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5 Others Injured As Auto, Pickup Crash at Crossing

Tragedy Occurs at
Graafschap Rd. and
32nd St. Intersection

A Hope college senior was killed and five other persons were injured in a crash of a car and light pickup truck at 5:25 p.m. Monday at the intersection of 32nd St. and the Graafschap Rd. two miles west of Holland.

Claryce Joan Rozeboom, 21-year-old daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. G. J. Rozeboom of Coopersville, died of a skull fracture and head injuries at 6:20 p.m. in Holland hospital, less than an hour after the crash.

Miss Rozeboom was a passenger in a car driven by John Robert Scholten, 21, of 8401 Eight Mile Rd., Grand Rapids, which collided with a "29 pickup truck driven by Gerrit Bonge, 70, route 1, Scholten was driving west on 32nd St., taking a group of Hope students to the home of Robert Cavanaugh of the Hope college music faculty for a hamburger fry. Bonge was driving his truck south on the Graafschap Rd. headed for his home near Graafschap.

Bonge was in fair condition Tuesday in Holland hospital where he was under treatment for shock, lacerations of the lip and lacerations to the back of the head. He had not recovered full consciousness by noon Tuesday. Riding with him was his daughter, Margaret, 28, who received a knee injury but was not admitted to the hospital.

Scholten, driver of the car, was under treatment in Holland hospital for severe shock and possible other injuries. He could not be questioned Tuesday.

Also riding in the Scholten car were Arlene Ritsma, 21, of Mokena, Ill., and Marjorie Dykema, 21, of 753 Ada St., Muskegon. Miss Ritsma suffered shock and a bruised left shoulder. She was transferred this morning to the Hope college infirmary. Miss Dykema received a fractured left ankle and laceration of the forehead. She remained in the hospital. Their conditions were described as good.

The accident, which records the first fatality for Ottawa county for 1953, is being investigated by Deputies Clayton Forry and Nelson Lucas of the Ottawa sheriff's department, Henry Bouwman of the Allegan sheriff's department, Prosecutor Wendell A. Miles and Coroner Gilbert Vande Water. The intersection occurs at a rather sharp dip in the road and calls for a stop for east-west traffic.

Coroner Vande Water said Henry Vandenberg of 882 West 32nd who was traveling west on 32nd St. was one of the first on the scene. Vandenberg said he was flagged down by Scholten who was standing east of the intersection seeking help. Vernon Van Lente, route 6, driving south on Graafschap Rd. was about 300 feet north of the intersection when the crash occurred. He said he did not see the Scholten car stop for the stop street.

Officers said the light truck hit the car broadside on the right, sending it into a tree on the southwest corner. The truck spun completely around. Hitting the tree kept the car from going down a steep embankment. The car was demolished and the truck was damaged to the extent of about \$200, officers said.

Miss Dykema, riding in the back seat of the Scholten car with Miss Rozeboom, was trapped in the wreckage for a time. She was freed when Deputy Forry unlatched her shoe.

A deep gloom settled on Hope campus after news of the accident became known. Students had just completed semester exams and were ready for the new semester this morning. At chapel exercises today, Dean John Hollenbach related facts of the accident, and the Rev. Henry Voogd, college pastor, conducted devotions. A special chapel exercise will be held later.

Gloom on the campus today was similar to the start of the semester last September when two Hope students were killed and three others injured in a car-truck crash near Canandaigua, N.Y.

Former Local Woman Dies in Yakima, Wash.

Word was received here today of the death of Mrs. May Harrington Nywening, 81, former Holland resident, which occurred Wednesday in Yakima, Wash. Mrs. Nywening, a cousin of Mayor Harry Harrington of Holland, was the widow of Dr. John Nywening who was graduated from Hope college in about 1904. He went to the west coast after completing his medical training.

Mrs. Nywening was born in Fillmore township, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Harrington. Surviving are a son, John of Yakima; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Ernest Harrington of California; a niece, Mrs. Martin Low, and four nephews, James, Charles, Russell and Irving Harrington of Holland. Mayor Harrington, Carl and Lulu Harrington are cousins.

Funeral services will be held in Holland at 10 a.m. Saturday from Dykstra funeral home. Burial will be in Graafschap cemetery.



Claryce Joan Rozeboom

Last Rites Thursday For Accident Victim

Funeral services were held in Coopersville Thursday afternoon for Claryce Rozeboom, 21-year-old Hope college senior who was fatally injured in a car-truck crash near Holland late Monday afternoon.

Private rites were held at 1:30 p.m. from the Throop funeral home and public services were held at 2 p.m. in Coopersville Reformed church of which her father is pastor. Dr. Eugene Osterhaven of Western Theological seminary officiated. Burial was in Pilgrim Home cemetery in Holland. Pall bearers were members of the senior class at Hope college.

Miss Rozeboom is survived by her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Gerrit Rozeboom; two sisters, Mrs. Edwin (Luella) Mulder of Holland and Mary Lee, a freshman at Hope; a 13-year-old brother, James at home, and a grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Plette of Pella, Ia.

Miss Rozeboom was an elementary education major at Hope college, a member of Delta Phi sorority and active in musical circles. Last summer she was pianist for vesper services at Castle Park.

Hudsonville Man Changes His Plea On Arson Charge

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — In a surprise move Russell (Bud) Zwagerman, 41-year-old Hudsonville bachelor, charged with setting fire to the Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Co. in Hudsonville last Oct. 17 changed his plea to guilty when he appeared for trial in Circuit Court Wednesday.

Attorney Louis H. Osterhaus, who had been appointed by the court to defend Zwagerman after the latter had pleaded not guilty Jan. 12, announced to the court that Zwagerman was withdrawing his plea of not guilty, entering the new plea. Court was in session 21 minutes.

Before accepting the new plea, Judge Raymond L. Smith, carefully questioned Zwagerman who haltingly answered a wide variety of questions. Zwagerman admitted setting fire to the Farmers' Co-op but denied setting the other three fires he previously allegedly confessed. On further questioning he said he had told the truth when he confessed to the four fires.

When Prosecutor Wendell A. Miles presented statements on the case, Zwagerman haltingly admitted having voluntarily written the confession, also drawing a map of Hudsonville, pointing out the four fires and other landmarks. He said he had written the statement and drawn the map on Miles' request.

Judge Smith accepted the new plea and set Feb. 10 as date for sentence. Bond of \$5,000 was continued and the case was referred to the probation department for presentence investigation.

Zwagerman has been in the county jail since Oct. 22, the day he signed his confession.

Zwagerman was specifically charged with the Farmers' Co-op fire last Oct. 17 but admitted fires at Hudsonville Box and Basket Co. Jan. 13, 1951, Van Noord Mill on Jan. 19, 1952, and Hudsonville Lumber Co. March 22, 1952. Damage of the four fires was estimated at \$500,000. At the time of Zwagerman's confession, state police detectives described him as a pyromaniac who "set fires just for the thrills."

When Zwagerman appeared in circuit court for examination Nov. 13 no plea was entered pending examination by physician and psychiatrist as to his sanity. He was declared sane a week later.

Mrs. G. Dalman Feted
On Her 60th Birthday

Mrs. Gerrit Dalman was honored Wednesday evening when her children gathered at her home, 41 Cherry St., to celebrate her 60th birthday anniversary.

During the evening she received a call from her son, Sgt. Gerrit Dalman, II, who is en route home from Korea where he has been stationed for the past year. Gifts were presented to the honored guest and a two-course lunch was served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Dalman, Mrs. Gordon Bowman and daughter, Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Schippers, Miss Joyce Dalman and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Snyder and children, Bobby, Betty and Karen.

Committee Urges That People Send Clothing, Money

City Council Adopts
Resolution Asking
For Help for Victims

Funds totaling \$2,500 were cabled today to the Netherlands Red Cross as the initial installment of money collected by the local American Relief for Holland committee.

Committee chairman Judge Cornelius van der Meulen, Netherlands Information Service Director Willard C. Wichers and Ottawa county Red Cross Chairman Pete Van Domelen jointly issued an appeal to contribute money now.

"The situation in Holland is still very critical," Wichers said, "and funds are most urgently needed." Checks or money orders should be made payable to the American Relief for Holland and mailed to Judge van der Meulen in care of City Hall or Maynard Mohr in care of Zeeland State bank.

Van Domelen said the Red Cross had authorized the Dutch Red Cross to spend \$100,000 instead of \$10,000 as reported earlier.

In a meeting today attended by van der Meulen, Wichers, Van Domelen and Red Cross representatives H. Cobb Klaasen and Walter Wrigley the group agreed to channel all collection of funds through the committee headed by van der Meulen.

Under the direction of Klassen the Red Cross will contact all local churches to set up clothing collection agencies. Tentative plans call for each church to serve as a collection depot. The goods will be screened by the local groups, packaged, and then shipped.

Van Domelen requested residents to begin gathering needed items now but to hold them for future announcements in The Sentinel. At an early date information will be released as to specifications of packing and delivery points.

He said blankets, sheets, warm winter clothing and flashlights are needed. All items should be in good shape, he said.

According to information received by the NIS, American Airlines will fly from Battle Creek to New York, without charge, all relief shipments collected in Western Michigan. From N.Y., the KLM Royal Dutch airlines will take over and fly packages directly to the Netherlands. Parcels will also be shipped via the Holland-American steamship line free of charge.

Judge van der Meulen said Gov. G. Mennen Williams' office has informed him the Governor is preparing a resolution for presentation to the legislature later today. The resolution will call upon all Michigan residents "to give generously to the flood relief committees."

The resolution will further indicate his personal concern and offer the fullest co-operation of the State of Michigan. Where no local collection groups exist, the governor will ask that funds be sent to the Holland committee in care of Judge van der Meulen.

In City Council action Wednesday night, Mayor Harry Harrington called attention to the catastrophe which has struck the country of the Netherlands, stating that a resolution has been prepared for presentation to the council. Resolved:

Zeeland Council Meets

ZEELAND (Special) — Meeting in adjourned session Zeeland Common Council met at 8:30 a.m. today to pass four easements to allow construction on the west end sewer project to progress. The regular Monday session was adjourned to this morning in order to allow a further study of the legal implications of the easements.

Father of C.C. Wood Dies in Newton, Kans.

C. C. Wood of Holland received word Wednesday of the death of his father, the Rev. Oscar L. Wood, 83-year-old retired Baptist minister, who was found dead in his bed Wednesday morning in his home in Newton, Kans. Death was unexpected.

Rev. Wood retired from active work about 15 years ago after serving many churches in the Missouri-Kansas area. He also did considerable missionary work.

Surviving are the wife, Nellie B.; three sons, C. C. of Holland, William J. of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Harold D., of Detroit; two daughters, Mrs. E. F. Canaday of Raleigh, N. C., and Mrs. Eleanor Hebert of Abilene, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wood of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Wood of Detroit left this morning for Kansas. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon. They expect to return the first part of the week.

Boy Scout Week Will Be Observed In Holland Area

Boy Scout, Cub Scout and Explorer Scout units in the Chippewa district (Holland and vicinity) will join some three and a quarter million others in observing the 43rd birthday of the organization during Boy Scout Week, Feb. 7 to 13.

The theme of the celebration is, "Forward on Liberty's Team."

This is the name of the scouts' three-year program which seeks to produce a greater functioning manpower and provide a higher quality program for its ever-increasing boy membership.

Boy Scout Week celebrations this year will emphasize "the scout family" depicting how parents and others of the family often have a relationship to the scout program. Special activities in the Chippewa district will begin with a Vesper service Sunday evening at 7:30 in First Methodist church, Holland, with scouts from the district attending in uniform.

It also will include a Court of Honor next Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in Third Reformed church at which time Ted DuMez will receive his eagle scout badge.

Another gimmick to call public attention to the Boy Scout movement will be appearance of scout leaders at local service club meetings during the next few weeks.

Working through the Inter-Club council, Daniel Vander Werf has arranged for a group of 20 Boy Scout leaders to attend Optimist, Exchange, Kiwanis, Rotary and Lions club meetings.

Adult leaders will be at the Optimist club meeting Feb. 9, at noon; Kiwanis club meeting that same night at 6:15 p.m.; Rotary club meeting Feb. 12; Exchange club meeting Feb. 16, and Lions club meeting Tuesday Feb. 24.

Judson Leonard, district field executive, will speak at the Kiwanis meeting.

New Directors Named to Zeeland Community Chest

ZEELAND (Special) — Five new directors were named to the Zeeland and Community Chest board at the annual meeting in City Hall Monday night.

Named to five-year terms were Miss Mabel De Jonge, B. Vugteveen, Al Mannes, Joe Newell and Mrs. W. S. De Jonge. There are a total of 25 directors.

The business meeting included approval of reports from last year's drive. The drive was highly successful topping an \$8,600 goal by more than \$400. Chairman Newell was congratulated and all division heads were extended the thanks of the group.

Further plans for this year's drive await the election of officers by the directors. Secretary Bob Brinks said the election is held by mail and officers should be named in about 10 days.



Dr. Alexander Loudon, 60, Dutch Ambassador to the United States during World War II, died Wednesday night at The Hague, the Netherlands shortly after appearing at a concert to appeal for funds to aid Dutch flood victims. Dr. Loudon visited in Holland many times while he was ambassador.

No Action Taken In Sewer Request Of Federal School

Pending the filing of all information on the request for Federal school to connect with the city sewage disposal system, City Council Wednesday again tabled the request for such service which was submitted several weeks ago.

City Manager H. C. McClintock said he had found considerable pertinent information on the sewer disposal system which had been compiled in 1951. It deals with sewage treatment, capacity, and the like. Councilman John Beltman said he, for one, would like to study such information before making a decision.

Andrew Vinstra and Carroll Norlin, members of the Federal school board, briefly told the board's position in the matter, and thanked Council for its courteous co-operation. Further action will be taken Feb. 18.

Council approved low bid of \$425.95 for a \$30,000 bond for the city treasurer to run for three years. Low bid was entered by I. H. Marsille Insurance Service.

Oaths of office were filed for the following: Henry S. Maentz and Helena V. Winter, planning commission; Jacob Zuidema, James E. Townsend and Neal Wiersma, board of review.

City Clerk Clarence Grevenog presented the building inspector's report for January listing 20 building permits and the fire inspector's report listing 266 inspections and 32 warnings.

The clerk presented the health inspector's report for January which included among other information 11 cases of contagious disease for the month. These included eight cases of chicken pox and three cases of German measles.

The clerk said he had reviewed contracts in force governing outside fires and presented letters from Maerose Glass Products Co. and Westbroek Electric Co. requesting discontinuance of the contracts. The former had moved into the city and the latter was no longer operating at the given address.

Council approved the sole bid entered by T. Keppel's Sons for sewer pipes and wyes totaling \$2,470.25.

Permission also was granted Arthur Slag to move a house from 458 West 16th St. to 287 West 19th St.

Divorce Granted

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — George Joseph Keenan of Ferrysburg was awarded a divorce decree from Barbara Ann Keenan in Circuit Court Wednesday. There are no minor children.

Polio Campaign Tops '53 Quota by More Than \$9,000

County Leaders Say
Heavy Holdover, New
Cases Demand Funds

Holland has gone almost \$7,000 over its assigned quota of \$15,000 in the 1953 polio campaign and Ottawa county is more than \$9,000 over the county goal of \$37,500, incomplete reports revealed today.

Gifts totaling \$21,922.19 were reported for Holland city and Holland and Park townships at a meeting of local polio leaders Monday night. Gifts were broken down as follows: plank and social clubs, Kiwanis, \$2,182.63; organizations and special events, JCC, \$3,279.13; canisters and parking meters, Optimists, \$903.43; Industrial, Inter-Club committee, \$4,916; merchants, Lions, \$2,114.30; professional and individual, Rotary, \$554.46; schools and churches, Exchange, \$2,220.93; Mothers March, JCC auxiliary and Kiwanis Queens, \$5,751.31.

Attending the meeting were William Aldrich, chairman; Ernest Phillips, Russ Vander Poel, Ray Helder, Irving De Weerd, Fred Coleman, Willis Welling, E. D. Hanson and Harvey De Vries.

In Zeeland, incomplete returns place total gifts at \$3,542. The goal was \$2,000.

In Grand Haven today, Charles K. Bugielski, treasurer of the city chapter, said incomplete reports total almost \$47,000 which is close to \$9,500 above the assigned county quota of \$37,500. He hastened to explain, however, that expenses this year are exceptionally heavy due to several recent severe cases and some long-time cases. He said outstanding bills awaiting payment total \$11,121.

When county leaders launched the 1953 polio drive Jan. 6, Bugielski announced the county last year had raised \$34,266.02 of which half was retained for local services and half sent to national headquarters for scientific research and professional education programs, as well as emergency aid to chapters. During the year, Ottawa county received \$32,145 in emergency aid, and the new year was begun with \$6,906.81 in unpaid bills.

"So you see, that's why we're so pleased with the wonderful response this year. We need every cent we can raise above the quota, and then some," Bugielski said.

He joined with Verne C. Dagen, chapter president, in thanking the people for their gifts to polio and thanking the hard-working volunteers who did an excellent job this year. Inter-club leaders in Holland also joined in the expression of gratitude for the unusual co-operation.

At a regular meeting of City Council Wednesday night, it was announced that \$175.50 had been collected in dimes in parking meters in Holland during January.

This was about \$100 less than last year and City Manager H. C. McClintock said he believed the amount was less because tags on the meters disappeared early in the month.

Polio leaders hope to have complete reports by next week.

St. Catherine's Guild Plans Venison Dinner

Plans for a venison dinner on Feb. 17 were made at the regular meeting of St. Catherine's guild of Grace church, Mrs. Donald J. Crawford entertained the guild at her home, 622 Lawndale Ct., Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. John G. Eaton presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Anne Mills was welcomed back to the guild.

Named as chairman for the dinner is Mrs. O. W. Lowry. Mrs. Eaton is in charge of reservations. Mrs. Charles Stewart, venison. All members of the guild will assist.



Mrs. Andries Steketee

New Camp Fire Director Named

Mrs. Andries Steketee of Holland has been named to succeed Mrs. Albert Timmer as executive director of the Holland Camp Fire Girls, it was announced Wednesday by Mrs. James K. Ward, president of the local Camp Fire council.

Mrs. Timmer announced her resignation in December after serving the local council for more than eight years. Mrs. Steketee will begin her duties on Feb. 16, working with Mrs. Timmer for one week. She will receive further training from the head of the regional office in Chicago and also plans to attend several training conferences.

Mrs. Steketee, a graduate of the University of Michigan, met all qualifications set up by the National Camp Fire organization and was given formal approval by Martha Allen, national executive director, during her recent visit here.

Active in many phases of youth programs, Mrs. Steketee presently is a Camp Fire leader, a Cub Scout den mother, department head for summer church school, a week day church school teacher and a member of the School Health committee. She is an especially active member of Third Reformed church and takes part in many church organizations.

Other interests include various forms of creative arts, ceramics, leather craft, shell craft and others. She currently is assisting in the city recreation department's ceramics classes for adults.

Mrs. Steketee's husband is operator of the Holland Venetian Blind Co. They have two children, Mary Ellen, 13, and Andries, 11. Their home is at 114 West 11th St.

Sections of City Without Power

The noonday meal was a little late in many Holland homes today, due to a power interruption of about an hour's duration at noon today at the Fifth St. plant.

About 30 per cent of the usual electric load was lost from about 11:15 a.m. until about 12:15 p.m. when the lead on a generator field rheostat burned off, causing the turbine at the Fifth St. plant to become idle.

This failure, plus the resultant heavy pressure on the De Young plant's facilities, caused power to be off in the eastern part of the city and the southwestern section of town for about an hour.

The north side was without power for about 10 minutes while switches were made from the Fifth St. plant to the De Young plant.

The repair at the Fifth St. plant is temporary, according to Board of Public Works Superintendent George Rendleman, and permanent repairs will be made tonight.

Rendlemen lauded BPW employees for their quick action in locating and fixing the trouble, making a longer delay unnecessary.

"It could have been more serious than it was," Rendleman said. "The men certainly did a good job."

Today's power interruption was the first due to failure of plant equipment since the now-famous city-wide blackout in December, 1950.

Mrs. Caroline Mulder Succumbs at Hospital

Mrs. Caroline Mulder, 67, of 1464 West 18th St., died early today at Holland hospital. She had been ill several years and was taken to Holland hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Mulder, wife of Gerrit Mulder, was born June 2, 1885, in Grand Rapids to the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hannik. She had lived in Holland for 19 years. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran church of Grand Rapids.

Surviving are the husband; two sisters, Mrs. Ella Bowman of Detroit and Mrs. Bernice Redner of Phoenix, Ariz.; a brother, Robert Hannik of Lansing, Ill.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at De Vries funeral home, 1208 Eastern Ave., Grand Rapids. The Rev. E. M. Rublig of Holland will officiate and burial will be at Oak Hill cemetery, Grand Rapids. Friends may call at the Dykstra funeral home, Holland, Friday from 7 to 9 p.m.

5 City Charter Amendments to Be Voted on in April

Municipal Judge Would
Be Allowed to Practice
Law Under Restrictions

A charter amendment whereby the municipal judge will be allowed to practice law under certain restrictions was introduced at the regular meeting of City Council Wednesday night.

The amendment was one of five okayed by Councilmen. They will be submitted for public vote in the April election.

City Attorney James E. Townsend explained each of the five proposed amendments, describing them mainly as minor changes and improvements in the city charter which has been in operation now for two years. Aside from the municipal judge amendment, the proposals were regarded as technicalities.

The first amendment allows the municipal judge to practice law under certain restrictions, allowing no cases which would conflict with his work as municipal judge. This amendment was proposed mainly because court work in Holland at present is such that it does not require full time of a judge. During December, Council placed the judge's salary at \$3,000 a year for the six-year term commencing Jan. 1, 1954. Current salary is \$3,600. No change was made in the charter provision limiting the judge's salary between \$3,000 and \$6,000, the salary to be determined at least 30 days before the final date for filing petitions.

The second amendment calls for a change in date from June 1 to July 1 in which the city assessor must certify the tax roll. The additional month allows the necessary margin of time after tax allocation reports are filed.

The third amendment allows a change in date of Sept. 1 to Nov. 1 in which the city clerk must certify to the city assessor the special assessment roll, including paying taxes and the like. This change allows a margin of time to get the first payment of the summer paving projects on the fall tax roll.

The fourth amendment provides for a public hearing in the procedures of special assessment districts. Section 15.6 does not specifically require a public hearing but other sections require one by inference.

The fifth amendment provides a new interest rate on special assessments not to exceed the 5 per cent figure as listed in other charter provision. The current amendment provides that the rate shall not exceed the interest rate on the bonds that are sold, but bonds usually are not sold by the time the interest rate is scheduled to be determined.

The amendments were submitted after a complete study by attorney George Sidwell of Lansing, consultant on the charter, the city manager, city attorney, city clerk and the bonding attorney.

In other business, City Clerk Clarence Grevenog gave the first reading of a new ordinance on rezoning affecting the south side of Ninth St. between Central to College from class B to class C, and the north and south sides of 13th St. between College and Columbia Aves. From class A to class B.

The clerk also clarified a previous misunderstanding on rezoning the two sections just east of the C and O tracks between 15th and 16th Sts. and between 16th and 17th Sts. bordered by Lincoln Ave., from class D to class B. He said the recommendation of the planning commission had called for further study, not for immediate rezoning. Council as yet has taken no action.

Council also approved a 10-part paving program for 1953 and called a public hearing for Feb. 18. Projects and estimated costs as prepared by City Manager H. C. McClintock follow:

Fifth St., Columbia Ave. 495 feet east, \$6,210.33; 11th St., Van Raalte Ave., west 360 feet, \$4,589.49; 18th St., Harrison to Cleveland, \$8,080.49; 20th St., Columbia to C and O railway, \$2,467.92; 25th St., Maple to Van Raalte, \$17,053.56; 28th St., Washington to Michigan, \$7,023.21; College Ave., 27th to 28th Sts., \$3,411.45; Harrison Ave., 12th to 15th Sts., \$11,361.59; Harrison Ave., 18th to 19th Sts., \$3,202.61; Washington Ave., 20th to 32nd Sts., \$27,848.83.

The latter project provides for widening and resurfacing, some of the cost to be borne by the highway funds.

All Councilmen were present with the exception of Robert Vischer. Mayor Harry Harrington presided and City Inspector Ben Wiersma gave the invocation. The meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Juveniles Questioned

Several juveniles were questioned Wednesday by Holland police about the disappearance of \$21 and a billfold from the Hope college gym on Monday. The money, reported missing by Hope students Carl Schroeder and Donald Howard, apparently was taken on Monday afternoon while the students were playing basketball.



Fourteen young men left Grand Haven Armory Wednesday for induction into the armed forces. In front row, left to right, are Earl Eplett, Allan Hartman, James Sabo, Robert Dieters, John Koester and Clarence Taylor. Standing are Gideon Tom Ruiters, Joseph Kneibel, Albert Westra, Glenn Van Hattama, Roger Westra, Gerald Bouwman, Franklin De Wind, John Stegenga and Norman Lam. (Sentinel photo)

Christian Returns To Victory Path In Armory Battle

Holland Christian cagers moved back on to the winning trail Friday night on the Armory court by outclassing a rugged Niles outfit 48-36. The win was Christian's 11th in 12 starts this season.

Although the Hollanders did not display the form characteristic of their play in their last few games, they were definitely the superior club on the floor—even more so than the final score would indicate. The game was the Maroons' second in almost three weeks, and the locals showed the effects, particularly in overall floor play. On many occasions they were just a second too late on their timing for rebounds or cuts into the basket. Defensively the Hollanders looked good, intercepting numerous Niles passes and batting down Vikings shots at the hoop.

The strategy of the Niles club to tie up the Christian under the basket game, backfired as Maroon guards, Merle Van Dyke and Dave Schreur netted 27 points between them, mostly on outcourt shots. Schreur hit four in the first quar-



Forward Rich Sharda ... shows improved play ...

ter alone while Van Dyke hit three in a row in the second half. Coach Bob Theus of the invaders used several offensive and defensive patterns, but none worked with any appreciable success. The Vikings tried a fast game throughout most of the first half, but switched to a control game and a full court press in the last. Their best offensive weapon was the outcourt shooting of guard Don Maddox who swished in five goals—almost half of the total Niles output of 11.

Christian moved out to 6-1 margin early in the first period, but the invaders made good use of their charity tosses to take an 11-10 lead late in the period. By the end of the first quarter, the Maroons trailed 14-13 as guard Gary Steeby sank his only goal of the evening just before the quarter closed.

The two Holland guards quickly pulled the Maroons out of the deficit early in the second period, and that was the last the Niles crew held the advantage. Midway in the period the Dutchmen led 22-15 and increased it to 28-22 at halftime.

Both clubs resorted to possession ball at the start of the third quarter and nearly established something of a record. Not a point was made or a foul was called during the first three minutes of the period, and not a field goal was scored until five minutes had elapsed. But in the final three minutes of the stanza, the locals outscored the Vikings 10-8 to take a 38-30 lead going into the final period.

The mastery of the Dutch came to the foreground in the last period as they controlled the ball at will and calmly waited for the right opening to go in and score. Niles, pressing for possession of the ball, fouled repeatedly although the locals didn't capitalize as well as they might have hitting a poor percentage in the final three minutes. Going into their rotary pattern with four minutes left, the Dutch appeared to be moving in high gear as the game ended.

Schreur paced all scorers with 15 markers while Van Dyke followed with 12. Maddox led the losers with 11. The Dutch hit only 12 out of 29 foul attempts compared to Niles' 14 out of 21.

Christian plays twice next week, meeting Allegan away next Tuesday and Grand Rapids Creston, there next Friday.

Christian	FG	FT	PF	TP
Schipper, f	4	1	2	9
Sharda, f	1	2	1	4
Scholten, e	2	0	4	4
Schreur, g	5	5	4	15
Vander Leek, g	0	0	0	0
Nykamp, f	1	2	2	4
Van Dyke, g	5	2	2	12
	18	12	15	48

Niles	FG	FT	PF	TP
Steeby, f	1	0	2	2
Scott, f	2	1	4	5
Winger, e	1	5	1	7
Neesley, g	2	4	2	8
Maddox, g	5	1	3	11
Johnson, f	0	2	1	2
Low, g	0	1	3	1
Conrad, g	0	0	0	0
	11	14	17	36

The stripes on barber's poles are said to represent the bandages with which the barber in past centuries wrapped his patient after blood-letting.

Holland, Christian Continue High Position in Weekly Cage Ratings

DETROIT—Only two minor changes occurred in the weekly United Press high school basketball ratings last week as the leading teams kept rolling along the victory trail.

Kalamazoo retained the lead in Class A, Three Rivers in Class B, Muskegon St. Mary in Class C and Detroit All Saints in Class D. The front runners have compiled a combined total of 35 victories against a single loss.

Grosse Pointe dropped a breathtaking last second decision to Highland Park last Friday and dropped from seventh to 10th place in Class A. Saginaw Arthur Hill, Detroit Catholic Central and East Detroit all moved past Grosse Pointe.

Flint Northern, Lansing Sexton, Holland, Highland Park and Grand Rapids Christian followed Kalamazoo in that order for the second straight week.

There wasn't a single change in Class B or in Class C.

In Class B, Alpena Catholic Central, Holland Christian, Detroit St. Andrew, St. Joseph, River Rouge, Saginaw St. Andrew, Ludington, Livonia Bentley and Mt. Pleasant were rated behind Three Rivers.

And Bronson, Napoleon, Harrison, Haslett, Remus, Flint, St. Matthew, Olivet, St. Louis and Lakeview trailed Muskegon St. Mary.

Bay City St. Mary replaced Fowler, the defending state champion, in 10th place in Class D. Muskegon St. Joseph still was second, followed by Gwinn, Ellsworth, Three Oaks, Portland St. Patrick, Maple Grove, Pickford and Gobles.

The list of unbeaten teams is unusually small for this stage of the season, which would indicate that there won't be many schools left with perfect records by tournament time.

Only four schools can still boast unblemished marks in Class A—Kalamazoo, Lansing Sexton, Flint Northern and Detroit Southeastern. One is certain to fall Saturday night when Kalamazoo meets Lan-

sing Sexton. Teams with perfect marks in Class B include Three Rivers, Alpena Catholic Central, River Rouge, Saginaw St. Andrew, Livonia Bentley, Ishpeming, River Rouge Lourdes and Tecumseh.

Bronson, Napoleon, Harrison, Haslett, Remus, Olivet, St. Clair Shores Lake Shore, Detroit All Saints, Pickford, Ellsworth and Gobles are unbeaten teams in the lower classes.

- CLASS A**
1. Kalamazoo
 2. Flint Northern
 3. Lansing Sexton
 4. Holland
 5. Highland Park
 6. Grand Rapids Christian
 7. Saginaw Arthur Hill
 8. Detroit Catholic Central
 9. East Detroit
 10. Grosse Pointe

- CLASS B**
1. Three Rivers
 2. Alpena Catholic Central
 3. Holland Christian
 4. Detroit St. Andrew
 5. St. Joseph
 6. River Rouge
 7. Saginaw St. Andrew
 8. Ludington
 9. Livonia Bentley
 10. Mt. Pleasant

- CLASS C**
1. Muskegon St. Mary
 2. Bronson
 3. Napoleon
 4. Harrison
 5. Haslett
 6. Remus
 7. Flint St. Matthew
 8. Olivet
 9. St. Louis
 10. Lakeview

- CLASS D**
1. Detroit All Saints
 2. Muskegon St. Joseph
 3. Gwinn
 4. Ellsworth
 5. Three Oaks
 6. Portland St. Patrick
 7. Maple Grove
 8. Pickford
 9. Gobles
 10. Bay City St. Mary

Holland Reserves Bow in Overtime

ST. JOSEPH (Special)—St. Joseph's reserve basketball team came from behind here Friday night to dump Holland 46-45 in overtime. It was the Cubs' ninth win in 10 games.

Holland held narrow leads at the first three quarters, 11-9, 23-20 and 34-32. But on the first play of the fourth period, St. Joe tied the count at 34-34, and the game was nip and tuck from there on in. With the Dutch trailing 42-44 with 12 seconds left, Jim Vande Wege dumped in a twisting jump shot from the side to tie the count and send the game into overtime.

In the extra period, St. Joe collected two free throws while missing two more, and Holland hit one free throw for two for the final scoring. In the overtime, the Dutch failed to get a single shot at the basket.

Free throwing by both teams was poor. Holland hit 17 of 43 attempts, while St. Joe collected 16 of 37 in a four-sided game.

Hank Visscher with 12 points and Bill Sandahl with 10 paced the Holland scoring. Duane Teusink had nine, Chuck Gouloze six, Phil Boersma and Vande Wege three each and Bob Saunders two. Dick Simm topped St. Joe with 13.

Lawton Decisions Cold Blackhawks

FENNVILLE (Special)—A stone cold Fennville high school basketball team fell with a bang before second-place Lawton 60-33 in an Al-Van league contest at Fennville Friday night.

The visitors held a 10-3 first period lead, and doubled the margin to 20-7 at the half. At the third quarter, the bulge was a gigantic 44-15 before the Hawks came to partial life in the final stanza, outscoring Lawton 18-16.

Larry Morse with nine and Rod Galbreath with eight points paced Fennville. John McKee had 19 and Don Paulson 17 for Lawton.

The win was the seventh against two losses for Lawton, while the loss was the ninth against two wins for Fennville. The Blackhawks reserves salvaged some solace with a 42-33 victory over the Lawton seconds. Bruce Grams had 12 to lead Fennville.

Next week both teams enter the Al-Van tournament, running Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at Gobles.

Rockets Stay Unbeaten In Men's Cage League

The undefeated Rockets remained in that class Thursday night in the five-game card of the recreation men's basketball league at Junior high gym.

Rockets nosed out Baker Furniture 32-28 in a close game. Siderius had 10 to pace the winners. Roels hit 16 for Baker.

Yellow Dogs turned back All Americans 38-28. Japinga had 13 for the winners. Vande Water and Bob had eight each for the losers. Kopper Kettle won its first game, defeating Knights 34-27. Martin scored 15 for the winners. Weller had eight for the losers.

Chris Craft rolled over Snafus 50-28. Topp scored 17 for the winners. Mulder had 12 for Snafus. Seven up defeated Independents 36-22. Collins, McCormick and Helder each had eight for the winners. Langejans led the losers with six.

Boys Club Notes

Thirty-three boys were present at Thursday's weekly Kiwanis Boys Club session, at the Holland high gym, with six new members registered.

Wrestling matches staged under the supervision of Kiwanian Russel Burns included Jim Mo: vs. Bruce Meurer, Larry Kammeraad vs. Wes Bosch, and John Himes vs. Rodney Passmore. Breen also was in charge of boxing.

Tumblers practiced the assisted somersault over knees, two high falls with a forward roll, foot to hand balancing, foot to foot balancing and straight arm hand spring. Kiwanian Rene Willis was in charge of weight lifting and tumbling.

Harold Tregloan of the Recreation department officiated at basketball.

Niles Hands Third Loss to Reserves

A rangy Niles reserve squad handed the Holland Christian seconds their third defeat of the season Friday night on the Armory court 49-40. Coach John Ham's Little Dutchmen have won nine games to date.

The Hollanders started strong and appeared to be making a rout of the game in the first quarter, holding sizeable leads throughout. At the end of the period, it was 19-10. But the Niles club caught fire in the second period and almost caught the locals, only to trail 27-25 at the intermission.

Christian barely hung on to the lead during most of the third quarter, but fell behind 37-35 going into the final period. It was all Niles in the final quarter as the visitors outscored the Dutch 12-5 in the final eight minutes.

Jun Buursma again led the Maroon attack with 12 markers, followed by Bill Vryhof with nine. John Heyboer with six, Warren Nykamp with five, John Mulder with five and Dave Vander Hill with three. Warren Marazita led Niles with 13.

Dutch Freshmen Snow Under Benton Harbor

BENTON HARBOR (Special)—Staying out of trouble all the way, the Holland ninth grade basketball team torpedooed the Benton Harbor freshmen here Friday afternoon 58-27.

Coach Carroll Norlin's charges established a 15-7 first period lead, and stretched the margin to 29-13 at the half. Score at the third whistle was 39-20.

The Junior Dutch outscored the Tiger Cubs in field goals 24-6, with 14 men seeing action and 11 entering the scoring column.

Tom Overbeek paced the scoring with 17 points, while Bill Japinga had 15 and Ron Van Dyke 12. Findley had seven for Benton Harbor.

Waukazoo, Federal Fives Split Suburban Contests

The Waukazoo basketball teams played the Federal boys and girls teams Friday at North Shore Community hall.

The Waukazoo boys won 35-12. The Federal girls evened the count by winning 11-5. Both were Suburban league games.

Nearly one-fourth of all married women in the United States have jobs outside the home.

Holland High Team Withstands Surge In Final Quarter

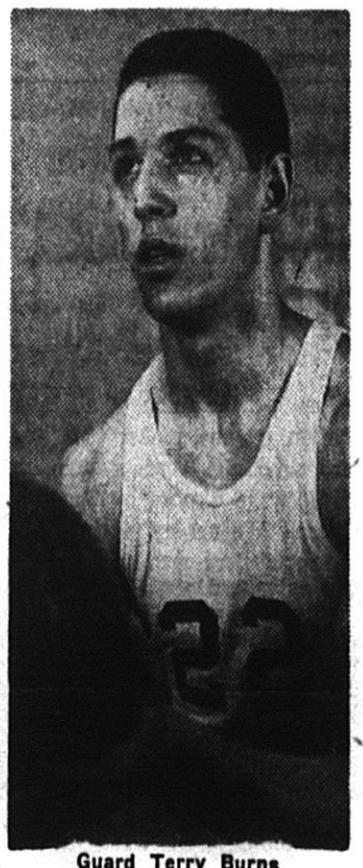
ST. JOSEPH (Special)—Holland high school roared out to a fat lead in the first 2 1/4 quarters, then withstood a torrid St. Joseph surge in the final period to chalk up its ninth win in 10 games 61-55 here Friday night.

The Hollanders were extremely sharp the first half, and held a 41-27 lead at the intermission.

They increased this margin to 48-27 as the third period opened before St. Joe started closing the gap. The Bears came to within six points at 59-53 with three minutes to go and forced Holland into a semi-stalling game to preserve victory.

The win was the second of the season for Holland over St. Joe, and the loss was only the third in 10 games for the Bears. St. Joe appeared 100 per cent improved over an earlier appearance in Holland when the Dutch won easily 65-43.

The lead wavered back and



Guard Terry Burns ... scores clinching goal ...

forth in the opening minutes of play until the Dutch finally started hitting for a 19-10 lead at the whistle. Dean Vander Wal was top point producer in the first period with eight markers.

The second period was more of the same as the Dutch got hotter, scoring 22 points to establish a 41-27 halftime lead. Holland hit an amazing nine out of 13 field goal attempts, mostly from close in. Ron Israels led the scoring with four buckets for eight points.

But after Coach Fred Weiss' crew had piled in seven straight points to open the third period, the Bears came to life again and had the count down to 52-42 Holland at the third whistle.

Then the fur started flying as St. Joe started a close pressing game with the fourth quarter about half gone. The Bears made a determined stand and with the count at 59-48 Holland, St. Joe racked up seven straight points to narrow the count to 59-55 as the stands roared approval.

However, the Bears' pressing tactic proved their downfall. By checking close downcourt, Holland guard Terry Burns broke loose all alone and took a long pass for an easy dog shot which seemed to break the St. Joe attack. The game ended with Holland stalling and St. Joe shooting wildly.

Vander Wal continued his scoring pace by dumping in 20 points for game honors. Israels led the rest of the divided scoring with 13, while Burns had nine, Carl Visscher eight and Jack Kemper six. Flashy guard Nate Duncan paced St. Joe with 19 points.

Holland hit a sharp 34 per cent of outcourt shots for the evening, on 21 out of 56, with one tip-in. However, the percentage fell sharply in the second half. The Dutch had 15 for 31 in the first half, and only six for 25 the second. Free throws were about even, Holland hitting 17 of 26, St. Joe 19 of 28.

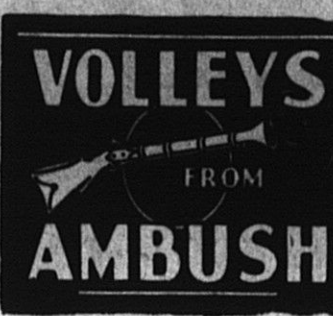
One sparkling feature was Holland's set-up buckets on jump balls and out-of-bounds plays. The Dutch scored quick layup shots on the tip-offs to start the first three periods, and four times in the game shook men loose on out-of-bounds play in the forecourt.

Holland's next game will be at home next Friday against Muskegon Heights.

Holland	FG	FT	PF	TP
Visscher, f	3	2	1	8
Israels, f	6	1	5	13
Vander Wal, c	7	6	1	20
Burns, g	3	3	3	9
Kemper, g	2	2	4	6
Van Dyke	1	1	4	3
Armstrong	0	2	1	2
Plagenhoef	0	0	1	0
	22	17	20	61

St. Joseph	FG	FT	PF	TP
Nelson, f	1	2	3	4
Ellis, f	3	3	4	13
Zupke, c	4	3	4	11
Sission, g	0	0	1	0
Duncan, g	6	7	3	19
Shell	1	3	2	5
Rantis	1	0	1	2
Lange	0	1	1	1
	18	19	15	55

Marriage Licenses
(From Saturday's Sentinel)
Ottawa County
Gordon Raterink, 22, Zeeland, and Carolyn May Slenk, 19, Holland.



Remember that handy man story that Junius B. Wood wrote for the year-end edition last Jan. 31? It was all about a guest in the home who volunteered to fix the cord of a Venetian blind in the Wood home. Two weeks later, the blind would go neither up nor down.

Today's story that maybe even tops the Wood masterpiece comes from Mae Van Tongeren who is currently vacationing with her husband Chet, in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Mae's story concerns a beautiful cuckoo clock which she purchased last summer in the Netherlands. It arrived in Holland shortly after the Van Tongerens returned home, and woman-like Mae didn't read the directions until she had messed up the works.

"It was supposed to be hung on the wall first and then the chains and weights put on. The chains were wound around the clock and when I unwound them they got off the track or wheel inside, so the weights dropped to the floor," she wrote. "Chet monkeyed with it for an hour or so, and then I remembered Ed Jones had a cuckoo clock like it at his cottage in Saugatuck and how handy he was and could fix anything (he says) so I phoned him."

Ed Jones was most co-operative and suggested the Van Tongerens come around with the clock and they'd all have a round of conasta too.

"We went down about 4:30 p.m. carefully carrying the clock on a tray with all the loose parts so as not to disturb them or make the clock worse. Ed looked at it and said it shouldn't take him too long and he carefully put everything on the table. Then he got out a screwdriver and took off the back of his own clock and compared it with ours.

"Easy to fix. It won't be but a few minutes," he said cheerfully, and so we got out the conasta cards and set up a table, score pad and all.

"Ed took out the cuckoo bird and then the little couple that dances after the bird does his cuckooing. The couple dances to a little German tune—I can't spell it but it ends with Augustine.

"Ed monkeyed for a couple of hours. The cuckoo wouldn't stop cuckooing and wouldn't go back into his little house. After Ed got that fixed the couple came out and danced and danced while the music box in the clock played and played. Ed fussed and fussed and he started all over again. We had dinner and then Ed started again. He finally ended up with the couple in the wrong place cuckooing the bird singing Augustine.

"Finally Ed said, 'Leave it here and I'll go over it tomorrow,' and I said, 'No, I'll take it to a jeweler in Holland. He does a good job.' We argued and finally we decided to play conasta to get our minds off that darn bird. I lost the conasta game too."

Mae added that she and Chet had many a laugh over the incident and were particularly tickled over Junius' story about the handy man. She didn't say just how the clock finally got fixed, but she said, "Our clock never strikes but we think about Handy Man Ed Jones. Let's hear how handy some of the men really are."

Local Boys Spot Robins, Woodpeckers in Yards

Tommy Vandenberg, 11, Lakewood Farms (route 4), and Bruce Kuiken, 304 Washington Blvd., really believe spring is here—and they should.

The two boys spotted a full-grown and a baby robin Friday evening in a lot near the Vandenberg home.

And Saturday they saw a red-head woodpecker and a downy woodpecker in the Vandenberg yard.

The Vandenberg have a bird feeding station in their yard.



Two women of Wesleyan Methodist church are proving themselves to be real home missionaries by sending boxes of clothing to Korean children. Mrs. Lena Kruthoff, left, and Mrs. Ann Wiggers, right, who began the project, were honored at a shower last week at the home of Mrs. Russell Harrington after the Wesleyan Missionary society became familiar with the project through correspondence and pictures of Korean orphans. Members brought new and used clothing for children two years and under. Later, items for older children were added until 13 boxes were packed. The event was combined with a social evening and games were played with Mrs. Donald Sundin and Mrs. George Hilson as prize winners. Refreshments were served.

Zeeland Defeats Broncs to Climb Into Tie for Lead

ZEELAND (Special)—Revenge was sweet Friday night for the Zeeland high school basketball team as the aroused Chix rolled over Coopersville 60-43 here to regain a share of the Ken-New-Wa league lead.

The win made up for an earlier defeat suffered by Coach Joe Newell's charges at the hands of the Broncs. The two teams share first place in league standings now with a 6-2 record each.

The game was close in the first half, but the Chix rolled out in the second half to clinch the victory.

Coopersville held a thin 14-13 first period lead, but Zeeland came back to lead at the half 26-24. In the third period, the Chix concentrated on set-up ball, and with several nice fakes climbed to a 45-34 lead at the third whistle. In the last period, Zeeland outscored the Broncs 15-9 to ice the victory.

The Chix put on their best defensive show of the season, clogging up the middle and forcing Coopersville to shoot mostly from outcourt with the Broncs getting few lay-up shots. Tall center Frank Scott, leading scorer in the league, was held to three field goals but still copped high score honors for the losers with 13 points.

Al Kraai with 17, Del Kornejan with 15 and Dave Kuylers with 13 paced the Chix. Redder had five, Wetherbee, Harve Berens, Schipper and Pading two each, Bob Berens and Meyers one each.

Coach Mel Bouma's Zeeland reserves copped the first game 51-25 after leading all the way. Jack Faber with 17 and Eugene De Jonge with 14 led the attack.

Coopersville was late in arriving Friday night, and the double bill lasted until 10:45 p.m. Next Friday, Zeeland goes to Sparta.

County Democrats Select Delegates

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—At the Democratic Spring convention held at the Court House in Grand Haven Thursday night, nine delegates and nine alternates were chosen to attend the Democratic State convention in Grand Rapids Saturday, Feb. 7.

Delegates selected were Charles E. Misner, Roy Hierholzer and George Ver Berkmoes of Grand Haven, Emily Shaffer and John Bontekoe of Holland, Lawrence P. Smith of Park township, George McCarthy of Grand Haven township, Mac Easterly of Crockett township and George Caball of Zeeland.

Alternates are Gertrude Vander Heuvel and Ruth Mary Roberts of Holland, Duane Baker and William Swart of Grand Haven, Gerry Schermer of Zeeland, Malcolm Ferguson, Ora Rickert, Mrs. Marguerite Clevenger and Mrs. Milo Sorensen of Spring Lake township.

The meeting which was well attended was presided over by Hierholzer with Bontekoe acting as secretary. Hierholzer was endorsed as a member of the state central committee.

Court House Employees Celebrate Birthdays

GRAND HAVEN, (Special)—Ottawa county employees in the court house were guests of employees whose birthdays occur during January, in the supervisor's room of the court house Thursday afternoon.

The table for refreshments was decorated with appropriate trimmings and candles.

Those who poured for the occasion were Miss Jennie Kaufman, county superintendent, of schools, and Carolyn Zuidema, employed in the county clerk's office.

Those who observe their birthdays in January are Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith; Robert J. Kammeraad, register of deeds; Miss Kaufman; Mrs. N. F. Yonkman, probate register, and Miss Zuidema.

Holland Fish and Game Club Votes To Begin Work on New Club House

The Holland Fish and Game Club unanimously approved \$6,000 for a new club house to be erected on the club's grounds located between Holland and Zeeland off M-21, elected eight directors and heard a variety of reports during a lengthy three and a half-hour meeting Thursday night at Washington school.

After the vote on the club house, President Hine Vander Heuvel announced to the more than 50 members present that construction will begin as soon as possible. He described the proposed building as being of cinder block construction and 80 by 32 feet in length and width. The building will contain two rest rooms, kitchen, central auditorium and a room suitable for committee meetings.

Elected to the board of directors were J. C. Rhea, Neil Bergen, Joe De Vries, Neil Stroop, Jarvis Ter Haar, Don Rypma, Neil De Waard, and Ken Vander Heuvel. The eight new directors will meet with the eight incumbents to elect a slate of officers for 1953 on Feb. 25 at a site to be announced later.

Secretary Lester Pool informed

Former Holland Man Dies in Crash At Hammond, Ind.

Robert Grabofski, 27, Is Drowned After Truck Lands in Flooded Ditch

A former Holland man was killed and two other persons were trapped Thursday night when the auto wrecker in which they were riding was knocked into a water-filled ditch near Hammond, Ind.

Robert Grabofski, 27, Hammond,



Robert W. Grabofski
As a Marine in 1944

formerly of Holland, was drowned when the wrecker collided with a car driven by William Wagner, 42, Gary, Ind., and careened into the ditch. Wagner was held on charges of reckless and drunken driving.

Two passengers in the wrecker, William Hanish, 35, and Wayne Kerstell, 18, both of Hammond, were rescued by police and other motorists when they were trapped in the cab.

Local relatives were notified about 1 a.m. Friday of Grabofski's death. His father, William Grabofski, and sister, Edna, left early Friday for Hammond. A brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Marinus De Kraker, left for Hammond early Friday afternoon.

Grabofski, who served with the Marine Corps during World War II, is survived by his wife, a former Hammond girl; a three-year-old son, Jeffrey; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Grabofski of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. De Kraker and Edna; two stepbrothers, Warren and Don Van Kampen, and several uncles and aunts of Holland.

Grabofski was born in Johnsonburg, Pa., June 26, 1925. He was graduated from Holland high school and worked in the local S. S. Kresge store before entering the service. He had lived in Hammond a few years.

Zeeland Couple Exchange Vows

Miss Sena Oetman and Ben VanderWeide were united in marriage Thursday evening at 7:30 in the parlors of First Christian Reformed church of Zeeland. The Rev. A. E. Rozendal officiated at the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with arrangements of palms, ferns, white pompons, gladioli and two seven-branch candelabras.

Traditional wedding music was played by Miss Maxine Mulder, who accompanied Ruth Wolters, niece of the bride, as she sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

For her wedding the bride chose a navy blue suit of French crepe and a navy straw hat trimmed with rhinestones and white velvet. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses centered with a lavender orchid.

Attending as matron of honor was Mrs. Charles Brooks, sister of the groom. She wore a black silk crepe dress and carried a cascade bouquet of white pompons centered with cerise glame-las. Ringbearer was Lynn Staal, granddaughter of the groom. She was dressed in a pale green floor length gown and wore a corsage of yellow carnations.

Serving as best man was George Oetman, brother of the bride. Ushers were Albert Oetman and George Minnema. Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Veenboer were master and mistress of ceremonies.

Presiding at the punch bowl were Misses Ruth Wolters and Shirley Oetman, nieces of the bride. The Misses Eunice Kamps, Donna Mast and June Doezeman arranged the gifts. Dinner was served to 70 guests. Waitresses were the Misses Mabel and Margaret Stegink, Jessiemae and Martha Bruinooge and Betty Karsten; vocal trio by Jessiemae and Martha Bruinooge and Betty Karsten; remarks by Rev. Rozendal, and closing prayer by George Minnema.

The program following the dinner included group singing; readings by Otto Kanstra, George Minnema and Mrs. George VanderWeide; vocal solo by Ruth Wolters; cornet solo by Dale Wolters; vocal trio by Jessiemae and Martha Bruinooge and Betty Karsten; remarks by Rev. Rozendal, and closing prayer by George Minnema.

Following a wedding trip to Florida the couple will make their home at 216 East Main St., Zeeland.

The bride was honored at eight pre-nuptial showers. Among the hostesses were Mrs. Jennie Rietman, Anna Haan, Miss Kate Shoemaker, Mrs. Gertrude Pease and Mrs. Richard Wolters, and a group of girls from the Mead-Johnson Co.

Mrs. VanderWeide was employed at Mead-Johnson Co. and Mr. VanderWeide is employed at the Holland Furniture Company.

Zeeland

(From Saturday's Sentinel)
Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Veenboer were in attendance at the 11th International Heating and Ventilating Exposition in Chicago held in the International Amphitheatre under the auspices of the American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers.

Dale Van Haltsma, Route 3, Zeeland, and Daryl Buist, Route 2, recently enrolled in the first eight-week term of the two-year General Agriculture short course at Michigan State college. The course includes 16 weeks of college instruction especially for those who plan to become farmers, farm foremen, herdsmen or farm managers.

The new ordinance, passed by Zeeland city council several weeks ago, of the new parking rules, went into effect Friday. This ordinance was passed after the city rejected plans for installing parking meters. According to the new ordinance, there are 15-minute parking zones at the City Hall on Elm St., at the Zeeland State bank on Main Ave. and at the Post Office on Main Ave., and on Church St. One hour parking zones are along Main Ave. for an area of two and one-half blocks in the principal business section of the city. Two-hour parking is allowed on three side streets, Elm St. and Church St., both north and south of Main Ave., and East Cherry Ave. between Elm and Church, only on the north side of this street which is a fire lane.

There will be a home economics group meeting at Zeeland City Hall auditorium at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 4. This is for the leaders of this work in Ottawa county. There will be a study of "Discipline." Mrs. Lennah Backus, extension specialist in parent education and child development, and Mrs. Grace Vander Kolk, county home demonstration agent, will present the lesson. The lesson will point out, that discipline is undertaken differently than formerly, since now it is thought best to give the child an opportunity to help make the decisions and thus his learning progresses and the guidance should not appreciably change the relationship between parent and child.

Miss Martha Karsten, while at Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids, recently fell and fractured her hip. Miss Karsten is Zeeland's first gold star mother. Her foster son, Gilbert, was the first American soldier from this region killed in the world war. She has twice visited the battlefields of France. She is a charter member of the American Legion Auxiliary and was its first president.

Area Hatcheries Grab Top Honors

EAST LANSING—Zeeland and Holland area hatcheries walked off with top honors at the Chick and Egg Show sponsored last week at Farmers' Week by the Michigan State college Poultry Science club.

The chicks were submitted by the box with a minimum of 25 birds from each hatchery. Three breeds, White Leghorn, White Rock and New Hampshire, and a miscellaneous class were judged. A maximum of 100 points is given to each exhibit.

Top three places of each class were:

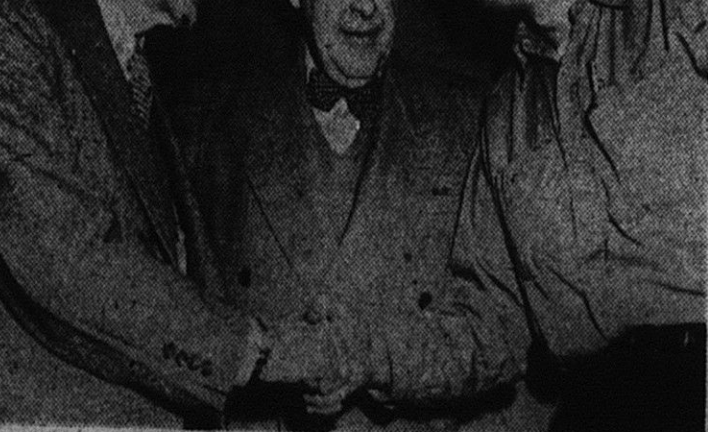
White Leghorn—Townline Poultry Farm, Zeeland, 98 points, first; Fillmore Hatchery, Zeeland, 97 points, second; and Townline, 96 points, third.

Write Rocks — Townline, 96 points, first; Brummer and Fredrickson Poultry Farm, Holland, 95 points, second; C. E. Husted Hatchery, Ithaca, 93 points, third.

New Hampshires — Brummer and Fredrickson, 98 points, first, also judged best lot of chicks in the show; Moore Hatcheries, Wayne, second and third places with 96 points each.

All three places of the miscellaneous class were won by Klager Hatcheries, Bridgewater, with Rhode Island Red exhibits.

Top egg displays were shown by: Townline Poultry Farm, Zeeland; Tice's Bird Rock Farm, Barryton; Blissfield Hatchery, Blissfield; Louis Vanderstall, Caledonia; Walter F. Keyes, Bath and the Hillcrest Poultry Farm, Bath.



"Shake hands and come out fighting." With these words, Chamber of Commerce membership chairman Earl F. Price (center) urged W. J. Olive (left) and Hans Suzenaar (right) to go all out in seeking new members for the chamber. The membership committee kicked off a week long drive with a luncheon Friday noon in the Warm Friend Tavern. Setting no specific quota this year, the 11-man membership committee will work individually or in teams of two. The group informally agreed to work toward topping last year's drive which netted more than 55 new members. The present chamber membership stands in excess of 500. (Sentinel photo)



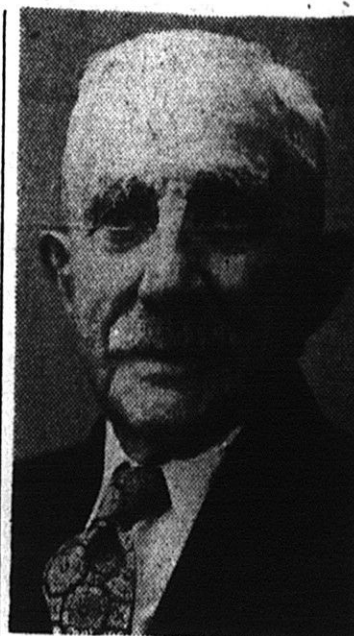
Gerald Helder (left) presents a check amounting to \$132.32 to the 1953 March of Dimes polio drive. Mrs. George Braun (center), president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary and Mrs. Jay C. Pettey, chairman of the benefit polio dance committee, accept the gift on behalf of the campaign. The money represents proceeds from the 1952 Waukazoo Saddle and Hunt Club's charity Horse Show held last August. The club is another of the many organizations that contribute to the annual polio fund drive. (Penna-Sas photo)

Zeeland's Oldest Resident Marks 97th Birthday

ZEELAND — Zeeland's oldest resident, Gerrit J. Buter, marked his 97th birthday anniversary Monday by holding open house in his home at 420 West Main St. in the afternoon and evening for relatives and friends.

Still in good health and happy over the Republican victory last November, Zeeland's oldest resident keeps up easily with the news of the day through his radio and the newspapers. He is proud he never missed a presidential election since he became a citizen. He was born in Emlichem, Germany, and came to the United States as a young man. He is the oldest living member of First Reformed church. He retired from the fuel business in 1929.

He has three children, Mrs. N. J. Danhof and Mrs. M. E. Bennett of Zeeland and Gerrit J. Buter of Grand Rapids; three grandchildren, Robert Danhof of Muskegon, Mrs. David Taylor of Birmingham and Jean Buter of Kalamazoo, and three great grandchildren.



Gerrit J. Buter

Van Peursem Named To Head Committee

ZEELAND (Special) — Rep. George Van Peursem of Zeeland has been named to head the important city corporations committee in the state house of representatives. The second term representative will assume the chairmanship immediately. Last year the committee was responsible for more than 20 bills.

In addition Van Peursem will serve on the newly created Marine Affairs committee. The information of this committee is the result of a long study by the legislature in an attempt to coordinate state harbor policy.

Van Peursem will also serve as vice-chairman of the liquor control committee and as a member of the retirement and rules and resolutions committees of the house.

Chad Guild Makes Plans To Give Play in Chicago

Chad Guild held its regular meeting Tuesday evening at Christian high school, Ken Vander Zwaag, vice president, presided.

Plans were discussed for a trip to Chicago to give two performances of the play, "Go Ahead." Financial report on proceeds of the fall play was given by Harold Branderhorst, treasurer. The group also voted to present two one-act plays again next spring. Marie De Vries, chairman of the party committee, suggested a Valentine party. Members will be notified of plans.

New officers were elected to replace three retiring officers, George Knoll, president; Ken Vander Zwaag, vice president, and Mrs. Betty Jonker, secretary. New officers are John Bower, president; Kenneth Bosman, vice president, and Mrs. Marilyn De Haan, secretary.

Socialist Threat Aired in Address

"Where Do We Go From Here" was the subject of Frank Gentlemen's talk before the Holland Rotary club Thursday noon at the Warm Friend Tavern. Gentlemen, director of the opportunity program of the Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce.

Pointing to the socialist trends already evident in our political and economic system, the speaker warned that all the civilizations which have gone down the road to Socialism have ended in ashes—Egypt, Babylon, Greece, Assyria and Rome. Excessive taxation and loss of freedom of choice are two characteristics of the Socialist State. In comparison with Communism, Gentlemen said that the goals are the same; they differ in their method of achievement. While the Socialist seeks to bring about his "reforms" by evolution, the Communist resorts to revolution. The Marxian ideology sounds beautiful, continued Gentlemen, but it is a distortion of the word "freedom." It really means "exemption."

Concluding his talk the speaker urged everyone to become informed and articulate. "We should be thankful to a provident God for the wonderful way in which He has blessed us and do all in our power to preserve our democratic way of life," he said.

Gene Wilson of Lee, Forest Baldwin of Grand Rapids, and Thomas Hoover of Zeeland were visiting Rotarians.

Mrs. Ernest De Haan Succumbs at Home

Mrs. Henrietta De Haan, 54, wife of Ernest De Haan, died late Friday evening at her home on route 3 (East 16th St.) after a six-month illness.

Mrs. De Haan was a member of Ebenezer Reformed church and several women's organizations in the church.

Surviving are the husband; two sons, Roger and Robert, at home; her mother, Mrs. Henry Tien of Holland; two brothers, John Tien of route 5 and Herman Tien of Graafschap, and three sisters, Mrs. Marinus Mulder, Mrs. Jack Oosta and Marie Tien, all of Holland.

Rites Held in Hammond Monday for Crash Victim

Funeral services were held in Hammond, Ind., at 2 p.m. Monday for Robert W. Grabofski, 27, former Holland resident who was killed in an auto-truck crash near Hammond Thursday night.

Surviving besides the wife and three-year-old son, Jeffrey, are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Grabofski of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. Marinus De Kraker and Edna Grabofski of Holland, and two stepbrothers, Warren and Don Van Kampen.

He was crushed when the wrecker in which he was riding was struck by a car and ran into a water-filled ditch.

The hyrax, which is no larger than a rabbit, has the elephant as its nearest relative.

Promotions Boost Polio Campaign In Holland Area

Returns from special promotions Friday were pushing the 1953 March of Dimes polio drive in Holland toward the \$15,000 goal.

More than 700 persons jammed just about every available space at the Rollarena Thursday night for a benefit roller skating party. As a matter of fact the jam was so great that not everyone on skates could be on the floor at the same time, including a good sprinkling of adults.

Net result of the party was \$253.68 for the polio campaign. Today officials of the sponsoring Inter-Club Council issued a thank you to the management of the Rollarena for the good manner in which the party and crowd were handled.

And the cake baking contest that continued Friday and Saturday at Van's netted \$145.89 on the first night—Thursday. More than 550 entries were received and they are being sold with all profit earmarked for the polio drive.

The prize winners were: first, Mr. Lloyd Van Lente, 433 Columbia Ave.; second, Mrs. John W. Fonger, 326 Maple Ave.; third, Mrs. Henry Busscher, 345 West 17th St., and fourth, Mrs. Don Oosterbaan, 276 Washington Ave.

Singled out for identical prizes were: Laura LaCombe, 174 West Seventh St.; Mrs. Arthur Becksvort, 315 Washington Blvd.; Mrs. H. Draper, 42 East 13th St.; Mrs. C. M. Lamoreaux, 173 South Division Ave.; Mrs. Nick Klungle, 240 West 22nd St.; and Mrs. Oris Strong, 248 Lincoln Ave.

"There's just oceans of cake up there," one contest official said today.

Holland Native Dies in Belding

Alvia C. Loyer, president and manager of the Belding Basket Co., and a native of Holland, died at his home in Belding early Friday at the age of 72.

He was born in Holland in 1880, and attended Holland public schools and Dregman Business College. For several years he was general superintendent of the C. L. King Co. in Holland.

Mr. Loyer went to Belding in 1914 and became associated with the Belding Basket Co. In 1928 he was president of the Western Basket Manufacturers Association, and director of the National Fruit Package Association. He served on the Belding city council for four years and was mayor for two years. A member of the Belding Chamber of Commerce, he was president in 1927-28, and a charter member of the Belding Rotary club and a member of the Goodfellowship club.

Active in church affairs, Mr. Loyer was member of the First Baptist church, serving many years on the Board of Deacons and Board of Trustees, and as Sunday School superintendent for 10 years.

Surviving are the wife, Zora R. Loyer, a son, Vance B. Loyer, and two grandchildren, all of Belding; one brother, Albert B. Van Dyk of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. Raymond Soderberg of Holland and Mrs. Norman Addington of Grand Rapids.

Court Awards Judgment To Grand Rapids Firm

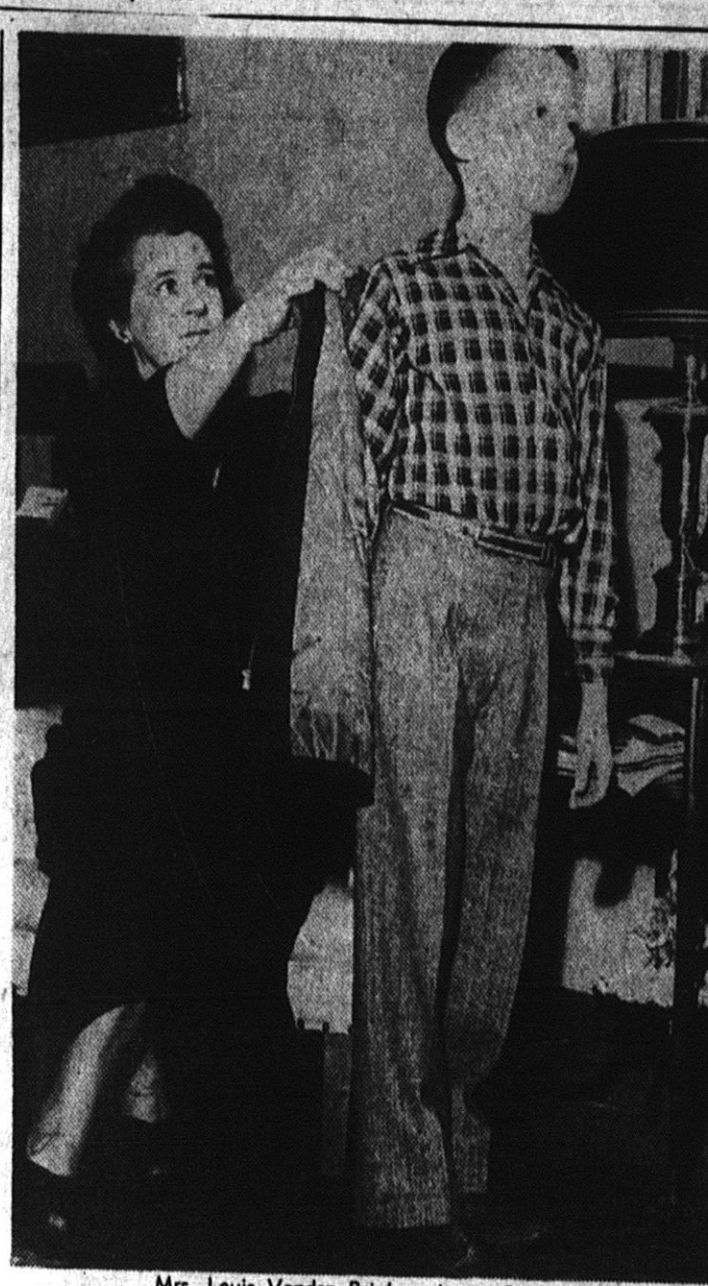
GRAND HAVEN (Special)—A judgment of \$406.12, plus costs to be taxed, was awarded Home Beautiful Shops, Inc., of Grand Rapids against Ray Allen, doing business as Allen's Crosley, formerly Allen's Radio Shop of Grand Haven, in Circuit Court Friday noon.

The amount represents merchandise sold by plaintiff to defendant on open account from Feb. 24, 1949, to Feb. 9, 1951, which has not been paid.

Plaintiff formerly did business under the name of Nu-Enamel Distributors of Grand Rapids, Inc.



Not one tree was spared—and the once picturesque 'lovers lane' on 16th St. east of town is now just a narrow country road edged with rows of tree stumps. The Ottawa county road commission last week finished the job of removing the tall, stately trees which formed a natural bridge across the narrow lane. For years, the beauty spot had attracted much attention and many area residents enjoyed a ride through the rows of poplars and over the little bridge. Once before, the commission's attempts to cut down the trees were greeted with storms of protest. As the years passed, however, old age destroyed some of the poplars and others were victims of lightning or wind storms. It is said the trees were planted more than 60 years ago. Commission workers said that eventually the road will be widened and that eventually the bridge probably will be replaced by a modern, straight one. When this picture was taken, only four trees remained. (Sentinel photo)



Mrs. Louis Vanden Brink and son, Bobby

Zeeland Donates \$1,631 To the 1953 Polio Fund

Holland volunteers got added inspiration Thursday from the success of Zeeland Mothers Marchers. Eighty-seven mothers collected the grand total of \$1,631.08 in their march from 7 to 8 p.m. Thursday, according to Charles E. Zerrip, polio chairman for Zeeland city and township.

Kiwanis Queens, headed by Mrs. L. Bensinger, president, sponsored the campaign in Zeeland. The success was most gratifying, Zerrip said, and credited Mrs. Bensinger and her workers for their enthusiasm and skillful organization in staging the campaign.

Church bells at 7 p.m. signaled the start and porch lights shone throughout the city. Kiwanis club members assisted at the City Hall, where jars of money were turned in and counted. Continual sub-totals

were kept by Zerrip as the jars came in and all the mothers stayed to learn the final results. Mothers reported they were welcome wherever they called by the well-informed residents, who had been prepared the evening before by announcements from a sound car.

The 87 mothers averaged \$18.74 in the March. Last year, they netted \$1,345, averaging \$17.33 per volunteer.

Zerrip said Zeeland will undoubtedly top \$3,500 in this year's campaign. The Mothers March was a big boost, he said, and there are still canisters to be collected and businessmen to be contacted. In the area surrounding Zeeland, Kiwanis members made the house to house canvass, Zerrip reported. The rural area was not included in the actual Mothers March.

Hospital Notes

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Admitted to Holland hospital Thursday were Mrs. Chester Hulst, 1618 Washington Ave.; Steven Vander Ploeg, West 32nd St. Gay Gines, 180 River Ave.; Mrs. Sena Volkers, route 2, Hamilton; Mrs. Grace J. Thorne, 460 Washington Ave.; Joseph Coon, 919 Madison, Grand Haven; Selma Newhouse, 258 West 13th St.; Lynn Banson, 560 West 20th St.

Discharged Thursday were Mrs. Herbert Childers, 137 North Division; Mrs. Fred Martin and baby, 232 Pine Ave.; Mrs. Jerry Sprong and baby, route 2; Mrs. Thad Hadden, 300 West 11th St.; Mrs. Abel Berkompas, West Olive; Mrs. Harry Schamper, route 2.

Hospital births include a daughter born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Hill, Jr., 216 West 19th St.; a daughter, Janice Lynn, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gillette, 595 Howard Ave.; a daughter, Carol Ann, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Taylor, 94 East 14th St.; a daughter, Janice Ruth, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wassenaar, 85 East 28th St.; a daughter, Mary Ann, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hart, route 1; a son, James William, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Rinker, 166 East 24th St.

The longest barrier reef in the world is the Great Barrier Reef of Australia, which parallels the eastern shore of that continent for more than 1,200 miles.

Officers Press Shotgun Search

The first week has passed since the window shooting at the home of Prosecutor Wendell A. Miles on Jan. 24, and local investigating officers continued to press their search for the shotgun-wielder.

Mayor Harry Harrington reiterated the offer of \$100 reward from the city for apprehension of the culprit.

Miles reported that his wife and father, former Circuit Judge Fred Miles, have received numerous anonymous telephone calls, alleging that several different persons were responsible for the incident. All of those accused, Miles said, have come in contact with the prosecutor's office on a criminal level at one time or another.

"Nobody has been eliminated from suspicion," one officer said. The upstairs bedroom window of Prosecutor Miles' home was blasted with a 16 gauge shotgun about 4 a.m. on Jan. 24.

North Blendon

The Young Peoples society of the local Christian Reformed church entertained the Young Peoples Alliance on Thursday evening, Jan. 15. A home talent program was presented with Miss Shirley Hirdes rendering a solo as a representative of the local group.

The Christian Endeavor society attended the recent Golden Chain Union meeting held at the Vriesland Reformed church.

Mrs. C. Moll and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen attended the recent meeting of the Allendale-Blendon Prayer League which met at the home of the president, Mrs. C. F. Fiestra at Rusk on Thursday Jan. 15th. Arrangements were made for the World's Day of Prayer service to be held at the First Christian Reformed church at Allendale on Feb. 20.

Theodore Martinie who left with the Jan. Inductees from Ottawa County and has been at Fort Custer was transferred to Fort Atterbury, Ind., the past week. On Wednesday and Thursday evening of last week several relatives and friends visited him at Fort Custer. Recent visitors at the H. H. Vander Molen home included Mr. and Mrs. C. Mersman of Muskegon, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Roelofs of Drenthe, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Papp of Holland, and Alma Vander Molen of Alward Dist.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Drunen mourn the loss of their father, Roy Loux of Grand Rapids, who died Wednesday, Jan. 14. Funeral services were held at Grand Rapids on Saturday of the same week.

L. Jerry Ollman died at St. Mary's hospital last week Wednesday following a two week illness. Funeral services were held at the local Reformed church last Saturday and burial made at Snow cemetery at Cascade. The Rev. D. L. Weemhoff officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Zylstra and John, Norman Bosman of Zutphen and Mr. and Mrs. G. Groenhoff of Zeeland called on Mrs. Klooster at Fremont on Sunday, Jan. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cotts announce the birth of a daughter, Marcia Kay, born at St. Mary's hospital on Jan. 21. On Jan. 25 Mr. and Mrs. E. Kloosterman became the parents of a daughter born at Zeeland hospital. Mrs. Cotts and baby returned to their home here on Monday and are being assisted by Mrs. B. Martinie.

Jack Ferwerda is convalescing at his home here following surgery at the Municipal hospital at Grand Haven two weeks ago. Many relatives and friends have called on the Ferwerds the past few weeks.

The Rev. and Mrs. N. Bente recently entertained the present consistory members of the Christian Reformed church and those who retired from office. Guests included H. Sall, W. Driesenga, Mr. and Mrs. E. Velthous, Mr. and Mrs. H. Klinger, Mr. and Mrs. R. Westveld, Mr. and Mrs. B. Bruins, Mr. and Mrs. G. Scholten, Mr. and Mrs. H. Driesenga Sr., and Mrs. H. D. Driesenga, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gramsmit, Mr. and Mrs. L. Vander Kolk, Mr. and Mrs. C. Rietman and Mr. and Mrs. E. Overweg. A two-course lunch followed the evening of fellowship and fun with Mrs. P. Dreyer and Mrs. J. Ter Horst serving.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. Ten Clay of North Holland were Sunday evening visitors at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. D. L. Weemhoff. Corp. and Mrs. J. Hoffman of Wilmington, Del., were Sat. guests at the E. Elzinga home.

Rudy Elzinga of Ravenna is spending a few weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Elzinga of Grandville recently spent a day at the Elzinga home here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Poskey and Janet at Jenison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lamer and daughter spent Saturday evening with Mrs. J. Lamer and Lois at Zeeland.

Mrs. G. Klynstra and Mrs. C. De Jongh attended a bridal shower honoring Arlene Cook at the home of Mrs. C. Engbert at Nunica last week Friday evening.

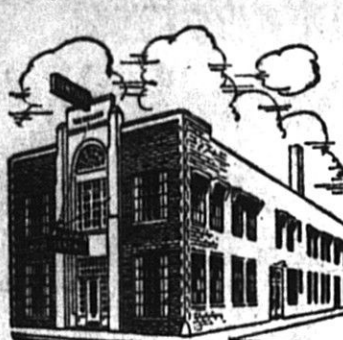
Rev. Weemhoff and the elders recently began the annual "family visitation."

Linda Jean Koolman of Holland is visiting at the home of her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. N. Kunzi and Helen.

Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. Elzinga entertained the former's Sunday School class with a chicken dinner at Bochs at Zeeland. Following the dinner the group enjoyed roller skating at the Coliseum.

The Rev. and Mrs. N. Bente recently attended a ministers conference at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. Breuker at Zutphen.

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FOUR TIMING

There is only one thing wrong
with the Republican plan to strip
the governor of the power to fill
vacancies in the U. S. senate. The
thing that is wrong with it is poor
timing.

This proposal should have been
made at a time when both the
legislative and executive branches
of the government were in the
hands of the Republicans. If that
had been done the change could
have been made on a basis of po-
litical principle. As things stand
now, it looks very much like par-
tisan politics.

In point of principle, the change
should obviously be made. There
is no valid reason why a governor
alone should have the power to
impose a United States senator on
the people of Michigan. As things
stand now, the governor can ap-
point a man who is not even a
member of the party that most of
the people of Michigan support. He
can replace a senator of one
party, in case of that senator's
death, with a member of another
party. This was actually done in
the case of the late Senator Van-
derberg and Blair Moody.

There would seem to be no
valid reason why this power
should be given to the governor
in the case of a senate vacancy
any more than in the case of a
vacancy in the house or in the
legislature. The practice is a ves-
tige of the system before direct
election of U. S. Senators, when
senators were appointed by the
legislature. But even as a remnant
of that time it is illogical.

But the Republicans should have
thought of the illogic of the sys-
tem years ago, when they were in
complete control. At that time
they were of course not anxious
to make the change; it was felt
that it would be better for a Re-
publican governor to retain this
power of appointment. But it
could have been done then on
principle. Because of faulty tim-
ing the present proposal is sure
to be attacked on the basis of
political expediency. Those who
oppose it are sure to argue that
it is for the purpose of hamstring-
ing a Democratic governor.

Timing is important in politics.
Choosing the right moment for a
move usually marks the difference
between statesmanship and
partisan politics. That appears to
be true of the present proposal.
The Republicans in the legislature
may not have any such motiva-
tion. The fact remains that the
proposal will be widely regarded
as purely partisan. And it is a pity
that a logical action should be
handicapped in that way.

Allegan Records
Sixth Fatality

PLAINWELL (Special)—A re-
tired Detroit policeman who had
been a Plainwell resident for the
past year became Allegan county's
sixth fatality of 1953 at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday night.

James L. McGuire, 61, was killed
instantly when his car struck the
rear of a truck as it slowed
down to turn into a restaurant on
US-13 a mile north of here.

Both vehicles were traveling
north. The truck, driven by Eu-
gene L. Vincent, 32, of Grand
Rapids, was owned by Star Trans-
fer Lines, Grand Rapids.

Coroner Clyde Dickinson of
Wayland said death was caused by
a broken neck and crushed chest.
The body was taken to Marshall
Funeral Home, Plainwell, where
services will be announced later.

Survivors include the wife, Stella,
a grandson, Paul Keaton, who
made his home with them; three
brothers, Martin of Toledo, John
and Joe of Detroit; two sisters,
Mrs. Mary Scoder of Battle
Creek and Alice of Detroit.

Suburban Loop Games

Waukazoo and Beechwood split
even in a double bill on the regu-
lar Suburban Basketball league
schedule Tuesday. The Waukazoo
boys defeated the Beechwood boys
51-13 in one game, with Beech-
wood girls turning the tables to
defeat Waukazoo girls 13-8. The
games were played at Beechwood
school.

Sunday School
Lesson

Sunday, February 8, 1953

Matthew 20:1-16

Jesus Teaches God's Grace

By Henry Geerlings

It is especially important to
keep in mind that a parable was
intended to bring out one central
idea; that it was a lens to magni-
fy some truth that Jesus felt was
important. The story of the work-
men in the vineyard teaches that
the reward of every Christian is
the same, namely, an experience
of forgiveness and eternal life.
While we are expected to surren-
der our lives unreservedly to God,
He grants His favor to us to an
extent unmerited by us. There-
fore, our salvation, the gift of the
Holy Spirit, and all of life's spiri-
tual resources are ours by the
grace of God.

The story must have seemed a
very unlikely one to those who
listened. He told of a householder
who kept hiring more and more
men as the day progressed. Then
to top it off, he instructed that
the last ones hired should not only
be paid first, but should re-
ceive as much as those who had
labored through the heat of the
day.

Jesus had a special point to this
story. He knew that He was talk-
ing to a calculating, bargaining
type of people, legalists in the ex-
treme. To them, religion was a
matter of doing certain things re-
quired that they might get cer-
tain rewards in return. The king-
dom of heaven is not earned but
given. It was a new idea to them,
and it took a radical story to
jolt them to the truth that God's
kingdom is one of grace.

Even though the story empha-
sized the grace of the householder,
was it after all fair to those who
worked longer? On the face of it,
it seems very unfair. There are
three parables on the general sub-
ject of wages and work in the
kingdom of God. The parable of
the talents, which teaches that
wages are conditioned upon the use
of what we have. No more is re-
quired than we can do. The para-
ble of the pounds teaches that the
unequal use of equal ability is
unequally rewarded. The parable
of the hours teaches that the
owner rewards according to the
opportunity and energy of service
expended.

The men who worked longer
bargained for their wages and
they received what they had
agreed to work for. The men hired
at the eleventh hour were so glad
to get work, that they were satis-
fied to leave the matter to the
remuneration in the hands of the
employer. The employer had lived
up to his agreement.

The other argument which the
employer presented is that he had
a right to do what he wished with
his own business. Of course this
principle is not accepted by com-
munism. Communism and Chris-
tianity are mutually exclusive. A
Communist cannot be a Christian
and a Christian cannot be a Com-
munist. Indeed, this principle of
the use of one's own is challenged
today.

Lately an old firm went out of
business. Some racketeers had
beaten up a man who had worked
for the firm for years. The firm
had had the finest relations with
their employees. Then came the
incident of the thugs and threats
as to what would happen to the
firm if it did not do thus and so.
Labor unions have done great
good in bringing about collective
bargaining and fair practices, but
the things which have happened
and are happening in the realm of
capital and labor relations but
prove that laws cannot solve the
problem. Not until grace fills the
heart of employer and employee
alike can there be hope for peace.

Among the things which Jesus
wanted to teach in the parable is
that rewards in the kingdom
service instantly become available to
any who will set their hands to
God's work. He left no room for
belief in a probationary term dur-
ing which one must struggle on
his own to make good in the sight
of God. He knew that there was a
lurking notion on the part of
some of the inner circle that they
ought to be considered in line for
special favor over those who had
entered the movement more re-
cently.

We are saved by grace. The
basic principles of most non-
Christian doctrines is opposed to
this. The Mohammedan makes his
pilgrimages, repeats his prayers,
observes his holidays and fasts
days and thus hopes to obtain his
reward. The Buddhist spins his
prayer wheels, memorizes his phi-
losophies of life and performs his
acts of charity in order to attain
eternal bliss. God's plan and
method cut across all human ef-
forts and apart from all human
endeavors and says we are saved
by grace. God's grace is amazing.
It is infinite in its scope. It goes
deeper and higher and beyond all
human guilt and sin. Where sin
abounded, grace did much more
abound.

God's grace is amazing in its
power. It accomplished what hu-
man morality and religious phi-
losophies can never hope to accom-
plish. It takes the guilty, rebel-
lious race of mankind and opens
to him the doors of heaven and
eternal fellowship with God.

Fined on Two Counts

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—
Mylan Houseman, 21, Kalamazoo,
pleaded guilty in Justice Freder-
ick Workman's court Tuesday to
two charges and was sentenced to
pay \$50 fine and \$5.40 costs on a
charge of furnishing liquor to a
minor and \$10 fine and \$4.50 costs
on a charge of driving without an
operator's license. He was arrest-
ed by state police Monday night
on US-31 in Port Sheldon town-
ship.

The island of Cuba, with an
area of 44,164 square miles, is
about the size of the state of
Pennsylvania.

Weather Warmer,
Snowfall Less
During January

January temperatures were
above average and the snowfall
was below average, a review of
weather statistics compiled by
Charles A. Stoketee revealed to-
day.

Average temperature was 30.1
degrees or 3.7 degrees above nor-
mal. Precipitation was the lowest
in at least five years, amounting
to 1.49 inches or .68 inch below
normal. Average temperatures for
January were 29.2 in 1952, 27 in
1951, 31.6 in 1950 and 29.6 in 1949.
Precipitation totaled 2.36 inches in
1952, 2.22 inches in 1951, 4.19
inches in 1950 and 3.32 inches in
1949.

Snowfall for January measur-
ed 10.5 inches compared with 26.7
inches in 1952, 19.3 inches in 1951,
7.5 inches in 1950 and 8.9 inches
in 1949. Greatest depth on the
ground was three inches, compar-
ed with eight inches in 1952, 10
inches in 1951, three inches in
1950 and six inches in 1949. Large-
st amount of snow in 24-hour
period was 3.4 inches in 1953, 7.8
inches in 1952, five inches in 1951,
2.8 inches in 1950 and 1.8 inches in
1949.

Maximum temperature for Janu-
ary was 58 degrees, compared
with 56 in 1952, 49 in 1951, 57 in
1950 and 58 in 1949. Minimum
temperature was seven above,
compared with eight above in
1952, seven below in 1951, seven
above in 1950 and four below in
1949.

Precipitation fell on 17 days,
compared with 17 days in 1952,
16 days in 1951, 19 days in 1950
and 19 days in 1949.

Maroon Reserves
Trip Tiger Cubs

ALLEGAN (Special)—Holland
Christian's reserve squad played
one of its best games of the sea-
son Tuesday night at Allegan to
down a stubborn Allegan second
team, 45-39. Coach John Lam's
club holds the distinction of be-
ing the only outfit to stop the Al-
legan five this season, and they
have done it twice, winning the
first game by two points earlier
this year.

The contest might have been a
rout had it not been for the ter-
rific Allegan foul shooting. They
hit on 17 out of 19 attempts and
11 out of 12 in the second half.
One big factor in the Christian
win was the improved play of the
Dutch forward wall. John Hey-
boer turned in his best game of
the year and freshman Dave Van-
der Hill, filling in for Warren Ny-
kamp, who was home with the
flu, also played a fine game under
the boards.

Christian led 12-8 at the end of
the first period and by halftime
was in front, 26-16. They boosted
their total to 37-24 at the end of
the third quarter before the fight-
ing Tigers started to close in.
Jun Buurisma with good out-
court shooting led all scorers with
17, followed by Heyboer with 14,
Vander Hill with six, and John
Mulder and Bill Vryhof with four
and four pieces. Flashy center Bud
Ingalsbeed led the losers with 19.

Miss Buurisma Hostess

At League Meeting

The Girls' League for Service
of Fourth Reformed church met
Tuesday evening at the home of
Miss Gladys Buurisma, 292 West
18th St.

Florence Van Dyke led in scrip-
ture and prayer and presented a
Bible quiz. Mrs. H. Kamphorst
played a piano solo. Letters from
several missionaries were read to
the group. "Hidden Hearts" for
1952 were revealed with valen-
tines.

The evening was spent rolling
bandages for the Arabian Mission
hospital.

Refreshments were served by
the hostess.

Festive Musical Program
Highlights Club Birthday

Members of the Woman's Liter-
ary club enjoyed a festive, gay
musical program Tuesday after-
noon when they celebrated the
39th anniversary of their club
house dedication. Miss Martha
Dubin, charming singing-actress,
entertained members with her
usual presentation of "Die Fleder-
maus" (The Bat) by Johann
Strauss.

Alive with the gaiety of Strauss
waltzes and humorous satire, the
tale of "Die Fledermaus" was un-
folded by Miss Dubin in her cle-
ver story-telling technique. Attract-
ive in a red hoop-skirted gown,
Miss Dubin brought to life the en-
tire web of characters brought to-
gether under the villainous plan of
The Bat. A subtle approach to
characters and situations of the
drama combined with a warm,
agile lyric-coloratura voice pro-
vided a well-balanced song-story
presentation.

The singer was especially ap-
pealing as Adele, the maid, who
aspired to a stage career but
"couldn't perform before an audi-
ence." Her audition song, "P's
and Q's" was a highlight of the pro-
gram.

The entire story of "Die Fleder-
maus" was related, and Miss Du-
bin managed well to draw her
audience into the "comedy of con-
fusions" which, when unraveled,
ended happily in jail. The story
concerns Dr. Falke, called "Die
Fledermaus," who seeks to avenge
himself for a grievance suffered

Resthaven Receives More
Than \$5,000 in January

At the regular meeting of the
board of trustees of Resthaven
Patrons, Inc., Tuesday evening,
the treasurer's report showed a
gain of more than \$5,000 in the
Resthaven building fund for the
month of January. This is the
second consecutive month that a
gain of this size has been made.
Total in the building fund at pre-
sent is \$71,275.76.

Two more applications for resi-
dence in Resthaven were ap-
proved and placed on the waiting list.
The board is hopeful that citi-
zens of Holland and vicinity will
maintain the present rate of pro-
gress in increasing the building
fund so that construction of the
new building may begin this year.
The Rev. Paul E. Hinkamp is
secretary and chairman of Rest-
haven building fund campaign.

Speakers Booked
For Teacher Meet

ALLEGAN (Special)—Three
speakers will be on hand Friday
when some 353 county teachers
meet in the Griswold Memorial
building for their mid-winter "in-
stitute" and Michigan Educational
Association meeting.

Captain Michael Fielding, for-
mer Indian Army officer and cur-
rently a news analyst and lectur-
er, will speak at 10 a.m. on the
subject "Pax Americana."
His career has ranged from jobs
as a crime reporter for Chicago
newspapers to a stint as public re-
lations advisor to an Arab Riff
chieftain.

William G. Hart, principal of
the Clara Bryant School, Dear-
born, will be the main speaker at
the county MEA luncheon from 12
noon to 2 p.m. Officers will be
elected at the meeting.

At 2:15 p.m. teachers will hear
William C. Donald, chaplain to the
Deaconess hospital, Milwaukee,
talk on the subject "Make Living
With Yourself a Pleasure." Rev.
Donald is also pastor of the
Bethel church in Milwaukee.

Recent Bride Honored

At Ben Wolters Home

A bridal shower honoring Mrs.
Robert Vander Heide, the former
Shirley Vrieling, was given
Thursday evening by Mrs. Ben
Wolters and Mrs. William Van-
der Heide at the Wolters home.
Games were played and dupli-
cate prizes awarded to Mrs. Ed-
ward Zuidema, Mrs. Orley Van
Dyke and Mrs. John Bronkema.
Refreshments were served.

Attending were the Mesdames
Gerrit Zuidema, J. Zuidema, Ed
Zuidema, N. Zuidema, R. Zuid-
ema, H. Bonzelaar, J. Bronkema,
A. Vander Meer, B. Zuidema, C.
Vanden Bosch, R. Hoekstra, D.
Breuker, W. Vander Heide, J. Van
Dyke, O. Van Dyke, Vern Van
Langvelde, Nelson Klungle, C.
Vanden Bosch, G. Vander Heide,
R. Holtruit and Misses Sadie and
Anna Mae Zuidema.

A pre-nuptial shower for the
bride was given Jan. 13 at the
home of Mrs. William Vander
Heide. Attending were the Mes-
dames Rich Vander Yacht, Ed
Sieger, Wayne Boyd, Bert Brewer,
Leonard Mulder, Vince Hardy,
James Hardy, George Lawrence,
Don Dekker, Harold Dekker,
Norman Dekker, Ben Van Lente,
Don Van Lente, Gerald Bezon
and the Misses Kay Bezon, Nellie
and Ruth Lawrence, Emice Dek-
ker, Alma Soderberg, Marion Sie-
gers and Mary Ann Vander
Yacht.

Cars Crash at Corner

Cars driven by William Jelte-
ma, 22, of Rockford, headed east
on Ninth St., and Raymond A.
Voss, 40, of 980 Columbia Ave.,
headed north on College Ave.,
collided at the corner at 4:30
p.m. Tuesday. Damage to each
late model car was estimated at
\$100. Jeltrema received medical aid
for a bruised forehead, and was
cited by city police for failure
to yield right of way.



Mrs. Charles Stewart, Mrs. Edgar Landwehr (standing) and Mrs. Thaddeus Taft

Garden Club Gets Ready
For Annual Flower Show

Tulip Time may be 3 1/2 months
away, but the Holland Tulip Gar-
den club already is deep in plans
for its annual Tulip Time Flower
Show which will be staged in the
Armory during the festival May
13 through 16.

The theme this year will be
"Springtime in Holland," accord-
ing to Mrs. Edgar Landwehr who
is serving as Flower Show chair-
man. Mrs. Charles Stewart is ser-
ving as staging chairman and
Mrs. Thaddeus Taft has already
completed the flower show sched-
ule.

Plans call for the Armory to
present an informal view of a gar-
den of a country estate. It will
follow the theme in free form,
giving the visitor the feeling of
leaving the home and going
through the garden to the woods.
There will be a stream, a pool
and a big tree with a swing. In
the swing will be a little girl in

Dutch costume. There will be no
formal setting this year, no parti-
cular central beauty spot. Rather,
the committee this year aims for
casual and natural beauty.

The following committee chair-
men have been appointed: Mrs.
Fredrick W. Stanton, entries; Mrs.
P. T. Cheff, donations; Mrs. J. D.
Jancks, awards; Mrs. Jay H. Pet-
ter, judges; Mrs. R. W. Everett,
hospitality; Mrs. Eleanor Duffy,
publicity; Mrs. W. T. Hakken,
Jr., programs; Mrs. Henry Carley,
tickets; Mrs. H. J. Thomas, Jr.,
properties; Mrs. Victor E. Wat-
kins, adviser; Mrs. Fred Pickel,
arrangements; Mrs. I. H. Marsijle,
tables; Mrs. Paul Fredrickson and
Mrs. E. P. Schneider, artistic ar-
rangements; Mrs. Herbert Chil-
dress, children's division; Miss
Gertrude Stoketee, specimens;
Mrs. Jereena Rooke, horticulture;
Mrs. R. B. Champion, conserva-
tion.

Junior League Schedules
Annual Benefit Bridge

Plans for the annual Benefit
Bridge party—the new girls' pro-
ject—were announced at a meet-
ing of the Junior Welfare league
Tuesday evening at the Woman's
Literary club house. The card party
is scheduled for Tuesday, Feb.
17, at 8 p.m. in the club house.
There will be tables for bridge
and canasta.

Mrs. Vernon Boersma and Mrs.
Julius Karsten are co-chairmen of
the event. Mrs. Jack Smith is in
charge of the refreshment table;
Mrs. Bill Arendshorst, tickets;
Mrs. Bill Bradford, baked goods;
Mrs. Jack Smith, refreshment
table; Mrs. Carl C. Van Raalte,
tallies; Mrs. George Daiman,
prizes, and Mrs. Louis Van Slooten,
soft drinks.

Gretchen Himes, Holland high
school student who attended Girls'
State at Ann Arbor last sum-
mer under Junior league sponsor-
ship, was guest speaker. She told
of her experiences at the event
and explained the purpose of the
project, which teaches "govern-
ment by experience" to girls from
throughout the state. Miss Himes
was elected lieutenant governor of
Girls' State and she and Sally
Danson of Holland won first
place in the talent show with their
Dutch dance.

Miss Althea Raffenaud presided
at the business session, when re-
ports on coming projects were
given by committee chairmen.
Miss Beth Marcus reported on a
board meeting held last week.

Bethel Church Honors
Sunday School Workers

Bethel Reformed church gave
its second annual dinner Tuesday
evening for Sunday school teach-
ers, substitute teachers and all
who are active in Sunday school
work.

Featured as speaker in the af-
ter-dinner program was the Rev.
John M. Hains, pastor of Trinity
Reformed church, whose subject
was "I Love to Tell the Story."

The program began with group
singing and devotions. H. Strab-
bing, superintendent of the Sun-
day School, read scripture and
Bert Boes, teacher of the Friendly
Corner class, offered prayer. Su-
perintendent Strabbing gave brief
remarks before turning the meet-
ing over to Gerrit Bax, program
chairman.

Music included two selections
by the Seminary quartet, M. De
Vries, P. Tanis, E. Vander Well
and J. Hesselink, accompanied by
Mrs. Hesselink. Rev. Hains sang
two solos with Mrs. Hesselink as
accompanist. A reading, written
by John Lieuwien, was given by
Mr. Strabbing.

Members of the Do Come In
class presented a gift to Paul
Tanis, who plans to leave next
summer for Japan, where he will
do missionary work.

After the closing hymn, the
Rev. C. G. Reynen offered prayer.

Rites Held in Oregon

For Former Holland Man

Funeral services were held
Monday in Woodburn, Ore., for
Frank Wagenveld, 67, former Hol-
land resident who died Jan. 26 at
his home in Woodburn.

Mr. Wagenveld and his family
moved to Woodburn about six
years ago.
Survivors include the wife: two
sons, Lyell of Holland and Elton
of Los Angeles, Calif.; a brother,
Ed of Holland, and four sisters,
Mrs. William Groen of Denver,
Colo., and Mrs. Della Van Tiel,
Mrs. Ben Van Slooten and Mrs.
Harry De Vegt, all of Holland.

GOP Convention
Set in Allegan

ALLEGAN (Special)—Allegan
county Republicans will convene
at 8 p.m. Feb. 9, in the Griswold
building to name 17 delegates to
the state convention, Feb. 21 in
Detroit.

The county delegation will be
larger, by one, than ever before,
as a result of record breaking Re-
publican vote in the last general
election.

Official notification has been
sent to 180 delegates to the coun-
ty convention, according to Chair-
man Weldon Rumery.

Rumery also announced plans
for the annual Lincoln Day ban-
quet to be held Feb. 19 in the
JOOF hall. Owen Cleary, new sec-
retary of state and chairman of
the Republican state central com-
mittee, will be the speaker.

Keynote for the county con-
vention will be Wade Van Valken-
burg, Kalamazoo, a member of
the state legislature since 1946
and newly named speaker of the
house of representatives.

Zeeland Rotarians View

Films at Regular Meet

ZEELAND (Special)—Zeeland
Rotarians had an enjoyable and
quiet meeting Tuesday noon. Don
Pikaart presented two films on
current topics. One traced the
work of Alcoholics Anonymous
clubs throughout the nation.
Various methods of preventing
and curing alcoholics were dis-
cussed.

The second film showed the tre-
mendous progress made in re-
building of Britain after the war.
Scenes from before the war were
contrasted to the devastation fol-
lowing the blitz. Vice President
Jack Boonstra presided in the
absence of President Hugh De
Pree and welcomed guest Rotar-
ian James F. Rogers of Mantua,
Ohio.

Zoning Changes
Make Way for Two
New Businesses

ALLEGAN (Special)—Two new
businesses were given the go-
ahead by the City Council Mon-
day night with a zoning change
approval and a new parking regu-
lation.

George Kelsey was given per-
mission to erect a drive-in ice
cream bar in the parking lot ad-
jacent to the North side bridge
and James S. Farnsworth's peti-
tion to build a used car lot on
Marshall St. east of Wedges'
Garage was also approved.

In connection with the drive-
in, council passed a resolution
prohibiting parking at the curb
from the Bridge to Water St.

Two members were re-appoint-
ed and one new man named to
serve on the board of review
which will meet for three days,
March 2-4. James Farnsworth and
T. E. Mailla will serve again and
Daniel Connoy is the new mem-
ber.

The problem of a city assessor
is still with the council. Guy Teed,
who resigned effective Jan. 1, has
agreed to finish the current tax
roll, according to City Manager
P. H. Beauvais, but a successor
must be found before the board of
review meeting. Beauvais report-
ed on a recent talk with Louis P.
Nims, state tax commissioner, in
which they discussed men for the
job and the city's plan to have a
complete new appraisal made by
an outside firm, combine the tax
rolls into one set of records.

Beauvais reported that the new
Pingree Park water pump has been
tested and put into use. It is
capable of pumping 1,050 gallons
per minute he said. The new pump
is tied into the city system by
means of automatic controls.

Council agreed to give a trial
to a Blood Brothers Machine com-
pany proposal which the company
hopes will hold speed up the 3:30
shift change. The firm will have

1953 Home Show Will Be Staged At Rollarena

Extra Day Tacked on To Allow More People To See Exhibitions

The 1953 Holland Home Show has been moved to the Rollarena on US-31 south of Holland to make way for more exhibit space and to allow for more parking space, according to Ray Metzger, manager.

Dates for the show will be March 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7. The extra day was added to allow more patrons time to see the show, Metzger said.

All exhibits will be on the one floor and will include 48 booths in the main exhibition room and an automobile and automobile club display in the lobby.

The lobby restaurant will be open at all times for the convenience of patrons and exhibitors, Metzger said.

A goodly number of the exhibitors have taken additional booths and space to try and make this year's third annual show the best so far, Metzger said.

One of the new displays this year will be boats and motors by Jesiek Brothers Ship Yard.

As in previous years, many free gifts will be given away at the individual booths.

The show will open on Tuesday night, March 3 at 6 p.m. and close that evening at 10:30 p.m. It will be open Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 4, 5, 6 and 7 from 2:30 until 10:30 p.m. daily.

Baker Employees Visit Showrooms

Employees of Baker Furniture, Inc., and their wives, numbering well over 300, visited the Baker showrooms at the Exhibitors' building in Grand Rapids Friday night, duplicating a mass employee visit there about four years ago.

The Baker showrooms were still intact from the big Furniture Show held the first two weeks in January, and employees had an opportunity to see the furniture they have been making placed in the proper settings. The Baker suite of rooms has been newly decorated.

The five lines Baker specializes in are Provincial, Finn Juhl, Paladium, Traditional and Far East.

The trip to Grand Rapids was made in private cars.

City Officials Deliver \$114,000 Bond Issue

Final delivery of \$114,000 in paving bond certificates was made Friday in Detroit to the First of Michigan Corporation by City Clerk Clarence Grevenoged and City Treasurer Alden Stoner.

The Detroit company was low bidder on the bond issue to finance the recently completed 1952 paving program. Grevenoged signed each of the 114 \$1,000 certificates and affix the city seal. Mayor Harry Harrington had previously signed the bonds.

Building Permits Issued to 21

Twenty-one building permits valued at \$19,145 were issued during January, according to records of Building Inspector Joseph Shashagay and City Clerk Clarence Grevenoged.

Among the approved applications were one new house, \$9,500; three garages, \$1,420; 13 residential remodeling jobs, \$4,825; three commercial remodelings, \$2,500; and two permits for commercial repairs and additions, \$800.

Four permits valued at \$2,760 were written during the past week. They were:

DuSaar Photo, 10 East Eighth St., new store front, \$1,700; Jacob Postma, contractor.

Peter Beckman, 663 Central Ave., remodel upstairs, \$400; W. De Leeuw and Sons Lumber Co., contractor.

J. C. Penney Co., 36 West Eighth St., erect storm enclosure, remodel, \$300; Rhine Vander Molen, contractor.

C. Klomparsen, 328 Washington Ave., repair foundation, \$360; L. C. Mannes, contractor.

Gerald Kempker Home Damaged by Blaze

Damage estimated at \$2,000 to \$3,000 resulted from a blaze in the Gerald Kempker home Saturday afternoon. Major damage was confined to a bedroom in the five-room house, but the entire interior was badly smoke damaged.

Volunteer firemen of the Graafschap department said fire may have been caused from an electric blanket.

Kempker had just returned home with his young son when a neighbor called about 4:30 p.m. asking about smoke coming from the bedroom. When Kempker opened the bedroom door, heavy smoke poured out. The bed and mattress were badly burned.

Kempker, a Sentinel employee, said the house was completed three or four years ago.

Fire Causes Damage To North Side Home

Fire apparently starting from a space heater damaged the interior of a four-room home on the north side of Holland at 3:30 p.m. Monday.

Scene of the fire was the Lawrence Hanson home on Bee Line Rd. Hanson and four small children were at home at the time, but escaped injury. Holland township firemen, who answered the call, said that smoke and flames from the space heater which provided heat for the four-room house caused an estimated \$200 damage. They said the fire had "a good start."

Firemen were on the scene about 45 minutes. They used about 25 gallons of water with a high pressure fog to control the fire.

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The Valentine motif today featured decorations in the display window of the Triumph Bake Shop located at 384 Central Ave. William DuMond, owner and operator of one of the most popular and modern bake shops in Holland, is ready to serve you. Specialty for this month will be the decorated Valentine cakes and cookies. The month of February also brings to mind George

Washington and cherries. Special features will be the ever-popular cherry pies and tarts. For that next party call the Triumph Bake shop, telephone 2677, and they will be glad to supply your party needs. In addition to the specialties for the month, Triumph carries a full line of breads and rolls as well as other pastries. The bakery is open Tuesday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Newcomers Net \$337.50 for Polio

Members of the Newcomers club earned \$337.50 for the Ottawa county polio fund Saturday night when they staged a real old-time benefit square dance at the VFW ballroom. Committee members were planning to present the check today to the polio chapter.

About 170 couples attended the party which featured square dancing throughout the evening. Newcomers credited the Square Dance club, including several New Richmond members, with contributing to the great success of the event.

Music was provided by the Walters square dance band from Ganges. Richard Gilbert of Ravenna was the caller.

During the evening, refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Kline's committee, including Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Clark, Mr. and Mrs. William Wessell and Mr. and Mrs. Paul De Kok.

Members of the planning committee and refreshment committee acted as hosts and hostesses for the event. All guests were "tagged" with name cards as they arrived.

Committee members announced that money from tickets and donations made up the total sum given to the polio chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Wheaton and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Cobb were general chairmen of arrangements. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Haynes were in charge of tickets; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Taber, publicity; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pelletier, hospitality; and Mr. and Mrs. Kline, refreshments.

Gruppen Receive Call From Son in Japan

Mr. and Mrs. George Gruppen of route 6, Holland, received a telephone call Thursday from their son, Pfc. Gordon G. Gruppen, who called from Tokyo, Japan.

Pfc. Gruppen was on a six-day rest and recuperation leave from his station in Korea.

He entered the Army on Nov. 7, 1951, and has been serving in Korea since June 1, 1952.

Mrs. Stanley Swanson Feted at Bridal Shower

Miss Barbara Bolhuis was hostess at a surprise miscellaneous shower Thursday evening honoring Mrs. Stanley Swanson, a recent bride. Mrs. Swanson is the former Joyce Kirchhoff.

The party was held at the Bolhuis home on South Shore Dr. During the evening, gifts were presented and refreshments were served by the hostess.

The guest list included Mrs. Robert Brace, Mrs. Ronald Wolters, Mrs. Allen Van Huis, Mrs. Elwood Baker and the Misses Carol Reimink, Mary Vander Werf, Doris Buurman and Barbara Allen.

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A motion by Councilman Stephenson to increase the insurance coverage on the City Hall to \$80,000 was approved unanimously. A report on the plans for flashing signals at various railroad crossings was accepted for reference to the Northwest Improvement Association. It was pointed out that the railroad company absorbs about half of the \$5,000 cost for each intersection.

Mayor D. C. Bloemendaal presided over the four-hour session.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

Grand Haven Farm Bureau, Inc. to Arthur C. Kieft & wf. Lot 26 Davis Add. City of Grand Haven. Charles E. Cosgrove to Harold R. Stitzel & wf. Pt. SW 1/4 22-16 City of Grand Haven.

Charles Grasman & wf. to Paul Metten & wf. Pt. NW 1/4 27-8-14 Twp. Polkton.

Jonathan L. Sterkenburg & wf. to John P. Roels & wf. Lot 121 Steketee Bros. Add City of Holland.

Russell Klaasen & wf. to Franklin Essenburg & wf. Pt. Lot 26 A. C. Van Raalte's Add. No. 2 City of Holland.

John L. Handlogten & wf. to Joseph A. Spinner & wf. Pt. W 1/4 SW 1/4 6-7-13 Twp. Tallmadge.

William G. Butcher & wf. to Andrew Sterzer & wf. Pt. SW 1/4 NW 1/4 7-7-15 Twp. Robinson.

Exec. Est. Evert VerHage, Dec. to Joe H. Zwiers & wf. Pt. SE 1/4 SE 1/4 14-5-14 Twp. Zeeland.

George B. Tinhoft & wf. to Henry Weyenberg & wf. Pt. Lot 1 Blk 11 Southwest Add. City of Holland.

John Franzburg to William E. Boeve & wf. Lots 332, 333, 335, 334, 336, 337 Diekema Homestead Add. City of Holland.

Mary Homik to John R. Schat & wf. E 1/4 SE 1/4 & pt. SE 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 21-7-14 Twp. Allendale.

Clarence M. Wagner & wf. to Independent Baptist Fundamental Church Pt. Lots 14, 15, 16 Harrington, Westerhof & Kramer's Add No. 2 City of Holland.

Tom Westveld & wf. to Dewey Hoek & wf. S 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 3-6-14 Twp. Blendon.

Minnie Hekman to Edgar Hekman et al Pt. N 1/4 NW 1/4 21-5-16 Twp. Park.

James W. Oakes et al to Arthur R. Prins & wf. Lots 32, 33 Sheldon Heights Add. City of Grand Haven.

Adrian Pelgrim & wf. to Bessel VandeBunte & wf. et al Pt. SW 1/4 SW 1/4 8-5-15 Twp. Holland.

Fred J. Young et al to Louis Wisniewski & wf. Pt. SW 1/4 19-9-13 Twp. Chester.

William E. Boeve & wf. to John Geerlings & wf. Lot 1 Blk D Bosman's Add. City of Holland.

Maude Nieboer to Charles F. Liebert & wf. Lot 106 & pt. 167 Port Sheldon Beach Twp. Port Sheldon.

Alma Turner to Charles F. Liebert & wf. Lot 106 & pt. 167 Port Sheldon Beach Twp. Port Sheldon.

Adm. Hilda Urbom, Dec. to Fred Vander Wagen & wf. Pt. N 1/4 8-9-15 Twp. Crocker.

John Slosarik to Henry Broekel et al Pt. SW 1/4 SW 1/4 23-7-16 Twp. Grand Haven.

John Jipping & wf. to Andrew Lamer & wf. Pt. NE 1/4 34-5-14 Twp. Zeeland.

Henry Leeuw & wf. to Elmer K. Leeuw & wf. Pt. Lot 26 Sub. Lot 1 Blk A & pt. Lot 2 Blk A City of Holland.

James A. Hallen & wf. to James H. Klomparsen & wf. Lot 37 Beverly Hills Sub. City of Holland.

Holland, Ottawa County Get Gas, Weight Taxes

LANSING — Holland will receive \$15,084 as its share of the fourth quarter (1952) gas and weight taxes.

A total of \$23,884,000 is being divided between the state, counties, cities and villages.

Ottawa county will receive \$126,193.

The state will receive \$10,509,000 as its share and counties will get \$8,837,000 and cities and villages, \$4,538,000.

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H.J. Heinz School Studies Problems Of Cucumber Crop

Specialists Point Out That Disease Inroads Practically Eliminated

A two-day school held in Holland Wednesday and Thursday by the H. J. Heinz Co., emphasized the importance of increased production, and methods to obtain these results.

The cropping practices of the top 10 per cent of the growers in each of eight salt house districts were analyzed and made an integral part of the recommendations to be offered to Heinz pickle growers in 1953.

Better rotation, usage of proper fertilizers and disease resistant seed raised the average yields 25 per cent last year, and even greater improvement is foreseen in 1953.

This is especially likely in areas where spot rot is a problem, since Heinz will have ample spot rot resistant seed for growers who need it. Also there will be plenty of mosaic resistant seed where this disease has affected yields in previous years.

Risks in growing cucumbers because of these two diseases have been practically eliminated, the conference was told. This is the first big advance in cucumber growing since the crop was introduced in Michigan.

Representatives of districts in Michigan, Indiana, Wisconsin, Colorado and Canada participated in the conference sessions, in addition to representatives of the Heinz home office in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Several sessions were addressed by W. R. O'Brien of the Federal Conservation Service. Dr. G. F. Warren of Purdue University gave an illustrated talk on "Chemical Weed Control on Vine Crops."

Prof. L. H. Brown, agricultural economist from Michigan State College, discussed agricultural problems for 1953. Films were shown to illustrate the discussion of some projects.

Members of the field staff attending these meetings are responsible for the salting of the green cucumbers, and one session was devoted to a clinic of salting and fermentation fundamentals. Heinz consultants attending were Dr. J. J. Wilson of Contract Crops Dept., and Dr. I. J. Hutchings of Research and Quality Control Dept.

Attending from the Holland factory and district were C. B. McCormick, W. Cobb, W. A. Neff, R. Eriksen, A. E. Hildebrand, R. E. Platt, C. A. Barton, A. Tennil, M. Platt, C. A. Barton, A. Teall, M. Groenink. From the Pittsburgh office were H. E. McKinley and F. W. Datt.

Meetings in the two-day session were held in the second floor hall at the Veterans of Foreign Wars home on Seventh St.

Eight million Americans received divorce decrees in the last 10 years, according to The American Magazine.

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Child Drowned, Two Saved as Ice Breaks in Channel

**Drowning Is Second
Tragedy in Decade for
Grand Haven Family**

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Funeral services were held Monday for five-year-old Carla Jean Perle who was drowned in Grand river channel early Friday afternoon.

Carla Jean was one of three girls to break through the three-quarter inch ice near the Eagle Ottawa Leather Co. plant in Grand Haven. Her nine-year-old sister, Marcia, and another playmate, Nelva Ann Bolthouse, 9, were rescued by Donald Sheets of South Bend, with an assist from Harry Wagner of Benton Harbor.

The two men were painting for a Three Rivers company on a project at Grand Haven. Sheets crawled on the thin ice to save the girls but it broke under him. He kept Marcia and Nelva on the surface until Wagner could pull them to safety.

"Sheets and Wagner dried off and then vanished without letting anyone thank them," state police said.

Sheriff Gerald Vanderbeek said the three girls had had permission to go coasting on a nearby hill with their sleds, but went on the ice when there was insufficient snow on the hill.

The two surviving girls were taken to Municipal hospital for treatment of exposure and were later taken to their homes.

It was the second time in a decade that tragedy had struck the Ferdinand Perle family. Their 11-year-old son, Ferdinand, was killed Feb. 14, 1944, when he was struck by a car at US-31 and Beech Tree St. about a block from his home. He was an only child at the time. The youngster was coming home from school for lunch when the accident occurred.

In Friday's tragedy, the body was recovered 45 minutes after the child broke through the ice. Besides the parents and sister, the child is survived by the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ten Hagen and Mrs. Marie Perle, all of Grand Haven.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday from Van Zant-wick funeral chapel with the Rev. Frederick Dolfin officiating. Burial was in Lake Forest cemetery.

The Perles live at 1552 Pennoyer Ave. The child was born in Grand Haven Nov. 9, 1947, and was baptized in Second Reformed church where she later attended Sunday school. The father is a foreman at Eagle-Ottawa Leather Co.

Zeeland Chamber Supports Seaway

ZEELAND (Special) — Zeeland Chamber of Commerce adopted a resolution at its regular meeting Friday night supporting a move by the Dearborn Chamber to conduct a referendum on the proposed St. Lawrence Seaway project. The Dearborn group had petitioned the National Chamber to hold the referendum on the highly controversial Seaway.

In other business the Chamber named Clarence J. Yntema to chairman the annual membership drive scheduled to get under way Feb. 16. The local club hopes to boost membership to 125 members.

An order for several thousand pamphlets giving details of the national tax program was authorized.

It was agreed that the annual meeting with Chamber members and wives will be held the latter part of February. President Mel Boonstra presided.

Lutheran Zone Board Meets at Ruhlig Home

Members of the Lutheran Women's Missionary league Zone board met Sunday afternoon at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. E. Ruhlig.

The board includes Mrs. William Karsten of Montague, president; Mrs. William Rensland of Grand Rapids, secretary; Mrs. Ruhlig of Holland, vice president; and Mrs. F. Hoogerhyde of Holland, treasurer. The Rev. Harold Iben of Muskegon is pastoral advisor.

Purpose of the meeting was to discuss plans for institutional mission work. The Rev. Leland Hoyer, institutional chaplain, outlined plans whereby a central workshop could be set up in Grand Rapids to help groups interested in institutional mission work.

Mrs. Ruhlig served supper to members of the board.

Roger Bronson Feted On Sixth Birthday

Mrs. Arthur Bronson entertained at a party Wednesday afternoon in honor of her son, Roger, who celebrated his sixth birthday.

Games were played and prizes awarded to Wayne Kruid and Judy and Mary Langworthy. Pictures were taken of the group and refreshments including ice cream and cake were served.

Those present were Mary and Judy Langworthy, Carol and Cynthia Santora, Wayne and Jane Kruid, Mary Lou Bakker, Wayne Bosma, David Johnson, Donnie Van Wieren and the guest of honor.



Business Staff for Holland High Senior Play

Business Staff Begins Work for Senior Play

Members of the Business Staff for the Holland high school senior play have begun work on their part of producing "The Double Door." These seniors are taking care of publicity, programs, auditorium arrangements and music for the play, to be staged Feb. 16 through 19 in the high school auditorium.

The staff is headed by co-managers John Klaassen and Lee Howler, with assistants Donna Borr and Elaine Bacheller.

General chairmen for publicity are Anne Hoinmann and Jerry Victor; newspaper publicity, Anne Appledorn and Delphine Schaefer; speakers chairman, Gretchen Himes; photography, Bill Van Oosterhout and Alton Kooyers; radio advertisements, Mary Lou Buis.

In the poster division, Nancy Neff is in charge of the design; Ken Lubbers, and Earl Welling,

printing, and Gene Dykstra and Judy Koning, distribution. Working on programs are Nancy Neff, cover design; Marilyn Poest, composition; Marvin Petroelje, printing. Jean Kromann and Mary Ellen Carter are in charge of musical arrangements.

Arrangements for auditorium ushers will be made by Mary Lou Van Dyke; balcony ushers, Ron Boeve, and corridor supervision, Carl Visscher and Doug Hazebroek.

Pictured are, seated left to right, Jerry Victor, Anne Hoinmann, Donna Borr, John Klaassen, Lee Hower, Elaine Bacheller, Anne Appledorn, Delphine Schaefer, Gretchen Himes, Bill Van Oosterhout, Alton Kooyers, Mary Lou Buis, Judy Koning, Ken Lubbers, Earl Welling, Nancy Neff, Alton Kooyers, Bill Van Oosterhout and Gretchen Himes.

Bass River

(From Saturday's Sentinel) Miss Marcia Kerr, was taken to Municipal hospital Grand Haven, Sunday evening, where she submitted to an appendectomy, a bled last reports she was recovering satisfactorily.

The West Allendale Extension group met at the home of Miss Nellie Weller Tuesday evening. At the business meeting, a baked goods sale was held. A good crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Van Huizen spent several days the past week with relatives at Mc Bain, Mich.

Recent visitors at Floyd Lemon home were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schmidt and two children of Nunica, Russell Lowing and two children of Conklin Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lowing, Jr., and Robert Lowing of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Minnie Van Huizen spent several days the past week with her son Arthur and family of Grand Haven.

Mrs. D. Snead and Mrs. Floyd Lowing have nearly completed the polo collection in the district.

Mrs. Peter Hoek, returned to her home here, after submitting to a serious abdominal operation in the Osteopathic hospital in Grand Rapids.

Young People Organize 'Zion Footsteps' Group

Junior Bible class members of Zion Lutheran church announce they have organized under the name of "Zion Footsteps." At an organizational meeting Sunday evening, the group chose the name because they want "to follow in Jesus' footsteps and leave their footprints behind for others to follow."

The class meets each Sunday morning for Bible study under the direction of their teacher, Mrs. John Steininger, and they will meet once each month to decide ways and means of helping their church.

Already, the group has taken over the church's waste paper drive and they are planning bi-monthly congregational movie nights to benefit the building fund. Officers are Ed Ruhlig, president; Jim Steininger, vice president; Barbara Strunk, secretary, and Delores Teske, treasurer. Ruth Wendt has been assigned to draw up a constitution for approval. Bill Steininger will assist her.

The church also has a senior Bible class, the Zion Builders, of which Mrs. F. Hoogerhyde is teacher. The Rev. and Mrs. E. Ruhlig are counselors of both classes.

Eating Accommodations Sought for Fete Visitors

Tulip Time Manager Larry Wade said Saturday several inquiries have been received for busloads of visitors who plan to visit Holland during the 1953 festival May 13 to 16.

These groups are particularly interested in accommodations for meals, and Wade requests that church and school groups interested in accommodating such groups write the Tulip Time headquarters in the Chamber of Commerce building. They should list which days they are willing to serve and whether there would be a choice of menus.

These groups usually are garden clubs, camera clubs, home economics clubs, and the like.

Retired Zeeland Farmer Succumbs

ZEELAND (Special) — George Lampen, 67, route 2, Zeeland, one-half mile south of Zeeland on State St. Rd., died unexpectedly of a heart attack in Grand Rapids Saturday afternoon. He was a retired farmer and until recently had sold real estate. He was a member of the First Christian Reformed church.

Surviving are the wife, the former Johanna Heyboer, and three daughters, Mrs. Frances Steenland of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Robert Kouw of Holland and Mrs. William De Vries of Parchment, Mich., three sons, Andrew of Grand Rapids, Neil of Jackson and Vern at home; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jane Lampen of Zeeland, whose husband was killed in action during the World War II in 1944; 10 grandchildren and five sisters, Mrs. Renze Wyngarden, Mrs. Jeanette De Bruin, Mrs. Anna De Jenge, Mrs. John Boone and Mrs. Louis De Kraker, all of Zeeland; one brother, Herman Lampen of Grand Rapids.

Second Death in Week Occurs in Local Family

The second death within a week occurred in the Stallings family when Vicknel Stallings succumbed Friday morning at Maple Grove Convalescent Home in Grand Rapids where he was confined for a week. His wife, Maude, died Tuesday noon at Holland hospital following a lingering illness.

The Stallings had made their home with a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Burns of 613 Lugers Road. Mr. Stallings was born May 12, 1888 in Lawrence county, Ind., the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stallings. He was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist church.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Burns, and a son, Pete Stallings of Holland; three grandchildren, Robert, Terry and Nita Carol Burns, all of Holland.

Sparta, in ancient Greece, made dancing a part of its regular military training.

Elders, Deacons Elected at Hope

Nearly 200 persons attended the annual dinner and congregational meeting in Hope church Thursday night, elected consistory members and heard church reports. J. J. Riemersma, consistory vice president, presided.

In the election, elders named were Mr. Riemersma and Kenneth De Pree, re-elected, and Dr. Otto van der Velde; deacons, Randall C. Bosch, Adrian Buys and George Heeringa, re-elected, G. W. Hawthorn, Leonard Swartz, Bruce Van Leuven and L. W. Wade, all for two-year terms. The Rev. Paul Hinkamp served as election chairman.

In his minister's report, Dr. Marion de Velder called attention to the expansion program of the church which now includes 355 families. Sixty-five new members were received in 1952. Randall C. Bosch, chairman of the finance committee, outlined disbursements of the 1952 contributions amounting to more than \$58,000.

Activity reports were heard from all church organizations including the newest and active Mr. and Mrs. Club. Reporting for the week-day Bible school and the board of Christian education was Miss Elsie B. Stryker; Women's Missionary society, Miss Maibelle Geiger; Women's Aid society, Mrs. J. D. Jencks; Women's club, Mrs. Donald Brown; Men's club, Leon Hopkins; choir, Kenneth De Pree; Mr. and Mrs. club, Robert C. Vanderham.

Dinner was served by the Women's Aid society. The Rev. William J. Hilmer offered the invocation and devotions were conducted by the Rev. James Weyer, assistant pastor. Mr. De Pree, clerk of consistory, read the minutes.

Fined on Beer Count

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Donald P. Staffney, 19, Muskegon, was arraigned before Justice Frederick J. Workman of Spring Lake Saturday on a charge of having beer in his car and paid \$30 fine and \$3.90 costs. The arrest was by state police in Spring Lake township at 2:45 this morning.

Tulip Time, Inc., Directors Ready Program for '53

Tulip Time, Inc., board of directors met Friday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce headquarters and announced plans are about ready to send the program for the 1953 festival to the printers.

The annual festival is scheduled this year for May 13, 14, 15 and 16.

It also was announced that the housing bureau now is in operation and is processing the many requests already received.

The directors announced that a new feature on this year's program will be a musical Sunday afternoon at Hope chapel. It was revealed that a notation will be added to this year's program pointing out the fact that there are many churches in Holland and the Tulip Time committee "invites you to attend the church of your own choice."

Attending the meeting were: W. A. Butler, president; E. H. Moss, Dick Smallenburg, LaVern Rudolph, Robert Kouw, W. H. Vande Water; Willis Diekema and C. C. Wood, representing the Holland SPEBSQSA chapter; Morrette Rider, J. J. Riemersma and Larry Masse, representing the schools.

The school group is working on a program to be held in Holland high school auditorium during the festival.

Zeeland Club Presents Guest Night Program

ZEELAND (Special) — The annual guest night program of Zeeland Literary club was held in the City Hall Tuesday evening in charge of the president, Mrs. K. J. Folkertsma.

Music was presented by the Literary club chorus composed of Mesdames Paul Van Dort, Lorenzo Meengs, Willard Berghorst, Melvin Klooster, John Smallegan, Ford Berghorst, Kenneth De Jong, Jack Boonstra and Miss Eleanor De Pree. They sang "Robin in the Rain," Noble Cain; "I Heard a Forest Praying," De Rose; "One World," Jeffrey O'Hara, and an Italian street song of Victor Herbert from "Naughty Marietta." The numbers were enthusiastically received.

Miss Nancy Blue, comedienne and instructor at Wyoming Park school and member of the Grand Rapids Civic Players, presented humorous impersonations including a Shakespearean play and also the Art of Reading.

Hospital Notes

(From Monday's Sentinel) Admitted to Holland hospital Friday were Robert Venhuizen, 622 Elmdale Ct. (discharged same day); Jeanette Kuipers, route 3; Marjorie Van Voorst, 265 West 36th St.; Genevieve Meyer, route 4; Betty Piers, 252 West 21st St.; John and Frank Houting, 136 East 34th St.; Norman Russell, 66 East 32nd St.

Discharged Friday were Henry Klomprens, 86 West 12th St.; George Brinks, 620 Central Ave.; Joseph Coon, 919 Madison, Grand Haven; Mrs. Lena Essink, route 2, Hamilton; Selma Newhouse, 258 West 13th St.; Mrs. Dale Boes and baby, 143 Vander Veen Ave.; Mrs. Oscar Lemon and baby, 81 West Eighth St.; Mrs. Peter De Vries and baby, route 4; John Van Koeveing, 142 Lincoln, Zeeland; Clyde Furdy, 175 East 18th St.; John H. Scott, 70 West 29th St.

Admitted Saturday were Robert Zwiers, 1009 Bluebell; Nancy Kolean, 190 East 24th St.; Roland Overway, 284 West 20th St.; Mrs. Sena Du Mez, 30 East 20th St.; Terry Lee Caauwe, route 4; Lucy Lopez, 119 West Patterson, Kalamazoo; Lawrence Holmquist, 436 Douglas; Dr. Cornelius Fisher, 335 Maple Ave.

Discharged Saturday were Mrs. Rollo Higgins, route 2, Fennville; Marvin Vander Bie, 334 West 16th St.; Pamela Vander Bie, 890 South Washington; Mrs. Martin Jipping and baby, 65 East 35th St.; John and Frank Houting, 136 East 34th St.; Mrs. Alvin Glupker, 658 Lakewood Blvd.; John M. Mulder, 243 West 13th St.; Roland Overway, 284 West 20th St.; Nancy Kolean, 190 East 4th St.

Admitted Sunday were John Becksfort, 29 East 19th St.; Mrs. Minnette Riemersma, 99 West 19th St.; Mrs. Lorraine Fendt, 344 West 16th St.; Mrs. Florence Brouwer, 153 West 16th St.

Discharged Sunday were Harry Cook, 217 West 14th St.; Mrs. Leo Kelly and baby, 46596 Expressway, Belleville, Mich.; Mrs. Carlton Althoff and baby, route 4; Mrs. Eugene Gillette and baby, 595 Howard Ave.; Mrs. Abel Kuipers, route 3; Mrs. Edyth De Vries and baby, 39 Lee St.; Zeeland; Mrs. Della E. Burd, 54 West Bacon St., Hillsdale; Robert Zwiers, 1009 Bluebell.

Hospital births include a son, Wayne Alan, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brummitt, 449 Gordon St.; a son, Thomas Jay, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Chris De Vries, 279 West 19th St.; a son, Vaughn E., born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Vanden Brink, 217 16th Ave.; a daughter, Marsha Joan, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Kester Lewis, 261 East Ninth St.

Zeeland Births in Huizinga Memorial hospital in Zeeland include a son, Meril Jay, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. William Zalud, route 1, Hudsonville; a daughter, Lynette Louise, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mannes, Mounted Route, Zeeland; a son born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Mast, route 3, Zeeland; a son born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Walters, Williams St., Zeeland.

At Home After Miami Honeymoon



Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Wierda

Maurice Wierda and his bride, the former Florence Menken, have returned from a Miami honeymoon and now are residing at 249 West 17th St. They were married Jan. 15 in Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church.

Engagement Told



Miss Charlotte Joan Michielien. The engagement of Miss Charlotte Joan Michielien to Ronald Wayne Van Slooten has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Paul Michielien of 40 East 17th St. Mr. Van Slooten is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Van Slooten, Washington Ave.

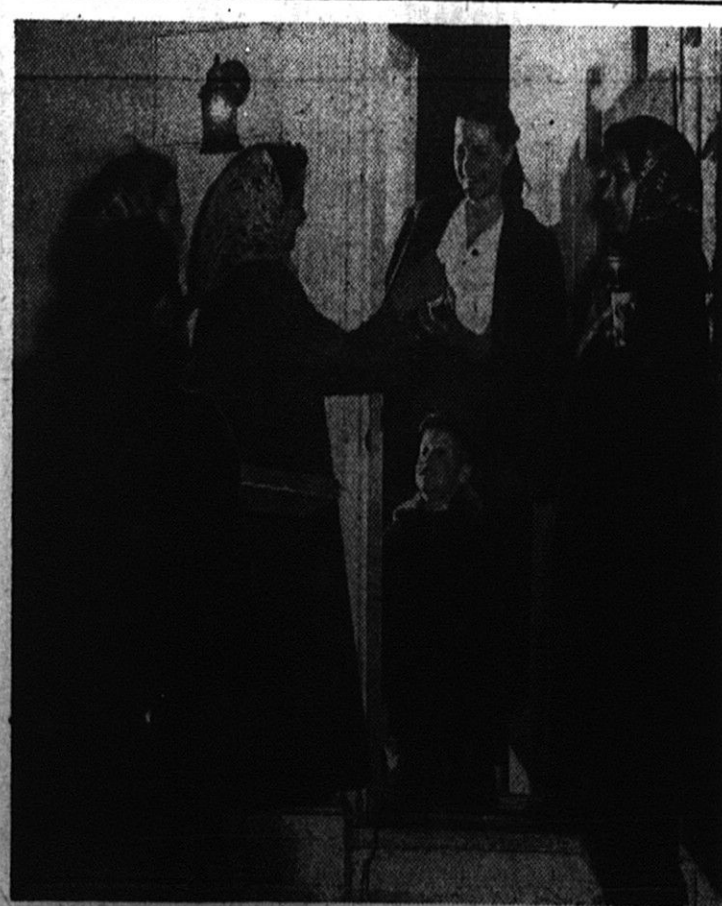
Mrs. Lucy Donley, 72, Dies at Home in City

Mrs. Lucy Donley, widow of William Donley, Sr., died Saturday at 2 p.m. at her home, 2 South River Ave., from a heart condition. She was 72 years old, was born Sept. 24, 1880 in Port Sheldon township to the late Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Ten Hagen.

Surviving are one son, William Donley, Jr.; three grandchildren, Eugene who is in the Armed service in Germany; Mrs. Howard Smith and Kenneth Donley, both of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. Jane VandenBerg of Holland; Mrs. Mary Lyons of Seattle, Wash.; three brothers, Fred Ten Hagen of Ferrysburg, Henry Ten Hagen of Holland and John Ten Hagen of Grand Haven.

Plan Urban Conference

A rural urban conference for Farm Bureau Women has been scheduled for April 14 at the Al-lendale town hall. Purpose is to promote a better understanding of country living. Special invitations will be sent to representative city women.



Mrs. Walter Milowski, Mothers March lieutenant in the Central Park section, and her son, Butch, greet several marchers at the end of their light-to-light calls. The jars of money were counted at each lieutenant's home and then taken by the lieutenant to the Irvin De Weerd home, where it was recounted. Mrs. Bill Forberg, at left of door, and Mrs. Don Williams, at right, worked as a team in their section and were among the first to return with their filled jars.



Families named Smith dominated the ice boat races on Lake Macatawa Saturday afternoon. Chris Smith of the Holland Ice Yacht club relaxes in his Black Panther after winning both races. Chuck Smith of the Anchor Bay club at Mt. Clemens took second in both races and Bill Richardson, Grand Rapids, of the Holland club, took third place. The ice boats belong to the E Skooter class, are 21 feet long, weigh 400 pounds and have 75 square feet sail area and their speed is up to

100 miles per hour. In the photo are: (left to right) Commodore George Smith and his son, Gary, Holland; Bill Richardson, Chris Smith, Sylvia Smith and her father, Chuck Smith, Mt. Clemens. The three Smiths are brothers. Included in the six boats racing Saturday were Carl Harrington and Herb Pollock, Jr. Herb Pollock, Sr. captained Harrington's boat in the second race Saturday.

(Sentinel photo)

Dutch Government Unfreezes Funds For Flood Relief

Nationals in U.S. Can Order Gilders Given To Buy Food, Medicine

In a move aimed at raising needed funds to aid residents in flood-ravaged Netherlands, the Dutch government today unfreezes accounts of Dutch nationals in the mother country.

Dutch citizens living in the United States may now direct their banks in the Netherlands to transfer any amount in gilders to the Centrale Commissie Watersnood, 1953, The Hague. The committee will accept funds to purchase much needed food and medicine.

The American Red Cross has authorized its Dutch counterpart to spend \$10,000 on bedding and clothing.

Netherlands Information Service Director Willard C. Wichers said that the Dutch government is attempting to clear the way for release of funds in Holland owned by American citizens. Release of funds may be authorized by cable or letter to the bank.

Wichers pointed out that the present situation is different than during World War II in providing relief. At that time, food, medicine, clothing and bedding were not available on the continent and had to be shipped from America. These items are now available abroad. It is cheaper and faster to purchase them abroad than to ship from here. A 10-pound air mail package mailed in Holland to the Netherlands would cost approximately \$18.

Wichers again appealed to those having relatives and friends in Holland not to attempt to phone or cable them. Communications are still very badly snarled and such queries will only slow down rescue work, he said. The Dutch government is advising citizens on that end to contact relatives as soon as possible.

Casualty lists are not yet available. Wichers indicated they would be released as soon as a list is received from the embassy in Washington.

The need for donations from local citizens is still very great, Wichers said. Money gathered here will be cabled to The Hague and put to immediate use. Bedding and clothing can now be sent but time spent in transit lessens their value in this critical situation, he said.

Packages should be addressed to the Netherlands Red Cross, The Hague. If the package is intended for specific parties, it should be double wrapped. On the inside package the name and address of the receiving party must be clearly marked. The outside wrapping is to contain the Red Cross address. Wichers advised senders to mark their parcels, "Rush — Flood Relief Goods." Parcels marked in this manner will receive special attention.

Upwards of 30 to 40 long distance phone calls had been received by the NIS at noon today. Calls from Chicago, Cleveland, Milwaukee, New Orleans, Muskegon, Kalamazoo and other points across the country reveal a network of hard working communities opening their hearts and pocketbooks to help the flood victims.

Hamilton

The Rod and Gun club met in regular session at the Community auditorium the past week with Don Lohman presiding and conducting the business session. Fishing and hunting in local areas and some problems connected with the sport were discussed and also the project of rebuilding the local dam in Rabbit river below the railroad trestle which the club is fostering. Many problems confront this project, but it is hoped these can be worked out in some way. Funds received are not yet sufficient for this construction work. After the business session, fishing and scenic slides were shown by Darley Williams, Jesse Kool and H. D. Strabbing. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

The topic for study at the Senior Christian Endeavor service last Sunday at the Reformed church was "Dare to Believe" with Howard Van Dyke and Ardieth Poll as leaders and Muriel Elzinga, pianist. The Junior high group considered the same topic with Joan and Kenneth Joostberns as leaders.

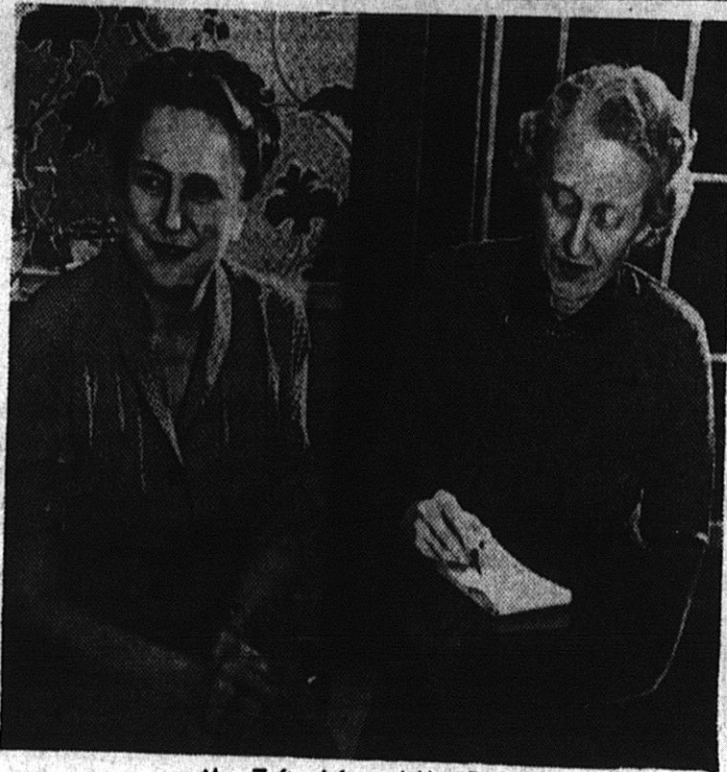
On Thursday evening of this week the Men's Brotherhood is sponsoring the showing of a Missionary film, "Regions Beyond" at the Community Auditorium, to which the public is invited.

Mrs. G. Essink has left the Holland hospital after major surgery and is staying with her son's family on M-40.

Dr. George H. Rigterink has also been discharged from St. Mary's hospital in Grand Rapids after a major operation and is at present staying with his daughter's family, Dr. and Mrs. Howard Yeakey of Kalamazoo.

Mrs. John Veldhof, Mrs. Lawrence Lohman, Mrs. Harry J. Lampen and Mrs. H. D. Strabbing attended a meeting of the Rest Haven Guild held last week at Trinity church in Holland. After the business session and devotion an inspirational talk was presented by Miss Esther Everse and her assistants.

The Woman's Study club met last week at the home of Mrs. Marjorie Billings with Mrs. Earl



Mrs. Tufty, left, and Mrs. Butler

Korea Most Important, Century Club Is Told

Korea is still the No. 1 question in Washington, Esther Van Wageningen Tufty, The Sentinel's Washington correspondent, told members of the Century club Monday night in the W. A. Butler home.

"When I went to Korea to do a story on how our boys really feel about things over there, I asked every soldier I met two questions. One was 'Do you resent having two years taken out of your life this way?' and 'Do you know why you're in Korea?' And their answers were so sound and forthright it made me ashamed that we at home don't see things so clearly and that our morale is low."

"To the first question, every soldier said he doesn't like to be in Korea but nearly every one said his father or his brother or some other member of the family served in World War II and he figured it was his turn now. He doesn't like spending two years in the armed forces, but he does not resent it either."

"But the response to the other question really surprised me. Yes, all the boys know why they're in Korea. Invariably each one said, 'I'd rather fight communism over here than back in Holland, Mich., or some other American city.'"

"After all my visits and talks with the boys in Korea, I know now that if my Jimmy, a second lieutenant in the ROTC at Michigan State, has to go to Korea, I can see him go with a higher heart," Mrs. Tufty said.

The speaker related many experiences of her Korean trip, her visit to the front and to the peace talks at Panmunjon. She spoke highly of General Van Fleet and his accomplishments in training the South Koreans the past 18 months, as well as the work with UN forces. "The whole emphasis is having machines do the work and saving the men," she explained.

"Most Americans just can't understand the Korean war. It's not our kind of a war. Americans want everything done yesterday, and can't understand the problems and necessary patience. If the Republicans can find a new approach to the Korean situation—an answer would be too much to expect—then the Republicans would win again in 1956, even if Eisenhower wouldn't run."

Schipper presiding and conducting the business session. Mrs. Fred Billet reported on "Religious Education" and Mrs. Billings gave an article from Club Woman Magazine. A reading was presented by Mrs. Don Stehower. The program topic, "Family Fare" was interestingly discussed by Mrs. George Lampen from several angles.

John Klingenberg has been appointed Sergeant at the State House of Representatives sessions for a term of two years and Mr. and Mrs. Klingenberg have secured an apartment in Lansing for the next few months. Their son, Clinton Klingenberg, will take care of the farm during his father's absence.

Representative and Mrs. Ben Lohman are residing in an apartment near the State Capital in Lansing for the duration of Legislative sessions.

The King's Daughters Missionary group of the Reformed church met at the home of Marilyn Nyhof for the January meeting. Marlene Joostberns, the new president, presided and devotion was in charge of Connie Haakma, who also later in the program, told about a recent visit to the Southern Normal School at Brewton, Alabama, and showed several snapshots. Mrs. Gilbert Lugten conducted Bible study on the Bible chapter Ruth, and a piano sel-

In her delightful informal manner, Mrs. Tufty shared many bits of Washington news. There was the inauguration which was not the simple, dignified thing Eisenhower had requested. But Mrs. Tufty did not blame the Republicans for staging a Roman holiday. After all, it had been 20 years and if they felt like kicking up their heels, let them. Yet underneath, there was a serious note, something that Rep. Jerry Ford characterized as a deep feeling of responsibility.

Mrs. Tufty said a Washington correspondent is always looking for trends and in case of a new administration there are some 1,500 new personalities to bring into focus. She said she believes Attorney General Herbert Brownell is the man most likely to call the shots. She said correspondents also are watching Dewey and many regard him as her apparent in case Eisenhower does not seek re-election in 1956. She said big business also is much in the limelight. Above all, the political writers are watching the Taft-like situation. Taft is still the "Mr. Republican" of Capitol Hill and Ike is just at the other end of Pennsylvania Ave.

An informal question period at the conclusion of her talk provided added information on Mamie Eisenhower and the kind of First Lady she will make; the reactions to the Rosenberg case in Washington and how Mrs. Tufty is wavering from her original "off with their heads" reaction; the segregation problem in the nation's capital, withdrawing the 7th fleet from Formosa, and "Operation Smack." As for the latter, Mrs. Tufty said it was most unfortunate a correspondent who was in Korea one day had written such a story. She said every operation is carefully planned, and believed "Operation Smack" was nothing unusual.

Music was provided by Robert Struyk of Hope college who sang an aria from Simon Boccanegra by Verdi, "The Blind Ploughman," Clarke, and "When I Think Upon the Maiden Head." Mrs. Randall C. Bosch presided and W. A. Butler introduced the speaker. Refreshments were served by Dr. and Mrs. Titus Van Hattama and their committee.

Mrs. Tufty was a house guest of the Butlers while in Holland.

lection was played by Phyllis Brink. The program on "Brewton" was in charge of Eleanor Schievin and Arloa Smit who presented several facts about the work at that Mission school. Letters were also read from several students of the school, to whom a Christmas box had been sent. The meeting was closed by sentence prayers and refreshments were served by the hostess and her mothers, Mrs. Herman Nyhof. Seven new members were added to the roll.

The local Christian Reformed church recorded the "Bread of Life" Radio Broadcast from Holland WHTC the past Sunday. Rev. Isaac Apal, the pastor was in charge of devotions and the Bible message, and participants in the musical part of the program were a group of Catechism children, singing a couple of numbers and a vocal duet by Mrs. Apal and Mrs. Jerome Alderink. Pianist was Miss Joyce Lampen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brink, Jr., were on a motor trip the past week to Louisville, Ky., and other points of interest en route.

Mrs. John Haakma, Mrs. Arthur Veldhof and Mrs. H. D. Strabbing attended a meeting of Rest Haven Guild representatives and executive board at Trinity church, Holland on Monday afternoon.

Maroons Mark Up Second Decision Over Tiger Five

ALLEGAN (Special)—A combination of a smooth-functioning offense and a spectacular defense gave the Holland Christian cagers a 52-36 victory over the Allegan Tigers here Tuesday night. It was Christian's second decisive win over the Allegan club this season and the Maroons 12th in 13 starts so far in the campaign.

Coach Art Tuls' Christian club was a much sharper outfit against the Tigers than they were last Friday against Niles, and they needed to be. The Allegan club is an explosive aggregation and can erase a sizable lead within a short period of time. Although the Hollanders won by 16 points, their margin was only about nine or 10 points throughout most of the second half.

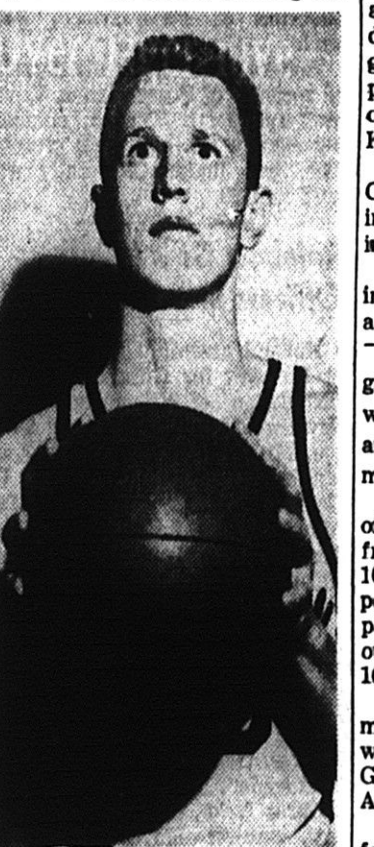
The Maroons with some good team play kept the Allegan crew guessing throughout most of the game. When Coach Ken Otis of the Tigers instructed his boys to play Holland close, the clever Christian guards used their pivot-men well on cuts and screens. Then when the Allegan outfit decided to close up the Maroon center slot, where Ken Scholten was hitting repeatedly, by playing loose, Dave Schreuer and Merle Van Dyke hit consistently from outcourt. Once again these two playmakers accounted for 25 of the total points.

Christian's defense and rebounding also came in for a share of praise from Tuls. While the forward wall of Scholten, Earl Schipper, Ron Nykamp and Rich Sharda took complete control of the boards, the Dutchmen defense was permitting just 41 Allegan shots at the hoop—not enough to win most ball games. The individual defensive performance of the game and perhaps of the season so far, was turned in by Van Dyke. He held Roger Newman, leading scorer of his league, to just two field goals and four free throws. Newman didn't get a basket the first half, while his mates were collecting just three.

Coach Ken Otis wasn't too downhearted about his club's loss, feeling that the squad had turned in a creditable performance. Roger Smith was the outstanding Tiger player on the floor, showing tremendous drive and scrap, although he managed to tally only one basket. Otis has a good ball handling club with plenty of speed.

Christian played the first quarter in spurts. After trailing 5-1, at the four minute mark, the Dutchmen rallied for 16 points in the final four minutes to lead 17-11 at the first quarter horn.

Allegan didn't score a field goal in the second quarter but managed to keep within striking dis-



Forward Ron Nykamp ... his rebounding helps ...

tance of the Maroons with success at the foul line. Scholten was the main cog in the Dutch offense during this quarter, hitting well on a jump shot from the foul circle. At halftime Holland had upped its margin to 27-17.

The Hollanders looked like they were off to an easy win to start the third period by building up a 33-19 lead. But the explosiveness of the Allegan attack made its appearance at this point, with the Tigers garnering eight straight points to close the gap to 33-27. Christian then took charge and by the end of the period had a 42-30 bulge.

Play in the final quarter was slow with the Dutchmen content to keep possession without scoring. They spurred to seven quick tallies in the closing stages of the

Holland Riders Win State-Wide Honors



Katie Kolb—Michigan Open Working Hunter Champion



P. T. Cheff—Michigan Open Jumping Champion on Tilford

Two Holland equestrians were accorded state-wide honors Sunday in Lansing when the Michigan Horse Show association trophies for the year were handed out. They are P. T. Cheff and Katie Kolb.

For the third consecutive year Cheff won the state Open Jumping Championship on Tilford. This includes high and tough jumps. Miss Kolb won the Open Working Hunter Championship. This is a distinct honor for the Holland area.

game. Nykamp left the contest with five personals with 34 left and Newman with less than a minute to go.

Christian connected on 22 out of 83 attempts for 26 per cent from the field while Allegan hit 10 for 41 for slightly less than 25 per cent. In the free throw department the locals hit on eight out of 17 compared with Allegan's 16 out of 26.

Schreuer led all scorers with 16 markers, followed by Scholten with 14. Newman, Smith and George White. Each had eight for Allegan.

Christian meets another tough foe Friday night—Grand Rapids Creston at Grand Rapids.

Christian (52)		FG	F	FT	TP
Schipper, f		3	13	7	
Scharda, f		0	1	4	1
Scholten, c		6	23	14	
Schreuer, g		7	23	16	
Van Dyk, g		4	10	9	
Nykamp, f		2	1	5	5
Allegan (36)		22	8	18	52
Newman, f		2	4	5	8
Miller, f		3	1	2	7
Tucker, c		2	1	0	5
White, g		2	4	0	8
Smith, g		1	6	4	8
Hoffman, f		0	0	0	0
King, g		0	0	0	0
		10	16	11	36

Road Amundsen discovered the South Pole in 1911.

Publicity Chairman Guest at OES Meeting

Mrs. Fern VerDuin, Grand Haven, chairman of the publicity committee for Grand chapter and a grand representative, was a guest of Holland chapter, No. 429, OES, at a regular meeting Tuesday night.

Mrs. VerDuin explained and presented the worthy grand matron's plans and program for the year.

Worthy matron Mrs. Jud Hohl conducted the meeting. Guests were present from Grand Haven, West Olive and Houghton.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Leonard Stiller and Mrs. James Burns and their committee.

Entertainment was in charge of Mrs. Willis De Cook and Mrs. Otto Weisner.

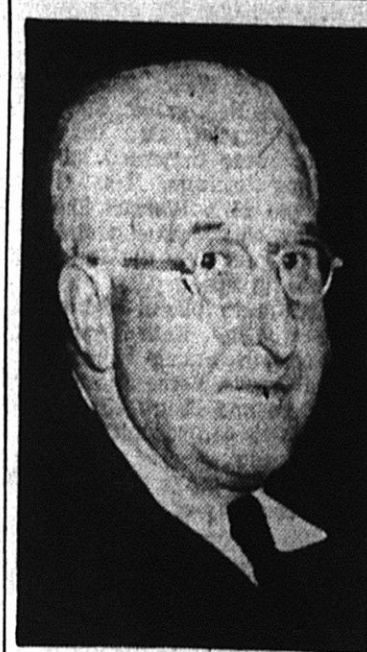
Bulletin

The following resolution was unanimously passed by Zeeland City Council in special session today.

"Therefore, be it resolved by The City Council of Zeeland assembled in special session on Feb. 4, 1953, that the Council petition President Dwight D. Eisenhower that he recommend to the Congress of the United States the immediate lifting of the immigration quota of the Netherlands for the present year, allowing an unlimited number of citizens of The Netherlands who are affected by this catastrophe to enter the United States where they may begin life anew, and that all other feasible aid be speeded to the disaster areas by the United States government. Such action will work to the advantage of both countries, assisting the Netherlands in her deepest hour of need in centuries, and winning for the United States immense good will around the world and adding to our own population a group of people long known for their character, their culture, their industry and their Christian democratic way of life."

The resolution was wired on to President Eisenhower. It is especially significant in that Zeeland province in the Netherlands is one of the hardest hit.

Although widely grown in the Western hemisphere, coffee is a native of the Old World.



Hine Van Der Heuvel

Fish, Game Club Elects Officers

Hine Van Der Heuvel was re-elected president of the Holland Fish and Game club at the monthly board of directors meeting Tuesday at the home of Secretary-Treasurer Lester J. Pool.

Neil Bergen was elected vice president succeeding John Jousma and Pool was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

A membership drive with a goal of 1,000 was organized and two teams captained by Bergen and Jousma will compete under general chairmanship of Pool.

In other business, a series of outdoor movies and educational talks along conservation lines was planned for March and April. This will be the third consecutive year that the club has sponsored these popular and well-attended meetings. The club also plans two more movies featuring outdoor sports and a picnic during the year.

Standing committees will be appointed soon by Van Der Heuvel, who also is chairman of the building committee.

Final plans for a clubhouse now are being prepared and construction will start in early spring. The building will be located on club property just off M-21 three miles east of Holland. It will be 32 by 60 feet and equipped with a kitchen, committee room and other facilities.

At last week's annual meeting, \$6,000 was appropriated for the building. Volunteer labor and donations of equipment are sufficient to complete and furnish the new building.

Monarch butterflies migrate like birds. They can fly for many miles at a time.

Oklahoma, with more than 30 Indian tribes, has nearly one-third of the Indian population of the United States.

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Gobles, Fennville Win in Tourney; Saugatuck Loses

GOBLES (Special)—The host Gobles team really looked like the team to beat in the second annual Al-Van league basketball tournament which opened with three games at Gobles Tuesday night.

The undefeated Tigers walked all over Bloomingdale 69-35 in the last of three games played.

Fennville, which has been having a rough time most of the way this season, turned back Covert in the first game 56-51. The contest was close almost all the way.

Saugatuck bowed to second place Lawton in another tourney contest 41-37. The game was decided at the free throw line, with Saugatuck missing nine "counting" free throws and Lawton missing only two "counters."

The lead changed hands three times in the first half, but Lawton nosed into a narrow 19-17 lead as the third quarter opened and led the rest of the way. Saugatuck closed the gap to two points in the last minute.

Jack McKee of Lawton topped the scoring with 17 points, Bill Bale and Ralph Troutman each collected 12 for the losers.

In second round games Thursday, Saugatuck will meet Covert at 6:30 p.m. in a consolation round contest, with Fennville tangling with Lawton in a winners' bracket tilt at 8 p.m., and Gobles meeting Lawrence in the finale at 9:30 p.m.

Finals in both championship and consolation flights will be held Saturday.

Tuesday's opening games drew more than 1,000 fans.

Fennville Child Dies At Blodgett Hospital

FENNVILLE (Special)—Lynda Ellen Osborne, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osborne, died Tuesday at Blodgett hospital in Grand Rapids. She had been ill most of her life because of a pancreas deficiency.

Lynda was born in St. Petersburg, Fla., on Jan. 20, 1946, and moved here with her parents four years ago. Her father is employed at Michigan Fruit Cannery, Inc.

Surviving besides the parents are a four-year-old brother, Thomas; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Osborne of Sault Ste. Marie, now in Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gassany of St. Petersburg, Fla. Mr. Osborne arrived here by plane from Florida Tuesday evening.

Surprise Shower Given For Patricia Vander Bie

A surprise, miscellaneous shower was given Thursday evening in honor of Miss Patricia Vander Bie, bride-elect. The party was given by Mrs. William Nyboer and daughter, Helene, assisted by Mrs. W. Teigenhof, at the Nyboer home, 651 West 21st St.

Decorations in lavender, yellow and green, featured an umbrella. Games were played and duplicate prizes awarded to Mrs. G. Slenk, Mrs. F. Klunder and Mrs. M. Vander Vliet. The hostesses served a two-course lunch.

Invited were the Mesdames H. Vander Be, J. Bruzeman, M. Vander Vliet, G. Slenk, A. Klingenberg, F. Klunder, W. Van Huls H. Jansen, M. Lambers, M. De Vries, T. De Vries, A. Naber, G. Botwer, F. Oudemulder, J. Dykstra and G. Yonker and Miss Frederica De Jong.

Mission Group Meets At Maplewood Church

On Tuesday evening about 35 members attended a monthly meeting of the Missionary society of Maplewood Reformed church. Mrs. James Baar presided and Mrs. Richard Staal was in charge of devotions.

The evening was spent rolling bandages for Knox Memorial hospital in Arabia. Several members read articles on the life of a missionary in Africa.

Plans are being made for a missionary conference to be held the first week in March. The Missionary society will be in charge of one of the sessions, when Mrs. Bernard Hakken will be speaker.

The meeting was closed by Mrs. Arthur Boeve, Sr. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Bert Boersen, Mrs. Ed Grote, Mrs. Ted Everse and Mrs. Lars Granberg.

Named Contest Winner

ZEELAND (Special)—Sally Boone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Boone of 337 North Colonial St. has been named the winner of the 1953 Sons of the American Revolution essay contest held recently. Second place went to Betty Bouwman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bouwman, route 2, West Olive. The annual contest is open to all senior high school students of American history. The winners were given cash awards.

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One person was killed and five others injured late Monday afternoon when a car containing four Hope college students collided with a light pickup truck at 32nd St. and the Graafschap Rd. two miles west of Holland. The car was hit broadside on the right, sending it

into a tree. The pickup truck spun completely around, throwing the driver to the road. Clarence Rozboom, 21-year-old Hope college senior, died in Holland hospital less than an hour later.

(Penna-Sas photo)

Relief Committee For Netherlands Reactivated Here

World War II Unit Seeks Cash Donations; Calls Are Discouraged

Civic leaders swung into action today to aid an estimated 1,000,000 persons in the flood devastated Netherlands by reactivating the American Relief for Holland committee.

Under direction of wartime leaders, Municipal Judge Cornelius van der Meulen and Maynard Mohr of Zeeland, the committee will accept cash contributions immediately. Money should be sent directly to the two men and not to the Netherlands. Checks should be made payable to the American Relief for Holland committee.

Money donated here will be forwarded to the Dutch embassy in Washington and cable to The Hague for immediate use. Midwest Netherlands Information Service Director Willard C. Wichers hoped that many churches will take up collections this Sunday to add to the fund.

Wichers said the need now is for money to buy food and medicine. Plans are presently being formed to collect and ship clothing, blankets and cooking utensils. He urged residents to gather these items and hold them until an announcement is made through the American Red Cross for their collection.

Wichers said that information from The Hague requested residents not to try and contact relatives or friends in the Netherlands. He said that communications are out in many places and other spots are virtually tied in knots by rescue operations.

Casualty lists are not yet available but the Netherlands Information Service is in constant touch with the Dutch Embassy and New York. As soon as lists are available they will be released. The Red Cross said that no casualties have been reported among American troops in Holland.

Wichers said the local committee will serve as a funnel for all collections in Western Michigan until other cities are able to set up similar groups. He said that communications have been received from Dallas, New Orleans, Cleveland and other points across the country asking what they can do to help. In these cities and many others huge civic rallies are underway to collect much needed money.

Money in the form of cash, checks or money orders should be sent to Cornelius van der Meulen, City Hall, Holland or Maynard Mohr, c/o Zeeland State Bank. The American Relief for Holland committee was originally formed in May, 1940 to aid the stricken Dutchmen who were forced to open the dikes during World War II, flooding much of the same land now under water. Wichers said the response at that time was overwhelming and he felt that Holland and Western Michigan residents would again open their pocketbooks and wallets to help.

Holland Sailor Cited for Bravery

For heroic action, without specific orders from a superior officer, HM3 Peter J. De Haan of Holland has been awarded a commendation for bravery by the commanding officer of the USS Beale.

De Haan is credited with saving the life of an aviator forced down in heavy seas near the Beale while on maneuvers off the coast of Florida Jan. 22.

According to the citation De Haan on his "own initiative" and "without orders" voluntarily climbed down the side of the ship on a cargo net to help left a seriously injured airplane pilot out of the water. "By such action you assisted materially in removing the pilot from the water where he was in immediate danger of drowning."

The commendation dated Jan. 27 concludes: "You are hereby commended for your personal bravery. A copy of this letter will be placed in your service record." It is signed by F. H. Price Jr., commanding officer.

De Haan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit De Haan of 316 West 19th St. He entered the service in July of 1949 and following training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station served at various naval posts. At present he is in Norfolk Va., preparatory to a month cruise of the Caribbean area.

Car Sideswipes Another Monday on Howard Ave.

Cars driven by Delwyn Schrottenboer, 144 East 18th St., and Robert West, 415 Howard Ave., came together at 7:30 a.m. Monday on Howard Ave. near the Parke, Davis & Co. plant.

According to investigating officers, Schrottenboer was going west and West was traveling east. A car, whose driver was not identified, passed Schrottenboer and went off the left side of the road and West, trying to get between the other car and Schrottenboer, sideswiped the Schrottenboer car.

Damage to the '49 model car driven by Schrottenboer, and owned by Ernest Talsma of Borelio, sustained \$300 damage and the '36 model West car, \$50.

Great Britain had 70,000 women in its "land army" during World War II.



Pvt. Kenneth E. Young

Body of Korean Veteran Returns

The body of Pvt. Kenneth E. Young, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oakes who was killed in action in Korea Nov. 1, arrived in Holland Saturday from New York and funeral services were held here Tuesday afternoon.

Rites were held at 2 p.m. from Dykstra funeral chapel with the Rev. E. M. Ruhl of Zion Lutheran church officiating. Military burial was in Rest Lawn cemetery with the Henry Walters VFW drill team providing pall bearers, honor guard and firing squad. The military escort is Sgt. Edward J. Wetzel.

Pvt. Young was born Sept. 29, 1930, at Barnum, Minn., and he was drafted Jan. 8, 1952, at Cloquet, Minn. He received his basic training at Indiantown Gap, Pa., and went to Fort Lawton, Wash., before going to Korea. His parents came to Holland about two years ago.

Surviving are the wife, Eleanor; a son, Charles Kenneth; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oakes who live at 90 West Seventh St.; a sister, Mrs. William Fetter of Flint; three brothers, Walter of South Dakota, Russell of Eureka, Calif., and Raymond, now on furlough from Fort Hood, Tex.

Wilma Bronkhorst Named Royal Neighbors Oracle

Officers were elected at a meeting of the Royal Neighbors Thursday evening at their club rooms.

Miss Wilma Bronkhorst was elected oracle; Mrs. Leona Norlin, past oracle; Mrs. Linnie Sly, vice oracle; Miss Vernice Olmstead, chancellor; Mrs. Garnet Knoll, recorder; Mrs. Nellie Kleis, secretary; Mrs. Margaret Wright, outer sentinel; Mrs. Lena Ackley, inner sentinel; Mrs. Phyllis Johnson, marshal; Mrs. Sarah Van Soeten, assistant marshal; Mrs. Minnie Serier, manager for three years; Mrs. Anna Ellison, musician; Mesdames Alice Rowan, Dorothy De Boer, Fannie Weller, Mary Nash and Jennie Bell, graces, and Mrs. Blanche Shaffer, flag bearer.

Gifts were presented to the installing officers, Mrs. Stella Dore and Mrs. Blanche Shaffer. Mrs. Sly, who is juvenile director, received gifts from the adult and juvenile groups.

Cards were played and prizes were won by Mrs. Sarah Van Slooten, Mrs. Fannie Weller, Mrs. Melva Crowle, Verne Kehrwecker, Joe Dore and Henry Kleis. Mrs. Nellie Kleis and committee served refreshments.

The group meets the first and third Thursday of each month.

Two Drivers Charged Following Accidents

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — At 3:05 p.m. Saturday on 48th St. and M-50 in Crookery township, cars driven by John Klomp, 17, Grand Haven, going south on 48th St., struck a car going north driven by Herman Dragt, 55, route 1, Jenison.

State police charged Klomp with making an improper right turn. Klomp, in turning right onto 48th from M-50, struck the Dragt car which was stopped at the intersection.

At 3:30 p.m. Saturday on M-50 in Allegand township, Robert Rogers 25, Grand Rapids, going west, lost control of his 1946 model, ran off the road and went into the ditch, causing about \$200 damage to the car. State police charged Rogers with reckless driving.

Fruitport Man, Native Of Sweden, Succumbs

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Fred Beck, 81, of 50 Maple St., Fruitport, died at his home Monday after a two-month illness. He was born in Sweden Feb. 8, 1871, and came to the United States in 1890. On June 3, 1911, he married Alma Gustafson in Chicago. They moved to Fruitport in 1913.

He was carpenter by trade. Besides the wife, he is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Anna Johnson, of South Haven, and two sisters in Sweden; three brothers, Axel and Ernest of Rockford, Ill., and Otto, of Janesville, Wis.

Cars Crash at Corner

Cars driven by Julius F. Schipper, 45, of 215 South State St., Zeeland, headed east on 12th St. and George J. Lumsden, 31, of 82 West 21st St., headed north on Maple Ave., collided at the intersection at 2:12 p.m. Thursday. Damage to the 1947 model Schipper car was estimated at \$150 and to the 1941 model Lumsden car at \$100. Both drivers said they saw the other car, but couldn't stop in time because of slippery conditions of the road. Schipper was ticketed by city police for failure to yield right of way.

Collegians Knock Adrian Bulldogs Off Unbeaten Pace

Firmly entrenched in first place in MIAA basketball standings, the Hope college basketball team took off for Lake Forest, Ill., Monday for a non-conference battle against Lake Forest college that night. Coach John Visser's determined Dutchmen beat back a snarling challenge from the Adrian Bulldogs Saturday night at the Armory to win 76-64 before a jam-packed house. The win put Hope in first place in the MIAA all alone with a 7-0 mark, while Adrian was pushed back to second place with a 5-1 record.

The two-planet system, recently banned in college football, was used to good advantage by the Hope cagers Saturday night. Coach Visser started the scrappy college-checking quintet of John Adams, Don Piersma, John Brannock, Dwight Riemersma and Bob Bolema, and this crew held even for the first nine minutes of the first period, trailing 13-12.

Then the usual Hope starters came on the scene—Jerry Jacobson, Bob Visser, Bob Hendrickson and Ron Bos, with Bolema going both ways. This bunch quickly put Hope in the lead at the first quarter 21-14.

But Adrian was far from finished. With forward Bob Ohman leading the way in the Bulldogs' set-up style of spot passes and screens, Adrian put on a scorching second period drive to outscore Hope 19-12 and bring the count to an even 33-33 at the intermission. The Bulldogs pulled an old Hope trick to score 14 points in a row while holding Hope to a single foul shot.

But the third period told the story. The rugged Ohman fouled out after the first minute of play, and the two teams jockeyed back and forth until Hope led 40-39. Then the Dutchmen poured through 21 points while Adrian was getting only three free shots to establish a comfortable 21-point lead. Adrian woke up toward the end of the stanza and Hope led at the whistle 65-46.

Bob Visser scored 12 points in this period to lead the 32-point Hope onslaught. The quarter total was just one shy of the entire first half production. Bolema also poured in three long shots in the stanza. Adrian lost both Ohman and Capt. John Cavaas on personals in this period, and scored only three field goals.

With Brannock hitting twice and Riemersma once, Hope pushed its advantage to 72-49 early in the fourth period. Adrian then started its last drive, and narrowed the count to 75-64 in the final seconds. Adams hit Hope's final point on a free throw after time had run out. The game was not without its incidents. Bos saw only limited duty because of a bad knee, and Jacobson—who played a sterling floor game—had to retire in the third period when he cut his forehead in a spill. Four stitches were required to close the wound.

Adrian's young team, paced by the floor work of Ohman and Nat Martin, and the rebounding of giant pivot men Jim Smith and Hycento Lyle, gave Hope many anxious moments throughout. The Bulldogs are going to be rough the rest of the way out, if Saturday's game was any criterion.

Bob Visser was the game's leading scorer with 18 points, while four Hope players hit double figures. Hope hit on 29 of 94 field goal attempts for 31 per cent, while Adrian collected only 17 of 74 shots for 23 per cent.

	FG	FT	PP	TP
Adams, f	1	3	1	5
Piersma, f	1	0	1	2
Brannock, f	4	1	3	9
Riemersma, g	4	1	3	9
Bolema, g	4	4	5	12
Jacobson	2	1	1	5
Hendrickson	8	2	3	18
Bos	4	5	4	13
Rink	1	0	3	2
Klomparsen	0	0	2	0
Molenaar	0	0	2	0
	29	18	29	76

	FG	FT	PP	TP
Cavaas, f	2	3	5	7
Ohman, f	4	4	5	12
Smith, c	3	4	8	14
Martin, g	4	3	11	9
Birchfield, g	2	5	1	9
Brown	1	2	0	4
Lyle	1	2	3	4
Moran	1	0	2	2
Swiish	0	1	0	1
	18	28	21	64

Saugatuck Resident Dies At Hospital In Allegan

SAUGATUCK (Special) — William Raynor of Saugatuck, died at Allegan County hospital Saturday at the age of 77. He was born Sept. 4, 1875 to the late Mr. and Mrs. John Raynor.

Surviving are four children, Clara, Mable, Floyd and Jessie, all of Hastings; one sister, Mrs. Sarah A. Wilson of Kalamazoo and a brother, Harry Raynor of Waukegan, Ill.

Hits Parked Car

A car driven by Anthony Koolker, 32, of 305 College Ave., crashed into a parked car on College Ave. about 150 feet south of 17th St. at 11 p.m. Sunday. The parked car was owned by Ernest Vander Hulst, 26, of 33 West Central Ave., Zeeland. Koolker, who was given a summons by city police for failure to have his car under control, said he saw the parked car but was unable to avoid it on the slippery road. Damage to the '50 model of Koolker amounted to \$200. The other car was damaged to the extent of about \$50.

Primary Cancelled, Not Enough Candidates

Lack of a contest between candidates in all but one office has forced cancellation of the Feb. 16 primary election, City Clerk Clarence Greengood said Monday. When time ran out for filing of petitions for office on Jan. 31, only the first ward had two candidates running for alderman. Opposing incumbent Anthony A. Nienhuis will be Ernest H. Phillips. Unopposed were incumbents Municipal Court Judge Cornelius van der Meulen, Alderman-at-large Bernice Bishop, Third Ward Alderman Rein Visser, and Fifth Ward Alderman John Van Eerden. No one filed for the office of associate municipal court judge.

Personals

(From Tuesdays' Sentinel) Red Cross Gray Ladies who visited Veterans Administration hospital, Fort Custer, on Monday were Mrs. A. W. Tahaney, Mrs. Earle Van Eenennaam, Mrs. George Moeke, Mrs. E. Wolters, Mrs. Floyd Koppman and Mrs. William Nies.

Donald Cranmer, mineman third class, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cranmer of 322 Pine Ave., has returned home after being away for 37 months. He served three months in North Korean waters and the last two years at the Naval Ammunition depot in Hawaii. He will report to San Francisco for reassignment on Feb. 28.

Robert Riksen of Hopkins and Junior Vander Schaaf, accompanied by Donald Vander Schaaf of Holland, played several accordion selections Sunday evening at First Reformed church in Allegan.

Mrs. Edward Rowan of 323 East 13th St. received a cablegram Monday from her brother, Capt. James Veldeheer, who is in the Army Air Force stationed north of London. The cablegram read "Weathered the storm and everything is OK." Capt. Veldeheer left for overseas last May. His wife, the former Paula Musci of New York, also is in England. She left the States in September.

Pfc. and Mrs. Delwyn Van Tongeren of 5 St. Margaret's Rd., Oxford, England, announce the birth of a son on Feb. 1 in Oxford. Pfc. Van Tongeren, who is serving with the Air Force in England, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Van Tongeren of Holland. His wife is the former Betty Elaine Nebbett, formerly of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Snyder of Battle Creek, former Holland residents, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray N. Smith of 587 Lawndale Ct.

Hospital Notes

(From Tuesdays' Sentinel) Admitted to Holland hospital Monday were Cheryl Lynn Oskaboose, 95 Burke Ave.; Debby Rink, route 1 (both discharged same day); Douglas Curth, route 2; Bobby Groome, 9 West Ninth St.; Mrs. Herman Wilson, 287 Columbia Ave.; Mrs. Gerrit Strabbing, 79 West 15th St.; Mrs. Rudolph Blek, 151 North 129th St.

Discharged Monday were Mrs. Chester Hulst, 1618 Washington Ave.; Steven Vander Ploeg, West 32nd St.; Gay Gines, 180 River Ave.; Mrs. Wilson Rinker and baby, 166 East 24th St.; Mrs. Vivian Hill and baby, 260 West 19th St.

Zeeland

Births in Huizinga Memorial hospital include a daughter, Mary Margo, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Walters, Williams St.; a daughter, Elizabeth, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Foster Wiersma, 1198 Port Sheldon Dr., Georgetown township; a son, Gary Lee, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hessler, 3848 Van Buren, Hudsonville; a daughter, Connie Lou, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Marlink, route 2, Zeeland; a daughter, Connie Lou, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Laverne De Jonge, Mounted Road, Zeeland; a son, David Lee, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Zwiers, route 3, Hudsonville; a son, John Martin, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dykstra, 38 1/2 West Cherry St., Zeeland; a son born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bonnama, 2425 87th Ave., Byron Center; a son, Gregory Dean, born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Sterken, route 3, Holland.

Mrs. Laura Elzinga Dies At Home in Byron Center

ZEELAND (Special) — Mrs. Laura Elzinga, 46, wife of Henry Elzinga of 8589 Homrich Ave., Byron Center, died Monday evening at her home following a lingering illness. She was the former Laura Goorhouse, daughter of Henry Goorhouse and was born in Byron Township. She was a member of the Byron Center Reformed church.

Besides the husband she is survived by two daughters and a son, Mrs. John (Gladys) Tilma of Byron Center and Donna Elzinga and Harold Elzinga at home; two grandchildren; the father, Henry Goorhouse, a sister, Mrs. Henry Veldehouse, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Cornelia Goorhouse, all of Byron Center.

Local Driver Charged

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Marvin Vanden Bosch, 34, of 187 James St., Holland, was given a summons by state police for being unable to stop within an assured distance as the result of an accident at 6:05 p.m. Monday. The accident occurred on US-31 near Grand Haven township and involved cars driven by Edward French, 40, of Spring Lake, and Vanden Bosch. French was slowing down to make a right turn into a driveway when his car was struck in the rear by the Vanden Bosch vehicle.

Coopersville Man Injured in Crash Of Car and Truck

An elderly Coopersville resident was in fair condition in Holland hospital, following a car-truck accident at 10:15 a.m. Monday on the State St. road three miles north of Zeeland.

Henry Gunemann, about 85, received face lacerations and possible back injuries when his '36 model car spun on the icy county road and crashed head-on into the oncoming '52 two-ton truck driven by Donald Vandenberg of Holland. The truck, owned by Vandenberg Shellane, route 3, was heavily loaded with cylinders of gas.

The impact demolished the '36 car, throwing the engine 40 feet into a ditch. The driver was thrown from the car. The new truck was damaged in the front to the extent of \$500.

Deputies Nelson Lucas of Holland and Art Lumen of Zeeland investigated. They said the Coopersville driver had obviously slipped off the road on the right and in attempting to pull back onto the road, spun completely around and collided head-on with the oncoming truck.

500 Attend CE Rally at Fourth

More than 500 boys and girls, the largest number ever to attend a Junior Christian Endeavor rally, heard the Rev. Harold Englund, pastor of Second Reformed church of Zeeland, when he spoke at the annual rally in Fourth Reformed church Sunday afternoon. He based his remarks on the story of Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego and their experience in the fiery furnace, pointing out to the children that it pays to be true to God no matter what the consequences may be.

Beechwood and Trinity societies, both having a 100 per cent attendance, will share the banner which is presented each year to the society having the largest percentage of members present. Beechwood has 59 members and Trinity 43. There is a total of 455 children enrolled of which 401 were present. The banner was presented by Ted Boot of the Trinity society.

Beverly Minnema, president of Fourth church society, had charge of the program. Don Brandt of Grand Rapids, student at Western Theological seminary, conducted the song service and an instrumental number was furnished by Paul Lucas and Roger Mulder of Bethel church. Devotions were in charge of Keith Van Hof and Bruce Stegenga of Trinity church. A vocal solo was given by Charles Zuverkr of First church, Zeeland.

Visitors from the newly-organized societies of Forest Grove, Vriesland and South Blendon, numbering exactly 100, also were present. The first Junior C.E. rally was held in 1932.

Rainbow Girls Install Officers in Public Rites

Holland assembly No. 16, Order of Rainbow for Girls, held public installation of officers on Saturday evening in the Masonic Temple. Miss Myrna Monetta was installing officer; Miss Arlene De Cook, installing marshal; Mrs. Mary Mowery, installing chaplain; Mrs. Thelma Nienhuis, installing musician, and Miss Sondra Decker, installing recorder.

Officers installed were Dorothy Monetta, worthy advisor; Esther Cramer, charity; Margaret Murray, Hope; Leah Brooker, Faith; Arlene De Cook, recorder; Sondra Decker, treasurer; Ruth Lambert, drill leader; Dorothy French, love; Delores Teske, joyance; Jean Mowery, nature; Joyce Hendricks, fidelity; Myrna Monetta, service; Elaine Bacheller, confidential officer, and Mary Pierson, musician.

The new advisory board installed included the Mesdames Lorraine Broker, Esther Hall, Alberta Simpson, Lovell Eddy, Lillian Eddy, Rose Glatz, Vera Hohl, Mildred De Cook and Estelle Schippers. Mr. and Mrs. William Broker are the new mother and father advisors.

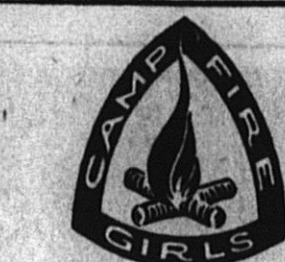
The program included piano solos by Mary Pierson and saxophone solos by Arlene De Cook. A bouquet was presented to a retiring worthy advisor and the new worthy advisor welcomed visitors and introduced her family. She was presented flowers and gifts.

Members of the advisory board served refreshments.

Woman's Relief Corps Installs New Officers

New officers were installed by the Woman's Relief Corps last Wednesday afternoon at a meeting in the Veterans of Foreign Wars club house.

A luncheon preceded the installation. Mrs. Jack Decker was installing officer. Officers are Mrs. George Bocks, president; Mrs. Ben Van Dam, senior vice president; Mrs. Arthur Tors, junior vice president; Mrs. Fred Bocks, chaplain; Mrs. Jack Decker, secretary; Mrs. James Crowle, treasurer; Mrs. Louis Poppema and Mrs. Ben Weller, guards; Mrs. Walter Van Bemmelen and Mrs. Austin Bocks, conductors; Mrs. Janet Jilison, musician; Mrs. Blanche Harbin, Mrs. Charles Buursma, Mrs. Harold Driy and Mrs. Dick Smallegange, color bearers, and Mrs. William Bender, patriotic instructor.



The Sunny Blue Birds of Longfellow school met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Rene Willis. Marcia Jongsma was the chairman of this meeting. After a short business meeting, the group sewed on cards, reports scribe Marcia Jongsma.

The Helpful Blue Birds of Longfellow visited the local police department and fire stations. Mrs. George Speet and Mrs. Peter Kalkman accompanied them. Mary Louise Van Voorst served a treat, reports scribe, Linda De Vries.

The Dancing Daisy Blue Birds of Longfellow met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Clesson Butler. A Valentine box was made by the girls reports Margo White, scribe. The Lieve Meisjes Blue Birds of Lincoln school met with their leader, Helena Gill, at the home of Peggy Ann Coster. The girls made pot holders with jersey loops. Peggy Ann played two selections on her accordion. The meeting closed with the Blue Bird Wish.

The Chirping Blue Birds of Harrington school held their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Marvin Ten Brink, their sponsor. Games were played and prizes were won by Beverly Hulst and Ruth Kachas. Gifts were exchanged. Refreshments were served by their leaders, Mrs. Ernest Zoerhof, Mrs. James Walters and Mrs. Don Derks and Mrs. Ten Brink. Since Christmas the girls have been making various kinds of little dolls. Last week they enjoyed a visit to The Sentinel accompanied by their leader and sponsor. After leaving The Sentinel, they were surprised with a treat.

The Bonnie Blue Birds of Washington school visited the West Michigan Laundry where Mrs. Bush explained each step of the clothes go through from sorting and pinning to being delivered. The girls then saw how things are dry cleaned and steam pressed. The last meeting was in charge of their junior assistant, Beth Wichers. She showed her Memory Books and explained what they will do when they enter Camp Fire next fall. Barbara Conrad served a treat. Joy Working will be their new scribe. Mrs. Frank Working and Mrs. Charles Conrad are their leaders.

The Odokonya Camp Fire group of Federal school met in their club room last Monday with their guardian, Mrs. Adrian Van Putten. The following new officers were elected: Sharon Gamby, president; Kathryn Potter, vice president; Janice Nienhuis, treasurer; Marilyn Sullivan, secretary; Sharon Gilford, scribe. The girls made plans for a Valentine party to which parents are invited.

The Ketsnapikiya group of Pine Creek met with their guardian, Mrs. Walter Kimball, and elected the following officers: Karen Kimball, president; Judy Rodis, vice president; Nancy Morris, secretary; Shirley Rozeboom, scribe.

The Tekakwitha group of St. Francis met with their guardian, Mrs. Joe Fabiano. The girls worked on their symbolgrams which they had planned last week.

The Kontahnee group of Beechwood met last Monday with their guardians, Mrs. Dale Shearer and Mrs. Winfield Ball. The girls worked on their memory books and chose symbols for their Indian names, reports scribe, Betty Lou Deur.

The Ohanpi group met with their guardian, Miss Mary Schrier. The following officers were elected: Judy Wybenga, president; Karen Dokter, vice president; Barbara Terpsma, treasurer, and Barbara Gemmill, scribe. The girls worked on their memory books.

The Winata Camp Fire group of Van Raalte met with their guardians, Mrs. Don Kraal and Mrs. Don Rypma. The girls chose different symbols to illustrate their Indian names and then made cut outs of them. Carol Risselada treated.

The Oawakiya group of Washington school met at the home of their sponsor, Mrs. Fern Dixon. They made symbolgrams and discussed plans for the Mothers' Tea which will be held at the home of Cherry Van Spyker on Feb. 10. Sally Niles is the scribe of this group.

The Merry Blue Birds of St. Francis visited the telephone company. They later made plans for Valentine's Day.

Two Arraigned Before Spring Lake Justice

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Everett Sibley, 31, route 2, Spring Lake, was arrested by state police on M-104 in Crookery township Saturday night for drunk driving. He was arraigned before Justice Frederick J. Workman in Spring Lake Monday and sentenced to pay \$30 fine and \$4.50 costs or serve 45 days in county jail.

A. J. Stoffer, 48, Grand Haven, charged with leaving the scene of a property damage accident, paid \$60 fine and \$8.90 costs this morning in Workman's court. The arrest was by Spring Lake village police officer Dick Levington as the result of an accident in the village Saturday night. Stoffer struck a car driven by Mrs. Margaret Schuitman of Grand Haven.

First opera singer to appear on a commercial radio series was Lawrence Tibbett, the famous American baritone.

The European corn borer destroyed about 35 million bushels of corn in the United States in 1951.

Mothers March Nets Over \$5,600 In Holland Area

Entire Area Aglow With Porch Lights In Exciting Campaign

Holland and its suburbs glowed with porch lights Saturday night and residents really "let the light of hope" for polio victims by giving \$5,686.34 in the first Mothers March on Polio.

Money from the 230 volunteer mothers who canvassed the area rolled in at a terrific pace at the Irvin De Weerd home, where it was counted until the last jar settled the total at 10 p.m.

Mrs. Willis Welling and Mrs. Jack Plewes, co-chairmen of the March, sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary and Kiwanis Queens, praised the residents for their wonderful response to the Mothers' plea for funds to fight the crippling disease. They thanked all the workers who carried out the dramatic porch light campaign and expressed appreciation to the factories, churches, city and township fire departments, the newspaper and radio station, Camp Fire Girls and all who helped to get the March underway.

A din of whistles, bells and sirens aroused excitement throughout the city. It was as festive as a gala New Year's Eve.

At exactly 6:30, the army of mothers, labeled jars in hand, took to the sidewalks and streets and called at every lighted home. At many homes the children ceremoniously dropped their contributions into the jar. Many mothers said they had trouble finishing their "beats" in the hour's time because the friendly contributors insisted they come in to get warm or just to visit for a bit. A whipping wind and occasional sprays of icy rain didn't