-21 intersection east of Holland Koops decided to take his passenger to a local truck stop where he more easily could find a ride further south.

Koops had to return to Zeeland where he hauls feed for the Vandenberg company. They arrived in Holland at 12:10 a.m.

When Koops began checking his bills, he found one sealed envelope gone, containing \$171.82 in cash and \$14.75 in checks. He drove back to the restaurant but his companion was gone.

Koops then notified the South Haven state police, who stopped all south bound truck traffic but failed to turn up the hitch hiker.

Koops suggested the hitch hiker might have taken the envelope from the glove compartment while he was making the telephone call at Grand Haven.

Koops described his passenger as 20-22 years old; five feet, 10 inches tall; weighing 165 pounds; with brown hair and wearing a jacket and yellow scarf.

Although it is against company rules to carry passengers, Koops said he gave the man a ride because he thought he might be of some help if the truck got stuck due to snow and sleet Wednesday night.

The Hamilton driver said he thought the man was a truck driver because of the way he talked.

"He knew all the routes around Chicago," Koops said.

The truck was making a return trip to Zeeland from Manistee with a load of salt. The money had been collected from customers along the route.

### Bastian Kooyman Dies At Holland Hospital

Bastian (Bert) Kooyman, 87, of 89 West Eighth St., died Sunday night at Holland hospital. He had been hospitalized three weeks.

Born in the Netherlands, he had lived here since the age of 23, when he came to the United States. He was a member of Graafschap Christian Reformed church.

Only survivors are six cousins, Dick and Bert Bazaan of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Bert Dykgraaf and Mrs. Rollin Ausicker of Grand Rapids, Adrian Bazaan of Allegan, and Isaac Bazaan of Riviera Beach, Fla.; also a niece, Mrs. A. Van Ouden of the Netherlands.

## Retired Firemen Served Holland for 106 Years

Three firemen at the last Common Council meeting were awarded gold retirement badges for an accumulative 106 years of service with the Holland fire department.

They are Fred Zigterman, Sam Althuis and Jack Knoll. Zigterman and Althuis were retired Sept. 1, 1950 and Knoll was retired May 1, 1950.

It meant the completion of 41 years of service for Knoll, 35 years for Althuis and 30 years for Zigterman.

All three can vividly recall the days when horses were used to pull the fire wagons. They have seen the department grow from the horse-and-buggy days into a mechanized department that ranks with the best in Michigan for this size city.

The trio chuckled when recalling that the last two-horse team of Florida and John was sold to Boone Bros. concrete works on the north side.

After moving to Boone's, the always alert horses continued to perk up and take off each time they heard the fire whistle blow. The teams were kept in the fire barns directly beneath harnesses which were slipped on immediately when fire calls were received.

Another of the many incidents the men recall is the time the team missed the turn at the corner of Eighth St. and River Ave. and ran right down the steps leading to a below-level barber shop in what now is the tower clock building.

Common Council awarded the badges to the firemen in recognition for their long and faithful service to the city of Holland.

### Dunningville Resident Dies in Kalamazoo

Allegan (Special)—Funeral services for Albert Irwin, 73, who died Saturday night at Kalamazoo, were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Nyberg funeral home with burial in Dunningville.

He had lived in Dunningville for the last 20 years and came here from Monon, Ind.

Survivors are wife Pearl, four sons, Frank and Walter of Benton Harbor, Edward of Dunningville, Albert, Jr., of Nashville; three daughters, Mrs. Forest Yore, Benton Harbor; Mrs. Leona Lamott, California; Mrs. Catharine Cooley of Grand Junction; two brothers, one sister, 27 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Private funeral service will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at Langeland funeral home and a public service at 2 p.m. at Harderik Christian Reformed church. The Rev. Louis Dykstra will officiate and burial will be at Lakewood cemetery.

The body is at the funeral home where friends may call tonight from 7 to 9 and Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

### It Doesn't Pay to Push Trooper's Car Around

Grand Haven (Special)—Harold Christianson, 44, route 1, Spring Lake, charged by state police with reckless driving, pleaded guilty before Justice George Hoffer Tuesday and paid \$75 fine and \$11 costs. The arrest was made at 4:30 a.m. New Year's day on US-31 in Spring Lake township when Christianson's car forced a state trooper's car off onto the shoulder of the road.

## City's Building Program Lists 149 New Houses in '50

Building was on the upswing in Holland during 1950 with 594 permits calling for an outlay of \$2,420,362, a review of building permits issued the past year revealed today.

New houses led the building parade in 1950, the 149 permits calling for nearly half of the year's total, or \$1,116,050.

New schools ran second—and for fairly large amounts. Applications for two new schools and one addition accounted for more than a half million, or \$515,000 to be exact.

The largest single application was for the new addition to the

James De Young power plant, called for \$337,722. This permit, filed late in December, boosted the month's total to \$519,302, the largest for the year.

Ten applications for church remodeling totaled \$151,325, a large figure for a single year for Holland city. Most applications called for general repair, and one called for an \$80,000 parish house.

Next to new houses, residential remodeling called for the most applications, 141, and an outlay of money reaching \$55,224. Roofing ran close with 128 permits and \$28,941.67.

Since most new garages are included in the same permits with new houses, no accurate count was kept on the number, but the cost of building new garages in Holland in 1950 totaled \$61,848.

There were six applications for new commercial and industrial buildings in Holland, totaling \$57,200. There were 54 applications for commercial remodeling totaling \$67,730. Fourteen miscellaneous applications called for an outlay of \$17,685.

Applications and cash totals by months follow:

January, 24 permits, \$42,775; signs.

## Civilian Defense Shelter Survey In Progress Here

### Questionnaires Mailed To Determine Facilities In Case of Enemy Action

While other cities are petitioning councils and mayors to appoint a civilian defense director and form some kind of CD organization, Holland already is on the way to developing a plan and a resourceful organization.

Mayor Harry Harrington a few months ago appointed Col. A. E. Rackes as CD director and Rackes in turn appointed several committees as suggested in a national disaster plan. Harold Cobb Klaasen was named deputy chairman in care of social welfare (food, shelter and clothing). Klaasen is disaster chairman of the local Red Cross chapter and as such already has certain organized groups at his disposal.

The first big project is a shelter survey to determine all available buildings for housing facilities, feeding and dispensaries. Hundreds of forms are being mailed from the local Red Cross office to all churches, schools, public buildings, private organizations such as lodges, to request co-operation in determining how many people each building could house. Robert F. Topp of the Optimist club heads this committee, and the club is responsible for the entire project.

Many feel that Holland area would not be disturbed by enemy action, and therefore little CD planning is necessary. CD leaders, however, point to the obvious fact that Holland would be asked to aid evacuees in case of a bomb hit in other danger zones such as Grand Rapids and Detroit. Because of its proximity to Grand Rapids, Ottawa county has been asked to set up a pilot organization.

After the shelter survey is completed in Ottawa county, the summary will be sent to the state organization in Lansing, and thus the information will be available for other cities in the state.

Local organizations with large clubrooms or other available space which do not receive shelter questionnaires are asked to get in touch with Topp, Klaasen or Red Cross headquarters.

## Ignoring Tickets Just Doesn't Pay

A Grand Rapids woman who stops often in Holland has found it doesn't pay to ignore overtime parking tickets and is now \$10 poorer for failing to answer four such tickets.

Mrs. Evelyn Racemaker filed a \$10 bond which was treated in municipal court after she failed to appear.

Others paying fines in municipal court were Clarence S. Highway, 47, Muskegon Heights, speeding, \$10; Kenneth McConnell, 22, of 411 College, stop sign, \$5; Dalwyn Vander Kamp, 21, route 1, right of way, \$15; Albertha Ortman, route 2, assured clear distance, \$12; Albert Bruursema, 294 Howard, speeding, \$15; Kathleen Koeman route 6, Allegan, due caution, \$15; Arlie Bradfield, 487 Lincoln, assured clear distance, \$12; Howard Veneklasen, route 3, no license on truck, \$8.90.

Parking costs of \$1 each were paid by Leon Herhoin, Douglas; Bert Hoffmeier, route 1; Donald Dekker, route 4; Wilma Seidelman, 178 East 17th St.; Henry Kragt, Jr., route 4; R. Nelson, 564 College, Gerrit Middlecamp, route 2, Hudsonville; Angeline Paul, 336 West 15th; Mary Berkel, 94 West 12th; Stanley McClure, 393 West 22nd St.; Jack Glupker, 45 East 21st.

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### \$35,000 Damage Suit Settled Out of Court

Allegan (Special)—The \$35,000 damage suit filed by Flora Odell against the people's Rapid Transit Co. has been settled and the court case dismissed, by Judge Raymond Smith in circuit court.

Mrs. Odell, 74, filed a suit claiming injuries when she said she was struck by a bus from which she had just alighted as a passenger.

## Red Cross Shifts Into Full Program For Civil Defense

In connection with Civilian Defense plans, the Red Cross again is offering instruction in home nursing and first aid for all CD workers, besides rounding out an effective service program in case of emergency.

A course in home nursing will be given in connection with the Adult Education program starting next week. The class will be taught Tuesday evenings for 12 weeks by Mrs. Howard Davis. Persons interested may register by calling the Red Cross office.

Leon N. Moody will teach a class in first aid, also in connection with the Adult Evening classes. His group will meet on Wednesdays and registration also may be made by calling the Red Cross office. All CD workers, particularly auxiliary fire and policemen, shelter managers, etc., are urged to take this course.

BPW employees also have requested special information in connection with their work, all of which will be covered in this course.

Mrs. Russell Burton, nurse's aide chairman, and Mrs. A. Van Lopik, her assistant, are contacting all registered nurse's aides to determine if they are available for the present emergency. A refresher course will be given for those who will be served in CD shelters and at blood clinics.

A third bed has been added to the bleeding room of the local Community Blood program in order to meet the demand for more blood so that three donors may be accommodated at one time.

Within the last week, Home Service work of the local Red Cross office has doubled. Servicemen home on furlough or called home because of illness have been requiring some service of Red Cross. Mrs. J. J. Brower, volunteer services chairman, announced Mrs. A. E. Hildebrand has accepted the Home Service chairmanship and within the near future a course for workers will be arranged. This will consist of instruction and information dealing with all servicemen and ex-servicemen problems.

Each worker in the new program will give time in the local office, make home visits and be responsible for certain night calls. Since the work takes specialized talents, all applicants will be interviewed before the training starts. Though difficult and time-consuming, this work is probably one of the most interesting and rewarding of all Red Cross services. Persons interested may call Mrs. Brower, Mrs. Hildebrand or the Red Cross office.

Mrs. Adrian Bort, local production chairman, has had no military orders, but says there is some material for civilian relief. Pajamas, layettes and the like, which will be used here in the community, are available for groups to work on. No knitting is on hand at present.

Mrs. John Van Dam, nurse vice-chairman of the Red Cross disaster committee, has met with her group of nurses and they are awaiting completion of the shelter survey before assigning workers to the shelters.

Kletz Scheduled

Local merchants will gather at the Dutch Mill Monday at 9:30 a.m. for a regular monthly coffee klets and business meeting.

## He Feels Russia Won't Copy Nazi Tricks...But

Describing himself as a shallow optimist, a visiting Dutch educator said he believed it was entirely possible that Soviet Russia will not resort to the type of violence Nazi Germany followed in the late 1930's.

Dr. Theodore G. J. Locher, professor of history at the University of Leiden, expressed this opinion at an informal coffee klets Wednesday in the Netherlands Information Bureau office in city hall. He is spending a year in this country as exchange professor at the University of Michigan, besides lecturing in the area.

An authority on Slavic languages, Dr. Locher talked particularly of the reactions of the Czechs to the totalitarian forms of government. He said before Czechoslovakia was overrun by the Germans, it had a better concept of democratic government than any other European country, due largely to the influence of the late Thomas Masaryk.

Dr. Locher spent two years in Czechoslovakia in the early 1930's and wrote his doctor's thesis on the subject. Later he branched out to study other Slavic languages—Russian, Polish, Yugoslav and Bulgarian. "When you've learned one, it's quite easy to learn the others," he said.

He said the situation in Europe today is much like it was when Hitler was in power. Both the Nazis and the Communists have totalitarian forms of government, but whereas Hitler made no secret of his ambitions (he gave a blueprint in Mein Kampf) Stalin is a cautious leader in spite of the wild unpredictable character of his people.

Russia, of course, believes the capitalistic world is doomed—in spite of the fact communistic doctrines originated under western culture, Dr. Locher said. He added there is little hope today in effective resistance through underground in Russia, explaining that the Russian methods of repression are far more refined than the Germans. Russians simply cut off ration cards to unco-operative people, fire them from their positions or assign them to labor camps.

Dr. Locher was in Grand Rapids this morning addressing a meeting of the Grand Rapids City Women's club.

### Allegan County Pays Off Its \$91,000 Debt

Allegan (Special)—Allegan county became free and clear of debt Tuesday when County Treasurer James Boyce paid off the \$91,000 notes issued last year to meet operating expenses. In addition, the county paid \$4,000 interest on the loans.

The debt was paid out of the first tax receipts returned by county treasurers, which, to date, amounts to \$127,702. Boyce said Jan. 10 will be the big collection day when all township and village, and city treasurers are required to turn over collections to date and start collecting the four per cent penalty fee.

### Mumps Again!

Health Inspector Ben Wiersma reported 74 cases of mumps in Holland during December at a regular meeting of Common Council Wednesday night. Other entries in the list of contagious diseases included one case of red measles, two cases of German measles, two cases of scarlet fever and four cases of chicken pox.

### New Tulip Time Policies Adopted at Coffee Kletz

Local businesses will be given an opportunity to contribute toward financing the 1951 Tulip Time festival next May.

This was decided at a meeting of local business representatives at a coffee klets in the Warm Friend Tavern this morning, arranged by the Tulip Time commission.

First to be solicited will be businesses benefiting directly from the festival. Nick Hoffman, Ward Hansen and Nelson Bosman will contact restaurants and drug store; Bertal Slaght, gift and antique shops; Chester Van Tongeren, novelties; Harry Nelis, bulb growers; Jerry Heider and Phil Strengholt, cabins and hotels; Ray N. Smith, gas stations and oil distributors. Other businesses profiting indirectly from festival will be contacted another time.

### Hamilton Man Dies Of Lingering Illness

Hamilton—James Overbeek, Sr., 86, of route 2, Hamilton, died Tuesday at his home of a lingering illness.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Henry Balder, route 2, and Mrs. George Oetman, route 1; five sons, Henry of route 2, John Henry, route 6, Holland, Johannes, route 6, Holland, James, Jr., and Ben, route 2; also 20 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 12:45 p.m. at the home and 1:30 p.m. at East Saugatuck Christian Reformed church. The Rev. P. De Jong will officiate and burial will be at East Saugatuck cemetery.

### Mrs. Albert Timmer Succumbs At Hospital

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## Eggs, Poultry Set Pace for Quality In Best Markets

Manager A. Lohman Plays Strong Role in Organization's Success

Hamilton (Special)—Hamilton farmers care little which came first—just so the egg and chicken get to market fast at a premium price.

They have every right to be complacent, for their farm bureau, celebrating its 30th anniversary, sets the pace for quality eggs and poultry in the country's best markets. Year 'round, Hamilton averages a carload of eggs shipped out—80 per cent of them government grade A or AA.

But Hamilton is not only a big egg basket. It is Michigan's largest and most diversified co-operative; it is the nation's biggest local farm bureau.

Last year it did \$4½ million worth of business on an original investment of \$13,820. It has done a total \$40 million in business in three decades; has paid its patrons more than a half-million in dividends, plus another quarter-million annually in recent years in indirect savings. Even during the depression, it showed a profit and membership gain.

It deals in coal, lumber, feeds, fertilizer, cream, butter, automobiles, appliances, gasoline, lubricating oil, and poultry—as well as eggs.

No story of the farm bureau can be told without a strong role for its manager, Andrew Lohman, the boy off the farm who took over back in 1921 when the newly-born co-op was about to fold. How he built the farm bureau from a money-losing feed store into today's assets of more than a half-million dollars and no indebtedness, is a tale particularly suited to this day of faltering confidence in the future.

Security was elusive back in 1920 when Hamilton farmers, caught in a post-war depression, grew everything and specialized in nothing. Their move to buy and mix feed co-operatively was a step toward economy.

There were 140 Dutch farmers who put up \$10 each to provide a feed grinding service, using a tractor for the job. The board of directors sat on feed sacks in the sun and figured gains and losses.

Those first records are lost, and maybe it's just as well. For certainly, the project didn't pay off. The directors voted to give up, and then, on the porch steps, suddenly decided for one more try. By taking notes to raise \$7,000, they built an 80 by 36 foot elevator. They asked young Andy Lohman, with no high school education and a little business school as his qualifications, to take over.

By 1923, sales had reached \$101,000 and there were 85 members.

Every year has shown a gain, even through a depression and a war. Today there are 1,000 stockholders and 1,500 patrons and business is striding toward the five million mark. That's no small figure for any business and it's amazing for a village of some 400 people.

Two factors account for the Hamilton success story that is known coast to coast.

First is the inherent character of the Dutch folks whose loyalty, co-operation, and common sense made them quit farming as a mode of life, and put it on a business basis. There has been and will be disagreement, but the progress has been demanded by the farmers themselves; Lohman put it into being.

One thing led to another. Handling of grains led to coal, which led to oil, which led to automobiles. At one time, the parking area around the church looked like a Chevrolet dealers' convention was going on.

The second factor was the egg. Hamilton was known for its celery crop and market eggs were something left over from the family supply. That its climate, soil, transportation facilities were ideal for the poultry business had so far gone unnoticed.

After five years of haphazard buying and selling eggs through the co-operative, Hamilton eggs were finally turned down at the Chicago market. They were stale and some were diseased.

It hurt Lohman's pride. He sold the directors on equipment for candling and cooling the eggs locally. Government grading was adopted.

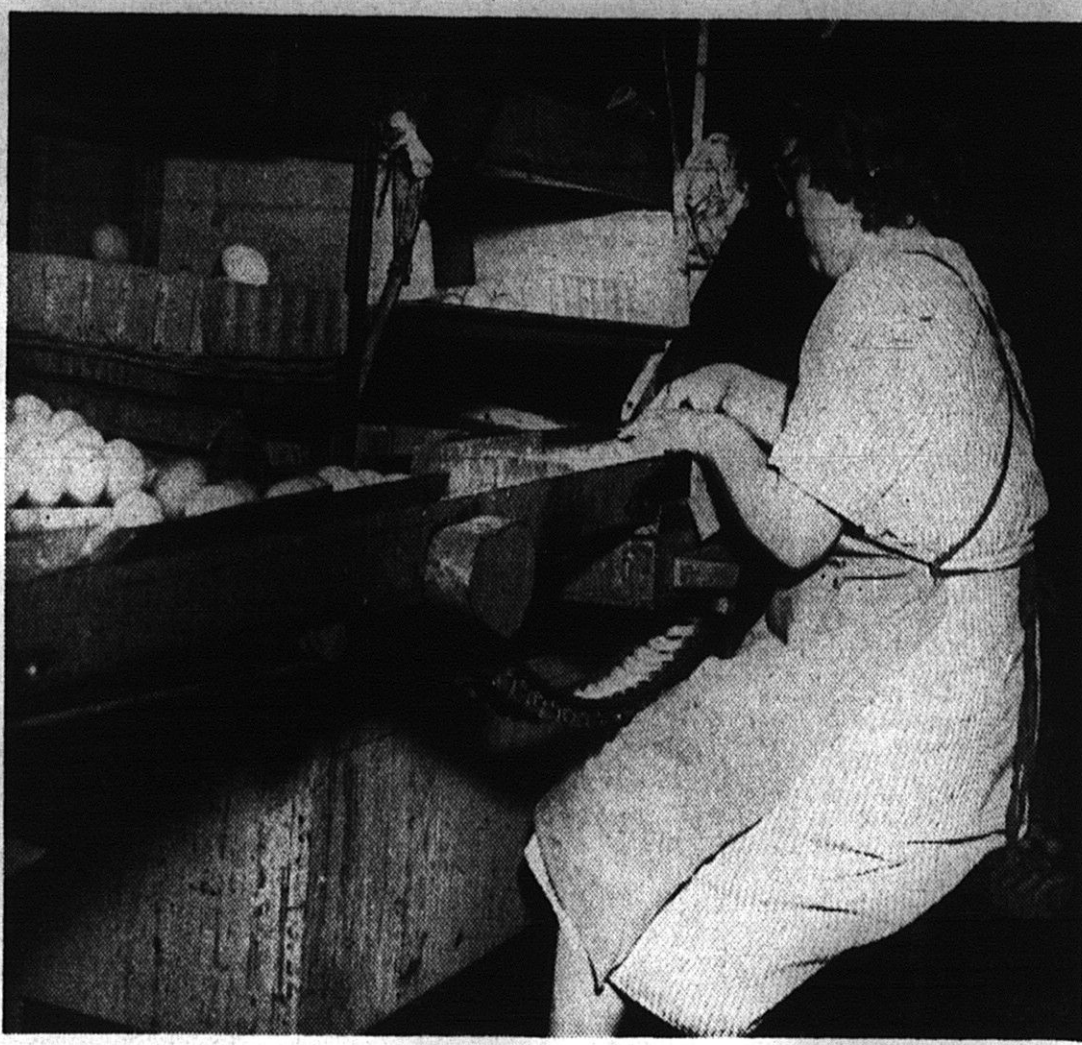
The manager then turned to the members and put on pressure for the finest egg ever produced by a hen. Hamilton farmers went to school and learned about penned chickens, scientific feeding, and disease control. Michigan State college experts were called in. Pretty soon, eggs were coming into the farm bureau as uniformly perfect as autos off the assembly line. Lohman packed up a case and drove to Chicago. Hamilton eggs have never since been refused.

Last spring, the new egg plant was completed, where 2,765 cases of eggs can be handled in a week. A carload leaves daily, and sometimes there are two.

Poultry business naturally followed. The improvement program naturally led to better chickens for market. In the assembly line poultry killing plant, 1,200 birds can be killed, feathered, drawn, washed and put into cold storage each hour.

The year's business is led by 17 million in eggs; 15 million in feed and grains and \$300,000 in poultry.

Lohman, whose devotion to his



Hamilton Farm Bureau sets the pace for quality eggs and poultry in the country's best markets—and commands premium prices. Here this worker does one of the many steps in grading the eggs which average a carload a day—80 per cent of them government grade A or AA. The egg plant, now

the pride of the bureau, came after Hamilton eggs were turned down years ago at a Chicago market. It hurt Manager Andy Lohman's pride and he sold the directors on equipment for candling and cooling the eggs locally.



This six man board of directors drafts policies for the far-flung activities of the 30-year-old Hamilton Farm Bureau. Seated, left to right, are Joseph Schipper, president, Bert Tellman and Ben J. Tucker. Standing are Gilbert Immink, Louis Poll

and James Koopman, vice president. Every year of business has shown a gain even through a depression and a war. Today there are 1,000 stockholders and 1,500 patrons and business is striding toward the five-million mark.

job has made him turn down several offers with salaries three and four times his modest pay at Hamilton, can rattle off statistics endlessly.

He can mention the new 2,000-ton fertilizer storage plant; the 78-by-80 foot feed warehouse; the 120,000 gallon storage for gasoline, kerosene and fuel oil, and underground tanks holding three carloads of lubricating oil. He talks of the co-op's fleet of 20 trucks, including five semi's for long distance selling and buying; others for delivering bulk feeds to the farmers.

There is the co-op's fire department with equipment to fight any village blaze; the 1,600 tons of meal mixed in June alone; the lumber yard, the saw mill, the \$48,000 which was distributed in November in dividends.

Lohman, a key figure in several state and national co-operative organizations, may live and breathe the farm bureau, but he has little to say about Lohman, himself. Far from the executive of the ordinary multi-million dollar business, Lohman's private office is a through route for the office force and is always open to any one of the 125 employees or the casual visitor.

"Everybody thinks I'm the whole works," he says in his modest, matter-of-fact way. "They're mistaken. I was as dumb as they grow in Allegan county, and it hasn't been easy going, always. It's the folks who have put this thing over—they and the help we've had from the college and the county agent."

Lohman's business creed is simple: "Keep your business under control; it's easier to handle in your own back yard. (The co-op's membership is mostly within a 10-mile radius.)"

Get your business so that the other fellow can't beat you. (Example: Bulk feed distribution to save the farmers' bag costs.)

The right man at the right place at the right time. (Such as his successful efforts in Washington over wartime feed allotments.)

Help a fellow out when he's in a pinch, but don't be foolish. (The co-op has lost less than \$1,000 in 30 years on accounts receivable but many times has extended credit generously when circumstances dictated.)

Don't waste time in worrying. (Lohman declares he hasn't enough time to spend on any one

thing to get very worried about it.)

In order to practice what he preaches, Lohman operates a 240-acre model poultry farm near Hamilton where all the new theories are given a thorough test before they are recommended to his neighbors.

No one who visits Hamilton today can ignore the fact that something happened to this place. Back in 1920 there was one store and dirt streets.

Today, there are several stores, many fine homes, and paved streets are everlastingly busy with trucks and farmers buying and selling. It's a pretty, quiet and neat sort of place. Its residents live quietly and do a lot of church work.

But don't let the serenity fool you. When Hamilton farmers go to work—they mean business!

Hemlock trees usually mature in 150 to 200 years.

The planet Mercury makes a revolution around the sun in 88 days.

It is amazing how far we can go if we just keep going.

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Communion was observed in the local Reformed church at the Sunday morning service and at a Vesper service in the afternoon. The Senior Christian Endeavor service featured the topic, "A Year Older—Or Are We?" with Miss Della Van Der Kolk as leader. The Junior high group considered the topic "I Press On," with Judy Nykamp and Herman Nyhof as leaders.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Zalsman announce the birth of a son born at Holland hospital.

Leon Hulsman and John Spelman, in military training at Camp McCoy, Wis., and Charles Wentzel from Camp Atterbury, Ind., were home for a short leave over the New Year week-end.

Miss Myrtle Van Der Kolk, who has been instructor of a class of mute people from the surrounding community in Bible Study for a weekly session, the past few years, entertained the group in her home Saturday at a cooperative supper. She was assisted by her sister, Miss Della Van Der Kolk, teacher in the Muskegon schools, who spent the holidays in her home here.

On Monday morning at the New Year's Day service of the local Reformed church four recently elected elders and four deacons were installed. The elders are Stanley Japink, H. D. Strabbing, James Busscher and James Lohman, and the deacons, Jasper Rigtink, John Kaper, Earl Poll and Richard Brower.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Menold of route 1, Hamilton, left recently for California, expecting to spend a few months there.

The Girls' Choir of the local Reformed church were out early Christmas Day morning to sing carols at the homes of shut-ins and aged people of the community. They enjoyed breakfast in Holland and were back in time to attend the children's program at the local church.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Corney Kempers on Dec. 22. He has been named David Lee. Mr. and Mrs. Myron Kollen and children of Detroit, were visitors in the James Koops home during the holidays, also visiting relatives in Overisel.

#### Fennville Driver Pays Fine, Draws Jail Term

Fennville (Special)—Alonso Martin of Fennville pleaded guilty Tuesday before Justice William Foster on a charge of driving while under the influence of intoxicants.

He was given a fine of \$50 and a 60-day jail sentence. If the fine is not paid, another 30 days will be added to the jail term.

His companion, James C. White, also of Fennville, pleaded guilty to a disorderly charge and was given \$10 fine and \$10 costs, with an alternative of 10 days in jail.

Charges grew out of an auto accident Sunday afternoon in Fennville, when Martin's car collided with one driven by Donald Sovo of Holland.

#### Allegan Parking Meters Paid for in 16 Months

Allegan (Special)—City Treasurer Robert Hoyt mailed a check Wednesday to make the final payment on Allegan's parking meters, from which revenues in the last 16 months has paid off the \$11,718 cost.

Revenues also have raised a fund of about \$10,000 toward the city's proposed off-street parking lot at the rear of stores on Hubbard St. All income from the meters, which averages around \$1,200 a month, will now go into the parking lot fund, with the exception of cost of maintenance, Hoyt said.

A Salem, Mass., mechanic, on visiting Pittsburgh in 1817, offered this comment: "Coal makes the best fire I ever saw, equal to the best walnut wood."

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Mr. and Mrs. John Westrate and family of Hart spent a few days this week visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Marvin Nienhuis, who has been in Mayo hospital in Rochester, Minn., for the past five weeks submitted to a second major operation Tuesday morning Jan. 2.

About 10 per cent of France's railways has been electrified and has reduced imports of required coal by about two million tons annually.

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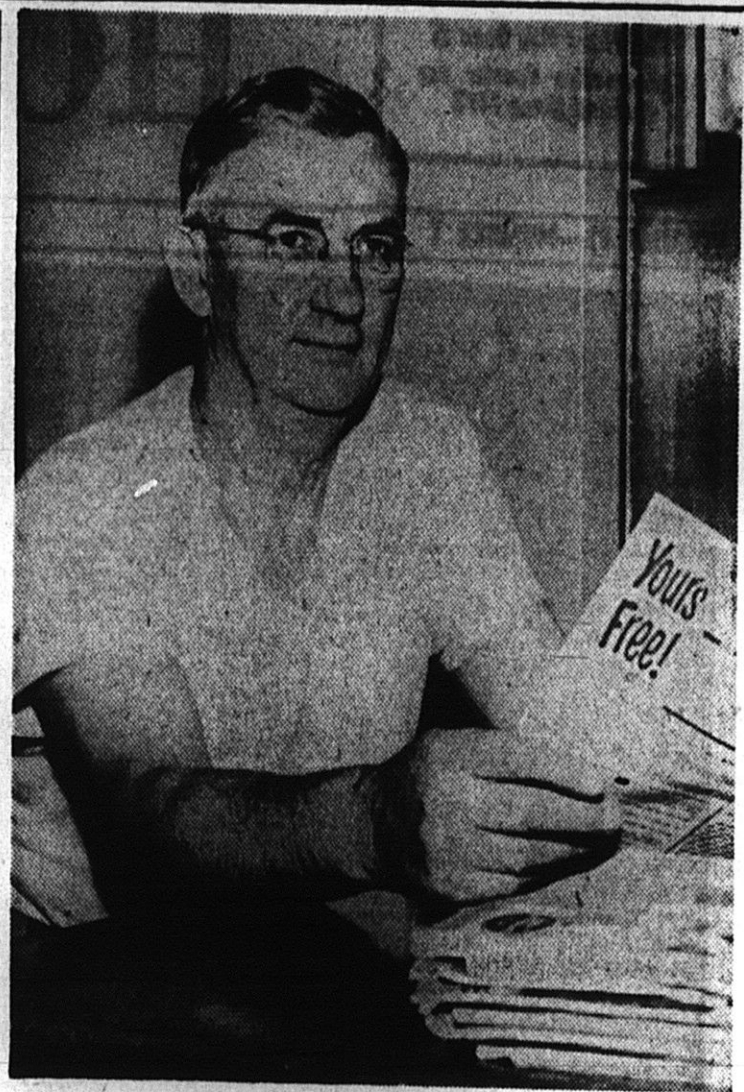
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No story of the Hamilton Farm Bureau can be told without a strong role for its manager, Andrew Lohman, the boy off the farm who took over back in 1921 when the newly-born co-op was about to fold. Recognized as an authority on co-operatives, Lohman has turned down several offers with salaries three and four times his modest pay at Hamilton. Far from the executive of the ordinary multi-million dollar business, Lohman's private office is a through route for the office force and is always open to any of the 125 employees or the casual visitor.

## Talk on Speech Dialects Heard by Woman's Club

An educational and entertaining program punctuated with humor, marked the Woman's Literary club meeting Tuesday afternoon. George Gilbert Groman, frequently called the "diplomat of dialects," lectured on the subject, "How Other People Talk."

Explaining that there is no such thing as "funny" speech, Groman just calls it "different" speech. This nation has no standard speech, he said, but there are three principle accents in the country—that of New England, the Midwest and the South.

Mr. Groman, who has mastered 35 dialects and 10 colloquialisms, has tutored many Hollywood stars in various dialects and helped "break" dialects in Los Angeles schools.

Speech habits are formed during the first seven years of life, he explained, and the person's speech is determined by the section of the country native to the individual, family background, and education, in that order.

Do not try to assume the speech habits of another person, he advised. However, if a foreigner wishes to learn a new language, he must forget his own or at least set it aside temporarily.

A clever imitator, Mr. Groman has a wide repertoire of impressions, and amused his audience with several impersonations and incidents.

Mrs. Garrett Vander Borgh, first vice-president, presided. Hostesses were Mrs. I. J. Lubbers and Mrs. J. D. Jencics.

The club hospital committee met at 10 a.m. Luncheon was served by Mrs. Neal Wiersma, Mrs. W. L. Eaton and Mrs. James Westrate.

#### Zutphen

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) At the New Year forenoon services, the new Elders and Deacons were installed. Corneal Hoppen and Gerrit Vegter as Elders and Marvin Zwiers and Gerald Battjes as Deacons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kamer and family mourn the loss of their grandson Gary Lee Kamer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kamer of Holland. The funeral was held Thursday at home and the First Christian Reformed church in Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brower purchased the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Allie Kooman, Mr. and Mrs. Kooman purchased a farm near Zeeland.

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Sgt. L. C. Duncan, formerly of Holland was wounded in Korea Oct. 10. He has been sent to the Army hospital in Denver, Colo. He had his chest crushed, a number of ribs broken and his arm injured.

Army doctors are afraid they will have to amputate his arm as the nerves have been killed. He expects to be sent to Percy Jones hospital.

Mrs. Duncan and three children are near Sgt. Duncan. Their last child, a girl, was born Nov. 30 in Denver, Colo. She has been named Shannon Fay.

Mrs. Duncan is the former Georgene Loberhofer of East Saugatuck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Loberhofer.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Ash, a son, on Dec. 24 in Holland hospital, named Richard Paul. Mrs. Ash is the former Evelyn Loberhofer of East Saugatuck.

Sgt. and Mrs. Allan Vallee of Rantoul, Ill. spent a week's furlough with relatives during the holidays. They visited at the Russell Valleaus, John Wolberts, Ted Engels, Fran Wilkinsons and Bauhahns.

Mrs. Engel entertained with a party in honor of Mrs. Allan Vallee. Guests included Mesdames Russell Valleau, Cora Ten Have, Dorothy Wolbert, Mabel Yates, Yates, James Boyce, Jr., James Boyce, III, Fran Wilkinsons, George Loberhofer and Miss Irene Bauhahn.

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## Yesterday's Tools Won't Get Far On Today's Farms

### Machinery Investment Triples Record Of World War II

The farmer of today wouldn't get very far with the power and machinery equipment of a generation or two ago—a team, a few horse-drawn tools and lots of hay-wire.

Machinery sections of farm account books on 615 general livestock farms in 45 Michigan counties were reviewed by Warren Vincent, Michigan State college agricultural economist.

Machinery investment on these farms almost tripled since the beginning of World War II. It averaged \$1,926 per farm in 1941—\$5,406 on Jan. 1, 1949.

Higher priced new machines are being added to machine sheds in increasing numbers to replace manpower and horsepower, according to Vincent.

In 1949 there were 311 new machines costing more than \$1,000 purchased on the 615 farms studied. Of this total 105 new tractors were bought at an average cost of about \$1,800; 31 new trucks at an average cost of \$1,530; 22 combines, averaging \$1,860; 22 balers, \$1,700; 15 forage choppers, \$1,970; and six of the farms added new corn pickers at an average cost of \$1,370.

New cars with an average farm share of more than \$1,000 were purchased on 89 farms. This excludes all new car purchases with smaller farm share inventory values. Most farmers in the study inventory only part of the original car cost to avoid charging personal use of the vehicle to the farm business.

Other machines costing over \$1,000 which were purchased less frequently included beet harvesters, caterpillar tractors and irrigation equipment.

## Short Courses Begin at MSC

Registration for Michigan State college short courses, offering training in six different agricultural fields, will begin Monday, Jan. 8 on the Spartan campus, according to Ralph W. Tenny, director.

Short courses are offered during the slack farming season to attract the widest possible number of farm people. They combine practical work problems with class work which offers technical information in condensed form. Students take part in 30 to 35 hours of class and laboratory activity per week.

Courses to be offered during the winter will be agricultural engineering, dairy plant operation, fruit production, poultry production and practical floriculture.

The program will be in session from Jan. 8 to March 2, Tenny said.

## Local U of M Unit Joins Fund Drive

University of Michigan alumni recently were given an opportunity to take part in the Michigan Memorial—Phoenix Project, described as the most important undertaking in the school's history. The Phoenix Project was established by the alumni association as a tribute to the 579 university men and women who died in World War II. Its purpose is to set up a research center in Ann Arbor dedicated to development of peacetime uses for atomic energy.

The nationwide goal is \$6.5 million. Peter Van Domelen, Jr., local chairman, reports a warm response to his letter appeal for funds sent to alumni in this area. However, he points out that local contributions are falling behind the national average.

Van Domelen said he expects many substantial gifts will come in an add to the present Holland total.

There are 527 University of Michigan alumni registered in Ottawa county and a fifth of this group already has contributed or pledged support.

W. A. Diekema, county chairman, reveals that Ottawa county alumni have realized 25 per cent of the goal.

With gifts of \$1.5 million from General Motors Corp. and \$100,000 each from Nash-Kelvinator Corp. and Dow Chemical Co., the national headquarters at Ann Arbor announces that the fund has reached one-half of its goal.

Many other Michigan manufacturers are expected to contribute toward the project.

Van Domelen points out that any local manufacturers or other persons who wish to be identified with the project, many contact him for details.

### Asked to Shovel

Post office officials today reminded mail patrons on rural and mounted carrier routes that the approaches to their mailboxes must be shoveled to allow the carrier easy access to the box. Carriers are not supposed to have to get out of their cars to deliver mail on rural and mounted routes.



Introducing Linda Lou Larsen, who is Miss 1951, so far as Holland is concerned. She was born in Holland hospital at 2:45 a.m. on Jan. 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Larsen of 235 West 23rd St. and is shown here with her mother. She was the only baby born in Holland hospital on New Year's day. Linda is Mrs. Larsen's second child—a stepbrother is 13 years old. Linda's father is a decorator, currently working at the Parke-Davis plant. Incident-

ally, he guessed exactly what Linda's weight would be—7½ pounds. The first New Year's baby born in Allegan Health Center was a girl, born at 8:48 p.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goodacre of Otsego. Three other babies were born throughout the night. There were no New Year's babies in Zeeland hospital. The new Holland baby will receive a gift of 321 cans of baby food from a local grocer for being the first 1951 birth.

## Potato Production In State to Be Low

Michigan's potato acreage in 1951 will reach an all-time low for recent decades, if the USDA's production guide is followed, thinks C. E. Prentice, Michigan State college agricultural economist.

Suggested acreage for the state is 84,600 for next year. This is Michigan's share of a national acreage guide designed to keep production in line with probable needs, Prentice said. Potato production in Michigan in 1951, if held to suggested acreage, would be 87 per cent of this year's planted acreage. National acreage would be 85 per cent.

The 13 per cent decrease called for in Michigan follows drastic reductions in acreage in the past 20 years. Only nine states have reduced acreage as much as or more than Michigan, and only three of these are major potato producing states.

Prentice referred to figures compiled last year by M. E. Cravens, MSC agricultural economist, to show how Michigan's trend compared with other states. Total Michigan acreage in 1949 had fallen to only 38 per cent of the 1930-39 average. National acreage had decreased to 71 per cent, while Maine's acreage was 91 per cent and Idaho's 123 per cent of the 1930-39 average.

Michigan's reduction of 10 per cent again in 1950 indicates the attempt of farmers of the state to keep production more nearly in line with demand, Prentice said.

### Bulletin Offers Aid for Farmers' Income Tax

Income tax time is here again, reminds E. M. Elwood, Michigan State college agricultural economist. Valuable help in the job of preparing a return is offered by a newly-revised bulletin, "Farmers' 1950 Income Tax."

Prepared by a committee representing several mid-west land grant colleges, the bulletin offers a review of important points of the income tax law. Elwood represented Michigan in preparation of the bulletin.

The publication, extension bulletin 257, "Farmers' 1950 Income Tax," can be secured from county extension offices, or by writing to the bulletin office, Michigan State college.

### Burnips

Special services were held in the Burnips Pilgrim Holiness church on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 29 to Dec. 31 with the Rev. C. R. Hendrickson of Traverse City, superintendent of Pilgrim Holiness churches of the Western zone, as the main speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fleser of Burnips had as their Christmas week-end guests, their son and family of Atlanta, Ga. They are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fleser and two sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fleser were visitors last week at the home of Mrs. Fleser's parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Coates, Miss Myrtle Coates, and Mrs. Dorothy Coates and Nannette who all reside near Burnips.

The children of the Burnips school and their teachers, Mrs. June Woold of Burnips and John De Young of Diamond Springs were to return to school today.

The churches in the community had a union watch night service Sunday at 9 p.m. in the Burnips Pilgrim Holiness church.

**Young Grandmother**  
Barcelona, Spain (UP)—Mrs. Maria Sanchez De Carmona 30, is already a grandmother and she expects to live to be great-grandmother if her descendants carry on the family tradition.

Mrs. Carmona and her eldest daughter both married at the age of 14 and each gave birth to her first child the following year.

### Engaged



Miss Floraine Joyce Brower

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Brower of route 3, Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Floraine Joyce, to Leverne Dale South, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence South of Muskegon Heights.

### Bowling Scores

Tulip City League

	W	L
Food Haven	28	17
Pete Sink's Paint Shop	27	18
Zeeland Super Market	25	20
Steffens Food Market	23	22
Holland Furnace	23	22
Industrial Machine	20	25
Russ Sandwich Shop	19	26
Ottawa Auto Sales	15	30

High games—Agnes Nieboer 225, Geneva Meusen 206, Leona Bouman 199, Cordelia Moraux 195.

High series—Corlyn Woldring 527, Hester Riemersma 507, Cordelia Moraux 505, Adella Bouman 503, Leona Bouman 492.

City League

	W	L
Zeeprijs Store	3	0
Looman's Body Shop	3	0
V. F. W.	3	0
Lions No. 1	2	1
Herk's Service Station	1	2
Home Furnace	0	3
Baker Furniture	0	3
Lions No. 2	0	3

High games—C. Telgenhof 213; M. Looman 209; J. St. John 203; C. Serier 200.

High series—M. Looman 544; D. Boes 543; P. Elzinga 542; C. Telgenhof 541; G. Moeller 537; W. Stolp 529; J. St. John 526; F. Riemersma 513; H. Wise 507; C. Looman 500.

### Cub Scout Remembers Lessons Well—He's Alive

Ten-year-old Robert Zagar of Fort Wayne, Ind., is a smart Cub Scout—and a brave one.

Right now, Robert is in Methodist hospital in Fort Wayne, swathed in bandages from his waist up, the result of severe burns received in a furnace explosion in his home just before Christmas.

Young Robert had presence of mind to put out the flames on his clothing first, then douse the flames at the furnace before going upstairs to announce rather calmly to his mother that there had been an explosion.

His mother didn't recognize him. She immediately called police and an ambulance.

Robert is known in Holland having spent the last two summers here. His aunt, Mrs. Helen M. Brown of New Richmond, is employed in the office of the Holland Furnace Co.

She suggested local Cub Scouts might like to drop Robert a card. His address is room 606, Methodist hospital, Fort Wayne, Ind.

### Jean Jipping Engaged To Russell Goeman

Mr. and Mrs. John Jipping of route 1 announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean Elaine, to Russell Goeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Goeman of Ellsworth.

## Honeybee Gives Much to Farmer Besides Honey

Emphasizing the importance of the honeybee to Michigan agriculture, a bulletin by the Michigan State college extension service points out that for each dollar the beekeeper receives, \$15 to \$20 worth of crop pollination is returned to the farmer.

The folder points out that 50 per cent of the cultivated crops require insect pollination and that clean cultivation practices in orchards hinder operations of the bee. Clean cultivation destroys the meeting places of wild insects, which feed on nectar and pollen.

Because bees seldom get enough nectar from fruit trees, many growers seed nearby orchard areas with sweet clover and other legumes, the bulletin reports. A good stand of alsike carries enough blossoms to produce 10 to 13 bushels of seed per acre, but the average remains at one bushel an acre today. Concentration of bee colonies in a good stand of alsike might increase the seed to four or five bushels an acre.

The bulletin emphasizes the fact intensive farming practices, through the elimination of permanent pasture fields, wood lots, and fence rows, have upset the balance between plants and pollinating insects.

The folder is titled, "The Importance of the Honeybee to Michigan Agriculture." It is numbered F-152 and may be obtained from county agricultural agents or by writing the bulletin office, Michigan State college.

### Pine Tree Plantings Aid Barry 4-H'ers

Barry county 4-H members are maintaining buildings and providing recreational equipment for their county 4-H club camp through proceeds from pine tree plantings made ten years ago.

On the camp area, near Lake Algonquin, club members planted seedlings in 1939. Each year the present members harvest trees in thinning out the forest. They are sold for Christmas trees and proceeds are used to paint and repair buildings, buy new boats and generally improve the camp area.

This practical demonstration has resulted in many Barry county 4-H club members and farmers making plantings on rough, sandy land to halt erosion and insure a future income.

## Simple Changes Cut Chore Time

Did you know the average dairy farmer can cut up to 120 miles of walking a year from his chore work and still get the necessary jobs done?

That same dairyman is going to spend six hours a day for the next six or seven months doing chore work, too.

Much of this work can be cut down by a little planning, according to Byron R. Bookhout, Michigan State college agricultural economist.

Perhaps the best way to find where to cut is to break the chore work down into separate jobs, he says. The work can be divided into feeding grain, feeding hay, feeding silage, milking, caring for the milk and utensils, and cleaning the stables.

A few possible changes which Bookhout suggests are:

Use a feed cart to reduce walking. Use a silage cart which may cut walking 40 per cent. Feeding hay and silage once a day may possibly cut one-third of the work without affecting the herd.

Youngstock can be kept in a pen where hay can be self fed and silage fed once a day. Cleaning milkers with new washing compounds and disinfectants frequently cuts work and saves time.

Improve milking routine by milking cows in order, keeping the units together, cutting out hand stripping, and not leaving the units on the cows too long.

### Bride-Elect



Miss Henrietta Rus

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Rus, route 2, announce the engagement of their daughter, Henrietta, to Harold Bosma, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bosma, also of route 2.

An English scientist in 1805 discovered that oak bark contains tannin, the active material that converts animal hides into leather.



Gov. Williams created quite a hit at the annual Farm-to-Prosper Round-Up in Muskegon's high school auditorium last Thursday. The governor emphasized the need for such movements as the Farm-to-Prosper, especially in these troubled times. Achievement awards were made at the

annual fete. The governor (above) obliges Judy Van Dyke and other members of the Ottawa county 4-H orchestra with his autograph. At left is Jud Branderhorst, adult manager of the orchestra which played a half-hour concert at the Round-Up. (Muskegon Chronicle photo)

## Library Adventures

By Arnold Mulder

I have read recently is called

"I Leap Over the Wall," a detailed account of an ex-nun's experiences after her return to what she calls the "world." The book, a 1950 publication now some months old, is by Monica Baldwin.

The book is not to be confused in any sense with "confession" narratives. There is not the slightest tendency to debunking in it. The author remains an earnest Catholic, and she spends a great deal of time in the course of her narrative defending her church and the system of retreat to a convent for women who feel a "call." In other words, Miss Baldwin is not a "reformed" nun, one who is trying to "get" something on the organization to which she belonged.

She is the niece of the late Stanley Baldwin, who was prime minister of England at the time when Edward VIII abdicated the throne to marry Wallis Simpson. While in a convent school as a girl pupil he thought she experienced a "call" and took steps to become a nun. This was in 1913, just before the first World war. She stayed for 28 years. Then she returned to the "world" because she felt she had made a mistake.

Much of the interest of the book lies in the author's description of how she had to re-educate herself for secular life. She had to learn a thousand and one trivial things that others absorb unconsciously as they go along. She did not know how to make change when she bought the simplest article. She didn't know what people meant when they used the simplest contemporary idioms; even in England colloquial language had changed radically since 1913.

Moreover, she did not know many of the simplest facts. In her convent, during the first World war, she had merely learned that a war was on, and later that England was on the winning side. Nothing else, if her account of her experiences is to be believed. So she didn't know many of the very

simplest historical facts that are taken for granted in even a grade pupil. And she did not recognize the most familiar names before the public—of generals, statesmen, prime minister, presidents. Reference to the Duke of Windsor mystified her. And so on and so on.

The pity of this book is that Miss Baldwin lacked the talent to rise to the opportunity presented by the very situation. She refers constantly to the fact that she was a female Rip Van Winkle, but she lacks the genius of the creator of Rip Van Winkle to make her story come alive.

If she had been equal to her job, the book might easily have been greater than any Rip Van Winkle story. For the contrast between the 1940's, when Monica Baldwin returned to the "world" and the teen decade of the Twentieth century, when she entered the convent, is much greater than that which she separated young Rip Van Winkle from the old man who awoke after a twenty year sleep. True, in the case of Rip a revolution intervened between his going to sleep and waking up, and America changed from an English colony to an independent republic. But the social changes were few compared with those that have taken place in our revolutionary Twentieth century. That story rightly would exceed Irving's story in its dramatic appeal.

Such a story of waking up in a new world after years of a mental blank has sometimes been attempted in fiction. Perhaps the most successful attempt was that of the late William DeMorgan, whose novel "When Ghost Meets Ghost" is the story of two sisters whose minds are blanked out through an accident. Many years later both "wake up" under the impression that they have slept a single night. How they adjust themselves to the fact that they are now old women is DeMorgan's story.

The situation is dramatic in its very nature, as well as tragic. Monica Baldwin fails to make the most of her unique experience.

## Horizon Club Alumnae Stage Winterland Whirl

More than 60 Horizon club alumnae and their escorts attended the annual holiday alumnae ball Thursday evening in the Tulip room of the Warm Friend Tavern. The Tulip room was decorated with ornate snowflakes on the drapes, a revolving crystal ball, two Christmas trees and a giant Happy New Year greeting on one wall. Large green tapers and greens decorated the windows.

Miss Myra Saunders was general chairman of the event, called the Winterland Whirl. She was assisted by Miss Mary Jane Hacklander, decorations chairman, Miss Mary Houtman, program chairman, and Miss Mary Jane Borr, refreshment chairman.

Dick Ruch's band played music for dancing and took charge of the floor show, which featured vocal solos by Miss Phyllis De Weerd and a skit by Misses Mary and Billie Houtman.

Punch and cookies were served from a table attractively decorated with holiday tapers and greens. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Popejoy and Miss Betty Borr and Philip Luth presided at the punch table.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Preston Luidens, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barkema and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leenhouts.

**Miss Gwendolyn Lemmen Engaged to Russell Kraay**  
Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lemmen of 48 West 13th St. announce the engagement of their daughter, Gwendolyn Lenore, to Russell Kraay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver J. Kraay of Danforth, Ill.

Miss Lemmen was graduated from Hope college in 1948 and is

presently employed by the Lemmen Insurance Agency.

Mr. Kraay, also a graduate of Hope college, is now doing graduate work in the physiology department of Michigan State college.

### Allegan Home Extension Officers Plan Meeting

The training meeting for the Allegan Home Extension group officers has been re-scheduled for 1:30 p.m., Friday, at Griswold auditorium, Allegan, by county chairman, Mrs. Wynne Wilkinson. Chairmen, vice-chairmen, secretary-treasurers, news reporters, recreation leaders and community chairmen are invited to attend.

The Home Extension council will be assisted in the meeting by the state president, Mrs. Lloyd Spencer. Program books and supplies for the year will be given out and meeting dates for the year will be announced.

The Home Extension council will hold its annual election at their meeting which will be held in the morning previous to the officers' training meeting.

### Man Pays Fine

Grand Haven (Special)—Kenneth Wheeler, 36, route 2, Coopersville, charged by the sheriff's department with entering the John Wright home in Chester township Dec. 20 without permission, was arraigned before Justice George Hoffer Wednesday afternoon, pleaded guilty and paid \$25 fine and \$11.45 costs.

### Plans to Wed



Miss Marilyn De Cook

The engagement of Miss Marilyn De Cook to Paul V. Klompars is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis De Cook of 5 West 15th St. Mr. Klompars is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Klompars, 80 West 14th St. The wedding will take place in the spring.

## Sportsmen Asked To Donate Corn

Yocum Woldring, speaking on behalf of the Holland Fish and Game club, today sent out an urgent request for donations of corn from sportsmen to help feed hungry pheasants.

"Now's the time they can show just what kind of sportsmen they are," he said.

He pointed out that the club cannot keep taping its treasury to buy corn for the pheasants. It's too expensive, he said.

Instead, he asked for donations and promised on behalf of the club that any and all donations would be distributed by club members where they would do the most good. A peck or any amount will help, he pointed out.

Donations are being accepted at Yocum's Place or at Prins Service Station, 160 East Eighth St.

### Famed Draftsman Sprains Ankle; Gets Extension

Allegan (Special)—Draft clerk Helen Gray looked up from her desk and saw an old acquaintance, "John W. Tyler!" she exclaimed. "I sent you off with the inductees a couple of weeks ago. What happened?"

Tyler, a Grand Junction truck driver, has held a prominent spot on Mrs. Gray's calendar since drafting began last fall. He was among the first called; he was missing for months, he failed to hear radio broadcasts or see news stories; he finally volunteered to the Marines, who discovered he was Allegan County's No. 1 missing draftee.

"I went for induction all right," Tyler explained to Mrs. Gray. "But that day I came in after you had been looking for me all that time, well, on the way from your office, I sprained my ankle."

"When I went in for induction, they gave me a 30-day extension." Some what apprehensively, Mrs. Gray took out the January induction list and added John W. Tyler.

### Crampton Co. Gives Banquet for Employees

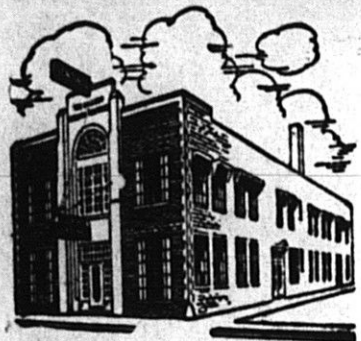
Crampton Manufacturing Co. entertained about 550 guests at an annual holiday banquet Thursday night at the Holland Armory. Guests were employees of the company and their families.

Company President H. E. Pleasant welcomed guests to the dinner party, which was arranged by James Van Dyke and Chester Vander Molen.

After dinner, guests danced to the music of King Bosworth's orchestra.



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## GOOD AT LEAST FOR A SMILE

Perhaps you think there isn't anything left as the basis for forming a club in this land of clubbdom and this home of clubbers. Maybe you think everything has been thought of—from organizations of men who have no middle name to those of women who don't like chocolate ice cream; from boys and girls who were born with six toes per foot to boys and girls who can wiggle their ears; from women's auxiliaries of men's organizations to men's auxiliaries of women's clubs; from Sons of Men's Clubs to Daughters of Women's organizations; from—

But what's the use? The list is so endless that the mere names of organizations, with their full quota of presidents, vice presidents, secretaries and treasurers, would fill several volumes. It is not unreasonable for you to think that there isn't anything left as a basis for forming yet another club.

But you're wrong. A woman in DeSmet, South Dakota, has hit on another club. What is more, she has had herself elected president, and a committee is now engaged in solemnly drawing up a constitution and a set of by-laws, with a resounding preamble and an impressive array of articles and sections. There are to be regular meetings and annual dues and programs with speeches and everything else dear to the hearts of all clubbers.

The South Dakota woman's name is Mrs. Andrew Larson. The organization she has called into being is called "The Proposed-to-in-a-Buggy Club." It is to be a distaff club, but it seems certain that in due time a men's auxiliary will be formed to which those who were on the receiving end of such proposals of the horse-and-buggy days can enjoy the speeches at the regular meetings. But almost certainly they will arrange for a "husbands' night" at least once a year, so the men need not despair.

The purpose of the Proposed-to-in-a-Buggy Club is to provide "a means of exchanging reminiscences about the romantic old buggy days." As a means of boosting the membership, the constitution provides that to be eligible a woman does not need to have accepted the proposal; all that is needed is that she had the question popped to her in a buggy. Mrs. Larson herself said "No," she confesses, but yet here she is invested with the dignity of president.

The idea is spreading like the traditional wildfire. A branch may be expected soon in Holland. Better be snappy about it; the horse-and-buggy days are getting pretty ancient. Meanwhile the idea is good for a smile, or perhaps even a horselaugh.

## Local Woman Injured In Automobile Crash

Faith Van Den Heuvel, 27, route 1, was treated at Holland hospital for an injury to her right knee following a traffic accident at 7:50 a.m. Friday at the corner of Maple Ave. and 24th St.

She was riding with her husband, Marvin Van Den Heuvel, 31, who was driving south on Maple when his car collided with one driven by Paul F. Jones, 39, of 188 West 19th St.

Both drivers told officers they thought the other was going to stop.

Damage was estimated at \$200 to the Van Den Heuvel vehicle and at \$150 to the Jones car.

## Dorr Driver Involved In Two-Car Accident

Allagan (Special)—Hollis Vander Kolk, 20, of route 2, Dorr, was released from Holland hospital Monday after treatment for chest and head injuries received in a two-car auto accident Sunday night on a narrow road three miles northwest of Burnips.

His wife, Laura, received forehead cuts and baby, Carl, 20 months, received face cuts.

The other car involved was driven by Leland Shuck, 21, of

## Sunday School Lesson

January 7, 1951

Jesus Begins His Ministry

Mark 1:9-20

By Henry Geerlings

The gospel of Mark has been appropriately called the gospel of action. This is due to the fact that Mark wastes no time with genealogies or other incidental matters in arriving at the principal character of his book but cuts straight to the heart of the matter and presents Jesus in action from the beginning to the end. The first lesson of the quarter, therefore, presents a hurried review of the beginnings of Jesus' public ministry.

In the beginning of our studies we shall need to remember that our author sees fit to make record of only four of the many parables of our Lord, while he chronicles more than twenty of the miracles. We shall see why he is more interested in the latter than the former if we keep in mind that he was writing for the Romans, who were more impressed by what had the show of power than they were with discourses.

Jesus begins His work. It may seem rather strange on first thought that He should begin that work with a great soul struggle. When we look at the title of this lesson we expect to see something quite different in the very beginning. The Spirit driveth Him forth into the wilderness. But is it so strange after all? Is it strange at all that He should have this great experience, which we call the temptation at the beginning of His ministry? Is it not rather in keeping with the natural order of things as we find it in this world?

He was driven into the wilderness immediately after His wonderful experience in the baptismal waters at the Jordan. Certainly He came into a new consciousness of Himself. He came into a glowing and stirring realization that He is the Son of God and the measure of that realization is of course beyond the measure of our minds. And with this consciousness came the consciousness of power. He knew he had it.

It must have throbbled through His soul with even greater intensity than the consciousness of health does through the body of a perfectly well young man. And with this sense of power came the sense of His mission, a picture of the work that lay before Him as one appointed of God. There came to His mind, too, the inevitable question of how He was going to use this power of which He was conscious. Hence He must go somewhere alone to fight it with Himself, as we would put it in our modern way of saying things.

The beginning of every great and true and valuable work is marked by a spiritual struggle. Honest and capable workers do not just glide into their several fields of activity. They come out of experiences with stark reality, out of struggles to resist the least line of resistance and to overcome the temptation to be always popular. There are hard and tedious and monotonous ways of doing things and there are easier and happier and thrilling ways of doing things.

If a man has made up his mind that he is going to follow the gleam of his ideals, the ideals of Jesus, he has got to make up his mind at the same time that is going to be a hard, trying, and often a disappointing way. One of the struggles in Jesus' wilderness experience had to do with this very thing. The devil suggested that He start His ministry spectacularly, that He become a big and breezy showman, that He cast Himself down from the pinnacle of the temple—that would at once catch the attention of the people. That would be easy and safe and productive.

It is so hard to interest the people in the truth by simply telling the truth. It is so hard to win people from their worldly and low levels to Jesus and His high levels by just telling them the old, old story. People love thrills and excitement and the spectacular. The temptation is to give them what they want. But Jesus decided long ago in his struggle that people are not won to ideals and God and the truth in that fashion. The man who stands for the highest wherever he is and whatever he is doing is living a hard life. He is always being tempted to lower his standards, to compromise his principles, to go along with the crowd and give them what they want rather than what they should have.

If we would begin our work as we should and carry it forward in a creditable manner we must let the Holy Spirit have His way with us. I am not speaking of ministers and missionaries alone. Of course it is true of them. But it is also true of men and women in all other walks of life.

It takes a lot of conceit for any one to suppose that he can make his way through life and do all the Lord wants him to do without the aid of the divine Spirit. The Spirit descended upon Jesus to aid Him in the accomplishment of His mission. He who has the Spirit has wisdom and power and direction. He has been sent into the world for people just like ourselves.

## Marriage Licenses

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Ottawa County

Jay La Verne Hamberg, 19, Holland, and Alma Mae Jansen, 18, route 6, Holland; Henry Van Hall, 20, route 2, Spring Lake, and Lillie McCarty, 18, Grand Haven.

An average hen turkey lays 40 to 60 eggs a year.

## Return From Wedding Trip.



Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Barber

Edward J. Barber and his bride, the former June Reidsma, have returned home from a honeymoon in Chicago. They were married Friday, Dec. 22, at the Woman's

Literary club house. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. C. Reidsma, 252 West 11th St., and Mr. and Mrs. William Boeve, route 4. Mr. Barber will leave for service with the U.S. Army in January.

## Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. De Weese and son, Parke, 250 East 16th St., returned Sunday from a vacation in Ormond Beach, Fla. Miss Marianne De Weese, who was in Florida with them, returned by plane Saturday.

Mrs. Monroe Wigle, Kingsville, Ontario, Canada, is visiting in Holland at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crawford and family, 267 West 17th St.

Stanley Gates, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gates, 11 South Aniline Ave., is recovering from a tonsilectomy.

Richard G. Malchow, electronics technician third class, has arrived on Okinawa for a tour of overseas duty. He is assigned to the Loran station on Ichi Banare with the United States Coast Guard. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Malchow, 195 East Tenth St.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Hofmeyer and children, Leslie and Mark, have returned to their home at Harbor Springs after spending Christmas week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hofmeyer, Lugers Rd., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dore, 28 West 27th St.

Mrs. Wallace Vander Ploeg of Buffalo, N.Y., and Harvey Stuit of Wyoming Park spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dekker, route 2.

Mr. and Mrs. William Takken, US-31, are vacationing for three months at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Walters and Herman Walters, Jr., route 3, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Deters, Mr. and Mrs. William Schuitema and John Zigmeterman spent the holidays at the home of Nelle Cramer and family of Detroit, formerly of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving J. Tallis of South Haven announce the birth of a son, Timothy John, on New Year's Day. Mrs. Tallis is the former Lois Jane Te Roller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spriggs Te Roller of Holland.

Coke is the solid residue consisting principally of fixed carbon, some ash, and a small per cent of volatile obtained by the distillation of bituminous coal.

## Allegan Couple Wed 65 Years



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Andrews

Allagan (Special)—A prominent Allegan county couple will celebrate their 65th wedding anniversary on New Year's Eve. They are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Andrews, who will be honored at a family dinner in celebration of the occasion.

Mr. Andrews, former county supervisor and county treasurer, is 85, and in good health for his age. He boasts he hasn't had a serious illness since he was 17.

Mrs. Andrews, who is 84, has arthritis, but otherwise is in good health.

The couple was married in Wayland Dec. 31, 1885, in a ceremony followed by an oyster supper and a dance at the old Chalmers hotel. They made their first home on a farm in Watson township.

They have four daughters, Mrs. Ernest Brown, Tampa, Fla.; Mrs. Douglas Nash of Gaylord; Mrs. Earl Herman and Mrs. Arthur Hart of Allegan, seven grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

## Radio Class Term Begins Thursday

The second term of the Holland radio class will begin Thursday, according to an announcement today. Classes will be held on the second floor of the Holland police station. Those wishing to enroll may do so Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m., it was announced.

Classes will be in charge of Charles E. Rich and Dale Wolters. Instruction will be given in international morse code and basic and advanced theory. For the first time, the school will offer both beginning and advanced courses.

The new schedule for each Thursday is: 7 p.m. to 8:15, beginning code, advanced theory; 8:30 p.m. to 9:30, advanced code, beginning theory.

Amateur radio population in Holland has reached 12, according to the report. Local amateur stations are maintained by Orlo Palmer, Rus Sakkers, John Bremer, Jr., Harold Knoll, Frank Steketee, Hollis Roels, Charles Rich, Jr., Bill Sakkers, Nelson (Doc) Clark, Norm Nedeau, C. Eugene Akers and Dale Wolters of Zeeland. Two of the local school's graduates, Julius Van Oss of Holland and Ken Rigterink of Hamilton, plan to take the radio examination in Grand Rapids this month.

Rich announced that those who wish to enroll but cannot report at the school Thursday evening may phone the school, 2636, during the class hours, or phone 2204 this week between 4:30 and 9:30 p.m.

## Couples Entertain On Anniversaries

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Sligh, Jr., of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Arend Dubee of Grand Rapids, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversaries at a gala supper party in Kent Country club, Grand Rapids, Tuesday night.

More than 400 guests were present from Holland, Grand Rapids, Grand Haven, Charlotte, Kalamazoo, Muskegon and Jackson. The buffet table was centered with a large vase carved from ice and filled with flowers, and silver candelabra. Guests were seated at small tables throughout the clubhouse, which was gaily decorated for the occasion.

Music reminiscent of the year 1926, including the Charleston, was played by the orchestra.

## Rev. Gritter To Give Lecture Series Here

The Rev. George Gritter, pastor of Fuller Ave. Christian Reformed church, Grand Rapids, will begin a series of three lectures Thursday at 8 p.m. in Ninth Street Christian Reformed church. General subject will be "The Covenant."

Theme of Thursday's lecture will be "God's Covenant With Man."

The second lecture, on Thursday, Jan. 11, will be "The Covenant of Grace," and the final speech, on Jan. 18, will be on "Who Are in the Covenant?"

Rev. Gritter, former pastor of Ninth Street church, is being sponsored in the series by the Eunice Aid school society. The public is invited.

## Eight-Year-Old Girl Dies at Ferrysburg

Grand Haven (Special)—Eight-year-old Elizabeth Glockzin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glockzin, died at her home in Ferrysburg Thursday afternoon. She had been ill for a year and seriously so for the last two months. She was born in Grand Haven Aug. 21, 1942, and was a baptized member of the Methodist church.

Besides the parents, she is survived by two sisters, Laura Lee and Susan; a brother, James; a grandfather, Lou Glockzin of Greenville, and a grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Link of Muskegon.

## Yule Lighting Winners Selected in Allegan

Allagan (Special)—Guy Hurlbut's home was chosen by the Allegan Judges of the Christmas home decoration contest for first prize, the Junior Chamber of Commerce committee announced. Second and third places went to Phillip McLaughlin and John Sorenson.

Residents of Cook St. on the north side won the award for the best decorated block of homes.

## Donna Terrill to Wed Kenneth D. Northuis

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Terrill, 111 South Hopkins St., Grand Haven, announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna Lou, to Kenneth D. Northuis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Northuis, 112 East 19th St. The wedding will take place Feb. 3 in First Presbyterian church of Grand Haven. Miss Terrill's father is city manager of Grand Haven.

## Miss Mildred Morren Is Engaged to Carl Immink

Mr. and Mrs. John Morren of route 1, Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mildred, to Carl Immink, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Immink of Overisel.

If a drawer or window sticks, the trouble can be remedied by rubbing a little wax on the surface where the friction exists.

## Married in Oakland Church



Mr. and Mrs. Dalwyn Vander Kamp

Miss Joyce Dozeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Dozeman of Oakland, and Dalwyn Vander Kamp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gillis Vander Kamp of Fillmore, were married Tuesday, Dec. 12, in Oakland Christian Reformed church. The Rev. Harmon Kuizema officiated at the double ring ceremony which was read at 6 p.m. Ferns and bouquets of yellow and white flowers decorated the church.

Attending the couple were Mrs. Jerald Dozeman and Glen Vander Kamp. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lemmen were master and mistress of ceremonies.

The bride wore a gown of white slipper satin with net yoke trimmed with lace and a lace bodice. She wore a lace headress and a fingertip veil. She carried a white Bible with an orchid, snapdragons

and pompons. The matron of honor wore a blue formal and carried a mixed bouquet of yellow and white flowers. She wore matching flowers in her hair.

A reception for 70 guests was held at the American Legion club house. Mr. and Mrs. Audley Boeve served at the punch bowl and Mrs. James Dozeman and Mrs. Gordon Ver Beek were in charge of the gift room.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Mammoth cave and Florida. For traveling the bride wore a forest green suit, gray accessories and an orchid corsage. They are now at home 187 East 27th St.

The bride is employed at Holland Furnace Co. office and the groom, at Holland Racine Shoes, Inc.

## Weekly Night of Sports for All Ages Being Planned for Holland

An innovation on the Holland athletic front—a weekly "Sports Night"—is being planned by officials of the recreation department and the community evening school program.

Open to all ages in the city except high school students, "sports night" will be held each Wednesday evening. The program is of an exploratory nature with several recreational sports to choose from.

The recreational department hopes to develop enough interest to form several clubs or leagues by next year.

Present plans call for instruction to be given, as well as demonstrations, exhibitions, and ample time for participation in activities.

Joe Moran, city recreation director, will be in charge of the sports night. He expects activity in badminton, volleyball, golf, tennis, pingpong and girls' basketball. Instruction in fishing and fly tying has been suggested.

"Everyone is welcome to come to this class except high school youth," Moran said. "Both sexes and all ages are invited. Many couples have shown interest in the various activities."

It is planned to hold the activities on Wednesdays from 7-9 p.m. at the Junior high gym. Holland board of education is furnishing the facilities, the community evening school gives the personnel, and the recreation department furnishes equipment and planning.

Registration for sports night will be held under direction of Gerrit Wiegink, director of the evening school, on Wednesday, Jan. 10, at Junior high school. Classes will run for 12 weeks.

The different activities will be announced in The Sentinel.

## Engagement Told

A parade that extended at least a mile and a half passed through Eighth St. Saturday afternoon headed by the Holland concert band. The parade was represented by some thousand little tots and older children, who with flags and banners flying, trotted along behind Holland's Musical organization. Sunday school, public school and Christian school pupils, accompanied by their instructors, were all in the line of march.

James Van Ark of MAC is spending a few days at the home of his parents, 214 West 14th St.

The Rev. and Mrs. K. Popen of Patterson, N. J., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Popen of West 16th St.

Clarissa E. Popen who has been visiting in Patterson, N. J., for the past four months, has returned to her home in this city, 40 West 16th St.

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Holland In 1916

(Following is the 489th in the series of weekly articles taken from news of the Holland Daily Sentinel published more than 35 years ago.)

Although there is not a criminal case on the calendar from Holland, which speaks well for the largest city in the county, nevertheless this city makes up for it in the other cases. Holland city itself will come in for a whirl at the bar of justice in the form of a \$10,000 suit which the Duplex Fire Truck company brought for the purpose of getting their money for the two trucks now stored in the Weurding storage. This news story appeared in the Friday, Nov. 3, issue of the Holland Daily Sentinel published in 1916.

A public reception for Democratic Candidate Edwin F. Sweet w. . . held in Hotel Holland tomorrow afternoon. The Hope college Wilson club will be in charge of the Knickerbocker theater during the mass meeting to open at 3 o'clock.

Arnold Barens has been chosen president of the newly-organized mandolin-guitar club in Zeeland. Bert Grinwis is secretary-treasurer. The mandolin-guitar club has secured the services as instructor and leader of Mrs. Adabelle Dillabaugh who has the reputation of being Grand Rapids' foremost teacher of the mandolin. Elvin Swathou of Grand Rapids and Arthur Van Duren of this city spoke to a crowded hall of Republicans in Fennville.

A company of young people spent a pleasant evening at the home of Miss Jeanette Brinkman, 80 West 14th St. Those present were the Misses Hazel Kuhl, Marjorie De Koning, Gladys Imhoff, Kathryn Koster, Winnie Koster, Helen Congleton, and Raymond Knooihuizen, Benjamin Rutgers, Arthur Smith, Alvin Miller and Jacob Fris.

An autumnal electrical storm of great fury passed over this vicinity between 5:30 and 6:30 with its center covering the southern edge of Holland and causing a large amount of damage.

Before a crowded auditorium in the high school Friday evening, in spite of the absence of the teachers of the city due to the conference at Grand Rapids, Mrs. Fenetta Sargent Haskell, reader, entertained with a varied program that increased her popularity with a Holland audience.

Residents of Holland and vicinity are fortunate in the present coal famine that is creating havoc in neighboring cities. Holland's dealers, due to foresightedness, have a large stock of fuel on hand and are able to sell at almost the same price that characterized last winter. Muskegon, Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo and other cities are forced to pay a raise of a dollar or more on a ton of coal for domestic use. Pocahontas coal, for instance, is \$7.75 in Grand Rapids and \$7 here per ton. Solvay coke in Grand Rapids is \$8.10 a ton and gas coke \$7.25. Gas coke here is \$6 for the egg coke and \$6.50 for the crushed.

The Misses Dena Beltman and Clara Alberta of this city are the champion walkers of Holland. They made the trip to Grand Rapids in eight hours.

A big dry daylight will be staged in this city next Monday evening with Attorney Fred T. Miles of Holland, Republican Candidate for prosecuting attorney of Ottawa county and Attorney Chas. E. Misner of Grand Haven, Democratic candidate for the same office, on the same platform.—Zeeland Record.

The King's Heralds society of the M. E. church has been organized. The following officers were elected: President, William Nies; Vice president, Donald Bowerman; treasurer, Mary Gowdy; pianist, Florence Bickford; chorister, Rudolph Green; sergeant at arms, Clifford Smith.

The Rev. R. L. Haan, who for two years has been pastor of Grandville Avenue Christian Reformed church, has accepted the call from the Orange City, Ia., church. Rev. Haan was formerly pastor of the Central Avenue church for more than 10 years.

An enthusiastic and earnest crowd packed to its capacity the Third Reformed church Sunday at the 4 p.m. meeting.

It has been a long long time since Coach Lichtner's Union high school eleven has suffered such a trouncing as the husky Holland high warriors gave them Saturday in Grand Rapids and the Union mentor is hoping it will be another age before they are again forced as far into the muck. It was a halocaust with a 46-0 result.

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## Evening School Popular Form of Adult Education

The Holland Community Evening School which opens its 12-week courses next week is one of the most widespread and one of the oldest organized forms of adult education provided by the public school.

A recent survey reveals that approximately half of all public school districts in communities with populations of 2,500 or more have an evening or adult school. Holland's slogan this year is "More Years in Every Life...."

Courses to be repeated this year will be sewing, knitting and yarncraft, interior decorating, home nursing, drivers' training, community chorus, English for new Americans, typing, textile painting, oil painting, upholstery, mechanical drawing, blueprint reading, machine shop, woodshop, home repairs and child development. New classes will include bookkeeping for small business, income tax clinic, personal grooming, first aid and film forum.

Another service "Counseling Service for Adults" in which Gerrit Wiegerink, director of adult education, will be available for personal interviews. Aptitude, interests or achievement tests will be available.

Persons interested may enroll afternoons and evenings on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the Junior high building.

### Trooper Transferred

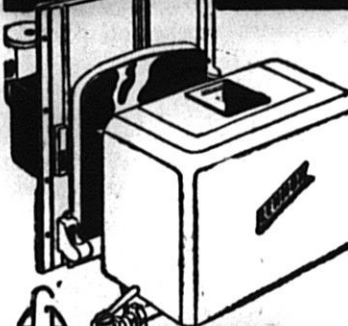
Grand Haven (Special)—Trooper Robert E. Neugebauer, who has been attached to the Grand Haven State Police for the last two years, his first assignment, has been transferred to Flat Rock, effective Jan. 5.

The earliest surviving written documents (clay tablets) of Babylonian date back to about 3,500 B.C.

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### Kamp Kiwanis Facilities Used Often During 1950

The year 1950 marked the busiest year Kamp Kiwanis has experienced in its six years of existence, with approximately 3,000 children and adults using the facilities of the camp provided by the Holland Kiwanis club.

The 35-acre wooded tract just north of Lakewood farm was the scene of many summer outings by local groups including church, civic, Scout and Camp Fire organizations. The camp was used again this year by more than 300 Camp Fire girls as a day camp with each girl spending five days in the rustic setting studying camp lore and handicraft.

Camp administration is under the direction of the Kiwanis Kamp committee with Jacob Grasmeyer as chairman. Other members are Russell Breen, Simon Borr, John Eaton, Gabe Kuite, James Klompars and Dan Vander Werf.

### Hope College Students' Engagement Announced

Grand Haven (Special)—Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Lester M. Kinney of Goudrick Lake, Mich., of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Esther Lorraine Kinney, to E. Reinold Fett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fett, Sheldon Rd., Grand Haven.

The couple plan a June wedding. Miss Kinney is a student at Hope college where she is a member of Sigma Iota Beta sorority. Mr. Fett is a senior at Hope and is majoring in chemistry.

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## Personals

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Guests at a family celebration on Christmas afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Schreier and family were Mr. and Mrs. William Kool and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Schreier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Bushouse and family, Nat Brower and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tuls, Mr. and Mrs. William Kool, Jr., of Grant, Pvt. Don Schreier, home on a 12-day furlough from Lowry Field Air Force base, Denver, Colo., and Ronald Frens of Grand Rapids.

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The Kruitthoff family held a Christmas party Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kruitthoff, route 2. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kruitthoff and Tony, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kruitthoff and Shirley Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kamphuis, Marlene and Sherwin, Mr. and Mrs. Heinie Kruitthoff and Teddy, all of Holland; Mrs. Andrew Laurantse, Marilyn, Jerry Lee and Wayne, of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kruitthoff of Grand Rapids and Henry Kool of Allegan.

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## Zeeland

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Albing and family of Lansing, recently of Zeeland, were holiday visitors at the home of relatives in Zeeland including Miss Hannah Mae Boerst and others.

Larry Diekmann, student of Central Normal, Mt. Pleasant, spent the holiday vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Diekmann, East Lincoln Avenue.

Mrs. C. Vanden Bosch and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Vanden Bosch and children spent New Year's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vander Zwaag in Spring Lake.

Miss Peggy Boonstra, student at Michigan State, East Lansing, spent the holiday vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Boonstra, East Central Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kemper of Detroit were holiday visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Den Herder, East Central Avenue.

Phil Meengs, law student at the University of Michigan, was a holiday visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Meengs, East Lincoln Ave.

Miss Ethel Brower, home economics teacher at the Marian high school, spent the holidays at the home of her father and sister Gerrit and Edith Brower.

Dick Bloemendaal, student at Alma College, was a holiday visitor at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Bloemendaal.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waterman of Three Rivers were holiday visitors at the home of their mother, Mrs. M. C. Ver Hage and other relatives.

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On Sunday, Dec. 31, the Lord's Supper was served at the First Reformed church in charge of the pastor, the Rev. J. den Ouden at the regular morning service and also at the afternoon service which is held four times a year when the Lord's Supper is administered. Shut-ins of the congregation were to be served the sacrament today.

Holiday visitors at the home of Mrs. Nellie De Jonge and Miss Mabel De Jonge included Mr. and Mrs. Oliver De Jonge and daughter Norma and Miss Meredith Ely of Lansing; Bud De Jonge, student at University of Michigan, Ann Arbor; Prof. and Mrs. Marvin De Jonge of Lafayette, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Rooks of Northville, formerly of Zeeland, were visitors with relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Elhart of Evanston, Ill., were holiday visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Elhart, Lincoln Ave.

Mrs. Stuart Hildebrand and daughters, Sally and Jane, of Lansing are spending the holidays at the home of the father and sister, A. Van Koeveering and Miss Antoinette Van Koeveering, East Central Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ten Have of Albion are spending the New Year week-end in Zeeland visiting their sisters, Misses Florence and Myrtle Ten Have and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ten Have and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Ten Have.

New officers of the Ladies Aid society of the First Reformed church recently chosen are: Mrs. P. Madderom, president; Mrs. P. Elhart, vice president; Mrs. M. Walters, secretary; Mrs. P. Vanden Bosch, assistant secretary; Mrs. John Bouma, treasurer; Mrs. Gerrit Vos, assistant treasurer.

At the Christmas meeting of the society held in the church parlors, "Christmas Harvest," a short play was presented by Mrs. R. Telgenhof, Mrs. M. Huyser, Mrs. B. Poest and Miss Anne Huizenga. Devotions were in charge of Mrs. J. den Ouden and Mrs. H. Van Hoven. Gifts were exchanged and secret pals revealed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wyngarden and children Donna and Lois, of Sheboygan Falls, Wisconsin, were holiday visitors at the home of their children, Dr. and Mrs. Milton Wyngarden in Holland and other relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. Wyngarden was formerly principal of Zeeland Christian school.

Pvt. Keith Van Koeveering, son of Mr. and Mrs. Corey Van Koeveering, South Elm St., who has been in service since October, spent the holiday season at the home of his parents. He took basic training at Lackland Air base and Sheppard Field, at Wichita Falls, Texas, and is now stationed at Lowry Air base, Denver, Colorado. He is attending school for camera repair.

Mr. and Mrs. Shem Martin and daughter, Patricia, of Dayton, Ohio, were holiday visitors at the home of their mother, Mrs. Ralph De Haan of South Elm St., and other relatives.

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## Jury Finds Man Guilty On Drunk Driving Court

Grand Haven (Special)—A justice court jury Thursday afternoon found John F. Hyde, 29, route 2, Grand Haven, guilty of drunk driving, second offense, and Justice George Hoffer sentenced Hyde to pay \$75 fine, \$21.20 costs and serve 15 days in the county jail, or an alternative of 60 days. Hyde immediately furnished a \$200 bond for an appeal to Circuit Court.

City police alleged the offense as of Nov. 23 at Washington and Beech Tree Sts. Hyde's previous conviction of drunk driving was April 26, 1947, when he was sentenced to pay \$75 fine and \$8.95 costs.

Serving on the jury were Anthony Verhoeke, Alex H. Hume, Douglas Baker, Gerald Ryenga, Louis Behm and Mrs. James Sprout.

## Hospital Notes

(From Friday's Sentinel)  
Admitted to Holland hospital Thursday were Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips, 119 East 20th St.; John Kruitthoff, route 3; Janice Harthorn, route 1 discharged same day.

Discharged Thursday were William T. Krueger, Hamilton; Mrs. Irene Wallinga, route 1, Hudsonville; Mrs. Henry Patuis and baby, 1618 South Shore drive; Mrs. Blaine Ash and baby, 177½ East Sixth St.

A daughter, Linda Lou, was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Volkers, East Saugatuck. Admitted to Holland hospital Wednesday was Mrs. Henry Kraal, route 1, Hudsonville.

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# 1950 Chronology

## JANUARY

1. Three persons injured in Holland during last holiday week-end. Other accidents minor.

2. First snow since Christmas arrives in Holland but too late. Kids are all back in school.

3. American Legion begins "Tide of Toys" program in local schools to gather toys for European children.

4. Charter Commission and Board of Public Works members meet jointly to discuss proposed utility control.

5. Five Hope seniors receive bids to medical schools.

6. Miss Ruth Kaasboek wins top honors in piano contest of Grand Rapids to choose non-professional soloist to appear with Grand Rapids symphony orchestra.

7. Board of Education announces new school to be built on Lincoln school site to replace Lincoln and Froebel schools.

8. Otto P. Kramer resigns as vice president of First National bank after 34 years of service.

9. Dr. Otto van der Velde named chairman of 1950 Red Cross fund campaign.

10. Conference on Children and Youth held at Woman's Literary club house.

11. Parents of local young polo victims coming fund campaign to advance gifts.

12. Hollis M. Brower, 105 East 21st St., first Holland area man to receive GI insurance dividend.

13. Fire destroys home on Bee-Line road badly damaged by fire.

14. Summer home of G. Mortimer Roberts burned to the ground. Firemen save nearby cottages located near Ottawa beach oval.

15. Common council considers plans for full-time city recreational director.

16. Wayne O. Nyland, 20 of Virginia Park, fatally injured in auto accident.

17. Record enrollment of 500 reported for Holland Community evening school.

18. Robert J. Kowch chosen to drive 1950 Community Chest drive.

19. John J. Bauman, 2000 Muskegon, named to succeed Prof. Stephen A. Partington on Hope college faculty. Partington accepts position in Lansing.

20. Tulp Time, Inc., begins detailed plans for 1950 festival.

21. Real winter weather returns after spring-like day with 67 degree temperature.

22. First petitions filed for coming primary election in Holland.

23. George S. Everhart II, 26, dies at hospital of injuries received in motor scooter-automobile accident.

24. New cold front moves into area, sending mercury down to icy seven degrees.

25. Dr. John Hollenbach, Hope college dean, appointed co-ordinator for FEBRUARY

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1. Crowds throng Vans, Inc., Holland's newest ultra-modern super food market.

2. Council approves purchase of new boiler for James De Young light plant.

3. Mrs. J. J. Kistler appointed by W. A. Butler as Red Cross co-chairman for north Holland area.

4. Full program of immunization clinics for local elementary school children announced by Dr. Ralph Ten Have, Ottawa county health department director.

5. Gerrit Appledorn retires after 29 years as clerk with the Board of Public Works.

6. Twenty-two Hope college seniors receive bachelor of arts degrees in second annual mid-year commencement.

7. Holland Kiwanis club provides deep freeze unit for Holland blood bank.

8. Woman's Literary club honors Mrs. G. E. Kollen and Mrs. J. P. Ogel, only two remaining active founders at celebration of club house birthday.

9. Program given in Fourth Reformed church to mark 75th anniversary of women's missionary work in Holland.

10. Holland high school students make plans for third annual college and career day, scheduled for April 28.

11. Judge Camille Kelley, noted Memphis, Tenn., juvenile judge, speaks at annual Ottawa county teachers institute in Holland high school.

12. Charles Looman of Holland bowls perfect 300 game at local alley, enabling him to break away from Gerald, to win doubles classic in Holland Bowling association tournament.

13. Blanche Cathcart, Washington elementary school teacher, retires after 47 years in teaching profession.

14. Holland goes over top in polo campaign with collections totaling \$12,566.79. All reports not yet in.

15. Common council bans all Ingrid Bergman and Roberto Rossellini films in Holland.

16. Hope college biology club becomes member of Beta Beta Beta, national honorary fraternity.

17. Holland township plans construction of \$50,000 skating rink on US-31 by Harry Draper of Holland.

18. Holland merchants adopt plans for Friday night shopping festival.

19. Three new aldermen, LeVern Rudolph, Arnold Hertel and Robert Schermer, named in Holland primary election. All other officers re-elected.

20. Tulp Time, Inc., plans 1950 festival, May through 20.

21. Hope college music department forms Chamber orchestra with selected personnel from college orchestra.

22. Holland and Zeeland hatcherymen host post office and express of fish personnel at chicken dinner for discussing shipments of baby chicks and other fowls.

23. More than 250 Red Cross leaders begin 1950 campaign at kickoff dinner in Woman's Literary club house.

24. Holland public schools rate high in district solo and ensemble contest at Muskegon on 23 entries winning Division II, 23 Division III and two Division III.

25. Hazardous weather turns Holland streets and sidewalks into ribbons of ice. Several trucks involved in freakish accident on US-31, resulting in \$9,100 damages.

## MARCH

1. Jack Daniels of auto license bureau reports 15,076 plates sold in Holland for 1950.

2. Savage blizzards roar through Holland keeping temperatures at an unseasonable low.

3. Noted artist, Ulfert Wilke, schedules two-day visit to Hope college.

4. Mary Houtman of Holland, Hope student, wins first place in state oratorical contest.

5. Holland Christian basketball team wins district crown by defeating Zeeland.

6. Hope college basketball team ends season with 11 wins and 9 losses on the record.

7. City Treasurer Henry Beckforst closes his 1949 tax books, after all Holland people pay bills.

8. Holland Furnace Co. reports net sales down 12.9 per cent during 1949.

9. Holland Camp Fire Girls make plans to celebrate National Birthday week March 12-15.

10. Donald E. Vander Hill elected commander of Henry Walters post 2144, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

11. Arcadian fraternity and Sorority sorority win first honors in annual all-college sing at Hope.

12. Holland's second annual bond drive officially opened in the Netherlands museum with about 90 persons entering more than 400 items.

13. Holland high school a capella choir wins first division rating in district festival of Michigan State Vocal association.

14. Armed bandit robs Holland Loan association office. Police force road blocks around city.

15. Common council nullifies agreement for loan from BFW to pay hospital building with water named editor-in-chief of 1951 Milestone, Hope college yearbook.

16. Randall Vande Water named editor-in-chief of 1951 Milestone, Hope college yearbook.

17. Fred Bouwman, 62, died of auto

## JUNE

1. Ottawa County Red Cross announces plans for limited swimming program.

2. Music, forensics, publications and sports awards given at Hope college annual honor ceremony.

3. Holland-Zeeland area Christian schools launch campaign for school expansion funds.

4. Senior day celebration held at Holland Christian high school. Honorary awards for school year.

5. State Sen. William C. Vandenberg of Holland presents circulation of petitions for his re-nomination.

6. The Rev. Marion de Velder of Hope church receives honorary doctor of divinity degree from Central college in Pella, Iowa.

7. Hope college class of 1900 annual reunion held during commencement week. Six of eight living members plan to attend.

8. City without gas for short period. One major gas line by gas conversion operations here.

9. Washington school third graders give farewell party for Blanche Cathcart, their teacher who leaves this year after 47 years of teaching.

10. Holland Christian school's \$185,000 expansion campaign ends with more than \$100,000 raised.

11. Holland hospital receives new operating table, purchased with gift of \$1,725 from that purpose from Mrs. P. J. Van der Velden.

12. Austin Buchanan named boy counselor and assistant principal at Holland high school.

13. Senior day celebration, largest number on record, receive diplomas at Holland Christian high school commencement.

14. Holland college awards bachelor of arts degrees to 239 seniors and honorary doctor of divinity degree to the Rev. John R. Kemper of Mexico, honorary doctor of laws to degree awarded posthumously to the late Dr. J. Paul Visscher.

15. The Rev. John M. Vander Meulen of Lansing addresses 226 retiring high school graduating seniors at 67th annual commencement exercise.

16. Don Jacobusse, Holland high school, nominated for governor at Boy State East Lansing.

17. Joan Vanter Werf, Holland high teacher, leaves on extended trip to Europe.

18. Holland berry growers take part in second largest strawberry harvest in Michigan history.

19. Holland city population recorded at 15,742 in census. Ottawa county census is 73,357.

20. Holland police take top honors in Ottawa county pistol meet with state police post of Grand Haven and county sheriff's department.

21. More than 400 Holland persons enjoy annual Chamber of Commerce cruise aboard the S. S. North American.

22. Holland Coast Guard alerted to stand by for possible action in search for missing DC-4 airliner with 58 persons aboard.

23. Holland voters defeat proposed new charter by 200 votes; 30-year franchise for natural gas passed by voters.

24. Hope college announces summer enrollment of 114.

25. A. E. Rackes appointed civilian defense director of Holland.

26. Archie E. Underhill of Holland announces his candidacy for state representative on Republican ticket.

27. Willard G. Leenhouts post No. 6.

## JULY

1. Board of Public Works announces plans for construction of addition to James De Young steam plant.

2. William C. Vandenberg of Holland files petitions as candidate for lieutenant governor on Republican ticket.

3. Satisfying Fourth of July reported in Holland, no major accidents listed in area.

4. James Dyke Van Putten, State department representative, vacationing in Holland with family after leaving Korea after outbreak of war.

5. Holland takes initial steps to set up civilian defenses, with Edwin Rackes as director.

6. Second annual Indian pow wow held at Waikauzoo, featuring pageant of Waikauzoo legend.

7. About 125 Red Raiders of 21st district end training session for officers in Holland.

8. Dr. Lester J. Kuyper, Jay L. De Koning and Mrs. Kenneth De Pree win annual Board of Education election.

9. Summer Playground program of Holland Recreation department held under way in first week in year of flow attendance at all four centers.

10. Ottawa county ordered to have 57 men ready for physical examinations and possible service under selective service act between July 15 and Aug. 15.

11. Albert E. Lampen elected president of Board of Education.

12. Joseph H. Geerdts appointed by Gov. C. Mennen Williams as member of Civil Defense Technical committee on Power, Gas and Oil.

13. Seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. van der Velden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Hoving, route 4, victim of first drowning tragedy in Holland for 1950.

14. Chris-Craft Motor Corp. announces plans for expansion program of \$100,000 at Holland factory.

15. Total of 5,079 children and young people under 18 reported in annual school census in Holland.

16. Morrette Reid, Jay Folkert and Louise Van Dorem of Hope college continue graduate leaves of absence to study in Holland.

17. Lt. (jg) William Brice, Jr., assigned to staff of Holland Navy Reserve unit as publicist and acting communications officer.

18. Revolutionary new breath and body deodorant, taken internally, introduced here by the De Pree Co.

19. Montello Park school authorities announce construction to begin on \$90,000 school addition.

20. Melbourne Powers, former Douglas tavern keeper, held on murder charge in rifle slaying of his son-in-law, Albert Strampel, on July 23.

21. Anthony Kouker, native of Holland, accepts position on Hope college music department faculty.

22. Dr. Walter Van Saun, head of Hope college philosophy department of heart ailment.

23. Grand Rapids Marine Reserve unit, including eight Holland men, ordered into active service.

24. Total of \$1,300,000 additional to James De Young power plant to raise price to ten cents.

25. Warren Edwin, Richard Ruch and Richard Tjalma of Holland awarded Michigan State college scholarships.

## AUGUST

1. Harry F. Kelly, former Michigan governor seeking nomination for governor, speaks at local Republican meeting.

2. Mrs. David Lee Pauw, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Pauw, killed by automobile to become Holland's second traffic fatality of 1950.

3. Common council takes action to eradicate pesky starlings from Lawndale Ct. area.

4. Summer Playground program of Holland Recreation department ends after four weeks of fun.

5. Holland's National Guard Co. D makes preparations for two-week summer encampment at Camp Grayling.

6. Extensive four-week day camp program for Holland Camp Fire Girls girls to close after more than 320 girls took part in four five-day sessions.

7. Conservation commission members arrive in Holland, ending tour of western Michigan conservation project.

8. Total of 227 Ottawa county men leave for Detroit for pre-induction examination to find 34 men for Army induction in September.

9. Eleanor De Pree of Zeeland announced as new member of Hope college art department faculty.

10. Catherine De Koning and Bruce Van Voort receive service award at Holland high school.

11. Holland celebrates Memorial Day with traditional parade, service and cemetery.

12. Holland State park officials report attendance of 36,300 during long holiday week-end.

13. Diane Riemersma, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Riemersma, contracts polio, the first case of year in Holland area, fifth case in Ottawa county.

14. Police search for young hitchhiker who fled into woods after sending car into ditch. 20-year-old and hitting his wife, Ruth, over the head with a pistol.

15. John Roderick Neahr, 16, of Zeeland, charged with slaying of Alvin Kraker of Hudsonville because he "wanted the car."

16. Spectacular fire destroys the Big Top restaurant at Ottawa Beach. Owner, Roy Young, escapes through window.

17. H. J. Heinz, II, president of H. J. Heinz Co., speaks at meeting of Holland Rotary club at Castle Park.

18. Two of Holland's three 1929 post office trucks sent to retirement. Two half-ton panel trucks arrive for post office service.

19. Charles R. Sligh, Jr., named commodore of Macatawa Bay Yacht club for 1951.

20. Many Holland residents visit Holland's Co. D members, in summer training with National Guards at Camp Grayling.

21. Annual lake weather continues in Holland area to cause vacation plans and resort activities.

22. Holland Christian school board of trustees meets at Zeeland churches, Prospect Park and Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed, for use as grade school classrooms to level Zeeland school.

23. Two Ottawa county men, Sgt. George A. Pilex of West Olive and Charles Hendricks of Zeeland, 68, elected members of National Guard.

24. Mrs. Mary K. Zwanmaker, 68, of Benton Harbor, killed in auto accident on US-31 north of Holland.

25. Hiding of Holland receives orders to report to military D.C., for assignment with Red Cross as field director in Japan.

26. Pfc. Robert F. Smith, 24, reported missing in action in Korea, first casualty of Holland city.

27. Thirty-four Ottawa county men, including 13 from Holland, ordered to report for induction into armed services on Sept. 7.

28. Castle Park stages 28th annual charity horse show; miserable drizzle, but large crowd of 2,000 of entries and large crowd of fans.

29. Hope college announces new half-million dollar women's dormitory ready for occupancy; fraternities to have own homes when college opens Sept. 20.

## SEPTEMBER

1. Holland township voters approve \$65,000 bond issue to build and furnish school addition and heating plant.

2. Holland prepares for long Labor Day holiday week-end.

3. About 225 Ottawa county rural teachers meet at Beechwood school of trustees to report to annual school opening Sept. 12.

4. Holland police department chooses Ralph Woldring, Ernie Bear, Isaac Kraker and Dennis Reid to represent Holland in state pistol shoot at Jackson.

5. Holland youngsters return to school.

6. First group of draftees leave Ottawa county for induction into Army under re-activated selective service law.

7. E. Morse Co. of Detroit begins construction of new \$150,000 factory on Ottawa beach road.

8. Schools announce increased enrollment. Christian school lists total of 1,343. Public schools, 2,835.

9. Board of Education approves new policy covering purpose and regulations of school parties.

10. Public schools report 3,582 strong in primary election.

11. Hope faculty members holding two-day retreat prior to opening of college.

12. Ernie Bear and Ralph Woldring of Holland police force retain title in class D state pistol shoot at Jackson.

13. Junior Chamber of Commerce assumes control and management of Holland Youth Center.

14. One hundred Hope college co-eds take residence in new Winifred H. Durfee hall.

15. Rain and lightning storm causes considerable damage in Holland area.

16. Murder trial of Melbourne Powers, 37, charged with the rifle slaying of his son-in-law, Albert Strampel, in second day at Allegan court.

17. Common council decides to submit proposed new charter on ballot for second time in Nov. 7 general election.

18. Ottawa county ordered to send 115 men to Detroit for physical examinations under selective service act.

19. Gov. and Mrs. C. Mennen Williams visit Holland and meet local Democratic leaders.

20. Holland residents watch nature's phenomenon, eclipse of the sun, preceded by strange giant smoke screen resulting from fires in Canada forests.

21. Pfc. Egbert Kars, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kars, reported wounded in action in Korea; Pfc. Kenneth Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wright, reported killed in Korea.

22. Holland Community Chest sets \$38,300 goal for 1950 campaign to begin Oct. 16.

23. Olive group, followers of ancient Hebrew faith, go to Michigan out-of-door altar, built according to Biblical specifications.

24. Northern Fibre Products Co. factory in Zeeland destroyed by fire.

25. Milk price raised one cent by local dealers.

## OCTOBER

1. Grand Rapids woman, Mrs. Clara Weersing, 49, fatally injured in automobile accident at intersection on US-31 four miles north of Holland.

2. Holland area residents back in Indian summer temperatures.

3. Holland Kiwanis club announces plans to open third annual World Travel series.

4. Social Progress club begins 40th year at first fall meeting at George Peigrim.

5. Common council considers recommendation from Holland Planning commission calling for hiring a city planner.

6. Holland's National Guard Co. D inspected by inspector general staff of Fifth Army area; inspectors reported "well pleased."

7. Zeeland church \$78,000 addition to building program underway with start of construction of attractive new parish house.

8. Work begins on Warm Friend green pots at all-college party.

9. Single Solicitation P. fund-raising drive well received in Holland.

10. Board of Education approves recommendation to purchase two square blocks of property in Van Raalte Ave. and 24th St. vicinity as site for the future Van Raalte school.

11. Hope college announces plans for annual homecoming festivities.

12. Young Republic club of Holland meets to pledge support and participation in county-wide campaign to get out-the-vote for Nov. 7 general election.

13. Contracts for new school to replace Lincoln and Froebel schools let by Board of Education.

14. Coffee Kletz and Warm Friend Tavern begins annual Community Chest campaign.

15. Small game hunting season begins in Michigan; persons hurt in Ottawa county hunting accidents.

16. Famous de Paur's Infantry chorus entertains more than 1,300 Hope Memorial hospital patients at outstanding concert in Holland.

17. Indian summer weather returns to Holland area.

18. Olive Dumont Lewis Cole, 67, West Zeeland, fatally injured in field, crushed by his tractor in the field.

19. Community Chest campaign extended one week, pledges of \$20,000 fall campaign goal set.

20. Sixty-second annual Ottawa county Sunday school convention planned in Grand Haven.

21. Zeeland church planning to complete plans for additional 1000 bulbs to be planted in private yards and selected locations for a memorial Tulp Time next year.

22. Holland church bells peal in

## Seminary Student Weds Miss Elizabeth Donselar

Grand Haven (Special)—Before a setting of four seven-branched candelabra and baskets of white mums, a lovely winter wedding was solemnized in First Reformed church of Grand Haven at 8 p.m. Friday when Miss Elizabeth Lullia Donselar exchanged marriage vows with Kenneth Norman Leestma, in a double ring ceremony before the Rev. Bernard Brunsting, pastor of the church.

The pews were decorated with white bows and greens.

Attending the bride were Mrs. Gordon Poel as matron of honor, and the Misses Barbara Donselar, sister of the bride, and Marcella Leestma, sister of the groom, as bridesmaids. Vernon Leestma assisted his brother as best man. Ushers were Arnold Leestma, brother of the groom, William Meidema and Henry Donselar, brother of the bride, Mary Lou Franks was flower girl and the ring bearer was Albert Brunsting, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rose of Grand Haven were master and mistress of ceremonies.

Immediately following the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served to 200 guests in the church parlors, with Miss Joyce Poort cutting the wedding cake, the Misses Gladys Nelson and Virginia McCaleb at the urns, Miss Joyce Wood at the punch bowl, Mrs. James Franks in charge of gifts and Mrs. Carl Holman in charge of refreshments. During the program at the reception William Meidema sang a solo and the Midway Trio sang several selections. Mrs. Holman gave several readings.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Leestma left for a five day honeymoon in Chicago. They will make their home at 1281 E. 16th St., Holland, after Jan. 5. For her going-away costume Mrs. Leestma chose a tan and gray gingham dress with matching bolero and black accessories. Her corsage was of white orchids.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Donselar, Jr., Grand Haven, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Leestma, Grand Rapids.

The bride is a graduate of Grand Haven Christian school and the local high school and has been employed at the Michigan Bell Telephone company in Grand Haven. The groom was graduated from the Ottawa Hills high school in Grand Rapids and Hope college and is now attending Western Theological seminary. He is assistant pastor at First Reformed church, Grand Haven.

Wedding music was played by Stuart Noordyk of Grand Rapids, who also accompanied Harold Lenters of Western Theological seminary, who sang "Beloved, It is Morn" and "I Love You," during the ceremony, and, as the couple knelt, "The Lord's Prayer."

For her wedding the bride wore a white satin slipper stain gown, with a marquisette ruffled yoke and fitted bodice, long sleeves with puffed at the wrists and a long train ending in marquisette ruffling. Her three-tiered, fingertip veil fell from a flat braided crown. She wore a single strand of pearls. She carried a white Bible with a white orchid.

The matron of honor wore a gown of fuchsia taffeta with high neckline, a bustle forming from the waist line to the floor with a ruffle. She wore a rhinestone necklace. Miss Donselar wore an aqua brocade taffeta gown with high neckline, pleated

## North Blendon

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

The Rev. Kromminga of New Jersey has declined the call extended to him by the local Christian Reformed church.

The Rev. T. Yff of Holland conducted the special prayer services for peace at the Christian Reformed church here Tuesday evening.

Special services were held at both local churches at 9:30 a.m. on Christmas day. The Christmas programs presented at 7:45 p.m. were well attended.

School children in this area presented their programs on Wednesday and Thursday evening of last week and are now enjoying their holiday vacations.

A week ago Friday pupils from the Corwin school visited the County Infirmary at Eastmanville where they presented their Christmas program.

Mrs. G. Klynstra is ill with mumps. Carol Hall and James Zylstra have also been ill the past week.

## DECEMBER

1. Increase in room rates announced by Holland hospital.

2. Local Red Cross volunteers begin packing Christmas gifts for servicemen in the hospital.

3. Word received in Holland of death of Fred H. (Pop) Benjamin, former local Boy Scout leader, at his home in Toledo.

4. James Meyer, 20, of Zeeland, fatally injured in truck crash near South Haven.

5. Hope college students pledge more than \$2,000 in annual mission fund drive, to benefit Hope high school in India this year.

6. Ottawa county continues recent campaign to lead in Michigan gubernatorial race.

7. Holland shovels away big snow drifts, fighting stormy blizzards. Roads close virtually all schools in the area and all but stops traffic.

8. Junior Chamber of Commerce announces plans for Christmas decorations lighting contest by trainmen.

9. Turbine trouble at De Young power plant leaves Holland with electric shortage during week-end; technicians from Milwaukee to work on machinery.

10. Thousands of Holland workers stay off jobs as city's power short-ages.

11. City back to normal as James H. De Young power plant put back into operation after repairs.

12. Board of Public Works issues complete report on possible causes of power failure.

13. Holland post office forced to receive most parcel shipments as winter mail delivery is maintained throughout nation by U.S. mails.

14. Fillmore district No. 2 residents vote to increase millage from 15 to 21 and to hold bond issue for addition to Maplewood school.

15. James A. Brouwer, 56, pioneer furniture dealer, dies at home after three-day illness.

16. Work at Holland post office hits all-time peak as Christmas mail reach height.

17. Work begins on sewage treatment plant at Park and Van Raalte branches in Holland.

18. Purchase of new turbo-generator for James De Young power plant authorized by common council, cost estimated at \$1,240,000.

19. Oakland A. Herington of Montague escapes serious injury as truck he is driving crashes with freight train and burns.

20. Holland residents plan many celebrations for Christmas holiday week-end.

21. More than three inches of Christmas snow blankets Holland as near zero temperatures again forecast for Michigan.

22. Joan Kilian and Joan Fyle named DAR Good Citizens at Holland high school and Zeeland high school, respectively.

23. Word received by Mr. and Mrs. C. Howard Hendricks of Zeeland that their son, Pfc. Charles H. Hendricks, 19, was killed in action in Korea on Oct. 20.

24. Word received by Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Draper that their son, Marine Lt. Bill Draper is "okay" in Korea and is being treated with the First Marine division in North Korea.

25. Holland prepares to welcome new year.

Easter island is so called because it was found on Easter Sunday in 1722.

San Francisco bay, large enough to hold the combined fleets of the world, is believed to be the sunken valley of an ancient river.

## Dutch Bow Again To Power-Laden Ohio Cage Squad

### Extended Motor Trip Tells on Hollanders After First Minutes

Berea, Ohio (Special) — Hope college ended its mid-winter basketball tour of Ohio on a sour note Thursday night, by going down before Baldwin Wallace college, 90-65.

The difference between the two teams was six-foot-seven center Dick Retherford, who scored 25 points—the margin of difference for Baldwin Wallace.

Retherford was described by Hope coach Russ De Vette as "the best offensive player we've played against this year. He even was hotter than any Wooster player," De Vette added.

Hope employed a zone defense to hold the towering Retherford to 25 points. The lanky center made 10 of his points after missed free throws, when he went above the rim with his hole hand and slammed the ball through the hoop.

Hope stayed with the winners for the first eight minutes, and everything stood even at that time. Then the long motor trip from Holland to Dayton to Berea began to tell, and the Dutch began to allow the Ohioans to build up a halftime lead of 49-30.

In the second half, the Michigan five came out fighting and outplayed the winners for nine minutes, whittling the lead to 14 points. Then center Junior Bremer got four personal fouls and was removed from the lineup, and the rest of the club suffered.

Forward Jerry Jacobson, who injured his knee the night before against Dayton, was bothered somewhat by the injury, and he came out of the lineup. De Vette refused to take a chance on re-injury, and Jacobson didn't play too much in the second half.

Captain Bud Vande Wege paced Hope scorers for the second night in a row with 17 points. Bremer was next in line with 11, and the rest of the scoring was scattered. Every Hope sub played and each one broke into the scoring column.

Subs from both teams played at least 15 minutes.

Baldwin Wallace is well up in national consideration, having dropped only one game this season to Mt. Union. The Ohioans earlier this season knocked off Syracuse university.

## Bride-Elect

Miss Betty Ruth Harrington

At a family Christmas dinner party in their home, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harrington, route 4, announced the engagement of their daughter, Betty Ruth, to John Groenewoud, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Groenewoud, route 2.

## Legion-Besteman Game Postponed

The Holland American Legion basketball team will remain idle until Jan. 6, after winning two WMBL games within a week.

The Legion five faced rescheduling difficulties with Grand Rapids Besteman produce team this week, forcing postponement of that game until a later date.

Besteman was scheduled to come to Holland tonight, but with the Christian-Grand Rapids Catholic game scheduled, a new date was sought.

Then the Legionnaires were slated for a prelim for a Hornet game in Grand Rapids, but that was postponed. Now it appears Holland and Besteman will get together Jan. 6 at the Armory.

## Store Safe Stolen

Grand Haven (Special) — City police are investigating a break-in at Teunis Foodland, a grocery store located on US-31 owned by Richard Teunis. A gray safe, 20 by 29 inches, containing \$1,000 in cash and \$800 in payroll checks was taken. The store closed at 10 p.m. Friday. The break-in was discovered at 7:05 a.m. Saturday. A door on the north side of the building had been forced open.

## Engagement Told

Miss Patricia Oonk

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Oonk, 191 West 27th St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia, to Allan J. Van Huis, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Van Huis, 646 Washington Ave.

## Classmates Have Dinner At Zeeland Restaurant

A group of classmates held a holiday dinner Friday evening at the Hub in Zeeland. Arrangements for the event were made by Mrs. Irene Hoving and Mrs. Maybelle Zuber. Mrs. Athalia Clark was named president of the group and Miss Jean Pelegrom, secretary.

Greetings were read from several members who could not attend. Games were played and prizes awarded to Mrs. Bernice Zonnebelt, Mrs. Edna Dalman, Mrs. Adella Buonan, Mrs. Angelyn Jalving, Mrs. Gertrude Stielstra and Mrs. Esther Hall.

Others attending were the Messdames Louis Homkes, Alma Bouman, Maxine Wilson, Julia Schas, Luella Van Lente, Jeannette Ter Vree and Eleanor Fannette.



# Circuit Court Hits New Record During Year '50

## 109 Criminal Cases Processed; Break-ins, Sex Offenses Top List

Grand Haven (Special) — The largest number of criminal cases in more than 20 years was processed in Ottawa circuit court during the year 1950, according to statistics compiled by Prosecutor Wendell A. Miles.

Cases the past year totaled 109 and all were arraigned or tried by Prosecutor Miles. This does not include the many cases the prosecutor conducted in examinations in justice courts throughout the county.

Of the 109 cases, 89 originated in the following cities or townships: Holland city, 20; Grand Haven city, 19; Grand Haven township, 18; Holland township, 11; Polkton township, 6; Park township, 5.

Miles attributes the large number in part to unsettled times, the failure of the homes to assert greater control over young people, and the growing independence of young people obtaining independent incomes from industry.

Breaking and entering cases—20 in all—topped the list in types of offenses committed in the county. Sex cases ran a close second—19 of them—including gross indecency, sodomy, indecent liberties and incest.

Other offenses were desertion and non-support, 14; larceny, 12; assault (felonious, aggravated and armed), 8; rape (statutory and forcible), 4; bastardy, 3; furnishing liquor to minors, 3; forgery, 2; disorderly third offense, 2.

A majority of offenses were committed by young men, many of them mere youths of 17. Those committing offenses of a serious nature not yet 17 years old are first handled by the juvenile division of probate court.

The large number of cases originating in Grand Haven township was due to the uncovering of sex offenses in the Russell Van Koeveering cottage.

A majority of the cases are handled in justice courts, but all felonies and all misdemeanors in which punishment prescribed may exceed a fine of \$100 and incarceration in the county jail for more than 90 days are brought into circuit court.

Number of cases processed in previous years follow: 83 in 1949, 61 in 1948, 39 in 1947, 50 in 1946, 40 in 1945, 26 in 1944, 53 in 1943, 76 in 1942, 78 in 1941, 79 in 1940, 96 in 1939, 62 in 1938, 41 in 1937, 31 in 1936, 69 in 1935, 26 in 1934, 55 in 1933, 74 in 1932, 75 in 1931, 103 in 1930.

## Sixth Church Groups Entertain Husbands

A joint meeting of the Sixth Reformed church Ladies Mission band and Priscilla league was held Wednesday night in the church parlors. Husbands of members were guests.

Music was furnished by a girls' sextet of ninth grade students in Junior high school. Members were Delores Vanden Berg, Julie Smith, Marilyn Burton, Shirley Hamm, Jane Schaafma and Nancy Maatman.

The Rev. Ralph Korteling, missionary to India, spoke about his work and showed pictures. Hostesses were the Mesdames W. Jacobs, G. Steggerda, Jr. R. Steggerda, T. Kraai, R. Newhouse and A. Slager.

## Norton Township Man Dies in Grand Haven

Grand Haven (Special)—George M. Brown, 83, died at 2:30 a.m. Sunday in Municipal hospital, where he was admitted on Christmas, after an illness of several weeks.

He had lived in Council Bluffs, Iowa, for about 22 years and later moved to Fremont where he lived for fifteen years. Five years ago, he moved to Norton Township in Muskegon county.

Besides the wife he is survived by a son Jay Lawrence of Lansing, and one daughter, Mrs. Roy Ford of Council Bluffs, 12 grandchildren and 18 grandchildren.

## Bride-Elect



Miss Hazel Nyenbrink

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Nyenbrink, route 2, Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Hazel, to Richard Wittingen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Wittingen, Goodrich St., Zeeland.

Costa Rica mines \$500,000 worth of gold annually.

## Vogelzang-Visser Vows Spoken



Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Vogelzang

Sixteenth Street Christian Reformed church was the scene of a wedding Dec. 28 when Miss Josephine Visser, daughter of Mrs. Minnie Visser of Hull, Iowa, became the bride of Leonard Vogelzang, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Vogelzang, Sr., 168 West 32nd St.

The Rev. John Visser, assisted by the Rev. A. W. Hoogstrate performed the double ring ceremony. An arrangement of ferns, candelabra and baskets of mixed flowers formed the setting. Chrysanthemums decorated the pews.

Nicholas Vogelzang, soloist, sang "Thou Art Like Unto a Flower" preceding the ceremony and "The Lord's Prayer" following the exchange of vows. Miss Katherine Cnossen played the traditional wedding marches.

The bride, given in marriage by Nick Frankena, wore a white satin gown fashioned with a nylon net yoke outline by a French lace bertha, a fitted bodice, long sleeves and a three-quarter length French lace skirt over a full-length satin hoop skirt, which ended in a long train. Her finger-ring veil of illusion was held in place by a pearl tiara. She carried a white Bible topped with white roses. Her only jewelry was a single strand of pearls, gift of the groom.

Mrs. William Pals attended the bride as matron of honor and Mrs. John Visser as bridesmaid. Abraham Vogelzang assisted his brother as best man and groomsmen were John Vogelzang, Jr. Ushers were Marinus Pott, Gerrit De Leeuw, William Vogelzang and

Abe Vander Ploeg. Mrs. Pals wore a rose crepe gown with sequin trim and cap sleeves. Mrs. Visser's gown was of blue crepe with lace trim, a square neckline and puff sleeves. The attendants carried colonial bouquets and wore matching tiaras in their hair.

A reception for 90 guests was held at the Woman's Literary club house. Chrysanthemums and tapers decorated the room.

Music at the reception was provided by Carmen Brille, violinist, accompanied by Miss Hazel Bartlett. Nicholas Vogelzang led community singing, accompanied by Miss Cnossen. Mrs. Edward Ribbens sang "Together With Him Life's Pathway We Tread" and Nicholas Vogelzang and Mrs. Ribbens sang a duet, "Beautiful Night."

Out-of-town guests attended from Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Vriesland, Ann Arbor, New Era, Zutphen, Burnips, Hull and Wodono, Iowa, Columbus, Ohio, and Lafayette, Ind.

The bride is a graduate of Western Christian high school, Hull, Iowa, and Calvin college. She had been employed as a teacher at Oakdale Christian school, Grand Rapids. The groom is a graduate of Holland Christian high and Calvin college. He is employed by Vogelzang Hardware Co.

For their wedding trip to Mexico City, Mrs. Vogelzang wore a lime-wool dress with brown accessories. After Jan. 15 they will be at home, 439 Columbia Ave.

## GRANDSTANDING...

by Dick Millman  
As one of the gentlemen observed on the radio the other night, this is the season when all sports writers get out the crystal ball and predict for 1951. Just like that radio fellow, the old Grandstander doesn't want to be left out either.

But instead of being so dogmatic, we'll temper our predictions a little and make them in two classes: Things We Don't Think Will Happen in 1951, and Things We Hope Will Happen in 1951.

In addition, we'll keep the list short. So—

Things We Don't Think Will Happen in 1951—None of the four high school state champions to repeat, including Kalamazoo in Class A, Ishpeming in Class B, East Grand Rapids in Class C, or Brimley in Class D. . . . Flint Northern won't repeat as mythical football champion of Michigan high schools. . . . None of the Holland City Basketball league teams to go through the league season undefeated. They're too evenly matched. . . . Neither the Phillies nor the Yankees to play in the 1951 World Series. . . . Joe Louis won't regain the heavyweight boxing championship. . . . Frank Stranahan to remain as an amateur on the golf front.

Things We Hope Will Happen in 1951—Larger fan attendance at both the city league basketball league games and city softball league games. . . . The state high school champion in class A basketball to come from the Southwest conference. . . . Another undefeated season for the Zeeland high football team. . . . Successful participation in the weekly "Sport Night" being planned by the city recreation department and evening school program. . . . Good seasons to all the local high school athletic teams and to Hope college squads. . . . The Detroit Tigers to win the American League pennant. . . . Continued upsets in college football. . . . Closer regulation of professional boxing to safeguard the health of fighters. . . . Both the Dutchmen baseball team and Hurricane football team to be in action this year. . . . Peace on earth, good will toward men.

TOP SCORERS—Ron Jackson, giant center on the Kalamazoo Central team, is leading individual scorers in the Southwest conference after two games played. Jackson is averaging 20.5 points per game, with a high effort of 28 against Grand Haven.

In second place is Holland's Rog Eggers, with 32 points scored in two games. Eggers' best offering in league play was 26 against Muskegon.

Earl Morrall of Muskegon has a 14 point average for two games, and Bill Stuitbergen of Kalamazoo is fourth with 22 points and an 11 per game average.

Holland's Bob Tasma is tied with Grand Haven's Dick Berg for fifth spot in the infant season, each with a 9.5 average per game, on totals of 19 points scored.

Jackson has made the most field goals with 17, while Morrall tops the free throw efforts with 10.

These figures, of course, are unofficial. Muskegon Heights and Benton Harbor each has played only one league game.

SEEKING GAMES — Wettermar Market, of the Grand Haven city basketball league, is looking for games with out-of-town teams. Wettermar's is undefeated so far in Grand Haven city league play.

The team features such players as Lyle and Bob Lampton, Vern Peters, Don Young, Stew Engle, Rich Westhoff and Buck Murphy.

HIGH BOWLERS — Holland Reliable Motor supply team won the first half championship of the Business Men's bowling league, with a 25 won, 17 lost mark.

High individual average in the league for the first half was held by G. Moeller, with a 177 figure. L. Koopman averaged 175, and F. Lemmen 173.

High individual game during the first half was bowled by Lemmen, with a 247 total. Koopman and J. Piers were next in this department, each with a 242 game to his credit.

JUST STUFF—Coach Art Tuls at Christian high has several lettered mottos hanging on the dressing room walls for his basketball charges to heed. One of them reads: "When you score, don't purr. The opponents are on offense." . . . For the benefit of college fraternity men, Phi Delta Theta had the most first string football players last season. But Sigma Nu led in the number picked on various All-America teams. Must be a moral there, somewhere. . . . The Princeton basketball team, which at last reported had won 16 games in a row and came out on top at the Michigan State winter basketball carnival, is coached by a former Holland athlete, Frank "Cappy" Cappon. . . . The trophy for the first half championship in the Fraternal bowling league will be presented to the Moose No.2 team Friday night.

Open House to Honor Mrs. Louis Hekman

An open house honoring Mrs. Louis Hekman of Ridgewood, N. J., formerly of Holland, will be held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jay L. Tinholt, 89 East 30th St. The event, in the form of a tea, will be held from 3 to 5 p.m.

Mrs. Hekman is the former Donna Tinholt.

Mrs. George B. Tinholt will pour.

Friends of the honored guest are invited to attend. Invitations have not been issued.

Business, Social Meet Held by Bethel Society

A meeting of the Bethel Reformed church Mission society was held Wednesday night in the church parlors. Mrs. Gerald Reink, president, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Cornie Weststrate conducted devotions.

A short business meeting was held and annual reports were given.

Solos were presented by Mrs. Marie Huff. A discussion on the Ten Commandments was led by Mrs. Fred Meyer.

A social hour followed the meeting.

## Recently-Wed Couple Honored



Sgt. and Mrs. John L. Savage

A reception for 75 guests was held Friday evening in Berean church in honor of Sgt. and Mrs. John L. Savage, who are visiting here for the first time since their marriage. The couple is shown above cutting a wedding cake at the reception.

Mrs. Savage, the former Beverly Jensen, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jensen, 493 West 20th St. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Savage of Berwick, Pa. They were married Nov. 15 in Savannah, Ga., where he is stationed with the Army. Their home address is 115 West 34th St., Savannah.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Van Maurick were master and mistress of ceremonies at the reception. Mr. and

Mrs. Howard Holcombe were in charge of the gift room and Misses Joan Van Dyke, Juella Cook, June Lamberts and Donna Lamberts served refreshments.

A program opened with remarks and prayer by the Rev. Frank Moore. Several selections were sung by the Jansen sisters, aunts of the bride, and Miss Donna Lamberts sang two solos. Mrs. Van Maurick gave a reading and Mrs. Frank Smith showed slides. Rev. Moore gave the closing prayer.

Guests were invited from West Palm Beach, Fla., Panama City, Fla., Fort Bragg, N. C., Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Zeeland, Merritt and Holland.

Sgt. and Mrs. Savage plan to return to Savannah this weekend.



## Engaged



Miss Mary Lou Wedeven

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wedeven, 334 West 17th St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Lou, to Jerome Vander Slik, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Slik, 200 North Colonial St., Zeeland.



Miss Gertrude Huizenga

The engagement of Miss Gertrude Huizenga to Howard Gruppen has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit E. Huizenga, 320 West McKinley Ave., Zeeland. Her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gruppen, route 1, Zeeland.



Miss Caroline M. Vereeke

Mr. and Mrs. Arend Vereeke, route 2, Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Caroline Mae, to Chester Machela, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Machela, route 1, Zeeland.



Miss Gloria Vander Meulen

The engagement of Miss Gloria Vander Meulen to William L. Wood is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vander Meulen of 298 Van Raalte Ave. Mr. Wood is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wood of Wauka-zoo.



Miss Down Diepenhorst

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Diepenhorst of Lakewood Farm announce the engagement of their daughter, Dawn, to Kenneth Eitterbeek, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. De Loof, West 17th St.

The headwaters of the San Francisco river in Brazil are about 1,700 miles distant from the sea.

## WANT-ADS

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## Personals

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)  
On Sunday at 7:30 p.m. there will be a sacred program at Borculo Christian Reformed church, given by the Ambassador male quartet of Kalamazoo. The public is invited.

Bud Vande Wege, 354 Maple Ave., returned home Tuesday from a holiday vacation in Florida and the East. He spent Christmas week with his fiancé, Miss Ariene Suozzo, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Suozzo, at their winter home in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. He returned to Ohio last week to play with the Hope college basketball team at Dayton and Cleveland. Then he drove to New York and New Jersey, where he spent several days, including New Year's Eve in New York City. Ron Appleborn, West 15th St., accompanied him East.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lampen and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Johnson have returned from Lansing where they attended the funeral of Fred L. Johnson, father of Mrs. Lampen and Mr. Johnson. Fred Johnson died Dec. 26 and funeral services were held Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wiersma of Zeeland announce the birth of a son, Michael, Tuesday at Zeeland hospital. Mrs. Wiersma is the former Juella Brower of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dyke and children, Charlotte and Charles, of Muncie, Ind., former Holland residents, spent the holidays here with relatives and friends and returned home Monday.

Max Frego left Wednesday for Columbia, Mo., to resume his studies at the University of Missouri after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Frego, 303 West 15th St. He is a graduate student of history at the university.

Richard Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Miles, 38 East 18th St., left Sunday to enter the Sault Ste. Marie branch of Michigan College of Mining and Technology. He will major in physics. Miles will stay with his brother, Frederick, who is employed by the United States weather bureau at Sault Ste. Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Quist of Grand Rapids, formerly of Holland, celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary New Year's Day. Attending the party from Holland were Mrs. Hazel Quist and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prince and children and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hossink and children.

Warren Pommerening, 888 Butternut Dr., left Tuesday for Great Lakes Naval Training station. A member of the Navy reserves, Pommerening received his call to service Nov. 16. Mrs. Pommerening plans to remain in Holland. Pommerening is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pommerening.

Mr. and Mrs. Orie Vander Boon of Grand Rapids, announce the birth of a daughter, Janice Mary, Dec. 23 at Butterworth hospital. Mrs. Vander Boon is the former Laurena Quist of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dornbos, 350 Pine Ave., have left for Florida where they will spend the winter at their home at St. Petersburg.

Ret. Clifford Kent Hopkins of Camp Pickett, Va., spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hopkins, 17 West Ninth St.

## League Meeting Held At Fourth Parsonage

The Junior Girls league of Fourth Reformed church held a monthly session Tuesday evening at the church parsonage. Scripture was read by the president, Junia Halverson. Sentence prayers offered.

Lois Koeman, Thelma Newhouse, Myra Van Dyke and Junia Halverson presented a play, "Keeper by the Hours."

The remainder of the evening was spent rolling bandages. Janice Koeman was social hostess.

## Rainbow Girls Initiation Honors Leah Broker

Miss Leah Broker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Broker, was initiated into the Holland Assembly No. 16, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, at a meeting Thursday night in the Masonic Temple.

Following the impressive candle-light service, Miss Broker presented her parents. A gift was given to Miss Broker from her mother.

Guests were present from Holland and Saugatuck Order of Eastern Star chapters.

## Driver Arrested

Grand Haven (Special)—Kenneth Harvey, 22, route 1, Spring Lake, was to be arraigned Saturday on a drunk driving charge following his arrest at 2:30 a.m. today after his car going east on Washington St. in front of the court house went across the boulevard and broke off a light pole.



Volney L. Dibble, 66, at home,  
West 15th St.  
Mrs. George E. Heneveld, 67, of  
Pleasant Ave., Central Park,  
at home of son-in-law and daughter,  
Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Peelen of Kalama-  
razoo.  
4. Ray E. Nies, 72, at home, 577  
Michigan Ave.  
5. Mrs. Dorine Boorman, 76, at home  
in Benithelm.  
6. Mrs. Jessie Van Halstma, 73, at  
home, two miles southeast of Vriesland.  
7. John W. Dahl, 83, at home of  
son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and  
Mrs. John E. Dahl, Butterworth Dr.  
10. Leonard Schaefer, 78, at  
16th St., at Pine Res; sanitarium.  
11. Thomas E. (Dell) Souther, 84, at  
home, 360 West 18th St.  
12. Mrs. Mary Aye, 73, at home in Gan-  
ges township.  
13. Harvey C. Vernon, 81, at home,  
route 2, Fennville.  
14. Mrs. (Dorice) Beeslin, 97,  
formerly of route 4 Chippewa, at Ft.  
Lauderdale, Fla., hospital.  
12. Mrs. Charles H. Barnard, 72, at  
home, 344 Howard St.  
14. William C. Huist, 37, at home, 204  
East 38th St.  
13. Mrs. Pearl Kibby, 32, found  
dead by husband, Anthony, at home,  
Ganges, at South Haven hospital.  
13. Mrs. En-Lie Prisman, 80, at  
home of son-in-law and daughter,  
Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Karsten, 210  
West 11th St.  
14. Leroy B. Cartwright, 73, at  
home, 210 Maple St., Saugatuck.  
15. Mrs. (Elizabeth) Greenway, 84, at  
home in Beaverdam.  
16. Gilbert Van Hoven, 93, at home  
of son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and  
Mrs. Chris Verplank, south of Zeeland.  
17. Mrs. Issie Fisher, 86, formerly  
of East Eighth St., at Eastmanville.  
18. Mrs. Anna Vos, 79, at home,  
Barnum.  
18. Simon Fabella, 66, of Holland at  
Holland hospital.  
18. Hilbert E. Barkel, 43, of 157  
East 26th St., at Holland hospital.  
19. Mrs. Frank Kozeem, 89, at home,  
1/2 miles northward of Borculo.  
19. Mrs. Aron Walters, 67, of route  
Laketown township, at Holland  
hospital.  
20. Wayne Olin Nyland, 20, of Vir-  
ginia Park, at Holland hospital fol-  
lowing accident injuries on US-31.  
21. Gerrit Sneller, 73, at home of  
brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and  
Mrs. Jack Evink, 326 College  
Ave.  
22. Janice Kaye Evinck, daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Evink, route  
Zeeand, at birth in Zeeland hospi-  
tal.  
23. Mrs. Grietje De Haan, 87, at  
home in West Drenthe.  
23. Mrs. John Van Perren, 66, at  
home, 818 North Shore Dr.  
23. Mrs. Hiram Vandae Bunte, 82, at  
home, 1400 W. 1st St.  
24. Mrs. Sena Tanis, 53, of route 3  
Audubonsville, at Christian Psycho-  
neurotic hospital, Cuterville.  
25. Mrs. Jennie De Lok, 85, at  
home of son-in-law and daughter,  
Mr. and Mrs. Minard Rookema, route  
Olive township.  
26. Louis Wagenveld, 75, of 778  
E. 10th St., at home of son-in-law  
and daughter, Mr. and  
Mrs. Richard Poppema, 758 East Eighth  
St.  
27. Mrs. Elizabeth Buege, 80, at  
home, route 1, Dorr.  
27. Mrs. Herman Jipping, 72, at  
home, route 1, Hamilton.  
27. Mrs. William Drenten, 80, at  
home, 1000 S. Union St.  
28. George S. Everhart II, 26, of 113  
East 24th St., at Holland hospital fol-  
lowing motor scooter and automobile  
accident.  
28. Mrs. Inez Hogel, 21, at South  
aven hospital following burns re-  
ceived in stove explosion at home,  
route 3, Fennville.  
28. Gustav J. Graaf, 21, of Graaf-  
schap, at Holland hospital.  
29. Mrs. Lottie Woltring, 66, at  
home, 388 East Eighth St.  
29. Mrs. Hugh Gerrits, 83, at home in  
Audubonsville.  
31. Sandra Lane Wolfe, two-day-old  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell  
Wolfe, route 2, Hamilton, at Holland  
hospital.

FEBRUARY

1. George J. Wolters, 88, at home,  
route 1, Zeeland.  
2. Mrs. Estelle, 63, of 27 West  
10th St., at Holland hospital.  
3. George Nevezuel, at Holland hospi-  
tal.  
4. Mrs. (Alice) Ausierke, 74, at  
home, at route 4 at Holland hospital.  
7. Mrs. Dana Vredeved, 85, at home  
son, Lucas, 15 West Central Ave.,  
at Oakland.  
8. Mrs. Maggie Overbeek, 61, at  
home of daughter, Mrs. John Vos,  
at home.  
8. Mrs. Elizabeth Ringia, 40, of  
Zeelandland, at Zeeland hospital.  
11. Henry Rutgers, 66, at home in  
country township.  
12. Mrs. (Mary) Hadaway, 70, at  
home in Ganges township.  
12. George Earl Jones, 68, of 13366  
Kentucky St., Detroit, at Holland  
hospital.  
12. John Shepherd, 64, at home of  
son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and  
Mrs. Lloyd W. Anderson, 9 West 35th  
St.  
12. Mrs. Sarah Riemersma, 45, of  
North Centennial St., Zeeland, at  
Holland hospital.  
12. Mary Ver Hage, 76, at home, 42  
N. 12th St., Zeeland.  
12. Peter Boer, 51, at home, 63 West  
1st St.  
14. Gerrit Ten Broeke, 66, at home  
at Borculo.  
15. George Witt, 66, of route 4, at  
Holland hospital.  
14. Nicholas Dykstra, 78, at home  
son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and  
Mrs. William Strimman, route 5  
at Holland hospital.  
14. William Drenten, 81, of Hami-  
ton, at Holland hospital.  
15. Mrs. Newcomb, 81, at home  
England.  
15. Reinder Vander Wal, 83, at  
home of sister, Mrs. Ben Bakker  
of Saugatuck.  
16. Mrs. (Mollie) Miller, 72, of Gan-  
tes, at Douglas hospital.  
16. Mrs. Jennie Clark, 83, at home  
granddaughter, Mrs. Donald Buck-  
ley, Ganges.  
16. Mrs. (Cora) Van Halsema, 83,  
at home in Vriesland.  
6. Edward H. Hawley, 83, at home  
Fennville.  
18. Mrs. Helen Scholes, 32, of 786  
at Eighth St., at Butterworth hospi-  
tal, Grand Rapids.  
18. Herman Garvelink, 73, at home  
England.  
18. Infant son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Harry Vandenberg, 115 East 19th  
at Holland hospital.  
19. Mrs. (Alice) Forsten, 67, at  
home, 411 West 2nd St.  
19. Jacob Zoernmer, 67, at home,  
3 South Shore Dr.  
19. Henry Bol, 64, of 320 James St.,  
at Butterworth Dr., while walk-  
ing to work.  
0. Mrs. Sue Lucille Spencer, 57, of  
Anville, at Douglas hospital.  
0. Mrs. Peter Hamelinck, 78, at  
home, 28 Peach St.  
Theodore C. Bennett, 82, of 426  
Shington Ave., at Pine Rest.  
William Bertisch, four-  
old son, 816 South Shore Dr., at  
dwar.  
East Eighth St. at Smith Convales-  
cent Hospital.

MARCH

Otto C. Behnke, 63, of Oak Park,  
at Holland hospital.  
George Hemwall, 68, at home,  
route 1, Zeeland.  
Mrs. Peter Bylsma, 81, at home,  
West 17th St.  
John Josinski, 83, at home of

Mrs. Peter Heyboer, 360 W.  
4. Harm Nyenbrink, 78,  
son-in-law and daughter,  
Mrs. Lawrence Nyland, route  
5. Mrs. Marinus De Jongh,  
West 17th St., at Pine Res;  
day-old daughter, at Holland  
ton, at Ferguson hospital,  
Rapid.  
6. Mrs. Martha Vander  
home, 430 North Shore Dr.  
6. Martin Witteveen, 44,  
at University hospital, An-  
7. Herman Heerspink,  
West 17th St., at Holland  
8. Cornelius Van Dyk,  
home, 202 West 15th St.  
10. Jacqueline Ruth Lu-  
day-old daughter, at Holland  
John Lutke de Rusk, at Zee-  
land.  
11. Mrs. John Van Tyl, 78,  
86 West Eighth St.  
12. James De Kraker, in  
Mr. and Mrs. John De K.  
West 21st St., at Holland  
12. Mrs. Sinto, 32, at  
Lincoln Ave.  
12. Mrs. Mary Ann Mil-  
home of son and daughter,  
Mr. and Mrs. Riley M.  
Douglas.  
13. Mrs. Kate Rietman,  
home, route Johanna Vereed  
436 East Main Ave., Ze-  
home of daughter, Mrs. A.  
Komp, at Holland hospital.  
13. Richard Roy Wyom-  
West Seventh St., at H-  
tal.  
14. Joseph A. Howard,  
2 of heart attack in down-  
15. Lewis Zagars, 55, of J  
at Zeeland hospital.  
15. Mrs. (Margaret) Haggers, 79,  
Convalescent Home,  
16. John A. Timmer, 78,  
108 East Lincoln Ave., Ze-  
16. Frank Boudier, 78,  
East, Holland hospital.  
17. Frank M. Baldwin, 75,  
East Fourth St.  
18. Mrs. (Frederica) Freeland  
home in Ganges.  
18. Mrs. Rosa Purchase,  
East Seventh St., at Smi-  
t.  
18. Mrs. Jennie Kleinhek  
home in Fillmore.  
19. Irvin V. Peterson, 37,  
home, 1000 S. Union St.  
20. Jacob Meebos, 78, of  
State St., Zeeland, at Pine  
pital, Cuterville.  
21. Carl Burrows, 78, at  
Pullman.  
22. Gerrit Kleinhuisen,  
East 13th St., at Holland i-  
22. Mrs. (Marjorie) Birnie Ve-  
at home in Drenthe.  
23. Mrs. Ralph Ter Bey-  
home, 333 Gordon St.  
23. Jay Allan Joostborn  
son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Joost-  
berns, route 2, Hamilton, at  
hospital.  
24. Kirk Alan Vander  
home, 1000 S. Union St.,  
John Vander Woude, Jr., at  
Borculo.  
26. Ben Keen, 66, of 139  
St., at Blodgett hospital, Gr-  
land.  
26. Cornelius Leenhout,  
home, East Lincoln St., Ze-  
27. Lambert Holstege, 69,  
route 3, Hagers, at Zeeland  
27. Marinus Brandt, 78,  
route 3, Drenthe.  
28. Mrs. Henry Vos, 75, at  
route 1.  
29. Evert Van Liere, 70,  
West 15th St., at Holland ho-  
29. Engbert Miedema, 81,  
West 16th St.  
30. John Vander Ploeg,  
East 10th St., at Holland ho-  
31. Gerald James Vander  
year-old son of Mr. and M-  
Vander, 5118 20th North  
Ave., Zeeland, in traffic ac-  
cident, Zeeland.

APRIL

1. Mrs. Gertie Nykerk, 85,  
of son-in-law and daughter,  
Mrs. Peter Dykman, Lakewo-  
2. Henry T. Beek, 57, of  
Grandview, at Zeeland hospi-  
2. Mrs. Anna Van Spyker,  
West 13th St., at Holland h-  
3. Jacob P. De Feyter, 8,  
Curry, at Holland hospital.  
4. Mildred J. Fisher, 48,  
Maple Ave., at Holland ho-  
4. John Fisher, 50, of No-  
mond, at University hospi-  
4. Carroll Thiel, 9, found  
car at home, 251 Van Raalte  
Dr., at Holland hospital.  
6. Mrs. Egbert E. Boes, 7,  
Van der Stelt, Zeeland, at  
hospital.  
6. Benjamin Kole, 51, of  
Dr., at Holland hospital.  
6. Mrs. Anna Tibbe, 61, of  
13th St., at Holland hospi-  
and sister in Grandview.  
7. Mrs. Johannes Meyerin-  
home, route 1.  
7. Mrs. (Clara) T. Tirrell, 65,  
180 East 11th St.  
8. Mary Ogels, 82, at Wil-  
less home, Howard Ave.  
9. Mrs. Mitchell Meiste, 1,  
old son of Mr. and Mrs. M-  
Meiste, at Holland hospi-  
route 2

7. Mrs. Anna Knap, 74, of 281 East Cherry St., at Zeeland hospital.

8. Harry Berns, 86, at home in Hamilton.

9. Wilfred G. Armbruster, 48, of 2212 Cornell Ave., Chicago, at Holland hospital.

10. William C. Sowers, 54, at home in Hamilton.

11. Mrs. Alta Cole, 76, at home in Dor.

12. Gerrit Van Schure, 76, at home of sister, Mrs. C. Vander Bijl, 266 West 22nd St.

13. Richard (Dick) Cramer, 61, at home of sister, Mrs. J. A. Cramer, 100 W. Michigan.

14. William Renkens, 55, of route 2, Grand Rapids, at St. Mary's hospital.

15. George H. Sagers, 64, of route 1, Holland Ter Haar, 78, of 199 East 17th St., at Holland hospital.

16. William H. Warren, 76, of Fenwick, Grace Convalescent Home, Saugatuck.

17. 12. Mrs. Grace vander Woude, 90, of home of son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Heide Dekker, 97 East Main St., Zeeland.

18. 12. Mrs. Ben Veneklaas, 65, of 70 First Fifth St., at Holland hospital.

19. 11. William H. Warren, 76, of Fenwick, Grace Convalescent Home, Saugatuck.

20. 14. Mrs. Lizkie Borkma, 69, at home of son, Mr. J. Borkma, 74, of route 2, Holland, in car at intersection of 17th and River Ave.

21. 15. John Berkoopman, Jr., 25, of Fenwick, John Van Gemert home, Grand Rapids.

22. 16. Mrs. Allie De Weerd, 69, at home on route 6.

23. 17. Albert Martin, infant twin son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin, 695 North Ave., at Holland hospital.

24. 18. Pamela Ann Martin, infant twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin, 695 North Ave., at Holland hospital.

25. 19. 1. 695 Pamela Ave., at Holland hospital.

26. 20. Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ramaker, 498 West 22nd St., at Holland hospital.

27. 21. Walter Oscar Simons, 63, of route 4, Douglas hospital.

28. 22. Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Simons, East 35th St., at Douglas hospital.

29. 23. Louis Mulder, 73, at home, 267 East 19th St.

30. 24. Gertrude Meckel of Pullman, at home of daughter, Mrs. Fred Rantz Benton Harbor.

31. 25. Mrs. Krena Van Dulzen, 85, at home of daughter, Mrs. Henry Coelmonte, 261 South Maple St., Zeeland.

32. 26. Ransom Willis Everett, 58, of College Ave., at Holland hospital.

33. 27. 24. Martin Stark, 76, at home on route 1.

34. 28. Mrs. Carrie Tromp, 75, of 580 Second Dr., at Holland hospital.

35. 29. Mrs. Margaret Estelle Lippie, 54, at home of daughter, Brower Convalescent home, Plainville.

36. 30. 25. Bert Hulst, Sr., 79, at home in Iklind.

37. 31. Missus Pitta, 20, of 1931 North Main, Mishawaka, Ind., in truck on accident on US-31, five miles west of Holland.

38. 32. John Van Tongeren, 77, of 663 North Main, at home of dead brother.

39. 33. Austin Isaac Fairbanks, 82, of W Wing Mission farm, at Holland hospital.

JUNE

1. Gustavus Maatman, 68, of 272 1/2 at 16th St., at home he was helping construct at Hamilton.

2. William Batema, 88, at home, at Hamilton.

3. Carl Meyer, 38, of 46 East 20th St. at auto crash near Grand Rapids.

4. Gerrit Zandbergen, 78, at home, at Hamilton.

5. Stanley Stanczyk, 58, at home, route 1, Pullman.

6. Robert C. Woodward, 72, of Saugatuck, at Douglas hospital.

7. Basil Bryan, 67, at home in Pennville.

8. Richard Carl Vonder Heidt, 22, college freshman from River View, at home of parents at Parents' stage north of Port Sheldon.

9. The Rev. G. H. Doustra, 73, of West 20th St., at Holland hospital.

10. Joe Dominick, 60, at home, route Pullman.

11. Lester Van Dorp, 47, at home, at Hamilton.

12. Herman E. Woltsman, 81, of Holland, at Michigan Veterans hospital, and Rapids.

13. John Havenam, 83, of North Holland, at home of Peter.

14. William J. Timmer, 80, at home, le 1 West Olive.

15. Frank F. Paul, 71, of Saugatuck, at Grace Convalescent Home, Saugatuck.

16. Dirk S. Stegenga, 74, of route Holland, at Zeeland hospital.

17. Ensign Stanley Van Liere, 22, 3rd Squadron in plane crash at Muskoville, Fla.

18. Mrs. William Streuter, 74, at home, le 5.

19. Alvin Whitemeyer, 71, of Fennville, at Douglas hospital.

20. Harry Phillips, 77, at home in Richmond.

21. John T. Roller, 91, at home, 79 1 10th St.

22. Mrs. Gertie Van Beek, 86, of Holland, at Holland hospital.

23. Mrs. Van Der Water, 40, of 280 22nd St., at Holland hospital.

24. John Boes, Sr., 89, at home of Expert, 15 West Main St., Zeeland.

25. Mrs. Hazel Blanche Jones, 60, at home, 288 West 16th St.

26. Mrs. Dana Voorhorst, 86, at home, 8 East 14th St.

27. Mrs. J. J. J. J., 71, at home of Mrs. and Mrs. Herbert Stanaway, 587 Shore Dr.

28. Dr. Charles A. Behrens, 65, Purveyor University professor, at summer cottage north of Holland.

29. Philip John Allen, 52, at home Ottawa Beach.

30. Mrs. John W. Mulder, 59, at home on route 4.

31. Mrs. Bram Witteveen, 76, at home of Mrs. Henry Wynbrandt, 78, at Hamilton, at Holland hospital.

ALBERT VAN NOORDEN, 78, at Hamilton, at Holland hospital.

JULY

1. Mrs. Minnie Van Dommelen, 75, 218 West 10th St., at home of mother, Mrs. Fred Eastman of Detroit.

2. Joseph H. Rowan, 61, of Detroit, Holland hospital.

3. Richard Mitchell Dyke, infant of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson R. Dyke, 26 West 16th St., at Holland hospital.

4. Carl H. Magnuson, 54, of route Fennville, at a Fennville tailor shop.

5. Gertrude Strabbling, 48, at Kalauka state hospital.

6. John Dykstra, 58, of Hamilton, at Smith Center.

7. Miss Anna Nordstrom, 86, of 54 12th St., at Smith Convalescent Home.

8. Mrs. Anna Branderhorst, 84, of route 21st St., at Smith Convalescent Home.

9. Mrs. Fred Smith, Sr., 48, of route Holland hospital.

10. Annie Vander Werf, 51, of Gordon St., at Holland hospital.

11. Gary Allen Hoving, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Hoving, at home of daughter, drowsed at his desk, Waukegan.

12. Sandra Lee Grotenhuis, three-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Grotenhuis, at home, 15 East St.

13. John K. Alderink, 82, at home of son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and H. H. Jager, 338 East Sixth St., at Holland hospital.

14. Nick T. Beyer, 81, of Drenthe, home of son, Gerrit, also at Washington St., Zeeland.

15. Leonard George Dekker, seven-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas de Jong, route 4, at Butterworth hospital.

16. Katherine Gaylord, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gaylord, at Bronson hospital.

17. Mrs. Martha Zachek, 78, north Holland, hit by car at St. Joseph Herman C. Lange, 78, of Earl Wharton, 41, of Zeeland, East 17th St., at Holland hospital.

Dr. Walter Van Saun, 60, of 58 15th St., at Holland hospital.

One-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrie Carlson, 58, of West 14th St., at Holland hospital.

29. Mrs. Jennie Scherner, 73, of Friedland, at home of son, Geo. Zeeland.

30. Mrs. Janne Eskamp, 90, at home in Overisel.

31. Mrs. Marriet Carlson, 58, of home of son, Hiram Minor Brackenridge, of Saugatuck, at Douglas hospital.

32. LaVere Jones, 41, route 1, Hamilton, at St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

33. John Ulrich, 82, of Fennville, Ebenezer Convalescent home, Plainville.

34. Alfred Fairhead, 81, at home Saugatuck.

AUGUST

1. David Lee Pauwae, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Pauwae, West 20th St., killed by car Holland.

2. Obe De Jonge, 70, route 2, W Olive, while at work on farm at W Olive.

3. Fred Smilt, 72, at home on route 2, Hamilton.

4. Chris Pedersen, 60, of route Fennville, Allegan Health Center.

5. Bert Van der Kamp, 58, of West 18th St., at Holland hospital.

6. Minnie Mae Scharphorn, 17, of route Holland, at Zeeland hospital following motorcycle accident.

7. William G. S. Mackay, 56, of 5 West 16th St., at Holland hospital.

8. Richard John De Haan, two-week old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence De Haan, Hudsonville, at Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

9. Herman H. Cook, 73, at home on route 1.

10. Sgt. Henry Groeneveld, 22, of Holland, in vehicle accident in Zeeland.

11. Earle Van Engenham, 41, home, 586 Central Ave.

12. Benjamin H. Lievense, 61, route 4, at Livense Bowling Alley.

13. Mrs. Ernest Kleis, 57, at home route 6.

14. Gerrit Heneveld, 84, at home Central Park.

15. Mrs. Corlie Jones, 77, at home on route 1, Fennville.

16. Mrs. Pauline Shalluskly, 82, Saugatuck, at Douglas hospital.

17. Mrs. Peter L. Van Ess, 53, 333 West 18th St., following fall from roof.

18. Mrs. Effie Hoeksma, 83, of East 21st St., at Pine Rest sanitarium.

19. Mrs. Mary Wolf, 59, at home Borculo.

20. Dwight Norman Taylor, seven-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Taylor, 43 West 18th St., at Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

21. Mrs. Tryntje Nykamp, 91, of Onond, home of son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Van Dam, route 3, Zeeland.

22. John Wayne Tajima, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Tajima, 11 West 18th St., at Douglas hospital.

23. Mrs. Almira Sisson, 91, of Gates, in Hoover Convalescent Home, Fennville.

24. Ephesus Leach, 69, at home in Douglas.

25. John Alofs, 74, at home, 12 East 16th St.

26. Albert Ter Haar, 74, at home of son-in-law and daughter, Mrs. Allen Brown of Hudsonville.

27. Dorvin Gibson, 75, at home of sister, Mrs. Emma May of Hopkins.

28. Jacob H. van der Horst, 83, of Holland, at Zeeland hospital.

29. John C. Kuysers, 57, of route 1 at Holland hospital.

SEPTEMBER

1. David A. Mool, 16-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Mool, 23 West 25th St., at Holland hospital.

2. Harry Peters, 47, at home, two miles northeast of Overisel.

3. Eugene Pomp, 81, at home, 1439 East 15th St.

4. Bert Wierama, 67, at home, 34 West Main St., Zeeland.

5. Mrs. Anna Goodkye, 86, a hospitalized in Zeeland.

6. Mrs. Cornelia Konings, 83, of 26 West 11th St., at Smith Convalescent home.

7. Mark Henry Vanden Berg, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Vanden Berg, 894 Butternut Dr., at Holland hospital.

8. Mrs. Winnie Margareet Hoover, 81, at home of daughter, Jessie Coelingh, 261 Maple St., Zeeland.

9. William De Bruyn, 63, of 300 Ball Park Blvd., Grand Rapids, a daughter, sister, Mrs. J. A. Donia, of Zeeland.

10. Peter Bareman, 74, at home, 88 East 15th St.

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28. Fred Van Siooten, 76, at home, 252 West 11th St.

29. Richard Carl Frazier, 39, of 87 West 20th St., at Holland hospital.

30. Mrs. Jennie Mouw, 76, of 240 East 27th St., at Pine Rest.

31. Mrs. J. J. B. Breda, 66, at home east of Fennville.

**NOVEMBER**

1. Mrs. Anna Dogger, 94, at home, 272 East Eighth St.

2. Dirk (Dick) F. Boonstra, 74, of 431 South Church St., Zeeland, at Zeeland hospital.

3. Mrs. Mary Van Rhee, 82, of Jamestown, at St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

5. Herman Kooyers, 68, of Noorleeds, at Pine Rest Sanatorium.

8. Dr. Henry D. Terkeurst, 57, of 403 Central Ave., at Holland hospital.

11. John Essing, 70, of route 3, Zeeland, at Zeeland hospital.

12. Robert Van (Lee) De Goed, 27, of 41 East 18th St., found dead in car near Fruitport.

13. Marvin Ryzenga, 47, at home, 744 Lulu St.

14. Mrs. Edith S. Bellsten, 72, at home in Douglas.

16. Robert Wayne Ten Hagen, six-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ten Hagen, at home, 286 1/2 West 14th St.

14. Mrs. Alice Pikaart, 74, of Forest Grove, at home of son, Maurice, of 2300 Central Ave.

18. Jacob Barense, 66, at home, route 3, Hudsonville.

18. John Laverne De Feyter, in fact son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford W. De Feyter, 14 River Hills Dr., at Holland hospital.

18. Crystal Faye Huyser, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Huyser, 140 South Park St., Zeeland, at Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids.

19. Mrs. Anna Winstrom, 77, of Fennville, at Saugatuck Convalescent home.

19. Mrs. Emma E. Oliver, 80, at home on route 1, Pullman.

20. Fred G. Campbell, 67, of Macatawa, at Holland hospital.

20. Dirk J. Hessel, 68, of 22 East 21st St., at Holland hospital.

21. Albert Christian (Chris) Bloemendaal, 62, at home on route 2, West Olive.

21. Mrs. Mary Evink, 83, at home of son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, 82 Sixth St.

22. Mrs. Alice Rozema, 82, of 388 West 20th St., at Holland hospital.

24. Walter Smith, 81, of 93 East 22nd St., at Smith Convalescent home.

24. William Kleis, 73, at home in Martin.

25. Mrs. Edella E. Coates, 86, at home of daughter-in-law, Mrs. Julia Coates in Saugatuck.

25. Henry W. Harrington, 84, at home of son-in-law and daughter, Mrs. and Mrs. Martin Low, Lake Shore Ave.

25. Mrs. Martin Rotman, 56, of 264 West 16th St., at Holland hospital.

26. Mrs. J. B. Harris, 70, of Fennville, at Allega, County 82, of 388 West 20th St., at Holland hospital.

30. Mrs. Gertrude Wyngarden, 49, at home, 427 East Central Ave.

30. Simon De Boer, 75, of 243 West 10th St., at Holland hospital.

**DECEMBER**

1. Mrs. Mary Heibach, 82, at home of Fennville.

1. Paul R. Coster, 81, at home, 119 West 10th St.

2. Mrs. Charles Bontekoe, 58, of route 1, Jenison Park, at Holland hospital.

2. Mrs. Emma Petersen, 63, at home in Fennville.

2. Albert J. Beverwyk, 66, of 241 Woodward Ave., Zeeland, at Grand Rapids.

3. Fred H. (Pop) Benjamin, 69, formerly of Holland, at home, 232 West Allegan St., Otsego.

3. Mrs. Maude Mitchell White, 71, formerly of Miss Sadie Crossen, 668 Anderson St.

3. George Bolt, 69, of Vriesland, at Holland hospital.

4. Mrs. M. M. Morrison, 80, of 1587 South Shore Dr., at Holland hospital.

5. James Russell Meyers, 20, of 246 North State St., Zeeland, in truck on route 1, Zeeland.

5. Scott Wyngarden, three-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wyngarden of Vriesland, at Holland hospital.

6. Frank R. Lackie, 70, at home, 87 East Ninth St.

6. Mrs. M. W. Phlips, 67, of route 2, at Holland hospital.

6. Henry J. (Bud) De Weerd, 36, of 172 East 14th St., at Holland hospital.

7. Herman Bultema, 75, of Noorleeds, at Holland hospital.

7. Mrs. William Dornbos, 85, at home, 340 Pine Ave.

7. Mrs. Dora Horezke, 72, of 114 West Cherry St., Zeeland, at Zeeland hospital.

9. Dr. George A. Stegeman, 74, at home, 152 West 14th St.

9. Mrs. Cornelia Van Dorpie, 70, of home, 438 West Main Ave., Zeeland.

9. John LeRoy Van Siooten, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Van Siooten, 272 West 10th St., at Zeeland hospital.

11. Mrs. Josephine Stokes, 55, of home, Douglas hospital.

12. Miss Baby Hiarde, 60, at home, 180 West 16th St.

12. Mrs. J. B. Mulder, 79, at home, 124 West Main St., Zeeland.

13. Preston Horezke, 79, of changes, at St. Petersburg, Fla.

16. Herman Hassevoort, 82, of route 2, West Olive, at Holland hospital.

16. John Brouwer, 49, at home, 792 utternut Dr.

16. James A. Brouwer, 96, at home, 1512 West 12th St.

17. Mrs. Dora Terpstra, 89, at home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Terpstra of Vriesland.

18. Mrs. John M. Van Dorpie, 228 West 8th St., at Holland hospital.

20. Mrs. Kate Schadelee, 77, at home, 124 West 16th St.

23. Mrs. Martin Ortmann, 82, at home on route 6.

23. Gary Lee Kamer, seven-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Kamer, at home.

17. Cambridge Drive Good

25. Hein Derks, 81, of Zeeland, at Zeeland hospital.

26. William Enoch McClure, 75, at home, 393 West 22nd St.

26. Mrs. Henry Van Lopik, 86, at home of son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dalman, 428 West 20th St.

26. Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Van Dorpie, 644 West 20th St., at Holland hospital.

26. Jacob De Jongh, 75, of route 2, Holland (Olive Center) at home of daughter and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jarry Under Zwaag of Crisp.

27. Marius Mulder, 66, of 100 East 8th St., at his home.

28. Oscar B. Wilms, 76, of 49 Central Ave., at Augustana hospital, Chicago.

**Holiday Luncheon Given at John Winter Home**

Mrs. John Winter and Mrs. Clarence J. Becker entertained guests at a Christmas luncheon Friday afternoon at the Winter home, 726 State St.

The luncheon table was attractively decorated in the Christmas motif, featuring poinsettias.

The afternoon was spent playing bridge, with prizes awarded Mrs. J. De French and Mrs. Harold Wichers.

**Camper Drive Good**

A resounding response to the Boy Scout troop 12 appeal for waste paper brought more than tons of paper in Friday's drive, camp officials said today. Scouts and their leaders expressed

A large elephant consumes 800 pounds of green fodder in 18 minutes.

**Vriesland**  
(From Saturday's Sentinel)  
The Sewing Guild members enjoyed a potluck dinner on Thursday, Dec. 21 in the church basement. Those present were the Mesdames, H. Roelofs, H. Wabeke, J. Morren, J. De Jonge, H. Boss, M. D. Wyngarden, H. Dunning, J. Pott, E. Brower, G. Boss, De Witt, J. Hoeve, J. Vermege, W. Vander Kolk, H. Van der Meer, John T. De Witt, Jennie De Witt, I. Hungerink, Jacob T. De Witt, and Miss Marie Wyngarden. The following were elected officers for the coming year, president, Mrs. Jacob T. De Witt, secretary, Mrs. Eugene Brower, recorded, vice president, Mrs. H. Wabeke, and treasurer Mrs. John J. Morren.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wyngarden were last Friday supper guests at Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth De Lange and family of Zeeland.

Mrs. Fred Meppelink and daughter of Zeeland were Wednesday guests of Mrs. John Wolfert and daughter.

The William Workers enjoyed a Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 21 with 28 members present. Gifts were exchanged and names of the secret pals recorded. Refreshments were served by the Mesdames, L. Meengs, H. Haar, D. Machiela, and J. Persma.

Mrs. C. Wabeke was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milord of Grandville for several's last week.

Mr. John Van Regenmorter was guest of honor at a surprise party on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin D. Wyngarden. Others present were Mrs. Kenneth Nyhuis and family of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Wyngarden of Hudsonville, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meengs and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wolfert and family, Erna Wyngarden of Vriesland. Refreshments were served and Mr. J. Van Regenmorter presented with a certificate.

Mrs. R. Allaben of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Jennie De Witt were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss, Laverne Boss, who De Witt stayed at the Boss home until Saturday when she went to the John P. De Witt home in Forest Grove. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. De Witt and family, Mrs. Jennie De Witt, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack De Witt and family of Sturgis on Saturday when they had their Christmas party. Mr. and Mrs. R. Allaben and family of Grand Rapids were guests also.

Mrs. C. Wabeke were Friday callers on Mrs. Jack Wyngarden who is sick at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Genzink and family were recent evening callers at the M. P. Wyngarden home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Boss and family of Grand Rapids were Wednesday supper guests at the home of Mrs. Boss.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin D. Wyngarden, Erna Wyngarden, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meengs and family of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Wyngarden of Hudsonville, and Mrs. Kenneth Nyhuis and family of Kalamazoo, were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfert and family.

A Monday evening, Dec. 18, party was held in honor of Mrs. J. Van Zoeren, in celebration of her birthday which was 17. Guests were Mr. J. G. J. Zoeren of Vriesland, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Zoeren of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. John Elzinga, Mr. and Mrs. John Oosterhaven of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. George Van Zoeren of Zeeland, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Van Zoeren of Chicago. A nice lunch was served.

Mr. John Spaman of Hamilton, Mr. John Spaman in training at McCoy, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. J. Spaman and family of Dundee, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolfert of Zeeland, were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spaman on Sunday evening. John Spaman had to leave for Christmas for service.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meengs and family were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Len Diepstra of Noordeloos at a Christmas party.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Boss and family of Grand Rapids entertained with a Christmas party on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss, Laverne Boss of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Syrene of Galewood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brower and family of Drenthe were last Friday evening guests at the Mrs. Vander Kolk home.

J. D. C. Ver Hage of Zeeland, formerly of Vriesland, was a caller at the C. Wittgen home in Grand Rapids on Saturday evening. Christmas gifts were exchanged. Other guests were Miss Ver Hage of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. James Hop and family of Hudsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Westerhof of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hungerink and family.

Kenneth Vander Kolk of Harbor spent his holiday vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Vander Kolk. The local school children are spending their holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ter Haar and family were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence of Zeeland.

Alvin Vander Kolk of Bygonne was a Christmas guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Wabeke were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gerard and family of Grandville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wyngarden and family of Sheboygan, Wis. were last Friday guests at the home of J. D. Wyngarden home.

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...ur and family, Mr. and Mrs. ...  
...n Padding of Drenthe, Mr. ...  
...Mrs. Alfred Ter Haar and ...  
...y of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. ...  
...r Haar of Grandville, Mr. ...  
...Mrs. H. Ter Haar and fam- ...  
...Res. John Pott preached on ...  
...following subjects on Satur- ...  
...Dec. 24: "Search Me, O God," ...  
...What Shall This Child Be?" ...  
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...on Christmas morning at ...  
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...and Mrs. T. W. Van Hait- ...  
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...they plan to spend the ...  
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...all those who helped to ...  
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...K. Pott of Holland was a ...  
...Christmas guest of the Rev. John ...  
...and family.

...Bob Brown and children ...  
...st Olive were Christmas ...  
...at the S. Broersma home, ...  
...and Mrs. Henry Boss, Mrs. ...  
...De Witt were Thursday ...  
...guests at the Elmer Boss ...  
...in Grand Rapids.

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...r. and Mrs. S. Broersma ...  
...r. and Mrs. F. Jousma and ...  
...n, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Droe- ...  
...d Timmy of Holland, Mr. ...  
...Mrs. Clair Jousma of East ...  
...luck, Mrs. Dethan Joslin ...  
...children of New York.

...and Mrs. Harvey De Vree ...  
...and Mrs. Harland De Vree ...  
...and Mrs. C. Ryndbrandt of ...  
...ville were Christmas even- ...  
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...and Mrs. Elmer J. Boss and ...  
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**Driver Charged  
Three-Car Crash**

...i Haven (Special)—One ...  
...was charged with improper ...  
...as the result of a three- ...  
...ident on US-16, 21 miles ...  
...Coopersville at 4 p.m. ...  
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...cars involved, all going ...  
...were driven by Gerald ...  
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...DeVette, 23, Muskegon, ...  
...l Baird, 22, route 2, Con- ...  
...ville was issued a sum- ...  
...ny state police, after the ...  
...e-swiped each other.

...other accident Jerry and ...  
...15-year-old twin sons of ...  
...i Mrs. Axel G. Friefeld, ...  
...th River St., Spring Lake, ...  
...hospitalized for cuts and ...  
...burns from sliding on the ...  
...nt) received when they ...  
...were struck by a car driv- ...  
...nas R. Polgase, 37, route ...  
...Lake, at 5:50 p.m. ...  
...y on Country Club road ...  
...of Bowen Bridge. The ...  
...ompanion, Robert Rosema ...  
...received slight bruises ...  
...released after treatment ...  
...hospital. Polgase told ...  
...lice he was driving south ...  
...to see the boys because ...  
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**Judicial Court News**

...municipal Court Thursday ...  
...J. Winegar, Grand Rapids, ...  
...fine and costs for failure ...  
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# Christian Lacks ing Power ll Contest

## Institute Schreur Maroon Attack w-Scoring Tilt

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## Employees n Party

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