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MILES PONDER'S SECOND DEGREE RULING OF JURY

Few Persons in Court as
Verdict Is Returned
in Wife Slaying

Jurors Agree After Night
and Morning Study
of Evidence

Allegan, Jan. 23 (Special) — A circuit court jury here found Dale Darrow, former Novi factory worker, guilty of second degree murder in the slaying of his pretty, 17-year-old wife on a farm near Hopkins early last November.

The jury of 12 men, sent home Tuesday night as they failed to reach a verdict, resumed deliberations at 9 a.m. and came into the courtroom with the decision at 11 a.m. on Wednesday. The verdict was read to Circuit Judge Fred T. Miles. The case went to the jury at 5 p.m. Tuesday. The jury was dismissed at 10:30 p.m.

Judge Miles said he would impose sentence on the 23-year old youth "before Saturday."

Darrow was brought into the court room from the jail, across the street from court, a few minutes before the jury entered the chambers. There were only a few persons in the room when the foreman read the verdict which was said to imply a degree of premeditation. Under the verdict Darrow faces a prison sentence of any number of years, including a life term. A first degree murder verdict would have made life sentence mandatory.

The jury, composed principally of farmers, had been instructed when given the case late yesterday to find the prisoner either guilty of first or second degree murder, manslaughter or innocent.

Darrow's story of his wife's death as told at the trial varied from that he told Allegan and Oakland county officers following his arrest.

Testifying in his own defense, he said his expectant wife had "pulled him around," and slapped him repeatedly as they argued on a lonely road near where the girl's body was found in a shallow grave.

He said he had been drinking and when he grabbed his wife's hands they fell, with his elbow on her throat.

According to officers, Darrow told them he had a second wife from whom he had not obtained a divorce. His confession was read into the record by the state. It quoted Darrow as saying that he had choked his wife "until she stopped struggling."

After Darrow had reported to Pontiac police that his wife had been kidnapped, he led them to the shallow grave where he had placed the girl following the fight.

With some interrupting his narration, Darrow said he and his wife had quarreled during the auto trip from Pontiac which ended in Allegan county with her death. He said his wife wanted to argue about "several matters," but that he didn't.

They argued, he said, about finances and what his wife had done during the two weeks she visited her mother preceding her death.

Darrow declared that his wife had died when he accidentally fell on her during a tussle near his grandfather's farm in Allegan county.

The scuffle, Darrow said, occurred in a wheat stubble field when his wife tried to prevent him from entering his automobile and continue down the lane toward his grandfather's home.

He said they stopped in Plainwell about 7 p.m. Nov. 2 for gas and oil. As his estranged wife was hungry they went to a restaurant. She ate four sandwiches and he drank four bottles of beer, he related.

He said he and his wife drove toward his grandfather's farm near Hopkins. As they neared the farm, he drove the car off the road and they got out and talked for some time, he continued.

Darrow told his estranged wife, he testified, that it was getting late and they should continue to the grandfather's farm as he retired early.

Darrow told her to get in the car and her answer, he said, was "What's the hurry?" He said he sought to get in the car but that she pulled him outside.

They continued their argument and as he sought to get in the car again, she slapped and "yanked" him around. The third time this occurred, he testified, he slipped from the running board, tore his coat and struck his head.

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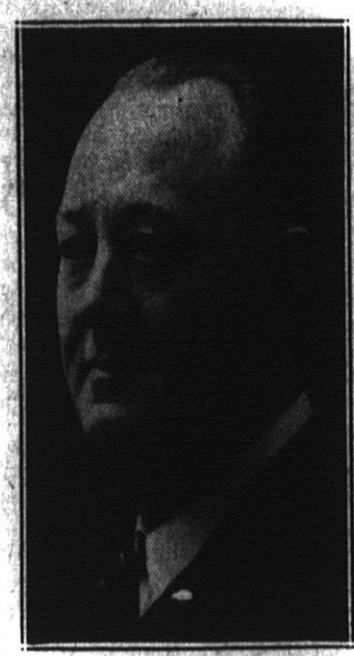
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Rev. Bonnema Assumes Duties in Zeeland Church



—Photo by MacDermid
Rev. David D. Bonnema

THREE HURT IN HEADON CRASH

One of Injured Persons to
Face Charge; One in
Hospital Here

Three persons suffered injuries and one of the injured persons was under arrest here as the result of a headon collision of two automobiles just east of the Black river bridge on M-21, three miles east of Holland, about 1:15 a.m. Wednesday.

Henry Farma, 436 East Main St., Zeeland, was returned to Holland hospital Thursday afternoon for observation after being held in jail throughout the day following an automobile accident on M-21, three miles east of Holland, early Thursday.

Farma had been treated at the hospital for injuries following the accident but had been released. He suffered a cut on the forehead and rib fractures.

The condition of Mrs. Marion Nies, wife of William H. Nies, 600 Elm Dale court, injured seriously in the accident, was reported today as slightly improved. Examination has revealed she suffered several fractures of her lower jaw and minor skull fractures, the attending physician reported.

Mr. Nies was released from the hospital at 4 a.m. yesterday after being treated for a deep laceration on his cheek.

Deputy Sheriff Edward Brouwer said the filing of a charge is being held up pending outcome of Mrs. Nies' injuries and completion of his investigation.

Mr. and Mrs. Nies were on route home from Grand Rapids and Farma, employed in a local meat market, was driving toward Zeeland at the time of the crash which damaged both vehicles considerably.

Mr. Nies told Deputy Brouwer that he saw Farma's car angle across the highway to his side of the road. He said he pulled off the pavement onto the shoulder to avoid Farma's car but the river prevented him driving any great distance.

When it appeared that Farma might attempt to pass on the shoulder on the left side of the highway, Nies told the officers he drove back onto the pavement to allow the other car sufficient room.

Mrs. Nies was injured when she struck and broke the windshield of her husband's car. Deputy Brouwer was aided in his investigation by Deputy Sheriff Tony Steinfert of Holland.

Attempt Made Today to Rob Tavern at Nunica

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (special) — An attempt to break and enter into Fred Allison's tavern, known as "Turk's Tavern" in Nunica was frustrated about 3:15 a.m. today when Mr. Allison who lives in quarters at the rear heard noises.

The men escaped on foot and their footprints could be traced for a short distance and they were lost on the pavement. They left their car, alleged to have been stolen from Muskegon. State police are investigating.

George De Weerd, 68, 130 West 9th St., paid a fine and costs of \$5 today upon pleading guilty to a charge of intoxication on his arraignment before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith.

De Weerd was arrested Wednesday night by local police on 12th St. between College and Columbia Ave.

The following motorists have paid fines and costs for traffic violations: Gerrit Kleinhuizen, 57, 347 Central Ave., no operator's license, \$5; Henry Smith, Griffith, Ind., speeding, \$5; Clessan Butler, 81 East Ninth St., double parking, \$1.

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Zeeland, Jan. 23 (Special) — The Rev. David D. Bonnema, who recently assumed duties as pastor of the First Christian Reformed church of Zeeland, was born at Rock Valley, Iowa, July 30, 1893, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dirk Bonnema. He resided in Rock Valley until the age of three years when his parents moved to Roseland, Ill., living there ten years. His father died about four years ago. His mother, who before her marriage was Tillie Westra, is still living.

Rev. Bonnema received his elementary education in the Christian Grammar School at Roseland and later attended the Van Vliet Public school of Roseland. He entered Calvin Preparatory school in 1914 after which he attended Calvin college and Calvin seminary, being graduated from the seminary in 1924.

His first congregation was at Denver, Colo., where he was ordained in the ministry in September, 1924. He was associate pastor with the Rev. I. Van Dellen at the Denver First Christian Reformed church until November, 1927, when he became pastor of the First Christian Reformed church at Grand Rapids. He served this church a period of three years and came to Zeeland from this charge.

Rev. Bonnema was a classmate at Calvin seminary of the Rev. William Kok who served the local First Christian Reformed church for 13 years before Rev. Bonnema. The Rev. John M. Dykstra, pastor of North Street Christian Reformed church in this city was another member of this class.

Rev. Bonnema married Miss Ara Estelle Crouse of Ireton, Iowa, on July 3, 1918. They have four children, Mabel, 21, who is a student nurse; Wendell, 20, student at the University of Grand Rapids; Clarence, 18, student at Calvin college; and Kenneth, 16, student at Grand Rapids Christian high school.

YOUNG PEOPLE TO MEET HERE

Waukazo Inn Chosen for
Episcopal Conference
Next June

Holland will be host to the Young People's conference of the western Michigan diocese of the Episcopal church next June, it was decided at the annual diocesan conference Tuesday and Wednesday in St. Joseph. The young people's conference for the past few years had been held at Rochdale Inn near Montague.

The local Episcopal church was represented by the Rev. Arthur C. Barnhart, Miss Anna Dehn and Mrs. Paul Presentine.

Other action at the conference, according to a United Press dispatch included the naming of committee vacancies and selection of Traverse City as the 1942 convention site.

Named to the executive council were George E. Walker, Grand Rapids, and Dr. J. B. Jackson, Kalamazoo, representing laymen; and the Revs. C. Arch Hopper, Coldwater, and Donald Carey, Grand Haven.

The Revs. A. Gordon Fowkes, Kalamazoo; R. H. Love, Marshall; John Higgins, Grand Rapids, and William A. Simms, Battle Creek, were selected for the standing committee, as were Norman Lilly, Charles H. Walker, and Horace J. Beel, Grand Rapids.

Delegates to the provincial synod for the clergy are the Revs. J. A. McNulty, Dowagiac; Henry P. Krusen, Manistee; Gordon Galaty and Jesse F. Anderson, Grand Rapids; and the following laymen: Charles Walker, Bernard B. Fallon, and Lilly, Grand Rapids, and Gerald McKenzie, South Haven.

FILES FOR COUNCIL POST IN FIFTH WARD

The first candidate to seek office in the new fifth ward had filed his nomination petitions today with City Clerk Oscar Peterson.

He is Elmer J. Schepers, 489 Michigan Ave., who is a candidate for the two-year term as alderman of the new fifth ward.

Two aldermen will be elected from that ward in this year's city election. The other alderman will be for a one-year term.

Egbert Beekman, 65 River Ave., has filed nominating petitions for election as constable of the first ward. He has been serving as constable of the former second ward.

ARCHERY SCORES

Don De Waard, 266; Walter De Waard, 263; Hine Vander Heuvel, 204; Norman Vander Schel, 192; Gordon De Waard, 189; Neil Houtman, 177; Laura Stegstra, 177; Alva De Waard, 158; Helen Howell, 145; Bea Osterban, 144; Lloyd Nilsson, 142; Kenneth Wiersma, 132; Delbert Fogarty, 122; Kenneth Weller, 119; Geneva De Waard, 112; Earl Nilsson, 90; Estelle Walters, 44; Don Ludwig, 43; Ila Vander Heuvel, 41.

Succumbs



Peter Huyser

DEATH CLAIMS PETER HUYSER

Set Rites Wednesday for
Former Alderman
and Teacher

Peter Huyser, 72, former school teacher and alderman and active in the work of Trinity Reformed church, died Sunday at about 10 p.m. in his home at 24 East 19th St. following an illness of about four months.

Mr. Huyser was graduated from Hope college in 1892 and taught school for 32 years. He taught the Huyser school at Beavertown about 15 years, Beechwood school two years, North Holland school two years and Graafschap (Maplewood) school 12 years. He retired from active work in the spring of 1926.

Mr. Huyser served as alderman of the former fifth ward for eight years from 1931 to 1939. He was a charter member of Trinity Reformed church where he taught the Woman's Bible class for 30 years and served as elder for 12 years.

Surviving are the widow; three sons, Russell V., Eugene L. and Manuel P., all of Holland; five grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Maggie Ver Meulen of Holland and Mrs. Jane De Vries of Zeeland, and two brothers, Cornelius and Gerrit of Beavertown.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. from the home and at 2 p.m. from the Trinity Reformed church. Dr. H. D. Terkerst officiated, assisted by Dr. J. Van Beursem of Zeeland and the Rev. Albert Oosterhof, retired preacher residing in Holland who was a former classmate of the deceased. Burial was in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

TRUCK UPSETS, CRUSHES MAN

Road Crew Jacks Up Oil
Transport to Remove
Crying Driver

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special) — Frank Pender, 29, of Muskegon was critically injured about 6:50 a.m. today when the semi-oil truck which he was driving; overturned into a ditch, one mile west of Denison.

Pender, who was unconscious when removed from under the truck, was thought to have jumped out of the cab when he felt the truck slipping and was pinned underneath.

The lower part of his body was badly crushed. He was taken to Coopersville general hospital but later was transferred to Mercy hospital in Muskegon. The truck slid into the ditch on the north side of the road and indications were that it traveled on the shoulder out of control for 360 feet.

By the time state police arrived, a road crew from the Ottawa county road commission had jacked up the truck to remove Pender from under the truck, loaded to capacity with oil. No oil was spilled.

Miss Charlotte Ter Avest, employed in the county treasurer's office, passed the accident scene on her way from Coopersville to Grand Haven. She said the injured man was calling "pitifully" for help and pleading to be removed. She said other truck drivers had stopped and they, together with other passersby, were attempting to extricate Pender.

He was westbound in the truck which belonged to the Wagner Trucking Co. of Muskegon.

SPRING LAKE DRIVER FINED AFTER MISHAP

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special) — Louis Gardner, 39, of Spring Lake, paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$3.35 to Justice George V. Hoffer Tuesday night on his plea of guilty to a charge of leaving the scene of an accident without making proper identification.

Gardner was arrested by Trooper Ellis Potter of the Michigan state police Jan. 17, when, it was alleged, he ran into a car owned and driven by Frank Vrablick, Jr. of Ferrysburg.

NAME OFFICERS AT MEETING OF SCOUT COUNCIL

Regional Executive Talks
at Annual Session in
Holland

Short Term Camp Will Be
Established on Donated
Land in Allegan

Officers were elected Tuesday night at the annual Ottawa-Allegan Boy Scout council meeting in Hope Reformed church.

Although Phillips Brooks, 99 West 11th St., was chosen as president he was not expected to accept the position.

Other officers selected were Albert E. Van Lente of Holland and Stephan Mead of Grand Haven who were reelected and Judge Irving J. Tucker of Allegan who succeeds Dr. R. E. Allen of Otsego, vice-president; Stanley Curtis of Holland, treasurer, succeeding Gerald Kramer of Holland; W. Preston Bilz of Spring Lake, area commissioner; and Jacob Braak of Spring Lake, honorary vice-president.

For the past two years, Mr. Brooks has been serving as a member of the council executive board. He has been a member of the camping and activities committee during the past year.

National council members are Mr. Braak and Dr. Leenhouts with Mr. Mead as alternate. The nominating committee's recommendation that Scout Executive M. P. Russell be retained for another year was accepted.

Members-at-large of the council executive board include Fr. J. Ethan Allen of Allegan, N. H. Sherburne of Plainwell, Mr. Braak, Leo Lillie of Coopersville, David Cline of Spring Lake and John De Wilde and Dr. Leenhouts of Holland. Others from each of the three districts complete the board.

Principal speaker was George E. Chronic, deputy regional executive of region No. 7 who spoke on "The Volunteer in Scouting" in which he urged the continued support of the volunteer scout worker in the Boy scout movement "to train our boys of today to become the citizens of tomorrow."

Mr. Chronic pointed out that the volunteer scout leader has been selected because of his fitness for the job, adding that as long as "you are interested, the scout movement will continue to succeed."

"So far, scouting has been attractive to the volunteer workers. We couldn't begin to pay for the services of some of those engaged in scouting, yet it is through their service which inspires them to do a good turn to others that permits their work as a volunteer."

He contended that a volunteer worker must have the spirit of youth in his heart, the willingness to understand youth and his problems and "if you are asked to serve in scouting, then you have these qualifications."

Mr. Chronic stated that a volunteer worker must be willing to sacrifice his time and sometimes money in the interest of scouting, yet he will have the satisfaction of knowing that his service is to be transplanted in the generation of tomorrow.

"Scouting helps to make our boys become better citizens of tomorrow and to better face the problems which will confront them. Good citizens are good neighbors. You set an example for our boys by giving unselfishly of your services to the scout program," he said.

Plans for the establishment of a short-term camp in Allegan county were announced as Judge Tucker revealed that eight-acres of land near Perch Lake, east of Fennville, had been donated to the council by Calvin Taylor of Casco township. Judge Tucker displayed the warranty deed for the property and the scouters unanimously voted to accept Mr. Taylor's contribution to the council.

Those present then divided into various discussion groups after which each group submitted a brief report on activities of the past year and plans for the coming year.

Upon recommendation of the finance committee, the council voted to incorporate as a non-profit organization to eliminate personal responsibility. It was also decided to form a receiving committee to be composed of the council president and three vice-presidents to accept any future contributions to the council. Albert E. Van Zoeren of Holland presented the committee report.

Dr. James E. Cook of Virginia park presented the report for the camping and activities committee which favors encouragement of the council camping program. The camporee and scout-o-rama were endorsed.

John Van Tatenhove of Holland reported for the organization committee, stating that the biggest problem was to obtain the proper person for scoutmaster work and to get members for a cooperating troop committee.

Ed Roberts of Grand Haven, of the leadership training committee, recommended that various training courses for the benefit of scoutmasters be arranged in the

These Ottawans 'Farm to Prosper'



These rural residents of Ottawa county were recognized today at a rally of contestants in Muskegon in the five-county Farm-to-Prosper contest. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Hubbel, route 2, Coopersville, (top photo) won first Ottawa county prize as full-time farmers. Second place in the division went to LaVerne Boss and his father, Henry, route 3, Zeeland (next to top photo). Robert Wolf and his mother, Mrs. Julia Wolf, route 2, Grand Haven (third photo) took first county honors as part-time farmers. Mr. and Mrs. Arza Patterson, route 2, Spring Lake, (bottom photo) won second prize.

council as given locally as much as possible.

Reporting for the advancement committee, Jack Spangler, Jr., of Grand Haven, told briefly of plans for scout advancement activities.

S. P. Nelson of Grand Haven, on behalf of the health and safety committee, reported improvements had been made at Camp Ottawa and that the committee plans to encourage the formation of emergency service corps during the year as well as a safety campaign for scout bicycle riders.

Al. Walters of Holland, reporting for scoutmaster, recommended a scout-o-rama in each district to be held not later than Nov. 1 and a camporee to be held at the new camp site in Allegan county.

Charles Gilman of Saugatuck reported sea scout skippers will cooperate with scoutmasters in their program.

Commissioner Bilz reported on proposed activities of the scout commissioners for the ensuing year.

Announcement was made that the annual ladies night and scoutmasters' appreciation dinner will be held in Griswold Memorial building, Allegan, at a date yet to be set in March.

Executive Russell reported that 1,805 persons participated in scouting during 1940. On Dec. 31, 1940, there were 174 cubs, 40 cubbers, 767 scouts, 306 scouters or a total of 1,287 enrolled in scouting. At the present time there are 37 troops but the 1941 objective is 41 troops. During 1940, 247 new scouts were enrolled but the 1941 goal is 359 new scouts. There are 10 cub packs but this year's goal is 15 packs.

EX-SUPERVISOR EXPIRES HERE

Henry Vande Warf, 80, died in his home, 26 West Third St., at 9 a.m. today. He was born Sept. 28, 1860, in The Netherlands and came here 60 years ago. For 42 years he operated a hardware store on State St., and 24th St., and once was supervisor of Holland for 10 or 12 years.

He is survived by the widow; three daughters, Mrs. Helen Belva of Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. Jennie Dorn and Mrs. Jeanette Wise of Holland; 14 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren; and two sisters in The Netherlands.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. from Dijkstra funeral chapel with the Rev. C. M. Beerthuis, pastor of Immanuel church, officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Friends may view the body Friday afternoon and evening at the Dijkstra funeral chapel.

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FARM CONTEST CLIMAXED WITH VICTORS NAMED

Ottawa Winners Revealed
at Five-County Rally
in Muskegon

Governor Lands Project
as He Presents Cash,
Certificates

Muskegon, Jan. 23 (Special) — Gov. Murray D. Van Wagoner today awarded certificates of merit and cash prizes to the 32 winners in the first annual Farm-to-Prosper contest in Ottawa, Muskegon, Mason, Newaygo and Oceana counties.

The presentations featured the afternoon program of the rally here for the approximate 300 persons who competed in the 1940 contest to advance the economic, social and civic well-being of farmers. Anything a contestant did to improve his farm counted toward a prize.

In addition to county awards of \$25 as first prize and \$10 as second prize in three divisions, sweepstakes prizes were recognized.

The Farm-to-Prosper club which today won the \$100 sweepstakes prize in the five-county Farm-to-Prosper contest is such a new organization that it has not yet elected formal officers. Agricultural leaders, such as Otto Pino of Zeeland high school, the county agent, and prominent farmers, are back of the club which was formed in Ottawa county last year. The club is patterned after a project that originated in Kentucky. The club's aim is to increase interest in and appreciation of farm work, beautify homes and improve community life through outlined programs and courses of study.

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The sweepstakes awards of \$100 each went to:

Community organization division: Zeeland Farmers club.

Full-time farmer division: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stroven and son, Stanley, and wife, Sherman township, Newaygo county.

Part-time farmer division: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dussling, Garfield township, Newaygo county.

Honorable mention was given Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bonthuis, Moorland township, Muskegon county, in the full-time division and to the Brookside Community Farm bureau, Newaygo county, in the community organization division. None was given in the part-time division.

In Ottawa county, the winners were:

Full-time farmer division: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hubbel, Coopersville, first; LaVerne Boss, Zeeland, second.

Part-time farmer division: Robert Wolf, Grand Haven, first; Mr. and Mrs. Arza Patterson, Spring Lake, second.

Community organizations: Zeeland Farmers club, first.

The Hubbels, who live two miles east of Coopersville in Wright township, are active in rural projects. Mrs. Hubbel, the former Inez Nibbelink, has been active in farm work, is a 4-H club leader and a member of the home economics executive committee. They formerly lived in Grand Haven where Mr. Hubbel was employed by a dairy.

Young Boss, who resides on route 3, Zeeland, is a member of the Future Farmers and the Zeeland Farmers club and is a sophomore in Zeeland high school where he receives instruction from Otto Pino, agricultural teacher. Boss was assisted by his father, Henry Boss.

Mr. Wolf, who lives in Robinson township, speaks several languages and formerly was an interpreter in Chicago. He and his mother have surmounted considerable difficulties. Their home was destroyed by fire several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson reside on route 2, Spring Lake.

Other county winners are:

Mason county:

Full-time farmer: Mr. and Mrs. William L. Pleiness, Scottville, first; Mr. and Mrs. John Houk, Ludington, second. Part-time farmer: Max Rahn, Jr., Scottville, first; David Reinhoel, Custer, second.

Community organizations: Sauble River Farm bureau, first; Scottville Future Farmers of America, second.

Oceana county:

Full-time farmer: Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Greiner, Hart, first; Henry Fischer, Rothbury, second. Part-time farmer: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene R. Kuhne, Hart, first; George Strehlow, Shelby, second.

Community organizations: Shelby Community Farm bureau, first; Rathbone Parent-Teacher association, second.

Muskegon county:

Full-time farmer: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Bonthuis, Ravenna, first; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Lee, Bailey, second. Part-time farmer: Mr. and Mrs. Peter M. Hansen, Muskegon, first; Mr. and Mrs. Ernie De Hart, Holton, second. (No community groups were entered.)

(See Farm Contest—Next Page.)

Federal Men Will Come to City to Help Taxpayers

Change in Law to Require Greater Number to File Returns

Notice to income taxpayers: It's time to prepare your 1940 income tax returns, according to the calendar and the department of internal revenue.

Already a number of local persons have received forms from the collector of internal revenue at Detroit to be filled out for the 1940 returns. Deadline for the filing of returns is March 31.

Pastmaster Louis J. Vandenburg said two representatives from the collector of internal revenue office will be at Holland post office, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 24, 25 and 26, to aid income taxpayers in filling out their blanks. Anticipating that a larger number of persons will make returns because of the law's new provisions, two revenue office representatives will come here this year instead of one as has been the custom of past years.

This year, the number of persons required to file income tax returns for the 12-month period ending last Dec. 31 has been increased by nearly 50 per cent, internal revenue department agents estimate.

Under the revised act, single individuals are exempt only \$800, compared with \$1,000 in previous years. Exemption for married persons, living together, now is only \$2,000, instead of \$2,500. And this year, if an individual's gross income figure is over the prescribed exemption, a return must be filed.

Increasing governmental expenses, particularly in national defense, are responsible for the broadening of the tax base, as well as for the new "defense tax" of 4 per cent of the income levy.

Among allowable deductions are: Four hundred dollars for each dependent under 18, or for each physically or mentally incapacitated dependent over 18. A dependent is one who received at least 51 per cent of his support from an individual.

Contributions for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, if the benefiting organization is in the United States or possessions. Total of such contributions must not exceed 15 per cent of net income.

Reasonable allowance for depreciation of property (such as automobiles) used in trade or business. If operating expenses are allowed by employers, that amount received must be added to income or depreciation is not deductible.

Losses in accidents (such as automobile collisions) for which no compensation is received.

Interest paid on personal indebtedness. Finance charges are not considered as interest, and are not deductible.

Among non-deductible items are:

Michigan state sales tax, or state inheritance taxes.

Special property assessments, such as those paid for pavements, sidewalks, etc.

United States postage, or federal duty and excise taxes.

Single persons who were married during the year are to base their returns on the percentage of the year they were single. Children born during the year are to be listed as dependents in the same manner.

DARROW

(Continued from page one.)

Finally felt her pulse, but she didn't have any.

With his hands on his face, Darrow cried as he related details of his wife's death.

Defense Attorney Welbourne S. Luna asked Darrow if he would like to be excused for a few minutes, but the witness made no answer. Judge Fred T. Miles informed Darrow he would have to "straighten up."

At the court's request, Sheriff Louis Johnson obtained a glass of water for Darrow. Then Darrow continued his story.

"After I felt her pulse and found she didn't have any, I just lost my head and I took her down the lane toward my grandfather's farm. I didn't stop at the farm house but continued toward the woods.

"Finally, I took her body out of the car and her coat came off. I left her in the woods, turned and started to go, then I happened to think I had the shovel. I stopped and went back.

"I dug a little in the dirt, put her there and covered her up."

Darrow then told of returning to the car and driving back to Pontiac. Upon return to Pontiac, he said he removed her things and placed them in his room at his father's home and then went to the Pontiac police station.

"I was so bewildered I hardly knew what to say."

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"I did but the things that I said

HAS LETTER OF WAR PRISONER

Judge Fred T. Miles said today that among those admitted to citizenship at a recent naturalization hearing in Allegan was a Polish woman living near Pullman who informed the judge that she just received a letter from her brother who is a Polish prisoner-of-war in Germany.

Judge Miles pointed out that it is not generally known that all nations are compelled by agreement to permit the prisoners of war to write to their friends and that when they are employed they must be paid for their work. The judge said the wage paid this particular Polish soldier is comparatively small.

The letter dated Nov. 17 from Rockow, Germany, reads in part: "Hello to the whole family. I feel good. Just lonesome for my home, children and wife. For one year I haven't seen them. I am in prison in Germany for a year and I don't know how long I am going to stay."

"I don't know how long the war is going to be. All prisoners are put to work and paid 35 mark and board for month. I got a letter from my wife and one child died. Father and mother are still alive. Everything is awfully high. It is hard to even buy food for money."

FARM CONTEST

(Continued from page one.)

Newaygo county: Full-time farmer: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stroven and son, Fremont.

First: LaFayette Waters and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith, all of Fremont, tie for second. Part-time farmer: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deuling, Fremont, first; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peters, Fremont, second.

Community organizations: Brookside Farm bureau, first; Garfield Community Farm bureau and Grant Township Community club, tie for second.

The roundup which included a dinner, movie party and tour was concluded by this afternoon's program at Central campus where Dr. Merton S. Rice, pastor of Metropolitan Methodist church, Detroit, was the principal speaker.

Van Wagener, in his first appearance in western Michigan as governor, praised the contest as conducive to the prosperity of the entire state. The certificates he presented bore his signature.

"I want to give my whole hearted praise to the friendly rivalry you have in western Michigan in this Farm-to-Prosper movement," he said. "Things like this, done without any help from government sources, prove that the farmers in the five counties around here are determined to improve their economic, social and civic life. By doing that you help yourselves and you help your communities and you help your state."

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"Contests like this should be held all over Michigan. They mean better and more abundant apples, peaches, cherries, wheat, corn, and dairy products."

A number of state agricultural leaders were here for the roundup. They included W. G. Armstrong, Niles, master of the Michigan Grange; C. L. Brody, Lansing, executive secretary of the Michigan State Farm bureau; C. V. Ballard, state leader of county agricultural agents; Prof. E. B. Bolander, state department of agriculture; Dr. Dora H. Stockman, East Lansing, a Grange leader. The last four acted as a judging committee in deciding the sweepstakes winners. Present, too, were Bert Wernuth, manager, and Milton, Grinnell, editor, Michigan Farmer.

A reception committee of businessmen of Muskegon and throughout the five counties greeted the visitors. Included were Mayor Charles C. Johnson, Muskegon; Mayor Frank Rothenbach, Muskegon Heights; Mayor Harry Langren, North Muskegon; and O. A. Seyterth, Muskegon Chamber of Commerce president.

Archie E. McCrea, chairman of the contest executive committee, was master of ceremonies.

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A combined social and business meeting of the Young People's society was held Friday evening, Jan. 17. The following officers were elected: Thessa Veltema, secretary; Alvin Ensink, treasurer; John Venema, Gerrit Polher, Beth Meengs and Gezina Van Hattma, program committee; Mildred Ver Hage, assistant secretary; Andrew Johnson, assistant treasurer.

A hymn was sung by the group and prayer was offered by Rev. Werkema. Rosa and Albert Heyboer and Jemima and Alvin Ensink gave instrumental selections. A dialog "Wake Up Dad" was presented by Anson, Heyboer, Jay Brink, Andrew Johnson and Titus Van Hattma. Another dialogue "Buying Eggs" was enacted by Gene Dalm, Jerene Veltema and Cora Jean Baker. Rev. and Mrs. Werkema played the xylophone and accordion.

A third dialogue, "At the Photograph," was given by Gerrit Polher, Mora De Kleine, Katharine Brink, Henrietta Polher, Julia Ensink, Ruth Meyer, Beth Meengs, Hermine De Weerd, Ethel Ensink, Thessa Veltema, Harvey Van Rhee, Beatrice Zwiers and Edwin Albrecht. A budget was read by C. Bosch. Rev. Werkema and C. Bosch were presented with gifts in appreciation of their work done for the society. A two-course lunch was served and various games were played. Before leaving the group sang "Till We Meet Again." Charles Bosch closed with prayer.

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Miss Beatrice Elzinga suffered an arm fracture when she fell on the ice Friday.

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Mr. Brooks was presented with a 50-year certificate in recognition of the agency's 50 years of service in representing the Fireman's insurance firm. Mr. Brooks also was presented with an electric clock, inscribed with the following: "Time—the look on the past, the keys to the future. May it open the door of continued success to the Visscher-Brooks Agency, representing the Fireman's Fund Insurance Co."

E. D. Lawson, western manager of Chicago, who presided at the dinner, presented the certificate and clock. Mr. Brooks in his response gave a short history of the local agency which, he said, was started by Kommer Schadelee more than 50 years ago, Nov. 22, 1890. Arend Visscher came into the agency in 1895 and Ray Visscher in 1913. Mr. Brooks joined the agency in 1921.

Out-of-town insurance representatives were W. S. Byler, state agent of Battle Creek, Arthur O. Anderson, general agent of Chicago, and Tom Hay of Detroit. Local guests were Mrs. George Manting, an employee of the local agency for 20 years, Neal Wiersma, also an employee of the agency for 20 years, Neal Wiersma, George Manting, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Brooks, Mr. Ernest C. Brooks and W. A. Butler. The women received compacts as favors.

Overisel News

The Rev. A. Hellenga, pastor of the Second Reformed church of Grand Haven, conducted both services in the Reformed church last Sunday. Next Sunday the Rev. John Wessink of Holland will have charge of the services in the morning and Dr. J. R. Mulder of Holland will have charge of the services in the afternoon and evening.

The prayer meeting Sunday evening was in charge of Mrs. John Arink. The song service was led by Harry Lampen. A trio composed of Mrs. Francis Nykerk, Mrs. Gerald Kleinheksel and Mrs. James A. Kleinheksel favored with a vocal selection.

Student Rozenboom of Calvin college was in charge of the services in the Christian Reformed church last Sunday. Rev. G. J. Vande Riet conducted the services in the North Blendon Christian Reformed church.

The Women's Mission society held its regular monthly meeting last week Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Simon Ver Burg, the president presided. Mrs. M. A. Nienhuis gave a reading on the Romance of the Early Church. Others who took part were Mrs. Ed Folkert, Mrs. I. R. De Vries, Mrs. Gilbert Immink, Mrs. Jacob Kleinheksel, Mrs. H. W. Pyle, Mrs. Nell Voorhorst and Mrs. Henry Klumper. John Poppen favored with a vocal solo.

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CHRISTIANS WIN FROM WYOMING, EYE FENNVILLE

Boersma Leads Holland's Team to Victory Over Parks, 36-28

Back in the win column with a 36-28 victory over Wyoming Park there Tuesday night, Holland Christian immediately began looking forward to their contest Friday in the Holland armory against Fennville.

Coach John Tuls used all his 11 men in beating Wyoming Park, but it took only six of them to provide 18 points each half. They led the first half, 18-11, having allowed Jay Formosa the only Park bucket in the first period. Bob Arthurs took the scoring responsibility in the second quarter and gained a point on Christian.

The losers gained two more points on the locals in the third quarter, and at the end of the second half had totaled 17 points as compared with Holland's 18. Dell Boersma again led Holland at the basket with 11 points. Chuck Bazun again turned in seven points, and Harv Buter broke in seriously for the first time with ten. Fred Wicht was high for the losers with seven.

Holland's free throw record was exceptionally good with eight out of 11 completed. Coach B. A. Swanson's men made only four out of a possible dozen.

In the reserve game, Coach Herb Bulthuis' men mopped the small Park floor with Coach Ken Davis' men, 47-28, after leading 28-13 at the half. Bob Bomers and Ken Piers were high for Holland with 18 and 17 points respectively while Russ Shay and Virgil Grubbs starred for Wyoming with eight each.

Christian	FG	FT	TP
Tuls, f	2	0	4
Bazun, f	2	3	7
Buter, c	4	2	10
Boersma, g	5	1	11
Sjaarda, g	0	2	2
Vander Ploeg, f	1	0	2
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Shay, f	1	0	2
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Young, f	0	1	1
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Officials: Referee—Elmer Liskey; umpire—George Kottoff.

Substitutions: For Holland—Hietbrink, Kalkink, H. Van Wierden; C. Van Wieren and Vryhof; for Wyoming—Park—Kennedy and Vander Henst.

FEWER ABSENT FROM SCHOOLS

Two Hundred and Thirty One Miss Classes in City, However

Although the absences in local schools are still far above normal because of the flu, statistics today revealed that there is a gradual decrease.

In Holland high school on Tuesday there were 59 absent from chapel exercises and yesterday there were 62 absent. There are 594 students enrolled in the school.

Holland Junior high school had a larger percentage absent. A total of 124 was absent Tuesday while 146 were absent Monday. There are 760 enrolled in the school.

In the 12 grades of the Christian school system, 132 pupils were absent Tuesday and 172 were absent Monday. Of this number 22 were absent today from Junior high school and 26 from senior high school.

According to statistics compiled last Friday, 346 pupils were absent that day from high schools and Junior high schools. From the same grades, 231 were absent today.

Three Petitions Filed for Primary at G.H.

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—Edmund Wilds has filed his petitions as a candidate for reelection to common council.

Nelson Fisher has filed as a candidate for election to the board of public works. Hartger Jonker will not seek reelection to the board.

Charles Salisbury, former deputy sheriff, has filed nominating petitions as fourth ward constable.

Deadline for filing petitions is Jan. 25.

Grand Haven Motorist Pays Fine After Crash

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—John Niemaszky, 40, Grand Haven, paid a fine of \$10 and costs of \$1 in Justice George V. Hofter's court Monday afternoon upon his plea of guilty to a charge of failing to have his car under control.

Niemaszky, who operates a tavern in Grand Haven, was arrested by state police Jan. 17 in Spring Lake when he became involved in an accident.

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Longfellow Pupils Construct Healthland Bus



The above photo depicts the Healthland Bus project which was worked out by the 1B students of Longfellow school under the direction of Miss Florence Kossen, teacher, with the assistance of Margaret Bilkert and Doris Van Lente, Hope college student teachers.

The pupils opened the project

with a ride on one of the local buses. The photo in the upper right shows Marvin Nienhuis, Gordon Hulst and David Moran constructing chairs from Orange crates while Diane Fehring sketches a poster for play advertising in the lower left photo.

The bus when completed was 20 feet long, six feet wide and six feet high. Photo in upper left

shows Patty Seidelman, Myra Rooks and Roger Kolean buying tickets from Burke Raymond for their first ride. Tickets were obtainable by following out some health rule. In the lower right photo, Gerrit Yskes, the bus driver, safely drives the group to healthland. (Photo by HHS Camera club.)

Health Office Believes Measles Epidemic Is at Hand in Ottawa

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—Measles is becoming more prevalent in Ottawa county, the Ottawa county health department warned Wednesday.

The first cases occurred in the Holland area the latter part of December. At present, the department said, there are about 30 cases involving Holland and vicinity, Forest Grove and Ferryburg.

No epidemic has resulted as in 1938 when more than 2,000 cases were reported. But, it was pointed out, an epidemic is predicted for 1941, and according to all appearances, the epidemic has definitely begun.

"Measles is reportable. Patience must be placated for about two weeks. The incubation period (from the time the child was exposed to the time the first symptoms appear) is about 12 to 14 days. The first signs of measles are severe cold and cough, which is usually present for two or three

days before the eruption appears. Patients seldom have more than one attack of measles but adults and children will not be protected unless they have had a previous attack of measles. However, the greatest danger is to children who are in good health and children under five years of age. Babies under one year of age are in most instances protected against measles.

"A serum for the prevention of measles is available but should not be given until the child has been exposed to measles. Information regarding this serum can be obtained from your physician. The best method of control is immediate isolation of children who have colds. It should be reported to the health department so that the proper isolation precautions may be taken. Measles is our most contagious communicable disease and children rarely escape it if exposed. Therefore all exposed cases should be immediately reported."

Wichers Presides at Chapel Exercises

President Wynand Wichers presided at an impressive chapel service at Hope college yesterday morning. The service was patterned after one conducted by the Rev. James Nettings in the 89th Street Church, N.Y., which Dr. Wichers attended on his recent eastern trip. The portions of scripture entitled, "The Soul's Journey" were interspersed by music by the chapel choir conducted by Robert Cavanaugh. Mrs. W. C. Snow presided at the organ.

Belgian Missionary Will Speak in Ninth Church

The Rev. J. B. H. Van Lierop, who with his family has just returned from war-torn Europe after having spent 13 years as missionary in Belgium, will speak of his experiences during the invasion of Belgium at a public meeting Friday at 7:45 p.m.

His son, Peter Van Lierop, a medical student, will give a brief organ recital. The program is sponsored by the school circle.

Bride Assisted in Cutting Cake



Robert Wilson is seen assisting his bride as she cuts the wedding cake following their marriage last Saturday night in the Joseph

M'LEAN, MOOI WILL SEEK REELECTION

C. J. McLean, 191 West 12th St., and Herman Mooi, 203 West 20th St., will seek reelection to the board of public works and common council, respectively, at the Feb. 17 primary. Their nomination petitions were filed Monday afternoon with City Clerk Oscar Peterson.

Mr. McLean has been a member of the works board since 1928. He is president of the board, having been named recently to succeed the late James De Young.

Mr. Mooi is completing his first term as alderman of the former sixth ward. With the revision of the ward boundaries, he is a candidate for alderman of the new fourth ward.

MARKS BIRTHDAY

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—Mrs. Fred Albers, Grand Haven, celebrated her 81st birthday Monday.

Great Britain has had possession of Gibraltar since 1713.

AUTOISTS ARE GIVEN TICKETS

Two Holland motorists were given traffic violation tickets Tuesday afternoon by local police following an accident at 11th St. and Pine Ave. about 4:45 p.m.

William Olive, 67, 268 Maple Ave., was charged with failing to have his car under control and Gerrit Kleinhuisen, 57, 347 Central Ave., was charged with failing to have an operator's license.

Olive was driving east on 11th St. and Kleinhuisen was driving south on Pine Ave. Wilbur Smith, 268 West 11th St., was listed by police as a witness.

Mary Boer, 20, 485 Washington Ave., was shaken up and Mrs. Carl Van Ingen, 22, 536 Central Ave., suffered bruises when hit by a car driven by William Klompars at 15th St. and Central Ave. Tuesday, according to police.

On Tuesday at 17th St. and Central Ave. cars driven by Russell Boeve and Mrs. John Gutknecht collided. Boeve who was driving south on Central Ave. told police he could not stop his car due to the slippery street.

Mrs. Gutknecht was driving east on 17th St.

Mrs. Harold Bonzeelaar, route 5, Holland, reported her car collided at 15th St. and Van Raalte Ave. Tuesday with an auto driven by Stephan Langejans.

PLAN BUILDING FOR VOCATIONAL WORK

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—The board of education Monday decided to "seriously consider" the construction of a vocational school building to take care of shop courses.

Such a building also would be used in connection with the national defense program. Location and the type of building are being studied. It would relieve the pressure on the high school building where some of the work is being done and would establish a vocational school which would provide woodworking, general metal shop, foundry and auto mechanics.

If the building is constructed, it would be without a bond issue. The board does not feel that the defense program is sufficient reason to consider the matter but its primary use would be for educational work in the high school.

SOULE IS RENAMED G.H. CITY ASSESSOR

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—Edward C. Soule who has been city assessor for the past three years was reappointed by common council Monday to that office for another year at a salary of \$1,700, an increase of \$100 per year.

His former salary was \$1,600 per year but the additional duty of making out and mailing tax bills, formerly the duty of the city treasurer, has been assigned to Mr. Soule.

A committee was appointed to study the retirement fund for city employees. The committee includes Edmund Wilds, Mrs. Glenn Olsen, Ralph Wilson, J. N. Poel, B. P. Sherwood, Sr., and one to be named by the board of public works.

At the spring election, the question of granting council authority to sell the old Hatton hospital property will be brought to a vote of the people. No price has been named.

Motion Pictures Will Be Featured at Convention

Ernest S. Marks of Detroit, executive secretary of the Michigan Christian Endeavor union, will show motion pictures and deliver the closing address at the "Little convention" on Feb. 1 in First Reformed church, sponsored by the Holland Christian union.

While continuing the leadership of statewide Christian Endeavor in Michigan, Mr. Marks has been invited to share in the leadership of Christian Endeavor in many sections of the United States and Canada and thus has had a broad experience in work with youth in many sections of the country. He will show colored motion pictures of Christian Endeavor in action in Michigan and elsewhere.

Mr. Marks also will lead a conference for officers scheduled for 4:15 p.m. Other conference leaders will be Berlin Bosman, extension; Mrs. O. E. Schaap, devotional; Mrs. Edith Walvoord, missionary; Leon N. Moody, recreational; Inez Von Ina, junior and high school leaders, Charles Stoppels, Cornelia Van Voorst and Gerald Pomp who will join for church activities, publicity and unified finance.

Mr. Marks has been making a tour of Michigan during this month and his appearance in Holland is one of a series of 28 meetings. The meetings will lead to the Rainbow Jubilee which centers in Christian Endeavor week which opens Sunday and concludes Feb. 2.

Christian Endeavor will celebrate the 60th anniversary of its founding during Christian Endeavor week. The first Christian Endeavor society was organized Feb. 2, 1881, by the late Dr. Francis E. Clark and Mrs. Clark in the Williston Congregational church in Portland, Me. For 40 years Dr. Clark gave his full time to the movement and he saw one society of 40 members grow to 80,000 societies of more than 4,000,000 members in every Protestant denomination and every civilized country.

BOAT FIRM TO SEEK NAVAL CONTRACTS

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—George Sheldon, president of the Sheldon Marine Co. of Ferrysburg, located in Spring Lake, stated today that his company will bid on naval construction of boats up to 100 feet in length in connection with the national defense program.

The company is now obtaining sufficient personnel for shipbuilding and has installed a double track marine railway. Their part of the shipbuilding would be assembling for either wood or steel boats.

Johnson Bros. boiler makers, will not submit bids as it would mean a reorganization of the firm's plant.

The Barrett Boat Works of Spring Lake does not contemplate submitting any bids or equipping their plant for boat construction.

TRY THE NEWS CLASSIFIED

Personals

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)—"Communicable Diseases—Their Prevention and Control," will be the subject of the public health lecture to be held in the American Legion club rooms Friday at 2:30 p.m. Dr. Berneta Block is the speaker. She also will present a sound film on Tuberculosis.

Charles H. McBride, 280 College Ave., was in Grand Rapids Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Kuiper of route 1 has returned to her home from the hospital where she was confined for treatment.

Willard De Groot has been initiated into the Beta Gamma Sigma National honorary commerce fraternity at Northwestern university where he is doing post graduate work and teaching.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening in Bethel church at 8 p.m. will be led by the Rev. C. A. Stoppels on the topic, "Abiding in Jesus—What Will It Do for Me?"

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wiersma and daughter have moved from 377 West 22nd St. to 379 West 20th St.

"Scripture Wrestled" will be the topic at the prayer service in Fourth Reformed church Thursday night. Teacher's meeting will follow at 8:30 p.m.

The Montello park "Know Your Bible club" will present a public program in the school Friday at 7:45 p.m. The program will feature a review of K.Y.B. work, a 15-minute play by nine boys and girls of the club, a talk on mission work at Crockett, Ky., by Donald Webster, and pictures of the Fourth Wise Man. Teachers are Mrs. A. Raak and Mrs. J. Wescott.

Mrs. George E. Kollen has returned from Chicago where she attended a number of the new plays.

Mrs. Dick Dirks of Holland, route 4, was removed Monday to the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dirks on Lincoln Ave., from Holland hospital where she underwent a major operation about 12 days ago. She will remain in bed another week.

Mrs. Ted Friege, 228 Washington Blvd., underwent an operation in Holland hospital this forenoon for removal of her tonsils.

(From Monday's Sentinel)—Miss Joyce Poll spent a few days in the home of her sister, Mrs. Milton Barkel, 236 West 19th St.

Miss Clara Coburn, missionary from India, will speak in Borealis Christian Reformed church Thursday, Jan. 23, at 7:45 p.m. Special music will be furnished by John Vandenberg and by a ladies trio. All interested in missions are invited.

Mrs. Herman Steketee has received word from Junction City, Calif., that her brother, Herbert P. Daniels, has just been able to leave the hospital after a very serious operation for ruptured appendix. He was admitted to the hospital Oct. 23.

Mrs. Edward T. Van Dyke of Holland was admitted to Blodgett Memorial hospital in East Grand Rapids Sunday for an operation Tuesday.

Bobby Van Voorst provided special music at the evening service of Sixth Reformed church Sunday night.

About 50 Hope college freshmen gathered at the Virginia Park community hall Saturday night for a skating party. The committee in charge was made up of William Van Kleef, president, John Kleis and Larry Belman. William H. Rosenberg, student at Western Theological seminary, and Mrs. Rosenberg were chaperones.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Alderink announce the birth of a daughter this morning at their home on route 1.

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)—Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Van Zanten of Battle Creek were weekend guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Van Zanten, 35 West 18th St. Young Mr. Van Zanten has recently been appointed assistant cashier of the First National bank of Battle Creek. He was graduated from Hope college, where he was prominent in sports, and also attended Michigan Normal Business college for two years.

Mrs. James Cronkright and Miss Ruth Cronkright of Chicago are spending a few days in the home of Mrs. G. Rooks, 15 East 15th St. Mr. and Mrs. E. Vander Hoop of 125 West 18th St. and Mr. and Mrs. J. Vander Hoop and daughter, Judy, of 91 West 20th St. left this morning for a visit with relatives in San Bernardino, Calif. They expect to be gone a month.

Edwin James is the name of a son born Jan. 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bos of 281 Columbia Ave. Mrs. Bos and her son are at the home of Mrs. Albert Tibbe, 281 East 13th St.

Mrs. A. A. Van Raalte of 225 West-Ninth St. is ill of the flu at her home. Mrs. K. Vander Veer of Allegan is visiting in the Van Raalte home.

Peter Naber, residing on rural route 5, observed his 70th birthday anniversary Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kortering of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Naber and Ardith of Central park spent the evening with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Vande Schaaf are spending the winter in the Orange Blossom trailer park in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Jay Trux of Douglas who has been confined in the U. S. Marine hospital in Detroit since Dec. 16, has developed pneumonia, according to word received here. His condition is improving slowly.

Holland hospital announces the following births: to Mr. and Mrs. John Whitebeck of Fennville, a daughter, Jan. 18; to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Foelekler, 37 West 18th St., a son, Jan. 20; to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nyland, 189 East Fifth St., a son, Jan. 19; to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Breuker, route 1, a son,

RESIDENT OF ZEELAND DIES

Mrs. E. J. MacDermid Succumbs to Illness in Hospital

Zeeland, Jan. 23 (Special)—Mrs. E. J. MacDermid, 72, widow of the late E. J. MacDermid, well known photographer, died Saturday night in Zeeland hospital after a week's illness. She was born in Howe, Ind., the former Pearl Spaulding. Upon her marriage to Mr. MacDermid, she moved to Grand Rapids where they conducted a photographic studio.

The family first came to Zeeland in 1891. After living in several other states, they returned to Zeeland in 1908 where they carried on their photographic business until Mr. MacDermid's death two years ago. Mrs. MacDermid has operated the business since that time. The couple celebrated their golden wedding in 1938. She was a member of Second Reformed church.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. E. J. Wilson of Mt. Vale, N. J.; a son, E. Verne of Cleveland, O.; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren; and three sisters, Mrs. Grant Ridley of Niles, Mrs. Daisy Howe of Detroit, and Mrs. Edward Keefus of Howe, Ind.

North Holland

Last Sunday during the Sunday school hour, gold pins were given to the following who had a perfect attendance in Sunday School for the past year: Edwin Schuit, Carl Boss, Kenneth Raak, Thelma Slag, Leona Overbeek, Arlene Slag, Pauline Ehlers, Nelva Schuit, Jacob Peigrim, Marion Tenchuck, Jane Lievens, Mrs. Jacob Sijel, Janet Slag, Jean Ehlers, Donald Westrate, Roger Raak, James Schuit, Verne Knut, Raymond Schuit, Howard Smith, Bernard Ehlers, Florence Brower, Leona Maassen, Shirley Nienhuis, Crystal Veltheer, Pearl Raak, Dwight Knut, Donald Knut, Maxine Ehlers, Marilyn Brower, Donald Elzinga, Bobby Elzinga, Helene Jongekri, Marilyn Westrate, Irvin Smith, Ronald Slag, Reva Slag and Mrs. H. Maassen.

Howard Maastman of Grand Rapids will be the speaker in the Christian Endeavor Society meeting Wednesday night.

Chester Hulst was taken home from the Holland hospital last Friday. He is now able to see more clearly.

The P.T.A. will have its next meeting in the local school Friday, Jan. 24, at 7:45 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Rus of South Dakota have purchased the farm of Fred Lahuis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Karsten and family were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Timmer of Central park last Sunday night.

Beaverdam

Mrs. Andrew Klynstra and baby spent a few days of the past week with Van Dorpe in Zeeland.

Mrs. Jake Hop and Mrs. Cora Klynstra were visitors Tuesday of Mrs. H. Borst in Hudsonville.

Mrs. Jim Lappenga, Mrs. Jake Doornweerd and Mrs. John Gallien and daughter, Karen, of Holland were visitors Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 15, of Mrs. H. Bowman and Mrs. Gerrit Lubbers.

Mrs. Jane Klynstra and Mrs. Henry Klynstra were the guests of Mrs. Anthony Lievens of Holland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Slag of North Holland spent Friday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Minnema and children in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Sampson and Miss Tena De Jonge of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tye De Jonge.

Mrs. Fred Berens is staying in Hudsonville with her daughter, Mrs. Gerrit De Haan, who is ill at her home there.

Mrs. Clyde Dykhuys of Zeeland was hostess at a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening honoring Mrs. Harvey Palmboos, formerly Jeannette De Boer. Mrs. L. De Vries was awarded the prize given for the game which was played. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Dykhuys. Those attending the party besides the hostess were Mrs. De Vries, Mrs. Sherwin Hungerink, Mrs. Frank De Boer, Mrs. M. Van Noord, Mrs. H. Palmboos, Misses Corrie tegehuis, Alma Bowman, Irene Knop and Dora Berghout.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman and Alfred were guests Thursday evening of Rev. and Mrs. P. Muisken and Donnie of Grand Rapids.

The Rev. H. W. Pyle will conduct services at the Reformed church Sunday, Jan. 28.

Relatives of Peter Huyser of Holland were notified of his death which occurred on Sunday evening, Jan. 19.

Bituminous coal deposits in Maryland vary from one to 14 feet in thickness.

About 92 percent of Massachusetts people reside in cities, towns or villages.

088 Liquid or 088 Tablets with 088 Salve or 088 Nose Drops generally relieve cold symptoms the first day.

John Chalmers Seeks Election to G.H. Board

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—Petitions have been filed for John H. Chalmers as candidate for the board of public works.

Petitions for the same office are in circulation for Dr. Clifford L. Norcross, local dentist. This will result in a three-way contest at the Feb. 17 primary as Nelson Fisher, local businessman, has previously filed his petition.

Mr. Chalmers is chief engineer at the Eagle-Ottawa Leather Co.

COMPANY GOES ON GUARD DUTY

By Osborne E. Vos

Camp Beauséjour, La., Jan. 23—For 24 hours, members of company D, composed of Holland recruits, recently guarded Camp Beauséjour as part of their military training in the U. S. army.

Their duties consisted of guarding warehouses, canteens and prisoners in the guardhouse. Each man in the company, except cooks, K. P.'s and company clerk, was on duty for two hours, then off duty for four hours during the 24-hour period.

Trucks carried them to their posts and back to the company mess hall for meals. New weapon carriers were used for this transportation.

Pvt. John Wise is now in the kitchen acting as first cook. He has been given a fifth class specialist rating which increases his monthly pay. Pvt. Wilson Hill also received the same rating and is in the capacity as steady K. P. or assistant to the cooks.

Pvt. Watson and Veltman are now on the line taking over their duties as combat men.

During the past week the 128th infantry rifleman were on the range firing and trying to qualify as a marksman. Most of the rifleman in the headquarters platoon of company D qualified. Only one man failed to do so. The standards for qualifying are high and take considerable skill and training to produce good results.

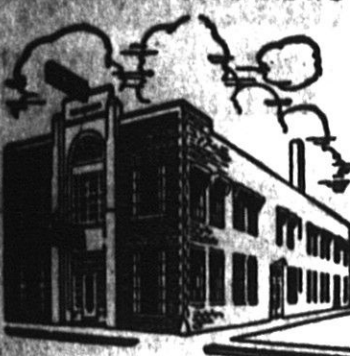
Pvt. Gordon Zuverink qualified expert firing a score of 178. Corp. Jim McCormick and Pvt. Gerald Schipper received sharpshooter ratings with scores of 171 and 169, respectively. Those who qualified for marksmen are Pvt. Nelson Lievens, 161, William Bazan, 157, Edward Butties, 142, John Wise, 149, Richard Harringtons, 135, and Peter Herring, 134. Privates first class also getting marksmen were Herbert Coppernath, 154, Marius Bruursema, 149, George Bruursema, 158, Sgt. Flieman qualified for marksmen with a score of 143.

The men have to fire in a standing position, kneeling position, and prone position, using both rapid and slow fire. They fired with the Springfield rifle.

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Using the theme, "America at Work," an interesting educational display has been arranged in the

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WE FURNISH THE SHOT

The last act of the Dies committee under the authority given it by the congress that just closed its session was to protest against the distribution of totalitarian propaganda in America at the expense of American tax payers. There is no doubt that that is being done; neither is there any doubt that British propaganda, and just now Greek propaganda, and Chinese propaganda are being distributed in the United States at the expense of the American tax payer. Our postal laws are such, and we Americans are such softies, that we pay for the very "literature" that is intended to destroy us. We carry such stuff at postal rates far below cost of transportation.

The Dies committee wants congress to put a stop to this. And that is well. The practice ought to be stopped—for the totalitarian and for all other countries. It is high time for America to take some measures in the interest of the American people, not for the benefit of Germans or Italians or Chinese or British or the people of any other country. Public sentiment is shaping in such a way that we are preparing ourselves for the role of chief international cops, the same role that we played in 1917. But certainly we ought to object to paying for the very propaganda that is designed to persuade us to accept this role.

And while congress is engaged in the job of making all countries pay for the cost of distribution of all mail sent here, it might do well to take a look at the cost of mail out of Washington. For the fact is that the members of congress and of the executive arm of the government are the chief offenders in bringing about an annual deficit in the postoffice. Congressmen and senators and the thousands of bureaus and commissions and committees and sub-bureaus and sub-committees are daily sending carloads of mail under the franking privilege, much of which mail is purely partisan in character, designed to advance the interests of a party or an individual. The American people pay for the privilege of having the government propagandize them.

Congress is not in the best position to give heed to the recommendations of the Dies committee on this point because congress is living in a glass house. The question is a much wider one than that of totalitarian propaganda. It is a question of British propaganda as well, to say nothing of congressional and, just at the moment, of New Deal propaganda. We the American people are paying postage on the very propaganda that is designed to milk us.

ILLNESS IS FATAL TO

MRS. J. DANNENBERG

Mrs. John Dannenberg, 42, died early on Monday in her home in Park township, route 1, Holland, following an illness of 14 months. Surviving are the husband; a daughter, Mrs. Verne Lubbers of Holland; two sons, Ray and Earl at home; one granddaughter; one sister, Mrs. H. Vander Popen of Hamilton; and two brothers, George Hamburg of Holland and Lawrence of Ann Arbor.

Risselada Daughter

Dies in City Hospital

Peggy Ariene Risselada, four-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Risselada, 666 Michigan Ave., died in Holland hospital on Monday following an illness since birth.

Survivors are the parents, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Risselada of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. John Brink of Fennville.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday at 2 p.m. from the Risselada home, with the Rev. H. Bast officiating. Burial was in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)

Fletcher Carveth, employed as engineer by the county road commission, submitted to an operation for appendicitis in Municipal hospital Saturday.

Sunday School Lesson

January 26, 1941

Christ's Concern for the Lost

Luke 15:1-10

By Henry Geerlings

The parables of the Lost Sheep and the Lost Coin were addressed to the Pharisees. They obviously attack rabbinical religion as its weakest point, that of careless regard for sinners. There is no indication as to the approximate time when these stories were told. In the light of Luke's tendency to group the teachings of the Master according to theme instead of sequence, it is impossible to say whether these parables were told at the same time or at different times. The murmuring of the Pharisees and scribes and their complaint that Jesus was consorting in closest intimacy with sinners are signs that these passages belong to a late period in the ministry of our Lord.

When Jesus said He came to seek and save that which was lost, He had two classes of people in mind. One of these classes consisted of the helpless, ignorant, toiling masses. These were the lost sheep of the house of Israel. They were either unable to conform to the stern demands of the ceremonial law, or else their depressed condition and defective moral training led them without incentive to practice formal religion. The better, wealthier Jews looked upon these poor, uneducated, humble folk as social refuse. They were probably debauched from the synagogue because of their crimes and filthy habits. They knew very little about God. But this sad spiritual condition was to a great extent the result of their social ostracism. They were wicked because men made them so.

Jesus openly championed the cause of these people who were being the pale. In them He saw potential divinity if He could but win their confidence, secure their repentance, and lead them to God. Often He chose His immediate followers from some of these tragic outcast groups. He ate with publicans, consorted with sinners, talked with prostitutes, prayed with workmen who knew nothing of the refinements of polite society.

But Jesus was concerned also with the second class of the lost, with those who willfully disobey the fundamental right. Included in this group are the doubters, those who make ethical pretensions while they engage in evil, those who desert God for pleasure or profit, the people who are so deliberately cruel that they have no imagination to perceive the consequences of their lust for power or privilege. These are the spiritually lost, who desert God and truth and love. They are the people who commit most of the tragedy in the world. For them, too, Jesus had a deep sympathy.

The flocks in Palestine were small. A man who owned a hundred sheep would doubtless be thought of as a tycoon. In summer the sheep were usually taken to the upper slopes of the mountains. There were often precipices, crags and caves where the wandering sheep might stray and be unable to return. We must remember that the Palestinian shepherds made them their companions. The solitude of the shepherd heart is beautifully portrayed by the herdsmen in Jesus' parable, who keeps looking for his lost sheep until he finds it and then carries it home upon his shoulders.

Most of the village houses in Palestine were dark, windowless huts. The floor was usually the bare earth. Sometimes the floor was covered with rushes of grasses which soon became dry and were ground to bits by human feet. The housekeeping methods of those days were none to clean and very often the floor refuse was swept into a corner. Peasant women wore their wealth in strands of coins about the neck or the waist. The coinage of the time was Roman, but the women liked to exchange the dull Roman money for beautiful old Greek coins called drachmas. These coins could be polished until they shone like little mirrors.

It is immediately apparent that these stories of the Savior aver that the individual is important. The emphasis in the parable of the Lost Sheep is upon the one who wandered away. The 99 are forgotten. It is for the moment they are safe. It is the unsafe which is the cause of all the stir. The Nazi philosophy is that as individuals men are worthless. Jesus' view of life is the direct opposite.

Again, these parables supply the thought that God desires the sinner to be sought. Generous and kind, the saints and the prophets mourned over the tragedy of those who fell away from truth and right, but they did not imagine that they were to try to rescue the lost. However Jesus felt that a key to the mystery of life was the unceasing effort of God to save men from peril. For Him the signs of their allegiance to the kingdom were the avid attempts of righteous men to rescue their brothers from the abysses into which they had fallen. In the parable of the Lost Coin, the woman uses every device at hand to insure success. Such is the manner God commands to us in our efforts to save lost souls.

PAINFUL SWALLOW

San Francisco, — Robin Paul, Jr., 18 months old, had some ideas of his own relative to "interior decorations." He swallowed a half package of his mother's best stocking dye. His face was sunken and his legs dark purple on the outside. With the aid of a stomach pump, his face returned to normal pink.

In The Good Old Days

At a meeting of the Board of Public Works held on Monday evening, the committee on machinery recommended the appointment of John Elenbaas as assistant engineer at the Nineteenth street water station, at a salary of \$45 per month, according to the Aug. 6 issue of the Ottawa County Times published in 1897 by M. G. Manting. He is to be employed only as long as necessities of water supply demand.

Locals included: Miss Nellie Zwemer who went out as a missionary to China in 1891 returned to her home at Spring Lake last week coming on furlough because of impaired health.

Pickles are being brought in to the Heinz pickling works in large quantities at present, as high as 250 bushels a day being reached.

At present eight men are employed in handling the pickles.

The fleet of the Columbia yacht club of Chicago will be here tomorrow.

Arthur Huntley, local manager of the Bell Telephone Co., put in a phone in the residence of Albert Meyer on the corner of Central avenue and Twelfth street, this week and also in the office of James Huntley on South River street.

The effect of low prices on horses and cattle has been to create an interest in better stock. Farmers are learning that it is to their advantage to attempt to compete with those who resort to the pure breeds, as quality is sought at the present day more than formerly. Beef cattle have been greatly improved in the east owing to the western dressed beef trade the object being to control the market here by producing choice cattle. The butter production of the individual cow is also increasing and more calves are being raised that are well bred.

The committee on streets and bridges will appoint a man to take charge of keeping the sidewalks in good order.

The pleasure yacht "Me Too" was disabled yesterday morning by a break in her machinery when about six miles north of the harbor. A flag of distress was run up and the life saving crew were called out. The steamer Lizzie Walsh towed the disabled craft in.

While the circus parade was going on Saturday forenoon burglars entered the residence of P. H. McBride while the family was absent and secured two silver watches and one gold one. The silver watches were of little value, but the gold watch was worth about \$40. The room of Prof. H. Veghte at the residence of Mrs. Finch on West Twelfth street, was also entered and a gold watch stolen.

The Second Michigan Cavalry will hold its reunion in this city next Wednesday and invitations have been issued for the banquet that evening at S. of V. hall. The record of the Second Cavalry is not excelled by an other. The members participated in over a hundred battles. The first commander of the regiment was Col. Gordon Granger and he was succeeded by Phil Sheridan. Derk Miedema, chairman of the committee, is trying to make it a great success and he should be sided in every way. The Second Cavalry was recruited in the fall of '61 under the second call of President Lincoln for volunteers, when twenty four from this immediate locality joined the command. Their names are: Peter Boes, Benjamin E. Bailey, Albert De Groot, Martin De Groot, Henry Edling, William H. Finch, E. G. Gale, Gerrit Heering, William S. Jackson, Dirk Miedema, John Nies, J. Riemersma, Simon Redema, John Reidema, Martin Reidema, Jacob Stansbury, George W. Smith, William Schelling, Christian Thiel, J. Van Anrooy, Jan Vogel, Lucas Van Uyl, B. Van Halteren, H. Westveld.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Van Duren celebrated their silver wedding on Tuesday evening at their pleasant home on the corner of Twelfth street and College avenue. It was one of the most pleasant affairs that has taken place here for a long time. At least one hundred and twenty-five guests were present and the evening was most enjoyably spent. As one of the leading families here, Mr. and Mrs. Van Duren have a host of friends. Among those present from abroad were Mrs. Wierenga and Mrs. Pennoyer of Muskegon, Mr. and Mrs. A. De Krul of Zeeland and Mrs. Jane Duesberg of Grand Rapids. On Wednesday evening about 80 members of the G. A. R.

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and W. R. C. were royally entertained.

On Wednesday night at about 11 o'clock two burglars attempted to enter the residence of Henry Bowen, a farmer residing about a mile east of Graafschap. Cornelius Bowen, a young man of about 18 years was awakened by a noise at the door and called to the men what they wanted. They replied that they wanted a drink of water, and upon being told that they would go to the barn they said that they wanted to get in the house. Young Bowen replied that they could not get in and going to the door with his revolver in hand he found that the men had started to bore holes in the door. The burglars were watching his movements by the aid of the rays of a bulls eye lantern and they fired several shots into the room. Bowen returned the fire and the men ran away. The young man hastily dressed and going outside saw the men near the barn. When they saw him coming they ran west, and he followed them, stopping at his brother Peter's house to tell him to come out. Young Bowen continued to follow them and several shots were exchanged but near the place of Lucas Ensing the would be robbers fled into a corn field and were lost trace of. Mr. Bowen at first thought that the horses belonged to the robbers but upon going back to the barn he discovered that the men had taken the horses from the stable and placed a saddle on one and strapped a blanket on the other.

Correspondence included: Drenthe—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Stegink from Paterson, N. J., visited John Hunderman last week.

Mrs. J. R. Strabbing and daughter from Grand Rapids are visiting at John Hunderman.

Vriesland—Work has again commenced at Weaver's brick yard. Bert Borst has accepted a position as engineer.

Rev. G. De Jonge has declined the call as Educational agent of Hope college.

Miss Nellie Otto of Chicago returned on the City of Holland last week Monday evening after a three weeks visit with D. Tanis and family.

Wednesday afternoon, August 11, is the day appointed to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of this congregation. One of the features of this meeting will be the unveiling of a memorial stone in honor of Rev. M. Ypma as the organizer and first pastor of this congregation.

Ottawa Station — While Levi Fellows was crossing a ditch Tuesday morning at Olive Center with his threshing machine engine, the bridge gave way and let it into the ditch. The machine dropped about five feet, broke off the tank platform and bent some of the pipes but luckily it did not tip over and no one was hurt. It took him the rest of the day to get it out of the ditch.

Robert Sutch and family of Milwaukee returned home to O. A. Baileys who have been living at Milwaukee for the last two years.

Mrs. Sarah McCormack and her two children are visiting her people, Y. M. Fellows, and family this week.

Graafschap—Mr. and Mrs. S. Joldersma of Grand Rapids visited with Benjamin Neerkes and family for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brinkman have been sojourning for a week at their cottage on Lake Michigan beach.

East Holland—Ed Bran' from Grand Rapids spent Sunday here with relatives.

John Van der Wall of Fremont spent part of last week here.

Committee Named to

Meet Council Group

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CAR RACING GROWS

Portland, Ore. — Racing of midget automobiles ranging around 20 inches in length and powered by tiny gasoline engines has made its appearance in Portland. The racers hold meets each week-end.

Making Up the Social Calendar



BROWN'S THIRTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY ON THE SEVENTH, JAN'S BIRTHDAY ON THE TWENTY-SEVENTH, SARAH'S BIRTHDAY ON THE FIFTH OF MARCH, FRANK'S BIRTHDAY THE SIXTH OF MAY, EDNA CELEBRATES HER BIRTHDAY ON THE SIXTH OF JUNE. SUBSEQUENT SOCIAL IN JUNE: SUMMERTIME SOCIAL IN JUNE. SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC LAST SATURDAY IN JUNE.

Wedding Is Solemnized in Kooiker Residence

Miss Maxine Lois Kooiker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kooiker, 294 River Ave., and Robert Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wilson of Lineville, Iowa, were united in marriage Saturday night in a charming ceremony performed in the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. Bernard Flikkema of Greenleaf, Minn., an uncle of the bride, assisted by the Rev. William Van't Hof of Third Reformed church, officiated at the single ring service which took place at 8:30 p.m.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. Earnest Tirrell, herself a recent bride.

The groom was attended by his brother, Carl Wilson of Chicago.

Before the ceremony Miss Helen Rose Cline of Chicago played "a la Bien-Aimee" by Schutt, and "Melody" by Dawes. Mrs. Bernard DePree, cousin of the bride, sang Cadman's "At Dawning," and "Because," D. Hardelot, accompanied by Miss Cline, who played the Lohengrin wedding march as members of the bridal party took their places.

Following the service, refreshments were served buffet style to 45 guests, including close friends and relatives of the couple.

Mrs. John Kooiker, assisted by her daughters, the Misses Charlotte and Virginia, were in charge of the dining room. The brothers of the bride, Howard, Paul and Kenneth Kooiker, assisted in the serving. Pink carnations, smilax and white candles decorated the table.

Mrs. John Van Eerden was in charge of the gift room. Master of ceremonies was Robert S. Bauld of Chicago, uncle of the bride, and Miss Gertrude Spruiet, the bride's aunt, was mistress of ceremonies.

The bride was graduated from Holland High school and the West Suburban School of Nursing in Oak Park, Ill., and until very recently was connected with the physiotherapy department of the same hospital.

The groom is a graduate of the engineering department of Iowa State college and is employed in the engineering department of the Holland Furnace Co.

After a short wedding trip they will be at home at 70 West 12th St., Holland. For her going away costume, Mrs. Wilson chose a gown of duck green jersey with black accessories, a black silver-fox-trimmed coat and felt hat.

Out-of-town guests included Robert A. Bauld, Mrs. Wilbur Cline, Miss Helen Rose Cline, Carl Wilson, all of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cantare of Maywood, Ill.; Robert Montgomery of Lansing; the Rev. Bernard Flikkema of Greenleaf, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Kooiker and daughter Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. John Haakma of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor of South Bend, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wilson, parents of the groom, were unable to be present because of Mr. Wilson's illness.

Celebrate Anniversary

With Dinner Party

Mrs. Catherine Sermas and Carl M. Tidd celebrated their 30th birthday anniversary last Thursday night at a dinner in the Sermas home. Others present were Mrs. Carl Tidd, Mike Sermas, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stekete, Mr. and Mrs. George Piers and Richard and Helen Sermas.

Mrs. Sermas and Mr. Tidd are twin children of Mrs. Herman Stekete. Gifts were presented.

New Officers Elected at Rainbow Meeting

New officers elected at a meeting of Holland Assembly of Rainbow Tuesday, Jan. 14, are Florence Hansen, worthy advisor; Adele Swenson, worthy associate advisor; Evelyn Kramer, Charly; Patricia Wright, Hope; Jerry Van Vulpes, Faith; Arlene Groeters, recorder, and Carole Erickson, treasurer.

Miss Hansen was escorted to the station of worthy advisor where she announced the following appointments: Selma Cherven, outer observer; Marilyn Ault, confidential observer; Barbara Maddern, chaplain; Melba Gordon, drill leader, and Peggy Stroop, musician.

The color stations are Doris Eby Love; Lois Jilison, Religion; Lois Meppelink, Nature; Margaret Bjork, Immortality; Connie Telgenhof, Fidelity; Irma Rozeboom, Patriotism, and Dorothy Ladewig, Service.

The public installation of these officers will be held Jan. 30 at 7:30 p.m. in the hall.

THREE ENTER RACES

FOR OFFICES IN CITY

Nominating petitions on behalf of the candidacies of three candidates for local office at the Feb. 17 primary were on file today with City Clerk Oscar Peterson.

Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith, 669 Washington Ave., is a candidate for that office. He was appointed municipal judge last April by common council to serve until a judge is elected this year.

Herman Van Tongeren, 102 East 14th St., is seeking reelection as Holland city supervisor. He is serving out the unexpired term of the late Neil De Cook.

Charles I. Dulyes, 198 West Ninth St., is a candidate for constable of the new first ward. He has been constable of the old fourth ward.

Outstanding debts of municipal and state governments increased from \$19,060,000,000 in 1931 to \$19,626,000,000 in 1939.

THREE ENTER GUILTY PLEAS

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)

—William Edman, 31, of Muskegon, John W. Lange, alias Jack Lange, 24, of Spring Lake, and John Wolovlek, Jr., who will be 18 in March, also of Spring Lake, all entered pleas of guilty in circuit court Saturday. Ail will appear Saturday morning Jan. 25, for disposition of their cases.

Edman and Wolovlek were charged with larceny from an automobile and Lange with breaking and entering in the day time, second offense.

Edman is alleged to have taken six skid chains and a blanket from a car belonging to Mrs. Florence Miller of Marne Dec. 16. He told the court he had been arrested twice for petty larceny and another time for being drunk and disorderly. Edman, who is separated from his wife, and whose divorce case is pending in Muskegon county, has four children.

Lange is alleged to have taken a heater and radio from the car belonging to his grandfather Dec. 20. Lange was sentenced Aug. 30, 1937, to serve three to 14 years in Southern Michigan prison on a charge of forging his grandfather's name to a check. He served 26 months and 12 days.

Wolovlek is alleged to have taken a heater from the car of his brother, William, Nov. 13, 1940. He had borrowed the car and when he, together with Jack Lange, got to Grand Rapids they sold the heater for \$6.50 cash and 50c worth of gasoline.

Eelje Roeda, 73, of Holland, appeared in circuit court Saturday morning. In May, 1940, Roeda was arraigned on a charge of being drunk and was allowed to return to his home until such time as he was again drunk. Roeda was picked up by Holland police and taken to the county jail. Saturday morning he expressed a willingness to be taken to Eastmanville and Roeda, in company with Probate Officer Jack Spangler, was taken there Saturday afternoon.

Howard W. Brouwer, 20, Hudsonville, appeared Saturday morning for violation of his probation. Brouwer failed to report to the probation officer during his probation. On May 17, 1940, he was placed on probation for three years on a charge of breaking and entering. Upon his promise to report regularly, he was allowed to return to his home.

PIONEER CARPENTER

DIES IN GRAND HAVEN

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special) —William Henry Shields, 86, died in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jacob Beukema here Saturday at 6:55 p.m. Mr. Shields was born in Heath, Allegan county, June 17, 1854, and resided with his daughter in Grand Haven for about 12 years. He was a carpenter of much repute, having worked on the locks at the Soo and on the construction of the Grand Hotel at Mackinac island. In the early days he was employed in the shingle mills.

Mr. Shields is survived by his daughter and one grandson, Walter Beukema, who is attached to company H, 107th medical regiment, at Ft. Beauregard, La.

Rites Conducted for

Spring Lake Resident

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special) —Funeral services for Arthur W. Blake, 69, who died in his home in Spring Lake Saturday, were held from the Ringold Funeral home Monday at 2:30 p.m., with the Rev. Merle Kennedy of the Presbyterian church officiating. Burial was to take place in Ridgewood, Chicago.

Mr. Blake was born in Kansas City March 11, 1871, and was a retired buyer of Marshall Field Co. of Chicago. Since his retirement about seven years ago he had lived in Spring Lake.

He is survived by his widow, Amelia, and two half sisters, Maude King and Mrs. Richard Loosmore, all of Spring Lake.

PLAN CLUB SUPPERS

Kilmarnock, Va. —Male members of the Kilmarnock School League grew tired of the usual food and "etheral salads" served as the group's regular suppers, so a men's committee, headed by Russell MacMeans, has displaced the women in planning the supper menus.

Two Road Graders Are Bought by Commission

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 —The Ottawa county road commission voted last week to purchase two motor graders at a cost of \$4,400 each.

The road department has three of these, grading machines with a heavy blade underneath the truck which is used for maintenance of gravel roads. The graders have two sets of wheels and a cab and are painted bright yellow to resemble the remainder of the fleet used in this county. The graders are Diesel powered, and are operated by one man.

VAN WESSOM IN MAYOR'S RACE

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)

—James Van Wessom filed his nominating petitions Saturday as a candidate for mayor of Grand Haven at the Feb. 17 primary.

Mr. Van Wessom made no statement in becoming a candidate for the office now held by Mayor Richard L. Cook who has announced he will not be a candidate for reelection.

FORD ENTRY IN EIGHTH PLACE

East Lansing, Jan. 23 —The Rhode Island Red hens of the Ford's Riverbank farm of Coopersville were listed in eighth place in the heavy section of the 19th annual Michigan egg laying contest, as of Dec. 31, 1940.

The pen had a total production of 639 eggs and 583.35 points. December production amounted to 244 eggs and 239.4 points.

December production points and total production and total points of the other Ottawa and Allegan county entries follow:

Brunner and Fredrickson, Holland, barred rocks, 203 and 195.7, 300 and 279.3.

Caball's Superior Poultry Farm, Zeeland, barred rocks, 189 and 187.9; 318 and 306.75.

K. B. Pierce (The Little Farm), Holland, white rocks, 199 and 142.15; 435 and 326.6.

Townline Poultry Farm, Zeeland, single comb White Leghorns, 149 and 148.8; 358 and 337.3.

Hamilton Poultry Farm, Hamilton, single comb White Leghorns, 195 and 178.75; 347 and 305.9.

Caball's Superior Poultry Farm, Zeeland, single comb White Leghorns, 185 and 183.45; 375 and 365.

Brunner & Fredrickson, Holland, single comb White Leghorns, 209 and 206.3; 442 and 414.45.

P. J. Osborne, Holland, single comb White Leghorns, 225 and 220.25; 572 and 518.15.

MAN IS KNOCKED

UNCONSCIOUS AS TRAIN HITS TRUCK

Fennville, Jan. 23 (Special) —The P. M. railroad crossing at Pearl was the scene of an accident late Saturday afternoon when a truck driven by Walter Daliden, accompanied by his brother-in-law, Royal Laraway, both of Pullman, was struck by a north bound freight.

They were

HHS WINS FROM CENTRAL AS G.H. SINKS B.H. FIVE

Kazoo Fails to Overcome First Quarter Lead of Macmen

Holland high climbed up another notch in the Southwestern conference ladder at the Holland armory Friday night, overpowering a fighting Kalamazoo Central quintet, 23-21.

In the last three quarters, the Dutch were either tied or outscored, but their 6-2 margin taken in the first canto gave them an uninterrupted lead throughout and the necessary advantage at the gun.

Grand Haven pulled the conference's major upset and tossed it into a four-way tie, this time whipping Benton Harbor, 40-34, after leading, 17-7, at the half. Bill Vining's 15 points kept the Havens safely in the lead.

Muskegon Heights beat Muskegon, 29-23, in their big city battle to remain atop the league and prevent a six-way split in the standings. The Heights, defending champions, now stand at the top with Muskegon at the bottom and the remaining schools sandwiched in between.

Central fought hard for a comeback in the final frame and outpointed the locals, 8-6, having tied them, 6-6 and 5-5, in the two quarters just preceding. As usual during the last two seconds, Kalamazoo gave the ball to Gene Stroup, substitute long-shot artist who has won a couple of games for Central by one point, in a desperate attempt to tie. The only difference between this climatic moment in this game as compared with other Kalamazoo games was that he missed.

The contest was rough but clean with only five fouls called against Holland and seven against Kalamazoo. Both teams missed entirely too many shots, thus accounting for the low scores at the end of each period.

Holland's superiority at the foul line proved the deciding factor, since each team made ten field goals. The locals perfected three out of seven attempts, while only one out of six materialized for the visitors.

Scoring for both crews was largely in the hands of five boys, each of whom counted six points. Forwards Herk Van Tongeren and Gerald Smith counted for Holland and Dick Groggel, Henry Thole and Bill Barnard, for Kalamazoo. Holland's scoring was more divided than was Kalamazoo's.

Holland led 12-8 at the half-time. Kalamazoo began closing in fast in the third period until an extra Dutch push, led by Chuck Ploegsma set things even again at the third-quarter whistle. Thole opened up with a pair in the final quarter and the visitors were again ready to cut in on the Macmen's two-point lead at any time. Ken Rotman came through to lead the locals in the dying moments and aided in bringing their margin up 23-17. From then on in, the Hollanders scored nothing, but Central, well-versed in this type of game, dogged two more buckets. The crowd, noticeably diminished by the flu, rose to its feet as Coach Cameron Murdoch's men made two last attempts for recovery.

Holland	FG	FT	TP
Van Tongeren, f	3	0	6
Smith, f	3	0	6
Thole, c	1	2	4
Ploegsma, c	1	0	2
Vanden Berg, g	1	0	2
Rotman, g	2	1	5
Totals	10	3	23

Kalamazoo	FG	FT	TP
Ten Brink, f	0	1	1
Groggel, f	3	0	6
Thole, c	3	0	6
Rafferty, g	0	0	0
Barnard, g	3	0	6
Stroup, f	1	0	2
Totals	10	1	21

Officials: Referee—Fred Spurgos, Valparaiso; umpire—John Bos, MSC.

Substitutes: For Holland—Kraal, f, Groeters, f, Kempker, f; for Kalamazoo—Rapacz, f.

SMOKER IS HELD BY J.C.C. OF HOLLAND

Two state officers and the president of the Grand Rapids organization were among those present last Thursday at the "smoker" held in the Warm Friend tavern by the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce for members and guests.

State President Francis Schermerhorn of Kalamazoo in a brief talk gave a history of the organization and listed some of the national projects of the J. C. C. He urged a campaign for additional members.

State Vice-President Walter Bass of Grand Rapids, speaking on the Junior Chamber of Commerce and its activities in Michigan, said there are 88 chapters in the state with a hope there will be 44 by the time of the state convention in Fort Huron in May.

Julius Turner, president of the Grand Rapids Junior Chamber of Commerce, brought greetings from that chapter and talked on various projects of that organization.

A social hour was held at the close of the business meeting. President William Meens presided.

Woldring-Steffens Vows Spoken in New Home

In a charming ceremony performed in their new home, 295 West 15th St., Miss Corlyn Steffens, daughter of 300-erman Ben Steffens of 310 West 14th St., became the bride of Ralph Woldring, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Woldring of 190 East Fifth St., at 7 o'clock Friday evening. Vows were spoken before an artistically decorated fireplace, Dr. Seth Vander Werf reading the single ring service in the presence of the immediate families.

The bride wore a gown of delphinium blue crepe and carried roses and snapdragons. Attending her was her sister, Miss Eleanor Steffens, who wore a new spring prett and carried yellow roses and baby mums.

Serving as best man was Dr. Harold McIntyre of Chicago.

A reception for 27 guests followed in Anchor Inn. Among those present from away were Mr. and Mrs. William Barth, Jr., of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Merrem of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. James Woldring and Henry Lemson of Zeeland.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Woldring were born in Holland and are graduates of Holland high school. Mrs. Woldring attended Hope college for one year and Holland Business college for a year. She is employed in the business office of The Sentinel. Mr. Woldring is an officer of the Holland Police department.

Mr. and Mrs. Woldring will be at home after Feb. 1.

Yacht Club Party Is Gala Event

A miniature fleet bearing the names and numbers of each boat entered in the Sunday races at Macatawa during the summer was arranged on a long mirror representing water and surrounded by sand, to form the centerpiece for the Commodore's table at the gala dinner-dance of the Macatawa Bay Yacht club in the Warm Friend tavern Friday night. Also decorating the tables were red, white and blue carnations and tapers in the same shades, which are the Yacht club colors. Yachting flags were used about the room.

Although hazardous driving conditions kept a number of Grand Rapids people from attending the party, approximately 60 members were present at the annual winter affair. Boris Romanoff and his orchestra furnished music for the dancing.

Preceding the dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Campbell entertained a number of their friends at an hors d'oeuvres party at Overbrook, their home on Lake Macatawa.

Christian PTA Has Alumni Meeting

More than 400 persons crowded into Holland Christian high school for the Parent-Teacher association meeting to which all alumni were invited. The Rev. Peter De Boer, pastor of the Protestant Reformed church, led devotions.

The program opened with selections by the uniformed band under the direction of Stuart A. Ludlow. Raymond Holwerda, retiring president, presided and John Kickert, teacher in the Junior high school, led singing.

Due to the illness of President H. Schultze of Calvin college, Richard Postma of Grand Rapids, principal of the Grandville Avenue primary school and for years president of the American Federation of Young Men's societies, spoke on the subject, "Youth and the Future." Music was furnished by the robed chorus under the direction of Marvin Bass.

Election was held and Clarence

Greengood was named president to succeed Mr. Holwerda and Robert Evenhuis was elected treasurer to succeed Peter Unema. Refreshments were served by the parents of the 4-1 pupils. The entire building was open for inspection. The Rev. D. H. Walters closed with prayer.

Miss Violet Slagh Feted at Shower

Mrs. John Van Kampen, Sr., and Miss Peg Van Kampen were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower Tuesday, Jan. 14, in her home on route 4 honoring Miss Violet Slagh whose marriage to Hazen Van Kampen will take place Feb. 23.

Those present were Mesdames Anna Slagh, Bertal Slagh, Rink Van Til, Otto Van Til, Albert Van Kampen, Herman Van Kampen, Bern Deters, Frank Weener, Henry A. Van Kampen, Harry Meyers, Don Hamlin, Ron Hamlin, Melvin Vande Water, Eddie Looman and Misses Amy Lou Potter, Lillian Vander Heuvel, Charlotte Kammeraad and Marjorie Van Kampen.

Class Meets in Galbraith Home

Members of the Welcome Corner class of First Methodist church were entertained Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Galbraith 23 East 24th St. Mrs. Louis Poppema led devotions, and the president, Mrs. John Bekken, presided at the business meeting when plans for the new year were discussed. Games were in charge of Mrs. W. Haight and Mrs. Thomas Kane. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Bekken.

Miss Adriana Westrate Honored at Shower

Office employees of the Holland Racine Shoe Co. complimented Miss Adriana Westrate, a bride-elect of this month, with a shower Monday, Jan. 13 in the home of Mrs. June Piers. A pot-luck supper was served. A gift from the group was presented to Miss Westrate. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Miss Josephyn Lambers and Miss Helen Frick.

Those attending the shower were Miss Westrate, Anne Bratt, Grace Stirling, Marian Karsten, Dorothy Hamm, Thora Skow, Ruth Nyboer, Verna De Vries, Emma Sand, Mabel Bos, Bernice Borr, Josephyn Lambers, Ruth Den Herder, Alma Brondyck, Harriet Kleinhekel, Mary Anne Anderson, Helen Frick, Leona Klomparsen, Carrie Steghe, Lois Knooihuizen, Louise Melolder, Gertrude Vanden Brink, Geneva Knoll, Genevieve Barnhardt and Mrs. Piers.

BULB SITUATION IS DISCUSSED AT MEET

The tulip bulb industry as it will affect 1941 plantings for the 1942 Tulip Time festival were discussed at a joint meeting of the Tulip Time bureau, park and cemetery board and ways and means committee last Thursday night in the Warm Friend tavern. No decisions were reached. S. H. Houtman, festival manager, reported.

Harry Nelis reported on the tulip bulb situation as he found it while on a recent trip through North Carolina, New Jersey and New York. Dick Zwiop reported on foreign importation of tulip bulbs. One of the Van Bragt brothers, nursery operator near Holland also gave a report.

America's farm population in 1939 was 32,059,000 compared to a total of 32,077,000 in 1910.

FOUR DOCTORS HELP IN DRAFT

Additional Physicians Are Named to Aid Local Service Unit

The local selective service board has received notice that four Holland physicians have been appointed as additional examining physicians for the local board.

They are Dr. Gabriel D. Bos, 26 East Eighth St.; Dr. G. H. Thomas, 24 East Eighth St.; Dr. H. P. Harms, 20 West Eighth St.; and Dr. William Westrate, 11 West Eighth St.

The information from state headquarters advised that the state health department laboratory will be requested to send doctors' field kits to these physicians to be used in taking blood specimens of the registrants.

Dr. O. Vander Velde has been serving as examining physician in the past and the board expressed its appreciation of his services, as well as the services of Dr. R. H. Nichols who also has been serving in this capacity.

The board issued an appeal for volunteers, stating that any volunteer enlistee will receive immediate induction in the February quota. The volunteer will be examined and classified the same as any registrant providing he passes examinations.

Hope Group Has Novel Party

Using as their theme "The Land of Bunk," members of the Hope college Althean society entertained their guests at an attractive informal party in the Grange Hall at Zeeland Friday night. Decorations were carried out in rose and blue, the society's colors. Tables were arranged to form a large "A."

Dorothy Waldo, party chairman, presided at a short program following the dinner and introduced each guest with a clever song. A humorous reading concerning "Husbands" was given by Marcella Ver Hoeft, Holland freshman. Another feature of the program was a stunt called "The Gathering of the Nuts."

Several games were played by the group. In keeping with the theme of the party, the remainder of the evening was spent in playing Bunco.

Altheans and their guests present at the affair were Jean Van Wege, Clare Waldo, Marian Sandee, Jack Meusen, Lois Koopman, Harvey Hoekstra, Anita Vogt, Arthur Willis, Hermine Maassen, Harvey Stahl, Marjorie Koopman, Raymond Teusink, Dorothy Waldo, Harold Dykstra, Edna Nyland, Ray Otteman.

Pearl Laman, John Van Lierop, Blanche Decker, William Miller, Lucile Kooyers, Ellsworth De Haan, Ariene De Vries, Joe Van Roekel, Betty Jayne Smith, Harland Steele, Marcella Ver Hoeft, Maurice Laug, Lois Glerum and John Maassen.

Chaperones for the party were Prof. and Mrs. Garrett Vander Borgh.

Illness Proves Fatal to Four-Year-Old Son

Erwin Jay Plasman, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Plasman, died Friday at about 5 p.m. in his home at 379 Maple Ave. He had been ill since July. Surviving besides the parents are a sister, Marlene Anne; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Plasman and Mr. and Mrs. Martin De Graaf.

Christians Take Early Lead but Lose to Otsego by 50 to 43 Tally

Another of those fast and furious cage contests took place in Christian high's gym Friday night, with Otsego coming out on the crest of a 50-43 score.

It was the first return engagement for the home team and Otsego became not only the first team to beat the Tulsman twice this season, but also the first to score more than 38 points against them.

Guards Mart Sjaarda and Dell Boersma provided the locals with a 3-0 lead before many seconds had passed, but Sullivan and Jordan soon came back with five points and from there until the final gun, Holland never led. At intervals during the last three periods, the Tulsman shaved the margin down to four points, but they found it impossible to halt Otsego's consistent scoring.

Holland trailed at the end of the high-scoring first half, 28-21, but matched the winners' 22 points in the second. Holland lost out in the first and third quarters scoring only eight points in each of these.

Led by Forward Jordan, each member of the visiting team scored at least one bucket in the first period which ended, 14-8. Christian also divided its scoring among five starters during this period.

Art Tuls directed a big Christian push in the middle of the second quarter but received little scoring support from his mates, and Otsego outpointed and remained in the lead.

The second half was a mere repetition of the first with buckets connecting from all directions and with Otsego still able to hold its own by seven points. Art Tuls and Yoder both went out on fouls in the second half.

Tuls was high with Boersma for nine points apiece. Center Newkirk had 15 for Otsego and Jordan and Tice, 12 each.

Christian	FG	FT	TP
Tuls, F	4	1	9
Bazulin, F	3	1	7
Buter, C	3	0	6
Boersma, G	4	1	9
Sjaarda, G	0	1	1
Hietbrink, G	0	0	0
Vander Ploeg, F	4	0	8
H. Van Wieren, G	1	1	3
Totals	19	5	43

Otsego	FG	FT	TP
Jordan, F	5	2	12
Yoder, F	2	0	4
Newkirk, C	7	1	15
Tice, G	5	2	12
Sullivan, G	3	1	7
Williams, F	0	0	0
Totals	22	6	50

Officials: Referee—Pinneo, Grand Rapids; umpire—Dewey, Kalamazoo.

Personal

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Miss Celia Schepers left at noon today to attend the funeral of her uncle in Boyden, Iowa Monday.

Tom White of West Ninth St. is confined to his home with a broken rib received in a fall on the ice at his home Thursday.

The Rev. J. B. H. Van Lierop who recently returned from Belgium will speak in the Central Avenue Christian Reformed church Thursday, Jan. 23 at 7:45 p.m. His topic will deal with general conditions in Europe and particularly of Belgium from a spiritual viewpoint. The meeting is sponsored by the Young Men's society.

Mr. and Mrs. Ekdal J. Buys, 1841 Philadelphia Ave., S.E., Grand Rapids, announce the birth of a son in Grand Rapids this week. Mrs. Buys was the former Mina Becker. Both Mr. and Mrs. Buys are graduates of Hope college.

W. M. Mac Farlan, 21 East 12th St., left today for Iowa to attend the funeral of his brother.

Mrs. N. Wassenaar, 35 East 15th St., has just received word from Carl F. Arnold, dean of the law school at the University of Wyoming, that her son, Lester, was put on the honor list. The honor list is made up of the five students receiving the highest grades in the law school for a term. Wassenaar is a senior law student.

Mrs. Howard Helder returned to Holland Wednesday from Blodgett Memorial hospital in East Grand Rapids where she had been confined for three months due to infantile paralysis. Her condition is improving. The Helder's are living on the Ottawa beach road.

A girls' sextet of Hope college composed of Dorothy Wichers, Marjorie Boruwer, Maxine Den Herder, Marilyn Van Dyke, Mary Jane Raffenaud and Ellen Jane Kooker, will provide special music at the morning worship in Sixth Reformed church Sunday.

The Rev. J. R. Brink of Grand Rapids will preach for the Montello Park Christian Reformed church in the Christian high school Sunday.

Mrs. Beatrice Barton of Grand Rapids, formerly Beatrice Johnson of Holland, was scheduled to undergo a major operation in St. Mary's hospital this morning.

TWO ARE ARRAIGNED ON CRASH CHARGES

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—Lyle Holtrop, 19, of Nunica, paid a fine of 10 and costs of \$1 upon a plea of guilty last Thursday before Justice George V. Hoffer on a charge of driving his car on the wrong side of the road.

Holtrop was involved in an accident in Spring Lake on last Thursday when his car collided with one driven by Fred Headley. Holtrop said his vision was reduced by an icy windshield.

Bernard Brady, 22, of Spring Lake, paid a fine of \$5 and costs of \$3.75 to Justice Hoffer Thursday on his plea of guilty to a charge of failing to have his car under control. The charge results from an accident Dec. 25 on US-16 at Coopersville when his car collided with one driven by John Blue, route 2, Spring Lake.

Junior Music Group Has Business Meet

The Holland Junior Sharps and Flats held their January meeting last week in the home of Patricia Jandron. Mary Jeanne Van Apple-dorn presided in the absence of Eleanor Reed, president. Carol Prigge served as secretary because of Margaret Hartman's absence, and Mrs. Harold Karsten, counselor of the group, acted as treasurer for David Karsten, who is ill.

After News reports by Donna Lokker, the new by-laws to govern the club were read and discussed. After one more reading before the group these will be voted on. As this was entirely a business meeting, no musical program was presented. Discussion of the next meeting followed the reading of the by-laws. The group will hold a Valentine party and program at the home of Carol Prigge, Monday, Feb. 10.

JACOB DE YOUNG IS DEAD AT AGE OF 41

Jacob De Young, 41, 66 West 10th St., died unexpectedly in Holland hospital at 10:45 a.m. Friday after an operation the first part of the week. He was born in Muskegon Nov. 5, 1900.

Surviving are the widow and two children, Donald J. and Patricia Ann; the mother, Mrs. Jacob De Young, Sr., of Muskegon; five sisters, Mrs. Alice Vander Meulen, Mrs. Gerrit Brink, Mrs. Joe Scutter and Mrs. Jacob Scutter, all of Muskegon, and Mrs. Earl Burgess of Onaway, Mich.; six brothers, Alex, Thomas, Frank and Bert of Muskegon and Dick and Benjamin of Onaway.

Mr. De Young was employed as a waiter in Bill and Heinie's tavern.

ONE PERMIT ON LIST FOR WEEK

Only one application for a building permit was filed during the past week with City Clerk Oscar Peterson.

The application, filed by William M. Boeve, 244 Lincoln Ave., calls for installation of a new asphalt roof and general repairs at a cost of \$400. Martin Jipping is listed as the contractor.

The permit is \$2,780 less than the permits of \$3,180, application for which was made during the previous week. Value of the permits for the week of Dec. 30-Jan. 4 totaled \$3,990.

NINE LOCAL MEN ON ACTIVE LIST

Muskegon, Jan. 23—Nine reserve officers of Holland are included in a list of 69 from western Michigan who are eligible for calls to active duty, according to a roster released by the Michigan military area headquarters in Detroit.

The Holland officers include: Second Lieutenant, F. E. Dubbeldeman, engineer; John A. Well-er, signal corps; and Robert D. Spencer, infantry; and First Lieutenants H. C. Reynolds, signal corps; Edwin De Jongh, medical corps; Peter Tulina, infantry; Alvin S. Kolm, field artillery; David F. Buckley, coast artillery; and Adam E. Rackes, coast artillery.

Ten of the officers live in Grand Haven and Spring Lake including Second Lieuts. Raymond E. Sarnow, A. J. Van Straat, Jr., C. F. Beukema, William J. Penninga, Harold G. Seamans, First Lieuts. Gilbert L. Jentz, James H. Van Zyl, Capt. Ernest H. Beernink and Edmund K. Ellis and Lieut. Col. William Wilda.

Other Ottawa county men listed for duty are the following: Second Lieuts. Nicolas Van Wingerden, Howard H. Irish, Jr., and Frank E. Haas, all of Coopersville; First Lieut. Dick C. Bloemendahl of Zeeland.

They are members of the Officers Reserve corps and several already have been called to active duty. Of the 69 officers, 23 hold their commissions in the Infantry, 10 in the Coast Artillery, nine in the Cavalry, seven in the Medical corps, five in the Signal corps, five in the Field Artillery, two each in the Chemical Warfare division, Ordnance and Engineers, and one each in the Dental corps, Quartermaster corps, Air corps and special assignment branch.

TWO CARS FIGURE IN INTERSECTION CRASH

Automobiles driven by Earl Brewer, 42, of Detroit, and Stephen L. Galbraith, 52, 179 West 28th St., collided at 28th St. and Michigan Ave. last Thursday.

Police were informed that Brewer was driving northeasterly and Galbraith was driving southwest on Michigan Ave. Galbraith sought to make a left turn and, due to the slippery street, Brewer's car struck the right rear end of the Galbraith vehicle, police said.

Edward De Vries, 29, of Muskegon, was the driver of the bus which collided on January 15 with the automobile of James Klomparsen, 114 West 20th St., on River Ave. at the railroad crossing. De Vries said he had stopped the bus for the crossing and had started the bus when it was struck from the rear. Tony Dannenburg and Harold Den Houter were listed as witnesses.

Marriage Performed in Local Parsonage

The marriage of Miss Ruth Kvoraka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kvoraka of Graafschap, and Keith Konklon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Konklon of Holland took place Jan. 16 at 5:30 p.m. in the parsonage of Zion Lutheran church, with the Rev. Theodore Zelle performing the double ring ceremony.

The couple was attended by Miss Julia Kvoraka, sister of the bride, and Dorman Konklon, the groom's brother. The bride wore a floor-length gown of pink chiffon and carried a bridal bouquet of white roses, snapdragons and swainsone. Her attendant wore a gown of aqua net, with a bouquet of pink roses.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served to the immediate families at the home of the bride's parents. An out-of-town guest was the grandfather of the groom, E. H. Robinson of Grand Rapids. After a short wedding trip the couple will reside at 141 East Ninth St., Holland. Both are employed at the Heinz company plant.

Judges of Pennsylvania's supreme court are limited to 21 years of bench service, and other judges are limited to 10 years.

TUCKER HEADS SCOUT DISTRICT

Other Officials Are Named at Division Meeting in Allegan

Judge Irving J. Tucker of Allegan was elected chairman of the south district of the Ottawa-Allegan Boy scout council at the annual meeting last Thursday in Allegan.

By virtue of his office, Judge Tucker will be elected one of the vice-presidents of the council.

Other members of the south district's executive board, also elected Thursday night, are Gus Appelt of Otsego, vice-chairman; Glenn Archer of Wayland, Dewey Strabler of Otsego, Arthur Knochle, Floyd Holland, Frank Peck and Fr. J. Egan Allen, all of Allegan; Herbert Miller of Saugatuck; N. H. Sherburne of Plainwell; and Lloyd Phillips of Farmville.

At a meeting Friday of a committee from the Men's brotherhood of Pearl, the group voted to sponsor a Boy scout troop and pack for the second consecutive year. Herman Pedersen was elected chairman of the new troop committee. Chris Gregersen and Peter Jorgensen are the other members. The new scoutmaster will be A. Northrup with William Rasmussen as assistant scoutmaster.

Man Committed to Jail for Sixty-Day Sentence

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special)—John Marks, 40, Muskegon, entered a plea of guilty before Judge Erwin Friday afternoon to a charge of driving while drunk and was assessed a fine of \$50 and costs of \$4.85, with an alternative of 60 days in the county jail. Unable to pay the fine and costs he was committed to jail. He is alleged to have driven on US-16 in Crookery township Dec. 15, while under the influence of intoxicating liquor.

Grazing districts operating under U. S. supervision in 1940 increased in number to 53 and acreage to 140,847,000. Permits were issued to 30,809 stockmen.

Forests cover two-fifths the total area of Idaho.

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RALLYING HOPE QUINT DEFEATS ALBION, 35 TO 31

Victory March Maintained Despite Loss of Visser and Montgomery

Hope college's weakened but equally determined court quintet came back in the last four minutes of the contest in Albion Friday night to retain its undefeated record by a 35-31 victory.

Hope recovered fast in the final minutes while trailing, 27-24, to take a 29-27 margin. The locals then matched Albion's final march to a 31-31 count with Ken Vandenberg providing the tying bucket after which Gil Van Wieren pushed through the winning points.

Coach Bud Hinga's men led, 18-8, at the half but fell behind twice in the second half.

Van Wieren again high pointed for the Dutch with 14 points. Ev Kleinjans, Holland's new center, also played an outstanding game, holding Chuck Vander Linde to ten points. Grimes, a guard, also netted ten points for the losers.

It was the Hollanders' 17th straight victory and first since they lost Long John Visser for the season through a stomach ailment and Capt. Bob Montgomery temporarily through a back ailment. Montgomery was unable to accompany the team to Albion.

Without a really heavy practice since their lineup was suddenly and drastically changed and playing under severe pressure, the Hingmans, nevertheless, bested Albion on field goals and on free throws.

In the MIAA elsewhere, Kalamazoo handed Hillsdale its fifth straight defeat, 52-34. Kazoo led at the half, 19-13. It was Kazoo's second victory in three loop starts. Bert Ecklund was high for the winners with 16 points.

In non-conference play, Olivet whipped Adrian, 50-39, and Alma beat the University of Grand Rapids, 62-40. Jack Howe led Alma with 21 points, and Arnold Baisell, the losers, with nine.

Hope	FG	FT	TP
Van Wieren, f	6	2	14
Vanden Berg, f	3	1	7
Kleinjans, c	2	1	5
Tappan, g	0	0	0
De Fouw, g	0	0	4
Bass, f	0	1	1
Timmer, g	2	0	4
Totals	13	9	35

Albion	FG	FT	TP
Toutan, f	0	0	0
Trimble, f	3	2	8
Vander Linde, c	3	4	10
Nester, g	1	0	2
Grimes, g	5	0	10
Meli, f	0	1	1
Totals	12	7	31

Officials: Referee — Boglarski; umpire, Beam.

Substitutes: For Hope—Morgan, f; C. Prince, g; Newendorp, g; for Albion—Chandler, f; Mills, c; Blashkiw, g; Bohm, g; Jacobs, g.

FATHER OF LOCAL RESIDENT EXPIRES

Zeeland, Jan. 23 (Special) — Bert Nyenhuis, 82, died early Saturday in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius T. Rynbrandt, one-half mile northeast of Zutphen.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Rynbrandt and Mrs. Henry Ringwolve of Hudsonville; one son, Ruben Nyenhuis of Holland; 12 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

MAN OF SAUGATUCK TOWNSHIP IS DEAD

Gebhardt Joseph Johnson, 57, died on last Friday in his home in Saugatuck township where he had lived the past 30 years. He was born Dec. 7, 1883 in Switzerland.

Surviving are the widow, and his mother, Mrs. Anna Doyle of Saugatuck township.

Couple Married in New Home



Here are Police Officer and Mrs. Ralph Weidling who were married Friday evening in their new home at 235 West 15th St.

Harmon's Autographs in Demand at Dinner in Holland



Tom Harmon's autograph was in demand on January 15 when he came to Holland to speak at a meeting of the Men's club of Hope Reformed church. The nation's No. 1 football player is shown here signing his name for one of the numerous youngsters who attended the dinner. At the left is James DePree, prominent alumni of University of Michigan where Harmon is a senior. At right is Peter Van Domelen, Jr., club president.

—Photo by Phil Harrington

Juniors Have Tropical Party

The Woman's Literary club was turned into a tropical setting Saturday night replete with palm trees and a smiling moon for the Junior class party of Holland high school. Music was furnished by Don Smeeng's orchestra. Approximately 100 students were present.

Franklin Bouwsma appeared as master of ceremonies and introduced the program. Two girls gave a clever dance to the tune of "Southland Swing." The "corny" quintet composed of Joe Jennings, Roger Scheepers, Jim Mooi, Vern Kraai and Jack Stroop, sang "Old Mill Stream," "Old Black Joe" and "I've Been Working on the Railroad."

Master of Ceremonies Bouwsma conducted a quiz program with the following taking part: Miss Margaret Rands, Dale Miller, Bob Freers, Joanne Vander Velde, Lawrence Lamb, Elaine Bielefeld, Nelson Groters and Del Koop. Circle dances were called by Gerald Breen and Miss Rands of the faculty. Other teachers present were Miss Hannah Parkyn, Miss Ruby Calvert and Miss Jane Eldridge.

The general committee was composed of Franklin Bouwsma, Elaine Bielefeld, Dale Van Lente, Kenneth Steketee, Wallace Lamb, Betty Heasley and Patricia Haskins. The program was in charge of Phyllis Boven, Franklin Bouwsma and Joe Jennings and the decoration in charge of Lavonne Timmer, Sally Diekema and Joe Jennings.

Group Meets for Prayer Service

A cottage prayer meeting was held last Wednesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Baker on Lakewood Blvd. The meeting was in charge of the Rev. R. Bernston, pastor of the Olivet Evangelical church of Muskegon. Mr. Baker opened the meeting with prayer. Hymns were sung, prayers were offered and testimonies were given by those present.

LOSES TWO FINGERS IN PIPELINE MISHAP

Grand Haven, Jan. 23.—Simon DeKoeyer, 37, a Grand Rapids diver, was treated in Municipal hospital last Thursday for the loss of two fingers which he suffered in an accident while working on the intake pipe of the Grand Rapids-Lake Michigan pipeline.

Employed by Capt. Thomas Mahan of Holland, DeKoeyer was assisting Mahan's son, Leo Mahan, also of Holland, in easing a 1,400 pound steel bulkhead up to the open end of the intake pipe when the bulkhead to jerk forward and strike the flange of the steel pipe. DeKoeyer lost the ring finger and small finger of his left hand. Mahan's diving mitten was pinched at the end as the bulkhead struck the pipe flange but his hand was not injured.

The big bulkhead suspended on a cable, had been lowered into the lake from the stern of a tugboat and pumps at the lake shore pumping station had been turned on to create sufficient suction in the intake pipe to help the divers in guiding the bulkhead up to the end of the 54-inch steel pipe.

Mahan continued work and had the bulkhead bolted in place at 8 p.m. Thursday night.

De Koeyer was in 40 feet of water, about 3,000 feet from shore.

Report of Two Weeks Is Offered by Bottje

Grand Haven, Jan. 23 (Special) —Frank Bottje, register of deeds of Ottawa county, reports the following real estate transactions for the first two weeks of the new year: 107 deeds, 31 mortgages, 1 levy, 2 renewals of mortgages, 38 discharges of mortgages, 1 plat, 9 probate papers, 2 leases, 2 land contracts, 1 bill of sale, 21 oil leases, 4 assignments of oil leases, 9 discharges of oil leases, 5 assignments of mortgages, 1 power of attorney, 300 chattel mortgages, 67 discharges of chattel mortgages, 13 miscellaneous papers and one decree, making a total of \$372.40.

Forensics Active at Hope College

With the debate season at Hope college in full swing, students of the speech department are engaged in various forensic activities. Girls debate teams traveled to Kalamazoo on Jan. 15 after noon to participate in debates with students from Western State Teachers college, Albion, and Michigan State college at the WSTC Invitational tournament.

The two rounds of debating in the afternoon and one in the evening resulted in 5 out of 12 victories for Hope. Emily Bielefeld and Janet Rylaarsdam, negative, defeated Alma and Michigan State but lost to Albion. Betty Jayne Smith and Marcella Ver Hoef won over Albion and WSTC and lost to WSTC in the evening debate.

Beth Marcus and Corinne Poolé, lost to Kalamazoo college, Michigan State and WSTC. Peggy Hadden and Jeanne Horton, affirmative, won from Albion. Mary Felter and Norma Becksfort affirmative, lost to Michigan State and WSTC. Professors William Schrier and Clarence De Graaf acted as judges and accompanied the group.

Men's debate teams participated in a practice debate with Muskegon Junior college in the chapel last Thursday afternoon. Saturday morning John Westhof, John Hains, Anthony Dykstra and Dwight Grotenhouse debated at Michigan State college. The days schedule included an address by the president of Alma college on "Speech Ethics" after luncheon and a tour of the new speech building on the campus.

Another group of women debaters participated in a non-decisional debate before a meeting of the Grand Rapids D.A.R. last Thursday afternoon. Emily Bielefeld and Janet Rylaarsdam took part in the debate with Michigan State college representatives. Helen Mae Heasley also made the trip.

Personals

(From Friday's Sentinel)
Critic teachers who are supervising the work of Hope college women practice teachers were guests at dinner at Voorhees hall Thursday evening. Also present was Dr. Berneta Block, East Lansing physician, who concluded a series of two lectures to Hope college women Thursday evening. Dr. Block illustrated her talks on "Healthy Home Hygiene" and "Preparation for Parenthood" with several reels of movies.

Jacob Molegrat of 178 East Fifth St. is confined in Holland hospital with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Working and son, Eugene, were in Bronson hospital, Kalamazoo Wednesday, to welcome their new grandson and nephew, Martin David, who arrived Jan. 12 to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Martin D. Bushouse.

The Royal Neighbors held their regular business meeting Thursday night and practiced for the installation of officers which will be held at a public meeting Jan. 23. A pot-luck lunch was served. Another practice will be held Monday night and a birthday party will be held Jan. 30.

Miss Ethel Mokma and Miss Helene Van Klink, who are doing mission work at Williamsburg, Ky., are spending a month at their homes in Holland.

The XL class of Third Reformed church will meet tonight in the home of Mrs. Robert Knowles, 126 West 18th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Risselada of 666 Michigan Ave. announce the birth of a daughter Jan. 15 in Holland hospital.

The Junior Red Cross city council will not meet this week. The next meeting will be held Saturday, Jan. 25, at 9 p.m. on the third floor of the city hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Van Oosterhout, 272 West 19th St. announce the birth of a daughter Thursday morning in Holland hospital.

A son was born in Holland hospital Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schrotenboer of route 5.

Robert Kouw, 256 West 23rd St., underwent an appendicitis operation Thursday in Holland hospital. His condition today was reported improved.

Colonel Geerds Given Hospital Observation

Lieut. Col. Henry A. Geerds, 588 Central Ave., who suffered a broken leg several weeks ago in an accident while in military training at Fort Benning, Ga., entered the hospital at the army camp last week for observation of his injured leg.

Colonel Geerds, Mrs. Geerds and daughter, Marion, were returning from a vacation trip to Florida and Mr. Geerds stopped at the fort to have his leg examined. The cast was removed. Mrs. Geerds said her husband will remain in the hospital until the injured leg is completely healed. It was not known whether Colonel Geerds will return to Holland or go directly to Camp Beauregard, La., to join national guards in training there. Mrs. Geerds and daughter arrived here Wednesday, Jan. 15.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Bernard Kraai, 21, and Betty Jane Kasperon, 20, both of Grand Haven; Peter C. Sikkil, 20, and Nella Adriana Westrate, 20, both of Holland.

William Van Beek, 23, and Bertha Helen O'Connor, 19, both of Holland.

Harlings Arrive from Africa



Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mulder, Sr., that the Rev. and Mrs. Harry Harling and daughter, Marilyn, have arrived safely from West Africa. The Harlings have been on their third term or 15th year on the mission field. They spent six

weeks on the water during severe storms. They hope to come to Holland in the near future. Mrs. Harling is a daughter of the Mulders who reside at 267 West 19th St. (The above photo was taken several years ago with the first of the Harling children.)

Third Church Society Names New Divisions

Newly elected officers of the Ladies Aid society of Third Reformed church have announced committee and division chairmen for the present year, and members of the society have been assigned to newly organized divisions.

Officers serving for the year will be: president, Mrs. Nelson Bosman; first vice-president, Mrs. A. E. Van Lente; second vice-president, Mrs. W. Diekema; secretary, Mrs. Francis Drake; assistant secretary, Mrs. Dick Oosting; treasurer, Miss Rose Slooter; assistant treasurer, Mrs. B. Wiersma; directors, Mrs. D. Te Roller and Mrs. T. Mullenberg.

Standing committees have been appointed as follows: flower, Mesdames A. Pommerening, F. Beuwkes, B. Du Mez; gowns, Mesdames C. Groenewoud, H. Hillardes, A. Golds, I. Schuppert, V. Vander Schel; church, Mesdames P. De Kraker, G. Bredeweg, J. Vander Woude, A. Wolters; relief, Mesdames W. Van Kersen, P. Thram, Miss Kate Ver Meulen; Red Cross, Mesdames J. Marcus, J. Barendse, B. Wiersma, C. Nibbelink; entertainment, Mrs. Mary Steketee; press, Mrs. G. Vander Borgh; purchasing, Mesdames A. Bosman, C. Huntley; custodian, Mrs. A. Hulst.

First division—Mesdames W. Allen, E. Bedell, J. Bennett, G. Bolhuis, A. Boone, M. Borgman, A. Bosman, G. Bredeweg, P. Coster, M. Dalman, J. De Vries, F. Drake, G. J. Dubbink, L. Essenberg, J. Haan, G. Hyma, C. Huntley, R. La Chaine, G. Mennenga, G. Mooi, P. Notter, J. Olt, D. G. Te Roller, P. Van Ark, B. Vanden Berg, J. Vaupell, N. Vander Meulen, W. Van't Hof, Miss Rose Slooter.

Second division—Mesdames W. Eby and J. Koolker (chairmen), E. Bieklind, S. Blocker, H. Boone, C. De Keyser, P. De Kraker, B. Du Mez, J. Ederlee, J. Geerlings, G. Huntley, C. Jalving, C. Kiles, A. Lampen, H. Steffens, A. Van Lente, A. Van Raalte, W. Vande Bunte, E. Van Dyke, H. Was, J. Westrate, W. Westveer, C. Wiersma.

Third division—Mesdames T. Kuiper and T. Van Dahm (chairmen), N. Bosman, C. Burgh, E. Cotts, J. De Koning, B. Hamm, H. Hillardes, N. Hoffman, J. Hoffman, A. Kronemeyer, R. Kuiper, J. Marcus, A. Meyer, W. Morris, S. Nettinga, C. Nibbelink, M. Pellegrom, R. Rooks, E. Slooter, C. Tiesenga, G. Van Anrooy, W. Van Dyke, H. Weller, A. White.

Fourth division—Mesdames J. Kardux and D. Weaver (chairmen), E. Arnold, J. Barendse, J. Bosman, F. Brummer, R. Champion, H. De Maat, J. Gray, P. Hiemenga, A. Hyma, P. Irmann, A. Joldersma, E. Kardux, L. Kardux, R. Knowles, H. Kronemeyer, F. Lievens, J. Maschlinik, C. Miller, A. Nauta, I. Schuppert, J. Vander Woude, T. Van Dyke, W. Van Kersen, T. Welmers, B. Wiersma, Miss M. Elferdink.

Fifth division—Mesdames A. Wolters, M. Steketee, J. Van Alsburg (chairmen), A. Brinkman, G. De Boer, A. Du Mond, C. Groenewoud, S. Habing, A. Hatch, G. Huizenga, H. Ketel, G. Klaassen, H. Klaassen, C. Lokker, M. Manting, M. Mulder, B. Naberhuis, M. Nies, M. Schaap, W. Vander Kolk, T. Van Oosterhout, A. Ver Hulst.

Sixth division—Mesdames M. De Vries, Martha De Vries (chairmen), H. Bast, G. Bonnette, H. Boot, R. Broekstra, P. Brower, J. Dethmers, H. De Vries, A. Karsten, J. Lievens, T. Mullenberg, D. Oosting, E. Phernambucq, G. Sywassink, W. Thompson, G. Vander Borgh, W. Vander Schel, C. Van Dyke, T. Van Hattama, C. Veneklasen, W. Wichers, W. C. Wichers, Misses Helene Pelgrim and Kate Ver Meulen.

Seventh division—Mesdames F. Beuwkes, H. Du Mez (chairmen), B. Balhuis, H. Barkema, A. Bouwman, F. Boyce, A. Bradford, H. Davidson, W. Diekema, A. Du Mez, G. Du Mez, J. Du Mez, T. Du Mez, A. Faasen, P. Holleman, A. Huizenga, C. Mack, J. Moran, J. Muller, E. Nyland, C. Parker, A. Pommerening, H. Steketee, A. Van Dyke, W. Van Oosterhout, J. Van Zomeren, J. Welscott, J. Zuidema and Miss Esther Hyma.

Gold of unusual purity is found in Nova Scotia over an area of 3,000 square miles.

WOMAN HURT IN ACCIDENT HERE

One woman was injured in one of six automobile accidents which were reported to Holland police over the week-end.

Mrs. Marian Groeteler, 28, wife of Melvin Groeteler, 300 West 12th St., was treated in Holland hospital due to injuries suffered Saturday about 9:50 p.m. when vehicles driven by her husband and John Veldhoff, Jr., 26, route 2, Holland, collided at the intersection of 32nd St. and M-40.

Groeteler was driving southeast on State St. and Veldhoff was driving north on M-40.

Veldhoff was given a traffic ticket for failing to have his car under control. Lester Schaap and John Cammenga, route 5, Holland, were listed as witnesses. Both cars are reportedly badly damaged.

Cars driven by Marinus Neyboer, 183 East 16th St., and Frank Mattison, route 5, Holland, collided at 16th St. and Columbia Ave. Saturday.

Preston Brown reported to police that the car of Fred Dorgelo, 103 West 18th St., made a left turn in front of his car at Eighth St. and River Ave. Saturday and that his vehicle had struck the right rear fender of Dorgelo's auto.

Lloyd Van Lente, route 1, Holland, reported to police his car had struck the rear of the Modern Dairy truck driven by A. Schuitema.

A crash Sunday on River Ave., between 11th and 12th Sts., involved cars driven by William Winter, route 5, Holland and John Cooper of Douglas.

Cars driven by Robert Vos, route 5, Holland and Chester Ver Howe, 178 West 28th St., collided Sunday at Ninth St. and Columbia Ave.

Van Gelderen-Beukema Vows Are Exchanged

Miss Cornelia Beukema, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beukema of Zeeland, became the bride of Donald Van Gelderen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Van Gelderen, Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Van Gelderen home at 14 West 16th St. The Rev. John Vanderbeek, pastor of Sixth Reformed church, performed the double ring ceremony before an arrangement of palms and ferns.

The bride wore a formal gown of white lace and carried a bouquet of white narcissus and yellow roses. Attending her was Mrs. Alvin Van Gelderen who carried a bouquet of snapdragons and pink roses. Alvin Van Gelderen attended his brother as best man. The wedding march was played by Miss Gladys Bos of Holland.

A three-course lunch was served, the bride cutting the wedding cake. Among those present were the immediate families and a few close friends.

Motion Pictures Shown at Montello Park PTA

At a meeting of the Montello Park Parent-Teacher association Friday night, Miss Inez Von Ins showed motion pictures of the golf tournament taken at Tulip Time last year, part of one of the tulip parades, a trip to Mackinac Island and the Wisconsin dells and a comedy.

Mr. Bontekoe led the singing and Mr. Webber the devotions. Accordion selections were played by Hazel Timmer and Norma Appledorn. Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. Aalderink, R. Brower and Mrs. G. Aalderink.

Delta Phi Sorority Has Quiz Program

Delta Phi sorority of Hope college held its regular business meeting Friday evening. Julia Voss introduced the first part of the program which was followed by a vocal rendition of "Tumbling Tumbleweeds."

The battle of the "quiz kids", the feature of the program, was a contest between three pledges and three upperclassmen. The freshmen lost in spite of the unquestioned impartiality of the judges who were sophomores.

A humorous reading by Jean Ruiter and the Delta Phi songs closed the meeting.

De Mots-Cott Vows Are Exchanged

John De Mots of 399 Maple Ave. and Mrs. Nancy Cott of Sheldon, Ia., were united in marriage Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the De Mots home with the Rev. Peter Jonker, pastor of Sixteenth Street Christian Reformed church, officiating. Vows were spoken in the presence of immediate relatives.

Special music consisted of two anthems by the Hope college Men's glee club, and a solo by Robert Cavanaugh of the Hope college music department. The Rev. Marion de Velder presided at the special service which was arranged in connection with the School of Christian Living Sunday night schedule.

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PAT STATES HE WON'T NEGLECT FARM PROBLEM

Tells Five-County Crowd He'll Work for Their Part of Income

Muskegon, Jan. 23 (Special)—Gov. Murray D. Van Wagoner told western Michigan farmers here today that during the next two years "I shall do all in my power to bring a fair share of the national income to the farmers of Michigan."

Van Wagoner was here to present certificates of award to winners in the first annual west Michigan Farm - to - Prosper contest which was climaxed in a big roundup at Central campus.

The governor touched on his ideas and program for Michigan agriculture.

"In my recent message to the legislature," he recalled, "I urged the necessity of an aggressive program to promote and advertise Michigan products, to improve their position and price on state and national markets."

"All this will require close co-operation from the state department of agriculture, Michigan State college and its extension service, and from the farmers themselves."

"As your governor, it is my intention to give every assistance to the State Farm bureau, the state Grange, the Farmers' union, and other cooperative groups, as well as to all private business groups dealing with farmers or coming under the jurisdiction of the state department of agriculture."

He pointed out that the state's 200,000 farms involve the well-being of the largest class of Michigan citizens—the farmers and their families.

"During the last few years, Michigan agricultural income has increased greatly," he said, "and electrification has been extended to an additional 80,000 farms. But we have a long way to go to make living conditions better for this greatest class of Michigan residents."

"We know the best way to increase your market is to encourage uniform grades and standards of farm commodities, and to advertise and promote their use by a larger number of residents of our own and other states."

"Some of our state products, such as cherries, celery, and mint, are well regarded throughout the nation. More recently the same thing has applied to potatoes, beans and other products. But your peaches and apples and dairy products and livestock—they do not have the recognition they deserve, or the market they deserve."

HINGA'S SUBS IN VITAL ROLE

Hope college and Alma at 8:15 p.m. in the Holland armory tonight fire the gun that starts the MIAA's biggest battle so far, and at the same time start league activity for the week-end.

Alma moves from here to Adrian Friday night, while Albion goes to Kalamazoo. Hillsdale travels to Olivet for a non-conference game.

Coach Bud Hinga's starting lineup, although not definite, will probably find Ken Vanden Berg and Gil Van Wieren at forwards, Art Timmer at center, and Capt. Bob Montgomery and Ev Kleinjans at guards. Kleinjans has been ill the past few days and because of this and several other reasons, Hinga will lean rather heavily on substitutes.

Substitutes have overgone a thorough grooming this week both for tonight's game and for the eight that follow. Total and partial loss of a few Hope men has made the reserves, who are not too powerful, most necessary.

Alma has plenty of reserve power and a starting lineup unequalled in the conference for balance. Keith Carey, tall center, and Danny Gallagher and Bob Kirby, guards, all played at Charlevoix high before becoming starters at Alma. Jack and Bud Howe play the forward posts. Carey, who led MIAA scoring last year with 46 points in one game, and Jack Howe, sophomore sharp-shooter, look after the major portion of the team's scoring.

Nick Beam of WSTC and Kobes will officiate the main game.

Hope Frosh meet the Alma Frosh in their first MIAA engagement at 7 p.m. With no especially capable subs, Coach Jack Schouten will probably start George Dalman and Les Nienhuis at forwards, Paul Van Dort at center, and Charlie Van Liere and George Slager at guards. Alma's freshman line consists of Saxton and Davis at forwards, Helmforth at center, and Walker and Haley at guards. Davis and Walker with 13 and 12 points, respectively, led in their 44-40 win over Kalamazoo in the first freshman game ever played between the two schools.

Engagement News of Interest Here

Miss Cleora Skinner and Miss Minnie K. Smith announce the engagement of their niece, Helen Edith Smith, to Paul Robbins of Elmhurst, Ill. Miss Smith, a former resident of Holland, is now supervisor of nursery schools in southern Illinois and lives in East St. Louis.

Organ Dedication Marks Pastor's Anniversary

The dedication of the newly installed organ in Bethel Reformed church Friday at 7:30 p.m. will mark the 10th anniversary of the arrival of the Rev. C. A. Stoppels and his family in Holland. The family came to Holland Jan. 24, 1931, from Hull, Ia., where Rev. Stoppels served as pastor of the American Reformed church.

The program for the evening will include two selections by the choir and a half-hour organ concert by Miss Junella Vander Linden of Chicago, a student at Hope college and organist for the church. Miss Vander Linden's program will include "Largo," Handel; "Salut d'Amour," Elgar; "Andantino," Chopin; "Pilgrim's Chorus," Wagner; "To a Wild Rose," MacDowell; "Trümlerei," Schumann; "Deep River," Negro spiritual; "Berceuse," Godard; Psalm 25:42; "Melody," Rubenstein; "Elegie," Massenet; and "War March of the Priests," Mendelssohn.

Henry Driesenga, chairman of the organ committee, will make the organ presentation and Ed Lam, vice president of the congregation, will accept in behalf of the congregation. The dedicatory form will be read by the pastor and the congregation.

Rev. Stoppels was born in Muskegon and received his education in Muskegon public schools, Muskegon high school and Muskegon Commercial college. Later he attended Hope Preparatory school and Hope college, being graduated from the latter institution in 1915. He received his degree from Western Theological seminary in 1918.

His first pastorate was in Allendale where he served from 1918 to 1923. His second pastorate was at the American Reformed church in Hull, Ia., which he served from 1924 to 1931. His third and present pastorate is at Bethel church.

Mrs. Stoppels is the former Jeanette Kulicamp of Muskegon. The couple have four sons, Charles, student at Hope college, Dale, Robert and Paul.

WORK ON ROAD TO START SOON

Albert Hyma of Holland township, a member of the Ottawa county road commission, reported today that construction work on Douglas St. from US-31, westward to the Ottawa beach road, will start at an early date.

He said necessary right-of-ways had been obtained for construction of the new road. Its construction will eliminate the sharp curves, connecting Howard Ave. and the Ottawa beach road, as well as relieving traffic on Howard Ave.

Mr. Hyma said it is expected the road will be completed and ready for travel by the time the resort season opens. Residents of the community, through the efforts of the Beechwood Boosters club, petitioned the highway commission last April for construction of the road.

Mr. Hyma also reported that practically all property, north of Black Lake and Lake Macatawa and south of Lakewood Blvd., east of Park township and east of the Pere Marquette railroad, has been replatted, the property resurveyed and renumbered because of errors in descriptions.

This district is known as Hyma's Supervisor plat. The township board, county plat committee, the county road commission and state government have approved the work, Mr. Hyma said.

New descriptions of the property along with the new property numbers will be included on this year's tax assessment bills.

Jamestown

Henry Rynbrandt of Burnips visited with his brother, Thomas Rynbrandt on Sunday also attending services at the Reformed church in the afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Nieuwenhuis went to Grand Rapids Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral of a former neighbor, Mrs. J. West-erhof.

The P.T.A. will have a meeting at the local school house on Thursday evening.

The local Y.M.C.A. are preparing a play to be given in the near future.

Mrs. Gerrit Holleman is improving after having been stricken with a severe heart attack last Friday morning.

John Van Hoven celebrated his 86th birthday on Monday. The children gathered at the home to help him celebrate this event.

The Young People's society from Zutpher met with the local C.E. at the Reformed church last Sunday evening. Rev. S. Werkema discussed the topic, Charles Bosch had charge of the song service.

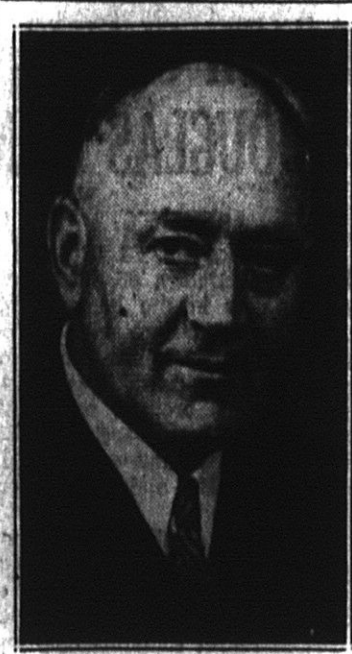
Mrs. Jervold D. Kleinhessel of Fillmore visited her father, T. A. Rynbrandt, on Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn Smallegan of Forest Grove is assisting with the house work at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Visser.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Wyngarden of Zeeland called on their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bowman, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jennie Koster is staying at the home of her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. R. Victorie at Hudsonville for a short time.

ARRANGE RITES
Wayland, Jan. 23.—Funeral services for Mrs. Elzora Moshier, 85, who died Tuesday at her home here were to be held at 3 p.m. today from the residence. Survivors are two daughters and one son.



—Photo by Winslow
Rev. C. A. Stoppels

Hamilton

Mrs. Frank Dekema of Kalamazoo spent several days during the past week in the home of her children, Mr. and Mrs. John Haakma, also visiting other relatives in this vicinity and Holland.

Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Hamelink have returned from a two weeks trip to New Orleans, La.

Herman Nyhof was in charge of the Christian Endeavor service of First Reformed church last Sunday evening, discussing the subject, "How Can God Become Real to Me?"

Rev. N. Rozeboom and Justin Schievink were local First Reformed church delegates to a special meeting of the Holland Classis last Monday afternoon, held in First Reformed church of Holland.

The local school was closed last Friday, the instructors, Marvin Smallegan, Mr. Folkert, Miss Nathalie Nyhuis and Miss Wille Tagg attending a county institute at Griswold auditorium in Allegan. Well known educators gave addresses and led discussions throughout the day.

Last Thursday and Friday evening the Hamilton Community Players presented the "Happy Hollow Minstrel Show" in the local auditorium before large audiences.

The play was directed by Marvin Smallegan, principal of the local school, with Mrs. Marvin Kaper as piano accompanist. The setting of the play was a wharf, somewhere down south on the Mississippi. Leading roles were taken by Harold Danglemond, Fred Johnson, Roy Ashely, Fred Billeit, Jesse Kool, Clarence Billings, Jerrold Kleinhekel, John Elzinga and Sherman De Boer, supported by a chorus of other local men. Donald Lohman appeared as interlocutor, the only white man in the cast.

Next Monday evening the Hamilton Parent Teachers association is sponsoring a program, featuring Ben East with motion pictures at the Community auditorium.

Junius Kuit, Edward Joost-berns, Gerrit Lugten and Alvin Strabbing motored to the northwoods last Saturday for a day of rabbit hunting.

Earl Lohman, who returned early last week to the Great Lakes Naval training station, after a nine day visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smidt, Jr., has been assigned to the USS Arizona battleship on the West Coast, which was docked at Bremerton, Wash., to be called into service.

Gladys Bultman, Evelyn Lampen and Wilma Nyenhuis of Grand Rapids spent the past week-end in their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kooiker and daughter, Joyce, and Mr. and Mrs. John Haakma attended the wedding of Maxine Kooiker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kooiker of Holland, at the latter's home last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Gilbert Klokert entertained in honor of Miss Gertrude Wiegink at a miscellaneous shower recently, several local people attending the event.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the American Reformed church met in the church parlors in regular session last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. I. Scherpenisse presiding and conducting devotions. Social hostesses were Mrs. J. Bernink and Mrs. Fred Billeit.

Burial rites for Mrs. Eldon Arndt of Diamond Springs were held in the local Riverside cemetery on Thursday afternoon, following services at Diamond Spring Wesleyan Methodist church.

Mrs. William Carr of Chicago was a recent visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kolvoord, Jr.

Governor Denies Trying to Oust Defense Head

Lansing, Jan. 23.—Governor Van Wagoner today denied published reports that he sought to oust former Gov. Wilbur M. Brucker as chairman of the state defense council.

"I have no thought to 'oust' Brucker," he said. "He offered to resign in the middle of December and to carry on until I could obtain the man I wanted to assume the duties."

HORSESHOE WITH LUCK
El Medio, Cal. —Paul Edwards believes he is in for luck for the remainder of his life. He found a horseshoe with a bent nail in it in the center of an oak tree, which had just been cut down, about eight inches from the outside bark. The horseshoe appeared to be 35 to 50 years old.

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HOFFMAN CITES WAR POWERS IN YANK AID PLANS

Says Lend-Lease Bill Has Scope Far Beyond U.S. Defense

Washington, Jan. 23.—Cong. Clare E. Hoffman of Allegan, Mich., this week declared that the lend-lease bill is "a grant of war power to President Roosevelt." It does not appropriate a single dollar, he added.

Hoffman continued: "Don't let an inferiority complex get you down. You have just as much common sense, patriotism, faith in our country as any politician, professor or diplomat. Don't believe everything you hear or read but by your own experience determine what the facts are, view them honestly, then for yourself using your own common sense, answer the question, whether this Lend-Lease bill is designed for defense or for war."

"The army and the navy are charged with, and know more about, national defense than any of the rest of us and for their use congress will appropriate every dollar they need for national defense."

"The lend-lease bill, copy of which boxholders in the fourth congressional district have received, or will receive shortly, in my judgment goes much farther than national defense."

"The secretaries of state, navy, and war all testified last week before a congressional committee. Secretary of War Stimson, said that he could 'foresee conditions under which the navy could be transferred' very advantageously and he objected strenuously to any amendment which would take from the president the power given by this bill to lend, or give away, the navy."

"Secretary of Navy Knox stated without equivocation, that 'no more destroyers can be detached (from the navy) without seriously impairing its efficiency.'"

"If a transfer of destroyers or other vessels of the navy will, as the secretary said, seriously impair its efficiency, why should Secretary of War Stimson insist that the lend-lease bill give the president power to transfer, or give away, a part, or the whole of the navy? He transferred the 50 destroyers without authority and impaired the efficiency of the navy."

"If this bill is for national defense should we impair that defense by giving away the navy, or part of it? Especially if it be true, as the three secretaries now insist, that a crisis in the war will be reached within the next 60 or 90 days. It is apparent, if these men express their real thoughts, that they believe that the war may be lost by Britain within the next 60 or 90 days unless we get into it with everything we have. They certainly do not expect Britain to destroy the Axis powers within that time. Are we to get into it and fight—and then refuse to make peace until—as the president says, the Axis powers are destroyed?"

"If their fears be well grounded, is it not about time, if by their opinion that Hitler also intends to attack us is well founded, that we prepare to defend America first?"

"Congress as stated, will vote every dollar asked for national defense, but many of us are not fooled for one moment into believing that it is necessary to give to any one man absolute control over the whole country. The authority to give away our navy, manned by American seamen, strip our country of its national defense; give one man authority to make and carry on war wherever, anywhere in the world, he may deem it advisable."

"Such authority means the end of the Republic, the beginning of a dictatorship."

Bowling Scores

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Boick-Pontiac (3)
E. Phillips 164 165 143 372
F. Rutgers 127 133 102 362
G. Frens 111 113 104 328
E. Boeve 159 192 153 504
P. Bailey 148 132 132 412

709 735 634 2078
Klomparsen Coal (1)
B. Czerkies 141 142 137 420
A. Vander Hill 157 131 146 434
J. Conklin 104 108 136 348
A. Lappinga 140 143 138 421
J. Schreuer 151 138 184 471

693 660 741 2094
Annis and Belt Shoes (2)
A. Annis 123 113 143 379
N. Van Lente 135 130 178 443
H. Beekman 125 149 143 419
B. Gebben 114 119 130 363
A. Pittard 158 171 210 539
Handicap 31 31 31 93

686 713 837 2236
Pelon's Super Services (1)
I. De Neff 186 118 170 474
P. Havings 121 119 119 359
W. Pelon 98 110 140 348
M. Vande Water 159 137 205 461
H. De Neff 167 133 160 460

711 617 794 2122
Western Machine Tools (2)
J. Weener 174 280 172 576
C. Weener 133 100 121 354
O. Andersen 100 138 103 341
P. Cramer 134 156 160 450
L. Gunther 146 129 141 416

687 753 697 2137
Pioneer Tailors (1)
A. Van Order 110 119 137 366
F. Boersma 133 136 115 384
A. Overway 119 106 122 347

641 673 720 2034
Swift Ice Cream (2)
A. Stensby 242 178 154 574
A. Peavey 146 136 124 406
L. Nicol 136 140 137 413
Dummy 123 97 100 320
E. Johnson 201 226 202 629

848 777 717 2342
Kiwanis Club (1)
G. Slikkers 144 169 194 507
W. Meengs 131 132 114 377
H. Palmbo 134 97 100 331
A. Alderink 123 150 173 446
D. Zwiap 141 186 146 473
Handicap 38 38 38 114

711 772 765 2248
INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE
Hart and Cooley (2)
G. Slighter 160 144 114 418
D. Brandt 188 182 143 513
A. McCarthy 140 172 135 447
F. Mack 165 158 187 510
W. De Neff 183 154 83 420

836 810 662 2308
Helms No. 1 (1)
E. Wright 176 141 117 434
G. Bosworth 177 133 163 473
V. Carr 110 109 129 348
C. Barton 115 119 125 359
F. Lemmen 191 208 181 580
Handicap 40 40 40 120

809 750 755 2314
Brinkman's Tavern (2)
C. Serier 171 176 173 520
A. Bluckamp 162 161 140 463
R. Slighter 218 191 155 564
H. Bluckamp 148 136 156 440
A. Brinkman 166 146 159 471

865 810 783 2458
Holland-Racine Shoes (1)
Geuder 148 164 147 459
Pittard 128 151 181 460
Prigge 131 157 156 444
Holman 139 112 124 375
Roble 184 195 204 583
Handicap 9 9 9 27

739 788 821 2348
Helms No. 2 (2)
K. Conklin 152 126 130 408
C. McCormick 169 175 198 542
R. Bouwman 143 155 127 425
C. Furehsam 166 152 131 449
W. Freestone 195 172 169 534

War Activity Now Encircles All of Europe



This map shows how the most recent war activity encircles European continent. 1—British motor ship Zealandic torpedoed off Ireland. 2—British planes again subject Wilhelmshafen, great German naval base, to heavy bombing. 3—German dive bombers attack island of Malta, British Mediterranean naval base. 4—Russian and Rumanian troops engage in border clashes. Hungarian railways suspend all passenger operations, as result.

Holland Will Be Virtually at Full Strength for Battle with Heights

SOUTHWESTERN CONFERENCE Friday Night

Holland at Heights.
Muskegon at Grand Haven.
Kalamazoo at Benton Harbor.

Holland high school climbs aboard the Southwestern conference train again Friday night for the first of a series of two trips up Muskegon way. These two signalize the end of the first round of play in the league race and the beginning of the second.

Muskegon Heights is the only team Holland has not met as yet, and Holland's appearance at Muskegon high next week marks its first return game.

Just before the close of the first round, Holland, with two recent consecutive victories, stands even up in the conference in a four-way tie with Kalamazoo, Grand Haven and Benton Harbor. A win, which is the most definite objective for Holland this week, would move them up into a tie for first place with the Heights and whichever other teams win this week. A loss, on the other hand, would temporarily know them under as the second place club under way.

The unique conference setup this season has seen no team stepping out in front very fast, but a fight for all teams to hold positions. One team cannot lag for a week or two or it will find itself completely forgotten.

Muskegon Heights' main threat will be Sam Valuck, a sharp-shooting forward, and Bob Smith, tall center, each of whom scored eight points in their recent game at Kalamazoo. Holland high scrimmaged Hope's frosh this week, partly in making defense prepara-

tions for their opponents' height. Although Forwards Ken Chapman and Vern Kraal are still weak from the flu, Holland will be virtually at full strength. Without these two in the starting lineup, Coach Macolm Mackay will start Gerald Smith and Herk Van Tongeren, forwards, Chuck Ploegsma, center, and Merle Vanden Berg and Ken Rotman, guards.

The varsity engagement with Nick Beam and John Bos as officials will get under way in the Junior high gym at 8:30 p.m. following a reserve prelim at 7:30 p.m.

Muskegon Heights has John Minarovic back at guard as the third letterman besides Valuck and Smith. Martin Boyd and Don Hendricks, captain of the football team, have been alternating at the other guard, and Ed Wiesenhofer, a veteran, has been active as a forward with Valuck.

Muskegon, already in a bad hole with three conference losses, invades a dangerous camp at Grand Haven this week and will probably suffer. A more even match is scheduled between Kalamazoo and Benton Harbor at Benton Harbor.

The home team is known as the hardest in the conference to subdue on its own floor, but Kazoo has made a quick rise, and is staking a lot on a victory.

In conference circles, Kalamazoo Central, is the only team that does not have a definition. It may prove itself the dark horse.

Muskegon Heights is known, of course, as the defending champions and Benton Harbor as "one of the favorites to win this year." Holland is looked to as the "surprise" team, Grand Haven as "the power in class B," and Muskegon as the "weak sister."

Reliable Times (1)
E. Phillips 171 146 155 472
J. Snyder 168 173 155 496
P. Bailey 118 157 173 448
R. Liefers 157 152 199 508
B. Slagh 128 163 179 470

742 791 861 2394
Merit Shoes (2)
J. Verhey 139 173 152 464
F. Meyer 142 173 204 519
R. Dekker 189 153 176 518
R. Wood 159 140 154 453
M. Potter 149 128 133 410

778 767 819 2364
Seven Up (1)
Handicap 3 3 3 9
B. Roossien 132 162 160 454
L. Cobb 145 167 167 479
A. De Kraker 158 181 153 492
D. Tepsma 164 210 127 501
H. Achterhof 144 148 185 471

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Charged in Flint With Sale of New Mineral

Flint, Jan. 23.—John E. Clark, 59, today faced a charge of violating the blue sky law in the sale of interest in a purported new mineral. Clark was accused of securing \$1,100 by telling investors he had discovered in northern Michigan a new mineral, from which a serum capable of curing most ailments could be extracted.

Opens Soft-Boiled Egg, Finds Another Inside

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 23.—Louise Manitta cracked open a soft-boiled egg and inside was another egg, small, but with a perfect shell.

LISTS ELECTION COST
Washington, Jan. 23.—The senate campaign expenditures committee reported today that the Republican party spent a total of \$14,941,422.87 and received contributions of \$16,476,039.70 in the 1940 campaign, and that the Democrats spent \$6,095,357.79 and collected \$6,284,463.23.

City League

Zeeland 7 0 1.000
Dykemas 4 3 572
Oils 3 4 429
Parts 0 7 .000

Zeeland Still Undeclared by Victory Over Oils; Dykemas Score

Losing the half, 18-17, but coming back in the third quarter, the Holland Furnaces won again, 32-29, over the Battle Creek Remingtons in another city league night in the Holland armory Wednesday.

Undeclared Zeeland chalked up its seven consecutive victory, 37-19, over the Oils who consequently drop to third place. Dykemas defeated the Parts, 25-21, in the opener to establish themselves in second place.

With scoring divided, the Furnaces pulled away to a 10-6 lead in the first stanza. With Cox Van Dort, who has just recovered from the flu, upholding Holland's scoring burden in the second quarter, Battle Creek came through to outscore, 12-7, and win the half. Forward Lipsa accounted for half of the 12 points. Van Dort and Henle Hietbrink brought Holland back in the third, while the visitors were held to a mere three points. Forward Veck led the rally which outscored Holland again in

TEN HAVE WILL AID IN OTTAWA TRAINING WORK

To Assist Red Cross Man in Conducting First Aid Course

Dr. Ralph Ten Have, Ottawa county health officer, has been appointed by the Ottawa County Medical society to assist Robert A. Jakoubek, representative of the midwest area of the American Red Cross in conducting a training course for men and women who propose to serve as lay instructors of first aid in Ottawa county.

The course is scheduled to begin in Holland high school Tuesday, Jan. 28, according to Sen. Earnest C. Brooks, chairman of the Ottawa county chapter.

Mr. Brooks explained that this is one of the services given chapters without cost by the regional organization in order that candidates for lay instructors certificates may secure training under an experienced first aid teacher. Sole expense to those participating in the course will be purchase of a Red Cross handbook.

Nationally, the Red Cross works closely with the American Medical association and chapters look to the local medical societies for advice in connection with first aid programs.

The Red Cross first aid service dates back to 1903 when the department of first aid was organized, Mr. Brooks said.

The Red Cross is engaged in a nation wide program in training people with teaching ability as instructors in accident prevention and what to do following mishaps before the doctor arrives. Mr. Brooks explained. Industry, the building trades and the maintenance of power and telephone lines are among the occupations presenting a daily risk of personal injury and home accidents such as falls from ladders, burns, scalds and cuts are a serious menace.

It is surprising to know, he said, that in American homes there are almost twice as many fatal accidents and several times as many non-fatal accidents as there are in plants and all other places of industrial work.

"While undoubtedly spectacular progress has been made in industrial establishments against accidents by means of improved safety appliances, physical examinations and personal instruction, a concentrated and regulated effort along these lines regarding the home is needed."

That is why the Ottawa county Red Cross chapter is fighting the industrial, highway and home accident menace here in one of the best possible ways—the training of lay instructors in first aid, who will be the king pines in our county-wide educational program through which we will endeavor to reach the greatest possible number of people.

Since the inauguration of first aid instruction two and one-half million first aid certificates have been issued by the Red Cross. The latest development is the establishment of highway emergency stations, manned by personnel of wayside stores and gasoline stations. These attendants are trained by Red Cross chapters in first aid so that they can give emergency treatment to accident victims before a doctor or ambulance arrives on the scene.

Chapters form first aid committees, with representation from agencies and individuals vitally interested in the movement.

The committee here consists of M. P. Russell, chairman, Earl Goom, Ben Heetderks, Mel Stickels and Hardy Holmen of Holland; Walter Wierenga of Zeeland; H. Erwin of Coopersville and Henry Stegeman of Hudsonville.

A number of applications for participation in the lay instructors' course have been filed with the chairman of the first aid committee.

Mr. Jakoubek, Red Cross first aid, life saving and accident prevention field representative in Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota, has been connected with national organization's midwestern staff since 1935.

CLASSIS APPROVES NEW CHURCH PLANS

At a meeting of the Holland classis of the Reformed church Monday afternoon in First Reformed church, approval was given to the building plans of the church extension committee for a new Reformed church to be organized south of the city limits.

A total of about \$9,000 will be needed for the new church and the next step in the development will be for the Rev. Henry Beltman, field secretary of domestic missions for the Western division of the Reformed Church in America, and his extension committee to contact various churches in an effort to raise funds.

The Rev. Marion de Velder, president of the classis, presided at the meeting. The Rev. G. Tyse is stated clerk.

MOTORIST FINED
Ann Vrieling, 36 West 18th St., paid costs of 1 to Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith Tuesday on an illegal parking charge.

The full and correct name of Lafayette, French general who aided the American colonies in the Revolutionary war, was Marie Jean Paul Yves Roch Gilbert du Motier Lafayette.

Discuss Miniature Boat Race at Dinner-Dance



Four members of the Macatawa Bay Yacht club are shown here discussing the miniature boat race on the table in front of them at the yacht club dinner dance Friday night in the Warm Friend tavern. From left to right are Robert Mason, Charles R. Sligh, Warren S. Merriam and O. W. Lowry. The miniature boats were constructed by Miss Jean Jennings of Waukazoo.

"Closed Lips" Presented Before Large Crowd

A gripping story of human emotions interspersed with comedy, pathos and suspense formed the plot of the three-act comedy-drama "Closed Lips" by Lillian Mortimer which was presented by the Holland Christian Endeavor union before a full house Tuesday evening in the Woman's Literary club.

The plot revolved about Bart Clay (Harvey Koop), his real father, John Clay (James Slager) who was pardoned after serving 15 years in prison for killing a man, and Bart's foster father, Matthew Radcliff (Ed Klomprens). John Clay had evidence which would clear his name and remove the stigma from his son, but the confession implicated Radcliff who couldn't quite remember what happened at the fatal shooting 15 years before.

John Clay was reluctant to disclose the information and upon learning the true state of affairs Bart was very upset as the developments involving his fiancée, Terry Radcliff (Lois Potter), a chance remark in the third act led to the solution and happy ending.

All characters performed with deep feeling. The emotional stress and high ideals of Bart Clay were augmented by the charming personality and winsome ways of his fiancée. The tense scenes were offset by four comedy characters, two in black face and the other a young married couple whose cheerful bickering was a welcome change.

Due to the illness of Wayne Lemmen who contracted the flu, Don Van Ark after an afternoon of coaching entered into the production like a veteran. As he appeared in black face, the change in the cast was not evident to the greater part of the audience until Mrs. Nina B. Daugherty, the coach, explained the situation in a short curtain talk between the second and third acts.

Appearing with Van Ark in many humorous scenes was the devoted cook Mammy Jinny (Edith Moo). Humor in other scenes was furnished by the young married couple, Pat and Willie Stone (Frances De Pree and Nelson Kleinhessel). Completing the cast were Mrs. Radcliff (Mildred Borr) mistress of the house, and Star Bliven (Patricia Eby) a pathetic wife with a poignant love of beauty.

Assisting in production work

were Mrs. Daugherty, the director; Mrs. O. E. Schaap, committee chairman; Irving Lemmen and Donald Vander Haar, business managers; James Rowan, stage manager; and Nell Elenbaas, make-up.

Western Social Conference to Meet in Grand Haven

The Western Social Conference, an organization of ministers and consistory members of the classes of Holland, Grand Rapids, Muskegon and Kalamazoo, will meet in the First Reformed church of Grand Haven at 10 a.m. Monday, Jan. 27.

Dr. George H. Mennenga of the Western Theological Seminary will read a paper on the subject, "Mob Behavior. Its Character and Cause." Rev. F. J. Van Dyk of Central Park will give a talk and lead the discussion on the topic, "Pastoral Counseling."

Goolooze Addresses Consistorial Union

The Consistorial Union of the Reformed churches in Holland met in the Nettinga Memorial chapel of the Western Theological seminary Tuesday evening. Elder John Baron of the Trinity Reformed church presided and Albert Faasen of the Third Reformed church gave the secretary-treasurer's reports. Dr. Jacob Vander Meulen, president of the Seminary spoke the word of welcome and conducted the devotional exercises.

Dr. William Goolooze, in charge of the church history courses at the seminary, gave an illuminating talk on his experiences as a post-graduate student at the Free University of Amsterdam and drew many interesting comparisons between the religious life of the Reformed church people in the Netherlands and that of the Reformed church folk here in America. He spoke of the misunderstanding which many there have with regard to the orthodoxy of the Reformed church here. Others who took part in the discussion which followed were Rev. Richard Doustra, Rev. Paul Van Eerden and William Arenshorst. Rev. Benjamin Hoffman closed the meeting with prayer.

The members were conducted

on a tour of the seminary buildings and were served refreshments prepared in the recently installed kitchen in the seminary dormitory. This is the first of a number of "get-acquainted-with-your-seminary" gatherings which are to be sponsored by President Vander Meulen and the other members of the seminary faculty.

Officers Elected by Central Park S.S.

The annual meeting of the teachers and officers of the Central Park Sunday school was held Monday evening at the home of the superintendent, Ralph Van Lente, with about 35 in attendance. George De Vries, the assistant superintendent, opened the meeting with prayer and Lloyd Van Lente, the secretary, read the annual report. The treasurer, Miss Dorothy Sandy, gave her report on the year's finances which showed an increase in contributions to both the mission fund and the general fund.

It was decided to continue the support of the Rev. Joseph John of Katpadi, India, as the foreign missionary project of the church and Sunday school. Some changes were made in the grouping of older boys and girls in the classes and the superintendent reported the formation of new classes out of the primary department.

The following officers were elected to serve during the coming year: superintendent, Ralph Van Lente; assistant superintendent, George De Vries; secretary, Kenneth Vanden Berg; assistant secretary, Walter Milewski; treasurer, Dorothy Sandy; assistant secretary-treasurer, Sirena Beckfort.

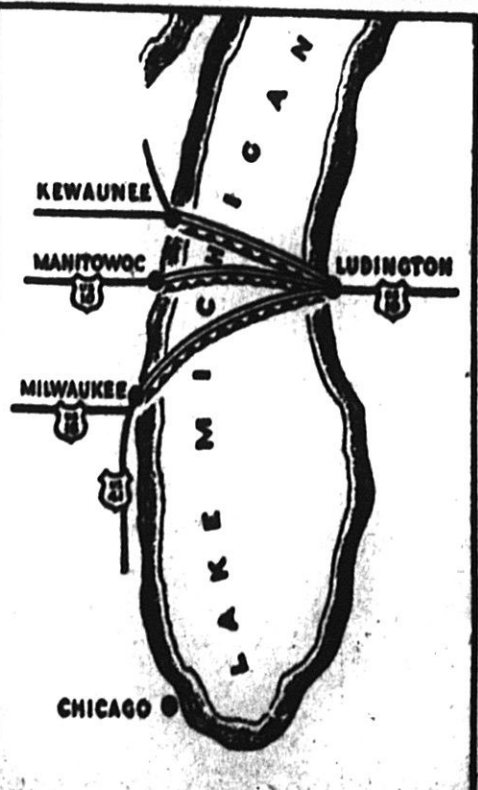
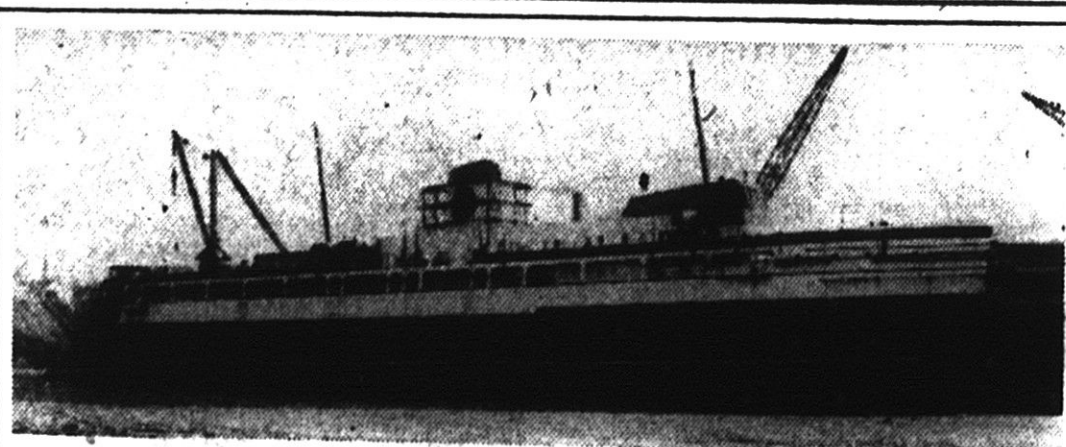
Mrs. H. Van Velden, teacher of the Ladies Adult Bible class, closed the meeting with prayer. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ralph Van Lente, assisted by Mrs. Lloyd Van Lente and Sherrel Yntema.

Bart L. Post Marries Miss Jarvis in East

Of interest to their Holland friends is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Bertha Marguerite Jarvis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Jarvis of 89 West 28th St., to Bart L. Post, local jeweler, which took place Thursday in Chelsea Presbyterian church in New York city.

The couple will remain in the east for a few days while Mr. Post does some gift buying. Upon their return to Holland they will reside in their new home at 204 West 12th St.

Her Maiden Trip Planned for Feb. 15



Master shipbuilders and craftsmen, working in day and night shifts, are putting finishing touches to the interior construction and decoration of the \$2,000,000 streamlined City of Midland which is scheduled to steam out of Manitowoc, Wis., on her maiden crossing of Lake Michigan Feb. 15 with a full cargo. The all-steel, world's largest carry, which will be

placed in year-around operation as flagship of the Pere Marquette fleet in trans-lake transportation of passengers, autos and loaded freight cars, will be put through a trial run along the Wisconsin side of the lake before her maiden trip to Ludington. The ship has 74 staterooms, an overall length of 406 feet and a displacement of 8,200 tons. Manitowoc and Ludington have arranged ceremonies for the inaugural trip. Painters have just finished the ship's rakish stack, displaying the red-ball insignia of the P. M. fleet (top photo). Workmen (lower right) are grinding welds on the ship's bridge. Map shows the three trans-lake routes of the year-around ferry service connecting Ludington with Wisconsin ports.

Book Review Is Feature of Weekly Club Meeting

Mrs. W. J. Olive gave a charming review of the new book, "The White House—A Biography," by Charles Hurd, before members of the Woman's Literary club Tuesday afternoon.

Although the White House was established by congress as a background for the president, newspapermen and others long ago learned that it was convenient to have the White House speak, she explained, and Mr. Hurd, a newspaper man of wide experience, with influential friends close to many administrations, has treated the White House as a personality in his book.

From June 4, 1800, when President John Adams and his family moved from Philadelphia to the far from finished White House, is traced the story of the early days, when the characteristics of the various first ladies and hostesses were reflected in the furnishings of the mansion and the part it took in Washington society.

After the White House was rebuilt following the war of 1812, its prestige and influence rose and fell, the reviewer choosing humorous and poignant passages from the book to reveal the characteristics of the mansion's occupants.

The influence of the charming president's wives of the 20th century have brought a spirit of hospitality and prestige to the White House, it was brought out, although with the coming of the New Deal, many precedents have been shattered. The White House, personalized by the president, has now become an active and probably a permanent force, Mrs. Olive concluded.

Mrs. J. J. Brower, club president, was in charge of the meeting. A nominating committee, to report Feb. 18, was announced as follows: Mrs. Carl Harrington, chairman, Mrs. John Arenshorst, Mrs. Arie Weller, Miss Laura A. Boyd and Mrs. Frank De Weese.

Mrs. William Winter, chairman of the Drama Workshop, stated that rehearsals are now well under way for the benefit play to be presented by the club group on Jan. 30 and 31 in the club house. Proceeds will be used to help pay for the new stage furnishings. Tickets are being distributed by the division chairman.

An appeal was made in behalf of the British War Relief society, Inc., contributions to be made through the club treasurer, Mrs. W. C. Kools.

The meeting next week will be an evening lecture in the High school auditorium, when Edgar G. Doudna of the University of Wisconsin will speak on "Educational Myths." Assisting in bringing Dr. Doudna to the city are the A. A. U. W., Rotary and Exchange clubs, Teachers' club and five Parent-Teacher organizations.

Mrs. Aussicker Observes Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. Elsie Aussicker, 113 West 16th St., celebrated her 82nd birthday anniversary with a party on Tuesday afternoon for a few friends and neighbors. Born in Switzerland, Mrs. Aussicker came to the United States in 1892, and after living in Indiana for six years, came to Holland. She lived on a farm near Ottawa beach before moving into the city. Mr. Aussicker, a janitor in Holland High school for many years, died in 1928.

Mrs. Aussicker has several children by a former marriage. Mrs. Emma Vandenberg and Mrs. Violet Boss reside in Illinois; Mrs. H. Favai in Grand Haven; Harmon Volend resides in Janesville, Wis.; and Mrs. Willis Haight lives in Holland. A son, Ernest Volend, died in 1918, and a daughter, Rose, died in 1917.

Students Participate in Chapel Exercises

Special chapel exercises were conducted in both Holland high school and Hope college Tuesday morning.

Principal J. J. Riemersma's guidance group was in charge of the exercises in the high school. Don Vander Baan served as chairman and Bill Faasen as chaplain. For special music Harvey Van Dyke and Kenneth Stokette played two clarinet duets.

Ruth Stryker, Grand Rapids senior, read the scripture at exercises in Hope Memorial chapel. Prayer was offered by Senior Harold Colebrander of Orange City, Ia. Special music was furnished by James T. Mearns of the music faculty, pianist, who played a portion of Beethoven's Sonata in D Minor.

Martin Krikke Marries Girl of St. Joseph

Miss Elizabeth McNabb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McNabb of St. Joseph, and Martin Krikke, son of Louis Krikke of West 16th St., Holland were united in marriage Saturday in Bowling Green, Ohio. A reception was held Sunday afternoon in the home of the bride's parents, 305 Court St. St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Krikke for the present are living with the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Garry Kienstra, 236 West 14th St. Later they will make their home on West 17th St.

FINED FOR SPEEDING
Clifford Lanning, route 3, Zeeland, paid fines and costs of \$5 each to Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith Monday upon pleas of guilty to speeding charges.

Mississippi state includes a number of islands lying in the river sound.

DEATH CLAIMS DOUGLAS MAN

Saugatuck, Jan. 23 (Special)—Samuel C. Dalley, 86, died early on Tuesday in the home of his son, Charles Dalley, in Douglas. He had been in failing health for some time and death was due to complications brought on by his age. He was born March 12, 1854, in Wilson, N. Y., and was one of 11 children of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Dalley.

At the age of about 20 he came to the vicinity of Grand Rapids where he followed the trade of painter and decorator. He married Miss Margaret Caulkins in Grand Haven in 1889 and after residing there for about a year came to Saugatuck. Since that time he resided continuously in this vicinity. He retired from his trade about 15 years ago. His wife died in July, 1940.

Surviving are two sons, Roy of Chicago and Charles of Douglas; a daughter, Mrs. Hettie Lewis of Los Angeles, Calif.; a brother, Byron of San Diego, Calif.; six grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Fillmore News

The P. T. A. met Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kempker, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Velthuis and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Smit made up the program. The program was opened by community singing followed by instrumental and vocal music by Julius Wedeven. Mr. Meengs of Holland was the speaker. Floyd Kempker gave a humorous reading. Refreshments were served by the committee consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Haverdink. Two more meetings will be held this school term.

Millon Timmerman is ill at his home with the flu. Several from here attended the play at Hamilton Thursday and Friday nights. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zoet are ill with the flu at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Neinhuis have returned to their home after a trip to Florida.

Miss Lois Kronmeyer is ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kronmeyer called on their sister, Mrs. H. Schutmaat, who is very ill at her home in Hamilton. Mrs. Gerrit Rabbers is slowly improving after several months of illness.

Central Park

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rodamer of Grand Rapids were callers at the home of Mrs. Thomas H. Rosendahl Sunday afternoon and evening.

Benjamin H. Bowmaster, Jr., was the leader in charge of the Young People's C. E. meeting Sunday night. He gave a well considered talk on "How Can God Become Real to Us?" Nan Kronmeyer was the leader of the Intermediate C. E. meeting and gave an interesting talk on "The Churches in Our Community."

Miss Joy Harmon of the Allegan County Health Department will give an illustrated lecture on the work of the W. K. Kellogg Foundation which is being carried on in the seven counties of Michigan. Mrs. Peter Van Dommelen, Jr., is in charge of the musical feature on the program.

The baby girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Teusink at their home on the Central Park road Saturday morning has been named Marianne.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Bertsch are spending a few days in Chicago.

A special offering was received at the morning service Sunday for the debt on the parsonage.

Mrs. Stanley Yntema and Mrs. Cora S. Prince will be the joint hostesses at the meeting of the Willing Workers Aid society to be held in the church parlors Thursday.

Rev. F. J. Van Dyk attended the special meeting of the classis of Holland in the First Reformed church Monday afternoon.

FATHERS AND SONS ATTEND BANQUET

Approximately 100 fathers and sons attended the father and son banquet of the Third Reformed church Men's league Monday night.

Judson A. Hyman, director of physical education at Western State Teachers college, Kalamazoo, was principal speaker. He stressed the point of close partnership between father and son which is sometimes lacking, because the father claims he is too busy to give attention to his son who yearns for the companionship of his father.

Special guests were Lawrence Mason of Lansing, Fred Nibbelink of Allendale and Eli Arnold of Holland. Charles De Boer, club president, presided. Mr. Hyman, Mr. Mason, Mr. Nibbelink, Mr. Arnold and Mr. De Boer were included in a recent hunting party.

President De Boer gave a toast on behalf of the fathers and Dale Van Lente presented the toast for the sons. Special music was given by John Harvey Muller.

Crisp News

Miner Jongekrig has been confined to his home for a week with a case of tonsillitis. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Maatman have moved into their new home which they purchased from the Van Raalte estate.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kooyers, Jr. have bought the farm where the Van Den Heuvels reside. Mrs. Charlie Prins is sick with the flu.

Mrs. John W. Nienhuis entertained a few women from Holland last Thursday afternoon. Guests were Mrs. John Volkers, Mrs. George Nienhuis, Mrs. Albert Nienhuis, Mrs. Albert Kamper, Mrs. Ray Koestera and Mrs. Henry Koop, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kamphuis have purchased the farm of Mrs. A. J. Nienhuis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weener of Holland visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koop last Friday night.

Group No. 1 of the Ladies aid society from North Holland will give the Old Fashioned Album at the East Crisp school Friday night, Jan. 24.

Allendale
Mr. and Mrs. John Van Koevring attended the funeral of the former's mother, Mrs. Gerrit Van Koevring, of Zeeland last Friday. She had been ill for about a month and died in the Zeeland hospital on Monday.

Mrs. Silas Wiersma was elected treasurer of the Women's auxiliary last Tuesday, Jan. 14, at a business meeting held in the apartment of Mrs. A. Leenhouts in the Warm Friend tavern, Holland. The business meeting was preceded by a combined luncheon by members of the Ottawa County Medical society and the Women's Auxiliary held in the tavern.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Zandbergen of Dutton are the parents of twin daughters, born recently. Mrs. Zandbergen is the former Dorothy Volkema, who before her marriage was an instructor in the local Christian school.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sall announce the birth of a son, Jan. 15. The next meeting of the Faithful Workers' club will be held at the home of Mrs. Jennie De Witt on Feb. 5.

Lawrence Draft who is employed by the Grand Rapids Creamery Co. had the misfortune of injuring his finger, making amputation necessary.

Student William Vander Haak was in charge of the Christian Reformed Sunday evening service.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ploegstra of Bauer called on Mrs. Herman Lottermann Monday afternoon.

Absence of many pupils due to colds and influenza was the cause for the closing of the local Christian school for a few days.

Mrs. Albertus Kraker and baby have returned from the Coopersville General hospital.

Faneta Dyke is employed in the home of Mrs. S. Lentera.

Vergeer Speaks to Y Groups

Dr. Teunis Vergeer addressed a large number of Hope college students in a joint meeting of the YM and YW groups Tuesday evening on the subject "Thorns and Thistles." In introducing his talk, the speaker cautioned the group to remember that the scientific approach is one of making suppositions that do not become laws until they have been proved workable. He stated that thorns and spines are really degenerated leaves, and cited the barberry bush, the plum tree, and the cactus as examples.

"But there are also spiritual and mental thorns and thistles," he said. Selfishness is probably one of the greatest thorns in human lives. In speaking of theories, Dr. Vergeer mentioned and discussed the theories of evolution, change, conservation of energy, and orthogenesis. "There is a great deal of confusion regarding the theory of evolution," he said.

Previously, when scientists did not know the cause of events, they attributed everything to chance. "It has been found that chance is an inadequate cause, and the only workable hypothesis now accepted for the plan of the universe is God," the speaker pointed out. "Therefore it is the scientific to believe in God," he said. He stated in closing that very few scientists defend atheism today as they did in the latter part of the nineteenth century.

Dr. Vergeer also said that he believed we could look forward to better days when thorns in life will be fewer, and men could someday live in peace in brotherhood in Christ.

A song service at the beginning of the meeting was led by Janet Clark with Mary Boles as the soloist. Devotions were led by a solo. "The Earth is the Lord's" accompanied by Ruth Van Bronckhorst. The singing of "Follow the Glean," YW song, concluded the meeting.

ANNOUNCE POSITIONS
The U. S. civil service commission has announced that applications are being received in Washington for the following positions: Engineering draftsman, junior communications operator, inspector (substance supplies, various grades), assistant home-economist, medical guard-attendant and medical technical assistant, physiotherapy aide, psychiatric nurse, junior veterinarian. Full particulars may be obtained from Dick Klein at Holland post office.

Before 1800, gold was produced by North Carolina in such quantities that a branch mint was established at Charlotte.

ON PROBATION IN EMBEZZLING

Detroit Also Ordered to Reimburse Local Man, Pay Court Costs

Upon his plea of guilty to a charge of embezzlement, John Lohuis, 28, Detroit, was placed on probation for one year by Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith Monday afternoon.

The court also assessed court costs of \$55.27 which Lohuis arranged to pay and the defendant was instructed to make restitution of \$41.50 to John Franzburg, a local produce dealer.

In a complaint sworn to by Mr. Franzburg, Lohuis is alleged to have embezzled \$41.50 through the sale of produce for which he failed to return the money, the alleged incident occurring last Dec. 10.

Lohuis was arrested by Detroit police in Detroit Sunday and returned here Sunday night by Police Officers Ernest Bear and Harris Nieuwma.

DEATH CLAIMS HOLLAND MAN

Peter Holkeboer, 34, 35 West 21st St., died at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday in his home following a nine months' illness of heart disease.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Theda Holkeboer; two daughters, Constance Joyce and Judith Ann, at home; the mother, Mrs. Anna Holkeboer of Holland; four sisters, Miss Tena Holkeboer, missionary at Amoy, China, Miss Gertrude Holkeboer of Holland, Mrs. Bertel Homkes of Galesburg, Ill., and Mrs. Hero Bratt of Grand Rapids; and two brothers, Dr. Henry Holkeboer of Grand Rapids and the Rev. Oscar Holkeboer of Oostburg, Wis.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 1:30 p.m. from the home of his mother, 34 East 15th St., private, with public rites at 2 p.m. from Ninth Street Christian Reformed church. The Rev. George Gritter will officiate. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Friends may view the body at the mother's home Thursday from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m. The body will remain at the Langeland funeral home until Thursday noon.

He was born March 21, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. David Holkeboer in Holland. Mr. Holkeboer was formerly a government employee at Ludington as assistant superintendent of the state park there until illness nine months ago forced his retirement.

He held membership in the Ninth Street Christian Reformed church. His wife's maiden name was Miss Theda Van Otterloo of Holland.

BANQUET IS HELD BY HOLLAND ELKS

Holland Elks lodge, No. 1315, held its annual banquet and district deputy exalted ruler's night Tuesday night in the clubrooms with approximately 177 members and guests present.

Honored guest was District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Owen J. Gavigan, judge of probate at Ludington. Other guests were John K. Burch of Grand Rapids, grand trustee; William Evans of Muskegon, vice president of Michigan west of the state association and Edward Breen, exalted ruler of Grand Rapids lodge No. 48.

Julius B. Wood, retired foreign newspaper correspondent and a member of the Chicago lodge, spoke on world affairs. Mayor Henry Geerlings spoke briefly in support of the infantile paralysis fund drive to be held shortly in Holland.

Two candidates, John Vander Meulen and John Hollihan, were initiated by the local club's degree team composed of Emil F. Le Jeune, exalted ruler; William McCarthy, leading knight; Carl Sief, loyal knight; John Dwyer, lecturing knight; Gerald Emmick, esquire; Thomas J. McCarthy, chaplain; Paul Weidenhamer, secretary; Eldon Dick, treasurer; Peter Bontekoe, inside guard; Case Pippel, tiler.

CITY ATTORNEY TO SEEK REELECTION

Two additional nomination petitions have been filed with City Clerk Oscar Peterson on behalf of candidates for the Feb. 17 primary.

Clarence A. Lokker, 30 East 12th St., is listed as a candidate for reelection as city attorney of Holland. He is completing his first term in office this year.

Herman Brower, 82 East 13th St., is a candidate for election as supervisor of Holland city. He is the brother of Ben Brower, chairman of the park and cemetery board.

MUSEUM SCHEDULE

Thursday's schedule for student tours at The Netherlands museum follows: From 1:20 to 2:05 p