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Two Are Sought In Break-Ins at Five Cottages

Furniture, Windows And Dishes Smashed; Rewards Are Offered

Sheriff's officers today sought two culprits in connection with break-ins at five summer homes on Lake Michigan Monday in which furniture and windows were broken and every drawer and cupboard from basement to attic ransacked. Footprints in Monday's snow fixed the time of the entry.

The five neighboring cottages on Lake Michigan, located four miles north of Lakewood farm, are owned by Reemer Boersma and Ben Staal of Holland, Larry Kolb of Hazelbank, Miss Pearl Hart of Chicago and a Mr. Souloff of Grand Rapids.

The Kolbs and Boersmas at present are out of town. Miss Hart, a Chicago attorney, was expected to arrive here today. The Souloffs were being notified in Grand Rapids.

Officers received the report of the break-ins late Monday afternoon from the park caretaker. In waning light they traced footprints of the two vandals through the snow leading to and from the lakeshore road.

Officers believe theft was not the motive of the break-ins since activity seemed to be limited to wanton destruction of furniture, windows and dishes, together with ransacking.

Indicative of vandalism in the five homes was the scene in Wind Crest cottage, owned by Miss Hart. Doors had been pounded down and windows were broken, antiques were damaged and a telephone had been torn from its installation and knocked to pieces.

Entrance in all cases was made by breaking down doors or windows. All telephones that could be found were broken. The phone in the Kolb home was in an out-of-the-way place, hence undisturbed.

In following the footprints, officers found a small portable ivory radio trampled to pieces in the deep snow.

In the Boersma cottage, the vandals, evidently believing a music box contained money, broke it to pieces. Phonograph records also were broken.

Indeterminate rewards were offered today for information leading to identifying the vandals. Officers gave assurance that all information will be kept confidential. Meanwhile they were checking the neighborhood for additional clues and possibly other break-ins.

Church Gifts Exceed Million

Christian Reformed churches passed the million-dollar mark in contributions for the first time since the denomination was organized 90 years ago, the Christian Reformed publishing house disclosed here today.

Aside from local contributions and activities, contributions in 1946 reached the \$1,070,263 mark, the report stated.

Current membership was listed as 134,608 for the 315 congregations, 132 of which are in Michigan with a total membership of 63,747.

A state gain of 707 members was shown in Michigan last year. Meanwhile, 15 Christian Reformed churches in the state are without regular pastors, according to the report.

Forest Grove Woman Dies After Illness

Zeeland, Feb. 27 (Special)—Mrs. Anna Bredeweg, 60, wife of Ralph R. Bredeweg, living three miles southwest of Forest Grove, died Monday afternoon in her home after a lingering illness.

Surviving besides the husband are five daughters, Mrs. George Pettet of Forest Grove, Mrs. Allyn Westerbeek and Mrs. Lyle Kalsbeek, both of Zeeland, Miss Grace and Miss Myrtle Bredeweg, at home; two sons, Edward, at home and Jerald of Genoa, Italy; two grandchildren; two brothers, William and Henry Bronkema, both of McBain; and one stepbrother, Klaas Groeneveld of Grandville.

'Watch for an Opening,' Hope Students Are Told

"Watch for an Opening" was the topic of the address presented to Hope college students Wednesday by Dr. Raymond Lindquist in Hope Memorial chapel.

"In watching for an opening to help your fellow men on the way to Christ, use fervor and flexibility which should always be guided by faithfulness," he advised.

Miss Alinda Kloosterman and Bill Hillegds led devotions. The men's glee club under the direction of Prof. Robert Cavanaugh sang "When Through the Night" with Keith De Young as soloist.

Campaign Is Mapped for Special School Election

Deer, Killed by Holland Car, Given to Hospital

A buck deer, killed near Zeeland Saturday by a car driven by Mrs. Willard C. Wichers of Holland, was turned over to Huizenga Memorial hospital in Zeeland today, to provide venison for the hospital menu.

The Wichers car hit the deer, one of four crossing the highway, at 10:30 a.m. Saturday on M-21 a half mile east of Zeeland. Mrs. Wichers and her companion, Mrs. Bernard Arendshorst, were not injured, and the Wichers car was undamaged.

The deer, weighing well over 150 pounds, was taken to Zeeland police headquarters. Police notified the conservation department which in turn gave the deer to the hospital.

Police Chief Lester De Pree said many persons had reported seeing four deer traveling together on various occasions.

Christian Draws First Round Bye In District Play

Holland Christian drew a bye Tuesday in the first round of the District High school tournament to be held at Allegan High school March 5, 6, 7, and 8. The locals entered in Class B will need only one victory in the tourney in order to capture the District crown. The only other teams entered in the same class are Allegan and South Haven.

This is the way the final pairings were completed at the draw at Allegan yesterday. In Class B, Allegan will meet South Haven on Wednesday, March 5 for the first round play. Christian will meet the winner of this contest on Saturday, March 8 to decide the championship. The winner of this district will be sent to St. Joseph for the Regional tournament.

In Class C there are five entries. In the upper two brackets both Fennville and Otsego drew first round byes and will play each other Thursday, March 6 in the semi-finals. Wayland will meet Paw Paw in the lower bracket on Wednesday, March 5. Plainwell drew the bye in the lower bracket in Class C and will meet the winner of the Wayland-Paw Paw game on Friday, March 7. The finals in Class C will be played on Saturday, March 8.

There are but three entries in Class D, thus necessitating another bye. The bye went to Saugatuck in the upper bracket who will meet the winner of the Martin-Hopkins battle. Martin and Hopkins will play on Thursday, March 6. The finals in Class D will be played on Friday, March 7.

The tourney arranged by Ken Letsinger will be conducted on a four night basis with two games a night. All games will be played at the Allegan High school gym with the first game of the evening beginning at 7:30.

Some good contests are in store for area basketball fans as some evenly matched squads are paired together. The only real favorite in the tourney is Class D Hopkins who should easily cop the District crown. Paw Paw and Fennville have the edge in Class C.

Hope Students Place in Contest

Several Hope college speech students participated in the extemporaneous and oratorical contests of the Michigan Intercollegiate Peace Speech association February 19 at Michigan State Normal college, Ypsilanti. Separate contests were held for men and women.

Isla Vander Heuvel of Holland, placed fourth in the women's extemporaneous contest. She spoke on "Food as a Weapon for Peace," after the allotted one hour of preparation. First, second and third places were won by delegates of Michigan State, Kalamazoo and Alma colleges, respectively.

Charles Pevite of Highland Park, N.Y., representing Hope in men's oratory, placed first in his preliminary division and fourth in the final contest. His oration subject was "The Moral Basis of Peace." Kalamazoo college, Wayne university and Calvin college representatives won the first three places, respectively.

In women's oratory, Miss Lorraine Van Farow, Zeeland freshman, won fourth place. First three places were won by Michigan State, Kalamazoo and Albion colleges.

Dr. and Mrs. William Schrier accompanied the contestants and served as judges.

Hope will be represented in the MIAA 50th anniversary oratorical contest March 7 at Western Michigan College of Education, Kalamazoo. Miss Marian Korteling and Vergil Dijkstra will participate.

A citizens' school committee, which previously had studied the needs of the public schools and methods of raising funds for necessary construction and repairs, gathered in Junior High school Wednesday night to map plans for informing the public on issues in connection with the special school election scheduled April 21.

Supt. Carroll C. Crawford explained that two issues will be voted upon at the special election. The first involves increasing the 15-mill limitation an additional five mills for five years, 1947 through 1951. Any registered voter may ballot on this question. A two-thirds majority is required for passage.

The second proposal calls for establishing a sinking fund. Only property owners may vote on this measure and only a simple majority is needed for passage.

The program for construction and improvements of local schools, recommended some months ago by the committee, includes construction of a new school to replace Froebel and Lincoln schools, additions to Holland High school and Junior High school, and additions and remodeling of Van Raalte and Longfellow schools.

Crawford announced that with the expected increased enrollment in primary schools, two basement rooms in Longfellow school and one basement room at Van Raalte school are expected to be in use next fall.

Two particular points were stressed in the general discussion. The first was that the need for improvements and new construction is not debatable, and the second was that citizens must realize that the proposed method of establishing a sinking fund, and getting the money before construction begins will save the taxpayer money.

Dr. Lester J. Kuyper presided and Ernest V. Hartman of the Board of Education explained the election. Peter Kromann submitted a report on campaigns carried on in other places in establishing sinking funds.

A central committee consisting of Dr. Kuyper, Kromann, Crawford, Clarence Klaasen and Mrs. Bruce G. Van Leuven was appointed to direct the campaign.

Mrs. Van Leuven will serve as chairman of the speakers' committee which will consist of George Copeland, Tom Parker, Mrs. Ted Du Mez, Mrs. Adrian Klaasen, Mrs. Kenneth De Pree and Dr. J. Harvey Kleinhekel.

Dr. Sherman will enter private practice in Lansing after March 1.

Prior to joining the state health department staff, he was director of the Oakland county tuberculosis sanatorium and an instructor at the University of Michigan.

Dr. William De Kleine, state health commissioner, said no successor to Dr. Sherman has been chosen.

Three Hope Players Will Make Final Armory Appearance Friday

Three Hope college seniors, Russ De Vette, Bob (Gabby) Van Dis and George (Porky) Dalman, will make their last collegiate appearance for local fans Friday when the Alma Scots invade Holland. The three graduating stars will play their final game in Hope uniforms Monday when the Hingam travel to Monmouth, Ill.

Rusty De Vette hails from Muskegon where he was captain of his high school team which was a Southwestern conference winner. He came to Hope in 1941 and was a member of Coach Milton (Bud) Hinga's squad that year. He also played in 1942-43 with the Hope college "Blitz Kids" along with Els Kleinjans, Van Dis, Dalman and Mulder. In 1943 he enlisted in the Marines and served until July 27, 1946. While in service he played on the Denison university team and was named to a post on the All-Ohio team. In 1943 he was a member of the All MIAA team. Rusty also played basketball with the Pacific fleet Marine force which traveled about the Southwest Pacific playing top service teams.

De Vette is presently leading the MIAA individual scoring race and is well on the way to taking the laurels. His shot is peculiar but nevertheless one of the best on the squad. De Vette plans to attend graduate school at the University of Michigan this summer.

Gabby Van Dis came to Hope from Kalamazoo, Michigan where he played in the Southwestern Conference race as a member of Kalamazoo Central high team. He was elected captain of the squad and was named to the All-Conference team. Gabby is playing his

fourth season at Hope and has lost only one MIAA game in his career. Last year the Dutch lost all their games before Van Dis returned and won nine straight after his return. This year his record was still clean until the Hopeites lost to Kalamazoo this year.

He was named to the All-MIAA team in 1946 and is presently the sparkplug of the Hope aggregation. Van Dis served in the infantry during the war and saw action in the European theater. He was discharged on January 11, 1946 and returned to Hope to finish the 1946 season. He plans to go into business with his father in Kalamazoo in June.

Another senior on Coach Hinga's squad is George Dalman who is a product of Holland High school where he starred on Coach Rex Chapman's team in 1939-40. He came to Hope upon graduation from high school and played "B" team ball for one season and the next year broke into the starting lineup on the varsity. George's smooth playing warranted him a position on the All-MIAA team in 1941-42. He left for the Navy in 1943 and played for the famed Iowa Seahawks during the 1943-44 season. He also played at Central Michigan college under veteran mentor Danny Rose. He was discharged from the service in early 1946 and joined the Hope squad immediately. He pulled the 1945-46 team through to a MIAA crown title. Dalman is a business major at Hope and will complete his work in June.

All three of these players have accepted an invitation to play on a local all-star team against the American Seaters next Friday.

Retired Fireman Gives Formulas For Real Fires

Grand Rapids Resident Knows All Methods To Destroy Property

So you are going to have a fire in your house? Then listen to Fred P. Higgins, who has instructions on how to make a good job of it so the fire department can earn its keep.

This was the theme of a speech given by Higgins, retired former fire chief of Grand Rapids. For an hour he kept the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce in laughter Tuesday night at the Mary Jane, while he drove home his point of fire inspection for fire prevention.

Higgins related that in 49 years as a fire fighter he had learned about every way there is to start a fire from parking an automobile over a bonfire to making whiskey in the attic. He detailed a program of public ridicule that reduced fire losses from a high of \$1,200,000 in 1924 to a low of \$71,000 in 1934, cutting per capita loss from \$8 annually to 42 cents in Grand Rapids.

"Sure, we had an ordinance that permitted us to go into people's homes to inspect for fire hazards, but the citizens objected to us. So we turned to a program of ridicule and practically laughed Grand Rapids into becoming fire conscious. Cities everywhere adapted our plan to their own needs. Why, Grand Rapids was so bad fire underwriters split their risks with competitors to avoid crippling fire losses."

Hilarious incidents were related one after another—from taking cats from trees to rescuing a housewife locked out of her house in a nightgown.

"And don't forget the sidewalk fire chiefs who assisted us at every fire. They're the guys who should get the credit," Higgins said sarcastically.

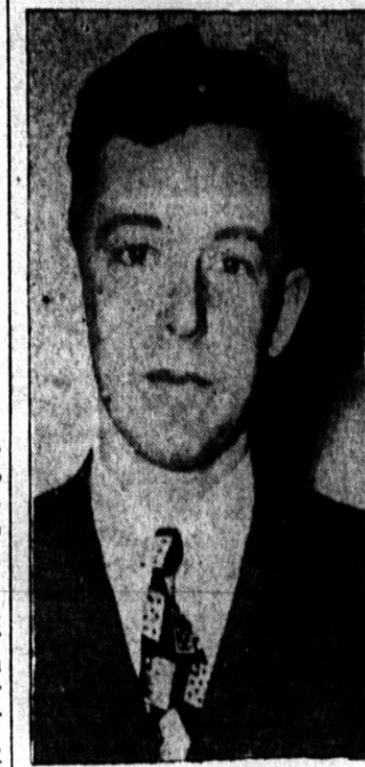
Higgins was introduced by Willis Wellings, president. Other guests included Niles Hansen and Ernest Phillips. Membership pins were awarded to Lewis Teniga and Victor Van Fleet. William D. Boyce was also listed as a new member but did not attend the membership meeting.

The retiring board of directors was named a nominating committee. The board includes Pete Wellings, Don Livensh, Bob Gordon, Charles Cooper, Joe Wagner and Willis Wellings.

A special report of the aviation committee was given by Ed Boeve, chairman. Boeve reported Jaycees had been named in a civil suit for damages by a Grand Rapids plane owner as a result of the accident during the air show last September. The suit was dismissed because of a legal error in filing, he reported.

Case Under Advisement

Grand Haven, Feb. 27 (Special)—An automobile damage case has been taken under advisement by Circuit Court following a hearing Tuesday without a jury. In the case, the Detroit Automobile Inter-Insurance Exchange and Steve Sipes of Ravenna seek \$500 damages from Cornelius Ver Berkmoes, route 1, Grand Haven, as the result of an accident in Muskegon May 18, 1946.



Dr. Arthur Baker

Alleghen Health Director Named

Alleghen, Feb. 20 — The health committee of the Alleghen county Board of Supervisors has appointed Dr. Arthur G. Baker of Grand Rapids as county health officer.

Dr. Baker will fill a position left vacant since Aug. 12, 1942, when Dr. Morley B. Beckett resigned to enter the army.

The new health officer is a native of Grand Rapids, having graduated from Union high school and Calvin college. He received his medical degree from the University of Michigan medical school in 1943. For a time he served as director of the Johnson and Magoffin county health department in Kentucky, also a staff doctor at a Reformed church mission in Jackson county.

At present, he is an assistant health officer in Calhoun county and director of the vision of venereal disease control. He is married and has two children.

Dagen Receives Service Award

Grand Haven, Feb. 27 (Special)—Sgt. Verne C. Dagen of the Michigan State Police was presented by the Eagles lodge No. 925 Tuesday night with a civic service award for his outstanding service in the community, particularly during the March of Dimes in the last three years.

The presentation was made by John Veltman, president of the organization, and Sgt. Dagen responded, including in his remarks, "The material success we can accomplish is secondary in a program that deals in the fundamentals of making this a better place in which to live."

He complimented the organization on the strides it has made in the community and suggested that an organization of its size, 550 members, should get back on the work program and pointed out the work the Kiwanis club, with 75 members, had done during the March of Dimes. Dagen said he wanted to share the honors with those who had done so much to help make the drive a success.

The giving of awards to citizens was begun by the Grand Lodge when it gave its first civic service award to J. Edgar Hoover of the FBI. This gesture will be followed by the local lodge, probably semi-annually.

Lions Club Hears Alleghen Attorney

Chester Ray, prominent Alleghen attorney, addressed members of the Lions club Tuesday noon at the regular luncheon meeting. A Navy officer in World War II who was in the battle of Leyte, the speaker gave a vivid description, with maps, showing the return battle of the Philippines in 1944 when the American fleet went in and landed at Leyte and Mindanao.

President Neal Wiersma presided and the speaker was introduced by Judge Raymond L. Smith.

Guests at the luncheon were A. Linger, William Erdmann and Don Cook of Grand Rapids, Floyd Holland of Alleghen, P. J. De Feyter of Minneapolis, Minn., Frank Meyer of Muskegon, M. Disbrow and C. Vander Kuy.

Lion Earnie Miller introduced two new members to the club, Ray Metzger and Bob Wright. The program was arranged by Al Geerlings.

Rev. Greenway Extended Call to Calvin Church

Grand Haven, Feb. 27.—The Rev. Leonard Greenway, former pastor of Second Reformed church in Grand Haven and at present pastor at Christian High school here, has been extended a call to become pastor of Calvin Christian Reformed church. Calvin church has been without a permanent pastor since its organization last September. Services are held in Calvin college chapel.

Holland's Traffic Needs Attention, Report Will Show

Safety Engineers Set To Reveal Program At Banquet Tonight

Holland's traffic picture shows considerable room for improvement. This generality and many specific points will be brought out tonight before 29 city officials and civic leaders at a dinner to be given by Automobile Club of Michigan in the Tulip Room of the Warm Friend Tavern at 6:30 p.m.

Occasion of the dinner will be presentation of a 39-page traffic survey made by the auto club at the request of Holland's City Council and at no cost to the city. The report is the result of a thorough four week study last fall by a four-man team of traffic safety engineers. Local co-operation in the survey was given by Mayor Ben Steffens, Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff and City Engineer Jacob Zuidema. Each person attending the meeting will be given a copy of the survey.

Richard Harfst, auto club general manager, will attend and explain the report, which includes diagrams, charts and recommendations. Other out of town persons at the meeting will include Ernest P. Davis, director of the auto club safety and traffic division; and Traffic Engineers Chester Parkin, John T. Hasper, Arthur Knoke and Leonard Schramm.

The three board divisions of the report, all of which are related factors constituting the Holland traffic problem, are:

1. Accident analysis.
2. Traffic movement and control.
3. Parking problems.

"Many factors in Holland contribute to inefficient traffic movement, collisions and accident potentials," the report will show. The combination of year-round industrial activity and geographical location that attracts thousands of vacationing motorists creates a continuous problem in traffic control, it will also reveal.

This report will bring to 55 the total of major surveys made by the Auto Club in various cities of Michigan, at no cost to the cities involved. Although it is the first major survey of traffic conditions the club has made in Holland, studies have been made in the past of pedestrian and bicycle accidents, according to Ernest P. Davis, director of the club's safety and traffic division. A copy of the report will be presented to each person attending the meeting.

Headed by Mayor Steffens, city officials invited to the dinner include Police Chief Van Hoff, City Clerk Oscar Peterson, City Engineer Zuidema, City Treasurer Henry Beckfort, Superintendent of Schools Carroll C. Crawford, City-Attorney Vernon Ten Cate and City Inspector Ben Wiersma.

Charles A. French, editor-manager of the Holland Evening Sentinel; William Vander Water, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce; and Coach Malcolm Mackay are among civic leaders invited.

Among Aldermen invited are Harry Harrington, Melvin Van Tatenhove, John Bontekoe, Bernard De Pree, Bertal Sligh, Herman Mooi, Fred Galien, Donald Slighter, Edward Prins, William Meengs and Laverne C. Dalman.

Service clubmen invited are Leon Moody, Rotary: A. E. Van Lente, Exchange; Russell Van der Poel, Lions; Dan Vander Werf, Kiwanis; and representatives from Elks, American Legion and Vets Club.

Garbo's Phone Call May Have Been Hoax

Alleghen, Feb. 27.—Developments in the Greta Garbo inheritance case here today indicated Probate Judge Irving J. Tucker's telephone conversation with the Swedish actress may have been an elaborate hoax.

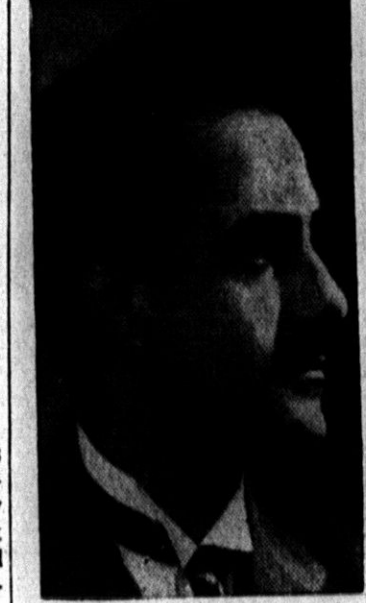
Implicated were several persons, all said to be prominent in Alleghen, who carefully rehearsed their practical joke for several days. Judge Tucker, having no reason to believe otherwise, was convinced he had talked with the actress and her press agent. Their discussion concerned the inheritance Garbo received from a Dorr reclusive.

"Garbo's" conversation was prefaced by some rapid-fire questions by her "press agent" who made sure it was Judge Tucker on the line.

On Monday, two columnists said Garbo might give the estate to the Sister Kenny foundation. The Donne estate is valued from \$20,000 to \$50,000.

Boy Shoots at Wires; Power Off Two Hours

Homes in the Virginia park area were without electricity for almost two hours Wednesday afternoon while linemen of Consumers Power Co. repaired damage caused when a small boy shot at wires with a rifle, company officials said today. Power went off at 1 p.m. and was restored at 2:50 p.m.



Gerard Warren Hanchett

Local Pianist Dies Of Complications In Foot Fracture

Gerard Warren Hanchett, 45, one of Holland's prominent musicians, died Saturday night in Holland hospital where he had been treated for two weeks. Immediate cause was listed as pulmonary embolism (blood clot) following a fractured foot received in a fall on the ice on Christmas Day.

He was born in Holland June 12, 1901, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hanchett. He attended local schools and was a piano and theory pupil of the late Ottokar Malek and of Mrs. Peter Kleynburg of Grand Rapids for many years.

He taught music to private pupils for several years and arranged monthly recitals in his studio at 2 East 10th St. He made several tours in the orient as pianist for ships' orchestras. He was an enthusiastic collector of art items, phonograph records, books and music.

Mr. Hanchett served in the U.S. Navy in World War II from August, 1942, until his discharge in March, 1945. He received his training at William and Mary college in Williamsburg, Va., and served as chaplain's assistant, choir director and organist at Mare Island, Calif.

There are no immediate survivors. Miss Irene Warren, a cousin, is expected from Mt. Vernon, N.Y., as well as Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Warren from Chicago.

Funeral services were to be held today at 2:30 p.m. from Grace Episcopal church where he was active in choir work. The Rev. William C. Warner will officiate.

Furniture Orders Hit Record High

The wood working furniture industry, loaded with a huge backlog of orders, smashed all volume records in 1946 and is racing toward new heights, the report of business analysts, indicated today.

Despite the "shoppers market" which has developed, and a reaction against high prices and unsettled conditions, manufacturers booked 50 per cent more orders in January this year than in 1946, the report declared.

The January 1947, backlog was 40 per cent greater than in January 1946, the report stated. Notwithstanding widespread cancellation in the amount of new orders booked, the report said.

Leg Broken When Girl Is Hit by Car

Fennville, Feb. 27 (Special)—Shirley Johannes, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johannes, living three miles west of Fennville, received a fracture of her left leg between the knee and hip Wednesday morning when she was struck by a car driven by Mrs. Ruth Rooks, Fennville teacher who lives near Holland.

The child was taken to Holland hospital and will remain there for a few days.

She was en route to the Peach Belt school. According to South Haven state police, she did not see the car and ran across the road directly in front of the vehicle. Mrs. Rooks was on the way to Fennville high school where she teaches home economics.

State police exonerated Mrs. Rooks of blame.

Dr. Anthony C. Westerhof Named to Drake Faculty

Dr. Anthony C. Westerhof, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Westerhof of 508 Central Ave., has been appointed associate professor of psychology at Drake university, Des Moines, Ia., according to word received here. He was one of eight new faculty members appointed to the liberal arts faculty at the beginning of the second semester.

A graduate of Holland Christian High school, Dr. Westerhof received an A. B. degree from Calvin college and a doctorate from Duke university, North Carolina.

First Church Plans Centennial Program in April

Play, Banquets, Talks On Eight Days to Mark Founding Century Ago

Centennial observance is planned for April 27 through May 4 in First Reformed church.

Commemorating the 100th anniversary of the founding of the church in the spring of 1847, a full eight-day program is being arranged for church members and interested citizens of Holland and nearby communities. Featured will be the initial presentation of an historical play, two banquets and addresses by leading Reformed clerics including former First church ministers. An extensive musical program will present local choral groups and the Rev. Andrew Branche of Brewton, Ala., and the Rev. Nicholas Gosselink, Gray Hawk, Ky.

"Instead of the Thorn," a play in four acts, will be given on Monday, April 28, and Thursday, May 1. Written by the Rev. and Mrs. Bastian Kruthof, the play is based on Rev. Kruthof's book of the same name.

Action covers the first 20 years of life in Holland settlement and portrays many problems and triumphs of pioneer life in Western Michigan, the beginning of First Church and Hope college.

On Wednesday, April 30, First church will present Dr. Wynand Wichers, former president of Hope college and now vice-president of Western State college in Kalamazoo, in a public meeting to be held in Hope Memorial chapel.

Banquets are scheduled for Tuesday, April 29, and Friday, May 2. At the former event, which is for young people, Mrs. Gosselink will be toastmistress and Rev. Gosselink will give the main address. Adults of the church will hear Mrs. James Wayer of Racine, Wis., Friday. Toastmaster will be Rev. Kruthof.

A party for children is planned for Saturday afternoon.

On Sunday, April 2, Dr. Albertus Pieters will speak on the history of the church from 1847 to 1882 and Dr. Seth Vander Werf will speak on 1882 to 1947 events at the morning service. In the evening Rev. Henry Veltman of Grand Rapids and Rev. Wayer are the scheduled speakers. Dr. Pieters' father was the second pastor of First Reformed church, the other three are former ministers. Rev. Kruthof will preside in the morning and Rev. Gosselink, also a former minister, will be the presiding officer at the evening service.

Three Cars Are Badly Damaged Near Douglas

Three Grand Rapids cars were badly damaged but no occupants were injured in an accident at 11:20 a.m. Monday on US-31 a mile south of Douglas.

According to reports received by Holland police, a car driven by J. A. Dufresne of Grand Rapids got out of control as the driver applied his brakes while descending a hill which was being sand-bayed by a highway truck.

Dufresne's car, a '46 model, slid crossways in the road, and then was hit by cars driven by John Nebbeling, 27, a '41 model, and by Edward J. Rose, 26, a '46 model. The right side of the Dufresne car, the front of the Rose car and the front and rear of the Nebbeling car were damaged.

Commandments for Life Given at Hope Service

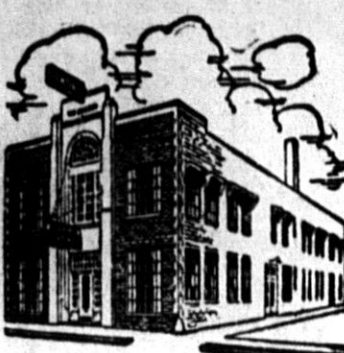
Devotions for the Religious Emphasis service in Hope Memorial chapel this morning were led by Miss Ann Fiske and Warren Hentrick, Hope college students. Miss Helen Cook of the college faculty sang "O Divine Redeemer."

Speaking on the subject, "Accent on the Inside of Life," Dr. Raymond Lindquist explained that outwardness is important, but the inside is still more important and requires cleansing.

He gave as four commandments for a Christian life the following: (1) Thou shalt not vegetate, or remain static and cease trying to make more of one's life; (2) Thou shalt not luxuriate, or slide along life's easiest paths; (3) Thou shalt not procrastinate, or make excuses and

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A CIVIL WAR WITHOUT
AN APPOMATTOX

In the centennial meetings held
in this community many refer-
ences have been made to the ec-
clesiastical split that came to the
Dutch people here and elsewhere
nearly a century ago. Those who
know local history explain that
there were really two splits, one
in 1857, referred to by Dr. Albert
Hyma in his address in Holland
recently, and one a quarter of a
century later, in 1882. Those two
violent ecclesiastical explosions
constitute a civil war between two
branches of the Dutch people
—a civil war that has lasted the
greater part of a century and in
which an Appomattox has never
been reached.

This is written primarily for
non-Hollanders in the community;
people of Dutch descent are likely
to be familiar with the facts.

It is obviously not for any "out-
sider" to determine who was right
and who was wrong in this Dutch
ecclesiastical civil war. About all
such a person can do is to observe
the effects of the conflict. The
civil war that began among the
Hollanders in America nearly a
century ago, and in which there
has never been a reconciliation,
divided the forces of Hollanders
into two camps. It forced the peo-
ple of Dutch descent to present
two faces to the world, and it
probably blunted the impact of
their racial contribution to Ameri-
canism. United, the two ecclesi-
astical bodies, some analysts be-
lieve, could have made Dutch in-
fluence felt more importantly than
they have been able to do, divided.

Non-Hollanders are likely to
have a feeling that the two ec-
clesiastical branches of the Dutch
race in America are, in basic
doctrine, almost like two halves
of the same pea in a pod. Many
Hollanders would of course not
agree with this feeling. To them
the cleavage is so deep that it
would seem fantastic to suggest
an Appomattox in the civil war
that has lasted nearly a century.

Hollanders, both in Europe and
America, have an adage, "In un-
ion there is strength." In the
course of their life in America
they have not lived by that motto
in an ecclesiastical sense. There is
not the slightest prospect that
they ever will. Americans of
Dutch descent are presenting two
faces to their world. Ecclesiasti-
cally they are irreconcilably divid-
ed. It seems reasonable to believe
that this division lessens the im-
pact of their culture on America
as a whole.

Gretchen Brunzelle
Feted on Birthday

A birthday party Friday after-
noon in the home of her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brunzelle at
286 East 13th St., honored the
sixth birthday of little Gretchen
Ann Brunzelle.

Prizes for pinning the tail on
the donkey were won by Pauline
Essenberg, Carol Steggerda and
Sandra Kroeze. Gifts were pre-
sented to the honored guest. Re-
freshments, including ice cream
and a decorated birthday cake,
were served by the hostess assist-
ed by Mrs. Preston Manting.

Guests included Sharon Strong,
Winnie Reynolds, John Klein,
Pauline Essenberg, Carol Steg-
gerda, Jimmy Kleis, Bob Rowan,
Sandra Kroeze, Jimmy, Mary and
Gregory Brunzelle.

Fennville Cagers Win
Hard Fought Tussle

Fennville, (Special) Feb. 27.—
Fennville High School won another
Friday night game as they defeated Ot-
sego 33-22. The Fennville lads
held a slim lead throughout the
tilt, but went on a scoring spree in
the final canto.

Erlwein paced the Fennville
cagers with 11 tallies while Casey
was high for Otsego with seven.

Fennville reserves lost their
third game of the season when
they dropped a 34-33 decision to
the Otsego seconds.

About 10,000 persons die in fires
each year in the U. S.

Sunday School

Lesson

March 2, 1947

Jesus Sum Up His Claims

John 12:12-16, 20-32

By Henry Geerlings

Palm Sunday is widely observ-
ed in practically all the bodies in
Christendom. The day was one of
the high water marks in the life
of our Lord. At no time in His
ministry did He object to men
thinking of Him as their king. He
did not attempt to force the idea
on them, and once we remember
that He resisted the efforts of the
people when they tried to make
Him king. Of course the sugges-
tion on that occasion was so ob-
noxious because the motive back
of it was such an unworthy one.
They had the notion that He
would provide them food by mir-
acle so that they would not have
to work for it. Without question
He had left behind Him through
the works of power and mercy
which He had wrought the sure
evidence that He was more closely
identified with the person and
plan of God than anyone else who
had ever appeared on the earth.

There were three attitudes to-
ward Jesus taken by the people
of His day. There were those who
were thoroughly devoted to Him.
They seemed to see instinctively
that He was the Son of God come
into their midst. They would have
gone with Him anywhere. They
would have suffered anything for
Him. Their attitude toward Him
was one of devotion itself. That
explains why the movement which
He founded was carried on after
His death.

Then there were those who
were thoroughly indifferent. They
did not think it worth while to
get excited over anything He said
or did. One would not think from
the stand they took that anything
of the ordinary had happened
when He came into the world and
gave His life a ransom for man-
kind.

Then there were those who
were uncompromisingly opposed
to Him. They left no doubt in any-
one's mind about that. Nothing
He did was right. His claim in
their hearts was nothing more
than empty pretensions. They
were ready to nail Him to the
cross as quickly as they could get
their hands on Him. It might be
well to ask ourselves where we
stand, and do not let us be de-
ceived in the answer.

There can be no doubt that
Jesus was as eager to have fol-
lowers as any other leader has
ever been. It looked a number of
times as though He would be for-
saken by all men. As it was there
were very few among the fore-
most of the nation who attached
themselves to Him. I have no
thought of saying that of those
who did follow Him after the
Master left them and set them
down as incompetent. But at the
beginning they certainly did not
give much promise of ever becom-
ing world leaders. But such con-
fidence did our Lord have in them
that He took them, trained them,
inspired them, equipped them, and
then proceeded to leave the fu-
ture of Christianity in their
hands. What faith He had in
them! No other man would have
committed all his interests to
men as humble as the 12 were.

The very strength of Jesus is
seen in the faith He had in the
indestructible nature of the king-
dom He came to found.

This lesson is sure to bring to
our attention the matter of one's
loyalty to Jesus. It would not be
easy to say who in the crowd that
acclaimed Jesus was actually loyal
to Him. Almost everyone
seemed to be. That would appear
to be the case from the multitude
that attended Him, from their
shouts that seemed to rend the
very heavens, from the words of
welcome accorded Him as He
came into the city, but when the
procession was ended, and the en-
thusiasm had subsided, and the
throngs of people had melted
away, the complexion almost com-
pletely changed. On Calvary
there were very few who had the
boldness to offer Him a word of
courage.

Beneath any outward demon-
stration rested the fact that the
act of Jesus in entering Jerusalem
was His willingness to face the
crisis of the cross. He was press-
ing forward to the greatest strug-
gle of His life. The hosannas of
Palm Sunday were to be turned
into the cries for His crucifixion
on the following Friday. His
forthcoming trial and crucifixion
are not to be viewed as stage play.
He entered the city fully con-
scious of the trial He was to face.
Duty called Him to this ordeal,
and He courageously faced the
struggle. The purpose of the
triumphal entry is definitely link-
ed with the whole mission of Jesus
to do the will of God and to save
mankind.

While the demonstrations of ap-
preciation were directed toward
Jesus, surely the people saw in
His life and work the love of God.
Any appreciation of Jesus hence
becomes praise to God for the
sending of a Savior. The triumph-
al entry gave opportunity to the
people to express their gratitude
toward God.

As modern Christians we can-
not fail to recognize the element
of courage on the part of Jesus in
His willingness to enter the city
in manner, knowing full well the an-
imosity which many of His en-
emies held toward Him. This op-
position was only an additional
challenge to the Master to face
life squarely, to perform His duty
to the Father, and to redeem
mankind through a life of service
and sacrifice.

Acres of all vegetables, ex-
cept potatoes, raised for sale,
amounted to 1,475,274 in 1919
compared with 3,773,682 in 1934,
a gain of 155 per cent in 15 years.

Holland
In 1914

Mrs. George E. Kollen has been
appointed a member of the legis-
lative committee of the State
Federation of Women's clubs, ac-
cording to a story appearing in
the Wednesday, Nov. 25, issue of
the Holland Daily Sentinel pub-
lished in 1914. She will represent
the fifth Congressional district,
comprising Ottawa and Kent
counties. This committee is per-
haps the most important of all the
committees maintained by the
State Federation, in view of the
fact that through this committee
very much can be accomplished in
the line of working out the aims
of the organization through leg-
islative enactment.

Thanks-giving and thanks-living
was the subject of the Woman's
Literary club meeting yesterday.
Alderman J. A. Drinkwater was
more than busy this afternoon
collecting the money that has
been subscribed to make up the
fund from which needy families
along North River Ave. will re-
ceive aid in making their pay-
ments for the paving of that street.

Austin Harrington and party
of hunters returned from the
north woods last night with 15
deer. Those in the party are Levi
Fellows, Fred Graham, James Ni-
chols, George Root, E. Fellows
and Mr. Harrington, all of Ot-
tawa county, and Dr. Chapel and
Charles Jones of Grand Rapids.

Harry Gordon who has recently
returned from Alaska exhibited a
silver tipped grizzly bear skin at
Nunica Ottawa Co. It cost \$50 to
get the bear mounted and the
workmanship was of the best with
the head and claws all left on. It
measured eight and one-half feet
and the weight is 90 pounds.

For their marked distinction in
scholarship and research, Mr. Ed-
ward Wichers, '13, and Mr.
Harry Kremers, '13, have been
honored by their election to the
George Heldema, West 19th St.,
honorary chemical fraternity of
national organization. Both Mr.
Kremers and Mr. Wichers are as-
sistants in chemistry in the Uni-
versity of Illinois.—The Anchor.

The little girls and little boys
in the local schools, including both
public schools and School for
Christian Instruction, will have
an opportunity this year to
compete for prizes offered by the
local committee in the Red Cross
seal selling campaign, according to
a story appearing in the Friday,
Nov. 27, issue.

A very pretty wedding occurred
Wednesday evening at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. G. Boyenga on
East Eighth St. when Dick
Schaffner and Miss Jennie Boyenga
were united in marriage, the
Rev. P. A. Hoekstra officiating.

Miss Nellie Churchford, head of
the Holland City Rescue mission,
left today for Clarksville, Mich.,
where she will conduct a series of
revival meetings lasting ten days
in one of the churches of that place.

The Holland High school alumni
football team went down to a
22 to 7 defeat before the fierce
charge of Ashley, Sirrine, Cap-
pon and Irving yesterday after-
noon on the 19th St. field. Over
400 witnessed the game.

The Rev. R. B. Kuiper expects
to preach his farewell sermon as
pastor of the Christian Reformed
church at Overisel next Sunday.
He will be ordained as pastor of
West Leonard Street Christian
Reformed church in Grand Rapids
Sunday, Dec. 6. Rev. Kuiper
has served the Overisel church
for two years and this field was
his first charge.

The Rev. Henry J. Veldman,
pastor of the First Reformed
church, is confined to his home on
account of illness. During his
ministry of nearly 20 years he has
been absent from the pulpit only
two Sundays on account of sick-
ness.

Ann Arbor—The twelfth annual
state's boys conference convenes
today with 2,000 delegates regis-
tered from nearly every county
in the lower peninsula of Michigan
and hundreds of boys from the
larger cities of the state.

The fearful toll of the dreaded
hoof and mouth disease in Fill-
more township and vicinity so far
has been 288 head of cattle and
176 swine, and this afternoon a
herd of 16 cattle and 10 swine on
the farm of John Helder were ap-
praised and slaughtered. The
news story appeared in the Sat-
urday, Nov. 28, issue.

The Rev. M. Van Vessem, pas-
tor of the Christian Reformed
church of Graafschap has accept-
ed the call extended to him a few
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A beautiful candlelight wedding
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daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.
J. Cordes, 519 River St., Spring
Lake, became the bride of Ken-
neth De Waard, son of Mr. and
Mrs. C. De Waard, 139 West 15th
St., Holland. The Rev. Gareth Kok
performed the double ring service
at 7:30 p.m. before a setting of
palms, ferns, bouquets of snap-
dragons and lilies and candelabra.

Miss Alma Vander Hill, organ-
ist played the Lohengrin and Men-
delsohn wedding marches. Henry
Ten Hoor, soloist, sang "I Love
You Truly," "Because" and "The
Lord's Prayer."

The bride wore a white satin
gown with a full skirt of Chan-
tilly lace and short train. It was
fashioned with a low neckline and
long sleeves. Her fingertip veil
was held in place by a satin halo
and she carried an all-white bou-
quet of tulips, snapdragons and
carnations.

Mrs. William Watterton, sister
of the bride, was matron of honor.
The bridesmaids were the Misses
Lorraine Boneberg and Maxine
McKay, Mrs. Kenneth De Kraker
and Mrs. Alfred Cordes. They
wore identical gowns of aqua
tulle with matching hats and
long white mitts. The matron of
honor carried a bouquet of red
tulips, snapdragons and carnations
and the bridesmaids carried
bouquets of pink tulips, snapdragons
and carnations. Flower girl
Mary De Waard wore a white silk
organdy gown and carried a bou-
quet of white snapdragons.

Roger De Waard, brother of
the groom, was best man. Ushers
were Kenneth Michielson, Arthur
Van Dyke, Bud Van Lopik and
Louis Van Dyke.

A reception for 90 guests was
held at the Woman's Literary
club where a buffet supper was
served. Bouquets of tulips and
snapdragons decorated the room.

Guests were present from Grand
Haven, Grand Rapids, Canaville,
Zeeland, Hudsonville and Coop-
ersville. Other out-of-town guests
were Mr. and Mrs. Art Bick of
Cleveland, O., Mr. and Mrs. A. J.
Cordes, Jr., of Pontiac and Mrs.
William Watterton of Indian-
apolis, Ind.

Mrs. De Waard has lived in
Spring Lake for three years. She
was graduated from Grand Haven
High school and attended the
School of Beauty Culture, Grand
Rapids. She is employed as a
beautician. Mr. De Waard was
graduated from Holland High
school and at present is a student
at Hope college.

The couple left on a wedding
trip. For traveling she wore a grey
suit with black accessories and a
corage of gardenias.

Poultrymen Join National Program To Improve Flocks

Michigan Hatcheries Increase Activities In State Progress

Each year, more and more Michigan hatcheries are participating in the national poultry and turkey improvement plans. The organization is sponsored by the bureau of animal industry of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and was designed to improve poultry by establishing progressive breeding standards, pullorum control and eradication classes.

H. C. Zindel, extension poultryman at Michigan State college, says that in 1945-46, only 48 of Michigan's 378 chicken hatcheries participated in the plan. In this 1946-47 season, a total of 88 hatcheries are co-operating. This represents an increase of 83 per cent in hatcheries participating in the program.

Eight turkey hatcherymen joined forces to operate under the national turkey improvement plan in 1946. During the 1946-47 season, 24 hatcheries are co-operating. This represents a 200 per cent increase.

The Michigan State Poultry Improvement association is the organization responsible for the supervision of both turkey and poultry plans. A new turkey organization was formed in November. Twenty-three charter turkey hatchery members who operate under the national plan formed the association.

Control of pullorum disease is one of the big goals of the Michigan State Poultry Improvement association. In 1946 it started a program for sponsoring a pullorum law for Michigan. This law would make selling in or shipping into the state any chick, poult, or breeding stock infected with pullorum a misdemeanor. The bill is being introduced in the 1947 legislature.

The national plan has increased since its inception in 1935 to the point where 47 states are now co-operating. There are 3,952 hatcheries co-operating in the nation. These hatcheries account for about half the total production of the United States.

Yellowstone national park has an average elevation of 8,000 feet.

Cheese produced in the U. S. increased from 475,328,000 pounds in 1919 to more than 837,000,000 pounds in 1939.

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Local Group at Scout Show in Grand Rapids

Holland and the Ottawa-Algonquin Council of Boy Scouts were well represented at a Scoutorama in Grand Rapids elvic auditorium Saturday night in which Grand Rapids Scouts staged a merit badge show in the basement and a pageant and camp demonstration in the main auditorium. The auditorium was filled with uniformed Scouts.

Among the local group present were L. D. McMillin, Elmer Northuis, Peter Kromann, Earl Vandenberg, Donald E. Kyger, Niles Hansen, Elmore Van Lente and Otto Drael of Holland, Miner Meindertama of Zeeland, Elmer Reenders and Freeman Barney of Spring Lake and Robert Wilcox of Coopersville.

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Woman, Critically Ill for Six Weeks, Succumbs

Grand Haven, Feb. 25 (Special) —Mrs. John Nelthorpe, 58, of Grand Haven, died in Muskegon Osteopathic hospital at 5:25 p.m. Monday. She had been critically ill for six weeks.

She was born in Maple Grove near Montague Feb. 15, 1889, and had lived in Grand Haven for 30 years. She was formerly Jennie Hasseldahl. She was a member of First Baptist church and the Bethany Circle.

The Nelthorpes were married May 7, 1921.

Besides the husband, she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Murie of Grand Haven and Mrs. Emma Binns of Whitehall; two brothers, Oscar Hasseldahl of Whitehall and Albert of Muskegon.

The body was taken to the Van Zantwick and Ayres funeral home. Funeral arrangements had not been completed today.

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Heart Attack Fatal for Grand Haven Woman

Grand Haven, Feb. 25 (Special) —Mrs. Phes C. Kieft, 60, died in Municipal hospital at 1:30 p.m. Monday following a heart attack. Although she had been in ill health for several years, her death was unexpected.

She was born in Grand Haven Feb. 16, 1887. She lived in Grand Rapids for a short time. She was a member of Second Christian Reformed church, the Ladies Aid society and Tuesday's Musicals, and had taken an active part in civic affairs. The Kiefts were married in Grand Haven Aug. 17, 1911.

Surviving are the husband; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Ream of Mt. Clemens and Mrs. Helen Mulder of Kalamazoo; three sisters, Mrs. Emma Van Dree and Mrs. Edwin Heeringa of Holland and Mrs. Stanley Hilt of Riverside, Calif.; a brother, John Fisher of Garden City, Kans., and a granddaughter.

The body was taken to the Kinema funeral home where services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday with the Rev. E. J. Tanis officiating. Burial will be in Lake Forest cemetery.



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(From Thursday's Sentinel)
Friday at 2:30 p.m. the annual World Day of Prayer will be observed with a service at the Second Reformed church. This service is annually held the first Friday in Lent and is observed in 51 countries.

The meeting will be in charge of Mrs. G. J. Van Hoven, president of Mubsheraat society. Miss Dorothy Van Voorst will sing a solo, Miss Antoinette Van Koevring will be organist. Mrs. W. Van Asselt, Jr., will present the projects and briefly explain the five causes of the offering to be received.

Miss Gertrude Holkeboer, affiliated with the Madison Square Gospel Center in Grand Rapids will be guest speaker. She will speak on "Intercessory Prayer." She is a sister of Miss Tena Holkeboer of China and is a powerful speaker.

The theme of the meetings held in various parts of the world is "Make Level in the Desert a Highway for Our God."

Mrs. J. P. Kline and daughter Mary Lou of Fremont are visiting at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Hilbert, Central Ave.

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Zeeland Literary club will hold its next meeting in the club room at the City Hall, Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. The meeting will be the annual Senior High school girls' tea. Mrs. Charles M. Hauser of Grand Rapids will appear in costume as she discusses "We Go to Mexico." Background music will be presented by the Zeeland High school string ensemble under the direction of Frederic Mummia. Tea will be served by Mrs. C. Post's committee. Hostesses will be Mrs. M. Lubbers and Mrs. J. D. Wyngarden.

Mrs. H. Bouwens of Detroit is visiting at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Gerrit Veneklasen, Church St. Mrs. Veneklasen, who fractured her wrist and hip is receiving treatment at Zeeland hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Van Kley and Mr. and Mrs. J. Moeke are on a three weeks' vacation trip to Florida.

John Kamps of Texas is spending a few days visiting his brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kamps, Church St.

Sgt. Wilbert Kraak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kraak, Ottawa St., is home on terminal leave and expects an honorable discharge soon. He has been in service for 21 months and was recently at Camp Stoneman, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Korstanje of Caledonia were recent visitors at the home of their mother, Mrs. Henry Faber and other relatives. The monthly baby clinic sponsored by Zeeland Literary club will be held at the City hall Wednesday afternoon from 1:30 to 4 p.m. Babies one year and under of Zeeland and vicinity are eligible to receive examination and advice on treatment and diet. A local physician and a county registered nurse conduct the clinic.

After a season of prayer in which several participated Miss Dorothy Van Voorst sang "The Lord's Prayer." She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Donna Van Voorst.

Members of the Senior C. E. society of Second Reformed church will meet at the church at 7:30 p.m. tonight for a toboggan party. Refreshments will be served in the church parlors. The weekly meeting of the society will be Wednesday at 7 p.m.

The Rev. W. J. Hilbert filled a preaching engagement at the First Reformed church of Detroit Sunday. Prof. Lester J. Kuyper of Wesleyan Theological seminary was guest preacher at Second Reformed church.

Tonight at 7:45 p.m. a meeting of the Service Chain will be held at First Reformed church. Members are asked to bring offerings for Mescalero mission.

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Harvey Hoekstra To Be Missionary

Grand Haven, Feb. 20 (Special) —Mr. and Mrs. Harvey T. Hoekstra, route 1, Grand Haven, formerly of Holland, have been appointed missionaries for the Anglo-Egyptian South Sudan Mission in Africa, and will leave for Africa after studying at some university in the United States.

The appointment was made this week by the Kalamazoo headquarters of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Reformed Church in America. The African mission is a co-operative mission of the Reformed and United Presbyterian churches, and is headed by the Rev. Donald W. McClure, who spoke in Holland a few weeks ago.

The Hoekstras eventually will work with the Rev. and Mrs. J. Robert Swart who also have been assigned to the mission. Rev. Swart, a graduate of Western Theological seminary, and Mrs. Swart are at present studying farming at Cornell university.

Hoekstra, who has been student pastor at Hope Reformed church, formerly Bignell chapel, for three years, will be graduated from Western seminary in May. When the Hoekstras leave for Africa, they will be accompanied by their small son.

Child Hit by Car

Russel Hoekman, 22-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoekman, of 28 West 21st St., was treated by a local physician for bruises received at 1 p.m. Monday when he was hit by a car driven by a neighbor, Charles P. Thompson, 29, of 24 West 21st St. Thompson was backing his car in his driveway.

7:45 p.m. Wednesday, "The Faith" and "The Creed of Christendom" will be the discussion topics.

A Ladies Aid meeting will be held in the church parlors of Second Reformed church at 2:30 p.m. Thursday. Hostesses will be Mrs. J. Baar and Mrs. E. M. Den Herder. Mrs. C. Van den Bosch will lead devotions.

Darlene Berghorst was in charge of the Junior C. E. meeting at First Reformed church. Elwood Wyngarden conducted the Intermediate C. E. meeting and the Senior C. E. meeting was led by Bertus Pyle and Douglas Elzinga.

Ward Ver Hage was leader at the Intermediate C. E. meeting in Second Reformed church, discussing "Our Neighbors at the Crossroads."

"A Later Incident in Jerusalem" will be the theme for the First Reformed church midweek service Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

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Federation to Launch Church Advertising

The board of the Federation of Men's Bible Classes of churches in Holland and vicinity is completing plans to sponsor a church advertising program through local newspapers, it was announced today.

If enough enthusiasm is shown for the program, the board plans to branch out still further in its advertising program.

Plans will be submitted to the federation at its next meeting March 10 in First Methodist church. Plans are under way for an interesting meeting.

Thomas Van Dahm is president of the federation.

Beaverdam

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Corneal Vereeke, who have been staying with their children Mr. and Mrs. Willard Vereeke for several months, moved last week into the house they purchased, remodeled and moved east of the Reformed church.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stegehuis celebrated their 45th anniversary Saturday Feb. 22. The day was spent in Grand Rapids with their children and grandchildren.

A beautiful bouquet of roses was placed in the church Sunday by Mrs. John De Boer and son in memory of Cpl. John De Boer who was killed in Germany two years ago Feb. 27.

Gerald Huyser was the leader in the Christian Endeavor Sunday, discussing the topic "When Nations Apply the Golden Rule."

The World Day of Prayer for women was well attended at the chapel by the women from Vriesland and Beaverdam. Mrs. H. Rozendal presided. Mrs. William Moerdyk of the Arabian mission was guest speaker.

John Posma has been confined to his home with gall bladder trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowman visited at the homes of G. Kuyers in Borculo and John Driesenga of North Blendon last week.

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Mr. Valkema began the tire business in 1922 and opened his own business in February, 1935. In 1936 he took an agency for General Tires and in 1938 he began recapping tires with the Hawkins system of retreading. He moved to his present location in 1941.

Mr. Valkema has the new Schildmeir Seal Line wheel balancer to give customers the most up-to-date service on wheel balancing.

The owner opened a branch store at 18 South First St., Grand Haven, a few months ago.

CLUB ORGANIZED
Coopersville, Feb. 27 — Robert L. Leigh of Grand Rapids has been elected president of Coopersville's new Rotary club which will hold luncheons on Mondays. Other

officers are Joseph Kammeraad, vice-president; Elroy Mosher, secretary; Dr. Harold Schwartz, treasurer; and Harold Laug, Wesel Shears and Howard Cowen, directors. The new club is sponsored by Rotary clubs of Grand Haven and Grandville. It has 40 members.

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Hope Needs Alma Win To Clinch Undisputed Possession of Crown

Hope college's Flying Dutchmen copped at least a share of the MIAA championship at the Holland Armory Friday night when they defeated Hillsdale 72-36. The Dutch are now assured of a tie in the conference race, and need only a victory over Alma next week to take undisputed possession of the league title. Their closest rival is second place Albion upset victors over Kalamazoo Friday night, but the Britons already have one more defeat than the locals.

Hope seemed to find their shooting eyes again in the Hillsdale contest as they poured in counters from all angles after a slow start. Coach Hinga had plenty of opportunity to substitute as the Hopeites piled up a commanding lead early in the second half.

The contest got off to a slow beginning with neither Hope or Hillsdale being able to find the hoop. Coach Harold Westerman instructed his boys to play the same style of game as they did against the Hornets earlier in the week. This was a slow deliberate style of play with emphasis on ball control. The Dales refused to shoot until their revolving offense allowed them close in shots which were few and far between.

This style of play and the inability of the Hope "big guns" to score kept Hope to a slim 13-7 lead with 12 minutes already played in the contest. Then the bottom fell out of the Hillsdale strategy as De Vette and Van Dis found the basket to score from all angles of the floor and pile up a 23-9 lead with still six minutes to play.

Herk Buter then collaborated on a couple of timely tip ins and a trio of foul shots to put the Hingamen on in front by a score of 33-18 at the half.

The pressing Hope defense gave the Hope speed demons the ball for easy lay up shots. Hillsdale still refused to shoot on what few opportunities they did have.

The second half was no better than the closing stages of the first for Hillsdale as De Vette, Buter and Van Dis threw in eight points in the first minute and half of play. Meanwhile the Hillsdale lads had failed to score. The contest became a rout when the Dutch continued to pile up the points to raise the score to 58-26 midway in the final period. Coach Hinga then inserted a complete new five to put the finishing touches on the near slaughter. The leading Hillsdale scorer during this Hope flurry was Forward Bud Wolgast, who contributed a pair of baskets and two free throws to the total. Hope guards did an excellent defensive job on the highly touted Gil Edson, runnerup in the league scoring, as they allowed him but one basket in each half.

The Hope second five also outscored the hapless Dales 14-6 in the final 10 minutes of play and turned in a commendable performance. Nick Yonker, scrappy Hope guard got nine tallies in the brief period he played.

The locals seem to have hit their stride again and looked like the Hope five of two weeks ago. Russ De Vette and Gabby Van Dis had no trouble scoring, although Don Mulder had difficulty. He played his usual super floor game, but was able to garner but two points in the evening's play. Hillsdale showed little scoring power although they did show some potential power as some of the starters have two years of competition left.

Hope cashed in on 12 of 22 foul attempts while Hillsdale made good on 14 out of 23.

De Vette paced all scorers with 20 points while Van Dis took second honors with 16. Gregory led the losers with 10 counters.

The Hope B squad, although playing good ball, bowed to a hot Western B squad 51-48. The locals trailed throughout most of the contest and were behind 22-20 at halftime. The Westerners piled up a good lead in the second half, but saw it dwindle when the locals pulled within three points of them at the game's end.

Van Wieren led Hope with 10 points while Rizzardi and Pigot had 12 apiece for the Broncos.

HOPE (72) FG F TP
Van Dis, f 7 2 16
De Vette, f 9 2 20
Buter, c 5 3 13
Scholten, g 3 0 6
Mulder, g 1 0 2
Yonker, g 3 3 9
Korver, b 1 0 2
Daiman, f 0 1 1
Ploegsma, c 1 1 3
Brieve, f 0 0 0
Totals 30 12 72

HILLSDALE (36) FG F TP
Perry, f 1 1 3
Wolgast, f 2 4 8
Edson, c 2 3 7
Mills, g 1 0 2
Gregory, g 4 2 10
Reynolds, f 1 0 2
Lank, g 0 2 2
Wells, g 0 2 2
Smeltzer, f 0 0 0
Masterson, f 0 0 0
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The federal government estimates that more than 10 million workers in manufacturing, mining and service business make less than 65 cents an hour.

First state west of the Mississippi to produce oil commercially was California.

Miss Dorothy Mulder Wed in First Church



Mr. and Mrs. Edward Plasman (Penna Sas photo)

In a double ring ceremony performed Friday Feb. 20 in First Reformed church, Miss Dorothy Jean Mulder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Mulder of 71 West 20th St., became the bride of Edward Plasman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Plasman, 357 Maple Ave.

The Rev. Bastian Kruihof officiated at the service before a background of palms, bouquets of white gadioli and white mums, and candelabra.

Preceding the ceremony appropriate wedding music was played by Miss Geraldine Walvoord, organist, who also played the traditional wedding marches. Bernard Sharpe sang "O Promise Me."

The bride wore a gown of white satin fashioned with sweetheart neckline, long sleeves, fitted bodice and long train. Her fingertip veil fell from a shirred bonnet and she wore a single strand of pearls, gift of the groom. She carried a white Bible topped by an orchid.

Three sisters of the bride were her wedding attendants, Miss Lucille Mulder as maid of honor wore a gown of blue taffeta with white net skirt and carried a bouquet of yellow roses and carnations. Misses Helen and Charlotte Mulder, bridesmaids, wore gowns of pink and blue marquisette over taffeta, respectively and carried similar bouquets of pink and white carnations. All wore matching bands of flowers in their hair.

Little Janet Spruit, flower girl, wore a white taffeta formal and carried rose petals in a basket. Philip Plasman, ringbearer, wore a white suit and carried the rings on a pillow.

Best man was Don Plasman. William Jr. Mulder and Roger Plasman seated the guests.

A reception for 100 guests was held in the church parlors after the ceremony. Waitresses were Misses Lois Martinis, Nell De Leeuw, Mary Venhuizen, Lois Por, Frances Knoll and Thelma Harmsen. Guests came from Grand Rapids, Muskegon and Holland.

Serving as master and mistress of ceremonies were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Plasman, Miss Gladys Dyke of Holland and Mrs. Delis Wilson of Muskegon arranged gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rypma presided at the punch bowl.

Mr. Sharpe sang several selections at a program and Miss Charlotte Mulder played a piano solo. A reading was given by Miss Dyke. Group singing was also included.

Following the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Plasman left on a southern wedding trip, the bride wearing a two piece fuchsia wool dress, grey coat, black accessories and an orchid corsage. They will be at home on West 20th St. after March 1.

Mrs. Plasman, a graduate of Holland Christian High school, has been employed in the office of Holland Furniture Co. The groom, who has always lived in this vicinity, attended public school at Graafschap. He is employed by W. E. Dunn Manufacturing Co.

Mrs. H. Weener Honored On Birthday Anniversary
Mrs. H. Weener, who celebrated her 70th birthday anniversary, was honored Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Vander Zwaag, 447 College Ave. The evening was spent playing games and singing. A two-course lunch was served.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weener, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vander Zwaag, Jack Weener, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weener, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Mulder, Mr. and Mrs. John Weener, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weener, Mr. and Mrs. John Baumann, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Weener.

Auxiliary Is Formed By Hatchery Women
An auxiliary to the Zeeland-Holland Hatcherymen's association was organized Wednesday night when 26 women met at the Zeeland city hall. The women are connected with the chick turkey and duck hatchery industry.

A potluck supper was followed by a business meeting and election of officers. A group picture was taken.

Mrs. John Wyngarden, chairman of the nominating committee presided. Mrs. R. J. De Witt was named president; Mrs. Robert Pool, vice-president; Mrs. John Baar, recording secretary; Mrs. L. Bensinger, treasurer; Mrs. S. P. Wiersma, corresponding secretary. The executive board consists of auxiliary officers and two members to be appointed by the president.

A tentative plan for the constitution and by-laws was presented.

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Illinois recorded the greatest number of railroad-highway grade crossing accidents in 1940 with Ohio, Indiana and Michigan ranking next, in that order.

Merchants Plan Evening Program For Tulip Time

The Retail Merchants division of the Chamber of Commerce will sponsor an evening program during Tulip Time, possibly on Wednesday, May 14, it was announced here.

President Tony Last has appointed a committee of 21 to make plans for the festival highlight. The group will hold its first meeting Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in chamber headquarters. Committees will be appointed including organization, finance, program and others.

At a recent meeting, merchants also approved plans for live tulip displays in store windows with Dick Zwiep, Mrs. Thad Taft, Miss Hazel Allen and James Boter serving on a special committee.

The main committee for Merchants' night includes William J. Brouwer, Andrew Du Mez, Edward De Groot, John Van Wieren, Harry Wiskamp, Tony Doezeman, Charles Rozema, Frank Diepenhorst, William Nies, Harold Vander Bie, LeRoy Naber, Albert Schaafsma, Paul Van Raalte, Harvey Barkel, Bertal Slagh, Joe Fabiano, Russell Vander Poel, Ann Visscher, Leona Norlin, Robert Cavanaugh, and Everett Kisinger.

Nine Apply for Building Permits

Nine applications for building permits totaling \$6820 were filed last week with City Clerk Oscar Peterson.

The applications follow:
John A. Meyering, 175 East 28th St., one-story residence, 32 by 22 feet, and two-stall garage, 24 by 24, frame construction with asphalt roof, \$4,000 and \$500; self, contractor.

Gerrit Oonk, 59 West 17th St., build bathroom, \$300; self, contractor.

Mrs. B. Rowan, 99 East 17th St., remodel upstairs to make two bedrooms and bath out of attic \$1,200; Frank Cherven, contractor.

Simon Posma, 109 East 23rd St., glass in front porch, \$75; self, contractor.

Bernard Helmus, 13 East 20th St., new cupboards, \$150; John Bouwens, contractor.

Edward Slioter, 206 West 11th St., take out bay window, \$125; Wallace Vander Kolk, contractor.

John Post, 20 West 13th St., interior remodel, new ceiling, take out partition, \$300; Warner De Leeuw and Sons, contractors.

Robert Veeder, 118 West 17th St., interior remodel, take out and replace partition, \$50; self, contractor.

Arthur Schaap, 180 East 26th St., glass-in front porch, install new kitchen cupboards and minor repairs, \$120; self, contractor.

Big Reds Forfeit Kalamazoo Game

Bill Pedler, Coach Harry Potter's high scoring forward from Muskegon, was declared ineligible in his last game of the first semester against Kalamazoo Central by the Southwestern Conference coaches and principals. Pedler played on an independent team under an assumed name in violation of the Michigan Interscholastic rules.

By virtue of this decision, Kalamazoo Central now moves up in the standings and takes Muskegon's place. Holland and Kalamazoo are now the two teams to watch in the Southwestern Conference. The incident is a bad break for the Dutchmen, for now they can only gain a tie by defeating Muskegon next week, whereas if the Reds were tie for first, the Dutch could have walked off with undisputed honors.

The fact that Pedler was playing independent ball at Fremont the same week of the Kalamazoo game was detected by Coach Harry Potter and the Muskegon High principal and all the Southwestern conference schools were notified of the act. Each school voted whether or not they thought Pedler was ineligible. The vote was unanimous that the Kalamazoo-Muskegon game be forfeited to Kalamazoo.

Gustave A. Stahl of Saugatuck Succumbs
Saugatuck, Feb. 27—Gustave A. Stahl, 76, died Saturday night in his home "Park Villa" where he had lived since 1910. He had been ill a few weeks.

He was born Oct. 23, 1870, in Chicago. He was a Christian Science practitioner.

Surviving are nieces and nephews. His wife died several years ago.

Hamilton Resident Dies Following Long Illness
Tim Poll, 72, died at his home on route 2, Hamilton, Feb. 20 after a lingering illness.

Surviving are the wife, Hattie; one daughter, Mrs. Willis De Boer of Hamilton, route 2; one brother, George Poll of Hamilton, route 1; three sisters, Mrs. Grace Wedeven, Mrs. Herman Jippink and Mrs. Albert Klokkert, all of Hamilton, route 1; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Harm Kuite of North Holland and two grandsons.



ON PRODUCTION STAFF

Shown above is the production staff for Holland High school's senior play, "Kind Lady," which will be presented Feb. 24, 25, 26 and 27 in Holland High school auditorium.

Seated, left to right in the first

row, are Carolyn Drnek, costumes; Donna Dykstra, assistant

director; Joyce Post, costumes; Elaine Koop, make-up; Eleanor

Kilian and Betty Jean Baldus, hand properties.

Students left to right in the second row, are June Witteveen,

costumes; Don Postma, assistant

stage manager; Vernon Kraal,

stage properties; Jack Matthews,

stage manager; Paul Robbert, art

manager; Bill Hamelink, stage

properties and Ethyl Kole, costumes.

Faculty adviser for the production staff and director of the play is Miss Ruby Calvert.

Former Meat Inspector Dies of Heart Attack

Zeeland, Feb. 27 (Special)—Dr. John Keppel, 75, veterinarian, died at 8 a.m. Sunday when stricken with a heart attack in the home of his children, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Keppel of route 2, Zeeland, with whom he had been living. He had visited the barn earlier in the day and died immediately after collapsing in the kitchen of the home.

Surviving, besides the son, Ward, are another son, Donald of Pontiac; five grandchildren; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Cathryn Volkers Keppel of Zeeland; and three sisters, Mrs. M. J. Duven of Inwood, Ia., Mrs. P. T. Moerdyk and Miss Margie Keppel of Zeeland.

Dr. Keppel's wife died four years ago. A retired government meat inspector, he was formerly located at Kansas City, Mo., Little Rock, Ark., Logansport, Ind., Lansing and Grand Rapids. He had lived on the farm the last four years.

Grand Rapids Man Is Injured in Car Crash

Grand Haven, Feb. 27 (Special)—Ray Wood, 42, of Grand Rapids was taken to Butterworth hospital for treatment of severe facial lacerations received in an accident at 5 p.m. Sunday on county road 663, two miles north of Coopersville in Polkton township.

The Wood car hit a snowbank causing the driver to lose control and crash into an oncoming car driven by Hazen H. Moore, 40, of Nunica. Moore received minor bruises.

A miser is a man who does not realize that he is only a steward of what he falsely calls his own.

Hope Can Clinch MIAA Title With Win Over Alma

Dutchmen Will Finish Home Schedule Tonight, Defeated Scots Before

The Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association winds up another tight basketball race Friday night with determination of this year's champion hanging on outcome of the final game between Hope and Alma.

Hope, with eight triumphs in nine starts, already is assured a share of the 1946-47 crown and could claim it outright by repeating its 66-54 win over Alma Jan. 17.

If Alma should come through with an upset, Albion would share the title with Hope for the second straight year. The Britons closed out their season Monday by beating Adrian for their eighth MIAA victory in 10 starts.

A Hope triumph will leave Albion in second place and Kalamazoo, only conference team to whip the Dutchmen this season, in third with seven wins and three losses. Alma would be fourth with four victories and six defeats.

THE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	PTS	OP
Hope	8	1	596	416
Albion	8	2	526	474
Kalamazoo	7	3	506	434
Alma	4	5	485	490
Adrian	2	8	428	574
Hillsdale	0	10	379	508

Holland Cagers Win Thriller

Coach Dell Koop's Holland Pure Oilers nosed out a thrilling 44-43 victory over the Thomas Brothers of Grand Rapids in the Central gym Wednesday night. With one minute to go in the contest, Chuck Bult, Calvin's head coach and Thomasma cager star, tossed in a long one-hander to break a 40-40 deadlock. He was fouled on the play and counted on the charity toss to put the Grand Rapids crew in the lead 43-40.

But Vern Kraal, Oiler guard, came back and sank a fall-away one hander after Merl Vanden Berg had intercepted a pass and fed Kraal. In the last 15 seconds Vanden Berg again rushed his opponents and Earl Holkeboer hit on an under-the-basket shot which was partially blocked by Bult, but nevertheless split the meshes to put the Hollanders in the lead 44-43. Bult shot once more from the middle of the court, but missed the bankboard and the locals took possession of the ball and stalled for the last 10 seconds.

It was the third successive loss for Thomasma Brothers after their winning streak of 16 games. The locals travel to Grand Rapids for their regular Saturday night league encounter and have been invited to participate in next week's

Shower Compliments Mrs. Hollis Browner

A miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Hollis Browner, the former Ruth Jacobs, was held Wednesday Feb. 19 at the home of Mrs. Adrian De Roo of Borculo. Game prizes were awarded to Mrs. John Dykeman and the honored guest.

A two-course lunch was served by the hostess and the Mesdames John Brouwer, Harold Michmershuizen and Jacob Boers.

Guests were the Mesdames John Brouwer, John Jacobs, Martin Jongekamp, Marvin Maatman, Alice Coie, Henry Kloosterman, John Dykeman, John Timmer, Hattie Michmershuizen, Harold Michmershuizen, Jacob Boers and the Mesdames Henrietta Kloosterman, Caroline Boers, Elaine Michmershuizen, Arlene Brouwer and the honored guest.

Ottawa Exceeds Quota In Paralysis Drive

Grand Haven, Feb. 27 (Special)—Vern C. Dagen, co-chairman and campaign director of the infantile paralysis drive, was host to 35 guests at a luncheon at the Schuler last Thursday. Invited guests were those who took charge of the planks which were placed on the main street in Grand Haven and Spring Lake, the three young women who took charge of the wishing well in front of the Grand Haven State Bank building, and newsmen Jack Plewes, Holland's chairman, was also an invited guest.

Dagen reported that the campaign thus far has netted \$10,959. Nunica contributed \$307; Coopersville, \$276; Marne, \$63; Lamont, \$15, with proceeds from several planned parties to be added; Hudsonville, \$90; Zeeland, \$515; Holland, \$4,919.35 and Grand Haven, \$4,769.10. Ottawa county's quota was \$8,500, of which Grand Haven's share was \$3,500 and Holland's \$4,500. Dagen said that Ottawa county is the first county in the state to report that they have exceeded their goal.

Dagen and Leo A. Maihofer, of Spring Lake, who was in charge of the planks in Spring Lake, thanked the guests present for their co-operation in making the drive such a success.

Betrothed



Miss Evelyn Diekema

Mr. and Mrs. John Diekema of 410 East Eighth St. announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn May, to Herbert Colton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Colton, Sr., of 155 West 13th St. No definite wedding plans have been made.

Hamilton

Funeral services for Tim Poll, who died at his farm home on the "Townline road" last Friday were held Monday afternoon at the local Reformed church with the Rev. Peter J. Muyskens officiating. Burial was in Riverside cemetery here. Surviving besides the widow are one daughter, Mrs. Willis De Boer, two grandchildren, and many other relatives. The family has resided in Hamilton for many years.

Mrs. Albert J. Klomparens is receiving treatment for an injured limb at Holland hospital, having sustained a fracture many months ago.

Patrick M. Barry of Taylorville, Ill., was a guest of Alvin Strabbing last week. The two were war time comrades during a great part of their training period and throughout their overseas service in Europe.

Several local church women attended the "World Day of Prayer" service, held last Friday afternoon at the Overisel Reformed church, with the two churches of Overisel, the Hamilton, Bentheim, Oakland and Dunningville churches participating. The Rev. H. Ver Duin of the Overisel Christian Reformed church presented the message and Mrs. M. Klaaren presided. Special music was furnished by a group from the Oakland and Bentheim churches. The general theme for this year was "Make Level in the desert a highway for our God."

Mrs. George Lampon attended a tea in Allegan last Thursday afternoon, when several foreign war brides of the county were entertained by the Allegan County Red Cross chapter at Griswold Memorial building in the lower lounge. Mrs. H. D. Strabbing, local Red Cross contact member, was unable to attend.

The topic "Give Underprivileged Youth a Square Deal" was discussed at the local C. E. services last Sunday afternoon by Harold Weston, youth welfare worker of Allegan county. Leaders of the Junior High C. E. were Helen Hoffman and Myron J. Hoffman.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ivan Deckert have arrived safely in Nigeria, West Africa to resume their missionary labors in Kufana, according to word received by local relatives. They traveled by plane from New York via Europe with a stop at Paris, France, where they were joined by the Rev. and Mrs. Newhouse of Holland, who also are engaged in missionary work in Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Borton mourn the loss of the former's mother by death at Coldwater. She had reached the age of 93.

Miss "Pat" Brinks, who was caring for the Gene Kempfers family during the latter's stay in Butterworth hospital, suffered an attack of appendicitis last Tuesday and submitted to an appendectomy Thursday morning at Holland hospital. She was expected to return to her home in Drenthe on Monday for convalescence.

The local Farm Bureau held its 27th annual stockholders' meeting last Thursday afternoon in the Hamilton Community auditorium. The gross sales of this organization exceeded \$3,000,000 last year, the highest in its history. A saw mill that has been in operation for a few months, and in electrical store were new business projects during last year. A large group attended the meeting, and the usual annual business was transacted, including election of officers and directors.

At the annual congregational meeting of the local Reformed church last week financial reports were discussed and distributed. Zachary Velhuis was elected to serve as elder, filling a vacancy.

PTA Meeting Held at Washington School

Miss Esther Middlewood of the Michigan Children's center at Muskegon spoke on the emotional problems of a child at the Washington school Parent-Teachers association Tuesday night at the school. The Rev. William C. Warner, president, presided at the meeting.

Devotions were conducted by Dr. J. J. Sessler, pastor of Third Reformed church. A piano solo was presented by Miss Jane Boyd. Following the business meeting a social time was enjoyed. Mrs. Henry Steffens and Mrs. Edward Damsen were social chairmen. The next PTA meeting will be held in April.

Dr. R. Lindquist Speaks at Hope

Dr. Raymond Lindquist, Orange, N. J., pastor, told Hope college students Monday that to a mixed up world, there must come the eternal God. In his first of a series of daily talks during the college Prayer week, Dr. Lindquist spoke this morning on "Practice the Christian Strategy," based on the general theme of the week, "How to Live at Your Best."

Outlining the ways to use Christian strategy, Dr. Lindquist told the students that there are three steps: Accept the assignment, create the atmosphere and make the announcement. Mistakes can't be erased by an individual, but only by God, he said, and this He did through Jesus.

Opening devotions were led by Miss Marian Dame and William Haak. The college Women's Glee club, directed by Mrs. W. Curtis Snow, sang "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked." Miss Betty Van Lente accompanied.

Local Shooters Take First Place

The sharpshooters of the Holland Rifle Club have again taken first place in the Illowa matches. In the second match of the series they placed first with an aggregate score of 1,453, one point more than their winning total in the last match. The five top men which comprised the first team were: Herman Prins, Jarvis Ter Haar, Russel Kleis, Johnny Kleis, and Don Prins. High individual was Herman Prins who fired a 295 out of 300.

Team members and scores are listed below.

Team I
Herman Prins, 295; Jarvis Ter Haar, 292; Russel Kleis, 290; Johnny Kleis, 288; Don Prins, 288; total 1,453.

Team II
Bud Prins, 286; Joe De Vries, 283; Gordon De Waard, 283; Al De Vries, 282; Frank Smit, 282; total 1,416.

Team III
Wally De Waard, 280; Tony Bouman, 278; Jim Van Dyke, 277; Henry Klees, 276; Don Postma, 275; total 1,386.

Team IV
Gerrit De Witt, 274; Paul Kromman, 268; Fred Handweg, 267; Bill Weatherwax, 261; Louie Van Ingen, 257; total 1,327.

In last week's club scores Warren Sinko took top honors in Class A. This is the first time that Sinko, a junior, has turned in this high score.

Class A
Warren Sinko, 183; Henry Terpstra, 182; Ned Othoff, 181; Bud Vanden Tak, 173; Tom Smith, 172; Loring Holt, 169; Gordon Veerink, 168; Bart Mulder, 167; Al Hoving, 165.

Class B
Gordon De Waard, 192; Gerrit De Witt, 190; Wally De Waard, 190; Jim Van Dyke, 188; Jake Meurer, 185; Fred Handweg, 181; Ave Vandenberg, 181; Don Postma, 179; Howard Working, 176; Gil Van Noord, 174; Gerrit Huizenga, 170; Glenn De Waard, 165; Gordon Huizenga, 149.

Class C
Russel Kleis, 195; Jarvis Ter Haar, 195; Don Prins, 194; Bud Prins, 192; Tony Bouman, 185; Frank Smit, 184; Joe De Vries, 184; Louie Van Ingen, 177; Bill Weatherwax, 171.

Two Thousand View Holland High Play

Persons who have attended performances of "Kind Lady," Holland High school senior play, now total 2,375. There were 823 in Wednesday night's audience.

Students worked on production and business staffs to successfully stage the drama, assisted by adult supervisors. Aiding student committees were Miss Ruby Calvert, director; Francis Drake, stage consultant; Sidney Woudstra, stage construction; Mrs. Louise Krum, art director; Ervin D. Hanson, business manager; Theodore Carter, ticket manager and Dallas Ruch, printing director.

Prayer meeting was held Wednesday evening.

Mission boxes will be passed in the Sunday school next Sunday.

The consistory of the local church decided to have the organ fund collections once a month, the same time the building fund is collected.

The "Centennial Anniversary" of the local church which will be held this summer has the following committees appointed: for the program, the Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Schaap, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frericks, W. Meengs, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wyngarden and Mr. and Mrs. H. Roelofs; booklets, the Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Schaap, Mr. and Mrs. G. Van Noord, Mr. and Mrs. H. Heyboer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Broersma; pictures, Mr. and Mrs. L. Datema, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Ver Hage, Mr. and Mrs. John De Jonge; refreshments, Mr. and Mrs. H. Heyboer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kruidhof, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. J. Van Zoeren; historical sketch, Mr. and Mrs. G. Boss, Mr. and Mrs. G. De Vree, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Van Zoeren and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Van Haisma; publicity, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden, the Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Schaap; flower committee, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Van Haisma, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage; music, Mr. and Mrs. C. Schermer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frericks, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vanden Laan.

Plans to Wed

Miss Virginia Mae Gretzinger, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gretzinger of Fennville announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Virginia Mae, to Alvin H. Strabbing, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Strabbing of Hamilton. The wedding will be an event of April 8.

Ordinary trees and plants receive an estimated 90 per cent of their nutrition from the soil itself.

Charlene Van Dyke Has Party on 12th Birthday

Charlene Van Dyke entertained classmates Saturday Feb. 15 in celebration of her 12th birthday anniversary. The recreation room was decorated with pink and white streamers.

Games were played and prizes awarded to Janet Vander Zwag and Barbara Bos. Movies were shown. The hostess' mother, Mrs. J. Van Dyke, assisted by Mrs. J. Bartels and Miss Alma Bartels, served a two-course luncheon.

Illness Strikes Hope Quintet

Coach Milton "Bud" Hinga's Hope college charges will finish their home schedule Friday night when they meet the Alma Scots in the local Armory. The Dutchmen are highly favored, according to pre-game statistics and should the Dutch emerge victorious it will mean the MIAA crown.

A flu epidemic seems to have hit the Dutch camp and has already struck four players and their coach in less than a week. Harv Butler missed the Hillsdale game because of the flu and his brother Herk picked it up over the week-end. Don Mulder was confined to his room in Zwemer hall during the week-end and Don Scholten was still ill on Monday and did not attend classes. Coach Hinga too was confined to his bed Tuesday morning for the same reason. Unless the Dutch recover from their illnesses they may have trouble with the Scots.

The Hope squad has beaten the Scots once this season by a score of 66-54. In that contest the Dutch couldn't break ahead until the final quarter.

Since the arrival of Coach Milton Hinga, Hope college has defeated the Scots 15 times while losing six. Last year the Hollanders won one and lost one. In 1940-41 Alma had its most successful year of basketball when they made a clean sweep of the 10 MIAA games and finished the season with 22 wins and three losses. The Alma club placed three cagers on the all MIAA that year and were invited to the National Intercollegiate Tournament at Kansas City. They lost out in the second round of this tourney.

This year the Scots are not as strong as they were in 1940-41 but they are still capable of upsetting a high-riding outfit like Hope. This contest will be the season finale for the Scots while the locals travel to Monmouth college in Illinois for their last game Monday.

Vriesland
(From Wednesday's Sentinel)
A large number of Vriesland women were guests of the Beaverdam women at the chapel last Friday, for the "Women's World Day of Prayer."

Benjamin Kroodsma, Jr. returned home last week Wednesday, having recently undergone an operation at Ford hospital in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wyngarden were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kroodsma.

Mrs. Clifford Rynbrant of Hudsonville was a Monday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit De Vree.

Nick Beyer of Drenthe was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. De Witt Tuesday, March 18 in honor of his birthday anniversary. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. G. Beyer and family of Drenthe, Mr. and Mrs. T. Beyer and family of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. H. Myaard and family of Forest Grove, Heidred and Mildred De Witt.

Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden was a Wednesday afternoon guest of Mrs. J. T. De Witt.

The annual meeting of the Ladies Aid and Missionary society will be held Tuesday, March 18 at 2 p.m. in the chapel.

House calling this week will be at the following homes: C. Van Haisma, H. Ter Haar, M. P. Wyngarden, J. Redder and C. Schermer.

Mrs. P. De Witt of Townline was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Boss for several days.

The young people's Bible class and C. E. met Tuesday evening in the chapel.

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Guests included Mr. and Mrs. William Hillegonds of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Donkelaar of Muskegon Heights and Miss Betty Christie and Donald Schriener, students at Hope college.

Miss Goff is a graduate of Hope college and is employed as a children's worker by the Department of Veterans Assistance, Syracuse.

Mr. Ploegma, having returned from service in the Pacific, is now attending Hope college. He is a graduate of Holland High school. The wedding will take place in August at Syracuse.

Holland Takes Muskegon Heights In Rough Tilt

Dutch Stay in Top Of Southwestern Loop; Van Dyke Leads Five

Coach Malcolm Mackay and his Holland High cagers hurdled a potential stumbling block Friday night as they downed Muskegon Heights Tigers 59-44. The Mackmen now must defeat the Muskegon Big Reds next Friday to gain a tie in the Southwestern conference.

The Dutchmen easily disposed of the Tigers and after the first few minutes were never headed. The work of Bob Van Dyke spelled defeat for the Tigers as the lanky Dutchmen practically controlled the bankboards to score 22 points.

Although the Hollanders did not show the class that they possessed in the Kalamazoo tilt, the reason may lie in the small floor at Muskegon Heights or it might be that a young team is always better at home. Coach Mackay believes it was a slight off night. Mackay expressed his views after the contest and said that he was satisfied. He is now looking forward to another tough game with Muskegon next week.

The Dutchmen started out rather weak, but after the Tigers had gained a 6-2 lead the Hollanders got into shape in a hurry. Before four minutes were played the "Vans" had the deficit removed and had built up a 8-6 lead. The Heights didn't have a chance to score again in the first quarter while the locals went on to rally 14 points and gain a 14-6 margin at the end of the opening cant.

The second quarter proved a different story and the Heights played the Hollanders even with each club scoring 11 points. As the first half ended the Hollanders led 25-16. Mackay switched his lineup several times in the first half using Hinga and Beukema as relief men.

The Dutchmen maintained this nine point lead throughout the rest of the ball game and at one point built it up to 20 points. In the third quarter Holland outscored the Tigers 14-10 and held a 39-26 lead as the frame ended. The Dutchmen were slowly pulling away from the Heights. Howell, a Heights guard, began finding his eye in the third quarter after scoring only four points in the whole first half. As the third frame ended the Hollanders had committed 19 fouls and Bauman and Beukema had four personals each. Piersma, Van Dyke and Van Hekken each had three personals in the first three quarters of play.

The last quarter was no let down for the locals and they continued to pound down the hardwood on their fast break. The Dutchmen tallied 20 points in the last frame mostly on short shots, while the Tigers played good ball and tallied 18 points. Mackay didn't remove all his regulars until midway through the last frame. After the reserves had been put in the game, Howell tossed in three buckets to lift his evening's total to 18 tallies. As the game ended the subs were holding their own against the Tigers. As the horn sounded, the Dutchmen won 59-44.

The game was unusually rough. Both teams resorted to brawn instead of skill. The Hollanders were caught 24 times on fouls while the Tigers were declared guilty 19 times. Fuz Bauman was the only Hollandier who was removed from the game on the foul count and Cater was ejected from the Tiger lineup for the same reason.

Bos turned in his usual well balanced game with defensive power. Piersma also proved valuable on defense as well as scoring seven points. Beukema's last night impressed Mackay and gave the mentor increasing hope that the left-handed forward may be coming back.

Fuz Bauman again showed scoring power as he walked off with second high honors for the locals behind Van Dyke whose 22 tallies were untapped. Bauman rallied 15 points for his highest mark of the season. Howell led the Tigers with 18 points while Moeller, forward, counted nine.

In the preliminary contest between the two reserve squads, the Holland seconds were dumped by the little Tigers 49-35. The fleet-footed Heights proved too fast for the little Dutch and the locals couldn't keep up the pace. The locals led 11-9 at the end of the first frame and were trailing 17-16 at halftime. The Tigers went on a scoring spree in the last half and the result was a 49-35 win for the Heights.

Holland (59) FG F TP
Bos, f 1 0 2
Hinga, f 0 2 2
Piersma, f 3 1 7
Hulst, f 0 0 0
Van Dyke, c 9 4 22
Huysen, c 0 0 0
Van Hekken, c 2 3 7
Beckman, c 0 1 1
Bauman, c 6 3 15
Beukema, f 1 1 3
Vander Velde, g 0 0 0
Kehrwecker, g 0 0 0
Nieuwma, g 0 0 0

Totals 22 15 59
Muskegon Heights (44) FG F TP
Hansen, f 1 2 4
McDowell, f 0 0 0
Moeller, f 4 1 9
Vander Ven, c 0 1 1
Frick, c 1 1 3
McLean, c 1 3 5
Howell, g 6 6 18
Carlsake, f 2 0 4
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Out put of crude oil in Ecuador in 1942 was 95,570,000 gallons, or 46 per cent more than in 1941.

Old School Catalogue Yields Interesting Data

Free Throws: Holland—15 of 22. Muskegon Heights—14 of 27. Officials: Clevenger and Volz.

Drenthe

(From Thursday's Sentinel)
Nick De Witt who lives about 2 1/2 miles east of Drenthe has sold his farm to Mr. and Mrs. George Pelter.

Rev. Veltman spent part of last week at Prairie City, Ia., a former congregation of his. He went because of the returning of the soldiers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tiesink attended the installation of their new pastor, the Rev. Herman Rosenberg at Central Park Friday evening.

Confession of faith was made at the local church Sunday afternoon by Miss Hilda Beyer, Miss Lorraine Morren, Glyn and Milton Dozeman and Howard Lanning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schra and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gelmer Brower and Goldie.

Miss Gertrude Sneller of Zeeland and spent Sunday with her friend Bernice Brower.

The Rev. and Mrs. Veltman have declined the call that was extended by the First church at Kalamazoo.

Clyde Morren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morren and Melvin Nykamp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nykamp have been confined to their home with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Schreuer and family of Overisel spent an evening recently with their children Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Schreuer.

Heart Attack Fatal for Grand Haven Resident

Grand Haven, Feb. 27 (Special)—Mrs. Louise Elizabeth Nohl, 72, died in Municipal hospital at 1 p.m. Friday afternoon of a heart ailment. She was taken to the hospital a week earlier and had been in an unconscious condition since then. For the last four years she had lived with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Watson McCall, 507 South Seventh St., Grand Haven.

She was born in Wayne county March 8, 1874 and before coming to Grand Haven, lived in Mt. Pleasant. She was a member of the Lutheran church in Dearborn and attended the Presbyterian church here.

Besides the daughter she is survived by a brother, Richard Haenka of Pontiac and two grandchildren. The husband, Daniel Nohl, died four years ago.

Marriage Licenses
Lester Verecke, 20, route 1, Zeeland, and Leona Wiersma, 18, Holland; Robert Smead, 23, and Doris Smith, 20, both of route 2, West Olive; J. N. Yost, 48, Allen, and Mildred Adamczak, 29, route 2, Spring Lake; Stanley P. Seidelman, 33, route 3, Holland, and Roselyn Mae Poll DeGroot, 30, Holland.

Merle A. Neuman, 24, route 1, Hudsonville, and Mary Jean Creager, 25, Grand Rapids; Russell Schut, 24, route 2, Hudsonville, and Evelyn Ruth Strathairn, 20, route 1, Jensen; Arnold B. Austin, 25, and Leona L. Stawek, 22, both of route 2, Coopersville; Guy Conklin, 32, route 1, Jensen, and Marie Whaley, 35, Grand Rapids; Maynard R. Oosting, 21, Grand Rapids, and Gladys Kleijmans, 28, route 3, Hudsonville.

Chester W. Anderson, 31, Grand Haven and Betty Johnson, 28, East Lansing; Gerald DeFouw, 26, Holland, and Catherine Westeldyke, 22, route 1, Zeeland.

Births reported today by Holland hospital include a son born Tuesday to Mr.

Car-Train Crash In Zeeland Claims Couple of Moline

Former Residents Are Killed Outright; Auto Is Demolished

Zeeland, Feb. 27 (Special) — Funeral services were held in Moline Tuesday for Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nagelkirk of Moline, former local residents, who were killed outright in a train-car crash shortly after noon Saturday at the State St. crossing inside Zeeland city.

The crash occurred at 12:12 p.m. when the '36 model car driven north by Nagelkirk, 70, was struck broadside by the westbound Pere Marquette passenger train No. 3, en route to Holland and Chicago. The demolished car was carried about 50 feet. Mrs. Nagelkirk, also 70, was thrown 25 feet and her husband's body was found in the back seat of the car.

Front tires and wheels were torn from the car and the gas tank was thrown 100 feet. It was still half full of gasoline when it was picked up. The train stopped about a block from the point of impact.

Coroner Gilbert Vande Water, who assisted Zeeland police and railroad men in the investigation, said today he does not expect to call an inquest.

The couple was on the way to visit Nagelkirk's brother, Sam, who lives just outside the north limits of Zeeland.

The fatal accident occurred just three crossings or a half mile east of a train-car crash Jan. 23 which claimed the lives of Henry Marlink, 34, and his five-year-old nephew, Larry Dale Wierda, resulting in serious injuries to the lad's father, Harvey Wierda, 26, all of Zeeland.

Arie Dykstra of 301 West McKinley St., Zeeland, was an eye witness, according to Police Chief Lester De Preë. Dykstra, who was driving directly behind Nagelkirk, said the red blazers were operating, the train whistle was blowing and he could see the smoke of the locomotive above the box cars on the side tracks. He said the car did not slow down but it seemed to turn slightly to the left when it was on the tracks just before the train hit. He said the train seemed to be going no faster than usual.

The train crew included Thomas Morrison of Grand Rapids, engineer; Al Reed of Grand Rapids, conductor; James Van Dort of Wyoming Park, fireman; Robert Cleverger and Fred Warren of Grand Rapids, brakemen.

The two victims are survived by two daughters, Mrs. Neil Voshel of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Wesley Jackson of Moline; three sons, Kryn of Detroit, John of Alma and William of Grand Rapids, and eight grandchildren.

Nagelkirk is survived by a sister, Mrs. Peter Roels of Zeeland, and three brothers, Gerrit, Adrian and Sam of Zeeland.

Mrs. Nagelkirk, the former Anna Baarman, is survived by a sister, Mrs. Sam Nagelkirk of Zeeland, and two brothers, William and Martin Baarman of Zeeland.

The Nagelkirks formerly operated a general store in Borculo. They moved to Moline several years ago.

North Holland

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

The North Holland Home Economics club met at the home of Mrs. E. Koops Friday evening, Feb. 14. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Fred Koetsier. Fifteen members responded to roll call. The lesson on the making of purses and gloves was presented by Mrs. H. Slagh and Mrs. George Veldheer. It was decided to hold an all-day meeting for the making of purses and gloves at the home of Mrs. H. Slagh Wednesday, March 5. A potluck dinner will be served at noon. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Koetsier and the hostess.

The Girls 4-H club will hold a box social in the local school Friday, Feb. 28 at 7:45 p.m.

"The Good Shepherd" was the C.E. topic Tuesday night, Pierce Maassen, former minister's son, led the meeting.

Twenty-five members of the Young Men's Bible class attended a meeting at the home of James Brower in Holland Tuesday evening.

The Willing Workers Missionary society met in the local school Monday night, Feb. 17, Mrs. Jacob Stool presided and Mrs. Richard Nykamp led devotions. The Bible lesson was presented by Mrs. B. Bosman. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Jerry Veldheer and Mrs. Fred Veneberg.

Income Tax Adviser Here Until March 15

A deputy collector of internal revenue will be available for information on current income tax problems in the department's branch office on the second floor of the post office every day except March 1 until the tax payment deadline March 15, it was announced today.

A revenue employee will be on hand until 4:30 p.m. for the next two weeks. Beginning March 10, he will be present until 6 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 14, he will remain until 8 p.m. and on Saturday, March 15, he will close the office at 4:30 p.m.



Left to right, John Swierenga, Henry Driesenga, Jack Essenburg and Arthur Grevengood. (Penna-Sas photo)

SPESQSA announces an outstanding program for Holland's First Quartet Parade scheduled March 21 at the Holland High school auditorium. The date is a change from an earlier announcement.

The program will be opened by the chorus of the Holland chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America. The chorus consists of 35 male voices and will be led by Clarence Jalving, chapter president. The important feature of this chorus is the premiere rendition of a thrilling new song, "Keep America Singing," by our local composer, Willis A. Diekema, who is a member of the Holland chapter.

The show will last two hours and will be directed by G. Marvin Brower, director of the International Board, President of the Grand Rapids chapter and now a resident of Holland.

The highlight of the Parade will be the appearance of the Harmony Halls, who are the 1944 international champions. They will start the program with several outstanding numbers in barbershop harmony and will close the show with a special arrangement of the "Lord's Prayer," by Malotte.

Matthew J. Wilson of the Program committee has also announced that three of the five finalists in the 1947 state championship contests at Kellogg auditorium in Battle Creek will appear on the Holland program. These are the Travelers from Grand Rapids, the Continentals from Whitehall, and the Town Criers from Kalamazoo.

In addition there will be the Mello-Aires, the Flexibles and the Pretenders from the Muskegon Chapter of SPESQSA, who were the sponsors for the Holland chapter and the Cosmopolitans from Grand Rapids. Last, but not least, are the Tulip City Four. Holland's leading exponent of barbershop harmony, who although they have been singing only about a year were placed among the first 15 quartets in the 1947 state elimination contest at Battle Creek. This quartet (shown in the above photo) consists of Henry Driesenga, tenor; John Swierenga, lead; Jack Essenburg, baritone; and Arthur Grevengood, bass.

For those in the audience who would like to try their hand at singing, there will be audience participation singing during the intermission period led by Cecil H. Fischer of Grand Rapids.

Ticket sales have now begun according to Neil Bergen, chairman of the Ticket committee. Seats are not reserved according to Dr. James Ward, Chairman of the House committee.

Acres devoted to green beans production in the U. S. increased 326 per cent in the 25-year period from 1909 to 1934.

Of 174 iron mines in the U. S., 68 are in Minnesota, 41 in Michigan and Wisconsin, 31 in Alabama and four each in a number of scattered states.



WINS GROWING CONTEST

Fairgrove, Michigan, Feb. 20 (Special)—An outstanding corn yield of 118 bushels per acre grown on a selected 5-acre contest plot, has won the 1946 Michigan state corn growing championship for Blenford Campbell, Tuscola county farmer, in the 9th annual DeKalb corn growing contest.

Campbell's yield, more than three times the size of the national average last year, was accurately computed according to contest rules from a selected 5-

Enthusiastic Crowd Sees 'Kind Lady,' Senior Play

Elaborate stage settings depicting the elegance of a London home greeted the nearly 700 persons who viewed the premier performance of "Kind Lady," Holland High school senior play, in the school auditorium Monday night.

The three-act mystery tells the story of how Mary Herries, a dignified and aristocratic middle-aged woman, living quietly in her London home, bestows charity upon a shabby painter. Gradually he and his diabolically clever gang of crooks move in on her and through ingenious plotting alienate her family and friends and practically convince the outside world that the kind lady is hopelessly insane.

Convincing in her role as Miss Herries is Joyce Brandt, heroine. How, with a supreme effort of courage and skill, she manages to convey word to the outside world of the true situation, furnishes a dramatic ending to the suspense-filled drama.

Playing a large part in the scheming of the crooks are valuable paintings in the Herries' home which the conspirators try to steal. These paintings were done for the play by Paul Robbert, senior class member. Sculpture in the Herries' home was done by Angeline Chandler, senior and Mrs. Louise Krum of the art department.

James Padgett, who plays the part of an American lad visiting London, made a decided "hit" with the audience with his engaging manner and comic scenes. Also furnishing humor were the popular members of the Edwards family, played by Bob Sundin and Donna Speet as Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and Virginia Montrose, who portrays their daughter, Aggie.

Lighting was also effective for the production. Recorded classical music was played between acts.

Past Matrons Club Has Birthday Celebration

Past Matrons of Star of Bethlehem, Chapter No. 40, entertained their husbands and special guests Thursday night at a banquet in the Masonic hall. Covered were laid for 45 at tables decorated in blue and pink with lighted tapers. The affair marked the 23rd birthday of the club which was organized in February, 1924.

Talks and stunts in which all guests participated followed the meal. Prizes were awarded.

Chairman for the program was Mrs. Ione Bachelier. Mrs. Alberta Simpson, acting president, was general chairman in the absence of the president, Mrs. Della Boone, who is in Florida. Mrs. Abbie Ming, vice-president, is convalescing from a recent fall.

The singing of "Happy Birthday" concluded the meeting.

Rats Bringing Plague to State

The state of Michigan, Detroit in particular, stands in the front line of mankind's oldest disease, the rat-carried Black Plague — commonly known as bubonic plague. Dr. Joseph G. Molnar, chief assistant health commissioner, has revealed that the Oriental rat flea has been found on a number of the city's 3,000,000 rats.

The plague started 47 years ago when the Oriental rat flea was first discovered in California. It has wound its way across the intervening states until now Detroit stands on its front line. In 1937 Minnesota headed the list, in 1946 it was Illinois and this year it is Michigan.

The plague is carried by rats and squirrels. The flea seems to be fighting some biological or climatic fight in Detroit which retards its activities, according to Dr. Molnar.

No human cases have been reported and it is doubtful that any will be reported, but it is one good reason why rats should be cleaned up as soon as possible, he said.

The bubonic plague forms huge welts in the groins and arm pits. This is the best known plague of three, the other two being pneumonic and septic. The latter is the most fatal of the three.

Public health officials say the disease will continue on eastward from Detroit.

Friday Last Day For Dog Licenses

Friday, Feb. 28, will be the last day dog owners will obtain licenses at current fees, also the last day that Holland property owners may pay their county taxes in the city hall. City Treasurer Henry J. Beckfort said today.

On March 1, fees for dog licenses, although still available at the treasurer's office, will be doubled, and all tax records will be taken to the county treasurer's office in Grand Haven. Regular fees for dog licenses are \$1 for males and unsexed dogs and \$2 for females.

Only owners living inside Holland city may obtain dog licenses at the city hall. Suburban and rural residents must obtain their licenses from the township treasurers. John H. Maat is treasurer of Holland township and Lloyd Van Lente of Park township.

Beckfort said county tax collections to date total \$56,343.70 or 99.3 per cent of the total tax levy of \$56,750.62.

Welcome Extended to New Pastor and Wife

The Rev. and Mrs. Herman Rosenberg and daughter, Sylvia, were welcomed to Central Park Reformed church at a reception held in the church Friday night. Henry Vandenberg, vice-president of consistory, was in charge of the program which opened with hymns and the reading of Psalm 34. Gerrit Heneveld offered prayer.

Various departments of the church and Sunday school took part in the program. Albert Brinkman spoke for the consistory, and in behalf of the primary department of the Sunday school. Mrs. Ralph Van Lente presented the twins, Jean and Janet Timmer, who gave a welcome. John H. Teusink, superintendent, gave the welcome from the Sunday school. The choir sang two selections.

Mrs. John Brower represented the Ladies' Missionary society, Mrs. John Teninga spoke for the Willing Workers Aid society, Miss Dorothy Ver Strate for the C. E., Mrs. Theodore Knoll for the Mission Guild, Justin Kronmeyer for the Men's Fellowship, and Betty Brinkman for the Girls League for Service. The latter presented Gerrit Nevenzel, treasurer, \$150 for the building fund which was raised by the girls through the sale of small wooden churches.

Rev. and Mrs. Rosenberg responded to the welcome and a social hour was the concluding feature.

Norway's coast is fringed by about 150,000 islands.

Rev. R. Veenstra Speaks At Washington Banquet

The 11th annual Washington banquet, sponsored by the Eunice Aid society of Christian Reformed churches, was held Thursday night in the Christian High school gymnasium. More than 400 persons attended.

The Rev. Rolf Veenstra, pastor of Bethel Christian Reformed church, Grand Rapids, spoke on the topic, "Christian Patriotism." He based his plea for a more active Christian patriotism on the increasing amount of crime, immorality and waste that is apparent in American life. His challenge was to become individually alert to the social responsibilities facing our age regardless of the difficulties involved. He paid tribute to the wisdom and consecration of our great American leaders and to the Christian courage with which our own ancestors founded this colony in Michigan.

Dr. Bert P. Bos, superintendent of local Christian schools, was toastmaster for the evening. He was introduced by Mrs. Clarence De Graaf, president of Eunice Aid. Opening prayer was offered by the Rev. Gareth Kok, pastor of Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church. Marvin Baas, director of the Christian High school choir, led community singing. He was accompanied by Miss Evelyn Den Uyl.

The Calvin college vocal trio, composed of Misses Elaine Beltman, Gertrude Karsten and Grace Ravesloot, sang "Recessional," "How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings" and "The Cathedral." They were accompanied by Miss Martha Bareman, Miss Faith Bos, marimbist, accompanied by Mrs. B. P. Bos, played "The Lost Chord" and "Chopsticks."

Dr. Clarence De Graaf led closing prayer.

Table decorations were in the patriotic motif with red and blue tapers and blue and white nut cups. A red, white and blue floral centerpiece decorated the speakers' table.

Arrangements for the banquet were made by the Mesdames J. Prins, Frank Brieve, Gerald Van Wyke, G. Vander Riet and L. Altena. Eunice Aid officers are Mrs. De Graaf, president; Mrs. B. Veltman, first vice-president; Mrs. L. Hoekstra, second vice-president; Mrs. G. Slenk, secretary; Mrs. J. Prins, assistant secretary; Miss Ella Brink, treasurer and Mrs. R. Boeve, assistant treasurer.

Eighth Birthday Is Occasion for Party

Mrs. Roy McFall, route 4, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Randall Brewer and Miss Elaine McFall, entertained a group of children Saturday afternoon in honor of another daughter, Darlene, who celebrated her eighth birthday.

Games were played, prizes going to Lorraine Bareman, Norma Gootee, and Rosie Van Kampen.

Others at the party were Sally Van Dyke, Shirley Dekker, Nella Riemersma, Marie Driscoll, Linda Riemersma, Grace Veen, Delores Simonsen, Patty Bell, Marcia Ritsema, Sandra Beverwyk, Wanda and Delores Bosma, Carolyn Harrington, Beverly Chispeil, Suzanne Dall, Linda Hof and Dickie McFall. Betty Donze was also invited.

Municipal Court News

Louis Bruschart, 22, of Holland, paid fine and costs of \$28.90 in Municipal Court Monday on a charge of improper passing. Others paying fines were: Herbert J. Schurman, 19, of 346 College Ave., stop street, \$5, and speeding, \$5; Edward L. Harkema, 23, of 428 West 21st St.; Theodore J. De Jong, route 2, Zeeland, disorderly conduct, \$18.90.

Sweet potatoes are the driest of common vegetables, containing only twice as much water as bonedry material.

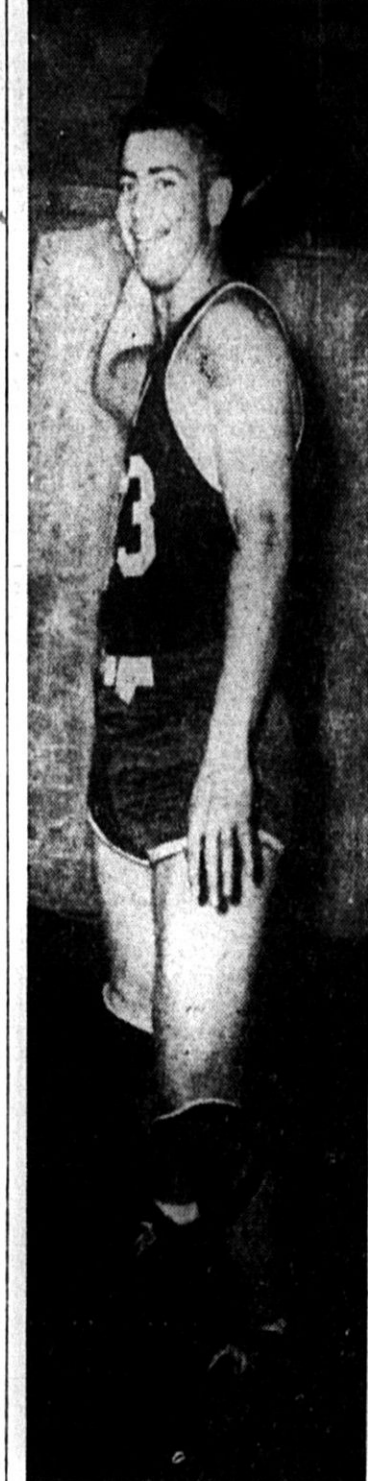
Party Held for 50th Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. William Timmer

A party in the home of their son, Charlie Timmer, Saturday night, Feb. 15, marked the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William Timmer of West Olive. They were married Feb. 9, 1897.

A social evening was spent and pictures were taken. Gifts were presented the honored couple and a two-course lunch was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Timmer and family of West Olive, Mr. and Mrs.



CLASSY GUARD

Shown above is Jack (Rocky) Walker, high scoring Alma Scot guard. Walker scored eight field goals and five charity tosses for a total of 21 points against Hope earlier this season. He has scored 105 points in the first 11 games of the season. He is short but his aggressiveness and accuracy make up for his lack of height. Rocky will be one of the Scot eagles that the Hingamen will be laying for Friday when Hope meets the Scots here.

Wedding Anniversary Is Occasion for Party

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Diekema were surprised by their children and grandchildren on their 34th wedding anniversary Thursday night at their home on route 6.

Games were played, pictures were taken and a gift was presented to the honored guests. A two-course lunch was served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Diekema, Sharon and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tubergen and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mulder and Phillip, Laverne Diekema, Cheradale Sysma, Doris Diekema and the honored guests.

Fred J. Vanden Beldt, 77, Claimed in Home Here

Fred J. Vanden Beldt, retired East Holland farmer who had lived in Holland the last 22 years, died Sunday at 11:35 p.m. in his home at 15 West 19th St. He was 77 years old and had been in failing health for the last year.

Survivors include three sons, John and George of Fillmore and Nicholas of Holland; three daughters, Mrs. John Daining, Mrs. Albert Daining and Mrs. Ervin Pommerning, all of Holland; 18 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Vriesland

(From Thursday's Sentinel)
Mrs. R. C. Schaap entertained the Ladies' Aid and Missionary society at her home Thursday afternoon, Feb. 13. Those present were the Mesdames J. G. J. Van Zoeren, H. Roelofs, C. Faber, H. Vander Kolk, J. Freriks, Ed Ver Hage and D. C. Ver Hage. Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden was a guest. A special collection was taken for lepers. The president opened the meeting by the singing of a hymn, read scripture and offered prayer. Readings were given by Mrs. Schaap, Mrs. Van Zoeren, Mrs. Roelofs, and Mrs. Freriks. Closing prayer was given by Mrs. Schaap. A social time was enjoyed and a lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Freriks were callers Wednesday of Ed Kroodasma who is confined to his home.

The mid-week meetings were held as usual last week. Two weeks ago they were canceled by the storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Syrene Boss of Galewood.

Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden was a Tuesday caller of Mrs. J. Mulder of Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wabeke were Wednesday evening guests in Grandville.

The Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Schaap and family were Thursday guests in Hamilton.

Mrs. Harold Ter Haar spent last week Tuesday in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roelofs and Emeline were recent Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Roelofs of Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. John De Jonge are the grandparents of a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold De Jonge of Jamestown Feb. 10. Snowplows were busy for several days in this vicinity last week, opening the blocked roads.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Van Zoeren of Holland were Tuesday guests of Peter Wyngarden and Mrs. Henry Wyngarden.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mrs. Elmer Boss and daughter of Grandville.

Herbert Schout, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Schout of Borculo, and Miss Dorothy Spanman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spanman of Vriesland were united in marriage Friday, Feb. 7 at the Spanman home.

The Rev. Raymond C. Schaap of Vriesland performed the ceremony. Miss Ella Schout was bridesmaid and Gilbert Schout was best man. The parents of Mr. Schout and Miss Spanman were present and brothers and sisters of the bride and groom witnessed the ceremony. Mr. Vanden Bosch sang "God Will Take Care of You."

A supper was served by Mrs. Spanman. The couple will live in the apartment of John Essink on the Zeeland road. Mrs. Schout will continue to teach in the Huyser school and Mr. Schout is mechanic at the Borculo bus shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ver Hage of Vriesland and Miss Marie Ver Hage of Zeeland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage.

Rev. R. C. Schaap preached the "Centennial Sunday" sermon Feb. 16 instead of on the 9th as most of the church members were unable to come then because of the snowstorm and blocked roads. The mixed quartet consisting of Mrs. R. C. Schaap, Mrs. W. Vander Kolk, J. Freriks and C. Schermer sang "The Old Faith" and "The Old Village Church."

The Sewing Guild met Thursday afternoon in the chapel with Mrs. H. Kruijthof as hostess.

There will be a special collection for the building fund at both services Sunday, Feb. 23.

Prayer meeting was held Wednesday evening in the chapel.

The C. E. and young peoples' meeting was held Tuesday evening. Nardine Kruidhof was C. E. leader.

The consistory of the local church met Monday evening in the chapel.

The Willing Workers met Thursday evening in the chapel.

John Elisma of Holland was a Sunday guest of Mrs. H. Ensink and John.

Mrs. Reuben Bohl of Beaverdam was a Friday afternoon guest of Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wabeke attended the funeral services of Mrs. John Meengs of Zutphen Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Hungerink and family of Holland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hungerink.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Van Haitsma were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Haitsma.

G. De Vree was a Friday afternoon guest of P. Wyngarden.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence South and family of Muskegon Heights were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wabeke.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Van Haitsma left Tuesday, Feb. 11 for Florida. They expect to be gone a month.

Sixteenth Street Church Plans Dutch Psalm Sing

Local residents who love the Dutch psalms as they were sung by Holland's early pioneers are invited to a Dutch psalm sing to be held March 6 in Sixteenth Street Christian Reformed church.

The Rev. C. Witt of Harderwyk will lead the singing of psalms appropriate for the Centennial celebration.

Instrumental numbers will be presented by students of the music department of the Christian schools. Persons attending are asked to bring Dutch Psalm books.

One pension claim from the War of 1812 is still being paid by the federal treasury.

Local Riflists Take Honors

The three members of the Holland Rifle Club who attended matches in Detroit several weeks ago have received the match bulletins.

Jarvis Ter Haar won the two position aggregate (prone and standing) with a score of 577 out of a possible 600. He also took first in the three position aggregate (prone, sitting, and standing) with a 291 out of 300.

Don Prins was third in the three position aggregate, shooting a 290, and fifth in the two position with a 570. Russel Kleis, the third shooter from Holland was fourteenth in the two position and eighth in the three position shooting a 559 and a 284 respectively. All three shooters were high in the individual matches and Kleis was high in his class.

In last week's scores, Don Prins came to the top of Class C with 196, Gordon De Waard was high in Class B, with 188, and Ned Olthoff fired a 181 to take top in Class A.

Here are last week's scores:

Class A
Ned Olthoff, 181; John Bos, 179; Henry Terpstra, 178; Tom Smith, 174; C. J. Larson, 174; Loring Holt, 172; Bart Mulder, 172; Al Hoving, 169; Warren Simke, 163; Bud Vanden Tak, 149.

Class C
Don Prins, 196; Russel Kleis, 195; Johnny Kleis, 193; Jarvis Ter Haar, 192; Tony Bouman, 189; Paul Kromann, 189; Bud Prins, 188; Frank Smith, 187; Louie Van Ingen, 178; Bill Weatherwax, 161.

Class B
Gordon De Waard, 188; Wally De Waard, 186; Abe Vandenberg, 185; Jake Meurer, 181; Gerrit De Witt, 179; Jim Van Dyke, 179; Gerrit Huizenga, 177; Howard Working, 175; Fred Handweg, 174; Ken Tysse, 172; Glenn De Waard, 171; Gordon Huizenga, 166; Gil Van Noord, 160; Roger Knoll, 152.

Personals

(From Saturday's Sentinel)
The son born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wormuth of Schenectady, N.Y., Wednesday has been named Jeffrey. Mrs. Wormuth is a former local resident.

Mrs. Dora Aye of 65 West Eighth St. is a patient in University hospital, Ann Arbor. She will be there for an indefinite period.

Dr. R. L. DeLoof, dentist, has returned to Holland to establish an office. Following graduation from University of Michigan school of dentistry he went to Detroit where he practiced for six years, after which he did clinical and research work for a dental manufacturing firm. Mrs. DeLoof, the former Alice Groters, is a former local girl.

Dr. John R. Mulder, president of Western Theological seminary, will preach at the 10:30 a.m. Hope church service in Hope Memorial chapel Sunday.

Dr. Irwin J. Lubbers, president of Hope college, will speak at the Sunday night service at Central Reformed church, Grand Rapids. The college girls' Glee club, under the direction of Mrs. W. Curtis Snow, will present a musical program at the church.

Sheila Ann is the name of a daughter born last Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Thomson of Pontiac. Mrs. Thomson is the former Natalie Morlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morlock, 141 West 19th St.

The Women's Missionary society of Trinity Reformed church will meet Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the church parlors. Mrs. Catherine De Roos will give a book report, "Waitera," (The Soul of an African Girl) by Ann Woodley.

James R. Glatz, two-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Glatz of 102 East Eighth St., was admitted to Holland hospital Friday morning for penicillin shots