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A SPECIAL DAY — Mannes Nybor, 78, (center) enjoys a tranquil moment during his busy day at West Ottawa's Golden Agers Day Friday. His amused grandson, Randall Johnson, (right) a German teacher at West Ottawa High School, looks over

a sample of his grandfather's work as another grandson, Larry Nybor, a junior at the school, looks on. The elder Nybor was one of 50 Golden Agers who spent a day at the school sampling a 1970s education. (Sentinel photo)

And Vice Versa; Senior Citizens Day Unquestionable Success

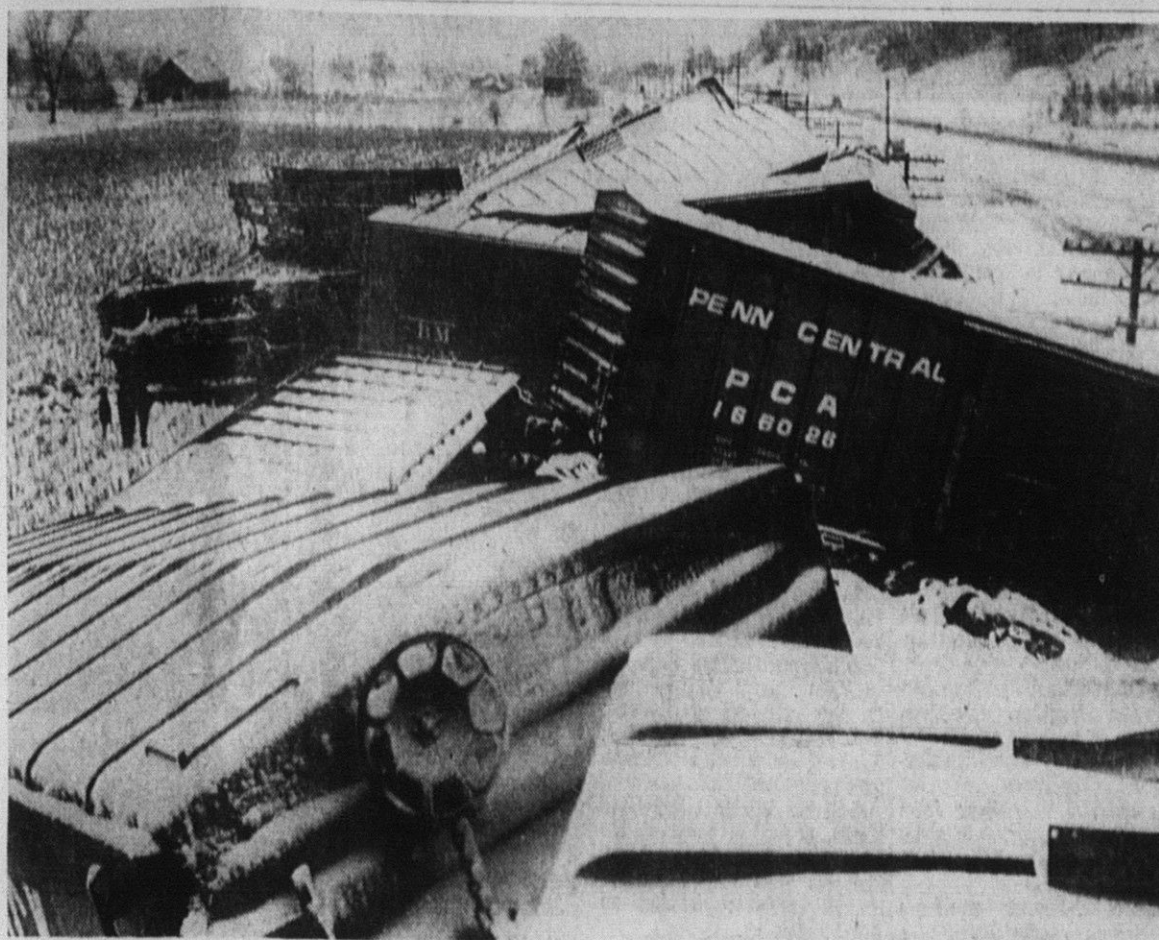
## West Ottawa Students Enchant Golden Agers

By Ann Hungerford  
"Does he behave well?" the elderly gentleman queried the West Ottawa English class. "No," the students roared in unison.  
"Let me know and I'll take him across my knee." The students howled again.  
Randall Johnson grinned. He patiently contended with the atypical, unruly student who wouldn't remain seated, who insisted on taking over his class and who reveled in telling "Dutchman" jokes.  
But Johnson rolled with the punches and played straight man to his grandfather, Mannes Nybor, 78, one of 50 Golden Agers who visited Friday at the high school.  
And if the Golden Agers could not help but cut up, the high school students were on their best company behavior.  
It wasn't just coincidence,

student council vice president, Gary Israels confided. "Sandy Herron (student council president) likes to give speeches on good behavior and taking pride."  
Miss Herron's lecture took. Male students were helping women Golden Agers with their chairs, hanging coats, carrying lunch trays and opening doors throughout the school.  
The fine manners displayed by students didn't go unnoticed. The Golden Agers were charmed and the generation gap had been bridged.  
Formulated two months ago by Miss Herron who had campaigned in her junior year on involving the community more in school activities, the project proved an unquestionable success.  
"I have a great-grandmother and I know how much she enjoys getting out. So I figured

why not," Miss Herron said. Her "why not" became reality Friday as the 50 Golden Agers were bussed to the school, oriented to student life, fed (funds provided by the student council treasury) and educated in the facilities and philosophy of a 1970s education.  
Most Golden Agers concurred that "students have it much nicer now but they have to learn much more."  
High School principal Douglas Murdoch credited the student council with originating and completing the project. "They came to me for formal approval after everything had been planned."  
Student council members said other area schools have implemented the project.  
If the Golden Agers Day doesn't become an annual event, tions.

## Train Derailment Near Zeeland Blocks Traffic



CRISS-CROSSED BOXCARS — Damaged boxcars and tank cars of a 60-car Chessie System freight train criss-cross the mainline east of Zeeland following a derailment late Friday night between 64th and 72nd Aves. No injuries were reported. The 24th car from the front of the eastbound

train left the tracks and the next 21 cars followed. Repair crews were sent from Bluffton, Ind., and Grand Rapids to clear the wreckage and repair the tracks. Traffic along M-21 was diverted to the nearby Ford Freeway. This view looks east. (Sentinel photo)

## 22 Cars Spill Off Road Bed

M-21 Closed to Traffic From 64th to 72nd; No Injuries Reported

ZEELAND — A Chessie System freight train eastbound toward Grand Rapids derailed between 64th and 72nd Aves. east of Zeeland at 11:50 p.m. Friday spilling 22 cars down an embankment and into a ditch and cornfield along M-21. No injuries were reported and crews were summoned to repair the Chicago-Grand Rapids mainline.

Chessie System officials in Detroit said the cause of the derailment was under study and damage estimates were not immediately available.

Repair crews from Bluffton, Ind. and a 200-ton crane from Grand Rapids were arriving at mid morning to clear the tracks and restore service.

The Ottawa County Sheriff's department said motor traffic along M-21 was blocked between 64th and 72nd Aves. and motorists were urged to use the Ford Freeway.

Assisting the deputies were the Ottawa County Road Commission, police from Hudsonville and Zeeland, the Civil Defense and fire departments from Drenthe, Zeeland and Holland township. The Red Cross served coffee and donuts.

The 60-car train pulled by four engines was eastbound when the derailment occurred. The derailment began with the 24th car from the front and involved the following 21 cars.

Officials said 16 of the cars were loaded with freight including frozen potatoes, butter, livestock feed, flour, paper and auto parts. Three of the empty cars were tank cars.

Officials said a fire apparently developed in a heating device in the refrigerator car containing the potatoes but the fire was either extinguished or went out and the officials doubted whether the fire contributed to the derailment.

An estimated 300 feet of track was believed damaged and in need of replacement.

Rail traffic along the mainline to Chicago was being rerouted to Toledo.

## Zeeland Farmers File PBB Suits

GRAND HAVEN — Zeeland area dairy farmers have filed two law suits totaling \$1.2 million in connection with the alleged contamination of cattle by poly brominated bi-phenyl, commonly known as PBB.

Filing one suit was Richard and Helen Underman and filing the other suit was Jack Ferwerda Sr., Evelyn Ferwerda, Jack Ferwerda Jr., Phillip Ferwerda and Bonita Ferwerda.

Named defendants in both cases were Michigan Chemical Co.; the Michigan Salt Co.; Farm Bureau Services, Inc.; Farmers Coop Elevator; Northwest Industries, Inc.; Northwest Chemoc, Inc. and Velsicol Chemical Corp.

Plaintiffs claim the defendants are involved in the manufacture or distribution of magnesium oxide as a feed supplement for livestock. The chemical companies named as defendants also manufacture PBB, it is claimed, and this allegedly is harmful to animals if consumed by them.

In each suit plaintiffs seek damages of \$600,000.

## Two Injured In Head-on Crash

ZEELAND — Two persons were injured in a head-on crash along M-21 at 64th Ave. where two-way traffic was diverted to the eastbound lanes of M-21 Monday at 11:54 a.m.

Taken to Zeeland Community Hospital were Thomas J. Schipper, 20, of 2919 Hope St., Hudsonville, driver of a car eastbound on M-21, and Mark Milnikel, 19, of Grandville, heading westbound on M-21.

Schipper was released from the hospital after treatment for lacerations to the forehead and knee injuries. Milnikel was transferred to Blodgett Memorial Hospital in Grand Rapids with mouth injuries.

Ottawa County deputies said the Schipper car apparently crossed the centerline and collided head-on with the Milnikel car.

## BPW Okays Contract For Coal

The Holland Board of Public Works Monday approved a coal contract for 1976-77 and heard reports of decreased water consumption in Holland.

Frank Whitney, BPW General Manager, said a coal contract had been negotiated with Energy Engineering, Inc., of Chicago and Toledo for coal supplies for the generating plants "at about the same cost as the coal in the inventory" at the BPW docks.

Whitney said 110,000 tons of coal would be purchased at a cost of \$2.6 million and shipments would be taken during the summer. The supply would last until April, 1977.

To meet low sulphur requirements in pollution control, two types of coal will be shipped from Chicago and Toledo and mixed at the BPW docks.

The contract was referred to the BPW attorney and city council for action.

Records showed water uses in Holland declined this year and Whitney attributed much of the decrease to lower industrial uses because of lesser production or tightening of water uses in the industry.

The BPW approved recommendations of Black & Veatch engineers for equipment involved in an electrostatic precipitator for the power plant.

General Electric was the low bidder for electrical work at \$7,460 while United Conveyor Corp., high bidder at \$15,034, was approved because its ash handling equipment would be compatible with existing equipment.

## Seymour Padnos Given State Post

Seymour K. Padnos, president of Louis Padnos Iron & Metal Co. of Holland, has been elected to a three-year term on the executive committee of the Michigan chapter of the Institute of Scrap Iron and Steel, Inc.

The Michigan chapter comprises 115 companies which specialize in processing ferrous and non-ferrous metals for remelting at steel mills, smelters and refiners.

## Two-Car Collision Injures Motorist

GRAND HAVEN — Winifred Hall, 55, of Allendale, sustained head lacerations in a two-car collision Tuesday at 3:10 p.m. along 96th Ave. a half mile south of Port Sheldon in Blendon township. She was admitted to Zeeland Community Hospital where her condition today was listed as "satisfactory."

Ottawa County deputies said the Hall car was northbound on 96th and apparently attempted to stop for another vehicle making a left turn when she lost control of her car, crossed the centerline and struck an oncoming car driven by Larry Smith, 27, of 5140 Russcher St., Allegan County. He was not reported injured.

## Rail Traffic Restored On Chessie Line

ZEELAND — Rail traffic was restored on the Chessie System mainline Sunday morning where 22 cars of a freight train were derailed late Friday night but Chessie officials said many of the damaged box cars would be removed later.

The first train through the repaired section of track between 64th and 72nd Ave. east of Zeeland was a westbound freight at 9:35 a.m.

Officials in Detroit said damage estimates were not fully totaled and the cause of the derailment was under investigation but indicated tracks and the condition of one of the cars were considered among the probable causes.

Motor traffic along westbound M-21 was closed during the weekend and Ottawa County deputies diverted the traffic onto the eastbound lanes from 64 to 72nd. The westbound lane remained closed this morning.

Chessie system officials in Detroit said soft ground conditions at the derailment site were preventing the removal of the damaged box cars but freight on board the cars was being removed and transferred to other vehicles.

The 60-car train was eastbound toward Grand Rapids when the 24th car from the front left the tracks and 21 other cars followed.

The cars were carrying newsprint, butter, frozen potatoes, flour, livestock feed and auto parts. No injuries were reported.

Civil Defense director Glen Timmer said the derailed cars shoved up to three feet of dirt onto sections of westbound M-21 but no cars or trucks struck the dirt before police blocked off the traffic lane. None of the derailed boxcars came to rest on the roadway.

## Pullman Man Pleads Guilty In Tavern Fight

Jerry Hamlet, 19, of Pullman, pleaded guilty in District Court Tuesday to a charge of disorderly fighting in connection with an alleged incident at 129 East Eighth St. in which Gilberto Longoria of 194 East Seventh St. was injured.

Hamlet was to contact a probation officer for pre-sentence investigation. Holland police said the incident began in Eddie's Bar and continued outside Feb. 14.

## Anonymous Caller Leads Police To Stolen Drug Items

Three trash bags containing items taken during a break-in reported Thursday morning at Holland Pharmacy Service, Inc., 601 Michigan Ave., were recovered from near the Saugatuck Oval early today following an anonymous telephone tip received by Holland police.

The bags were found at a telephone pole near the park entrance and taken to the Holland police department where personnel from the pharmacy service identified the items.

Police said the value of the recovered items was not immediately determined. The bags contained a quantity of drugs and other items.

Also taken in the break-in were \$700 in cash and \$500 worth of checks.

Entry to the pharmacy service was gained by breaking a window, police said.

## Motorcyclist Injured In Crash with Car

JENISON — Motorcyclist Arden Dalman, 22, of 7041 Georgetown Ave., Hudsonville, suffered a broken left leg, and multiple injuries when he collided with a car at 40th Ave. south of Chester in Georgetown Township Tuesday at 5:43 p.m. He was taken to Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids.

Ottawa County E Unit personnel said the car, driven by Marvin Dekkenga, 36, of 6663 40th Ave., Hudsonville, was northbound on 40th attempting a left turn into a driveway while the motorcycle was southbound on 40th and turned into the path of the motorcycle.

The Adams St. area is zoned for commercial and the northwest section for industrial but the planning commission proposes to return both regions to agricultural.

## Holland Township to End Strip Zoning

## Zoning Changes Draw Objections

A new zoning ordinance for Holland township, changing the concept from strip zoning to block zoning, was presented at a public hearing Tuesday night and two major objections were posed by the audience.

Herbert Johnson, chairman of the planning commission, said the proposed ordinance would replace one adopted in 1951 and revised in 1960 and follows a master plan adopted two years ago by the planning commission.

About 200 persons attended the hearing in the West Ottawa High School cafeteria. Johnson said reaction from the audience would be studied and the ordinance revised if necessary before it is submitted to the county coordinating committee for review and then to the township board.

Johnson said the proposed zoning ordinance would seek to develop residential areas from the center of the township outward from heavier residential, to lighter residential and then agricultural to eliminate the need for expensive water and sewer extensions into basically agricultural areas.

Most of the objections came from attorneys representing persons and others opposed to proposed changes in zoning at the Adams St. interchange of the Ford Freeway and the northwest part of the township near 136th Ave. and Riley St.

The Adams St. area is zoned for commercial and the northwest section for industrial but the planning commission proposes to return both regions to agricultural.

## Driver Injured In Crash At Jenison Intersection

JENISON — One person was reported injured in a two-car collision at 6:41 a.m. Monday at Cottonwood and Baldwin. Taken to Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids with head injuries was Vernon Victory, 30, of 1617 Stony Brook, Jenison, driver of one car.

Ottawa County deputies said the Victory car was westbound on Cottonwood and apparently failed to stop for a traffic signal and struck a car broadside traveling on Baldwin and driven by Kenneth Healey, 17, of 20 Sunny Brook, Grandville.



# Panthers Win But Not Dutch And Christian

West Ottawa defeated Northview, 89-83 and Muskegon downed Holland Christian, 105-66 in swimming action here Thursday night.

Holland lost at Portage Central, 88-84.

Pat Nelis set a Panther varsity record in the 200-yard freestyle in 1:50.7 and Jeff Reest set a class mark in the 200 I.M. in 2:13.6.

West Ottawa is now 8-5 for the season.

Christian's Mike VanDeVusse broke his own Maroon record in the 200-yard freestyle in 2:03.3. VanDeVusse, Denny Buursma, Scott Petroelje and Doug Leppink had a school mark 3:47.82 in the 400-yard freestyle relay.

The Maroons are now 1-13 for the season and Holland 9-6.

Results in order of finish:

200 medley relay — Muskegon. Time 1:57.1.

200 freestyle — Van De Vusse (C), Flynn (M), Duff (M), Van Dyke (M), Drenth (C). Time 2:03.3.

200 I.M. — Donbrasky (M), Buursma (C), Petroelje (C), Paquette (M), Beyer (C). Time 2:17.5.

50 freestyle — Oakes (M), Anderson (M), Koning (C), Johnson (M), Persenaire (C). Time 2:17.5.

Diving — Hirdes (C), Langlois (M), Smeenge (C), Ringwald (C), Kingshort (M). Points 21.15.

100 butterfly — De Horn (M), Amrhein (M), Petroelje (C), Cleveland (M). Time 1:08.2.

100 freestyle — Oakes (M), Anderson (M), Leppink (C), Schirman (M), Hirdes (C). Time 54.2.

500 freestyle — Van De Vusse (C), Nelson (M), Paquette (M), Duff (M), Drenth (C). Time 5:46.8.

100 backstroke — Buursma (C), Fredricks (M), Hopson (M), Flynn (M), Smeenge (C). Time 1:04.8.

100 breaststroke — Donbrasky (M), Koning (C), Hayes (M), Cleveland (M), Persenaire (C). Time 1:09.7.

400 freestyle — Muskegon. Time 3:45.9.

200 medley relay — Northview. Time 1:51.4.

200 freestyle — P. Nelis (WO), Yeager (N), Mikula (WO), H. Reest (WO). Time 1:50.7.

200 I.M. — Newton (N), Neils (WO), De Boer (N), Van Duren (WO), De Graaf (N). Time 2:11.1.

50 freestyle — Beckman (WO), McNamara (N), Benedict (N), Moeke (WO), Wheeler (WO). Time 2:11.1.

Diving — O'Hara (N), Whalen (N), De Rooz (WO), Strohmer (N), De Jong (WO). Points 19.15.

100 butterfly — Murphy (WO), Dykema (N), Wheeler (WO), H. Nelis (WO). Time 58.1.

100 freestyle — P. Nelis (WO), Yeager (N), Beckman (WO), Benedict (N). Time 50.8.

500 freestyle — Newton (N), Reest (WO), Pearson (WO), Mikula (WO). Time 5:11.0.

100 backstroke — Dangleish (N), Moeke (WO), Van Duren (WO), Manalowski (N), Plaggemars (WO). Time 1:02.2.

100 breaststroke — Murphy (WO), De Graaf (N), French (N), Wetherbee (WO). Time 1:10.5.

400 freestyle relay — West Ottawa (Beckman, Wheeler, P. Nelis, Reest). Time 3:25.1.

200 medley relay — Holland (Petersen, Sligh, Sage, Carey). Time 1:49.3.

200 freestyle — Diget (P), Derks (H), Clancy (P), Westrate (H). Time 1:50.3.

200 I.M. — Cupery (H), Biakeman (P), Sligh (H), Hammond (P), Ringelberg (H). Time 2:09.9.

50 freestyle — Bishop (P), Sage (H), Fenrich (P), Hoffman (H). Time 23.4.

Diving — Mudd (P), Joergen (H), Clancy (P), Smith (H). Points 148.55.

100 butterfly — Peterson (H), Hanes (P), Fenrich (P), Carey (H). Time 1:00.9.

100 backstroke — Derks (H), Clancy (P), Biakeman (P), Sage (H). Time 50.2.

500 freestyle — Diget (P), Cupery (H), Hammond (P), Westrate (H). Time 5:08.2.

100 backstroke — Ringelberg (H), Bishop (P), Canterell (P), Hembaugh (P), Hoffman (H). Time 1:03.3.

100 breaststroke — Petersen (H), Sligh (H), Yonker (P), Gison (P), Hallacy (H). Time 1:08.3.

400 freestyle relay — Portage. Time 3:28.6.

## E.E. Fell Tankers End With Victory

E. E. Fell's Junior High swimming team closed its season with a fine 9-1 slate by topping South Haven, 79-75 Monday in the Community Pool.

Peter Romano won the 200 freestyle and swam a leg on the victorious 400 freestyle relay. Doug Cupery, Mark Andree and Bruce Bradford also swam legs on the relay.

Tom Bamborough won the 50 butterfly and 100 freestyle while Ken Cooper took the 100 backstroke and Jack Huisingh the 100 breaststroke.

## 112 Attend Meet Of Newcomers

Newcomers and Alumni attended a make-up demonstration Wednesday evening at Holiday Inn, with 112 women present. Ms. Vicki De Hollander and Ms. Sue Nyland of the Panopoulos - Matteson Salon demonstrated make-up techniques on Mrs. Barbara Turner, model chosen from the audience.

Mrs. Faye Giles won the door prize.

After the program, dessert was served and cards were played. Bridge winners were Mrs. Shirley Whiney, high, and Mrs. Shirley Weersing, low. Mrs. Nancy Shilander was high pinocle winner.

Prospective members introduced by Mrs. Pat Withey, Newcomers Club president, were Mrs. Margaret Donnelly, Mrs. Terry Orenschick, Mrs. Lois Rust, Mrs. Betty Sayres and Mrs. Diane Streble. Chairman for the event was Mrs. Sherry Coy. Next month's event will be a progressive dinner March 20.

## Divorces Are Granted In Ottawa

GRAND HAVEN — The following divorces have been granted in Ottawa Circuit Court:

Vicki Lynn Nyhof from Kerry Lee Nyhof, wife given custody of one child.

Johanna J. Reynhout from Ronald R. Reynhout, wife given custody of two children.

Jacquelyn L. Beerhuis from Timothy P. Beerhuis, wife given custody of three children.

Ruth Ann Hutta from William Frank Hutta, wife restored maiden name of Boersema.

Jacqueline Hoffman from Kenneth Lee Hoffman, wife restored maiden name of Bruschart.

Dianne S. Smith from Randolph L. Smith, wife given custody of two children.

Walter J. Ely from Augusta C. Ely.

Earl Ten Brink from Arvilla Ten Brink.

Karen L. Van Dort from Dale R. Van Dort, wife given custody of two children.

Ruth Ann Slaughter from Jerry Alan Slaughter, wife given custody of one child.

Kay Ellen Romans from Terrence Le Roy Romans.

Kenneth J. De Boer from Gloria E. De Boer, wife given custody of two children, husband of one child.

Laurel A. Vander Laan from Charles L. Vander Laan, wife restored former name of Wiers.

Edna Van Den Berg from Kenneth Van Den Berg, wife restored former name of Elzinga.



BRIDAL SHOW—Zeeland Bridal Associates who staged their annual Bridal Show last week are pictured, left to right, Alice Pellema of de Vries studio, Millie Grinwis of Millie's, Zeeland's Junior Miss Ruth Huhta; Don Vos of Don's Flower and Gifts, Jim Smith of Van Raalte's and Ralph Van Asperen of Zeeland Bakery. They offered planning aid to area brides-to-be. (de Vries studio)

## Annual Show For Brides-to-Be Held in Zeeland

Zeeland Bridal Associates held their annual Bridal Show last Thursday at Van Raalte's Restaurant in Zeeland. Sponsoring merchants gave a continuous showing of their services and answered questions for bride's individual wedding plans.

Guests registered for prizes, which included use of a chapel-length veil from Millie's; 11 x 14 bridal portrait and sitting at de Vries Studio; wedding cake discount at Zeeland Bakery; two free dinners at Van Raalte's, and a free bridal bouquet from Don's Flowers.

Zeeland's Junior Miss, Ruth Huhta, drew the name of the winner of the prize package. She was Miss Judy Kamer of Holland, who is planning an August wedding.

## Engagements...



Miss Debi Mary Derks

Mr. and Mrs. Don Derks of Boca Raton, Fla., announce the engagement of their daughter, Debi Mary Derks, to Floyd Robert Machiela, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Machiela of 84th Ave., Zeeland. The couple will be married June 18 in Florida.

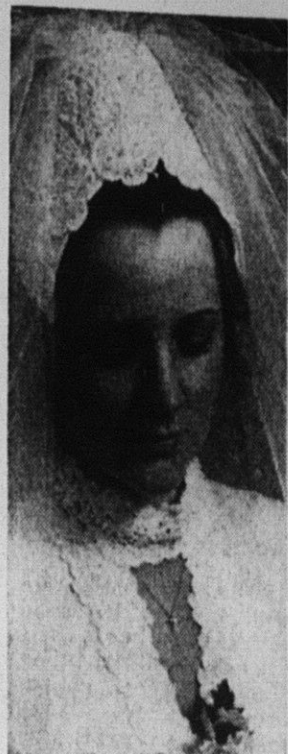


Miss Cynthia K. Nies

Mrs. Flora May Nies of 158 West 14th St. announces the engagement of her daughter, Cynthia K. Nies, to William W. King, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. King of Byron Center. A fall wedding is being planned.



# Wedding Ceremonies..



Mrs. Donald Gene Bos  
(Pohler studio)



Mrs. Roger Alan Arendsen  
(Lyle photo)



Mrs. Robert Elliot Kaniff

Miss Laurel Rae Hirdes and Robert Elliot Kaniff were married Friday evening in Providence Christian Reformed Church by the Rev. Jerrien Gunnink. The groom's brother, James Kaniff, was organist for the 7:30 ceremony and James Folkert was soloist.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hirdes and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kaniff.

The bride's gown was fashioned of crepe and featured an empire waist with Venice lace trimming the neckline, bodice and sleeves. Her chapel-length hooded cape was of French voile edged with Venice lace. She carried a cascade bouquet of blue and red carnations with white sweetheart roses. Her personal attendant was her sister-in-law, Pat Hirdes.

Sandy Krouse, who attended the bride, wore a red knit gown featuring empire waist, high neckline and long cuffed sleeves, with button trim accenting the bodice. Her colonial bouquet included blue and white carnations.

Assisting the groom as best man was his brother, David Kaniff. Ushers were Randall Hirdes, the bride's brother, and Dick Grounoud, brother-in-law of the groom.

At a reception in the church, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Munster were master and mistress of ceremonies. The bride's sisters, Pamela Hirdes and Beverly Hirdes, served at the punch bowl, and Mr. and Mrs. Steven Hirdes, in the gift room.

The newlyweds will live at 10660 Peach Tree Dr., Plainwell. The groom, a graduate of Holland High School, attends Michigan Technical Institute at Pine Lake. The bride is a graduate of Holland Christian High School.

Jay's Western Room in Zeeland was the scene of the rehearsal dinner on Thursday evening.

## Harvey S. Moraux Succumbs at 72

Harvey S. Moraux, 72, of 610 North Shore Dr., Holland, was dead on arrival in Holland Hospital, Saturday, following an apparent heart attack.

Born in Luxemburg, Wis., he came to Holland during World War II from Green Bay, Wis., serving in the U.S. Coast Guard at the time. He was a member of St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church.

Surviving are his wife, Cordelia Knoll Moraux and a sister, Mrs. Leander Rock of Green Bay, Wis.

## Local Woman's Father Succumbs

Funeral services and private burial were held in Highland Park, Ill., for Charles J. Simeons, 69, who died Feb. 14 in Highland Park Hospital.

He was a native of Belgium and had been a prisoner of war in World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Rose, a daughter, Mrs. Roy A. (Solange S.) Thompson Jr. of Holland; a granddaughter, Tara Linda Celestine Thompson of Holland and a brother, Valere Simeons in Belgium.

## Engaged



Miss Grace E. Kloosterman

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Kloosterman of Grand Rapids announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace E., to Robert W. Driesenga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Driesenga of Zeeland.

Miss Kloosterman attends Pine Rest Christian Hospital School of Practical Nursing. Her fiancé attended Davenport College of Business.

An Aug. 13 wedding is being planned.



Miss Jean N. Yamaoka

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Yamaoka of Holland announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean N., of Bellflower, Calif., to Don P. Turner of Huntington Beach, Calif. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Turner of Royal Oak.

Both Jean and Don are 1975 graduates of Michigan State University. She is presently teaching multi-handicapped children for Los Angeles county and he is a chemical engineer with Fluor E. & C Inc. of Los Angeles.

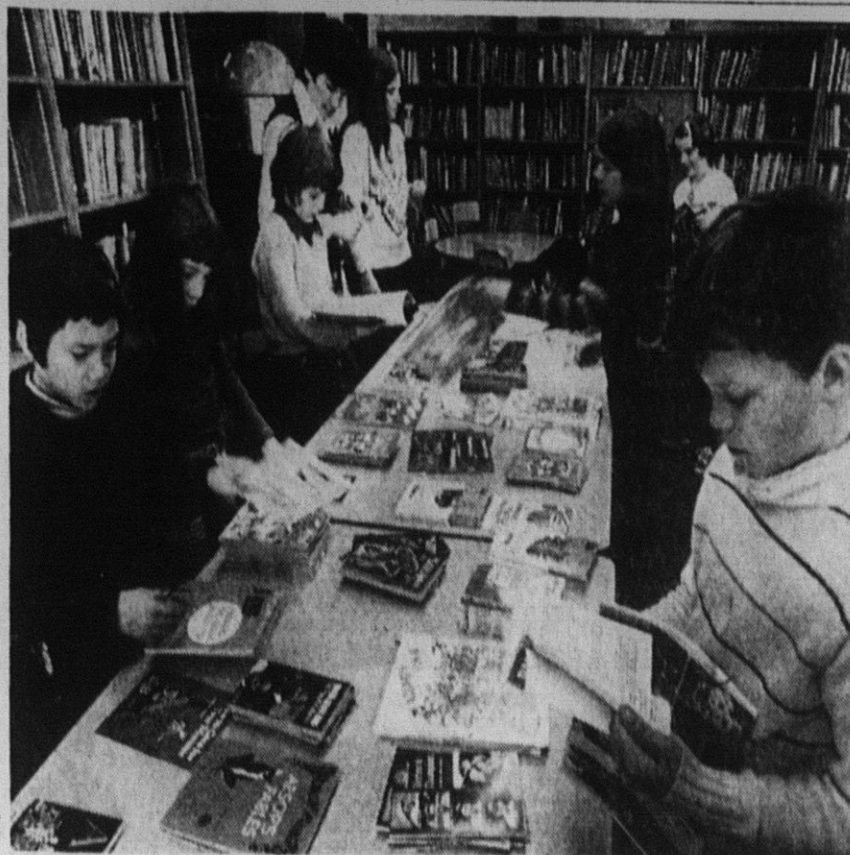
An August wedding is being planned.



Miss Pam Machiele

The engagement of Miss Pam Machiele and David Yonker is being announced by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald L. Machiele, 10781 Brookview Dr., and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Yonker, 612 West 20th St.

Miss Machiele is a nursing student at Grand Valley State College and Mr. Yonker is employed by Systematics, Inc., Zeeland.



**BOOKS OF THEIR OWN** — Hundreds of children in Holland and West Ottawa schools have new books of their own this week through the Reading Is Fundamental project sponsored by Holland Branch, American Association of University Women.

Here children of Maplewood School, guided by AAUW members Mrs. Thomas Ambrose and Ginger Wich, browse through a tempting book display, mulling their choice of books to take home. Book parties currently involved third and fourth graders.

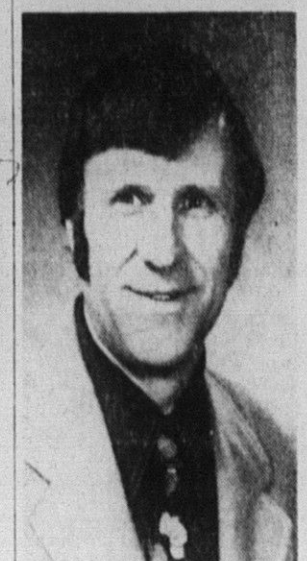
(Sentinel photo)

## John C. Watson Directs Hope Computer Center

John C. Watson, a native of Massachusetts, has been appointed director of the Hope College computer center, it was announced by provost David Marker.

Watson will direct the academic administrative and external services of the center.

He was assistant director of the computing center at the State University of New York



John C. Watson

at Albany since 1967 and previously was a lecturer in computer science at SUNY.

Watson earned a BS degree in accounting from Boston University and a Masters degree in business administration from New York University. He has done graduate study in mathematics and computer science at Fairleigh Dickinson University and Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

He served as faculty advisor to the student chapter of Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship at the State University of New York and was active in the Elnora, N. Y. chapter of the Christian Businessmen's Committee.

Watson, his wife, Joan, and their two children, live at 1211 Waukazoo Dr.

## Mrs. N. Nykamp Succumbs at 81

ZEELAND — Mrs. Nickolas (Jennie) Nykamp, 81, of 230 South State St., died Friday evening at Zeeland Hospital following an apparent heart attack.

She was a member of First Christian Reformed Church and a member of the Priscilla Society.

She is survived by her husband, Nickolas; two sons, Glenn and Foster; a daughter, Mrs. Elmer (Irene) Bos, all of Zeeland; eight grandchildren; six great grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. John Underman of Drenthe; two brothers, Gerrit Brummel of Drenthe and Raymond Brummel of Zeeland.

## Muskegon Honor Students Listed

MUSKEGON—Muskegon Community College has released the names of students winning scholastic honors for the Fall semester.

Named to the President's list for maintaining a grade point average of 4.0 was Lloyd Hopper III, 15 West 14th St.

Named to the Dean's list for achieving a grade point average of 3.5 or better were Hazel Dirkse, 125 East 18th St.; Mark Forney, 311 West 23rd St.; Sandra Geurink, A - 5861 142nd Ave. and Sherry Doezeman, 46 1/2 Washington, Zeeland.

Students named for academic honors must carry a minimum of 12 credit hours to qualify.

## Tells Role Of Indian Woman

A program on the heritage of the American Indian woman highlighted a meeting of Eta Gamma chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Anna Healy.

The program was presented by Lynn Elliott-Jordan, who is part Potawatomi and Winnebago Indian. She wore an authentic Indian dress complete with beads, a necklace of porcupine quills, an eagle feather and a headband which she made herself.

She told the lifestyle of the average American Indian woman and related contributions. The Indians have made to our society. She sang Indian songs, demonstrated dances and showed a basket made by her mother. Samples of blueberry fry-bread, typical Indian food, were given to members.

Vice President Healy presided at the business session. Mary Battaglia outlined the April 3 area workshop. Chapter members have been making items for display for their mini-bazaar booth at the workshop.

On Feb. 23, members and guests will meet at Sharon Le Blanc's home for a combined coffee and crafts demonstration. A box lunch social is planned for members and prospective members March 13.

Refreshments were served by the hostess. Chapter member Judy Le Haye recently was honored by being chosen a member of the 1976 Royal Court in a Beta Sigma Phi Valentine Contest. Nearly 5,000 photographs were entered and television star Telly Salavas selected the winners.

## Holland and Zeeland Report 5 New Babies

Three new babies are reported born at Holland Hospital.

On Feb. 20, a son, Cary James, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Van Bronkhorst, route 3, Zeeland. A son, Jeremy Joseph was born Feb. 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strowen-jans, 2241 Ottawa Beach Rd. This morning, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Olund, 2509 132nd Ave.

Zeeland Hospital reports two new babies. On Feb. 20, a daughter, Christina Louise, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Czuhai, 900 Baldwin. Jenison. This morning a son, Ryan Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Van Huizen, 10853 78th St., Allendale.

## Birdie Wilson Bride Of Donald Jackson

Miss Birdie Wilson, daughter of Mrs. John Zigterman of Douglas, became the bride of Donald Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson of Fennville in ceremonies Saturday afternoon, Feb. 21.

The rites were performed by the Rev. Charles Johnson at the bride's home. Connie Zigterman provided the wedding music.

Attending the couple were their sister and brother, Mrs. Larry Milt and Robert Jackson.

A reception followed. The newlyweds will reside in Fennville.

## Children Receive Books In Third RIF Project

Many Holland school children this week added new books to their home libraries as a result of RIF, Reading Is Fundamental.

The RIF project, now in its third year in Holland, seeks to instill in youngsters a sense of fun and excitement about books. The local sponsor is the Holland Branch of the American Association of University Women.

Book parties were held for about 700 children in Holland public and parochial schools and for about 650 in West Ottawa schools. The program is currently affecting third and fourth graders.

Books were distributed by Suglen Whittle, Valerie Ambrose, Ginger Wich, Nancy Yetman, Linda Den Uyl, Abby Woodby, Marian Woodby, Nelia Hidding, Ruth Klinge, Mollie Weber, Marian Jones, Barb Osborn, Sandy Carro, Jan Markvliet, Pat Elzinga, Joan Lalley and Anna Angell.

## LWV to Study Election Process In Michigan

The League of Women Voters of the Holland area will have their first meeting on a new state study item entitled "A Study and Evaluation of the Nomination and Election Process in Michigan." The election process is a natural item for League study as Voters Service involvement in elections is an important part of League activity. This study will also provide an excellent opportunity for educating League members as to how Michigan's current election system operates.

The meeting will be held Tuesday, Feb. 24 at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Abby Price. Taking part will be Arlene Penrose, Bonnie Vanden Bos, Eleanor de Kruij, Joyce Nielsen, Helena Winter and Pat Gorno.

Their presentations will include an explanation of the method of selecting party delegates to county, state and national conventions and the method of writing and administering laws governing elections.

They will discuss the laws governing the training of election officials and the forming of the ballot. Financing, publicizing and scheduling of elections will conclude the program. All League members are invited to attend.

## Ottawa County MD Drive Set For March 13-20

Plans for the Ottawa County Muscular Dystrophy annual spring drive were finalized last Thursday when the county chapter met at the home of Fran Bareman.

The county-wide drive is scheduled March 13 - 20, with Bill Brower and Don Kiekintveld as co-chairmen of the campaign. They report that all areas have been assigned captains, and workers have been assigned their designated areas.

Charles Schuitema, district director of MDAA, reported that the Ottawa county chapter continues to stand out as a model chapter in its fund raising efforts. Twenty-five per cent of monies received are used for patient support for the 23 known patients in Ottawa county, for wheel chairs, braces, therapy and other needs. The remaining 75 per cent goes toward national research.

Don Kiekintveld, chapter president, opened the meeting with devotions. Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dorn.

In ceremonies Friday evening in East Saugatuck Christian Reformed Church, wedding vows were exchanged by Miss Jacalyn Sue Dykstra and Donald Gene Bos. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Dykstra of Hamilton and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyo Bos of Fennville.

The Rev. John Leugs performed the rites, with Mrs. Leugs as organist and Wayne Boeve as soloist.

For the wedding, the bride selected a white knit gown with long train. Style features were the stand-up lace collar and Victorian sleeves with lace cuffs. A high crown headpiece held her waist-length veil. Her bouquet was a cascade of white carnations, red star flowers and baby's breath.

Mrs. Lon Koops was the bride's personal attendant.

As matron of honor, Mrs. Fred Van Doornik wore a red knit gown, simply styled with stand-up collar, long sleeves and gathered front. A band of red, gray and black accented her white braided hat. She carried a colonial bouquet of white miniature carnations, pompons, red star flowers and baby's breath. Identical ensembles were worn by the bridesmaids, Mrs. Tom Dykstra and Miss Ruth Kooiker.

Attending the groom were Robert O'Connor as best man, Randy Mulder and Tom Dykstra as groomsmen and Tim Dykstra and Ken Vermeulen as ushers. Todd Dykstra acted as greeter.

A reception was held at Warm Friend Motor Inn. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Van Iwaarden attended as master and mistress of ceremonies; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bos and Mr. and Mrs. William Bos served at the punch bowl.

The newlyweds' new home is at 171 East 38th St. The bride, a graduate of Hamilton High School, is employed by Lear-Siegler, Holland. The groom is a Holland High School graduate and is employed by Bert Reimink Plumbing and Heating.

## Marinus Talsma Succumbs at 82

ZEELAND — Marinus Talsma, 82, of 96th Ave. (Borculo) died Saturday in Zeeland Community Hospital following a long illness.

He was a member of the Borculo Christian Reformed Church and had been a life-long resident of the area, until entering the Allendale Nursing Home a few years ago.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Alfred (Gertrude) Kraker of Allendale, Mrs. Harvey (Jennie) Jongekrijg of Borculo, Mrs. Marian Schrotenboer of Holland and Mrs. Arthur (Betty) Van Order of Borculo; two sons, Ernest and Jerry Talsma, both of Borculo; 23 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; a brother, Peter Talsma of Holland; a sister, Mrs. Peter (Dora) Kuylers of Rusk and a two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Richard and Mrs. Gerrit Talsma.

## Mrs. Henry Beelen Dies at Home

Mrs. Henry (Martha) Beelen, 75, of 34 East 13th St., died early Sunday at her home, following a lingering illness.

She was a member of Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church, president of the Deborah Society and a member of Eunice Aid.

Surviving are two daughters, Laura Beelen and Mrs. Aud (Thelma) Pelon, both of Holland; five sons, Howard of Allendale, Marvin of Muskegon, Kenneth, Vernon and Milton, all of Holland; 29 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. James (Kathryn) Klomparsen of Holland; two brothers, Nick Zylman of Redlands, Calif. and Fred of Holland; two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Jack (Sena) De Vries of Holland and Mrs. M. C. (Dena) Van Kampen of Zeeland.

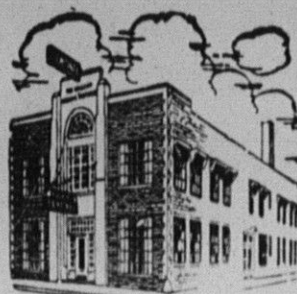


**B LEAGUE WINNERS** — The Underdogs captured first place in the Holland Township B League volleyball race this winter. Kneeling (left to right) are Diana Styg-

stra, Lanie Knap and Shirley Bartlett. Top row: Nancy Knister, Jill Hamilton, Marla Gressett and Linda Wilson. Judy Fredrickson was missing from the picture.

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#### SHOT DOWN

Last week the House  
Judiciary Committee defeated  
legislation submitted by Rep.  
John Conyers and his sub-com-  
mittee, that would have banned  
the manufacture, sale, resale,  
and importation of handguns.  
This is about par for the course  
so far as handgun legislation  
is concerned. Present legislation  
bans the importation of  
handguns but does not prohibit  
the importation of the com-  
ponent parts, so the cheap and  
deadly device can be imported  
with just a little inconvenience  
while giving some appearance  
of there being real anti-gun  
legislation.

The suggested legisla-  
tion would have set mandatory  
sentences for crimes committed  
with firearms, required an 11-  
day period before the purchase  
of a gun could be completed,  
made it a felony for anyone  
to sell a gun to a known felon,  
and would have beefed up  
licensing requirements for gun  
dealers. All these regulations  
seem quite reasonable, espe-  
cially in view of the fact that  
more and more crimes are  
being committed with the use  
of the handgun, and more and  
more fatalities are resulting  
from the mere presence of the  
fatal weapon.

For some reason it is very  
difficult to get responsible gun  
legislation on the national  
lawbooks, even despite the  
overwhelming popular belief  
that the control of handguns  
would be a good thing. There  
are strong special interests who  
are always more successful in  
making their will known to the  
legislators than are the ordinary  
people of the country. The only  
suggestion we have is that the  
legislators who favor gun con-  
trol keep submitting sound  
legislation. Eventually it will  
become clear who has the good  
interests of this country at  
heart, and then we'll get the  
kind of laws we want.

#### Appeal Board Approves Two Applications

The Zoning Board of Appeals  
approved two applications fol-  
lowing public hearings Monday  
night in City Hall.

One was an application of  
Kammeraad-Stroop-vander Leek  
to construct an office building  
on the northeast corner of 15th  
St. and Settlers Rd. and the  
other from Clark Weersing,  
D.C., to use the premises at  
509 Michigan Ave. for a medical  
office. Both approvals carry  
some conditions.

The application of Ter A.  
Marroquin, to use premises at  
251 West 11th St. for a whole-  
sale tortilla bakery, tabled from  
last meeting, was denied.

The board also agreed to re-  
consider a petition of Swift and  
Co. to erect a separate building  
70 by 100 feet at 147 East Sixth  
St. The board granted per-  
mission at a hearing Jan. 28 but  
denied a seven-foot setback at the  
west property line. It is  
this setback which will be re-  
viewed.

#### Earn One Ratings Holland Vocalists

Holland High School vocal  
music students performed at  
the Michigan School Vocal  
Association District 7 Solo and  
Ensemble Festival at Grand  
Valley State Colleges Saturday.

First Division certificates  
were received by the Madrigal  
Ensemble; a duet by sopranos  
Beth Botsis and Judy Pennell;  
and soloists Bevan Bloemendaal,  
Beth Botsis and Sally Van Ark.  
Second Division was awarded  
Dianne Mac Vane and Judy  
Pennell. The First Division stu-  
dents are eligible to take part  
in the State Solo and Ensemble  
Festival on April 3.

The students were accom-  
panied by Harvey Meyer, vocal  
music director at the high  
school.



Mrs. Jay Harvey Nienhuis  
(Van Den Berge photo)

#### Carla Weller, Jay H. Nienhuis Exchange Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Harvey  
Nienhuis are honeymooning in  
Florida following their mar-  
riage Friday, Feb. 20, in First  
Reformed Church. The bride  
is the former Carla Jean Wel-  
ler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
Robert Weller, 374 West 31st  
St. The groom is the son of  
Mr. and Mrs. Al Molewyk, 0-  
3329 120th Ave., and the late  
Harvey J. Nienhuis.

The wedding rites were per-  
formed by the Rev. Vernon  
Hoffs. Mrs. Judy Hoffs was  
organist and Mrs. Lynelle  
Pierce, soloist.

Members of the wedding party  
were Mrs. Deb Wierenga as  
matron of honor; Miss Ruth  
Weller and Miss Evon Nienhuis,  
sisters of the bride and groom,  
as bridesmaids; Michael Wier-  
enga, who attended the groom  
as best man, and Dennis Nien-  
huis, brother of the groom, and  
Bill Riemersma, as groomsmen.

The bride chose a floor-length  
gown of white velvet featuring  
an empire waist and long fitted  
sleeves. The scoop neckline,  
sleeves and detachable chapel  
train were accented with venice  
lace and edged with self ruf-  
fles. Her elbow-length three-  
tiered veil fell from a match-  
ing headpiece. She carried a  
colonial bouquet of white sweet-  
heart roses, stephanotis and  
blue-tinted baby's breath.

Gowns of blue velvet, featur-  
ing empire waists, high neck-  
lines and bishop sleeves, were  
worn by the bridal attendants.  
Venice lace accented the bodices  
and encircled the waists and  
cuffs. Their white pearl straw  
picture hats were accented with  
blue velvet bows and streamers  
and they carried white fur  
muffs.

Leisure Acres was the scene  
of the reception, where Mr. and  
Mrs. Tom Weller presided as  
master and mistress of cere-  
monies. Mr. and Mrs. Jim  
Weller served at the punch  
bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce  
Klingenburg and Mr. and Mrs.  
Phil Miller, at the gift table,  
and Miss Kathy Weller, guest  
book.

The new Mrs. Nienhuis is em-  
ployed as a secretary at Miles  
Laboratories. The groom is a  
fireman with the Holland Fire  
Department.



David C. Spallinger

#### Continental Picks David Spallinger Chief Technician

David C. Spallinger has been  
named chief technician for the  
new cable communications  
system under construction in  
Holland, it was announced by  
Roderick A. MacLeod, regional  
vice president of Continental  
Cablevision.

Spallinger was senior  
technician at Continental Cable-  
vision of Michigan, Inc. in Jack-  
son and the family has moved to  
Holland.

He will be in charge of con-  
struction of 90 miles of cable  
that will serve 8,000 homes in  
the Holland area and assumes  
supervisory responsibility for  
the installation of the cable  
communications serving into  
subscriber homes.

Spallinger also will be in  
charge of technical maintenance  
of the system and technical  
aspects of local origination  
programs in Holland.

## Hope Falls to Nationally Rated Free Throw Squad

### Olivet Is Deadly From Foul Line

By Leo Martonosi

The Olivet Comets showed  
why they have been ranked na-  
tionally this season in free throw  
accuracy Wednesday night in  
Civic Center, as they defeated  
Hope College's basketball team,  
61-46.

Olivet not only leads the MIAA  
from the foul line with a 75 per  
cent clip but improved that by  
74 per cent by netting a torrid  
25 of 28 attempts.

Once again, Hope finished the  
game with more field goals than  
its opponent (20-18) but had  
only 12 attempts from the char-  
ity lane and swished six for  
an even 50 per cent mark.

From the floor, the Dutch-  
men were 20 of 52 for 38 per  
cent compared to 18 of 47 for  
39 per cent for the Comets.

The loss was a school record  
seventh in a row in the MIAA.  
Hope is now 2-9 in the loop and  
9-12 for the season. The Comets,  
who may be the best place team  
in the league, ended the season  
with an overall 7-15 slate. Coach Gary Morrison's  
crew is 2-10 in the MIAA. How-  
ever, the Comets have lost more  
than its share of close games,  
as four of five contests were de-  
cided by two points and the  
other went into overtime.

Before the game Morrison  
said, "This team I have here  
would be a title contender in  
the league when I first started  
coaching. There are no longer  
any palsies in the MIAA."

Morrison insisted after the  
game that he was just trying  
to get Hope to come out of its  
zone defense and that he had  
no intentions of stalling.

"However, in the last two  
minutes we planned on stalling  
all the way," he continued.  
After Hope missed the first  
attempt from the field, the  
Comets didn't take a shot for  
the first four minutes. After  
Olivet turned the ball over a  
couple of times, Hope's Chris  
Peterson banged home two  
jumpers to give his club a 4-0  
margin.

The Dutchmen increased their  
lead to 10-2 and 18-4 behind the  
hot hand of Peterson, who  
cannied his first five fielders.

With Hope leading, 20-12 and  
3:02 left in the half, the Comets  
soared back to take a 21-20 lead  
advantage. Wayne Van Dyke's  
free throw had 21 read all over  
it. The score was 21-21 and  
there were 21 seconds to play  
in the half.

Hope missed a couple of key  
layups at the outset of the sec-  
ond half and a free throw that  
Coach Russ DeVette later felt  
was the turning point in the  
game.

"Even though we were still  
in the game with a little more  
than three minutes to play, the  
momentum could have swung  
our way if we would have made  
those earlier shots," sighted  
DeVette.

Peterson fouled out with 3:21  
left and the score 44-40 in favor  
of Olivet. While the Comets  
were playing keep away, the  
Dutchmen had to foul in hopes  
that Olivet would miss. But  
miss they didn't. Olivet sank  
13 free throws in a row to wrap  
up the contest.

John Sibley, who tossed in  
nine free throws in a row, was  
the game's high scorer with 15  
points. Al Westendorp, a fresh-  
man from Lake Odessa, last  
year's state Class B champs,  
followed with 14. Randy Sharpe,  
another substitute, chipped in  
with 13.

Peterson, who only took one  
shot from the floor in the sec-  
ond half, finished with 12 mark-  
ers. Dan Van Pernis added 10.  
This has been a disappointing  
season for DeVette and his  
cagers.

Said DeVette, "this was one  
of the most discouraging de-  
feats I've ever been associated  
with. The fellows worked hard  
but the shots just wouldn't go  
in. And we had the shots too,  
that's what hurts."

Hope can end the title hopes  
for Albion College Saturday  
night when the Dutchmen close  
their season in Civic Center  
against the Britons.

Paul Stears, a sophomore from  
Fennville defeated Gordy Alder-  
ink, a senior from Fennville for  
the intramural one-on-one  
championship at the intermis-  
sion, 15-11.

Hope (46)—Holwerda, 4-19; Van  
Pernis, 5-0-10; Boyce, 3-0-6; Clark,  
1-2-4; Peterson, 5-2-12; Van Dyke,  
0-1-1; Riksen, 1-0-2; Vander Hyde,  
1-0-2. Totals 20-6-46.

Olivet (61)—Collins, 1-2-4; Rie-  
kens, 1-2-4; Fowler, 2-5-9; Sibley,  
3-9-15; Mette, 0-0-0; Westendorp,  
4-6-14; O'Mara, 1-0-2; Sharpe, 6-1-  
13. Totals 18-25-61.

### Saugatuck

Miss Sue Kemper of Evans-  
ton, Ill., spent a week visiting  
her uncle and aunt, Mr. and  
Mrs. Romer Heim.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Reiser have  
returned home after attending  
two camp shows, one in South  
Bend, Ind., and one in Arling-  
ton Heights, Ill. They are the  
owners of Westwind Camp  
Grounds, north of town.



Rodney Reinink and Douglas Newhouse

### Two Troop 157 Eagles Receive Ford Letters

Two members of Troop 157  
of Calvary Reformed Church,  
Rodney Reinink, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Terry Reinink, 101 Or-  
lando and Douglas Newhouse,  
son of Mr. and Mrs. Don New-  
house of 2438 Valerie Dr., Ze-  
eland received the Eagle Scout  
Award, recently and also re-  
ceived congratulations from  
President Ford.

The presentation was made  
at the troop's Feb. 16 banquet  
and Court of Honor. The honor  
Scouts for the Eagle recipients  
were their younger brothers,  
Tom Reinink and Dave New-  
house. The new Eagle Scouts  
presented necklaces and tie  
clasps to their parents.

The names of the pair will  
be added to the church's Eagle  
wall plaque, which now lists  
14 from the troop. Scoutmaster  
LaVerne Postma presented  
them with their certificates and  
assistant Scoutmaster Duane  
Neff read the letter from Pres-  
ident Gerald R. Ford, which  
was a personal note received by  
each Eagle, which read, "Con-  
gratulations on achieving the  
rank of Eagle Scout. I hope  
you will continue in life the  
high goals you set for yourself  
in earning this distinctive hon-  
or," and which bore the Pres-  
idential signature on White  
House stationery.

The Rev. Dennis Wilcox  
opened the potluck banquet for  
the scouting families with  
prayer and Mike Miedema  
closed the Court of Honor with  
"Taps."

#### — Recent —

### Accidents

Cars operated by Michael A.  
Lokanc of Alsip, Ill., and Henry  
W. Kloosterman, 19, of route 2,  
Zeeland, collided Friday at 11:02  
p.m. along southbound Wash-  
ington Ave. at 40th St. Police  
said the Lokanc car was in the  
left lane while the Kloosterman  
auto was in the center lane and  
attempted a left-turn.

A car northbound along Lin-  
coln Ave. attempting a right  
turn onto Ninth St. Friday at  
4:17 p.m. and driven by Eliza-  
beth Bland, 16, of 246 West 17th  
St., collided with a car west-  
bound on Ninth and driven by  
Percy Peterson, 63, of 254 West  
29th St.

Cornelia Kole, 68, of 47 East  
15th St., suffered minor injuries  
Friday at 8:15 a.m. when struck  
by a car while attempting to  
cross College Ave. at 10th St.  
northbound on the west side of  
the street. Police said a car  
driven by Andrew Woudstra, 34,  
of 377 Central Ave., stopped  
eastbound on 40th and then  
started up, striking the pedes-  
trian.

Frank Michael Hoogeland, 23,  
of 500 Lawrence St., Zeeland,  
escaped injuries when the car  
he was driving north along 48th  
St. went out of control on the  
curve a quarter mile west of  
Washington Ave. and struck a  
fence. Police said Hoogeland  
told them an oncoming truck  
crossed into his lane and he  
swerved to avoid a collision and  
ran off the road. The accident  
was reported at 1:47 a.m. to-  
day.

Judith Ann Vander Bie, 26,  
of 715 Aster Ave., was injured  
Friday at 12:41 p.m. when the  
car she was driving west along  
32nd St. struck a car parked on  
the north side of the street 425  
feet west of Van Raalte Ave.  
She was treated in Zeeland  
Community Hospital and re-  
leased. Police said the parked  
car was registered to Mary  
Vorenkamp of 292 Skylark.

Cars operated by Noemi Ana-  
ya, 33, of 328 Hoover, and How-  
ard John Van Voorst, 44, of 153  
East 37th St., collided Tuesday  
at 10:33 a.m. at Garretson and  
Eighth St. Police said the Ana-  
ya car was completing a  
left turn from westbound Eighth  
onto Garretson while the other  
car was northbound on Garret-  
son and started ahead, hitting  
the Anaaya car.

### Jim White Is Outstanding In Defeat

by Roger Kuiken

WYOMING—Jim White scored  
23 points and played a super  
game and the Panthers of West  
Ottawa went a quarter without  
a turnover but it wasn't enough  
to stop the Wolverines of Godwin  
Heights.

When it was all over the  
Wolverines came up with a 71-  
63 victory in a scrappy basket-  
ball game Tuesday night.

It was the fourth time in a  
week that O-K Red teams were  
outclassed by the O-K White



Jim White  
... West Ottawa standout

Division teams. A small crowd  
was on hand to watch the game  
as neither team was in con-  
tention in their league but it  
turned out to be one of the  
closer games of the season.

Godwin never tucked the game  
away until the final period as  
West Ottawa came close on  
several occasions. The Wolver-  
ines took a quick 7-0 lead but  
West Ottawa closed the gap to  
within two at the end of the first  
period, 17-15.

White was outstanding on the  
boards and had several nice  
steals for the Panthers. When  
the first half ended, West  
Ottawa had 16 turnovers and  
Godwin had the lead 35-28.  
But in the third period, the  
Panthers didn't have one turn-  
over and seemed to get off  
more shots than the earlier two  
quarters. Two of Godwin big  
guys got into serious foul  
trouble too, but still the Wolver-  
ines managed to own a 51-44  
lead, thanks to the fine effort  
of Don Hoogerhyde.

Hoogerhyde scored 31 points  
for Godwin and Scott Scranton  
had 19 which accounted for most  
of their total points. The Wolver-  
ines have a 7-12 overall record  
for the season and are only 4-  
9 in the league but have been  
coming on stronger at the end  
of the season.

Jack Barrett who has been  
a good scrapper for the  
Panthers scored 14 points and  
Marty Klein got 10. West Ottawa  
shot 25 of 75 for a 36 per cent  
while Godwin hit 28 of 77  
for 37 per cent. White and Mark  
Haltendorf led both teams in re-  
bounds but both were in foul  
trouble in the final period.

West Ottawa is now 2-17 for  
the season and both wins were  
over Rockford. Only one game  
remains during the regular  
season, that being at home  
against Grandville on Friday.

The West Ottawa reserves also  
lost to Godwin by a 84-66  
score. The game was marred by  
a lot of fouls and turnovers.

West Ottawa (63)—Haltendorf,  
0-1-1; Klein, 4-9-10; White, 9-5-23;  
Vander Ploeg, 3-0-6; Barrett, 6-2-14;  
Westrate, 1-0-2; Laarman, 1-0-2;  
Van Dyke, 1-1-3. Totals 26-11-63.

Godwin (71)—Dood, 1-3-5; Fouts,  
2-0-4; Meed, 2-0-4; Hoogerhyde,  
13-5-31; Travis, 1-0-2; Scranton,  
8-3-19; Row, 1-0-2; Kietzman, 1-0-2;  
Hansen, 1-0-2. Totals 30-11-71.

### Beaverdam

The Women's World Day of  
Prayer will be held on Friday,  
March 5 in Vriesland Reformed  
Church. The women of the  
Drenthe Christian Reformed  
Church, the Beaverdam Chris-  
tian Reformed Church and the  
Beaverdam Reformed Church  
will meet with the Vriesland  
women.

Special music Sunday eve-  
ning in the Reformed Church  
was presented by Mrs. Henry  
Weurding and Harlan Sprik,  
of the Forest Grove Reformed  
Church.

## Building Permits Net \$71,710

Twelve applications for  
building permits totaling \$72,710  
were filed last week with City  
Building inspector Jack Lang-  
feldt in City Hall.

They follow:  
John H. Arends, 400 West 21st  
St., remodeling, \$400; self, con-  
tractor.

Don Gebraad, 700 West 32nd  
St., aluminum eaves, \$650; Riel-  
man's Builders and Roofers,  
contractor.

Jose Cantu, 356 College Ave.,  
remodeling, \$150; self, con-  
tractor.

Jesse Cox, 451 West 23rd St.,  
hip roof on house, \$500; Harold  
Langejans, contractor.

Ex-Cello Corp. 201 West  
Eighth St., X-ray rooms, \$5,000;  
Harold Langejans, contractor.

Great Lakes Tile, 753 Lincoln  
Ave., interior remodeling,  
\$1,800; Ken Beelen, contractor.

High A. Electric, 158 East  
19th St., addition, \$20,000;  
Lamar Brothers, contractor.

Lester Scholten, 175 East 35th  
St., partitions, \$1,000; Jerald De  
Frell, contractor.

Lawrence Pluister, 172 Cam-  
bridge, family room in base-  
ment, \$500; self, contractor.

Koop-Phillips Agency, 177  
College, sign; self, contractor.

Louis Uildriks, 869 Allen Dr.,  
house, \$40,210; self, contractor.

Blake Baird, 48 West 39th St.,  
paneling, remodeling, \$2,500;  
Jerald De Frell, contractor.

### Troop 157 Holds Court Of Honor

A film of Camp Gerber,  
where Troop 157 of Calvary Re-  
formed Church won a 1975 first  
place water sports award, and  
also was recognized for being  
in first place in the number of  
merit badges earned during the  
camping period at the camp,  
near Fremont, highlighted the  
annual Scout banquet and Court  
of Honor, Feb. 16.

The troop also earned the  
most badges at camp during  
the previous year.

Senior Patrol Leader Larry  
Boer presided at the Court of  
Honor at which the following  
advanced in rank: Brian  
Broene, Life Scout; Richard  
Broene, Dave Kempker and  
Kevin Oswald, Star Scout; Tom  
Farrah, Mike Miedema and  
Dave Newhouse, First Class;  
Dick Barkel and Jeff Postma,  
Second Class and Henry Van  
Dyke and Scott Van Loo, Ten-  
derfoot.

New Scouts, Steve Baarman,  
Chris Kooyers, Russel Loogan,  
Tom Reinink, Don Scheerhorn  
and Bob Van Bruggen were  
welcomed. Mothers' pins were  
presented to all the Scouts and  
each Scout moved his name  
plate to the proper rank on the  
advancement board.

Merit badges were presented  
to the following: Dick Barkel,  
Larry Boer, Brian Broene, Rick  
Broene, Jeff Dykstra, Tom  
Farrah, Doug Maat, Wayne  
Marlink, Mike Miedema, Dave  
Newhouse, Doug Newhouse,  
Kevin Oswald, Jeff Postma, Jim  
Scheerhorn, Rod Reinink, Henry  
Van Dyke, Scott Van Loo and  
Dave Kempker.

Yearly and attendance awards  
with Polar Bear and Klondike  
patches were also awarded to  
Scouts earning them. These  
awards and the merit badges  
were presented by the troop  
committee which includes As-  
sistant Scoutmasters, Terry  
Mervau, Duane Neff, Terry  
Reinink, Don Newhouse and  
Bob Maat; committee chair-  
man, Don Broene, institutional  
representative, Earl Schippers,  
outdoorsman Paul Barkel and  
committee members Jay Bosch  
and David Broene.

A special plaque was pre-  
sented to Jack Barkel who re-  
tired this past year after serv-  
ing Troop 157 as Scoutmaster  
for the past seven years. La  
Verne Postma is presently serv-  
ing as Scoutmaster.

### County Records First Fatal Crash

GRAND HAVEN — Mrs. Jean  
Sharlow, 45, of Spring Lake, was  
killed early today when the car  
she was driving ran off the right  
side of US-31 south of 168th  
Ave. Two miles south of Grand  
Haven and struck a tree.

She was the first traffic fatality  
reported this year in Ottawa  
County.

State Police said Mrs. Sharlow  
was pinned in the wreckage  
and hit her head on the top of  
the car. She was pronounced  
dead at the scene and was alone  
in the car.

The accident was found by a  
semi-truck driver passing the  
scene.

### Cash Reported Taken

A break-in at the residence of  
Robert Thumel, 669 East 12th  
St., netted thieves \$223 in cash  
from a variety of locations in  
the home. Police said the re-  
port was received at 12:42 p.m.  
Tuesday and entry was gained  
by removing a window in a  
storm door.

## Flying Dutchmen Fall Again At Free Throw Lane

ADRIAN — The basketball  
team that scores the most bas-  
kets doesn't always win.

Coach Russ DeVette at Hope  
College can verify that as all  
three of Hope's last three de-  
feats have come from the free  
throw lane.

Here Saturday night, Adrian  
College squeaked out a 72-71  
decision.

The Dutchmen canned 32 field  
goals compared to 31 for the  
Bulldogs. Adrian was good on  
10 of 17 free throws and Hope  
7 of 13. Hope had 21 fouls and  
Adrian 18.

Both teams pulled down 36  
rebounds. Dwayne Boyce and  
Dan Van Pernis led Hope with  
eight each.

Hope is now 2-8 in the MIAA  
and 9-11 overall. The Bulldogs  
are 4-6 in the league and 11-9  
for the season.



# Lakeview Stuns Holland West Ottawa Loses, 83-59

## Jim White Puts in 20 For Panthers

By Ted Bertrand  
The West Ottawa Panthers fought and scrapped before going down to a tough Northview basketball squad, 83-59 on their home court Friday night.

For the second time in a row the Panthers had to play a rated team. Going into the game, the Wildcats were rated 17th and occupied second place in the O-K Red Conference.

Northview opened things off with a pair of free throws, and quickly accelerated to take an early 9-4 lead. The Wildcats employed a murderous press on West Ottawa forcing the Panthers to turn the ball over and miss scoring opportunities.

Some nice rebounding by Mark Haltenhoff and a stubborn zone defense kept Northview from dominating the boards, but superior ball handling allowed the Wildcats to coast to a 17-10 first quarter lead. The Panthers outshot Northview in the first period hitting 33 per cent of the shots as opposed to 28 per cent for the Wildcats.

Clark Larman opened the second quarter with a beautiful basket, and Jack Barrett quickly followed up with a jump shot to pull the Panthers within three. Northview continued to use the press to their advantage and were greatly aided by hustling guard Steve Olson, who was all over the court for the Wildcats. The Panthers were noticeably more aggressive, however, as the game drew closer to halftime.

Klein and Haltenhoff hung tough on the boards and refused to be intimidated by the big Northview line. The Panthers shooting skyrocketed to 65 per cent in the second period as opposed to 42 per cent for Northview. Free throws told the story, though, as the Wildcats hit 13 times from the charity stripe to maintain a 39-30 halftime lead.

Trailing by nine the Panthers came out in the third period battling like Tigers. Mark Haltenhoff hit two inside jump shots to cut the lead to five and the Panthers began to move the ball against the press. West Ottawa's momentum began to fade, however, as Brian Blank and Steve Olson began to hit inside. The Panthers shot 60 per cent as opposed to 41 per cent for Northview, who built up their lead to 13, (55-42).

The final quarter proved to be exciting as the Panthers gave it all they had in a last ditch effort. Jack Barrett made several nice moves late in the game as the Northview lead loomed larger with each tick of the clock.

Northview used ball control the rest of the way to come away with the win 83-59. This was one of the better shooting nights for the Panthers, who connected on 41 per cent of their shots, while Northview connected for 51 per cent on its shots.

Free throws were the big factor as Northview got 21 of their 83 points from the line. West Ottawa was 15 out of 26 for 59 per cent. Jim White had 20 points for the Panthers while Mark Haltenhoff contributed 12. Steve Olson had an incredible 45 points for Northview followed by Kevin Bramble with 10.

The Little Panthers lost a 55-53 heartbreaker to the Wildcats and are 7-10 on the year. Jay Culver had 16 points followed by Peter Klein with 11. The JV's lost out to Northview 62-45 in a game that saw them lead until midway in the third period. Rick Smith was lead scorer with 15 points.

West Ottawa (59) — White, 9-2; 20; Haltenhoff, 4-4; 12; Barrett, 3-17; Larman, 3-17; Vandenberg, 0-4-4; Vanderploeg, 0-2-2; Klein, 1-0-2. Totals 22-15-60.

## Eagles Drop 11th Game

CALEDONIA — Hudsonville dropped its 11th basketball game this season to Caledonia, 69-59 in Friday night high school action. It was a fine game as the lead was tossed around for nearly three quarters.

The Eagles jumped to an early lead 18-15, only to see it fade to a two point deficit at the half 36-34. Caledonia moved up in the third round 53-46 and then put it away by 10 points.

Hudsonville's leading scorers showed Dave Schut in front with 19 total. Kurt Nesterveld and Joel Shoemaker followed with 10 each. Tom McKee led Caledonia as he put away 28 counters to be trailed by Jerry Loseteler who contributed 10. Team shooting was close as Hudsonville hit 30 of 71, for 42 per cent from the floor, while Caledonia netted 28 of 68 for 38 per cent.

Nesterveld also grabbed 17 rebounds of the 44 total team recoveries. Caledonia snatched 36 loose balls.

## Mrs. Abe Elenbaas Dies in Zeeland

ZEELAND — Mrs. Abe (Winnie) Elenbaas, 77, of 2514 Port Sheldon St., Jenison, died early Sunday in Zeeland Community Hospital.

Surviving are her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Harris (Esther) Rillema of Jenison and Mrs. Ward (Mary) De Went of Hudsonville; four sons, Norman of Hudsonville, Roger of Lake Odessa, Peter of Jenison and Eldon of Lowell; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harvey (Herman) Elenbaas of Hudsonville; 20 grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Schout of Borculo and Mrs. Henry Rozendahl of Holland; a brother, Gerrit Steigenga of Borculo and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Hattie Steigenga of Ripon, Calif.

## Mrs. Harry Banger Funeral Rites Held

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. at the Noter-Ver Lee-Langeland Chapel for Mrs. Harry (Sena) Banger, 71, of St. Petersburg, Fla., who died there Saturday following a brief illness.

A former Holland resident, Mrs. Banger was a former member of the Harderwyk Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving in addition to her husband are two daughters, Mrs. Paul (Thelma) Kragt of Holland and Mrs. Robert (Lucille) Strabbing of Zeeland; a son, Harris D. Banger of Bradenton, Fla.; 11 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

## John Helder, 90, Dies in Rest Home

John Helder, 90, of 25 East 21st St., died Saturday in a local nursing home.

He was a member of Prospect Park Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving are three sons, Andrew J. and Kenneth Helder, both of Holland and Gerald of Augusta; a daughter, Mrs. Morris (Lyda) Skaalen of Coronado, Calif.; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. James (Margaret) Helder of Holland; 16 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Gerrit (Alice) Bos and Mrs. Arrie (Ada) Ter Haar, and a brother, Edward Helder, all of Holland.

## Dutch Still Have Shot At Championship

By Leo Martonosi

BATTLE CREEK — Battle Creek Lakeview almost nailed the coffin on Holland's basketball team in the Big Seven Conference Friday night but thanks to lowly Portage Central, the Dutch still have a shot at tying St. Joseph for the league championship.

The Dutch dropped another heartbreaker, this time in overtime, 81-79 to the Spartans while the Mustangs were shocking the Bears, 54-49.

Holland's third loop loss gives St. Joseph at least a share of the Big Seven crown. A win by the Dutch over the Bears next Friday, would give Coach Don Piersma's club a share of the title.

St. Joseph is 9-2 in the league. Holland 8-3, Lakeview 3-8 and Portage Central 2-10.

After blowing a seven-point lead late in regulation to the fired up Spartans, Piersma all but conceded the conference championship to St. Joseph.

"There's just no way Portage Central can beat St. Joseph," Piersma said to Don Johnson, assistant coach after the game.

Piersma and his team were definitely in a good mood when they woke up to find out that they still have a shot at tying for all the marbles in the league.

Dennis Lawson canned 24 points for Holland Friday but took a shot that he probably wished he hadn't late in the tilt with Holland up 75-73. Center Loren Schrottenboer, who celebrated his 18th birthday, followed with 21 counters. Dan Molenaar and Dave Van Wylen chipped in with 15 and 12 respectively.

Lakeview had two big guns in Jeff Cope and Mark Leighton. Between the two of them, they registered 57 points with Cope finishing with 30 and Leighton 27.

"Cope is the best player that I've seen in the Big Seven this year," offered Piersma. "He can not only shoot from way out but drive in for baskets too."

Cope's bucket with 40 second left in the overtime proved to be the winner. However, many of Holland's fans thought that Jeff Berg's last second try in regulation was going through the hoop but it just bounced out.

The regulation ended 75-41 and Leighton laid in two quick points to give the Spartans their first lead since early in the first period. Schrottenboer tied the count at 77-77 with a fielder and Dan Peters and Van Wylen matched baskets moments later to set the stage for Cope. The hard luck Dutch have now dropped five games by only eight points.

Piersma called Holland's last time out with 17 seconds remaining but unfortunately the ball was thrown out of bounds before the Dutch even had a chance to send the contest into double overtime.

Holland led at the end of the first period, 20-18, 45-38 at the half and 60-52 after three quarters. Holland's biggest margin was 62-52 at the outset of the fourth stanza.

Lakeview won the reserve game, 59-46 to avenge an earlier two-point defeat. The Dutch reserves are now 12-7.

Curt Drooger was the lone Holland cager to score at least 10 points with 13 against the Spartans. The Dutch were on top at the intermission, 29-27. Holland (79) — Lawson, 11-2; 24; Van Wylen, 4-4; 12; Schrottenboer, 9-3-21; Molenaar, 6-3-15; De Young, 2-0-4; Van Tongeren, 1-1-3. Totals 32-13-79.

Lakeview (81) — Peters, 2-0-4; Cope, 12-6-30; Meyer, 4-0-8; Leighton, 9-9-27; Berg, 3-2-8; Kneale, 1-2-4. Totals 31-19-81.

## Hamilton Gives Byron Good Fight

HAMILTON — Seventh rated Byron Center fought past the inspired Hamilton Hawkeyes, 69-60 to gain its 19th win with no losses. This bout leaves the Hawkeyes at 9-10 for the season.

The first quarter ended at 12-11 with Hamilton showing more hustle than its favorite foes. But in the following rounds, Byron sped away with the score 34-28, 52-40 and finally 69-60.

Byron Center made the difference in its shooting as they nailed 49 per cent from the floor. Hamilton on the other hand shot 34 per cent, being led by Kooker who had 16 points. Gary Immink sunk 14 and led the Hawkeyes in rebounding.

Byron Center, who have been overpowering in the league now totals a 13-0 record. Wayne Tannis' Hawkeyes stand at 8-5 in the league and next week will host Comstock Park in their final regular season game.

Hamilton (60) — Kooker, 8-16; Immink, 5-4-14; Berens, 1-0-2; Overbeek, 5-0-10; Folkert, 2-2-6; Kreuze, 2-0-4; Rooks, 0-1-1; Lokers, 2-3-7. Totals: 25-10-60.

Byron Center (69) — Anderson, 7-0-14; D. Brower, 6-0-12; Nyland, 8-2-18; Goorboos, 7-2-16; Lambright, 1-0-2; J. Brower, 1-3-5; Tubergen, 1-0-2. Totals 31-7-69.



OUTSTANDING SEASON — Zeeland's wrestling team captured the O-K White Division championship this season. Coach Jim Rynsburger's Chix won their last 13 meets and finished the dual meet season with a 13-2 mark. Zeeland qualified five matmen for the Class B Regionals Saturday at South Haven. The five include Bob Higgs (105), Brian

Smith (126); Chuck Kraai (155), Gene Kraai (188) and Ron Essink (heavyweight). Kneeling (left to right) are Rick Potter, Smith, Gus Mancilla, Jim Vande Waa, Higgs and Dan Rikkers. Top row: Rynsburger, Essink, G. Kraai, Terry Brinks, C. Kraai, Curt Brinks, Doug Van Dussen and Ron Fales, assistant mento. (Sentinel photo)

## Church Women Have Program About Library

At their meeting Feb. 18 in the Fellowship Hall, Third Reformed Church Women continued their theme for the guild

year, "Reveal Christ Anew." Emphasizing "Through a Searching Mind," three members presented the book treasures in the church library. Mrs. J. Marcus set the stage in her devotions, placing the Bible as the base of everything found in a good church library.

Miss Clara Reeverts displayed a number of reference books helpful in Bible study and personal life meditations. In a dramatization of a children's story, "Caps for Sale," Mrs. Donald Ihman introduced the many books for children and told of their varied aspects for adults as well as children. Mrs. D. Maatman, church librarian, concluded with highlights from several fields of literary interest. She said, "Reading a good book raises our sights and strengthens our faith."

Hostesses were members of the Ruth Circle, Mrs. R. Boven, chairman. Greeters were Mrs. Jack Bennett and Miss Jeanette Veltman. Mrs. R. Boeve introduced the program.

## Holland Hospital Adds Four New Babies

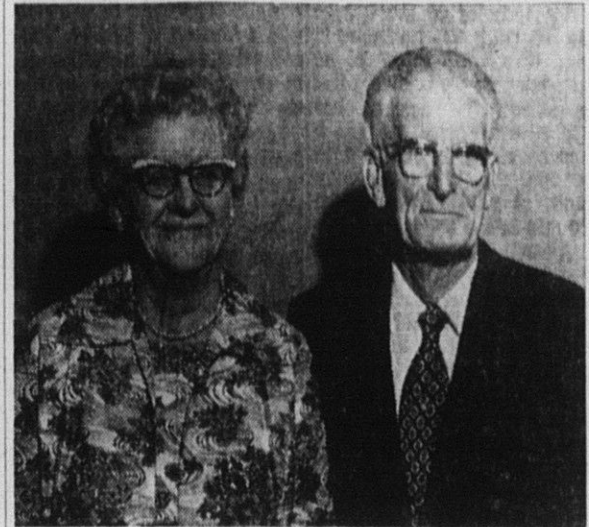
Holland Hospital reports four new babies added to its nursery.

On Feb. 19, a son, Kirk Allen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Shoemaker, 248 Elizabeth Dr. A daughter, Katie Ann was born Feb. 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morse, 670 East 13th St.

A daughter was born on Feb. 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Helenthal, 369 East 32nd St.

On Feb. 20, a son, Ryan Allan, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tucker, route 2; Hamilton.

## Anniversary Open House



Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Vrugink

In celebration of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Vrugink, 4905 Port Sheldon Rd., Hudsonville, their children will host an open house Friday, Feb. 27, from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at South Blendon Reformed Church.

Mrs. Vrugink is the former Dorothy Johnson. They were married Feb. 24, 1926, by the Rev. D. D. Ellerbroek.

Their children are Junior and

Ethel Vrugink of Zeeland, Nelson and Floraine Stegeman of Zeeland, Richard and Elaine Spieldecker of Vicksburg, Darle and Shirley Vander Schuur of Hudsonville, Melvin and Gloria Drew of Hudsonville and Donald and Janet Vrugink of Hudsonville.

They have 25 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

On Feb. 24, the children will host a family dinner at Blysm's Restaurant.

## Maroons Shade Warriors

By Rich Wolters  
MUSKEGON — It took a while, but shortly after 10 p.m. Friday Holland Christian walking off with a 67-64 basketball win over the Muskegon Christian Warriors, in a game played at the Muskegon Orchard View gym.

The game was tied at 64-64 with 12 seconds showing on the scoreboard clock, and Joel Vogelzang in a jump ball situation with Don Everette at the Warriors free throw circle. Vogelzang won the all-important tip, and the Maroons got the ball to Dave Van Langevelde, who weaved his way through the defenders, until with about two seconds remaining he took a shot from near the baseline at the right side of the basket. The shot went in as time ran out. Leemo was fouled and connected on the free throw for the three-point win.

Christian jumped out to a 5-2 lead but then quickly ran into trouble, as Vogelzang was charged with his fourth personal foul with more than three minutes left in the opening quarter. He didn't see further action until the final period. The Warriors held the lead, 15-9 at the quarter. Van Langevelde hit for seven of the nine points for the Maroons.

The Maroons came out smoking in the second period, out-puncting Muskegon 16-5, with Mark Van Dyke accounting for seven of them, for a 25-20 Holland Christian edge. The Warriors managed to narrow the margin to 30-29 by halftime.

Ken De Jonge, who led both teams in scoring with 25 points, collected 12 of them in the third quarter. Christian took a six-point lead at one point, but were at a 48-48 deadlock going into the hectic fourth period.

Van Dyke hit a pair of free throws and Van Langevelde one for a 51-48 advantage for the Maroons. Then Mark De Jonge took over for Muskegon and connected for eight consecutive points, all on field goals. With the Warriors on top 58-53, and about five minutes left to play, Coach Elmer Walcott had his team go into a semi-stall. This backfired as Christian scored a point from Van Dyke and six in a row from De Jonge.

The Maroons were up 64-60, only to see Steve Meyers con-

nect from the floor and Everette on two charity tosses to set the stage for the thrilling finish.

A total of 51 fouls were called in the game, 29 against Muskegon and 22 against Holland.

Christian won the game at the charity stripe, connecting on 29 of 46 shots, while Muskegon Christian was six of 18. The Maroons held a 43-42 edge in rebounding, as Van Langevelde and Van Dyke each gathered in 15.

Following Ken De Jonge in scoring for Christian was Van Langevelde with 23 and Van Dyke 15. Mark De Jonge paced the Warriors with 24, Everette added 15 and Meyers 10.

The Little Warriors led all the way to take a 57-42 decision over the Maroons. Quarter scores were 17-10, 33-22 and 51-30. Abner McDaniel led with 17, while Craig Wierda was high for Christian with 10.

Holland Christian (67) — Van Langevelde, 7-9-23; Van Dyke, 3-9-15; Vogelzang, 0-0-0; Zoerhoff, 1-0-2; De Jonge, 8-9-25; Boeve, 0-2-2. Totals 19-29-67.

Muskegon Christian (64) — Meyer, 5-0-10; Tubergen, 1-0-2; De Jonge, 12-0-24; Burt, 2-2-6; Everette, 6-3-15; Holman, 1-0-2; Rozema, 2-3-5. Totals 29-6-64.



A LEAGUE CHAMPS — Beverwyk Builders captured first place in the Holland Township Recreation Volleyball A League this winter. Front row (left to right) are Sandy

Gouloze, Marilyn Lee and Lois De Groot. Kneeling: Joan Haight, Carol Beverwyk, Joyce Sale and Mary Coster. (Sentinel photo)

## Zeeland Matmen Win 1st Regional Crown

SOUTH HAVEN — Zeeland's wrestling team won its first Class B state regional championship here Saturday by scoring 64½ points.

Grand Rapids Catholic Central was second at 61½. Holland Christian puts its first matmen in history into the state finals in Rod Huisingsh (138).

Huisingsh won matches, 64-9-3 and lost 6-2.

Zeeland had three champs in Chuck Kraai (155), Gene Kraai (185) and Ron Essink (heavyweight.) All three won three matches. C. Kraai had two pins and a 5-4 decision, G. Kraai won 13-4, 9-2 and on a pin and Essink had a pin and 2-1, 4-1 decisions.

Brian Smith (126) also qualified for the state by finishing second. Smith scored a 6-1 decision, pin and lost 3-1. Bob Higgs (105) of Zeeland lost his first and third matches and won his second.

The state finals will be held Friday and Saturday at Kentwood High School.

LANSING — Holland qualified three wrestlers for the state tournament here Saturday in Regional competition.

The Dutch will send Steve Villarreel (108), Dale Boven (148) and Louis Boven (158) to the state tournament Friday and Saturday.

The three Holland matmen all placed third at the Class A Regionals at Lansing Sexton High School.

After winning his first 33 matches this winter, D. Boven lost on a pin. Boven did score two wins on decisions.

L. Boven had two decisions, a pin and lost 4-3 while Villarreel scored three decisions and lost on a pin.

Lansing Eastern won the team trophy with 56 points. Bay City Western was second at 51, Grandville had 42½, Traverse City 37, Battle Creek Lakeview 32½, Bay City Handy 31½, Mona Shores 29½ and Holland 26 points. There were approximately 37 teams in the field.

SHELBY — Hamilton finished second as a team in the Class C Regional wrestling championship Saturday.

Grayling was first with 59½ points, Hamilton had 59, Shelby 58½, Hart 52 and Forest Hills Northern 38.

Cody Guldry (119) and Lee Vandenberg (155) finished first in their weight class. Guldry had two pins and a decision. Vandenberg scored a pin, superior decision and decision.

Curtis Pieper (138) won two matches on decisions and lost one on a decision while Don Dubbink (185) scored two pins, lost a decision and won on a default in finishing third.

All four Hawkeyes will compete in the state Class C meet Friday and Saturday at Mid-Deville.

## Souters Announce Daughter's Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Souter of Holland announce the marriage of their daughter, Janice, to Eugene De Haan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Siebren De Haan of Cutlerville. The Rev. Ellsworth Ten Clay officiated at the Feb. 18 ceremony.



HOPE GETS GIFT — Amoco Foundation, Inc. has made a \$4,000 grant to Hope College. Foundation representative Richard Czarnopys (right) presents the check to President Gordon J. Van Wylen. The unrestricted grant may be used for any capital, educational, or scholarship purpose. (Hope College photo)

## Chix Score Lopsided Victory Over Rangers

GRAND RAPIDS — For the third straight game, the Zeeland hoopers raced to a lopsided victory here Friday night.

This time it was Forest Hills Central that took a 76-52 lacing as the Chix kept pace with the Forest Hills Northern atop the O-K White Division standings. Northern defeated Goudwin, 62-58.

Zeeland trailed at the end of the first period, 16-13. With Hugh Bartels and Dave Janssen each scoring six points in the second quarter, the Chix went to the lockerroom with a 32-26 lead.

The Chix increased their advantage in the third quarter to 11 points. Doug Wabeke led the charge with his usual fine defensive and offensive play.

The Chix placed four starters in double figures. Janssen finished with 16 markers, Bar-

tels, Bazan and Wabeke had 15, 13 and 11 each. Bartels also yanked down 16 rebounds and Janssen 11.

This was one of the few times that the Chix have enjoyed a height advantage. Zeeland totaled 43 rebounds to 35 for the Rangers. Zeeland connected on 47 per cent of its shots compared to 31 per cent for Forest Hills.

The Zeeland reserves dropped another game, this time by a 67-58 count.

Next Friday, Zeeland travels to Wyomiting Park to close out its regular season. Wednesday, the pairings will be held at Jenison High School.

Zeeland (79) — Gladfelter, 1-0-2; Wabeke, 5-1-11; Jungling, 4-1-0; Bazan, 6-1-13; Vanderjagt, 2-0-4; Janssen, 7-2-16; Bartels, 5-0-15; Kalkman, 1-0-2; Kortering, 0-2-2; Haiseyvort, 1-0-2. Totals 32-12-76.

Forest Hills Central (52) — Gehling, 1-0-2; Grochowaski, 1-0-2; Rink, 3-0-1; W. Keller, 5-0-10; T. Keller, 4-1-9; Hill, 2-0-6. Totals 21-10-52.

## New Outdoor Theatre

Holland Community Theatre will "bring theatre to the out-of-doors and the community" at the annual convention of the Community Theatre Association of Michigan to be held in Saugatuck May 21-23.

Workshops, plays and other theatre activities will take place in the natural environment of Saugatuck for the three-day event.

This will be the first time a theatre convention of this scope has been attempted with outstanding professors, instructors and theatre guests.

Workshops will be conducted by the following theatre instructors:

— Dr. Bernhard Works, chairman of the technical department at the University of Illinois at Champaign, "Design in Space."

— Dr. William Vorenberg, professor of drama at New York University, "Theatre Management." (Dr. Vorenberg was at the Red Barn Theatre at Saugatuck 1953-61.)

— Dr. Jack Rang, chairman of the drama department, Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, "The Actor and His Tools."

— Dr. James McTeague, chairman of the drama department at Western Illinois University, Macomb.

— James Campbell, instructor at Goodman Theatre, Chicago, "Makeup."

— Val Bettin, Royal Academy Playhouse, London, "Directing the Classics."

— James Steingels, University of Illinois, "Street Theatre."

— Fred Geary, Holland Community Theatre, "Lighting Controls."

— Ronn Toebaar, chairman of the drama department at St. Scholastica High School, Chicago, "Character Development Through Improvisation."

Mini-workshops will be conducted by:

— Don Bonevich, instructor at Port Northern High School and with WKZO-TV Kalamazoo, "Puppetry."

— David Gooder, American Community Theatre Association president, "Entering State Play Festivals."

— Joe Zendell, Michigan Arts Council, "How the Michigan Arts Council Can Help Community Theatre."

Special guests at the convention will be:

— Mayor Lou Hallacy, Holland.

— Mayor James Christenson, Saugatuck.

— Dr. John Baldwin, Michigan State University, president Michigan Theatre Association.

Nancy Gasper of Holland and Mary Olendorf of Saugatuck are chairmen of the convention.

Joyce Schultheiss of Port Sheldon is president of the Community Theatre Association of Michigan and Dick Rasmussen of Holland is president of Holland Community Theatre. Further information may be obtained by writing Holland Community Theatre, Box 234, Holland.



# Calvin College and Seminary 100 Years Old

## Theological School Was Beginning

Present Knollcrest Campus Developed In Last 20 Years

"Calvin is the Impossible Possibility."

This theme song from a celebrating Calvin College and Seminary's 100th birthday, describes the growing pains of these institutions during the last century.

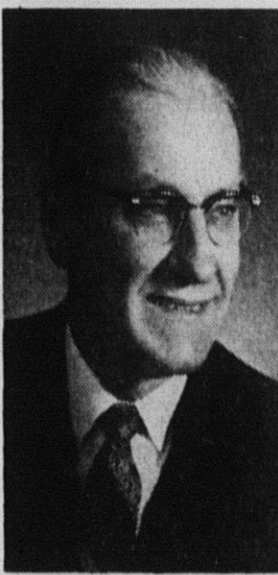
Since 1876, the College and Seminary have endured the seemingly impossible challenges of gaining cooperation between students, faculty, and a supporting constituency known for its strong views. The song speaks of the forgiveness, love, and unity that have made these institutions become not only a possibility but a reality.

As the official birth date, March 15, approaches, centennial activities are gaining momentum. Special art exhibits, conferences, plays, concerts, and lectures have been scheduled to make the year an enjoyable and academically stimulating one.

On March 15, 1876, Rev. Egbert Boer was installed as professor of the Theological School out of which Calvin College and Seminary later developed. Boer and his seven students, all prospective ministers, occupied the second floor of the Williams St. elementary school in Grand Rapids. While "train whistles" pierced the air, the clatter and rumble of the big engines penetrated the classrooms, and swirls of smoke eddied about the windows, Boer took it upon himself to teach those men Dutch, Latin, Greek, Hebrew, psychology, history, logic, and ten other diverse topics.

**Early History**  
The Theological School was instituted by the Christian Reformed Church, then only 20 years old, because of its great need for ministers. Dutch immigrant members of the church had broken away from the Hervormde Kerk in the Netherlands in the early 1840's, critical of its theological liberalism and spiritual coldness.

Persecution and economic hardships drove them to America, and there, in an effort to shelter themselves and their children from anti-Christian influences, they set up the Theological School for training pastors, and later Christian school teachers. A six-year curriculum — four years in the Literary Department and two in the Theological Department — was the requirement for all graduating pastors.



DR. WILLIAM SPOELHOF  
Calvin President 1951-76

### CALVIN COLLEGE and SEMINARY



AERIAL VIEW OF COMPLETED CALVIN COLLEGE AND SEMINARY CAMPUS, 1975

**Liberal Arts Program Begins**  
1894 is a landmark in Calvin's history. The Christian Reformed Synod that year resolved to allow non-theological students into the school, thus paving the way for a college as well as a seminary. Not until 1900 was that resolution implemented.

By that time another group of Dutch immigrants had broken with the Hervormde Kerk and moved to America. This group, led by Abraham Kuyper, was more concerned with transforming the surrounding culture than escaping it. They desired to bring their Reformed Christian principles to bear on every aspect of life, including higher education.

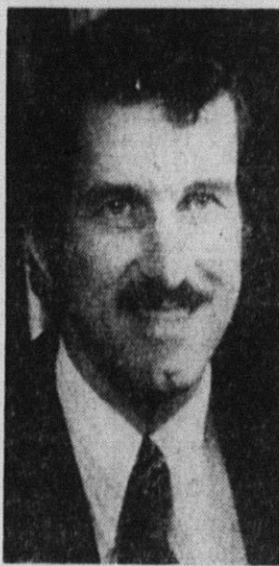
Under their influence, the curriculum of the Literary Department was broadened, and was made attractive to the pre-professional student not entering the ministry. John Timmerman, in his centennial history of Calvin entitled "Promises to Keep," describes the results of the increased enrollment:

"Little boys in knee-pants and long-haired girls in long skirts, first admitted in 1901, bubbling with youth and mischief, jostled staid and black-suited seminarians in the library and halls. Boys from lonely farms, whose overalls were then no badge of distinction, city boys from Chicago and Paterson, worldly-wise in their own eyes, and the larger Grand Rapids groups revealed a wide range of interests and preparation. Dean Rooks... in an early fall chapel... read, inadvertently or not, Psalm 3, 'Lord, how are they increased that trouble me. Many are they that rise up against me.'"

In 1906 the Literary Department became known as the John Calvin Junior College. By 1920, the College had developed into a four-year, liberal arts institution, and a year later, the first AB degree was granted.

**Move to Franklin Campus**  
Meanwhile, the school's location had been moved to the corner of Franklin and Madison in 1892 and, when those quarters became too cramped, the Franklin campus was purchased, and ready for occupancy in 1917.

1919 began the "Jazz Age." The struggle Calvin College and Seminary experienced then with respect to morality and cultural involvement was not unique but simply more acute. Parents were afraid for their children, and the church nine years later ruled an official condemnation of the three forms of worldliness: movie attendance, card playing, and dancing.



DR. ANTHONY DIEKEMA  
New Calvin President

In Prof. Seymour Sweet's book, "Fifty Years of Music at Calvin College," he tells of an old Iowa grandmother who asked a group of visiting singers, "Now boys, how is it all at Calvin College? Is there any religion left or is it all English?"

The academic program in 1920 bore strong similarities to that of the University of Michigan, partly because many of the professors were graduates of the U of M. By 1960, the faculty decided to articulate its distinctively Christian philosophical approach to higher education. The result of this concern was the publishing of a comprehensive Christian curriculum guide, entitled "Christian Liberal Arts Education."

According to this faculty statement, "... a Christian college cannot be content to display its Christian foundations with chapel services and courses in theology, but must bring its students to a mature understanding of what the religion means

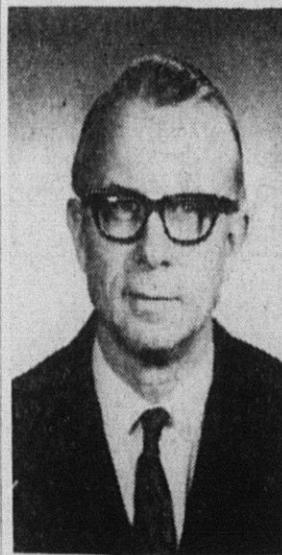
for the study of the various fields of knowledge." This is the ideal. Working out the principles in individual courses is a constant challenge for Calvin professors and students.

#### Knollcrest Campus

The Knollcrest campus presently occupied by the College and Seminary was purchased in 1956. With construction of an extra wing on the Seminary last September, the campus has reached completion, and has a capacity of serving about 4,200 students. Enrollment presently stands at 3,674 in the College and 206 in the Seminary.

Although the majority of students has always been Christian Reformed (83 per cent in 1975), an increasing number of students from other denominations and cultural backgrounds are welcomed. Twenty-five Vietnamese students this year have brought a lively variety to the campus.

Calvin Seminary has throughout its history held to its funda-



DR. JOHN H. KROMMINGA  
Seminary President

mental purpose of training men for the ministry. Although there is now an added interest in practical theology, the original requirements for the Masters of Divinity program have not been eased, including the requirements of knowing Greek and Hebrew. There is, however, now also opportunity to graduate with a Masters of Church Education degree, which entitles one to serve professionally in the church other than as pastor.

Like the College, the Seminary originally intended to "wall in" its students from outside influences. Today, according to Dr. John Kromminga, president of the Seminary, "there is an attempt to reach out and become involved. We have an increased awareness of theological views outside of our own."

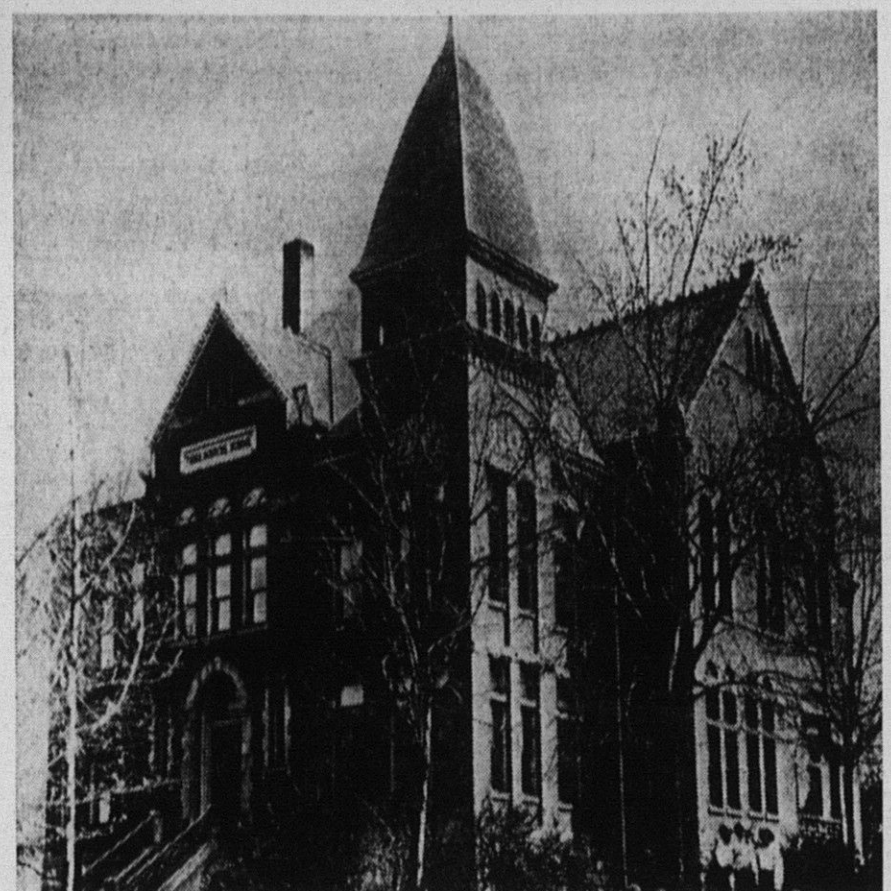
#### Ties With The Church

The Christian Reformed Church embodies many differing viewpoints, but Calvin has never been a school to take strong sides. According to Dr. Gordon Spykman, Professor of Theology, "Calvin is a representational college, and has always been open to differing Reformed perspectives."

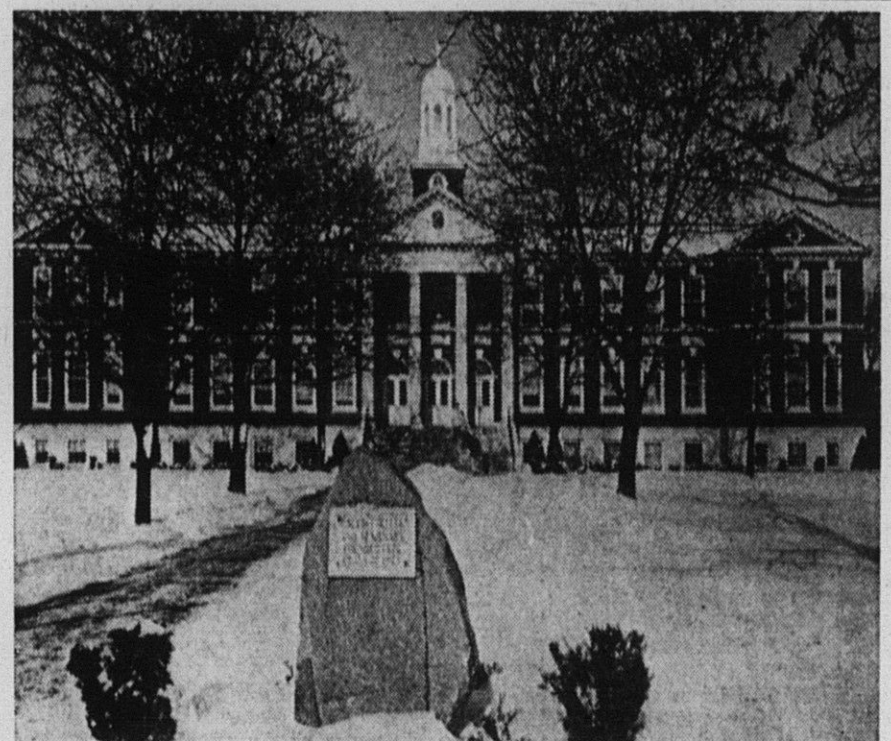
Official ties with the Christian Reformed denomination are very strong. All professors are required to sign an agreement with the "three forms of unity" to which all Christian Reformed pastors must also subscribe. The College and Seminary are owned and operated by the church, and 20 per cent of their income is derived from denominational budget quotas ranging from \$18 to \$50 per church family per year. (In 1900, the quota was an annual 55 cents per family.) Although many have criticized this close tie between denomination and school, the bond is at the same time acknowledged as one source of Calvin's strength.



CALVIN SEMINARY CLASS WITH PROF. F.M. TEN HOOR, 1910



THEOLOGICAL SCHOOL AT FRANKLIN AND MADISON, 1892



FRANKLIN CAMPUS ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, CORNERSTONE LAID 1916

Brower danced the Mexican folk dance, "La Raspa." Michelle Cranmer and Melissa Ortmann did a peasant dance followed by Jody Stygstra in "Tiptoe Through the Tulips" acrobatic routine and a Dutch dance by Noelle Donegan, Dena Effkin, Laura De Korte, Tracy Sas, Amy Donegan, Jill Baird, Sylvia Gonzales, Helga Knopf, Kim Czerkies and Terri Brower.

Karlene Bolte conducted a tour of the United States for the second part of the program with musical comedy, jazz, tap, soft shoe and military dances by Jamie Nelson, Elizabeth Parker, Clysta Lucarelli, Dawn Simmons, Susan Bruursema, Lisa Ann Garcia, Lauri Holmraast, Jody Stygstra, Kathleen Hann, Kari Serne, Mary Hann, Tami Vander Kolk, Marilyn and Lester Swierenga, Julie Winchester, Kathy Bury, Jeff Ressegue, Karen Jones, Shelly Vanderberg, Michelle Cranmer and Melissa Ortmann.

Devotions were given by Mrs. William Clark, followed by audience participation in singing "God Bless America."

The Deborah subgroup served a Bicentennial dessert, with Mrs. Menno Fairbanks in charge. During refreshments, a Bicentennial style show was presented.

### YMCA Develops Tumbling Class

The Holland-Zeeland Family YMCA has developed a tumbling and fitness class for women 19 years and up in the Douglas-Saugatuck area.

This 10 week class will be held on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 9:30 to 10:30 in the Saugatuck High School gym. Pam McClain is instructor.

For more information and registration, call the Y office.

## West Ottawa Musicians Get Festival Ratings

Members of the West Ottawa Middle School and Ninth Grade Bands recently participated in the district solo and ensemble festival. The festival is sponsored by the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association and was held at Allegan Junior High School.

The students performed solos and in ensembles with a maximum of eight musicians in a group. Each entry performed before a judge and received a rating. A first division rating was given for an outstanding performance, and a second division rating for a good performance.

Soloists receiving a first division rating included on piano: Sue Leaske, Lisa Bock, Steve Hassevoort, and Nancy Timmer. First division clarinet ratings were given to Mike Duester, Judy De Weerd, and Diane Van Fleeren. First division ratings on snare drum were earned by Steve Knopf, Brian Willemstyn, Terry Hosner, Joe Hendricks, and Mike Wheeler.

Other first division ratings went to Kim Wolbrink, cornet; Terry De Jonge, alto sax; Ted Witkowski, baritone; Brian Wetherbee, cornet; Beth Shannon, French horn; Rob Fleming, trombone; and Jill Cumberly, flute.

Soloists receiving second division ratings included: Flute solos, Beth Smith, Wendy Crawford, Kathy Kuyers, Monica Nash and Nancy Timmer. Taking second division ratings on clarinet were Julie Dryer, Diane Smith, Tim Hansen, and Rhonda Wiley.

Second division ratings on oboe were given to Terry McFarland and Emily Bloemen-Miller and Shane Stafford.

Other second division ratings

were taken by Beth Ermatinger, piano; Gary Diekema, snare drum; Kristi Sale, French horn; Curt Greenwood, tuba; Karl Ringwald, alto sax; and Dan Johnson, cornet.

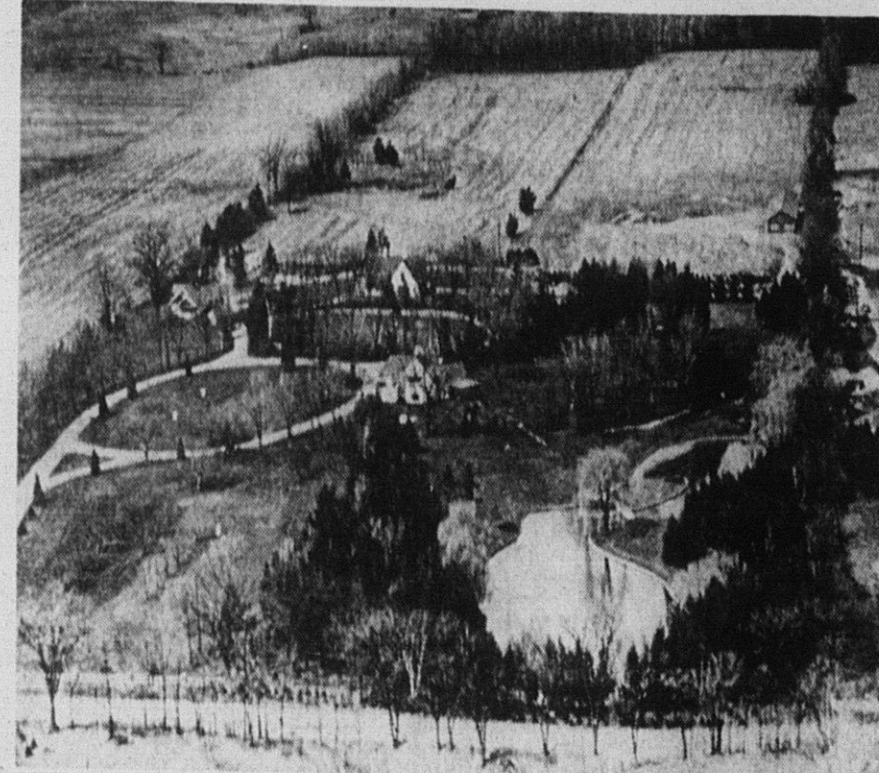
Ensembles receiving a first division rating included: Sue Langejans and Sue Leaske, cello duet; Lynn Timmer and Tom Taylor, snare drum duet; and Dan Johnson, Dan Harrington, Kristi Sale, Rick Miller, and Tim Overway, brass quintet.

Other ensembles winning first division ratings were: a woodwind quintet composed of Kathy Kuyers, Rhonda Wiley, Emily Bloemendaal, Ron Richardson and John Coughnour; a trombone-baritone duet by Rob Fleming and Ted Witkowski; and a snare drum duet by Mike Wheeler and Joe Hendricks.

Second division ratings for ensembles went to: a clarinet duet by Janese Bruins and Deb Lucy; Dave Zimmer and Terry Driesing, alto-tenor sax duet; Sari Henderson and Deb Whitaker, flute-clarinet duet; and Lori Altena and Cindy Becksfort, clarinet duet.

Other ensembles taking second division ratings were: Diane Van Fleeren and Deb Calloway, clarinet duet; Tina Boyd and Nancy Meeuwse, flute duet; and Dawn Brouwer and Annette Wright, clarinet duet.

Others participating in the festival were Debbie Van Iwaarden, Todd Hamlin, Gary Hansen, Ron Borgman, Dan Harrington, Todd Groeneveld, Jeff Grit, David Spalding, Cris Mulder, Cindy Becksfort, Pam



KNOLLCREST ESTATE AT TIME OF PURCHASE, 1956

## Edewaards Is President Of Fish and Game Club

The Holland Fish and Game Club held its annual membership meeting recently and announced plans for the coming year.

The following were elected to a two-year term to serve on the board of directors — Don De Pree, Dave Helder, G. O. d. Streur, Roger Van Liere, Tom Van Iwaarden, Len Bergstrom, Bill Keen and Tunis Lubbers.

Elected to serve as officers were: Vern Edewaards, president; Helder, vice president; Rich Smith, secretary; and Mike Pathuis, treasurer.

With the new committee appointments and a building report, President Edewaards informed the members this is going to be a "Go-Go" year.


On Saturday, Feb. 28, a bow and arrow rabbit hunt is planned from 1 to 3 p.m. Flu - flu - club.

## Mother And Daughter Event Held

"The Spirit of '76" was the theme for the United Methodist Women Mother-Daughter program, Feb. 19 at the church.

The first part of the program featured the contributions of the many countries that have enriched America. An English court dance by Mary Hann, Tami Vander Kolk, Karlene Bolte, Mary Hoffman was followed by German number by Karen Bradfield with Kathy Bury, Jeff Ressegue, Kathleen Hann and Kathy Sanger demonstrating the French ballet and cancan.

Amy Donegan, Cindy Casteneda, Terrie Brower, Lisa Calkins, Shelly Brower, Mary Hoffman, Gaby Alfarez, Robin



## CALVIN COLLEGE AND SEMINARY

These schools are institutions of the Christian Reformed Church, a denomination founded in 1857 in western Michigan by Dutch immigrants whose religious roots lay in the Calvinist Reformation. The Seminary began in an upper room of a school building on Williams Street, Grand Rapids, in 1876. From 1892 to 1917 it was located on Madison Avenue. Thereafter it was moved to the Franklin Street campus, where Calvin College, emerging from its preparatory-school attachment to the Seminary, became in 1921 a four-year, degree-granting institution. The present campus, Knollcrest Farm, was acquired in 1956. Development of it began in 1959. These related schools, which emphasize liberal arts and theological education, are dedicated to preparing youth for the service of God.

HISTORIC SITE PLAQUE IN FRONT OF LIBRARY



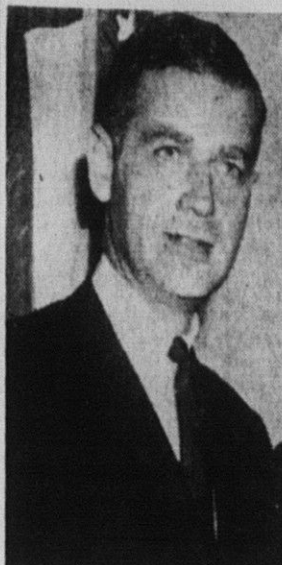
# Convocation Is Planned March 15 in Fieldhouse

GRAND RAPIDS — Calvin College is celebrating its 100th anniversary with a Centennial Convocation Jubilee March 15 in the Fieldhouse, one of several centennial events on Knollcrest campus in February, March and April.

U. S. Sen. Mark Hatfield of Oregon will be the featured speaker at the convocation. In addition a 500-voice chorus will perform selections from the oratorios St. Paul, Creation and The Messiah. A greeting from President Ford will be read. Michigan Gov. Milliken, Grand Rapids Mayor Drasin and area legislators have been invited.

Calvin Seminary is sponsoring a special centennial colloquium April 22-23 with scholars from all over North America lecturing on the impact of John Calvin's thought on contemporary issues.

The Calvin Oratorio Society has scheduled performances March 5 and 6. Instead of the yearly presentation of a single work, this year's program will include highlights from the oratorios Solomon by Handel, St. Paul by Mendelssohn, Creation by Haydn, and Elijah



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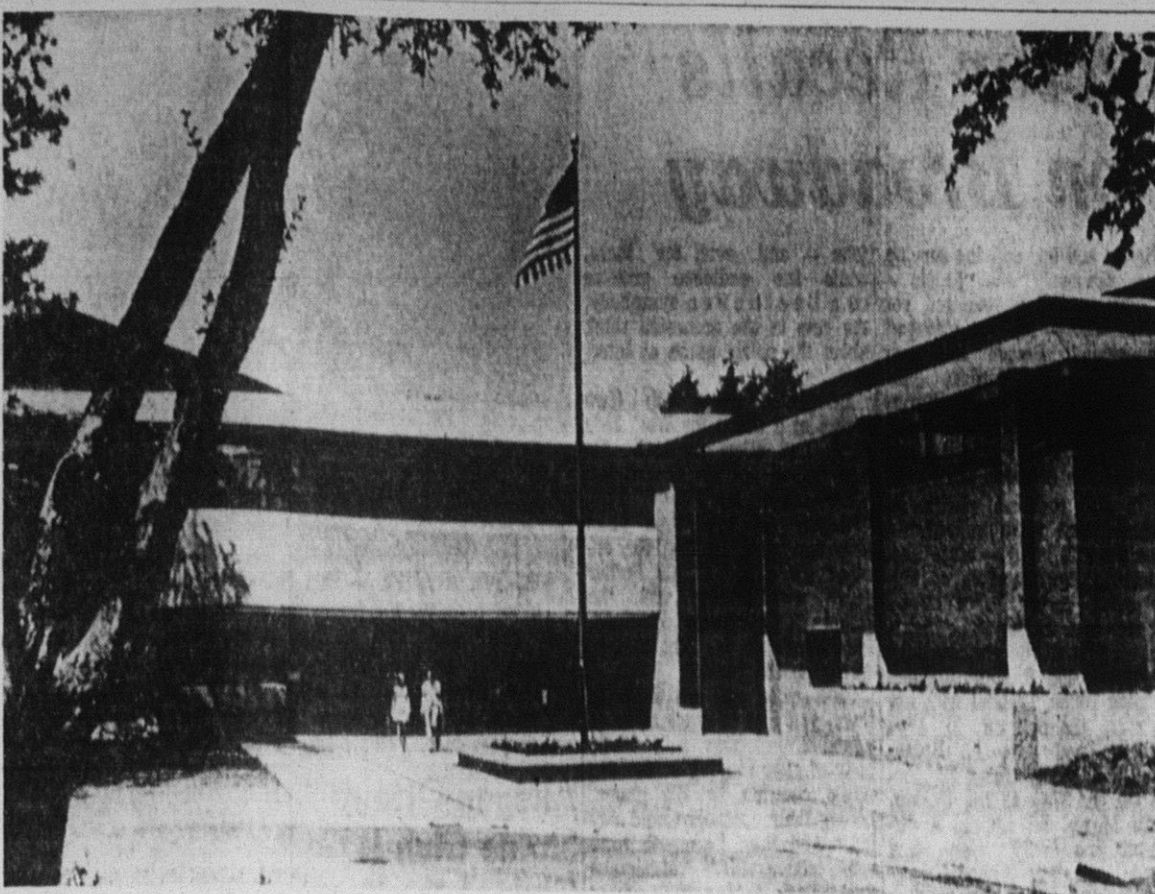
by Mendelssohn. Special emphasis on alumni artists this year included the Alumni Recital Series which featured Trudy Faber on organ and harpsichord, Jon Tuuk on organ, Ron Toering on trumpet

and David and Ann Buursma in a baritone and piano recital.

The Art Department is including works by alumni artists in its exhibits. Displayed in the front entrance of the Fine Arts Center, these include drawings, paintings and prints by Timothy Van Laar (Jan. 7 - Feb. 2), models and photographs of works by alumni architects (Feb. 6 - March 24), and paintings by Girt Purins (March 9 - April 9).

Open house on campus is scheduled March 18 in the afternoon and evening. Tours will be available. A sight-sound presentation of the history of the college and seminary will be shown throughout the day.

One of the highlights of the centennial was presentation of the original musical comedy, "The Impossible Possibility," which used song, dance, music and drama to catch the spirit of Calvin through its 100 years. The play was written by Stanley Wiersma, professor of English, with music by John Worst, professor of music, and under the direction of Ervina Boeve, professor of speech.



CALVIN COLLEGE CENTER BUILDING MAIN ENTRANCE, 1975

## Dutch Down West Ottawa In Swimming

Holland's swimming team defeated West Ottawa Saturday evening in the Panther pool, 97-75.

The victory gives the Dutch a 9-6 season mark compared to 8-6 for the Panthers.

Bill Derks of Holland set junior records in the 50-yard freestyle in 22.8 and in the 100-yard freestyle in 50.1. Jeff Reest of the Panthers had a sophomore mark of 2:13.4 in the 200 I.M.

Results in order of finish:  
200 medley relay — Holland (Ringelberg, Petersen, Carey, Sage) Time 1:48.8.  
200 freestyle — P. Nelis (WO), Mikula (WO), Ringelberg (H), West (H), Pearson (WO) Time 1:52.1.

200 I.M. — Cuperly (H), Petersen (H), Reest (WO), Carey (H), Van Duren (WO) Time 2:09.0.  
50 freestyle — Derks (H), Murphy (WO), Moeke (WO), Sage (H), H. Nelis (WO) Time 22.8.

Diving — DeRoo (WO), Juergen (H), DeJonge (WO), Smith (H), Young (WO) Points 163.60.  
100 butterfly — Murphy (WO), Sligh (H), H. Nelis (WO), Carey (H), Reinink (H) Time 57.2.

100 freestyle — Derks (H), P. Nelis (WO), Mikula (WO), Sage (H), George (WO) Time 50.1.  
500 freestyle — Cuperly (H), Reest (WO), Weststrate (H), Pearson (WO), Williams (WO) Time 5:08.8.

100 backstroke — Ringelberg (H), Sparks (H), Moeke (WO), Van Duren (WO), Hoffman (H) Time 1:00.1.  
100 breaststroke — Petersen (H), Elgh (H), Hallacy (H), Wetherbee (WO), Farley (WO) Time 1:08.4.

400 freestyle relay — West Ottawa (Reest, Murphy, P. Nelis, Mikula) Time 3:31.7.

## Licensure In Mortuary Science Receives State

Craig A. Kleinheksel of 294 East Ninth St., recently received his mortuary science license from the State of Michigan.

A 1972 graduate of Holland High School, he attended Ferris State College and graduated from the Wayne State University School of Mortuary Science in June, 1975. While at Wayne he received certification in eye enucleation from the Wayne State University Medical School.

Currently he is finishing a course in emergency medical training and cardiology at Grand Valley State College. He is employed by Dykstra Funeral Homes of Holland and Saugatuck.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Kleinheksel, he was married to the former Darlene Veenhoven this past summer.

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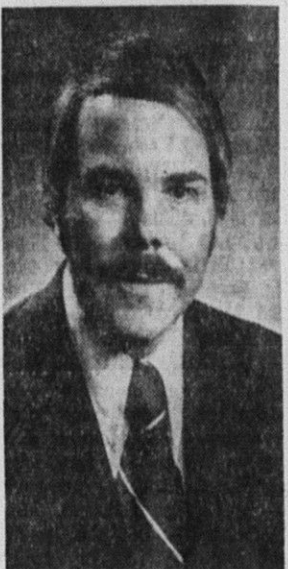
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## W.D. Jordan To Direct Cable Firm

William D. Jordan, formerly territory manager for AFCO Industries, has been named manager of the cable communications system being installed in Holland by Continental Cablevision.

Jordan will assume responsibility for the financial and administrative management of Continental's operation in Holland and will direct marketing efforts and the final phases of construction.

The announcement was made



William D. Jordan

by Roderick A. MacLeod, regional vice president for Continental.

Jordan has been active in civic affairs in Holland.

Construction of the Holland cable system is on schedule and Jordan and MacLeod said approximately 2,000 homes will receive the service by March with an additional 2,000 homes per month until the system is completed in June.

The cable system will include 90 miles of cable passing a total of 8,000 homes. It will offer residents 12 cable channels including the regular networks plus three independent stations, one from Detroit and two from Chicago. In addition there will be 14 FM radio signals.

Continental also will provide an institutional cable for use by local government, public and Christian Schools and Hope College.

Lynette De Geus Married To Patrick Gallagher

Miss Lynette De Geus, daughter of M. De Geus of 422 Maple Ave., became the bride of Patrick Gallagher on Friday, Feb. 13. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wernster of West Olive.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's father. Officiating was J. Hooper, minister of the Church of Christ.

Donald Marsh and Mrs. Barb Marsh of Zeeland attended the couple as best man and matron of honor.

A reception followed at the De Geus home.

Haven Park Has 5th Anniversary

Haven Park Nursing Center staff and residents had a celebration Monday to mark the fifth anniversary of Haven Park's opening.

The party was held in the Activities Room from 2 to 4 p.m. The program included two slide presentations of construction of Haven Park. Narrated by Stanley Ellens, administrator, the presentation began with pictures of the corn field where the center now stands, continued through construction stages, including addition of the 200 wing in 1973.

Built in 1970, Haven Park opened Feb. 1, 1971. Of the first 10 residents, three are still in the home, Mrs. Maria Huisward, Mrs. Nellie De Weerd and Harold Boer.

The 300 wing was the first

## Christian Averages Earlier Loss

By Rich Walters

Holland Christian's basketball team gained a split in its season series against Grand Rapids Christian, as the Maroons dropped the Eagles Tuesday night in the Civic Center, 43-44.

The first time the teams met, back on Dec. 26, the Maroons played very little defense, but satisfactory offense, as the Eagles won 82-66. Tuesday it was the defense that did the trick, keeping Christian close in the first half when the offense was sputtering, and when the offense picked up in the second half with 30 points, the Maroons held their foes to 22, which matched the first half total for Grand Rapids.

The Eagles led nearly the entire game until the final four minutes, but never by more than eight points, that being 22-14 in the second quarter. Christian's largest margin was 47-42.

Ken De Jonge scored the first points of the game, and it turned out to be the only lead the Maroons were to hold in the first quarter, which ended with the Eagles ahead 12-7.

Christian scored the first seven points of the second period, with Mark Van Dyke's basket putting his team in the lead, 14-12. The Eagles came right back with 10 consecutive points. Four points by Dave Van Langevelde narrowed Christian's deficit to 22-18 in a defense-dominated first half of play.

The Maroons knotted the score at 23-23 midway in the third period, but again fell behind 36-32 after three periods of play.

Tom Zoerhoff netted a free throw, which was followed by field goals by De Jonge and Joe Vogelzang, to again put the Maroons in the lead, 37-36. The teams then traded baskets until Zoerhoff gave Christian the lead for good, 41-40 with 3:52 left in the game. Van Langevelde followed with a basket which was countered by one from Mark Grasmeyer. De Jonge then connected from the floor and Zoerhoff hit two from the charity stripe to clinch the win.

Christian was charged with only 10 turnovers in the game. The Eagles totaled 16. Grand Rapids committed 21 fouls nine in the fourth quarter, when they were attempting to steal the ball, as the Maroons went into a control game. Christian was charged with 12 personal fouls.

Van Dyke's 15 rebounds paced the Maroons to a 39-31 advantage on the boards. Doug Selvis had 12 for the Eagles.

An unusual statistic showed up in the shooting department, as each team took the identical

number of shots in each of the first three quarters. The Maroons were three of 12 and the Eagles six of 12 in the first period, while they were both three of 15 in the second and seven of 18 in the third stanza. In the fourth Christian connected on six of 14 and the Eagles four of 10.

The game marked the final home appearance for Van Langevelde, Vogelzang, Zoerhoff, Kraig Boeve, Ron Geerlings and Mike Vander Ploeg.

Christian travels to Allegan Friday with the intent to end the regular season on a three-game winning note and a 10-10 record against some top-notch opponents.

Grand Rapids took the reserve game, 62-47. Craig Wierda tallied 15 and Brian Broekhuizen 13 for Christian. Steve Slotman was high for the Eagles with 11.

Holland Christian (48) — Van Langevelde, 42-10; Van Dyke, 31-17; Vogelzang, 33-8; Zoerhoff, 23-7; De Jonge, 6-21-4; Boeve, 1-0-2. Totals 19-10-48.

G. R. Christian (44) — Veltkamp, 6-21-4; Selvis, 4-0-8; Grasmeyer, 5-0-10; Vander Ploeg, 4-0-8; Broene, 0-0-0; Zieke, 0-2-2; Medendorp, 1-0-2. Totals 20-4-44.

Mrs. G. Plasman Succumbs at 61

GRAND RAPIDS — Mrs. Gerald (Mildred) Plasman, 61, of 458 West Lakewood Blvd., Holland, died early Wednesday in Butterworth Hospital following a lingering illness.

She was a member of Overisel Reformed Church. Her husband died in 1970.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Gene (Glenda) Dykstra of Holland; a son, Ronald L. Plasman of Zeeland; eight grandchildren; three brothers, Floyd Albers of Wyoming, Glenn Hamilton and Earl of Holland and three sisters, Mrs. John (Ruth) Plasman of Overisel; Mrs. August (Eleanor) Tellinghuizen of De Motte, Ind. and Mrs. Cecil (Marian) Naber of Overisel.

Couple Married In Church Rites

The marriage of Ruth Bloemsa of Zeeland and Marvin Ver Hoef of Holland is announced by their children.

The couple was married Friday evening, Feb. 20, in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Darwin Salisbury officiating. They were attended by her daughter, Mrs. Roger Yntema, and his son, Robert Ver Hoef. Thomas Bloemsa gave his mother in marriage.

After the ceremony, a reception for the immediate families was held in the church.

The newlyweds, who will make their home in Holland, are honeymooning in Hawaii. Upon their return, they will be honored at an open house to be given by their children.

ANNUAL TAX SALE OF PROPERTIES DELINQUENT

For Taxes In Ottawa County

Lands delinquent for real property taxes of 1973, and prior years are scheduled to be offered for sale by the County Treasurer at the Court House in:

Grand Haven on May, 4, 1976

The legal description of properties to be offered for sale will be published on March 4, 1976, March 11, 1976 and March 18, 1976 in the Zeeland Record, Zeeland, Michigan

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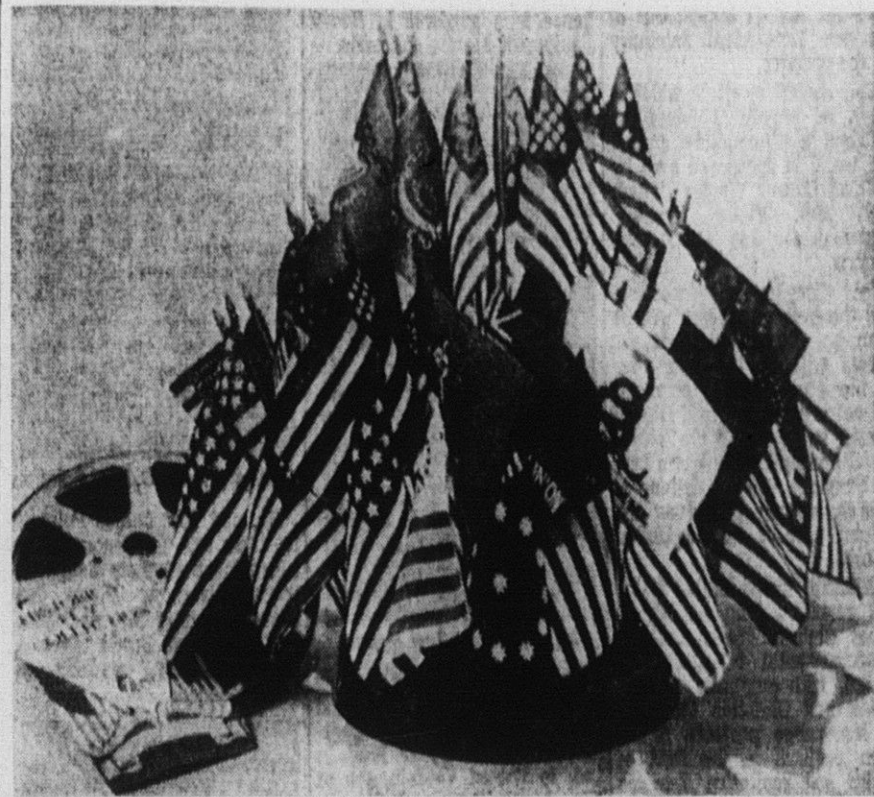
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BICENTENNIAL GIFT — Sets of 48 historic American flags and color films on the evolution of the flag are being offered free of charge to 500 schools and service organizations by Meijer, Inc.

## Sets of Flags Offered To Area Schools

America's heritage, encapsulated into documented sets of 48 historic flags, will be donated to 500 schools and public service organizations throughout the state of Michigan by Meijer, Inc., as recently announced by Harold Hans, vice president of merchandising for Meijer.

In addition to donating the flag sets, Meijer will also make available, free of charge, a 28-minute color film on the evolution of the American flag. The 16mm sound film traces the development of our present flag from the first English banner flown at Jamestown in 1607, highlighting historical events that gave rise to many of the flags that have flown in the United States prior to the official adoption of the present format.

Each flag set closely parallels the film's content, providing an overview of American history through an explanatory booklet that gives an historical outline for each flag. Though most of the flags in each set are centered around the Revolutionary period, an entire set spans America's history from the early 17th Century through the 20th Century.

Among the more famous flags included in each set are the Betsy Ross Flag, the Confederate Southern Cross, the Ratlesnake Flag, Bennington Flag and the Alamo Flag. Others such as the Know Nothing and the Lincoln/Kennedy Funeral Flags, are also included.

Schools and public service organizations can obtain a set of the flags, with desk-top holder and booklet, and arrange for use of the film by written request to Historical Flag Department, Meijer Inc., 2727 Walker, N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504. Because 500 sets were allocated for donation, requests will be filled on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Meijer is offering the flag sets and film because of their historical and education value and their relevance during the bicentennial year. Flag sets may be purchased by the general public over a 16-week period beginning March 8, only at Meijer Thrifty Acres and Supermarkets throughout Michigan.

## Maroons' Frosh Lose To Muskegon Christian

Muskegon Christian defeated Holland Christian's freshmen basketball team here Friday afternoon, 53-47.

Chuck Otten and Tim Essenburg each tallied 14 points while adding 12 for the maroons was Bruce Rosendahl.

## 'George M!' Covers Long Period in Life of Cohan

One of the most popular and versatile figures of American stage history is George M. Cohan on whom the musical "George M!" is based. This musical is the Bicentennial production of Holland Community Theatre, opening March 12 for a series of five performances in the Holland High School Performing Arts Center.

George M. was the way Cohan signed his letters, his checks and his contracts. All the songs in the musical are Cohan's. Among them are "Give My Regards to Broadway," "I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy," "Mary," "You're a Grand Old Flag" and "Over There." The latter practically became a national anthem during World War I.

E. Dale Conklin will be starred in the title role as the song-and-dance man with the distinctive style of singing and dancing of his time. Cohan not only was a boundlessly exuberant performer, but also the creator of songs and dances.

"George M!" accounts for Cohan's life from the days of his parents' small-time vaudeville act to the peak of success and popularity, and then to the days of his reluctant adjustment to new times when he no longer "owned Broadway" but was still a great star.

Conklin's (George M!) large supporting cast includes Ray Van De Mark, Margaret Kennedy and Kathy Berry as the parents and sister who comprised the Four Cohans vaudeville act; Kerry Wyckoff and Debra Jean Barber as Cohan's successive wives, Randall Schipper as his loyal producer-partner, and Barbara Gutwein as Fay Templeton, the star of Cohan's greatest musical. Barbara also is serving as musical director of the 45-member cast.

Co-directors Barbara Greenwood and Marilyn Perry are blending modern flash and old time nostalgia of the show and Mrs. Perry also is doing choreography for the tap and soft shoe dances which are a feature of the show. Conklin is again doing double duty with scenic designs and set painting.

Holland Community Theatre's wizard of the sewing machine and design board, Lillian Ketchum, returns as costume designer as she did for last season's hit "Gypsy." Mrs. Ketchum's challenging job covers the period from 1878 to 1937 and at last count totaled over 350 for eight full company production numbers, plus other numbers in the 18-scene show.

Kathy Miller is serving as rehearsal pianist for six weekly

rehearsals while Ruth Burkholder is handling production chores at the keyboard and heading the pit band. Frank Wierenga, Jr., is assistant to the directors.

Also featured in the cast are Sandy Bodenbender, Amy Klop, Jack Oonk, Dan Weller, Jan Benningfield, Maudie Bernard, Charles Borgies, Shirley Bosch, Sue Boundy, Earl Bowers, Cal Busscher, Brenda Cimbal, Carol Darwin, Margi Derks, Jane D. Elsinga, Derek Emerson, Jan Folsom, Dennis Hamilton, Judae Heyboer, Phyllis Holt.

Others are Ella Iams, Kathy LaCombe, Pat LaFontaine, Debbie Mannes, Bill McAndrew, Mary Medendorp, Pat Redell, James Redell, Jeff Resseguie, Joan Smallenburg, Jim Taylor, Mark Ten Brink, Pat Wiersma, Wendy Wiersma, Dick Williams, Janice Yonker and Bill Van De Vusse.

## Northern Fibre Names Joe Davis

Joe Davis, formerly plant manager for Certain-Teed Corp., Corbin, Ky., has been named superintendent of all Holland production facilities of Northern Fibre Products Co., it was announced by Jere



Joe Davis

Ambrose, executive vice president.

Davis brings 15 years experience in the manufacture of resinated padding which is used extensively for sound and heat insulation in the auto industry.

A native of Chelsea, Okla., Davis served in Vietnam in 1967-68. Davis, his wife, Linda, and daughter live at 307 Waverly Rd.



## Pit Conductor Recalls 13 Years on Broadway

When Bob Cecil steps into the pit as conductor for the next Hope College theatre production "Anything Goes" he steps into his past. Currently, Cecil is associate professor of music and director of the Hope College Band and the Jazz Band. However, for 13 years, he was in and out of the pit as a horn-playing musician in the "Big Apple" — New York City.

"Fine memories . . . the very opening of My Fair Lady . . . that was fine," Bob began, reflecting on New Haven. He was at Yale for seven years, first as a graduate student and then as a member of their faculty. He was there at a time

Pinkus and her copying service. But obviously the people — "those special people and you could tell" — left the strongest impression. People like Judy Holiday, Gwen Verdon, Julie Andrews, Rex Harrison, Jimmy Crawford, Richard Rodgers, Mitch Lee and Frank Loesser worked the Shubert.

He also recalled specific incidents that were memorable, and are still vivid — Moss Hart coaching Rex Harrison on how to bring across "I've Grown Accustomed to Her Face" without singing all the pitches; John Steinbeck and Richard Rodgers helping Helen Traubel with her role as the madam in Pipe Dream; and later on Broadway in A Funny Thing Happened On the Way to the Forum, Zero Mostel ad libbing a different line every night and never repeating himself.

Then came New York. Why? "I wanted to get the professional thing out of my blood . . . to make money as a musician before teaching . . . and I loved New York City." He mentioned his daughter Jane living in New York last year. She was told "the big city's gone down the drain," but she loved it too. They both thrive on the cultural adversity — the people, the food. And so in 1955, he moved to Brooklyn with his wife and three small daughters.

He sold real estate for six months, picked up jobs here and there at Radio City Music Hall and New York City Center, gave private lessons, taught part-time, and toured colleges with a woodwind quintet. And then through New Haven contacts, he began playing in the pit — on Broadway.

"Like everything else, it had its ups and downs. You had to hustle . . . it's competitive . . . and the paradox is a musician wants a hit show for steady income, but once he gets it, he gets sick of it. And then you want to play for fun and the sad part is, it ends up a job. I played with the New York Philharmonic off and on — extra

jobs — and, even for them, while the audience grooves on a Beethoven symphony, the cats in the orchestra think about the poker game at intermission."

He played as a sub (two weeks at a time) for West Side Story and other musicals. He was in and out of flops, Green Willow and The Gay Life. "Rumors got out. Guys jump ship and start looking for another job." One of his "other jobs" was touring with the Royal Ballet from England, four weeks at the Met and 16 weeks on the road.

"But when you got back to town, you had to start all over again. There was this whole body of guys staying at the Big Apple, waiting by the phone, hoping their contacts would pay off." And then "summer time are anxiousville." Musicians came back to the city. There was a lag in the season. "It's a trap . . . you never knew from one week to the next whether you'd get a job. And once you got work, the pace accelerated. There was no middle ground . . . it's a young man's game."

It's also a disillusioning game. "Young musicians think the talent in New York is tops, and inevitably discover it's who you know, not how you play, that counts." He didn't respect the caliber of most Broadway conductors with the exception of Frank Allers (My Fair Lady) and Max Goberman (West Side Story).

But finally, he contracted a hit show, "A Funny Thing Happened On the Way to the Forum." It ran two years. Bob left after six months. A former professor called him about a teaching position in a small town — Holland, Mich. He knew he was basically a non-competitive person, but more important, his lifestyle had been at odds with a normal family routine for six years. "All I wanted to do after a show was buy my New York Times, get on the subway, and get home. Makes it tough if you don't hang out with the single cats."



RECEIVE AWARD — Past Potentate Bud Talbot presents the trophy for Shrine Club of the Year 1975, to Paul Klomprens, president of the Allegan-Ottawa Shrine Club. Shown (left to right) are Roger Parrott, secretary-treasurer; Chester Walz, vice president; Talbot; Klomprens; Ralph

Saveland, vice president; John Kittredge, chairman of the awards committee and Jack Maeller, sergeant at arms. Kittredge is also chairman of the Shrine Club Council awards committee and Walz is the newly-elected secretary of the Council.

### Allegan-Ottawa Shrine Club Is Club of the Year

The Allegan-Ottawa Shrine Club has been named Shrine Club of the Year for 1975, according to Paul Klomprens, president of the club. The presentation was made at the club's annual dinner dance held recently at the Holland Country Club.

The competition for this award is among the 19 Shrine Clubs in the jurisdiction of Saladin Temple and is based on club membership, activities, contributions to the Temple, to the community and other club-related programs.

In addition to social activities during the year, the local club presented a band concert during Tulip Time; contributed \$6,100 to Holland Hospital; spent \$1,500 on orthopedic shoes for needy children; rang bells for the Salvation Army's Christmas Kettle program; took 250 crippled and retarded children to the Shrine Circus in January and sponsored and transported 25 children to free clinics or to the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children in Chicago.

The award was a cup which becomes club property; and the first line on a new permanent trophy which will be on display in the Saladin Mosque in Grand Rapids. Bud Talbot, past potentate, made the presentation to the club.

### Sentences Are Given

GRAND RAPIDS — Two Grand Rapids women convicted by a jury Jan. 29 of maintaining and operating a house of prostitution in Marne were among those sentenced in Circuit Court Monday.

Elizabeth Kroll, 55, was sentenced to nine months in jail with the sentence to be reviewed in six months. Her attorney said an appeal was planned.

Larry Allen Bouwer, 22, of 40 Howard Ave., Holland, charged with aiding and abetting in an attempted larceny at the county education center at Allendale June 17, 1975 was placed on a delayed sentence status and ordered to pay \$150 in costs.

Elizabeth Wolf, 34, was ordered to pay \$400 costs and was placed on probation for one year.

Darrell Sandusky, 23, of 256 Lincoln, Holland, charged with probation violation, pleaded guilty and will be sentenced March 1. He was sentenced last March and placed on probation for check law violation.

Lane Tharp, 22, of 0-6910 112th Ave., Holland, had his charge reduced to larceny in a building and will be sentenced March 22. He pleaded guilty and his \$500 bond was continued.



STUDENT LEADER AT NMU — Jane Brown, of Holland, is among 62 upper-classmen selected to serve as resident assistant (R.A.) at Northern Michigan University in Marquette. As an R.A., Jane provides general guidance to other students, particularly freshmen. Miss Brown, a junior studying physical education, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, 4864 Lakeshore. (N.M.U. Photo)

has served on the church's long-range planning committee.

A native of Holland, Essenburg attended Ferris State College in Big Rapids. He and his wife Lois have four children. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Essenburg of 637 West 20th St.

### Hope Nurses Entertain Staffs At Luncheons

Hope College Clinic Nurses entertained the office staff of Hope's Council of Physicians and of Dean Michael Gerrie at a Bicentennial luncheon at Phelps Hall Tuesday noon.

Bicentennial decorations were arranged by Saga Food Service, who also served the luncheon. Gerrie, dean of students, welcomed the guests and gave the invocation.

For entertainment, Donald Finn, director of theatre at Hope, presented two students in a preview of the musical, "Anything Goes." Appearing were Richie Hoeler and Beverly Keriowski, who play leading roles in the production.

Doctors who make up the Council of Physicians are Dr. Robert Albers, Dr. Vernon L. Boersma, Dr. James Chamness, Dr. Dale Dykema, Dr. Paul Dykema and Dr. Edward Helbing.

Attending the luncheon were Isla Wiersma, Betty De Fouw, Nell Wiersma, Marie Van Eerden, Marjorie Kleis, Ruth Ter Beek, Lavonne Bagladi, Brenda Grotenhuis, Marilyn Kamstra, Susan Harkema, Annette Gebben, Sherry Nyhuis, Pam Wicks, Ruth Fredericks, Jane Moes, Rose Geerlings, Charlotte Wieringer, Carolyn Bareman, Sarah Schendel, Ruth Dyke, Beverly Mulder, Sharon Blanksma, Marian Blake and Myra Zuverink.

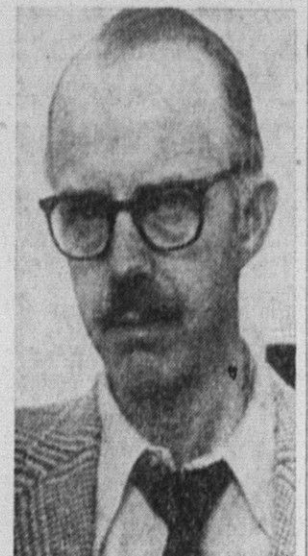
### Book Review Presented For Church Women

Beautiful in her authentic costume, Mrs. Paul Van Kolken, reviewed "The Women of '76" by Sally Smith Booth as the culmination of a nostalgic afternoon of remembering and looking back for Hope Reformed Church Women Wednesday.

Their 12:30 luncheon featured a menu of old favorites and was served at tables decorated with interesting memorabilia owned by members of Circle 2, who also served the luncheon. Co-service chairmen were Mrs. Frank Sherburne and Mrs. John De Haan.

A business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Millard De Weerd, president, and the devotion and program were in charge of Mrs. Harold Thornhill of Circle 5. Greeting members and guests were Mrs. John Klaaren and Mrs. Henry Alexander of Circle 5.

The meeting, which commemorated the Bicentennial, closed with a prayer and thoughts of today's blessings.



Bob Cecil

when hit musicals like Kismet, Damn Yankees, Bells Are Ringing, and Plain and Fancy previewed one after another prior to Broadway openings. And he spent night after night in the pit of the Shubert Theatre, "rehearsing a week when playing a two-week engagement."

"It was the end of an era in New Haven." He reminisced about old-time musicians out of professional work, hanging around, working in factories. He remembered the Taft Hotel "with people like little gnomes chained in hotel rooms copying music." And he recalled Matilda

## Review of Colonial Book Delights Library Crowd

With her pretty colonial costume adding an authentic touch, Mrs. Paul Van Kolken delighted a full house in Herick Public Library auditorium Wednesday afternoon with a review of "The Women of '76" by Sally Smith Booth.

Mrs. Van Kolken first explained her exquisite costume made by Mrs. Leo E. Bougie on authentic lines — no zippers, all hooks and eyes. Furlingale (hip padding), special undergarments and divided skirt. The only compromise with modern times was the selection of a polyester dacron material resembling the old muslin or linen cloth. In all, the dress has 16 yards of material.

The book dealt with the role of women during the Revolutionary War period, explaining and correcting stories which had been glossed over or glamorized. The stories quickly made clear that these women were not the dainty "ladies" who poured tea in the mansions, but characters of strong determination, often surpassing men in accomplishments.

Of the 221 persons mentioned in the book (including men), the two most famous were Abigail Smith Adams and Martha Dandridge Custis Washington, wives of the two first presidents.

Abigail Adams, a prolific letter writer whose letters today rank with Benjamin Franklin's, was a truly remarkable woman, one who ran a farm and brought up a family of children while her husband was abroad or working in Philadelphia.

And it was Martha Washington who urged the colonial women to do without what they could not make themselves. Martha, who brought a million dollars into the Washington family at her marriage, was a frugal type, the book said. Although the expression "camp follower" is not held in high regard today, Martha indeed was a camp follower, joining her husband in winter camps.

The book revealed there were many camp followers during the Revolution, the women doing many tasks that left the men free to engage with more active phases of the war. Women were allowed half-rations and children quarter-rations.

Among other women mentioned were Mercy Warren, writer of inflammatory tracts, all anonymous; Molly Ludwig Pitcher, who kept the cannons going when her husband was stricken at that post; Nancy Hart, mother of eight who managed to kill two of the five Tories who converged on her home in Georgia and then was present to see the hanging of the other three in her front yard.

There were stories of Black Americans, Indians, female Paul Reverses who carried in-

telligence messages without being captured; stories of Quakers and Shakers during the period; Betsy Ross whose flag-designing legends were turned into facts, and stories of divided family loyalties and the war aftermath.

Mrs. John Hollenbach presided. The next book review will be given March 18 by Mrs. John Smallegan of Zeeland.

### Roger Essenburg New President Of Mix-Mill, Inc.

HOUSTON, Texas — J. R. Hilder, president of Operations Group IV of International Systems & Controls Corporation, announced the election of Roger L. Essenburg to the position of president and chief executive officer of Mix-Mill, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary headquartered in Bluffton, Ind.

Mix-Mill, a unit in ISC's Operation Group IV, is primarily



Roger Essenburg

engaged in the design and manufacture of animal and poultry automatic feeding systems for on-farm operation.

Essenburg, Mix-Mill's new president, is a veteran of 21 years of management experience in the agricultural equipment industry. Prior to joining Mix-Mill, Essenburg was marketing manager for Speed King Manufacturing Company, Dodge City, Kan. He previously held marketing and general management positions with various agricultural equipment firms.

Essenburg has served as vice-chairman of the Auger and Elevator Manufacturers' Council of the Farm and Industrial Equipment Institute. While in Dodge City, he also served as chairman of the budget committee, Dodge City Area United Fund, and as president and member of the board of directors of the Dodge City Area Arts Council. An elder in the Presbyterian Church, he

## Engagements...



Miss Lynn Georgette Craig

The engagement of Miss Lynn Georgette Craig of St. Louis, Mo., to Randall Dean Van Eyck of Holland is announced by their parents. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. Ruth E. Craig of St. Louis. Mr. Van Eyck is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Van Eyck, 695 Larkwood Dr.

An August wedding is planned in St. Louis. Miss Craig is a senior in the optometric technician program at Ferris State College. Her fiancé is a graduate in Heavy Equipment Service at Ferris.



Miss Melinda Lee Marcus

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marcus of 1724 North St., Edgewood Beach, announce the engagement of their daughter, Melinda Lee, to Robert Verduin, son of Mrs. Agnes Verduin of Chicago Heights, Ill., and the late Cornelius Verduin.

Miss Marcus attended the University of Denver and her fiancé is a senior at Hope College. A June 12 wedding is planned.

### Mrs. R. De Haan Succumbs at 82

ZEELAND — Mrs. Ralph (Alice) De Haan, 82, of 38 South Elm St., died late Monday in a local nursing home.

She was a member of First Baptist Church. Her husband died in 1950.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Shem (Rosabelle) Martin of Bonham, Texas and Mrs. Thomas (Theresa) Knight of Endicott, N.Y.; two sons, Jay De Haan of Zeeland and the Rev. Dennis De Haan of Grand Rapids; 14 grandchildren and a great-grandson.



Miss Marilyn Kay Vork

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Vork of 4700 120th Ave. and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nienhuis of 12170 Tyler St. announce the engagement of their children, Marilyn Kay Vork and Brian James Nienhuis. A fall wedding is being planned.



Miss Ingrid Sylvia Polet

Mr. and Mrs. James Polet of 106 West 20th St. announce the engagement of their daughter, Ingrid Sylvia, to Philip Jon Klaasen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Klaasen, Apple Ave. A February, 1977, wedding is being planned.



Miss Sandra Ann Bronkema

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bronkema announce the engagement of their daughter, Sandra Ann Bronkema, to Randall Jon Bouwer, son of Mrs. Carole Crowe and Mr. and Mrs. John Bouwer, all of Holland. An Aug. 13 wedding is being planned.

### Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Friday were Carrie Hopkins, 434½ Washington Ave.; Anna O'Connor, 81 West Tenth St.; David Snyder, 620 Riley St.; Harriet Den Uyl, 237 West 40th St.; Jane Vandermolen, 154 Wedgewood Dr.; John Bush, 1055 Lincoln Ave.; Harry Brower, Hamilton; Aurelia Colon, 253 West 13th St.

Discharged Friday were Gladys Aldrich, 585 Howard Ave.; Harry Dekoster, 125 Beth St.; Janet Hengst, 1793 West 32nd St.; Gillis Lankheet, Hamilton; Mrs. Douglas Ritsema and baby, 102 East 23rd St.; Richard Schlaack, South Haven; Aaron Shuck, 288 West 13th St.; Mrs. Gerard Tejada and baby, 523 Butternut Dr.; Ginger Volk, A-6185 146th Ave.; Chad Wolf, 43 West 30th St.

Admitted Saturday were Carrie Bielefeld, 199 West 16th St.; Donna Tuttle, 3799 Butternut Dr.; Steven Jakubczak, 563 Pine View Dr.

Discharged Saturday were Martha Bareman, 115 Lakewood Blvd.; Mrs. Gordon Benjornor and baby, Bangor; Harriet Bronson, 860 West 25th St.; Fannie De Boer, 377 East 32nd St.; Carol De Goed, 456 Maple Ave.; Marvin Essenburgh, 230 Elizabeth Dr.; Paula Haverdink, 270 Hope Ave.; Ruth Hyma, West 40th St.; Bernard Jensen, 121 East 32nd St.; Joyce Kelch, Hamilton; Elaine Tubergan, 315 East 18th St.; Betty Van Order, Zeeland.

Admitted Sunday were Scott Haverdink, 1661 Columbus St.; Marilyn Weller, 140 East 19th St.; Roger Wynsma, Idlewood Beach; Stephen Perrigan, 2487 Briarwood Dr.; Debra Biggs, 11 East 17th St.; Matthy Zwiap, 499 Graafschap Rd.; Kathleen Wieling, Hudsonville; Shawn Turner, A-4686 142nd Ave.; Kay Bernd, 120 West 27th St.; Patricia Williams, South Haven; Jennis Berkompas, Birchwood Manor; Gladys Schrotenboer, 27 Pine Ave.; Bernard Haak, 140 Sorrento Dr.

Discharged Sunday were Harry Houtman, 2676 Williams Ave.; Julius Kempker, 152 East 34th St.; Kirk Shoemaker and baby, 248 Elizabeth; Betty Van Order, 940 Knoll Dr.; Herman Onken, Fennville.

### World Day Of Prayer Service Set

World Day of Prayer will be celebrated in Holland, Friday, March 5 at 1:15 p.m. at Christ Memorial Reformed Church, with Dr. Robert Coughenour of Western Theological Seminary as the speaker.

The annual event in which a chain of prayer is joined by millions in 169 countries around the world is sponsored here by Holland Church Women United, with Mrs. Victor Wennick, chairman for this year's celebration.

Dr. Coughenour's message and the program theme will be a unique Bicentennial one.

This will be the 90th year of the ever-widening ecumenical celebration of World Day of Prayer sponsored by the International Committee for World Day of Prayer, which designates Church Women United as the official sponsor in the United States.

Offerings in the United States will go into a fund administered by Church Women United's Intercontinental Mission Committee, with emphasis on education and Christian literature as long-range projects. Short-term projects in the field of health and sanitation also are aided by World Day of Prayer funds.

### Charles R. Ash Succumbs at 43

BALDWIN — Charles Robert Ash, 43, 136 West 17th St., died in his cabin here Friday following an apparent heart attack.

He was born in Douglas, attended Saugatuck Schools and entered the armed forces in July, 1949 serving three years. He was an employee at Hart and Cooley until his death.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Mary Warner of Holland and Mrs. Dan (Kay) Krebs of Twenty-Nine Palms, Calif.; several nieces and nephews.

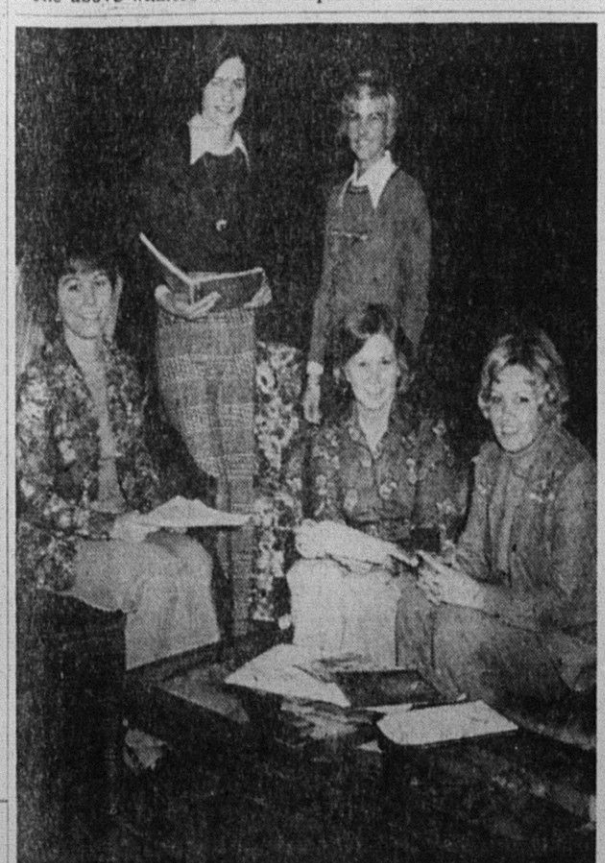
### Dutch to Play Niles

BENTON HARBOR — The Class A District basketball drawing were held here Monday with Holland taking on Big Seven Conference member Niles on Thursday, March 4.

The Dutch - Vikings contest is slated to start at 7:30 p.m. in Benton Harbor's gym. The two league foes divided encounters this season. Holland won the first game and dropped the second.

On Wednesday, March 3, the St. Joseph Bears will meet rival Benton Harbor in the tourney opener at 7:30 p.m.

The above winners will collide for the championship on Saturday, March 6 at 2 p.m.



PLANNING COMMITTEE — Church Women United representatives from area churches who planned the annual World Day of Prayer, scheduled Friday, March 5 at 1:15 p.m. in Christ Memorial Church, include: Seated (left to right) Mrs. Ronald Nienhuis, Mrs. Richard De Witt and Mrs. Jerry Helder and standing, Mrs. Victor Wennick, chairman and Mrs. James Jurries. (Sentinel photo)

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