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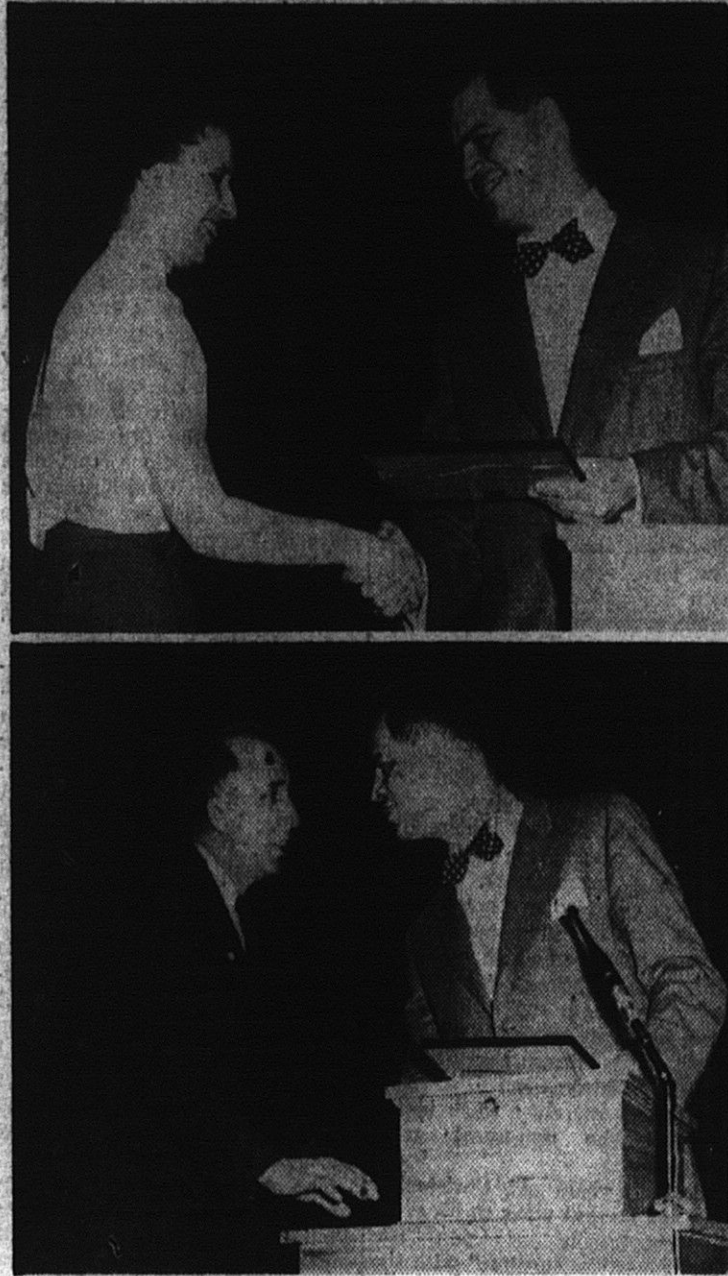


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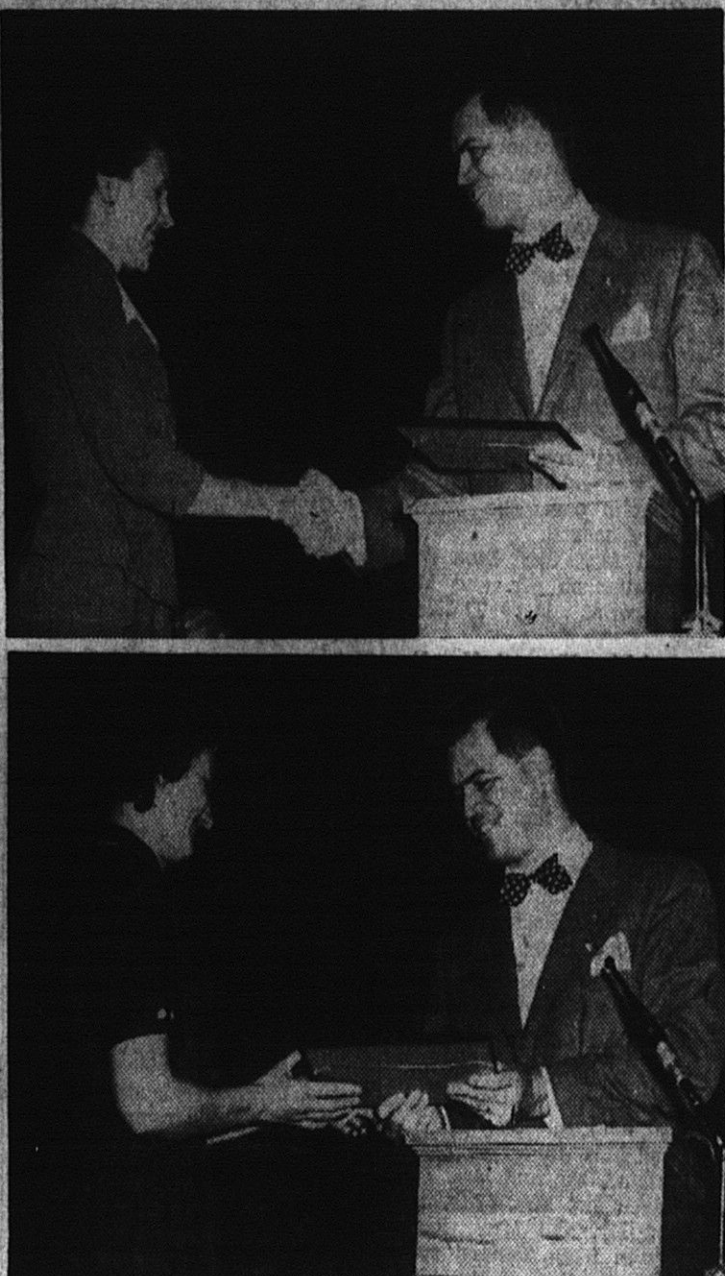
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A crowd of more than 1,100 persons was present Tuesday afternoon when Gov. G. Mennen Williams announced the Beechwood Mothers Club as top group in Ottawa county in the 1952 West Michigan Farm-to-Prosper Round-Up Contest. The club was rated in the number one spot from 21 competing clubs in the county. Gov. Williams presented winning certificates to the first five Ottawa groups in Muskegon Senior high school auditorium, following a program of entertainment. Participating from Holland was Rochelle



DeVries who presented a number on the marimba. Receiving the awards on behalf of their respective clubs from Gov. Williams are (top left) first place, Mrs. Henry Koop, Beechwood Mothers Club; (top right) second place, Mrs. Donald Brewer, Pine Creek Community Club; (bottom left) third place, Gerold Veldheer, North Holland Farm Bureau; (bottom right) fourth place, Mrs. Harold Chipman, Spring Lake PTA. Fifth place went to the Coopersville Grange. (Sentinel photo)

Veteran Grocer Retiring Today After 63 Years

Benjamin Du Mez, veteran grocer, is spending his last day today among the groceries and staples which have kept him in close contact with local residents for 63 years.

With the coming of 1953, the grocer will say good bye to the small store at 19th St. and Michigan Ave. which he has operated almost 20 years.

He started working in a grocery store when he was a boy on the farm 15 years old. Some years later he joined his two brothers, John and Gerrit, in the Du Mez Brothers department store on Eighth St. The brothers operated the department store and Ben took charge of groceries in the basement. He was the first to inaugurate self-service in groceries in Holland.

He left the big store about in 1928 and for a time helped operate a grocery store on East Eighth St. About 20 years ago he took over the store at 19th and Michigan. The store will continue to operate after he retires.

Mr. and Mrs. Du Mez have three children, Harold Du Mez of Chicago, Mrs. Albert E. Pritchard of Birmingham, England, and Mrs. John Robbert of Holland. There are six grandchildren.

Mrs. Pritchard, the former Marjorie Du Mez taught in a school for the blind for four years in Honolulu and was there at the time of the Japanese attack Dec. 7, 1941. In 1945 she went to England to teach Braille reading and shorthand to persons blinded during the war at Shropshire. There she met an instructor whom she later married. The Pritchards are slated for a visit to Holland next summer.

Mrs. Mary Boes Dies At Home of Daughter

ZEELAND (Special) — Mrs. Mary Boes, 87, of Zeeland, died Tuesday afternoon of a lingering illness at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glass, 242 Maple St.

Mrs. Boes, widow of John Boes, was born in the Netherlands and came here at the age of three. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Topp. She was a member of First Christian Reformed church.

Surviving are four sons, Egbert, Henry, John and William; three daughters, Mrs. Gratus Schouten, Mrs. Chester Fox and Mrs. Glass, all of Zeeland; 29 grandchildren; 31 great grandchildren; one great great grandchild; a brother-in-law, John Looman of Flint, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Reka Stoketee of Holland.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. at Yntema funeral home, the Rev. A. Rozendal officiating. Burial will be at Zeeland cemetery. The body is at the funeral home, where friends may meet the family tonight from 7 to 9 and Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

551 Marriage Licenses Issued in County in '52

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A total of 551 marriage licenses were issued during 1952 through the office of the county clerk in Grand Haven, a check on statistics revealed today.

During the same period 137 divorce cases were started in Ottawa Circuit Court and 90 decrees were granted. In other legal matters, 97 law cases were commenced and 92 criminal cases were processed.

A total of 128 notary commissions were issued and 305 liquor cards processed. Twenty-five persons filed for citizenship of whom 18 already have been naturalized. There were 35 declarations of intention for naturalization.

A total of 223 certified copies of various instruments including service discharges, birth records and the like were issued free of charge to veterans. Ten tax title notices were filed. Eighteen physician and nurses registration certificates also were filed.

A total of 54 concealed weapons licenses were issued.

Ray W. Van Hatten, 60, Succumbs in Jamestown

ZEELAND (Special) — Ray W. Van Hatten, 60, of Jamestown, (route 2 Hudsonville) died at his home "early yesterday" following a few months' illness.

Surviving are one brother, Edward, of Jamestown and three sisters, Mrs. Frances Hollingquist of Holland, Mrs. Howard Lewis of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Donald Hubbard of Kindall, Fla.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 1:30 p.m. at the home and at 2 p.m. at Jamestown Reformed church. The Rev. Donald Buteyn will officiate. Burial will be in Wyoming Township cemetery. The body will be taken from the Yntema funeral home to the residence Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Van Hatten was born in Grand Rapids. He lived one-half mile east of Jamestown with his brother, Edward. Both were farmers.

Mr. Van Hatten was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Louis Van Hatten. His mother died one year ago today at the age of 90.

No Licenses Yet

Bicycle licenses for 1953 have not arrived at the Holland police Department yet, Sgt. Ernest E. Bear said Monday. He reminded Holland youngsters anxious to deck out Christmas bicycles with licenses to watch The Sentinel for news concerning licenses. Several inquiries are received daily at the police station regarding licenses, he said.

Funeral Services Set For Mrs. H. Stansberry

GRAND HAVEN, (Special) — Funeral services for Mrs. Warren H. Stansberry, 70, who died at 1 p.m. Monday at her home, 403 Howard St., will be held from the Kinkema funeral home Friday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Roy Marshall of the Spring Lake Presbyterian church will officiate and burial will be in Lake Forest cemetery.

Mrs. Stansberry, who was born Henrietta Dykema, Jan. 1, 1882 in Grand Haven, to the late Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dykema, suffered a heart attack Sunday morning, Oct. 4, 1912 she was married to Warren H. Stansberry, who at the time of his death June 30, 1949, was president of the Peerless Novelty Co. He was a native of Oelwein, Iowa. She was a member of the Presbyterian church.

She is survived by one son, Warren H. Stansberry, president of Peerless Novelty Co., 2 sisters, Mrs. William F. Long and Miss Grace Dykema, both of Grand Haven, three brothers, Albert and Gerrit of Grand Haven and Howard Dykema of Grand Rapids, also three grandchildren.

The body will remain at the Kinkema funeral home.

Aged Holland Man Dies At Home of Daughter

Folkert Volkema, 95, died unexpectedly Tuesday at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Jacobs of 147 West 15th St.

Surviving are three sons, John and Claus Volkema of Holland and Henry of Denver, Colo. two daughters, Mrs. Jennie Alferink and Mrs. Herman Jacobs, both of Holland; 21 grandchildren; 32 great grandchildren; three brothers, Egbert Volkema of the Netherlands, Klass and William of Massachusetts.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. at the Ver Lee funeral home with the Rev. A. W. Hoogstraete officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home. Friends are requested to omit flowers.

Sister of Holland Man Succumbs in Detroit

Jacob Fris of Holland received word Tuesday of the death of his sister, Mrs. Bertha Brummel, aged 63, which occurred Tuesday afternoon in Detroit after an illness of four years.

Surviving are the husband, H. A. Brummel who has many relatives in the Holland-Zeeland area; three children: two brothers, Jacob of Holland and William of Breedsville, and two sisters, Mrs. Jennie Frantz of Detroit and Mrs. Christina Van Veen of Edmonton, Canada.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon in Highland Park Presbyterian church with burial in White Chapel cemetery.

Martin Roadvoets Dies

FENNVILLE, (Special) — Martin Roadvoets, 73, died Tuesday at Douglas Community hospital.

Sligh Outlines Industrial Growth

NEW YORK — The president of the National Association of Manufacturers, Charles R. Sligh Jr., says American industry hopes for peace but could, in the event of war, "pour forth such a Niagara of fire and steel that aggressors will be stopped in their tracks."

In a statement Sunday looking ahead to 1953, the Holland, Mich., furniture manufacturer said this country's present industrial machine could "make the tremendous performance of World War II look like a thin trickle."

Sligh said postwar investment in new plants and equipment has totaled more than \$150,000,000, giving this country "the finest and most efficient industrial establishment the world has ever seen."

The new NAM president said 1953 should be a "good year" and American production can stop inflationary tendencies.

"We are all now agreed," he said, "that the kind of life we have here can produce more happiness for more people, spiritual as well as material, than any other on the face of the earth. We are resolved to make it work."

Family Reunion Ends in Tragedy

MUSKEGON, Michigan — A family reunion turned into tragedy Sunday when a car driven by a father collided with another driven by his daughter. His grandchild was killed.

The third-generation victim was seven-month-old Sharon Lee Lorenz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lorenz, Grand Haven.

The baby was riding with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Towne of Eggleston Township whose car collided with another driven by Towne's daughter, Mrs. Isabella Towne Bennett, 19, of Spring Lake. The infant died in Hackley Hospital several hours after the accident.

Towne, 49, was given a ticket for running a stop sign at the scene of the accident, Hilton Park Road, Deputy Sheriff John Privsky said. Mrs. Towne, 37, was injured seriously.

The cars were en route to a family reunion at White Cloud when the tragedy occurred.

Three Juveniles Held In Missing Auto Case

Holland was in the middle of a three stolen car escapade Tuesday night.

Three juveniles are being held in Kalamazoo for allegedly taking at least two cars, including one from Holland. Jim Wolters, route 1, reported his 1940 model car missing about 3:30 p.m. Tuesday. The car later was recovered after an accident in Battle Creek, and the three youths apprehended.

Then another car was recovered by sheriff's officers in the woods near Castle Park. This auto was reported stolen from Grand Rapids. Apparently the three youths drove to Holland where they switched cars to continue south.

Disposition of the three juveniles has not yet been determined, but they may be returned to Ottawa county to face charges here.

Committee Meets For Tulip Time

Preliminary plans for the 1953 Tulip Time festival were made at a meeting of the Tulip Time commission Monday in Chamber of Commerce headquarters. W. A. Butler, president of the commission, presided.

Program details are not yet in shape for public announcement, but the group expects to continue such popular attractions as parades, flower show, band-parades, costume show, Saturday night varieties, Dutch Fantasies, klompen dancing, Little Netherlands and Netherlands Museum.

J. J. Riemersma and John W. Hollenbach are working on plans for a two-night program in Holland high school along the lines of an operetta or drama in keeping with the festival theme. This event would take place on Wednesday and Thursday nights. Friday night would be known as college night with some attraction in Hope Memorial chapel.

The group considered plans for a Dutch village and other attractions at Riverview park, but rejected them for this year in view of costs involved. E. H. Moss had worked on sketches and other plans.

Attending this morning's meeting were George Good, E. H. Moss, Dick Smallenburg, J. J. Riemersma, John W. Hollenbach, Robert J. Kow, W. A. Butler and Festival Manager Larry A. Wade.

Sentinel Given Citation For Vote-Getting Efforts

The Holland Evening Sentinel has received a Good Citizenship Citation from the National Non-Partisan Register and Vote Campaign for its efforts in getting out the record-breaking vote in the Nov. 4 election.

The citation, given on the 10th anniversary of public service projects by the Advertising Council, Inc., calls attention to the contribution of editorial and advertising support "that helped stir the nation to cast a record-breaking vote, thereby quickening every citizen's awareness of the importance of individual participation in the self-government which is our greatest responsibility and privilege and our surest, soundest hope for the future."

The citations is signed by Theodore S. Repplier, president of the Advertising Council, Inc., and Thomas D'Arcy Brophy, president of the American Heritage Foundation.

Bunko Artist Pulls Off Old Trick, New Twist

Holland police have been queried for aid in a recent example of an old bunko game, with a new twist, pulled off Tuesday in a Grand Haven tavern.

Grand Haven police report that a man giving a fake name was in a Grand Haven tavern waiting for a friend named John to deliver a pig. When his friend failed to show up, the bunko artist persuaded the tavern keeper to advance \$25 and keep the pig when John did deliver the animal.

However, the pig, neither the two men or \$25 have been seen since.

Grand Haven police furnished a detail description of the man to aid Holland police in their part of the investigation.

Former Holland Man Dies in Grand Rapids

Harry Beckman, 68, died at the City General hospital in Grand Rapids Tuesday evening. Mr. Beckman was a former resident of Holland. He had made his home in Grand Rapids for the last 13 years.

Surviving are two half-sisters, Mrs. Francis Smith of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Barney Lock of Detroit; two half-brothers, Perle and Michael Boss both of Grand Rapids.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 3:30 p.m. at the Nibbelink-Notter funeral chapel. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral chapel Thursday from 3 to 5 p.m.

Erastus Warner Dies At Home in Ganges

FENNVILLE (Special) — Erastus Warner, 67, died Tuesday at his home in Ganges following a lingering illness.

He is survived by the wife, Leona, two daughters, Mrs. Hilbert Hillman, Mrs. Herman Stremmer both of Fennville; one son, Charles of Independence, Ind.; seven grandchildren; his father, Milo Warner of Allegan; eight sisters, Mrs. Elmer Herring of Kalamazoo; Mrs. John De Jonge of Jamestown; Mrs. Frank Clark of Fennville; Mrs. John Kaylor of Allegan; Mrs. Claire Towne of Otsego, and Sylvia, Lillian and Grace, four brothers Cole Warner of Kalamazoo; Floyd and Fred of Otsego; Edward of Allegan.

The body will be at the Chappell funeral home until Saturday. Funeral services will be held at the Ganges Methodist church Saturday at 2 p.m. Burial will be in Saugatuck cemetery. The Rev. Henry Alexander will officiate.

Local Man Remembers Theater Fire of 1903

The year-end always holds special memories for Frank Mattison of Holland who remembers vividly the tragic Iroquois theater fire in which more than 500 were killed just 49 years ago.

It was on the afternoon of Dec. 30, 1903, that the local man was in downtown Chicago when the fire broke out during the afternoon matinee. Mattison was driving for the American Express Co. and he remembers loading his wagon with blankets for victims who lost coats and other clothing.

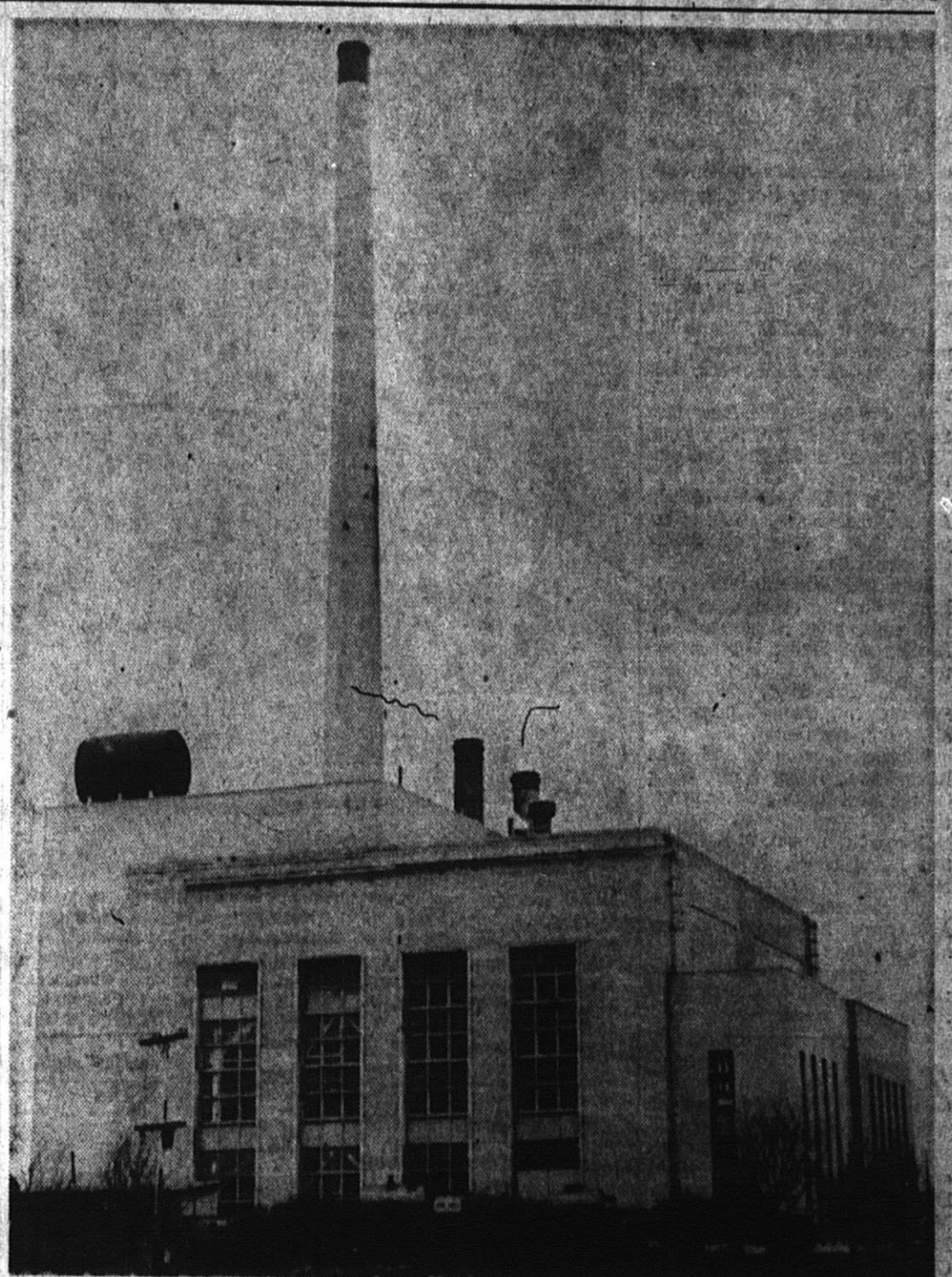
The fire was one of Chicago's worst tragedies. Mattison remembers the dead piled six and eight high on sidewalks, most of the victims women and children. Actually, the tragedy was the result of panic rather than fire loss. It resulted from a flash fire that swept draperies in the wing. Doors opened inward, trapping the panicky crowd.

Almost 5,000 Make Use
Of Kiwanis Club's Camp

Kamp Kiwanis has been a busy place during the last year, according to a report from Kiwanis club Kamp Kiwanis Chairman Jack Grasmeyer.

Grasmeyer said that 3,385 young people and 1,015 adults have used the camp, including Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, Camp Fire Girls, school children, Sunday school pupils and many others.

In making his report, Grasmeyer said the Kiwanis club "is happy to be of service to so many young people."



Facilities in the new addition to the James De Young light plant are expected to be put into operation by April 1, thereby giving the plant a total generating capacity of 26,500 kilowatts, an increase of about 40 per cent over the current output. The new addition measures 52 by 138 1/2 feet with a height of 60 feet, equal to a six-story building. It has a 200-foot stack, the same height as the stack at the old Fifth St. plant. Circuits in the latter plant will continue to be used through the aid of a special tie line between the two plants, but the old 5,000 kw. turbine and generators will be for standby use only. (Sentinel photo)

Light Plant Addition Is Nearing Completion

The new addition to the James De Young light plant on Third St. is nearing completion and the Board of Public Works hopes to have it in operation by April 1, according to Board Supt. George Rendleman who reviewed activities of the board in a special Sentinel interview.

Most of the major equipment contracted for has been delivered. Transformers and the necessary switch gear or switch board, an electric control panel for the generator and outgoing feeder circuits, arrived here the day before Christmas. The new turbine and generator with 11,500 kilowatt capacity was installed some time ago and a few auxiliary parts are now in the process of installation.

However, the new turbine and generator cannot be put into operation until the switch board is installed. Delivery of switch gear and transformers for two substations were delayed because of defense effort, and the board worked through the Defense Electric Power administration in Washington for the necessary releases.

When completed, the James De Young light plant will have a total generating capacity of 26,500 kilowatts, which should be enough to provide light and power for Holland area for several years to come. Major equipment consists of the two original 7,500 turbines and generators, plus the new turbine and generator with a capacity of 11,500 kilowatts.

Holland hit a new peak load of 13,000 kilowatts on Dec. 1. The normal peak runs from 10,000 to 12,000 kilowatts.

When the new addition is completed and its equipment put into operation, generating facilities at the James De Young plant will be increased by some 40 per cent. The board no longer will need to operate the 5,000 kw. turbine at the old Fifth St. plant but will continue to use circuits of the plant. Circuits leaving the De Young plant are not adequate to carry a total 26,500 kw. load, and so a special tie line has been installed between the two plants. A new substation transformer will be installed in the old plant to keep circuits in operation. The old turbine will be kept in order for possible standby use.

The new addition to the James De Young plant measures 52 by 138 1/2 feet. Its height is 60 feet, equal to a six-story building. The building proper is nearly complete with the exception of laying tile in the new turbine room. Installation of the big boiler has been completed and employees plan to run an acceptance test in January.

The new boiler will be fired with pulverized fuel. The old boiler, a conventional type, was fired with stoker coal. The plant also has a 200-foot stack, the same height as the stack at the Fifth St. plant. The theory of the tall stack is to eliminate fly ash which ordinarily would accumulate in the adjacent areas.

The board also has built a feed-water circuit up to a new substation

at 22nd St. and Ottawa. Current will be delivered to the substation at 12,500 volts, compared with the present primary voltage in the system of 4,160 volts. Theory of substation delivery at higher voltage is that there is very little line loss.

The new substation will serve as a distribution center serving the area in Montello Park, Central Park and Grafschap. Regular facilities of the Board of Public Works provide light and power to Waukazoo and the Big Bayou, north to Greenley and Pine Creek and east to the Legion Memorial clubhouse.

Work on the new addition was originally scheduled to be completed in February. When the addition is shipshape, the board expects to hold open house for citizens of Holland and others interested in modern electrical service.

In water service, the Board of Public Works has been fairly well satisfied with chemical treatment to correct the red water conditions. There are still some complaints on red water and odors. BPW employees have been flushing mains in an effort to correct both counts, but flushing cannot be done in freezing weather.

The board has engaged the services of Black and Veatch, consulting engineers of Kansas City, Mo., to survey Holland's water program. A report with recommendations from the firm is expected to be submitted in January.

Facilities at the sewage disposal plant at present are adequate for the city's needs, but the board pointed to the need for future surveys, particularly for new methods to care for sewage in view of practical changes in living habits in the last 25 years.

For instance, the average household today uses far more water than it did 25 years ago, and modern detergents and modern kitchen sink disposal units which pose new problems in the total field of sewage treatment.

No exact figures on costs of the new addition at the James De Young light plant and additional electrical facilities about town were available, but Supt. Rendleman believes total costs will not be far from the original estimate of \$2,175,000.

Tax Collections Stand At 45 Per Cent of Levy

Winter tax collections are running about 45 per cent behind last year, City Treasurer Alden J. Stoner said today. Total collections to date are \$38,252.65 or about 45 per cent of the total tax levy of \$199,777.69. Last year, collections stood at 50 per cent.

Treasurer Stoner also called attention to the deadline of Jan. 20 instead of the previous deadline of Jan. 10. The later deadline may account for the lag in collections. The change is according to a new state ruling.

Some Opposition Scheduled for Township Races

Unless some candidates withdraw, all four townships in the Holland area will have primary elections Feb. 16, a check with clerks of Holland, Park, Fillmore and Lakewood townships revealed today. Deadline for filing petitions for townships operating under the primary system was 4 p.m. Monday.

The main change in township setups for the coming election is the addition of "trustees" to replace justices of the peace on the township boards. Justices will continue to operate, but only in a judicial capacity and not on the township board.

Holland township is the only one of the four which will have any opposition on a partisan basis. John H. Helder, supervisor for several years, will have no opposition. Clerk Walter Vander Haar will be opposed by Ties Prais on the Republican ticket. Treasurer John H. Maat, Republican, will be opposed by Simon Borr, Democrat.

Republican candidates for trustees (four to be nominated) are Harold Kragt, Peter Pyle, Oliver Schaap, Russell M. Tague and John Van Dam. Fred Boeks is the only Democratic nominee for trustee. Boeks, Pyle and Schaap have submitted their resignations as justices of the peace, effective Dec. 31.

Gerrit H. Terbeek and Louis Van Appledorn are Republican candidates for the board of review which has two openings, one a two-year term and the other a four-year term.

In Park township Supervisor Dick Nieuwma will be opposed by Herman Windemuller and Clerk Nick Stielstra will be opposed by Peter Hoving. Treasurer Simon Sybesma is unopposed. Candidates for trustee (2) are Albert Brinkman and Harvey Tinholt and board of review candidate is John L. Van Huis. Candidates for constables (4) are Verdone Gillette, Fred Van Wieren, Russell Sybesma and John H. Teusink. C. C. Wood is seeking re-election for justice of the peace. All are Republicans.

In Fillmore township, the only opposition will be for the two offices of trustee. The four candidates are Jerry Schoutenboer, Henry W. Timmer, Chester Baumann and William Boman. Others unopposed are Supervisor Russell Boeve, Treasurer Henry H. Boeve, Clerk John Tien, Highway Commissioner Henry W. Mulder and Milton Timmerman of the board of review. All are on the Citizens' ticket.

In Lakewood township, the three candidates seeking the two positions as trustees are Arthur Lubbers, John H. Meyering and Harold Den Uyl. Others unopposed are John H. Scholten, supervisor; Donald Blasuw, clerk; Gerald Rutgers, treasurer; William Ash, highway commissioner; E. James Johnson, board of review; John H. Stenk, John Buscher, Steve Langelaar and Bill Bechtfort, constables. All are on the Citizens' ticket.

Building Permits Valued at \$2,900 During Past Week

Ten building permits totaling \$2,900 were issued during the past week, according to records of Building Inspector Joseph Shashaguy and City Clerk Clarence Grevengood.

They were:

Henry Bauman, 156 East 13th St., glass-in, repair front porch, \$500; Russell Hornkes, contractor.

Sam Miller, 188 East Eighth St., new overhead door on garage, service door, \$125; John Derks, contractor.

Herbert Hops, 158 East 13th St., re-roof house, \$180; Benjamin Kole Roofing and Siding Co., contractor.

William J. Mokma, 363 Lincoln Ave., re-roof house, \$200; Benjamin Kole Roofing and Siding Co., contractor.

John and William Winter, 10 East 10th St., place copper on roof edge, \$700; Benjamin Kole Roofing and Siding Co., contractor.

Bill's Tire Shop, 50 West Seventh St., change partitions, \$100; self, contractor.

William Lawrence, 268 Van Raalte Ave., re-roof house, \$260; George Mool Roofing Co., contractor.

George Schutmaat, 24 East 14th St., re-roof house, \$475; George Mool Roofing Co., contractor.

Art Hoffman, 633 Washington Ave., re-roof house, \$175; George Mool Roofing Co., contractor.

J. Arendshorst, 170 River Ave., re-roof house, \$185; George Mool Roofing Co., contractor.

Zeeland

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Sgt. and Mrs. Gordon B. Huizenga of Memphis, Tenn., were holiday visitors to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Huizenga, North State St., and Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Walters, Lincoln Ave.

Corp. Alvin L. Vander Kolk of Camp Lucas, Sault Ste. Marie, was a recent visitor in Zeeland with his wife and daughter, Krist Lee. Vander Kolk expects his discharge in March.

Corp. George Gebben, stationed at the 33rd Marine Airwing base in Miami, Fla., is spending a two weeks' vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gebben, State St.

The annual Christmas party of the Bible Mission Guild of Third Christian Reformed church was held in the church parlors on Tuesday evening. The program was in charge of Miss Ann Telgenhof who also conducted devotions. The main feature of the program was a pageant "Set Upon a Candlestick" by Mesdames Al Piers, Herman Volkers, Joe Lamer, Arnold Var. Hoven, Earl Brower, Harold Nagelkirk and Misses Syna Kraai and Ann Telgenhof. Music was provided by the choir with Mrs. Bob Tanis and Mrs. Henry Karsten as soloists.

The pastor, Dr. J. H. Bruinooze, who was leader and Bible instructor of the group, was presented a gift for appreciation of his services. Lunch was served by members of the group at tables attractively decorated with Christmas favors.

The annual party of Zeeland Lions club for blind persons of this community and people of impaired vision was held last Monday evening, Dec. 22. Members of the club also entertained their wives and friends at this party. Gifts were exchanged and special guests were presented gifts.

The Rev. John den Ouden, pastor of the First Reformed church, was the principal speaker and emphasized the true meaning of Christmas. He compared Bible times with the present time and said that there is danger of being so perturbed with every day affairs that we have no room for Christ in our hearts. Lion H. Baroon gave the invocation and the group sang Christmas carols directed by William Tower. The Faculty Four provided music. The program and party were in charge of Henry H. Geerlings, president.

Zeeland Public and School library will be open to the public on Tuesday, Dec. 30, from 2:30 to 8 p.m. This schedule is arranged for the holiday vacation period and the regular schedule will again be in effect when school begins. Mrs. Minnie Fairbanks is librarian and she announces that the following new books have just been added to the library: "A Man Called Peter," Marshall; "The Fire Balloon," Moore; and "Postmarked Moscow," Kirk.

At the Christmas Day service held at the Second Reformed church on Thursday morning the junior choir directed by Mrs. Edward De Pree sang "When I View the Mother," W. R. Voris; the Intermediate choir sang "The Carol of the Bells," Josephine Burns; and the combined chorus sang "Sing We Noel," 16th century French Carols. The message by the pastor was "Prince of Peace."

Tool Chest Stolen

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — City police are investigating a breaking and entering into the Northwestern Auto Sales at Fourth and Madison Sts. sometime Christmas Eve. Entrance was gained by breaking a window glass on the east side of the building. A tool chest, belonging to one of the mechanics, Joseph Susterich, containing his tools, was the only item reported missing. The loss was discovered Christmas morning.



Water cascaded merrily down staircases and corridors as volunteers with brooms helped rid the Hope college Science building of some four inches of water which accumulated on the fourth floor after fire swept the workshop of the Little Theater at noon Wednesday. John Kools, (above) president of the freshman class, was one of several volunteers who aided in getting rid of the water. He is a son of Dr. and Mrs. W.C. Kools of Holland. Fire damage will probably be less than the first estimate of \$35,000. (Sentinel photo)

Cook Family Gathering Held Christmas Evening

The Cook family Christmas gathering was held Christmas evening at Holland Township hall.

The evening began with prayer by Allyn Cook and the singing of Christmas carols.

Glenn Deters gave a welcome and Barbara Jean Lemmen recited the Bible Christmas story from Luke. Terry Genzink and David Dreyer gave recitations. "Away in a Manger" was sung by Judy and Janis Koning and Nancy Walters and three songs were sung by Shirley and Delores Dreyer.

Mrs. John Cook read a budget. Closing prayer was given by Rich Dreyer.

Games were played, refreshments were served and gifts were exchanged.

Present were Mrs. Fannie Cook and Peter, Mr. and Mrs. John Huizen, Mr. and Mrs. George Deters and Glenn and Mrs. Edw. Genzink and Terry of Drenthe; Mr. and Mrs. Steven Loedeman, Jean and Ruth Ann of Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Walters and Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. James Koning, Judy and Janis, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walters, Sherry and Candice and Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Walz of Kalamazoo; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lemmen and Barbara Jean of Holland; Mr. and Mrs. George Gates, Betty, Stanley and Glenn of Graafschap, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dreyer, Arlene, John, Shirley, Delores and David of Noordeloos, and Mr. and Mrs. John Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Cook, Judy, Karen, Larry and Linda of Zeeland.

Christmas Meet Held By Rest Haven Guild

A large group gathered at a meeting of the Rest Haven Guild Tuesday evening in Trinity Reformed church.

The business session was followed by a Christmas program which featured the Christmas story in song and scripture by Mrs. E. Van den Bosch and girls of the Treble choir.

"Tis the Birthday of a King" was sung by Mrs. J. Westerhoff and devotions were conducted by Mrs. Mary Madsen. A social hour followed the Christmas program. Presiding was Mrs. E. Van Eck, president of the guild.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 27 at 7:30 p.m. in Trinity church.

Plans to Wed

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Holland hospital always makes Christmas has come and gone, but the festive spirit lingers on and it will be quite some time before we all settle to a normal work-a-day world. Christmas is wonderful, things as Christmassy as possible

Red Cross Makes Accounting, Both Nationally, Locally

Armed Forces Services, Disaster Aid Top list of Financial Expenditures

American National Red Cross and its 3,727 chapters have listed expenditures of \$103,605,782 in a financial accounting of services to the American people during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935. Peter Van Domelen, Jr., chairman of the Ottawa county chapter, announced today. The Ottawa county chapter had expenditures of \$26,696.21 for the same period.

Largest single item of expenditure, Van Domelen said, was for the organization's services to members of the armed forces and to veterans at home and abroad. The Red Cross spent \$38,116,276 in dealing with 2,350,000 cases requiring service in personal and family problems, including financial aid, for servicemen, veterans, and their dependents. Of this amount, \$19,743,750 was spent by the national organization and \$18,372,526 by chapters. In Ottawa county the local chapter spent \$9,189.97 in handling 4,052 cases.

In the most costly disaster year for the Red Cross since 1937, Van Domelen said the organization spent \$21,100,445 in aiding 32,100 families in 300 disaster operations in 45 states and three territories. The cost figure included continuing assistance for an additional 27,000 families in Kansas-Missouri-Oklahoma-Illinois floods which began in June 1935. The national organization bore the major part of these expenditures, \$19,149,590, with chapters spending \$1,950,855, largely for disaster preparedness measures.

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To make millions of Americans healthier and safer, the Red Cross spent \$6,398,995, awarding 1,188,000 certificates to persons trained in first aid, water safety, and nursing skills. The national organization spent \$2,230,067 on this program; local chapters \$4,168,928. In Ottawa county 693 certificates were awarded and expenditures totaled \$1,875.60.

Other items in the financial accounting include: For the activities of 19,000,000 Junior Red Cross members \$2,875,366, of which \$1,001,907 was spent by national and \$1,873,459 by chapters. Junior Red Cross activities cost \$392.52 in Ottawa county.

A total of \$4,124,280 by the national organization to help local chapters without adequate resources of their own, meet local needs and to guide their programs with specially trained workers.

For the organization's international activities, including aid to victims of foreign disasters and support of the international Red Cross movement \$378,499 by the national organization.

Chapters spent \$1,069,642 in meeting community welfare needs not normally part of the established Red Cross program in many places where no local resource to meet those needs existed. The local chapter spent \$495.08 on such activities the greatest share going for surgical dressings for elderly patients.

To organize and guide the annual Red Cross fund campaign, recruit and train volunteer campaign workers, and produce necessary supplies and materials the national organization spent \$661,138; local chapters \$3,962,146. Fund raising expenditures cost \$216.52 in the local chapter.

The organization's public information program, directed toward interpreting Red Cross aims and accomplishments, informing the American people of the Red Cross services available to them, and recruiting volunteers and students for Red Cross safety courses, cost the national organization \$846,292; chapters \$927,617. The Ottawa County Chapter spent \$151.34 on public information.

For necessary land and buildings, the national organization spent \$80,706; chapters \$1,448,317. Final item is the expenditure of \$2,174,518 by the national organization and \$8,083,170 by chapters for planning and administering the Red Cross program of services and activities at home and abroad. Planning and administration of the Red Cross program in Ottawa County cost \$6,669.91.

An annual audit of the books of all chapters is submitted to the national organization. Following an audit of the activities of the national organization, the combined report is submitted to the Department of Defense for recording.

Parked Car Struck

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(From Saturday's Sentinel) At the December meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of the Reformed church, Donald Lohman presided and devotions were conducted by Floyd Kempfers and Mr. Lohman. An impressive film, "Regions Beyond" was shown by Donald Stehaver. Group singing was in charge of John H. Albers. At the business session the amount of approximately \$100 in the treasury was assigned to be sent equally to "Church World Service" for Care packages, and to the Rev. and Mrs. H. Van't Kerkoff of Cook Training School in Phoenix, Ariz. Earl Poll closed with prayer.

Mrs. Lloyd Butler has spent a couple of weeks in Holland at her son's home, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Butler and Kirk, where she assisted in the care of a new grandson. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tellman left during the past week for New Port Rickey, Fla., where they expect to spend the winter months. Early this week, Mrs. James Koops and daughter, Beverly accompanied Mrs. Joe Zoet of Fillmore to Florida, Beverly to remain during the holiday vacation and Mrs. Koops to remain there for an indefinite time. Mr. Koops expects to join her there after the holidays.

The local Music Hour club met at the home of Mrs. M. Van Doornick for the annual Christmas meeting. Mrs. H. W. Tenpas opened by presenting the program committee. Mrs. Gilbert Lugten and Mrs. Van Doornick, who had arranged to take the group out for arol singing. Homes of several hut-ins were visited, and upon returning the regular business session was held, including roll call response on "Christmas Memories." A delicious lunch, served from an attractively decorated table, and an exchange of gifts closed the meeting. A gift offering for the children's ward in Allegan Health Center amounted to more than \$10.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lampen were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ver Beek. The Ver Beeks who have lived in Hamilton for a few months expect to return to Oakland on a farm home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brower and children, Glenda and Isla left last week Friday for a trip to Arizona to visit Mr. and Mrs. Nicw Wierda there, and perhaps to travel to Southern California. The Wierdas left Holland during the summer to take up residence in Arizona for health reasons.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nyhof and daughters, Marilyn and Carol, and Miss Lorraine Bolks motored to Chicago last week to meet the former's son, Robert, who has been in training at a Texas Air Base for several weeks. He is to be transferred to a post at Chanute Field, Ill., at the completion of his furlough.

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. James Koops gathered for a Christmas party last Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hulsman and daughter, Barbara.

At the Sunday morning service of the Reformed church, Harold Ende was received into communicant membership upon confession of faith. Baptism was administered to four infants, Ricky H., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ende; Vaughn Daryl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Maatman; Larry Gene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Reimink; and Bryon Keith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sale. The Alumni Girls' Choir sang two special Christmas selections. At the evening service the Girls Choir sang as a processional "Gloria Excelsis" and also two special selections. A trio of horn instrumentalists, Bruce Brink, Glenn Folkert, Jr., and Dale Groenheide played, O Come All Ye Faithful, also accompanying the congregational singing in a couple of carols.

The Senior Christian Endeavor group featured an all-member program with Ardith Poll, Muriel Elzinga, Arlos Smit and Eleanor Schievink in charge, studying the subject "In the Fullness of Time." Junior high Christian Endeavor group considered the subject, Remember the First Christmas.

Dick Smif underwent a second operation at Holland hospital last week and is reported to be doing well. The local school presented the Christmas program last Tuesday evening at the Community auditorium. Many parents and friends attended. During the holidays the place of study will be transferred to the new building, and it is hoped all the previously used equipment and the new equipment will be in readiness and placed at the close of the holiday vacation. Work on the new structure was begun in the spring of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Drenten expected to leave the first part of this week on a trip to California.

A Cappella Choir Will Sing at Vesper Service

Holland high school a cappella choir will sing at a vesper service in the sanctuary of Hope church on Sunday at 4 p.m.

Under their director, Willard Fast, choir members will present a varied program, beginning with Shaw's inspiring "Fanfare for Christmas Day," and closing with "Silent Night." During the final number, the congregation will leave the sanctuary.

Soloists will be Sallie Hildebrand, pianist; Sally Damson, contralto; Don Van Gelderen, baritone; Mary Lou Van Dyke, soprano, and Elaine Bleeker and Mary Lou Van Dyke, organists.

The junior speaking choir of Hope church will give "The Christmas Story" and Dr. Marion de Velder, pastor, will give the message.

The public is invited.

Paricutin, Mexico's "volcano in a cornfield," has built a cone 1,500 feet high since its birth in 1943.

Couple Wed in Holiday Rites



Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Hermet

Trinity Reformed church was the scene of a lovely holiday wedding Monday, Dec. 22, when Miss Louise Ruth Roos and Richard L. Hermet spoke their marriage vows. Officiating at the double ring ceremony was the bride's uncle, the Rev. George Vander Hill of Dearborn.

Vows were spoken by candlelight before a setting of Christmas greens accented with white poinsettias.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Arthur C. Roos of 230 Cambridge Ave., formerly of Williamson, N. Y., and the late Rev. Arthur C. Ross. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hermet of Marion, N. Y.

Given in marriage by her brother, Robert C. Roos, the bride wore a traditional gown of eggshell white satin, styled with basque bodice featuring a portrait collar and long fitted sleeves pointed over the wrists. The full crinoline skirt extended into a full train. She wore an imported illusion veil, held in place by a cap highlighted with corded satin and seed pearls. With her white Bible, she carried an orchid.

Mrs. George Dalman, aunt of the bride, was matron of honor, and Miss Joan Roos, cousin and sister of the bride, were junior bridesmaids. They wore similarly styled gowns in contrasting shades of green satin, with fitted bodices and bouffant skirts. They carried yellow rose bouquets and wore matching floral headbands.

Attending the groom as best man was his brother, Jack Hermet of Marion, N. Y. Ushers were Ronald Dalman of Holland and Eugene Hermet of Marion.

Mrs. Paul Holkeboer presided at the organ and accompanied the Rev. John Hains who sang "I Love You Truly," "Because," "O Promise Me" and "The Lord's Prayer."

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Roos chose a black crepe dress with winter white accessories. Mrs. Hermet wore powder blue crepe with black accessories, both had corsages of white carnations.

A reception for the immediate families and wedding party was held in the lounge of Terkeurst parish house.

For going away, the bride wore a beige suit, brown accessories and the orchid from her bridal corsage. The couple will be home after Jan. 5 at 27 Strathlen Park, Rochester, N. Y.

The groom is employed at Southland Frozen Foods Co. of Ontario Center, N. Y., and the bride is a member of the graduating class of Genesee hospital School of Nursing, Rochester, N. Y.

Smeenge-Elferdink Vows Spoken



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin Smeenge

Lighted Christmas trees and arrangements of baby pompons highlighted decorations in Hope church Tuesday afternoon for the wedding of Miss Dorothy Jean Elferdink and Charles Austin Smeenge, Dr. Marion de Velder read the double ring rites at 4 p.m.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Elferdink of 113 West 23rd St., Holland, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smeenge of Philadelphia, Pa.

Wedding attendants were Mrs. Thomas M. Willoughby, sister of the bride, who was matron of honor, and Donald Smeenge, who assisted his brother as best man.

For her wedding, the bride chose a three-piece postman blue suit with blue and white hat, navy and white accessories and a corsage of three white gardenias.

Mrs. Willoughby wore a periwinkle blue suit, navy and white accessories and gardenia corsage. After the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served to the immediate families and a few friends at the Warm Friend Tavern.

For their northern wedding trip, the bride wore a red and white wool jersey three-piece suit, navy accessories and a gardenia corsage. After Jan. 1, the newlyweds will be at home at 1975 South Shore Dr.

Mrs. Smeenge, who was graduated from Holland high school in 1931, is employed at the office of R. E. Barber Ford, Inc. The groom, a Holland high graduate, attended Davenport institute, Grand Rapids, for one year and Western Michigan college for one year. He is employed at H. E. Morse Co.

Horizon Club Members Stage Christmas Formal

Holland Horizon club members staged their annual Christmas formal Tuesday evening in the Tulip room of the Warm Friend Tavern. Decorations, carrying out the theme "Sentimental Silhouettes," included black silhouettes on the walls and tinsel festooned about the room.

Punch and cookies were served from an attractively decorated table. Members and their escorts danced to the music of King Bosworth's orchestra.

Group leaders and their husbands who served as chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. John Van Putten, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kleis, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Luth, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Klomparsen, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Boer, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lindeman and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith.

Members of Mrs. Van Putten's group were in charge of the program and theme; Mrs. William Venhuizen's group, dance programs; Mrs. Luth's group, punch; Mrs. Klomparsen's group, orchestra; Mrs. Phillips' group, cookies; Mrs. Boer's group, corsages for chaperones, and Mrs. Lindeman's group, centerpiece and napkins.

Members and their escorts included Anne Appledorn, Bob Van Bragt, Mary Avery, Len Rowell, Elaine Bacheffer, Paul Weidenhamer, Janice Boersma, Ronald Dalman, Michael Boos, Pat Divine, Donna Borr, Ronald Bekius, Judie Bos, Blaine Timmer, Mary Ellen Bouwman, John Klaassen, Sonja Bouwman, Ronald Boes, Patricia Boyce, Henry Van Houten, Jane Boyd, John Fendit, Eva Boyle, Bill Van Oosterhout, Juliana Brower, George Richter, Mary Lou Buis, Ronald Smith, Marilyn Burton, Dick Snowden, Carolyn Carr, Marty Hardenberg.

Mary Ellen Carter, Hamid Tadyon, Sally Copeland, Corky Mass, Jill Crawford, Hal Brandy, Sally Damson, Ken Brummel, Gayle Davis, Ed Fuder, Nancy Davis, Jim Meyer, Arlene De Cook, Jim Kulper, Lucille Drew, Bob Schrier, Jo Fisher, Rickey Linn, Norma Gotham, Guy Francis, Shirley Hamm, Shiril Webbster, Ginny Hansen, Jim Pollock, Norma Harbin, Ed Raak, Carol Harington, Bob Van Dyke, Marilyn Havinga, Wayne Larson, Sallie Hildebrand, Brian Ward, Gretchen Himes, Dudley Towse, Anne Hoemann, Buzz Boersma, Donna Hoehnyde, Gerrit Jakes.

Carolyn Jaehng, Gordon Hulst, Sara Jo Kleinheisel, Tim Brown, Barbara Klomparsen, Albert Timmer, Judie Koning, Morrie Witteveen, Phyllis Kruitthof, George Moeke, Carol Luth, Bill Bergman, Nancy Maatman, Irvin Ter Haar, Patricia McCarthy, Carmen Seats, Margaret Murray, Erwin Tucker, Jr., Marilyn Neff, Bill Bennett, Nancy Neff, Mark de Velder, Beverly Nyland, Bill de Young, DeLores Conk, Bob Pierama, Carol Plakke, Jim Cook.

Marilyn Poest, Ward Pippel, Ruth Rooks, Frank Bos, Judie Rypma, Jerry Victor, Mary Sanger, Dave Bos, Jane Schaafsma, Carl Fehring, Cynthia Schaap, Burke Raymond, Delphine Schaefer, Steven Sanger, Jayne Scully, Dave Jalving, Joyce Sharland, Roger Brower, Julie Smith, Tom Carey, Ruth Steketee, Jim Essenberg, Isla Sweet, LaVerne Cook, Barbara Tanis, Duane Lyons, Ann Thomas, Jack Kempker, Connie Tuinsma, Carl Self, Iris Vanden Bos, Jack Kammeraad, Esther Vander Meulen, Elsworth Rolis, Arlene Van Duren, Don Peffers, Mary Lou Van Dyke, Jim Buys, Barbara Van Putten, Bob Bolte, Mary Lou Van Putten, Lee Hower, Helen Wade, George Schipper, Marcia Welch, Bill Bremer, Mary Van Dyke, K. Don Hoogerhyde.

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World Affairs Series Popular

Lively interest is being generated in Holland for the upcoming series of films lectures and discussions entitled "World Affairs Are Your Affairs," that begins in Holland Jan. 20.

The 10-meeting series is free of charge and is being sponsored by the International Relations committee of the Holland branch of the American Association of University Women in Co-operation with the Holland Adult Evening school.

Designed to stimulate informal discussion of world problems, the course includes films, lectures and discussion. It also is aimed at encouraging people to think, talk and learn of the problems that plague other nations and in turn how those problems affect us.

Subject for the series are: 1. World Trade; 2. India; 3. Japan; 4. China; 5. Iran; 6. Indonesia; 7. Yugoslavia; 8. Nigeria; 9. Great Britain and 10. Summary and Discussion of Series.

Sessions will be held each Tuesday in Junior high school. They begin at 8 p.m. The series concludes March 24.

Those signing up for the course read an essay on the particular topic before each meeting. The meeting opens with a short film on the subject nation and continues into formal discussion.

Mrs. H. C. McClintock is chairman of the International Relations committee of AAUW and is working on speakers for each meeting.

The hippopotamus, second largest of land animals, is able to walk under the surface of a river as long as 30 minutes at a time. It has a huge lung capacity and the ability to close its nostrils so water cannot enter.

Saugatuck

(From Friday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. Robert Koernick have moved into the Charles Bird homestead on Holland and Spear Sts. Mr. Koernick has recently been discharged from the Army.

Mrs. Bessie Plain has moved to the Harry Newnam home for the winter.

Mrs. Julia Delke, Mrs. Bertha Derr, Mrs. Florence Monique and Mrs. Hannah Dempster attended the district Rebekah meeting at Pullman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Os and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Van Os and children have returned from Brighton, Mich., where they lived for several weeks.

Ralph Clapp is a patient in Douglas hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Durnire and children of Milan spent Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newnam.

Mrs. Brink and daughter, Betty, of Fennville were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Simonson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Junkerman have gone to visit his sister in Sapulpa, Okla., and plan to spend about three months there.

Miss Ruth Jean Whipple has returned from her trip to Miami, Fla. Police Chief William Gore is in charge of the village clerk's office during the illness of Mr. Clapp.

While at work last week Barney Soeva had the misfortune to fall and hurt his back quite severely.

Otto Taylor of Edmore and his children, Maxine, LaVerne and Patsy and their families visited Saugatuck on Christmas Day.

Mrs. Fred Groth entertained her brother, Wilbur Yates, and family and Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Ash and family of Holland on Christmas.

The Methodist Church of Saugatuck has received a check for \$1,000 from the estate of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Weed.

Mrs. Mayme Force is spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Fox.

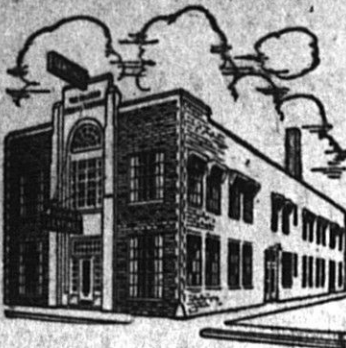
Saugatuck Lodge No. 328, F. & A. M. recently installed the following officer for 1935: W. M. Charles Ten Have; S. W. Henry Dorn, Jr.; W. H. Hilton Brown; secretary, Donald Glover; treasurer, Henry Till; S. D. Ray Gardner; J. D. John Diepenhorst; S. S. James Murray; J. S. Dale VanLeeuwen.

William Conney is spending a month at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ted Heath in Des Moines, Ia. Billy Van Leeuwen who has been stationed with the Army in Alaska has received his discharge and has returned to Saugatuck.

Pay \$384 in Fines During Past Week

Driving an overloaded truck resulted in a fine and costs totaling \$232.30 to Harold Grotenhuis, route 4, before Park Township Justice C. C. Wood during the past week. In other court action George A. Melcher, route 2, Spring Lake, pleaded guilty to reckless driving and paid \$59.30. Vern Pippel, 340 Colonial Ave., Zeeland, was fined \$12 and \$8.90 on separate charges for failing to observe assured clear distance and driving.

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"BIGGEST NEWS STORY"

FALLACY

For years now members of the
great national press associations
have been playing the game of
the "biggest news story of the
year." During December each year
lists of the "ten greatest stories"
are published. Not more than a
year later some of those selec-
tions look pretty sick, and ten
years later many of them look al-
most fantastic.

Some publishing genius would
probably make a hit with a new
game: "The ten biggest news
stories of ten years ago"—and of
20 years ago, or as far back as
the lists extend. Some of the se-
lections would look pretty puzz-
ling to many readers; they would
not know what the selections
meant, because those events turned
out to be of no lasting import-
ance.

Since this is the Christmas sea-
son, imagine what would have
happened if some nineteen and a
half centuries ago the top press
associations of the Roman Empire
had published a list of the "ten
biggest news stories of the year."
(There were of course no press
associations at that time, and no
newspapers, but just forget that
little fact for a moment.) Top
billing might have been given to
the fact that Augustus Caesar
had come out victorious in his
war against Teutonic barbarians.
Or that the Roman senate had
passed a legal code which would
be to the Roman Empire what—
nearly two millenniums later—the
Constitution of the United States
would be to us. Or that the Ro-
man emperor, Julius Caesar, had
established in the almost unknown
island of Britain had established
complete control over the native
barbarians.

If such a list of the "ten big-
gest stories of the year" had been
published there was not the slight-
est chance that the tiny Roman
protectorate known as Palestine
would have received a mention.
Most Roman publicists hardly
knew that such a country existed.
But even if one of the "ten big-
gest" had been devoted to that
country, there is not one chance
in ten million that the birth of a
baby to village parents would
have been selected.

The things that happen today
cannot be evaluated for import-
ance until many years hence. It
may turn out that the election of
Eisenhower, which this year re-
ceived the top spot, may look like
a mere unimportant detail a hun-
dred years hence.

There is nothing wrong with
playing the "ten biggest" game.
As momentary entertainment it
is worth the space it receives.
But it should not be taken much
more seriously than a crossword
puzzle.

Sentences Suspended

On Disorderly Counts

Two men pleaded guilty to sepa-
rate counts of being drunk and
disorderly and received 30 sus-
pended sentences by Municipal
Court Judge Cornelius vander
Meulen Friday.

Pleading guilty were Charles F.
Hanson, 42, Muskegon who was fin-
ed \$4.70 costs, 30 day sentence sus-
pended, and Elbert J. Reynolds,
about 50, no address listed, who
received a suspended sentence if
he left the city.

Others paying fines Friday and
Wednesday were Willard Alderink,
Jr., 31, of 138 East 34th St., speed-
ing, \$10; Dale D. Mainema, 19,
route 3, Hudsonville, speeding, \$10;
G. Daggett, 928 South Washington
Ave., speeding, \$15; Gilbert Jaar-
da, 47, route 5, speeding, \$10;
Elmer J. Atman, 37, of 280 East
Eighth St., speeding, \$10; Howard
Deur, 35, of 476 Michigan Ave.,
failure to have car under control,
\$7. Paying \$1 parking fines were
Harold Langereis, Grand Rapids;
Jay M. Peters, route 5; Arthur
Armas, 370 West 15th St.; Ben
Knoll, route 1; Fred Van Lente,
901 Michigan Ave.; Edward Lapp,
route 2, Zeeland; George Wright,
Jr., 124 East Ninth St.; Leon Wen-
ger, 176 East 15th St.; Tom
Mantz, 194 West 12th St.; Olin
E. Walker, route 3; Laura McCar-
ney, 381 West 22nd St.

Sunday School
Lesson

January 4, 1953

The Roots of Character
Matthew 15:1-11, 18-20

By Henry Geerlings

From the very beginning of
His three year ministry, Jesus ad-
dressed Himself to the hearts of
the people. Repent was the
first word of his message. Repen-
tance refers to a moral change in-
volving the whole personality, the
intellect, the emotions, and the
will, by which a sinner turns from
sin to righteousness.

Whenever Jesus spoke of be-
lieving, it implied this corres-
ponding attitude toward sin on
the one hand and righteousness
on the other. In concerning itself
with one's heart, this first lesson
of the year deals with the only
basis of good resolutions. To be
effective a resolution must be
more than an act of the will. It
must be rooted in a vital heart
relation with God. When one com-
mits himself wholly to the will of
God God begins to work through
him to accomplish the perfor-
mance of his purpose.

While primarily addressed to
the Jews of His own day, these
teachings of our Lord have a
practical value for the Christians
of our day. The event of the les-
son, where the disciples were
criticized for disregarding the cere-
monial washing, was at a late
period in the ministry of Christ.
It has its setting just after He
had walked on the water of Galile-
e, and coming ashore had healed
a number of people who touched
only the hem of His garment.

It seemed that the committee
of critics who were following
Him, to make a case against Him,
found themselves at a disadvan-
tage. They thought it would help
their position if they could point
out something wrong in the pic-
ture. A part of the religious rites
of the Pharisees, similar to asking
the blessing at the table, was a
ceremonial washing before eating
a meal. It was not a matter of
hygiene, which we may be sure
was carefully observed by the dis-
ciples, but a religious rite, a part
of the so-called Mosaic ritual. The
theory of the Pharisees was, that
if a religious leader as prominent
as Jesus claimed to be should of-
fend in one point, He would be
guilty of all.

The scribes and Pharisees spent
much of their time debating over
trivialities and tried to involve
Jesus in them. They had reached
the place where such customs and
traditions were considered more
important than the Mosaic Law
itself. Jesus did not object to hav-
ing clean hands at meal time, but
He denounced the hypocrisy of
making a ceremonial rite of that
which was only a tradition.

To illustrate what He meant
the Lord pointed to another tradi-
tion, one which definitely violated
the commandments and yet was
regarded as authoritative. It was
the custom by which a man could
pronounce all his possessions to
be a Corban, and thus become re-
lieved of the obligation of provid-
ing for the needs of his old or ag-
ing parents. The word means a
gift or an offering, and if a Jew-
ish man said that all he had was
a gift to the Lord it was no longer
necessary for him to support his
parents. In actual fact he would
not have to deed his property to
the priest or any other religious
organization. He could go on just
as in the past. But of course if
what he had was an offering to
the Lord he could not be expected
to use any of it for the susten-
ance of his parents.

Now this was according to the
tradition but it was in flat con-
tradiction of the written Law. In
fact it violated the commandment
which says, "Honor thy father
and mother." That was binding
through life. As a child, one hon-
ors his parents by obeying them.
At maturity, especially if his
parents have grown old he honors
them by providing for their physi-
cal needs. Therefore, following
this tradition resulted in a direct
violation of the fifth commandment.

Christ traces the dark foul river
of sin back to its source—the
human heart. Satan is the ulti-
mate source of evil but it is in
the heart where he carries on his
wicked operations. Man is a moral
and therefore a responsible being
and if Satan possesses and domi-
nates his heart and life then it is
because man of his own free
choice has allowed him to do so.
The Bible places the responsibility
for the guilt of sin on him.

The Pharisee could never make
any moral and spiritual progress
because he did not see any need
for it. He was blind to his real
inward state. Moral uncleanness
has its roots in something far
deeper than any external or mat-
terial thing. It springs from a
heart that is evil.

Since all unrighteousness pro-
ceeds from an evil and unregene-
rate heart it is obvious that if
there is to be any change or trans-
formation then the heart must be
cleansed. Only a good, healthy
tree can bring forth good fruit. It
is beyond the power of man to
create a clean heart, to put things
right at the source. Our trouble
is not our environment, our lack of
education, our lack of opportunity,
or social maladjustment. Our dif-
ficulty is an evil heart, a sinful
heart.

Damage Set at \$1,000

An estimated \$1,000 damage re-
sulted from a two-car collision at
the corner of Ottawa Ave. and 21st
St. at 3:40 p.m. Sunday. Drivers in-
volved were Willis Vandenberg, 37,
of 69 West 14th St., headed
north on Ottawa Ave., and Anna-
belle Prins, 22, of 133 Aniline
Ave., headed west on 21st St. Dam-
age to the right front end of the
Vandenberg car was estimated
at \$500 and to the left side of
the Prins car at \$400. City police
are investigating.



Mrs. Henry Mast who will be 90 years old on New Year's Day, spins at a wheel made for her grandfather more than 75 years ago. It was made by Reindart Timmer. It is a beautifully grained wood, and when recently cleaned and varnished, looked like new. The wheel shows master craftsmanship with fancy hand-carved legs. It had been in the attic of her son's home at 638 East Central St. in Zeeland, for several years. Then one time the family recalled how Mrs. Mast had liked to spin, and so it was taken from the attic, some wool purchased, and Mrs. Mast returned to the long lost art of spinning wool. So Mrs. Mast spins in her spare time nowadays, in spite of her protests that it isn't active enough and she'd rather be outside. (Princo photo)

Zeeland Woman Will Be
90 Years Old Thursday

ZEELAND (Special) — New
Year's Day holds a double signifi-
cance for Mrs. Henry Mast of
Zeeland. While everyone else is
celebrating the beginning of the
year 1953, she has the honor to
also be beginning the year 90. On
Jan. 1 she will celebrate her 90th
birthday.

Surviving her husband by some
50 years, Mrs. Mast went on to
raise seven children by herself.
But the years of work do not seem
to have hurt her, as she still en-
joys raking the leaves during the
summer, and according to Mrs.
Joe Mast, her daughter-in-law,
"She'd go out and shovel snow
too, if we'd let her."

Aside from her hearing, she en-
joys good health. "Wouldn't know
the time we've had a doctor," says
Mrs. Joe Mast. Mrs. Mast takes
care of her own room, and washes
dishes for the entire family. But
her hearing has waned in the last
few years, and she has had to
give up attending the First Chris-

tian Reformed church where she
was a member for so long.

Mrs. Mast has lived with her
son, Joe and his family at 638
East Central St. for 22 years. Joe
was the last son home, and when
he married she asked him to come
and live with her. Since then Joe
has purchased the house, and so
they all live together.

Mrs. Mast's seven children in-
clude Mrs. Jennie Lanning and
Mrs. Bert Boes of Grand Rapids.
Mrs. John Vander Kolk of Forest
Grove, Mrs. Tena Broekhuis of
Oakland, and Gerrit, John and Joe
Mast, all of Zeeland. In addition
she has 23 grand children and 16
great grandchildren.

Her parents were Mr. and Mrs.
Gerrit Viss of Nunspeet prov-
ince of Gelderland, The Nether-
lands. They brought the family to
the United States when Mrs.
Mast was three years old. There
were two other children, but Mrs.
Mast, although the oldest, is the
only survivor.

Immanuel Church Plans
Watch Night Services

A Watch Night service will be
held Wednesday evening in Im-
manuel church beginning at 9 p.m.
A tape recording will be made
by the broadcasting staff for the
program "Wonderful Words of
Life."

The program has been arranged
as follows: At 9:30 p.m. a musical
program will feature the City
Mission band; at 10 p.m. the
young people of the church will
present a varied program; at
10:30 there will be intermission
and fellowship.

The 11 p.m. program will in-
clude a talk by the pastor, the
Rev. S. Franklin Logsdon, and
testimonies. The final period from
11:30 to midnight will be devoted
to prayer.

US-16 Job Completed

LANSING — Canonic Excavating
Co., Detroit, has completed
568 miles of grading and drain-
age structures on US-16 near
Crockery creek, east of Nunica
in Ottawa county. This is part of
the work for the relocation of US-
16 at this point. Contract price
was \$92,147.63.



Seeing a frog and snake during the cold winter months in these parts is somewhat of a rare sight. The above trio found this frog while checking muskrat traps near First St. earlier last week. From left to right are: Gary Kolan, student at Washington school; Robert Tasker and Terry Alverson, both Junior high school students. They had quite a time scaring off girls with the frog when they came to The Sentinel for the photo. Recently two men from Mulder's Welding and Steel Fabricating Co., working in Zeeland, found a frozen grass snake in the snow. They put the reptile on a truck radiator and sure enough it thawed out and started to wiggle away. Later they released it in the snow. Frogs hibernate under the mud during winter months. All snakes also hibernate. Like gold fish they can stand extremely cold temperatures. You can freeze a gold fish or snake in solid ice, thaw it out slowly and it will be okay. Snakes normally hibernate just underground, not too deep, but far enough to keep warm. (Sentinel Photo)

Double Rites Held
For Zeeland Girls

ZEELAND (Special) — Double
funeral services for two well
known young Zeeland women who
died of asphyxiation Tuesday in a
tourist cabin at Daytona Beach,
Fla., were held at 2 p.m. Mon-
day in First Reformed church
with burial in Zeeland cemetery.

Victims were Barbara Ann De
Pree, 24-year-old Zeeland high
school home economics teacher,
and Audrey Joyce De Jonge, 21-
year-old secretary at Townsend
Manufacturing Co. The two had
left last Friday in Miss De Pree's
car for a vacation trip through the
south. Death was caused by leaking
gas from a faulty heater.

The Rev. Herbert Vander Lugt,
pastor of First Baptist church,
and the Rev. Peter Nieuwkoop,
former pastor of the Baptist
church officiated.

Brief services were held at
1:30 p.m. in the homes of both
girls. Miss De Pree was a daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. De
Pree, of 43 Pine St., and Miss De
Jonge was the daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Roscoe De Jonge of 331
East Washington Ave.

Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel)
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myrick of
Hastings announce the birth of a
son, John Floyd, on Dec. 19.

Mrs. Emily Beattie and Arthur
C. Prigge of Holland and Mr. and
Mrs. Allison Van Zyl and daugh-
ter, Debra, of Ann Arbor, went to
Chicago Friday to spend the day
with Mrs. Beattie's son and family.
Mr. and Mrs. James Beattie and
son, David, The Beatties were un-
able to come for Christmas be-
cause Mr. Beattie is recovering
from a serious case of polio.

The Myrick family Christmas
party was held Christmas Day at
the home of Mrs. Floyd Myrick,
204 West Eighth St. Present were
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Myrick, Ronnie,
Sandra and Carlene, Mr. and Mrs.
Louis Myrick, Dolly and Bonnie,
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Myrick,
Bobby, Michael and Carol Sue,
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Green, Kathy,
Tommy and Paul, Dr. and Mrs.
W. L. Howland of Linwood, Mich.,
Mrs. Jessie Myrick and Mrs. Floyd
Myrick. Unable to attend were
Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Jordan of Chi-
cago, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Asher
of Whiskeytown, Ga., and Mr. and
Mrs. Jack Myrick of Hastings.

Office girls of H. E. Morse Co.
entertained patients at Percy Jones
hospital, Battle Creek, at a Christ-
mas party on Dec. 21. They played
games and awarded prizes and
presented Christmas gifts. The
girls conducted group singing of
carols and other Christmas music
in the lobby and served refresh-
ments. Gifts were donated by the
Federal Boostersettes. The Red
Cross provided Christmas cookies
and the Ladies Bible class of
Spruce Ave. chapel donated 24
boxes of chocolate covered cher-
ries.

The son born on Christmas Day
at Holland hospital to Mr. and
Mrs. Wallace Nelson of Muskegon
has been named Norman Dale.
Mrs. Nelson is the former Jean
Wierenga, daughter of Mrs. W.
Wierenga, 47 West 18th St. The
Nelsons formerly resided in Hol-
land.

Watch Night Services

Planned by Hope Club

The Mr. and Mrs. club of Hope
church will be in charge of a New
Year's Eve Watch Night candle-
lighting service in the Hope
church sanctuary from 11 p.m. to
midnight on Wednesday evening.

Theme of the program, which
will be for residents of Holland
and the surrounding community,
will be the spreading of the Light
from Christ to the present, sym-
bolized by a unique candlelighting
ceremony.

General program arrangements
are under the direction of Mr.
and Mrs. Robert Vanderham. Dr.
Marion de Velder prepared the
script, narrators to be Larry
Towe and the Rev. William Hil-
mert.

Candlelighters are Mrs. William
Forberg, Mrs. Richard Hill, Mrs.
Roy Klompars, Mrs. L. W.
Lamb, Jr., Mrs. Morris Schaap
and Mrs. Raymond Wilkins.
Music is under the direction of
Mr. and Mrs. Hill. Included in the
musical section will be a quartet
consisting of Kenneth De Pree,
Richard Hill, Judson Leonard
and William Neff. Mr. Leonard
and Mr. Neff also will sing solos.
Miss Shirley Nonhof will be or-
ganist.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Deridder are
in charge of settings. Ushers will
be John De Haan, Paul Fredrick-
son, Craig Trueblood, Morris
Schaap, L. W. Lamb, Jr., and Win-
ton Gibbons. Arrangements for
ushers were made by Mr. and
Mrs. Gibbons.

Special written invitations have
been sent by Mr. and Mrs. George
Steininger, club secretaries, to all
married couples clubs in the
churches of Holland and to other
churches where couples clubs have
not been organized. A general in-
vitation is extended to the entire
community.

Okiciyapi Camp Fire

Has Christmas Party

The Okiciyapi Camp Fire group
of Lakeview school had a Christ-
mas party Tuesday evening at the
home of their sponsor, Mrs. Glen-
ard Bonnette.

During the earlier part of the
evening the Camp Fire Girls, in
white capes and carrying candles,
went to many homes to sing
Christmas carols.
After the caroling the girls went
to the Bonnette home for a gift



Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Milton Laman

Maxine June Gerritsen
Wed to Harvey Laman

Miss Maxine June Gerritsen,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman
Gerritsen of 21 East 21st St., and
Harvey Milton Laman, son of
Mrs. Benjamin Laman of 19 East
15th St., spoke their marriage
vows Saturday afternoon in Four-
teenth Street Christian Reformed
church. The Rev. John Schuur-
mann performed the double ring
rites at 4 p.m. before a setting of
palms and ferns, accented with
baskets of large white mums and
four seven-branch candelabra.
Bows and greens marked the
piece, which held in place a
French silk illusion veil, was a
matching lace Juliet cap. She
carried a colonial bouquet of
white Belmont roses and gar-
denias.

Bridal attendants, including the
flower girl, wore velvet gowns
styled with winged collars, tiny
buttons down the front of the
sculptured bodices and full skirts.
They wore matching half hats and
elbow-length mitts. The maid of
honor wore nymph green and car-
ried a colonial bouquet of talis-
man roses. The bridesmaid's gown
was ruby red and she carried vel-
vet roses. The flower girl, in am-
ber yellow, carried a basket of
rose petals.

There were 90 guests at the re-
ception in the Tulip room of the
Warm Friend Tavern after the
ceremony. Lt. and Mrs. LaVerne
Serne, brother-in-law and sister
of the groom, served at the punch
bowl and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth
Nienhuis arranged the gift.

After the reception, the newly-
weds left for Chicago where they
are spending their honeymoon.
For going away, the bride wore a
moss green knit dress with brown
and gold accessories. After Jan.
1, they will be at home at 1016
Lay Blvd., Kalamazoo.
Mrs. Laman, a graduate of Hol-
land Christian high school, has
been employed at the office of
Rooks Transfer. Mr. Laman, a
graduate of Western Michigan
college, Kalamazoo, is a teacher
at Comstock high school.

exchange. Party refreshments
were served around a gaily-light-
ed Christmas tree by Mrs. Bon-
nette, assisted by Mrs. Joe Jonker.

The girls provided families with
baskets of food. Mrs. Fred Davis,
the leader, read thank-you notes
from the families.

Members attending were Judy
De Pree, Janet Timmer, Jean
Timmer, Joyce Van Fleet, Shirley
Venstra, Linda Davis, Sharon Van
Noord, Sarah Bonnette, Mary Jon-
ker, Barbara Karsten, Jean Lam-
beris, Kathryn Nickels and a
guest, Sandra Hoeve.

Post-Christmas Party

Held for Vande Waters

A post-Christmas family party
was held Saturday evening at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard
Vande Water, 318 East 13th St.,
honoring Mr. and Mrs. Robert
Vande Water and daughter, Julie
Ann, of Cadillac.

Those present were the families
of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vande
Water, Mr. and Mrs. Willard
Haan, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dok-
ter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kraai and
Mr. and Mrs. William H. Vande
Water of Holland. Mr. and Mrs.
Joseph Dolnik of Shelby and Miss
Elaine Kraai of Chicago were also
present.

Pvt. Randall Vande Water, who
is stationed with an anti-aircraft
unit at Fort Bliss, Texas, near El
Paso, was unable to be home for
the holidays. Pvt. Don Dokter,
in basic training at Camp Chaffee,
and Pvt. John Muyskens in basic
at Camp Leonard Wood were also
unable to attend.

Mrs. Betsy Vander Bie

Dies at Holland Hospital

Mrs. Betsy Vander Bie, 76, died
at Holland hospital early Friday
She had been ill four months. Her
home was at 256 West 12th St.

Mrs. Vander Bie was born Nov.
4, 1876, to the late Mr. and Mrs.
Peter Vander Schurr, and had
lived here all her life. She was a
member of Central Avenue Chris-
tian Reformed church and the
Ladies Aid. Her husband, Cornel-
ius, died about 20 years ago.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Alice
Barbey of Grand Rapids.
Funeral services will be held
Monday at 2 p.m. at Nibbelink-
Notlar funeral chapel, the Rev.
William Haverkamp officiating.
Burial will be at Granschap
cemetery. Friends may call at the
funeral home Sunday from 3 to 5
p.m.

Nunica Airman
Missing in Action

GRAND HAVEN (Special) —
Second Lt. Donald R. Reitsma,
23-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs.
Louis J. Reitsma, Sr., of Nunica,
has been missing in Korea since
Dec. 22, according to a telegram
from the U. S. Army received Fri-
day night.

A jet pilot and an all-conference
football player at Coopersville
high school several years ago, he
has been in Korea since mid-Sep-
tember as pilot of an F-86 Sabre-
jet and was stationed at Kimpo
airfield just outside Seoul with
the veteran 4th Fighter Interceptor
Wing. His unit had the danger-
ous assignment of intercepting the
Russian MIGs at high alti-
tudes to protect the U. S. bomb-
ers on missions.

He enlisted in the Air Force in
January, 1951, and in May received
his wings. He received his
training in Texas and was last
home on furlough the same month
he received his commission as a
jet pilot. He started combat ser-
vice in Korea in September and
had 43 missions in by the middle
of the month.

He was a student at Michigan
College of Mining and Technology
for two years before enlisting in
the Air Force. At Coopersville
high school he was a varsity
guard and named an all-conference
linebacker one year. He was
also a member of the track team.

His parents had received a let-
ter from their son dated Dec. 17
and a brother, Louis, residing in
Flint since being discharged from
the Army this past fall, last re-
ceived a letter on Dec. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Reitsma have two
boys. Lt. Reitsma is the fifth ser-
vicemen from this area to be re-
ported missing in action since the
start of the Korean War 2½ years
ago, and the first one this year.
Five other men have been listed
as killed in action.

Mr. and Mrs. Zuverink

Honored by Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Zuverink
were guests of honor at a potluck
supper at the home of Mrs.
Zuverink's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Bud Haman, 34 East 16th St., Fri-
day evening.

The affair honored the first
wedding anniversary of the couple
and was also a farewell for Mr.
Zuverink who is leaving for
Camp Pendleton, Calif. Zuverink
spent the last two years at Great
Lakes Naval Training station.

The evening was spent playing
games.
Those honoring the couple were
Mr. and Mrs. H. Hamm and chil-
dren, Shirley, Patty, Gail, Jeffery,
Tommy and Betty, Mr. and Mrs.
George Zuverink, Sr., Mr. and
Mrs. L. Maatman and children,
Nancy and Judy, Mr. and Mrs.
Gordon Zuverink and children,
Callie, Christine and Lynn, Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Dokter and chil-
dren, Karen, Jack and Janice, Mr.
and Mrs. George Zuverink, Jr.,
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Zuverink
and daughter, Deborah, Ben
Zuverink, and Arnold Boeve who
is home on leave from the US
Erwin, Newport, R. I. First Lt.
Anne Norman, who is stationed
in Japan as a flight nurse with
the 801st Medical Air Evacuation
Service, was unable to attend.

John Nyboer Feted

On 80th Birthday

Children of John Nyboer gath-
ered at his home, 13 West 17th St.,
Friday evening to celebrate his
80th birthday anniversary.

Gifts were presented to the hon-
ored guest, and games were play-
ed by the group. Refreshments,
featuring a birthday cake with 80
candles, were served.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs.
Willis Klaasen and family, Mr.
and Mrs. Ray Hilbink and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Nick Klunge and
Billy; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence
Buurma, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buur-
ma and family and Miss Junia
Halverson, all of Holland; Mr. and
Mrs. B. Omans of Buchanan and
Jill and Becky Nyboer of Rock-
ford, Ill.

Telegraph Office Scene

Of Break-In Saturday

1952 Necrology

JANUARY

1. Larry Jay Dreyer, three-month-old son of Mrs. and Mr. Richard Dreyer of Norderloo, died at the family home.

2. Mrs. Dena De Vries, 68, of 226 East Washington Blvd., Zeeland, died at St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

3. Johannes (John) Rappert, 72, of 176 West 20th St., died at Holland hospital.

4. William Kremera, 73, of Niagara Falls, N.Y., formerly of Holland, died at Niagara Falls.

5. Mary Norma Guajardo, four-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Guajardo, died at her home, 374 East Seventh St.

6. Charles Helmers, 62, of 354 West 17th St., died while en route to Baker Furniture Company. He was struck at the corner of 24th St. and Columbus Ave.

7. Ray Gerred, 72, of Fennville, died at Allegan county hospital.

8. John De Groot, 73, formerly of Fennville, died at Allegan hospital.

9. Mrs. Catherine C. Faneer, 89, formerly of Holland, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nina Weyck, 140 Griggs St., S. E., Grand Rapids.

10. John Flagg, 86, of route 2, Fennville, died at Douglas Community hospital.

11. Clarence Burr Billings, 84, died at his home in Saugatuck.

12. Edgar Nutkins, formerly of Holland, died at his home, 340 Dawson St., S. E., Grand Rapids.

13. Frank M. Wojtaliewicz, 79, of Williamsburg, died at Allegan Health Center.

14. Mrs. Flora Lockwood, 78, formerly of Fennville, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Douterse of Walkerville, Ind.

15. John Van Brink, 73, died at his home, 812 Pine Ave.

16. One-day-old twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jerrold De Frell of route 4, died at Holland hospital.

17. William Weenun, 68, died at his home in Borelio.

18. Mrs. Dora Hunt, 84, formerly of Wayland, died at Allegan county hospital.

19. Mrs. Annie Dykstra, 80, died at her home in Salem township.

20. Connie Joy Barber, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barber, 232 West 11th St., died at Holland hospital.

21. Fred Lundberg, 66, of Dunningville, died at Allegan Health Center.

22. John Slenk, 66, route 1, died at Holland hospital.

23. Justin G. Nevenzel, 64, of Laketown township, route 1, died at Holland hospital.

24. Aleck Monetta, 49, of 592 Lawn Ave., died at Holland hospital.

25. Vickie Lynn Michelson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Michelson, 294 East 15th St., died at birth at Holland hospital.

26. Cornelius Roos, 62, of 265 East 13th St., died at Holland hospital.

27. Mrs. Minnie Beerbower, 70, died at her home, 205 West 16th St.

28. Henry Mast, 70, of route 2, died at his home.

29. Arend Commissaris, 62, of Burnsides died at his home.

30. Jennie Waterway, 61, died at the home of her brother-in-law, Bram Witterweide, 400 West 15th St.

31. Mrs. Jenny R. Trotter, 83, widow of the late Rev. George W. Trotter, died at Holland hospital.

32. Mrs. Reka Brouwer, 71, of route 2, died at her home.

33. Mrs. Lily Lewis Pomm, 65, of Holland, formerly of Oak Park, Ill., died at Holland hospital.

34. Lucas Compagner, 61, of South Maple St., Zeeland, died of a heart attack while helping his son move from Oakland to East Saugatuck.

35. Mrs. Oriana E. Banks, 75, died at her home on route 2.

36. H. J. B. Bunte, 62, of 214 West 15th St., formerly county commissioner of schools, died in the City Hall at Lansing.

FEBRUARY

1. Mrs. Afra Bushnell, 58, formerly of Fennville, died at her home in Zeeland.

2. John Knoll, 72, of 20 East 15th St., died at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dykema, 5650 Eastern Ave., Grand Rapids.

3. Lambert Bloemenda, 47, died at home, 540 East Central Ave., Zeeland.

4. Mrs. Sybilla van Ryn van Alkemade, formerly of Holland, died at home in Oakwood Manor, Grand Rapids.

5. Mrs. Minnie Van Haltsma, 62, of 419 East Lincoln, Zeeland, died at Zeeland hospital.

6. Mrs. Clara A. Voorhorst, 60, of 9 East 14th St., died at Holland hospital.

7. John J. Scholten, 78, died at his home, 2 Zeeland.

8. Mrs. Catherine De Vries, 63, formerly of Borelio, died at her home in Portland.

9. Mrs. Anna M. Hopkins, 55, of 155 West 15th St., died at Holland hospital.

10. Wayne Harvey Knoll, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Knoll, route 2, in Olive township, died several hours after birth at Holland hospital.

11. Fred J. Meyer, 85, of route 1, Hamilton, died at Allegan Health Center.

12. Mrs. Henry Ter Meer, 66, of route 5, died at Holland hospital.

13. Edward De Koele, 84, died at his home in Pullman.

14. The Rev. Lambertus Veltkamp, 76, of 141 West 23rd St., died at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, da of 961 Alpine Ave., Grand Rapids.

15. Albert Lodeman, 67, of Kalamazoo, formerly of Oakland, died at his home.

16. Mrs. Lena Williams, 76, of 256 West Ninth St., died at home.

17. Stephen B. Wolters, 60, died at his home one mile south of Graafschap.

18. Leonard Kievit, 76, of Central Park, died at Mease hospital, Duneside.

19. Thomas Henry Cole, 78, died at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cheate, Port Sheldon, route 1, West 30th St., died at Holland hospital.

20. Sherman Welch, 85, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alvin Rasmussen, 500 West 15th St.

21. Mrs. Elizabeth Weed, 88, Saugatuck, died at Riverside Convalescent home, Saugatuck.

22. Albert J. Haan, 89, of Stanton, died at convalescent home near Morley.

23. Mrs. Edith Kardux, 88, died at her home, 220 Howard Ave.

24. Ivan Frank Bowers, 80, died of self-inflicted gunshot wounds at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bowen, 482 West 23rd St., with whom he was living.

25. Hugo J. P. Haub, 82, of Douglas died in Grand Rapids.

26. Peter Kelaava, died at his home near West Olive.

27. Mrs. Arthur Vos, 85, formerly of Holland, died at a Grand Rapids convalescent home.

28. Julius C. Deery, 74, of Fennville, died at Allegan Health Center.

29. Janice Grace Baron, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Baron, died at St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

30. Mrs. John H. Jansen, 42, of 267 East 22nd St., died at Holland hospital.

31. Christian Kammarad, 69, died at his home, 45 West 18th St.

32. Tom Scholten, 59, of route 2, died at Holland hospital.

33. Van Van Hatten, 88, of 274 West Eighth St., died at Holland hospital.

34. Elmer Berthwick, 70, of Pearl St., died at Holland hospital.

35. Virginia Ruth Schurman, 87, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Schurman of East 24th St., died at her home.

36. John J. Veldhorst, 81, of 210 East 13th St., died at Holland hospital.

MARCH

1. Mrs. William Jansen, 73, of route 6, died at Holland hospital.

2. Mrs. Anna Newhouse, 73, of 244 East 15th St., died at Holland hospital.

3. Ralph H. Miller, 60, of Saugatuck, died in Florida while vacationing.

4. Mrs. Anna L. Bloom, 89, died at the home of her son, Albert, in Pullman.

5. Anthony L. Elenbaas, 67, of route 3, Zeeland, was killed almost instantly when struck by a car while riding his bicycle on Byron Center.

6. Joe Slater, 68, of 786 Howard Ave., died at Holland hospital.

7. Mrs. Harold Moore, 68, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul De Goed of 1244 West 14th St., died at birth at Holland hospital.

8. Mrs. Maggie Myard, 76, of 2424 West 14th St., Zeeland, died at Holland hospital.

9. John Hicks, 80, of Fennville, died at Ebenezer convalescent home, Olsburg.

10. Karen Mae Breuker, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Breuker, 4346 Lincoln road, died at birth at Holland hospital.

11. Robert Rums, 44, of 958 South Shore Dr., died at his home.

12. Nellie De Jonge, 71, of 27 East 13th St., died at her home.

13. Clyde J. Brouwer, 71, died at his home, 582 South Shore Dr.

14. Mrs. Henry A. Lanning, 82, of 78 East 17th St., died at Holland hospital.

15. Ralph E. Bredeweg, 76, of Drenthe, route 3, Zeeland, died at his home.

16. Mrs. Winifred Coffey of 254 East 11th St., died at Paw Paw hospital.

17. Mrs. William Sloothack, 81, died at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sloothack, 132 West 17th St.

18. Abel Mannes, 70, of route 2, Zeeland, died at his home.

19. Earl Arnold Eaton, 62, of Douglas, died at his home.

20. Mrs. Mary De Witt, 80, died at her home, 231 North Michigan Ave., Zeeland.

21. Roelf Forten, 73, of 411 West 22nd St., died at the home of his son, Joe Forten, 416 West 21st St.

22. John C. Diekmann, 36, of 162 East Eighth St., died at Holland hospital.

23. Mrs. Mabel Zeltzsch of Dragt of Douglas, died in Douglas hospital.

24. Oscar Van Den Berg, 83, died at home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Van Den Berg, 4000 Ottawa Beach road, route 4.

25. Gerrit Warmink, 72, of 638 Washington Ave., died at the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Warmink, 272 East 32nd St.

26. Mrs. Mary Lambers, 62, of 42 Graves Pl., died at Holland hospital.

27. Earl Russell Hagerman, 60, of 3510 South Hoover St., Los Angeles, Calif., formerly of Holland, died at Los Angeles hospital.

28. John J. Scholten, 73, died at his home, 57 East Seventh St.

29. Henry Bleeker, 76, of Benheim, died at his home.

30. Henry Workman, 69, of 13 West Ninth St., died at the Muskegon sanatorium.

31. Clarence French, 89, of Saugatuck was found dead at his home.

32. Martin J. Koster, 82, of 520 Gordon St., died at his home.

33. Mrs. Minnie Jones, 83, of 56 West 11th St., died at her home.

34. Mrs. Earl Russell Hagerman, Holland optometrist, died at his home, 26 West 13th St.

35. Mrs. Pear Zawila, 61, died at her home, route 1, Fennville.

36. Earl Russell Hagerman, 60, formerly of Port Sheldon, died at the Michigan Veterans Facility hospital, Grand Rapids.

37. Mrs. Anna Berkompas, 52, of 262 West 15th St., died at Holland hospital.

38. David F. Erickson of Chicago, formerly of Saugatuck and Gibson, died while at Finner, 74, of 961 Alpine Ave., Grand Rapids.

39. Fredrick Leppmann, 79, of 235 West 23rd St., died at Holland hospital.

40. Durward B. Thompson, 75, of 541 Elm Dr. died at Michigan Veterans Facility hospital, Grand Rapids.

41. Joe Henry Ten Cate, 62, of 591 East 15th St., died at the Christian Psychiatric hospital, Cutlerville.

42. Mrs. Andrew Boeve, 44, of 51 East 15th St., died at Holland hospital.

43. Mrs. Alice Norris, 80, of 82 East 18th St., died at Holland hospital.

44. Mrs. Bert J. Slaght, 71, died at her home, route 2.

APRIL

1. Dr. Samuel M. Zwemer, 84, formerly of Holland, died in New York City, N.Y.

2. William Clark, 77, of Allegan township, died at Allegan county hospital.

3. Mrs. Nellie Haan, 79, of 510 East Central Ave., Zeeland, died at the home of Miss Hattie Rootes, 222 East Cherry St., Zeeland.

4. Mrs. O. J. Stegenga, 83, formerly of Holland, died at his home in Grand Rapids.

5. Nicholas J. Whelan, 83, former Holland resident, died at his home in Detroit.

6. Ronald John Zeef, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Zeef of route 1, Hudsonville, was apparently killed instantly when his car hit a tree while en route to his home.

7. Elmon (Dutch) Wyrick, 41, was killed instantly when his tractor rolled over on top of him while he was plowing on his Olive township farm, route 1, Zeeland.

8. Mrs. Tillie Van Drie, 66, of Mc Bain, died at Holland hospital.

9. Mrs. J. J. Finner, 74, of 45 East 10th St., died at her home.

10. Mrs. Anna Holkeboer, 61, of 34 East 15th St., died at Butterworth hospital, Grand Rapids.

11. Mrs. Ruth Baker, 81, of Gibson, Laketown township, died at her home.

12. Mrs. Jennie Hekhuis, 67, of 41 East 14th St., died at Holland hospital.

13. Holly D. Roossien, 73, of 255 West 17th St., died at Holland hospital.

14. Mrs. Elizabeth Terpstra, 64, of 2700 West Ave., Grand Rapids, formerly of Hamilton, died at her home.

15. Mrs. Gertrude Pott, 82, died at her home, 288 West 19th St.

16. Ray A. Hook, 81, died at his home, 150 West 14th St.

17. Jack Gryzen, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Gryzen of route 3, Hudsonville, drowned while swimming in the Nyeenhuus gravel pit about a mile north of Forest Rotational.

18. Russell J. Routhorst, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Routhorst of 688 Gordon St., died at birth in rotation.

19. The Rev. Arthur Cornelius Ross, 49, former resident of Holland, died at Genesee hospital, Rochester, N.Y.

20. Jerry Lee De Frell, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester De Frell of route 2, died several hours after birth at Zeeland hospital.

21. Leonard De Koele, 54, of 298 South Maple St., Zeeland, died of a heart attack in De Frell store, Zeeland, where he was employed.

22. George West, 81, of Marion, Ohio, formerly of Holland, died at his home.

23. Peter Kraak, 85, of 282 North State St., Zeeland, died at Zeeland hospital.

24. William Schultz, 74, of route 2, Zeeland, died at his home.

25. Mrs. Ebba Maris, 81, of 474 West 22nd St., died at Holland hospital.

26. Gilbertus Haan, 82, died at his home on route 5.

27. Mike Kohn, 71, of Fennville, died while visiting at the home of a neighbor.

28. Herman Van Tongeren, 84, of Holland, died at Mound City hospital, after being hit by a car 10 days previously in St. Petersburg, Fla.

29. Jacob Vander Putter, 71, of 702 North Shore Dr., died at his home.

30. Mrs. Adriana Woltering, 67, of 39 Cherry St., died at Holland hospital.

31. Mrs. Susan Vander Veen of 268 Pine Ave., died at her home.

32. Ira Veldhoff, 67, died at his home in East Saugatuck.

33. Mrs. Henry J. Anden Brink, 56, of route 4, died at Holland hospital.

34. Merton V. Wieland, 63, of Chicago and summer resident of Saugatuck, died at his Chicago home, 7000 South Shore Dr.

35. Douglas Jay Stultje, 3 1/2-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stultje, 927 76th St., died at St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

MAY

1. Adam Fieser, 88, of Burnsides, died at the home of his sister, Emma Fieser of route 1, Dorr.

2. Mrs. Martha Ritzema, 79, of route 4, Holland, died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moore, 68, who was visiting her son when taken ill. She was mother at the Hope college Knickerbocker fraternity house.

3. Mrs. Nellie Boone, 80, of 12 South River Ave., died at Holland hospital.

4. Mrs. Jennie S. Jonkman, 69, of 376 State St., died at home of her son, Joseph, who was visiting her son when taken ill. She was mother at the Hope college Knickerbocker fraternity house.

5. Mrs. Elizabeth Gilmore, 89, resident of Holland for 60 years, died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Goldene, 825 Diversey Park, Chicago.

6. Gerrit Wedeven, 79, died at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Klingenberg of Kalamazoo.

7. Mrs. Anne Rasmussen, 82, formerly of the Fennville area and Allegan, died at the home of her son in St. Louis, Mo.

8. Mrs. Elizabeth Holstege, 66, who lived with daughter, Mrs. Johannes Bosch, route 2, Zeeland, died at her home in Zeeland.

9. Mrs. Bertha Kronenberger, 66, of Holland, died at St. Joseph Mercy hospital, Grand Rapids.

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2. Karl E. Frandsen, 52, route 1, Fennville, died at Bronson hospital, Kalamazoo.

3. Lewis Mieras, 78, died at his home, 184 West 16th St.

4. Henry H. Schrotenboer, 76, of East of Zeeland, died at his home.

5. William T. Trimble, 89, who lived at 214 West Eighth St., died at Bronson Nursing home in Plainfield, where he was a patient.

6. Mrs. Mary Ellen, 89, familiar figure about Holland for many years, died at Kalamazoo state hospital where she was a patient.

7. Mrs. Gerald Wolters, 80, of 456 West 22nd St., died at Holland hospital.

8. Gerrit G. Boeve, 73, died at his home at East Holland.

9. Mrs. Elizabeth Gilmore, 89, resident of Holland for 60 years, died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Goldene, 825 Diversey Park, Chicago.

10. Christian Baarman, 79, of 1928 Paw Paw Dr., Zeeland, died at his home.

11. Cornelius Kaslander, 77, formerly of Vriesland and Holland, died in Pine Rest sanatorium.

12. Mrs. Henry Zwering, 55, of 122 East 25th St., died at Holland hospital.

13. Mrs. Mary Koopman, 78, of 84 East 18th St., died at her home.

14. Mrs. Henry H. Koster, 89, died at the Vanden Broek Nursing home in Holland.

15. Henry Smit, 89, died at his home in Hudsonville, route 1.

16. Mrs. John C. Sauer, 80, died at her home, 203 East 13th St.

17. Mrs. Gerrit J. Klinkenberg, 80, of Overisel, died at her home.

18. Mrs. Nellie Meyer, 85, route 3, Fennville, died at Allegan county hospital.

19. Mrs. Elizabeth Van Eyck, 89, formerly of Holland, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. De Koster, 128 Wall St., Zeeland, with whom she made her home.

20. John B. Van Lente, 87, of Holland, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Louis Poppema, 194 West 24th St.

21. Otto Line, 71, died at his home in Logan A. Snyder, 65, died at his Monterey township home.

22. Mrs. John C. Vivian, the former Maude Kiehn of Holland, died in Detroit, Colo.

23. Howard E. Decker, 73, died at his home on route 2, Fennville.

24. Kerry Vannette, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vannette, Jr., of 355 Douglas Ave., died shortly after birth at Holland hospital.

25. Mrs. Minnie Veneklasen, 82, of Holland died at Pine Rest sanatorium.

26. Lillian Ruth Overway, 46, of 73 East 21st St., died at her home.

27. Harry Menken, 71, of Graafschap, died at Holland hospital.

28. Robert Ross, 51, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvern (Newt) Fisher, who lives three miles southeast of Fennville, died at Allegan Health Center after he was bunted against the side of the car the day before while watching his father milk the family cow.

29. Fred Paul Groth, 59, died at his home, Saugatuck, route 1.

30. Ralph A. Veltman, 63, formerly of Holland, died at Harper hospital, Detroit.

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2. Mrs. Emma Gomert, 87, of Detroit died at Highland Park General hospital, Detroit.

3. Mrs. Harvey Godfrey, 46, of 941 Burrut Dr., died at Holland hospital.

4. Ellice Bedell, 60, died at his home, 594 Pine Crest Dr.

5. Mrs. F. J. Fletcher, formerly of Holland, died at Annwood convalescent home, Jenison.

6. Mrs. Grover Welch, formerly of Holland, died in Grand Rapids.

7. Mrs. Gerrit J. Klinkenberg, 80, died at his home in Overisel.

8. Joe Alderick, 83, formerly of Laketown, died at Caro State hospital.

9. Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Albertus H. Elve of 212 West 12th St., died at birth at Holland hospital.

10. Mrs. Abel Van Huis, 56, died at his home, 228 East 20th St.

11. Ray A. Hook, 81, died at his home, 150 West 14th St.

AUGUST

1. Mrs. John G. Schrotenboer, 84, of route 3, died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Den Bleker, 194 East 35th St.

2. Mrs. Nancy Gras, 65, of 251 North Central Ave., Zeeland, died at Holland hospital.

3. Mrs. Dick Dogger, 64, formerly of Holland, died at a Chicago hospital.

4. Diane Bowmaster, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Bowmaster, 762 Myrtle Ave., died at birth at Holland hospital.

5. Mrs. Lorraine Johnston, 47, summer resident of Saugatuck, died in St. John's hospital, Tulsa, Okla.

6. Word received that Mrs. Dan C. Kuna, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kuna, 227 Pine Ave., was killed in action in Korea July 18.

7. Carl J. Repit, 65, of 244 West 21st St., died at Holland hospital.

8. Cornelius Zwemer, 96, of Holland, died at home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herman B. Zwemer, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kuna, 227 Pine Ave., was killed in action in Korea July 18.

9. Mrs. H. M. Vande Bunte, 69, of route 2, Hudsonville, died at his home.

10. Mrs. Emma Van Haltsma, 79, died at her home in Vriesland.

11. Casper Kild, 79, of Forest Grove, route 3, Hudsonville, died at his home.

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The total of 189 points was believed to have established a new record for the Armory court. A partly-filled house of about 800 fans were on hand for the holiday exhibition.

The invading Hoosiers were outdone in the height department all the way around, but the disadvantage seemed to make little difference for the scrappy Manchester team which battled for every loose ball and several that weren't loose. The height advantage for Coach John Visser's crew told in the end, however. Hope got 117 shots at the basket compared with 99 for Manchester. Hope sank 36 of them for a 31 per cent mark, while the losers hit 34 field goals for a 34 per cent average.

The two teams matched race-horse tactics, with points flying in all directions. Hope jumped off to an early lead and was never behind. However, Manchester was always in a threatening position after a slow start.

One of the top performers for the Hoosiers was diminutive guard Dan Butts, who stands about 5'6". Butts pumped in 21 points, and when he left the game on personals in the fourth quarter he received a big hand from the partisan Hope crowd. Bob Anglin paced Manchester with 22 points in an attack that featured pinpoint passing and play patterns that worked the ball in close.

For Hope, the victory once more was a well-rounded team effort. The smaller Manchester players tied up center Bob Hendrickson pretty well with double and triple teaming, but the Hope pivot man still scored 16 points. Ron Bos was high with 24 points, and Jerry Jacobson dumped in 19 markers as five Hope players hit double figures.

The Dutch, who now have won four games in a row after losing their first three of the season, took a 6-0 lead in the opening minutes as Jacobson sank three long shots in a row from the side. They increased the margin to 12-2 before Manchester got rolling to narrow the gap to 29-23 at the first quarter, with Anglin scoring 12 points.

With Hendrickson and Bob Visser leading the scoring way, the Dutch continued to pepper the nets in the second period, but Manchester did, too, and at half-time, Hope led 52-44, which incidentally is a good final score in lots of games.

The driving Bos began to find the range in the third quarter and Hope rolled up 28 points for an apparently safe 80-66 bulge at the whistle. But after the home team increased its advantage to a 19-point edge at 91-72, Manchester still refused to quit. Coach Visser substituted freely in the final quarter, but with less than two minutes to go, Manchester had narrowed the edge to 94-88 and the Hope regulars went back in with a stalling game. The losers outscored Hope 26-17 in the final quarter.

The Dutch first half margin should have been greater than it was, but Hope was able to hit only 10 of 28 free throws in the half. The accuracy increased to 15 for 20 in the second half, however. Jacobson missed his first free throw and then hit nine in a row.

Hope plays another non-league game, next Saturday at home against North Central, Ill., before returning to MIAA warfare on Jan. 7 at Albion.

Hope (97)

	FG	FT	TP
Visser, f	5	3	13
Jacobson, f	5	9	19
Hendrickson, c	7	2	16
Bos, g	9	6	24
Bolesma, g	3	0	3
Adams	5	3	13
Piersma	1	1	3
Brannock	0	0	0
Klomparens	1	1	3
Schultz	0	0	1
Riemersma	0	0	0

Manchester (82)

	FG	FT	TP
Hyde, f	4	3	11
Anglin, f	10	2	22
Huffman, c	1	5	7
Moore, g	1	1	3
Goshert, g	0	4	5
Barnhart	0	0	1
Goodmiller	2	1	5
Weaver	3	2	8
Miller	5	1	11
Butts	8	5	21
Gallipo	0	0	0

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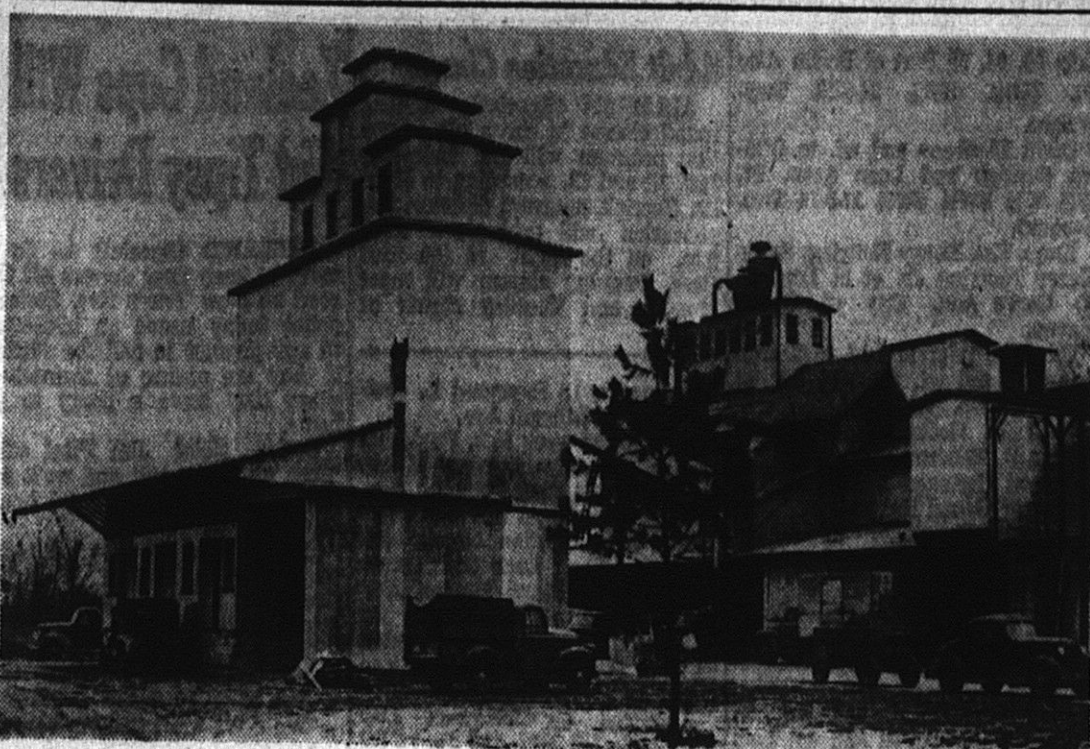
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The new aluminum covered bulk feed storage plant is about ready for use at the Hamilton Farm Bureau Co-operative, Inc. The new building, built and equipped at an estimated cost of \$25,000, is seen in the foreground, with the older north mill in the background. A special conveyor belt connecting the two buildings is partly hidden by the small tree in the picture. The new building will be used as a storage unit and distribution point for bulk feeds, with farmers loading at the porch on the left. (Sentinel photo)

Hamilton Farm Bureau Will Use New Building

HAMILTON (Special)—A new bulk feed storage plant, which can increase production capacity at the north mill by up to three times present output, will be ready for use in the near future at the Hamilton Farm Bureau Co-operative, Inc.

The new storage plant, located about 60 feet north of the present north mill, has been under construction since last July. The aluminum covered structure was built at a cost of \$15,000, with an additional \$10,000 for equipment, according to Co-Op Manager Andrew Lohman.

The storage plane will further the firm's aim of providing service to the customer, according to company plans. Reason for construction was to eliminate much of the waiting period that farmers have experienced in the past when coming to the co-op to purchase feeds.

Another step in the rapidly expanding business of bulk feed sales is a direct product of the new structure. The building will hold 150 tons of ready mixed feeds for cattle, poultry, hogs and the firm's own commercial feed. This is in addition to capacity of 75 tons in the present north mill, which will be used as supplemental storage space.

"Formerly the customer sometimes had to wait four to five hours to get waited on at the north mill," Lohman commented. "Purpose of the new plant is to relieve congestion at the old building and to hurry the process for the consumer."

Woman Dies At Age of 102

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Mrs. Eliza Jane Trotter, 102 years old, died at her home, 768 Savidge St., Spring Lake, Monday evening following a six-day illness. Last Wednesday morning she suffered a stroke and never regained consciousness.

She was born in Portland, Ont., Canada, July 9, 1850, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bolton. She was married to Richard Trotter on June 2, 1868, and moved to Spring Lake with her husband in March 25, 1881. Mr. Trotter died July 25, 1925.

Surviving are three sons, Thomas, George and Ernest, all of Spring Lake; a daughter, Mrs. F. H. Lee of Summit, N. J., eight grandchildren; nine great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

Sum of Cash Missing
Cash totaling \$240 was reported missing from the cash box at the Jim Baraman service station at Eighth St. and Columbia Ave., police reported today. Station management said the cash box was checked at 12:30 p.m. Monday, and then again at closing time, thereby fixing the time of the theft as Monday afternoon or evening. City police are investigating.

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Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Maentz of 134 West 12th St. entertained a group of friends at a buffet supper Saturday in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary. The anniversary occurred on Sunday.

Among the guests at the home of Mrs. Pansy Anderson, 451 West 10th St. for Christmas dinner were Sgt. and Mrs. Milford Anderson of Japan who are spending a furlough here, Sgt. and Mrs. Otis Powell and children of Ft. Knox, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anderson and children of Pullman. Sgt. Milford Anderson, who has been serving in the Armed forces in Japan for four years, and Mrs. Anderson will remain here until Jan. 12 when they will be stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C. Sgt. Powell and family returned to Ft. Knox Sunday.

S/Sgt. Charles Bradley left Holland Sunday for Washington, D. C., and Pfc. Preston Bradley left Saturday for Marine Camp Lejeune, N. C., after spending the Christmas holidays with their mother, Mrs. Margaret Bradley.

Sandra Decker entertained Rainbow Girls of Holland Assembly No. 16, and their mothers at a tea in her Waukazo home Monday afternoon. Mrs. Walter Morris, mother advisor, and Mrs. E. J. Bacheller poured. Guests were present from Saugatuck and Holland.

Word has been received in Holland that the Rev. John N. McCormick, son of the late Rev. J. Brian McCormick and grandson of the late Rt. Rev. John N. McCormick, will become rector of St. Timothy's Episcopal church in Houston, Texas, on Jan. 1. The late Bishop McCormick was well known to many persons in Holland, when he was bishop of the diocese of Western Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Omans of Irons, and their granddaughter, Barbara Barry of Newaygo, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Borgman and family of 373 Gordon St.

L. Laverne Serne, who has been stationed at Perrin Air Force base in Sherman, Tex., is spending the holidays with his wife, who is present in staying with her mother, Mrs. B. Laman, 19 East 15th St., and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Serne of 276 East 11th St. Lt. Serne will report at Stoneman, Calif., on Jan. 26 for overseas duty with the 5th Air Force.

**Buffet Supper Given
By Albert Serne Family**

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Serne and Aleatha and Bob Serne entertained at a buffet supper Sunday night at their home, 276 East 11th St.

Guests were Lt. and Mrs. Laverne Serne, Mr. and Mrs. D. De Ridder, Mr. and Mrs. Henry De Ridder and Timmy and Judy of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert De Ridder and Henry, Betty and Alice of Muskegon, Mr. and Mrs. William Serne and Bill, Jim, Tom, Mike and Pat, and Miss Etta Matthews of Lowell.

**Zeeland College Student
Entertains at Holiday Tea**

Miss Sally De Jonge, student at Michigan State college, now home on vacation, entertained at a Christmas tea Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. De Jonge, 322 Michigan St., Zeeland.

A white Christmas tree highlighted the holiday setting. Miss Joyce Dean of Kalamazoo poured and Miss Nancy Winkles of Zeeland served at the punch bowl.

Others present were the Misses Ruth Veele, Marilyn Stryker, Janice Boersma and Myra Brieve, all of Holland, and Misses Barbara Bensinger, Judy Ypma, Dorothy Wyngarden, Alyce De Pree, Ethel Kroodsmma, Maxine Mulder, Irma Derks, Ethel Vande Bunte, Shirley Myaard, Ruth Freeman and Carolyn Bos, all of Zeeland.

**Miss Yeomans Entertains
At Swedish Smorgasbord**

Miss Colombe Yeomans entertained a group of friends at a Swedish smorgasbord Monday evening at her home, 208 West 10th St. Honored guest at the event was Mrs. Ed Boer, a recent bride.

Lovely table decorations featured a Swedish "angelabra" and Swedish Christmas horses with holly. A Swedish cook book was presented as a hostess gift to the guest of honor.

During the evening, Miss Yeomans, who teaches school at Greenville, showed pictures of her trip to Sweden last summer, when she visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Heimburger of Stockholm.

Guests were Mrs. Donn Lindeman, Miss Ellen Baumgras of Lansing, Miss Mary Van Raalte, Mrs. Robert Japiga, Miss Joan Andreesen, Miss Chardy Adler, Miss Irene Vander Woude, Miss Mary Yeomans, Miss Sandra Boeck and Mrs. Boer.

In the United States there are more than 50 species more than 14,000 feet in height.

Owls are able to fly quietly because their wings have soft edges.

Holland In 1917

(Following is the 563rd in the series of weekly articles taken from news of the Holland Daily Sentinel published more than 35 years ago.)

Miss Martha Mills of Zeeland who had charge of one of the grades in the Zeeland Public schools the past year, was successful in winning the women's singles at the annual summer tennis championship tournament of the Kalamazoo Normal school, according to a story appearing in the Aug. 7 issue of the Holland Daily Sentinel published in 1917.

Miss Henrietta Keizer and her friend, Miss Kate Riemersma, both of Paterson, N. J., were guests for a few days of Mrs. F. Tibbe at Graafschap. Miss Keizer is a daughter of the Rev. J. Keizer, who formerly was pastor of Graafschap for a number of years. She has been a teacher in the Christian school at Paterson for several years but now is planning to take a three-year course in a school in Brooklyn to prepare herself for missionary work.

The call to the Sherman Street Christian Reformed church at Grand Rapids has been declined by the Rev. D. R. Drucker of Kalamazoo formerly of Holland.

A farewell reception will be given the Rev. and Mrs. H. V. E. Stegeman tomorrow evening at the Third Reformed church. They will leave soon for the mission field in China.

Hope college has increased its representation in the Orient by another missionary, Miss Dorothy Pieters, who sailed Tuesday from Seattle, Wash.

Joseph Dykstra of Holland, a pensioned U. S. Army officer, has received orders to report for duty in Chicago. Dykstra recently spent two months in Battle Creek in drilling and instructing the American Red Cross ambulance company No. 11.

Holland today is entertaining a famous guest in the person of Capt. Emory Rice of the steamer "Mongolia," which was the first American steamer after war was declared to sink a German submarine. Capt. Rice has been the guest of G. J. Diekema Tuesday and Wednesday. This news story appeared in the Wednesday, Aug. 8 edition.

The government gun boat Wolverine has just left Holland harbor after a short summer's stay. The old craft is generally found in the bay at about this time of the year and last week's stay was more eventful than usual, its crew quickly forming a rescue party when the sailing skiff of Paul Stewart of Chicago containing Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and James and Christian Ten Brink, well-known in Holland, tipped over.

The Rev. Benjamin Hoffman, pastor of Second Reformed church at Zeeland, has declined a call to First Reformed church of Rochester, N.

Pvt. John Slagh of the Marine service returned to Philadelphia Tuesday night after spending a five-day furlough with his family here.

The Prospect Park Christian Reformed church has extended a call to the Rev. Johannes Groen, pastor of Eastern Avenue church at Grand Rapids. The Rev. A. J. Russ, the former pastor, is in charge of the rescue mission station in Chicago.

Miss Genevieve Morgan, daughter of Captain Morgan of the Steamer City of Grand Rapids and friends, Miss Caroline Gaul and Miss Bernice Cornelison of the P. S. I. of Chicago are visiting Miss Mae Bender and other friends in Holland.

The Rev. G. D. Van Peursem, brother of the Rev. John Van Peursem, will leave in a few days for his post in the mission field in Arabia. This will be his second trip to the foreign field. He has spent a year's furlough in America.

Austin Harrington Thursday received an appointment from the District Draft Board in Grand Rapids to be the representative of that board in the second district of Ottawa county, according to a story appearing in the Thursday, Aug. 9, issue. Mr. Harrington will be the go-between between the district board and the drafted men in this district who wish to claim exemptions that must be appealed to the district board.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lokker, 108 East 14th St., a 10 pound boy.

There is now under construction a beautiful tennis court and a bowling alley to be utilized by the citizens of Central Park for recreation purposes.

The Rev. Jean A. Vis and family, who have been spending three weeks with Mrs. Vis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Van Kolken, left Wednesday for their home in Morrison, Ill. They were accompanied by Miss Aurilia Van Kolken of this city and Miss Bertha De Boer of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hacker of 18 West 16th St. last evening gave a farewell reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kammeraad who leave today for Flint to make their future home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blue, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Sandy, Mr. and Mrs. W. Exo, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Plagenhoef, Mr. and Mrs. George Mool, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kammeraad, Mrs. Laura Brown, Robert Shimke, John Hacker and Martin Kammeraad.

Called on Still Alarm

A flooded oil burning space heater called out Holland firemen on a still alarm at 5:30 p.m. Monday to a home at 59 West 18th St. Damage was negligible, firemen reported.

Married at Zeeland Parsonage



Pfc. and Mrs. Don Vanden Bosch (de Vries photo)

Miss Dorothy Mae De Jonge and Pfc. Don Vanden Bosch were united in marriage Friday, Dec. 19, at the parsonage of the Rev. John den Ouden. Rev. den Ouden used the double ring ceremony. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Otto De Jonge of 263 Peck St., Zeeland, and Mr. and Mrs. Cornie Vanden Bosch of route 2, Holland.

Miss Marilyn Windemuller and Corwin Vanden Bosch, brother of the groom, attended the couple. After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

The newlyweds will live at 263 Peck St., Zeeland, after March 19, when Pfc. Vanden Bosch will be discharged from the Army.

British Viewers Like Pageantry in Football

The pageantry of bands, cheerleaders and majorettes apparently interests English viewers more than the actual game of football itself.

At least, that is the impression given by newspaper accounts of the recent European Air Force championship game played Dec. 13 at Wembley stadium in London.

Chet Van Tongeren, now vacationing in Florida, sent to The Sentinel several clippings of the game as covered in the English press. His son, Delwyn, and wife, attended the game, the first football they had seen in two years.

"It made them feel they were back in the good USA," the elder Van Tongeren writes.

In the game itself, Furstenfeldbruck, champion of Germany and Austria, defeated Burtonwood, United Kingdom champion, 26-7.

The writer for the London Express had a tough time understanding what was going on. The sports page streamer read, "Glamorous on the Touchlines, Murder in the Middle, on the Day that the Yanks Take Over Wembley." The next headline read, "81 Men in Pads Play a Match."

"There was a game called football at Wembley Stadium yesterday," the story starts. "I went, I saw—and I wish I understood."

"At moments of crisis—and they were many—bands each side of the pitch played, and counterplayed, and the crowd roared. Roared—they gave out with Red Indian war whoops and demon yells. Sometimes they kept to simple cries of encouragement like: 'Rah-rah-rah.' 'Kill him.' 'To hell with Burtonwood!'"

"And all the time down on the touchline, prancing and dancing and acrobating, were girl cheerleaders."

"And the game itself? Brother, it's murder. There are only 11 men on each team on the field at one time, but unlimited substitutes are allowed."

"Don't get me wrong. These boys are tough. Although they wear crash helmets, plus 16 lb. of protection on shoulders, chest, elbows, hips and knees and they toss each other around like confetti."

"Burtonwood had a particularly rugged left guard called James Simmons from Texas. Whenever I spotted Mr. Simmons he was busy trying to snap some unfortunate as if he were a twig."

"Do I like American football? I admire its red-bloodedness, its high colour and enthusiasm. I like, too, the field officials in their black and white shirts and red and white socks."

"But as a spectacle it cannot compare with the rhythm and flow of British soccer or Rugby. There are far too many stoppages, too. And how I wish I could understand it."

A writer named R. C. Robertson-Glasgow in an other paper tried the more direct approach to describing the action. First, he started with a comparison to English games.

"Imagine, anyhow, a game with little kicking, no dribbling, not much passing and conclusive tackling. But an exciting game, nevertheless, and rendered more so by bands, yell-leaders, drum majorettes and 25 different signals by the referees. All the fun of the fair; and about the only absentee

Crew Cleaning Science Building After Attic Fire

Combustion Believed Cause; Damage Likely Under \$35,000 Estimate

A crew was busily at work Friday cleaning the Science building on Hope college campus, following a fire in the attic workshop of the Little Theater Wednesday noon.

Dr. I. J. Lubbers, college president, said Friday that damage will probably be under the \$35,000 estimate given Wednesday before the fire was brought under control. He said wooden rafters would have to be replaced in the roof of the east end of the building, but the walls and roof did not appear to be damaged to any extent. He said it was particularly hard to estimate damage in such a fire since it cannot be immediately determined whether water damage will necessitate any replastering.

He reiterated that the damage itself is confined to the workshop area of the Little Theater on the fourth floor, aside from smoke and water damage. Some equipment and supplies will have to be replaced in a few classrooms. Such damage is covered by insurance.

Aside from the theater workshop, all classrooms will be ship-shape when college reopens after the Christmas vacation.

Dr. Lubbers said fire started in a costume storage closet in the southeast corner of the building where there is no wiring of any kind. He said spontaneous combustion appears to be the only answer for the origin of the blaze.

One of the most gratifying results of the fire was the way college personnel, faculty, students and Christmas-spirited public citizens joined to clear the "mess" that resulted when the workshop was flooded by four to six inches of dirty water.

Manned with brooms and other equipment, the men swept the water down stairways which cascaded with flowing water all the way to the first floor where it was swept out of the door. Within a short time only minor drips, wet stairs and corridors and smoke odors remained. Special attention was given to the ventilating system which also served as an outlet for water. Without special care, the equipment might rust.

Damage to costumes and equipment of the Little Theater is extensive, but not so irreparable as might be thought, since Hope's drama department deals mainly with experimental drama and the nature of the work is to build new

sets and make costumes for nearly every play. The department will have to start from scratch, but that's only a greater challenge to Palette and Masque, student drama group, Dr. Lubbers said.

Helen Harton, drama coach, whose office also was considerably damaged, was not in Holland at the time of the fire. She was notified by Eleanor De Pree, art instructor, whose department on the west end of the fourth floor was not damaged.

Fire Chief Andrew Klompars said the firemen laid a 2½-inch hose and two 1½-inch hoses to get the water to the fourth floor. The big aerial ladder was first placed at the north side of the building but hastily changed to the south when somebody spotted flames in an upper dormer. The new location pinpointed the fire in the right spot and it wasn't long before it was brought under control. The fire was so hot there that the rubber treads were burned on the ladder. It was the first time in years local firemen had to lay a 2½-inch line.

Several firemen were overcome with smoke. Volunteer Jack Barkel was hit hardest, but he recovered in a few hours.

Pvt. John Du Mez, home on Christmas furlough from a Texas camp, also joined the fire fighters. He was a volunteer fireman before he entered the U. S. Army. He also is a graduate of Hope college and therefore had an opportunity to fight a fire for his Alma Mater.

Holland township fire crew No. 2 (Hart and Cooley) stood by at the local fire station since nearly all the equipment was in use at the campus fire. There were no other alarms during the time.

Dr. Lubbers said college authorities were particularly grateful that the city of Holland had seen fit to provide modern and efficient equipment for the local fire department. "If it hadn't been for the right kind of pumps, ladders and gas masks, loss might easily have hit the half-million mark, or even more," he said.

Chief Klompars said, "That ladder truck we got some years ago has more than paid for itself."

Waverly 4-H Sewing Club Is Entertained

The Waverly 4-H Girls Sewing club held a Christmas party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harold Roach, 155 Highland Ave. Hostesses were Mrs. John Derks and Mrs. Fred Borman, leaders of the group.

Games were played with prizes going to Carol Rozema and Barbara Derks. Refreshments were served.

Others present were Patty Borman, Margaret Fought, Sandra Kragt, Marcia Derks, Wanda Fockler, Rochelle De Vries, Donna De Jonge, Shirley Kruthof and Phyllis Van Nul.

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ARRAIGNED FOR THEFT
GRAND HAVEN (Special) — William A. Chittenden, 34, Spring Lake township, was arraigned Friday before Circuit Court Commissioner James A. Bussard on a charge of breaking and entering in the daytime. He waived examination and will appear before Judge Raymond L. Smith Jan. 12. As he is now on parole, he is being held in county jail without bond. Chittenden is alleged to have taken 45 muskrat furs and a weasel fur from the home of Edward Borchers, Spring Lake township, on Dec. 24.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY
GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Clifford E. Goodman, Grand Haven, has pleaded not guilty before Justice Frederick J. Workman of Spring Lake on a reckless driving charge and has posted \$100 bond for jury trial set for Jan. 8 at 2 p.m. The arrest by state police followed an accident at 7 p.m. Dec. 24 when he drove a 1940 Buick into a car driven by Iver R. Carlson, route 1, Spring Lake, as the Carlson car was waiting for traffic before making a left turn into a driveway. Both cars were considerably damaged.

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ALLEGAN COUNTY PLANS FARMERS' WEEK PROGRAMS
ALLEGAN (Special) — Topics ranging from the hazards of feeding raw garbage to pigs to "capital gains and efficiency in management methods" will fill Allegan county's three-day "Little Farmers' Week" program here Jan. 13-15.
According to County Agent A. D. Morley, experts from Michigan State college, the State Department of Agriculture and local farm offices will be speakers during the crowded three-day schedule.
Each day's program will get underway at 10:30 a.m. in the Griswold Memorial building. 4-H Leaders will serve lunches at noon with proceeds going to the county camp building. Many local agricultural suppliers will provide exhibits in the gymnasium.
Tuesday has been designated Poultry Improvement Day, but livestock raisers will also share in the program. Wednesday is Dairy Day and Thursday Soils and Crops Day. Special programs for women will be conducted on Wednesday and Thursday.
Some of the principal speakers listed by Morley are: Dr. John Groves of the state department of agriculture who will talk on the "health of the poultry flock"; Lawrence Dawson whose talk on "egg quality" has been billed as a "thing special"; and Don Miller, who will discuss "good poultry management." Also on Tuesday, stock men will hear talks by J. A. Hoefler and Graydon Blank of MSC's animal husbandry department.
George Parsons, of the MSC dairy department, will be master of ceremonies on Wednesday. Dr. Glenn Reed, specialist in animal diseases, is one of the main speakers.
New Tillage practices, crop rotation, adopted seed and soil testing will be some of the subjects discussed by James Porter and Layton Nelson, of MSC, and Edward Brandeberry, local soil technician, on Thursday.

ENTHUSIASM SEEN OVER 1953 DODGE
Never in the history of Dodge has there been such public acceptance as for the new 1953 Dodge. S. A. Dagen, president of S. A. Dagen, Inc., says that since the introduction of this outstanding new car it has been discovered that the public sells itself behind the wheel of the new Dodge.
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Dagen adds that the organization deals not only in new Dodge cars and trucks but they also operate a used car lot at 565 Chicago Dr. Here only the finest quality local owned trade-ins are displayed and offered for sale.

DRIVER TICKETED
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