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Van Dyke Resigns As Supervisor of Ottawa County

**Gives Health and Press
Of Business as Reasons;
Frankena Also Retiring**

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Two supervisors announced at the closing session of the Board of Supervisors Wednesday afternoon that they are retiring from the board.

Chairman John Van Dyke, Jr., is resigning for reasons of health and additional time required for his business, and Nicholas Frankena, former Zeeland mayor, announced he would not seek reelection this spring. Van Dyke has been a member for four years and has been chairman the past year. Frankena who will be 80 years old in February has served for 15 years.

Resolutions were adopted expressing commendation and sincere appreciation for services rendered by the two men. It is expected that Roy Lowing of Georgetown, vice chairman of the board, will take over as chairman.

The board by unanimous vote of the 28 members present approved a \$6,000 appropriation for another full-time male employee for the sheriff's department. Martin Boon, chairman of the sheriff's committee, said next year a request will be made for another full-time employee. The program will eventually eliminate all deputies on a free system, although some deputies would remain on call. Sheriff Jerry Vanderbeek explained the proposed program to the supervisors. As for Henry Slaughter's comment the previous day on all \$11,000 "surplus" the sheriff explained that the current budget item of \$25,000 is a lump sum for several services listed separately the previous year. The earlier budget had earmarked a \$14,000 figure for deputy fees.

The board tabled another request of the sheriff to establish a sub-station in Holland-Zeeland area. This request is expected to be considered at a later meeting. Chairman Van Dyke appointed Howard W. Fant of Grand Haven and Lawrence Wade of Holland to study the voting machine situation for Ottawa County. Holland city earlier this week had requested additional voting machines and suggested a county-wide study on needs.

James Townsend of Holland, chairman of the rules and legislation committee, requested that the matter regarding employees not under the retirement system be placed under social security. He said there are many legal questions involved and that any action would be retroactive to Jan. 1.

Clarence Reenders of Grand Haven Township, a director of the West Ottawa Soil Conservation District, to whom was referred the matter of selling 7,000 acres of land in Port Sheldon Township, said he is unable to make a report at this time and suggested the subject be given further consideration at the April session. He said the soil conservation district would hold its annual meeting in February.

The board adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

Junior CE Council Plans Annual Rally

The Holland Junior Christian Endeavor Council met Sunday afternoon in Fourth Reformed Church to make plans for the annual rally, to be held Feb. 6.

The rally will be held in First Reformed Church of Holland, with the Rev. Henry Van Dyke of Fourth Reformed Church as speaker. Special music will be presented.

Election of officers was held, with Miss Adrianna Stokette named president; Mrs. Robert Van Oss, vice president; Miss Nelia De Groot, secretary, and Miss Aleta Van Dyke, treasurer. Miss Agnes Walters of Zeeland, who was president for several years, resigned because Zeeland CE societies are joining other societies from the Zeeland area, which now forms the Zeeland Classis of the Reformed Church.

Capt. Robert LaCaff Weds Miss Bortner

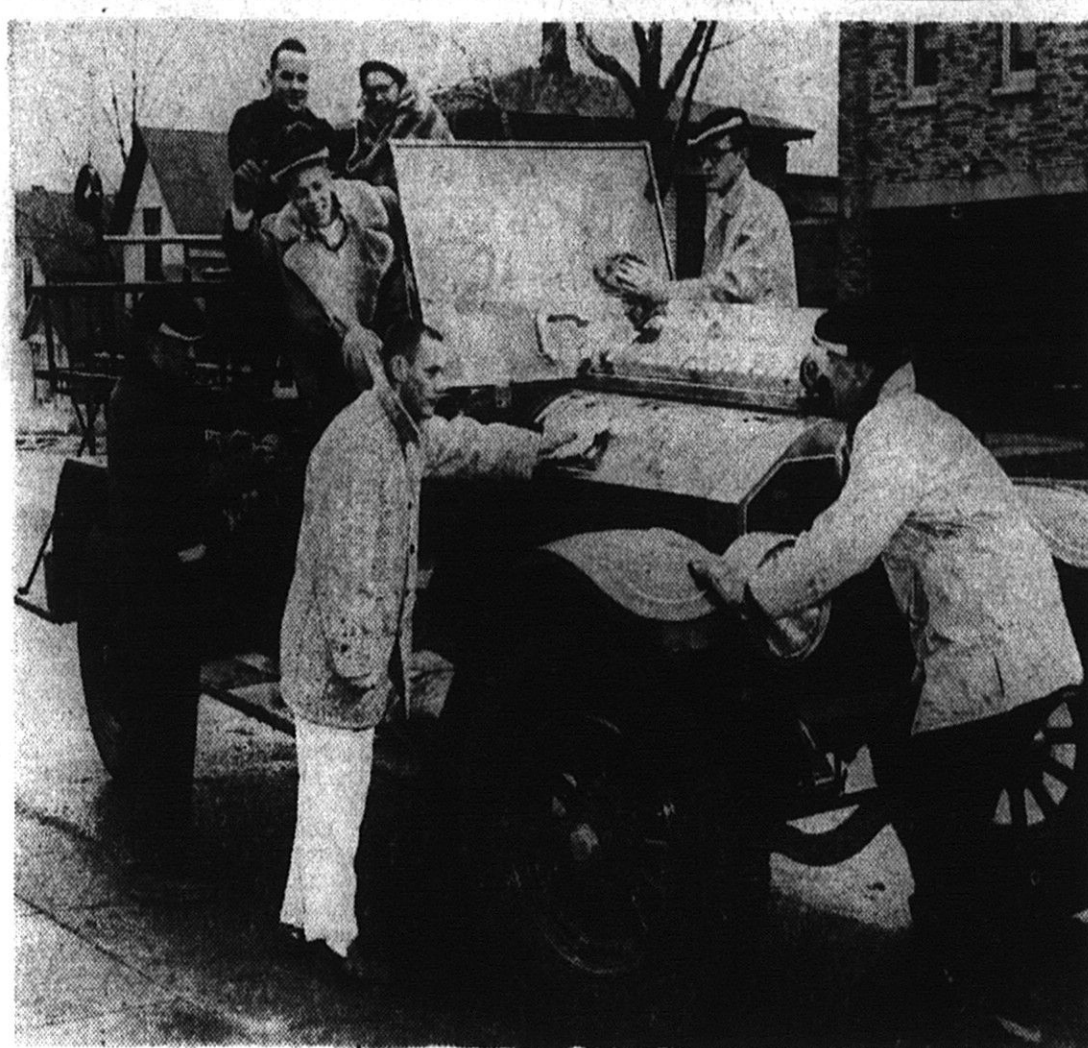
Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Lena Anna May Bortner and Capt. Robert LaCaff, son of Mrs. Leola LaCaff of Phoenix, Ariz., formerly of Holland.

The wedding took place Dec. 19 in St. Matthew's Lutheran Church in York, Pa.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Clair Jacob Bortner of York. She is a graduate of Millersville State Teachers College and has served as hospital librarian, Indianapolis Gap Military Reservation, as Army librarian in Minz, Germany, and base librarian at Andrews Air Force Base, Washington, D. C.

Capt. LaCaff served in Europe with the 10th Armored Division and in Trieste with the Second Armored Division.

After a wedding trip, the couple will live at Fort Knox, Ky., where Capt. LaCaff has been assigned as an instructor.



PLAN TO 'PUMP OUT' HOPE — An early contingent of Calvin College rooters arrived here Wednesday afternoon in a fire truck, formerly belonging to the Holland fire department. The group, who call themselves the Firehouse Five plus One, reported they had a "real cool trip" to Holland. Five of the original buyers of the truck are pictured. They included (left to right) Fred Andre, senior from Quebec, Canada; Gib Vanderaa, Chicago junior; Vern Edwards, (driver) Holland junior; Al Koops, Cawker City, Kansas; and Ron Roelofs, Grand Rapids.

The sixth buyer, Bill Van Whee, of Lansing is in the Army. Riding on the back of the truck are Jerry Pals of Chicago and Lee Kickert of Oak Park. The truck was kept in Holland overnight at an "undisclosed" hiding place but according to reports several Hope students found the truck and let the air out of the tires. Hope and Calvin will meet tonight in basketball at the Civic Center. A sellout crowd will witness the game.

(Sentinel photo)

Lions Announce Sport Show Plans

An inside picture of the Lions International Convention held last summer in New York, was presented in a film shown Tuesday noon at the regular meeting of the Lions Club at the Warm Friend Tavern. The film shown by Al Drost and Austin Buchanan also showed many spots of interest in New York City.

Henry Vander Ploeg and Russell Vander Ploeg described work of the coming polo drive and asked the support of all Lion members.

Henry Ter Haar and Peter Elzinga gave a progress report on the coming Sport Show which the Lions are sponsoring March 28 through April 2 at the Civic Center.

Guests attending were Erwin De Vree, John Van Appledorn, Roy Heasley and Louis Brooks. The Rev. E. Van Pernis conducted devotions and Bernard Shashaguy, president, was in charge of the business session.

R. O. Dewerd and Don Rynga were named co-chairmen of the Sport Show. Committees appointed include Exhibitors—Dewerd, chairman; Bud Baker, Win Roser, Don Rynga, C. N. Bouman, Carl Harrington, Dale Voss, H. Vander Ploeg, C. Hunt, T. Malwitz, D. Liewse, W. Milewski, Al Knipe and R. Cooper.

Advertising—Joe St. John, chairman, Ade Klaassen, Herm Bos, Fred Vischer, Ken Peirce and Herman Medema; tickets—Rudy Mattson, chairman, Russ Vander Ploeg, Neil Van Leeuwen, Stanley Boen, William Scott, George Stevens; Lion exhibit, C. Verburg and committee; entertainment—Al Drost, chairman, Bill Oonk, Harvey De Vries, John Vinkemulder, Austin Buchanan and John Swierenga.

Scheduling—Neil Wiersma chairman, Ray Dangremont, John Du Mez; auditing—Fred Lindley, chairman, Gerrit Lemmen, Bill Hamlin; prizes—Ernie Post, chairman, Melvin E. Kail, Edward Tuma, James Draper; booths and grounds—Peter Elzinga, chairman, Harvey Barkel, Ernie Bee, Emil Heinrichs, Simon Steketee, William Valkema, C. Brewer.

Operator's Licenses Revoked at Hearings

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Operator's licenses of two Holland drivers were revoked at hearings this morning before a representative of the Secretary of State's office in sheriff's headquarters.

Licenses were revoked for Charles J. Brower, 19, of 170 West Ninth St., and for Gordon Lee Boer, 16, of 64 West 18th St., the latter for violation of minor license restriction.

A 30-day suspension was slated for Charles R. Hitman, 20, of 1616 Franklin St., Grand Haven. Theodore L. Chambers, 28, Grand Rapids, failed to appear and his license was suspended indefinitely.

Mrs. Halverson Speaks To Maplewood Women

Seventy-five women attended the first meeting of 1955 of Maplewood Missionary Society Tuesday evening at the church.

Mrs. A. Rynbrandt presided and Mrs. Henry Schaap led devotions. Speaker was Mrs. E. Halverson, missionary to Brazil, who told of her work and showed pictures. Mrs. A. Baker gave the closing prayer.

Hostesses were Mesdames T. Everse, E. Grote, B. Coster and B. Eversen.

Area Residents Realize It's January -- And How

Winter weather today replaced the mild temperatures of the last few days as heavy snows and a drop in the mercury remind Holland residents that this is January.

More heavy snow is expected tonight with a low of 10 above. Friday won't be any better and the outlook for Saturday is continued snow flurries and little change in temperature.

Elsewhere in the state snow was also falling and some portions of Michigan will have temperatures as low as 10-below by late tonight. The Automobile Club of Michigan reported all roads were snow covered and slippery except for roads in the Detroit and Flint-Bay City areas, which were slippery in spots.

The snow and ice were listed as a contribution factors to fatal accidents which claimed five lives in the state during the past 24 hours. Four other accidents involving no injuries were recorded in the Holland area.

Killed in outstate accidents were Joyce Helwig, 18, Livonia; Mrs. Dorothy Dellow, 34, Detroit; Joan M. Smith, 5, Grand Rapids; T. E. Crook, 78, Flint and Mrs. Jesse MacArthur, 80, Bay City.

Three of the four local area accidents were reported within a period of three hours Wednesday night, all on portions of M-21 east of Holland.

The first accident occurred at 5 p.m., one mile east of Holland when a car driven by Euen McCurry, 36, of 49 West Ninth St., skidded on snow covered M-21 in front of a car operated by Ronald Cleary, 18, Watervliet.

Ottawa County deputies said both the Cleary '30 model car and the McCurry '31 model car were total losses. McCurry was issued a ticket for driving without an operator's license.

The second mishap at 6:20 p.m. two miles west of Zeeland on M-21 involved cars driven by Edna Klunder, 50, of 1091 East Central Ave., Zeeland, and Ronald Buter, 17, route 3.

Deputies said Mrs. Klunder's car skidded and hit the Buter car. They estimated damage at \$300 to Miss Klunder's '50 model car and figured damage to Buter's '39 model was in excess of its value.

Less than three hours later shortly after 8 p.m. at 12th Ave. and M-21 east of Hudsonville a car driven by Margaret Pugh, 21, Grandville, and a truck operated by Donald Zandberger, 20, Grandville, collided.

Deputies said Mrs. Pugh's car skidded into the path of the truck where it was struck broadside knocking both vehicles into a ditch. The '47 model car received damage estimated at \$500 and the truck \$100 damages, deputies said.

Shortly before 7 a.m. today cars driven by Sherwin Terpstra, 21, of 12741 Tyler Rd. and Andrew Dykema, 68, of 51 East 19th St., collided at Eighth St. and College Ave. Police said damage to the two vehicles was estimated at \$300.

First Jury Case Jan. 19

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The first jury case for Ottawa Circuit Court in its January session is scheduled for Wednesday, Jan. 19, at 2:30 p.m. At this time the matter of determining whether Russell Van Koevoert, who was convicted by a Circuit Court jury last October of gross indecency, is a sexual psychopath.

Supervisors Hear Several Reports

ALLEGAN (Special) — The Board of Supervisors adjourned Wednesday morning after hearing annual reports from the probate and juvenile courts and from the Bureau of Social Aid.

Probate Judge Harold Weston, in his annual report, cited the fact his court was handling an ever increasing amount of work with the same staff. He said probate court business had increased 29 percent in the past five years. The handling of estates is still the largest item of business, with 201 new estates entered for probate in 1954. Average value of the estate was \$10,000.

The juvenile court load has doubled in the past 20 years, he said. In 1954 the court had 122 children under supervision, including 58 listed as delinquent, 31 as dependent or neglected and 80 under the unofficial supervision of the court.

The Bureau of Social Aid which handles old age assistance, aid for dependent children, the blind and otherwise disabled, reported a total case load of 1,116 for the past year.

Mrs. Kleinheksel Dies Unexpectedly

Mrs. Frank D. Kleinheksel, 62, of 747 South Shore Dr., died unexpectedly early Wednesday afternoon after a lingering illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Kleinheksel returned to Holland about three years ago from Flint where they lived about 30 years. Mrs. Kleinheksel, the former Della Ossewaarde, was born in Zeeland. She was a graduate of Chicago University and taught school several years before her marriage.

Surviving are the husband; a son, John of Zeeland; a daughter, Mrs. Robert Cagle of Hollywood, Calif.; three grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Ernest Schwind of Upper Montclair, N.J.

Six Allegan Residents Ask for Citizenship

ALLEGAN (Special) — Six Allegan county residents, including a husband and wife and a mother and two daughters, have filed petitions for final citizenship papers, according to County Clerk Esther Hettinger.

All are natives of the Netherlands. They are Bart DeJong and his wife Hilda, of route 1, Hamilton; Mrs. Grace Rozema and her daughters Gertrude and Clara, route 1, East Saugatuck; and Jane Diane Baker, route 6, Holland.

Answers Old Count

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Roy D. Herron, 30, of 682 Saunders St., Holland, was brought into Municipal Court today on a warrant charging him with speeding. Herron had received the summons last Nov. 25 and failed to respond. He was sentenced to pay \$12 fine and \$8.90 costs or serve three days in the county jail. He was attempting to raise the fine.

Session Planned For Horizonettes

All Horizonette Girls of Holland will meet at the Civic Center Monday evening for a "condensed" charm school session, to be presented by Mrs. Ed Glerum of Holland.

Mrs. Glerum, who has professionally conducted charm schools for teenage girls in large department stores, will present a resume of charm tips in her presentation, entitled "A Lovelier More Gracious You."

Presently on a leave of absence from Wanamaker's in Philadelphia, Mrs. Glerum, a South Shore Dr. resident, has conducted weekly charm classes in Grand Rapids, Toledo, Ohio and Philadelphia.

The meeting Monday evening will begin at 7 p.m. The Horizonettes are ninth grade girls of the Camp Fire Girls organization.

Kleinheksel Rites Scheduled Friday

Funeral services have been completed for Mrs. Frank D. Kleinheksel, 62, of 747 South Shore Dr., who died unexpectedly early Wednesday morning. A post mortem revealed carbon monoxide poisoning.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday from Hope Church with Dr. David E. Molyneux of First Presbyterian Church of Flint and Dr. Marion de Velder of Hope Church officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim cemetery. Friends may call at Dykstra funeral home tonight from 7 to 9 p.m.

Before moving with her husband to Holland three years ago from Flint, Mrs. Kleinheksel was particularly active in civic affairs in Flint. She was president from 1944 to 1946 of the Child Welfare Society which operates a children's home in Flint, and served on the board of directors of the society for many years.

She became a troop leader of the Girl Scouts in 1937 when her daughter was a Girl Scout and later served on various committees, chiefly the finance committee. She was treasurer of the Genesee Girl Scout Council in 1939 and 1940 and served as finance chairman in 1950. She was first vice president of the Council in 1943.

Mrs. Kleinheksel served at least seven years as a director of the Flint Community Chest and served on the chest budget committee which approves allocations for more than 20 agencies. She also did volunteer work for the Red Cross and was active in the work of First Presbyterian Church.

Mother, Child Saved From Lake

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A Grand Haven mother and her four-year-old son were both rescued early Wednesday morning from Spring Lake after the mother had jumped into the water to save the child.

Mrs. William Mastenbrook, Sr., 106 Maple Terrace and her son, William, were pulled from the water by Lester Britton and Robert Cernoch, carpenters who were working on a nearby house. The child had fallen from a dock at the Bauman Chris-Craft Co., located near the Mastenbrook home.

State police rushed the child, who had been floating in the water, to Municipal Hospital where hospital authorities reported the lad was "all right." Mrs. Mastenbrook was reported in "good" condition. Spring Lake police chief Richard Livingston assisted state police.

William Mastenbrook, Sr., is father of the child.

Plans Are Announced For Girls Activities

Plans for a weekly program of activities for girls of ages 10 through 14 have been announced by Gilbert Van Wyne, director of Youth for Christ activities.

On Saturday all girls between these ages in Holland and vicinity are invited to the club house, 50 West Ninth St. for games, handcraft and other activities. The two-hour sessions held every Saturday afternoon will be directed by Miss Diane Vicha and Miss Florence Parker, both students at Hope College.

A program for boys of the same age bracket has been set up at the club house for Tuesday and Thursday nights.

Circuit Court Awards Two Divorce Decrees

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The following divorce decrees were granted in Ottawa Circuit Court Monday afternoon.

Mabel A. Alexander was awarded a decree from Robert H. Alexander, both of Grand Haven. There were no children and plaintiff was restored her maiden name of Mabel A. Fluette.

Joan Thumler was awarded a decree from Henry Thumler, both of Ferrysburg. As there are no children, Mrs. Thumler was restored her former name of Joan Burch.

New Supervisors Seated at Allegan Meeting Monday

**Proposal to Build
County Hospital
Inside City Studied**

ALLEGAN (Special) — Four new supervisors were seated Monday as the Allegan county board convened for its January session.

One of the new men was an additional representative for Otsego which, by virtue of a special census taken last year, is now entitled to four board members. This brings the total on the board to 34.

Otsego's new representative is Charles Barton, long active in civic and Republican party affairs.

Other newcomers to the board are: Greg Nulty, Otsego realtor, who replaced Albert Lindsey, recently resigned.

Ralph Cook, appointed by the Plainwell city commission to serve during the January and April terms in the absence of D. O. Brown who is spending the winter in Florida.

David Harrison, also named by the Plainwell commission, who replaces Albert Warnamont.

Prosecutor Dwight Cheever was asked by the board to rule on the Plainwell appointments and he stated the city commission was acting within the rules set up in its charter.

The board's welfare and finance committee are studying three separate communications regarding the proposal to build a new county hospital within the Allegan city limits.

Letters from State Marshall Arnold C. Renner and the state welfare board pointed out similar defects in the present county infirmary and hospital. Cited were cases of bed patients housed on the second floor, overcrowded conditions, unmarked exits, lack of a second stairway for women patients at the infirmary and a sagging floor in the hospital. The state board also pointed out that the county could expect an ever increasing number of elderly patients to care for in the future.

A third letter, from the county welfare board, asked supervisors to consider an option for approximately four acres of land in the neighborhood of Allegan Health Center given the board by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Montague. The land is located between new M-40 and the Tenney Creek Ravine and is being offered as a site for the hospital for \$4,000. Mr. and Mrs. Montague have also ordered to dedicate an adjoining plot of ground as public park if the land is used for the hospital.

Two firms of architects already have offered their services in connection with construction of the new county court house, funds for which were authorized by voters at the November election. Stanpert, Pratt, Bulthuis and Spray, of Kalamazoo, and Lewis J. Sarviz, Battle Creek, sent representatives to Monday's session and a member of the Louis Kingscott and Associates firm, Kalamazoo, is expected to appear before the board today.

Other communications sent to committee Monday were requests from Friend of the Court Jesse Runkel for a new typewriter for his office and from Sheriff Walter Runkel for a new stove for the kitchen in the county jail.

State Representative Ben E. Lohman spoke on legislation which is being proposed for the current session of the legislature.

Four Await Arraignment On Burglary Charges

ALLEGAN (Special) — Four Allegan county men are awaiting circuit court arraignment on breaking and entering charges which grew from a series of thefts in the northeast section of the county.

The group includes Cleon E. Martin, 21, of Wayland, Theron Martin, 17, of Martin, Robert W. Caywood, 17, and Theodore L. McLaughlin, 20, both of route 1, Hopkins.

The four men appeared in municipal court Monday, waived examination and were released on \$200 bonds pending their appearance in circuit court.

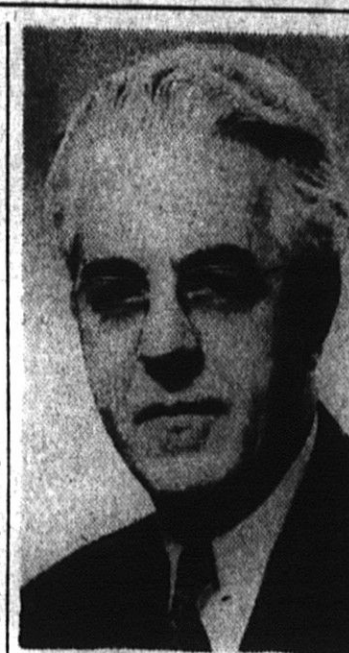
The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Overton on Miner Lake, was among the places which the men are charged with breaking into.

Permit Sought for Laying Phone Cable Across Lake

Michigan Bell Telephone Co. has made application for a Department of the Army permit to place a submarine telephone cable across Lake Macatawa from West End Dr., Central Park, to the east property line of Waukazoo Inn.

Any person or persons having objections to the work from the standpoint of navigation are invited to file a written statement with the district engineer, Corps of Engineers, 428 Federal Building, Milwaukee 1, Wis., not later than Jan. 24.

Plans call for laying the cable at least 10 feet below the lake bottom.



SIMON D. DEN UYL

Industrialist Will Visit City Jan. 20

Simon D. Den Uyl, Detroit industrialist who is a native of Holland, will address students of Western Theological Seminary, Hope College and the high school Jan. 20 as the second of a series of programs set up by the education committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

The former local man, who maintains a summer home at Macatawa Park, will meet informally with college faculty members at a coffee kletz in the morning. At 11 a.m. he will address the student bodies of the college and seminary in Hope Memorial Chapel. At noon he will address the Rotary Club. In the afternoon he will meet senior classes in government and economics at the high school. Plans for the evening have not been completed.

Den Uyl was born in Holland April 21, 1896, was educated in the public schools and attended Hope College. During World War I, he saw service as an infantry officer with the 37th Infantry overseas. After his discharge, he became affiliated with what was then the Charles B. Bohn Foundry Co. in Detroit as a clerk in the accounting department. The company became Bohn Aluminum and Brass Corp. in 1942 and he progressed through the ranks, holding the titles of secretary and treasurer, and was elected president in 1949.

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New Elementary School Is Named For Jefferson

**Board of Education
Also Considers Names
Of Holland Persons**

Jefferson School, named for Thomas Jefferson, third president of the United States, is the name of the new fifth elementary school now under construction, the Board of Education decided Monday night.

Action was taken following recommendation by the schools committee consisting of Mrs. Kenneth De Pree, chairman, Wendell A. Miles and Mrs. John K. Winter. In its recommendation, the committee preferred an historical name following the pattern set in the other four elementary schools, and agreed it might be more appropriate to consider names of local people for a secondary school since no pattern has been laid for these.

The committee pointed out that Thomas Jefferson, writer of the Declaration of Independence, is also known as the father of American democracy. Jefferson was interested in education, having worked for free schools although that idea did not materialize during his time.

Many communications were received suggesting other names for the school and much consideration was given to the names of E.E. Fell, former superintendent of schools, and Carolyn Hawes, former elementary supervisor and principal of Washington School.

Board vote on selecting the name of Jefferson was decisive but not unanimous.

Since there has been considerable progress in constructing the new school, the schools committee was authorized to plan cornerstone laying ceremonies to be held about a month hence.

The board approved another recommendation of the schools committee eliminating presentation of awards at the high school commencement exercises and including names of all senior awards in a larger booklet. It was suggested that amounts of money prizes be omitted since the honor is the main incentive.

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Court Decision On Property Tax Explained Here

Assessor Koop Relates 'Pittsfield Case' to Situation in Holland

City Assessor William Koop, in cooperation with City Manager Herb Holt, has prepared a statement explaining the Supreme Court decision on property tax. Copies of the statement were distributed among members of City Council this week.

The Supreme Court decision, Koop said, specifically deals with the administration of property tax for the Pittsfield school district No. 9 in Washtenaw county. This decision, captioned "The Pittsfield Case," has received wide publicity and has become a matter of grave concern among taxpayers and taxing authorities.

In deciding the Pittsfield case, the Supreme Court was faced with basic issues: (1) Can the county board of supervisors change apportionments made by the county tax allocation commission? (2) Who is to have the final say in determining what assessed valuation should be?

The court ruled that a county board of supervisors has no statutory authority to revise apportionments made by a county tax allocation board, and on the latter question the court said, "Obviously property may not, for purposes of taxation, have two or more 'true cash values.' Under our present system the final authority for determining such value is the state board of equalization. It is the broad and long term implication of this latter finding by the Supreme Court that is causing concern. As an aid to understanding the Pittsfield case, it is related to the local situation as follows:

In Ottawa County, only two political subdivisions assess property and collect current property taxes. These are the cities and townships. There are other political subdivisions which have the authority to levy property taxes in Ottawa County and these are the state of Michigan, the county board of supervisors and the various school districts in the county. These divisions have the power to levy property taxes but do not collect them. Rather, they certify their levies to the cities or townships for collection.

In Ottawa County, the assessed value of all taxable property is determined originally either by the city assessors of Grand Haven, Holland and Zeeland or by a township assessor in the person of the township supervisor. There are 17 townships in this county.

Each city assessor and township supervisor is responsible for the assessment in his area subject only to state and local law. The state constitution and the state law apparently require that all property be assessed at true cash value. In the Pittsfield case, the Supreme Court points out that "this state is committed to the basic principles of uniformity and the assessment of property at its true cash value."

A standard interpretation of "true cash value," however, has never been developed. Each assessor may use a different interpretation of true cash value with the result that the assessed values between cities and townships may appear to be unequal. Each assessor, however, attempts to keep the values of property within his assessment district on an equal basis so that the property tax within his district is distributed equitably among all taxpayers in the city or township.

A lower level of assessment is sometimes considered more realistic in the long run since it is less vulnerable to periods of economic fluctuation and rising and declining price levels.

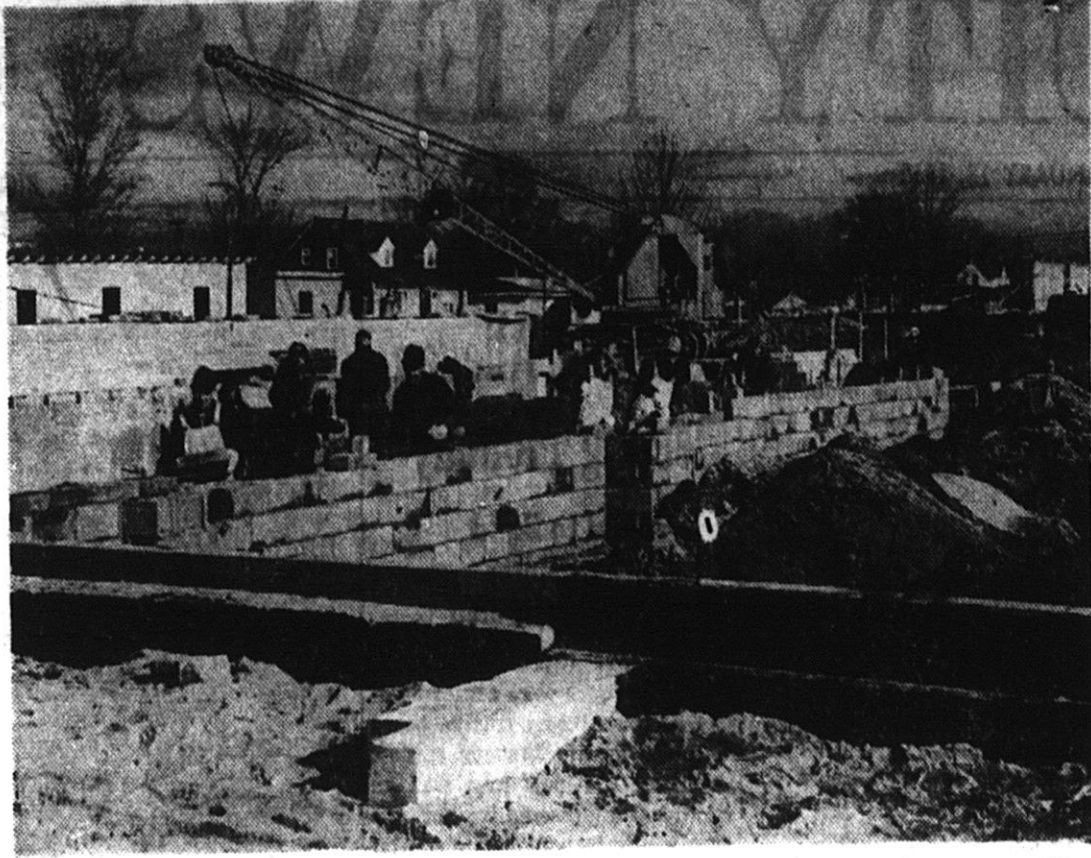
The real question arises on the county and school district level when property tax is levied over more than one assessing district, and the county board of equalization strives for parity among the various assessing districts. This board, appointed by chairman of the county board of supervisors, equalizes the values as determined by the 20 assessors. It proceeds as follows:

In 1947, the state tax commission conducted a spot check in each of the 20 assessing districts in the county and determined a so-called true cash value for each city and township in Ottawa County. The state tax commission then equalized Ottawa County at 80 per cent of its true cash value for 1947. Since 1947, the county board of equalization has continued to use the 80 per cent formula and the work is mostly confined to keeping the 80 per cent formula up-to-date.

This is done as follows: when each local assessor submits his assessment roll to the county board of equalization, he also submits a report listing separately all additions, deletions and adjustments in relation to the previous year's roll. With this information, the county board of equalization can then arrive at a current equalized assessment roll.

The state, however, has periodically raised its assessment for Ottawa County above the base it established in 1947. The state board is made up of all members of the state tax commission plus the governor.

In 1947, Holland's local assessed valuation was \$17,429,180; county equalized value, \$28,478,503; state equalized value, \$28,478,503. In 1954, local valuation was \$23,765,200; county equalized, \$31,154,368; state equalized, \$41,514,101. In 1947, the ratio of Holland's assessed valuation was 61.2



CONSTRUCTION WORKERS have a good start on Holland's new fifth elementary school which is being built at 30th St. and Van Raaie Ave. To date, temporary weather protections have enabled masonry work to continue in all weather

except rain. All masonry and concrete walls below grade are now completed together with all underground plumbing items.

(Sentinel photo)

New Elementary School Name Being Considered

per cent of both county and state equalized valuations. But in 1954, the ratio of local to county equalized was 76.3 percent and the ratio of local to state equalized was 57.3 percent.

Many have assumed that the basic purpose of the state equalizing authority was to equalize assessment between the various counties for the purpose of allocating the state property tax. Since the state no longer levies a property tax, this basic function has become incidental. The state equalized value has a use when considered as weighing factor in distributing various forms of state aid to local units such as school aid.

But the state has gone further in the Pittsfield case. "...we think it must be said that it (state equalizing authority) was intended to carry out the provisions relating to uniformity of taxation and to assessment at true cash value by providing a method through and by which such result may be accomplished."

It would appear that the Supreme Court has thus given its blessing for the State Board of Assessors to assume a more active role in the determination of the level of assessments throughout the state. This raises a policy question of local control as against state control over assessments and in turn over property tax administration.

With the advent of the 15-mill tax rate limitation in 1932, the county tax allocating function came into being and its powers and functions are significant. Composed of seven members as stipulated by state law, the county tax allocation commission has the duty of allocating the allowable 15 mills between the county, the townships and the school districts. Cities operating under a home rule charter which contains a rate limitation are not bound by the 15 mills. Since the city of Holland and the Holland public school system consist of identical territory, there is no township involved. Consequently from the local viewpoint, the 15 mills are allocated between the Holland city public schools and Ottawa County.

One of the duties of the tax allocation commission is to insure compliance with mill limitations as between Ottawa County and Holland schools. If the combined requests of these two agencies are within the 15-mill limitation, the tax allocation commission cannot deny the requests. To determine if the requests for property tax money are within the 15-mill limitation, the tax allocation commission must have reference to an assessed valuation. The practice for the past three years has been to use the county equalized assessed valuation. If combined requests are above the 15 mills, the tax allocation commission has the power to adjust each request sufficiently by examining needs to bring the combined total within the limits. The practice in Ottawa County has been to allocate from 4 to 4 1/2 mills to the county and from 10 to 10 1/2 mills to the Holland schools.

Another factor concerning the authority of the tax allocation commission is that it has no jurisdiction over any millage in addition to the 15 mills which may have been authorized by a vote of the people. The voters in Holland have authorized 4.75 additional millage for school debt service, for example, over which the tax allocation commission has no jurisdiction.

It would seem that as a result of the Pittsfield case, the county tax allocation commission must use the higher state equalized value rather than the county equalized value in determining compliance with the 15-mill limitation. As long as the combined operating requests of Ottawa County and the Holland public school stay below the 15-mill limitation as computed against the state equalized value, the tax allocation commission must approve the request. The apportionments of the county tax allocation commission cannot be altered by the county board of supervisors.

The question of school debt service also is involved. The 4.75 mills was authorized by the voters

What will we call Holland's new fifth elementary school?

With all masonry and concrete walls below grade completed and a good start on some walls, the building is beginning to take shape and the laying of a cornerstone will be a consideration in the near future.

Ever since a fifth school was proposed a few years back, there have been several suggestions for names but no real drive or pressure for any particular name.

On Friday, Principal Esther Kooyers of Longfellow school asked two sixth grade groups to write a paragraph, indicating a name for the new school. There seemed to be no unanimity of opinion but several provided first clues when they asked how to spell "Eisenhower."

When suggestions were finally tabulated, there were several duplications but nothing conclusive. Suggested names were Hans Christian Andersen, E. E. Fell, Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Jefferson, Wildwood, Southwood, Sam Rayburn, James Garfield, Dwight D. Eisenhower, Thomas Edison, George Washington Carver, Roosevelt, Ulysses S. Grant, Carl Shadewelt, John Adams, Walt Whitman, Shakespeare, James Madison, Herbert Hoover, Hans Brinker, and Park.

The schools committee of the Board of Education has been considering names for several months and presented suggestions at the monthly meeting of the board Monday night. The committee has agreed to date that the building should be named since other elementary buildings in the city have names, and decided the name should be chosen by the board.

The committee feels that a school building will be in use for perhaps 50 years and if the building is to be named for a person, the name must be chosen wisely and with careful thought by a responsible, interested and far-sighted group of civic minded citizens who know the community. The committee is basing its consideration on the following points:

1. A person who has made a valuable contribution to the world, nation or community.
2. A person who is respected and revered by all.
3. A person who has had high standards and lived up to them.
4. A person whose name inspires high ideals and ambitions.
5. A person whose name will mean something to the generation 50 years from now.
6. A person whose name will mean something to people moving into the community as well as to visitors.

and its collection is assumed to be mandatory. If the 4.75 mills is computed against the higher state equalized value rather than county equalized value, it results in a much larger tax collection.

The impact of the Pittsfield case can be realized by tracing what would have happened if state equalized value had been used last year. Using the county equalized figures, taxes raised in Holland for city and school functions and for county tax total \$1,012,431. If state figures had been used, the total would be \$1,318,035.76.

The Pittsfield case as it applies to Holland increases immediate taxing power of the Holland Public Schools and Ottawa County. Whether this power is exercised fully will be determined by the governing bodies of those two agencies. The Pittsfield case may force unnecessary taxation in regard to school debt service. The Pittsfield case, because of the emphasis placed on the importance of uniform assessments at true cash value, may influence the local level of assessments.

Several Drivers Get Suspensions

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Several drivers appeared for re-examination before a representative of the Secretary of State's department Thursday in the sheriff's office. They had been cited because of driving records.

Marvin D. Van Dyke, 17, route 6, Holland, was given a 60-day suspension.

Wayne A. Kool, 17, of 1006 Madison St., Grand Haven, received a 30-day suspension.

August R. Swanson, 19, route 2, Spring Lake, was given a suspension of 90 days.

Arthur H. Modderman, 16, route 2, Marne, had his license suspended until April 1, 1955, in concurrence with the juvenile court.

Ronald D. Sampson, 18, of 124 West 14th St., Holland, Donald E. Schrotenboer, 18, route 6, Holland, and Melvin L. De Young, 18, of 234 Spring St., Spring Lake, were each given six months' probation.

James R. Bervald, 18, of 540 540 Woodlawn Ave., Grand Haven, failed to appear and received an indefinite suspension.

Henry Sterk, 19, route 1, Jenison, was placed on a restricted license.

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Fines Paid in Zeeland Court

ZEELAND (Special) — Paying speeding fines in the Justice Court of Judge H. C. Dickman recently were Mrs. Janet Christensen, 39, of 26 Lindy St., Zeeland, \$15.30; Roy Clare Markey, 19, South Haven, \$17.90; Robert A. Ploegstra, 19, Rudyard, speeding and failure to stop for a through highway, \$18.90.

Others were Cornelius Diekema, 29, Grand Rapids, \$15.30; Allen Poest 23, of 537 Plasmann, Holland, \$22.30; Elmer J. Atman, 39, of 256 South 120th, Holland, \$15.30; Bud Brinks, 42, route 2, Zeeland, \$15.30; Edsel Bossard, 46, route 3, Holland, speeding and no taillights, \$20.30.

Also paying fines were Marcial Hernandez, 17, Grand Rapids, reckless driving, \$54.30; John Verdon, 24, Grand Rapids, improper parking on a highway causing a personal damage accident, \$16.30; Dale Schutt, 22, route 1, Hudsonville, disobeying a traffic signal, \$11.30; the Rev. John J. Kenbeck, 55, Drenthe, interfering with pedestrian traffic and wrong address on operator's license, \$4.

James F. Johnson, 32, Grand Rapids, excessive speed for road conditions, causing a personal damage accident, \$16.30; Dick Elenbaas, 60, route 2, Zeeland, no operator's license on person, \$5; William Berghorst, 70, of 41 Garfield, Zeeland, disobeying a stop sign causing a personal damage accident, \$16.30; Mrs. Cecil Ver Boek, 27, 1835 Paw Paw Dr., Holland, driving without due caution in a school zone, \$14.30.

Others are Darle D. Meinert, 19, Hudsonville, careless driving, \$18.30; John William Clift, 38, Wayne, passing on a curve, \$16.30; Leopoldo Martinez, 11 Division St., Holland, reckless driving, \$54.30 and 10 days jail, or 30 days in jail. Defendant was unable to pay the fine of costs.

Albert Alberda, 17, Grand Rapids, failure to have car under control causing a personal damage accident, \$16.30; Bobbie Kellar, 20, route 3, Zeeland, operating a motor vehicle with defective brakes and lights, speeding and a personal accident, \$49.00 costs and 10 days in jail. The defendant had two previous convictions for traffic violations in the last three months.

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Dog Notes

by Peter Boggs
Opium Hounds

For many years throughout the world dogs have helped the police carry out their duties. Perhaps you are familiar with the bloodhounds attached to many of the police departments in this country.

Your local police station may not have a pair of these dogs hanging around the station house but I am almost sure a nearby penitentiary will either have some on hand or have easy access to them. In Europe almost every police department has one or more dogs attached to its station and such practice is growing yearly in this country.

Now from Hong Kong comes the latest in dog assistance to a police department. Customs officials of the British crown colony have trained dogs to follow the scent of opium.

A mongrel breed of hunting dogs were first trained in this work and now the descendants of the first dogs are known locally as "opium hounds" and act as special narcotics agents.

Daily the animals are taken about the docks of the city and through railway cars to sniff out smugglers. So sensitive are their noses to the odor of opium that in spite of runners attempting to wrap opium in bundles of material with a strong odor other than opium to confuse the dogs, it is said that to date few if any have been able to pass by the opium hounds' noses without being detected.

Continuing our hints on the care and feeding of pups in answer to the many letters coming in from those who received pups at Christmas time: All pups must have a place to sleep, so select a place in the house where they will not be isolated and where you can be with him as much as possible. The place should be well ventilated light, dry and warm. A low wooden box with a washable blanket or rug will serve as his bed. Avoid pillows and unnecessary padding because they often develop as breeding places for fleas do not breed on the puppy.

A pup should get lots of rest. Carrying him around and continually playing with a young dog will do him more harm than good. Many a puppy is literally killed by kindness. Children think the little fellow should be fed at all hours of the day, or that he should be given a bath once a day, or that he must be played with from the time they get up in the morning until they go to bed at night. And often the older members of the family think it is their duty to take up where the children left off.

Feed a puppy six or seven weeks of age four times a day. Give him plenty of opportunity to sleep and rest. Never give a young dog a bath. Many a valuable animal has caught cold and died because his owner started bathing him when he was only two or three months of age. If you use common sense in caring for a pup he will grow up to be a healthy and valuable animal.

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Benton Harbor Moves Over Dutch By 79-64 Score

Superior backboard play gave unbeaten Benton Harbor Tigers a 79-64 win over the steadily improving Holland High Dutch here Friday night before 1,300 at the Civic Center. The Tigers, with agile Jim Reynolds and husky Don Arend rebounding off both boards, gave the local fans a look at a possible strong contender for state honors.

This duo retrieved the ball often enough to give the Tigers 95 pecks at the hoop. The winners made 35 of the attempts for 37 percent. The Dutch were only a shade behind with 36 percent from the floor, sinking 22 baskets in 61 tries.

Reynolds, equally adept with either hand, sank 30 points, including 12 field goals and six out of seven free throws. This same athlete was a thorn to the Holland football team, scoring three times, twice in the last minute on pass catches.

Holland, "looking better than any other time this season," started with a bang and led at the end of the first quarter 19-14. During the period the Dutch displayed good passing ability and fine teamwork.

In the second quarter the Tigers took over and drilled 11 straight points before Holland scored. Reynolds tallied eight of the points. The 6'1" Negro, Arend, and Wheeler teamed up and pushed the Tigers to a 33-21 lead at the quarter's midway point. Holland picked up two points on the leaders in the waning seconds and Benton Harbor led at halftime 43-33. The Tigers scored 29 points in the quarter.

The Dutch narrowed the lead to five points, 43-38, early in the third period but a short spurt put the Harborites 10 points up on Holland at the four minute mark. Chester Ross, pumped eight points for the winners in the quarter, including six straight points near the close, to push the Tigers into a 67-52 advantage.

An additional 24 Tiger points were made while Holland popped 19.

Benton Harbor advanced the score to 77-59 early in the final period, the largest single margin of the game, before Coach Don Farnum rested his regulars. Both coaches substituted freely in the last minutes, with Coach Fred Weiss of Holland getting every man into the contest. Each team scored 12 points in the last quarter.

Holland committed only 10 fouls in the game while the Tigers were caught 15 times. Three Holland players made the foul shots. Of the 28 attempts, Ron Van Dyke sank five out of seven; Chuck Gouloze, six out of eight and Bill Japina, nine out of 11. Tom Klomparsen, sub guard, missed two tries. Benton Harbor scored nine foul shots out of 15 attempts.

Behind Reynolds in the scoring were Arend with 16 and Ross with 15. Wheeler made 10, all in the first half. Japina led Holland for the third straight game with 17. Chuck Gouloze followed with 16.

Weiss reported he was pleased with the team and "they are looking better every game." The victory gives Benton Harbor a 4-0 record while Holland has a 1-5 mark. Holland plays at Grand Haven next Friday night.

Box score:

Holland (64)

Van Dyke, f 2 5 2 9
Shaffer, f 1 0 1 2
Gouloze, c 5 6 3 16
Japina, g 4 9 2 17
Overbeck, g 4 0 2 8
Slaunders, f 5 0 0 10
Kleinheksel, f 1 0 0 2
Boeve, c 0 0 0 0
Visscher, g 0 0 0 0
Vande Poel, f 0 0 0 0
Klomparsen, g 0 0 0 0
Boersma, g 0 0 0 0

Totals 22 20 10 64

Benton Harbor (79)

Arend, f 7 2 1 16
La Manita, f 2 0 1 4
Reynolds, c 12 6 2 30
Wheeler, g 5 0 5 10
Ross, g 7 1 3 15
De Maria, f 2 0 1 4
Sliter, g 0 0 1 0
Goff, g 0 0 1 0
Harper, f 0 0 0 0
Holt, c 0 0 0 0
Hensley, g 0 0 0 0

Totals 33 9 15 79

All-Stars Named For Polio Games

Three men have been selected from each of the City League basketball teams to constitute an all-star team to play the Grand Haven all-stars in a pair of polio benefit games later this month. The first game will be played in the Holland Armory, Jan. 22 and the return contest in Grand Haven, Jan. 27.

Lou Borgman of Economy IGA and Rog Koe of H. E. Morse were named by Harry Hulst, league president to serve as coaches. Teams managers chose the team.

Included on the roster are Koe Auto-Al Nelson, Jerry Veldman and Bruce Springsteen; Sears and Roebuck—Bob Reitsema, Ken Van Tatenhoven and Tim Beerthuis; H. E. Morse—Earl Schipper, Gene Schroetenboer and Ken Scholten; Economy IGA—Ron Fortney, Ken Schippers and Ken Zuverink; Holland Beverage—Frank Van Dyke, Bob (Shorty) Van Dyke, and R.A. Van Dyke, Vets—Jim Slag, Ken Van Wieren and Jack Kempker.



Dance Chairmen Meeting at Nelson Home

(Sentinel photo)

Newcomers Make Plans For Annual Polio Dance

Newcomers Club has made plans for its fourth annual polio dance on Saturday, Jan. 29, at the VFW ball room.

Round and square dancing will be featured, with music provided by Murle Clark's orchestra. Claude Ketchum will call for square dancing. There will be entertainment, and refreshments will be served. Prizes will be awarded. Although Cliff Springer is chairman of tickets, all members are responsible for ticket sales.

Chairmen for the dance are: Honorary chairman, Mrs. Connie Nelson; general chairman, Mr. and Mrs. Al Braye; co-chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klann; tickets, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Springer; advertising, Paul Taber and Norm Eitmueller; publicity, Noral Nelson; refreshments, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Nebbeling; entertainment, Herb Childress and Syd Johnson; check room, Mrs. Ruth Johnson and Mrs. Jean Weaver.

Last year the club netted almost \$1,200 for the polio foundation. The committee hopes to equal that amount this year.

Pictured at a recent committee meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson are, seated, left to right, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Braye, Mrs. Klann, Mrs. Springer, Mrs. Taber and Mrs. Nebbeling; standing, Albert Braye, Frank Klann, Noral Nelson, Cliff Springer, Norm Eitmueller, Paul Taber and Herb Childress.

Other scorers included: John Mulder, 744; Glen Brouwer, 738; John Lam, 736; Marv Wabeke, 736; William Brown, 726; Juke Ten Cate, 720 and Don Caauwe, 713.

Jerry Klein, 710; Paul Barkel, 702; Warren St. John, 682; Deane Mulder, 668; Webb Dalman, 660; Bruce Glass, 650; Mollie Petroe, 638; Warren Drooger, 634; Al Petroe, 624; Ed Jousma, 612; Juke Caauwe, 610 and Joyce Barkel, 608.

Jim Crozier, 607; Julia Ten Cate, 604; S. Geerlings, 584; Mel Jousma, 580; Bob Pluister, 568; Jerry Holtorf, 562; Bob Grebel, 524; Mike Lam, 495; Glad Jousma, 458; Fred Ter Vree, 481; Joe Wabeke, 480; Mel Grebel, 201 and Stuart Volkers, 197.

Archery Scores

Gene Hiddinga led the Holland archers in their weekly shoot Wednesday at the Holland High gym. He fired 762. Chuck Rozema was second with 746.

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Jacob C. Van Wynen Succumbs in Store

Jacob C. Van Wynen, 67, died unexpectedly Friday. He dropped dead at 9:30 a.m. in Unema's shoe shop where he had just finished sweeping.

Mr. Van Wynen was born Feb. 7, 1887, in the Netherlands, and had lived in Holland for 60 years. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Govert Van Wynen. Since last Labor Day, he had made his home at Resthaven. He was a member of Pine Creek Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving are a brother, Gilbert Van Wynen of Holland, and several nieces and nephews, Angeline Van Wynen and Mrs. Wesley Bouman of Holland, Mrs. Wilbur Lemmen of Lake Manitoba, Canada, Gerard Van Wynen of Somerville, N. J., Donald Van Wynen of Lima, Peru, and Philip Van Wynen, student at Moody Bible Institute.

Gobles Stops Fennville In Al-Van League Game

GOBLES (Special) — Gobles accurate at the free throw line, stopped Fennville here Friday night in an Al-Van League game. The victory gave Gobles a 4-1 record while the Blackhaws have a 3-3 overall mark.

The defending state Class D champs led the entire game. The score at the end of the quarter was 18-11 and the halftime score was 31-24. The third period score was 34-28.

Jim Temay led the winners with 14. Warren Stahlee had 10 for Fennville followed by Art Cox-ford with nine.

The Gobles reserves stopped the Fennville seconds, 32-24.

Fennville

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hutchins were honored, guests at open house Sunday afternoon at the Hospitality House. The occasion was their silver wedding anniversary and hosts were the couple's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevenson.

Guests came from Allegan, Plainwell, Kalamazoo, Sodus, Benton Harbor, Watervliet, Coloma, Saugatuck, Kibbie, Lawrence and Lawton. The guests were served by the Misses Arlene and Jean Bowman and Marilyn Hutchins.

Assisting Mrs. Stevenson were Mrs. Kenneth Hutchinson, Mrs. Irvin Hutchinson and Mrs. Emma Sutton. Lynn Hutchinson played selections on the electric organ.

At the village council meeting Monday evening the group passed a resolution objecting to a rate increase requested by the Union Telephone company at a hearing to be held Jan. 17 before the Michigan Public Service Commission.

In other routine business, T.E. Van Dussen was appointed temporary clerk to replace the late Edward J. Knoll.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartsuiker are parents of their first child born Dec. 29 at Allegan Health Center. She has been named Charlene Kay. Mother and baby returned home Monday.

Several local friends and relatives attended the golden wedding anniversary held Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Rowe at the Allegan Griswold auditorium. Mrs. Elmer Hutchins is a sister of Mr. Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Scofield of Eaton Rapids were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Chappell. Sunday guests also were Mr. and Mrs. William Aldrich of Allegan.

Marine 2nd Lt. Sam Maria returned to his base at Quantico, Va. Sunday after spending the holidays here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutchinson left Tuesday to spend a few days in Chicago. Mrs. Claude Hutchinson is staying with the children.

Mrs. Thomas Farrell and daughter Debbie of Detroit is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hicks and daughter, Marlene.

The Women's Society of Christian Service resumed their regular activities this week after a month's vacation. The group met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert Keag with Mrs. Arthur Sanford assistant hostess. Mrs. Nelson Warren was in charge of the program.

Mrs. Grace Maria was returned Sunday to the Allegan Health Center. She had been at the home of her son, Bernard, since being discharged from the hospital three weeks ago.

Burnips

(From Friday's Sentinel)

The Missionary Prayer Band met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Fleser Monday evening. Prayer and praise service was held at Burnips Church Wednesday evening.

Richard Worm, former Burnips resident, recently underwent surgery.

A union prayer meeting was held last week Thursday at Diamond Springs Wesleyan Methodist Church. Churches represented were Monterey Center Methodist, Diamond Springs Wesleyan Methodist, Market Street Methodist, Burnips Pilgrim Holiness, Salem Indian Mission, Burnips Methodist and Sand Hill Wesleyan Methodist Churches.

A cleaning bee was held at the local Methodist Church Wednesday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence V. Runyon were in Allegan on Wednesday morning.

Burma has the highest snake bite death rate in the world, with 15.4 deaths per 100,000 population.

Fossil oysters, 30 inches in diameter, have been found along the lower Rio Grande valley.

Allegan Sheriff Had a Busy Year

ALLEGAN (Special) — Allegan county sheriff's department had its busiest year in 1954, according to a recapitulation of department records.

The department totaled 554 arrests, only 17 of which were females. Drunk and disorderly was the most common charge, accounting for 114 arrests. Assault and battery was second with 56 arrests, followed closely by drunken driving, for which 54 were arrested.

Other charges totaled were: furnishing beer to minors, 36; reckless driving, 32; no support, 26; breaking and entering 15; mental cases, 13; statutory rape, 8; one murder and 199 arrests for so-called "miscellaneous" charges.

Several times during the year the county jail was filled to capacity with 28 prisoners listed at one time. The 24-hour period starting at noon, Dec. 31, was the year's busiest, with 11 arrests made.

Twenty-Six Report At Donor Clinic

Twenty-six donors reported to the regular blood clinic last Monday in Red Cross headquarters at 6 East Eighth St.

Donors were Alex Dekker, Kenneth Hartgering, Gordon J. Pippel, Harlen Bouman, Justin Dubink, Mrs. John Sprick, Lewis Van Klompenberg, Raymond Denny, John Van Huis, Jr., Robert Oosterbaan, Henry Spoersma, Harvey Loedeman, Paul Van Faasen, Harold Banger, Charles A. Roze, Jason Rypma, Donald Oosterbaan, John Robinson, Vern Klomparsen, E.R. Dangremont, Bernard Wolters, Ray Van Wieren, Robert Van Wieren, Tom Rodriguez, Nelis Bade, George Botsis.

Physicians on duty were Dr. C. Cook and Dr. Chester Van Apple-dorn. Nurses were Mrs. Martin Mellem, Mrs. Merle De Feyter, Mrs. William J. Meengs, Gertrude Steketee and Mrs. E. Dannenberg.

Nurses aides were Mrs. Dale Shearer, Mae Whitmer and Mrs. A. Van Lopik. Gray Ladies were Jeannette Cranmer and Vera Stickle. Historians were Mrs. Fred Beeuwkes and Lena E. Brumfield. In charge of the canteen were Mrs. Ted Kouw, Mrs. Fred Slag and Mrs. Calvin Strong.

Grand Haven Fire Chief's Car in Minor Accident

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A city car driven by Fire Chief Henry Hoebeke, 56, and a car driven by Lloyd H. Stewart, 42, route 1, Grand Haven, collided at 3:18 a.m. Friday at Fulton and North Seventh Sts. In attempting a left turn, Stewart struck the left rear fender of the city vehicle, resulting in a damaged rear fender. There was minor damage to a headlight on Stewart's car. No ticket was issued.

At 4:38 p.m. Thursday on Fulton St. in the 1300 block, cars driven by Elmer Crow, 19, Ferrysburg, and Elmer H. Walek, 38, route 1, Grand Haven, collided as the Walek car left the parking lot of an industrial plant. Crow, who backed his car into the right side of the Walek car, was given a summons for failure to yield the right of way.

Car Recovered

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A 1950 car belonging to James Konyndyke, route 2, West Olive, was recovered in Muskegon at 9:30 a.m. Friday after it was reported missing at 3 a.m. by Konyndyke's daughter, Mrs. Doris Van Overen, when she finished work at the Air Control Products Co. in Coopersville. State police said the car had been abandoned at the north end of Muskegon and two men were seen leaving the vehicle. Keys were not in the car at the time it was taken. No damage was reported.

Metal used in making every Victoria Cross, Britain's highest military decoration, comes from the guns captured in the Crimean war.

Holland Christian Drops 58-50 Game To St. Joe Bears

ST. JOSEPH (Special) — A potent St. Joseph High basketball squad edged Holland Christian's Maroons here, Friday night, 58-50, before a capacity crowd. The win stretched the Bears unbeaten string to six straight while the Hollanders now have a 4-4 record.

The game was well played by both clubs with the margin of difference three or four points through the last three quarters of the game. In fact with a minute and a half remaining in the contest, the Dutch trailed 50-48, but four straight foul shots and two quick baskets by the winners spelled defeat.

From the Christian standpoint, defeat was due mainly to inability to consistently control the backboards against the St. Joe forward wall that averaged close to 6'5". The Hollanders were by no means outclassed in this department, but the Bears did have a decided edge, accounting for several easy baskets.

Christian's Jun. Buursma and Warren Boer did a great job on the two clever St. Joe outcourt men, Jack Sinn and Allen Ross. The Holland duo permitted the St. Joe pair just four baskets between them. Boer and Buursma also were the big guns in breaking up the St. Joe downcourt press which failed to upset the Dutch during any stage of the game.

The big offensive threats for the Bears were the three tall boys, Bob Gusse, Vern Berndt and Jason Harness, all of whom scored in double figures. Repeatedly this trio would clear the boards and go right back up for two points. It didn't help the Dutch cause any that John Mulder, their ace rebounder, picked up three fouls in the first four minutes of play, and sat out 12 minutes of the first half, although he was ably relieved by Paul Dykema. Reserve John Heyboer also turned in a fine game.

Coach Art Tuls was well pleased with the showing of his club aside from the rebounding.

The Bears started out fast in the opening minutes and built up one of their biggest leads in the first period with a 17-9 count. The Dutch stayed within striking distance, but couldn't come any closer than five points in the first stanza.

Christian's pressing defense and some fine shooting paved the way for a flurry in the second stanza. The Dutch dominated play and knotted the count at 21-21 with two and a half minutes remaining. However, Gusse got hot for the Bears and sent his club into a 28-23 halftime lead.

The third quarter was nip and tuck all the way with the Hollanders managing to outscore the winners 18-17. The clubs traded points throughout the period with Christian always threatening, but never quite closing the gap. It was 45-41 going into the final eight minutes.

After trailing 50-44 midway in the last quarter, the Dutch made their big bid by pulling up to a 54-48 score with less than two minutes remaining. Then came the Bear spurt and ultimate victory. Christian lost Boer on fouls in the final period, while the St. Joe club lost Jack Sinn.

Christian hit on 18 out of 31 foul tries while St. Joe connected on 20 out of 34.

Buursma led the Dutch attack with 13 markers, followed by Dykema with 12. Gusse had 16 for St. Joe, closely followed by Harness with 14.

Christian meets Muskegon Catholic on Thursday at the Grand Haven gym.

Box score:

Holland Christian (50)

Mulder, f 3 0 3 6
Vander Hill, f 3 4 5 10
Vander Ark, c 0 0 0 0
Buursma, g 4 5 1 13
Boer, g 1 2 5 4
Dykema, f 4 4 4 12
Altena, c 0 1 0 1
Bos, g 1 0 1 2
Heyboer, f 0 2 2 2

Totals 16 18 21 50

St. Joseph (58)

Gusse, f 6 4 2 16
Rogers, f 0 0 3 0
Harness, c 5 4 3 14
Ross, g 3 3 4 9
Sinn, g 1 4 5 6
Gersonde, g 1 1 1 3
Kersterke, g 0 0 0 0
Benrdt, f 3 4 1 10

Totals 19 20 19 58

Volleyballs

It's Newcomer time in Holland again and City Hostess Hulda Bequette has paid calls on eight new families during December.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hahn of Lincoln, Neb., have moved to 121 West 12th St. Mr. Hahn is a teacher at Hope College.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton E. Call and two children of Mokena, Ill., have moved to 197 West 22nd St. Mr. Call is a salesman for Swift Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon J. Vosburgh have purchased a home at 123 East 29th St. Mr. Vosburgh is plant manager for the new General Electric plant. The Vosburghs have a grown daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holt and their 15-month-old son of Kansas City, Mo., have moved to 203 West 25th St. Mr. Holt is the new city manager for Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Snyder of Pasadena, Calif., have purchased a home at 146 West 23rd St. Mr.



SAND EATER—This big sand eater, a TD 6 and pan, with a six cubic yard capacity, has been in operation at Holland State Park for the last three weeks. The machine was sent by the state from Journey Station in the Upper Peninsula to move between 40,000 and 50,000 yards of sand at the park. The area is being smoothed out and excess sand put on the beach or along the channel. It is expected that the job will be completed in April. After leveling is completed, stabilizing material consisting of 1,200 tons of wash pea gravel, shipped in last

spring, will be spread. The old tent area has already been stabilized. Bill Helbert, a heavy equipment operator from Porcupine Mountain in the Upper Peninsula where the equipment was originally used, is doing the sand moving job in Holland. Loading conditions are excellent, according to Park Manager Clare Broad. Anyone wishing to have some beach sand is welcome to it, he said, but asks that persons load it themselves and contact park personnel before removing any sand.

(Sentinel photo)

Library Adventures

By Arnold Mulder

When Dr. Charles Laughhead, of East Lansing, predicted the end of the world recently he was speaking in the tradition of a considerable literature on that theme. For at least a thousand years, doubtless longer, writers have made similar predictions, usually pinpointing the final period as confidently as the East Lansing self-appointed prophet did.

Such predictions often become almost epidemic when an artificial time division is in prospect. Thus when the year 1,000 was approaching, thousands of credulous souls became convinced that the midnight that would mark the end of the millennium would also mark the end of the world. Much literature is still extant that has this for its theme.

Dr. Laughhead did not wait for such a neat time period, but it may be taken for granted that toward the close of the year 1999 there will be many "prophets" writing books on this subject. It seems certain that fanaticism will still be here when that time comes.

There is also a considerable literature of satire on the end-of-the-world theme. During the first millennium and a half of the Christian era the subject was supposed to be too serious for satire, but later it became the theme of writers who underlined the humor of the antics of such people as Dr. Laughhead. Within the past quarter of a century or so a book appeared called "Boone Stop," by Homer Croy, that had for its theme the doings of a company of end-of-the-world fanatics.

Curiously there is a reverse side in literature to this theme. Instead of looking for the end of a wicked world, those writers have looked forward to turning this world into an earthly paradise.

Incidentally, when she had a new cast applied in Grand Rapids Dec. 11, her doctor used a new compound that does away with itching under a cast. It's great, she said.

Jo is the girl who was pretty badly smashed up when hit by a runaway car on the local golf course in September, 1953.

Sgt. Ralph Woldring, who was chatting with some of the boys Wednesday night at police headquarters, really jumped up for action when he heard sirens screaming. They he settled back. It was only a radio program.

That reminds us of a story of a chap in a sporty convertible caught behind some slow moving cars in rather heavy traffic. He knew his radio program and when sirens signaled a new program, he turned the volume way up for a good scream. The cars made way for him.

Maybe it was the same program.

You want to be a policeman? Think about these 10 hard, cold facts first.

1. A police officer must be a diplomat, and must be able to settle differences between individuals to each person's satisfaction.

2. He must make instant decisions, that an attorney will take weeks or even months, to defeat in court.

3. He must be an expert in first aid, must arrive first at the scene of an accident, make a diagnosis of victim's condition, start breathing, stop bleeding, apply splints to broken bones, and send the injured home with scarcely a limp.

4. He must be athletic, be able to subdue men twice his size and half his age, without damage to himself or uniform and without undue force.

5. He must be an expert with any kind of firearm, being able to draw while on the run, fire his weapon and pick the eye out of a pigeon on the dome of the courthouse.

6. He must be an expert driver, able to drive across town in congested traffic, arriving at the scene with never a scratch to the public's equipment.

7. He must know his city and be able to direct the young mother to where she can buy round-cornered diapers for babies with square bottoms.

8. He must be pure, being thoroughly acquainted with sin, although never partaking of any.

9. He must be a super-detective, being able to take a single hair or a partial of dirt and tell what crime was committed, how it was committed and who committed it and best of all, where he can be found.

10. Last, but not least, he must be economical. He must be able to live on a policeman's salary. — Fraternal Order of Police.

Dutch Reserves Win Second Game

A last minute rally gave the Holland High reserves their second win of the season Friday night at the Civic Center as they stopped the Benton Harbor seconds, 51-46. Holland had led three and a half quarters, but faltered midway in the last canto, only to come back and win the contest.

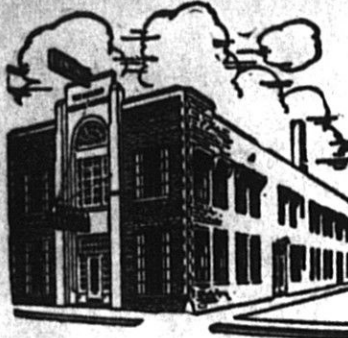
Benton Harbor led 45-43 with 1:30 remaining in the game. Tall Les Overway tied the score and Dick Vander Yacht, Holland guard, sank three baskets in the next minute.

The Little Dutch hit on 23 out of 29 foul shots and made 16 baskets in 50 attempts.

Holland led at the end of the first period, 13-8 and increased the margin to 27-14 at halftime. The third quarter score was 37-31.

Vander Yacht was high point man for Holland with 12 points. Rog Plagenhoef had 9; Overway, 8; Dave Hilbink, 8;

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THE GOVERNMENT

DOES LISTEN
The announcement by Post Office Department that "junk mail" deliveries will end March 31 is evidence of the fact that the government does listen to the voice of the people, if that voice is loud enough. This announcement would almost certainly not have been made if the common citizen had not yelled.

For months now vast numbers of citizens have been sending their protests to their congressmen and senators, to Secretary Summerfield, to the newspapers. The protest was so loud and so widespread that Washington couldn't help hearing it. And Washington is sensitive to voices that mean votes, no matter which party happens to be in power.

The newspapers, the Sentinel included, encouraged the average citizen to let his voice be heard. Newspapers shouldered part of the burden by printing numerous protests of their own. But the papers can seldom do such a thing alone.

Washington is less sure that newspaper protests mean actual votes than the voices that come from the voters themselves. That's the reason why it is important for the common citizen to get up on his hind legs and shout at the top of his voice. Washington hears such shouts and acts on them.

The average citizen sometimes feels that what he says on public issues will not be heard so far away as Washington. The "junk mail" issue once more proves that he is wrong in this. His voice is heard in the nation's capital; Washington does listen to him when there are enough of him that speak up.

The trouble often is that Washington is confused by opposing opinions. It seldom happens that an issue is one-sided, as this one was. As a result Washington is likely to act on the advice of the most and the loudest voices. When citizens keep still on something on which they feel deeply, they have only themselves to blame if their side loses out.

In a nation of 164,000 direct democracy such as operated in the New England town meetings of pioneer days is impracticable. But the common citizen has it in his power to make his influence felt to a far greater extent than he sometimes assumes. The trouble is that he usually keeps still. And closed mouths cannot be heard, even in Washington.

We are of the opinion that all mail should pay enough so our postal service could be taken out of the red.

Modern business methods could do the job. But our method of government operation may not lend itself to modern business methods. Write us 300 words.

Austin Buchanan Speaks At Waukazoo PT Meeting
Waukazoo Parent-Teachers Club met Thursday evening at the school. The business meeting and program followed conferences in the classrooms.

Speaker was Austin Buchanan, assistant principal of Holland High School. Discussing "Parents and Education," Buchanan said that in 1935 there are more opportunities for education than ever before. He emphasized children's needs and parents' responsibilities, pointing out that a child needs love, respect and increased rights as he deserves them. Parents must be honest and moral and have home discipline, he said.

Music was provided by the Hollandaires, women's barbershop quartet. Mrs. John Cauwe led devotions.

Plans were made for an adult skating party Jan. 20 at North Shore Community Hall. Bill Norlin and Mrs. Gertrude Topp are co-chairmen and Mrs. Al Reimink and Mrs. Ed Kammeraad are lunch chairmen. Plans also were made to show a film on breast cancer to women in the community, date to be announced.

Refreshments were served by Mesdames Al Reimink, Henry Diksen, George Tahlen and Bert Van Oss. The kindergarten room will receive a treat for having the largest percentage of parents present at the meeting.

Sunday School Lesson

January 16, 1935
Jesus the Christ
Matthew 16:13-17; John 14:8-14
By Henry Geerlings

We cannot too greatly stress the importance of this lesson. It is doubtful if there was a moment between the birth and death of our Lord that was so meaningful, and on which so much depended, as this moment when He asked His disciples what they thought of Him. If they had said "You are a good man, a very wise man, and yet you rank with the best and ablest men who have ever lived," He no doubt would have said, "You had better go back to your nets and other occupations, for I must choose others who shall arrive at a better opinion, and see more in Me, and proclaim Me as the very Son of God." The Christian church never could have got started on any confession that said less of our Lord than Peter said. And with all his faults he is ever and always to be honored by believers for his confession.

There are three views of Christ. If we were to begin with the lowest estimate of Him we would say what everyone knows, that He is absolutely ignored by hosts of people. If they take Him into account at all they class Him with those whose opinions amount to little or nothing. They are not interested in Him and as for His philosophy of life they believe it is harmful rather than helpful. Modern Russia may be taken to represent that view at this moment, and Germany may be next.

The second view is very much like that entertained by the rank and file of the Jewish people of His Day. He is a good man, indeed He ranks among the best of men. They believe that He Himself was deceived, and that He therefore became a deceiver of the people. He gave expression to many good and wise maxims. His life was that of benefactor, but there have been many others as good as He.

The third view is the one announced by Jeter, who did not stop short of calling Him the very Son of God. He identified Him with the One the prophets had foretold, and with the One the Lord Himself declared should be born of Mary and should save His people from their sins. The acceptance of Jesus as the Son of God and the Savior of the world is what really unites people who call themselves Christians.

While it is true that many of the early disciples thought of Jesus as the Messiah from the beginning, it seems that our Lord was willing to let them grow into an appreciation of that faith before He called upon them to formulate it into many words. They began very much as children do today. They are asked to think of Jesus as the Son of God and the Christ, but the content of those terms grows immensely as they advance in years and in fellowship with Him.

We can never get so old that our conviction on this point may not grow from strength to strength. If we are to grow in grace we can also grow into the clarity and perfection of faith. After all, faith is not to be exercised altogether apart from understanding. There is some reason for the faith we hold, and while the disciples were with Jesus they were laying a sound foundation in their experiences for the faith they professed.

Acceptance of Christ as the Son of God is a personal matter. Peter made the confession for himself and the other eleven. And yet it would be a great mistake to suppose that he was the only one held to that faith. He was the spokesman for the rest. If Jesus had gone the round of the twelve all of them would have made the same confession, and yet we do not hear them saying so. There are hosts of people who hold their faith in silence. They do not say much about it.

The way they live is evidence of the sincerity of their faith. They are not of the kind who shout from the housetop their convictions. It will be admitted by all of us that there are multitudes of folks who silently and unobtrusively live their faith to the glory of God.

It was not by accident that when Jesus had heard from the disciples their acceptance of His divine Sonship that he should so soon thereafter announce to them the place of the cross in His life, and in their lives if they meant seriously to hold to the faith they professed and endeavored to follow His example. He put the cross into His message just as soon as it was possible for Him to do so.

Passenger Receives Rib Injury In Two-Car Crash

William Fielstra, 40, of Muskegon, was scheduled to undergo x-rays for a rib injury Monday following a two-car accident Saturday afternoon at the intersection of 16th St. and US-31. The car in which Fielstra was riding and driven by Remko Slagter, 38, of Muskegon collided with a car driven by John Wagenveld of route 3, Holland.

Ottawa County sheriff's officers investigated and estimated damage to the Slagter car at \$250 and to the Wagenveld vehicle, \$300. Wagenveld, traveling east on 16th St., was charged with failure to stop for the stop street.

Investigate Breakin
Holland detectives and Ottawa County deputies Monday were investigating a breakin at Steffens Food Market, 288 West 14th St., sometime Saturday night. Entrance was gained by smashing a basement window. Police said a few cigarettes were the only thing that appeared to be missing in an initial inventory.



DUTCH DANCE BY DUTCH STUDENTS was an entertaining feature at the sixth annual polio dance Saturday night, sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary. The Dutch students, from the University of Leiden are in the United States to aid the March of Dimes campaign, and appeared on the Netherlands float in the Tournament of Roses on New Year's Day. They appeared at several places in Holland throughout Saturday and attended church with Hope students here Sunday. Later, they gave an exhibition of Dutch skating at the ice show at Grand Rapids Stadium. (Penna-Sas photo)

Several Appear In Circuit Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Matthew J. Zalsman, 65, route 2, Grand Haven, waived the reading of the information and pleaded guilty in Circuit Court Monday, to a charge of drunk driving, second offense. Bond of \$100 was continued. He will return Jan. 27 at 11:30 a.m.

Zalsman was arrested by city police Dec. 25 on Washington St. Alton R. Ferguson, route 1, Spring Lake, who was arrested on a non-support charge, was ordered to pay \$12 a week for the support of his minor children. Ferguson was arrested under the uniform reciprocal enforcement support act on complaint of his wife, Katherine Marie, of Richmond Heights, Mo.

Howard Barnes, 28, route 3, Fennville, pleaded guilty to a non-support charge brought by a former wife, Ruth Bass, and a new order of probation for three years was entered, requiring him to pay \$7.50 a week for the support of a child by his first wife. He is currently under probation on a support charge by his wife, Arlene, and is paying her \$20 a month. He told the court a divorce suit is pending.

Clifford W. Bastian, 51, Muskegon, was granted a restricted operator's license for business purposes only. Bastian was the driver of a car involved in an accident on US-16 in Polkton Township Dec. 12, 1933, in which Mrs. Andrew Geldersma was fatally injured. He pleaded guilty to negligent homicide July 27, 1934, and his license was suspended until March 3, 1935.

Two Persons Injured In Auto Collision

Two persons were treated for minor injuries Saturday night following a two-car collision at 24th St. and College Ave. Bernard Balder, 18, route 3, received a cut lip. A passenger in his car, Joyce Balder, 16, route 3, was treated for a bump on the head.

Police said Balder was southbound on College Ave. and a car driven by Albert Schwarz, 45, of 231 West 23rd St., eastbound on 24th St. when the vehicles collided.

Damage to Balder's '31 model car was estimated at \$350 and at \$100 to the '34 model Schwarz car, police said.

Appears on Old Count

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Simon Gaitan, 19, of 63 West First St., Holland, paid \$25 fine and \$50 costs in Municipal Court Friday afternoon on a charge of allowing an unlicensed person to drive his car. The alleged offense occurred in Grand Haven, city Oct. 11 but Gaitan failed to answer the summons and a warrant was issued for his arrest. He was spotted at 4:40 p.m. by an alert police officer who recognized the license number. A 16-year-old girl who was driving with Gaitan at the time of the original arrest had given a fictitious address and has not been located.

Monthly Luncheon Held by Newcomers

Monthly luncheon of the Newcomers Club was held in the Tulip Room of the Warm Friend Tavern Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Henry F. Smith, president, announced plans for the Newcomers polio benefit dance on Jan. 29 at the VFW Hall.

Prospective members introduced were Mrs. Carl Snyder, Mrs. Eldon J. Vosburgh, Mrs. H. Holt, Mrs. Burton Gale, Mrs. Richard Tobias, Mrs. Benton More and Mrs. Keith Dadd.

Cards were played and prizes won by Mrs. Al Lee, bridge. Mrs. Lloyd Haefner, canasta and Mrs. Tobias, pinocle.

Holland High Freshmen Trounce Godwin Heights

The Holland ninth graders defeated the Godwin Heights freshmen, 66-35 Friday afternoon at Godwin Heights. A big third period, with the locals scoring 36 points, turned the contest into a lopsided affair.

Holland made 14 field goals and eight foul shots in the third quarter while holding Godwin to 10 points. The winners led 58-27 after three periods. The first quarter score favored Holland, 13-9 and the halftime margin was 22-17. Holland, with third stringers playing made eight points in the final period.

Harold De Vries and Allen Teusink paced the Dutch with 13 points while Gary Gibbons had 12. James Botis tallied 8 and Clayton Rice and Larry Aldring, 6 each. Frank Barone led Godwin with 9 and Larry Lane and Larry Kietzman had six each.

Holland made 22 field goals out of 77 attempts and 22 out of 40 free throw tries. De Vries tallied 11 out of 16 foul shots for individual honors.

Plans Started For Golf Here

Initial plans for the 1935 golfing season at the American Legion Country Club were kicked off in a meeting Thursday night at the home of Pro George Slikkers. The group talked over the tournaments and social events for the coming year.

It is the committee's desire to promote larger tournaments this year and hold more social activities. "The purpose will be to promote golfing at the local club and to offer more entertainment for the present members," Slikkers said.

John Kuiper is now in charge of the dining room and kitchen and steps have been taken to improve the course.

Questionnaires are being sent to all members. A meeting will be held at end of January to analyze the questionnaires and members are urged to attend and get a better idea of the events planned for the coming year.

Handicaps will be kept on all members. This is necessary to conduct a tournament.

Miss Bosch Engaged To Rolland Boeve

The engagement of Miss Alma Bosch to Rolland Boeve, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bosch of route 3. Mr. Boeve is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boeve of route 5.

Nicholas Dykema, Tailor, Succumbs

Nicholas Dykema, who for more than 50 years operated the Dykema Tailor Shop, died at his home, 48 East 18th St. Sunday morning following a lingering illness. He was 76 years old.

Born Aug. 28, 1878 in Grand Rapids he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Dykema. He retired from the tailoring business about three years ago. His sons, Lewis and Claude, continue in the business.

Mr. Dykema was a member of Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed Church where he served in the consistory for several years. He also was a Sunday School teacher.

Surviving besides, the wife, Helen, and sons are a daughter, Mrs. Harry G. Jacobs; nine grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Edward Lam of Holland and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Nellie Dykema of Zeeland. A son, Charles, was killed during World War II in an airplane crash on his way home from Alaska.

Star of Bethlehem Chapter Has Meeting

Star of Bethlehem Chapter No. 40, O.E.S., held its regular meeting Thursday in the chapter room. Mrs. Charles Vander Ven, worthy matron, presided and introduced the guests, Mrs. Edna Heft, president of the Ottawa County Association, and Mrs. Frances Trekt, secretary.

It was decided that the local chapter entertain members of the Ottawa County Association at a buffet luncheon in April in the chapter room. Plans for a joint card party with the Holland chapter were discussed. The date is set for Saturday, Jan. 15. The Dutch Costume project is in full swing with several sessions of sewing bees.

After refreshments, served by Mrs. Grace Morris and committee, a social was held. Prizes were awarded.

One Person Injured As Car Rolls Over

One person was injured and a car in which he was riding demolished when it rolled over near the exit to Kollen Park Sunday evening.

Police said Lewis Culver, 18, of 166 East Seventh St., was taken to Holland Hospital for treatment of a possible fractured jaw. Driver of the car, Henry Meurer, 18, of 301 Lincoln Ave., was issued a ticket for reckless driving.

Police said Meurer told them he was leaving Kollen Park when his car skidded on the gravel and rolled over. His '46 model car, was a total loss.

US-31 Barricades Smashed by Car

A Chicago driver Monday faced charges of drunk driving and leaving the scene of an accident Saturday night after his car smashed into the warming barricades at the end of US-31 by-pass and US-31 south of Holland.

Allegan County Deputy Henry Bouwman said he was notified of an accident at 9:30 p.m. Saturday. When he arrived at the scene a few minutes later the car was gone.

South Haven State police were alerted and minutes later picked up John Moore, 22, Chicago. Officers said he admitted the accident. State Police charged him with tipsy driving and arrested a minor in his car on charges of being drunk and disorderly.

VerDuin New Secretary Of Grand Haven Chamber

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Claude Ver Duin, who has served three one-year terms as mayor of Grand Haven, was unanimously appointed secretary of the Grand Haven Chamber of Commerce at a special meeting of the executive board Thursday afternoon. The appointment is effective Jan. 24. Ver Duin will succeed Peter A. Murdick, secretary for the past eight years, who has accepted a position as sales manager for the Michigan Brass Co. of Grand Rapids, effective Feb. 1.

Ver Duin will continue his term as mayor. He said he may be a candidate for reelection at the spring election depending on developments on the political front.

The board said Ver Duin's background in organizational programs and his knowledge of community and outside affairs plus his wide experience in city government placed him in a better-than-average position as qualifications go. His starting salary will be \$6,000. Murdick's salary after eight years was \$7,300.

The new appointee was born in Grand Haven in 1908, son of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Ver Duin who live in Grand Haven. His wife, the former Fern Gilleck, is well known in OES circles. They have a son and daughter.

Ver Duin started out as a commercial fisherman in the early '30's and launched a marine magazine at the same time. He has discontinued his business known as the Grand Haven Marina but expects to continue his work with the Great Lakes Harbor Association as executive secretary.

Several other candidates also were considered by the board for the position.

Zeeland

(From Monday's Sentinel)
Pvt. Merle Vredevelde has been transferred to Fort Lawton, near Seattle, Wash. Mrs. Vredevelde, the former Marilyn Romey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Romey has left to live with him at Seattle, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wildschut and daughter of Berlin, Germany, are spending several weeks at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Yelle Wildschut, East Central Ave., and other relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Herman Janssen of Saginaw were recent visitors at the homes of their mothers, Mrs. Della Plewes, West Main Ave., and Mrs. Lena Janssen, Centennial St.

The Rev. John Guichelaar, pastor of North Street Christian Reformed Church, has declined the call extended to him from the First Christian Reformed Church of Detroit.

A meeting of the North Zeeland Home Economics Club was held at the home of Mrs. Tom Vanden Boesch. The meeting was in the form of a Christmas party and gifts were exchanged and games played. The next club meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Heider on the topic "Outlook for 1935." The roll call will be a plant exchange.

Zeeland Literary Club will hold its first meeting in 1935 January 11 at 2:30 p.m. at the local city hall. The meeting will feature their annual tea honoring high school senior girls.

Anthony Koolker of Holland who directs the Hope College Girls' Glee Club and furnished music at the club in November will present some piano solos. Miss Fillette Many of Kalamazoo will be guest speaker on "Personality and Color." The usual time of meeting is 3 p.m. but this meeting will begin at 2:30 p.m. and club members are asked to note the change.

Next Thursday, the first meeting of the new year of the Second Reformed Church Ladies Aid Society will be held in the Fellowship Hall with the newly elected officers in charge. Mrs. H. Geerlings has been chosen president to replace Mrs. G. J. Van Hoven. Assisting her will be Mrs. Donald Voorhorst, first vice president; Mrs. David De Bruyn, second vice president; holdover officers are Mrs. Earl Ver Hage, secretary and Mrs. Jack Boonstra, treasurer.

At a recent meeting the membership was divided into three groups. These groups will meet to select officers so that the work of various projects may be carried out.

Last-Minute Foul Goals Give Britons Narrow 68-66 Win

ALBION (Special) — Two successful foul tosses in the last minute gave Albion College a 68-66 win over Hope College here before 800 fans in the Kresge Gym Saturday night. Trying to get the ball, after tying the score at 66-all with 1:30 remaining, the Hope strategy resulted in the fouls.

Bob Meeth, Albion forward, made one toss, after John Adams' foul and George Vivlamore sank a free throw following a foul by Bob Hendrickson. The Dutch got two field attempts in the closing seconds but failed.

Play in the second half was seaway after close first half. Albion led the entire first half, but never more than five points separated the teams.

Behind 32-27 at halftime Hope started fast in the opening minutes of the second half. With four minutes gone, Harold Molenaar, Hope guard, tied the score at 39-all with a driving layup. Hope shot into the lead at the six minute mark, 45-44, on a pump shot by John Jeltis, freshman forward. The lead was shortlived as Bill Collison, Albion's 6'5" center, sank a field goal seconds later.

The Dutch, using a three-quarter court press, pounded 26 points through the hoop in the first 10 minutes of the second half, compared with 27 for the entire first 20 minutes. The Dutch led at this point 53-52. Molenaar sank 12 points in the 10 minutes.

Albion came back in the next six minutes. Collison and Vivlamore hit on hook shots and one-hand push shots respectively and worked the Britons into a 66-61 lead.

In the next minute Hope, on baskets by Whitey Riemersma and Hendrickson plus a Hendrickson foul toss, tied the score at 66-all. Neither team scored in the next 1:30. Adams missed two foul shots but fouled Meeth, when the Briton started to set up a play, setting the stage for winning foul toss.

A Collision hook shot was the first basket of the game. Hope tried to get the fast break working, but the offense collapsed in front of Collison, who did a strong defensive job on Hendrickson, keeping the big senior center away from the basket. Vivlamore kept Albion in the lead with layups and push shots.

With the fast break not working, the Dutch began to weave and managed to draw several foul tosses. The foul goals kept Hope within striking distance in the opening half. The Dutch made only nine baskets out of 36 ties in the first half.

Albion, with Collison, Vivlamore and John Hannett doing all the scoring in the first half, pumped 14 out of 32 shots in the first half for 44 per cent. The Britons kept up the same percentage in the second half hitting 14 out of 31 shots. Hope made 15 out of 37 shots in the second half and pushed the percentage for the game to 33. The Dutch made 14 out of 24 foul shots and Albion sank 12 out of 31.

The winners have an overall record of 6-5 and an MIAA record of 3-1. The Dutch have a 2-2 conference mark and a 4-6 overall record. Hope will play Calvin on Thursday and Alma on Saturday in conference games this week at the Civic Center.

Collison and Vivlamore led Albion with 21 and 20 points. Molenaar had 16 for Hope.

Two Ticketed Following Three-Car Crash Monday

Two motorists were ticketed by Holland police Monday following a three-car accident at 16th St. and River Ave. at 12:35 p.m. Ronald Hulst, 16, of route 2, Holland, was making a right hand turn onto 16th St. when a car driven by Donald Johnson, 36, of 187 East 38th St., struck the Hulst car. Don Moore, 16, 347 N. River Ave., crashed into the rear of the Johnson car.

Johnson and Moore were ticketed for failure to have cars under control and will appear in traffic court Thursday. Johnson's car received damages in the front and rear estimated at \$150. Moore's car was damaged to the extent of \$75 and Hulst's vehicle, \$10.

Birthday Party Given For Wayne Dale Bosma

Wayne Dale Bosma, who was five years old on Jan. 2, was honored at a birthday party Saturday afternoon given by his mother, Mrs. Henry Bosma, at their home, 474 West 21st St. Assisting Mrs. Bosma were her daughters, Ruth and Patty.

Roger Bronson, Danny Telgenhof, Denny Phillips and David Ten Harmel were awarded prizes for games. Favors were presented to the guests and lunch was served by the hostess.

Attending were Danny Telgenhof, Roger Bronson, Eugene Phillips, Denny Phillips, Ronny and David Ten Harmel, Garry De Weerd, Sonny Holcombe, Patty and Ruth Bosma, the guest of honor and his parents.

Party at Penna Home Honors Mrs. Dalman

Mrs. Ernest Penna was hostess Friday evening to the teachers of the primary department of Trinity Sunday School honoring the birthday of Mrs. C. Dalman, superintendent of the department.

Guests were Mrs. George V. Steketee, Mrs. Clifton Spyker, Mrs. Ben Nienhuis, Miss Frances Lundie whose birthday was also celebrated, Mrs. Theodore Vander Ploeg, Mrs. Richard Van Eenennaam and Mrs. William H. Vande Water.

Others invited but unable to be present were Mrs. Peter Vander Wege, Miss Joyce Mulder and Mrs. Wilbert Brondyke.

Games were played. The hostess served refreshments and a gift was presented to the guest of honor.

Car Hits Tree
Mrs. Jeanette Welling, 51, of 323 West 20th St., was treated at Holland Hospital for cuts on her forehead received when her car rammmed a tree at 20th St. and Washington Ave. shortly after 10:15 a.m. Friday. Mrs. Welling told police her car caught on the door handle as she was making a turn. Damage to her '51 model car was estimated at \$100, police said.

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In the Good Old Days

(Following is the 45th in the series of articles taken from the Ottawa County Times published more than 50 years ago.)

This Friday evening there will be a public meeting of the property owners on Eighth St. at the council rooms to talk over the question of paving Eighth St. and what material to use. This news story appeared in the Nov. 28 issue of the Ottawa County Times published in 1902 by M. G. Manting. All property owners on Eighth St. should make it a point to be present.

The Rev. J. Van Tiel of South Olive has accepted a call to the Christian Reformed Church at Spring Lake.

The Rev. Hoekstra of East Saugatuck has declined the call to Graafschap.

Rev. De Groot of Borculo is one of a trio nominated by the Christian Reformed church at Prospect Park, N.J.

Rev. N. Boer of Jamestown has been called to Grand Rapids.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Holkeboer, East 14th St. on Tuesday, a son.

The life saving station at this point will close for the season on Sunday night, Nov. 30. Captain Frank Johnson will spend the winter in Chicago.

Considerable changes are being made by the interurban railway company in their old power house at Virginia Park. It will be used as a repair shop.

Gerrit, the seven-year-old son of Gerrit Wilterdink, dislocated his left elbow Monday by falling from a trapeze swing.

John De Kruif of Zeeland was here Wednesday assisting Henry Greenwood in setting up the new wagons purchased from Henry De Kruif, by the rural route carriers.

Supt. and Mrs. F. D. Haddock pleasantly entertained the members of the Board of Education and the teachers in the high school Monday evening.

The young people of the First Reformed Church have organized a mission study class. John B. Steketee is president and Miss Minnie Vander Ploeg secretary. Meetings will be held every two weeks for the study of missions.

The Woman's Missionary Society of Third Reformed Church gave a pleasant social at the church Friday afternoon. Mrs. A. Oltmans, who returned with her husband, the Rev. A. Oltmans from Japan mission field, spoke on educational work in Japan and Mrs. C. V. R. Gilmore spoke on domestic missions.

C. Blom, Jr. has gone into the candy manufacturing business in the store lately occupied by A. Rosbach on River St. The store will be named "Blom's Candy Kitchen."

At South Olive a trio has been nominated by the Christian Reformed church consisting of Revs. M. J. Bosman of Grand Rapids, M. J. Marcuse of Paterson, N.J., and L. Velkamp of Lamont.

John Rutgers of Holland, registrar of deeds-elect, was in the city today. He has rented a residence on Clinton St. of Martin Vanden Bosch, known as the Van Dam place and as soon as it is remodeled Mr. Rutgers will move into the county seat.—G. H. Tribune.

At his studio in the McBride block Prof. Joseph Warner has on exhibition about 50 paintings consisting mainly of landscapes and marine views. The collection numbers pictures of various sizes, but all of equal excellence.

The H. J. Heinz Co. will make their last payment of the season to growers of pickles and tomatoes on Wednesday, Dec. 3. They will make the occasion, as usual, a picnic day for the farmers who have raised produce for them and a luncheon will be served at noon. New contracts will also be made at the time.

Sentinel Employees Entertained at Dinner

Newspaperboys and employees of the Holland Evening Sentinel, numbering about 125, were guests of Publisher W. A. Butler Friday night at a turkey dinner in the Juliana room of Durfee Hall on Hope College campus. After the dinner, three sound-color films on fishing were shown.

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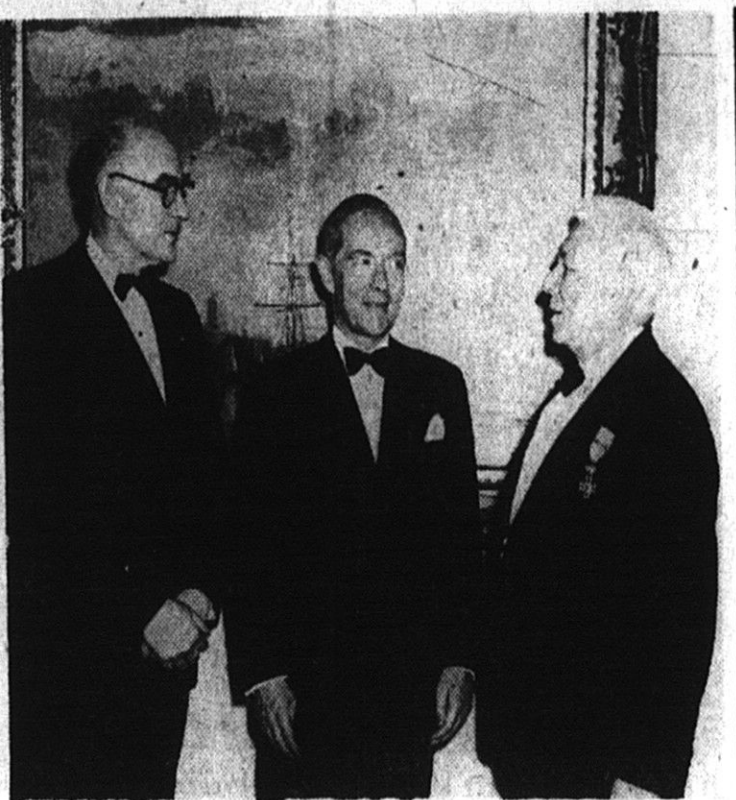
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RECEIVES AWARD — Willard C. Wichers, of Holland (left), director of the Netherlands Information service in the Midwest; Dr. J. H. van Roijen, Dutch ambassador to the United States, and Blake-More Godwin, (right), director of the Toledo Museum of Art are shown before Eelbert Cuy's "View of Dordrecht" at the Toledo reception for the ambassador, his wife and other prominent Dutch government officials in connection with the showing of "The Golden Age of Dutch Painting" exhibition in Toledo Wednesday. One hundred paintings by Dutch masters of the 17th century make up the exhibit.

Park Township Has Full Ticket

A spirited primary election is slated for Park Township Feb. 21 with opposition offered in most positions.

Candidates for supervisor are incumbent Dick Nieuwma and Herman Windmuller; for clerk, incumbent Nick Stielstra and Peter Hoogstra; treasurer, incumbent Simon Sybesma and Benjamin Bowman; trustees, Herman Atman and incumbents Alvin Brinkman and Harvey Tinkholt (vote for two); justice of the peace, incumbent Henry Meunier; board of review, incumbent Peter Dykman; constables, James Volkema and incumbents Verdie Gillette and John Teusink (vote for four).

The township also will vote on two propositions to provide a community center on the south side of Lake Macatawa. The first proposition on which all qualified voters may vote is to pass the necessary legislation according to state law to establish a community center, and the second proposition which is limited to property owners is whether the township board shall be authorized to expend an accumulated fund of \$17,461.49 for this purpose.

Film Featured At Garden Club

The January meeting of Holland Tulip Garden Club, held last Thursday in Fellowship Hall, Third Reformed Church, featured a film on "Flower Arrangements of Williamsburg," with Mrs. Louise B. Fisher. The majority of Mrs. Fisher's arrangements were executed in massive, lavish style, made possible by the beautiful, extensive gardens at Williamsburg.

Mrs. Fisher completed arrangements using spring and summer flowers, arrangements from dried materials and Christmas decorations, all done in 18th century fashion in keeping with the restored buildings of colonial Williamsburg.

The program ended with showing of slides of Tulip Flower Shows, from the first show through the 1934 exhibit.

Mrs. Harold Van Tongeren, president, conducted the meeting. Reports were given by standing committees. Miss Lida Rogers presented a report on the Council for Civic Unity, explaining the aims of the council and urging all club members to attend the series of lectures being presented by the Adult Education Department, for four Mondays starting tonight.

Of interest to all flower arrangers and flower lovers was announcement of the Feb. 3 Garden Club program. George Tolbert of Detroit will present "Flower Arranging from a Man's Viewpoint." Garden Club members are selling tickets for the meeting so anyone who wishes may hear the widely-acclaimed speaker.

Mrs. Olive Jensen Dies at Age of 89

SAUGATUCK (Special) — Mrs. Olive Jensen, 89, died Sunday at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nova Etherton, of Douglas, after a lingering illness. She had lived with Mr. and Mrs. Etherton for the past five years.

The widow of the late Ole Christian Jensen and the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ole Sveom, she was born in Norway on Aug. 4, 1865. She and her husband lived previously in Orfordville, Wis.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Etherton and Mrs. Alva Schult, of Milwaukee, Wis.; four sons, Olof and Lewis, of Beloit, Wis., Ben of Jacksonville, Fla., and Elmer of Coldwater, Ohio; 17 grandchildren and 32 great grandchildren.

Divorce Granted

ALLEGAN — Mrs. Minnie Deters of Fennville was granted a divorce in Allegan Circuit Court Thursday from Harry Deters. No minor children were involved.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Friday were Caroline Holcomb, 328 College Ave.; Mrs. Charles Roberts, 49 East 16th St.; Bradley DeWys, 695 Myrtle Ave.; Mrs. Mrs. Maud Luck, 105 East 37th St.; Mrs. Joe Vande Wege, 901 Central Ave.

Discharged Friday were Carla Dannenberg, route 4; Judy Hulsmann, 315 West 12th St.; Mrs. Henry Jacobs, 684 Butternut Dr.; Bradley De Wys, 695 Myrtle Ave. Admitted Saturday were Vicki Lynn Ross, 1618 Woodlawn Ave.; Harold Streu, 56 West 19th St.; Frederick Larsen, Hamilton; Mrs. M. Vander Hill, 261 West 11th St.; Thomas Hobbs, 410 College Ave.; John Van Valkenburgh, 595 South Shore Dr.; Doris Van Oosterhout, 126 Riverhills Dr.; William Phillips, 504 West 21st St.

Discharged Saturday were Mrs. James Flint, 24 South Church, Zeeland; Horace T. Dekker, 75 East Ninth St.; Mrs. Russel Vander Wal, 415 West 22nd St.; Mrs. Charles Roberts, 49 East 16th St.; Mrs. Olen Strouse and baby, 1136 South Shore Dr.; Mrs. Howard Smith and baby, 328 1/2 West 17th St.; Mrs. Louis Elzinga and baby, 572 West 18th St.; George Vander Bie, 334 West 16th St.; Mrs. Claude Holcomb, 328 College Ave.; Mrs. Mary Davis, 281 Columbia Ave.; Mrs. John Kuipers, 2008 Scotch Dr.; William Phillips, 504 West 21st St.; Doris Van Oosterhout, 126 Riverhills Dr.; John Van Valkenburgh, 595 South Shore Dr.; Thomas Hobbs, 410 College Ave.

Admitted Sunday were Mrs. Joe Jellema, 279 South Wall St., Zeeland; Mrs. Alfred Rithamel, 12809 James St.; Mrs. Grace Roberts, 49 East 16th St.; Steven Forsten, 25 1/2 East 13th St.; Richard Van Langevelde, 647 West 22nd St.

Discharged Sunday were Gary D. Visscher, route 1; Mrs. Justin Petroleje and baby, route 5; Mrs. James Brewer and baby, 399 Felch St.; Mrs. Peter De Haan and baby, 343 North Division; Mrs. Clinton Bowen and baby, 482 West 23rd St.; Eugene Ten Clay, 51 1/2 East 15th St.

Hospital births include a daughter, Sharon Jean, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bowen, Sr., 482 West 23rd St.; a daughter, Barbara Ann, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. John Bagladi, 592 Elm-dale Court; a daughter, Susan Ray, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. William Rietveld, Jr., 349 College Ave.; a son, Ronald Dale, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rozema, 1055 Lakewood Blvd.

A son, Ronald Dale, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Gradus Lubbers, route 6; a son, Daniel Charles, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Warner De Leeuw, Jr., 273 West 18th St.; a son born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Simmons, 14 East 34th St.; a son, Keith John, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. John Nyboer, 715 Ruth Ave.

A son, John Wesley, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Stoutmire, route 2; a daughter, Anita Kay, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slikkers, 186 East 33rd St.; a son, William Brian, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Schippers, 813 Columbia Ave.; a son, Robert William II, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson, 3434 28th St.; Grandville.

A daughter, Lee Ann, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Compagner, 759 State St.; a daughter, Janice Kay, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Brouwer, route 2; a daughter, Faith Darlene, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Helms, route 6.

17-Year-Old Girl Dies Of Heart Condition

Geraldine Dykstra, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dykstra, route 1, Hamilton, died Sunday afternoon at Blodgett Hospital, Grand Rapids. She had been hospitalized for two weeks because of a heart condition. She was a senior at Allegan High School.

Surviving besides the parents are four sisters and five brothers, all at home.

Maritime law requires that all ships must go into dry dock every 12 months for bottom cleaning and barnacle removing.

Holland In 1917

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

"That bread is the staff of life" is scientifically true, according to Dr. A. T. Godfrey who read a paper on "Foods" before the Social Progress Club Tuesday evening when it met at the home of Supt. E. E. Fell began a story in the Wednesday, Dec. 5, issue of the Holland Daily Sentinel published in 1917.

The school teachers from the second draft district of Ottawa county will meet in Zeeland in the high school Saturday afternoon. This meeting is for the purpose of posting the teachers on how they can be of the most use in helping the registrants answer their questionnaires.

Grand Haven has taken official steps to prevent an epidemic of small pox in that city. The city officials have been stirred to immediate action by the presence of four cases of small pox there.

This morning the students and faculty of Hope College were addressed by the Rev. Clinton J. Frank of Moline, who last year was a student at Hope. Three months ago Mr. Frank left for the Officers' Training Camp at Fort Sheridan, Ill. from whence he departed last Tuesday as a full fledged "fighting parson" with the rank of second lieutenant.

Ninth Street Christian Reformed Church, commonly known as the old Van Raalte Church, adopted the budget system at the annual meeting. The question of making the language exclusively English was tabled for the present.

The Germans are not going to "get" the Holland Manufacturing plants, if the committee on lights of the Common Council can prevent it, according to a story in the Thursday, Dec. 6 issue. The committee has under consideration a plan whereby plenty of light will be used to safeguard the factory district and in that way prevent prowlers.

It is the plan of the Social Service Society to put charity in Holland on a more systematic basis in order to avoid all over lapping of giving and in order to see to it that the money given for this purpose actually goes to the families that need it most.

There is at present perhaps a smaller supply of hard coal in Holland than has been the case for many years. Mayor Vander-sluits declared last night that the coal bins are almost empty so far as hard coal goes, only eight or ten tons remaining unsold.

The beautiful yacht Marigold, worth \$50,000 and owned by Egbert H. Gold of Marigold Lodge, Chicago, has been sold to Louis Eisenlohr, a wealthy easterner of Philadelphia, Pa.

The Women of the St. Agnes Guild of Grace Church are planning to swell the organ fund of the church materially. To raise the money for this purpose the women will put on a benefit play at the Apollo Theater. Miss Alice Brady will appear in a classical comedy drama "The Self Made Widow."

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fletcher, West Seventh St., Wednesday, a girl.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. I. Warnshuis, missionaries in China, who have been spending the summer here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Haan, returned today from a visit in New York. They expect to leave next Wednesday for Shanghai, China, to resume their work.

Holland's first post office sub-station is now in operation. It is located in the Southern drug store, East Eighth St. for the benefit of patrons of the post office in the east end of the city.

Holland autoists learned by sad experiences today that now is the time to put their chains on the wheels if they wish to avoid serious accident, began a story in the Friday, Dec. 7, issue. This morning within the space of about half an hour there were three accidents on a single street within the space of four blocks.

Marguerite Clark, second to none in popularity among the stars of the screen, is the star in the famous play adaptation of the popular fairy tale "Snow White" which is to be offered as a benefit at the Strand on Dec. 12 by the Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter of DAR with the proceeds of which the chapter will help provide the soldiers at Camp Custer with sweaters, wristlets and other articles.

Frank Hamstra of Olive Center, while coming home from Coopersville was dangerously injured about the head in a runaway accident. The horse he was driving became frightened at some paper that was being blown about in the roadway by the wind.

Chester VanTongeren, L. Bouman, Ed Nederveld, Jud Krone-meyer, Henry VanTongeren, Jake Fris, Dyke Van Putten and Fred Schaefer, comprising the Holland YMCA Basketball team, left Friday morning for Traverse City to play the Olympics.

Morris Hysser returned from Detroit where he took an examination for the Quarter-masters' Reserve corps. He is now awaiting a call to go to Jacksonville, Fla., to attend a school of instruction there.

Driver Issued Ticket

David Johnson, 16, of 164 Glendale Ave. Sunday was issued a ticket for failure to have his car under control after a collision with a car driven by Robert Otto, 24, of 92 1/2 East 21st St., at 21st St. and College Ave. Damage to the two cars was estimated at \$200, police said.

Engagement Told



Miss Gladys Gruppen
Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Gladys Gruppen to Carl Van Dyke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Van Dyke, route 2, Zeeland. Miss Gruppen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gruppen, 100 West Washington, Zeeland.

Annual Meeting Of Farmers Set

The annual meeting and election of officers of the West Ottawa Soil Conservation District will be held on Jan. 22 at 1:30 in Allendale Town Hall. It was announced today by Clarence Reenders, Chairman.

He further stated, "It is a common belief that only cooperators of the District are permitted to vote. This is wrong. All land owners are eligible if they occupy three acres or more."

The program includes music by the Allendale Christian Reformed School band as well as a solo by Dale Ver Meer of Forest Grove. The Rev. Schaap will give the invocation. A humorous movie that shows that the use of fertilizer pays will be shown. B. Dale Ball, deputy director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture will be the speaker. Refreshments will be served.

The terms of Ed Dinkel, Conklin and Henry Ver Meer, Forest Grove, expire. They are seeking re-election.

Couple Wed at South Olive Church



Mr. and Mrs. Alverne Hop

A double ring ceremony in South Olive Christian Reformed Church on Dec. 30 united in marriage Miss Arlene Lankheet and Alverne Hop. The ceremony was read by the Rev. Titus Hoeyboer before an altar decorated with ferns, double candelabra and bouquets of white gladioli and mums.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lankheet, route 2, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hop of route 2.

In the wedding party were Mrs. Vernon Lohman, sister of the bride, as matron of honor; Miss Elaine Hop, sister of the groom, and Mrs. Howard Lankheet, the bride's sister-in-law, as bridesmaids; the groom's brother, Jun Hop, best man and Sherwin Hop and Howard Lankheet, brothers of the groom and bride, as ushers; Karen Lankheet, and Laryn Lohman, niece and nephew of the bride, flower girl and ring bearer.

The bride's gown of white satin and nylon net featured appliqued bows of rosepoint lace on the bodice and skirt. The long sleeves came to points over the wrists. The full skirt formed a cathedral train. The fingertip veil of imported silk illusion, edged in chantilly lace, was held in place by a net half hat, trimmed with pearls and sequins. She carried a white Bible with white carnations and streamers. Her jewelry included a rhinestone necklace and earrings from the groom.

The matron of honor wore a green gown and carried a colonial bouquet of yellow mums. Carrying colonial bouquets of bronze mums, the bridesmaids, wore gowns of lavender and yellow, respectively. All wore matching headpieces with small veils. A white nylon dress flocked with baby blue was worn by the flower girl who carried a basket of pom-poms. The ring bearer dressed in a white suit, carried the rings on a pillow.

Wedding music was provided by Miss Miriam Nienhuis, organist, and Richard Huyser, uncle of the bride, soloist.

Serving as master and mistress of ceremonies were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lankheet. Ninety guests attended a reception in the church basement. Waitresses were the Misses Henrietta Timmer, Esther Timmer, Josephine De Haan, Virginia Wedeven, Ruth Branden and Gladys Hassevoort.

Arranging the gifts were Mrs. Jun Hop and Mrs. Sherwin Hop and in charge of the guest book was Mrs. Clayton Bakker. Miss Mildred Vander Zwaag and Dennis Lankheet served punch. Albert Sall, Beverly Lankheet and Ray Vanden Brink provided a brief program.

For their wedding trip the bride wore a beige two-piece dress with brown and white accessories and white carnation corsage. The couple will live in Missouri where the groom is serving with the Army.

Trinity Society Hears Talk by Miss Nienhuis

Trinity Reformed Church Women's Missionary Society met in the Ladies Parlor Thursday afternoon. Mrs. John Spyker, newly-elected president, presided.

Miss Jean Nienhuis, former missionary to China, was speaker. Mrs. John Hains led devotions.

Hostesses were Mrs. John Donia and Mrs. Jake Schaap.

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Miss Beverly Iris Moomey
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moomey of Central Park announce the engagement of their daughter, Beverly Iris, to Wayne Vander Yacht, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vander Yacht, route 1, West Olive. The couple is planning a May wedding.

Royal Neighbors Make Plans for Installation

Plans for installation of new officers on Jan. 27 were discussed at a regular meeting of Royal Neighbors Thursday evening in charge of Mrs. Linnie Sly, oracle. Practice for installation will take place at a regular meeting on Jan. 20.

Cards were played with prizes going to Joe Dore, Richard Ellison and the Mesdames Linnie Sly and Elsie Knipe. Mrs. Jennie Bell and her committee served refreshments.

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Best selling articles include the home made breads, such as white, whole and cracked wheat. Other delicacies include Danish, fried and Parkerhouse rolls, tea biscuits and breads.

William Du Mond, owner and operator, invites residents to visit the store, view the many delicacies in the large refrigerated case, as well as in the specially built-in window display at the corner of the display room, which can be seen from the outside as well as from within. Call 2677 and Du Mond's will be glad to supply you with your needs.

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THIS GROUP OF LOCAL PERSONS are taking an active part in conducting the polio campaign in Holland this month. From left to right in front are Roy N. Smith, Exchange; W. Forberg, Junior Chamber; Mrs. Myron Van Oort, Junior Chamber Auxiliary; Irvin De Weerd, county chairman; Wilbur Cobb, county chairman; Mrs. Irvin De Weerd, Kiwanis Queens; standing, Webb Van Dokkumburg, Optimists; Henry Vander Plow, Lions; Russell Vande Poel, Lions; Robert Wolbrink, Rotary.

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(Penna-Sas photo)

Polio Campaign Is Well Under Way in Holland

Backboard Control Gives Tall Eagles Ken-New-Wa Win

HUDSONVILLE (Special) — Controlling the backboards throughout, the Hudsonville High Eagles scored a 64-50 win over the Zeeland High Chix here Tuesday night before 550 fans crammed into the Hudsonville gym. The win gave the Eagles a firmer grasp on second place in the Ken-New-Wa league with a 3-1 record and dropped the Chix to fourth spot with a 2-2 record.

Fremont leads the league with a 3-0 record and Coopersville is third with 2-1. These teams play Friday.

Rich Hoezee, 6'6" center and Loren Brandt, 6'4" forward were the Hudsonville big guns handling both boards. Slow at getting off the floor, the lads natural height advantage prevented the Chix from grabbing many rebounds. Dave Tyink, 6'2" center, was the tallest foe for the big boys.

The Eagles led the entire game. With a zone defense stopping the Chix driving game in the first quarter, Hudsonville managed to get 20 shots and sink eight while holding Zeeland to only three baskets in 14 attempts.

Coach Roy Gerkin, mindful of Zeeland's one-two scoring punch of Art Klamt and Carl Wissink, bottled up the duo with the zone. Klamt made only two baskets and Wissink one. The last time out the two had scored 52 points.

Hudsonville opened the scoring with four foul shots and pushed the score to 12-7 at the midway mark and 20-9 at the first quarter's close. Zeeland broke up the zone in the second quarter, and with Tyink leading, pushed to within six points, 29-23, with two minutes remaining.

The Chix made six out of 17 baskets in the second quarter while holding the winners to four baskets in 18 shots. Hudsonville led at half, 32-24.

The Eagles maintained the upper hand in the third period. A spurt at the end of the quarter pushed Hudsonville to a 51-37 third quarter margin. In the quarter the Eagles sank eight out of 19 shots and Zeeland six out of 14.

Continuing a driving game, accelerated in the third period, Coach Mel Bouma's lads managed to get within five points of the winners with 2:10 left in game. This was the closest margin of the game. Aggressive in the driving game, the Chix committed several fouls in the final minutes and the Eagles were able to increase the victory margin to 14 points. The winners made two baskets in the last quarter and Zeeland four.

The Eagles, as in past games, displayed a balanced scoring attack. Brandt led with 16 while Jack Kole and Garth Lowing had 15 each and Hoezee, 13. Tyink led Zeeland with 16 followed by Jack Faber with nine.

Hudsonville made 22 out of 60 shots for 36 percent and the Chix had 19 baskets on 60 attempts, for 32 percent. The Eagles made 20 out of 35 foul shots and Zeeland 12 out of 21.

Box score:

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Lowing, f	5	5	4	15
Brandt, f	6	4	1	16
Hoezee, c	5	3	2	13
Kole, g	5	5	4	15
Schut, g	1	3	4	5
Totals	22	20	14	64

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Schout, f	4	1	3	9
Wissink, f	1	5	3	7
Tyink, c	6	4	3	16
Faber, g	4	1	4	9
Klamt, g	2	0	5	4
Danstra, c	2	0	2	4
Looman, f	0	1	1	1
Bos, g	0	0	1	0
Totals	19	12	22	50

For about two dollars an Italian company will insure tourists against rain in Italy from May to October. Payoff for a week's rain is forty dollars.

Man Waives on Breakin Count

Roy C. Thomas, 37, Grand Rapids, waived examination when he was arraigned in Municipal Court Tuesday on a nighttime breaking and entering charge. Bond of \$1,000 was not furnished. Thomas allegedly broke into Steffens Market at 288 West 14th St. Saturday night and took some meat and gum.

Bentley Schut, 21, route 1, Hudsonville, and Harvey Hoezee, 21, Hudsonville, were found guilty of assault and battery charges in a non-jury trial in Municipal Court Tuesday and were sentenced to pay fines and costs of \$33 each or serve 15 days in the county jail. The alleged offense occurred Dec. 3. Hoezee is alleged to have assaulted Darwin Fugleth and Schut allegedly assaulted Theodore Koppenaal.

Roger Dyke, 19, of 14 East Ninth St., demanded examination when he was arraigned on a statutory rape charge Saturday. Examination was set Jan. 13 at 9:30 a.m. Bond was set at \$3,000. The alleged offense involving a 15-year-old girl occurred Dec. 23.

Roger Fowler, 17, of 535 West 22nd St., was found guilty of a speeding charge in a jury trial Tuesday afternoon and was sentenced to pay costs of \$23.80. He was charged with speeding 40 miles in a 25-mile zone. The jury deliberated about 15 minutes.

Simon Gaitan, 19, of 63 West First St., pleaded guilty to charges of speeding 35 miles in a 25-mile zone and of driving without an operator's license was sentenced to pay \$34.70 or serve 20 days in the county jail.

Others paying fines were Lester Rooks, 27, route 1, stop street, \$5; C.J. Van Tamelan, 136 West 32nd St., right of way, \$15; James William Bareman, route 2, speeding, \$5; Cornelius Juskey, route 3, speeding, \$10.

Parking costs of \$1 each were paid by Alton Van Faasen, 308 West 13th St.; Margo Rowan, 627 Butternut Dr.; Peter Yff, 111 East 10th St.; Ronald Dozeman, 383 West 19th St.; Lucille Freeman, 210 Maple Ave.; K.J. Barrett, Dearborn; W.E. Clemons, Detroit; Luther Hertler, no address listed; Harold A. Jacobs, South Holland, Ill.; Anne Van Dyke, 257 Van Raalte Ave.; Kenneth Van Nul, 26 East 15th St.; Max Billings, 512 North Shore Dr.

Mrs. Ed Nyland and Mrs. W. Clare Walker are serving as co-chairmen for the Mothers March the latter part of the month and Mrs. Myron Van Oort and Mrs. Irvin De Weerd are co-chairmen for the march which is sponsored by the Junior Chamber Auxiliary and the Kiwanis Queens.

The Mothers March will be held Saturday, Jan. 29, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

The Rotary Club is conducting the professional canvass and the Lions Club is soliciting the merchants. The Kiwanis Club is promoting the plank and wishing well.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Monday were Clare Broad, route 4; Louis Culver, 166 East Seventh St.; Mrs. Henry Kempfers, Sr., route 1, Hamilton; Mrs. Gerald Menken, 17 West 10th St.; Mark Masselink, 621 Lawndale Court; Carl Sybesma, 980 South Shore Dr.; Patricia McWilliams, 531 South Shore Dr.; Mrs. Dell Koop, 178 East Fourth St.; Mrs. Jarvis Ter Haar, 99 West 32nd St.; Arnold Ten Harnsel, 109 West Central, Zeeland; Mrs. Roelfje DeRidder, Resthaven.

Discharged Monday were Art Van Den Brink, 1590 Lakewood Blvd.; Mrs. John Robinson and baby, route 5; Mrs. Robert Stille and baby, 4200 136th Ave.; Mrs. Grady Lubbers and baby, route 6; Richard Van Langeveld, 647 West 22nd St.; Patricia Knap, 342 West 20th St.; Mrs. Harold H. Newcombe, 8 Shawnee Court, Chillicothe, Ohio; Carol Sybesma, 280 South Shore Dr.; Patricia McWilliams, 531 South Shore Dr.; Mark Masselink, 621 Lawndale Ct.

A son, Phillip John, was born in Holland Hospital Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lohman, route 2, Hamilton.

Belated Thanks

ALLEGAN (Special) — Members of the Allegan City Ministerial Association issued a statement Monday offering belated thanks to voters of the community "for their support in defeating proposal No. 4 at the November election which would have legalized lotteries in the state."

It is estimated China has 217,000,000 acres under cultivation for 500,000,000 people compared to 365,000,000 acres in the United States for one-third the population.



Mrs. Plum's Horizonette group met at her home with a good attendance. Hayride plans were discussed and Jan. 8 was set as the date. The group added two new members to their list. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Plum and the meeting was adjourned.

The "Ha-lu-ha-wee" Camp Fire group met with their leaders, Mrs. Andrew Dalman and Mrs. W.F. Young at Lincoln School. The following officers were elected: President, Shirley Bruusema; vice president, Sue Ann Modders; secretary, Patty Achterhof; and scribe, Nancy Cuperus. Gum was their treat.

The Seventh and Eighth grade Camp Fire Girls of St. Francis De Sales school entertained their mothers at a Christmas party in the school auditorium. Before the party, Mrs. W. Miller went caroling with the "Tekawitha" group and Mrs. P. Weidenhamer with the "Chesk-cha-may" group. Mothers and daughters joined in games with a prize going to Barbara Duffy. A two-course luncheon was served. The girls presented Mrs. Fabiano and Mrs. Miller with gifts. Each girl received a gift and a box of candy from their leaders. The girls presented their mothers with hand made gifts.

The "O-ki-yan-pi-kata" Camp Fire group had their Christmas party at the home of Carol Speet and a New Year's party at Kathy Eggers. Jan. 3, they held an election of officers. The following were elected: Charlotte Stephens, president; Janice Klaasen, vice president; Janice Kalkman, treasurer; Judy Thomas, secretary, and Kathy Eggers, scribe. Linda De Vries treated the girls.

The "O-ki-ci-ya-pi" Camp Fire Girls of Lakeview School opened their meeting with the treasurer and secretary reports. The girls plan to make toys for the Children's Retreat Home. They made scarves for their wardrobe. Linda Davis treated. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Glenard Bonnette.

The "La-te-we-tu-ma-chick" Camp Fire Girls of Beechwood School made invitations for a parents party. It will be in the new school at 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Feb. 3. An election of officers was held. The following were elected: president, Leona Brown; vice president, Mary Lou Van Til; secretary, Linda Slighter; treasurer, Melanie Johnson; scribe, Beverly Bredeweg; song leader, Pamela Klokert; game leader, Christy Highstreet, and party leader, Pat Kool.

The "Hi-wa-u-pi" Camp Fire group of Longtellow School met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Rene Willis. Carol Brondyke presided. They elected the following officers: Beverly Pol, president; Virginia Veeder, vice president; Barbara Kouw, secretary; Barbara Plewes, treasurer, and Mary Buys, scribe. They also played a game to learn their Indian symbols. On New Year's Eve, Mrs. Willis held a slumber party at her home. They celebrated the New Year in the morning they hiked to Beverly Pol's home for breakfast with their leader and Mrs. Willis.

The Happy Blue Birds of Van Raalte School held their Christmas party at the home of their leader, Mrs. Alan Teall. Games were played and gifts were exchanged. Lunch consisted of ice cream and cookies. They brought the food and clothing for their needy family and that was delivered after the party. The following meeting was held at the home of Sandra Broker. The following officers were elected: President, Donna Ende; secretary, Nancy Ver Hulst; treasurer, Candice Sheaffer, and scribe, Johanne Belt, Donna Ende treated. Their leaders are Mrs. Teall and Mrs. William Broker.

The Sweet Tweet Blue Birds of Harrington School have had many activities during the past few weeks to keep them busy. They made scrap books for the Holland Hospital; Christmas candles and planters for their mothers; enjoyed a skating party at the Coliseum in Zeeland in honor of Lois Dirksen's birthday. Mary Beth Rietdyk entertained the girls at her home with a Christmas party. The girls made soap dogs and at their last meeting at Ruth Weiss' home they made Blue Bird pins. Miss Florence Ten Have is their leader.

The Dancing Daisies of Longfellow School met with their leaders, Mrs. J. H. Van Dyke and Mrs. Kenneth Baker at the home of Mrs. Van Dyke. After making plans for several future weeks the girls spent the remainder of their meeting working with pencils and paper. Mrs. Van Dyke provided each girl with a treat.

The Busy Blue Birds met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Fred Kobes. Darlene Kobes was the hostess. They sang and played "Kootie."

The Lawton Drops Fennville. In Al-Van League Game

LAWTON (Special) — Lawton stopped Fennville here Tuesday night, 48-33 in an Al-Van League game. The Lawton five led all the way.

The quarter scores favored Lawton, 12-9; 34-19 and 39-29. Warren Stahlee was high point man for Fennville with 15 followed by Art Oxford with 10. Lamoreaux paced Lawton with 21.

The Fennville reserves defeated the Lawton seconds, 29-26.

The event is scheduled for 6:30 p.m.

The average annual rainfall in the United States equals 1,300 cubic miles.

The ermine belongs to the same family as the skunk.



THIRTY-ONE YOUNG MEN left Grand Haven Armory Monday afternoon for induction into the armed forces in Detroit. Kneeling, left to right, are Charles Dykstra, Harold Brandsen, Marvin Grit, Gerald Hassevoort, Jimmie TenBroeke, Harvey Nies, Milton Beelen, Richard Edstrom, Kenneth C. Retzlaff; middle row, John Spencer, Lawrence Reenders, Jack Miller, Sherwin

Kroll, Michael Cziender, Richard Bethke, Ronald Braak, Vernon Peters, Richard Carlson, Cornelius Witt, Harvey Dykema; top row, Clarence Konyndyke, Norman Kalkman, Richard Van Noord, Chester Warner, Delton Wiersma, Orrin Padding, Gerard Timmer, Gerald Schreur, Robert Brown, George Van Dyke and Robert E. Denhof. (Sentinel photo)

Spring Style Show to Be Staged at Civic Center

Plans to Wed



Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Roelofs of Vriesland announce the engagement of their daughter, Emeline, to Harris Oppenhuizen, son of Mrs. Christine Oppenhuizen of Hudsonville. A February wedding is being planned.

Olive Center

The ground work has been laid for the annual Polio drive which will be held the last week of January. The campaign chairman, Jack Nieboer has appointed four key workers in the township who in turn will appoint their own house-to-house workers.

The key workers are: Mrs. Harry Schutte, Millie Knoll, Harvey Hassevoort and Peter Koolker.

Oliver Banks of Grand Rapids, who formerly owned the Albert Ives farm, visited friends here Thursday.

Mrs. Carrie Rozema and Mrs. Sarah Hassevoort were visitors at the home of Mrs. Henry Hassevoort in Pine Creek Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Martin Boers of Zeeland spent the weekend at the home of Sena and John Redder.

A belated neighborhood Christmas party was held at the town hall Friday. Mrs. Franklin Veldheer and Mrs. Fred Veneberg conducted a program of games and contests. Gifts were exchanged and lunch was served by Mrs. John Boers and Mrs. Ray Bekius.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Diemer are settled in their new home on Polk St., which has recently been completed. The former received his discharge from the service early this fall.

The newly elected officers of the Ladies Aid of Ottawa Reformed church are President, Mrs. Niel Boersema; vice president, Mrs. Fred Bush; secretary, Mrs. Roger Boersema; treasurer, Mrs. Glenn Ten Brink and assistant secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Jim Essenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Meeuwse of Zeeland were entertained at the home of Mrs. Sena Redder and John Sunday evening.

Charles N. Knowles, 84, Succumbs at Hospital

Charles N. Knowles, 84, of 630 Myrtle Ave., died early Saturday at Holland Hospital after an illness of several weeks. He was born Sept. 9, 1870, in North Randall, Ohio, to the late Mr. and Mrs. Seth B. Knowles and on Feb. 1, 1895, he married Miss Minnie A. Nysson at Saugatuck. Mrs. Knowles died Nov. 17, 1951. The family has lived on Myrtle Ave. since 1908.

Mr. Knowles formerly was an electrician on the old interurban railroad and was a member of Unity Lodge No. 191, F and AM. Surviving are three sons, Robert of Holland, Clarence of Glendale, Calif., and Walter of Holt, Mich.; five grandchildren; three great grandchildren.

Eighth, Ninth Graders Play

Holland eighth and ninth grade basketball teams will play in Grand Haven Friday afternoon. The eighth graders are scheduled to play a comparable Grand Haven group at 4:45 p.m., preceded by the two freshmen units at 3:45. Games will be played in the old Grand Haven gym.

A spring style show, featuring fashions for the entire family, is being planned by members of the Holland Hospital Auxiliary.

The show will be staged in the Civic Center on Thursday, Feb. 17, at 8 p.m., with the local J.C. Penney Co. providing the fashions. All units of the Hospital Auxiliary are cooperating in the project.

Plans were discussed at an auxiliary board meeting Monday afternoon at the hospital.

Mrs. Don Lieverse is general chairman for the show; Mrs. Henry Maentz, in charge of tickets; Mrs. Clarence Klaasen, models; Mrs. Louis Hohmann, ushers, and Mrs. A. G. Sall, publicity. Mrs. Robert Kouw will serve as narrator and organ music will be provided by Meyer's Music House.

The committee emphasized that this is a show for everyone, including the men, as the list of models will include men, women and children.

In other business Monday afternoon, the auxiliary heard a report on their successful sale of holiday greens, which netted more than \$600. Mrs. J.D. Jencks was in charge of the project.

Mrs. Clarence Klaasen, Mrs. Louis Hohmann, Mrs. Jencks and the president, Mrs. A.W. Tahaney, gave a resume of their trip to the Michigan Hospital Auxiliary Association meeting in Detroit.

Plans were initiated for another Holland Hospital Birthday Coffee on April 12.

Fred Burd, hospital director, reported on the rural affiliation plan in which Michigan State College nursing students spend a month at the local hospital. This is the second year Holland Hospital has been chosen to take part in the program.

The next board meeting is scheduled for Feb. 7.

Zeeland Reserves Drop Second Tilt

HUDSONVILLE (Special) — With Wendell Borrikk's 32 points leading the attack, the Hudsonville reserves stopped the Zeeland reserves, 51-46 here Tuesday night. The Little Eagles led the entire game, with the exception of 14 seconds in the final period, when Zeeland jumped to a one-point lead.

Nip-and-tuck, the winners held an 8-6 at the end of the first quarter and 21-19 at half. The third period score was 38-34. At the 3:20 mark in the fourth period, Dave Den Ouden, Zeeland sophomore, put the Chix into the lead for the only time in the contest. His layup made the score 42-42 but the lead was only momentary as Borrikk matched the basket on the return up court.

A freshmen-studded team, Zeeland now holds a 5-2 overall record. The Zeeland seconds are coached by Paul Van Dort.

Den Ouden led the Zeeland scoring with 14 followed by Max De Jonge with 11. Other scorers included Ron Beyer, 10; Ken Zeerip, 7; Ron Komejan, 3 and Ron Van Hattma, 1. Dave Van Peursem shone for Zeeland on defense.

CLA Stewards Meet At Vanderwall Home

At a meeting of stewards of Local 18, Christian Labor Association, Friday evening at the home of George Vanderwall, members prepared proposals for the coming contract for April 1. About 20 were present.

The local CLA, which was organized Jan. 4, 1954, at present has a membership of 115 and represents about 20 contractors in the construction field, including carpenters, electricians, etc. Its aims are for betterment of the working men's conditions including wages, insurance, fringe benefits, etc.

A social hour followed and refreshments were served by the host.

Meetings are held bi-monthly. The Jan. 21 meeting will be for the purpose of ratifying proposals recommended by the stewards.

Some tire-makers have up to 6,000 different molds for various tire sizes and types.

Borculo

The Rev. Robert Evenhuis has accepted a call recently extended him from the congregation of Rochester, N.Y.

The Holland - Zeeland Girls League meeting will be held at Ninth Street Church in Holland Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Boersen announce the birth of a daughter.

The Zeeland classis meets today at Oakland Christian Reformed Church. The Rev. Evenhuis and Elder Garvelink will attend.

The Executive Committee of Foreign Missions meets on Thursday in Grand Rapids. Rev. Evenhuis will attend the meeting.

Mrs. William Styf has been taken to Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids for X-rays and tests.

Mary Essenburg is still ill.

Little Alice Blauwkamp has been taken to Burton Heights Osteopathic Hospital in Grand Rapids for tests.

William Hirdes and Mrs. Herman Geerts are ill.

PEO Entertained At Buys Home

"I Was There," story of the founding of PEO at Mount Pleasant, Iowa, on Jan. 21, 1861, was presented before Chapter BW Monday night in the home of Mrs. A. G. Buys on Elmdale Ct., by Mrs. Gerald Bolhuis.

The program honored the seven young women who organized the society at Iowa Wesleyan College and showed how it has grown to include a membership of 119,000 women who sponsor a magazine, an educational fund, a junior college, a memorial library and homes for retired women.

On Jan. 21 the local chapter will send several representatives to Grand Rapids to attend a Founders' Day luncheon sponsored by the Grand Rapids chapters in Trinity Methodist Church. Mrs. George Damson of the Holland chapter will be the speaker.

Mrs. A. E. Hildebrand presided at the business meeting and read her annual president's letter to the state president, Mrs. G. E. White of Grand Rapids. Plans for initiation were made for the next meeting, Jan. 24 in the home of Mrs. Damson.

Mrs. V. J. Baarman assisted the hostess.

New Citizens Honored At Surprise Party

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Muller were guests of honor at a surprise party Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Bush-house. The occasion was the receipt of their citizenship papers at the Court House in Grand Haven during the afternoon.

The game room was decorated with both American and Netherlands flags. The evening was spent playing games and making a tape recording of greetings by guests to friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Muller in the Netherlands.

Refreshments were served from tables displaying colors of the flag. The honored guests were presented a gift from the group.

Mr. Muller is plant engineer of Parke, Davis and Company in Holland. The couple arrived in America in 1949 and lived a year in Grand Rapids. Since November, 1950, they have made their home on Howard Ave., where they live with their three children, Billy, Marcia and Jean Clare.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Bert Koops, Mrs. James Van Iwaarden and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Roossien of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. William Kool, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Brower, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bouman, Mr. and Mrs. John Ten Harnsel, Mr. and Mrs. Marinus Pott, Mr. and Mrs. W. Telgenhof, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Tuls, Mr. and Mrs. Kees Deventer, Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Por, Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Karsten, Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Holwerda, Mr. and Mrs. Muller and the host and hostess.

Plan GOP Convention

ALLEGAN (Special) — Weldon Rumery, county Republican chairman, has issued the official call for the bi-annual convention which will be held Feb. 7 in the Griswold Memorial building, Allegan. Nearly 300 Republican delegates from the county's 32 precincts are expected to attend the meeting to name 17 delegates and 17 alternates to the state convention in Detroit, Feb. 19.

Map Who Tore Shirt Off Cop Appeals Sentence

ALLEGAN (Special) — A \$100 fine, 30-day jail sentence and order to make \$15 restitution for tearing the shirt from an Allegan city police officer is being appealed to circuit court by George E. Stuck, 31, of Allegan.

Stuck pleaded guilty to a drunk driving charge in municipal court and Judge Ervin Andrews handed down the three-part sentence. Police Officer Robert Johnson testified that Stuck tore his shirt from him when he attempted to arrest him. Stuck is free on a \$500 bond pending a hearing on his appeal in circuit court.

Holland Township Building Permits Near \$3,000,000

1954 Figures Almost Double the 1953 Total; G.E. Plant Included

Holland township experienced a boom year in building during 1954. Township Clerk Walter Vander Haar reported this week. During 1954, a total of 345 permits were issued for a total outlay of \$2,911,740.

This figure is almost double the 1953 figure of \$1,595,385 which represented 306 permits.

In Holland city, 600 permits were issued during 1954 for a total of \$2,647,362.24, according to information given City Council Wednesday night. This figure includes permits for new roofs and sidings in Holland city. It is not necessary to obtain permits for such work in the township.

A considerable percentage of township permits the past year accounted for in a single application from the General Electric Company which applied for a \$1,200,000 permit for a new plant.

In all, there were five industrial permits totaling \$1,261,000; 80 houses and garages, \$820,400; 29 houses, \$386,200; 74 garages, \$64,975; 61 residential alterations, \$40,415; 21 commercial, \$103,175; eight warehouses, \$36,500; four chicken coops, \$4,625; two signs, \$450; one church, \$20,000; one doctor's office, \$4,000.

The 1953 breakdown was as follows: 71 houses, \$477,860; 39 houses and garages, \$407,450; 68 garages, \$46,500; 76 residential alterations, \$68,125; 26 miscellaneous, \$14,900; two schools, \$256,500; one club house, \$5,000; one parish house, \$80,000; three stores, \$26,000; one commercial garage, \$25,000; nine warehouses, \$37,600; six industrial permits, \$141,000; three motels, \$9,500.

De Witt to Retire

Allegan County Supervisors Shop For an Architect

Make Plans to Build New County Building; Appropriation Enough

ALLEGAN (Special) — Allegan County's Board of Supervisors continued "shopping" for architects Tuesday, carrying out the authorization of voters to make plans for a new county building.

Two representatives of Louis Kingscott Associates of Kalamazoo, Edward Jennings and John Lattin appeared before the board at its morning session to offer their services and answer a barrage of questions from individual members.

Jennings and Lattin were put on the pan, briefly, as supervisors questioned them about a \$1,600 overpayment to the firm for drawing up plans for "flat-topping" the present building. The firm had been paid in advance on the basis of their estimates and the low bid was considerably under the estimate. All of the bids for flat-topping were rejected and the plan has been discarded. The board pointed out, however, that the overpayment had never been repaid to the county.

Later Jennings and Lattin answered questions about the cost of a new building and learned that \$750,000—the amount authorized by voters—would cover a building with approximately the same amount of floor space as the present court house. Also discussed were the advisability of renting space in the proposed building and the comparative economy of one and two-story buildings.

Before adjourning until Wednesday morning the board approved the following fund transfers from the general fund: \$8,500 for direct relief, \$5,500 for the county farm and hospital, \$3,000 for the county park fund, and \$35,000 to the county road fund.

Clerk Esther Warner Hettinger submitted a budget summary for 1954 which showed a \$65,175 balance in the general fund after expenditures of \$255,425, a health department balance of \$3,996 and a road fund balance of \$92,874. A social welfare department report showed total disbursements of \$306,105 for the year.

Hearing Tests Begin in Allegan

ALLEGAN (Special) — Hearing tests for school children in Allegan city and nearby rural schools got underway this week, according to Dr. A.B. Mitchell, health department director.

Mrs. William Schmitz is conducting the tests under the joint sponsorship of the health department, the Allegan County Medical Society and the School Masters Association.

Two types of tests are given in the initial screening program, according to Dr. Mitchell. Students in kindergarten through second grade are given individual tests while those in higher grades are given group tests. Those failing either of the tests are given more complete examinations later and, in case of further failures, are taken to an ear specialist through appointments made by the health department.

In addition to the city schools, Blackman, Moore, Foster, Prouty, Merson, Harper, Ross, Clifford, Millgrove, Hicks, South Monterey, Babylon, Hudson Corners, Wetmore, Jewett, Maple View and Miner Lake rural schools are participating in the program.

Bentheim

Vernon Boersen was the C.E. leader Sunday. Topic for discussion was based on "Why Study the First Four Commandments."

The sermon topic used by Rev. Denekas on Sunday were "Are We Robbing Our Souls" and "All Kinds of Prayers."

Laverne Estes of Overisel sang two solos at the evening service.

Consistory meeting was held Monday evening to organize the new consistory for the year.

Prayer meeting will be held at the local church to the remaining winter months on Wednesday evening at 8:15.

Dr. J. R. Mulder and the Rev. Jack Van Dyke will conduct the services at the local church Sunday.

Rev. C. Denekas expects to occupy the pulpit in the New Faith Reformed church in Zeeland on Sunday.

Funeral services were held Saturday for Mrs. Albert Eding who died Tuesday evening. She had been in ill health for a long period of time.

Many children in this area are ill with the measles.

Rev. and Mrs. Denekas were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Byland on Sunday evening.

Recent guests at the Denekas home were Rev. Rozeboom of Ottawa, Rev. and Mrs. R. Denekas of Holland.

Hein Dannenberg recently had part of his cast removed from his broken leg and is now able to sit up in bed. Mrs. J. Sal is also improving slowly after fracturing her leg.

Milo Boerman left for the armed services on Tuesday.

Sons of the Revolution will meet at 8 p.m. Monday at the home of Clifford B. Hopkins, 17 West Ninth St.



A BIG ACHIEVEMENT — Harvey Bouwman of 198 East Fifth St. looks proudly at his new Holland High School diploma. Bouwman, who is 47 and the father of eight children, received the diploma last week after completing the last six credits he needed for graduation from high school. A former custodian at the Senior High building, he is now barbering. (Sentinel photo)

Father of Eight Gets Holland High Diploma

Harvey Bouwman can point with pride today to a piece of paper that may change his life.

Bouwman, who is 47 and the father of eight children, last week received his Holland High School diploma.

Until April of last year, he worked for six years as a custodian at Holland Senior High, and has since gone into barbering. While a custodian he became interested in completing his education. Bouwman had finished his junior year in high school but had never graduated.

After talking it over with School Supt. Walter Scott and Senior High Principal J. J. Riemersma in September of 1953, Bouwman discovered that he needed only six more credits to obtain a diploma.

"I worked during noon hours so I wouldn't lose time on the job," Bouwman said.

He took courses in machine shop, co-operative training, government and economics. Bouwman did not attend regular classes but received outside assignments from his teachers.

Bouwman said that he thought courses in government and economics were somewhat easier for him than the regular school student because of his age and an adult's general knowledge in these fields.

One of his daughters, Gayle, 18, graduated from Holland High last June. She and her father had completed their work at the same time, but Bouwman's diploma did not arrive until last week. Both of them made the honor roll, however. Bouwman with one A and two B's.

Bouwman, who has been barbering since he was 11 years old, hopes to take Civil Service tests in order to become a barber inspector. A high school education is necessary in order to take these examinations. He has been barbering at home and in Allendale recently.

Besides his high school work, he also has nearly 400 hours in short course work from Michigan State College in custodianship.

Bouwman's children, ranging in age from eight to 26 years, are proud of their dad. Asked if all his children will finish high school, Bouwman replied, "Yes. That is one rule that their mother and I have made."

And as for future plans in education for himself, Bouwman says, "I may go on into college work now, who knows?"

Allegan Auto License Office in 'City Hotel'

ALLEGAN (Special) — The department of state's branch office in Allegan will not be located in the city hall, as was announced this week by Secretary of State James M. Hare, but in a building known locally as the "city hotel."

Here, in announcing the appointment of Cornelius Bazaan, local insurance man, as manager of the branch office, whose main function is the sale of motor vehicle license plates, said the office would be located in the city hall.

The office is now open and is located in the old "city hotel" building on Hubbard St., across from the A and P store.

Fishing Fine Paid

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Thomas C. McGuire, 22, Grand Rapids, paid \$5 fine and \$7.80 costs in Justice Workman's court Wednesday afternoon on a charge of fishing without a resident license. The arrest was by Conservation Officer Harold W. Bowditch Sunday on Millhouse Bayou in Grand Haven township.

A strict diet might be regarded as a virtue for those who visit England's Ripon Cathedral. There's an opening in the building known as St. Wilfred's Needle, and legend has it that only the chaste can squeeze through.

Holland Permitted To Build Pipeline Adjacent to Bridge

City Also Requests More Voting Machines; Sheriff Appears Today

GRAND HAVEN (Special) —

The Board of Supervisors Tuesday afternoon unanimously granted permission to the Board of Public Works of Holland to build a 36-inch aerial steel pipe across Black River adjacent to the bridge on North River Ave. in connection with Holland's new water supply program, which involves a pipeline to Lake Michigan. The request came from Black and Veatch, consulting engineers, who are building the pipeline.

The Ottawa County Road Commission previously had granted permission. The construction involves no expense to the county.

A request from Holland city for additional voting machines was referred to a special committee of three which will study the entire elections situation and analyze the needs of the county as a whole. Holland city currently has 16 voting machines and is requesting five more to meet the needs. Clerks of cities in the county and township supervisors were asked to survey their own needs and report to the committee.

Appearing before the board Tuesday were representatives of two appraisal firms, John D. Cole, president of the Cole-Layer-Trumble Co. of Dayton, Ohio, and Kenneth Schuh, field manager of the J. M. Clemmshaw Co. of Cleveland, Ohio. The latter represented his uncle, William Clemmshaw.

In acting on the appraisal question, Gerrit Bottema of Spring Lake Township said his township believes the appraisal should be made by a competent firm of engineers. William Koop, Holland city assessor, agreed that this was the only fair way. Slaughter felt that his constituents in Tallmadge Township would not be any better off since it would only show them that their supervisor didn't know how to make an appraisal, besides it held it is a step towards centralized government.

Chris Fendt of Port Sheldon asked what he should tell his people back home who were against outside appraisal firm, but he received no answer.

Several annual reports were received.

The board adjourned to 1:30 p.m. today.

Miss Wyckoff Speaks At Missionary Meet

The Women's Mission Auxiliary of Third Reformed Church met in the church chapel for their first regular meeting of the new year Wednesday evening.

Miss Jeanette Veltman had charge of devotions. Mrs. R. B. Champion and Mrs. James Bennett planned the program. Special music was provided by Miss Eleanor Casper of Hope College who sang "Give Ear to My Prayer," accompanied by Miss Rose Mary Morrison, also a student at Hope.

Miss Barbara Walwood played a piano solo, the first movement of the "Sixth Sonatina" by Mozart.

Mrs. Champion introduced Miss Charlotte Wyckoff of India as speaker of the evening. Miss Wyckoff, who is the third generation of the missionary family, was born in India. She spent 25 years teaching in Sherman High School, Vellore, India. The last 15 years were spent in rural India at Muttathur.

She showed colored slides of the work, placing the development of missionary project from a tent under a banyan tree to a large missionary settlement with a school for more than 200 students and six native teachers. Miss Wyckoff is at present conducting a series of classes at Hope College and Western Theological Seminary.

Mrs. Kenneth Koolker, president, presided at the business meeting. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. William Moerdyk and Miss Sue Plagge-mars.

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HONOR SCOUTMASTER — Boy Scouts of troop 30, Harrison School, recently presented Scoutmaster Art Tazelaar with a Scout statue for his part in an active program during the past year. From left to right at the presentation ceremony are Jimmy Zeedyk, Tazelaar, Gary Evink and David Beverwyk.

Hollander, Sears, Morse Victorious; Schippers Hits 35

The three first place teams followed the script and turned in victories in City League play Wednesday night at the Armory, but all three had a few anxious moments before recording wins.

Hollander Beverage took the measure of Economy IGA, 70-64; H.E. Morse downed the Vets, 58-52 and Sears and Roebuck defeated Kolo Auto, 55-50.

Ken Schippers, Economy IGA forward, turned in the top scoring performance of the season against the Beverage team. The former Holland High and Hillsdale College player, who specializes in a one-hand push shot, sank 35 points in the game on 13 baskets and nine foul tosses.

League standings to date:

Team	W	L
H.E. Morse	4	1
Hollander Beverage	4	1
Sears and Roebuck	4	1
Economy IGA	2	3
Kolo Auto	1	4
Vets	0	5

Doubling the scoring 26-13 in the final period gave the Hollander Beverage five the win over the Grocers. Nip-and-tuck for two periods, Economy, using a strong fast break, moved into a 51-44 third period lead and appeared on the way to a victory.

Bob (Shorty) Van Dyke and Ron Isaacs combined talents in the last quarter, getting the ball off the boards and making the points to first tie the score and push the Beverage five into the lead.

The score at the end of the first period was knotted at 14-14 and the tie continued at halftime, 30-30.

Schippers led Economy with 35 points. The rest of the team followed behind. Fortney and Slager netted 8 each; Bloemendahl, 5; Van Oort, 4; and Kramer and Scheur, 2 each.

Shorty Van Dyke paced the winners with 23. Isaacs had 12; R.A. Van Dyke, 10; Koop, 9; F. Van Dyke, and L. Van Dyke, 7 and Botsis, 2.

The Vets, trying to shake loose of the league cellar, fought down to the wire before losing out to H.E. Morse. The Mosermans had scoring rallies in the second and fourth periods and led the entire game.

Morse held a 12-11 first quarter margin and upped the lead six more points at halftime to 32-25. The Vets came battling back in the third period and came within one point of the winners, 43-42, outscoring Morse 18-12 in the quarter.

Ron Nykamp led Morse with 19 points. Other scorers were Scholten, 13; Schrotenboer, 11; Schipper, 6; B. Altena, 4; and E. Altena and Kolo, 2 each.

Jack Kemper paced the Vets with 13. Mack had 11; Beckman, 10; J. Slag, Shindel, and Boerman, 6 each.

Sears and Roebuck led all the way in knocking off Kolo Auto. Only in the last quarter, when the Automen outscored the winners, 16-12, did the defending champs threaten.

The winners held a 16-9 first period lead and although outscored in the second period by two points clung to a 23-18 halftime margin. The third period score favored Sears, 43-34.

Tim Beerthuis took scoring honors for the winners with 22 tallies. Ken Van Tatenhove followed with 10. Other scorers were B. Reitsma, 9; Grovengood and Hulst 5 each and Van Dord, 4.

Al Nelson, lanky center, paced Kolo with 14 points. Al Dykema was close behind with 12. Other scorers were Van Hoven, 8; De Young, 7; Heydorn, 5; and De Graw and Gantos, 2 each.

Serves as Chairman

ALLEGAN (Special) — Allegan's Superintendent of Schools L. E. White will serve as a group chairman at the annual Michigan school board conference to be held at Kellogg Center, East Lansing, Jan. 31.

The concert will be sponsored by the Girls League for Service of Beechwood Church.

The Christian Veterans Choir of 30 male voices is directed by Albert Smith and has made several appearances in Holland.

The United States Supreme Court was organized in 1789.

Holland Cagers to Play In Grand Haven Friday

Chances of Holland's making Grand Haven its second victim of the basketball season were reported "good" today following sharper ball handling and shooting in this week's practices and an improved showing in the last two games. The Dutch, who wind up drills this afternoon, will meet the Burs in the Grand Haven gym Friday at 8 p.m.

Coach Fred Weiss reported today the Holland starting lineup will be a tossup between six boys. They are Ron Van Dyke, Tom Overbeek, Sherry Shaffer, Chuck Gouloze, Bill Japinga and Bob Saunders.

In the Muskegon game, Weiss started Shaffer in place of Overbeek and both turned in good scoring games. Against Benton Harbor, the Holland coach started both Shaffer and Overbeek, benching Saunders, and Saunders, when inserted, came through with five baskets.

Four other players pleased the Holland coach in Wednesday's drills. John Kleinhekel, Henry Visscher, Phil Boersma and Gerry Boeve all responded well to instruction.

Grand Haven has won two games, against Muskegon and Coopersville, and lost six, Niles twice, Holland Christian, Benton Harbor, Muskegon Heights and St. Joseph. In the eight games, Coach Steve Sluka has shuffled the starting combination around every time.

Gene Van Dongen, who has started seven games, will probably start at a forward, with Don Boyink, the team's leading scorer with a 12 point average, at the other forward. Jerry Ryenga, 6'3" junior, who has been improving daily and has been a starter six times, will probably go at one of the guards along with Julius Wildron, who lists a seven point game average.

Phil Clark, 6'5" will start at center. Clark has had trouble scoring the first games. Substitutes expected to play are Jerry Green, Bob Botly, Dale Miller and Dale Poort.

The two reserve teams will open the night's play with a game at 6:30 p.m. Coach Bob Connell will probably stick with the same lineup that started against Benton Harbor. Rog Plagenhoef and Les Overway will work the forwards with Dave Hilbink at center. Dick Vander Yacht, high scorer the last two games, will start at one guard and Tom Stoel at the other.

DAV Auxiliary Meets At Mrs. Lugten's Home

Members of the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Peter Lugten. Mrs. Edith Habinga, commander, conducted the business session.

Several notes and letters were read thanking the Auxiliary for Christmas gifts. A report was given on the successful party at the veterans home in Grand Rapids Dec. 14, when eight Auxiliary members entertained the veterans at a Christmas party.

Mrs. Ruth John was welcomed as a new member.

The group discussed ways of acquiring new eligible members.

After the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. Lugten and Mrs. Alex Humber.

Mothers Club Meets At Montello Park

Montello Park School Mothers Club met Monday evening at the school.

During the business session, Mrs. David John was elected new treasurer of the group. Devotions were conducted by Miss Adeline Sysma.

An interesting talk, illustrated with slides, was presented by Miss June Fiedler, a teacher at Montello Park School. She told of work in the East Harlem parish.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. H. Henderson, Mrs. H. Bosma and Mrs. H. Stygstra.

Explorations in what is now North Dakota were made as early as 1780 by French Canadians.

Shelbyville Pair Gets Jail Terms

ALLEGAN (Special) — Two Shelbyville youths were sentenced to three years probation plus 30 and 60-day jail sentences Wednesday after pleading guilty to larceny from a Wayland supermarket.

A. J. Bailey, Jr. 18, was given a 60-day jail term in addition to three years probation. He was also ordered to make restitution of \$91, pay \$100 costs, sheriff's fees of \$4 and \$5 a month oversight fee, by Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith.

His companion in the Dec. 9 theft from Bravada's Market, Ivan Sheldon, 17, was sentenced to 30 days in jail, plus three years probation, \$91 restitution, \$50 court costs, \$64 sheriff's fees and a \$5 a month oversight fee.

Judge Smith accepted guilty pleas from seven others who were arraigned before him Wednesday. Sentence was deferred in all seven cases until Feb. 9.

Appearing before him were: Edwin E. Curtis, 46, Otsego, charged with issuing a no-account check. Floyd Theil, 37, Otsego, charged with forgery. Frank Driver, 48, of Baldwin, for non-support. Robert W. Caywood, 17, route 1, Hopkins, Theodore McLaughlin, 20, Cleon E. Martin, 21, of Wayland, Theron Martin, 17, of Martin, all of whom pleaded guilty to entering with intent to commit larceny.

Albert Vander Wal Dies In Pine Rest Hospital

Albert Vander Wal, 70, of 330 West 20th St., died early this morning in Pine Rest Hospital.

He has been a patient there for the last nine weeks.

Surviving are the wife Fette; two sons, Russell and George of Holland; four daughters, Mrs. Tony Helfenthal and Mrs. Arthur Bleeker of Holland, Mrs. John Payne of Virginia and Mrs. L. U. Smith of South Carolina; 17 grandchildren, seven great grandchildren; two brothers and two sisters in the Netherlands.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. from the Ver Lee Funeral Home with the Rev. J. H. Brink of Sixteenth Street Christian Reformed Church officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday and Friday evening from 7 to 9 p.m.

Grand Haven Child Succumbs at Birth

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Private graveside services for Susan Haan, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Haan, 1221 Waverly St., will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at Lake Forest Cemetery. The child died at birth at Hackley Hospital in Muskegon on 10 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. Benjamin Ypma of First Christian Reformed Church will officiate.

Surviving besides the parents are a six year old sister, Trudy Kay, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Van Wynen and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haan, all of Grand Haven. Funeral arrangements were made by the Van Zantwick Funeral Home.

Leo W. Hoffman, Allegan attorney, has been invited to be one of the speakers at the sixth annual Institute of Legal Advocacy on the University of Michigan campus at Ann Arbor Feb. 11. Another speaker will be Joseph Welch, Boston attorney who represented the Army during the McCarthy hearings last summer. The Institute is sponsored by the University of Michigan law school in cooperation with the Institute of Legal Advocacy.

Peter Van Domelen, Sr., of Central Park, left this morning by train for Whittier, Calif., where he will spend two months with his daughter, Miss Louise Van Domelen.

Paraffin wax made from petroleum is one of 32 ingredients employed in the manufacture of matches and the match industry consumed 18,000,000 pounds of paraffin wax in 1953, the Match Industry Information Bureau reported.

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Overisel

Several women of both churches donated home made cookies to be sent to Percy Jones Hospital in Battle Creek recently. They were Mrs. Justin Brink, Mrs. Melvin Dannenberg, Mrs. Julius Essink, Mrs. Earl Gunneman, Mrs. Gerrit Hemmeke, Mrs. Donald Koopman, Mrs. Justin Tucker, Mrs. Albert Hazekamp, Mrs. Edwin Klingenberg, Mrs. Willis Klingenberg, Mrs. Gerrit Essink, Mrs. William Scholten and Mrs. George Lampen.

The Mission Guild of the Christian Reformed church met last week Thursday evening. The Rev. John Medendorp was in charge of the opening devotions and Bible lesson. A poem, "Growing Old" was read by Mrs. Jerald Veen. Mrs. Veen also offered the closing prayer. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Bernard Lohman, Mrs. Elmer Zoet and Mrs. Jarvis Zoet.

The Ladies Aid of the Christian Reformed Church met last week Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. J. Medendorp had charge of the opening devotions and Bible lesson. Others taking part were Mrs. Jacob Haan and Mrs. Edward Schreier. The closing prayer was by Mrs. Sander Wolters. Refreshments were served by Mrs. William Dykhus.

The week of prayer was observed in the Reformed Church last week. On Wednesday evening the Rev. Norman Van Heukelom of Hamilton was the speaker and he had as his subject "How Can We Make Prayer Meaningful." On Friday evening the Rev. Clarence Denekas of Bentheim was the speaker. His subject was "What Does Prayer Accomplish?"

The girls 4-H club of Sandy View school met at the home of Donna Kaper last week Tuesday evening, with 15 members present. A few games were played and the rest of the evening was spent sewing. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Kaper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ter Haar, Donna, Daryl and Douglas of Hamilton were also present at the gathering in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brink on Dec. 28 but their names were omitted from the guest list last week.

A sisters gathering was held in the home of Mrs. Donald Kaper last week Wednesday. Those present were Mrs. Ida Avink, Mrs. Elmer Avink, and Ruth Ann, Mrs. Murtion Lankheet and Glenn, and Mrs. Gerald Lubbers, Paul and Judy.

Funeral services were held in the Reformed church for Mrs. August Tellinghuisen last week Tuesday afternoon.

Funeral services were held in the Reformed church for Harry Rigterink Monday afternoon.

Correction in the addresses of Pvt. Leon Klassen and Pvt. Delvin Lankheet. They should read 2nd PLT Co. A.

Louis Krazy, seminary student, was guest preacher in the Re

Port Sheldon Wants Property Back on Tax Rolls

Such Land in County Not Subject to Taxes; Petitions for Change

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A request from officers of Port Sheldon Township for permission to sell some properties in the township currently owned by federal, state and county, was referred to the conservation committee for study at the opening meeting of the Board of Supervisors Monday afternoon.

The communication came from Chris Fendt, supervisor; George Bosnjak, treasurer; William E. Ebel, clerk, and Henry Ebel and Frank Garbrecht, trustees. Fendt said the township feels the land should be made available to all parties so that it can be put back on the tax rolls. He suggested that the legislature be asked to pass a law permitting sale of any state or federal land located in Ottawa County.

For the past 15 years, there has been approximately 3,000 acres of federal, state and county-owned land in Port Sheldon Township, and about 7,000 acres in the county. This land is not subject to taxation.

The conservation committee was ordered to report back at this session.

The newly-appointed sheriff's committee consisting of Martin Boon, Henry Vermeer and William Kennedy, made its first report covering prisoner transportation, dog taxes, Circuit Court fees and county-owned cars. Boon said eventually the department should employ seven full-time men rather than a lot of deputies who have difficulty in filing accident reports, etc. He said the committee expects to recommend another deputy for the county at a salary of \$6,000. Possibility of establishing a license board and dispatching office for the Holland-Zeeland area is currently under consideration. At present there are 20 deputies in the county.

Reports from many county departments were received Monday and tabbed.

Forrest C. Barry, an independent registered engineer in Illinois, gave an oral report on his independent appraisal of county buildings, listing \$507,114 for the court house. At present the court house is insured for \$221,000. The two other appraisers will appear this afternoon. Also appearing Monday was A. J. Berwick of Aurora, Ill.

Seven supervisors announced their intention of attending the Michigan State Association of Supervisors meeting in Lansing Jan. 25, 26 and 27.

Five citizens from Holland area petitioned the board to change the name of Van St. in Van's subdivision to Lane Ave. because another street with the same name results in confusion of mail deliveries. The petition was referred to the Good Road committee. Signing the request were Ivan Kouw, James Garvelink, Peter Prins, Adrian Dreyer and Paul Wabeke.

Boy Scout Troop 12 Holds Court of Honor

Boy Scout Troop 12 held a court of honor Monday night in the scout rooms of Ter Keurst auditorium Trinity Church. Tenderfoot second class and merit badges were awarded.

The tenderfoot investiture service was conducted by Earl Vanden Bosch, troop advancement chairman. Receiving the tenderfoot badge were Ed Yonker, Robert Essenburg, John Kienstra, Robert Lochner, Paul Nyland, Thomas Steffens and William Beekman.

Six scouts were given second class awards. They include David Van Kampen, Kenneth Brondyke, Kenneth Lemmen, Larry Nixon, Dan Wightman and James De Vries. Awards were presented by W. Russell Hornbaker, secretary of the troop committee.

Merit badges were awarded by Ernest Penna, troop committee chairman. Receiving badges were Robert Bos, Gary Vanden Berg, Ronald Yonker, Bruce Vanden Bosch, Kelly Van Lier, Don Smith, Paul Eenigenburg and Lloyd Jacobusse.

Plans were announced for a "family night" Feb. 7 in conjunction with Boy Scout Week. Parents of troop members have been invited to attend.

Three Councilmen Seeking Re-election

It could scarcely be called a simmer, but there was a little more activity in Holland's political pot, after The Sentinel made a survey of the intentions of city officers Tuesday.

La Verne Rudolph, councilman of the second ward; Willis DeCook, councilman of the third ward, and John Belman, councilman of the fourth ward, all said they would file petitions for re-election this year. Councilman-at-large Raymond Holwerda said he was undecided.

Rudolph is completing five years and Belman eight years. DeCook was appointed councilman a month ago to fill a vacancy.

Councilman Robert Visscher of the sixth ward has announced he will be a candidate for mayor and Robert Kouw has announced he will be a candidate for sixth ward councilman. Mayor Harrington declined comment today.

Deadline for filing petitions for the primary election is noon on Feb. 5.

Civic Beautification Meeting Attracts 30

The first of a series of four meetings on civic beautification was held Monday evening in Washington School with Lida Rogers serving as moderator of a panel discussing the subject "Planning for Civic Beauty."

Providing resource material for the panel were Charles Mann, landscape specialist of Saugatuck, and Dick Smallegang, Holland's park superintendent. Others on the panel were Mrs. Robert Kouw, John Benson and Ray Wenke.

They discussed possibilities of beautifying Holland area, improving entrances to the city, downtown planting and basic principles in planning home grounds. Slides were used to illustrate some of the subjects. About 30 attended.

Preceding the public meeting, the Council for Civic Beauty held a business meeting and elected John Benson president; Ray Wenke, vice president; Mrs. John K. Vander Broek, secretary; Kenneth Zuverink, treasurer.

Next week's subject will be on building a new lawn or improving an old one. The public is invited.

Pie Baking Contest Slated for Jan. 31

ALLEGAN (Special) — Monday, Jan. 31, is the date selected by the county committee for the Allegan County Cherry Pie Baking contest, which will be held at the Fennville school. The Fennville Lions Club is sponsoring the event and will entertain the contestants at dinner, following the contest.

Allegan County girls, between 14 and 20 years of age, who wish to try their skill at pie baking, should contact their nearest homemaking teacher. A percentage of those taking part in local contests are chosen for the county event.

Frozen and water pack canned cherries are furnished by the cherry processors, who also provide special prizes for the top three contestants.

Judging will be on the method of preparation, quality of the pie and personal qualifications of the contestant.

Members of the county committee are Mary E. Bullis, County Home Demonstration Agent, Jack L. Parker, County 4-H Club Agent, Richard Barron, Michigan Fruit Canners, Mrs. Ruth Knoll, Homemaking teacher at Fennville, Miss Ruth Tullih, Homemaking teacher at Otsego, and Mrs. Irma Morley, Homemaking teacher at Allegan.

South Blendon

Mrs. Elmer Avink and Ruth spent last week Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Donald Kaper at Overisel.

The Rev. G. A. Aalberts filled a classical appointment Sunday morning at Faith Reformed church in Zeeland. The Rev. Arthur Johnson of Grand Rapids occupied the pulpit here.

Misses Ruth Van Meter and Helen Vrugink were the leaders at the Senior C. E. meeting Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tarry Hamberg and Dale from near Holland spent last week Tuesday with Mrs. Henry G. Vrugink.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poskey had supper last Friday with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Van Harn and son at Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vrugink and boys of Jensen visited at the Manley Stegeman home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nancy Serum of Hudsonville was a Sunday guest at the home of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elenbaas and boys.

The Junior choir sang at the Sunday evening service.

Mrs. Casey Luyk, Pat and Linda attended a bridal shower last week Friday night for Miss Patsy Hoorn at her home in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Henry G. Vrugink visited Mr. and Mrs. William Nyhof last week Wednesday at Overisel.

Mrs. Fannie Belman accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Claus Zwytg to Grand Rapids recently where they called on relatives and friends at the Holland Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brink were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ziel at Grand Rapids.

Herman Betten returned to his home last Friday afternoon from St. Mary's Hospital in Grand Rapids where he was a patient for 10 days.

Miss Evelyn Veltma spent the week-end in Zeeland with Mr. and Mrs. George Zuverink and Jackie.

Peter Staal, Sr., 82, Dies at Home in Zeeland

ZEELAND (Special) — Peter Staal, Sr., 82, of 359 East Lincoln Ave., died early Tuesday at his home after a lingering illness. He had been seriously ill since last Saturday.

Mr. Staal, who was born in Allendale, had served as a mail carrier 30 years, in Zeeland for 30 years. He was a member of First Reformed Church and had served as an elder.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Anna Kramer, Mrs. Adrian Wierma and Miss Katie Staal, all of Zeeland; two sons, William of Zeeland and John of Grand Rapids; 13 grandchildren; 24 grandchildren; a brother, William Staal, Jr., of Virginia Park; five sisters, Mrs. Richard Nykamp, Mrs. John P. Looker, Miss Agnes Staal and Mrs. Lucy Boss, all of Zeeland, and Mrs. John Krus of Grand Rapids.

Engaged



Miss Viola Vander Hulst
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vander Hulst of 33 West Central Ave., Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Viola, to Marvin Genzink, son of Mrs. George Genzink of route 6, Holland.



Miss Hazel De Roo
The engagement of Miss Hazel De Roo to Wayne Boeve, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Boeve of route 6, Holland, has been made known by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John De Roo, 28 Cherry Ct., Zeeland.

World Day of Prayer To Be Observed Feb. 25

The local planning committee for the World Day of Prayer to be observed Friday, Feb. 25, gathered Monday afternoon in Beechwood Reformed Church to map plans for the local service which will be held that day in First Reformed Church. The local committee consists of some 35 representatives from churches in Holland area.

Mrs. James Wayer presided and led devotions. Mrs. Edith Walvoord served as secretary and Mrs. Dick Vander Meer gave the closing prayer. There was a discussion on speakers, newspaper and radio publicity and posters for window display. The call to prayer will be distributed in hospitals and convalescent homes.

The idea of a day of prayer began in 1887 when Presbyterian women designated a day to pray for home missions. Other groups followed and at the request of many friends in other lands it became a World Day of Prayer in 1927. Last year it was observed in more than 19,000 communities in the United States and in 119 countries around the world.

Rose Tourney Newspaper, Magazine Received Here

A 260-page edition of the Los Angeles Times Rose Bowl edition and a graphically illustrated magazine "Midwinter" published by the Times were received by W. A. Butler, Sentinel publisher, yesterday from William Hop of Los Angeles, former Holland resident. Hop is employed by Van-Frank Sales Co. of Los Angeles.

Included in the newspaper is a full-page colored photo of the Tournament of Roses queen, along with the pictures of many Rose parade floats, crowd scenes and visiting dignitaries. The sports section is devoted to the coverage of the Rose Bowl football game, including several action photos.

The magazine, made up almost entirely of photos, traces Southern California's growth in the last 10 years, pointing out housing projects, building and highway improvements, employment, including specific sections on harbors, television, farming, motion pictures and aircraft industries. A colored picture of one of the Los Angeles freeways appears on the cover.

Men Asked to Join in Boy Scout Leadership

Men in the Virginia Park, Jenison Park and Macatawa Park areas who are interested in donating their time and efforts toward an active Boy Scout troop are asked to attend a meeting at Harrington School Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 7:30 p.m.

Leaders will be elected and an active program discussed.

Mrs. Van Huis Hostess To Post Office Auxiliary

A meeting of the Holland Post Office Auxiliary was held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Edgar Van Huis.

Mrs. James Kleintveld, president, conducted a brief business meeting. Mrs. Preston Brandens was welcomed as a new member. Games were played and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Alaskan Adventure Film Shown at Guest Meeting

The Woman's Literary Club building was filled Tuesday evening for the annual guest meeting which featured an adventure film on Alaska with plenty of footage on fishing—a subject which is always of interest to men.

Len Stuttmann, young biologist, lecturer and photographer, titled his film lecture "Alaskan Sea Safari" and gave a spirited narrative as the adventure story unfolded. Stuttmann's story of Alaska was confined mostly to the seafarer and he exploded several myths about common conceptions of sub-zero temperatures. In Juneau, for instance, the average temperature is seven degrees higher than in Detroit, Mich. Juneau, however, is on the coast and benefits from the warm Japanese current. Alaska also has mountainous regions and tundra regions.

The speaker said Alaska is rich in resources, and since resources largely determine the wealth of a country Alaska has a great potential. "It's all in what you have and how you use it. We've learned a lot of lessons about soil abuse and its resulting erosion. Some rivers no longer have salmon and the salmon catch in Alaska is down to," he said. He speculated whether American civilization is on the rise, on the plateau or whether it has begun its fall.

A considerable part of his film was devoted to the work of tagging certain species of salmon and then conducting stream surveys to trace the tagged fish. The salmon, Stuttmann said, is born in fresh water spawning beds and remains in fresh water streams for four years, growing to a length of about four inches. Then the migration takes the young fish downstream to the ocean where it thrives and grows probably to four feet in four years. Then the salmon fights its way upstream to the place of its birth, lays its eggs and dies. He estimated that only 20 percent of the salmon make the complete cycle.

His films also showed commercial fishing and the work in the big canneries. There was considerable footage on shrimp and crabs. Most of his pictures were taken on the water, but there were a few side trips into Indian villages and one visit to the modern metropolis of Juneau.

Mrs. Bruce G. van Leuwen, president of the club, presided. A social hour followed in the tea room.

Chicken Thieves Active in Allegan

ALLEGAN (Special) — As if low prices for poultry and eggs weren't enough, poultrymen in the northwest section of Allegan county are being plagued by chicken thieves.

The situation became so serious early this week that State Rep. Ben E. Lohman (R-Hamilton) reportedly asked Governor Williams for state police assistance in investigating the thefts.

Detective Sergeant William Menzies and Sgt. Floyd Peters, commander of the Paw Paw state police post, began their investigation Tuesday afternoon in Laketown Township.

County officers said that complaints of chicken thefts were more numerous than usual, but doubted if it is the work of an organized ring.

Sheriff's deputies said at least one arrest is pending in the poultry raising area. They reported that a man had been apprehended in the yard of a poultry farm.

Officers said the man had presented the poultryman with a watch dog a few days prior to his being caught on the farm.

Training Courses Set for Police

Final plans were being worked out today for specialized courses in various phases of police work which will be taught by FBI agents and attended by members of the Holland police department, police auxiliary and Sheriff's department.

Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff and Auxiliary President Al Bransdorfer said the program will get underway Jan. 18 with a talk by U.S. District Attorney Wendell A. Miles.

In the following weeks FBI agents from Grand Rapids, Detroit and Chicago will conduct detailed courses in subjects ranging from operation of confidence men to rules of evidence.

Other law enforcement men trained in traffic control and accident investigation will preside at additional meetings. Van Hoff said the program will give regular officers "in service training" to keep them abreast of latest developments and also give auxiliary members excellent training.

Marriage Licenses

Ottawa County
Cecil Van Singel, 45, Hudsonville, and Betty J. Peliske, 31, Grand Rapids; Norman Jay Smoes, 24, route 2, Coopersville, and Mary Ann Walt, 24, Coopersville.

Norway's oldest town is Tonsberg, which celebrated its first thousand years in 1871. As early as the 14th century it had 10 churches and a castle. Now it is a whaling center.

Engagement Told



Miss Audrey Lou Johnson
Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Johnson of South Shore Dr., formerly of Chicago, announce the engagement of their daughter, Audrey Lou, to Irwin Dale Atman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Atman of Elm Dr. The wedding will take place in the summer.

Grace Church Elects Vestry

The annual meeting of the congregation of Grace Episcopal Church was conducted Tuesday evening in the parish hall following a supper served by Saint Agnes' Guild. The Very Rev. William C. Warner, recto., presided and reported that the congregation now totals 531 persons including 380 communicants. There were 49 baptisms and 37 confirmations in 1954.

Gerald R. Kramer, building fund treasurer, reported that during the past two years more than \$125,000 has been paid into the building fund toward meeting the \$180,000 cost of the new Grace Church.

Elected to three-year terms on the vestry were Lawrence M. Williams, William J. Bradford, Harold W. Moor and Lewis C. Hartzell. Elmer Rowder was elected to a one-year term. Vestrymen retiring this year are George W. Copeland, Arthur R. Visser, Edward M. Brodin and Verne C. Hohl. The new vestrymen will be installed at 11 o'clock service Sunday.

At the reorganization meeting of the vestry which followed the annual meeting Warren R. Townsend was re-elected senior warden, and Warren S. Merriam was elected junior warden. Harold W. Moor was elected parish treasurer succeeding William E. Dekker, and Verne C. Hohl was again chosen by the vestry to be secretary. Otto P. Kramer continues as senior warden emeritus. Other vestrymen are Clarke Field, William A. Jesiek, Richard E. Kearns, Gerald R. Kramer and O.W. Lowry.

Elected delegates to the 81st annual convention of the Episcopal diocese of Western Michigan at St. Mark's Cathedral, Grand Rapids, Jan. 25 and 26, were Townsend, Lowry and Hohl. Alternates named to the convention were Kearns, Mrs. Milford A. Hale and Field.

Elected delegates by the women of the parish to the special convention of the diocesan Women's Auxiliary at Grace Church, Grand Rapids, Jan. 25 were Mesdames Milford A. Hale, William Jesiek, O. W. Lowry and Jud Hohl. Alternates elected were Mesdames Holmes Linn, Rudolph Erikson, Lawrence Williams and William Millard. Mrs. Hale presided during the election.

Reports received from all of the parish officials and organizations showed that the congregation has enjoyed the most successful year in its history.

Lake Michigan Six Inches Higher Than Last Year

Lake Michigan levels during December were 581.40 feet or .52 foot above the December, 1953, level of 580.88 feet, according to the U.S. Lake Survey. The average December level for the entire record is .80.26 feet.

Extreme high and low for the entire record listed a low of 577.53 feet in 1933 and 582.70 in 1961. During December the low water datum was 2.90 feet.

Lake Michigan dropped .18 foot from November to December, compared with an average drop of .19 foot for the entire record. The average drop from December to January for the entire record is .11 foot. Maximums for the entire record list a fall of .39 foot and a rise of .27 foot. Probable level for January will be 581.2 feet.

Lake Superior continued the seasonal decline, and the seasonal declines of Lakes Michigan, Huron and Erie which were interrupted by record and near-record precipitation in October were resumed. Levels of these lakes all fell about the average amounts between November and December. Lake Ontario continued a slight rise and it appears that the 1954-55 seasonal low was reached during October.

Missing a Bicycle?

Somehow in the Holland area four youngsters are without their bicycles. Meanwhile local police officers are holding four bikes for their unidentified owners. Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff said that anyone missing a bike should check with the department.

Mrs. Birdie Bouwens Succumbs at Borculo

ZEELAND (Special) — Mrs. Birdie Bouwens, 77, died at her home route 1, Zeeland (Borcuro) Monday afternoon.

Surviving are two sons, Cornelius and John Huyser of Zeeland; five daughters, Mrs. Simon Vollink of Borculo, Mrs. John Wesseldyke of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Gerrit J. Blauwkamp; Mrs. John Glass and Mrs. Joe Mast of Zeeland; 27 grandchildren; 37 great grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Nellie Kemme of Grand Haven; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Minnie Huyser of Zeeland.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. at the Borculo Christian Reformed Church. The Rev. Robert Evenhuis will officiate. Relatives will meet in the church basement at 1:45 p.m. Burial will be in Borculo Cemetery. The body is at the Baron Funeral Home where relatives and friends may meet the family Wednesday and Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m.

College Night Held at School

Holland High School seniors, their parents, and members of the high school junior class had an opportunity Tuesday evening to visit with representatives of various colleges, universities, trade and business schools in the Midwest.

A convention atmosphere prevailed as hundreds of young people and parents moved from table to table discussing future plans.

College representatives passed out reams of printed matter explaining the functions of their individual schools and provided counsel to those who requested information concerning costs, admission requirements, academic opportunity and scholarships.

This was the second annual College Night held at Holland High, and parents, students and teachers all indicated that there was sufficient merit in the plan to provide for its continuance. Refreshments prepared and served by the home economics classes provided still another attraction and parents enjoyed the social atmosphere.

Members of the planning committee for the event were Marcia Borr and Phil Boersma, co-chairmen, Shirley Volkema and Juanita Van Dyke. Faculty members were Doris Brower, Linnea Nelson, Esther Veen Huis, Gladys Wiskamp, Wilbur Johnson, Donald Gebraad and Austin Buchanan.

Local Pastor's Mother Succumbs at Age of 83

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Anthony Rozendal, Sr., mother of the Rev. Henry Rozendal of Bethel Reformed Church in Holland and the Rev. Anthony Rozendal, Jr., of First Christian Reformed Church in Zeeland.

Mrs. Rozendal, who was 83, died Tuesday night at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rozendal in Sioux Falls, S.D., where she and the Rev. Rozendal had been living. Rev. Rozendal was pastor at Hamilton Reformed church in the early 1900's. He has retired but was formerly pastor at a Reformed Church in Sioux Falls.

Surviving besides the husband are five sons, Henry of Holland, Anthony, Jr., of Zeeland, Peter of Corvallis, Ore., Theodore, of Aberdeen, S.D., and Bernard of Sioux Falls, S.D., and one daughter, Mrs. Floyd Kleinjans of Alameda, Calif.

Services will be held Saturday in Orange City, Ia. The Rev. Henry Rozendal will not be in Holland this weekend.

Arrange Funeral Rites For Mrs. Henry Weaver

HAMILTON (Special) — Funeral services for Mrs. Henry (Louisa) Weaver who would have celebrated her 90th birthday on Feb. 8, were held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Hamilton Reformed Church. Mrs. Weaver died Monday morning in Allegan Hospital following a lingering illness. Her home was at East Saugatuck.

The Rev. Norman Van Heukelom officiated at services and burial was in Riverside Cemetery at Hamilton.

Survivors include six daughters, Mrs. John (Ruth) Bolks of Hull, Iowa; Mrs. Nellie Borgman of Kalamazoo, Miss Martha Weaver of Detroit, Mrs. Louise Mulder, wife of the Rev. Bernard Mulder, of Traverse City and Mrs. Theodore (Mary) Luideus of New York; a son, Russell Weaver, at home; one sister, Mrs. Friedrika Lockhart of Flint.

Mother of Holland Man Dies at Jamestown Home

Mrs. Alice Boerema, 82, of Jamestown, former North Holland resident died Monday night at her home after a lingering illness. She was a member of the Hanley Mission, Jamestown.

Surviving are five sons, Floyd O. of Holland, Ralph of Sand Lake, Edwin and George of Jamestown, Harvey of Chino, Calif.; four daughters, Mrs. Orie Aardema and Mrs. Winifred Leyendecker of Grand Rapids; Mrs. Adrian Kruitthoff of Zeeland; Mrs. Edwin Ritzena of Grandville; 36 grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren and two sisters, Mrs. Irene Goss of Reed City and Mrs. Arthur O. Bates of Toledo, Ohio.

It requires 750 gallons of water to produce a ton of Portland cement.

Beaverdam

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Tubergen called on their nephew Raymond Burkhardt who is in Butterworth Hospital, Grand Rapids, where he submitted to surgery last Wednesday.

The Home Economics Group who have discontinued their monthly meetings enjoyed a planned pot-luck dinner last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Van Ommen in Overisel. Included in the group were the husbands of the members, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hop, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Karsten, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Tubergen, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Loedeman, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Klammer, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Huyser, Mr. and Mrs. George Nienhuis, Mr. and Mrs. George Ohlman, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hassevoort, Mrs. Leslie Bekins and Mrs. Malloy Huyser.

At the Sunday morning service in the Reformed church the Sacrament of Baptism was administered to Debra Lynn Veldman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Veldman.

A deputation team from Hope College took part in the Sunday evening service in the Reformed church. Louis Benes gave the Invocation and read scripture. Pastoral prayer by Dave Hondorp and Eleanor Casper sang two solos accompanied by Rosemary Morrison. Darlyne De Tunc gave a talk on Hope College. The pastor's sermon topic was "Lost Opportunities."

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tubergen were Friday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Mart Tubergen. Ladies Aid will meet in the chapel Thursday afternoon. Hostesses are Mrs. Reuben Bohl and Mrs. Harry Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Veldman from Grand Rapids have sold their home there and spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Veldman until Friday morning when they left for Phoenix, Ariz. where they will spend the winter.

This evening the C.E. will meet at the chapel. Slides will be shown on Missionary work in Africa. Choir practice will be held at 8:30.

Richard Van Til from Grandville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman after the Sunday evening service.

Mrs. Peter D. Huyser is confined to her home with virus infection.

Mrs. Gerald Hassevoort of Hudsonville has moved into the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnes. Her husband left Monday for Grand Haven to be inducted into the armed forces. Gerald Schreier also was included in the group who left Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Tubergen from Waukazoo and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Zuidema and son Calvin were Saturday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. M. Tubergen. Rev. Herman Maasen from Canada, a former pastor here has accepted a call from the North Blendon church to become its pastor.

Several families from here attended the funeral service of Mrs. A. Tellinghuisen in the Overisel Reformed church last Tuesday.

Allendale

John Meyers, Sr., observed his 91st birthday anniversary Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Lemmen where he also is making his home.

Dick Kleinjans, who was confined to his home for some time is recovering satisfactorily.

Also John Schout is much better. A play "New Shoes" will be given at the township hall Friday, Jan. 14 at 8 p.m. Sponsor is the Ruth Circle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poll of Jenison were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Farowe.

The Ladies C. School Aid Society held its annual business meeting Thursday. Mrs. Richard Bowman was elected president and Mrs. Clarence Keegstra was named treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zuverink of Byron Center called on Grace Horlings on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harm Horlings left for Coopersville where they are caring for Mrs. M. Horlings, who is ill.

Neighbors and friends are contributing toward help for the Dempsey family who lost their home by fire recently.

Mrs. Maggie Roselle Of Spring Lake Dies

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Maggie Roselle, 86,