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Dinner Speakers Remember Old Days in Holland

Early associations with Holland provided the theme for several talks at the testimonial dinner Monday night honoring Charles R. Sligh, Jr., new president of the National Association of Manufacturers.

Ray Herrick, president and general manager of the Tecumseh Products Co. of Tecumseh, gave a moving story of his departure 41 years ago from Holland, the town of his birth. He told how he worked for the old King's Basket factory for 50 cents a day when he was 14 years old, how he also worked at West Michigan Furniture Co., and Western Machine Tool Works where he got the inspiration he some day wanted to go into business for himself.

"When I left Holland at the age of 20 with \$30 I had saved, I got some good advice from my father. He said, 'Never worry what you're going to get out of this world, son. Worry how much you put into it.' That philosophy has carried me through ever since."

Herrick told how he ran smack into the 1912 depression and how he got machinist jobs in Detroit. He spoke feelingly of the 61 years he spent with Henry Ford during which time he toiled up the tractor plant turning out tractors for the World War. He also told how he enlisted in the Air Corps and how Henry Ford yanked him back, telling him he could do a lot more for the war effort at home—and then set him to work in aircraft.

Herrick told how after 20 years he saved \$10,000 and set up business in Jackson where it grew so fast he had to get out of town. Then he went to Tecumseh in 1932 and five months later banks closed and he was faced with bankruptcy and \$132,000 debt. "I prayed for guidance, and I'm not ashamed to say it," he told how Henry Ford came through with \$85,000 without even a signature. "Last year we did 97 million dollars worth of business. We plan to do \$125 million this year and by 1960 \$300 million. I'd say there's three keys to success—Put God into your business, be thankful you live in the USA the land of freedom, and you've got to work hard!"

Herrick presented a challenge to local business when he said, "I left Holland 41 years ago because the old home town wasn't good enough for me. Maybe there are other youngsters thinking of leaving for the same reason. Maybe they're leaving because you don't take enough interest in them." He paid tribute to Nicodemus Bosch his old employer, to Henry Geerlings his Sunday school teacher and to several others who influenced him in the early days.

Simon D. Den Uyl, president of Bohn Aluminum and Brass Corp., recalled the old days back in 1908 when he peddled Sentinels on route 14. "That Sentinel press was so slow I could help my uncle deliver his papers on route 1 and my cousin on route 7 before I could get papers for route 14. He spoke of working in a grocery store, a shoe store, the pickle factory, Scott-Lugens and Macatawa. I left town because nobody would pay me enough."

Den Uyl said in the last 20 years American industry has been somewhat maligned and it's partly the manufacturers' own fault. "Management has done a wonderful job producing automobiles, but they've never really sold to the American people free enterprise. 'We've got a mandate now, and if we don't help our Charley Slighs and our President Eisenhowers we might just as well forget free enterprise. We've got to remember our educational systems too. To me American industry won't survive unless free education survives. Charley Sligh knows that too. He's a trustee in the Michigan College Association, same as I am."

Hollis S. Baker, president of Baker Furniture, Inc., characterized Sligh as an untypical business man. "Some people go into business bent only on financial profit, others are intrigued by business and are good citizens as a by-product, and still others are truly concerned over their civic responsibilities but not as a sideline. Such a kind is Charley Sligh who outside of the furniture field remembers church, education, politics and many other endeavors. It is the natural culmination of all this that he has had this unique recognition. And it's still only the beginning."

De Velders Leave On Trip to Iowa

Dr. and Mrs. Marion de Velder of Hope church left Holland today by auto for Pella, Ia., where Dr. de Velder will speak at the Religion-in-Life week Feb. 1 thru 6, sponsored annually by Central college.

Dr. de Velder, who was graduated from Central college in 1934, will deliver several messages under the general theme, "Guidedposts Along the Way." His subjects will be "A Motto for Your Life," "Using Your Education," "The Adventure of Faith," "The Greatest Thing in the World," and "Living With Direction."



These Korean war veterans, who remained together from the time of their induction at Detroit in January of 1951, were honored at a banquet last week when their families and friends gathered at North Holland church. The families got together often while the men were fighting with the 45th division in Korea. Left to right, front row, are Kenneth Knap, Carl De Vree, Robert Cook, Leon

Brummel, Verne Kraal, Monroe Branden and Eugene Wieringa; standing, Wesley De Witt, James Abels, Charles Beeson, Edwin Bareman, Augie Beek, Jack Hertz, Merlin Shears, Fred Peterson, Laverne Lampen, Henry Bol, Arnold Reenders and Jerry Kieft. Members of the group not able to attend the event were Jack Oonk, Robert Snip, Roger Pellegrin, William Miller and Richard Young. (Penna-Sas photo)

Austrian Princess Now Is Just Plain Mrs. Wildschut

ZEELAND (Special) — Pretty Princess Maria Anna Laurentia Theresa von Schwarzenberg Wildschut is just plain Mrs. Wildschut today.

The 27-year-old mother took her oath of citizenship Tuesday before Judge James A. Fee in Detroit. She said her late father, Edmund, was a prince of Schwarzenberg in Austria, and the title passed to her.

She met and married Jack Wildschut, 40, now manager of the Western Branch Exchange for the State Department in Paris, in 1950.

He is a native of Zealand, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Yelle Wildschut.

The couple and daughter, Barbara Maritz, who was born in Paris, arrived in Zealand last Thanksgiving Day. After about a week in Zealand, Mrs. Wildschut applied for her American citizenship.

The one-time princess, an attractive redhead, is expected back in Zealand with her daughter today. They are staying with his parents.

Wildschut has been a civilian worker in Europe for the last 10 years.

However, the pair liked their visit to Zealand well enough that they are seriously considering settling there in maybe a year or so.

Sirens, Whistles To Signal March

The wall of police and fire sirens and the roar of whistles throughout Holland and Park townships at 6:30 Saturday will herald the start of the Mothers March on Polio, climaxing the 1953 March of Dimes in this area.

Simultaneously, with the sounding of the signal, porch lights will shine from homes throughout the area as occupants await the ring of the bell or knock at the door by the March "contact mothers." These volunteers, numbering more than 200, will collect the funds for the fight against infantile paralysis.

Mrs. Willis Welling and Mrs. Jack Plewes, co-chairmen of Mothers March, ask all residents, "When the starting signal sounds, turn on your light and open your heart. Adults and children in all families will feel grand, knowing they have helped."

If your home has no porch light, the co-chairmen said, display a candle or light in the front window as an invitation to the volunteer mother to call for your contribution.

Embezzlement Case Enters Fourth Day

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The case of the people vs. Frank Taylor, 46, Grand Haven, went into its fourth day today. Taylor is being charged with embezzlement of more than \$26,000 from Carl's garage where he was employed as bookkeeper and accountant from April 1, 1950, to July 12, 1952.

The prosecution rested its case Wednesday and Taylor took the stand in his own defense shortly before noon. He was cross-examined by Prosecuting Attorney Wendell A. Miles most of Wednesday afternoon and again this morning. One of the witnesses called by the defense was Taylor's 81-year-old father, Bernard Taylor of Canton, Ill.

The case was expected to go to the jury sometime this afternoon.

Veterans of Korea Were Together Since Induction

A celebration banquet last week climaxed a long, group friendship which began on Jan. 16, 1951, when 25 Ottawa county young men were inducted into the Army at Detroit.

The 25 men, who remained together from the time of induction, were part of a group of 86 draftees from the county that month. The 25 were sent to Camp Polk, La., for basic training. They left for overseas together and landed in Japan on June 27, 1951, and finally, in December of 1951, were sent to Korea where they fought with the 45th Division.

Throughout that time, families of the servicemen kept in touch and got together at various times, mostly to compare news received from the boys who provided the bond of friendship.

Most of the veterans returned home last August and September and the banquet last week in North

Holland church parlors united the vets, their families and friends. Decorations for the affair were in colors from the men's service patch, the Thunder Bird.

The 72 persons attending the affair opened the meeting with songs and prayers of thankfulness. After dinner, speeches were given by Mrs. Leon Brummel, representing wives and sweethearts of the servicemen; Merlin Shears, who spoke in behalf of the returned veterans; Mrs. A. Bareman, speaking for the mothers, and Andrew Peterson, for the fathers. The Rev. H. Ten Clay delivered the final message.

One member of the draft group, Elmer Scott of Nunica, was killed in action in Korea. Charles Beeson was seriously wounded and convalesced for several months at Percy Jones hospital, where he was decorated for bravery. Robert Cook was slightly wounded in the fighting action.

Prince Bernhard To Speak at Fete

Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands will deliver an address Feb. 1 in New York honoring the 300th anniversary of the incorporation of the City of New Amsterdam.

The Prince is scheduled to speak from St. Mark's Church in the Bowery at 4 p.m. According to the Netherlands Information Service the City of New Amsterdam was incorporated on Feb. 2, 1653. Pieter Stuyvesant, governor at that time, is buried in St. Marks, near where he had a farm called "De Bouwerie."

Prince Bernhard also is scheduled to be guest of honor on Feb. 2 at an exhibition at the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The display commemorates the 300th Anniversary.

Selected by Dr. L. F. J. Wijnsebeek, Municipal museum director of The Hague, the exhibition is being loaned by the Netherlands government and flown to New York. Dr. Wijnsebeek will be in New York for the opening. Included in the selection are historical documents, maps and paintings relating to New York around 1653.

Saugatuck Clerk Dies at Age of 80

SAUGATUCK (Special) — Ralph W. Clapp, 80, Saugatuck village clerk for the last 19 years, died of a lingering illness Tuesday evening at his home here.

A resident of Saugatuck for 60 years, Mr. Clapp had served as postmaster for 13 years and was Saugatuck supervisor from 1935 until he retired in 1949. During the last year of office, he was chairman of the board. He was a life member and past master of the Masonic lodge, a member and past patron of Order of Eastern Star. He was a member of All Saints Episcopal church. Mr. Clapp was born in Kansas June 9, 1872, to the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Clapp.

Surviving are the wife, Frances, a son, Charles G. of South America, two grandchildren, and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at All Saints church, the Rev. James W. Curtis officiating. Masons will be in charge of burial rites at Riverside cemetery. The body is at Dykstra funeral chapel where friends may call Friday from 7 to 9 p.m.

Judge Revokes Probation Of Ferrysburg Resident

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Ronald Hiler, 20, of Ferrysburg, who was placed on probation last April 1 for two years on a charge of entering without breaking, had his probation revoked by Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith today and was sentenced to serve 1 to 5 years at Southern Michigan prison at Jackson.

Conditions of Hiler's probation had included that he pay \$50 costs and \$5 oversight fees, plus restitution. Restitution had not been made, only \$10 costs had been paid and Hiler had reported only twice to the probation officer. Today he was completing a 10-day jail sentence on a traffic violation.

Clifford E. Graham, 47, Ferrysburg, who was placed on probation last April 1, for two years on a non-support charge, had his probation extended for another year by Judge Smith.

Heinz Conference Drawing to Close

Forty-five field representatives and executives of the H. J. Heinz Co. are winding up a two-day conference here in Holland, designed to find ways to produce at a greater net profit to the grower and processor.

The representatives come from Holland, Big Rapids, Saginaw and Fremont, Mich., Ontario, Indiana, Colorado, Wisconsin and Pittsburgh, Pa.

The conference started Wednesday, with meetings from 9 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Discussions covered fieldmen's problems, profitable crop rotation including one crop of cucumbers, rotations, cultural practices, yields and net income.

Today's sessions deal with new field labor problems, equipment, salting cucumbers and agricultural outlook.

A dinner meeting at the Warm Friend Tavern at 6 p.m. followed by a discussion of the agricultural outlook and a film will wind up the seminar tonight.

Consultants for the two-day meeting have been L. H. Brown of Michigan State College, G. F. Warren of Purdue University and W. R. O'Brien of the federal soil conservation service.

Attending from Holland are C. B. McCormick, A. E. Hildebrand, M. Baskett, R. E. Platt and A. Teall. From the Holland district are C. A. Barton, H. E. Brumm and C. Groenink.

The meetings have been held in the second floor hall of the Veterans of Foreign Wars building on Seventh St.

Ike Listed Second In 'Most Admired' Poll in Holland

President Dwight D. Eisenhower occupies the unique position of being the second most admired man in the Netherlands, excluding members of the royal family, according to a release from the Netherlands Information Service.

Number one on the "admired" list is Dutch Premier Willem Drees who captured 17 per cent of the vote. President Eisenhower is second with 12 per cent. The public opinion poll asked the question, "Which of the men now living (excepting members of the royal family) do you admire most?" The poll was held just after the Nov. 4 general election. In a similar poll in May, 1951, Eisenhower held fifth place. Mr. Drees moved to the top of the popularity contest replacing Winston Churchill who had held the number one spot for several years. Churchill was third this year.

Others in the top 10 are Albert Schweitzer, missionary; Pieter Liefkint, former Dutch finance minister; Abe Lenstra, Dutch soccer ace; former-President Harry S. Truman; Pope Pius XII; Joseph Stalin; Pieter J. Oud, head of the Liberal opposition party.

Harry Truman, Pope Pius XII, and Joseph Stalin were tied for seventh place. Each received two per cent of the votes. Others receiving less than one per cent each accounted for 42 per cent of the total votes. The number of men polled was not listed. Conducting the survey was the Netherlands Institute for Public Opinion.

Election of Bishop Delayed 30 Days

The 79th annual convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Western Michigan meeting Wednesday in St. Mark's cathedral, Grand Rapids, deadlocked in its attempt to elect a successor to the Rt. Rev. Lewis Bliss Whittemore, who will retire in June.

The two leading candidates who failed to receive a majority of the votes of the clergy and laymen are the Rt. Rev. Russell S. Hubbard, suffragan bishop of Michigan and the Rev. Dr. Harold S. Olafson, rector of St. Paul's church, Flatbush, Brooklyn, N. Y. Bishop Hubbard failed to be elected by a margin of only two clerical votes.

The Rev. William C. Warner, rector of Grace church, stood in third place in a field of 29 nominees.

The convention will reconvene in about 30 days in an attempt to elect its new bishop. Delegates from Grace church included Charles R. Sligh, Jr., Otto P. Kramer, John G. Eaton, Verne C. Hohl and the rector.

Sligh addressed the convention banquet on Tuesday.

Kramer was the only member of the convention who was confirmed by the first bishop of the diocese and participated in three episcopal elections.

Eaton was elected an alternate delegate to the Provincial Synod at Eau Claire, Wis., next October.

Ice skating is good

Present prospects are for a good week-end of ice skating if the weather continues cold. Recreation Director Joe Moran reported today. The 19th St. skating rink is frozen over solid, with lots of ice on the pond, although it is a little rough because of snow falling during Wednesday night. Ice skating hours today will be from 2-9 p.m., Moran reported.

City of Holland Offers a Reward For Information

Prosecutor, Family Asleep at the Time; Motive Is Mystery

A reward of \$100 was posted Monday by the city of Holland for the unknown gunman who blasted the bedroom window at the home of Ottawa County Prosecutor Wendell A. Miles early Saturday morning while Miles, his wife and two tiny daughters slept.

Nobody was injured in the incident that happened about 4 a.m. Saturday at the Miles home, 272 West 14th St.

The city, through Mayor Harry Harrington and Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff, offered the reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the unknown gunman.

Miles was awakened at 4:05 a.m. Saturday by a crash or blast, and breaking glass. He said he then heard the motor of a car apparently leaving the scene, with wheels spinning on the ice.

The front bedroom window on the second story at the northwest corner of the house was blasted with a shotgun charge. Shattered glass was splattered about the room.

Asleep at the time were Miles, his wife, Mariette, and two daughters, aged 51 and 11.

Back wadding from a 16 gauge shotgun shell also was found in the room. The window that was blasted was a large one, divided horizontally. The upper panel of the window and a storm window were shattered.

Miles said he had "no idea" who the culprit might be. He said he had turned all available information, along with a list of likely suspects, over to the Holland police department.

"If somebody's after me, that's one thing," Miles said. "But I don't want some doctor to have to pick pieces of glass out of my kids."

The prosecutor said he felt that the shooting was definitely connected with some of his work as prosecutor. Miles has held that office for four years.

He also is a member of the Holland Board of Education.

Investigating officers questioned neighbors, and while most of them failed to hear anything of the early morning incident, several did hear the blast and some reported hearing a car drive away.

Chief Van Hoff commented that he thought the Miles window shooting was connected with a similar incident on Nov. 9 at the Harrington Coal Co., operated by Mayor Harrington and his brother, Carl.

Time of the Harrington window shooting was about 1:30 a.m., and two blasts shattered the company windows. A 16 gauge shotgun was used in this instance, too.

Miles said he "wouldn't know" why the two shootings should be connected. At the time of the Harrington shooting, the mayor said he felt that the incident was motivated by personal revenge.

VFW District Meeting Scheduled in Holland

Henry Walters VFW post 2144 of Holland will be host for an 8th VFW district meeting at the club house on West Seventh St. Friday evening.

The district includes Holland, Grand Haven, Allegan, Otsego, Grandville, Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids.

The meeting is scheduled to open at 8 p.m. Commander Adrian DeKraker urges that all members of the local post attend.

Lunch will be served after the meeting.

Seek Funds to Aid Orphaned Children

ALLEGAN (Special) — While double funeral rites were being planned for their parents, Hopkins residents were working to establish a fund to aid three route 2, Allegan, children orphaned Monday in a car-train wreck in Allegan.

Funeral services for Ford Moore, 49, and his wife Elvina, 46, will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. from First Baptist church, Allegan, with burial in Hudson Corners cemetery. The Moores were killed Monday afternoon when their car was struck by a New York Central freight train at the Grand St. crossing.

Funeral arrangements are in charge of the Nyberg funeral residence.

Three Hopkins residents have started a fund to aid the Moore's three children, John 14, Alice 9, and Bernard 7. All three have been attending school in Hopkins.

Anyone who wishes to make a contribution may contact Lee Buck, Hopkins village president, Mrs. Oscar Zimmerman or Mrs. Vernon Weick, in Hopkins.



Fourteen-year-old Susan Dahl, who last summer was completely helpless with the most dreaded bulbar-type polio, knows the value of contributing to the March of Dimes. Since she began her complete recovery from the crippling disease, she has saved 536 dimes—a bank jammed full—which she placed on the plank as her very own contribution. She and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dahl of Port Sheldon, also are taking part in the Mothers March on Polio in their residential area. The Dahl family learned that the encouragement given by the unknown friend from the polio foundation is as important as the financial help they willingly give. Susan contracted polio in late August. A recent check proved her 100 per cent recovery. She even goes tobogganing and roller skating. (Sentinel photo)

Mothers Ready to March On Polio in Holland Area

Porch lights will be burning for one hour throughout the Holland area on the night of Jan. 31 when the Mothers March on Polio will be launched as a dramatic climax to the 1953 March of Dimes. Burning lights in hundreds of homes will be the signal to an army of volunteer mothers that they will be welcome to receive contributions to the March of Dimes.

Bells and sirens will sound at exactly 6:30 p.m. Saturday as a signal to all families to turn on their porch lights—or burn a light in the front window—if they wish to contribute. Then the mothers will march, street by street, house to house, to receive the contributions.

Nationwide, the Mothers March began today with an official send-off from the nation's new First Lady, Mrs. Eisenhower, who has a son in Korea, turned on the White House porch light and contributed \$20 to show everyone how the campaign works. More than 2,000,000 mothers around the country are scheduled to call at homes in the next few evenings to wind-up the March of Dimes drive to fight infantile paralysis.

Mrs. Willis Welling and Mrs. Jack Plewes, co-chairmen of the local March being sponsored by

the JCC Auxiliary and Kiwanis Queens, said today that "Turn on your porch light to fight polio is the theme of this special appeal by the mothers of the nation on behalf of the men, women and children who have suffered from infantile paralysis. The lights of American homes also will serve as a symbol of hope to those who may be stricken in the future."

Serving with the co-chairmen in this phase of the March of Dimes are a number of lieutenant mothers who head sections of the Holland area. They have lined up volunteers in each block to make the canvass.

Meanwhile, in another phase of the local polio campaign, it was revealed that 100 girls from seventh through 12th grade in Holland Junior and Senior high schools will bake cakes for the "Bake a Cake for Polio" contest at Van's. They will take part in the baking event under direction of Lavina Cappon, home economics teacher. Hundreds of local women will enter cakes, to be judged Thursday night by Mrs. Garrett Vander Borgh, president of Woman's Literary club, Althea Raffenaud, president of Junior Welfare league, and John Hempel, bake shop operator.

Leverette Accepts Post In Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Leverette of Central Park have moved to Springfield, Mass., where Mr. Leverette has accepted the position as vice president and general manager of the U. S. Spring Bed Co. He will assume that post on Feb. 1.

Leverette for the last eight years has been advertising and sales promotion manager of Spring-Air Co. here, supervising national distribution of Spring-Air mattresses and box springs. The U. S. Spring Bed Co. is the manufacturer of Spring-Air products for Western New England.

The Leverettes have two sons, William Jr., a student at the University of London, England, and Eddie, in the Army at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Truck Route Offenses Bring 2 More to Court

Two more truck drivers paid \$2 fines in Municipal court today on charges of failing to follow the truck route through Holland. Police have been enforcing the law on the new well-defined route, and several outstate truckers have appeared in court.

Latest to pay \$2 fines on the count were Thomas Jeffery, route 2, Alto, and Cleo H. Olson, of 3751 Eastern Ave., Grand Rapids.

Other fines were paid by Jacob Bakker, 34, of 577 West 19th St., speeding, \$10; Della Bouwman, Hamilton, speeding, \$10; Lloyd Boeve, 23, route 5, interfering with through traffic, \$12; Mrs. Ed Lansing, Spring Lake, running red flasher, \$14.70, and no operator's license on person, \$5.

Parking fines of \$1 each were paid by Marjorie A. Boer, of 113 West 22nd St.; Harold Den Houter, of 135 West 11th St., and Warren W. Kane, of 268 Maple Ave.

Suspended Term Given Offender

A 30-day suspended sentence with the condition that the offender leave town was imposed by Municipal Judge Cornelius Vander Muelen Wednesday to Edwin Sullivan, 60, Miller hotel, Grand Rapids, pleaded guilty to a drunk and disorderly charge. Sullivan was arrested by city police Tuesday evening at Eighth St. and Central Ave.

Meanwhile city police continued their enforcement program on truckers who fail to follow the Seventh St. truck route established about two months ago with the result that five truck drivers paid \$2 fines for that offense. Paying such fines were Burnett Beard, Detroit; Lawrence Van Aelst, Filer City, Mich.; Robert Jannings, St. Joseph; Howard Cruzar, St. Joseph; Sidney Parks, Grand Rapids.

Others paying fines were John L. Peck, of 124½ East Eighth St., failure to have car under control and faulty brakes, \$17; Lester Paul De Pree, 19, of 81 West 29th St., speeding, \$22.70; Alvin De Boer, route 2, speeding, \$10, and no operator's license, \$5; Louis G. Urdicks, 19, of 640 Lincoln Ave., failure to have car under control, \$17; John A. Wolbert, route 2, Hamilton, parking, \$2; James W. Evans, 388 Lincoln Ave., parking, \$1.

Missionary Society Officers Plan Work

New officers and board members of the Hope church Missionary society gathered in the home of the president, Mrs. Clyde Geerlings, Wednesday afternoon to plan the year's work. Mrs. Geerlings was assisted by Mrs. Paul Hinkamp.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. Marion de Velder, Mrs. Lien Raven, Mrs. Theodore Carter and Miss Malbelle Geiger.

Olive Town Hall To Accommodate School Classes

State Police Assist In Investigating Fire Which Levelled Building

OLIVE CENTER (Special) — The 38 students of Olive Center school, temporarily on vacation after the school was destroyed by fire Friday night, will resume classes soon in the town hall just a quarter mile away from the school ruins it was learned Monday.

The Olive Center board of education, consisting of Harold Vander Zwaag, Peter Jacobson and Fred Veneberg, spent all day Saturday working out details, concluding their business at 10:30 p.m.

First they met with Detective John Girocco of the fire division of the Michigan State Police, Rockford post. Then they consulted Olive Township Supervisor Albert Stegenga who was most cooperative in offering the town hall for classes.

Stegenga said, however, that the stovepipe in the town hall goes directly through the floor up to the second story and would have to be repaired before an okay could be received to have school in the building. He said the township would provide a new chimney, and the school board checked again with Girocco on specifications, etc. It was hoped a mason would start work this week on fixing the chimney.

Board members next consulted Jennie M. Kaufman, superintendent of Ottawa county schools, who gave an enthusiastic okay to the use of the town hall.

Meanwhile, rumors of arson continued to circulate freely in the community, but no clues or evidence were actually uncovered. The investigation is continuing. Speculation of arson was a natural by-product, in view of the fire which destroyed the West Olive school four miles away just a week earlier.

The school board is planning to call a meeting soon for all adults in the school district to discuss plans for another school. It is a foregone conclusion that another school must be erected. The district is known as Olive district No. 2, and the area it covers has 44 children of school age. Of this number, 38 are enrolled in the Olive Center school and the remainder are attending a recently established Christian school for the North Holland - Crisp - Olive Center area which has been meeting the past year in the basement of the South Olive church.

A sign, "Danger—Keep Out," was put up near the ruins early Saturday morning to keep persons from disturbing the ruins. Detective Girocco inspected the ruins later in the morning. Only 15 folding chairs were saved in the blaze which leveled the 80-year-old frame building and all its equipment. Also lost was a school radio which the pupils had purchased from funds received in selling waste paper. During the summer, the radio was always taken to a pupil's home for safekeeping.

The tall chimney, about the only thing left standing, was pulled down Saturday afternoon for safety's sake.

The historic school was erected 80 to 85 years ago when Olive Center was a thriving lumbering center. At that time, the settlement boasted of a hotel, three grocery stores, a doctor, a post office, three saw mills and a railroad. Last summer the school staged one of its periodic reunions for former pupils.

Couple Wed in Detroit, Honeymoon in Fennville

FENNIVILLE (Special) — M/Sgt. Richard Bale and his bride, Dorothy, have been spending their honeymoon in this area following their wedding Jan. 19 in the study of Dr. Perry Gresham, pastor of Central Woodward Christian church in Detroit.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bale and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hutchins, all of Fennville.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cuthbertson of Allegan. The men were buddies in a German prison war camp for several months in World War II.

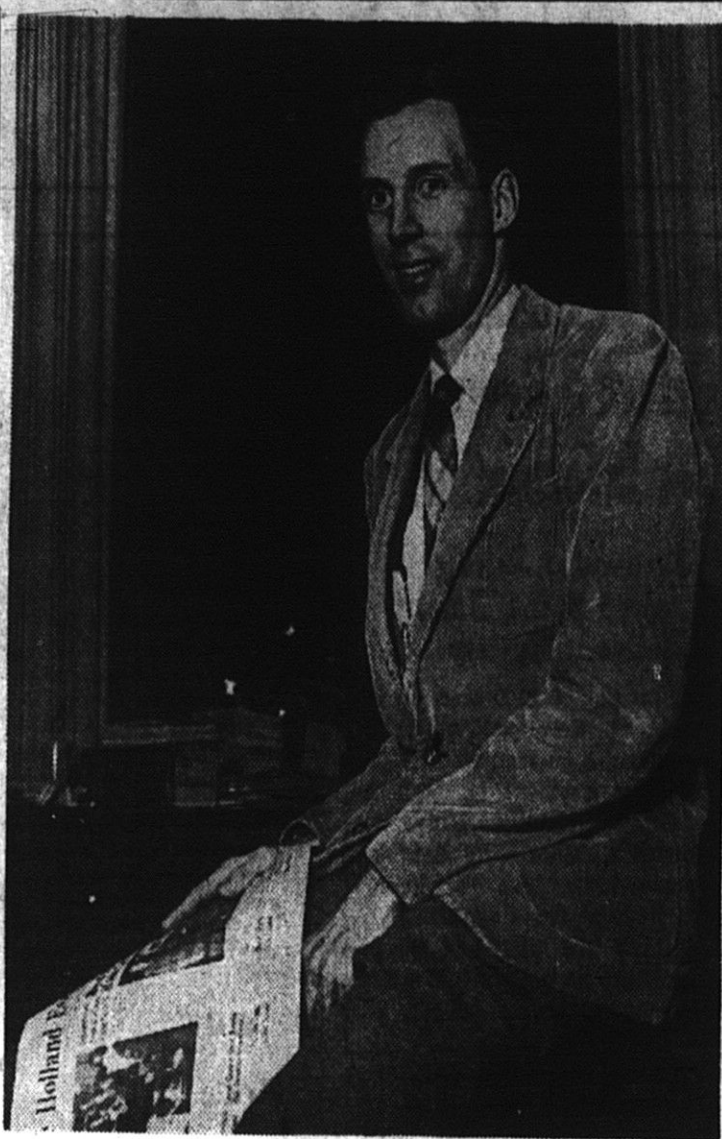
For her wedding Mrs. Bale chose a dressmaker suit of brown with a white orchid corsage. Her attendant was dressed in a brown suit with a natural colored orchid corsage.

Sgt. Bale recently re-enlisted in the Army Air Force for the third time and had a 30-day leave. He will return to Colorado Springs, Colo., where he has been stationed. His bride will join him as soon as a successor is found for her position in Detroit.

Saturday evening Sgt. and Mrs. Bale were feted at a family gathering at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Atkins. The occasion was also the fourth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hartuiker. Others who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bale; Mr. and Mrs. James Hartuiker; and Miss Mary Lou Bale all of Fennville and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bale of Holland.

Zeeland Chamber to Meet

ZEELAND (Special) — Directors of the Zeeland Chamber of Commerce will meet for a regular meeting 6:30 Friday at Bosch's restaurant. The group will discuss plans for the annual membership drive and the annual dinner meeting. Melvin Boonstra is president.



Russ De Vette

Hope Welcomes Back DeVette From Marines

When the second semester begins next week at Hope college, Russ De Vette, popular faculty member and basketball coach, will don academic garb once more after a second hitch in the Marines.

De Vette was recalled into the Marines back in July of 1951, and has been on active duty at Quantico, Va., for the past 18 months. He also spent 37 months in the Marines during World War II.

The former Hope basketball star will return to the physical education department, working with Larry Green in teaching all men's physical education courses. The department will be expanded somewhat now that Russ is back, and he will teach coaching techniques in basketball, track and baseball next semester. Techniques was one of the fields left vacant at Hope last fall.

His first coaching job after his return will be the baseball team this spring, replacing Jack Schouten, who retired last summer after almost 50 years as Hope baseball coach.

"It'll be quite a change," Russ comments, "not seeing Jack as baseball coach after all these years." But De Vette plans plenty of conferences with Schouten before the diamond season begins.

Russ played baseball both at Hope and at Denison University as a second baseman. He also was a member of the mythical state championship high school team at Muskegon a few years back. In fact, Russ was a member of the team that started Muskegon's phenomenal streak of 55 wins in a row.

No definite plans have been made about next season basketball coaching chores. Russ was head coach before he left for the Marines the second time, and present Coach John Visser took over last season when Russ left, guiding Hope to an MIAA title. The Visser-coached crew appears headed for another good season's record this year.

But college officials state that the question of a coach next season will be left unanswered for a while.

De Vette has been close to the game scene all the while during his recent service stint. Last season, he was a member of the Quantico team that won 41 games and lost seven and won the Marine Corps championship of the country.

Last year's team averaged

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about four games each week, and Russ started about one-quarter of them and played in all of them. Opponents mostly were other service teams and Eastern colleges, such as La Salle and others. All but four members of the team were college lettermen, and those four were terrific college prospects, De Vette said.

After last season, Russ was assigned to special service as a supply officer at Quantico, in charge of all buying of athletic equipment. Russ said he was as closely associated with athletics, and his line of civilian work as could be possible.

When the current basketball season rolled around, De Vette didn't go out for the base squad since he expected to be discharged about halfway through the season. Instead, he took a job as assistant coach of the Quantico team working under Capt. Roy Scheil of Wittenberg, O., college.

This year's team was even better than last year's. De Vette comments, and compares favorably with the best service basketball teams during the past war. Many well known Eastern stars are on the squad, but the biggest gun is Pfc. Paul Arizin, former great with Villanova and the Philadelphia Warriors.

Arizin last season led the National Basketball Association in scoring, and while at Villanova set the single game scoring record of 85 points that stood until Bevo Francis of Rio Grande college scored more than 100 earlier this season.

Up until the first of the year, Quantico had won 15 and lost only two games, against opponents including Syracuse University, St. Bonaventure, St. Francis of Pennsylvania and other top-notch college teams. The Marines, with Russ on the bench as assistant coach, also filled engagements at Madison Square Garden in New York and Convention Hall in Philadelphia.

De Vette commented that service teams in all sports are getting better these days, because of the increased mobilization effort. He added that this year's teams will rank with the best that were produced by services during World War II.

Russ who was one of the best independent basketball players in these parts before being recalled, isn't sure whether he will return to independent basketball this year.

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Hope-Adrian Tilt Will Be Played Here on Saturday

The on-again, off-again Hope-Adrian college basketball game has been set definitely for Saturday night at the Holland Armory, Coach John Visser announced late Monday.

The game was postponed from Dec. 13, when Hope and Adrian agreed to call off the game slated here because of icy roads. Then after mentioning several possible dates, the game was re-scheduled tentatively for Jan. 31.

But Adrian Coach Ted Boyett found he had scheduled a non-league tilt with some Ohio school for that night so the Hope-Adrian game was off again. It came back on again Monday, with Adrian agreeing to come here on Saturday night. Apparently, Boyett canceled the Ohio game.

Coincidentally, perhaps, Adrian also defeated Albion college in another re-scheduled game Saturday night by an impressive nine-point margin 77-68. Coach Visser would not comment on the possible connection between Adrian's win and the sudden re-scheduling of the Hope game.

Saturday's tilt looms as a natural for basketball fans. Adrian has won nine games and lost only three this season, and currently is a half-game behind Hope in MIAA standings. Hope has a 6-0 record, Adrian 5-0. The winner Saturday night will be in the driver's seat going into the second half of league play.

Adrian has a tall team, including two men over the 6'6" mark. Several of the Adrian stars are freshmen out of Detroit schools. Hope may not be at full strength for the game. Sparkplug guard Ron Bos twisted his knee in Saturday's Olivet game, and the knee currently is in bad shape. Coach Visser was doubtful at this point as to whether Bos will be able to play at all.

The Dutch mentor indicated that his choice to take Bos' place in the starting lineup would rest with Dwight Riemersma, Don Piersma or John Brannock.

Only One Squad Unbeaten to Date

Only one team remains undefeated after five weeks of play in the men's recreation class B basketball league.

The youthful Rockets, composed mostly of Hope college students, will try to preserve their unbeaten record Thursday night in the 6 p.m. game at the Junior high gym, facing Baker Furniture.

The rest of Thursday's schedule: 6:50 p.m., Yellow Dogs vs. All Americans; 7:40 p.m., Kopper Kettle vs. Knights; 8:30 p.m., Snafus vs. Chris Craft; 9:20 p.m., Independents vs. Seven Up.

Standings to date:

Rockets	W 5	L 0
Baker Furniture	4	1
Chris Craft	4	1
Yellow Dogs	4	1
Knights	3	2
Seven Up	3	2
Snafus	2	3
Kopper Kettle	0	5
Independents	0	5
All Americans	0	5

Sluggers Lead Race In Young Cage Loop

Results in the Recreation basketball league for fourth and fifth graders Thursday morning at the Holland high gym:

Hornets won over Lions 11-1. Greenowald led the winners with six points, Rogers scored the one for the Lions.

Sluggers defeated Cubs 26-19. Johnson and Maat each had eight points for the winners, Bouwman led the Cubs with six.

Fighting Five became victors over Snake Eyes 12-10. Dirkse was high for the winners with six points, Hill had six for the losers.

Next week's schedule: 9:30 a.m., Lions vs. Cubs; 10 a.m., Fighting Five vs. Hornets; 10:30 a.m., Sluggers vs. Snake Eyes.

Standings to date:

Sluggers	W 3	L 0
Snake Eyes	2	1
Fighting Five	2	1
Cubs	1	2
Hornets	1	2
Lions	0	3

Holland Man Placed On Two-Year Probation

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Raymond Alsip, 20, of 454 West 18th St., Holland, who pleaded guilty Jan. 16 to a charge of indecent liberties, was placed on probation Tuesday by Judge Raymond L. Smith for two years.

Condition of his probation provide that he pay \$100 costs, \$5 a month oversight fees, has a midnight curfew, refrain from using intoxicants and frequenting places where it is sold, and cannot leave the state without permission of the court.

On Dec. 18, 1952, Alsip pleaded not guilty to the offense, which occurred Aug. 21, 1952, at Park township and involved a 13-year-old girl.

Dance Nets \$883

Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary announced Tuesday total receipts from the Polio Benefit dance are \$883. The entire amount is to be turned over to the Ottawa county polio chapter. The dance Saturday night at the Warm Friend Tavern was the fourth annual dance sponsored by the Auxiliary.



Local businessmen and guests were in a jovial mood when they gathered in the lounge of Durfee hall Monday night to greet Charles R. Sligh, Jr., new president of the National Association of Manufacturers. In top picture, seated left to right, are Ray Herrick of Tecumseh Products Co., Sligh, S. D. Den Uyl of Bohn Aluminum and Hollis S. Baker of Baker Furniture, Inc. Standing are the Rev. William C. Warner who gave the invocation, Clarence Klaassen, president of the Chamber of Commerce, Mayor Harry Harrington and Dr. I. J. Lubbers, toastmaster. Lower picture shows Sligh with President Klaassen who displays the framed memento showing sketch of the old Sligh factory in Holland and a legend commemorating Sligh's contribution to the community.

Zeeland Cagers Bow to Fremont

Chix Face Second Stern Test Friday Against Broncos

ZEELAND (Special) — The Zeeland high school basketball team found itself with its back to the wall today in the Ken-New-Va league cage race after the Chix ran into a 43-36 upset at Fremont Tuesday night.

The loss dropped Coach Joe Newell's cagers out of first place in the league for the first time this season, putting them a half-game behind Coopersville.

Zeeland can nudge back into a tie for the lead Friday night when the powerful Coopersville squad comes to Zeeland for a league game. The Broncos have a 6-1 league mark at present, while Zeeland has a 5-2 record.

Zeeland found a different Pack team at Fremont Tuesday than the outfit that fell easily earlier in the year at Zeeland. The Packers jumped out ahead in the first quarter, and led most of the way. The winners also used a good defense to halt the Chix on the spacious Fremont floor.

Fremont led 12-8 at the first quarter and held this margin to lead at the half 22-18. The Packers added one more point to the margin to lead 30-25 at the third quarter whistle. Zeeland narrowed the gap to four points, the closest the Chix came all evening, with three minutes left to play. Then Fremont dropped in six straight foul shots to cinch the victory.

The Packers really won the game from the charity circle, hitting an amazing 19 out of 21 free throw attempts. Zeeland collected on eight out of 14 charity tries.

Another outstanding aspect for the winners was their effective shifting zone defense, which helped to throw the Zeeland passing game off kilter. The defense was the best the Chix have encountered this season.

The total of 36 points is a low one for Zeeland, and was just half of the 72 scored against Fremont in their first meeting.

Allen Kraai paced both teams in scoring with 19 points. Dave Kuyers, had nine, Al Meyers five, Del Komejan two and Jason Redder one. For Fremont, Dick Howland with 13 and Jim McMullen with 12 led the scoring.

Coach Mel Bouma's Reserves also bowed 43-35. Gene De Jonge had 13 points for Zeeland for scoring honors. The loss was the second against six wins for Zeeland.

Archery News...

Holland Archery Club scores for Jan. 21:

Marve Wabeke 756, John Lam 752, John Mulder 732, Norma Barker 728, Paul Barkel 720, Bill Brown 704, Neil Houtman 702, Webb Dalman 688, Glenn Brower 684, Les Lemson 664, Deane Mulder 658, Millie Petroelje 650, Shorty Geerlings 646, Wayne Harrington 644.

Arnie Overway 628, Andy Naber 626, Al Petroelje 614, Joyce Barkel 528, Joey Wabeke 551, Al Hamelink 540, Juke Ten Cate 539, Sara Brower 530, Bob Taylor 513, Mel Jousma 471, Glad Jousma 433, W. Vanden Broek 373, Warren St. John 361, Mike Lam, 354, Juke Ten Cate 236, Joyce Dalman 234.

Few wild animals die of old age. Predatory birds and animals take the largest toll.

Vriesland

The Prayer meetings on Tuesday evening were led in December and January by the Rev. John Van Peursem of Zeeland. Dr. Simon Blocker from Holland will have charge of the meeting this week and also the February meetings.

Mrs. Jennie De Witt, formerly from here, who is staying with her children, Mr. and Mrs. John De Witt of Forest Grove, attended the services here Sunday evening.

On Tuesday Dick Sherman invited the sixth, seventh and eighth grades and their teacher, Gerald Ver Beek, to his home to watch the inauguration of President Eisenhower and the parade in Washington on television.

Will Meengs is the proud grandfather of two new grandsons. Jan. 19 a son was born in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. J. Wolfe (Lois) and on Jan. 22 a son was born at Zeeland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. John Hoogland (Esther).

Jim Flint from Zeeland gave a safety talk to the school children Monday morning. Some of the mothers were also present.

Friends here have received word from Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden from St. Petersburg, Fla. that they expected to leave there for home Jan. 26. They have been gone nearly two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern South and Debby from Holland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Brower and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spaman and children from Holland called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spaman, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kroodma and sons spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Al Hop and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Wabeke and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Siverson and family of Byron Center Saturday.

Kristie, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Van Der Kolk, spent two days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Van Der Kolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hop and girls were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfert and family.

Sewing Guild met Thursday with 17 members present. Mrs. Tena Ver Hage also joined the society. Chester Warner, Norman Bos and Floyd Terpstra returned Saturday from a two week's trip to Florida.

Mrs. Ella Ter Haar attended a convention in Chicago Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ball from Grand Rapids called on Mrs. Clara Freriks Thursday. Mrs. Freriks has been confined to her home for several days with the flu.

Miss Gertrude Van Regenmortel from Janestown spent Thursday with Mrs. M. D. Wyngarden.

Mrs. Christine Wabeke and Roger from South Blendon called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wabeke Tuesday evening.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Hoeve went to Fort Custer to see their son, Herman.

The Junior CE met Sunday afternoon. Topic was "Helps for My Worship."

Mrs. Clifford Rynbrandt from Hudsonville called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit De Vree, Thursday.

Congregational meeting will be held Monday evening, Feb. 2, for the financial report.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Van Der Kolk from Ann Arbor were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Van Der Kolk and Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Zoeren from Zeeland called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Van Zoeren Sunday evening.

Dr. George Memenga from Western seminary conducted both services here Sunday. In the morning he spoke on "Adam, Where Art Thou?" and in the evening "The House of God." The girls' choir from Third Christian Reformed church in Zeeland sang two numbers.

Having Phony License Results in Jail Term

Carl L. Swanson, 42, Muskegon, was sentenced to five days in jail by Municipal Court Judge Cornelius vander Meulen Tuesday after pleading guilty to carrying a fictitious chauffeur's license.

Paying fines Monday and today were Harold J. Gee, 47, of 154 River Ave., excessive speed, \$22; Henry Mendoza, 29, of 305 West 15th St., speeding, \$7; Leslie W. Mowery, 25, of 658 Lakeswood Blvd., speeding, \$10; Henry Greenwald, parking, \$1; Bill Sligh, 152 East 17th St., parking, \$1.

Former Sheriff Succumbs at 68

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Benjamin H. Rosema, 68-year-old former sheriff of Ottawa county, died early Tuesday in Pine Rest sanitarium after an illness of five years. He was born in Grand Rapids Jan. 4, 1885, and lived in the Spring Lake vicinity for 65 years.

On Oct. 17, 1906, he married the former Elizabeth Patt. He was a member of the Spring Lake Christian Reformed church. He operated the Rosema market in Ferrysburg and later owned and operated the Riverside dairy until 1921. He served as deputy and undersheriff under Sheriff Delbert Fortney from 1921 to 1925 after which he was employed in local garages. He was elected sheriff of Ottawa county and served from 1933 to 1937 after which he retired to live on his farm in Spring Lake township.

Besides the wife, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Jane Walker of Spring Lake and Mrs. John Bultema of Manistee; three sons, Harold and Maurice of Spring Lake and Robert of Saginaw; two sisters, Mrs. Rena Bosch of Ferrysburg and Mrs. Gerrit Boyink of Grand Haven; two brothers, Harm H. and William H. of Spring Lake, and 15 grandchildren.

Private services will be held from the Kammeraad funeral home at 2 p.m. Thursday, followed by public services in Spring Lake Christian Reformed church at 2:30 p.m. The Rev. Clarence De Haan will officiate. Burial will be in Spring Lake cemetery.

Boeve, Van Dragt Named to Board

FENNIVILLE (Special) — Henry H. Boeve, of Fillmore township was elected to the board of directors of the Allegan Soil Conservation district at its annual meeting held last Thursday in Odd Fellows hall. Re-elected to the board was Roy Van Dragt, of Douglas. Both men were named for three-year terms.

A successful program was carried out despite the fact that the main speaker, Med Maxwell, nationally known Farm Radio program director and commentator, was unable to be present. His plane was grounded in Fort Wayne, Ind., because of weather conditions.

A panel, led by Art Morley, county agent, proved interesting. The panel was composed of Mel Andrus and Lowell Harry of Cass township, Milo Vesper of Saugatuck township, Henry Mulder of Fillmore township, Albert Crane of Ganges township, and Alfred Erby of Geneva township. The subject for discussion was "What Soil Conservation Means to Me." A lively discussion followed both from the panel and the floor.

Rangy Dutchmen Control Boards In Eighth Win

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Height came in handy here Friday night for the Holland high school basketball team as the tall Dutchmen brushed aside Grand Haven for the second time this season 63-44.

The 19-point margin of victory was the same as when Holland turned back the Bucs back in December 57-38 at Holland.

Using its towering advantage to a decisive end, Coach Fred Weiss' crew swept clear both backboards to give the Hollanders their eighth victory in nine starts this season. For Coach Steve Sluka's Bucs, the loss was the eighth in 10 games.

Center Dean Vander Wal led both the rebounders and the scorers for Holland. The tall pivot ace netted 18 points to pace the evenly divided Dutch scoring. Jack Kempker with 10 continued to show offensive punch, while guard Terry Burns added eight more points from the back line for the Hollanders.

Stocky Jack Van Schelven, used in a reserve role, hit 11 points to pace the Bucs before fouling out. Lew Secory was next with nine. Most of those 20 points came from outcourt. Usually high scoring Bob Klukos was held to three points, due partly to Burns' close checking defense.

The Dutchmen jumped out to a first period 16-9 lead and never were in trouble. Kempker paced the first period Dutch scoring with eight points, while the Bucs failed to register a field goal until seven minutes of the quarter were gone. Grand Haven hit only two goals the first period.

Closest the Bucs came all evening was a three-point deficit early in the second period as Van Schelven and Klukos hit long shots to narrow the gap to 16-13. Then Holland found the range and registered a 31-20 halftime lead.

Using their backboard control to good advantage, the Dutch outscored Grand Haven 16-13 in the third stanza, with six Dutchmen registering field goals to underline the divided scoring effort. Score at the whistle was 47-33 Holland.

The story was the same in the final stanza, with Holland ringing up a 16-11 advantage for its final margin.

Coach Weiss substituted freely, and 11 of the 13 boys who saw action played for considerable lengths of time. Ten men figured in the scoring.

Holland connected on only 27 per cent of its outcourt shots, hitting 18 of 63 attempts from the field with the other three buckets coming on tip-ins. The Dutch did better from the free throw line, netting 21 of 33 chances, while Grand Haven connected on only 14 of 29 chances.

The game was closely called by the officials, with 21 personals against Holland and 19 against Grand Haven.

Next game for the Dutch will be next Friday at St. Joseph.

Holland (63)	FG	FT	TP
Visscher, f	1	1	4
Israel, f	3	6	12
Vander Wal, c	7	4	18
Burns, g	3	2	8
Kempker, g	4	2	10
Armstrong	1	0	2
Van Dyke	0	3	3
De Velder	1	2	4
Plagenhoef	1	0	2
Mack	0	0	0
Beukema	0	1	0
Boeve	0	0	0
Bos	0	0	0
Total	21	21	63

Grand Haven (44)	FG	FT	TP
Dirkse, f	2	3	4
Secory, f	3	3	9
MacPhee, c	1	1	2
Fisher, g	0	2	3
Klukos, g	1	1	3
Van Schelven	4	3	11
Hollenbeck	2	0	4
Teasley	1	0	2
Van Tol	0	0	0
Marod	1	0	0
Heard	0	0	0
Murdick	0	0	1
Hall	0	0	1
Total	15	14	44

VFW Auxiliary Gives Flags to 'Dads' Club

A special presentation to the Dads of Foreign Service Vets highlighted a regular meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary Thursday evening at the club house. The "Dads" were meeting simultaneously in first floor rooms of the club house.

During the Auxiliary business meeting, plans were made for members to serve lunch at the 8th district VFW meeting Jan. 30 at the local club house. Mrs. Lillian Borchers was appointed Poppy Day chairman by the president.

After refreshments, members were invited by the VFW post commander to see movies in the club rooms.

Wife of Police Chief Succumbs at Allegan

ALLEGAN (Special) — Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. from the Gordon Funeral residence for Mrs. Arlythe I. Falk, 43, wife of Allegan's police chief, who died Friday morning at Allegan Health Center.

Burial was in the Oakwood cemetery. The Rev. Richard L. Ford officiated.

In addition to her husband, Howard, she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Plotts, Allegan, and three brothers, Wayne, of Augusta, and Kenneth and Max, of Allegan. She was a life-long resident of Allegan.

Glover-LaCombe Vows Spoken



Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Richard Glover

Miss Carol Jean LaCombe, daughter of Napoleon LaCombe of 174 West Seventh St., became the bride of Bobby Richard Glover, son of Mr. and Mrs. William

A. Glover of Bluff City, Tenn., on Jan. 10. The ceremony was performed at 2 p.m. in St. Francis De Sales church. The newlyweds now are at home on the Castle Park Rd., route 1, Holland.

Holland Seconds Rally for Victory

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The Holland high reserve basketball team came from behind in the last two minutes of play to turn defeat into victory as Coach Bob Connell's crew nipped the Grand Haven Little Bucs 56-55 Friday night.

The game was close all the way, with the score 17-17 at the first period and 34-31 Grand Haven at the half. But the Little Bucs outscored the Dutch 13-8 in the third period for an eight-point quarter advantage. In the last quarter, Holland came roaring back with a 17-8 advantage for the final one-point bulge.

Bill Sandahl tied the count at 54-54 with two minutes to go on a long one-hander, and a few seconds later Bob Saunders broke the tie with a free throw. Then Saunders and Connell of the Bucs traded free throws on a double foul for the last scoring of the game, and Holland successfully stalled for the last 30 seconds.

Saunders with 14 and Sandahl with 11 led the Holland scoring. Jim Vande Wege and Hank Visscher each had nine, Chuck Gouloze eight, Duane Teusink three and Phil Boersma two. Don Ziel was high for Grand Haven with 26 points.

Personals

(From Saturday's Sentinel) — Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wager of Glendale, Calif., announce the birth of a son on Thursday. Mrs. Wager is the former Goldie Koop of Holland. Her sister, Mrs. Elaine Slager, is presently visiting the Wagers.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oosting, South Shore Dr., returned Tuesday from California where they have been vacationing since Dec. 13. They spent most of their visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. Gordon Oosting in San Francisco. They also took many interesting side trips.

Pvt. Richard K. Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis I. Miles of 38 East 18th St., has completed basic training at the Chemical Replacement Training center of the Chemical Corps Training command at Fort McClellan, Ala., according to the Technical Information office.

Mrs. Ward Wheaton, president, spoke briefly about the Newcomers polo dance to be held Jan. 31 at the VFW club house. Mrs. Kenneth Haynes is in charge of tickets.

Mrs. Geraldine Priest was introduced as a guest. Prospective members present were Mrs. Louis Farkas, Mrs. Milton Iverson, Mrs. James Fitch and Mrs. Henry Englesman.

After luncheon, cards were played and prizes awarded to Mrs. Will J. Scott, Mrs. Louise Heinrichs and Mrs. Harry Morris.

Mrs. Russell Powell and Mrs. Fred Davis were in charge of decorations and entertainment.

Gun Club Auxiliary Meets At John Cammenga Home

Members of the Tulip City Rod and Gun club auxiliary met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. John Cammenga, Jr.

During the business meeting it was announced that Mrs. Ernest Wehrmeyer, Jr., won an electric roaster awarded by the auxiliary.

During the evening, members played cards and refreshments were served by Mrs. Virginia Bluekamp and Mrs. Ivy McFall.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 26 at the home of Mrs. Harold Van Slooten.

Building Permits Valued at \$2,515

Five building permits valued at \$2,515 were issued during the past week according to the records of Building Inspector Joseph Shashagay and City Clerk Clarence Grovengood.

Gerald Petroelje, 34 East 30th St., build 14 by 22 foot garage and 8 by 20 foot porch, \$400 and \$200 respectively; Witteveen Brothers, contractors.

Roy Billings, 245 West 17th St., remodel kitchen, \$115; George J. Van Der Bie, contractor.

Hemple Pastry, 170 West 13th St., build storage space structure and bath room, \$600; Barnard Poppe, contractor.

Edward Bos, 83 West 20th St., remodel kitchen, \$1,000; Henry Beelen, contractor.

De Pree Co., 130 Central Ave., build roof over loading dock, \$200; Jacob Postma, contractor.

Shooting Blamed On Interpretation

ALLEGAN (Special) — Mrs. Evelyn Locke, 32, blamed Thursday night's tragic shooting of her husband, Richard, 30, by her 15-year-old son on a misunderstanding, according to Sheriff L. A. Johnson, who questioned Mrs. Locke and her son, Burton Overholt, for several hours Friday.

A major discrepancy in the mother's and son's original statements was the fact that the boy said the mother told him to go get his gun. Mrs. Locke said when asked about this, "I meant for him to get the wooden gun Dick and I had been arguing about. I wanted to show him it wasn't made from his wood. That was the cause of the argument."

Instead, the six-foot Allegan high school sophomore went to his room and returned with a .410 shotgun. He ordered his stepfather, to turn around and "hold it." When Locke advanced toward him, he fired.

Allegan Health Center officials reported that Locke's condition was considered fair Saturday, although he was not off the critical list. Dr. M. S. Roberts, Kalamazoo surgeon who operated on him for 2 1/2 hours Thursday night, gave him an 80 per cent chance of survival.

He said Locke's youth and his good physical condition were factors in his favor.

Dr. Roberts said the close-range shot missed Locke's stomach and struck his kidneys. Officers said the charge was a No. 6 load.

Meanwhile, Probate Judge Harold Weston had ordered the boy released to the custody of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ryerson, of Kalamazoo.

World War II Mothers Install New Officers

Mothers of World War II officers were installed at a regular meeting Wednesday evening at the VFW hall. Members of the South Haven unit were in charge.

Officers are Mrs. Marie Huizinga president; Mrs. Hazel Beckets first vice president; Mrs. Jeanne Crammer, second vice president; Mrs. Bertha Driy, financial secretary; Mrs. Blanche Shaffer, recording secretary; Mrs. Xeda Poppe, treasurer; Mrs. Martha De Witt, chaplain; Mrs. Nellie Jacobs, historian.

Rehabilitation reports for the year were given during the business meeting. It was reported that \$175 is being sent to the Veterans Facility in Grand Rapids for a mobile site bath.

Mrs. Melva Crowle, retiring president, was presented a past president's jewel.

The Pleiades are a cluster of seven small stars just at the bend in the "handle" of the Big Dipper.

Newcomers Women Meet for Luncheon

Women of the Newcomers club met at the Warm Friend Tavern for a luncheon at 1 p.m. Wednesday. Decorations, which created a Southern atmosphere for the event, included palm trees, sea shells and straw baskets of spring flowers.

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Quartet Presents Pleasing Concert

A concert distinguished by expert musicianship, pleasing understandable music and local interest was presented in Hope Memorial chapel Thursday night by the Stanley String quartet of Ann Arbor under auspices of Hope college. It was one of a series of musical events sponsored by the college for students and public as a community service.

Although most chamber music is of a classical nature, the program was obviously chosen for the enjoyment of the average audience and was especially pleasing because the musicians seemed to like it themselves.

Adding interest to the event was the appearance with the quartet of Arthur Hills, head of the instrumental music department in Holland Public schools. Mr. Hills is a talented clarinetist who gave good account of himself in the Mozart "Quintet No. 6 in A Major." Written for string quartet and clarinet, the four movements included Allegro, Larghetto, Menuetto and Allegretto with Variations.

Preceding Mr. Hills' appearance, the quartet played two groups. Included were an arrangement of "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes," by Pochon; two vivacious pieces by Hadyn, "Presto" and "Vivace"; an appealing "Andante Tranquillo" by the modern composer Ross Lee Finney; the favorite Tchaikovsky "Andante Cantabile," practically a "must" on any string program; "Moment Musical" by Schubert.

Gilbert Ross, solo violinist, played the charming Haydn "Serenade" with pizzicato accompaniment and the first half of the program concluded with the descriptive number, "The Mill," by Raff.

Other members of the quartet whose musicianship and taste contributed to a delightful evening were Emil Raab, second violin; Robert Courte, viola; and Oliver Edel, cello. All are members of the school of music faculty at the University of Michigan.

Truck Route Violators Face Police Crackdown

Police continued a crackdown on truckers violating truck route signs as five truck drivers appeared before Municipal Court Judge Cornelius vander Meulen Thursday and each was fined \$2.

During the past week Holland police have stepped up a cation against truckers still using Eighth St. as they pass through the city. Seventh St. has been designated as the truck route and signs have been up for the past month. Warnings were issued for the first few weeks but as violations continued to occur police issued tickets making it necessary for the violators to appear in court.

Paying \$2 for disobeying the truck route signs were Marshall B. Young, Milwaukee, Wis.; Orle Stacy, Alma; Lloyd Alberta, Grand Rapids; Dale E. Carson, Benton Harbor; Carl Hartman, Jefferson, Ind. Others fined were Richard Hansen, 22, of 360 Fourth Ave., speeding, \$12; Juan Sosa, 18, route 3, Zeeland, speeding, \$15; Dale D. Groendal, 20, of 95 West 29th St., speeding, \$9.70; Gerald A. Ritsema, 17, of 478 South Shore Dr., speeding, \$5; John Vander Vliet, 221 West 19th St., parking, \$1; John H. Fike, Zwemer Hall, parking, \$2; Jose L. Almonza, 197 Chicago Dr., parking, \$2.

Mrs. Fannie Groeneveld Dies at Grandville Home

Mrs. Fannie Groeneveld, 73, died Friday noon at her home, 3515 prairie, Grandville.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. John Bruin of Hudsonville and Mrs. William Wierenga of Grandville; four sons, Allen and Herman of Holland and James and Henry of Grandville; 18 grandchildren, and a sister, Mrs. Jennie Beukema of Grandville.

Rites Held Friday

ZEELAND (Special) — The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spierenburg, route 2, Zeeland, died at birth at Huizinga Memorial hospital Thursday evening. Besides the parents survivors include the grandparents, Mrs. Sarah Vander Meulen and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Spierenburg, all of Zeeland. Services were held at the Yntema Funeral home Friday afternoon with burial in the Overisel cemetery. The Rev. John den Ouden officiated.

Birthday Party Given For Connie Slighter

Mrs. Harold Slighter, assisted by Mrs. Don Van Huis, entertained at a party Wednesday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Connie, who celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary.

Gifts were presented to the honored guest and games were played with prizes awarded to Lloyd Bouwens, Barbara Kleis, Gwen Otting and Jane Otten. A two-course supper was served, featuring a large birthday cake.

Guests were Barbara Kleis, Karla and Gwen Otting, Janice Van Huis, Johnny Slighter, Lloyd and Barry Bouwens, Adele Kortman and Cheryl Suzenaar.

Hospital Notes

(From Friday's Sentinel) — Admitted to Holland hospital Thursday were Edward Oosterbaan, 299 West 14th St.; Glenn S. 'rotenboer, route 6; Judy Konning, 233 West 18th St.; Barbara Woltman, 209 South 120th Ave.

Discharged Thursday were Mrs. George Menken and baby, route 4; Mrs. Paul Slotman and baby, Hamilton; Mrs. Henry A. Kortman and baby, 747 Lincoln Ave.; Mrs. John Bleckiere, 330 Howard Ave.; Mrs. Vernon Vanden Berg and baby, 35 Cherry St.; Thomas E. McKeefer, route 3.

Hospital births include a daughter, Sally Minnette, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Jr., 328 1/2 Maple Ave.; a daughter, Donna Louise, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jipping, 65 East 25th St.

Little Opposition Seen in Primary

ZEELAND (Special) — Deadline for filing petitions for the coming primary election to name candidates for the April municipal election passed Saturday with little competition for city offices.

Only offices showing a contest are the council posts. In the final transition to the new city charter, two aldermen will be named for three-year terms. Seeking the posts are Jack H. De Witt and incumbents Raymond G. Schaap and Frank Hoogland. Incumbent E. J. De Pree is not seeking reelection.

Four men have circulated petitions for the single one-year term on council. Seeking the office are George Van Eenennaam, Willis Hall, Lester De Pree and Herman A. Ten Harmelen.

Mayor D. C. Bloemendaal, Treasurer Rosamond Moll and Supervisor Nicholas Frankena are unopposed. City charter, however, required that the nomination commission attempt to find candidates in order to have at least a contest for all positions.



A lively discussion on current industry-government problems resulted Thursday when Holland Rotary club brought together a panel of six Hope college students and seven industrialists, all Rotary members. Dr. Irwin J. Lubbers (shown in rear center) was moderator for the discussion. Shown at left rear are the students, Warren Exo,

John De Weert, Paul Mitson, Robert Brandt, Fred Vandenberg and Robert Dethmers, who quizzed the industrialists at right, including A. Bondy Gronberg, John Donnelly, William Beebe, Jay Pettar, George Copeland, Bill Lowry and William Boer. The Rotary audience is shown in foreground. (Sentinel photo)

State Police Report Accidents on US-16

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — State police report two accidents Friday night.

At 7:17 p.m. on US-16 two miles east of Fruitport in Crockery township an oil tanker driven by Edward Smith, Jr., 25, route 3, Zeeland, and a car driven by Donald O. Dolph, 27, Kalamazoo, were involved. Both vehicles were traveling west. The tanker attempted to pass the car when the latter went off the road. As it was being brought back on the highway, it skidded across the road and was struck by the tanker. Although no one was hurt, considerable damage was done to Dolph's car.

At 9:45 p.m. on US-16, a half mile west of Nunica in Crockery township cars driven by Lyle G. Holthrop, 31, Nunica, going east, and Bernard Bisard, 42, Muskegon Heights, going west, were involved. Bisard was charged with failure to have his car under control.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

Gerald Gort and wf. to John Mulder and wf. Pt. E 1/4 E 1/4 SW 1/4 14-6-13 Twp. Georgetown.

Curtis Baldus and wf. to Emil Klumpel and wf. Lot 36 Corl's Add. City of Grand Haven.

Robert E. Baxter et al to Thomas E. Jarvis Jr. and wf. Lots 54-56 Inc. 96 and 97 Mountain Beach Plat Twp. Port Sheldon.

Robert E. Baxter et al to Fred J. Carmody and wf. Lot 222 Mountain Beach Plat Twp. Port Sheldon.

Melvin J. Weaver and wf. to George Hoekema and wf. Pt. W 1/2 SW 1/4 3-5-13 Twp. Jamestown.

Turner Ross Leemon and wf. to Paul Courtade and wf. Pt. S 1/2 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 and Pt. S 1/2 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 32-9-13 Twp. Chester.

Howard Timmer and wf. to Ivan C. Dykema and wf. Pt. NW 1/4 NW 1/4 35-6-13 Twp. Georgetown.

Henry P. Zwemer and wf. to Charles E. Gamby and wf. Lots 93 to 107 Inc. Harrington & VandenBerg Bros. Sub. Twp. Park.

William Ross and wf. to John W. Shashagay and wf. Lot 4 Blk 3 Hope College Add. City of Holland.

William Jeske to Charles Francis and wf. Pt. SW 1/4 10-6-16 Twp. Port Sheldon.

Ethel A. Dell Knutson et al to School District No. 1 Twp. Port Sheldon Pt. S 1/4 S 1/4 NW 1/4 10-6-16 Twp. Port Sheldon.

Henry P. Zwemer and wf. to Ronald W. Rosie and wf. Lots 90-92 Inc. Harrington & VandenBerg Bros. Sub. Twp. Park.

Richard Vander Molen Jr. and wf. to Gary Renkema and wf. W 1/2 SE 1/4 23-6-14 Twp. Blenden.

Ronald Hamlin and wf. to Herman Van Kampen and wf. Lot 180 Howard B. Duntion's Sub. Twp. Holland.

John Kyle Worley and wf. to John V. King and wf. Lot 7 North Shore Estates Sub. Twp. Spring Lake.

John Kyle Worley and wf. to Anthony K. Pandjiris and wf. Lot 6 North Shore Estates Sub. Twp. Spring Lake.

Arthur Vos et al to Clarence Kuiper Lot 34 Vos-Koster Sub. Twp. Georgetown.

John O. De Went and wf. to Sam Sterk and wf. Lots 6, 7 De Went Sub. Twp. Georgetown.

Charles Wabeke and wf. to Johann Heerspink and wf. Pt. NE 1/4 1-5-13 Twp. Jamestown.

Gordon Bouwens and wf. to Viola F. Swartz Lots 56, 57 Midway Sub. Twp. Park.

John Prins and wf. to Paul F. Taber and wf. Pt. Lot 3 and Lot 2 Elmdale Court City of Holland.

Emmons Chittenden and wf. to H. B. Annis Pt. W 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 24-8-16 Twp. Spring Lake.

George O. Nelson to Carol C. Hansen et al Lot 5 Blk 14 Howard's Add. Twp. Holland.

South Blendon

Mr. and Mrs. John Poskey visited Mr. and Mrs. John Mulder Sunday afternoon at their home north of Grandville.

Herman Wolbers of North Blendon was the guest soloist at the Sunday evening service.

The women of the local congregation gathered in the church basement Thursday to sew for the Knox Memorial hospital. A potluck dinner was served at noon.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit D. Vrugink were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Slykhouse of Grandville and Mr. and Mrs. Manley Stegeman of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Wal and David were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Wal and Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vrugink and boys of Jensen spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stegeman and children.

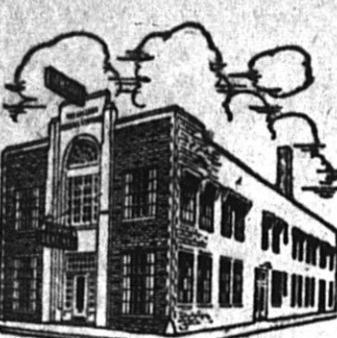
Mrs. Allie Newenhouse, Mrs. John Poskey and Mrs. Harold Vrugink and Faith spent Tuesday with Mrs. Willard Van Hara. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hofman of Zeeland visited the Van Hara's.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brink and children of Zeeland were Sunday supper guests with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kunzi.

The Rev. Jay Weener of Beaverdam had charge of the Sunday evening service here.

Mrs. Margaret De Weerd and daughter Crystal of Hudsonville visited

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THE TIT-FOR-TAT POLICY

Japan's blunt warning to Russia that Soviet warplanes flying over Japan will be shot down is almost certainly not a case of mere bravado. It very probably implements a carefully considered policy.

Backed as it is by the full official military power of the United States, it is not a mere meaningless boast. Japan has no legal air power to implement the warning; it is only in so far as the United States backs up the warning that it has any meaning at all.

That being the case, mere bravado would be dangerous. As a proud nation, Russia would resent such an attitude if it came out of a clear sky and was a one-sided warning. But it is nothing of the kind. Russia and her satellites have actually been shooting down the planes of other nations, in Japan itself, and in western Europe, including the dramatic Sweden case. The charge always was that those planes had violated Russian territory. This was always denied, and since Russia refused to have investigations made there is no way of telling whether the denials were valid or not.

But even if they were not, Russia has over and over again established the principle that the planes of other countries are not to fly over Russian territory for any reason. She can therefore not reasonably object if other nations follow the same principle. When Japan, with our backing, warns that Soviet planes violating Japanese territory will be shot down, no matter what the reason may be, she is not guilty of unnecessary provocation. Russia could not possibly take such an act as a reason for going to war.

There are signs that the free world nations are slowly, almost reluctantly, going over to a tit-for-tat policy all along the line. Those free nations are at long last beginning to give the Russians a taste of their own medicine. They are allowing the Russians to establish the principles of intercourse with other nations and then adopting those principles.

The free nations could do no less than that and retain their self-respect. Such a policy is not provocative, it is mere self-protection. It may lead to war, but acting like a doormat is just as dangerous.

15 Men Slated For Induction

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Fifteen men, the smallest draft group from Ottawa county in several months, have been ordered to report for induction on Feb. 4 as the February quota for the county.

Included in the list are only two men from Holland, one from Zeeland, and two from Grand Haven and three from Spring Lake.

The selectees, listed by postal addresses:

Holland (2)—John Steinga, route 2; Norman Lam, 210 West 15th St.

Zeeland (1)—Glenn Van Haisma, route 3.

Grand Haven (2)—Albert Westra, Roger Wester.

Spring Lake (3)—Earl Epplett, John Koster, Robert Dieters.

Others (7)—Henry Chilian, New York; Gerald Bowman, Coopersville; Clarence Taylor, Kent City; Cyril Conrad, Apple Creek, Ohio; Joseph Kneibel, Grand Rapids; Allan Hartman, Ferrysburg.

The men have been ordered to report at 1:15 p.m. at the Grand Haven Armory, to leave for induction in Detroit.

Aged Fennville Woman Dies at Home of Son

FENNVILLE (Special)—Mrs. August M. Knielbine, 89, died unexpectedly Monday afternoon at the home of her son, Louis, route 2. Other survivors are 10 grand-children and several great-grand-children.

Mrs. Knielbine was born Feb. 1, 1863 in Douglas and has lived in that area all her life.

Sunday School Lesson

Sunday, February 1, 1953
Possessions and the Kingdom
Matthew 19:16-26

By Henry Geerlings

Christ's ministry was the period of transition from the old to the new dispensation. Elements of the old faded more and more, and features of the new came into more prominent relief as He approached the close of His earthly career.

Some have called the ministry of Jesus including its extension in His specially inspired apostles the middle dispensation or the dispensation of the Son as distinguished from the dispensation of the Father, just past, and of the Holy Spirit, which followed, and overlapping each. It was a minor dispensation in length only; its significance making up for its brevity.

Features of gospel teaching were appearing all the time as souls came to Jesus, illustrated in such cases as Nicodemus, the Samaritan woman, Zaccheus, and the young ruler. Gospel terminology was to be developed, but in understanding words, the way of repentance is taught when the young ruler is told that the first step to enter the way of eternal life is to get right on the sin question, to reckon with the moral law.

The end of Jesus' earthly career was approaching. He was at this time making His way leisurely through Perea, preaching the gospel and the kingdom and healing all manner of diseases. His face was set toward Jerusalem. He was soon to wind up His evangelistic campaigns and conclude His efforts to redeem mankind in and around Jerusalem. The story of the rich young ruler was regarded of sufficient importance to be granted a place in three of the gospels.

Youth was in this man's favor. In one of the other gospels he is called young. He was not so young he could not make wise decisions. He was mature enough to be possessed of sanity and stability, and yet not necessarily so fixed in his habits that he could not change them. His eager desire to place a burning question before Jesus, and a personal one at that shows he had thoughts of improvement for his life. It is easier to do it then. One has fewer yokes to throw off, fewer undesirable ways to break away from, fewer nerve channels to reconstruct. Sin has not yet beaten the heart hard. One's whole nature is more plastic. That probably 95 per cent of the church members of the world chose Christ as their Lord and Master while under 25 years of age is proof of the argument in favor of youth and religion.

This young man was a ruler. He was a ruler of the synagogue. He held a place that gave him influence. He was no doubt looked up to and respected. What he did others were disposed to do. They copied his example and not a few of them looked forward to the time when they could be what he was. It was within his power to determine the thought and conduct of many.

It does not fail to the lot of some people to occupy these key positions. The Lord expects much of them. They must think high and walk straight. They do more than determine how their own lives shall be lived. They build ways on which others walk. That is why Jesus addressed Peter when all the apostles had offended. He was the leader. He made tracks into which others stepped. His shadow fell farthest. The young ruler could have turned the thoughts of many to Jesus if he had come out on his side.

The young ruler was rich. He probably could not have been a ruler of the synagogue had not that been true. He had money, therefore he had leisure time enough to look after the synagogue. Some persons have used wealth in a wonderfully helpful manner. He could have done the same. It puts the power of usefulness in the hand of those who have money. There have been enough godly and benevolently disposed rich people in this world to point to what others in an equally favorable position can do.

There is no reason why wealth should drag its possessors down to the pit. It brings countless opportunities. We may make friends by means of it both for this life and the next. The church would not make much progress if the streams of money flowing into its treasury were stopped. Rich people will very largely sway the future for good or evil. They stand in strategic centers.

Eternal life cannot be had by outward conformity to legal requirements. It was attempted by the Pharisee who boasted of the fact that he was not extortionate, unjust. From these he abstained. And on the positive side he fasted twice a week, 104 times more than the Mosaic law required, and he gave tithes of all he possessed. But he was not thereby justified. The Lord condemned this legalist as he does all legalists. We are not saved by our good works. There is no merit in our own efforts. Salvation is the free and unmerited gift of God. No man by his own strivings can attain to righteousness.

Accident Reported

Cars driven by Harold J. Gee, 47, of 184 River Ave., headed north on Ottawa Ave., and Kenneth Leeuw, 24, of 294 West 22nd St., headed east on 21st St., collided at the intersection at 5:40 p.m. Friday. Damage to the front of the 1953 model Gee car was estimated at \$150, and to the right side of the 1946 model Leeuw car at \$500. City police ticketed Gee for excessive speed.

Most of the collars and cuffs made in the United States come from Troy, N. Y.

160 Attend Dinner Of Muskegon Area Guidance Clinic.

One hundred and sixty people interested in the welfare of children gathered at Third Reformed church parish house Monday evening for the 10th annual dinner meeting of the Muskegon Area Child Guidance clinic, which serves five counties, Ottawa, Muskegon, Mason, Mecosta and Newaygo.

Judge Harry Geoghan, Muskegon, chairman of the Board of Directors, extended greetings and introduced Ralph E. Walton, administrative assistant, of the State Department of Mental Health. Anne B. Cronick, M.D., consulting psychiatrist, replacing Charles Toy, M.D., psychiatrist and former director of the clinic, gave the background of the speaker. Dr. E. L. V. Shelley, chief clinical psychologist at Boys Vocational school, Lansing, She said that much of the credit of reducing the return of boys after dismissal from the school, from 40 per cent to 10 per cent since 1946, was due to the influence and work of Dr. Shelley.

Dr. Shelley, who is also an instructor in psychology at Michigan State College, is a compelling speaker. His style is amusing but sincerely convincing. He took as his topic, "Such as We Have" based on the third chapter of Acts.

He said in part: "We are what we are because of the people who have touched our lives. Are we as much concerned with the lives we touch? Of one of the great hazards of our day is loneliness."

He brought out what we have to give to others in terms of understanding, affection, encouragement, confidence and moral strength. Dr. Shelley's speech was punctuated by frequent illustrations and references to the Bible.

Mrs. Herbert Auer of Muskegon, secretary, and Charles Schuler, Muskegon, chairman of the finance committee, reported. Schuler said the clinic was outstanding in ending each year "in black instead of red" due to the interest and generosity of the communities served. The clinic, one of the first two established in Michigan, now owns its own building.

Mrs. Wilver Drost, director of the clinic, in her report, said Michigan is ahead of many states in acting upon need for consultant and educational services to courts, schools, and other agencies in addition to helping parents and their children.

In 1952, a total of 346 children received service, 25 per cent of them from Ottawa county.

Following election of new board members to fill vacancies, Norman Fleishman, M.D., Muskegon, announced the election of O. van de Velde, M.D., Holland; Judge Harry Geoghan, Muskegon; Miss Helen Harris, Muskegon Heights, director, Department of Counseling; Helen Barnard, M.D., Muskegon; Hon. Don Vander Werp, Fremont, state senator; Russell Welch, Holland, visiting teacher; the Rev. Harold Kinsley, Muskegon Heights Methodist church, and Mrs. Herbert Auer, Muskegon.

Allegan Couple Killed in Crash

ALLEGAN (Special)—Ford Moore and his wife, Luena, both about 45, were killed instantly at 1:08 here Monday at the Grand St. crossing of the New York Central railroad in the city of Allegan. It was the first fatal accident in more than five years in Allegan city.

The southbound freight struck the car broadside and carried it almost two blocks before it was able to come to a stop.

The Moores are the parents of three children, 14, 9 and 7 years old.

The accident was investigated by acting Police Chief Joseph Merrill and Deputy Sheriff Roy Priest.

Funeral Services Held For Edward Bol Baby

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Funeral services for seven-month-old Douglas Edward Bol, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bol, 1135 Wallace St., were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 from the Kammaraad Funeral Home. The Rev. E. J. Tans, pastor of the Second Christian Reformed church conducted services and burial was in Lake Forest cemetery.

The baby was born in the local hospital June 19, 1952 and died unexpectedly at home Saturday morning.

Six Homes Entered

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—City police are investigating six break-ins which occurred Sunday morning. Most of the homes were entered by breaking a window in the front door and unlocking the inside door. Houses entered were those of Peter Rycoenga, 531 Woodlawn; Jack Chalmers, 525 Woodlawn; Peter Spoelma, 532 Colfax; Clarence Ruiter, 525 Colfax; Glenn H. Olsen, 433 Slayton. Extent of the loss has not been determined but money and small items have been reported missing.

The world's largest yellow pine tree is on Beauty Bay hill, near Coeur d'Alene, in Idaho.

Leper Meeting Set March 25

The board of directors of the Federation of Women's Societies (Leprosy Missions) held its annual meeting Monday afternoon in Bethany Christian Reformed church. Mrs. William P. Brink took charge of devotions. Music was provided by the Gloria trio consisting of Mrs. Fred Kolenbrander, Mrs. Ben Altena and Mrs. Harold Arens, accompanied by Mrs. J. Quist.

Mrs. C. Kuylers, secretary, reported that last year 196 lepers were supported through offerings amounting to \$6,265. All officers were re-elected. They are Mrs. Peter Slenk, president; Mrs. A. Knipe, vice president; Mrs. Ed Van Eck, second vice president; Mrs. Charles Kuylers, secretary; Mrs. R. Teusink, assistant secretary; Mrs. P. Kaasboek, treasurer; Mrs. A. Pomeroy, assistant treasurer; Mrs. Bernard Post, auditor.

It was reported it would cost \$40 a year to support a leper the coming year instead of the present rate of \$30.

Dr. C. J. Stauffacher, 74 years old, is retiring after 28 years of service in the leper camp at Inhambane, Portuguese East Africa. The new doctor appointed to that area is Dr. Walter Nikulafchek, a Swiss physician.

Holland women will stage their annual prayer and praise meeting for lepers March 25 at 2 p.m. in First Reformed church. The speaker will be Mrs. Thomas R. Husk, national field secretary for the American Mission to Lepers. Last January she toured African leproisarias. The children's meeting which always follows the annual meeting on the following Sunday will be held March 29 at 2:30 p.m. in Hope Memorial chapel.

Refreshments were served by a group of Bethany church women.

Mrs. Dale Boeve Feted at Shower

Mrs. Dale Boeve, the former Patricia Lowry, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. William G. Boeve, 424 College Ave. Mrs. Al Teerman, Mrs. Glen Feyerwer, Mrs. Wilbert Brondyke and Mrs. Boeve were hostesses.

Games were played and duplicate prizes awarded. Refreshments were served. The guest list included the Mesdames C. T. Onk, Edward Onk, Gerrit Onk, William Onk, Lawrence Zwemer, Eldert Bos, Cornie Koetsier, Len Tans, George Kram, Henry Kruitthof, Harry L. Steele, Earl Tellman, Mary Chase, Ben Boeve and George Lowry and the Mesdames Nadene Kruitthof, Faye Feynwever, Helen Teerman and Ruthanne Brondyke.

February Bride-Elect Honored at Shower

A surprise shower Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Willard Greving, 442 Butternut Dr., honored Miss Rose Greving, February bride-elect. A two-course lunch was served. Hostesses were Mrs. Bernard Greving, Mrs. Ken Molengraaf, Mrs. Greving. Gifts were presented to the bride and games were played with duplicate prizes awarded to Miss Hazel Tucker, Miss Arlene Meiste and Miss Myra Brink.

Attending were the Mesdames Hazel and Della Tucker, Hazel Florence, Marian and Arlene Meiste, Doris and Bernice Kalmink, Ruth and Myra Brink, Gladys Schretnoer, Hazel Zoerhof, Mrs. Leon Brummel, Terry, Lois Ann and Janie Greving, Michael Molengraaf, Willard Greving, Russ Achterhof and the guest of honor.

Entertain for Parents On 30th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Sprick of 577 1/2 College Ave. entertained at a dinner party Monday evening honoring their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Appledorn who celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary. The Appledorns live at 267 West 15th St.

Also at the party besides the guests of honor were Paula and Patti Sprick, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Sprick, and Miss Anne Appledorn.

The Appledorns also have two sons, William, Jr., who is in Minneapolis, Minn., and Ron Appledorn, student at Hillsdale college.

Legion Auxiliary Has Business Meet

A regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held Monday evening at the Legion club house. Mrs. E. P. Sooter presided at the business meeting.

The group decided to give \$5 to the March of Dimes and also planned a "towel shower" to provide linen or cotton towels for the club house kitchen. Those willing to donate towels are asked to take them to the next meeting or call Mrs. Sooter or Mrs. Clarence Hopkins.

It was announced by Mrs. Sooter that Mrs. Martha Karsten of Zeeland is hospitalized with a fractured hip in Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids. Members suggested sending her cards. The Zeeland Legion post is named in honor of Mrs. Karsten's nephew.

Games were played and refreshments were served by Mrs. T. Smith and her committee.

Ireland offers its visitors the use of 260 golf courses and in many places golfing concessions are included in hotel tariffs or tickets are issued charging less than a dollar a day, according to the Irish tourist bureau.



Horizon Girls Visit With Martha Allen at Afternoon Tea

Local Camp Fire Council Fetes National Director

Miss Martha Allen of New York City, national director of Camp Fire Girls, Inc., was honored by almost 200 persons at the Holland Camp Fire Council's annual dinner meeting Monday evening in TerKeur auditorium of Trinity Reformed church.

Miss Allen's charming personality and gay sense of humor were evident in her after-dinner speech when she discussed with radiant enthusiasm "Working Together for Our Camp Fire Objectives." Interjecting many entertaining anecdotes and also some history of Camp Fire, the speaker told the group that the national organization presently is at work on restating the objectives of the program, originally written in 1912. The objectives have remained the same, but the wording is being changed to fit the present situation, she said.

To provide a recreational and educational program for all girls of all races, creeds and economic background, the Camp Fire program has as its main objectives, Miss Allen said: To help each girl make her best contribution to family and community through her womanly skills in human relations; to help each girl satisfy her need to belong, to make friends and to have the fun and happiness necessary to her well-being; to give opportunity through groups to practice democracy at her own level; to help her develop interests, hobbies and skills to enrich her personal life so that she will "know how to be alone"; to develop initiative, self-reliance and the capacity for self-discipline, and to help each girl to build and live by personal values growing out of the Camp Fire law—"Worship God, Seek beauty, Give service, Pursue knowledge, Be trustworthy, Hold on to Health and Be Happy."

Miss Allen enlarged upon the program to accomplish these objectives and summed them up as an attempt to help each Camp Fire Girl find happiness through worship, work, health and service.

After her speech, Miss Allen was presented a pair of appropriately inscribed wooden shoes from Mrs. James K. Ward, newly-elected council president. Mrs. Albert Timmer, local executive director who has announced her retirement, gave remarks based on the theme, "These Are Our Children."

Mrs. Timmer was honored in a special impressive "council fire" ceremony conducted by Mrs. Clarence Becker, president of the Leaders association. Each in the audience lit a match while the auditorium was darkened and Mrs. Becker gave tribute to the retiring executive. A gift was presented to Mrs. Timmer from the Leaders group.

Mrs. Peter Kromann, retiring president, conducted the business session. She introduced special guests, including Mrs. James Parker of Grand Rapids, national vice president of Camp Fire, Mrs. Ruth De Wendt, Grand Rapids executive director, and local guests including former board members and past presidents. She also introduced present board members and then turned over the presidency to Mrs. Ward. The new president announced her new

Reorganization Meet

ALLEGAN—The Allegan county Board of Education will sponsor a meeting of school officers of Allegan county Thursday, Feb. 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the high school for the purpose of reorganizing the county school officers association. The organization ceased to function during World War II when gasoline and tires were rationed.



Mr. and Mrs. Ford Moore, route 2, Allegan were killed instantly early Monday afternoon when their car was struck by a south-bound freight train on the New York Central's Grand St. crossing. It was the city of Allegan's first traffic fatality in more than five years. The car was hit broadside and carried nearly two blocks before the train could stop. Mr. and Mrs. Moore were thrown clear at the crossing, however.

Prison Sentence, Probation Given In Cow Shooting

Many Appear Before Circuit Court for Disposition of Cases

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—One man was sentenced to a prison term and his companion was put on probation by Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith Monday, after the pair pleaded guilty Jan. 16 to charges of larceny of a cow.

Daniel Garner, 25, of 1290 Bradford, N. E., Grand Rapids was sentenced to serve 18 months to five years in Southern Michigan prison at Jackson, with the minimum sentence recommended.

Harold Dunham, 35, of 762 Butternut, Grand Rapids, was placed on probation two years. He was ordered to make restitution of \$180 at the rate of \$25 a month. He also must keep employed, must refrain from using intoxicants or frequenting places where sold, and may not leave the state without permission from the court. He also must pay \$5 a month over-sight fees.

The pair allegedly shot a seven-month-old heifer while hunting in Ottawa county during the fall hunting season. Both pleaded not guilty Jan. 12 and then changed their pleas Jan. 16. In sentencing Garner to the prison term, the judge pointed out Garner had been arrested in Barry county in 1945 on a charge of larceny from a building, and currently was on probation for two years out of Allegan Circuit Court on a charge of aggravated assault dating back several months. The pair was charged with larceny under the classification "chattels over \$50."

Eugene Westerhof, 18, and Erwin Dale Mulder, 18, both of Holland, were placed on probation two years after pleading guilty Jan. 12 to a charge of larceny from a building. The pair allegedly took \$44 from the Four Star service station at 321 East Eighth St., Holland, on Jan. 8. Conditions of the probation are that each pay \$50 costs, pay \$5 a month oversight fees, keep a midnight curfew, refrain from using intoxicants or frequenting places where sold.

William A. Chittenden, 34, route 2, Spring Lake, who pleaded guilty Jan. 12 to a charge of daytime breaking and entering, was sentenced to serve three to five years at Southern Michigan prison at Jackson. While on parole for a nighttime breaking and entering charge, Chittenden allegedly took 45 muskrat furs and one weasel fur last Dec. 24 from the Edward Borchers home in Spring Lake township. In pronouncing sentence, Judge Smith said Chittenden has been before the court repeatedly since 1940 for violation of various laws. The judge added Chittenden undoubtedly will be required to serve out a portion of his unexpired term before starting the new term.

Charles Banks, 18, route 4, Holland, who pleaded guilty Jan. 12 to a charge of unlawfully driving away an automobile without intent to steal, was placed on probation two years. The judge is requiring that he finish his high school training, pay \$50 costs within six months, pay \$5 a month oversight fees, and keep a midnight curfew. He allegedly took a '48 car belonging to Bernard Vandenberg Dec. 12.

Vernon Nienhuis, 18, of 781 Paw Paw Dr., Holland, who pleaded guilty Jan. 12 to a nighttime breaking and entering charge, was placed on probation two years and was ordered to pay \$100 costs and \$5 a month oversight fees. He also must keep employed, keep a midnight curfew, may not leave the state without permission and must refrain from using intoxicants or frequenting places where sold. Nienhuis allegedly took two tires from the Howard Veneklasen auto parts yard on Gordon St. Dec. 3 in Holland township.

Charles A. Burtick, 37, Grand Rapids, who pleaded guilty Jan. 12 to a charge of larceny from a store building, was placed on probation for two years. The probation may be transferred to Kent county if he desires. Burtick allegedly took seven wrist watches and other chattels from a store owned by Lewis Van Rhee and Clayton Brummel valued at \$182. Burtick claims he has made restitution of the watches he took. He must pay \$50 costs within 90 days and \$5 a month oversight fees.

Forty-three pupils from Coopersville Junior high school, accompanied by their teacher, Miss Rachael Boer, attended court sessions today.

Henry Farma, 55, Dies At Holland Hospital

Henry Farma, 55, died Monday night at Holland hospital following a lingering illness. His home address is 184 1/2 River Ave. He formerly was employed at Jobbers Outlet as a meatcutter. He had been ill about a year. Born Aug. 23, 1898, in Drenthe, Mich., he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Farma. He was a member of the Elks lodge and the Pioneer club.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Delbert Visser of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. Edward Munson of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Albert Berkomps of Niles, Mich.

Divorce Granted

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Minnie E. Freeman of Spring Lake township received a divorce decree from Jay R. Freeman in Circuit Court Monday. Custody of a minor child was awarded to the mother.

NAM President Relates How He Settled in Holland

The people of Holland Monday night paid tribute to Charles R. Sligh, Jr., local industrialist who was recently elected president of the National Association of Manufacturers, a large organization of 18,900 members employing three-quarters of all persons employed in industry in the United States today.

In a sense, Monday's testimonial dinner was "Old Home Week" and the men who had been invited to speak were encouraged to talk about their associations with Holland. This was particularly true for Ray Herrick, president and general manager of the Tecumseh Products Co., and Simon D. Den Uyl, president of Bohn Aluminum and Brass Corp., who were born and spent their boyhood here, as well as Sligh who entered business here at the bottom of the depression and Hollis S. Baker who moved his furniture factories to Holland back in the 1930s.

About 215 attended the banquet in Durfee hall on Hope college campus, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. Souvenir programs carried a gloss picture of the honored guest on the cover. Dinner music was provided by the Tecumseh Chieftains, courtesy of Herrick. Clarence Klaasen, chamber president, introduced the toastmaster, Dr. I. J. Lubbers, president of Hope college. The Rev. William C. Warner of Grace Episcopal church gave the invocation.

In his address, Sligh described his early business experiences. "My background was different from Mr. Herrick's and Mr. Den Uyl's. I started at the top of the ladder, the son of a rich father who had started at the bottom, and I was slated to be president some day of my father's furniture factory. But things didn't go so well and when I was 27 years old, there was no furniture factory and I didn't have a job," Sligh said.

He related how he and Bill Lowry, another fellow out of a job, dickered with local authorities and made a deal through Don Mathewson for the old Thompson Products Co. factory on East 12th St., which was paid for with \$1 credit to every \$7 paid out in payroll. "We paid 25 cents an hour and everybody was glad to come and work for us. We had a seven-year limit to pay off the factory but we did it in 2 1/2 years. Bill and I got the big salary of \$35 a week," he said. Throughout his talk he called on

various business associates to take a bow.

"Two things in recent years affected me more than anything else," he said. "One was a single page flyer back in 1942-43 calling attention to a war department motion picture at the Congress of American Industry, sponsored by the NAM. I went to New York to see that picture and planned to spend the next few days on business. I spent all three days at the NAM meetings."

"The next year I went again to the NAM meetings and heard Alfred Sloan of General Motors say, 'If businessmen of this nation do not find ways and means of employing returned servicemen, the government will find ways of employing them and then we will have socialism in this country.' I was concerned about that and wondered what we could do. In 1945 we took over the Grand Rapids Chair Co. Now besides the furniture companies in Holland, Zeeland and Grand Rapids, we also have Ply Curves in Grand Rapids and Lith-I-Bar in Holland."

Sligh said it used to be upsetting to find so few persons who really knew about the NAM. He said it has 18,900 members employing three-quarters of all persons in industry and produces over 85 per cent of everything produced in the United States today. There are 13 separate policy committees of 50 to 200 members each, and a board of directors of 168 members. There are 450 persons on the staff, 250 in New York and the remainder on the field in 13 regional offices. All NAM policies must be passed by a two-thirds majority of the board of directors.

"I don't know whether we won an election last November. There are a lot of Republicans and Democrats in NAM and a lot of Southerners. All I hope is that the new administration won't be pro-business... or pro-agriculture, pro-labor, pro-college presidents, pro-consumer or pro-anything. But we must be pro-American. What's good for America will in the long run be good for business. And businessmen today have not only a great opportunity, but a great responsibility and a terrific challenge. If we don't give our wholehearted support to the administration we don't deserve success."

Share Top Honors In Baking Contest

FENVILLE (Special) — Two Fennville high school students tied for top honors in the annual cherry pie-baking contest held Monday in Fennville high school. Winning first place were Barbara Erlewein and Luanne Bryant.

A tie also resulted for second place with Helen Kluck and Dorothy Stokes winning the honors. Sandra Larson won third and Bernice Reed and Margaret Babilla were given honorable mention. A total of 20 entered the contest which was under the direction of Miss Ruth Knoll, home economics teacher.

Judges were Mrs. A. B. Dorance, former home economics teacher, Harry Cady, local restaurateur, and Ernie Crane, local fruit grower.

The top four winners will take part in the county contest to be held in the near future. According to rules, one out of every five contestants is eligible for the county contest.

Norway is bartering furs for prunes from the United States. Norway's entire stock of unsold furs, 100,000 pelts, will be exchanged for 6,000 prunes.

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Dr. Bos Declines Education Post

Supt. Bert P. Bos of the Holland Christian schools announced late Monday that he had declined the appointment as associate director of education and management of the National Union of Christian schools, located at Grand Rapids. Bos received the offer from the National Union about two weeks ago.

The superintendent said, "I feel that it was my Christian duty to continue my services as superintendent of the local Christian schools at the present time because of their strategic importance in the general cause of Christian education."

This is the third appointment that Bos has declined during his seven-year stay in Holland. He also turned down offers as associate professor of education at Calvin college and as superintendent of the Eastern Christian school association.

Two Plead Guilty To Topsy Charges

Two men pleaded guilty to drunk and disorderly charges and a third entered an innocent plea and demanded a trial when arraigned on a disorderly count before Municipal Judge Cornelius Vander Meulen Monday.

William Terry, 50, formerly of 171 College Ave., paid fine and costs of \$29.70 and received a 30 day suspended sentence after pleading guilty to being drunk and disorderly while Paul Jones, 42, Chicago, pleaded guilty to a similar charge received a 30 day suspended sentence if he left the city.

Raymond Alsip, 20, of 458 West 18th St., entered a not guilty plea to a disorderly charge and trial was set for Feb. 2. According to court records Alsip was involved in a fight near the corner of River Ave. and Eighth St. Sunday morning.

Fines paid Saturday and Monday were James Dykers, 809 West 26th St., speeding, \$15; Allen Troseper Jr., 31, of 165 1/2 East Sixth St., speeding, \$10; Harold Hoezee, 40, route 2, Zeeland, speeding, \$10; Harry Gordon, 24, route 2, speeding, \$10; Ralph Hayes, 22, Fennville, imprudent speed, no operator's license, \$24; Alvin Glupker, 267 West 17th St., overtime parking, \$10.70; John Van Order, 33, Hamilton, speeding, \$5.

Paying \$2 fines for disobeying truck route signs were Charles Vojvodic, Fennville; William De Boer, Grand Rapids; James Murray, Indianapolis, Ind.; Vernon Ball, Stevensville; Louis Keson, Manistee, Al Timmer, 105 Cambridge Rd., parking, \$1; Louis Padnos, 112 East 28th St., parking, \$1; Robert S. Galien, 380 West 17th St. and William Chossen, 353 Felch Ave., parking, \$1.

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Confession of faith was made at the morning services by Mr. and Mrs. John Evenhuis and Miss Evelyn Geurink.

Young People's society meet Sunday evening at 7:15 p.m. The membership papers of Marvin Dorn have been received from Hope Reformed church of Grand Haven.

Young peoples catechism classes will meet Wednesday. The Men's society will meet at a combined meeting at North Blenden church this evening. The Rev. G. Gritter will be the speaker.

The Holland-Zeeland League league meeting will be held tomorrow evening at 8 p.m. in Third church of Zeeland.

Next Monday evening Mr. Aardema, classical home missionary, will speak for the Golden Hour. All members and former members and their husbands are urged to attend.

On Feb. 5 Mr. Dahms, home missionary will speak for the Ladies' Aid. All women of the church are invited.

Kate Boetsma was taken to Zeeland hospital. Mrs. Dick Essenburg is at Pine Rest hospital. Mrs. J. H. Gebben, oldest member of the congregation, reached the age of 94 years on Wednesday. The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Martine is ill.

Harold Walters has requested the transfer of his membership to First church, Hudsonville.

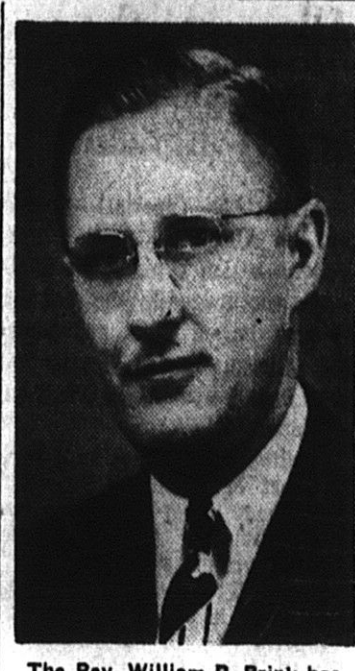


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The Rev. William P. Brink has been installed as pastor of Bethany Christian Reformed church, which has grown to 180 families since its origination on Sept. 26, 1946. Rev. Brink is former pastor of Creston Christian Reformed church in Grand Rapids. He also served churches in Goshen, Ind., and Chicago. Rev. Brink, his wife and their four children are living at 210 West 20th St. The Bethany congregation, which recently completed building of their church, now has approved building of a parsonage on church property facing 32nd St.

Hudsonville Girl Wins Pie Contest

Nineteen girls competed at the Hudsonville high school Thursday in Ottawa County Cherry Pie Baking contest. Miss Ardith Kunzi was first place winner, Miss Janet Vander Laan, second, and Miss Betty Jean Van Meter, third. All are from Hudsonville.

Points considered in selecting the winner included method of preparation, quality of the pie itself and the girl's personal qualifications such as appearance and ability to express herself.

Judges for the contest were Mrs. Lolabelle Vander Heuvel of Zeeland, Mrs. Alfred Ter Haar of Hudsonville, Charles Veldhuis, superintendent of Hudsonville high school, and Grace Vander Kolk, Home Demonstration agent.

Prizes are being awarded by the Kent-Ottawa Horticultural association. Miss Kunzi, county winner, will compete in the state contest to be held at Grand Rapids on Feb. 9 and 10 at the Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. She will be accompanied by the Home Economics teacher of Hudsonville high school, Mrs. Leonard Mass.

Former Holland Man Heads School Group

Of interest to local friends is announcement that Walter W. Gummer, formerly of Holland, has been elected president of the Michigan Association of School Administrators. Gummer, superintendent of schools at Lowell, will assume duties of the office in September.

Gummer, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gummer, attended local public schools, was graduated from Hope college and received a master's degree from University of Michigan. Before going to Lowell 27 years ago, he taught and coached at Fennville, Gladstone and Mt. Clemens and was superintendent at Reed City and Clare. He taught summers at Central Michigan college, Mount Pleasant.

For the last three years, he has served on Michigan Commission on Educational Policies and has served on many other state-wide committees. He is active in civic affairs, and a noted soloist, annually takes part in the Lowell Show Boat. He has several brothers and a sister in Holland.

Holland Koop's Heating Drubs South Haven Five

Koop's Heating of the Holland City Basketball league broke away the second half at South Haven Monday night to thump South Haven Stones 85-55.

The Holland outfit held quarter leads of 16-10, 34-30 and 51-43 before turning on the heat with a 34-point fourth period.

Junior Bremer was top scorer with 32 points, and Dave Kemper added 21 for Koop's. Morris paced Stones with 19 points.

Fire Reported

ZEELAND (Special) — Zeeland firemen answered a call 11 a.m. Sunday to East Main St. Firemen found a minor blaze that resulted when a bed sheet was placed over an oil burner to dry. They quickly extinguished the flames.



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Firemen Suspect Arson; Chief Will Talk With Police

OLIVE CENTER (Special) — Fire of undetermined origin completely leveled the Olive Center school Friday night, the second school in the area to be destroyed by fire in a week.

Just a week earlier fire destroyed the West Olive school on the early morning of Jan. 16, some four miles distant. No cause was determined for that blaze, other than to determine that the fire started in the basement near the coal furnace. The West Olive school was built 70 to 80 years ago. The Olive Center school, a frame structure about twice as large, was erected 80 to 85 years ago.

There was a strong suspicion among firemen of arson in the latest fire, particularly in view of the fact that the custodian had let the furnace go out for the week-end. Fire Chief Herman Bussis of the Blenden-Olive fire department which responded with two trucks and seven volunteers planned to consult authorities of the fire division of the state police.

Although the glare of the fire was visible for miles, only a relatively small number of spectators were attracted to the blaze. Firemen described the weather as nasty with snow or rain falling most of the time.

Fire was first noticed about 7 p.m. by Albert Meengs who was passing by. He rapped at the front window of the Jack J. Nieboer home next to the school, and Mrs. Nieboer, custodian for the school, immediately called the fire department.

Trucks and volunteers arrived in about 10 minutes, but by that time flames were sweeping through the frame structure, and firemen concentrated their efforts on saving a wood shack 30 feet to the west containing coal and other fuel.

Only 15 folding chairs were saved out of all the equipment in the building. Last week only one folding chair was saved in the West Olive fire.

The only thing left standing besides the tall chimney was the charred teacher's chair standing in the regular spot, surrounded by the remains of pupils' chairs.

The school contained two halls, a fairly large auditorium and two toilet rooms. Miss Frances Hamstra was the teacher for the 38 pupils. She lived about 1 1/2 miles from the school. The community took an active interest in the school and some years ago took advantage of aid offered by the Kellogg foundation which paid 80 cents on the dollar for such improvements. Hardwood floors, insulation, adjustable seats, drinking fountain, additional windows, new blackboards, new tables, filing cabinets and indoor plumbing were among the improvements.

Two days ago the school board arranged to double the insurance on the building. Harold Vander Zwaag is president of the board and Peter Jacobson and Fred Veneberg are directors.

Mrs. Nieboer, the custodian, said she let the furnace fire die down Friday afternoon and when the school turned cool about 2:30 p.m. she shook down the remaining fire to last until closing time. When she swept the school at 5 p.m. she said the furnace fire was out and the building was getting cold. She turned off the water, the usual function for week-ends when furnace fires are not maintained.

The furnace and chimney were both overhauled last summer, and the inspector at that time said the equipment should be good for five years. Because the furnace was on the main floor, it had a protective jacket around it, plus an extra sheet of metal underneath. Mrs. Nieboer said there was no rubbish in the building and there was no evidence of any explosion. The fire is believed to have started just south of the chimney on the west side of the school where there is no wiring. By the time firemen arrived, windows were cracking in the heat.

Lost in the blaze besides all the regular school equipment were a good piano and 28 folding chairs. Fire Chief Bussis said the two fire trucks used 2,000 gallons of water in fighting the blaze.

No estimate of damage was given, although school leaders indicated it would be considerably above the \$10,000 estimate given for the West Olive school fire a week earlier. The Olive Center school was considerably larger and had more equipment.

The school is located just east of 120th Ave., on the main cross-road of the village. It was four miles straight east of the West Olive school. Olive Center lies about eight miles north of Holland.

During the past year, the Zeeland Baptist church conducted Sunday school in the school every Sunday afternoon.

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Farm Bureau Group Has Meeting in Allendale

Wesley Hawley of the Farm Bureau state office at Lansing spoke on "There's a Job for '53'" at the Ottawa county Farm Bureau institute held at the Allendale town hall Wednesday afternoon. He said it takes conviction, confidence, coverage, planning, backing, effort and people for the huge task.

The institute was held to aid committees in planning their programs for the year. Twelve communities were represented. Chairman was Hilbert Holleman who spoke briefly on improving the county Farm Bureau organization.

The speaker was introduced by Norman Stanton, district chairman. Following the talk the group divided into smaller groups for discussions of future work.

Mothers Organize In Olive Center

OLIVE CENTER (Special) — Mothers of the Olive township district No. 2 where the school was leveled by fire Friday night gathered Monday night in the town hall to organize a Mothers' club. Aim of the organization is to raise funds to replace certain equipment for the school which will be housed temporarily in the town hall.

Everybody in the community was getting into the spirit to do something for the school. Small boys canvassed the district Monday asking for papers and magazines which the fathers will pick up tonight. Funds from this project will go to replace bats, balls and other sporting equipment.

The mothers plan a baked goods sale in Zeeland Saturday as their first project. They plan to meet once a month and perhaps adopt a monthly project to raise money. Mothers are Mrs. Albert Meengs, president; Mrs. Fred Veneberg, vice president; Mrs. Franklin Veldheer, secretary; Mrs. John Boers, treasurer; Frances Hamstra, assistant secretary and treasurer.

While it is true several schools over a wide area have offered aid to both the West Olive school which burned down a week earlier and to the Olive Center school, such offers consist mainly of old desks and textbooks and leave a wide margin for other equipment.

To that end, the West Olive group also has organized to raise funds and currently is soliciting for a white elephant sale. Particularly needed at present are a blackboard, a desk for the teacher, erasers and many other things.

Receives Road Contract

LANSING — Harry Pickett, Allendale, has been awarded a \$36,308.75 contract for 4.514 miles of grading and drainage structures and 20-foot aggregate surface on Michigan Ave. from US-131, two miles north of Moore Park, eastery in St. Joseph county. This road serves as an important farm-to-market route in the area. The project will complete the route from Leonidas west to US-131. Completion date is July 31, 1953.

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Ace Driver Award Given 22 Employees

Twenty-two drivers were presented the Markel Ace Driver awards at the annual safety dinner of the Muskegon division of Holland Motor Express, Inc., held Jan. 17. Awards were presented by Lester Walker, safety director of Holland Motor Express, Inc., to the following: Verlyn Hopkins for seven years of accident-free driving; Chester Mack, Allan Lee Solomon and John Vandermide, four years; Verol Crain, Clifford Drent, Claude McDonald and Richard Revord, three years; Jake Knoll, Leon Oudsema and Raymond Wibalda, two years and Harvey De Zwaan, Elwyn Drent, Frederick Eddy, Robert Engel, Marion Follett, Edward Gifford, Cornelius Kossen, Kenneth Kroll, Cornelius Molter, Junior Resseguie and Francis Wilber, one year.

About 75 attended the dinner. Fred Kuipers, Muskegon terminal manager opened the meeting. Speaker was Walter Bryant, field supervisor of Markel Service, Inc., Richmond, Va. Theme of his talk was the part the wives of drivers could do in preventing accidents.

A sound film in color, shown by James Splice of the Michigan Trucking association was the final feature on the safety program. This film dealt with the progress in transportation throughout the years.

At the last meeting on transfer, Jan. 12 the request was heard for a transfer from the Hudson Corners school to the Allendale city district.

There were 84 children enrolled in the one room Hudson Corners school, two teachers working in the room and six children from Hudson Corners attending school in Allendale.

The Hudson Corners board protested the transfer and was given 90 days in which to show by a vote that it would get a new addition to the school completed during the summer of 1953.

Two other property transfers will come before the board at the next meeting.

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Plea for Blood Brings Over 60 To Local Clinic

Some Donors Delayed, But Goal Is Met for Local Needs and Korea

A plea for more blood for the Holland Community Blood bank recently brought an avalanche of volunteers to the regular clinic at Red Cross headquarters on Jan. 19, and for the first time in six months the local program has met its goal for blood for defense and Korea as well as local needs.

Although only 40 donors had been given appointments for the regular bi-weekly clinic Jan. 19, more than 60 donors responded and some had an unusually long wait. All volunteer workers stayed at their posts at least two hours longer than usual.

Red Cross blood program officials today expressed their sincere appreciation to all those who participated and to apologize for any inconvenience caused some donors due to delays during the clinic. Present clinic facilities can handle about 40 donors with each donor spending about an hour at the clinic. Larger numbers tax facilities and delay result.

"Donors are the most important part of our whole blood program and we want to keep them happy. Even with the delays experienced this week, we are sure each donor who gave his or her time and blood will feel a great deal of satisfaction in knowing that his or her blood may save the life of a fellow American now in a foxhole in Korea. In retrospect, he will know the extra time spent at the clinic was well spent," leaders said.

Red Cross leaders also added that every effort will be made in schedules at subsequent clinics to avoid such delays as were experienced this week.

Physicians working at Jan. 19 clinic were Dr. Warren Weststrate and Dr. M. Frieswyk. Nurses were Jennie Spoelstra, Gertrude Steketee, Mrs. F. Veltman. Nurse's aides were Mrs. Lester Pool, Mrs. H. Niles and Margaret Stegink. The canteen was in charge of Mrs. C. Eisebagger, Gretchen Mink, Mrs. Sarah Van Slooten. Gray Ladies on duty were Mrs. A. Milne, Mrs. Mildred Barense, Mrs. F. Koopman. Historians were Mrs. H. Douwstra and Mrs. W. Van Dyke.

Many of the donors Monday night were members of the Seventh-Day Adventist church who were recruited by Mrs. Leon Slikkers. At the next clinic Feb. 3 a group of donors will report from Christ-Craft, recruited by Ernest Wehrmeyer.

A gift of five portable refrigerators have been added to the blood program equipment during the past week, donated by the 7-Up Co. These refrigerators are used for taking the blood from the clinic to the hospital, and also to various hospitals throughout the state to replace blood used by Ottawa county residents.

Latest donors were Ishburne Ash, Charlotte Adler, Delos Bowen, Thelma Baker, William Blank, Mrs. Franklin Cook, Arthur Cook, Clifton Dalman, Willis De Wys, John De Jong, Howard Dorgelo, Thejean De Young, Gerrit De Young, Peter De Wind, Mrs. C. Dunnevin, Robert Felkema, H. M. Fowler, Dorothy Feikema, Mrs. Robert Gort, Mrs. D. Gordon, Henry Holstege, Mrs. Henrietta Holt, Mrs. E. Hapeman, Frances Hamstra, John Hamstra, Mrs. A. Haveman, Fran Johnson, Robert Koppelaar.

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Two Bridal Showers Fete Luella Smeenge

Two showers have been given for Miss Luella Smeenge, bride-elect of Herman C. Kammeraad. They will be married Feb. 14 at Lake Charles, La., where he is stationed with the Air Force.

On Thursday evening, a surprise miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Smeenge at the home of Mrs. Andrew Kammeraad, 460 West 18th St. Gifts were presented and games were played with duplicate prizes awarded to Mrs. H. Wesseldyke, Herman Kammeraad, Henry Mulder, Dewey Morris, Bruce Fogarty, Harry Dornbos, Earl Van Lente, M. Smeenge, George Overway and the Misses Barbara Tague, Barbara Beyer and Kirk Kammeraad. Mrs. Marinus Smeenge, 294 West 21st St., entertained at a shower for her daughter on Jan. 15. Prizes for games were awarded to Mrs. Manley Beyer, Mrs. Dan Vander Vliet and Miss Cene Van Dyke. Refreshments were served.

Invited were the Mesdames John Dykens, William Dykens, Arnold Datema, Ray Van Dyke, M. Smeenge, Neal Kulken, Gerrit Bokkers, Vernon Drost, Andrew Kammeraad, Russel Tague, Manley Beyer, Tom Beyer and the Misses Cene and Norma Van Dyke, Barbara Tague, Marilyn Smeenge and Janice Smeenge.

Nebraska has a water supply of more than one billion acre-feet annually.



Here is Mrs. Roger Alward of Burnips and her twins who were born in Huizinga Memorial hospital in Zeeland Jan. 13. On the left is her son, Kim Dean, who is still in an incubator in the hospital but "getting along fine." On the right is the daughter, Kathy Jean, who went home with her mother January 18. Both twins were kept in incubators after birth. (Sentinel photo)

Deputy Reports Two Accidents

Two accidents that occurred south of Holland last week were reported Friday by Allegan Deputy Henry Bouwman.

A delivery truck driven by Peter Dobbs, 556 Hogan St., Grand Rapids, tried to stop on slippery 48th St., three miles east of US-31 and slid into a car driven by Ella Zoerman, route 6, Holland. The truck hit the car broadside and knocked it into the ditch. No one was injured.

Damage to the truck, owned by Hekman Biscuit Co. of Grand Rapids, was estimated at \$75 and damage to the '51 model car was estimated to be \$700.

The other accident occurred about a mile and a half south of Holland on US-31 and involved a '48 model car driven by Kenneth John, Holland, and a '37 model car driven by Otis Cray, Dane, Wis. The car driven by John is owned by Edward Lake of Howard Ave.

According to Bouwman the two cars sideswiped each other. Damage to the Lake car was estimated to be \$150 and to the Cray car at \$75.

No tickets were issued.

WCS General Meeting Held at Methodist Church

A general meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist church was held in the church social rooms Thursday, evening. The Mary Bethune circle was in charge of a program based on the theme, "Climbing Up the Mountain."

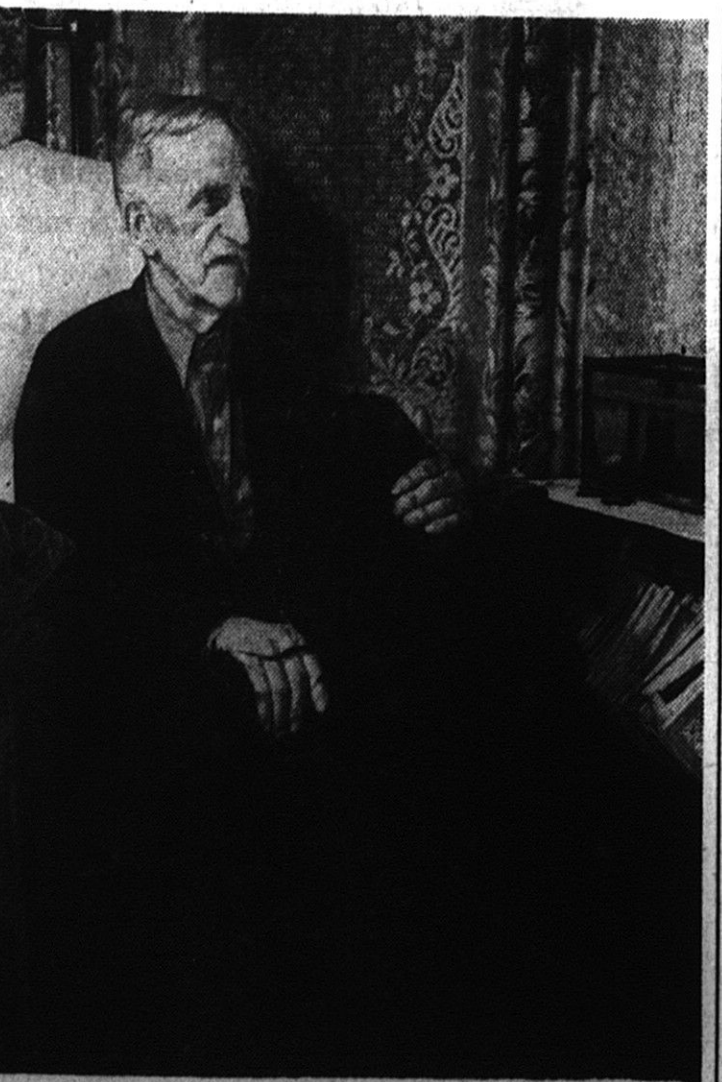
Mrs. Darwin Van Oosterhout, as chairman, introduced Mrs. E. Rasmussen, Mrs. L. M. Light, Mrs. Arthur Keane, Mrs. Peter Houtman and herself, who gave interesting talks on a portion of Africa and the desire to have missionaries there as teachers to enlighten the people and give them new meaning in life and understanding of God.

Mrs. A. E. Hildebrand, accompanied by her daughter, Sally, sang "How Beautiful Upon the Mountain."

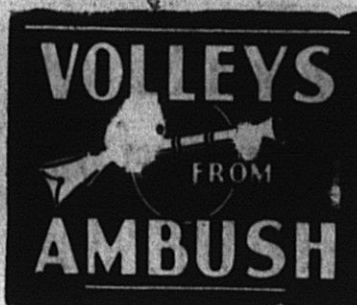
Refreshments were served by Mrs. James Nibelink and her service committee from a table centered with a lovely spring bouquet.

Birthday Party Fetes Lynn Van Langevelde

Lynn Van Langevelde was guest of honor at a party Thursday afternoon in celebration of her third birthday anniversary. The party was given by her mother, Mrs.



Alfred Vander Veere, of 74 East 15th St., marked his 93rd anniversary Sunday by holding open house for his family. He was 11 years old when the big Holland fire virtually wiped out this Dutch settlement in 1871, including the 45-room frame hotel his father operated at the corner of Sixth and River, now the site of Holland Furniture Co. Vander Veere's inseparable companion is Chee-Chee, a black cocker spaniel. In the Vander Veere family are two daughters, 11 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.



The telephone always rings when you're in the bathtub! That's an established fact. But for one Allegan housewife, an afternoon call that interrupted her ablutions was especially irritating.

She had just put her children in bed for their naps and was settling down for a leisurely bath.

The phone rang and as she stood dripping at the phone, a pleasant voice said, "This is your telephone company. We are conducting a survey to learn what our subscribers think about our service."

Harold Slighter has come up with an old copy of a Sentinel which is perhaps one of the oldest in existence. Dated Aug. 26, 1896, the issue was published when The Sentinel was in its first year of existence. In fact, the issue was No. 48 of the first year.

Sensation of the issue was a court trial in Grand Haven in which Mrs. Alice Lawrence was charged with murdering her husband. The woman's accomplice, Raymond Coates, was convicted two weeks earlier.

Another story concerned an explosion in Zeeland in which a boiler blew up in the flouring mill of H. Keppel and Son, severely injuring one man. The boiler was blown into the air and carried about 200 feet. It landed in the big Van Zees furniture store on the other side of the street, shattering the big plate glass window and part of the front of the building. The E. Boone and Co. store also was damaged.

Perhaps the reason the paper was saved was a story about the Zeeland and Holland baseball clubs at the Holland fair grounds in which Holland defeated Zeeland 10 to 9. Listed among the Holland players was a Slighter, right field and pitcher.

Note for local astronomers: A total eclipse of the moon will take place Jan. 29. The eclipse will occur when the full moon becomes totally immersed in the cone-shaped shadow cast by the earth, which means the earth will be right between the sun and the moon. Such an eclipse happens about every six months. The moon will first contact the shadow at 4:54 p.m. and the middle of the eclipse is timed for 6:47 p.m. At 7:30 p.m. the moon will begin to leave the shadow.

Mrs. R. F. Keeler of Holland believes she is the first woman in Holland to have "Mamie" bangs. At least, she was the first to get them at a certain beauty parlor.

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"Will you take our picture if we come?" one asked.

"Oh maybe," the reporter replied. "We photographed a group of Blue Birds when they came through a couple of days ago."

"But will you photograph Old Hens? the first quipped.

Junius B. Wood got quite descriptive in one of his breezy notes a couple of days ago. He wrote: "Washington got into the inaugural spirit today (Jan. 15). A factory exploded, symbolical of the outblowing Democrats, and a train came in so fast that it went half way through the big Union station like a Republican arriving for a job. But neither was funny for the victims."

From the Public Works Pow Wow:

When we asked at the plant how the new equipment was coming, we got a regular Hospital answer: "As well as can be expected." Explains a lot, doesn't it?

Remember the picture of the raccoon pelts along with the hunters, Martin and Gordon De Jonge of Zeeland, we ran in The Sentinel last Jan. 6?

Maybe you read a little squib on page 11 in Tuesday's issue about a 121-year-old raccoon, reported by the Swan Creek wildlife experiment station. The coon was believed to be a record for age, since other records on file in the conservation department showed only 71 years.

You guessed it: The aged coon was one of many bagged the past season by the De Jonges.

Daffynitions from the Pontiac Press:

Incongruous: Where our laws are made; also how many of them appear.

Credit: A commodity that becomes better the less it is used. Ash tray: A place where some people put ashes only when the room has no floor.

Advancing age: When a man pays more attention to the food than to the waitress.

Chinese pagodas have an uneven number of stories because odd numbers are considered lucky in China.

The average adult lathers his hands with a solution of one drop of soap to 15 drops of water.

Allegan to Get X-Ray Machine

ALLEGAN (Special)—Spurred by the Allegan County Cancer society—which contributed \$3,500—and encouraged by the fact that it now has a staff radiologist, the Allegan Health Center will soon install a new \$12,000 X-ray machine.

Routine chest x-rays as a regular part of admission procedure are already underway at the hospital, according to Mrs. Esther Morris, superintendent.

She said the cost to the patient is \$2, although the film and operative cost to the hospital is slightly higher than that.

Extensive remodeling will be required to accommodate the new x-ray equipment. Mrs. Morris said, it will nearly double the "seeing" power of the present machine. She said it would be able to penetrate bone structures which the old machine cannot do.

In addition to the Cancer Society's contribution, Allegan State bank recently donated \$1,000 for the project and the Women's Hospital Service league is planning to undertake paying the balance.

Dr. Bert VanderKolk, a former general practitioner at Hopkins, recently returned to the area after two years training to serve as radiologist for Allegan, Hastings and Plainwell.

Zeeland

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Raymond Schaap, Jr., H.A. son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Schaap of Washington, who graduated from Great Lakes Corps school in December after service of nine months in the Navy, spent a 24-day leave with his parents. He left for his new station last week, the Mare Island Naval Base at San Francisco Bay and expects to be stationed there for six months.

The regular monthly baby clinic will be held at the City Hall auditorium Wednesday, Jan. 28, from 1:30 to 4 p.m. Dr. G. J. Kemmle will be present.

Because of the end of the first semester, Zeeland Public schools were closed on Friday. The pupils enjoyed a free day and teachers had the opportunity to finish examination papers, mark records and plan schedules for the second semester.

Raymond Lokers has been chosen in charge of arranging a parent forum to be held Thursday, Jan. 29 at Zeeland high school auditorium. A somewhat similar forum was held before with great success and this second has been decided by school authorities because of widespread interest in the first. Any topics related to school life will be discussed and all interested parents and friends are cordially invited to participate. The audience will be permitted to present questions, either orally or in written form. The discussions will, it is hoped, help parents and teachers and school authorities to arrive at a common ground.

Cornelius Karsten, president of Zeeland Community Chest and Henry Brinks, secretary-manager of the organization have decided on the annual chest meeting to be held on Monday, Feb. 2, in the City Hall auditorium at 7:30 p.m. All those who have contributed to the Community Chest during the past year are invited to attend the meeting and are eligible to take part in the discussion and voting. The board of the Community Chest is made up of 25 members, and the terms of five expire each year. The principal business therefore is to elect five directors for five-year terms. Members are chosen from various local civic, religious and industrial organizations.

The first term of evening instruction, of about 10 weeks, has been completed of various classes with marked success. A second series of classes is being planned beginning in February under the leadership of Raymond Lokers, in charge of the adult education department at Zeeland high school.

A minimum of 15 persons is required for each class to warrant classes and it is hoped that enough can be enrolled. All classes in the first series, Lokers announces, have concluded their work, except the class of immigrants, who are studying English. They have completed the prescribed course and ask for a continuation and more advanced studies to become acquainted with the language of their adopted country. Most of the immigrants in this course are from the Netherlands.

Subjects to be offered in the new series will depend on the demand. Suggested subjects include speech, Spanish, upholstery, crafts, shop and typing. Those interested are asked to contact Zeeland high school.

Improper Turn Causes Car Crash Near Zeeland

ZEELAND (Special)—A 1950 model car driven by Arthur L. Mitchell, 32, of 884 Hollywood St., Grand Rapids rolled over near the intersection of M-21 and 104th Ave. Thursday afternoon causing an estimated \$1,000 damage. The accident occurred when a car driven by Oliver W. Banks, 73, of route 2, Holland, pulled across the road to make a left turn from the right shoulder. The Mitchell car going east on M-21 struck the Bank car before rolling over.

Deputies Art Lampen and Ken De Jonge who investigated issued a summons to Banks for improper turn causing an accident, interference with traffic, and improper license. The Banks car was considerably damaged.



A visit to the Holland police station proved to be a real thrill for the Helpful Blue Birds of Long-fellow school. Here Sgt. Ernest Bear explains the radio communications for the group of girls. Adults at right are Mrs. George A. Speet, assistant leader, and Mrs. Peter Kalkman, sponsor. Leader of the Blue Bird group is Mrs. Don Thomas. (Sentinel photo)

Fennville

(From Friday's Sentinel)

The Methodist church Family Night was held at the church house Wednesday beginning with a winter picnic at 6:30. In charge of supper arrangements were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clifmie, Mrs. Carl Walter, Mrs. O. W. Carr, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brink. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woodby were chairman of the program.

The Misses Grace and Isabelle Thorn of Holland and Mrs. Ethel Cole were Tuesday luncheon guests of Mrs. Warren Duell in her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Giles and two children have moved from Ganges to the tenant house of Mrs. Anna Richards on the Hutchins Lake road.

Mrs. Arthur Sanford and Mrs. Mildred Cousineau went to Chicago Monday on a buying trip for the latter's store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bast went to Florida to spend their vacation and visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Westveldt at Zepher Hills.

Walter Dinteman has safely arrived in Lubeck, Germany, where he is doing rehabilitation work in the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farrell of Evanston, Ill., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hicks.

Word has been received that James Wadsworth of Muskegon, formerly of Fennville, is confined to his bed. He recently suffered a stroke that paralyzed his right side.

Mrs. Clifford Paine, who has been in Bronson hospital, Kalamazoo has gained sufficiently to be brought to her home. She is being cared for by Mrs. Sophia Carr.

At the last regular meeting of the Odd Fellows the new officers were installed. They are: Noble grand, William Bush; vice grand, Lawrence Vesper; recording secretary, Lynn Chappell, supplying for Robert Stillson who is in the hospital; financial secretary, John Weston; treasurer, Marvin Wolters; warden, Ray McCarty; conductor, Allen Wightman; right and left supporters of the noble grand, Carlo Rasmussen and Otto Heinze; right and left supporters of the vice grand, Arthur Sanford and Donald Sova; chaplain, Frank Keag; musician, El Wolters; inside guardian, Waldyn Roberts; outside guardian, Everard Foster; scene supporters, Thomas Helbach and Adolph Johnson. The lodge went to South Haven Wednesday evening to confer the first and second degrees and Friday evening will go to Allegan to put on the initiatory degree.

Mrs. Frank Keag returned home Sunday from Chicago where she spent a week to be near her daughter, Mrs. Leland Stewart who was hospitalized.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Landsburg went to Coloma Sunday to attend funeral services for Lyndon Becker, 35. Mr. Becker graduated from Eau Claire high school when Mr. and Mrs. Landsburg taught there.

Mrs. Lionel Becher was hostess to the luncheon bridge club Tuesday.

A miscellaneous shower was given Thursday evening in honor of Miss Patricia Vander Bie, who will be married in March to John Nyboer. The party was given by Mrs. William Nyboer and her daughter, Helene, at their home, 651 West 21st St.

Yellow and green decorations, featuring a sprinkling can, were used for the event. Games were played and duplicate prizes were awarded. The hostesses served refreshments.

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Saugatuck Fire Probe Continues

SAUGATUCK (Special)—State police and local officials are continuing their investigation into possible causes of last Sunday's disastrous fire which destroyed the Harding Hotel here with an estimated loss of about \$150,000.

State police Detective Walter Burns of Paw Paw, who is heading the probe, said that "the usual causes for fires are pretty well eliminated."

These include, Burns said, the human element, which has been eliminated since the building was not used since October; the element of heating devices, since no provisions were made for heating the building; the element of faulty electrical equipment, since no juice had been put through the meter since October; and the element of break-in, since no evidence of illegal entry has been found.

Last person known to have been in the building, Burns said, was owner George Harding, who had been there to get a high chair about nine days before the fire. Harding is convinced that the building was set afire, Burns said.

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FENNVILLE (Special)—Mrs. Hattie Arnold, who was celebrating her 91st birthday here Saturday, fell in the living room of her home early Saturday and fractured her left hip. She was attended by a Fennville physician and later removed by ambulance to Allegan Health Center. A life-long resident of the area, Mrs. Arnold took a keen interest in community affairs. Her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins, were early pioneers. Two daughters, Mrs. Lillie Bale and Mrs. Eva Richards, live with her.

Elevations are in feet above mean tide at New York, 1935 datum.

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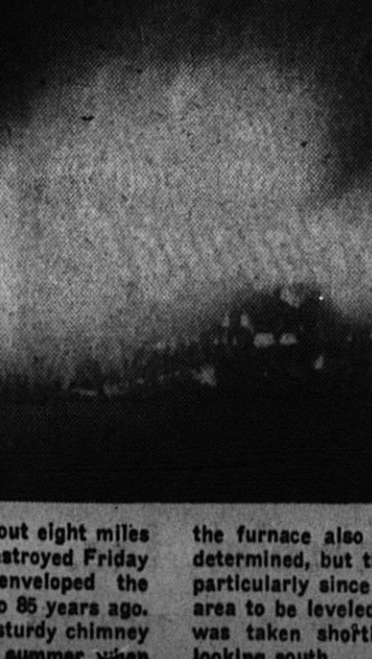
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Allegan Jaycees Begin Campaign For Playground

Long-Range Plans Call For Softball Diamonds, Skating Rink, Etc.

ALLEGAN (Special)—Allegan's Junior Chamber of Commerce has undertaken a long-range campaign to transform city and school property behind the Dawson school into a community playground.

An ice skating rink, softball diamonds and picnic grounds are included, but the JCC's immediate goal is for a playground for the Dawson school pupils.

Dr. Russell Baker, JCC president, has named Wayne Goodwin to head the project.

His first step was erection of a sign on the high bank just east of the school inviting individuals and contractors to use the site as a dump for "everything but garbage and food containers."

Goodwin said an 18-foot fill, tapering to eight feet toward the river could be made in a relatively short time. His firm, Carl Goodwin and Sons, will haul much of the unneeded dirt from the M-40 relocation job to the school and other area contractors have offered to do likewise.

Several offers of bulldozers to keep the dump covered and sanitary have also been made, he said. When the fill is complete it will be covered with top-soil and seeded.

Dawson school has always been cramped for recreation space due to the steep bank behind the building. Under the JCC plan "the flats" behind the school will be brought up to street level.

Included in the long range program are plans for a large level area that can be used for softball in summer and flooded for a skating rink in the winter. Don Allen, local engineer, has offered his services to lay out the area and the possibility of a one way street, running from Walnut St. down to the river and across to the corner of North Cedar and Delano Sts. is also being studied.

Goodwin said the one-way road could serve a dual purpose, providing access to the area and serving as a dike to protect the area in case of high water levels. Virtually all of the land involved is owned either by the school district or the city, officials of which have given the JCC's go-ahead on the first phase of the program.

Rest Haven Guild Meets at Trinity

Rest Haven Guild was represented by a large group of women from churches in the Holland and Zeeland area at a meeting in Trinity church Tuesday evening.

The president, Mrs. E. Van Eck, presided and welcomed the group. Mrs. Ruth Roos led devotions, using the challenging thoughts: "It is easier to light a candle than to curse the darkness. Light the candle of kindness for only that light is rich that never misses an opportunity to do some good for someone." A duet, "All Things in Jesus," was sung by Mrs. John Hains and Mrs. Clarence Luth, accompanied by Mrs. Earl Vanden Bosch.

Mrs. Jeannette Van Dyke, as chairman of the project committee, gave an outline of plans for the year, the first project being a rummage sale to be held in Grand Rapids in March. Representatives responded for their respective churches. An offering was taken totaling \$58.25.

The president presented Miss Esther Everse, who gave an inspiring talk of "The Blind Beggar." She was assisted in music by Miss Myra Wiersma, and Mrs. Earl Vanden Bosch. In closing, Miss Everse gave the poem, "I Saw My Savior Face to Face."

Mrs. J. Van Oss dismissed the meeting with prayer.

The next general meeting, to which all women are invited, will be held Feb. 27 in Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church.

Membership Goal Is Reached by Bureau

Through efforts of volunteer workers, the Ottawa County Farm Bureau has gone over its membership goal, its share of the state goal being 1,307. William Kennedy, county roll call manager, reports that the membership is now 1,317 with more expected later.

With the increased membership, it was pointed out that the county board will be able to have a better farm program as well as help the State Farm Bureau in carrying on its program.

Mr. Kennedy expressed his thanks to all workers and everyone who helped make the membership campaign a success.

Adult Table Tennis Program Is Arranged

Adults interested in playing table tennis are invited to the table tennis center which is open every Wednesday evening in Longfellow school. Play begins at 7 p.m.

It was pointed out that this is not a tournament, but is part of Holland's city-wide adult recreation program conducted by Joe Moran. The center is under supervision of Harold Streeter. Those who do not play are invited to watch.

Open House to Mark Anniversary



Today, January 29, Mr. and Mrs. John Otten are celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary with open house at their home, 93 East 34th St. Friends and relatives are invited to call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Otten were married at Sheboygan, Wis., by the late Rev. H. Guikema. They moved to Holland in August of 1916. Mr. Otten is employed as salesman for

Club Guest Gives Review Of Satire on Government

With a keen insight into the subtleties which make a satire effective, Mrs. J. R. Kramer of Frankfort, Ind., Tuesday afternoon reviewed the novel, "Democracy," by Henry Adams, at a regular meeting of the Woman's Literary club.

Mrs. Kramer, a sister of Mrs. Dallas C. Ruch of Holland, explained that while the novel on government in Washington was published in 1879, the applications are just as true today as they were 75 years ago. The book, the only novel of one of New England's most illustrious men, was first printed under another name but since then has been reprinted many times, the most recent time five months ago. Mrs. Kramer explained that Henry Adams was a member of the famous Adams family and had written many books but only one novel. The writer in his day was regarded as the epitome of higher learning.

The easy-to-follow plot of the suave satire concerned one Mrs. Lightfoot Lee, a beautiful wealthy young widow of New York City whose grief at the death of her husband and child finally turned to boredom. The socially acceptable Madeline Lee became interested in "this new democracy" and moved to Washington, D. C., where she met a host of interesting persons in official life including a powerful senator, Silas P. Ratcliff of Illinois. Mrs. Lee often visited the Senate gallery, faithfully read the more interesting parts of the Congressional Record, and unknowingly wanted to "touch power." Her home each Sunday evening became the gathering place of assorted persons ranging from loyal John Carrington, a remote relative deeply in love with her, to outspoken aging Baron Jacoby of Bulgaria to the tattling girl friend who effected a stammer whenever she related a particularly juicy tidbit of gossip.

Many philosophies on government of the people, by the people and for the people were cleverly woven into the tapestry of ageless political intrigue. Was corruption in Washington so bad that there should be political reform? Would reform movements threaten democracy? The astute Senator Ratcliff thundered, "Purify society and you purify Washington."

With the powerful senator named Secretary of the Treasury and with all Washington speculating on whether the charming Mrs. Lee would become the next First Lady, the plot carries on in dramatic form. Only a sudden reawakening to moral values shocks the heroine back to reason when her chance to "touch power" ended in complete disillusion for certain practices in political life.

Mrs. Garrett Vander Borgh, club president, announced the club will celebrate its 39th clubhouse birthday next week with a tea. The program will be excerpts from the Strauss operetta, "Die Fledermaus."

To Wed in June



The engagement of Miss Clara Elhart to James A. Slagh has been announced by her father, Theo J. Elhart of 131 West 27th St. Mr. Slagh is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Slagh of 222 West 10th St. The wedding will be an event of June.

Bridal Shower Given For Doris Brookhouse

Mrs. Jack Weller entertained at her home in Graafschap Thursday evening with a shower for Miss Doris Brookhouse, February bride-elect.

Decorations in blue and pink featured an umbrella, under which the honored guest opened her gifts. Games were played and duplicate prizes awarded to Mesdames Don Van Lente, Bob Vander Kooy and Al Kalkman. A two-course lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Bob Weller and Miss Marjorie Weller.

Invited were the Mesdames Henry Swierenga, James Topp, Hoyt Steffens, Walter Kuizenga, Roy Bratt, Don Van Lente, Bob Vander Kooy, Arie Weller, Ken Weller, Henry B. Weller, John Lubbers, Charles Dams, John Bratt, Herbert Van Oort, Al Kalkman, Louis W. Mulder, Roger Bovey, Jay Mulder, James Mulder, Herman Broekman and the Mesdames Hattie Lambers, Lavinia Mulder, Carmen Steffens and Marilyn Weller. Out-of-town guests invited were Mrs. John Mulder and Mrs. Al Meussen of Grand Haven and Mrs. Clayton Weller of Manatee, Fla.

Fahocha Class Meets In Memorial Chapel

The first meeting of the Fahocha class of First Methodist church was held Monday evening in Memorial chapel of the church.

Mrs. Florence Baker, new president, was in charge. About 45 members were present.

Mrs. Bobbie Longstreet opened the service with a reading, "Challenge of the New Year." Devotions featured an impressive candlelighting service using "The Lord's Prayer," in story and song.

Mrs. Viola Rowe read from a scroll as the following girls lit the colored candles representing lines of the prayer: Mrs. Julia Myrick, Mrs. Luette Lound, Mrs. Hazel Tabler, Mrs. Avis Brandt, Mrs. Betty Veeder, Mrs. Donna DeVries, Mrs. Jane Severson, Mrs. Pat Braun, Mrs. Myrtle De Fouw, Mrs. Leona Vande Vusse and Mrs. Dorothy Fox. An inspiring, unaccompanied rendition of "The Lord's Prayer" was sung by Mrs. Marguerite Hagans.

Mrs. Hagans then gave a short talk on "Service." "Do all we can—not for credit, but because we want to do something for the Master," she said.

Mrs. Estelle De Vries, teacher of the class, installed the new officers. As the officers knelt before the altar Mrs. Hagans sang a hymn of consecration, "Oh, Jesus I Have Promised."

Mrs. Baker was in charge of the business meeting in the Emmaus room. Mrs. Vande Vusse gave the financial report for the past year and Mrs. Bea Shashagay read the budget for this year.

Mrs. Marion Van Lente played several hymns as the class made their pledges.

Refreshments were served by the Mesdames Jane Severson, Bobbie Longstreet, Hazel Tabler and Avis Brandt.

Rex Ten Eyck Will Head Allegan Red Cross Drive

ALLEGAN (Special)—Rex C. Ten Eyck, Otsego, has been named to head the Allegan county Red Cross fund campaign in March, according to Charles Ayres, county chairman.

Ten Eyck, a partner in an automobile dealership, is president of the Otsego Rotary club, active in the Congregational church and a member of the Elks and the American Legion. A graduate of Michigan State college, he spent 42 months overseas during World War II.

The county goal will be announced and local chairmen named at a later date, according to Ten Eyck.



The Sunny Blue Birds of Longfellow school met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Rene Willis.

They modeled with clay. Ann Van Eenennaam was chairman of this meeting. Saturday they went to the Rollerena. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Borlace, and Mr. and Mrs. Rene Willis accompanied them, reports scribe, Marcia Jongsma.

The Cheerful Blue Birds of Van Raalte school met at the home of their new leader, Mrs. J. R. Lacey. Sally Steketee was elected president; Barbara Kuite, vice president, and Judy Dorgelo, scribe. The girls sang and made Blue Bird pins. Barbara Kuite served a treat.

Margo White, scribe of the Dancing Daisy Blue Birds, reports that they visited the local fire station and police station. Mrs. Frank Bolhuis accompanied them.

The Singing Blue Birds of Van Raalte met with their leaders, Mrs. J. Van Hoff and Mrs. C. Baker. The girls started making Blue Bird head scarfs. Blair Bontekoe served a treat, reports scribe, Judy Baker.

The Serenading Blue Birds of Montello Park have been busy with various activities. They have painted and decorated wall plaques, made a scrap book for the children's ward of the hospital, and visited the Dutch Boy bakery. Mrs. William Topp and Mrs. William Brower are their leaders.

The Ecetu Camp Fire group went to the Red Cross office with their guardian, Mrs. William Plum. They gave three hours of public service to earn one of their Fire Maker's requirements, reports scribe, Eddie Rakes.

The Odakonya group of Federal school met at the home of Lois Laron. They worked on their memory books and decided to make some disc dolls in the near future reports scribe, Sharon Sullivan.

Kathleen McBride, scribe of the Cantewaste group, reports that they met with their guardians, Mrs. Henry Van Kampen and Mrs. R. E. Barber, at the Barber home. Recipe books were made and Ann Shardon treated the group.

The Cuski Mikana group met at the home of Diane Roser. The girls discussed future plans and learned their chain craft bracelets. Lunch was served by the hostess reports scribe, Betty Alderink.

The Otawata Camp Fire group met with their guardians, Mrs. E. R. Eschmann and Mrs. Dick Vander Yacht. They discussed plans for a party to be held for parents on Feb. 13. Supper will be served and games will be played. The group also worked on their memory books, reports scribe, Mary Schulling.

The Tekakwith group of St. Francis school met with their guardian, Mrs. Joe Fabiano. The following officers were elected: Barbara Duffy, president; Mary Gonzales, vice president; Rachel Arenas, secretary; Rosamond Jaragosky, scribe. The girls worked on their symbolgrams.

The Winata Camp Fire group of Van Raalte met with their guardians, Mrs. Don Kraai and Mrs. Don Ryppa. The following officers were elected: Linda Lucas, president; Mara Harbin, vice president; Mary Jane Bowman, secretary; Gail Van Raalte, scribe. Judy Rummel served a treat.

The Wachewe group has held various meetings. Their Christmas party was held at the home of Gail Sparks. The girls planned the supper party and entertainment. On Jan. 6 they met at the home of Margaret Ray. Plans for passing their Fire Maker's rank were made and Brenda Bos was elected the new scribe. On Jan. 13 they met at the home of Ellen Scott. Plans for a sleigh ride were made. Mrs. E. E. Ruddick and Mrs. Jack Kamphuis are their guardians.

Smith-Larson Marriage Performed in Fennville

FENNVILLE (Special)—Miss Delores Ann Larson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Larson of route 3, and Duane Smith, son of Lindford Smith of Grand Junction and Mrs. Lavada Wagner of Seattle, Wash., were married at the Methodist parsonage Saturday afternoon at 3. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Garth Smith in the presence of immediate relatives.

Attendants of the couples were Miss Barbara Koerner and William Stedman, Jr., a brother-in-law of the bride.

For her wedding the bride chose a navy blue suit with white accessories and a red rose corsage. Miss Koerner wore a grey suit with red accessories and a corsage of pink roses. The bride's mother wore a wine colored suit. Among the guests was the groom's grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Smith of Grand Junction.

Saturday evening at 8 a reception was held at the Pearl town hall for 75 guests. The three-tiered wedding cake was served by Miss Sally Johnson.

The couple will reside on route 3. Mr. Smith is employed by the Allegan highway department.

Pupils Visit Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Martin Bouwma, accompanied 25 pupils of the 6th, 7th and 8th grades of Lamont school to the Circuit Court session Tuesday afternoon to listen to testimony being submitted in the case of The People against Frank Taylor, 46, of Grand Haven, who is being tried on an embezzlement charge. The case commenced Monday morning before Judge Raymond L. Smith and a jury.

Lions Club Marks Founder's Week

Melvin Jones Week was observed at the weekly meeting of the Holland Lions club Tuesday noon at the Warm Friend Tavern and special guests for the occasion were six charter members of the local club.

Melvin Jones was the founder of Lions International.

Charter members attending were: John Kole, J. Vander Broek, Dr. Otto van der Velde, Bertal Slagh, Fred Van Lente and Harry Kramer. Henry Ter Haar and Russ Vander Poel, still active members, also are charter members.

Three boys who attended Boys' State last summer at Michigan State college also spoke at the meeting. They were Tom DePree, John Klassen and David Bos. Bos, as governor of Michigan Boys' State, also told of his experiences at Boy's Nation in Washington, D. C.

Ernie Miller inducted two new members, Henry Vander Plow and Willard Haan. Guests included the Rev. John Hains, A. Bode and James Quist from Holland and Ken Smith from St. Joseph.

Neal Van Leeuwen gave the invocation and Gerrit Wiegink led group singing.

President George Stephens presided and Henry Ter Haar was program chairman.

Board Discusses Religious Values

The Board of Education resumed its informal sessions Monday evening with the subject, "Moral and Spiritual Values as Expressed in our Schools." Dr. Lester J. Kuyper served as chairman.

Principal J. J. Riemersma discussed the over-all picture in the high school, using as the basis of his remarks Proverbs 22:6 "Train up a child in the way he shall go and when he is old he will not depart from it." He believes the most important of all opportunities is the personal example of a good teacher.

Clifford Marcus, junior English teacher, discussed the subject in the classroom. The teacher who is successful imparting moral and spiritual values must make every effort to understand children in the light of present day circumstances, considering the common use of modern inventions. The teacher must be alert to the marked impression adult attitudes make on children. Marcus said he believes the teacher who is basically religious will automatically impart moral values.

Miss Clara Reverts explained the outlines used in teaching Old Testament in the first semester and New Testament in the second semester. These are elective courses with 30 students enrolled in each class. Miss Reverts read various anonymous answers to the final examination question which read, "The Bible is our most priceless possession. The more we study it the more it means. Of what value has this course been to you?"

Ned Stuits gave examples of opportunities for emphasizing moral and spiritual values in physical education. These instructors emphasize the importance of courtesy, self-control and value of training rules which lead to pointing out the child's obligation to his parents and to God by good living.

Miss Hannah Parkyn pointed out that studying mathematics is to discover the laws that operate the universe, particularly that things are what they have to be under certain conditions.

From Junior high school, Miss Clara McClellan and Miss Katherine Vander Veere spoke of the opportunities presented during the home room period each day and observed much of incidental learning in moral values.

Miss Fannie Bultman and Mrs. Frieda Hoogerhyde spoke of the many opportunities for teaching these values in the elementary classrooms which prepare children to take individual responsibilities in the secondary schools.

Supt. Walter W. Scott called attention to the importance of having parents understand what the schools are trying to do and enlist their aid.

Mrs. Maude Stallings Succumbs at Hospital

Mrs. Maude Stallings, 67, of 613 Lugers Rd., died Tuesday noon at Holland hospital of a lingering illness. She had been taken to the hospital Monday.

Mrs. Stallings made her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Burns of Lugers Rd. She was born Nov. 28, 1885, in Brown county, Indiana. She was the wife of Vichal Stallings. She was a member of the Seventh-Day Adventist church.

Surviving besides the husband and daughter are a son, Pete, of Holland; three grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Mabel Swearington of Bloomington, Ind., and two brothers, Glenn Morrison of Dayton, Ohio, and Roy Morrison of Lexington, Ky.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon, 1:30 at Dykstra funeral chapel and 2 p.m. at Seventh-day Adventist church, with Elder H. D. Miller officiating. Burial will be at Pilgrim Home cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral chapel Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m.

Firemen Answer Call

Holland firemen were called to the S. A. Dagen garage at 12 West Seventh St., at 2:20 p.m., Monday where an auto inside the garage was on fire. Extensive damage was averted and the fire was brought under control in a short time.



Pic. and Mrs. Roger Carlson

(Fern-Crest photo)

Fennville Apple Queen Wed to Korea War Vet

FENNVILLE (Special)—Miss Beverly Stehle, Fennville's apple queen, became the bride of Pfc. Roger Carlson in a lovely ceremony Saturday evening at Hospitality House. The Rev. Garth Smith performed the double ring rites before a setting of tall vases of white gladioli and chrysanthemums and two seven-branch candelabra.

The bride, who was chosen Fennville's first apple queen last fall, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Stehle. The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson, is on a 30-day furlough following a year's service in Korea.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white gown which featured a lace bodice, pet yoke, long tapered sleeves and a full skirt topped with a full lace peplum trimmed with scattered sequins. Her fingertip veil was secured by white flowers which matched her arm bouquet of white roses and carnations. A single

strand of pearls completed her ensemble.

Attending the couple were the groom's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carlson of Fennville. Mrs. Carlson wore a sea green taffeta gown with matching hat and muff and carried an arrangement of pink flowers.

James Eriewein seated the guests and the Misses Lucille and Helen Kluck lighted the candles.

Miss Joan Staski, accompanied by Miss Beatrice Deters, sang "Because" before the nuptial rites.

After the ceremony, a reception was held and later a party for friends was held at American Legion hall.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Carlson are graduates of Fennville high school. The bride has been employed in the office of Michigan Fruit Canners, Inc. The groom will be discharged from the Army in April and plans to resume his former work with the Fennville Lumber Co.

Hospital Notes

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)
Admitted to Holland hospital Tuesday were John H. Scott, 70 West 29th St.; Mrs. Lawrence Priem, route 4; Thomas McKeefer, 10614 Paw Paw Dr.; Henry Klomprens, 86 West 12th St.; Mrs. Clarence Gray, 61 East Eighth St.; Mrs. Harold Den Router, 135 West 11th St.

Discharged Tuesday were Mrs. Cornelius Grasman, route 3, Hudsonville; Herman Tuckeer, East Saugatuck; Dick Vander Haar, 67½ West Ninth St.; Mrs. Peter Botsis, 186 Lakewood Blvd.; Mrs. Gordon Oetman, route 6; Dick De Boer, 107 Columbia Ave.; Mrs. Wynand Vanden Berg, 93 West 13th St.; Mrs. Fred Smith and baby, 336½ Maple Ave.; Mrs. Stanley Roelofs and baby, 30 James St.; Mrs. Frank Melvin and baby, route 3, Fennville; Mrs. James Lemmen and baby, route 1, East Saugatuck; Mrs. Keith Brenner and baby, route 1; Mrs. Robert Grebel and baby, 47 West 22nd St.; Henry Bosch, 41 East 24th St.

Hospital births include a son, William Gerrit, born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Sprong, Jr., 501 South Capitol, Lansing; a son, Roger Dale, born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smoes, route 1, Hamilton; a daughter, Kathy Lynn, born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Olthoff, route 4, Holland; a daughter, Christine Anne, born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Jeroel De Vries, 39 Lee St., Zeeland; a daughter, Mary Josephine, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kelly, route 1, Holland.

March Bride-Elect



Miss Mary Lou De Witt of Zeeland announced the engagement of her daughter, Mary Lou, to Paul J. Mitsos, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mitsos of Gary, Ind. The couple plan to be married in March.

Miss De Witt, who attended Hope college, is employed at De Witt Zeeland hatchery. Mr. Mitsos is a senior at Hope.

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Woman Fatally Injured in Fall

Mrs. Anna Landaal, 57, who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Kass, at 499 Van Raalte Ave., died Wednesday in Holland hospital of injuries received in a fall down some stairs Tuesday while visiting a friend in Holland.

For several years Mrs. Landaal and her husband who died three years ago had been living with their children.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Rhine Pettinga of Paterson, N.J., Mrs. Kass of Holland and Mrs. Louis Voskuil of Lynden, Wash.; two sons, Gerald of Bellflower, Calif., and Lester of Ironton, Ia.; 13 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, a brother and two sisters.

Arie Casper Groen Dies at Age of 21

Arie Casper Groen, 21, died Wednesday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Groen, at 563 West 20th St. He had been ill a few days and became seriously ill Tuesday. Cause of death was tentatively given as pneumonia and complications.

Surviving are the parents, a brother, Robert; three sisters, Betty, Karen and Sandra, all at home, and his grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Vander Wilk of Holland.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. from the Ver Lee funeral home and at 2 p.m. from Montello Park Christian Reformed church. Burial will be in Restlawn cemetery. The body is at Ver Lee chapel.

C & O Railroad Man Succumbs at Zeeland

ZEELAND (Special)—Gottlieb D. Hildebrand, 44, of 3832 Byron Center Ave., S. W. Grand Rapids died at Zeeland hospital early Wednesday after a 10-day illness. He was employed at the C & O Railroad for 20 years.

Surviving are the wife, Ida, two daughters, Barbara June and Cheryl Ann; one son, Lee David, all at home; his mother, Mrs. Margaret Hildebrand, one sister, Mrs. Walter Brenner of Burnips, three brothers, John and Jacob, Burnips, Fred of Moine.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 2 p.m. at St. Peter's Lutheran church at Dorc with the Rev. C. Kiptmiller officiating. Relatives will meet at the Dorc township hall at 1:30 p.m. Burial will be in Dorc cemetery.

The body is at the Yntema funeral home where friends and relatives may call on Thursday and Friday, 7 to 9 p.m.

Zeeland Infant Dies

ZEELAND (Special)—Harley Allen Bowman, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowman, route 2, Zeeland, died at birth at Zeeland hospital Wednesday. Surviving besides the parents are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Driessing of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman of Beaverdam.

Junior Welfare League Discusses New Projects

At a business meeting of Junior Welfare league Tuesday evening, members discussed the possibility of sponsoring several new projects next year, Miss Althea Raffensaud, president, conducted the meeting, held in the tea room of the Woman's Literary club house.

Chairmen gave reports on several projects completed this year and on coming events, including a rummage sale, a benefit bridge party on Feb. 17 and a children's fair at the Holland Armory on March 28.

After the business meeting, members worked on items for the fair.

3 Petitions Filed

City Clerk Clarence Greengood said today that petitions have been filed for Municipal Judge Cornelius vander Meulen, Councilman Anthony Nienhuis of the first ward and Bernice Bishop, councilman-at-large. Petitions are being circulated for John Van Eerden, councilman of the fifth ward, and Rein Visscher, councilman of the third ward. To date, no petitions have been issued to any opposing forces. Deadline for filing petitions is noon Saturday.

Marriage Licenses

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)
Ottawa County
John Pennington, 38, Fremont, and Marian Bosch, 22, Zeeland; Harold D. Harrington, 19, and Katharine De Verney, 18, both of route 3, Hudsonville.

Dutchmen Breeze To Ninth Victory In Easy Fashion

About 900 Hope college basketball fans turned out at the Armory Saturday night expecting the Dutchmen to romp over Olivet. They did.

The home town boys had no trouble at all in chalking up their ninth straight triumph and sixth in a row in MIAA play at the expense of the invading Comets 94-67. The loss was the eighth in nine games for Olivet.

Hope started slowly, and four minutes were gone before Bob Visser racked up the first Hope field goal on a fast break to give the Dutch a 5-4 lead. After that, Hope never was behind, increasing its advantage to 21-14 at the first quarter whistle.

If there was any doubt as to Hope's mastery, it was quickly dispelled in the second period. With the score 23-16, the Dutch went on one of their frequent rampages, racking up 15 points in a row while holding Olivet scoreless for a 38-16 edge. Coach John Visser's crew went ahead to a 50-27 lead at the half.

With long-shot artist Bud Bryant leading the way with four long field goals, Olivet made its last stab in the third period, outscoring Hope 24-23. But the home-town Dutchmen still held a 73-51 lead at the quarter.

The only question in the last stanza was whether or not Hope would hit 100 points. With no serious effort made by Hope, the total fell short, even though the Dutch increased their lead to 30 points at a couple of spots.

The outgunned Comets, with only Bryant and Pete Krcalac showing frequent signs of scoring punch, never got closer than 20 points after Hope's second period spurge.

For the Dutch, the easy victory featured once again all around team strength. Ron Bos paced the scoring with 20 points, and set up another dozen with left passing. Five Dutchmen hit double figures, and 12 of the 13 men who appeared in the lineup entered the scoring column, with 10 of them scoring field goals.

Hope now takes a week away from the basketball wars for semester exams. Next contest for the Dutch will be Feb. 2 at Lake Forest, with MIAA competition resuming Feb. 7 at Alma.

Tentative arrangements to reschedule the postponed Hope-Adrian game for next Saturday night have fallen through. No date has been set for the contest.

Hope (94)	FG	FT	PP	FT
Jacobson, f	5	3	2	13
Visser, f	7	3	3	17
Hendrickson, c	6	1	0	13
Bos, g	8	4	2	20
Bolema, g	1	2	3	4
Adams	4	3	0	11
Brannock	1	1	4	3
Piersma	2	0	0	4
Riemersma	2	0	1	4
Klomprens	0	1	0	1
Rink	0	2	2	2
Molenaar	0	0	1	0
Schultz	1	0	1	2
Olivet (67)	37	20	19	94
Dean, f	2	0	1	4
Goudy, f	3	1	5	7
Hunt, c	0	0	2	0
Bryant, g	9	3	3	21
Hiatt, g	4	0	5	8
Krcalac	5	0	5	19
Carothers	0	0	0	0
Hill	3	2	3	8
Alexander	0	0	1	0
	26	15	25	67

Hope Freshmen Bow to Broncos

After rallying to come from far behind, the Hope college junior varsity basketball team lost out in the last quarter to a strong Western Michigan freshman team 88-82 Saturday night at the Armory. The game was played as a prelude to the Hope-Olivet contest.

The Junior Broncos whipped out to a 26-17 first period lead and increased this margin to 53-41 at the half. Then using a close-checking defense, Coach Larry Green's Dutchmen held Western to 10 points in the third period while scoring 22 to haul into a 63-63 tie at the whistle.

Hope went ahead in the nip and tuck final period and led for the last time at 67-66. But when rebound ace Woody Schultz and Willie Rink fouled out, Hope victory chances dropped.

Alden Klomprens led the Dutch with 22 points. Dwight Riemersma had 18, Schultz 17, Harold Molenaar 14, Rink six, Bob De Young three and Jerry Lubbers two. Sheneberger paced Western with 25 points.

Couple Wed in Chapel Of Methodist Church

Virginia Keel Ingram, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Keel of 355 Harrison Ave., and James Edward Wajohn were married Friday at 8 p.m. in the First Methodist church chapel. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wajohn of 276 West 15th St.

The Rev. John O. Hagans officiated at the double ring rites. Attending the couple were Miss Joyce Keel and Richard C. Miss.

A reception for the immediate families was held at the Eten House.

The newlyweds will live at 236 West 17th St.

The battle of Saratoga was the decisive battle of the American Revolutionary war.



Committee Chairmen for Newcomers Club Polio Benefit Dance

(Sentinel photo)

Polio Benefit Dance Will Climax Local Fund Drive

Newcomers club members have completed plans for a gala Polio Benefit dance on Saturday, Jan. 31, at the Veterans of Foreign Wars club house. The informal affair, which will feature square dancing part of the evening, will be a gay climax to the month-long polio campaign for funds. The dance will follow the Mothers March on Polio, scheduled earlier Saturday evening.

A square dance orchestra from Saugatuck will provide music for dancing from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. All proceeds from tickets and refreshment to be served during the evening will be turned over to the local polio fund.

Polio banners, canisters and posters will highlight decorations in the VFW ballroom, which is being donated for the occasion by the Vets club.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Cobb and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Wheaton are

general chairmen for the event. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Haynes are in charge of tickets; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pelletier, hospitality; Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Kline, refreshments, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Taber, publicity. Mr. Taber made all posters used in the publicity campaign.

Committee chairmen pictured at a recent meeting at the Paul Taber home are, seated, left to right, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Wheaton, Manuel Kline, Mrs. Paul Taber, Mrs. Kenneth Haynes, Mrs. Ed Pelletier, Mrs. Kline and Mr. Haynes. Standing are Mr. Taber and Mr. Pelletier. The Cobbs were not present when the picture was taken.

Reservations for the informal dance, to which the public is invited, may be made with Mrs. Haynes, telephone 59244, or with any member of the Newcomers club.

Benefit Dance Nets Over \$850 for Polio

Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary surpassed its goal Saturday night when their fourth annual Polio Benefit dance netted more than \$850 for the Ottawa county polio fund drive. Although final receipts were not reported, Mrs. Jay C. Petter, chairman, announced the \$850 figure had been reached. The Auxiliary had hoped to net at least \$600 for the polio fund.

The dance, held in the Tulip room of the Warm Friend Tavern, attracted well over 200 couples. Verne C. Dagen, Ottawa county chairman, and Charles Bugielski, treasurer, and their wives were among the many guests.

The plank and wishing well netted \$659.36 in downtown Holland Saturday. That added to \$110.72 collected at the two sites Friday night made a total for the two days of \$770.08.

This sum added to collections from the two projects two weeks ago means \$1,866.48 for the two week-ends.

Grand Haven Will Have Two Contests

GRAND HAVEN (Special). — Grand Haven voters will have a field of five candidates to choose from for city treasurer at the primary election Feb. 16.

Those who filed their petitions before the deadline Saturday were: Reyer Nagtzaam, former painter and custodian of several local buildings; Mrs. James (Mildred) Jacobs, whose husband is coordinator of trade and industrial education in the local high school; Wilford F. Kieft, Sr., clothing merchant for many years and who is now selling out his business; Ray O. Neumann, retired city employee, and Marion G. Moore, well-known in Democratic circles in Ottawa County. The above are seeking the office to be left vacant by Don Bishop, incumbent, who announced he will not seek re-election due to salary dissatisfaction.

Mayor Claude VerDuin and Alderman Louis Breitel and James Ledinsky, will not have opposition. VerDuin has served the city one year, having previously been a member of council. Breitel has served three, two year terms and Ledinsky is completing his first two-year term.

There will also be a race for member of the Board of Public Works. Abram J. Wessel, incumbent, and William J. Swart, Jr., local contractor, seek the office. Wessel, a retired coast guardman, is president of the Board and has served 12 years.

Surprise Shower Fetes Miss Rose Steenwyk

A surprise shower Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gemmen, 134 West 31st St., honored Miss Rose Steenwyk, bride-elect. Mrs. Gerrit Meyer and Mrs. Anna Steenwyk assisted the hostess.

Gifts were presented to the bride and games were played with duplicate prizes awarded to Bert Ten Harns, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Meyer and Miss Allie Touring. Refreshments were served.

Attending were Mrs. William Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Meyer and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Meyer, Gerald Meyer, Mrs. Allie Touring, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ten Harns, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Van Hattma, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. John Kruit-hof, Mrs. Anna Steenwyk and Melvin.

Home Economics Club Meets at Federal School

Members of the Federal Home Economics club met Wednesday evening at Federal school.

New officers for the year are Mrs. Don Myaard, president; Mrs. John Baldwin, vice president; Mrs. Richard Van Dyke, secretary; Mrs. Andrew Vander Yacht, treasurer; Mrs. Dick Drost, recreation leader, and Mrs. Carroll Norlin reporter.

The program featured the showing of two Red Cross films.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. John Larson and Mrs. Andrew Vinstra.

Defending Champion Gobles Leads Al-Van Circuit as Tourney Nears

The Al-Van league basketball race swings into its final pre-tournament week this week, with defending champion Gobles firmly entrenched in first place in loop standings.

The undefeated Tigers, currently ranked No. 9 in class D in the state, have racked up eight straight league triumphs. Lawton is in second place with a six won, one lost record.

Further down the list come Saugatuck with a 2-5 mark and Fennville with a 2-6 record.

After action this week, the Al-Van will interrupt league play for the second annual Al-Van league tournament at Gobles. Games will be played on Feb. 3, 5 and 7. Last year, an underdog Saugatuck team came through to cop tournament honors.

In games last Friday Saugatuck dropped a thriller to Bloomingdale 57-53, Fennville was nosed out by Lawrence 73-72 and Gobles walloped Covert 79-29.

In the game at Bloomingdale, Saugatuck shook off a bad first half in which the Indians made only three field goals and trailed 31-20, to roar into a third period 39-38 lead. The two teams jockeyed in the fourth stanza, with the score tied at 47-47, and Saugatuck leading 49-48 with two minutes left. But Bloomingdale then nosed into the lead and stayed there at the end. The Indians had trailed at one point by 16 counters.

Ralph Troutman of Saugatuck scored 18 points, and Bill Bale and Kim Greene 13 each. Dick Evans paced Bloomingdale with 18.

The Lawrence-Fennville game at Lawrence was just as thrilling, with two free throws in the closing minutes of play giving the Tigers their 73-72 margin in one of the highest scoring games on Al-Van records.

Fennville established a 23-21 first period lead, then fell behind 47-40 at the half. The Blackhawks came back for a third period 61-58 margin, before Lawrence pulled the game out of the fire in the last period.

Larry Morse paced Fennville with 25 points, Clark Hutchinson had 15 and Norm Sanford 13. Roy Thompson paced Lawrence with 26 points.

In games this week, Fennville hosts Lawton, Saugatuck entertains Gobles, Lawrence plays at Covert, and Bloomingdale plays a non-league contest at Kalamazoo Christian, all on Friday night. League standings to date:

Gobles	W	L
Lawton	8	0
Bloomingdale	6	1
Lawrence	4	4
Saugatuck	4	4
Fennville	2	5
Covert	2	6
	1	7

Saugatuck

Mrs. Dale J. Crow will assume management of the Hotel Saugatuck when it reopens today.

Charles Bird and family have moved into their new home at Jensen, Mich.

Saugatuck chapter, OES, will hold an all-games party at the Masonic hall Feb. 14. Mrs. Margaret Murray and Mrs. Sarah Sheridan are the committee in charge.

Mrs. Gene Lundgren entertained the Past Presidents club of the American Legion Auxiliary at a canasta party at her home Monday evening.

The Harris Pie Co. has purchased the old Ford garage on Culver St. and will soon start extensive alterations.

The Saugatuck PTA presented a new film projector to the school and now plan to purchase a film library.

A son, Gary Dale, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Dis at Community hospital last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gertsner are visiting their daughters in Milwaukee.

Mrs. W. J. Wilson is visiting her sister in New York this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aliber of Detroit visited relatives in Douglas last week.

Mrs. John Kanera and Mrs. Philip Derr attended a visitation meeting of Rebekah Lodge, District 2, at Burnips Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Joseph Hartgerink Surprised on Birthday

A surprise party was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Joseph Hartgerink in celebration of her 73rd birthday anniversary.

Games were played and refreshments were served.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kragt, Leon, Jerry and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hartgerink, Doug, Randy and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hartgerink, Marcia and Gloria.

Mrs. Brown Entertains At Faculty Dames Meeting

Mrs. Donald Brown entertained the Faculty Dames of Hope college at their meeting Thursday afternoon in Durfee hall on the college campus. Mrs. Brown showed slides and gave an informal talk on her family's trip to Europe last summer. She related many amusing and interesting incidents encountered while traveling abroad with her husband and five children.

Mrs. John Hollenbach presided at the meeting and Mrs. Irwin J. Lubbers led devotions.

Tea was served, with Mrs. Garrett Vander Borgh and Mrs. Lars Granberg pouring. Committee in charge of arrangements included Mrs. Edward Wolters, chairman, Mrs. Milton Hing, Mrs. Jay Folkest and Mrs. Henry ten Hoor.

Boys Club Notes

Boxing, basketball, weight lifting and tumbling made up the Kiwanis Boys Club program Thursday at the Holland high gym.

Kiwanian Bill DuMond assisted at the punching bag and on the mat where a lively boxing and wrestling program was staged. Champ wrestler was Bob Thompson who pinned in separate bouts Bruce Ter Haar, Lynn Kadwell, Peter Jacobusse and Bill Hill. In boxing, Lynn Kadwell scored a knockdown over Larry Kammeraad.

Weight lifters continued to show progress in each class. A two-arm press with 125 pounds was accomplished by Bill Hill.

With Kiwanian Rene Willis assisting, boys practiced tumbling exercises including assisted shoulder to hand balance, assisted jump to shoulder mount, walk-up shoulder mount, straight arm hand spring with tumbling belt, and crotch-pitch back somersault with tumbling belt.

Harold Tregelown refereed basketball.

Eight new members signed up, making a total of 124 registered, and 57 boys were present Thursday.

28 Are Elected To Service Club

ALLEGAN (Special). — The Allegan county 4-H Service club of young men and women selected 28 boys and 14 girls as new members to be initiated at a banquet and candle lighting service on Saturday, Feb. 7, at the Scout House in Otsego.

In selecting members, number of projects completed, outstanding accomplishments in 4-H club work, leadership, and participation in county judging and demonstration contest work were considered.

Members must be 15 years of age and must have completed four years of club work to be considered for this honor.

The following were selected as members: Norman Gehl, Ronald Morris, Ellen Moore, Phyllis Voth, Delores Santee, Russell Scamehorn, Art Counterman, Thelma Taylor, Mary Ann Johnson of Allegan; Fred Ten Hoor, of Moline, Russell Marvin Saye of Gobles, Bob Jensen of Wayland, Robert C. Merry of Plainwell, Roger D. Kelly of Gobles, George Bronson of Otsego, Marlin Zeinstra of Martin, Marlin Buys of Martin, Mark Stafford of Dorr, Ralph Lettinga of Wayland, Joyce Carver of Hopkins, Sandra Jenner of Plainwell, Barbara Jean Harper of Otsego, Carol Stafford of Dorr, Sandra De Kam of Shelbyville, Mary Ann Adkin of South Haven, Shirley Barnes of Fennville, Jay Fleming of Fennville, and Jo Ann Leighton of Otsego.

The new officers for the 4-H service club are as follows: President, Lloyd Wood; vice president, Franklin Kelly; reporter, Delores Miner; secretary, Joy Miner, and treasurer, Bob Godfrey.

Martin Ver Plank Dies At Home in Scottville

ZEELAND (Special). — Martin Ver Plank, 72, former Zeeland resident died Sunday morning at his home in Scottville, Mich. The Ver Planks moved to Scottville about five years ago.

Surviving are the wife, Cornelia; a son, Cornelius of Scottville; two sisters, Mrs. John Johnson of Zeeland and Mrs. Charles Vork of North Holland.

Youths Fined

GRAND HAVEN (Special). — Arle Jipping, Jr., 22, route 5, Grand Rapids; and Lawrence E. De Gloor, 22, Grandville, were taken into custody Saturday by Deputy Sheriff George Ruster of Coopersville, and charged with being drunk in a car. Upon arraignment before Justice T. A. Husted Saturday, Jipping paid \$20 fine and \$4.10 costs and De Gloor, \$20 fine and \$8.10 costs. The car in which they were found was parked in a driveway off US-16 west of Coopersville.

Plans to Wed

Miss Geraldine Bloukamp and Mr. Ben Blaauwkamp of route 1, Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Geraldine, to August Gunser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gunser, route 4, Holland. The wedding will take place Feb. 20. After the wedding the couple will leave for Seattle, Wash., where they will make their home.

Engagement Told



Miss Darlene Schomper

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schomper of route 2 announce the engagement of their daughter, Darlene, to Calvin Brink, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brink of East Saugatuck.

Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bradford of Chicago, who spend their summers at Macatawa Park, have been spending a week in Holland visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bradford, Jr., and their new grandson, William J., III.

Jason Zoet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zoet of route 5, was among 175 students who received degrees at Western Michigan college in mid-year commencement exercises Sunday afternoon. Zoet was awarded a bachelor of science degree.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Haynes and daughters Patsy and Jan, of Central Park were Mr. Haynes' brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haynes and Barbara of Wyandotte.

More than 50 members of the Marcus family gathered at North Shore Community hall Friday evening for a potluck supper and skating party. The group included members from Grand Rapids, Zeeland and Holland.

Marine Pfc. Jay E. Hop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lubert J. Hop of route 2, Holland, is attending the carpentry course at the Engineer school, Camp Lejeune, N. C., according to the Camp Public Information office. Hop entered the Marine Corps in May, 1932, and received recruit training at Parris Island S. C.

Mrs. Chris Kammeraad and Mrs. Niel Kammeraad and Mrs. Herbert Kammeraad were among the guests at a shower Thursday evening for Miss Luella Smeege. Their names were inadvertently omitted in a report in Saturday's Sentinel.

Bride Feted at Shower Given in Zeeland Home

A miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Don Vanden Bosch was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Otto De Jong, 263 Peck St., in Zeeland. Assisting the hostess were the Mesdames Maurice Goodyke, John Van Oss and Marilyn Windemuller.

Games were played and duplicate prizes awarded to Mrs. Don Meusen, Mrs. Gordon Schutten and Mrs. Kenneth Holtvliwer. A two-course lunch was served.

Attending were the Mesdames Floyd Vanden Beld, John Van Oss, Cornie Vanden Bosch, Jason Ebels, Sena Berkompas, Bruce Berkompas, Maurice Goodyke, Abel Berkompas, Don Meusen, Simon Elhart, Ben Ebels, Gerrit Scholten, Ben Boersma, A. Van Dyke, Kenneth Holtvliwer, Claude Routhorst, John Blanketyn, Gordon Schutten and the Mesdames Maxine Ebels, Jean Zoerhof and Marilyn Windemuller.

Surprise Birthday Party Fetes Mrs. H. Jurries

Mrs. Henry Jurries of Holland was guest of honor at a birthday surprise party Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jurries of 274 East 11th St.

During the social evening, the honored guest was presented a gift from the group and refreshments were served.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jurries, Miss Hazel Jurries, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jurries, Barbara, Carol, Sandra, Linda and Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jurries, a student nurse at Herman Kiefer hospital in Detroit, was unable to attend.

Missionary Union Sets Date for Annual Meet

Tentative plans are being made for the spring meeting of the Women's Missionary union of Christian Reformed churches of Classis Zeeland.

This meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 16, in First Christian Reformed church of Zeeland.

Final arrangements for the meeting will be made at a delegate board meeting to be held in the Bethel Christian Reformed church in Zeeland, the date to be announced later.

Injuries Not Serious

Marine Pfc. Glen Van Slooten, who was reported wounded in action in Korea, does not have serious injuries, according to a letter received from a chaplain by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Van Slooten of route 1, West Olive. Pfc. Van Slooten received injuries to his left forearm, and was taken to the field hospital, the letter said. The Van Slootens were notified last Wednesday that their son had been wounded in action for the second time since serving in Korea.

Treasurer Post Lures Candidates

GRAND HAVEN (Special). — Petitions have been filed with the City Clerk by Wilford Kieft, Sr., who is the third candidate seeking the office of City Treasurer which is being left vacant by Don Bishop, incumbent, who will not seek re-election.

Kieft, a clothing merchant for many years, is now selling his business.

Others who have filed for the office are Reyer Nagtzaam and Mrs. James (Mildred L.) Jacobs. Ray O. Neumann, retired city employee, has also filed his petition seeking the job of city treasurer. This makes a total of four who have filed. Marion Moore, who has been prominent in Democratic circles, has been circulating petitions.

Petitions have also been filed by Mayor Claude VerDuin, Aldermen Louis Breitel and James Ledinsky, Abram J. Wessel and William J. Swart, Jr., are seeking positions as members of the Board of Public Works.

Hospital Notes

(From Monday's Sentinel) Admitted to Holland hospital Friday were Mrs. Lena Essink, route 2, Hamilton; Mrs. Marguerite Robinson, 77 West Eighth St.; Clyde Purdy, 175 East 18th St.; Alvina Breuker, route 5; Hugo Winterink, 164 East 25th St.; Colleen Lake, 619 Central Ave.; Mrs. Violet Higgins, route 2; Fennville; Dick De Boer, 107 Columbia Ave.; Mrs. Jennie Groeters, 197 West 17th St.; James Wiersma, route 1, East Saugatuck; Mrs. Cornelia Oetman, route 6; Richard Bowman, 123 35th St., Grand Rapids; Karen Lynn Oosterbaan, 37 East 19th St. (latter two discharged same day).

Discharged Friday were Clifford Vander Kolk, route 1; Mrs. Earl McCormick, 317 West 15th St.; Judy Koning, 233 West 18th St.; Mrs. Gilbert Boerman and baby, route 1; Mrs. Charles Cooper and baby, 105 East 29th St.; Mrs. Christopher Smith and baby, 1967 South Shore Dr.; Mrs. Eugene Michelsen and baby, 750 Aster Ave.; Alvina Breuker, route 5.

Admitted Saturday were Mrs. Abel Berkompas, West Olive; Robert Eakley, 40 South River Ave.; Lynn Matchinsky, 746 Myrtle Ave.; (latter two discharged same day).

Discharged Saturday were Glenn Schotenboer, route 6; Hugo Winterink, 164 East 25th St.; Mabel Bos, 334 Central Ave.; Leonard Koppelaar, 240 West 10th St.; Mrs. Willis Masselink and baby, 74 East 34th St.; Mrs. Stanley Kleis and baby, 28 West 17th St.; Mrs. John Groeters, 197 West 17th St.; John Volkers, Hamilton; Mrs. Henry J. Wolff and baby, 715 136th Ave.; Miss Colleen Lake, 619 Central Ave.; Barbara Wolman, 208 South 120th Ave.

Admitted Sunday were Mrs. Della E. Burd, 54 West Bacon St., Hillsdale; Isla Arendsen, route 3; Mrs. Mabel Huntley, 17 West 10th St.; Mrs. Agnes Timmerman, 146 East 34th St.

Discharged Sunday were Mrs. Jay Breuker and baby, route 2; Mrs. John Lawson and baby, 91 Coolidge Ave.; Mrs. Calvin Van Wieren