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Trustees Urge Favorable Vote On Sinking Fund

Board of Education Says Proposition Is 'Best and Cheapest'

The Board of Education at its monthly meeting Monday night approved a resolution urging voters in the Holland public school district to vote favorably on the proposition of establishment of a sinking fund for building purposes at a special election April 21.

After careful study, the board feels that this means of obtaining money for future school buildings is the best and cheapest method of financing the proposed building program.

The board also recommended that all persons interested in the education of future citizens get behind this program and assure its adoption.

Trustees also approved the wording of the proposal which will be submitted on two ballots at the special election. The wording has been approved by the state department of public instruction and City Attorney Vernon D. Ten Cate, according to Supt. Carroll C. Crawford.

One ballot will be a proposal to increase the 15-mill limitation, requiring a two-thirds vote by qualified voters. The other proposition will be to establish a sinking fund out of an addition five mills, requiring a simple majority by property owners only.

The board also is "in sympathy" with plans of the Holland School of Christian Instruction to purchase city property bounded by 21st and 22nd Sts. and Pine Ave., it was decided in a brief discussion. This measure will be submitted to voters at the April 7 election and will require a two-thirds majority to carry. The board previously had informed the Christian school organization that it had no plans for utilizing this property for public school building purposes.

The board accepted an offer of Miss Ruth Keppel to present prizes of \$10 and \$5 to the two high school students rendering outstanding service to the Albert C. Keppel Memorial Forest preserve. Miss Keppel has offered these prizes for several years. They are awarded at commencement exercises.

Claims and accounts for February totaled \$37,234.51 of which \$1,380.09 went for teachers' salaries.

All trustees were present with the exception of E. V. Hartman. President Martha D. Kollen presided and C. J. De Koster gave the invocation.

Sales Series Is Scheduled Here

The series of sales training and personal efficiency lectures, sponsored by the Merchants division of the Chamber of Commerce, has been scheduled for April 11, 18 and 23 from 8 to 9 p.m. in Holland High school.

All three lectures will be delivered by E. C. Houce, sales training expert and inspirational lecturer. On Friday night, April 11, he will discuss "Can You Imagine It?" His subject for April 18, will be "Telescopng," and the final lecture April 23, will be "Shifting the Gears."

In these lectures, House will emphasize the particular qualities in sales people and the specific technique which, on the light of the careful study made by the Community Sales Service in Holland, will contribute to important improvements here.

Soil Conservation Is Explained to Bankers

Grand Haven, March 13 (Special)—L. R. Arnold, county agricultural agent, and Glenn Eaton, forester, explained operations of the West Ottawa Soil Conservation district at a banquet meeting of the Ottawa county Bankers' association Tuesday night, in Schuler hotel. About 30 bankers were present representing all banks in the county.

Motion pictures taken three years ago were shown. Arnold gave a brief history of the organization and explained some of the projects such as tree planting and stabilization of sand drifts.

Former Holland Man Claimed in Flint

Word has been received here of the death at 1:30 a.m. Tuesday of Wytze De Boer of Flint, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John De Boer who formerly lived on the lake shore here. He had been ill several weeks.

Surviving are four daughters: three sisters, Mrs. Sam Hathaway, Mrs. Wayne McDowell and Mrs. Robert Wilder; one brother Jack De Boer, all of Flint and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Dora De Boer of Holland.



Malcolm R. Giles

Scouts Win Award Of Funds From U.S. Moose Lodge

Mooseheart, Ill., March 13—Malcolm R. Giles, supreme secretary and executive director of the Loyal Order of Moose announces that the Order's "Golden Rule" award of \$25,000 will go this year to the Boy Scouts of America.

Last year's \$25,000 gift from the Moose went jointly to UNRRA and The American Friends Service committee (Quakers) to feed starving people in foreign lands. In addition to the cash, the Loyal Order of Moose through its 750,000 members in 1,500 lodges of the United States and Canada, collected more than two million cans of food for shipment abroad.

In announcing this year's award, Mr. Giles said, "The \$25,000 contribution by the Loyal Order of Moose to the Boy Scouts of America is only part of our 'Golden Rule' program for 1947. In addition, every Moose lodge will select a worthy charity or character-building project in its own community and make additional contributions to its support or growth. Every one of our 1,500 lodges will make a specific, definite, generous contribution to its own town or city, in addition to the \$25,000 Boy Scouts' gift, which is from the Supreme Lodge.

"Our 'Golden Rule' award is part of the Moose program to unselfishly serve our neighbors and is an extension of what we have been doing within the Moose for years.

"Persons everywhere have cooperated with the Moose in our humanitarian projects and our 'Golden Rule' award each year is our opportunity to repay all these good neighbors by helping, in our turn, worthy charities and character-building organizations."

Zeeland Woman Dies In St. Mary's Hospital

Zeeland, March 13 (Special)—Mrs. Alice Borst, 64, widow of William Borst of 122 East Lincoln St., Zeeland, died Wednesday in St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids, where she underwent an operation in February. She was active in local church work, having served as a Sunday school teacher and a member of the Ladies Aid and Missionary societies.

Surviving are one son, William Jr., two daughters, Hannah Mae Borst and Mrs. Ray Elbing, one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Borst and two grandchildren, all of Zeeland. A son, Henry, was killed in the Vogelzang fire in Holland in May, 1943.

Funeral rites will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. from the Baron funeral home and at 2 p.m. from the Second Reformed church in Zeeland with the Rev. W. J. Hilmet officiating. Burial will be in Zeeland cemetery. The body is at the funeral home where friends may call.

Lawrence Bale Named Fennville President

Fennville, March 13 (Special)—Lawrence Bale, polling 190 votes on the People's ticket, was named Fennville village president in an election Monday. He defeated Arthur H. Pahl, Progressive, who polled 119 votes.

A total of 309 votes was cast in the election of the 413 voters registered. This is the first time in many years that two tickets have been represented and with the exception of one, all the People's ticket candidates were elected.

Edward J. Knoll, Progressive, polled 177 votes to win the position of clerk. His opponent was Edward M. Erlewein, polled 131 votes.

William C. Billings, with 182 votes, is the new treasurer, having defeated Harold H. Chapman, 125 votes. Cecil Rosenow, 156 votes; Marvin Wolters, 189 votes and Warren L. Duell, 174 votes were named trustees for two year terms. They defeated Richard G. Barron, 135 votes; Arthur F. Coxford, 113 votes and Glenn Repp, 132 votes, respectively.

Roy Kee, 204 votes, was elected trustee for one year. He defeated John K. Andrews, who polled 101 votes. John Keag, received 160 votes for the office of assessor. He was opposed by James Michen, 138 votes.

Myths Prove Drag In Cancer Drive, DeKleine Claims

Scientific Advances Disprove Popular Concepts of Disease

In an effort to offset 5,000 years of misinformation and superstition regarding cancer, which have been handed down from one generation to the next, the Michigan department of health, state medical society, the American Cancer society and the department of public instruction are co-operating in a cancer facts education program which will be stressed during April, national cancer control month.

"While cancer is the second cause of death in Michigan and in the nation, and while no age or locality is free of cancer, half of the lives which the disease takes each year could be saved if the facts known at this time were applied," Dr. William DeKleine, commissioner of the Michigan department of health said this week. He urged every individual and organization in the state to avail itself of the latest information regarding cancer during Cancer Control Month.

"Each new scientific fact about cancer offsets some pre-existing fallacy, and the people of the state are no longer justified in maintaining the attitude of hopeless fear which has done so much to retard cancer control in past years," Dr. DeKleine said.

He pointed out that cancer is one of the oldest ailments known to man; that heiroglyphics of three to four thousand years before Christ referred to such growths as cancer, and that nearly every medical writer of importance since that time had discussed the disease in the light of knowledge, or lack of it, of his time. Superstitions and fears resulting have done much to hinder effective cancer control.

In April every community organization is urged to avail itself of speakers, films exhibits and literature with regard to cancer through the local medical societies and health departments of the state, in order that a greater percentage of the people in Michigan may be aware of the actual facts regarding cancer, and its control. The schools and medical groups of the state will also participate in special educational programs.

Epidemic Rumor Dispelled Here

Wild rumors of a serious epidemic of scarlet fever sweeping the area were dispelled here with the report that only a single case exists, and this is in the suburban area.

As a precautionary measure, public health nurses examined students in Junior and Senior high schools Monday and sent about 20 home. Most of these students returned to school today. Only four were sent home today from Junior high school. These precautions were taken after the lone victim was taken ill at school Friday.

Absences, however, were high in all schools. Health Inspector Ben Wiersma said absences were due mainly to colds and light flu. Junior high school was the hardest hit with 110 absent, compared with an average of 40.

Some of the wild stories circulating about town had 150 students stricken with scarlet fever.

Mail Carriers, Wives Have Potluck, Meeting

Thirty Ottawa county rural mail carriers and their wives met Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theron Stone, West Olive, for a potluck supper and monthly meeting.

Music was furnished by Joyce and Ruth Van Liere and Margaret Stone. Readings were given by Robert Curtis, Mrs. Margaret Veurink and Mrs. Anna De Boer. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Van Liere were in charge of the program. The next meeting will be held April 4 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kappenga, West 17th St.

Fuel Oil Case Taken Under Advisement

Grand Haven, March 13 (Special)—Judge Fred T. Miles has taken under advisement the case brought by George Johnson, associated with Northwestern Oil Co. of Grand Haven against the Muskegon Theatres, Inc., which was heard Tuesday.

Plaintiff is seeking \$627.89 covering 7,620 gallons of fuel oil, at 8 cents a gallon, plus 3 cents sales tax, totaling \$627.89, which was delivered to the Grand Theatre in Grand Haven on May 15, 1946.

Defendants, in a counter-charge, allege they have been buying fuel oil from plaintiff since 1940 and that they have been over-charged. They contend that plaintiff owes them about \$2,000, for which they are seeking judgment.



Donald L. Crisman has been appointed city chairman for the annual Red Cross campaign here this month. He is appointing sub-chairmen for carrying the campaign into industrial, business, school circles as well as a home canvass. The appointment was made by the Rev. J. Kenneth Hoffmaster, county chairman. Holland's quota this year is \$5,458.25. Crisman is district manager of the Michigan Gas and Electric.

County Receives School Funds

Grand Haven, March 13 (Special)—County Treasurer Fred J. Den Herder reports receipt of \$68,927 from the state, representing a third payment of primary school money, of which \$13,679 is for state aid and \$25,248 for tuition, which is to be distributed to the various units in the county including (first figure is state aid):

Holland city, \$15,693, \$9,565; Zeeland city, \$142, \$3,014; Grand Haven city, \$1,460, \$4,798.

The following amounts are for state aid only:

Holland township—No. 2, \$810; No. 3, \$73; No. 4, \$208; No. 5, \$479; No. 6, \$329; No. 7, \$683; No. 9, \$918; No. 10, \$66; No. 13, \$88.

Olive township—No. 1, \$105; No. 2, \$127; No. 3, \$128; No. 4, \$80; No. 4, \$312; No. 9, \$232.

Park township—No. 2, \$276; No. 4, \$1,255; No. 8, \$372.

Port Sheldon township—No. 2, \$1, \$140 and No. 3, \$99.

Robinson township—No. 1, \$171; No. 2, \$89; No. 3, \$261; No. 4, \$110; No. 5, \$150; No. 6, \$135.

Zeeland township—No. 2, \$378; No. 3, \$279; No. 4, \$110; No. 5, \$1, \$80; No. 8, \$74.

Zeeland Chamber Plans Campaign

During the week of March 24 the Zeeland Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual membership campaign under the chairmanship of Al Vanden Brink.

One hundred years ago Zeeland was founded as a community. Since 1847 it has grown in numbers from 450 to 3,007 within its city limits, and in business firms from two blacksmith shops, a copper shop, and several small stores to the present more than 70 retail outlets, 20 manufacturers, 23 hatcheries, several professions, wholesalers and others.

The growth of the community was made possible through leadership, according to officials of the chamber. It is pointed out that if Zeeland is to continue a healthy growth it needs continued leadership through organization and individual effort.

Efforts are being made to increase membership in the Chamber both numerically as well as financially in order to have a strong organization which can help build a sound community.

Two Holland Men Accepted by Army

Lewis J. Ploeg, 28, of route 4, has been accepted for a three year enlistment in the Army air forces as a staff sergeant. His military occupation will be that of armored gunner. Ploeg, who served in the Navy during World War II, was sent to San Antonio, Tex., for advance training.

Robert N. Ver Hey, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Ver Hey of 36 East 26th St., has been accepted for a three year enlistment in the first Cavalry division now located in Japan. He was sent to Fort Lewis, Wash., for training after being sworn in at Detroit.

Both men left Holland last Thursday. They were recruited by Sgt. Gilbert Johnson of the local Army recruiting office.

Local Man Sentenced On Window Peeping Count

Clifford De Fouw, 42, of Holland, was sentenced Monday by Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith to serve 30 days in the county jail after pleading guilty to a window peeping charge. Appearing in Municipal Court for traffic tickets were Capt. R. A. Harreutt, city parking, \$1; Robert B. Cowan, 37, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$5; Charles Ploegmans, city, double parking, \$1.

It's Hizoner's Birthday; He Considers '13' Lucky

Mayor Ben Steffens is celebrating his 67th birthday anniversary today, the 13th of March.

Holland's mayor considers the 13th a lucky day, particularly Friday the 13th. His birthday hits that combination regularly every six years.

He started in business on Friday the 13th in October, 1905, and retired two years ago after 40 years in the grocery business.

But, though he is retired, he's as busy as ever. Just now, he's kept on the jump translating letters from the Netherlands. Since Holland's Centennial celebration has been receiving publicity over there, the mayor received as much as 10 letters a day, usually written in Dutch.

25-Bed Addition For City Hospital Approved by CPA

A 25-bed addition to Holland hospital has been approved by the Civilian Production administration in Grand Rapids, according to word received here by William W. Colton, local hospital director.

The hospital application, listing an estimate of \$100,000, will only partially alleviate the over-crowded conditions existing at the hospital more than five years.

Colton, said Lewis J. Sarvis, Battle Creek architect, expects to have plans and specifications completed in a week. These plans will then be submitted for bids and estimates and construction is expected to get under way this spring.

Plans for the addition, which will eventually be a unit of a larger addition, call for space for 25 beds and a boiler and power plant. The present power equipment, according to Colton, has been serving the hospital day and night for 20 years and is in need of replacement.

Common Council on Jan. 22 appropriated \$12,000 for the addition, half of the amount to be borrowed from the Board of Public Works.

One of the main reasons that CPA granted the request was the inability to accommodate easily veterans under the Veterans' Hospitalization plan, of which Holland hospital is a member.

The new addition will be built onto the north end of the hospital and will be three stories. The entire section is designed for wards and rooms, a commodious more than one patient.

Other applications approved by CPA included one for D.B.K. Van Ralte for an exchange and auction house at a cost of \$10,000, and one for Henry Strabbing and Ray Roelofs for an auto service and repair plant at \$19,125. Both are under way.

In Zeeland, Mead Johnson Co. was given permission to build a \$64,000 sewage treatment plant, and P. F. Verplank Co. was given a permit to build alterations for burial cases at \$2,000.

Health Unit Gives Vital Statistics

Grand Haven, March 13 (Special)—In a talk before the Kiwanis club, Tuesday night on the functions of the health department of Ottawa county, Dr. C. Dale Barrett, Jr., gave the following provisional report for 1947.

Grand Haven, births, 231; deaths, 90; Holland, 401; 149; Zeeland, 96; 41; rural, 874, 320; totals, 1,602, 600.

No maternal deaths were reported in Ottawa, 163 in the state; 26 stillbirths in Ottawa county.

Leading causes of death in the county in 1946 were listed as:

Heart disease, 195; cancer, 157; apoplexy, 95; accidents, 62; diseases of infancy, 48; nephritis, 45; arteriosclerosis, 35; diabetes, 22; pneumonia, 17; and congenital malformations, 15.

Communicable disease deaths in 1946 in Ottawa were:

Scarlet fever, 1; tetanus, 1; tuberculosis, 3; syphilis, 1; polio, 1; and influenza, 7.

Communicable diseases in 1946 in the county: Whooping cough, 408 cases; measles (red) 332; scarlet fever 156; syphilis 54; gonorrhea 45; tuberculosis 16; polio, 11; meningitis, 3; diphtheria, 2; undulant fever, 2; typhoid fever, 1; and smallpox, 0.

Three Pay Fines Here On Conservation Counts

Irving J. Hajicek, 38, route 1, paid fine and costs of \$16.60 in Municipal court Tuesday after pleading guilty to a conservation charge involving issuance of a fishing license with an incorrect date.

Alan Fuder, 22, route 1, paid a similar fine of \$16.60 on a conservation charge involving no fishing license.

Raymond Ryzena, 29, route 5, paid \$11.60 on a conservation charge involving no name on his fish shanty. All arrests were made by Conservation Officer Harold Bowditch.

Company Reports Staff Promotions At Holland Plant

Transfers Up Men At Local Factory; Some New Personnel

C. B. McCormick, manager of the H. J. Heinz company, announces several promotions in the local organization.

C. E. Young, formerly chief clerk at the company's Bowling Green, O., factory has been transferred and promoted to the position of factory controller here. Young has moved his family to Holland and is located at 219 West 19th Street.

G. E. Stephens, formerly personnel manager at the company's Fremont, O., plant has been named personnel manager of the Holland plant. As soon as living accommodations can be found, Stephens will move his family to Holland.

Horace B. Renick, who has been the personnel manager at the local plant since 1943, has been promoted to general department head of pickle operations. Before his assignment as personnel manager he was a member of the growers' service department of Holland.

Ralph Bowman, formerly assistant vinegar department foreman has been named general department head of vinegar operations, replacing R. A. Howlett, who had previously been transferred to the Pittsburgh plant as process engineer. Bowman was employed by the company at Holland in 1918, and all of his years' service have been spent in the vinegar end of the business.

Bernard Hill of Holland has been appointed assistant to Bowman directly in charge of distilling and bulk vinegar operations.

James Nelson has been named supervisor of plant protection.

Former Minister Teaches at Hope

Dr. Ivan Dykstra, former minister of First Reformed church of North Paterson, Hawthorne, N. J., Monday assumed duties as head of the department of Greek at Hope college, Dr. Irwin J. Lubbers, president, has announced.

Dr. Dykstra will also work in the department of philosophy.

Son of the Rev. and Mrs. B. D. Dykstra of Orange City, Ia., Dr. Dykstra attended Northwestern academy and Junior college in Orange City and received an A. B. degree, magna cum laude, from Hope college in 1935. In 1938 he was graduated from Western Theological seminary as class speaker. In 1945 he was given a Ph. D. degree in the field of religion at Yale university.

He was pastor of Marbleton Reformed church, Stone Ridge, N. Y., from 1940 until 1943 when he went to North Paterson church. He has been active in civic and church affairs and has published many articles in foremost religious publications.

Dr. Dykstra and his wife, who was formerly a commercial subjects teacher in Lodi, N. J., high school, live on South Shore Drive, Virginia Park. They have two sons, Brian James, four, and Darrell Ivan, one.

New Engineer Is Employed by BPW

Robert L. Ekins, a chemical and mechanical engineer whose home town is Fort Madison, Ia., is a new employee of the Board of Public Works.

Ekins, who received an engineering degree in 1923 from Iowa State college, began work here Monday, coming from Manistee where he was employed the past year as plan engineer for a paper mill.

Previously, he spent six years at Combustion Engineering Co. in New York, four years at Du Pont Co. in Charleston, Ind., and 10 years as an engineer at paper mills in Circleville Ohio.

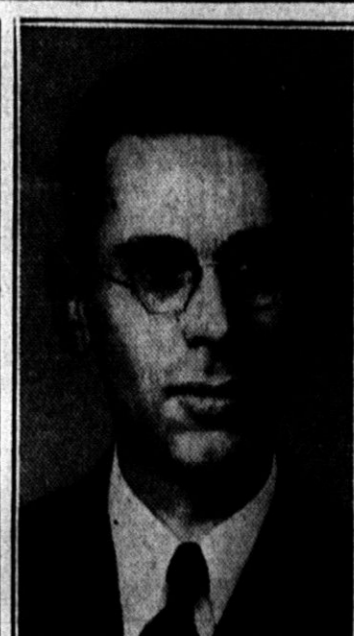
His wife, a former Decatur, Ill., girl, is at present in Manistee and plans to come to Holland soon. They have no children.

Judge Miles Places Youths on Probation

Grand Haven, March 13 (Special)—Eugene Moorey, 16, of 445 West 23rd St., Holland, Charles Edward Davis, 19, and Warren Davis, 15, of route 2, West Olive, were placed on probation Monday for three years by Judge Fred T. Miles. The boys pleaded guilty Feb. 1 to charges of breaking and entering in the night time.

The conditions of the probations of the two younger boys are that they will not be allowed to smoke cigarettes during the term of probation and pay \$2 a month costs.

The older boy must pay \$3 a month probation and a \$25 fine within 30 days.



Dr. Clarence De Graaf

County 4-H Work Told Exchangites

Ottawa county's 4-H club program was explained before local Exchangites at the meeting Monday noon in the Warm Friend Tavern. Harvey Elliott, supervisor of 4-H work in Ottawa county explained the county "set-up."

The county's 4-H club work dates back to World War I, approximately the time the movement was given support by national funds in 1945, the speaker said. Thus the county organization may be considered a pioneer in the movement.

As little as four years ago, Mr. Elliott revealed, Kent, Ottawa, Allegan and Barry counties were under one 4-H supervisor. Later Muskegon and Ottawa counties were grouped together and now Ottawa county only has one supervisor of 4-H work.

The organization, which appeals to people outside the cities particularly to the 10-20 age group, offers some 550 projects for participation. It attempts to teach confidence, leadership, initiative and commendability of ambition.

"According to present figures the movement has some 2,000,000 participants," the speaker said. "We aim to make it a year around activity and not only a two-season activity."

A display of awards was shown Exchangites. The Holland and Zeeland Chamber of Commerce, Board of Supervisors and Michigan State college were commended for their support of the group's work.

Excluding the cities in the county, 4-H now has 1,477 members. Last year's enrollment was 1,237.

Mr. Elliott also showed a film on 4-H activity.

The speaker was introduced by Exchangeite C. C. Wood.

Edward Avison, cornetist, accompanied by Prudence Haskin, provided music. Exchangeite guests were Cornel Brewer and B. F. French.

Charles Lindow of the H. J. Heinz Co., will speak on "Migrant Workers" at the March 24 meeting according to Russell Welch.

Mike Hirdes Dies In Holland at 73

Michele (Mike) Hirdes, 73, retired Zeeland baker who came to Holland several years ago after the death of his wife, died Tuesday afternoon in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gordon, at 259 West 16th St. He had been ill since Saturday.

Surviving are the daughter; two sons, Bernie and James of Grand Haven; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Corcy Hirdes of Grand Rapids; eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren; also a brother and two sisters in the Netherlands.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from the Lange-land funeral chapel with Elder R. Reynolds of Seventh Day Adventist church officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday from 3 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

Family Nutrition Clinics Scheduled for April

The nutrition unit working with the Ottawa county health department has completed work in Holland High school and will begin family clinics in Holland and Grand Haven in April.

Clinics will be held in the unit's headquarters in the federal building in Grand Haven each Tuesday and in the health department's branch office in Holland each Thursday.

Families have been selected at random to obtain as broad a sampling of diets of residents as possible.

Zeeland Chamber Names Speaker for Banquet

Zeeland, March 13—Clifton A. Youngman of Lakeview, who recently addressed the National Association of Credit Men, will be speaker at the annual Chamber of Commerce membership banquet in the city hall March 26 at 6:30 p.m.

Netherlands Trips Offered as Prizes In Essay Contests

Dr. Clarence De Graaf Heads Committee for National Competition

Two essay contests, one for high school seniors and the other for college and university students in the United States, on the subject of "The Influence of Dutch Settlement on American Civilization," will be sponsored by the Centennial Commission of this city. It was announced today at a press conference here for western Michigan newsmen.

Prizes for the three top winners in each contest will be trips to the Netherlands this summer, and the next three winners will have trips to Holland, Mich., during August when the city will officially celebrate the centennial. During this period, Aug. 14, 15 and 16, there will be an outstanding pageant, musicale, water sports, art exhibition and visits of high ranking dignitaries of state and federal governments as well as the Netherlands.

Should any student in Holland

Christian Takes District Crown From Allegan

Maroons Whip Tigers In High Scoring Tilt; Move to St. Joe Meet

Holland Christian captured the Class B District championship at Allegan Saturday night when they defeated Allegan 58-22 in a lopsided affair. The victory was the Maroons' 16th of the season and their 10th consecutive win. The locals had no trouble in taking the tilt as they completely swept the Tigers off their feet in the opening stages. The host quintet was never in the lead, since they were unable to penetrate the tight Christian defense.

Allegan, hoping for an upset win, was highly keyed for the contest, but were disappointed after the first two minutes of play when Christian led 12-2. The Dutch completely dominated the rebound play, while the best Allegan could do was to shoot wildly over the Christian defense. Rosendahl opened the Holland scoring on a pivot shot and counted on five additional ones before Coach Ken Otis then attempted a bit of strategy as he instructed his boys to guard the local back line loosely, and at the same time place two men each on the Christian big men, Rosendahl and Schrotenboer. This proved disastrous because little Kearney Zoerhof, left quite unmolested in the back line, scored on five long balls before the first half ended. The Maroons led 22-4 at the end of the first period.

The second quarter was merely a repetition of the first with Christian scoring on numerous lay up shots to pile up a 35-6 lead midway in the period. Coach Art Tula inserted a new team at this point which succeeded in garnering four points while Allegan failed to score. The Tuismen led 39-6 at the end of the first half. The best Allegan could do was a pair of foul shots and two baskets during the half.

Allegan came out to start the second half to salvage what they could, as defeat for them was inevitable. They played more relaxed ball and were able to counter on three baskets and two foul shots while all Christian scored was three field goals. The Maroons were content to control the ball and to rotate without making a determined effort to score. Wells did most of the scoring for the Tigers as he hit for four points in the stanza. The third frame score was 45-14.

A reserve five took the floor for the Hollanders at the start of the final period. They displayed plenty of scrap and had many scoring opportunities, but were unable to score to any great degree while Allegan managed to hit for eight tallies. With the score reading 50-22 and with but one minute remaining in the contest, Tuis inserted his regulars for a final fling. They displayed their best ball handling of the game as they put on a great exhibition for the overflow crowd. They scored eight points in the last minute as the hapless Allegan crew tried desperately to stop the attack. The whistle sounded as Zoerhof missed on a long one handed shot from the middle of the court.

Christian had just too much height and finesse for the fighting Allegan aggregation who fought valiantly against insurmountable odds. This marked the second time in two years that the Allegan quintet was eliminated by Holland Christian in the District finals. Christian now moves to St. Joseph where they will compete in the Regional tourney there. Three teams, St. Joseph, Western State of Kalamazoo and Holland Christian comprise the Class B at St. Joseph. The state champs humbled Niles 25-21, and Western State defeated Sturgis 36-32 to cop their District crown.

Holland made only two of 12 foul attempts Saturday while Allegan was successful on six of 15 opportunities.

Rosendahl led the Maroons with 18 points while Zoerhof followed with 14. Wilcox was high for the losers with 5 tallies. Bremer was ejected on five personal fouls in the last half minute of play.

Christian (58)	FG	F	TP
Bremer, f	4	0	8
Rosendahl, f	9	0	18
Schrotenboer, c	4	1	9
Zoerhof, g	7	0	14
Lampen, g	2	1	5
Altena, g	0	0	0
Baker, g	0	0	0
Van Wieren, c	2	0	4
Marcus, f	0	0	0
Beelen, g	0	0	0
Vanette, f	0	0	0
Totals	28	2	58

Allegan (22)	FG	F	TP
Gilpin, f	1	2	4
Burton, f	1	0	2
Smith, c	1	0	2
Harris, g	0	2	2
Wilcox, g	2	1	5
Wells, g	2	0	4
Boe, f	0	1	1
Whitney, f	1	0	2
Totals	8	6	22

Divorce Awarded

Grand Haven, March 13 (Special)—A divorce decree was awarded Monday to Dorothy Louise Kangas of Holland from Irving Kangas. Custody of a minor child was awarded the mother by Circuit Court.

Couple Married in Borculo Church



Mr. and Mrs. Donald Van Hoven (Penna-Sas photo)

A double ring ceremony performed Thursday Feb. 27 in Borculo Christian Reformed church united in marriage Mr. and Mrs. Donald Van Hoven.

Donald Van Hoven, the bride is the former Sylvia June Bos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Bos of Borculo.

Varied Meetings Held By Missionary Groups

Work on supplies for Knox Memorial hospital in Arabia, a city-wide project, and speakers on various phases of mission work were featured at meetings of mission groups in local churches last week.

Using as her theme, "Jesus, the Light of the World," Mrs. A. Lampen led devotions at the meeting of Third Reformed church Women's Missionary society in the church parlors Wednesday March 5. A solo, "Tell It Again," was sung by Mrs. Carl Kaniff.

John Jansen of Western Seminary told of his summer's work in Dulce, N.M., in a talk entitled "Indians and the Gospel." He described the reservation's modern community house, equipped with gymnasium and showers.

The Dulce Indians are called the "little basket people," he said, because of their skill in basket weaving. This custom is dying out, however, because the young girls refuse to weave with their teeth. The men are largely shepherds or raise cattle. Mr. Jansen explained, and beautiful beadwork is their leisure time activity. Children live in clean, modern dormitories and attend a government school.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Dora Van Raalte and Miss Nell Vander Meulen. The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary society of Bethel Reformed church was held Wednesday March 5 at the church. Devotions were led by Mrs. Gerald Rienick.

James Vos of Western Theological seminary talked and showed pictures of his work at Winnipeg, Neb. A piano duet, "Blessed Be Thee That Binds," was played by Phyllis Boes and Elaine Rienick. A quartet, composed of Duane Carlson, Earl Wellings, Robert De Neff and David Van Vuren, sang "No One Ever Cared for Me Like Jesus" and "Oh Say But I'm Glad." They were accompanied by Mrs. C. Weststrate. Mr. Vos led closing devotions. Hostesses were Mrs. Harvey Sprick and Mrs. Gerrit Bax.

A dessert meeting in the Temple building Wednesday March 5 featured the missionary meeting of Hope church. Hostesses were Mrs. Irwin J. Lubbers and Mrs. Bruce Raymond.

Following the business meeting Miss Marian Korteling of Hope college gave an oration entitled "Renaissance." Devotions were led by Mrs. Martha Kollen. A talk on the various mission fields and a description of Knox Memorial hospital in Arabia was given by Mrs. Sharon Thoms.

The remainder of the time members worked on hospital supplies. Members of Maplewood missionary society also folded bandages after their meeting Wednesday March 5 in church parlors at which there was a record attendance. Mrs. James Baar, president, conducted the meeting.

A play on Christian stewardship was read by Mrs. J. Westerhof who also offered prayer. Two solos were sung by Mrs. Richard Staat. Hostesses were Mrs. T. Everse and Mrs. J. Noor.

Mrs. R. Kuiper presided at the meeting of the Women's Missionary auxiliary held Tuesday March 4 in parlors of Third Reformed church. Miss Dora Muller led devotions. Mrs. Gordon Groenewoud was appointed secretary to succeed Mrs. Richard Aardsma.

In charge of the theme, "Migrants," were Miss Carolyn Hillarides and Miss Evelyn Heffron. Music was provided by the Misses Harriet and Carol Goodman.

A playlet on migrant life written by Marion Waite was presented by Mesdames Carl Kaniff, Clarence De Fouw, B. Plasman, Gleon Bonnette, Robert Wilson, William DuMont, John Van Eerden, Mrs. Van Spyker and Miss Hillarides.

William Bennett, Hope college student, told of his work with migrants in New York state. Hos-

teses for the meeting were the Mesdames Clarence Kleis, Ray Knooihuizen, Gordon Groenewoud and John Vaupell. New members welcomed into the auxiliary were Mesdames M. E. Osterhaven, W. B. Miller and B. Flikkema.

North Blendon

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Peter Knoper died at the home of her children, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walcott at Pearline Feb. 22. Funeral services were held from the Walcott home and the local Christian Reformed church Tuesday with the Rev. F. Netz of Grant and the Rev. T. Yff of Hudsonville officiating. Mrs. Knoper had lived in this community 18 years. She was active in the Ladies Aid society. She was also a member of the local Christian Reformed church. She is survived by the daughter, Mrs. Walcott; two sons, Peter and Pearlina; and Francis of this place; two grandchildren and several brothers and sisters.

Henry Junior Klinger is confined to Zeeland hospital following an appendectomy last Monday afternoon. Henry Junior is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Klinger.

The J. Visser family has moved to Jenison and the new owners of the Visser homestead, the Vander Toorn family of Rockford, have moved here.

Floyd Mortine was able to resume his studies last week following a several weeks illness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hop of Georgetown were Friday callers at the home of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berghorst.

Fire caused by an overheated stove damaged the home of Roy Westveldt Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Westveldt were away at the time and the fire was discovered by the children who summoned the fire department. With the aid of neighbors the fire was put out before the fire department arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bohl of Beaverdam called on Mrs. J. C. Huizinga and family last week.

Mrs. F. Driesing of Muskegon spent the week-end with her family here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Mulder and family of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. C. Dalman of Zeeland were Sunday visitors in this vicinity.

At the congregational meeting held at the local Christian Reformed church Monday a call was extended to candidate Sonema, a graduate of Calvin seminary, Grand Rapids. Other candidates were Mr. Recker and Mr. Holwerda.

Consistory meeting was held at the Reformed church Monday evening.

Mrs. Ben Kuipers was the hostess at the meeting of the Women's Missionary society Wednesday. Devotions centered on prayer and a play "Opening Doors at Anville" was given by six members of the group. Announcement was made concerning the meeting of the Federation of Women's societies, who support the Mission to Lepers in Inhambane, Portuguese, E. Africa to be held March 26 at Holland.

'Loading Zones' Are for Trucks Only, Chief Says

The "loading zones" downtown are designated for the use of trucks only, and not passenger cars, Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff explained here.

He asked motorists to desist from using the parking places for passenger cars.

Need for the scattered "loading zones" for trucks only is evidenced in the current drive to eliminate double parking in the downtown area.

About 97 per cent of the area of Iowa is farm land, and of this, 86 per cent is improved.

Harbor District Is Now Divided

Grand Haven, March 13 (Special)—Holland and Grand Haven harbors will be in separate districts, following action at a meeting of the Michigan Fish Producers association Friday night.

The former district included all harbors on the east shore of Lake Michigan from St. Joseph to Pentwater. Under the new set up, district 1 will include St. Joseph, Benton Harbor, South Haven, Saugatuck and Holland, and district 2 will include Grand Haven north through Pentwater.

New officers of district 1 include Lloyd Molhagen of St. Joseph, president; Frank Sewers of Saugatuck, vice-president; and Charles Spangenberg of St. Joseph, secretary-treasurer and representative on the state board of directors.

Officers for district 2 include Paul Jensen of Muskegon, president; Walter Fritz of Grand Haven, vice-president; and Lloyd Grover of Montague, secretary-treasurer and state representative.

Claude Verduin of Grand Haven, field representative of the state association, reported on the proposed changes in fishing laws.

Among the 50 present were Clifford, Lloyd and Murray Chambers of Holland who brought two steel tugs to Grand Haven. The brothers have been fishing out of Holland in the summer months but docked at Grand Haven due to the ice in Lake Macatawa. They plan to return to Holland when weather permits.

Zeeland

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Hoven and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Van Hoven have returned from a three-week pleasure trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wiersma, Mr. and Mrs. William Wentzel and Mrs. Minnie Langius have returned to their homes after a three weeks pleasure trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hendricks have returned to their home after spending a few weeks in Florida and other places of interest.

The Rev. Abraham Rynbrandt will be in Alto, Wis. next week March 11, 12, 13 and 14 to participate in special services there.

Dr. George Menninga of Western seminary will conduct services at the First Reformed church on Wednesday Day of Prayer at 9:30 a.m.

All Zeeland stores will close all day next Wednesday, March 12, in observance of the annual Day of Prayer.

A union service of Third Christian Reformed church and North Street Christian Reformed will be held at North Street church next Wednesday morning, Prayer Day, at 9:30 a.m. and at Third church at 7:45 p.m. This union service is held annually.

The teachers and officers of the Second Reformed church Sunday school and their wives and husbands were entertained at dinner in the church parlors Thursday evening March 6 at 6:30 p.m. About 60 men and women attended the dinner served by women of the Ladies Aid society. J. C. De Pree gave the opening prayer and George Meengs, superintendent, made brief remarks. After dinner the group adjourned for a short program. The Rev. W. J. Hilmer led group singing. A saxophone solo was presented by Dorothy Folkertsma, accompanied by Norma Ver Hage. Games were enjoyed in charge of Elmer Hartgerink.

Group three of the Second Reformed church Ladies Aid society held a Silver Tea at the home of Mrs. J. Wyngarden, Central Ave., Friday afternoon. Those present included Mesdames J. Beyer, D. Boonstra, E. Cotts, E. Den Herder, P. De Pree, J. Faber, J. Haan, J. H. Holleman, D. Van Bree, G. Van Lopik, R. Van Zoeren, E. Ver Hage D. Vereeke, J. Zuidewind, O. Schaap, J. Wyngarden, A. Berghorst and Miss Margie Koppel. Mrs. D. Vereeke and Mrs. E. Ver Hage assisted Mrs. Wyngarden in serving refreshments.

Zeeland Literary club will hold its annual meeting at the city hall Tuesday evening. The meeting will feature election of officers, group singing and a social time. Hostesses will be Mrs. A. De Groot and Mrs. L. Plewes. The next regular meeting of the club will be held March 25 and April 8 the club activities will close for the year with a luncheon in charge of the two social committees.

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Don Hulst, Bill Timmer and Joe



The American flag is always at half mast at Margraten cemetery, a military cemetery near Maastricht, where nearly 20,000 American soldiers are buried including Anthony Jay Ter Haar of Holland. It was on the latter's grave that Willard C. Wichers placed a large bouquet of red tulips on Feb. 9. The above picture was taken last Memorial day when Prince Bernhard, U.S. General McNarney, and U.S. Ambassador Stanley Hornback participated in special services.

Wichers Puts Tulips on Grave of Sgt. Ter Haar

It was a cold, quiet morning when Willard C. Wichers of Holland laid a large bouquet of red tulips on the grave of Sgt. Anthony Jay Ter Haar in Margraten cemetery last Feb. 9.

Wichers, who returned here a few days ago after spending six weeks in the Netherlands, said he chose Feb. 9, the 100th anniversary of Holland, Mich., as an appropriate time to pay tribute to a Holland, Mich., soldier buried in the Netherlands.

Margraten cemetery, the largest of three U.S. military cemeteries in the Netherlands, presented a beautiful picture that early morning when Wichers visited, accompanied by Michalis van Kessenich, burgomaster of Maastricht, and C. Bellaar-Sprijt, head of the foreign office of the Netherlands Information bureau.

That part of the Netherlands had just been visited by a snow and sleet storm, and the thousands of white crosses glistened in the early morning sunlight. The quiet, peaceful scene was accentuated by a simple but beautiful white chapel in the cemetery, a large windmill on the horizon perhaps five miles away, and the spires and buildings of nearby Maastricht.

After Wichers put flowers on Ter Haar's grave and the three joined in putting flowers on the graves of others they had known, they visited the chapel for prayers.

Visiting the cemetery was an overwhelming experience, Wichers said. "Any mother who has ever seen a military cemetery in its lovely location would not want the body of her son moved," he said.

Twenty thousand soldiers are buried in Margraten cemetery. All graves have been "adopted" by Dutch families who place flowers regularly. Some 3,000 or 4,000 soldiers were known personally by the people in Maastricht when they were billeted in Dutch homes. When their bodies were returned from Germany, Dutch families immediately asked to "adopt" the graves. Burgomaster Ronckers of Margraten is the chairman of a civilian committee making the assignments.

Sgt. Anthony Jay Ter Haar, turret gunner and flight engineer on a B-24 Liberator, was killed in action over Germany June 21, 1944. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Arrie Ter Haar of Holland.

Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Three local girls, Miss Ruth Vander Leek, Miss Doris Wieskamp and Miss Helen Wolbert, received caps at capping exercises Saturday morning at Hackley Hospital School of Nursing in Muskegon. The exercises were followed by a capping breakfast held for the students and instructors. The girls entered the school last September and have just completed preclinical work there. Miss Wolbert and Miss Wieskamp graduated from Holland High school last June and Miss Vander Leek is a graduate of Holland Christian High school.

Mrs. Charles R. Sligh, Jr., Virginia Park and Mrs. Lewis Withey of Grand Rapids left Saturday for a month's vacation in Winterhaven, Fla.

Mrs. D. E. Lavender of 226 West 11th St., who submitted to a major operation in Holland hospital last Tuesday, is reported as "doing as well as can be expected."

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Local Woman Escapes Disastrous Boat Fire

Mrs. Harry Bliss, East 26th St., had a narrow escape from the fire that caused \$1,500,000 damage to the motor ship John Ericsson on which she had booked passage for Saturday to Le Harve, France.

Mrs. Bliss arrived in New York Saturday morning only to learn that she and 411 other passengers would have to wait until another boat was available, because the ship had burned Friday night. According to her sister, Mrs. Ben Vanden Bos, Mrs. Bliss has passage on The Marine Marlin which was to sail at 1 p.m. today.

When she docks at Le Harve her brother, Jack Wildschut of Zeeland, who is stationed at Nuernberg, Germany will meet her. They plan to visit Belgium, France and the Netherlands where they have several relatives.

Dutch Draw Bye In Regional Meet

Holland High drew a bye at the draw held at Western Michigan gym this morning for the regional tourney. They will play the winner of the Kalamazoo-Benton Harbor tilt which will be played on Thursday evening.

Muskegon and Battle Creek also drew first round byes in the lower bracket and will meet on Friday at 8:00. The Holland contest will be played at 9:15 on Friday. The finals will take place on Saturday night.

Holland Christian will draw at 4:00 this afternoon at St. Joseph for their opponent in the Regional tourney to be played there.

Two Holland Men Injured in Crash

Dick Boter and Nick Hoffman, local businessmen who left Saturday for a three-week trip to Mexico, were patients in Holden hospital in Carbondale, Ill., Monday for treatment of injuries received Sunday morning when Boter's car was involved in a head-on crash with another auto on a main highway just outside Carbondale. According to reports received here, the other driver was believed to be drunk.

Hoffman received three cracked ribs and an elbow injury while Boter received a broken rib and a knee cap injury.

The two men had just spent the night with Hoffman's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. James Neekers, in Carbondale, and were resuming the trip to Mexico. They were about four miles out of Carbondale when the crash occurred.

The Boter car was damaged but it is believed it can be repaired.

13 Register With Selective Service

Thirteen 18-year-olds registered with the Selective Service office during February, it was revealed today.

They included Elmer C. Ribbens, 199 West 19th St.; Donald J. Rupp, 117 West 15th St.; Julius W. Faber, 81 West Ninth St.; Jack G. Barene, 193 West 15th St.; Donald L. Van Ingen, 308 West 19th St.; Jack J. Van Dorple, 390 West 20th St.; Jack W. Oonk, 121 East 22nd St.

Paul E. De Goed, 41 East 18th St.; Merle J. Boes, 324 West 19th St.; Murvel Lambers, 340 West 20th St.; Theodore M. Sternberg, East 32nd St.; William K. Hinga, 80 West 12th St.; Kenneth J. Etterbeek, 197 West 17th St.

The following veterans registered with Selective Service upon discharge of the armed forces: Alvin H. Dyk, 407 College Ave.; Russell N. Simpson, 25 East 16th St.; Paul E. Boerigter, 34 East 18th St.

Two Pay Fines Here on Reckless Driving Counts

Warren C. Ringewold, 23, route 4, paid fine and costs of \$28.90 in Municipal Court Monday on a reckless driving charge. He was arrested last week following an accident on North River Ave. Burton Nyenhuis, 20, Big Rapids, paid \$28.90 on a similar charge Friday.

Others paying fines were Carl Slayer, of 168 East 11th St., parking, \$1; Arthur Keane, city, parking near corner, \$1; Clinton H. Cook, 33, of 255 East 13th St., no trailer license, \$5; Clayton W. Richardson, 60, Grand Rapids, red light, \$5; Murvel Lambers, of 340 West 20th St., double parking, \$1; Glen E. Spade, 50, Royal Oak, park on sidewalk, \$1.

Clarence Redder, Holland, night parking, two charges, \$1 each; Fred Visscher, Holland, parking bus zone, \$1; Jack Henderson, parking on sidewalk, \$1; Nelson Van Dam, route 1, Hamilton, parking, \$1; Owen Hodges, night parking, \$1; Marjorie Gysbers, parking fire plug, \$1; James Knoll, route 1, parking bus zone, \$1.

William Tubergen Dies

Local relatives have received word of the death Friday at 10:30 p.m. of William Tubergen of Jenison in St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids, following a serious operation. About 60 years old, he had been in the hospital a week. He was the son of the late J. W. Tubergen who formerly lived on Lincoln Ave. in Holland.

Dutch Quintet Takes YMCA Title

The entire Grand Rapids YMCA league was humbled Saturday night when the Holland Pure Oils, only Holland team entered, walked off with ten small trophies and a large one by virtue of a 58-48 triumph over the first round winners, Fox Jewellers. The packed stands at the YMCA gym was well represented by Holland fans, as the locals jumped to an early lead and held it throughout the contest to take the crown. At the outset of the season the Hollanders were destined to be one of the bottom teams in the circuit, according to Grand Rapids officials, but a much improved ball club loomed from the lower ranks to become the champs of 1946-47.

Coach Del Koop's charges were highly keyed for the tilt and proved to be the better team both on offense and defense. As the contest started the Hollanders touched off a scoring spurt that netted them 16 points in the first six minutes of play while the Jewellers lagged with a total of four points. Then the Fox outfit got hot momentarily and climbed up to within three points of the locals as the first quarter ended, with the score standing at 17-14.

The Oilers failed to show the defensive power in the second quarter and the Fox team pulled themselves up to a 32-32 deadlock as the half ended.

George Zuverink was controlling both backboards and allowing the Jewellers only one shot at a time. But the Fox aggregation was hitting on their single attempts and threatened the locals.

The Pure Oils started fast in the second half and the accurate eyes of Holkeboer, Higgs and Rotman proved to be the deciding factor which put the Dutch ahead at the end of the third frame 48-42.

In the final frame the Oilers held on to their lead and coasted to their 58-48 victory. Zuverink used some excellent tact in the closing minutes of play when he pulled Vander Mey, giant center, into the backline and Clair Van Liere, diminutive guard, began stealing balls off the board. Earl Holkeboer and Dick Higgs dumped in 15 points apiece to lead the Dutchmen while Ken Rotman netted 11. Vander Mey totaled 11 points for the evening while Swart and Kemperman tallied 10 each to spark the Fox attack.

Zuverink Sold To Omaha Club

George Zuverink, minor league hurler, received notice of his outright sale from the Houston Buffaloes to the Omaha Cardinals in Omaha, Neb. He received his contract shortly after being told of the transaction.

The 6-foot 4-inch right-hander signed his contract, which was identical to his contract of last year but did not provide for a bonus. He plans to leave for Daytona Beach, Fla., next Friday where the team will spend a month in spring training.

Zuverink's close friend and team mate on the Fresno Cardinals last season, Whitely Golembiewski, has also received his sales data. He has also been transferred to the Omaha club. Zuverink and Golembiewski had the best two records on the Fresno organization last year. Golembiewski hails from Grand Rapids and spent his first year in the minors last season.

The Omaha Cardinals are in the Western League and a Class A ball club. It will be a jump from Class C to A for both

Dutch Meet Recaptures Early Spirit of Holland

The spirit which characterized the early days of Holland when the Dutch language and mode of living dominated the local scene was recaptured Sunday afternoon when more than 1,500 persons crowded Hope Memorial chapel for an all-Dutch service commemorating the 100th anniversary of the arrival of the Dutch in Western Michigan.

To lend atmosphere, several ushers used "buidels" or collection bags on long sticks, obtained from the Netherlands Museum and Central Avenue church, for taking the collection at the close of the service.

At the chapel entrance was a "centen doos," a penny box for the poor. Proceeds will go for Netherlands relief.

The people threw themselves wholeheartedly into singing Dutch psalms. The chapel resounded with the Dutch chorales which the people sang with a zest seldom rivaled in singing regular hymns.

The setting, however, was different. Hope chapel was beautiful with afternoon sunshine streaming through the stained glass windows, presenting a picture quite different from the simple log cabin in which were colonists first worshipped, or the austere dignity of the Pillar church, now Ninth Street church.

Dr. Clarence Bouma of Calvin seminary, Grand Rapids, speaking on "At the End of a Century—Our History and Our Calling," told his listeners to look back remember the past in gratitude to God, and then stir one another up to a whole-hearted dedication to the spiritual task of the future.

He reviewed the early days of the Holland colony and lauded Dr. A. C. Van Raalte as a great leader, described as "the head, the heart and the soul of the colony, in every sense of the word."

He mentioned that the Christian Reformed church and the western branch of the Reformed church (particular synods of Chicago and Iowa) had both in 1946 passed the \$1,000,000 mark in contributions to missionary and educational advancement. He emphasized that the amount is aside from contributions to general church causes. Both church groups, he said, have about equal membership, 130,000 souls.

Dr. Bouma listed four aims for the church of today: "Make the material prosperity subservient to the spiritual causes of God's kingdom," he said in explaining his first point.

"Make and apply the full Reformed confession of truth of God according to the needs of our day," he listed as the second point.

"Take firm hold of Christian training of the youth in the home, the church and the school," he said Van Raalte, according to his own documents, strongly favored Christian schools.

For the fourth aim, Dr. Bouma pleaded for the development of higher education. "Hope college, Central college, Calvin college, Calvin seminary and Western seminary must be centers for the radiation of culture in the Christian sense of the word, based on the word of God. It is our task to continue missionary projects and apply Christian principles to social, economic and industrial life."

Programs had covers similar to those used at the Feb. 9 meeting which featured an address by Dr. Edgar F. Romig, pastor of West End Collegiate church of New York City.

William J. Brouwer served as "voorzinger" for the psalm singing. He was given strong support by the Hosanna "Kor" (chorus) which also sang a Dutch psalm under the direction of Herman Van Oss.

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West Olive

(From Saturday's Sentinel) Joe Werner is recuperating at home after undergoing surgery recently.

Little Lester Miles is still at home with the mumps.

The Ladies club of West Olive held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Babcock. Mrs. Tom Cole is reported seriously ill. She is staying at her daughter's home in Grand Haven.

Frank Garbrecht, Jr. had to remain at home Thursday after falling from his bicycle and gashing his forehead on his way to school.

The Red Cross representative will start soliciting Port Sheldon township during the week of March 10. Quota for the township is \$126.94.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Polich and sons have returned from a three weeks vacation in Miami, Fla.

Firemen Called Twice

Firemen extinguished a fire in a parked car at River and Sixth St., shortly after 10 a.m. Saturday. Damage was slight and firemen were out a short time. Friday night, firemen were called to the William Wierda home on West 21st St. just outside the city, where some waxing rags caught fire in the basement and burned part of a door and some joists.

Reveals Plans



Miss Hermina Goodyke

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodyke of route 1, Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Hermina, to Harold Schipper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schipper of Bentheim. The wedding will take place in April.

Hope Gets a Third In MISL Contest

Miss Marian Korteling, representing Hope college, won third place in women's oratory Friday night in Kalamazoo in the contest sponsored by the Michigan Intercollegiate Speech league. Her oration was "Renaissance."

First place was won by Gloria Patton of Michigan State college, speaking on "Unto the Least of These, My Brethren" and second place by Miss Marjorie J. Van Voikenburg of Albion whose subject was "Why Not Man?"

Miss Joanne Decker of Hope college, president of the League, presided at the afternoon contest for women in Walwood hall.

A banquet commemorating the 50th anniversary of the organization was held for orators and league directors in the evening.

Dr. William Schrier of Hope college, league director of oratory, was toastmaster. Speaker and honored guest was Dr. Frederick Goodrich of Alma, who has been with the school since 1892 and has missed only one league contest. Also on the program was Dr. F. B. McKay.

Vergil Dykstra, Hope men's orator, placed first in the preliminaries but failed to place in the finals at night. His oration was "The New America."

Medals were presented by Dr. Schrier following the contest.

Harlem

(From Monday's Sentinel) The Ladies club met at the home of Mrs. James Harrington Friday afternoon.

Simon Sluiter was taken to Holland hospital with a serious heart attack. His condition remains about the same.

Mrs. Nellie Bradford, who taught this school two terms a few years ago, has been engaged to finish this school term.

Rodger Groeters son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Groeters returned from service with a discharge recently. He served 11 months overseas in Germany and as far as the Russian border. He was a military policeman and was with the 22nd constabulary squadron. Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Groeters will move to their apartment on West 17th St. soon.

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Truck Driver Severely Burned In M-21 Crash

Hudsonville, March 13 (Special)—Clayton Culver, 25-year-old truck driver of route 1, St. Louis, Mich., was severely burned when his truck caught fire after colliding with another truck shortly after noon Friday on the New divided highway on M-21 between Hudsonville and Jenison.

Culver, who received burns to the head, neck, hands and arms, as well as other injuries, jumped from the flaming truck before it rolled to a stop.

The accident occurred when Culver was attempting to pass a truck with a construction crane. Just how the impact occurred was not determined, but the gas tank of the empty semi-truck driven by Culver exploded, enveloping the large truck in flames.

The Hudsonville fire department of which John Brink is marshal was called about 12:30 p.m. and got the flames under control.

State police of the Rockford post were called.

Culver was returning to St. Louis when the accident occurred. The truck was owned by a St. Louis freight line. The truck was badly burned. Damage to the other truck was not determined. Name of the driver was not learned.

Culver was treated by Dr. Ralph Hager in Hudsonville.

Couple Is Wed In New Home

In a lovely and simple ceremony performed Saturday at 4 p.m. in the newly built home of the bridal couple, Miss Hester B. Ende, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ende of 18 East 21st St. and Montford J. Deising, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Deising of 391 West 19th St., were united in marriage.

Dr. H. D. Terkeurst officiated at the double ring service. Wedding attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Tom J. Longstreet and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Otting, all of Holland.

The bride wore a grey suit with black accessories and a corsage of white roses. Mrs. Longstreet wore a brown suit with a corsage of pink roses and Mrs. Otting wore an aqua suit with a corsage of yellow roses.

The bride was graduated from Holland High school and is employed in the office of the Baker Furniture Co. Mr. Deising is also an employee of Baker Furniture Co. after serving four years in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Deising will be at home after March 20 in their home at 261 West 24th St.

Pre-nuptial affairs for the bride included parties given by Mrs. Peter Van Iwaarden, Mrs. William Brewer, Miss Elaine Lundie, Mrs. Benjamin Ende, Mrs. Dennis Ende, Mrs. Leon Ende and the Baker Furniture office girls.

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Dinner in Marine Room Honors Retiring Dentist



Dr. M. J. Cook



The Fairy Blue Birds met with Mrs. Willis De Cook at Froebel school last week and made felt blue bird lapel pins.

The Cheerful Blue Birds each invited a guest to their meeting on March 3 and entertained them by enacting "The Three Bears," "Little Red Ridinghood" and "The Three Little Pigs." Mrs. Clarence Hamelink is their leader.

The Joyful Blue Birds met at Longfellow school and made invitations and tea aprons carrying out the St. Patrick's Day theme for their Mother's Tea, which is to be March 18.

The Bonnie Blue Birds met in the Longfellow school gym and assisted by Mrs. Joe Moran, played singing games. They learned a new game called "Oh, Melinda," and also played charades.

Patty Arentz of the Tekakwitha Camp Fire group reports that at their meeting on March 4, with their leader, Mrs. Frank Duffy, plans were made for a St. Patrick's Day party and also a hike.

The Wacankiya group met with their leader, Mrs. William Miller, and learned the Trail Seeker's Desire and worked with symbols. They also planned a Mother's Tea for March 15.

The Wahanka girls are working on scrap books and at their meeting last week discussed plans for the All City Elementary party on March 17.

At the meeting of the Odaka group on March 6, the girls elected new officers. Mary Ann Peerbolt became their new president, Dorothy French vice-president, Phyllis Kruitoff secretary, Janet Mackay treasurer, Mary Avery scribe, and Betty Forsten and Audrey Beverly clean up squad. Mrs. Alex Avery is the leader of this group.

The Enawee girls met at Marjorie Ven Huizen's home Thursday and discussed how they might carry out the Birthday project, "Going Places." Committees were also appointed to plan a toboggan party for the coming Thursday.

The Huda Konya group had a toboggan party at Holland Legion Memorial park from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Longstreet acted as chaperones.

Mary Lou Kolan was elected president of the Friendly Blue Birds of Washington school at their meeting Tuesday afternoon in the home of their leader, Mrs. Hen Houtman. Other officers are: Merry De Vaard, vice-president; Carol Dulyea, secretary; Sally Houtman, treasurer and Shirley Borr, sergeant-at-arms. The group made yarn lapel pins and planned a toboggan party.

Members of the 49ers Horizon chapter enjoyed a progressive supper March 6 beginning at the home of Betty Scheerhooren, 282 East 12th St., where fruit cocktail was the appetizer. Rolls and salad were served at Edith Lou Bos's home on East 21st St. and meat loaf, baked potatoes and vegetable constituted the main course at the home of Jackie Carter on West 19th St. Dessert was served at the home of Joan "Tip-ty" Geerds, Edith Lou Bos was named president of the group, Barbara Westrate, vice-president, Norma Van Dyke, secretary and Ruby Nienhuis, treasurer. Dawn Diepenhorst was chosen council representative. Thursday night the 49ers will attend a "teen age" style show in Grand Rapids.

The Suaveitas Horizon chapter held its business meeting Thursday night at the home of the adviser, Miss Fritz Jonkman. Mary Houtman, president, conducted the meeting. Suggestions for future meetings were discussed and plans were made for the making of Easter bunny favors for Holland hospital at the next meeting. Refreshments were served by the hosts.

Misses Maxine Van Huis and Coral Robert left Friday morning to spend the week-end in Ann Arbor and Detroit as guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Benscoter of Okaloosa, Ia., have returned to their home after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Benscoter and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stanford.

A 20 pound cod produces about 2,700,000 eggs in one spawning.

First woman to sit as a justice in a supreme court was Florence Allen, elected in Ohio in 1922.

Forget self, serve others, and contribute to human happiness.

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A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Jake Brandens, Mrs. Carl Haveman and the hostess, Mrs. John Wedeven. Games were played and prizes awarded to Miss Caroline Haveman and Mrs. G. Roberts. Gifts were presented to the honored guest.

Attending the affair were the Mesdames Grace Welling, Henry Maat, John Maat, Hattie Schamper, Susan Wedeven, William De Zwaan, Jr., Arnold De Zwaan, Gerrit Groenewold, George Roberts, Jake Brandens and Carl Haveman, the Mesdames Susie J. Brandens, Dora, Sina and Winifred Kraai, Caroline and Wilma Haveman, Alma and Virginia Wedeven, the honored guest and Gilbert Wedeven.

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Mrs. M. Stael, route 4, entertained 14 children Thursday night in honor of Betty Van Wieren's 12th birthday anniversary. Dinner was served. Game prizes were awarded to Marilyn Witteveen, Annabel Stygstra, Arlene Van Beek and Laverie Alderink.

Other guests were Marilyn Windemuller, Sherry Van De Vusse, Charlene Sherre, Lucile Dreyer, Dorothy Vandenberg, Dorothy Witteveen, Janice Stoel, Kathleen Stoel, Allan Van Wieren and the honored guest.

Pruis Not a Candidate For School Commissioner

T. J. Prais, principal of Montello park school, said today that he is not a candidate for the office of county school commissioner at the present time, and said The Sentinel which carried a notice to that effect Saturday had been misinformed. Prais interpreted the move as over-zealousness on the part of friends who have repeatedly urged him to run for the office.

Dr. M. J. Cook, who retired from dental practice here several months ago after more than half a century in the profession, was guest of honor Friday night at a dinner meeting of the Ottawa County Dental society held in the Marine room of Warm Friend Tavern.

Dr. George Stegeman, president of the society, introduced Dr. Cook who reminisced about the early days of his practice. Beginning in 1893, he practiced dentistry in Allegan for a year before locating in Holland where he has been since.

Members of the society presented Dr. Cook with a fountain pen. Also welcomed as members were Holland's three new dentists, Dr. Jay L. Tinkhott, Dr. Julius Lubbers and Dr. Richard De Loof.

Fifteen members attended the dinner meeting. Dr. Frank De Weese is secretary-treasurer of the organization which includes 20 dentists of Holland and Zeeland.

Patriotic Group Hears Essays

Sons of the Revolution, Holland chapter, entertained at the annual Ladies' night program Monday in the Marine room of the Warm Friend Tavern. Features of the entertainment were prize winning essays, written by Holland High school pupils.

C. B. Hopkins, vice-regent, conducted the meeting and welcomed guests. He introduced the Rev. William C. Warner, who presented the program.

First to read his essay was Richard Ruch, who read a paper on "James Madison." Madison's election as President was antithetical to a distinguished career as lawyer and public figure, the essayist said. He characterized Madison as the "Father of the Constitution" and evaluated the strong points and weaknesses of this founding father. He traced Madison's influence on Jefferson and commented on Madison's idyllic marriage.

Margie Mulder, writer of the winning essay for girls, traced the development of "Dolly Madison" from a shy Quaker girl on a tobacco plantation to first lady of the land, whose invitations were eagerly sought and whose modes of dress were widely copied. The writer recounted Mrs. Madison's romance with John Todd and with James Madison.

The essays were introduced by Miss Ruth Blekkink, history teacher at Holland High.

Milton Johnston, assistant professor of piano at Hope college played two numbers by Debussy, "Reflections on the Water" and "Maid With the Flaxen Hair."

Mrs. Richard F. Keeler was introduced as a special guest.

Members of the essay committee, besides Warner, were Ed Yeomans and Charles Bachelier.

The "Womanless Wedding," fun-filled variety show with an all-male cast of 60 members, will be repeated Friday in Holland High school auditorium instead of Thursday, as was previously announced. Conflict developed over a program by the Calvin college a cappella choir to be given at the school Thursday evening. Announcement of the change was made today by Paul Wajohn of the Veterans of Foreign Wars post which sponsors the show.

Given twice last week, the event attracted such large crowds that people were turned away at the door. Tickets sold for last week's performances will be redeemed at the door Friday night, it was pointed out, but no new advance tickets will be sold. There will be tickets available at the door, however.

The performance begins at 8 p.m.

Miss Marian Jonker Honored at Shower

Miss Marian Jonker who will become the bride of Norval Trimpe this month was honored at a miscellaneous shower Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Trimpe. Thirty-one guests were present from Florida, Grand Rapids, North Holland and Holland.

Little Virginia Smith, dressed as a bride, presented a bouquet of sweet peas to Miss Jonker containing notes directing the honored guest to hidden gifts. Hostesses were Mrs. Peter Trimpe and Mrs. Ben Trimpe.

The wedding will take place March 21 in Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church.

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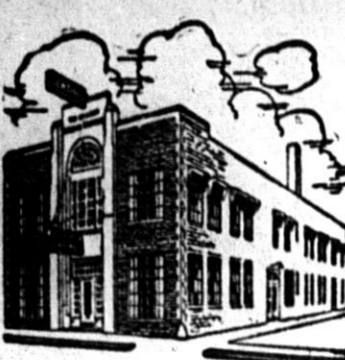
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RENEWED FAITH IN
DUTCH BLOOD

The reports that Mr. Willard
Wichers has been making about the
present attitude and morale
of the people of the Netherlands
are reassuring. They add up to a
picture of a congested population
in that tiny country displaying all
the traditional Dutch virtues of
stamina and courage and capacity
for work; in short of a people
that can take it.

There is more reason at this
time why such a picture is timely
and wholesome than at other
periods. Here in this section we are
just now observing the centennial
of the mass migration of Hollanders
to America. That is proper.
But in staging the celebrations
there is some danger that the
character of the general Dutch
population of the Netherlands of
a century ago will be misrepresented.
Not because anyone wishes
to be unfair, merely because it is
in the nature of things.

The Hollanders who came here
left their own country, in part at
least, because they had been subjected
to petty persecutions at the hands
of King William I and his
government. The most natural
thing in the world is to get the
impression that the Dutch nation
in general had become tyrannical,
that the people had grown
intolerant. If attention is
centered exclusively on the persecutions
of the emigrants, such
an idea would inevitably be the result.

But the general population of
the Netherlands of that day was
made up of men and women who
were the grandfathers and grand-
mothers, or the great-grandparents,
of the Hollanders today. The
vast majority of them remained
tolerant and honorable and truly
democratic. Their descendants re-
vealed what their ancestors had
really been by standing up for
right and decency during the Nazi
invasion, and they are doing the
same thing now in rehabilitating
their country. The people of Holland
of a century ago cannot have been
basically bad, or their children
would not be showing the
qualities today that all visitors
agree they possess.

The fact is that the Hollanders
who came to this country were
driven out by a king who was a
small potato and who couldn't
look beyond the tip of his royal
nose. The mass of the people were
no more responsible for driving
out the emigrants than we average
Americans are responsible for
some of the acts of our own
government that is temporarily in
power, or than all Britains are re-
sponsible for their present Labor
government. In exalting the pioneers
who came to America we are
likely to do an injustice to Hol-
landers who remained in the
homeland.

Local Couple Celebrates
Anniversary in Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Elia Arnold, 394
Howard Ave., Holland, who are
vacationing at New Port Richey,
Fla., entertained several Michi-
gan residents last week Saturday
night on their 36th wedding an-
niversary. Charles De Boer, brother
of Mrs. Arnold, showed motion
pictures during the evening and
refreshments were served.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs.
Charles De Boer, Bert De Boer,
Mr. and Mrs. C. Ves, Mr. and Mrs.
J. Ves, Mr. and Mrs. Hein Derks,
Mr. and Mrs. B. Moeke, Mrs. An-
nie Bridge, Alva Arnold, Mr. and
Mrs. Charles Riemersma and Mr.
and Mrs. Lee Harrison.

John A. Verberg, 70,
Succumbs at Kalamazoo

John A. Verberg, 70, of Kala-
mazoo, died Friday morning in
Bronson hospital, Kalamazoo, fol-
lowing a lingering illness. He
formerly lived in Holland and
moved to Kalamazoo 30 years ago.
Surviving are the wife, two
brothers and two sisters, Simon
G. Verberg, route 5, David Ver-
berg and Mrs. Fred Van Slooten
of Holland and Mrs. John De Goed
of Grand Rapids.

Sunday School
Lesson

March 16, 1947
Intimate Words With His
Disciples
John 14:1-6, 12-18
By Henry Geerlings

There is no life into which
troubles do not come. We may
have our best friends with us, we
may be thinking of the noblest
truths, we may be trying to serve
our fellows, but in spite of all
this the storm clouds gather and
break over us. Many bright days
may be our allotment, we may be
carried up on the crest of hap-
piness, the whole path
before us may appear to be
one of song, but all of a sudden
the tide turns and grief over-
whelms the soul. But we cannot
complain, for this is the portion
of every one, and after all there
is a blessing in it if we are in the
mind to receive it. There are
troubles of body, mind and spirit.
They are not all evil, neither are
they evil continually. There is a
way out and happy are we if we
can find it.

The thought of the future life is
extremely perplexing and full of
sorrow unless we entertain right
views about it. To pass over into
the beyond is no small thing. The
person who trifles with the
thought is playing with dangers if
not welcoming them. No manner
of meditation is so productive of
exaltation on the one hand or of
dejection on the other as that
which has to do with the future
life. And one is not surprised that
the disciples were troubled when
they thought of the death of Jesus
and the things that lay be-
yond. We have to be set straight
on this matter or it will be a
source of endless trouble.

Christ told them not to be trou-
bled and He gave a sufficient rea-
son for it. His injunction was not
a mere submission to the blind
decrees of fate. It was necessary
for them, as for us, to get hold
of those saving truths which kill
trouble as the sun kills disease
germs. Faith in these truths and
in the Christ of all truth will keep
us steady and peaceful in soul
when separations and other sor-
rows come. Belief in God and in
Christ will keep us strong
through all the days. Ignorance
and unbelief are our worst ene-
mies, while knowledge and faith are
our unfailing friends. If we are
anchored in the Christ then we
have the only reason there is for
not letting our heart be troubled.

A chief incentive for the highest
Christian living is to be found in
our frequent thought of heaven.
Christ never told his disciples
much about that place, but what
He did say lends to it a peculiar
charm. It satisfies our longing for
immortality under the most favor-
able conditions. A native wish
of the soul is that it might live
on. We must by our very constitu-
tion believe in the persistence of
personality. But observation tells
us that we shall not continue to
live long on the earth. Where
shall this life then be continued,
and under what circumstances?
That question will not be dismissed
with a wave of the hand or a
sneer. Jesus settled it for us. There
is a heaven for the continuance
of the life we now live, for the
reunion of sundered friendships,
for being with those we have lost
and, and for the fullest fellow-
ship with our Savior. The thought
of heaven with all that it holds
out to us is a purifying thought.

A world of interests hangs on
the truthfulness of the sayings of
Jesus. Possibly while He was talk-
ing He saw a skeptical look on the
faces of the disciples, and so to
reinforce His utterances He ad-
ded, "If it were not so I would
have told you." There was nothing
to be gained in deceiving them.
During His life He said much that
had a sting in it. And in His last
moments He would not blindfold
His disciples and lead them to a
precipice and say there is no dan-
ger ahead. He could speak both
hard words and sweet words, but
in both cases they were true. It
is because we believe He was the
truth and spoke the truth that
we continue to cling to Him. He
is the only light we have and we
want always to walk in that great
light.

Christ's work was not to end
with His death. The power that
He manifested was to continue
with His church. He looked down
the years and saw the disciples
through the aid of the Holy
Spirit doing precisely what He
had done during His ministry. If
the thought of heaven comforted
the thought that they were to per-
petuate the mighty and benevolent
works of their Lord would be no
less comforting to them. The on-
going of the kingdom was not to
suffer interruption. So that not
only in heaven but also on the
earth they were to know the
blessed fellowship which comes
from doing the will of Christ.

The Christian has no greater
power than that which is offered
in prayer. It might seem from the
sweep of Christ's promise that no-
thing we can ask will be denied
us. But that is too much power to
put in human hands. We would
be afraid of it. It would lead to
self-destruction. And so the Lord
who loves us too much to allow us
to do ourselves harm limits the
promise with the words "In my
name." That is according to His
will, in His spirit, for our own
development and the extension of
His kingdom. It is that asking
which grows out of our abiding in
Him. If He can entrust us with
power He will not withhold it from
us.

Onions, garlic and asparagus
plants belong to the lily family.

More than one-third of the
world's manufactured products
are made in the United States.

Holland
In 1914

At last night's meeting of the
Common Council City Attorney
Arthur Van Duren sent in his resig-
nation which was accepted by the
aldermen without discussion
and without a dissenting vote, ac-
cording to a story appearing in the
Thursday, Dec. 4, issue of the
Holland Daily Sentinel published in
1914. The resignation followed
as a matter of course on the resig-
nation as city attorney, the cus-
tom being to have the city attor-
ney serve on the bonus board al-
most by virtue of his office. For
his resignation from this board
Mr. Van Duren therefore gave no
reason. For his resignation as city
attorney he gave the reason that
his other business interests were
such that he had to give up the
work for the city.

A short item appeared in the
noon edition of the Grand Rapids
Press to the effect that Armour
and Co., of Chicago had decided
to locate their new pig skin fac-
tory in Holland.

The people of the fifth ward
presented a monster petition to
the council last evening asking
that the ward be divided into two
wards. There were in the neigh-
borhood of 500 names on the peti-
tion which is more than half of
the total number of voters in the
ward.

Five men and two women were
appointed by the council last night
as additional members of the mo-
tion picture censorship commit-
tee. These appointments were
made on petition of the commit-
tee on the ground that the work
was too heavy for the present
board. The men are Supt. E. E.
Fell, John Vandervliet, the Rev.
Mr. Holt, L. O. Moody and Prof.
E. D. Diment; the women are
Mrs. G. J. Van Duren and Mrs.
W. J. Garrod.

The council has been invited to
attend the laying of the corner
stone of the new postoffice. The
invitation was accepted and the
aldermen appropriated a sum not
to exceed \$50 for the exercises.

Last night a meeting of the Ot-
tawa County Social Service So-
ciety was held in this city and
plans were made for aiding the
poor in this city and county dur-
ing the coming winter, according
to a story appearing in the Fri-
day, Dec. 4, issue.

At their annual business meet-
ing last evening the Knights of
Pythias decided to go to Grand
Rapids in a body next Tuesday
to help in the celebration of
"Loomis Day" there. This celebra-
tion is in honor of Mr. Loomis
of Grand Rapids who was elected
Major General Uniform Rank
of the Knights of Pythias of the
world. This is a rank of not only
national but of international im-
portance.

The Rev. R. B. Kuiper, pastor
at Overser for the past two years
will be ordained as pastor of the
West Leonard Street Christian
Reformed church of Grand Rap-
ids Sunday.

The senior class girls' basket-
ball team of Holland high school
has been chosen. The girls are as
follows: Miss Van Putten, G. Miss
Dyke, G. Miss Kimpson, G. Miss
Kramer, Miss Benjamin and Miss
Phillips, F. Miss Hamilton, F. Miss
Van Zanten, F. Miss Mulder, Miss
Bertsch and Miss De Pree.

Hudsonville—For the considera-
tion of \$18 a month during his
life, L. O. Drew has deeded the
Disciple church building at this
place to the Reformed church peo-
ple. The purchasers are enlarging
the basement and will install a
new furnace pump and will furnish
a large reception room con-
taining a cook stove and other ap-
pliances necessary for church so-
cials. They will give the building a
needed coat of paint next spring.

Perhaps the first social of its
kind ever held in a local church
was held in the parlors of the
Third Reformed church last even-
ing when the consistory enter-
tained there in honor of the mem-
bers of the present church choir
not only, but also in honor of all
the members of all the churches that
have served the congregation in the
years past. There was a gather-
ing of 125, representing present
choir members and their friends,
and former choir members. John
Vandervliet has served the choir
for 20 years as leader. This news
story appeared in the Saturday,
Dec. 5, issue.

The Holland Interurban Co., has
purchased a gravel pit near New
Groningen and a side track be-
ing built to it. This sand and gravel
will be used to fill in the old
sinkhole back of the P. M. de-
pot. This summer much brush was
dumped into the swamp and now
the sand will be put over it. When
the tressel was built over this

swamp it was necessary to drive
as many as three piles on top of
each other to strike hard ground.
The swamp is of loose mud and
things dumped into it disappear.
Michigan will be represented by
two candidates in the national
students oratorical contest to be
held in Topeka, Kans., Dec. 29.
Henry C. Jacobs of Alton, Ia., a
first year student in the Western
Theological seminary here, and
Miss Ethel Bedient of Albion will
represent the eastern interstate
district.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Bilquest of Cot-
tonwood, North Dakota are vis-
iting Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Dehn.
Mr. Bilquest is a brother of Mrs.
Dehn. The two have not seen each
other for forty five years.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Taylor left
on Thursday for a wedding trip
through the northern part of the
state. They will be at home to
their friends after Jan. 5 at 208
East Eighth St.

Negro Quintet
Stops All-Stars

The world famous Harlem Globe
Trotters gave a dazzling exhibi-
tion of basketball Monday night at
the Western Michigan college gym
to down the College All-Stars 74-
69. The game was the annual Milk
Fund affair sponsored by a Kala-
mazoo newspaper.

The All-Stars included some of
the best college players in the
state, but they were no match for
the clever Negroes paced by Big
Goose Tatum. The collegians were
Russ De Vette and Bob Van Dis
of Hope, Harold Genschen and
Louis Lang of Western, Mar-
vyns of Calvin, John Kawood
of Michigan State, Wayne Thomp-
son of Kalamazoo and Jack For-
ster of Benton Harbor.

The Trotters assumed an early
lead and held a 42-33 lead at half-
time. They displayed uncanny ac-
curacy on long shots and scored
practically at will. They used a
rotary offense with screens for
the set shot artists. They contin-
ued to pile up their lead in the
second half until the All-Stars ral-
lied to within two points in the
final stages. Big Goose Tatum
then sank three foul shots to ice
the game.

Genschen paced the All Stars.
De Vette garnered six tallies while
Van Dis got one. It was the Trot-
ters' 111th victory in 113 starts.

Name Committee
For Citizens' Day

The executive committee for the
National Citizenship Recognition
Day which will be observed in Hol-
land May 20 met Thursday night
in the VFW hall to discuss plans
for Holland's celebration of the
event. Tentative plans call for a
meeting in Hope Memorial chapel
and other recognition events to
honor new voters.

Committee reports were received
and the next meeting was an-
nounced for April 3.

Executive committee for the
celebration, as announced by Co-
chairmen, Mrs. Kenneth De Pree
and A. C. Prigge, includes: C. C.
Crawford, William Ver Hey, Mrs.
James K. Ward, Dr. Bruce M.
Raymond, Paul Camburn, Lester
De Ridder, Mrs. Fred Pickel, Mrs.
J. D. French, Clarence Jalving,
Cornelius van der Meulen, E. P.
Slooter, Dr. Bert Bos, the Rev.
William Van Peursem, William A.
Grabowski, Earl P. Vanden Bosch,
Judge Raymond L. Smith and Mrs.
John Donnelly.

Lighted Cigarette
Causes Awning Fire

Grand Haven, March 13 (Special).—An awning at the Boer Fur-
niture Co. was destroyed by fire
at 9 p.m. Sunday, was caused by a
lighted cigarette. The intense
heat also broke a plate glass win-
dow. Chief Henry Hoebeke
estimated loss at \$500.

At 10 a.m. Monday, the depart-
ment was called to the laborator-
ies in the Coast Guard building
which filled with smoke after the
smoke box of the stove was
plugged up. The department was
called when an explosion was
feared.

No estimate was made of the
damage.

Safety matches that can be ig-
nited only by being rubbed
against a specially prepared sur-
face, were invented in Sweden by
Eric Lundstrom in 1855.

In the Good
Old Days

At a meeting of the Holland
Poultry and Pet Stock Associa-
tion last night James L. Conkey
was elected president, C. De Key-
zer, vice president; C. St. Clair,
secretary; L. S. Spritsma, assis-
tant secretary; R. Westveld, treas-
urer; H. E. Bradshaw, superin-
tendent; L. Vissers and John
Schipper, doorkeepers; and John
Vissers, L. Vissers and Jacob Zui-
dewind as an executive commit-
tee. This news story appeared in
the December 27 issue of the Ot-
tawa County Times published in
1901 by M. G. Manting.

A delightful entertainment was
provided Saturday evening at the
opera house by the Ottawa Furni-
ture Co. for their employees and
families. The employees also had a
surprise that afternoon for Man-
ager George W. Browning and As-
sistant manager W. H. Wing. Mr.
Browning was presented with a
fine silk umbrella with a gold
headed handle and Mr. Wing re-
ceived a beautiful gold headed cane.

Soft coal in the local yards still
continues to be scarce.

The employees of the Cappon
and Bertsch Leather Co. received
the usual Christmas turkey.

Born to Alderman and Mrs.
James Kole, Seventh St. on Mon-
day a son.

Sixteen degrees below zero was
the coldest reported here during
the cold spell.

Gerrit Meebor and Effie Hall
were married Wednesday at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Hall,
Eighth St. Rev. Adam Clarke of-
ficiating.

James H. Purdy was presented
with a deed of a fine lot at Wau-
kazoo Park as a Christmas pres-
ent by the owners of the park.

Miss Carrie Karsten and Henry
Leemkuil of Oostburg, Wis., will
be married New Year's day at the
home of the bride's parents, Rev.
and Mrs. J. H. Karsten, Land St.
Dr. D. G. Cook returned from
New York city Saturday night
where he finished a post graduate
course in the New York Post
Graduate College and hospital.

The pension board has been re-
organized with Dr. C. P. Brown
of Spring Lake as president; Dr.
H. Kremers, treasurer; Dr. J. A.
Mabbs, secretary.

Mrs. Harriet Dutcher, the res-
cue worker has secured a mem-
ber of the local committee Miss
Jennie Kremers, Mrs. Samuel Hab-
ing, Dr. J. A. Mabbs and Mrs.
C. V. R. Gilmore.

At the Sunday school Christmas
entertainment at Hope church on
Monday night a fine program was
rendered by the young people and
music under the able management
of Prof. J. B. Nykerk. After the
exercises Prof. J. T. Bergen the
pastor, was presented with a
beautiful set of table china and
silverware.

A party composed of Fred
Beuwerkes, John J. Rutgers and
family, George Heneveld and D.
Roosien from this city, Miss Anna
Zaalmark of Central Park and
Rev. C. Kuiper, Mr. and Mrs. Hen-
ry Strabbing, John Strabbing
and Misses Grace and Effie
Brinkman of Graafschap visited
Mr. and Mrs. H. Beckman in Lake
town on Christmas evening.

The electric railway company
this week made the connections
for their tracks east of River St.
and the newly built track west of
River St. Work on the freight
house on West Eighth St. will be
pushed as rapidly as possible.
Three fine new express cars were
received a few days ago.

The First Reformed church

Marriage Licenses

Norval J. Trimpe, 20, and Mar-
ian Jonker, 20, both of Holland;
Darwin J. Zandstra, 21, route 1,
Jenison, and Carol Vander Molen,
20, route 1, Hudsonville.

Clarence J. Vander Ploeg, 22,
Holland, and Lillian E. Blank, 22,
Kalamazoo, Ia., Harold Van Voort,
24, Holland, and Selma Kline, 19,
West Olive; Wallace De Haan 21,
and Caroline DeHaan, 21, both of
Grand Haven.

Clarence Van Den Brand, 21,
and Arlene Slagh, 20, both of route
2, Holland; Ivan Vander Molen, 25,
Hudsonville, and Doris Schreur,
22, Beaverdam; Arnold Junior
Kiekover, 23, Zeeland, and Mar-
garet Essenburg, 21, Zeeland
township.

Paul A. Bloemquist, 34, Grand
Haven, and Betty L. Emmeneger,
24, route 2, Spring Lake.

William G. De Graaf, 24, Hol-
land, and Marian Vanden Bosch,
18, Zeeland; Kenneth Dale Kehr-
wecker, 24, Holland, and Carol
Lee Davis, 17, Saugatuck.

Ronald E. Griffith, 19, Morgan-
town, W. Va., and Sally Anne Se-
cord, 17, Holland.

A female oyster produces an
average of about 9,000,000 eggs
in a single season.

Nick Ritsma, 78, Holland, and
Mrs. Jennie Dard, 55, Grand Rap-
ids.

Roy J. Thompson, 23, route 4,
Holland, and Thelma Bouwman,
18, Holland; Preston Kroll, 26,
Zeeland, and Angelina Lubbers,
20, route 3, Hudsonville; Cornelius
De Koster, 22, route 3, Zeeland,
and Johanna Orman, 21, route 2,
Holland; Creighton DeGroot, 22,
Hudsonville, and Patricia Koon,
20, Grand Rapids.

Darwin R. Andree, 29, Ravenna,
and Irene Bronsema, 24, Spring
Lake; Bruce T. Martin, 29, Nun-
ica, and Rosetta Ruster, 24, Coop-
ersville; Laverne Raymond Die-
kema, 22, route 6, Holland, and
Cheridul Ruth Sysma, 17, Hol-
land; Harvey John Becksvort, 20,
route 6, Holland, and Barbara
Overway, 18, Holland; Andrew G.
Lampen, 41, and Jeanette Brink,
41, both of Holland.

About 84 per cent of all the
phosphate produced in the U. S.

Township to Vote
On Fire Equipment

Holland township will vote
April 7 on a resolution passed by
the township board to allocate
\$10,000 from the general fund to
purchase and house fire fighting
equipment, Township Clerk Wal-
ter Vander Haar said today.

The proposition will be explain-
ed at a township meeting March
28 at 7:30 p.m. in Beechwood
school. A Lansing representative
will show two reels of film on fire
fighting equipment.

Vander Haar explained that the
township is interested mainly in
providing a tanker and hose so
that water will be available at
rural and suburban fires. The pro-
gram will be worked out in co-
operation with the Holland fire de-
partment.

Vander Haar said passage of the
measure will require no extra
assessment.

Horizon Council
Enjoys Potluck

Mrs. E. J. Yeomans, chairman
of the Horizon committee of the
Camp Fire board, was hostess
Monday night in her home on
West 10th St. at a potluck sup-
per for members of the Horizon
council and their guests. About
25 persons attended.

Guests included Mrs. Ralph D.
Eash, president of the Holland
Camp Fire board, Mrs. Charles
Wimmer and Mrs. Orrie Bishop of
the Horizon committee, Mrs. Al-
bert Timmer, Camp Fire and Hor-
izon executive, advisers, chapter
presidents and council representa-
tives.

Miss Verna Van Zyl presided at
the business meeting. Final plans
for the March 21 party with a St.
Patrick's day theme were dis-
cussed. Miss Van Zyl will serve as
general chairman.

It was decided that a gift of
\$25 be sent to the Red Cross as
was done last year.

Further discussion centered
around the sending of delegates
to the Detroit conference April
26. Fourteen girls, including two
representatives from each of the
six registered chapters, Miss
Elaine Essenburg, ticket chair-
man and Miss Fritz Jonkman,
chapman, were selected.

Mrs. William Venhuizen reported
on the Horizon club window
display in connection with Camp
Fire Birthday week and also on
plans for the spring style show in
the form of a mother-daughter
tea. Date for the style show was
tentatively set for May 23.

The next council meeting will
be held April 7 in the Camp Fire
office.

Bands Perform at
County Festival

"The time has come when mus-
ical education in schools no longer
needs defense. The public real-
izes the value of music in char-
acter building and training. Music
has earned its place and we know
it is here to stay."

So said Kenneth L. Bovee of
Oxford, guest conductor at the
second annual Ottawa county
band festival in Holland High
school Tuesday night, attended by
approximately 500 persons.

Conductor Bovee, who address-
ed the audience briefly after di-
recting three of four numbers by a
90-piece selected band, said he
was pleased with the work of the
four participating bands, Holland,
Grand Haven, Zeeland and Hud-
sonville. He concurred with Bert
Brandt who said earlier it was a
shame there were empty seats in
the audience.

Everett J. Kisinger, Holland
High director, introduced each
band director, and Kisinger was
introduced by Brandt who directs
Hudsonville band, Bannister Mer-
win is Grand Haven director and
Fred Mummia directs Zeeland.

Each band played three selec-
tions and then selected members
joined in the final concert.

Especially well received was the
Holland High band selection "The
Three Trumpeters," featuring
Richard Ruch, Robert Albers and
Victor Kleinheksel.

Betrothed



Announcement of the engage-
ment of Miss Hazel Zoet to Har-
vey Genzink is made by her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zoet of
route 5, Holland. Mr. Genzink is
the son of Mr. and Mrs. John
Genzink of route 6, Holland. No
date has been set for the wedding.

Butter has been used as a food
by man for more than 4,000 years.
It formerly was made exclusiv-
ly from the milk of goats and
sheep in Asia, Europe and Africa.

Barber Shop Parade
Has Varied Program

Announcement of further de-
tails for the first parade March
21 of the Holland chapter of
SPEBSQSA, Society for the Pres-
ervation and Encouragement of
Barber Shop Singing in America,
was made today by Matthew J.
Wilson of the program commit-
tee.

The Holland Chapter chorus,
led by Clarence Jalving, president
of chapter, has been rehearsing
and will spring

Easter Seal Sale Provides Funds For Child Care

Crippled Children Are Beneficiaries Of Statewide Program

Plans for what promises to be the biggest Easter seal sale for crippled children since its inception 14 years ago are underway this month.

Percy C. Angove, executive director of the Michigan Society for Crippled Children and Disabled Adults, Inc., reports that 90 million Easter seals have been distributed to all of the 83 counties in Michigan. Committee members and coworkers totaling upwards of 2,000 under the leadership of 92 volunteer chairmen, are generously giving of their time to assume a successful campaign.

Easter seals symbolize the public's generosity to the physically handicapped and makes possible the proper execution of a broad program of services that are state wide in scope. In brief, the services involve expert diagnosis and treatment, the furnishing of braces, wheelchairs, crutches, hearing and visual aids, artificial limbs and other appliances, special transportation, special education, camping and social adjustment activities, vocational guidance and suitable employment.

Easter seals also make possible the furtherance of the following new projects:

Occupational therapy and craft work for the homebound—the forgotten cripple, which not only provides functional development, but which is also remunerative to the handicapped homecrafters.

The maintenance of nine rheumatic fever control centers already established to cover the entire state. Rheumatic fever kills many more children than any other major child's disease. A very

large percentage of heart ailments in children is caused by rheumatic fever.

A program for the epileptics is being established which means for many, freedom from socio-economic pressure. It is estimated that there are 20,000 in Michigan.

Special services for the cerebral palsied (spastics), who need special treatment and training. Speech and hearing correction and also occupational activities. It is estimated that there are at least 5,000 such severely handicapped children in Michigan under 16 years of age and a constant case load of 96 per 100,000 of total population.

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Plans Announced for City Bowling Meet

Plans are completed for the annual city bowling tournament to be held April 14 through 25, it was announced today. Those eligible to compete are ABC sanctioned bowlers who have bowled 30 games in league competition during the 1946-47 season.

Entries will consist of five man teams, doubles and single events, on a handicap basis of 80 per cent of 200 scratch. League secretaries are requested to file averages as of March 1 to the local city association secretary as soon as possible.

Entry blanks are available at the local alleys, and will close Friday March 28.

Tasty Snacks Sold At Had's Drive-In

Had's Sandwich and Soda Bar River Ave., is owned and operated by Hadden Hanchett. The bar, located in the heart of the city, was opened for business June 26, 1946 and since that time has become a popular place for delicious snacks.

Tray and counter service is offered by Mr. Hanchett. Forty people can be accommodated inside the sandwich and soda bar—just drive in and park in the front or back of the building.

Mr. Hanchett caters to take out orders. "Just phone 7997, we will make 'em when you want 'em," he says, "and your order will be waiting for you."

Breakfast is also served at Had's Sandwich and Soda Bar. The menu includes cereals, pancakes, ham and eggs, bacon and eggs, fruit juice and beverage. Delicious hamburgs made of fresh ground round steak on toasted buns are served daily. Beef barbecues, pork barbecues, turkey and fried ham sandwiches are also served. A complete line of dairy products, malteds, sodas, sundaes and also soft drinks are sold.

The sandwiches are prepared in the open where you can see what you are getting.

The sandwich and soda bar is open from 7 a.m. until midnight.

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Roofing Firm Has Experienced Men

Men with long experience in the roofing craft head the Mooi Roofing Co., 29 East Sixth St. Well-known throughout the state, the roofing firm stands as a leader in the roofing industry today. Although its beginning was small many years ago, a large spacious warehouse and office building now covers more than 15,000 square feet of floor space.

All necessary and desirable materials have not been available for some time but it is hoped that these materials will soon be back for customers' consumption.

The company is an expert on all types of shingles, tile, asbestos, asphalt and built-up tar and gravel or asphalt roofs. Titeon shingles, manufactured by the Rubberoid Co., is one of the most popular types of storm-proof shingles on the market. These are particularly designed for easy application over other roofing material.

The Mooi Roofing Co., has in stock aluminum .027 gauge 11 inch corrugated sheets for immediate delivery. This item makes an excellent roofing and siding for farm buildings and commercial uses.

Zeelander Fined On Drunk Charge

Bernard Roelofs, 33, of Zeeland, paid fine and costs of \$53.90 after pleading guilty before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith Friday on a charge of being in control of a car while under the influence of liquor. His alternative was 30 days. Roelofs was arrested by city police Thursday night after he had fallen asleep in a parked car with his engine racing.

Robert Muller, 21, Douglas, was assessed fine and costs of \$15 on a charge of drunk and disorderly. He was arrested by city police Thursday night after he had fallen asleep in a downtown doorway.

Others paying fines were James H. Nies, 29, of 577 Michigan Ave., speeding, \$5; Alfred Hietbrink, Holland, parking, \$1; Celia Lambers, of 340 West 20th St., double parking, \$1; Glen E. Spade, 50, Royal Oak, parking on sidewalk, \$1; Clare Hubbel, 46, Grand Rapids, passing on intersection, \$5; Leroy Cook, Grand Rapids, parking, \$1.

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is being presented to Kraai by W. A. Jesick, Macatawa Park, of the Jesick Brothers Shipyard, ships sales and service for Holland and vicinity. Kraai's suggestion regarded means of providing oxygen to save fish in inland ice-covered lakes during winter months.

Mrs. Josephine Frick Of Saugatuck Passes
Saugatuck, March 13 (Special)—Mrs. Josephine Frick, 79, died Friday in Douglas Community hospital where she had been a patient for some time. She was born Feb. 15, 1868, in Saugatuck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rode.

Surviving are nieces and nephews. She was a member of First Congregational church of Saugatuck.

Dutch Service Plans Complete
Plans have been completed for the all-Dutch service in Hope Memorial chapel Sunday at 3:30 p.m. commemorating the 100th anniversary of the arrival of the Dutch in Western Michigan.

Dr. Clarence Bouma of Calvin seminary, Grand Rapids, will be guest speaker, and William J. Brouwer of Holland will serve as "voorzinger" for Dutch psalm singing. Members of the Hosanna chorus, a Dutch singing organization fostered by Sixteenth Street church, will be seated in a group to assist psalm singing.

The Rev. Bastian Kruihof of First Reformed church will preside and Dr. Seth Vander Werf will read scripture. Dr. Henry Beets of Grand Rapids will give the prayer.

The entire service will be recorded and sent later to the Netherlands. The recording also will be edited for broadcasts over United Nations transmitters.

Judge Miles Assigned To Sit in Harrisville
Grand Haven, March 13 (Special)—Joseph Moynihan, state presiding Circuit Judge, has assigned Judge Fred T. Miles of the Ottawa-Allegan circuit to hear cases for three days, commencing March 18, at Harrisville, in the absence of Judge Herman Dehnke, who is hearing grand jury investigations in Oakland county. Judge Miles will be in Harrisville March 18, 19 and 20.

Judge Miles has also been assigned to go to St. Joseph, Berrien county, on March 26, to hear a case in which Judge Weston is disqualified. Judge Weston was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Fremont Evans and the case involves one in which Judge Weston was interested before he became Circuit Judge.

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Bohn Warehouse Ordered Stopped

Circuit Court Thursday issued a temporary injunction brought by the city of Holland against Bohn Aluminum and Brass Corp. restraining the firm from further construction of a warehouse on which work was begun some time ago to replace one destroyed by fire in January.

In the injunction, the city charges that no permit had been issued, that no drawings or specifications had been made, and that the walls are made of eight-inch cinder blocks instead of the required 12-inch walls under the building code.

Suit was brought against the Bohn Corp., Chester Moffet, local manager, the Kriehoff Co., Detroit construction firm, and its superintendent, August Steckley.

Colton Named Advisor For Blue Cross Plan
Election of William W. Colton, director of the Holland city hospital, as a member of the Blue Cross hospital advisory committee in this district was announced today by Peter E. Klein of the hospital relations department of Michigan Hospital Service, the Blue Cross plan. The district is composed of the counties of Ionia, Kent, Montcalm, Ottawa, Allegan and Barry.

The Blue Cross plan is the agency of 128 Michigan hospitals which operate it as a non-profit prepayment plan for hospital care. Colton and the other members of the district hospital committee will make recommendations on matters of policy and administration to Blue Cross for the hospitals within this district.

They will also aid in the formulation of plans for future operations of Michigan Hospital Service, Klein explained.

Zutphen
(From Tuesday's Sentinel)
At the last consistory meeting profession of faith was made by Russell Cook, Frank Kamer, Milton Kamp, Franklin Aukerman, Rudolf De Vree, Lewis Aukerman, John Henry Veltema, Vivian Eshing and Nellie Aukerman.

The Rev. and Mrs. Sidney Werkema and family were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Ensing and family Thursday night.

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Local Quintets Win Thrillers In Benefit Tilts

Holland All-Stars Extended in Tussel; Oilers Nip Merchants

Approximately 900 basketball fans witnessed a thrilling double header in the Holland Armory Friday when the Holland All-Stars eked out a 79-75 victory over the American Seaters of Grand Rapids, and the Pure Oils came from behind in the final two minutes to squeeze out a 48-46 win over the Grand Haven Merchants.

In the opening contest the local Oilers broke into a 16-7 lead in the first quarter and although they were ahead after every quarter the score changed hands time after time. Coach Dell Koop tried to use his regulars as sparingly as possible but had to resort to a few of them to pull the game out of the fire.

The Oilers were outplaying the Merchants throughout the first half but the Havenites still managed to stay within striking range of the Hollanders. As the first half ended the Dutch were leading 26-19. The speed of Wally Bradley and the steadiness of Merle Vanden Berg and Clair Van Lier were the factors which kept the locals in the lead.

The Pure Oils maintained their lead throughout the third quarter and were heading the Merchants 40-33 as the final frame began. Then the Havenites turned on the pressure and broke down the floor ahead of the locals to even the count with five minutes to go in the game.

Going into the final two minutes the Merchants were holding a 46-43 margin but a free throw and two quick tallies by George Zuverink gave the Hollanders a 46-48 win. Both Van Lier and Vanden Berg displayed excellent defensive play throughout the entire contest.

Holkeboer paced the Oilers in the scoring column with 12 points and was followed closely by Zuverink, who netted 10. Wagonmacker and Felt led the Merchants with 14 and 12 respectively.

In the feature contest of the evening the city All-Stars lacked an organized defense, but still won out in the final frame on their offensive punch. The Seaters were using the fast break all night and the local's slacking defense gave the visitors many tallies.

During the first quarter the Seaters played the All-Stars point for point and by the time the second frame began the score was 23-22 in favor of the All-Stars. Leo Vander Kuy playing his first game at the pivot post was working effectively on both backboards and netted 13 points in the first half alone.

In the second frame the Seaters began rushing and intercepting passes which resulted in their breaking into the lead before the frame was over. The locals were still throwing many passes away and the Seaters took advantage of the Hollanders errors and broke into a 40-38 lead before the intermission.

The Hollanders and the Seaters again played even ball and by the end of the third frame the locals had only a one point lead by the score of 58-57. But at the beginning of the final stanza the All-Stars lost themselves as the Seaters broke into the lead and enlarged the figures to a 5-point margin.

Rusty De Vette then decided it was time to put a stop to the Seaters' fun and split the meshes twice in succession. Bud Vande Wege got a hot streak also and hit everything he shot. In the final minutes of play the Hollanders had a seven point lead which was sufficient to win the game. The Seaters tossed in several buckets in the last minute of play to make the final count 79-75.

The play of Leo Vander Kuy, Russ De Vette and Bud Vande Wege was outstanding for the locals. De Vette took scoring honors for the locals, drumming up a total of 23 points. Vander Kuy and Vande Wege followed with 18 and 15 counters respectively.

George Worst proved to be the factor which kept the Seaters in the ball game as he tossed in a total of 28 points mainly on his favorite hook shot from the pivot post. He rallied 11 points in the first half and added 17 in the final half. Darrow and Bylsma scored 12 and 10 points respectively for the Seaters.

Harm Arnoldink Feted On 76th Anniversary

A surprise party was held Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harm Arnoldink, 244 East Ninth St., in honor of Mr. Arnoldink's 76th birthday anniversary. The party was arranged by the children and grandchildren. A social hour was enjoyed and a two-course lunch was served.

Invited were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Arnoldink and Barbara Faye; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Arnoldink; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nykamp and Judith Marie; Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Zeedyk, Patty Kay and James Allen; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arnoldink; Sherry and Teddy; Mrs. Clara Sinta and LeRoy and Miss Margaret Arnoldink.

Annapolis was designated as the capital of Maryland province in 1694 and became the capital of the state in 1788.

GI and English Bride Arrive Here



Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Batema

Getting acquainted with her American relatives is petite Mrs. Gerald Batema of Halesoven, England, who arrived here Saturday with her husband, a former GI who served three and a half years in the Army.

The couple came back by plane. The bride's first air trip, and she is living temporarily with Mr. Batema's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Batema of 125 East 16th St. Somewhat shy, Mrs. Batema admitted that she didn't thoroughly enjoy the ride, although her husband said the trip was "a smooth one."

The couple met while Mr. Batema was stationed in England. He later served in France and Germany. But the fortunes of war being as they are, Mr. Batema was discharged about a year ago, could not go back to claim

program and gave a book review on "Tippecanoe and Canada too." The ladies will be guests of the Home club March 21 at the home of Mrs. Irving Wolbrink.

The Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Tuma attended the county Ministerial meeting at the Episcopal church in Saugatuck Monday. The Rev. Geiger of Martin was the speaker. A cooperative dinner followed.

Dr. J. Gordon Hines of the Baptist Michigan conference will be the guest speaker in Ganges Baptist church Sunday morning at 11:30 a.m.

The Youth Fellowship of the Baptist church met at the home of their pastor, the Rev. and Mrs. B. E. Robinson for their monthly Bible class study Sunday evening. Mrs. L. A. Bartholomew and son Harold, spent the week-end in Cadillac with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Bartholomew.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knox and daughters Joan and Betty attended the funeral of their grand mother in Flint last week.

Mrs. Anna Lamb was hostess for the Home club Wednesday with a cooperative dinner at 1 p.m. A program in the afternoon was on the subject "Home Nursing" by Mrs. E. Simmons.

Mrs. Ida Martin and Mrs. Frank Rhodes spent the week-end in Niles with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rhodes and family.

Mrs. Ray Warren will be hostess for the JUC club Friday, March 14, with cooperative dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kiernan have returned home from Washington, D.C. where they spent several weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Corrine Barnes is spending a couple of weeks with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nye and two sons spent Sunday in Hopkins with their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark and family.

A number from Ganges attended the annual meeting and dinner of the Otsego Creamery in Allegan Thursday. About 800 were present at Griswold auditorium. Harold Miller of Ganges was elected one of the directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Gable celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, Feb. 23 by entertaining a number of their relatives at dinner. Guests were from South Haven, Fennville and Saugatuck. Mr. and Mrs. Gable have been residents of this community for many years, having operated a farm and resort business.

Surprise Party Fetes Central Park Pastor

Mrs. Herman Rosenberg of Central Park entertained with a surprise birthday party for her husband, the Rev. Herman Rosenberg, Wednesday Mar. 5 at the Manse. Guests were members of the church consistory and their wives. Games and contests were enjoyed and refreshments, with a large decorated cake, were served by the hostess.

Seventeen Seek Building Permits Here in February

Seventeen applications for building permits totaling \$26,048 were filed with City Clerk Oscar Peterson in February, a check of the files revealed here.

Twelve of the 17 applications called for interior repairs, totaling \$5,200. One industrial application, calling for a new warehouse at Bohn Aluminum and Brass Corp., as yet not approved, called for \$16,000. There was one application for a new roof costing \$153, two for exterior repairs totaling \$195, one for house and garage for \$4,500.

Nine applications for building permits totaling \$4,050 were filed the past week.

They include: Bert Bouman, 101 East 15th St., remodel kitchen, new cupboards, \$300; Anton Bouman, contractor, H. B. Renick, 278 West 10th St., finish room upstairs and rear outside, \$500; self, contractor, Norman Prins, 409 Columbia Ave., new kitchen cupboards, \$100; self, contractor.

Rev. Brower, 71 West 13th St., take out front porch to add to living room and make den out of back porch, \$1,000; Plockmeyer Construction Co., contractor. Miss Jennie Kuiper, 353 West 17th St., build breakfast nook at back of house, put roof over upstairs porch, \$1,000; Plockmeyer Construction Co., contractor.

H. L. Friedlin and Co., 276 East 13th St., addition to loading dock, 12 by 20 feet, \$500; Wallace Vander Kolik and Son, contractor. Tom White, 234 River Ave., 4 by 6 foot addition to rear to accommodate improved toilet facilities, \$400; Wallace Vander Kolik and Son, contractors.

Richard Badgers, 333 West 18th St., remodel cupboards, \$100; William Hirdes, contractor. John G. Van Dam, 241 Lincoln Ave., remodel bath room, \$150; Michigan Construction Co., contractor.

Fennville

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

March 5 and 6 are memorable dates in the Elmer E. Hutchins family. They marked the 46th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hutchins, the fifth of their grandsons, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Stevenson on March 5, and the birthday of Mrs. Keith Hutchins on March 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson entertained Wednesday at dinner his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hutchins in honor of his mother's birthday, and the grandparents and an uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hutchins at an evening party and lunch following the dinner.

Members of Girl Scout Troop II entertained their mothers and two other guests at a potluck dinner Wednesday evening, marking the 35th anniversary of Girl Scouting.

The meal was prepared by the girls who acted as hostesses and was served at tables decorated in the Scout colors, green and yellow, by members of the Corny patrol.

Each girl introduced her mother. Mrs. Arthur Sanford, leader, introduced her Tenderfoot patrol who recited the Scout pledge and laws with explanations.

The Corny patrol demonstrated knot tying, a step in the preparation for Second Class scouts. They are making small easy-to-handle scrapbooks for hospitalized children.

Mrs. John Bast's Dragon patrol, entertained with two skits, "The Viper" and "The Irishwoman." Group singing followed.

Scoutmaster Chester Keag reports the paper drive last Saturday netted \$30.45. Mr. Keag also announces the securing of Robert L. Stevenson and Robert L. Hutchinson as assistants for him and Arthur Sanford. The first three are ex-service men who saw overseas action. Robert Stevenson is the holder of the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star.

Miss Mary Bullis, Allegan County Home Extension agent, was speaker at the Fennville Woman's club Wednesday on its "Home Makers' Hour" program.

Many labor and timesaving hints were given by Miss Bullis and an open forum was held. Hostesses for the meeting served sandwiches and coffee. They expressed their pleasure in being the first to use the new electric stove purchased for the club house kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kiss and two sons went to Chicago Tuesday when they received word that Mrs. Kiss's brother John A. Henry, 43, was a victim of the Sunday noon explosion in the Loop. His body was found in the wreckage late Monday afternoon. Mrs. Henry was a postal employee who roomed in the wrecked area.

The Kiss family have lived two miles north and 1/2 of a mile east of Fennville for the last few months. Neighbors assisted Tuesday morning in getting their driveway cleared of snow. They expected to return here the last of this week.

Jesiek Baby Dies

Committal services were held at 11 a.m. Friday in Pilgrim Home cemetery for Harold Frederick Jesiek, Jr., born prematurely in Holland hospital Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jesiek of Macatawa park. The baby died Thursday noon.

You can look a man straight in the eye, if your record of service is high.

Couple Is Wed in Harlem Church



Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson

(Penna-Sas photo)

A double ring ceremony performed Friday Feb. 28 in Harlem Reformed church by the Rev. Ray Olthof united in marriage Miss Frieda Mae Bakker and Clarence Bernard Johnson. Palms, forsythias, bouquets of flowers and lighted candelabra formed an impressive setting.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bakker of Harlem and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson of Hardervyk.

Miss Sara Mae Witt, pianist, played the traditional wedding music and accompanied the soloist, Miss Ruth Vander Wolde of Grand Rapids.

The bride's attendants were Miss Marjorie Bakker, maid of honor, and Mrs. Maatman, Yvonne Kay Bakker was flower girl and Larry John Bakker, ring bearer.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin brocaded gown fashioned with a

Douglas

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. John Norton left Sunday for a six weeks' vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Madie Gardner and Miss Fontaine of Detroit, spent the week-end at their cottage.

Miss Lois McMillan of Ithaca, N. Y., is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Millar.

Miss Gloria Wilkinson of South Haven has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Wicks.

Miss Jean Campbell of Kalamazoo recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Campbell.

Harold and Jeanette McEldowney of Chicago spent the week-end at the lake shore.

Mrs. Charles Welsh and daughters have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hiscok in Allegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Eddy had as guests their daughters, Joan and Joyce and Richard Brigham of Kalamazoo.

Miss Jeanne Scott of Grand Rapids spent the week-end as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eward Thomas.

Mrs. Howard Vandenberg of Jamestown, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bekken.

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational church served dinner to members of the Lion's club Tuesday evening.

The West unit of the Ladies Aid is planning a party March 15 at "Idlease" the home of Mrs. Cora Campbell.

Blessed is the man who is too busy to worry in the daytime and too sleepy to do so at night.

Boter Named Chairman Of Merchants' Day

James D. Boter, a member of the Tulip Time committee of the Chamber of Commerce, will head the Merchants' day committee as general chairman. Tony Last, president of the merchants' association, will assist as vice-chairman. Plans are being considered for an outstanding program for the opening day of the festival. Boter will name committees in a few days. Decision to sponsor Merchants' day was made at a meeting a week ago.

Size of an average family in the U.S. is 3.7 persons.

Registration Notice

FOR ANNUAL CITY ELECTION TO BE HELD ON Monday, April 7, 1947

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned City Clerk, will receive for registration at any time during regular office hours, the name of any legal voter in the City of Holland NOT ALREADY REGISTERED.

Further notice is given to those electors who have changed their residence in the City of Holland and are required to have their registrations transferred from one ward to another ward within the City.

Application for registration must be made personally by applicant.

Tuesday, March 18, 1947, is the last day for receiving registrations for said Election, on which day my office will remain open until 8 o'clock P.M.

OSCAR PETERSON, City Clerk

New Air Mail Schedule Slashes Delivery Time

Eight to 10 days now is the longest time for an air mail letter to reach any part of the world, according to a bulletin received by Postmaster Harry Kramer. Ultimate delivery depends on the most expeditious means available.

The bulletin lists postage rates, the frequency of service and principal U.S. points of departure, and the approximate transit time. The weight limit for all mail addressed to foreign countries is four pounds, six ounces, with the following exceptions: Canada and Newfoundland, 60 pounds; China, French Indo-China and Manchuria, two ounces; Germany, one pound.

Mail for Afghanistan leaves New York daily and arrives in Karachi four days later, then goes onward by the most expeditious means available. The rate is 25 cents a half ounce. Mail to Bahrain leaves New York daily and reaches Bahrain in three to five days.

Mail to Burma leaves New York daily and arrives in Rangoon in eight to ten days. The rate also is 25 cents a half ounce.

Mail to Canada leaves daily by various gateways and arrives in one day or less. The rate is five cents per ounce. Delivery and rate is the same to Mexico.

Mail to China leaves Los Angeles and San Francisco daily and arrives in Shanghai five to seven days later. The rate is 25 cents per half ounce, the highest rate under the new system.

Mail for Cuba leaves Miami, Tampa and New Orleans daily and arrives in Havana two to four hours later. The rate is eight cents per half ounce.

Egypt receives mail daily, two days after leaving New York. The rate is 15 cents. Mail for Finland leaves New York daily and arrives within two days in Helsinki. Mail to most European countries operates on the same schedule and rate.

Delivery to Iceland requires one day. Delivery to England and Great Britain also takes one day.

Longest time, eight to ten days, is required for deliveries to Singapore, Saigon, Hong Kong, Batavia, Bangkok. Only three days is required for Jerusalem.

Garden Club Members Hear Interesting Talks

The Holland Tulip Garden club met Thursday March 6 in the Marine room of the Warm Friend Tavern. Mrs. John L. Bouman presented an interesting talk on the forcing of spring bulbs and shrubs. She stressed the technique of Japanese artistry. Her arrangement was highly appreciated by the club.

Mrs. Gilbert Bussies opened her treatment of rose culture with the thought that there must be beautiful roses in the heart as well as the garden. "Roses grow best in eastern or southern exposures with at least five or six hours of sunshine," she said. "Roses should be placed in a prepared bed of good soil—preferably clay with good drainage, and keep the soil slightly acid and fertilized."

Mrs. Bussies said that Mr. Pyle in his book, "Rose Culture," takes

his hat off to old timers in regard to rose culture as the method today is the same used by the old timers.

She concluded her talk by saying, "The rose you pick from your garden gives you a lift for the day."

First Mission Society Hears Dr. H. De Pree

Dr. Henry De Pree, who was a missionary in China during the war, addressed members of the Women's Missionary society of First Reformed church Thursday March 6 at a meeting in the church parlors. Mrs. Bastian Kruijthof presided.

Encouraging in Dr. De Pree's report was his statement of the fact that there are now more students enrolled in the seminary in China than before. He discussed the financial and political situation in China and, as an example of the terrible inflation, told of the increased costs in building a church completed there recently.

Devotions were led by Mrs. A. Bielefeld. A trio composed of Mrs. J. F. Van Dyke, Mrs. James Cook and Mrs. Ruth Nonhof sang "You Must Open the Door" and "Rolling In."

Hostesses were Mesdames Sara Pieters, E. Stroth, G. Boeve and M. Tanis.

Congregational Social Held in Fourth Church

The annual congregational social of Fourth Reformed church was held in the church parlors Friday night with 275 members and friends attending. The meeting opened with group singing, led by Mrs. Peter Veltman, the church choir director, accompanied by Miss Marie Meinsma. Devotions were led by John Kobes, who acted as chairman of the program committee.

The newly organized Women's chorus sang two selections, followed by the presentation of two humorous readings by Joyce Kobes. A comedy skit, "The Sewing Circle," was presented by seven members of the congregation. The Men's chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Veltman, furnished two musical numbers, and an entertaining budget was given by Mrs. Henry Mass. The pastor, the Rev. Henry Van Dyke, made several announcements and closed the program with prayer.

Following the program a social hour was spent with refreshments served by the Ladies Aid society. Financial reports and church directories in booklet form were issued by members of the consistory during the social hour.

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Township Leaders For Red Cross Named in Allegan

Campaign in Progress In Laketown, Fillmore, Overisel Townships

Chester A. Ray, 1947 Red Cross fund chairman for Allegan county, announced that J. H. Scholten, Mrs. Ben Sternberg, Mrs. Milton Timmerman and Mrs. George Lampen have accepted the chairmanship for Laketown, Fillmore and Overisel townships, respectively, for the 1947 fund drive.

They stated that organization had been completed for the drive in Laketown, Fillmore and Overisel townships and that the campaign got under way this week.

The quota for Laketown, Fillmore and Overisel townships is \$183.76, \$413.12 and \$394.59, respectively, and it is imperative that the contributions substantially exceed the quota.

They further stated "The Red Cross is still providing services to U. S. military establishments and organizations throughout the world."

The county chapters are providing much needed services and entertainment for wounded and disabled veterans at Percy Jones hospital, Battle Creek, the largest hospital of its kind in the United States.

A thorough canvass of Laketown, Fillmore and Overisel townships will be made during March so that every eligible person may take out a membership in the American Red Cross, "for it is through membership that we identify ourselves with the good work and vital services performed by the American Red Cross."

Local Quintet Takes Close Tilt

The Dykema Tailors staged off a final quarter rally to defeat the Benton Harbor Knights of Columbus 55-53 in a thrilling contest at the naval armory in Benton Harbor, Wednesday night. The locals outclassed the Knights but suffered from an attack of over-confidence in the final quarter.

The Hollanders started out strong and took a 15-4 lead in the first five minutes of play. Before the first quarter was over, however the Knights bounced back and scored eight points to make the quarter score 19-12.

In the second stanza, the locals outscored the Columbians 16 to 11 and held a 35-23 lead at intermission. In the third quarter the Hollanders were outscored 15-13 but still maintained a 48-38 margin.

In a bad last quarter for the locals the Knights rang up a total of 15 points while the Dutchmen only counted on three field goals and a charity toss. In the final four minutes of play the game was nerve racking as the Knights began creeping up on the locals.

With four minutes remaining, the Hollanders had a 55-49 lead and the Knights drew up to a 55-53 point with 30 seconds to go. Bill Berger was fouled while shooting giving him two free throws and an opportunity to tie up the game for the Knights. Berger missed the first free throw and took the ball out of bounds on the second. Leo Vander Kuy took the ball off the backboard after an arching long shot by Bill Stark and the Hollanders took their eighth straight contest as he horn sounded.

More than 1,000 fans saw Leo Vander Kuy and Bud Vande Wege spark the Dykema offense with 17 and 18 points respectively. Stark led the Knights with 13 counters.

Mrs. Nellie Groters Passes at Age of 82

Mrs. Nellie Groters, 82, died early today in the home of her son John H. Groters, route 4, after a lingering illness.

Surviving are four sons, John, Cornelius and Bert of Holland and Gerrit of Rockford, Ill., two daughters, Mrs. Rena Kroll and Mrs. John Christoff of Holland; a stepson, John H. Groters of Holland; a sister Mrs. Don Kolean of Holland; 14 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and 13 step-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from the Nibbelink-Notier chapel with the Rev. C. M. Beertius of Immanuel church and the Rev. John L. Lanfing of Chicago officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral chapel Thursday afternoon and evening.

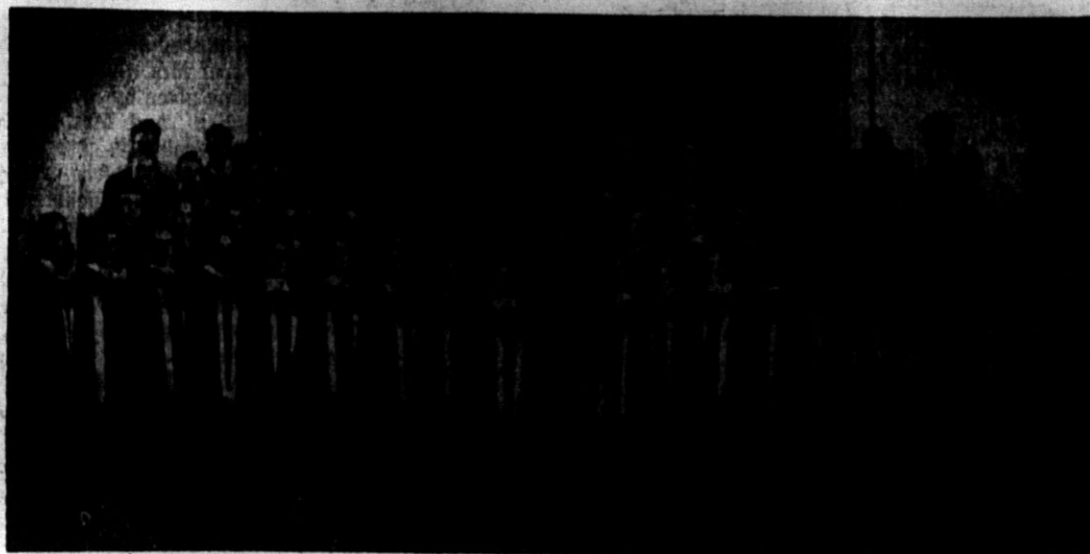
School Board Previews New HHS Band Uniform

Victor Kleinhessel, one of the leading trumpeters of the Holland High school band, modeled a new uniform for the Board of Education Monday night.

Kleinhessel's uniform was a snappy navy blue outfit, resplendent with gold braid and brass buttons. The coat had a gold citation cord at the left shoulder with plenty of gold braid on the sleeves. Shoulder epaulettes were piped with gold braid. Trousers were accented with narrow double stripes down the side.

The uniforms are expected here by the end of the month.

Calvin College Choir To Present Local Program



The Calvin college a cappella choir, under the direction of Prof. Seymour Swets, will present a concert in Holland High school auditorium Thursday evening, at 8 p.m. under the auspices of the Monica and Eunice Aid societies. The choir, composed of 66 members, 15 of whom are veterans, is noted for its presentation of sacred song.

This will be the second of two pre-tour appearances in Western Michigan.

The program for Thursday evening follows: Part One, "To Thee We Sing," Russian Tkaich; "Send Forth Thy Spirit," Schueltki; "Now Thank We All Our God," Cruger-Mueller; Part two, "The Song of the Angels," Gevaert; "Lullaby on Christmas Eve," Christiansen; "Ye Watchers and

Ye Holy Ones," German melody arranged by Davison.

Part three, "Chillun' Come On Home," spiritual-Cain; "Were You There," spiritual-Burleigh; "Joshua Fit De Battle ob Jericho," spiritual-Cain; Part four, "Built On A Rock," Christiansen; "Laudamus Te," Mueller; "A Mighty Fortress is Our God," Luther-Mueller.

'New Orleans Woman' Is Reviewed for Club

Charming her audience in her reappearance after several years, on the program of the Woman's Literary club, Mrs. James K. Miller Jr., of Grand Rapids, Tuesday afternoon, gave an interesting review of the book, "New Orleans Woman," by Hartnett T. Kane.

The scene of the book is laid in New Orleans in the early part of the nineteenth century, while Louisiana was still under Napoleonic law. This situation flavored the separate episodes that made the plot of the story, especially since the Southern courts bowed not even to the decisions of the United States Supreme Court.

Myra, the heroine of the story, red-headed and determined, was born in New Orleans, but, because of secrecy in registration of the birth of her mother and herself, had to spend all her life, trying to prove that hers was a legitimate birth. Naturally complications were continually arising, made more stringent by the differences in race that found their way into her life story.

One mystery that intrigued the women who listened to Mrs. Miller, was the secrecy that hid Daniel Hart's one time ownership of all the city of New Orleans. What kept Myra on top of her troubles, was the advice given her by her father: "Don't let any one stop you from getting what you want."

The incident of a lost will brought calamities to the heroine and the episode in which all the father's property was placed in the hands of three friends brought out the differences in the laws of the North and the South and the consequent loss of a fortune to Myra, who had it almost within her grasp.

Entangling alliances and unfortunate vicissitudes did not break the will to win through all the

events that appeared to block the "New Orleans Woman." She found it paid to give all her effort to the making of a life that influenced even the famed men and women in the United States.

Mrs. Randall C. Bosch introduced the speaker. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Frank Lievense and Mrs. J. Hobeck.

Rainbow Girls Make Plans for Silver Tea

Plans for a silver tea to be held April 11 were made at a regular meeting of the Order of Rainbow for girls No. 16 Tuesday night in the Masonic hall.

Worthy Adviser Miss Rose Tardiff announced that initiation will be held at 7:30 p.m. March 27. Plans were also discussed for attendance at grand assembly in Lansing April 17-20.

Summer Resident of Macatawa Succumbs

Word has been received here of the death of William Sager of Chicago, who spent his summers at Macatawa park for many years. Several years ago he purchased the "Indiana" cottage at Macatawa and came here regularly for week-ends. His son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Sharp of Indianapolis, spent the summer seasons in the cottage at Macatawa.

Utah's Great Salt lake is the largest body of salt water in the United States.

Two rabbits brought to New Zealand in 1859 provided that country with a rich industry. More than 17,000,000 rabbit skins were exported in 1893.

Home Wedding Unites Local Couple



The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brink, 116 West 13th St., was the scene of a pretty wedding Friday night when their daughter, Jean, became the bride of Andrew J. Lampen of Holland. Palms, ferns, candelabra and white snapdragons formed the setting for the double ring ceremony performed by the Rev. William Van Peursem.

Proceeding the ceremony "Melody of Love" and traditional wedding music was played by Miss J. Wezeman. Ned Unema sang "On Promise Me" and "God Bless This House."

The bride wore a floor length gown of sheer marquisette over taffeta with fitted bodice, short sleeves and sweetheart neckline. Her veil was of bridal illusion and was held in place by a head-dress of tiny satin buds. She carried a white Bible topped with white roses.

The maid of honor, Miss Lydia, a wedding trip to Florida.

Personals

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Meyer announce the birth of a son, Terry Robert, Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Meyer of 432 West 20th St.

Initiation of candidates for the local Erutha Rebekah lodge and the Saugatuck lodge will take place in the hall Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Postma of 284 East 11th St. announce the adoption of a daughter, Kay Lynn. She is 18 days old.

The Rev. C. M. Beertius of Immanuel church addressed Holland High school students this morning during chapel exercises in observance of the annual Day of Prayer for crops.

Members of the Junior Welfare League made plans for a dinner meeting to be held April 15 at the Marquee at their Tuesday night meeting in the Woman's Literary club. They also sewed on layettes.

Mrs. Dora Aye, 65 West Eighth St., has returned to her home after spending three weeks at University hospital, Ann Arbor, for observation.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eby, 54 West 12th St., is ill at her home with a "strep" infection and measles.

Paul H. Barkel, S/2c, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barkel, 303 East 14th St., is serving in the assembly and repair department at the Naval Air station, Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Hoving, of Ottawa Beach announce arrival of a daughter March 11. The baby has been named Patricia Joy.

Leon J. Meyers who has recently returned after three years service in the Army, one year in Panama, was guest of honor at a dinner party in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyers, Washington Ave., Zeeland, Sunday. Other guests present included Mr. and Mrs. John Kouw, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Tony Nieuwenhuis and Robert, Laverne, Carleen, Eugene and Jimmy of Kalamazoo, and Miss Evelyn Meurer of Holland.

The meeting of the Scout Mothers' club of Troop 11, Sixth Reformed church, originally scheduled for Friday at the home of Mrs. Herman Bekker, has been canceled. The next meeting of the group will be in April.

(From Thursday's Sentinel)

The Olive Center Home Economics club will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Henry Maat in Crisp at 7:45 p.m. The lesson discussion will concern "Draperies and Curtains."

B. Lemmen will be the speaker Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the meeting of the Salvation Army Men's league in the Citadel at 178 Central Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jesiek of Macatawa Park announce the birth of a son Wednesday in Holland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stygstra of 12 North Division have returned from a six weeks' stay in Fort Myers, Fla.

Mrs. William Bacon left today to spend a month with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Broersma of Russellville, Ark.

A daughter was born Wednesday at Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Goodyke, route 1.

Young Married Couple Surprised by Friends

Allendale, March 13 (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Knoper were surprised by friends last week Wednesday. The party was a belated post-nuptial shower.

Hostesses were the Misses Grace Roon, Ruth Meeuwse, Ruth Bement and Mary Meeuwse.

Others attending were Misses Muriel Kuylers, Gertrude Holstege, Edna Kraker and Nola Horlings, Gerald Holstege, Gerald Kuylers, Lester De Jonge, Harold De Jonge, Dale Robinson, Peter Roon, Bob De Jonge and Gordon De Jonge.

Mrs. Knoper is the former June Horlings.

There are three things to wish for: health, contentment, and friends.

An adult elephant requires 600 pounds of food a day.

One million cartridges for small arms require the use of about 38,000 pounds of copper.

OPA Seeks Data On Decontrol Here

In accordance with its established policy of abolishing wartime controls in any area where they are no longer necessary, and to carry out the mandates of Congress, the Office of Price Administration of the Office of Temporary Controls is conducting a survey in the Grand Rapids OPA area to determine whether an improvement in the local housing situation makes it feasible to decontrol rentals at this time.

Similar examinations of the situation in rental housing have been conducted periodically since the beginning of federal rent control. Area rent directors have made regular reports to the Cleveland Office concerning decontrol possibilities.

G. C. Hollis, OPA regional rent representative, is in Holland to consult local public officials, company executives and other leaders in the community to obtain information as to the local housing situation which will be helpful to the regional office in determining whether rent control should be continued or whether pressures on rentals have sufficiently subsided to make decontrol reasonable.

School Pupils Hear Prayer Day Speakers

Prayer day services for crops were held in all local schools Wednesday.

The speakers were assisted in the programs by musical numbers furnished mainly by the pupils. The speaker at Holland High school was the Rev. C. M. Beertius, at Junior high, Dr. Lester Kuylers, and at the Christian high, Gerrit Dykman.

Washington and Lincoln school pupils heard the Rev. John Vander Beek. Miss Geraldine Smies spoke to Longfellow students, Harold Des Autels addressed the Froebel children and Gordon Van Oostenberg talked at Van Raalte school.

Songs Featured During HHS Chapel Exercises

Donna Naber was chaplain and Donald Postma, chairman this morning in Holland High school when Miss Gladys Wiskamp's guidance group took charge of chapel exercises.

Mary Van Raalte, accompanied by Virginia Montrose, sang "April Showers" and "Anniversary Song." Miss Montrose played as piano solos "Deep Purple" and "The Man I Love."

A quartet composed of Bill Vander Yacht, Chester Oonk, Jack Oonk and Irving Smith, sang several selections with Herbert Rietsma as accompanist.

Elizabeth Travis Will Play in G.H. Concert

Grand Haven, March 13—Elizabeth Travis, nationally known young pianist, will be guest artist at the final concert of the West Shore symphony March 17 in the high school here. Miss Travis appeared in Grand Haven two years ago before the Tuesday Musicals. Palmer Quackenbush will direct.



DEMURE DAMSEL

Ably portraying the role of Peggy O'Neil in the VFW production, "Womanless Wedding," is Frank Duffy, Jr., who presents a charming picture in his hoop skirt

'Barber Shop' Has Distinct Harmony

Probably most people do not realize or appreciate what barber shop quartet singing is or that it is strictly a different mode of harmony than is found in most musical compositions, says M. J. Wilson, member of the local chapter of Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America.

Mr. Wilson points out that a barber shop quartet consists of a lead who usually carries the air but will also diverge from the air to run into the top tenor or baritone when switches occur where the other two voices take over the air. The tenor, baritone and the bass do the harmonizing or blending that is different in "barbershoppping." They sing in close harmony.

Changing of key or pitch is another one of the important tricks that adds to barber shop harmony enjoyment, Mr. Wilson says. Tonal change whereby the voices raise or lower in volume or individual voices carry over the others, are essential to get true barbershoppping. Slurs or slides where the voices slide from one note to another instead of hitting it sharply is good barbershoppping singing and most enjoyable, he said.

True barbershop singing will be displayed at the Holland Parade of Barber Shop Quartets March 21 in the Holland High school auditorium.

Junior League Members To Model Spring Styles

Members of the Junior Welfare League will serve as models Friday at 8:15 p.m. in the Woman's Literary club when Grossman's department store presents its annual spring fashion revue for local guests.

Models include the Mesdames James White, William Beebe, Bruce Mikula, Alvin Klomparsen, Hugh De Free, Gleon Bonnette, Robert Cavanaugh and Vernon Poest.

Season's newest styles, colors and fabrics including sports and dressy fashions will be shown in dresses, suits, coats and accessories in casual and dress-up combinations. Commentator for the revue will be Miss Helen Jean Dittme, stylist and buyer.

Miss Mary Vande Wege will give a reading and Miss Faith Boss will play a marimba solo accompanied by her mother, Mrs. D. T. Boss. Vocal music will be furnished by a sextet composed of the Misses Harriet Muyskens, Alice Marie Parrott, Harriet Hains, Ann Van Eck, Phyllis Haskin and Marian Ter Borg of Hope college. Miss Muyskens serves as director and Miss Prudence Haskin is accompanist.

State Trooper To Talk For Beechwood Club

Sgt. Verne Dagen of the Michigan State Police post at Grand Haven will talk on "Safety" at the regular meeting of the Community club of Beechwood school Friday at 7:45 p.m. in the school gym. Jay Bruschat will play guitar selections and Bob Greenwood will play the French horn. A trio, composed of Mrs. H. Mokma, Mrs. G. Oosterbaan and Mrs. S. Beverwyk, will sing.

Regional Camp Fire Leader Coming Here



Coming here in connection with the celebration of Camp Fire Birthday Week to meet with Holland Camp Fire girls and guardians will be Miss Berta M. Howell, regional field secretary of Camp Fire Girls, Inc., who will arrive in Holland Monday. This will be Miss Howell's first official trip to Holland, although she has met previously with Mrs. Albert Timmer, local Camp Fire executive.

Monday noon Miss Howell will meet with members of the Camp Fire board at a dessert meeting in the home of Mrs. William C. Warner. She will spend the morning in conferences with Mrs. Timmer at the local Camp Fire office.

As guest at the elementary Camp Fire girls box supper in Washington school gym Monday evening, Miss Howell will talk to the girls about Edith M. Kemphorne who since 1915 has given understanding leadership and friendly service to the Camp Fire program.

Tuesday morning Miss Howell will meet with Mrs. Ralph D. Eash, president of the Holland Camp Fire board and Tuesday afternoon she will address a group of Hope college girls interested in professional Camp Fire work.

Camp Fire celebrates the 36th anniversary of its founding as a leisure time activity program for girls March 17. Various events next week will commemorate the birthday.

Born in Marion, Ind., Miss Howell attended the University of Chicago where she received an A.B. degree. While a student at the university, she was secretary to the department of Oriental languages and literatures.

She has had business experience in her native city and was also associated with the advertising department of a publishing company in Chicago.

Before assuming her duties with Camp Fire, Miss Howell served overseas with the American Red Cross club department. She was stationed in Starnberg and Rosenheim, Germany and in Pilsen, Czechoslovakia.

Local Interest Shown In Large Flower Shows

Flower shows to be held in Chicago and Detroit during March are attracting considerable attention among members of the Holland Tulip Garden club and other local garden enthusiasts.

The national Flower and Garden show, March 16-23, in the International Amphitheater, 41st and Halsted Sts., Chicago, will attract many. An authority on roses will show every stage in the care and planting of roses.

Leading U. S. universities will exhibit horticultural experiments and explain their accomplishments. Those interested in foundation plantings will be advised on appropriate evergreens.

A spring garden, containing more than 15,000 tulips, hyacinths and narcissi sent by growers in The Netherlands will be shown.

In the amateur section will be a ninth century monastery garden by the Men's garden clubs of America. There will also be a show at Marshall Field's Wedgewood room sponsored by Illinois garden clubs.

Detroit will stage a similar show from March 16 to 23 in Convention hall.

Persons planning to enter exhibits in the Holland Tulip show in May would get helpful information and ideas from these shows, especially on days when talks and exhibits on arrangement are featured.

Rural School Missionary To Appear at Youth Rally

John L. De Vries, rural school missionary to more than 6,000 children in Kent, Muskegon and Ottawa counties, will take part in the Youth for Christ rally Saturday at the Holland High school auditorium. He will bring his "Treasure Chest" of interest to all children.

Paul Goodman, soloist and song leader of the Wealthy Street Baptist church, Grand Rapids, will also be present. Special music will be presented by the local Youth for Christ Girls' octet and the Hope college male quartet composed of Earl Eckerson, Don Boss, Bob Laman and John Smith. Don Van Wyne, student at Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, will be baritone soloist.

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Christian Makes Regional Debut At St. Joseph

Locals Seek Revenge In Class B Tilt Today; Dutch Seek 17th Win

Holland Christian will attempt to "shoot the works" tonight at St. Joseph when they tangle with the defending champs in the opening round of the Regional play. Interest in the game is intense because of the keen rivalry built up between the two schools in a short time. The Maroons will be out for revenge tonight for their tourney defeat at the hands of Coach Harry Lee's Bears last season under somewhat similar circumstances.

St. Joe will take a season and tournament record of 13 wins and three losses into the fray tonight. Their only losses this year were to Dowagiac, Niles and Holland Christian. They also were co-leaders of the Big Seven conference with the Niles Vikings. Christian has an overall record of 16 wins and two losses. It's only losses were to Class A Grand Rapids Creston 29-26, and St. Joseph, 35-33. The state champs and Christian have met four times in the history of the two schools, and each game has been a thriller. Last year St. Joe took Holland 35-31 and 32-31. This year the quintets split with the Bears winning the first 35-33, and Christian the second, 36-31.

The champs are at present riding high after a victory over the highly regarded Niles aggregation. The Bears played a good defensive game, limiting the Vikings to 21 tallies. Coach Lee will most likely start Ward and Zitta at the guard spots, Cerecke at center and Stark at one forward. He hinted this week that he may give the other forward nod to Ross who would replace his regular forward, the injured Ward Gast.

Coach Art Tuls of the locals expressed the hope his boys could keep up the scoring pace which they hit in the last three tilts. He expressed confidence in his team's chances, although he warned that St. Joseph has a great ball club. The Maroons held a heavy scrimmage Tuesday and a light work out Wednesday in preparation for the battle tonight.

Tuls will start the same boys as usual with Bremer and Rosen-dahl at the forwards, Schrotten-boer at center and Lampen and Zoerhof at the guards. The game is scheduled to get under way at 8:15.

Boy Undergoes Brain Operation

Jerry John Vanderbeek, 10-year-old son of Police Sgt. and Mrs. Jerry Vanderbeek, underwent brain surgery in a 2½-hour operation Monday afternoon in Butterworth hospital, for removal of a blood clot.

The youngster received a severe concussion when he fell while skiing Saturday morning near the home of his grandparents, the Rev. and Mrs. John Vanderbeek, in East Holland.

Specialists, who described his condition as "fair," said it would take about three days before the outcome would be determined.

Given Stiff Sentence

Grand Haven, March 13—George Nash, Jr., 23, of Holland was sentenced to serve 60 days in the county jail and pay fine of \$30 and costs of \$9.25 in Justice Fred Workman's court Monday on an assault and battery charge. Nash was arrested Saturday night on complaint of tavern operators and after the arrest allegedly attacked two deputies.



The engagement of Miss Shirley Sadler to Donald Scheerhorn of Detroit, formerly of Holland, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sadler of Detroit. Mr. Scheerhorn, who served as a captain in the Army air corps during the war, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scheerhorn, 451 College Ave., Holland. The wedding will be an event of late spring.

Sentinel Picks 1946-47 All-Star MIAA Quintets

**De Vette, Mulder Are
Named to First Squad;
Van Dis on Second**

With the completion of the MIAA race The Sentinel today announced its 1946-47 All-star MIAA squad. Hope's domination of MIAA play entitles them to three on the mythical squad.

The roster includes 10 players from a list of more than 60 cagers. Five boys have been given honorable mention.

Hope dominated selections by placing three boys on the squad while Kalamazoo and Albion placed two each. The other teams in the league each placed one.

On the first squad are Rusty De Vette of Hope and Wayne Thompson of Kalamazoo at forwards. Lou Moon of Albion was chosen for the center slot while Don Mulder of Hope and Elkin Isaac of Albion were unquestionable winners for the guard posts.

On the second team Gaby Van Dis from Hope and Warren Hartt from Alma were given the nods for the forward positions while Gil Edson from Hillsdale college was named to the center spot. At the guards Freddie Fox from Adrian and Charlie Stanski from Kalamazoo were unanimous choices.

These players were chosen on several factors, including scoring, defensive ability, general floor play and sportsmanship. All of these cagers were seen on the Armory floor and reports from other newspapers, officials and players were considered in making selections.

The first team is a high scoring aggregation. De Vette would give the outfit a scoring punch, as well as a defensive standstill, and would be aptly teamed with Thompson, who was probably the leading Kalamazoo cager this season. Thompson is big and is one of the coolest players in the entire MIAA circuit.

Lou Moon, all-star center elect, didn't begin hitting the hoop until the season was well under way and although he is still outstanding he seemed to lack something from his 1945-46 skill. Moon was chosen mainly on his ball handling from the pivot spot which was of high caliber. He is undoubtedly the best pivot man in the MIAA.

Don Mulder, another Hope player who helped the Dutchmen claim first place honors, is probably the best all-around player on the squad. He is fast and has complete control of a situation at all times. Elkin Isaac was a "must" on the All-Star team because of his dead eye from the back line and his all-around playing. Along with Moon, Isaac was probably the reason why the Britons downed Kalamazoo twice. This first team would be fast, unbeatable on the bankboards and would be a high scoring aggregation with five of the best pair of shooting eyes in the MIAA.

The second squad would be a well balanced squad, with Van Dis of Hope a standout on cleverness and shooting. Van Dis is a "ball hawk" to the first degree and nearly drove every team in the league into the hardwood. Warren Hartt from Alma was rated on the second squad because of his high scoring ability and leading position on the Alma squad this season. Hartt was one of the highest scorers in the MIAA and at one time was leading the pack.

At center, Gil Edson would give an added scoring punch and would undoubtedly be one of the leading boys on the second five. His height and eye led him to be one of the highest scorers in the circuit and made him the leader until the last few games. At the guards Freddie Fox from Adrian and Charlie Stanski from Kalamazoo rated high in season play. Fox was the most outstanding player on the Adrian outfit and Stanski bucked strongly for a position on the first team.

Honorable mention was given to Herk Butler of Hope who would have made the first 10 had he been in his junior or senior year at Hope but is presently playing his first full season with the locals. Jack Mariette of Kalamazoo was given honorable mention along with "Rocky" Walker of Alma and James Dies of Albion and Bob App of Kalamazoo.

An official MIAA team chosen by the coaches will be released soon.

Boter Submits to Surgery Following Car Accident

An operation was to be performed early Tuesday on Dick Boter, who with Nick Hoffman was injured in a head-on collision Sunday in Carbondale, Ill. Mr. Boter received a broken rib and a broken knee-cap which has to be set and wired.

Dr. James Neckers, Mr. Hoffman's brother-in-law, says the knee will have to be in a cast for seven or eight weeks.

Mr. Hoffman received three broken ribs and a chipped elbow. James Boter will drive to Carbondale to get his father as soon as he is able to be moved.

Island of Java in the Dutch East Indies is slightly larger than the State of New York. The island has 45 volcanoes.

Coal was mined in Kentucky as early as 1827. The state today ranks fifth in output.

"JOE BEAVER"

By Ed Nofziger



Christian Draws St. Joseph Five

Holland Christian drew the 1946 champion St. Joseph in the first round of Regional play at St. Joseph Monday afternoon. There will be three teams entered in the B class, the other being Western State High of Kalamazoo. Christian will meet St. Joe on Thursday night at 8:15 with the winner playing Western in the finals on Saturday. All games will be played at the St. Joseph High school gym which has a capacity of 1,900 persons.

Western State advanced to the Regional meet by whipping Sturgis 36-32. St. Joe upset Niles 25-21, and Christian mauled Allegan 58-22. Representatives at the draw were Coaches Art Tuls of Christian, Harry Lee of St. Joseph and Fred Stevens of Western State.

Edgar Bly, tournament manager, announced that the officials for the three day tourney will be Laverne Robins of Battle Creek and Clayton Aronson of Marshall. The five quintets entered in the Class D Regional are Stevensville, Richland, Baroda, Centerville, and Covert.

Volleyballs From Ambush - -

WILLARD C. WICHERS returned to Holland from the Netherlands with his Dutch considerably improved. The improvement, however, was not particularly due to the Hollanders he met, for they considered him a likely subject on which to practice English.

Finally he instructed the hotel porter: "Speak Dutch only. If there's a fire, a flood or an important message, it will be my hard luck if I can't understand you."

The porter was cooperative, but with continental subtlety he delivered the simplest messages in the most complicated terms and in the most devious ways.

All of which exercised and improved Wichers' Dutch.

A newspaper is called on for many requests, but one of the oddities is this: A sweet young thing called The Sentinel news room to inquire in a concerned manner how high the temperature was expected to rise that day. When she was told the forecast gave 30 degrees as the highest reading, she sighed, "That's not very warm is it? I was wondering whether or not I should wear my fur coat down town."

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harrington, Virginia Park, who recently returned from a trip to California, were on-the-scene witnesses to the chemical explosion, said to be the most spectacular event since the 1933 earthquake. Their California friends recalled they were visiting in California at the time of the earthquake in '33, so it may be some time before another invitation is extended to the local couple.

Tables were turned on the Ottawa county road commission the other day when one of its trucks was stuck in front of the Temple building here. The driver, Mike Meindersma, went to the Boy Scout office for help and Field Executive L. D. McMillin got a tow rope and prepared to do his good deed for the day. When the two returned to the stuck truck they found a milk truck parked immediately in front of it, its motor conveniently running. So they hitched the tow line to the milk truck and the driver returned just in time to pull out the truck.

Mr. Lucas Brink called The Sentinel recently to comment on the speed with which the news of her son's Army assignment was carried in the locals. For Mrs. Brink and others who might be interested, The Sentinel has a teletype service (United Press) that transmits news 21 hours a day at the rate of 60 words a minute. And naturally the editors are always on the alert for names in the news that concerns Holland people. It really isn't done with mirrors, although newsmen have been known to flash messages with pocket reflectors.

Verne Hohl of Virginia Park, has a complaint to make about birds. All winter long he had been feeding the birds on his back walk. After The Sentinel published a few bird stories, Verne put up a modern feeding station, complete with glass protectors. But did the birds appreciate it? Not a bit of it. They avoided the fancy station and clamored for their bread crumbs in the ordinary way.

4-H Girls to Enter 1947 Dress Revue

"Make and Model Your Own" is the motto of rural girls who are participating in the 1947 National 4-H Dress Revue.

The youthful seamstresses are designing their "best dress" which they will model in the revue. All blue award winners in this event will receive silver medals of honor. Those between 14 and 21 years of age who have completed three years in club work may compete in the State Dress Revue, which will be held later. The state winner will receive, from a pattern company, an all-expense trip to the 1947 National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago, next November. Each state winner participating in the National 4-H Dress Revue presentation at the club congress will be given a \$25 U. S. Savings Bond.

Outfits are judged on style and design, suitability of material to purpose and workmanship, becomingness of color and fit, and cost. Grooming, posture and poise of the participant are also taken into consideration.

Last year's state winner in Michigan was Phyllis Louise Dudley of Adrian. County winners were named in several counties including Ottawa and Allegan.

Olive Center

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) Leon Rozema, patient at Pine Rest, is showing marked improvement. He was able to spend a few days with his family last week.

Word was received by his parents, that Keith Nieboer has arrived safely in Trinidad, South America. He writes that they are having a hard time keeping cool, and are all developing sun tans.

Junior Banks of South Bend, Ind., spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Banks. On Sunday they drove to Croton where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornie Vanden Bosch and daughters were entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick De Jongh in North Holland.

Mrs. Louis Bakker has been making weekly trips to Grand Haven, calling on her mother, Mrs. John Meusen, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nienhuis are the parents of a son, David Roger, born last week at the Zeeland hospital.

The school districts in Olive township are being canvassed for Red Cross donations this week. The workers report a generous response to this worthy cause.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Veldheer visited their brother, John Veldheer in Holland Friday night. The latter has just returned from a four-week period of treatment at Ann Arbor for diabetes and a thyroid condition.

The Home Economics club meeting scheduled for this week has been postponed to next week Tuesday, March 18, at the home of Mrs. Henry Marsh in Crisp.

Mrs. Fred Veneberg has been caring for her mother, Mrs. Gerrit Lieverse who has been confined to her home for more than a month with the flu and a gall stone attack.

Mrs. Jack Nieboer attended a meeting of the Executive board of the Ottawa County Home Economics club at the home of Mrs. Dewey Chittenden in Spring Lake, Saturday.

Zeeland, March 13 (Special) — John L. De Kleine, 82, died Monday afternoon after a lingering illness at his home, two miles east of Drenthe.

Surviving are two brothers, Marinus and Gerrit, both of Drenthe and several nieces and nephews.

Other Red Cross Chairmen Named By City Director

George Danson and Clarence Klaasen will direct the Red Cross campaign this month among industrial employees and Duncan Weaver will work with industrial employers. It was announced Tuesday by D. L. Crisman, city campaign director.

A. Schaafsma, Russ Vander Poel and El Riddick will head the business division, Harry Kramer the federal employees and Millard Westrate the city employees.

The campaign in the schools will be led by J. J. Riemersma, Miss Bernice Bishop, Miss Mae Whitmer, Miss Minnie Butler, Miss Esther Kooyers, Miss Hermine Irmann and Miss Carolyn Hawes.

Residential zone chairmen will include Mrs. Bernard Arendshorst, Miss Wilma Vande Bunte, Mrs. Don Rypma and Mrs. Joe Moran.

County Campaign Chairman J. Kenneth Hoffmaster announced that Mrs. John Van Dam will head the campaign in Holland township, Henry Mellema in Zeeland township, and Mrs. Tom Reimink, Sr., Mrs. H. Wetter and Mrs. H. Walker in Park township.

Plans also are under way for a "7th Inning Stretch" meeting for solicitors and chairmen Monday, March 17.

South Blendon

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Moelen of North Blendon were supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poskey. The Vander Moelens also called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vrugink.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rynsbarger and children are on an auto trip through the southern states.

Mr. and Mrs. L. De Witt of Zeeland and Miss Eleanor Syswater of Jenison were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Christine Wabeke and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Wal entertained with a birthday party at their home last Tuesday night for their daughter, Carol. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Wal, Mr. and Mrs. C. Meuwesen and children and Mr. and Mrs. N. Vander Wal and Lester. The hostess served a lunch and Carol received some nice gifts.

Mrs. Lydia Gerrits is doing the household duties and caring for the family of her son, Raymond at Hudsonville. Mr. and Mrs. Gerrits announced the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vrugink spent last Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Van Harn.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Serum and sons spent last week-end with relatives at Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Faber of Vriesland were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poskey were supper guests last Thursday of Misses Frances, Margaret and Gertrude Marcusse at Grand Rapids.

Walter Vander Veen was called to Iowa by the serious illness of his brother, William. Since his arrival there the brother died and he remained for the funeral services on Tuesday.

Misses Wilma and Berdina Groot of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Holstege and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Vrugink and Sharon and Mrs. Tressa Kuit and Joyce of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vrugink and Mrs. Effie Vrugink.

Mrs. Martin Vande Guchte is now being cared for at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. Kamminga.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vrugink visited Mr. and Mrs. M. Van Heukelum last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Van Heukelum of Hudsonville were supper guests last Tuesday with the family of their son, Lewis Van Heukelum. The latter celebrated his birthday that day.

Mrs. A. Aalbers will be hostess for the Ladies Missionary and Aid society which meets this week Thursday afternoon in the church basement.

The League for Service held its monthly meeting in the church basement Tuesday evening.

C.G. Cadet Examinations Offered Local Youths

Young men of good character will have an opportunity to compete in annual competitive examinations in May for cadetship in the U.S. Coast Guard academy in New London, Conn., it was announced today by Capt. E. J. Clemons of 55 West 20th St., former commanding officer at the Holland Coast Guard station.

Clemons said examinations have been revised and cram high school preparation is not necessary. An intelligent youth 17 to 22, with good high school preparation in the required subjects can pass, he said.

In order to qualify for competitive examinations, candidates must have three years of mathematics, one of physics, and three years of English. Besides these required subjects, they must have enough other subjects to make up eight units of high school work, making a total of 15 high school credits. If the candidate has had college work, he can substitute this work for any deficiency in the high school course.

Candidates graduating in June, 1947, are eligible. Further information may be obtained from Clemons.

You will never be down and out until you give yourself the final shove.

They Represent Four Generations



Frank, Herman, Andrew and Arvin Dale Wierda

Four generations in the Wierda family of West Olive, route 2, are represented in the accompanying photo. Left to right, they are Frank Wierda, 79; Herman Wierda, 29 and Andrew Wierda, 57. Little Arvin Dale Wierda, three years old, is seated in the front.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wierda, who were married April 4, 1889, lived in Holland for 12 years. During that time Mr. Wierda was employed here. They moved to a

farm 10 miles north of Zeeland and 10 years later moved to their present farm near West Olive. Mr. and Mrs. Wierda celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary eight years ago.

Andrew and Herman Wierda have always lived in the vicinity of West Olive where they are engaged in farming. Herman Wierda has been employed part of the time by the Winters and Cramp-ton Co. in Grandville.

Fennville

(From Thursday's Sentinel) Mrs. Harold Dickinson arrived home Sunday night from a six weeks' visit at the home of her son, Norman Dickinson and family of Basking Ridge, N.J.

While she was waiting in the La Salle street depot the terrible explosion occurred in a building a block away. The depot was not damaged but there was great excitement and confusion with travelers fleeing in all directions. Some thought a train wreck had taken place.

The Past Noble Grands club was entertained last Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Arthur Sanford with Mrs. George Menold and Mrs. Frances Sheehan.

Following the business meeting a guest Mrs. Joseph Parak, told of the trip she and Mr. Parak took by plane to Czechoslovakia. They went late in the fall prepared to stay a year, but were glad to return home two weeks ago.

Conditions there did not meet their expectations and after a visit with relatives they left Feb. 19 for home. There was plenty of food and clothing apparently for every one, but black markets made prices very high.

Mrs. Parak said there had been little progress since she was there 26 years ago, and that the inhabitants were backward.

The regular meeting of Bethel chapter, OES was held Tuesday evening. This marked the first regular use of the new star point chairs which were presented to the chapter by Mr. and Mrs. William Van Hartesveldt and re-dedicated at the chapter's Friendship night, Feb. 19.

The lovely chairs were carved and upholstered, each in its appropriate color, by Mr. Van Hartesveldt and were completed almost a year in advance of expectation. A candle-light ceremony made the re-dedication beautiful and effective.

Mrs. Van Hartesveldt received a bouquet from the chapel and a gift was presented to Mr. Van Hartesveldt. She is associate matron and her husband is associate patron, although he had been a past patron for a number of years.

The chapter points with pride and gratitude to many lovely furnishings made by him through the years. Among these gifts are the fine altar which was dedicated in 1940, three of the emblems used by the star point officers, and many other objects.

Saturday night was an outstanding day in Fennville school when a carnival was given for the benefit of the Athletic association. Net proceeds are not yet available but gross receipts are approximately as follows: gate receipts, \$484; games receipts, \$496; senior class restaurant concession, \$41.

Entertainment included a Tom Thumb wedding staged by kindergarten, first, second and third grade children. The bride was Patricia McCann, and the groom, Billy Tromp. Magic by Jack Russell was a popular number.

Crowning of the basketball and carnival queen was greatly enjoyed.

Faculty, teachers and pupils have been busy the last several weeks to make this affair a success. Each class from eighth to twelfth grades selected a queen candidate who was elected by means of ticket sales. The senior class candidate, Betty Russell, led with approximately 11,000 votes.

Other candidates, as follows formed the queen's court: Dorothy Atkins, Junior class; Joyce Van Hartesveldt, sophomore; Virginia Galbreath, freshman and Mary Lou Bale, eighth grade.

Miss Russell was crowned by James Erlewein, president of the Athletic association in dignified manner.

Supt. Glenn K. Kelly was chairman for the production and was ably assisted by Elbert Felton, faculty business manager, and student manager Robert Crane.

Miss Lorraine Ludwig, employed in Racine, Wis. is spending a two weeks' vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Dailley and aunt, Mrs. Cecil Hibbard and Arlene.

Beaverdam

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) Miss Doris Schreur, who is soon to become a bride, was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Gee Schreur Friday evening given by Mrs. Cornelius Grasman and Mrs. Art Schreur. The evening was spent in playing games for which prize were awarded, and the opening of many beautiful and useful gifts. A lunch was served to the following guests, Mesdames Arie Schreur, Dick Schreur, Ben Zwagerman, John Schreur, Herman Schreur, Andrew Schreur, Bert Ensing, Henry De Vree, Dick Kroodasma, Cy Huyser, Henry Van Der Wal, Rennie Van Hailtsma, and Mannes De Roo, Miss Jeanette Schreur and Mrs. George Schreur.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey De Boer of Jamestown and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowman spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank De Boer Jr. who are staying at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank De Boer and Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman were visitors Friday evening with the Rev. and Mrs. Peter Muyskens in Hamilton.

Mrs. Schipper, Mrs. Will Hop, Mrs. Meijans, Mrs. J. Van Putten and Miss Beth Meengs of Holland were visitors with Mrs. C. Vereeke Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stegheuis were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Si Kamminga and other relatives and friends in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. H. Zoet returned to her home after staying with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Visser in Holland a week.

Mrs. Peter Klynstra spent the week-end in Ann Arbor with her children and also called on a friend at the University hospital.

Mrs. Harold Bohl was hostess to the Girls' League Thursday evening at her home. Isabelle Hoffman and Frances Feenstra were in charge of the mission study and Mrs. H. Rozendal led devotions.

Mrs. John Bohl entertained the Missionary society at the chapel Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Rozendal was in charge of devotions. The mission topic, in charge of Mrs. Rozendal and Mrs. Jelsma, was "The Work of the Boards."

Mrs. De Vries and Mrs. Bowman were visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Der Hulst of Zeeland spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Klynstra.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hungerink and Helen of Vriesland were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bohl Friday evening.

Student Cornelius Muyskens of Western Seminary was in charge of the services at the Reformed church Sunday, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Rozendal, who filled a classical appointment at the Dunningville church. Mr. and Mrs. Muyskens were dinner guests at the home of Gerrit Huyser.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Veldman and daughter of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Knap and Bobbie of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Dyke and Jerry of Allendale spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Veldman and Mr. and Mrs. Al Gemmen.

The Crusaders' Quartet of Grand Rapids sang at the afternoon service in the Reformed church Sunday.

VFW Gives Book to Hope The book, "General Marshall's Victory Report" has been placed in the Hope college library, a gift from the Veterans of Foreign Wars No. 2144, Holland. The book is about the winning of World War II in Europe and the Pacific. An added section deals with the contribution of our own community toward winning the war.

Louisiana has a coastline of about 1,500 miles.

A meeting of the Ladies Aid society will be held in the Second Reformed church parlors Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Willard Berg-horst and Mrs. Stanley De Pree are hostesses. Mrs. Earl Ver Hage will be in charge of devotions.

Miss Ethel Brower teacher at Colon, was a week-end visitor at the home of her father and sister, Gerrit and Edith Brower, Central Ave.

Penny-Car Rumor Reported False

Hollanders who have visions of exchanging a 1943 copper penny for a 1947 automobile can set aside their rosy dreams. There is nothing to the story.

In this era of high prices a one-cent piece has been held in pretty low esteem—useful mostly for paying sales tax. Then rumor lifted the lowly penny to the public eye. An automobile manufacturer, 'twas said, had cornered 60 of the 100 coppers minted in 1943 (some said 1922) and the chase was on. Never have pennies been given the once over so closely since the Great Depression.

As the rumors swept and swelled, The Sentinel asked an experienced United Press reporter to contact the automobile maker for comment. Sorry to be kill joys, but here's the comment:

"Some commentator said something about it, but he was either all wet or was misinterpreted."

Zeeland

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)

The recently organized Junior choir of the Second Reformed church sang "Prayer of the Norwegian Child" Hountz, with Stanley De Pree at the morning service and "Song of Service." Lester, The boys and girls, appeared in gowns. The choir is directed by Mrs. S. De Pree who also was accompanist.

Misses Cathryn and Geneva Janssen sang "In His Hands Are All the Corners of the Earth" Mendelssohn, at the evening service.

Elaine Kleis was in charge of the Intermediate C.E. meeting at Second Reformed church discussing the topic "Why Should I Be Good?"

Miss Dorothy Van Voorst furnished special music at the First Reformed church morning service singing "How Lovely are Thy Dwellings" Liddle.

An instrumental quartet composed of Carl Rogers, vibraphone; Henry Slager, piano; Edward Burns; violin and Andrew Slager, brass horn presented selections at the evening service.

Thomas Bloemsa led the Junior C.E. society at the First Reformed church. Eloise Bosch was in charge of the Intermediate C.E. society and Bertus Pyle was leader of the Senior C.E.

The regular monthly meeting of the Mission circle was held Tuesday night in the parlors of the First Reformed church. Mrs. Bettie De Jonge was guest speaker.

A Day of Prayer service was held at the North Street Christian Reformed church at 9:30 a.m. today. This was a union service with the Third Christian Reformed church.

The Rev. A. Rynbrandt is spending this week in Alto, Wis. where he is participating in special service March 11, 12, 13 and 14.

A meeting of the Girls League for Service was held at the First Reformed church Monday evening. The young women of the church and members of the Second Reformed church were invited guests. Mrs. Gerald De Jong, missionary of Arabia was guest speaker.

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He served Ottawa County as Prosecuting Attorney for 8 years and Grand Haven as City Attorney for 11 years, and was a member of the Ottawa County Board of Supervisors for 8 years while City Attorney.

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