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Treasurer Office Operation Left to 'Ways and Means'

The matter of operating the city treasurer's office until a successor can be named for City Treasurer Henry J. Becksfort who died Jan. 10 was referred to the ways and means committee of Common Council at a regular meeting Wednesday night.

It was suggested that the city clerk be appointed deputy treasurer pending the new appointment, but Clerk Clarence Grevengeod explained that his present obligations were such that such arrangement would present difficulties. He added that since the clerk's office is charged with paying out the money, it might be questionable if he were to be responsible for taking in the money too.

Since Becksfort's death, work in the office has been carried on by Mrs. Johanna Becksfort, Robert Becksfort, Josie Van Zanten and Mrs. John Oiert.

Four applications for the position of city treasurer were reported by the city clerk. Applications came from Fred Belman, Gertrude Stroeve, Alden Stoner and Edward Brouwer. The applications were referred to the civic improvements committee, the ways and means committee and Alderman John Van Eerden.

Mayor Harry Harrington said today that he also had been approached by Herman Vanden Brink for the position. His name will be turned over to the special committee for consideration.

Formal applications for the position must be filed with the city clerk by noon on Wednesday, Jan. 24.

In other business, Mayor Harry Harrington reappointed Dr. J. J. Brower and Russell Boeve as members of the Planning commission for three-year terms. Their appointments were approved by council. Hereafter, all appointments to the Planning commission will be three-year periods.

A petition bearing names of a large number of property owners requesting repair or rebuilding of the western portion of the Kollen park dock was referred to the park and cemetery committee, which already is considering such an issue.

Clerk Grevengeod reported he had again written the Bureau of the Census pertaining to possible corrected figures on the 1950 census for Holland, and was informed that Holland has been placed on the mailing list to receive a copy of the release of final 1950 population figures, said list to be issued late this spring.

He also presented a letter from Russell A. Klaassen, offering Holland city a quit claim deed in exchange for the extension of sewer and water facilities in the vicinity of 27th and College Ave. The deed was referred to the city attorney to check legality and to the sewer committee and Board of Public Works on the other questions.

City Engineer Jacob Zuidema reported that the sewer in East 28th St. between State and Lincoln has been completed and one-third of the sewer in 31st St. between River and Pine has been completed. He expects the latter job to be finished next week, weather permitting.

The ordinance committee to which was referred the matter of retaining the term "Board of Public Works" instead of "Board of Public Service" as used in the new charter, reported it is continuing its study.

On recommendation of Alderman Lloyd Maatman, chairman of the public lighting committee, council authorized installation of 16 additional street lights in the area south of 24th St. from Lincoln to Ottawa Aves.

On inquiry of Alderman Bertal Slag about complaints about city water in the Public Opinion column of The Sentinel, Alderman A. W. Hertel said the subject was thoroughly discussed at the Board of Public Works meeting Monday and arrangements are being made to make a public statement soon, informing the public of existing conditions and what may be expected.

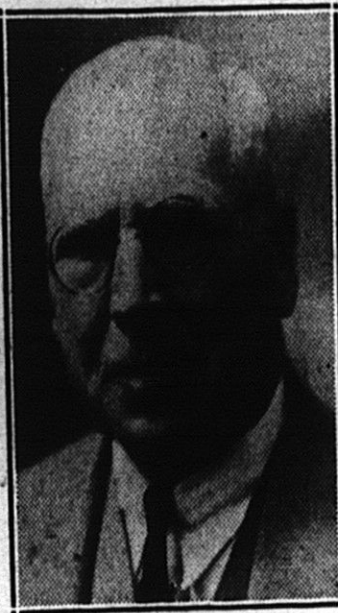
GM Names Ter Haar To Public Service Post

Henry Ter Haar, local automobile dealer for the last 20 years, has been reappointed as General Motors corporation community relations chairman for Holland and vicinity.

The post carries a community service responsibility. The firm's public relations department makes available to the public and any organization a variety of educational materials in the form of booklets, motion pictures and other data.

Ter Haar, who also has been active in local Community Chest, Red Cross and 4-H club work, will co-operate with club groups, schools or any other organizations which may find GM material of interest for use in educational or other programs.

GM sponsors the national 4-H club farm safety contest and Ter Haar will assist any local 4-H clubs that may have members participating.



Henry Brusse

Former Holland Mayor Is Dead

Henry Brusse, 85, who served as mayor of Holland city from 1908 to 1911, died Tuesday in Holland hospital where he had been admitted Dec. 4.

Brusse served as mayor of Holland during the construction of the city hall and participated in ceremonies when the building was dedicated April 8, 1911. Cost of building and equipment totaled \$58,122.69.

He was born in the Netherlands and came to this country at the age of 17. He lived in Grand Rapids for a time and later came to Holland. He served as foreman of the finishing room of West Michigan Furniture Co. for a period and left to become a paint and finishing salesman.

He was a member of Third Reformed church, Elks lodge and the Masons. His wife, the former Sarah Elzinga, died in April, 1932.

Surviving are a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ruth Hyma; three grandchildren, John Heines of Minneapolis, Mrs. Marvin Dyke of Virginia park and Henry W. Brusse of Holland; five great grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Gerrit Blok of Holland and several nieces and nephews.

Festival Leaders Discuss Finances

Financial statements of the 1950 Tulip Time festival were distributed to festival leaders at a meeting of the Board of Directors Tuesday afternoon in the Warm Friend Tavern. Former Manager Willard C. Wichers explained the balance sheet in detail for the benefit of Tulip Time workers who now will be in a position to provide first-hand information on the all-important question of finances. Further information will be made available later.

The new finance committee is working with various firms and individuals in the community to secure additional voluntary financial support. Tulip Time, Inc., has set the goal for additional contributions at \$10,000.

Announcement was made that printed programs will be provided again this year through the courtesy of Holland Furnace Co. Some discussion was held on hiring a new manager, but so far no applications have been received directly by the board.

Festival leaders also are considering a letter from S. H. Houtman concerning possibilities of staging a new Tulip Time pageant.

Attending the meeting were Gertrude Steketee, Clarence Klaassen, W. A. Butler and Dick Smallenburg, all board members; Wichers, Ald. Bertal Slag, Harry Nells, Ray N. Smith, Harold Van Tongeren, Burt Post, Mrs. John Antas and Dorothy Schuitema. The latter, employed in the Chamber of Commerce office, represented Secretary-Manager William H. Vande Water who was attending funeral services for his mother.

Two Counties Merge Sanitation Divisions

Allegan (Special)—Sanitation divisions of the health departments of Van Buren and Allegan counties have been merged, with John Fleming of Paw Paw as director, it was announced here today.

Designed to increase the quality and efficiency of the public health sanitation service, the new unit will serve both areas. John Reynolds, Allegan sanitarian the last three years, and Robert LaBelle, Paw Paw, will be assistants. A fourth staff member will be named soon.

Fleming is a graduate of Western Michigan college, received the degree of master of public health from the University of Michigan, and was formerly associated with the Barry and Wayne county health departments.

Teacher to Retire

Grand Haven (Special)—Miss Zena Ackley, elementary teacher in Central school for 36 years, has presented her resignation to the Board of Education, effective at the close of the present school year. She is the first instructor to qualify under the present retirement plan.

Role of Colleges For Mobilization Told to Students

A 10-point program describing the part of the college in present and future defense mobilization was outlined Monday by Dr. Irwin J. Lubbers, Hope college president, to the student body at the regular chapel meeting.

Dr. Lubbers and Milton Hinga, dean of men, returned from the annual meeting of the Association of American Colleges held at Atlantic City, N.J. The declaration on manpower was drawn up by the association and is in the form of recommendations to the federal government.

The program:

1. There should be no duplication of educational facilities between colleges and government. The government should survey today's colleges to see what facilities are available, and bring them into defense efforts. (Dean Hinga pointed out that a survey of possible defense usage of facilities at Hope college now is underway.)

2. Students whose induction is postponed by their studies should be given the right to apply for entrance into any branch of the armed forces now available. This step is for immediate action.

3. The association urges planning to ensure "constructive utilization of the ability and training of all college women."

4. The draft age should be set for 19, with a lower age only "when and as long as an emergency manpower shortage" requires it.

- 4-A. The association endorses present deferment of students in ROTC units. It also endorses legislation now before Congress to place on the same basis stipend and educational allowances for men enrolled in ROTC programs.

5. Certain classes of students should be deferred until completion of training. These include (a) students in professional schools of theology, medicine, dentistry and related health fields, graduate students in mathematics, engineering, and the physical and biological sciences, and (b) all students who will have completed two years of undergraduate study in any curriculum by July 1951, and have satisfactory standing.

6. Students who reach 19 while in college should have induction postponed until the end of the academic year.

7. In the event of universal military service for 18-year-olds, those who won't be inducted before the opening of the academic year should be notified that they can complete that year.

8. After basic training, a "substantial number" of qualified men should be furloughed to colleges of their choice for further education in all areas, before returning to complete their required military service. Entire administration of this phase should be in the hands of competent civilians.

9. Co-operation between the association, the military and other educational organizations is urged.

10. The association calls on government, philanthropic agencies and the public to consider the need for small independent colleges and preserve them.

The entire statement of military-educational co-operation is aimed at providing a constant flow of trained persons to fill critical places in the future, and recognizes that higher education should be viewed as essential to development of manpower resources.

Dr. Lubbers pointed out that the government has high regard for the college association and very likely will include many of these measures in an impending new draft law.

In a brief statement to the students, Hinga urged male students to "finish your semester." He said he was counseling students to wait until the government has a job for them to do before getting into service.

Local Man Succumbs At Holland Hospital

Gerrit Kruitthof, 51, of Holland died at 11:30 p.m. Sunday at Holland hospital where he had been confined since Jan. 2, with arthritis. He was born Sept. 18, 1899, in Oakland, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gommert Kruitthof. He was a member of Bethel Reformed church.

Surviving are the wife, Hattie; three daughters, Mrs. Gordon Rynga, Holland; Mrs. Bernard Berghorst, Zeeland and Amy, at home; a son, Jerry, of Holland; eight grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Albert Winkler, Doris, Mrs. Lucas Vredevel, Zeeland, Mrs. Edward Veldhof, Holland and Sylvia Kruitthof, Holland and three brothers, John, Marvin and Gerald, all of Oakland.

Ben Poest Dies at Son's Home in Zeeland

Berend (Ben) Poest, 93, died Tuesday at the home of his son Henry, route 3, Zeeland, following a week's illness.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. James Hulsmann, Overisel; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Julia Poest, Zeeland; nine grandchildren, and 14 great grandchildren.

Tulip Time, Inc. Leader Appoints Event Directors

Appointments to three important Tulip Time posts were announced Saturday by W. A. Butler, president of Holland Tulip Time Festival, Inc.

Harold J. Karsten will take charge of band review arrangements for a third consecutive year. Phil Strengthoff will head the housing committee and John H. Van Dyke, former Tulip Time president, will take charge of Little Netherlands, the miniature Dutch village in the enclosure at 13th St. and Central Ave.

Karsten, who was elected president of the American Legion band for the 23rd consecutive year earlier this week, has had wide experience in band reviews. He has assisted in plans for the stellar attraction ever since such reviews were instituted in the early '30s under Eugene F. Heeter.

He already has begun work on the band review for 1951, following much the same pattern of other years. He has received several inquiries and expects to circulate questionnaires by the end of the month. The band review is traditionally the biggest single attraction of the entire festival. It is followed by a colorful parade of bands which always attracts the largest crowds of the festival. Karsten is employed by the Board of Public Works.

Strengthoff, a civic-minded tourist operator, has already begun making plans for housing the thousands of visitors which annually come into Holland for the festival. He was one of the first to wear an authentic Dutch costume during the entire festival and often on other occasions, and prefers to wear wooden shoes much of the time working about the house. He has been active in Tulip Time and Chamber of Commerce work.

Van Dyke, former fifth ward alderman, also took charge of Little Netherlands activities last year. The miniature village will be much the same as last year, with some new additions and attractions. It has been one of the most fascinating spectacles for festival visitors.

Van Dyke came to Holland in 1937 from Grand Rapids and is advertising manager at Hart and Cooley Manufacturing Co. He has served as president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, president of the Holland Community Chest and has been active in almost all civic projects.

Committee members are expected to be appointed soon.

SSP Committee Gives Account

The Single Solicitation Plan committee has released a final accounting of receipts and disbursements for the year ending Oct. 31, 1950. Altogether 43 individuals and their employees in Holland contributed under the Single Solicitation Plan.

O. W. Lowry, chairman, announced that \$22,708.72 was pledged and actual receipts were \$22,727.36. This was distributed in accordance to recommendations of the allocation committee as follows:

Ottawa county chapter American Red Cross \$3,409.10.
Ottawa county chapter National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis—\$3,409.10.

Holland Community Chest (including Michigan United Health and Welfare Fund)—\$15,909.16.

Final payments to each of the above organizations were made today.

Under the SSP, each organization sets up its own fund made up of payroll deductions of employees plus matching funds from management.

These funds are distributed directly to the various charitable and welfare organizations in proportion to their respective budgets as recommended by the allocation committee.

The SSP committee co-ordinates the program.

New Overhead Door On Allegan City Hall

Allegan (Special)—Allegan's city hall had a new look Wednesday with the installation of a new 20-foot wide overhead door in the first floor fire hall.

The sliding door was put in to accommodate the city's new hose-ladder-pumper fire truck expected to arrive this month. The older doors dated back to the building's construction in 1887.

Tentative plans call for a single overhead door on the other side of the hall next year, which will complete the work.

Mrs. Buija Bos, 83, Succumbs at Son's Home

Mrs. Buija Bos, 83, of 47 West McKinley Ave., Zeeland, died Monday noon at the home of her son, John, following a lingering illness.

Those surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Arthur Kool, East Saugatuck; eight grandchildren, and 12 great grandchildren.



Three of fishing's myriad addicts huddled around a "good day's catch" of speckled bass and perch on frozen Lake Macatawa Wednesday afternoon. While this was taking place, the bobber on the line of Louis Cotts of Hudsonville (center) went under and stayed under and wasn't discovered until the fish had removed a good portion of Cotts' minnow. But the general consensus of fishermen on the bay

Wednesday was that fishing was "slow." "They run in schools," Cotts said, "but it's been pretty slow." The ice was still about eight inches thick at noontime today, although rising temperatures and clear sunlight produced puddles on the ice surface. With Cotts are Eugene Leenhoefer of Hudsonville (left) and Julius Luchies of Grand Rapids. (Sentinel photo)

Several Appear In Circuit Court

Grand Haven (Special)—John Straatsma, 45, Holland, paid \$100 costs in circuit court today on a charge of selling intoxicating liquor to a minor. He informed the court the 16-year-old purchaser had displayed a license and identification of a person of sufficient age to an employee who has been working only a short time as night man.

Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith also sentenced Edward Blakeslee, 21, Grand Rapids, and Richard Radeck, 22, route 2, Coopersville, each to serve 18 months to 15 years at Southern Michigan prison at Jackson. They were found guilty of a rape charge in an opinion by the judge following a trial Dec. 19.

Hazel A. De Hart De Witt, 28, Fruitport, and Lilah Campau, 49, Spring Lake, who pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny from a building, were sentenced to serve 60 days each in the county jail, and the sheriff was instructed to assign tasks to keep them busy. They allegedly took merchandise from Montgomery Ward store in Holland Dec. 22.

Stanley Kleevies, 18, of 801 East Eighth St., Holland, charged with larceny from a store building, was placed on probation two years. He was ordered to pay \$50 costs within 90 days, \$5 a month oversight fees and set a midnight curfew. Judge Smith said much of Kleevies' difficulty was due to his roaming the streets at night. He is alleged to have taken five boxes of shells from Nies Hardware in Holland Dec. 5.

Jack Peck, 24, Grand Haven, who pleaded guilty Jan. 8 to a charge of felonious assault, told the court today he was not armed with a weapon when he entered Highway Inn last Dec. 23 but that the gun was outside in his car.

The court ordered his guilty plea be withdrawn and a plea of not guilty entered. Trial was set Jan. 24. Peck allegedly had entered the tavern on US-31 and pointed a German Luger at the waitress, Mrs. Florence Waskin.

Andrew Nyboer Elected Head of Dental Society

Dr. Andrew G. Nyboer, son of John Nyboer, 13 West 17th St., has been elected president of the Winnebago county Dental Society for 1950. The society, which is one of the largest in Illinois, is comprised of more than 100 dentists from that county, and is active in the state dental program. Dr. Nyboer served the society previously as secretary and vice president.

Dr. Nyboer attended Holland high school and Hope college. He is a graduate of Loyola Dental school of Chicago.

Dr. Nyboer, his wife and three daughters live in Rockford where he has a private practice.

Luke Luurtsema, 71, Dies After Long Illness

Luke Luurtsema, 71, of Borculo, died at Holland hospital Monday noon following a month's illness. He was born in the Netherlands. He was deacon and elder in Borculo Christian Reformed church for many years.

Surviving are the wife; five sons, Tony and Gerrit of Borculo, Andrew and Albert of Zeeland and James and Bauer; one daughter, Mrs. Gerrit De Roo, Borculo; 17 grandchildren; one brother, John, Borculo; one sister, Mrs. James Schriener, Grand Rapids; one brother-in-law, Joe Blaauw, Borculo, and one sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Northouse, Belmont.

Addition Considered For Municipal Hospital

Grand Haven (Special)—The board of directors of Municipal hospital is considering addition of a rear wing to house 17 beds. City Manager R. V. Terrill informed city council.

Board Chairman Fred Ehrmann says the plan is only in its preliminary stages but appears to have considerable merit. The proposed new addition would be a wing at the rear to provide a T-shaped structure. Further plans call for a two-story addition extending west of the present building and a boiler room apart from the building.

The top floor of the two-story unit would probably be used as a maternity section and the ground floor would house laundry, kitchen, nurse's dining room and provide storage space.

Enlistees Called To Active Duty

We're ready for you. Come on back in.

In effect, that was the word given by the Air Force to about 30 men in the Holland area who had been sworn into the Air Force on Jan. 8 but whose orders to report for active duty were held up due to lack of training space.

The Air Force ordered its backlog of 250 enlistees in the Grand Rapids recruiting district to active duty today, with the men scheduled to report to Fort Wayne in Detroit before being sent to Texas for basic training.

The group of enlistees originally were due to report Monday, but received an unexpected two-day leave when the Air Force found it didn't have any place to put them.

Meanwhile, Air Force enlistment still is closed due to the heavy rate of enlistment.

Mrs. Clara Bruins Dies In North Blendon Home

Zeeland (Special)—Mrs. Clara Bruins, 61, North Blendon, died at her home early this morning. She suffered from a cerebral hemorrhage Wednesday afternoon.

Surviving are the husband, Ben Bruins; five daughters, Marguerite, Eleanor, Marian, Joan and Verna; two sons, Junior and Chester; all at home; one sister, Mrs. William Hyma, Grand Rapids; four brothers, Peter, Zisser, East Paris, John and Casey, Jenison, and Louis, North Blendon; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Gerrit Lanting, Grand Rapids.

Funeral services will be Saturday, 1:30 p.m., at North Blendon Christian Reformed church, Rev. H. Koolstra and Rev. D. Weemhof officiating. Relatives will meet in church basement at 1:15. Burial will be at Blendon cemetery. The body will be taken from the Yntema Funeral home to the Bruins residence Thursday afternoon. Please omit flowers.

Mrs. Christena Buege Dies at Age of 94

Zeeland (Special)—Mrs. Christena Buege, 94, died this morning at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Buhler, Salem township, of a lingering illness.

Surviving her are a son, the Rev. Arthur Buege, Sparta, a daughter, Mrs. Buhler, Salem township; seven grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Saturday, 2 p.m. at Market Street Methodist church, Salem, the Rev. Earle J. Stine officiating. Burial will be at Burnips cemetery. The body will be taken from Yntema Funeral chapel to the Buhler home Friday afternoon.

Local Residence Damaged by Fire

Faulty wiring connections set off a fire in the Jake Vander Meulen home at 222 West 17th St. at 11:30 a.m. today and spread so swiftly that a son, Ray, sleeping upstairs, escaped with singed hair down a ladder provided by a gas station operator across the street.

Most of the damage was confined to the combination living and dining room and all furniture in the large room including a television set was damaged beyond salvage. Fire Chief Andrew Klompars said there was ample insurance on the house but none on the furniture.

Ray Vander Meulen, about 21, sleeping upstairs, awoke in a smoke-filled room and was unable to get down the stairs leading into the dining room. Ray Van Eyk, gas station attendant across the street, brought a ladder for him to descend from the porch roof.

Firemen, who remained on the scene three-quarters of an hour, were unable to get into the room in time to spread tarpaulins over the furniture.

The two rooms were badly charred on the walls, floor and ceiling. Mrs. Vander Meulen was downtown shopping at the time, accounting for locked doors and the firemen's inability to enter the house other than through a living room window.

The fire started near electrical connections at an outlet in the living room. Damage was not estimated.

Allegan Real Estate Agent Dies at 89

Allegan (Special)—Milo E. Keene, 89, real estate agent in Allegan 46 years, died at his home in Allegan Monday night. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Gorden funeral home with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Jessie Lindsley and Mrs. Helene Myers, Allegan; two sons, Leo of Kalamazoo and Douglas of Allegan; 10 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren; a brother, Bert, South Bend, and a sister, Mrs. Minnie Metzler, Mishawaka, Ind.

Local Youth Acquitted Of Negligent Homicide

Grand Haven (Special)—After deliberating a half hour, a 12-man circuit court jury acquitted Stanley Sluiter, 19-year-old Holland youth, of a charge of negligent homicide Tuesday afternoon. The case arose out of a two-car crash last Sept. 30 on old US-31 four miles north of Holland in which Mrs. Clara Weersing, 49, Grand Rapids, was fatally injured.

Pick-Up Scheduled for Legion's Tide of Toys

The Tide of Toys, a program seeking contributions of toys for shipment to European countries, will end Friday afternoon with collection of toys at the various elementary schools in the city.

The program is sponsored by posts 86 and 188 of the American Legion in Holland.

The toys are sent from local depots to Philadelphia before being shipped to children in overseas countries.

The toys contributed by Holland families are earmarked for distribution to children in the Netherlands.

Council Seeking Solution to Heavy Trunkline Traffic

With the increase of heavy truck traffic on Eighth St. caused by the new US-31 relocation, the city is seeking a solution to divert northbound traffic over different routes and Common Council Wednesday night turned the problem over to the street committee and the city engineer for a solution, suggesting that the state highway department also be called in for the study.

A suggestion that northbound trucks be routed over 17th St. to Columbia Ave. should be given further study, according to Ald. A. W. Hertel. He suggested that consideration be given to possibilities of keeping heavy vehicular traffic outside the city or as close to the outskirts as possible, and named 32nd St. and Lincoln Ave. as possibilities.

He said he was well aware that none of the new routes suggested are built for heavy traffic, and that is a problem which the committee must consider.

A petition signed by 107 employees of the city and Board of Public Works requesting payment of wages on a weekly basis instead of bi-weekly payments now in effect, was referred to the ways and means committee.

Council approved appropriation of \$500 for civil defense supplies, naming City Clerk Clarence Grevengeod as custodian. The appropriation was made following a request from Col. A. E. Rakes, director of civil defense in the local area, for booklets and cards on "Survival Under Atomic Attack." Cost of the literature was estimated at \$350.

A petition signed by nine property owners objecting to the installation of a street light on 13th St. between Van Raalte and Washington was referred to the public lighting committee.

Requests for permits to erect two service stations in Holland city were referred to the civic improvements committee and Ald. Lloyd Maatman of the Planning commission with instructions to consult City Planner Scott Bagby before announcing a decision. One application came from A. Terry. Fisher to erect a station on the northeast corner at Eighth and Pine, and the other from Vernon Klompars on behalf of Sinclair Refining Co. to erect a station at Eighth and Mill Sts. Both applications were endorsed by the fire chief.

A request from Mrs. Margaret Michmerhuizen for water service at a residence at 580 Crescent drive in Montello park was approved and the BPW was authorized to make the necessary connection, since the water main already is in front of the property in question.

The clerk presented the following oaths of offices, all of which were filed: John Van Dyke, Jr., supervisor to fill the unexpired term of the late Simon De Boer; Neale Wiersma, John H. Van Dyke, Jacob Zuidema and Orlan S. Cross, all members of the Board of Review.

The ways and means committee was authorized to purchase the type metal of the new city charter for use in subsequent editions as well as for use in revisions. It was estimated cost would not exceed \$80.

A payment of \$16,000 in lieu of taxes was received from the Board of Public Works.

Ottawa Republicans Schedule Convention

Grand Haven (Special)—The Ottawa county Republican convention will be held at the court house in Grand Haven at 1:30 p.m. on Jan. 29.

In the absence of county chairman James B. Scott of Coopersville, who is vacationing in California, the meeting will be called to order by Mrs. Ben Lowell of Grand Haven, vice chairman. Temporary chairman will be selected and committees will be appointed.

Delegates to the state convention to be held in Detroit on Feb. 17 will be picked at the county meeting.

Overtime Parker Tops Municipal Court List

Marvin Wabek, route 3 appeared in Municipal Court Tuesday and paid \$1 fine and \$4.70 costs after a warrant was sworn out on an overtime parking ticket.

In other court action, Ryan Woodwyk, Hudsonville, paid \$5 fine and costs for driving without an operator's license.

Paying \$1 parking fines were Eugene Van Liere, route 2; James A. Smith, 487 College Ave.; Bud Baskett, 253 West 16th St.; E. L. Heuvelhorst, 1608 South Shore Dr.

County Administrator

Attorney Maurice Barbour of Coopersville, has been appointed public administrator for Ottawa county by Att. Gen. Frank G. Millard. Miss Lella

Farm-to-Prosper Secretary Enrolls New Organizations

Many Units Express Desire to Join From Holland Areas

Visiting the Holland suburban area Friday, John A. Chisholm, executive secretary of the West Michigan Farm-to-Prosper Contest association, found much interest among school organizations in the contest and its objective.

After he had addressed a meeting of the Beechwood Mothers club, that organization voted to enroll for 1951. Mrs. LeRoy Decker, route 4, Holland, is president.

Chisholm also called on leaders of the Montello, Waukazoo, Lakewood, Pine Creek, and Harlem school organizations.

"I was gratified at the interest in the contest," Chisholm said. "I hope to return to this area soon and call on others." He said he was highly hopeful of many more school organizations competing this year in this program for advancement of rural community life in western Michigan.

Ferrysburg and Marne Parent-Teacher associations and White school Mothers club were enrolled in 1950. Ferrysburg and Marne PTA's took first and second places respectively in the Ottawa county competition.

Eighty-six rural community organizations were enrolled last year in the five counties in which the contest is conducted—Ottawa, Muskegon, Newaygo, Oceana, and Mason. Twelve were enrolled in Ottawa.

In 1949 Marne PTA placed first in Ottawa and White school Mothers club fifth.

"This indicates there is a place in the contest for school organizations," Chisholm said. "We hope to have more of them enroll." He said about 15 were enrolled in Muskegon county in 1950, and three in Mason county.

Chisholm explained to prospective enrollees the purpose of the contest. This is to promote rural community life in Western Michigan through stimulus of friendly rivalry in community affairs, youth activities, and in interest in county, state, national, and even world affairs.

Prizes are awarded at a Round-Up between Christmas and New Year's. This is an afternoon of entertainment and fellowship, for which all members of competing organizations and their families and friends are eligible. The governor of the state presents the awards. Cash prizes totalling \$125 are awarded the first five winners in each county. These are provided by business organizations of the county, as a gesture of urban-rural goodwill. The Holland Chamber of Commerce contributes \$37.50 toward the Ottawa county prizes.

The contest is carried on through county agricultural agents' office by a board of trustees representing agriculture, business, and the press of the five counties. On the board from southern Ottawa county are W. A. Butler, William Vandewater, Dick Collins, Orle Bishop of Holland, and Jacob Geerlings, of Zeeland.

"Vande Water, secretary-manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce, told me his office would be glad to be of any assistance possible to rural organizations," Chisholm said. "He told me the Chamber of Commerce undertakes to serve not only business men who are members, but the whole community."

Burnips

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)
"Uncle Larry" of the Kalamazoo rural missions, was the guest speaker Tuesday morning, Jan. 9, in the Burnips school.

The annual Farmers Co-operative meeting was held all day Wednesday, Jan. 10, in the Salem Township Community hall in Burnips. A large crowd of farmers and their families and friends attended. A program was presented and lunch was served.

Mrs. Joyce Stone gave special music at the evening service last week Sunday when she played the hymn "The Ninety and Nine" on the piano in the Burnips Pilgrim holiness church.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tubergen announce the birth of a daughter, Monday, Jan. 8, Mrs. Tubergen was the former Miss Minnie Bok of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brenner of Grand Rapids, former Burnips residents, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter recently. They have two other children. Mrs. Brenner is the former Nellie Sheridan, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Sheridan of Burnips.

The Rev. and Mrs. William Gaerhardt, former pastor of the Diamond Springs and Sand Hill Wesleyan Methodist churches and their family attended the evening service of the Burnips Pilgrim Holiness church on Sunday, Jan. 7.

The Salem Township Fire department at Burnips was called when neighbors saw Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walms' home on fire on Tuesday, Jan. 9, while the family was away. Later the Jamestown Fire dept. was also called to extinguish the smoldering fire between the first and second floor and the upstairs clothes closet. Two families live in the house.

The U. S. entered World War II with seven airplane carriers, four of which were sunk by 1942. By June, 1945, there were 98 carriers in operation.

Married at Home of Bride



Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hamberg

Miss Alma Jansen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jansen, route 6, and Jay Hamberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hamberg, Paw Paw Dr., were married Jan. 4 at the home of the bride. The Rev. Theodore Verhulst performed the double ring ceremony at 8 p.m.

Miss Marylin Jansen, cousin of the bride, played the wedding march.

Attending the couple were Miss Hermine Jansen and Harold Hamberg, brother of the groom.

The bride wore a white satin gown styled with a sweetheart neckline accented with seedpearl and bead trim, long sleeves, fitted bodice and a full skirt with train. A crown of seedpearls and beads held her fingertip veil in place. She wore a single strand of pearls. The bride carried a white Bible topped with red roses.

Miss Jansen wore a blue dress and a corsage of yellow roses.

A reception followed the exchange of vows.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamberg left on a wedding trip to Kentucky.

Pre-nuptial showers were given for the bride by Mrs. Albert Jansen and aunts, Mrs. Harry Hamberg, Mrs. John Schipper and Mrs. Minnie Schipper, Miss Harriet Johnson and friends, and Misses Hermine and Betty Jansen, sisters of the bride.

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There are over eight million radio receiving sets in Japan.

State Police Nab Bad Check Artist Active in Holland

A self-styled Grand Rapids salesman has admitted passing \$814 worth of bad checks in five Michigan cities, including \$200 worth in Holland, police reported today.

Orin Jack Dalrymple, 32, waived examination in a Grand Rapids court Thursday and was bound over to a higher tribunal. He at present is on probation.

In a signed confession, Dalrymple admitted passing the four worthless checks in Holland early in December. The Holland checks were made payable to "Van Edwin Stroh" and were signed by "L. A. Glass, Florist."

Dalrymple was arrested after one of his victims in Rockford noted his license number and notified Rockford state police. Officers Don Oosterbaan and Dennis Erde were in Rockford Thursday to witness Dalrymple's confession.

Included on the list of cities where bad checks were passed were Lansing, Hastings, Cedar Rapids and Rockford. In all, 16 checks were passed, with values of approximately \$50 each.

Dalrymple said in his confession that he bought his fraudulent identification — social security cards and drivers' licenses—from an unknown man in a Kalamazoo tavern for \$5.

When police asked his occupation, Dalrymple replied, "I've always thought of myself as a salesman."

When arrested, he was working as a drill press operator in a Grand Rapids machine shop.

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Allegan Board Favors New Site For TB Hospital

Allegan (Special) — A small majority of Allegan county supervisors changed their minds about the proposed location of the new state tuberculosis hospital Friday, and voted for recommending a new study of several locations, with a strong preference for a South Haven site.

With some members expressing doubts of the board's influence in the matter, a report of a special committee, which pointed out the lakeshore location as a more centrally located spot for the district to be served, was adopted by a 17 to 12 vote.

In adopting a new attitude about the hospital, the board failed to rescind a resolution approved in an earlier session in which the Kalamazoo location was preferred. The new motion will go to state legislators.

The salaries committee, cutting by \$200 Sheriff Louis Johnson's request for salary raises for his deputies and officers, was turned down on its recommendation that an increase from \$2,800 to \$3,000 be granted. The motion lost in a 16 to 12 vote.

A request from the Allegan County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty for a \$1,000 appropriation was still in committee hands when the supervisors adjourned the January session late Friday. Similar requests from the society have been turned down in previous meetings.

Teachers Urged To Visit Industry

School Supt. C. C. Crawford, addressing fellow Rotarians at their weekly luncheon meeting Thursday, recommended that teachers pay another visit to business and industry, as a result of attending the annual convention of the National Association of Manufacturers in New York City last December.

Three years ago, public school teachers visited local business and industrial plants and two years ago, local businessmen and industrialists toured the schools.

Crawford pointed to specific results from the conferences, including changes in curriculum and content of courses, and in attitude of the faculty.

He suggested that the new "Business, Industry and Education Day" also include Hope college and the Christian schools.

Crawford was one of three Michigan educators among 50 from the United States to attend the New York convention as an observer. Dr. Irwin J. Lubbers attended the conference last year.

The December event also marked the 55th Congress of American Industry.

Among many conferences attended, Crawford spoke particularly of one in which educators sat down with businessmen and industrialists to discuss each other's problems and how there might be fuller co-operation in working out solutions. He said he would be calling on local businessmen from time to time to talk before students in the classroom.

The convention opened with a meeting on "America's Tomorrow." Other subjects included inflation and security, labor relations, conservation of resources, production for freedom, and the world's crisis.

Crawford said he was most impressed with an address by Admiral Ellis Mark Zacharias, retired, who spoke on military needs.

Club, Auxiliary Names Officers at Meeting

Members of the Metropolitan club and Auxiliary held a potluck supper Monday night in the No. 2 engine house, followed by separate business meetings for election of officers. The club is composed of police, fire and federal employees.

Ralph Woldring was elected president of the club; Teno Vande Water was named vice president; Fred Zigmeter, secretary; Fred Pathus, financial secretary, and Rufus Cramer, treasurer.

Mrs. Plagenhoef was elected president of the Auxiliary. Other officers named were Mrs. Vande Water, vice president; Mrs. Crammer, secretary; Mrs. Woldring, financial secretary, and Mrs. Henry Dokter, treasurer.

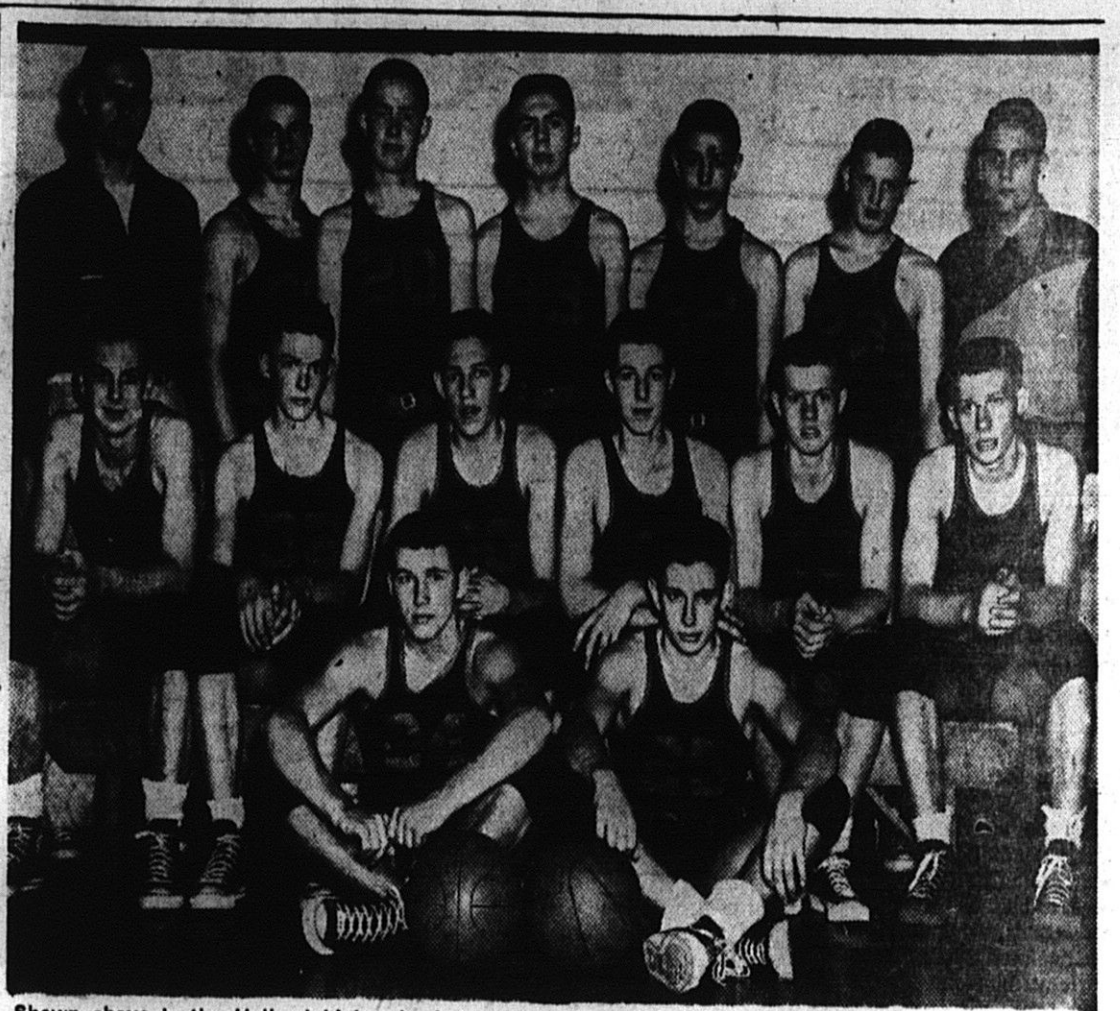
Local Women Attend Legion District Meet

Several Holland women were in Grand Rapids Tuesday night to attend the fifth district meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary. The session was held at Bethlehem Lutheran church. Attending from here were Mrs. H. Klompars, Mrs. Bert Jacobs, Mrs. Henry Poppen, Mrs. Edward Slooter and Mrs. James Cook.

Charles Van Duren of Holland, who is fifth district Legion commander, spoke briefly.

Mrs. Florence Mastenbroek of Grand Haven was appointed vice defense chairman of the Auxiliary for Ottawa county. Mrs. Slooter is local civil defense chairman.

During the evening reports showed that the fifth district presented cash gifts amounting to \$650 to the Michigan Veterans Facility non-pension men at Christmas time.



Shown above is the Holland high school reserve basketball team, which has racked up the impressive total of six wins without defeat. Front row, left to right: Jack Kemper and Orville Tien. Center row: Ron Israels, Dave Moran, Dean Vander Wall, Ken Armstrong, Dave Bos, Carl Vischer.

Back row: Coach Bob Connell, Bob Van Dyke, Roger Overway, Dick Crawford, Terry Burns, Norm Scheerhorn and student manager Jim Buys. All are sophomores except Moran, a junior, and freshmen Van Dyke, Israels and Scheerhorn. (Sentinel photo)

High School Reserves Grab Title As Winningest Basketball Squad

The winningest basketball team in Holland at this stage of the game is the Holland high school reserve squad, coached by Bob Connell.

The Junior Dutchmen have racked up six successive triumphs without defeat. And most of them have been by impressive scores.

Let's look at the record: Holland 56, Ottawa Hills 44. Holland 62, G.R. Central 36. Holland 40, Muskegon 39. Holland 54, Benton Harbor 34. Holland 42, Grand Haven 34. Holland 36, Kalamazoo 28.

As the list of scores indicates, the toughest game was against Muskegon. The local reserves built up a big first-half lead and then cooled off to come out on top by one point. Apparently the team learned a lesson—not to get too cool.

Connell, in his first year in Holland, also is in his first year in the coaching game. The likeable Bob went to school at Coe college in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and proceeded to get his master's degree at the University of Michigan. All his schooling came after Army service.

Connell played three years of varsity basketball and one year varsity football at Coe, and both sports in high school in Elgin, Ill. He is married and the father of a 20 month old future Dutchman.

Where does he give the credit for his team's early season record? Two kinds of work—team work and hard work. The boys play together well on the floor, and they work hard during the week.

A stern task-master, Bob comments that they have to work hard or they end up on the bench. "There really are no individual stars on this year's team," Connell adds. "Nearly everyone breaks into the scoring column." As often as the score allows, Connell uses everyone in uniform.

The usual starting combination for a reserve game finds Dean Vander Wall and Carl Vischer at forwards, Ron Israels or Dave Moran at center, and Jack Kemper and Orville Tien at guards. Bob Van Dyke gets in a lot of service at the guard spot, too.

In the six games to date, two players have shared the high-point man honor. Vander Wall has led four times with totals of 16, 14 and 16. Kemper has placed first in the other two games with totals of 21 and 12.

Engagement Told

Miss Pauline Van Duine

Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Van Duine, 414 Brookside Dr., S. E., Grand Rapids, announced the engagement of their daughter, Pauline, to Henry Voorhees, 2730 Burton Rd., Grand Rapids, at a dinner party given in their honor.

Miss Van Duine is a Junior at Hope college, where she is affiliated with Delta Phi sorority. Mr. Voorhees is a student at Michigan State college.

Guests at the party were Miss Muriel Drovers, Robert Collins, Miss Jean Brondyke, Nell Drovers, Miss Doris Adams, Delbert De Young, Miss Marilyn Veldman, Fred Jonkman, Miss Marilyn Falor, Neut Vander Meer, Miss Annette Siderius, Jack De Wolf, Miss Evelyn Leese and Jerry Van Duine.

Six Pay Fines

Six persons paid traffic fines in Municipal Court Thursday. Wayne Scholten, route 1, Hamilton, paid \$10 fine and costs for speeding. Paying \$1 parking fines were Eleanor Bareman, 268 North River Ave.; Jasper Lemson, Central Park; Lee Vernot Meadows, 345 River Ave.; Irving S. Gephardt, Zeeland; and Roger Northuis, 112 East 19th St.

More than 20 per cent of all retail trade in the U. S. is automotive.

More Red Cross Help Sought to Aid War Casualties

Korean casualties are being flown to Percy Jones hospital at Battle Creek as many as 80 a day. Red Cross volunteer workers were told this week.

Col. Martin Griffin, in command of the recently re-opened military hospital, told representatives of the Volunteer Services council that there will be plenty of opportunity for volunteer service on the part of Red Cross workers.

He said Percy Jones now has a patient load of 600 casualties and the hospital will probably reach a capacity load of 1,600 by Feb. 1. After that, 500 more beds will be maintained at Fort Custer.

With the sudden influx of casualties, Red Cross chapters are being reactivated, and there is considerable demand for their service in entertainment, recreation and instruction.

Since most casualties are between the ages of 18 and 21, the needs are considerably different from what is in demand by older veterans.

Local volunteers are collecting cookies, candy, reading material and phonograph records for the young patients. Tastes in reading run mostly to western and mystery stories and demand in records takes in hillbilly and western records. Any group or organization interested in supplying any of these materials as asked to call Mrs. W. S. Merriam at 2984 or call Red Cross headquarters.

Since it was founded in 1942, the Volunteer Service council has been supplying supplemental needs at Percy Jones, the General Army hospital at Battle Creek; Veterans Administration hospital at Fort Custer, and Fort Custer station hospital.

During the Christmas rush 146 volunteers gave more than 600 hours of service taking care of patients after the hospital was re-opened Dec. 1 after being closed last June 30. By dint of hard work and long hours, volunteers put up plenty of decorated Christmas trees and provided gifts for the steadily mounting list of patients. Most of the new patients are bedfast and more than half of them are frostbite cases.

Local Red Cross volunteer services are in charge of Mrs. J. J. Brower with Mrs. Merriam as vice chairman.

Attending the meeting in Battle Creek were Mrs. Merriam, Mrs. Irwin J. Lubbers, Mrs. A. W. Tahaney and Beth Marcus of Holland, Mrs. J. J. Kistler and Mrs. Glenn Olson of Grand Haven.

Church School Parents And Teachers to Meet

A meeting of parents and teachers of children in the Hope church school kindergarten, primary and junior departments has been called by Miss Elsie Stryker, director of Christian education at Hope church. The meeting will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the church.

A prayer service will be held, with Dr. Marion de Velder, church pastor, speaking on "God's Promise of the Covenant." Department meetings will follow.

Refreshments and a social time will conclude the meeting.

Pansies Bloom

Mr. and Mrs. John Arends of 400 West 21st St., plucked two eager pansies from their yard during the brief spell of mild weather. Mrs. Arends took the two blooms inside before their eagerness brought them fatal frostbite.

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Traffic Fatality Is First of 1951 On Holland Street

Victim Was Active In Church, Civic Affairs in City

Holland's first traffic fatality for 1951 was chalked up Friday when Mrs. Barbara (Bertha) Vande Water, 72, of 287 Columbia Ave. was hit by a car only a short distance from her home.

The accident occurred at 5:55 p.m. on Columbia Ave. between 11th and 12th St. Driver of the car was Clarence Stegink, 58, of 628 Graafschap Rd. He was traveling south on Columbia and told officers he did not see the pedestrian walking in the road until he was about two feet from her. Mrs. Vande Water died en route to Holland hospital.

Police listed as witnesses Beverly Lubbers, 275 Columbia Ave., and Roger Johnson, Beach Ct. The grille of Stegink's '36 model sedan was considerably damaged.

Mrs. Vande Water, widow of the late Martinus Vande Water, former member of the Board of Public Works, was past president of the Women's Auxiliary of Spanish American War Veterans, and had been on the staff of Camp Keewano, Grand Rapids. She was a member of Trinity Reformed church, joining soon after the church was organized.

Surviving are four sons, William H., secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, Bernard and Charles E. of Holland and Robert W. of Cadillac; three daughters, Mrs. Fred Kraai, Mrs. Bernard Dokter and Mrs. Willard Haan, all of Holland; 12 grandchildren; a brother, Ben Van Oort of Grand Rapids, and three sisters, Mrs. William Zonnebelt, Mrs. Margaret Sitsma and Mrs. Margaret Sitsma. Her husband died Jan. 26, 1940.

Lubbers Wins State Contest

Don Lubbers took first honors for Hope college in the Michigan State Peace contest Friday at Albion college. Lubbers, a Hope sophomore, was unanimous choice for first place in the Men's oratory division of the event. His subject was "The Road to Right."

It was the second time within a week that a Hope student won top state honors in speech contests. Guy Vander Jagt of Cadillac unanimously took first place last week-end in the Michigan Intercollegiate Speech league extemporaneous contest at Kalamazoo college.

Don Prentice, Hope sophomore from Detroit, won second place in the men's extemporaneous contest at Albion. He spoke on one of 12 sub-topics listed under the general subject, "The United Nations."

Margaret Feldman, speaking on "The Eyes of the Whole World," won third place in Women's oratory. She is a Hope junior, from Lake Success, N. Y.

All the Hope contestants were coached by Dr. William Schrier head of the speech department, who accompanied the group to Albion.

Woman's Relief Corps Installs New Officers

A meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps was held Wednesday afternoon in the GAR room, City hall. Installation of officers was held.

Mrs. Margaret Books was installed as president; Mrs. Ethel Von Ins, senior vice president; Mrs. Xeda Poppema, junior vice president; Mrs. Clara Elferdink, secretary; Mrs. Melva Crowle, treasurer; Mrs. Lou Morris, chaplain; Mrs. Adeline Van Dam, guard; Mrs. Clara Decker, conductor; Mrs. Minnie Van Bemmel, patriotic instructor.

Mrs. Gertrude Tors, press correspondent; Mrs. Coda Bender, musician; Mrs. Ruth Bocks, assistant conductor; Mrs. Margaret Van Oort, assistant guard; Mrs. Blanche Harbin, Mrs. Ruth Buurama, Mrs. Bertha Driy and Mrs. Bouwina Smallenburg, color bearers.

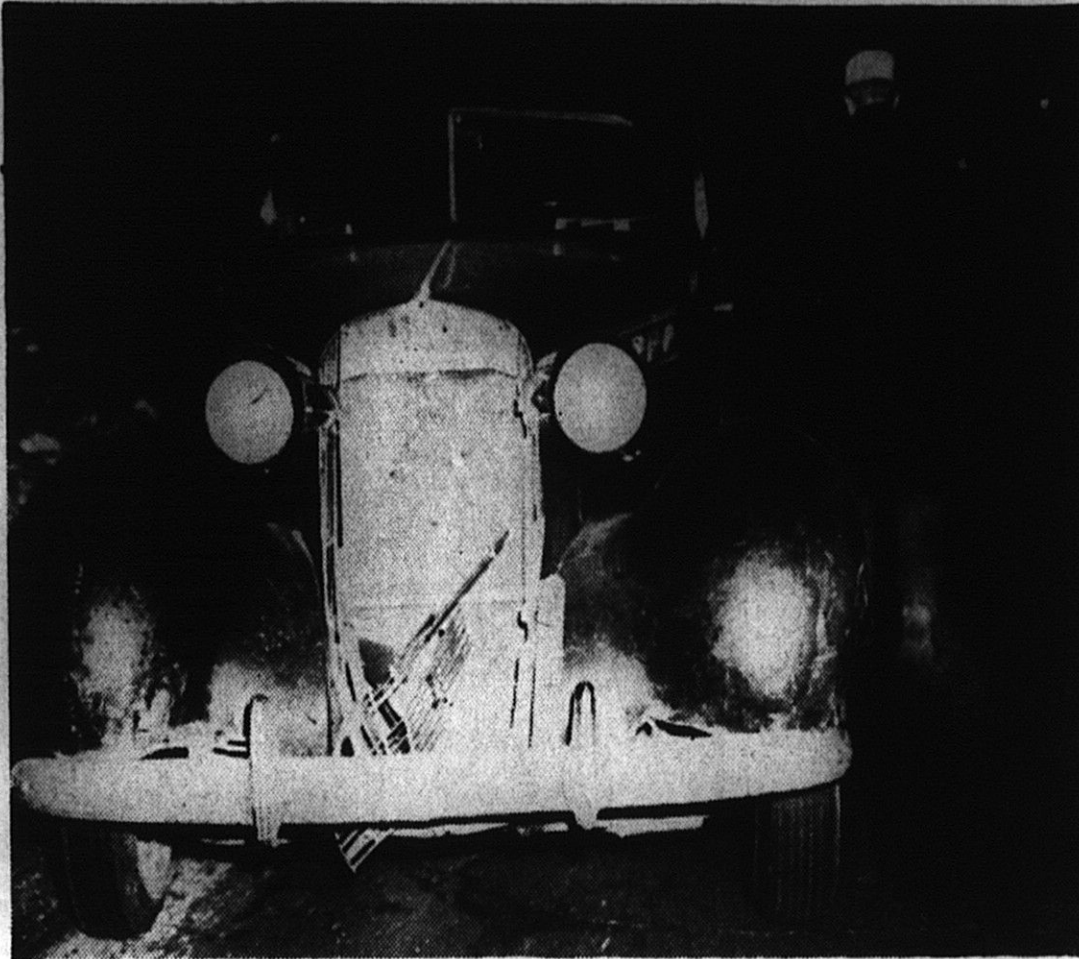
Mrs. May Hiler, retiring treasurer, had held this office 40 years. A gift was presented to the retiring president, Mrs. Bender, and gifts also were presented to the installing officer, conductor and musician.

Legion Again Plans July 4 Celebration

The American Legion will stage its traditional Fourth of July program again this year at Legion Memorial park.

This decision was made at a regular meeting this week which saw the appointment of Dr. William Westrate as general chairman. The celebration this year will be much the same as other years, plus some new features.

Committee appointments include: Mart Japiga, publicity; Louis B. Dalman, grounds and parking; Arthur C. Prigge, concessions and carnival; Alfred C. Joldersma, fireworks; Legion commander Miles Maskett, program; Sam Bosch, Al Van Lente and Casey Hovenga, advertising. Legion post 188 will add one member to each committee. The above appointments are from post 6.



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Child Hurt When Hit by School Bus

Sharon Van Fleet, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Van Fleet of 321 North River Ave., received an injured right wrist and forehead lacerations at 3:30 p.m. Friday when she was knocked down by the Beechwood school bus from which she had just alighted.

The accident occurred at the junction of Butternut Dr. and the old US-31. The bus driver, John Stegenga, route 2, Holland, was substituting for the regular driver who is ill in Holland hospital.

The bus had stopped at the junction of Butternut and the old highway to let off four children. After Sharon was knocked down the entire length of the bus passed over her but the wheels did not hit her.

Sheriff's officers investigated.

Zeeland

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smither and daughter Beatrice and Miss Hazel Smither have returned from a three weeks' visit to Florida where they visited their father Bert Smither and brothers and sisters in Tampa and Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Mulder and sons Lawrence and Garvin have returned from a visit with their children Sgt. and Mrs. Richard Mulder and daughter in Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. Stanley Yntema of Iventon N. J. is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Yntema, Lincoln Avenue and other relatives.

The following officers were elected by the Mary Marath Society of Bethel Reformed church: Mrs. L. Van Haisma, vice-president; Mrs. James Wabeke, secretary; Mrs. Cyrus Van Haisma, assistant treasurer. Meetings are held at the Central Avenue Christian school.

Rev. D. D. Bonnema, pastor of the First Christian Reformed church, is in receipt of a call from the Christian Reformed church at Peoria Ia. Rev. and Mrs. Bonnema plan to leave next week for a three weeks' visit with relatives in Belflower and Artesia Calif.

Open house to inspect the new Lincoln Avenue elementary school, will be held Tuesday, from 7:30 to 10 p.m. and Wednesday from 2 to 5 p.m. and 7:30 to 10 p.m. according to an announcement by Supt. M. B. Lubbers. The Music Mothers club will serve refreshments.

Occupancy of the \$240,000 new structure will be completed this week. It is an L-shaped structure, 179 feet along its longest arm, east and west, and 159 feet along the shorter north-south arm. It will be occupied by the kindergarten and first six grades with a total of 340 pupils. It has 14 classrooms, three for the kindergarten and first grade have their own water fountain and toilet facilities. It also contains offices, kitchen, library, health room, stage, teachers' lounge etc.

Plans are made to renovate the old kindergarten building for junior high and senior high school use. This will relieve the present congestion in the high school building which houses 407 students although designed to accommodate 502. The basement will be used for a farm shop to take care of the planned agriculture course under the Smith-Hughes act after a lapse of seven years.

Members of the Zeeland fire department will enroll in an intensive five-week course in fire fighting, as announced by Fire Chief John Van Eden.

The course will begin Monday, Jan. 22 under the instruction of Walter Gannon of Michigan State College extension department. The five-week course will cover all phases of fire fighting with emphasis on determining how to use the right type of equipment for specific circumstances.

It will include active participation instruction in which the men will be taught the correct manner of handling hoses, handling and setting ladders, using gas masks, making forced drops from buildings when ladders have fallen, broken or been burned.

Young crows can eat their own weight in food in a day.

Library Adventures

By Arnold Mulder

A new book in the Rinehart series of paper-covered classics gives us an important selection of the works of Edgar Allan Poe.

Edited by W. H. Auden. Poe's work fills 528 pages of the volume and consist of poems, stories, criticism, letters, personal essays, and a novel "Narrative of A. Gordon Pym." The introduction by the editor is important. For Auden is an English poet, and therefore able to look at Poe's work objectively. Moreover, he has become an American, and is therefore in a position to regard Poe with the sympathy of a countryman and not with the temperamental distaste of an Englishman like Aldous Huxley.

Auden points out one fact about the seminal influence of Poe that is usually overlooked or ignored. Though Poe's life was brief and though he was dogged by poverty until the day when he was picked up dying in the gutter of a Baltimore street, the echoes of his works have rolled into more directions than usually falls to the lot of a writer. Poe started a lot of things that are today the substance of literature in many countries.

Auden lists some of them. The chances are that the average detective story fan of today does not remember that the detective story as we know it was invented by Poe. It came to us of the present Sherlock Holmes. But A. Conan Doyle, the creator of Sherlock Holmes, repeatedly admitted that the formula he followed came direct from Poe. Sherlock Holmes is not an original creation. It is an adaptation of a Poe pattern.

Another thing that few moderns recognize is the fact that the great Russian novelist of the seventies and eighties, Dostoevski, derived his basic pattern from Poe. Says Auden in his introduction: "His portraits of abnormal or self-destructive state contributed much to Dostoevski." Which does not mean that the Russian was not a great genius in his own right; it does mean that Poe paved the way for such novels as "Crime and Punishment" and "The Brothers Karamazov."

But that isn't all. Auden points out that Poe's tales of the future lead to H. G. Wells. Like the British master of fantasy of the twentieth century, Poe in the middle of the nineteenth built a picture of the future that was not based on fantasy but that represented a deduction from the known facts of his day. He even suggested the central idea of the theory of relativity.

And there are two other writers, both of the late nineteenth century, who took Poe as their pattern: Jules Verne, the French spinner of semi-scientific, fantasy stories, and Robert Louis Stevenson, whose tales of adventure for adventure's sake are to a large degree patterned after Poe. For instance, Poe's one novel, "Narrative of A. Gordon Pym," might almost have been written by Stevenson.

Unfortunately for Poe, he was born at least a half century or more too soon. He lived and died in poverty. His own generation looked upon him as a jingler and as a spinner of trivial yarns. American literature was in the grip of the moralists, of writers whose basic theory was that a poem or a story was justified only by the lesson it could be made to teach.

Poe dashed himself against this idea, with the usual result. His own countrymen neglected him and paid no heed when he died a pauper's death and was buried in a neglected pauper's grave. It wasn't until the critics of France discovered him, and later the critics of Britain, that his own countrymen began to take him seriously.

Woman's Club to Hear Mrs. James Wayer

Mrs. James Wayer will review the book, "Doctors Courageous," by Edward H. Hume, for members of the Woman's Literary club Tuesday at 2:30 p.m.

The author spent most of his adult life as a physician in Asia and also found time to concern himself with the big problems of pushing back superstition, distrust and disease the world over. Born in India of American missionary parents, he was graduated from Johns Hopkins university and returned to Bombay to study plague epidemic for the United States public health service. He also was in government and missionary service in China for a number of years.

Always in demand as a program speaker, this will be Mrs. Wayer's sixth book review before the Woman's club in recent years. Hostesses will be Mrs. Ray Swank and Mrs. William Tappan. Hospital committee will meet at 10 a.m. for sewing. Lunch will be served at noon.

Holland (35)

EG FT PF TP
Eggers, f. 1 2 1 4
Doolittle, f. 5 0 2 10
Armstrong, c. 1 3 4 5
Maentz, g. 2 1 2 5
Tasma, g. 3 5 5 11
Van Lake, 0 0 2 0
Bekius, 0 0 2 0
Carey, 0 0 0 0

Totals 12 11 18 35

Kalamazoo (47)

Bishop, f. 1 0 1 2
Stufberger, f. 3 3 4 9
Jackson, c. 6 5 4 17
Toornman, g. 0 0 2 0
Gideon, g. 6 2 1 14
Gardiner, 2 1 2 5
Parks, 0 0 0 0
Jones, 0 0 0 0

Totals 18 11 14 47

Holland Chad Guild Play To Be Given in Hamilton

Hamilton (Special) — The Chad Guild of Holland will present a three-act play, "The Enchanted Cottage," in Hamilton Community auditorium Jan. 18 and 19 at 8 p.m. The Guild, composed of members of the Holland Christian High Alumni association, presented the play in Holland during the Thanksgiving holiday.

The play is being sponsored by the Hamilton Welfare association. Committees working on arrangements are John Haakma, Howard Eding and Harold Brink, Van Dyke, Ben Eding and Gerrit Sale, sponsorship; H. D. Strabbing, Esther Bartels, Lois Lugten and David Troost, publicity; Ed Jansen, entertainment; Jesse Koel and Boy Scouts, ushers; Herman Nyhof and Ben Koolker, tickets.

Vitamin D promotes the use of calcium by the body.

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Central Quintet Quells Uprising By Dutch Squad

Kalamazoo Central's basketball team is defending state and Southwest conference champion. Currently, coach Bob Quiring's team is ranked first in Michigan. Friday night at the Armory, they demonstrated why.

The Maroon Giants made Holland high school victim No. 20 on its list of successive triumphs by whipping the Dutch squad, 47-35.

Quiring's quint played deliberate, cool basketball to quell one Dutch uprising that definitely threatened its unbeaten string. They combined smooth ball handling, good passing and heady play to defeat coach Fred Weis's men.

But Holland was no push-over. The Maroons knew they had been in a ball game. Paced by Bob Tasma's drive, Tom Maentz' backboard work and Bob Armstrong's guarding of towering Ron Jackson, Holland was in the game until midway in the final period.

The Dutchmen shook off a 13-2 first period lead to break hotly on the champions' neck midway in the second stanza and close the gap to 22-20. At halftime, the Maroons lengthened the count to 26-21, and added four more points to their margin at the end of the third period to lead, 34-25.

The straw that broke the Dutchmen's backs came early in the third period when the champs ran up eight points before Holland could score, to hold a commanding 17-point lead. With five minutes to go, the Maroons inaugurated a semi-stall, and Holland was helpless from then on in.

The first period went almost two minutes before either team could score. Forward Bill Stufberger opened festivities with two quick buckets, and Kalamazoo never trailed. By the end of the first canto, the victors held a 18-9 lead.

In the second stanza, Holland found itself. They outscored Kalamazoo, 12-8, and at one point had the count at 20-22 before the Maroons pulled away to a five-point half-time lead.

The third period was low-scoring with only 12 points going through the nets, eight for Kalamazoo and four for Holland. That set the stage for the final game-deciding stanza.

Bob Tasma was high point man for Holland with 11 points, while Max Doolittle pushed in 10 markers for second honors.

For the Maroons, giant Ron Jackson collected 17 points, while guard Ron Gideon hit 14 points—eight coming on set shots from out-court.

Features for Holland included the floor work and shooting of Tasma, whose spark vitalized the team; the rebounding of guard Tom Maentz, especially during the first half; and the guarding job on Jackson done by Bob Armstrong, whose play was hampered by three fouls collected during the first four minutes of play.

Holland enjoyed supremacy from the foul circle, with 11 completions out of 16 attempts. Tasma collected five of six charity tosses. Kalamazoo hit on 11 of 22 tries for free.

On shots from outcourt, Holland had a bad evening. In the first half, the Dutch hit on only eight of 31 tries, and during the second half on only four of 17 attempts. Kalamazoo controlled the ball during much of the second half play.

The win gives Kalamazoo complete possession of first place in the Southwest conference with four wins and no losses. Holland drops into a second place tie with Muskegon with a 2-2 league record.

The Dutch return to action next Friday night by traveling to Muskegon Heights for a conference game.

Fennville (Special) — Fennville lost a no-contest basketball game to Muskegon St. Joseph Friday night 80-45 in Fennville gymnasium. The Muskegon club was never threatened, as they raced through the Fennville defense, racking up 21 points the first quarter, 20 the second, 19 the third, and 20 the fourth quarter. Fennville bagged 14, 9, 8, and 14 points in the respective quarters.

The game made it five lost and two won for the Fennville season, although in the Al-Van league play the Fennville squad has a season record of two won and three lost.

High point man for the Muskegon team was Koehler with 22 and high point man for Fennville was Turner with 20.

Engaged

Miss Myro Jean Langejans

Mr. and Mrs. James Langejans, 360 West 16th St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Myra Jean, to William Rietveld, Jr., of Mr. and Mrs. William Rietveld, 1304 East 14th St. Miss Langejans' engagement was revealed at a surprise birthday party for her mother.

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Charlotte Michielson, Christian high school student who won the second weekly 'hidden name' prize in a contest being sponsored by Holland merchants, beams as she receives the award from Clarence Klaassen, head of the Chamber of Commerce Community Service committee, and director on the Tulip Time, Inc., board. Charlotte suggested in her letter to the chamber that a Duke and Duchess of Tulip Time be selected for the festival. (Sentinel photo)

Royalty Suggestion for Festival Is Second Week Contest Winner

Selection of a Duke and Duchess of Tulip Time to reign over the four-day festival was the prize winner suggestion for the second week of the 'hidden name' contest being sponsored by Holland Merchants.

Charlotte (Chuckie) Michielson, 17-year-old junior at Holland Christian high school, wrote the winning letter. Her name appeared in the 'hidden name' contest page which appeared in Monday's Sentinel.

Chuckie's letter: "I believe Tulip Time can be improved by having a contest for the Duke and Duchess of Tulip Time. Seeing as the tulip is the queen—and should be—we could get more popularity into it by this stunt. I suggest the Duke and Duchess be chosen from Holland, either by a contest or raffle. One thing is not to choose people who are already in it in a big way, but more or less local color which is not seen too much."

For this suggestion, Chuckie received 72 certificates for \$1 each from sponsoring merchants. The contest is slated to run 13 weeks.

The prize winning idea came from the idea that other celebrations have kings and queens. "A Duke and Duchess would be close to a king and queen," Chuckie observed.

The young prize winner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Michielson, 40 East 17th St. Her father works at the post office. Chuckie is a member of Prospect Park Christian Reformed church, and has two brothers and one sister.

Winner of the first week's prize was Mrs. William De Long, 35 East 26th St.

The next 'hidden name' page will appear in Monday's Sentinel.

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Mrs. Martineau Speaks to DAR

Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held its annual guest meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Martha G. Sherwood, 94 West 13th St. Mrs. Margaret Martineau of Holland entertained the group with a talk on her trip abroad last summer.

Mrs. Martineau told of the crossing of the Atlantic on an Italian liner and described beautiful mountain scenery on the trip from Palermo along the northern coast of Sicily to Naples. She traveled from there to Rome by train. In her talk she presented a vivid picture of the coming of the pilgrims, on horseback, afoot, hitchhiking and by every other means, to the Holy See. She said that pilgrims came from every country in the world, except those behind the Iron Curtain.

During her month's stay in Rome, Mrs. Martineau said she visited St. Peter's, St. Paul's, St. Mary's and St. John's cathedrals and also saw the catacombs. Highlights of her stay, she said, were the sixth hour mass at St. Peter's and seeing the spot where Charlemagne became holy emperor.

Mrs. Martineau and her family traveled from Rome to Florence and Milan, which she described as devastated places. She emphasized that the people are trying to rebuild despite great odds. She presented her impressions of Notre Dame cathedral as an outstanding feature of the many historic spots she visited, which included Lake Como, Genoa and Paris, before the return trip.

Mrs. Martineau's talk followed a brief business meeting in which members were reminded to bring books and magazines to the next meeting for the Marine library at the Soo. Mrs. Bruce Mikula, regent, introduced the speaker.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Edward Van Dyke, Mrs. John Rozeboom, Mrs. Edward Slooter, Mrs. Orion Cross and Mrs. F. E. De Weese.

Jamestown

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Russel Horton of Western seminary was guest minister at the Reformed church last Sunday.

Next Sunday Donald Buleyn is expected to take charge of the service.

Jake Zylstra has been confined to his bed with illness for a few days.

Elmer Ensing and Wendell Lubbinge have enlisted in the Air Force and will leave for Texas next week.

August Beek and George Veltma, Jr., will leave next week for Grand Haven, answering their draft call.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cotts of Hudsonville and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cotts of Forest Grove were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cotts and family Sunday.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spoelman of Wyoming Park called on Miss Josie Overzet and Jake Zylstra.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Rynbrandt and son, Jay were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bowman Sunday evening.

Miss Julia Baker of Grand Rapids visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. Rynbrandt Sunday.

Local WCTU Entertained At Home of Mrs. Van Oss

Mrs. J. Van Oss entertained members of the Woman's Christian Temperance union at a regular meeting Friday afternoon. Mrs. G. Vander Berg led devotions.

The program was arranged by Mrs. F. Miles. Mrs. Walters, county president, gave a report on the national convention held at Denver, Colo.

Mrs. C. Van Duren and Mrs. H. Kramer served on the tea committee.

Red Cross Cites Home Services

War in Korea, a rapidly increasing military force, and the largest veteran population in the nation's history are combining to boost local Red Cross home service activities to their highest level since the end of World War II, it was announced today by Dr. O. van der Velde, chairman of the Ottawa county chapter.

Biggest increase, he said, was in Red Cross service to active servicemen and their families, up 300 per cent since July. Financial assistance to this group was up 100 per cent.

Under its charter, the Red Cross is charged with providing a social welfare program to active servicemen, disabled veterans, and their dependents. Included in the local program are counseling in personal and family problems, reporting and communications service, assistance with claims for government benefits, referral to other community sources of help, and financial assistance.

Last year the Ottawa county chapter handled a total of 3,175 home service cases and spent \$6,242.12 on the program. This year, Dr. van der Velde warned, the total probably will be much higher.

"The current strength of the armed forces is now nearly two million and by next June it is expected to reach three million. Our living veteran population is 19 million. On the basis of these totals, we may have to double our services by next year," he said.

Milk Producers Elect New Board

Members of the Holland Milk Producers association held their annual meeting Friday night at Maplewood school. Sixty members attended the session at which a new board of directors was elected.

New directors named are Ed Koops, John Becksvort and Dick Hoffman. Re-elected to the board were Harold Breuker, Joe Garvelink and Abel Kuylers. Retiring members are Benjamin Speet, who served as president, Nick Prins, who was secretary-treasurer, and Jacob De Frell.

The board of directors reports that during a general discussion, the members of the organization decided that, effective Jan. 15, the new price of milk will be \$3.91 per 100 pounds for 3.5 butterfat content, net price at farm, or 81 cents per quart.

The former price was \$3.80 per hundred.

Two Young People Hurt When Car Crashes Tree

Two young people were treated in Holland hospital for injuries received when a car hit a tree on South Shore Dr. a quarter mile west of the Central park store at 11:55 p.m. Friday.

The car was driven by Roland Lambers, 17, of 810 West 26th St., who received body lacerations. He was released from the hospital after treatment.

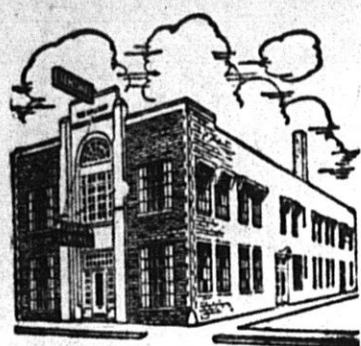
Barbara Bell, 16, route 4, a passenger, was to be discharged from the hospital this morning. She received lacerations. The car was considerably damaged, according to sheriff's officers.

Play Review to Feature Meeting of Local AAUW

"A review of Philip Barry's play, 'Hotel Universe,' by Dr. Sinna Billups of the Hope college faculty will feature the program Thursday at 8 p.m. when Holland branch, American Association of University Women meets in Durfee hall.

Prof. Laura A. Boyd will preside and Miss Doris Brower, chairman of the social committee. Those interested in an international relations study group will meet at 7 p.m. in the apartment of Dr. Ella Hawkins, 103 East 10th St. This meeting will adjourn in time for the branch meeting.

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UNFAIR TO THE PRESIDENT

President Truman is these days
on the receiving end of a good
deal of blame from a good many
citizens. They are reproaching
him for a lot of things that in
reality should be charged up
against forces and nations over
which the president has no more
control than he has over the tides
of the ocean. And members of the
administration are spending a lot
of time pointing this out to the
American people. Don't blame the
president for things he couldn't
possibly help, such as the inva-
sion of South Korea by the Reds,
for instance, and the evils that
have grown out of that event,
the Truman defenders insist.

And they are right as to the
events themselves for which the
president is being blamed. But
there is more to the situation
than presidential defenders would
have us believe. A public man
wielding the vast powers at the
command of the president of the
United States must be judged not
by isolated acts but by the to-
tality of his action. Not a week
before the outbreak of the Korean
war Mr. Truman was publicly
taking credit for the fact that the
nation was at peace and that the
prospects for continued peace had
never been better. And only a
matter of weeks before that he
had taken public credit for the
state of prosperity in which Amer-
ica found itself.

What the Truman defenders of
today ignore is the fact that there
was no more reason why the
president should claim credit for
prosperity and international peace
than that he should now refuse
to take responsibility for the op-
posite conditions. The president is
not to blame for the latter but he
was not responsible for the former.
And if a president wants the
credit for everything that goes
right, things over which a presi-
dent has no control, he can hardly
reproach the American people for
blaming him for things that
go wrong, over which he likewise
has no control.

That's the way it always works
in public life. Years ago during
the early days of the depression
the late Mr. Roosevelt, and along
with him the party members like
Mr. Truman, bitterly blamed Her-
bert Hoover for everything that
had gone wrong—over most of
which the president had no more
control than he had over the state
of the weather. Mr. Roosevelt and
Mr. Truman, and all the other
members of the party that was
out of power but was trying to
get in, considered such handing
out of blame perfectly legitimate.
And it must be confessed that it
proved to be good politics. But
that did not alter its unfairness.
Now the shoe is on the other foot.
Another president is being blamed
for many things he could not
possibly control. The specific
blame is of course unfair, but
the masses of the people are not
unfair if the situation is consid-
ered as a whole.

Jean Jipping Honored
At Surprise Shower

Miss Jean Jipping, January
bride-elect of Russell Goeman
was guest of honor at a surprise
miscellaneous shower given Fri-
day evening by Mrs. Warner Alofs
and Miss Rotha Alofs at their
home, route 6.

Games were played and prizes
awarded to the Misses Della Koe-
man and Leona Busscher. Dupli-
cate prizes were given to Miss
Jipping. Refreshments were served
by the hostesses and guests made
a scrapbook for the bride-
elect.

Invited were the Misses Della
Koe-man, Barbara Bussies, Leona
Scholten, Berdella Brink, Leona
Busscher, Joyce Overkamp, Lin-
la Wabeke, Muriel Pieper, the
Mesdames John Jipping, Ted Es-
senburg and Jerome Deeters, Rus-
sell Goeman and the guest of hon-
or.

There are over 4,225,000 individ-
ual private owners of commercial
forest lands in the U.S. owning ap-
proximately 345 million acres.

Traffic deaths per vehicle mile
travelled continued to decline in
1949.

Sunday School
Lesson

January 21, 1951
Jesus Meets Growing Hostility
Mark 2:1-12

By Henry Geerlings

There are times when we won-
der why the work of Jesus did not
advance more rapidly than was
the case. In the first place let us
remember that His disciples were
not of very much help to Him as
yet. They were only learners and
lookers-on. They were spectators
of a drama in which they would
play a conspicuous part in the
years ahead. He had an eye on
their training as well as to the
work He was doing for the masses
of the people who went with Him
from place to place.

Direct and immediate opposi-
tion suddenly developed from
among the rulers of the Jews who
were jealous of His growing popu-
larity. They took every advan-
tage of the discrepancy between
what He taught and what they
taught, and between His method
and their method. They regarded
themselves as the conservative
party, while they thought of him
and His disciples as liberals. They
looked askance at His methods
which had the tendency to under-
mine the authority of the reli-
gious and political leaders, who
sought nothing else so much as to
keep the common people in sub-
jection to them. The wall of op-
position which they set up grew
stronger and stronger until they
brought about His death. But for
the time being He took no ac-
count of their bitterness, but lat-
er He had to do so.

Concluding His tour through
Galilee Jesus returned to Caperna-
um. He had become exceedingly
popular both in the city and
outside of it. It was His desire to
come back to His adopted city
under cover of secrecy, but so
great was He in the esteem of the
people that He could not cover
His tracks. He had scarcely re-
turned to His old haunts until the
rumor of His presence spread
throughout the whole community
and became the signal for the as-
sembling of a vast throng of hu-
manity within and about the
house in which He sought privacy.

He had scarcely begun to
preach to the crowds when the
meeting was suddenly interrupted
by the frantic attempts of four
men to get a paralytic into His
presence. A paralytic has been
described as a person suffering
from various kinds of muscular
and nervous disorders which de-
prived him of the powers of sensa-
tion and motion. He was a sinner
as well as a sufferer, his infirm-
ity it would seem being the pen-
alty of unbridled excesses. His
utterly helpless condition may be
seen in the necessity of being
carried on a mat or rug by his
friends. He was completely with-
out the power of locomotion. The
mattress was probably attached
to a frame, making it easier for
both him and the four men.

In the understanding of the four
men to get the paralytic into the
presence of Jesus we must re-
member that in Palestine in the
days of Jesus the houses had flat
roofs which were reached by an
outside stairway. The use of it
was necessary in this case for the
reason that the people would not
stand aside to make an aisle for
the sick man to be carried
through. Reaching the housetop,
the men dug a hole through the
roof which was made perhaps of
some brush and tall grass and
mud, and let their charge down
through it in the very presence
of Jesus. The commotion did not
seem to disturb the Master, for
He had become accustomed to
every sort of situation.

At once Jesus saw the faith
both of the sick man and of those
who went to the trouble to bring
him in search of a cure. They
must have heard of the cures
Jesus effected and this would give
the men some assurance that the
journey would not be in vain.

When one raises the question
as to why Jesus dealt with the
man's sins first and not with his
physical affliction, we are almost
forced to the conclusion that his
sins had something to do with his
affliction. It is possible, however,
that giving attention to the man's
spiritual state Jesus was primar-
ily concerned with man's deeper
nature. At any rate his sins were
first forgiven, which means that
the man was conscious of his guilt
and already had faith in Jesus.

We do not travel far with Jesus
in His ministry before we dis-
cover that there were always ob-
jectors present. In this case they
are spoken of as the scribes whose
duty it was to make copies of the
Old Testament or portions there-
of, and interpret these to the
people. They also studied the tra-
ditions of the nation and the
teachings of religious leaders and
enlightened the Jews on these
matters. They belonged to those
religious and political groups who
were very hostile to our Lord.

Then, too, they were very jeal-
ous of their positions and powers;
consequently they were becoming
conscious of the fact that the
things they stood for were in
many respects being undermined
by the new and great Teacher.
They felt they did not dare any
longer remain silent; still they
were reluctant to take any steps
to bring charges against Him. He
was too popular with the people,
so that His hold upon them could
not easily be broken.

The thing that caused them to
take greatest offense was the
claim to have the authority and
the power to forgive sins. If He
had been an impostor, as they
claimed, then he would be ex-
ceeding His rights. But He was
and is the Son of God, the world's
Savior, with absolute right to deal
with sin in His own name, and
therefore He was not exceeding
His prerogative.

50th Anniversary, Birthday Marked



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brouwer and Grandson
Wayne Nienhuis, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Martin Nienhuis.
Friends, relatives and neighbors
were present to mark the occa-
sion.
Gifts were presented to the
Brouwers and to Rodger Wayne.
A two-course lunch was served.

Priests Switched
In Local Diocese

Transfers and appointments, af-
fecting five priests of the Grand
Rapids diocese, effective Friday,
were announced Thursday through
the chancery office.

Rev. Julius J. Amman has been
transferred from St. Mary's, New
Salem, to St. Francis de Sales
parish, Muskegon. The former pas-
tor of the Muskegon church, Rev.
Joseph E. Ciseluk, died recently.

Transferred to the New Salem
parish is Rev. Theodore Jorna,
who has been assistant at St.
Mary's church, Grand Rapids.
Joseph Panavas has been trans-
ferred from St. Francis', Traverse
City, to the assistant's post at St.
Mary's, Grand Rapids.

Announcement also was made
that Rev. Dominic Langvins has
been transferred from St. Philip's,
Reed City, to the post of chaplain
for the Dominican and Carmelite
sisters at Traverse City and also
will be administrator of St. Aloysius'
mission at Life Lake.

Rev. Julian Korsakes has been
appointed assistant at St. Philip's
parish, Reed City.

Mrs. William Modders
Dies in Grand Rapids

Word was received here of the
death of a former Holland resi-
dent, Mrs. William Modders, 47,
of Grand Rapids. She died Sunday
morning. She had suffered a stroke
about four years ago and never
recovered.

She was the former Kathryn
Vander Woude and left Holland
about 26 years ago to live in
Grand Rapids.
Surviving are the husband; a
daughter, Marian; three sisters,
Mrs. Steve Bekken of East Aus-
gautuck; Mrs. John Rietsma and
Mrs. Leonard Vander Sluis of
Holland; two brothers, Sam and
Maynard Vander Woude of Grand
Rapids; and a sister-in-law, Mrs.
Jennie Vander Woude of Kala-
mazoo.

Mrs. Mary Cross, 83
Dies in Home Here

Mrs. Mary Cross, 83, of route
4, Holland, died Sunday night in
her home. She was born Sept. 12,
1867, in Hungary. She was a
member of the third order of St.
Francis Guild.

Surviving are her husband,
Nicholas; a daughter, Mrs. Mar-
garet Martin, Hammond, Ind.; a
stepdaughter, Mrs. John Bagladi,
Howard Ave.; three stepsons,
Thomas, Beverly Hills, Calif.; El-
mer, route 4, Holland; Mike, Car-
son City, and three grand chil-
dren.

First Mormon missionaries arriv-
ed in Hawaii Dec. 12, 1850.



Chippewa district Boy Scout Commissioner Bill
Aldrich of Holland (left) is shown as he introduces
to an audience Monday night (left to right)
John Billet, troop 33, Hamilton; David Vande
Vusse, troop 6; Byron Aldrich, troop 22 and Don
Vuurens, troop 6, four scouts from the Holland
area who attended the national scout jamboree
last summer. Fourteen scouts attended from this

Troth Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Martin Van Hek-
ken of 18 West 31st St. announce
the engagement of their daugh-
ter, Marilyn, to Bruce Van
Voort, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob
Van Voort, 207 East 26th St.

Hospital Notes

(From Monday's Sentinel)
Discharged from Holland hospi-
tal Saturday were Harold Gould,
East Seventh St.; Mrs. Paul
Wiersma and baby, 611 East Cen-
tral Ave.; George J. Broun, route
1.

Admitted Sunday were Mrs.
John Ver Hoeven, route 1, West
Olive; John Jonker, route 2.
Discharged Sunday were Mrs.
Harold Kooyers, 215 East Eighth
St.; Mrs. Theodore Locker and
baby, 154 Reed Ave.; Karen Van
Huis, 35 West 21st St.; Mrs. Ger-
aldine Wise and baby, Virginia
Park.

Hospital births include a son,
Gary Carl, born Friday to Mr.
and Mrs. Fredrick Lund, 89 East
Ninth St.; a daughter, Mary Beth,
born Friday to Mr. and Mrs.
Donald Plasma, 608 West 29th
St.; a daughter, Jacqueline Gene,
born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs.
Jack Sore, 1685 South Shore Dr.;
a son, Robert W., born Saturday
to Mr. and Mrs. William Karsten,
724 East Lincoln, Zeeland; a son,
David Alan, born Sunday to Mr.
and Mrs. Gerrit Oetman, 81 East
22nd St.

Allegan

Births in Allegan Health Cen-
ter include a daughter to Mr. and
Mrs. Charles Packer of Hilliards,
a son to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Banks
of Allegan, a daughter to Mr. and
Mrs. Charles Ashburn of Fenn-
ville.

Nut bread is delicious sliced thin
and spread with date filling for
teatime sandwiches.

First Mormon missionaries arriv-
ed in Hawaii Dec. 12, 1850.

Enlistee Group
Goes Back Home

When a group of Holland area
men who enlisted a week ago in
the Air Force arrived at the Hol-
land bus station at 8:30 Mon-
day day to leave for Detroit and
Air Force duty, they got a sur-
prise.

They were told to go back home
and wait further orders.

The reason: The Air Force has
so many enlistees. It can't take
care of all of them. A group of 35
signed up from Holland Jan. 8 and
were accepted for duty. Part of
them left last Friday, part were
supposed to report today and the
final part was due to leave Tues-
day.

Meanwhile, the men must con-
tact the Holland or Grand Rapids
recruiting station every day to see
if orders have been drawn up. At
present, they are in the Air Force
and drawing Air Force pay while
waiting to see where they're go-
ing.

Recruiting Sgt. Dick Flint said
the Grand Rapids area has a
backlog of 250 enlistees already
signed up. They will be taken on
a basis of 11 per day until further
notice.

What does a recruiting ser-
geant do when he has too many
recruits? Sgt. Flint is building up
a waiting list for Air Force and
still signing up men for other
branches of the Army. Some en-
listees are swinging over to the 21-
month Army term instead of
waiting for Air Force, Flint said.

The only persons now able to
enlist in the Air Force are veter-
ans, Flint added. Men with two
years of college must wait now,
too.

Burnips

(From Friday's Sentinel)
Mrs. Elmore Hightower will
lead the Young People's society
meeting of Burnips Pilgrim Hol-
iness church tonight at 8 in the
church.

Prayer and praise service of
Burnips Methodist church was
held Wednesday evening in the
home of Mrs. Augusta Ebmeyer.
Burnips Methodist and Marke-
Street Methodist church congre-
gations are conducting used cloth-
ing drive for needy people in for-
eign countries. Residents are as-
ked to leave clothing either at the
De Jongh store or Market Street
church. Warm clothing and sturdy
shoes are most needed, it was re-
ported.

Women's Society for Christian
Service of Burnips Methodist
church met Thursday at the home
of Mrs. Fred De Jong. The meet-
ing began at 11 a.m. and lunch-
eon was served at noon by the
hostess, Mrs. Charles Coates was
in charge of the business meeting
and devotions. A program was
given.

Board meeting of Pilgrim Hol-
iness church will be held Tuesday
at 8 p.m.
The Rev. and Mrs. John Harold
Kotesky opened their home to
members of the young peoples
group for a special meeting Wed-
nesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crisman of
Burnips were recent guests at the
home of their mother, Mrs. Hat-
tie Crisman of Hopkins.

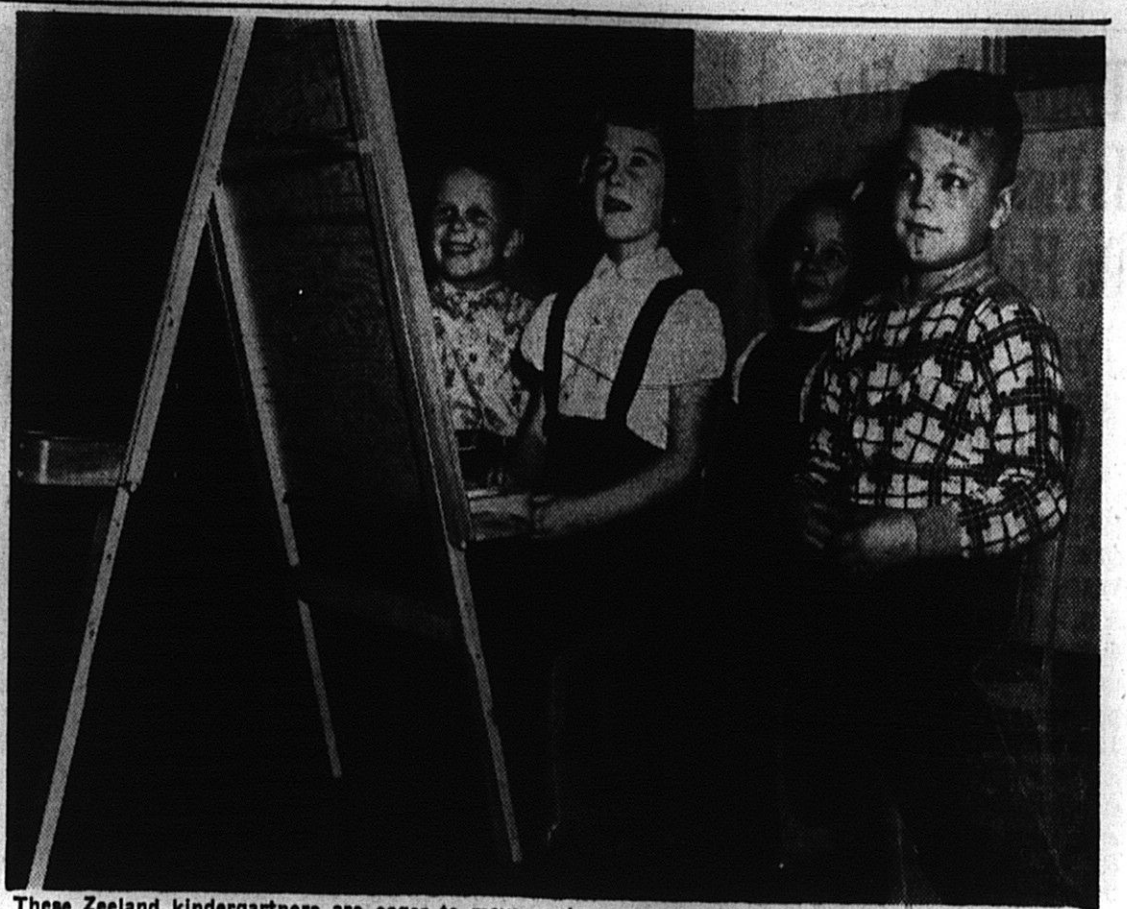
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd George and
two children of Crystal were
guests Sunday afternoon at the
home of their parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Ray Raab of Burnips.

There will be special meetings
at Market Street church, Friday
and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sun-
day at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The
Young People of Chicago Evangeli-
cal institute will be in charge.

Burnips Girl Scout troop met
Monday at the Salem township
hall with their leader, Mrs. Dor-
othy Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Kline-
stecker were Sunday guests of
their relatives.

Hollis Vander Kolk is conval-
escing after receiving injuries in
a recent accident.



These Zeeland kindergartners are eager to move
into the new elementary school building this
week after their elders get done inspecting it at
two open house sessions Tuesday and Wednesday.
Gathered around an easel in the new kindergar-

ten room are, left to right, Billy Van Eden, Leah
Telgenhof, Donna Zwyghuizen and Russell De
Jonge. The new kindergarten room which among
other things has green plastic blackboards is one
of 14 classrooms in the new school on Lincoln Ave.

Betrothed



Miss Rosalyn Zoerhoff
The engagement of Miss Rosa-
lyn Joan Zoerhoff to Laverne
Vander Ploeg is revealed by her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvin
Zoerhoff, 611 Washington Ave.
Vander Ploeg is the son of Mr.
and Mrs. Leonard Vander Ploeg,
294 East 14th St.

Legion Totals List
Schrotenboer First

Recently compiled unofficial
statistics for the Holland Legion-
naires through the first seven
games of the season shows that
lanky Gene Schrotenboer, who
broke the Army scoring record
Saturday night with 45 points,
is leading in total scoring with
109 points. This gives him an av-
erage of 16.5 points per game.

Hope Mentor Russ DeVette has
the best average with 20 points
in his first encounter last Sat-
urday, when the Legion drubbed
Grand Rapids Creston Body, 91-
56.

Paul Fortney, who is tempo-
rarily out of the lineup, holds down
the runnerup scoring mark with
49 points in the four games he
has played, and is third with his
12.3 average per game.

Guards Jack VanDorp and
Fred Brieve are pressing Fortney
with 48 and 47 point totals, re-
spectively.

A complete summary shows:

| | G | FG | FT | TP |
|---------------|-----|----|-----|-----|
| Schrotenboer | 6 | 45 | 19 | 109 |
| Fortney | 4 | 22 | 5 | 49 |
| VanDorp | 7 | 21 | 6 | 48 |
| Brieve | 4 | 20 | 7 | 47 |
| Nieuwsma | 5 | 14 | 7 | 35 |
| Van Liere | 5 | 13 | 6 | 32 |
| Scholten | 6 | 10 | 6 | 26 |
| DeVette | 1 | 9 | 2 | 20 |
| Martin | 3 | 5 | 7 | 17 |
| Schippers | 5 | 6 | 1 | 13 |
| Vanderkuy | 2 | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| Ribbens | 2 | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| Buter | 1 | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| VanDort | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Slager | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| van der Velde | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 174 | 70 | 418 | |

Local Representatives
Attend Heinz Convention

Four Holland management rep-
resentatives of H. J. Heinz com-
pany, C. B. McCormick, man-
ager; W. Cobb, production man-
ager; A. E. Hildebrand, contract
crops manager, and P. N. Frank,
purchasing agent, have just re-
turned from the firm's Pittsburgh
headquarters where they partici-
pated in a three-day national
manufacturing convention.

In Pittsburgh, they joined with
other Heinz factory representa-
tives from throughout the coun-
try and Canada to assist in plan-
ning for the company's opera-
tions in 1951 and to discuss the
problems facing the food indus-
try.

Executives of various divisions
of the Heinz company partici-
pated in the convention, together
with the management groups
from each factory.

Cars Collide

Two cars were involved in a
traffic accident at 6:50 a.m. Mon-
day at the intersection of M-21
and US-31 East of Holland. A
car driven by Arnold Disselkoen,
247 Colonial St., Zeeland, collid-
ed with a car driven by Mrs.
Wealthy M. Malott, route 2. Dis-
selkoen told officers he stopped
and skidded on the ice into Mrs.
Malott's car. Damage to each ve-
hicle was estimated at \$100.

Zeeland's New School
Opens Doors to Public

Zeeland — This city's new ele-
mentary school held a two-
day open house this week during
which the public-at-large had an
opportunity to inspect every nook
and corner of the new 14-room
structure.

Open house was held Tues-
day night from 7:30 to 10 p.m.,
and Wednesday afternoon and
evening from 2 to 5 p.m. and
7:30 to 10 p.m.

Today is moving day for the 350
elementary students in the six
grades and kindergarten. The
youngsters anticipate the move
with a great deal of joy since
they'll be leaving the 80-year-old
building on East Main Ave. for
the sleek new single floor building
on Lincoln Ave.

The newly completed building
has 14 class rooms, a recreation
room, health room, library and
kitchen. Total cost approximates
\$280,000 including furnishings. It
was financed mainly through a
\$225,000 bond issue, running for
nine years.

The new building is the first
construction for public school
purposes here since the high
school was built in 1924-25.

The Board of Education is ad-
vertising for bids to tear down
and remove the old grade build-
ing. Plans call for the kindergar-
ten building to be renovated for
Junior high and senior high school
use. The upper floor will be used
for junior high classes and the
first floor will house the home
economics department, relieving
congestion in the high school
building. The latter now houses
407 students in space designed to
accommodate 250. The basement
of the building will be remodeled
for a farm shop for an agricul-
tural course.

Supt. M. B. Lubbers said public
schools will operate on a 6-3-3
basis next year with the first six
grades in the elementary build-
ing, the seventh, eighth and ninth
grades in junior high building,
and 10th, 11th and 12th grades in
the high school building.

The right spirit in any plant
makes more people turn up their
sleeves at work and fewer their
noses.

A female carp can produce 2-
600,000 eggs in one season.



Funeral services were held
Tuesday at 2 p.m. from Dykstra
funeral chapel for Mrs. Bar-
bara Vande Water, 72, of 287
Columbia Ave. She was killed
Friday night when struck by a
car while walking on Columbia
Ave. between 11th and 12th
Sts. Burial was in Pilgrim
Home cemetery. It was Hol-
land's first traffic fatality of
1951.

Amateur Movie Club
Meets at Local Office

A meeting of the Holland Am-
ateur Movie club was held Monday
night at the Five-Star Lumber
Co. office. President Tony Kling-
enberg conducted the business
meeting.

Three groups were appointed,
each one to write a scenario and
to film it. The pictures will be
used as contest pictures.

The group examined titling
equipment, brought by a mem-
ber. Plans were made to spend
the March meeting making titles.
Two pictures were shown by
club members.

If it is estimated that the produc-
tion of lumber in the U. S. in 1950
was about 38 billion board feet, the
highest production in 25 years.



Mrs. Russell Smallegan of Forest Grove, who with her husband and
child were in a light pickup truck riddled by shotgun blasts fired
by Kent county deputy sheriffs in a chase the night of March 4,
was awarded \$900 damages by a superior court jury Thursday. De-
fendants were deputies Jack Weist and Stuart Arthur Tanis who
chased and fired at the Smallegan truck and their bonding com-
panies also were named as defendants. Mrs. Smallegan had sued for
\$5,000. Weist and Tanis said the vehicle resembled one used by
burglars and Smallegan failed to stop when he was ordered to do
so. Smallegan raced away and after a wild 90-mile-an-hour chase
stopped at the home of Deputy DeKline, east of Zeeland. He was
under the impression his pursuers were hold-up men and said the
deputies' car was not marked. Smallegan (above) points out a
couple of the more than 20 bullet marks.

Excellent Exhibits, Program Planned At Farmers' Week

All Phases of Farming Interests Covered for This Year's Big Show

All phases of agriculture, engineering, conservation, livestock, veterinary medicine and general farming interests have been covered by the exhibit planners for Farmers' Week at Michigan State college.

Visitors, Jan. 29 through Feb. 3, will find a larger number of exhibits than ever before on the East Lansing campus.

Highlight exhibit of the week is the pen-tent barn operation, complete with a herd of 14 milking cows, to be set up near the agricultural engineering building. New methods of hay storage, feeding, and herd management will be featured at the twice daily milking—9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Farm machinery, structures, rural electrification, irrigation and drainage, food processing, and shop work will also be parts of the agricultural engineering displays. A special tourist and resort show will feature a one-room furnished tourist cabin.

Grassland agriculture topics, which proved so popular in 1950, have been expanded into a large display to be housed on the east side of Macklin football stadium. William Laurence, science editor of the New York Times, has been scheduled as the featured Farmers' Week speaker.

Laurence is one of the men who saw the atom bomb manufactured and watched it fall on Hiroshima. He was selected by the government to explain the atomic bomb to the public.

His address in the MSC college auditorium at 2:30 p.m. Jan. 30, will be "The Coming Biological Age."

Each and every homemaker in Michigan will find something interesting and informative in the home economics program during the 1951 Farmers' Week.

The annual style show which always attracts so many visitors will again be presented on Thursday afternoon.

4-H Officers to Get Special Training

The officers of Ottawa county's 90 4-H clubs will receive training at Coopersville on Wednesday and at Zeeland on Thursday.

Besides the regular officers the club reporters and recreation chairman will receive special instructions. Outstanding men and women in the county who are familiar with the details of a particular officer's job will work with the various officer groups. Each group will select one person to represent them at a model 4-H club meeting to close the officer's training school.

Edward Kelly of Conklin and Wilford Merz, route 2, Spring Lake, have made arrangements for the Northern meeting to be held at the Coopersville high school on Wednesday at 8 p.m. The committee for the Southern meeting, Mrs. Hulda Roach of Holland and Wayne Lowing of Jenison, have made arrangements for holding their meeting at the Zeeland City hall 8 p.m. Thursday. All leaders of the various clubs are urged to attend one of these meetings to take part in discussions which will be held by Einer Olstrom, Kent county 4-H club agent and Eugene Dice, Muskegon assistant county agent. Ways will be sought in these discussions to further improve the quality of Ottawa county 4-H clubs.

Former Havenite Missing in Korea

Grand Haven (Special)—Major Thomas Hume, 32, former Grand Haven resident who has been in Korea since the early stages of the fighting, has been reported missing in action in Korea since Nov. 30.

Major Hume, a West Point graduate of 1940, is a son of Mrs. George A. Hume, who lives on Spring lake near Fruitport. He was with the first contingent which left this country for overseas fighting in Korea.

The officer's wife, whom he married in Germany during World War II, and their two-year-old son are living in Santa Rosa, Calif.

Court House Employees Hail New Heating Plant

Allegan (Special)—Courthouse employees, who have been keeping office doors shut to retain heat, warmly approved action by the county supervisors Friday to improve the building's heating plant.

The board voted to advertise for bids on a new 200-pound hopper fed stoker, with the committee authorized to proceed with the purchase. The plant also heats the county health department and school superintendent's offices in the old county building.

The board approved a recommendation to the state legislature for an increase in gas and weight taxes for road maintenance. It allowed \$3,273 claims against the county.



Harold Cobb Klassen (left), disaster relief chairman for the Red Cross, and Robert F. Topp, who heads the Optimist club committee in circulating Civil Defense questionnaires for emergency housing facilities, check over more than 100 returns from churches, schools, lodge halls and other structures capable of caring for people in case of a bombing attack, here or elsewhere. The club sent out about 135 questionnaires, and the response has been prompt and enthusiastic. The shelter survey is not specifically a Red Cross project, but one in which Civil Defense is working through the Red Cross. Institutions not receiving a questionnaire but able to care for evacuees are asked to get in touch with Topp or the Red Cross office. (Penna-Sas photo)

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Soil Directors Plan District Meeting

Clarence Reenders, chairman of the board of directors of the West Ottawa Soil Conservation district announces Jan. 27 as a date for the annual district meeting. It will be held at John Busse's garage, Borculo, starting at 1:30 p.m.

Selections of music will be given by the Ottawa county 4-H Orchestra under supervision of Jud Branderhorst, Holland. There are several features in the program, one the election of a director for three years.

Candidates nominated by the nominating and election committee are Albert Stegenga, Olive, present director; Henry Ver Meer, Forest Grove, and Scott Holmes, Nunica.

L. R. Arnold, county agricultural agent, says the usual conservation winter meetings are now in progress and will continue until late February.

Land capabilities will be discussed. Charts and movies will assist in bringing out points stressed.

Meetings for the following two weeks are: Jan. 16, Eagle school; Jan. 18, Mitchell school; Jan. 22, Bell school; Jan. 23, Vriesland, and Jan. 26, St. Joseph Catholic church, Wright.

November DHIA Report Submitted by Tester

The November DHIA report of Robert De Pree for the Southeast Ottawa group runs about the same as the previous month. 25 herds, milk production per cow—702 pounds, and butterfat, 28.4 pounds.

Records on high cows and high herds show the following: Cows under three years, Eugene Brower, first, and Elmo Heft, second. Heft took first and second honors in cows under four years and first place in cows under five years. Arthur Van Farrowe was second place winner in that class and Neal Andre was third; Hubert Heyboer was first, and Lewis Van Klompenberg, second, cows over five years.

Van Klompenberg first and Gerald Poest, second, for small herd honors, 5 to 10 cows; Heft, first, and Howard Loew and Son, second, medium herd, 11 to 20 cows; Andre, first, and Harold Burmeister, second, large herd, 21 or more cows.

There are openings for eight new members in two associations. Any dairymen interested should write to Hilbert Holleman, Byron Center, president of the board of directors of one group, or to Neal Andre, Jenison, president of the board for the Southeast association.

New Members Welcome In Cow Testing Groups

L. R. Arnold, Ottawa county agricultural agent, reports that the three cow testing associations are still operating in the county although one month ago it appeared that one, possibly two, would have to discontinue. New testers have been secured.

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Farewell Party Given For Howard Smith

A farewell party was given Tuesday night in honor of Howard Smith of North Holland, who will report to Grand Haven for induction Jan. 16.

The party, given by his mother, Mrs. Henry Smith, was at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Weener of North Holland.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, Lois and Ervin; Mr. and Mrs. Hero Nienhuis, Shirley, Harlon and Carroll; Ray Bultema, Sandra, Paula and Dave; Mr. and Mrs. John Weener, Norman, Kelvin, Paul and Merry; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith and Dale; Miss Phyllis Weener; Austin Schrottenboer, and Smith's fiancée, Elaine Donley.

There was a buffet lunch. The evening was spent playing games. Smith was presented with going-away gifts.

Mrs. Penna Gives Review for Club

Mrs. Ernest Penna of Holland entertained members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary at their January meeting Thursday evening. It was the organization's first meeting of the year. Mrs. Wendell Miles, West 14th St., entertained the group at her home.

Mrs. Penna gave a review of the book, "The World At My Doorstep," by Harriet Eager Davis. In presenting the plot in her interesting manner, Mrs. Penna also revealed much of the book's information of the present world situation.

The program followed a business meeting which the president, Mrs. Frank Naun, opened with the reading of a letter from the state president to all local organizations and correspondence of the state board meeting in Lansing in November. She announced that the annual mid-year conference of the JCC and Auxiliary will be held Jan. 20 and 21 in Lansing.

Mrs. Lewis Vande Bunte was appointed chairman of the February meeting to be held jointly with the Muskegon and Grand Rapids Auxiliaries, at the local Woman's Literary club house. Joe Matel, field representative of the Michigan division of the American Cancer society, will be guest speaker and will show a film on early stages in the development of cancer.

Mrs. Leonard Rehbein reported on the group's Christmas baskets and read letters of appreciation from recipients. She thanked her assistants in the project, Mrs. Ray Helder, Mrs. Irvin De Weerd and Mrs. E. H. Phillips.

Mrs. Phillips reported on the progress of the polo benefit dance plans. She said that sale of tickets is progressing well and announced that Lt. Verne Dagen and Charles Bugielski, co-chairmen of the county polo chapter, will be present for the event on Jan. 27.

Mrs. Phillips was appointed to take charge of the group's home show project in March. She will call for volunteers to assist at the booth.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Vincent Silko and Mrs. El Rowder.

Girls Should Apply Now For Cherry Pie Contest

In order for a girl to take part in the annual State Cherry Pie contest, it is necessary for her to have won in a county contest. Consequently, any girl interested in competing in such a county contest, should contact Mrs. Grace Vander Kolk, home demonstration agent, court house, Grand Haven, before Wednesday.

An girl between the ages of 15 and 21 who lives in Ottawa county is eligible to take part.

Each one must furnish her own materials and utensils with the exception of the cherries, which will be furnished.

Plans to Wed

Miss Myro Wassink, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Blaauw of Chicago announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Myra Wassink, formerly of Holland, to Chester Evers of Chicago. The wedding will take place Jan. 26.

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22 Violent Deaths In Allegan in '50

Allegan (Special)—Sixteen persons lost their lives in auto accidents during 1950, with six others dying in train and farm mishaps, drowning and fire, Sheriff Louis Johnson reports.

Compiling his annual report, the sheriff notes the fatality list was lower by seven deaths last year.

Arrests, totaling 486, were down from the all-time high of 527 recorded in 1949. Of these, 34 were drunk drivers, 30 charged with assault and battery; 27 for larceny; 40 for reckless driving; and 14 for breaking and entering. One murder warrant was issued.

Johnson's office issued 10,776 driver's licenses, a record, and reported a revenue of \$18,605 in other fees including fines and costs. A sum of \$343 was collected in delinquent dog taxes. Johnson and his deputies investigated 193 accidents during the year, most of them traffic mishaps.

Tipsy Driver Pleads Guilty

John Troutman, 34, of 171 College Ave., pleaded guilty Saturday in Municipal Court to driving while under the influence of alcohol. He was ordered to pay \$100 fine, \$4.70 costs and given one year's probation.

Troutman has until Monday to raise the money, with an alternative of 45 days in jail.

He was arrested Friday evening after colliding with two cars on East Eighth St., near Columbia Ave. First, Troutman's vehicle struck a parked car owned by Edward Van Osterhout, 126 River Hill Dr., and then struck another car driver by J. P. Wolf, box 813. The accidents happened at 5:30 p.m. Friday.

Former Spring Lake Resident Dies at 71

Grand Haven (Special)—Andrew L. Hindal, 71, died at noon Thursday in Municipal hospital where he had been a patient for two weeks. He was a former resident of Spring Lake and has been making his home with a daughter, Mrs. J. E. Harden at route 1, Grand Haven. He had been in ill health since August.

He was born in Norway May 17, 1879, and came to this country at the age of 12. In 1900 he married the former Olena Bjorsen in Chicago. She died Jan. 26, 1935.

Besides Mrs. Harden he is survived by two other daughters, Mrs. Frank Behm of Spring Lake and Mrs. C. J. Potter of Grand Haven township; a son, David of Grand Haven; a sister, Mrs. Agnes Ryerson of Chicago and seven grandchildren. A son, Dorrien, died of a heart attack in 1947 while serving with the Merchant Marine in Borneo.

Record Crowds Attend Little Farmers' Week

Allegan (Special)—Allegan's third "Little Farmers' Week" attracted a record crowd since the programs were begun, and assures another workshop next year, County Agent A. D. Morley said today.

He estimated 1,600 or more farmers attended the three-day event.

Conflict with some other meetings prevented an even larger turnout he said, and the schedule will be moved to the third week in January next year.

Municipal Court News

Five drivers appeared in Municipal Court Friday. Donald Witteveen, route 4, paid \$19.70 fine and costs for speeding. Howard Ramsey, route 1, Dor, paid \$15 fine and costs for interfering with through traffic. Dalwyn Vander Kamp, route 5, paid \$15 fine and costs for failure to yield right of way to pedestrian. Warren Diekmann, 535 Pine Crest Rd., paid \$5 fine and costs for driving without an operator's license. William Schregardus, 633 West 21st St., paid \$1 parking fine.

Douglas

(From Friday's Sentinel) Members of the Past Matrons club of Douglas chapter, No. 203, were guests of Mesdames Jack Tyler and William Coxford at a luncheon served at Tara, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomas and little daughter, spent the holiday season with relatives in Detroit.

Alice M. Fogle of Chicago, spent the holiday vacation at her cottage, "Leahaven" on Center St.

The members, their wives and guests of the Saugatuck-Douglas Rotary club, were entertained recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carr on the lake shore.

Mrs. Orville Millar and son Gerald are staying in Holland with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dingle, while Mr. Millar is in the Kalamazoo hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brockway entertained in their lake shore home a number of friends Christmas and New Year's Days.

Mrs. H. T. Morphy slipped on an icy pavement last December while shopping in Holland. She is confined to her home on Campbell Rd.

Mrs. Hattie Goshorn was dismissed from the Community hospital a week ago and is at her home on Fremont St.

Godfried Ekdahl and sister, Miss Matilda Ekdahl and Mrs. Augusta Jensen, were Christmas Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nye in Ganges.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bremer and daughter, Betty, spent a few days at their home. Later they went to Chicago for the holiday season.

Charles Fosdick has resigned his position as clerk in the Douglas post office and is employed at the Food and Bakery shop.

A stated meeting of Douglas chapter No. 203, Order of Eastern Star was held Monday evening.

The women of the Altar and Rosary society of St. Peter's Catholic church, Douglas, met and elected the following officers to serve the coming year: President, Mrs. Daniel Clark, of Glenn; vice president, Mrs. Leo Bears of East Saugatuck; treasurer, Mrs. Ben Bieler of Douglas, and Mrs. Charles Heiland, secretary of Saugatuck.

Mrs. Iris Dailey and Guy Shattuck were married at South Bend, Friday evening, Dec. 29. They will make their home in Douglas.

The recently-organized Douglas Boy Scouts under the leadership of Scoutmaster Lewis Mitchell and assistant Scoutmaster Stephen Hamlin, is sponsored by the Douglas Congregational church.

Orville Millar is a patient in Burgess hospital, Kalamazoo. He is improving after an operation Friday, Dec. 28.

Miss Bertha Chalmers of Grand Rapids, visited the holiday week, guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Kurz, in their home on Center St.

Furniture Store Swept by Fire

A flash fire of undetermined origin Saturday afternoon swept Schippers Furniture store, a repair and retail establishment at 331 Lincoln Ave., and left damage to the frame building estimated at \$3,500 and to stock and contents of \$5,000. Smoke damage to the Raymond Kammerling apartment upstairs estimated at \$150.

The building, about 60 years old, was formerly occupied by a harness shop, owned and operated by Peter Hoekema. It is currently owned by H. A. Von Ins.

Local firemen were on the scene almost two hours. Old-time insulation of three inches of sawdust between the wainscoting made the blaze particularly hard to bring under control. A fairly large stock of lamps, mirrors, small tables, chairs and other furnishings was damaged beyond salvage.

The proprietor told Fire Chief Andrew Klomparens he left the store about 12:30 p.m. to go home for lunch.

Mrs. Jerry Wieringa Dies in Grand Rapids

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Jerry Wieringa, 71, of 2127 Godwin Ave., Grand Rapids. Mrs. Wieringa died Friday night at her home.

She was born in Graafschap and lived in this area before moving to Grand Rapids.

Surviving are the husband; a daughter, Helen; three brothers, John and Simon Beckfort of Holland and Henry Beckfort of East Saugatuck; and two sisters, Mrs. Casper Belt of Holland and Mrs. Peter Roersma of Grand Rapids.

Sligh Appointed

Charles R. Sligh, Jr., has been named a director of the Michigan Trust Co. in Grand Rapids. Others elected at a stockholders meeting Wednesday include: George V. Brandt, Chalmers Curtis, Joseph Horner, Walter D. Idema, Isaac S. Keeler, Howard C. Lawrence, Guy C. Lillie, I. A. Moore, Howard R. Sluyter, Paul F. Stokette, George C. Thomson and Curtis M. Wylie.

De Graaf Reappointed

Lansing (UP)—Gov. Williams has announced reappointment of Jacob De Graaf of Holland, to the municipal employees' retirement board. The appointment was made from nominations selected at the annual meeting of the municipal employees' retirement system and the term expires Dec. 31, 1953.

Legion's Forward Makes 45 Points In Creston Game

Lanky Gene Schrottenboer broke the long-standing Holland Armory individual scoring record Saturday night as the Holland American Legion quintet smothered a hapless Grand Rapids Creston Body five 91-56. "Big Gene" bagged nine field goals in the first half of the non-league encounter, and poured through twelve field goals and three foul shots more before the final buzzer sounded, for a 45-point total. This smashed a 37-point record that has stood at the Armory for many years.

Led by the brilliant ball-handling of Russ DeVette, Jack Vanderpyle and Clancy Van Liere, and the aggressive backboard work of Don Scholten, Dick Nieuwma and Art Slager, the Legion team completely controlled the contest from the opening tip-off.

Little Billy Noorthoek was the only thorn in the home team's side, as the five-foot-six speedster paced the visiting quintet with 20 points.

Holland jumped off to a 23-10 first-quarter lead and widened the gap to 40-25 by halftime. At the third buzzer, the Legionnaires had piled up an impressive 67-29 lead. The home team outscored their highly-rated opponents in every quarter.

Schrottenboer, who has worked with Washington Square the last few years, really came into his own Saturday as a hardwood star. He worked with equal accuracy both under the boards and from the middle of the floor. He hit nearly 50 per cent of his shots in the second half.

DeVette, Hope college mentor, took runner-up scoring honors with 20 points, followed by center Dick Nieuwma, who meshed 16.

Nieuwma played well, controlling both backboards throughout most of the contest. He repeatedly came down with the ball against taller Mike Olson, who worked the pivot slot for Creston.

The Legionnaires meet the Grand Rapids Y League leaders, Lytell Iron company, in another non-league encounter Thursday in preparation for the important game with the Milwaukee Harlem Aces, former traveling unit of the Harlem Globe trotters, in the Armory Saturday night.

| Holland Legionnaires (91) | | | | |
|---------------------------|----|----|----|----|
| | FG | FT | PF | TP |
| DeVette, f | 9 | 2 | 1 | 20 |
| Schrottenboer, f | 21 | 3 | 0 | 45 |
| Nieuwma, c | 7 | 2 | 1 | 16 |
| Scholten, g | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| VanDorp, g | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 |
| VanLieme, g | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Slager, g | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| G. R. Creston Body (56) | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|----|
| | FG | FT | PF | TP |
| Jorgensen, f | 2 | 2 | 4 | 6 |
| Noorthoek, f | 9 | 2 | 1 | 20 |
| Olson, c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 8 |
| Hope, g | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| VerHage, g | 5 | 1 | 1 | 11 |
| Watrous | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 |
| Bulson | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Lane | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Alwood | 2 | 1 | 5 | 5 |

25 6 16 56
*Also technical foul.

Housekeeper Arraigned On Larceny Charge

Grand Haven (Special)—Mrs. Ula Irene Jewel, 27, Muskegon, demanded examination when arraigned Tuesday before Justice George Hoffer on a charge of larceny from a dwelling.

Complaint was signed by Frank Ristau, 298 Lincoln Ave., Holland, who charges Mrs. Jewel took about \$500 in personal property from his home Jan. 9 after he broke up housekeeping. She had been his housekeeper.

Bond of \$300 was provided for her appearance at an examination scheduled Jan. 18.

Albert Venema, 36, route 2, Coopersville, and Arthur Allen, 32, route 2, Nunica, each paid \$10 fine and \$8 costs in Hoffer's court on a charge of disturbing muskrat houses in Spring Lake Wednesday. Conservation Officer Harold Bowditch charged the pair with mink hunting and chased the mink into a muskrat house.

More Insurance Asked On County Farm Buildings

Allegan (Special)—Stating that the county farm buildings, including the new addition to the hospital, have a total appraisal value of \$259,000, social welfare director Ted Hicks asked county supervisors Tuesday for a recommendation on additional insurance.

To bring the farm up to 80 per cent co-insurance, an additional \$80,000 worth of insurance is needed, he said. In addition to \$179,400 insurance carried on the buildings and contents, there is a \$15,000 policy on personal property, and a temporary \$20,000 on the new annex, Hicks told the board. The hospital, with the new addition, has a \$68,419 appraisal value.

The matter was referred to committee to make a report.

County Treasurer James Boyce reported \$176,041 in county taxes had been collected up to today, when penalties start.

CONTEST PLANNED

Allegan (Special)—Allegan school children will compete in a poster contest on home safety, according to plans of the health and safety committee of the Allegan Community council. Cash prizes will be awarded in three divisions of grades after the March 1 deadline. Mrs. Ed Brandeberry is chairman of the sponsoring committee.

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Mr. and Mrs. Merton Wabeke and family were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Iman Koen of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wyngarden and family were New Year guests in Ludington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Broersma and family of Vriesland were

Four Generations of Spykermans



Mark Eugene Spykerman, three and one-half-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Spykerman, 1426 Lakewood Blvd., had a special reason for having his picture taken when his family visited his great grandfather, John Spykerman 82, in Sanborn, Iowa, during the holidays. Included in the four generation group are John Spykerman, great grandfather; Joel Spykerman, father; and Mark Eugene. The latter three are from Holland.

Vriesland

(From Friday's Sentinel)

The Sewing Guild met last Thursday afternoon, in the church basement, with Mrs. Henry Kruidhof as hostess. Others present were the Mesdames Henry Wabeke, Martin D. Wyngarden, Will Van der Kolk, John Ver Hage, Henry Roelofs, John Pott, Jacob Morren, Irving Hungerink, John Hoeve, Peter De Witt, Henry Boss, Eugene Brower, Jacob De Witt, Gerrit Boss, John De Jonge, John T. De Witt, and Miss Marie Wyngarden. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage and Marie Ver Hage of Zeeland were last Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cornel Ver Hage.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rybrandt of Hudsonville, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey De Vree and Ronnie De Vree of Zeeland were New Year guests of Mr



Big as a horse, but gentle as a lamb is "Cim," this regal looking Great Dane who visited The Sentinel one day last week. Owned by Miss Helen Dorgan of Kalamazoo, "Cim"—whose pedigree officially names her Centra Sans Cinnamon—brought in with Gerrit Van Dyke who was taking care of her for several days while her mistress and Miss Betty French of Waukegan were visiting in Chicago. Miss Dorgan is staying here with Miss French while the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. French, are in Florida. "Cim" was nonchalant about all the attention given her by Sentinel employees and customers. And when the photographer aimed his flash camera at her, the two-year-old dog went right on begging for dog biscuits from Van Dyke, pictured here with her. Although she looks ferocious, Cim should hide her paws were she to carry through that impression—for each toenail is carefully trimmed with bright red finger-nail polish!

VOLLEYS FROM AMBUSH

THE SENTINEL Office crowd had a welcome surprise the other day when in walked Clyde Geerlings and Rein Visser of Hope college, burdened down with apple pies, a big pot of coffee and all the necessary accoutrements for serving same. And was it good! Yummy!

It was their way of saying "thank" for friendly relations all around between the Sentinel and Hope college.

SOME TIME AGO Bill Wichers was having trouble in his dreams. It seems his wife Nell was always in danger or trouble.

Once they were on a cruise and Nell fell over the rail. Bill caught her by the ankle and woke up just as he couldn't hang on any more.

Another time he dreamed a big brute was molesting her. He fought hard to save his lady love. His mouth was bruised; he was being badly beaten, yet he fought and fought.

Worse than that, when he woke he was pounding Nell.

Whereupon Mrs. Wichers, a registered nurse in her own right, informed her husband she could take care of herself in his dreams!

PETE VAN LANGEVELDE, the part-time cop, had reason to reflect on some misguided humor of his fellow officers not so long ago.

It was during the holiday season when the snow kept falling every day and people were wondering where to shovel it. Some playful officers decided the trunk of Pete's car was just the place to put it. And put it there they did.

And Pete drove around blithely unaware of the added load, and equally deaf to his good wife's suggestions that something was bouncing around back there.

It was all solved when he opened the trunk New Year's day to put in a bushel of apples.

PEOPLE ARE ALWAYS mistaking gloves, scarves and mittens somewhere, and Holland hospital is no exception.

The main office has quite a collection of such articles waiting hopefully for owners to claim them, and they seldom do.

When the office personnel decides the articles have been around too long, Director Fred Burd gives them to the Salvation Army.

IT'S BEEN YEARS that icy conditions on walks have been so bad. This year's list of casualties on falls on icy walks has been much, much too long.

Mayor Harry Harrington was a bit concerned about the slippery walk in front of the city hall, and one night last week he salted it down himself. Walking was much better the next day.

W. A. Butler did much the same thing a few weeks ago when he salted the walk from the Sentinel office up to River Ave. That walk's all clear now.

Chet Kramer had a new claim to fame when he says he's the father of a perfect blonde—the last baby born in the half century.

bows and says, "Congratulations!"

WHEN SANTA CLAUS appeared at the VFW children's party during the holidays, he didn't have very much trouble with the 150 kids who attended. Only one incident caused him consternation.

A small Indian boy hopped up on the great man's lap and asked, "Can you speak Indian?" "Why, sure," St. Nick replied. "Well, speak some," returned the moppet.

Santa Claus was silent.

ADD TO THE LIST of untruthful myths: Foremen do not break up furniture.

Jason Roels, whose apartment house at 70 West 13th St., was damaged some time ago had nothing but praise for the Holland fire eaters.

Roels credits speedy work with saving the house, and also expressed his thanks for the firemen's articulate care in saving most of his furniture from extensive damage.

Waverly

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

The Waverly Activity club held its regular meeting Friday evening in the school. Mrs. Ed Zuidema, president, presided.

Announcement was made of a skating party which will be held Saturday, Jan. 20, in Northshore Community hall for married people of the district. Mrs. W. Honnold and Mrs. D. Essenburg are in charge of reservations. After the business meeting a film on "Children Learning by Experience" was shown. Games were arranged by Mrs. Honnold and Mrs. Ted Kragt and refreshments were served by Mrs. W. Fockler and Mrs. I. Fought.

The annual reunion of the Derks family was held New Year's Day in the town hall. Mrs. Gerrit Bruursema and Mrs. Don Derks arranged the games and a potluck dinner was served. Those present were Mrs. Minnie Derks, Mr. and Mrs. William Staal and son, Mr. and Mrs. George Derks and family of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. John Derks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Bruursema and family, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Deur and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reimink and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Derks and family of Holland. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Derks and family of Oak Glen, Ill., were unable to be present.

A few days during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Derks while Johnny Derks was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Derks in Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Visser and daughter of Grand Rapids were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cook on New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bronkema and sons, Don, Vern and Dale and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Zuidema spent New Year's Day in Chicago with Mr. and Mrs. R. Hoekstra and family.

Mrs. Ed Zuidema was hostess to a group of relative last Thursday. A potluck dinner was served. Those present were Mrs. William Vander Heide, Mrs. H. Bonzeelaar, Mrs. Ben Wolters and Bonnie, Mrs. B. Zuidema and Barbara, Miss Sedie Zuidema, Mrs. Gerrit Zuidema, Mrs. Con Vanden Bosch, Mrs. J. Zuidema, Mrs. C. Zuidema and Gloria, Mrs. J. Bronkema and Dale and Mrs. Ed Zuidema and Alvin.

Beechwood Girls' League Has Installation Service

The first meeting of the new year was held by the Beechwood Reformed church Girls' league

Monday night at the church. Installation of new officers was held in a candlelight ceremony.

Miss Herma Boeve was installed as president; Miss Ann Veldman, vice president; Miss Shirley Oosterbaan, secretary; Miss Carol Plakke, treasurer, and Miss Irene Prins, assistant secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Peter Meuser and Miss Jennie De Jonge are League advisers.

Christian Cagers Lose Number Six To Creston Bears

Holland Christian's unpredictable cagers dropped their sixth contest of the season Friday night at Grand Rapids, bowing to the Polar Bears of Creston, 36-22.

Once again the elusive .500 mark slipped from the grasp of the local five. So far the Maroons have won four while dropping six games.

Coach Arthur Tule's club fell as low Friday night as it rose to the heights last Tuesday against Allegan. The Maroons seemingly could do nothing right against the Bears who were really roaring. Although the floor play of the Dutch wasn't good, it was the shooting which was really off. In 51 attempts from the field the locals connected on only 10. It was worse from the foul lane where they hit only twice in 15 tries.

Creston boasted an exceptional amount of height and completely erased any Maroon threat on the backboards as the two big pivot-men Roger Joynt and Woody Schultz took command. Christian managed to get just one shot at the hoop and that was all. Coach Henry Shrum threw a zone defense at the Hollanders and it proved to be good strategy. Although the Dutchmen were getting good shots, their inaccuracy kept them from scoring. The Bears centered their offensive attack around their two big pivot-men with outcourt shots by Dick Anderle and Bob Benedict.

Neither club showed much in the first quarter with each playing slow basketball. The clubs exchanged baskets for several minutes before the Bears forged into a five point lead. At the end of the first quarter the Dutch trailed 9-5.

Holland kept pace with the winners throughout the first part of the second period and then for about three minutes got their offense into high gear. Ralph Bouwman and brother Ben connected on three onehanders to pull the Maroons even at 16-16. After a successful Creston foul toss, substitute Robinson connected from almost the center of the court to give his mates a 19-16 lead at halftime.

Christian put on its poorest showing of the year in the third period, as the locals were able to garner just one field goal. They missed seven consecutive free throws. Meanwhile the Creston club continued to build up a lead which ran to 30-18 at the end of the quarter.

In desperation Tule inserted practically an entire new five in an effort to find a winning combination. Coach Shrum did the same for Creston, accounting for the poorly played final quarter. Most of the players were inexperienced causing many jump balls and step violations. The Bears outscored the Dutch 4-2 in this last period.

While Christian was hitting its two out of 15 attempts from the foul line, Creston connected for six out of 15. Ralph Bouwman captured high point honors for the Dutch with eight while Woody Schultz led the Maroons with 12 markers.

| Box score: | | | | |
|------------------|----|---|----|----|
| Christian (22) | | | | |
| | FG | F | TP | P |
| Schippers f..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Diekema f..... | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Knott c..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Bouwman B. g. 2 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 0 |
| Bouwman R. g. 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 4 |
| Mast, g..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kok J. f..... | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Kok S. c..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Borr f..... | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Bouman g..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Edwards g..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Totals | 10 | 2 | 22 | 12 |

| Creston (36) | | | | |
|--------------------|----|---|----|----|
| | FG | F | TP | P |
| Benedict f..... | 3 | 0 | 6 | 1 |
| Schultz f..... | 5 | 2 | 12 | 3 |
| Fryville J. e..... | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Anderle g..... | 2 | 0 | 4 | 5 |
| Fryville F. g..... | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| Imhoff f..... | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Joynt f..... | 2 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| Robinson g..... | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Robinson g..... | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Endres g..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 15 | 6 | 36 | 13 |

Grand Haven Nips Eighth Graders

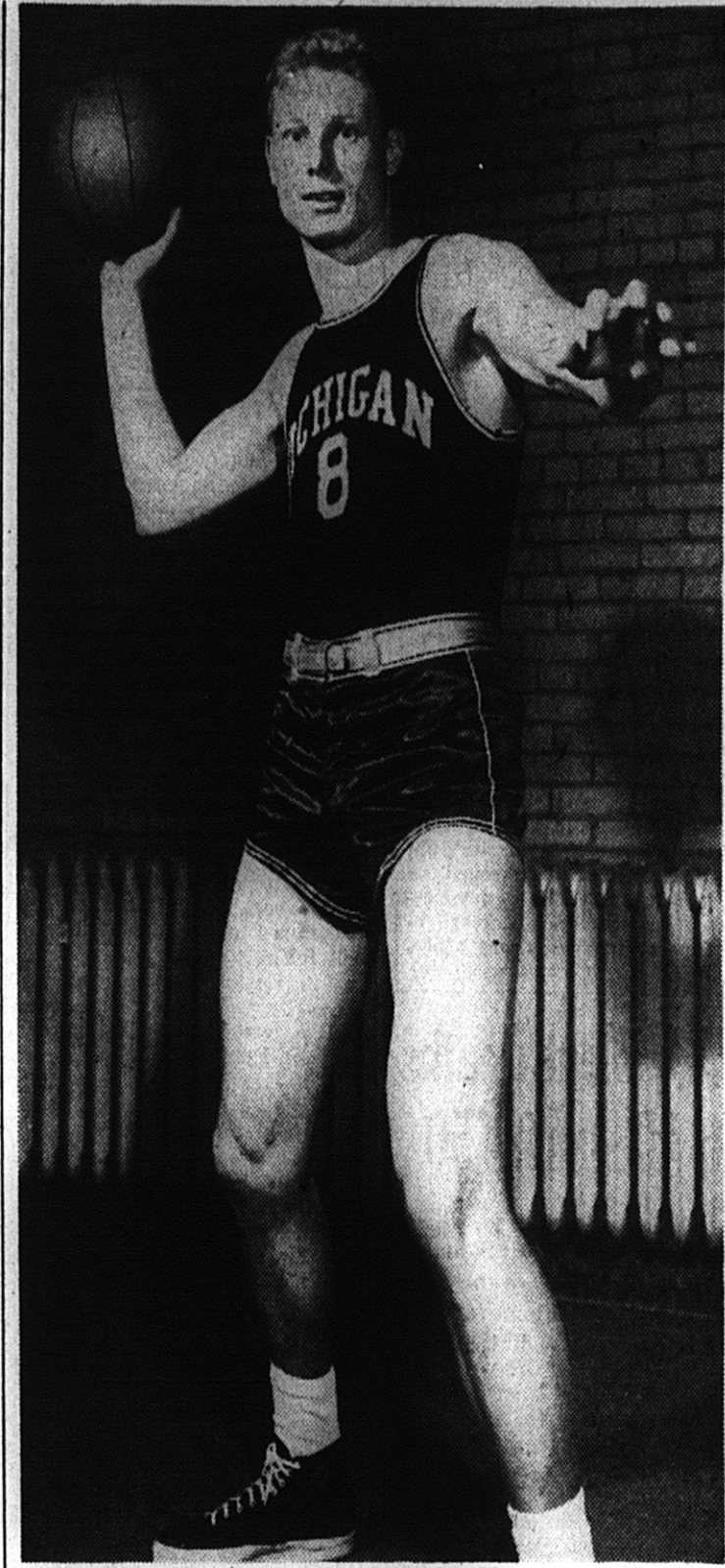
Coach Bob Stupka's powerful eighth-grade cage squad worked a two-year, 13-game win streak snap in a game against the Grand Haven squad, 27-20.

The game was a see-saw battle until the end of the third quarter when Grand Haven built a three-point lead. In the fourth quarter, the Grand Haven club was able to add four more points to its lead before the final whistle sounded. For Grand Haven, it was big Huttenga at Center with 14 points sparking his club all the way. Terry Vanden Berg, Holland guard, led his teammates in defeat with six points.

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Big Leo Vander Kuy of Holland is at present sparking the University of Michigan cage team with a healthy 13.9 point average per game. Vander Kuy has played in 10 games this year bagging 51 field goals and 37 free throws for 139 points. Big Leo's 42 points in Big Ten competition have also netted him third place in the individual scoring honors of the league. Only Sunderlage of Illinois and Nicholas of Wisconsin are rated above the lanky center from Holland.

Dutch Reserves Drop Kalamazoo

Holland high school's reserve basketball team won its sixth game of the season without defeat Friday night by thumping Kalamazoo, 36-28, at the Armory.

The contest was decided at the free throw line, with the losers fouling themselves out of contention. Each team scored 11 field goals, but the junior Dutch hit on 14 of 23 attempts from the charity circle while Kalamazoo made good on six of only 14 tries.

Coach Bob Connell's charges built up a first half 15-8 lead and staved off the Maroon offensive to hold their margin. Holland outscored its opponents in each period but the first.

Center Dave Moran turned in the outstanding game for Holland, with rebound and pass-off work, besides scoring seven points. Moran hit on five of six free throw tries.

High point man for Holland was Jack Kemper with 12. Moran and Carl Visscher each had seven, Dean Vander Wall five, Ron Israels four and Bob Van Dyke one. Orville Tien was the only other Holland player to see action.

Wylie and Hamilton paced the losers with seven points each.

Mrs. Kruithof Feted By Ladies Aid Society

The Ladies Aid society and division members of First Reformed church gave a birthday party in the church parlors Thursday for Mrs. Bastian Kruithof. She was presented with a corsage by the president of the society, Mrs. C. Kuylers. Mrs. H. Poll was in charge of devotions.

Eight representatives from different organizations in the church gave speeches on each letter in her name and each placed a candle on her birthday cake. Speakers were Mrs. J. Olthoff, Ladies' Aid society; Mrs. E. Walvoord, Mission society; Mrs. M. Shoemaker, missionaries; Mrs. L. J. Young, Clarion class; Mrs. Ella J. Young, Daily Vacation Bible school; Mrs. A. Nienhuis, church; Mrs. Nette De Jonge, outside activities, and Mrs. W. Bennett, Seminary Wives class.

Mrs. H. De Loof and Mrs. Ella Young sang two songs and a quartet composed of Mrs. N. Elderbrook, Mrs. R. Ter Beek, Miss Nellie Harrema and Miss Anna Luidens also sang. Gifts were given to Mrs. Kuylers and Mrs. Kruithof.

The table was decorated with yellow ribbons and flowers; the centerpiece was a three-tier birthday cake. The bouquet of red roses which adorned the platform were given to Mrs. Kruithof after the lunch.

Serving the lunch was the executive committee made up of Mrs. Kuylers, Mrs. Olthoff, Mrs. J. De Haan, Mrs. W. Vander Haar, Mrs. W. Meengs, Mrs. H. Boss and Mrs. J. Van Tatenhove, assisted by Mrs. B. Scheerhorn and Mrs. T. Fletcher. Mrs. E. Ruissard and Mrs. N. Elderbrook poured and Mrs. A. Bielefeld and Mrs. O. Van Til took charge of the program.

The flag of Switzerland is one of the oldest in Europe having been recognized as early as 1359.

Zeeland Quintet Drubs Plainwell In League Tilt

Zeeland's Cagers drubbed a Plainwell team in a Tri-Country league game at Plainwell Friday night, 53-44. The Zeeland club had a tough time snagging the lead, and was behind most of the game.

Plainwell scored first and kept plunking in points but Zeeland followed along and tied the game eight times in the first three quarters. Finally late in the third quarter, the Zeeland club was able to pull ahead for the first time on foul shot by Bern Raterink. Then Raterink dropped in two more fast goals, a foul shot, and a teammate dropped another field goal before Plainwell could score again. The lead was sufficient to give Zeeland the ball game.

High pointer for Zeeland was Raterink at center with 17 points. Ray Wagner dumped in 14 for second point honors. For the losers, it was Braginton at guard with 17 points. Zeeland's game is a league tilt against Allegan.

The Zeeland reserves lost a rough 33-32 battle to a stubborn Plainwell "B" squad before the varsity game. The big Zeeland center, Paul Heyboer, dropped in 15 points for his team, but it was not enough. Van Lente was high-pointer for Plainwell with 8 points.

Music Club Members Meet at Karsten Home

Members of the Holland Junior Music club held their January meeting Tuesday evening at the home of their counselor, Mrs. Harold J. Karsten, West 11th St. Plans were discussed for the coming month.

Jane and Gretchen Boyd were appointed to be in charge of the February meeting.

Mrs. Karsten plans to be in Lansing Monday to Attend the winter meeting of the State Board of the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs. Mrs. Karsten is state chairman of student musicians, thus holds membership on the board.

Aged Ferrysburg Man Dies at Eastmanville

Henry Turling, 82, of Ferrysburg, died Thursday noon at Eastmanville where he had lived a month. Surviving are one son, Henry F., of Holland; one daughter, Mrs. James Adley of Chicago; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Christine Bosma of Holland and Mrs. Mary Chrispell of Muskegon.

Six Building Permits for Value Of \$24,800 Issued During Week

Six building permits for total estimated valuation of \$24,800 were issued this week by Building Inspector Joseph P. Shashagay and City Clerk Clarence Greengood.

Included on the list were three permits for new homes and three for residential remodeling.

Permits issued: Russell Reeves, 122 East 28th St., build new house with garage attached, house 723 by 42 feet, garage 24 by 14, using frame, brick and asphalt roof, house \$11,000, garage \$800; Witteveen brothers, contractor.

W. De Leeuw and Sons Lumber company, 205 West 26th St., build new house, 30 by 26, using frame, cement block and asphalt roof, \$7,500; self, contractor.

Gordon Streu, 316 West 23rd St., build new house, 32 by 24, using frame, cement block and asphalt roof, \$5,000; self, contractor.

Andrew Deters, 186 West 27th St., finish off upstairs, using frame and plaster, \$300; self, contractor.

John Leuwien, 316 West 18th St., partition off upstairs room, using frame and wallboard, \$150; self, contractor.

Carrie Louman, 148 East 18th St., enclose front porch, using frame and glass, \$100; Thomas Straatsma, contractor.

Holland Christian Splits Debate With Ottawa Hills

Holland Christian closed its regular debate season Thursday afternoon at the local school gaining a split in two debates with Grand Rapids Ottawa Hills high school. The affirmative squads of both schools walked off with the decisions.

Christian's affirmative squad, composed of Roger Verhulst and Roger Boer, outpointed Ottawa's negative team made up of Roger Law and Bill Ten Brook. This Grand Rapids team had won nine debates before losing to the local duo. In the other debate, Holland's negative squad bowed to the Ottawa affirmative team. Christian's negative team was made up of Wilbert Venema and Wallace Bratt. The Ottawa team was composed of Alan Green and John Grant.

Judging the debates were Lambert Ponstein and Mrs. Irene Wade Harter of Holland. Hero Bratt is the Christian debate coach.

The question for debate was "Resolved: That the people of the United States should reject the welfare state."

Little Maroons Bow to Creston

Holland Christian's second team gave the Grand Rapids Creston squad quite a scare at Grand Rapids Friday night before bowing 34-28. The smaller Maroons played the once beaten Little Bears to a standstill throughout the first half before giving way in the final quarter.

Creston plays a racehorse style of basketball accounting for the frequent violations and fouls called throughout the fray. Christian trailed 8-3 at the end of the first quarter, but came back strong in the second quarter to close the gap to 14-13 at the intermission.

Coach John Ham's club took a four point lead early in the third quarter but couldn't hold it and dropped the Bears 21-18 at the third period mark. Creston managed to outscore the locals 13-10 in the last quarter to take the decision.

License Bureau Issues Reminder

Allegan county car owners who live nearer to Holland than to Allegan were reminded today that they can buy their 1951 license plates at the Holland License bureau and the fees still will revert to their home county.

Bureau manager Al Dyk said that many Allegan residents thought that if they bought their licenses in Holland, the fees would stay in Ottawa county.

"Instead, the fees revert to Allegan county, for improvement of the roads there," Dyk said. "Allegan people don't have to drive all the way to Allegan for their plates. They can get them here."

Through this week, the Holland bureau has sold 2,310 license plates, Dyk revealed. But there are 12,000 more to go.

Last year at this time, sales were approximately the same. Licenses went on sale Dec. 1, and must be in use by Feb. 28.

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Conference Tilt Lost In Closing Minutes of Game

The Hope college basketball team fell flat on its face in the closing minutes of a league encounter against Albion in the Armory Tuesday night, and after leading during most of the game, lost by a 73-67 score.

It was the third conference loss for the Dutchmen in as many starts this season, and the seventh loss for the entire season as against one win.

The Dutch dominated the game and the play during the first half and on at least two occasions led by a respectable 13 points. The Albion squad simply couldn't keep pace with the Hope team during most of that first half, as the Dutch kept pumping points through the hoop.

But in the closing two minutes of the half, the Britons sank six field goals to one for Hope and pared the Dutch lead to a slender four points.

Still, the game looked awfully Dutch, when in the opening minutes of the second half, the Hope squad quickly upped its lead to seven points. But that was as far as it went, and from then on it was nip-and-tuck with the Hope lead being systematically chopped away by sharpshooting Britons. Midway in the half, the score was tied for the first time. A moment later Albion was ahead and then it was Hope's turn to tie the score.

But the pressure of the race-horse, fast breaking, Albion style of play finally got to the Hope squad and left them hapless under both baskets. Plays couldn't get started. Rebounds were taken continually by men in gold jerseys. Up and down the floor, seemingly inexhaustible, raced the Britons. The Dutch in the closing minutes were just not able to close the gap between the two scores, and at the final whistle, it was Albion 73-67.

Coach De Vette kept his first string in play most of the game in an effort to stop the Britons, who had depth in players as well as energy and substituted frequently. And a string of free throws that missed for Hope added to the frustration of the locals, who were able to bag 15, but missed 11 others.

High point man for the game was Junior Bremer with 23 but the diminutive John Porter, Briton forward chased him most of the way and ended up with 17 for second high individual honors.

The totals:

| | FG | FT | PF | TP |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|
| Berry, f | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Porter, f | 7 | 3 | 3 | 17 |
| Allen, c | 5 | 1 | 4 | 11 |
| Egleston, g | 4 | 1 | 3 | 9 |
| Frost, g | 1 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Fowler | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Little | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Dempsey | 4 | 1 | 4 | 9 |
| Mohl | 7 | 1 | 3 | 15 |

| | FG | FT | PF | TP |
|-----------------|----|----|----|----|
| Vande Wege, f | 5 | 3 | 3 | 13 |
| Jacobson, f | 5 | 1 | 4 | 11 |
| Bremer, c | 9 | 4 | 23 | 23 |
| Van Regenmortel | 1 | 4 | 3 | 6 |
| Bos, g | 5 | 2 | 3 | 12 |
| Piersma, g | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Peekstok, f | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |

Rod and Gun Club To Host MUCC

The Tulip City Rod and Gun club will be host to delegates from several Western Michigan conservation clubs Thursday night at the IOOF hall.

Those attending will be delegates of region 5, Michigan United Conservation clubs. John R. Feutz of Grand Rapids, as chairman of district 5, will preside.

Business enacted at the meeting will be placed on the agenda for the statewide MUCC meeting at St. Ignace next Jan. 14, 15, 16 and 17. Similar district meetings will be held in other districts before the annual state meeting.

Local club officers expect about 40 persons to attend from Grand Rapids, Grand Haven, Muskegon, Newaygo, Sparta, Middleville, Zeeland, Allegan, Marne, Wayland and other cities in this general area.

The meeting will be called to order at 8 p.m. Following the business session, there will be a perch feed and entertainment for the visitors.

Olive Center

Mrs. John Boers, Mrs. Harvey Hassevoort, Mrs. Carrie Rozema and Mrs. Sarah Hassevoort were entertained at the home of Mrs. Alvin Molewijk in East Holland last Wednesday afternoon.

Markus Vinkemulder has been elected to serve a three year term on the Ottawa County Red Cross board of directors. He replaces Mrs. Jack Nieboer, whose term expired.

John Knoll of Holland spent a few days with his sisters, Mrs. Henry Redder and Mrs. Jack Nieboer, this week.

Mrs. Clyde Thayer of Zeeland spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Banks.

Mrs. Winnie Hassevoort of Ottawa was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Sarah Hassevoort Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knoper and Ronald of Zeeland were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nieboer Monday evening.



There was considerable confusion at Grand Haven Armory Tuesday afternoon when families and friends bade farewell to 81 young men leaving for induction into the U.S. Army. A Sentinel photographer was successful in rounding up a few Holland

men in one corner for this picture. Kneeling, left to right, are John Rietsma, Jr., Richard Van Dyke, Irvin Mokma and Irwin Steketee. Standing are Henry Bol, Julius Faber, Jack Oonk, Jack Hertz and Alvern Woodwyk. (See story on page 7.)

Largest Group of Draftees Leave Ottawa County for Duty in Army

Eighty-one men, comprising the largest draft group to leave Ottawa county since the draft law was re-activated last summer, boarded buses in Grand Haven Tuesday afternoon and left for Army duty.

Of the group, 30 men were from Holland and nine from Zeeland. The men went in two buses, with the overflow taking the regular commercial run to Detroit at 2 p.m. They were scheduled to stay overnight in Detroit and be sworn into service here. Then the new soldiers will be sent to processing stations and basic training centers to begin their Army careers.

The 81-man contingent brought to 214 the number of men drafted from the county during the last five months. The other months' totals were December 27, November 42, October 31 and September 33.

The 30 men from Holland brought this city's total of draftees to 81, with seven in December, 19 in November, 12 in October and 13 in September. During the same five months, Zeeland has sent 27 draftees to service.

The original call for January was for 87 men, but six were canceled or transferred for various reasons.

Russell Achterhof of route 5, Holland, was canceled by the board. Gerard Mull, Catskill, N. Y., enlisted in the service.

Ralph Hutt, Bullville, N. Y.; Terry Wolfe, Saginaw; and Ivars Rozins, Grandville, were transferred to their original boards.

Perhaps the strangest cancellation was of Gillis Sale, Jr., route 4, Holland. Sale was born in 1930, making him 20 years old. He passed his physical and received induction orders for January. But when checking with some buddies his same age, he found they hadn't taken physicals yet. After conferring with draft board officials, it was found there was a mistake made when he registered which

ents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ziel, Misses Nella and Shirley Brower of Forest Grove were overnight guests last Saturday and also spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brower.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Stegeman, Mary Ann and Evelyn and Miss Hilda Stegeman visited Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vrugink and boys at Jensen.

Miss Ann Aardema and William Payne of Zeeland spent last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Van Harn.

The Mr. and Mrs. Group held its monthly meeting in the church basement Tuesday evening. H. Applehof showed pictures of the Sunday school work in Michigan.

Mrs. Nelson Stegeman spent last week Tuesday with Mrs. Effie Vrugink at her home in Zeeland.

Richard Vander Molen cut his leg with an electric saw last Wednesday while doing carpenter work. He was taken to St. Mary's hospital in Grand Rapids where the gash required 35 stitches.

Mrs. Albert Dykstra and daughters from near Hudsonville spent last Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Herman Betten.

Arthur Vrugink was appointed by the consistory to serve as song leader at the Sunday evening service for the next year.

Miss Norene Plaggemeyer of Jensen was a Sunday guest of Miss Carolyn Wabeke.

Mrs. Herman Brink, Mrs. Gerrit Brink and Miss Hilda Stegeman composed a "quitting party" at the home of Mrs. Jacob A. Vrugink at Jensen last Thursday.

John Vander Wal favored the C. E. society with a solo when it met Sunday afternoon.

Zeeland Breeders Schedule Meeting

The Zeeland Artificial Breeding association will hold its annual meeting at Zeeland city hall Wednesday, Jan. 24, according to an announcement today by president Ward Keppel.

An election will be held to fill two expiring terms on the board of directors and the agenda also will include reports on association activities.

Dick Newman of Indianapolis, Ind., will be speaker. His subject is listed as "What Farmers Expect of Artificial Breeding and What the Bull Studs Are Doing to Meet These Demands."

Newman is a field man for the Indiana Artificial Breeding association.

Dairymen or any other interested persons are invited to attend and take part in the open discussion.

The Zeeland association is one of the oldest in Michigan and the nation. Its membership consists of more than 400 dairy farmers from Ottawa, Kent and Allegan counties.

Refreshments will be served followed by pictures of the great proved sires used in the breeding program.

Grand Haven Dairy Operator Succumbs

Grand Haven (Special) — George Snyder, 64, route 1, Grand Haven, died Wednesday in Municipal hospital after a year's illness. He was born in Montpelier, Wis., and lived here 25 years, coming from Allegan where he operated Allegan Dairy six years.

In Grand Haven he operated a butter, milk and ice cream business with his two sons at 1410 Fulton St. He was a member of the Methodist church, the IOOF and Chamber of Commerce.

Surviving are the wife; two sons, Royal and Roy of Grand Haven; three brothers and four grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Friday at 2:30 p.m. from Van Zantwijk funeral home with the Rev. Carl Strange officiating. Burial will be in Lake Forest cemetery.

Agrees to Leave

Harry St. John, 56, of Grand Rapids pleaded guilty Wednesday in Municipal Court to a charge of being drunk and disorderly. Judge Cornelius Vander Meulen imposed a 30-day jail sentence, and suspended the term if St. John leave Holland. He was arrested Tuesday at the bus station.

Father of Mrs. P. Brooks Dies at Portsmouth, Ohio

Dr. J. W. Fitch of Portsmouth, Ohio, father of Mrs. Phillips Brooks, died Wednesday at Portsmouth following a short illness. Dr. Fitch had visited in Holland often and was well-known here.

Local survivors are Mrs. Brooks and two grandchildren, James Brooks and Mrs. Don Winter.

Attending the funeral Friday from Holland will be Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Brooks, who are already at Portsmouth, and the grandchildren.

Relatives in Holland ask that flowers be omitted.

Aged Hopkins Woman Dies At Convalescent Home

Lucy Baird, 92, life-long resident of Hopkins township, died Monday at Fox Nursing home in Bradley, following a lingering illness. She was a member of Hopkins Methodist church.

The body will be at the Eldesteek funeral home until Thursday noon. Funeral rites will be held Thursday at 1 p.m. at the Hopkins Methodist church, the Rev. Milford Bowen officiating. Burial will be at Maplewood cemetery.

Surviving is one niece, Mrs. May Simpson, route 2, Hopkins.

Pennsylvania was the first state to inspect its mines.

Holland Factory Receives Slice Of War Orders

By Esther Van Wagoner Tufty
Washington—Holland has a slice of the war production business pouring into Michigan, according to a synopsis of contract awards issued by the U. S. Department of Commerce.

Holland Hitch Co. has received two orders. One is for 2,010 pintles at a cost of \$119,796 and the other for 6,000 hooks and pintles at a cost of \$31,150.

In one week, some 53 orders went out from Washington to Michigan industries. The total cost to Uncle Sam is estimated at \$4,622,588.66.

Detroit, of course, got the bulk of contracts.

Pontiac was second with a total of \$907,955.66 for war material awarded to the truck and coach division of General Motors corporation.

From Michigan, the Department of Defense buys field jackets from Cheboygan; aviation gas from Mount Pleasant and Grand Rapids; dishwashing machines from Detroit; gages and switches from Flint; wheels from Saginaw; spark plugs from Auburn Heights; all kinds of automotive parts from the Detroit area.

To the non-automotive mind some of the descriptions of the parts ordered seem strange. Here is the Pontiac list:

The truck and coach division of GMC was asked to make 4,233-200 support, fork and shifter locks for \$97,159.40; some 9,000 yokes and rods for \$25,420; 76,400 drums for \$150,516; 46,000 covers for \$211,327; 297,310 collar and seal for \$130,761.61; 21,100 cranks and tubes for \$35,224; 33,850 fenders, panels, pans and boards for \$44,373; 39,400 boots, cover and screws for \$119,468.

Selection of the battering full-back qualities Van Wingen for the coveted Randall C. Bosch award. The trophy has been given annually for the past decade and consists of a diamond set in a gold football.

Van Wingen is the third Hope football player to win the award. Quarterback Nick Yonker of Muskegon was named last season, and Bob Powers, now a physician in Saginaw, won the award in 1940.

"Terrible Tom" was a member of the varsity for four years, and reached his playing peak during the 1950 season. The plunging fullback specialized in bullying his way through the middle of the line. Tom is five foot nine and weighs 180 pounds.

In 98 tries last year, he ran up a total of 427 yards for a 4.4 yard average. He scored 42 points during the season. Tom is a graduate of Grand Rapids Creston high school.

In November, Tom was selected as the team's most valuable player by his mates and was awarded the James Don Herder award.

News of Van Wingen's selection was released today by MIAA judge advocate De Gay Ernst.

Robinson Area Woman Dies at Nursing Home

Grand Haven (Special) — Mrs. Josephine Zima, 92, of Robinson township, died at 9 a.m. today at Hillcrest nursing home in Grand Haven following a three year's illness.

Mrs. Zima was born in Czechoslovakia Sept. 20, 1858, and resided in Robinson township for 33 years, coming here from Chicago. Her husband, Joseph, died eight years ago.

She is survived by a son, Bohumil of Chicago; three daughters, Mrs. Emma Weber of Chicago, Mrs. Robert C. Loudermilk of Tulsa, Okla.; seven grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. The body is at the Kinkema funeral home. Funeral arrangements will be announced later. Mrs. Zima was a member of the Presbyterian church in Grand Haven.

Marriage Licenses

(From Monday's Sentinel)
Ottawa County
Albert Guzman, 30, Muskegon, and Harriet Beebe, 21, Grand Haven; Louis James Feil, 19, Muskegon Heights, and Jeannette Elsie Payne, 19, Zeeland; Frederick J. Schmidt, 22, route 2, Coopersville, and Norma Kirkbride, 21, Coopersville.

Allegan County
Murlin A. Gurney and Irene Ann Niemchick, Wayland; Paul Lee Bush, Wayland, and Grace Vivian Carpenter, Allegan; Robert Coleman Allen, and Leona Ruth Stratton, Allegan.

Purse Stolen

A woman's handbag belonging to Margaret E. Chaddock, 634 West 20th St., was stolen from the counter of the AAA office in the lobby of the Warm Friend Tavern Wednesday, police reported today. Inside the handbag was a wallet containing about \$20 and personal cards and papers, police said.

Don Brower, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brower, 157 East 18th St., is at Lackland Air Force base in Texas for basic training after enlisting in the Air Force. Brower attended Beechwood school in Overisel and Holland high school. Before enlisting, he was employed at Crampton Manufacturing Co.

Wed in Zeeland Church



Mr. and Mrs. James Postma

Miss La Delle Schaafsma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schaafsma of West Main Ave., Zeeland, became the bride of James Postma, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Postma, 260 West 18th St., Holland, at the First Christian Reformed church in Zeeland, on Wednesday, Dec. 28.

The Rev. D. D. Bonnema performed the ceremony before a setting of ferns, palms and seven branch candelabra. The bride approached the altar in a gown of white slipper satin with long sleeves ending in points at the wrists. She wore a lace-trimmed veil, a single strand of pearls and carried a white Bible.

Attending the couple were Miss Norma Lokers, maid of honor, and Ronald Doezeman, best man. Ushers were Jerry Schippers and Laverne Van Klompenberg.

Wedding music was played by Mrs. John Naberhuis who also accompanied Bernard Sharp as he sang "Because," "I Love You Truly," and the "Wedding Prayer."

After the ceremony a reception and program were held for the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Klompenberg, aunt and uncle of the bride, were master and mistress of ceremonies. Mr. and Mrs. J. Miskotten, brother and sister of the groom, served at the punch bowl. Bonnie Lou and Verna Van Klompenburg, cousins of the bride, were in charge of the gift room.

The couple is now living at 1071 West Main Ave., Zeeland. The bride is employed at the Knoolhuizen Shoppe and the groom is employed at Chris-Craft.

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Camp Fire Council Hears Community Chest Head

John W. Dregge of Grand Rapids, addressed a large group of Holland Camp Fire workers at the Holland Camp Fire Council's annual dinner meeting Monday night in the parlors of Third Reformed church. Speaking on "Camp Fire, an Opportunity for Community Service," Dregge cited the unlimited opportunities for service, with emphasis on the training of youth as one of the finest.

The speaker gave advantages of well-organized youth programs such as Camp Fire, which places the importance on the final product. He commended the youth programs for their preparation of young people for future living.

Dregge is president of the Grand Rapids and Kent county Community Chest and serves on the Grand Rapids Camp Fire board. His talk followed a business meeting, Mrs. Peter Kromann presiding.

Mrs. Albert Timmer, Holland Camp Fire executive director, gave an account of her attendance at the National Camp Fire conference in New York this month.

"Horizon Melodies" were presented by the Horizon Girls' trio, Mary Ann Knooihuizen, Barbara Van Huis and Betty Schepers, and their accompanist, Lois Ann Van Huis. Camp Fire Girl Sonja Bowman gave her interpretation of the Camp Fire birthday project, "Everybody Counts."

The Rev. William C. Warner

gave the invocation. Group singing was led by Mrs. Preston Luidens. Dinner was served by the Third Reformed church Ladies Aid. Decorating the tables were centerpiece of large crosslogs and flames Camp Fire symbol, made by members of the Okiciyapi Camp Fire group. An arrangement of tulips and white tapers were placed at the speaker's table.

Annual reports, in book form, were distributed to those attending. Covers were designed by Mrs. Wilma Reed.

St. Francis Social Club Has Meeting and Party

Members of the Young People's Social club of St. Francis De Sales church gathered at Miller's barn Saturday night for a regular monthly meeting and party.

Square dancing was the feature of the evening. Refreshments were served.

Because the next meeting date falls during the lenten season, the group decided to cancel all parties during that season.

The club will meet April 14 for a square dance party.

Medical Assistants Hear Talk by Pharmacist

Dick Morley, pharmacist at a local drug store, spoke to the Holland Medical Assistants at their meeting Monday night at the home of Miss Yvonne Diekema. Following his talk, a business meeting was held. Refreshments were served by Miss Rosemary Rowell and Miss Diekema.

Former Local Scouter Will Head Fraternity

Dan Den Uyl, former scoutmaster in Holland, has been elected national president of Alpha Phi Omega, national Boy Scout collegiate fraternity.

Den Uyl presently is a professor of forestry at Purdue university. He is the brother of Simon Den Uyl of Holland.

The new APO president was a scoutmaster in Holland from 1916-20.

Local Oil Firm Gets New Line

Boeve Oil Co. and Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. have concluded a deal whereby the local firm becomes sole distributors in this territory for Mobilgas, Mobiloil and Mobilheat.

The announcement was made by Russell Boeve, manager of the Boeve firm.

Company stations and dealers are in the change-over process and Mobil products are available in most of the locations now.

Neil Van Leeuwen, official of the Boeve firm, points out that Socony-Vacuum and its affiliates employ 43,000 persons in the U.S. It has marketing facilities in 43 states, the District of Columbia and has 16 refineries that manufacture 475,000 barrels of petroleum products each day. Its extensive crude oil properties are centered in the Gulf coast, Southwest and California.

The firm has research laboratories in Detroit and Trenton, Mich.

The Socony marine fleet includes 21 deep sea tankers and 68 lake and river boats. It owns 13,600 miles of pipeline and tanks cars along with motor vehicles.

Part of the marine fleet is used in transporting gasoline to the White Star division's storage plant near Muskegon. White Star has a private wharf in Muskegon harbor and Socony-Vacuum tankers dock there each few days. From Muskegon the gas is shipped to many Western Michigan distribution points.

Dr. Zsiros Addresses Trinity Men's League

Dr. Joseph Zsiros, professor of Bible at Hope college, spoke to the Trinity Reformed Men's league at the first dinner meeting of the season Monday evening at the church.

Using as his subject "Communism and Church," Dr. Zsiros outlined the philosophical developments of Communism ending in the philosophy expounded by Karl Marx.

He said Communism is a religion and diametrically opposed to the church; the two cannot exist together. An informative question and answer period followed the talk.

Frank Van Alsburg presided and introduced the speaker. Henry Tyse opened with prayer. Two vocal solos were given by Marvin Steketee. Lester Wassenaar presented the secretary's report.

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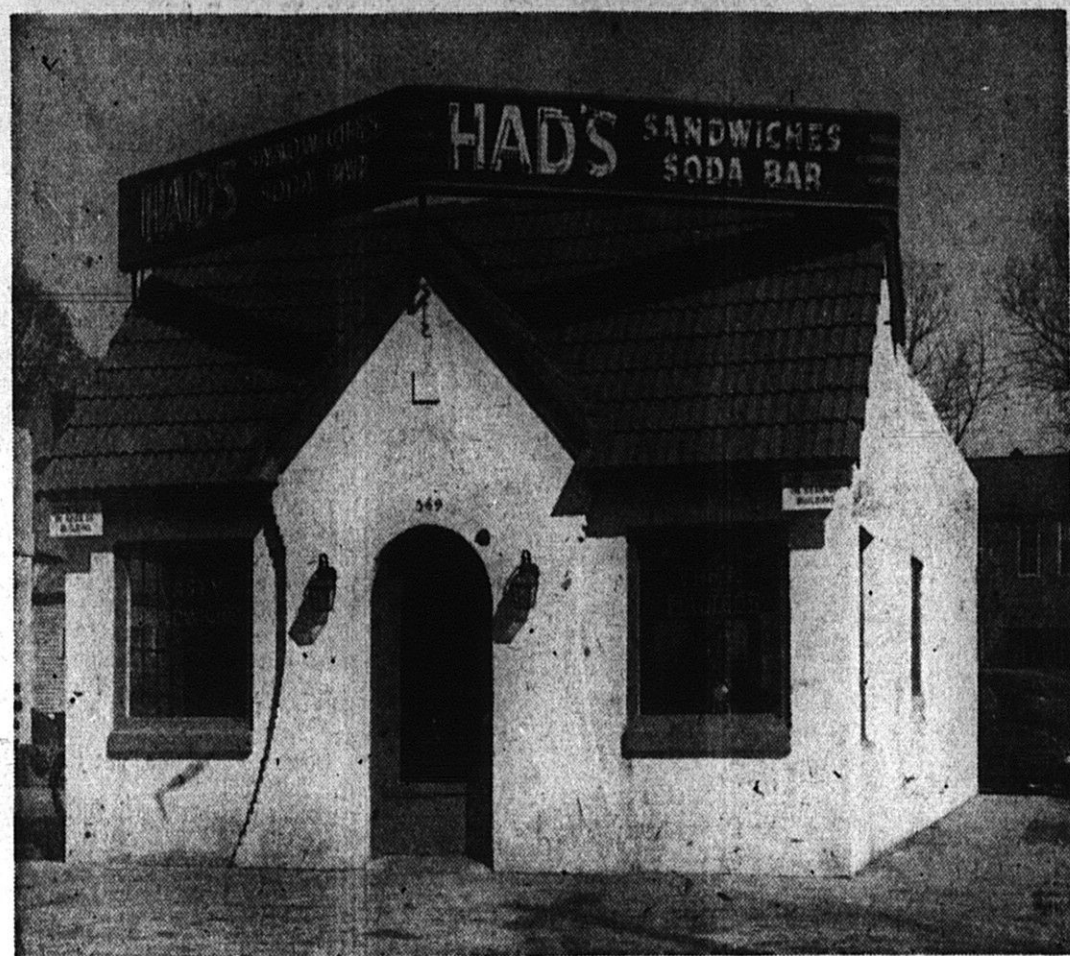
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ham and eggs, bacon and eggs and toast. At Had's, Borden's Dairy products are used exclusively. The owner caters to take-out orders by phone for parties or individuals. Call them and tell them when you want your order. It will be waiting for you when you come, the owners say. Tray service is available at the rear of the building where there is plenty of parking space.

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Polio Victims' Parents Join Allegan Chapter

Allegan (Special)—Parents of children afflicted with polio swelled the membership of the Allegan county chapter for Infantile Paralysis as plans were made for a new March of Dimes campaign.

They attended the annual meeting Friday night with offers to help in the drive.

Re-elected president was Irving J. Tucker, with Frank Peck re-elected treasurer and Joseph Haverman, Moline, secretary.

Tucker reported that 14 new polio cases occurred in the county last year and expenses for the year were \$14,381. Besides caring for the new victims, the chapter also assisted 18 carry-over cases from 1949.

Speaker Tells Kiwanis Of High Altitude Flight

Dr. Nathaniel Brower, laboratory director of the Mead, Johnson Co., told Kiwanians about the physiological aspects of high altitude flying at the regular meeting Monday night at the Warm Friend Tavern.

Dr. Brower, an instructor in aviation physiology during World War II pointed out the dangers of stratosphere flying because of oxygen lack and pressures which have to be overcome to provide safe flying.

Claus Bushouse, program chairman, introduced the speaker. George Schreier, second vice president, presided at the meeting in the absence of Wilbur Cobb, president, and George Steketee, first vice president, who are attending a Kiwanis Midwinter conference in Saginaw.

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Maple Hill

(From Tuesday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Richardson were host and hostess to members of the Bell community Farm Bureau group in their home at the annual party of the group. A discussion on "The Educational outlook for rural youth," was led by Arthur Pickering. Lunch was served by the hostess and gifts were exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mills received word of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kreizer of Grand Rapids. The Kreizers, have two other boys. Mrs. Kreizer is the former Miss Evelyn Schwannder and is a sister of Mrs. Mills.

The Rev. E. K. Lund of Ohio is the evangelist of the Revival services which are being held at the Maple Hill United Brethren church Jan. 7 thru Jan. 21. Services are each evening at 8 p.m. except on Saturday when no service is held. Rev. Edger Perkins is the song leader of the song service and Mrs. Evalene Perkins is the pianist. At each service the Rev. Lund paints pictures during the song service of the hymn while the congregation is singing it. This picture is presented to the person who brings in the most people to the service each night. About 3 or 4 years ago Rev. Lund was also the evangelist as well as the artist at this church.

Mrs. Mercy Schwannder spent several days at the home of her daughter Evelyn and son-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kreizer and children of Grand Rapids, attending to the household duties. Mrs. Schwannder is now staying at the home of her daughter Geneva and family Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parker and children of Grandville.

Rudolph Diesel, father of the efficient and widely used diesel engine, vanished from life from a steamer while crossing the North Sea in 1913.

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