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Detroit Architect Is Selected for New High School

Board of Education Makes Choice After Full Year of Study

The Board of Education Monday night approved a building and grounds committee recommendation to hire Suren Pilafian, Detroit architect, as architect for the proposed new high school. This study has been going on for about a year, and the Detroit architect was chosen from a field of six firms selected after considerable screening.

Supt. Walter W. Scott made it clear that plans for the new high school are subject to the results of the area school study now in progress. He said there is a great and pressing need for the most careful coordination between the progress of the area study, the curricular study, and the planning of new facilities. He pointed out that the board is not in a position to move decisively in any one direction at present and all aspects need study independently and also in relation to each other.

Among the buildings the Detroit architect has designed are a bank in Iran, Wayne University engineering building, an addition to a Catholic school, the Kresge Science Library and General Library Buildings at Wayne University, the Armenian church facilities in Detroit. These buildings ranged from \$100,000 to \$3,000,000.

Criteria for the selection of an architect follow: design and ability to create, desire to cooperate with school staff and others, a sincere interest in research and desire to improve and perfect design and function, a sufficient background of large scale architectural work related to educational institutions, the ability to translate the requirements of an educational program into the physical being of the actual school building, and an adequate office and competent staff.

Second choice of the school board was J. and G. Daverman and Co. in association with Perkins and Will, and third choice was Yamasaki and O'Brien and Knapp.

In other business, the board okayed a contract with Michigan State University for the Holland area school study now in progress, in which the board agrees to pay travel expenses of resource people aiding local persons in the study.

The board also authorized the building and grounds committee to purchase some 12 acres of property adjoining a site already obtained for a new high school. Primary purpose of the new area would be for a driver training range in the school driver training program which is expected to be considerably enlarged.

The board also okayed an arrangement with the newly organized Faith Christian Reformed Church to rent the Thomas Jefferson gymnasium and five classrooms for Sunday services at a cost of \$45 plus fees for overtime.

Supt. Scott also reported progress in the preparation of the school budget for 1956-57 with initial work done by Edward Donovan, administrative assistant, and Dorothy Hornbaker, treasurer. Scott also said he had interviewed some 20 teachers, with recommendations to be made later.

Bills allowed the past month amounted to \$94,888.25 of which \$83,419.37 was for teachers' salaries.

President James Hallan reported on the school administrators' convention which he and Donovan attended in Atlantic City, N. J., a short time ago. He said some 19,000 persons attended the convention, the largest of its kind.

Hallan presided at the meeting which lasted less than two hours. Mrs. John K. Winter gave the invocation. All members were present except Carl Andreasen.

Ned Stuitt Breaks Foot; Won't Work State Finals

Ned Stuitt of Holland, slated to officiate one of state basketball final games next Saturday in East Lansing, broke his right foot Wednesday night and will have to pass up the assignment this year.

The accident occurred while Stuitt was working the Muskegon Heights - Grand Rapids Ottawa Hills game Wednesday in Grand Rapids Burton Junior High School.

Stuitt reported he turned his foot quickly on the opening tipoff and the speed of the turn caused the metatarsal to snap. He finished out the game and had the injury treated this morning at Holland Hospital.

The Holland High baseball coach reported he will be in a traction cast for six weeks. Stuitt notified Charles Forsythe, state director of athletics, of the mishap this morning.

Margaret J. Van Bragt To Wed Jess Barchfield

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Van Bragt announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Joan, to Jess Barchfield, son of Alden Barchfield of Douglas. An April wedding is planned.



FIFTEEN YOUNG MEN left Grand Haven Armory Wednesday afternoon for induction into the armed forces at Detroit. In front row, left to right, are Gunnar Oslund, Mates Guzman, Fred Van Lente, Jr., John Kilian; middle row, Edward Kellogg, Jr., Harold Pierson, Charles Stegenga, Gerald Taylor, Armon Goodin; top row, Nick Essenyi, Garry Elzinga, Russell Roon, Lewis Miller, George Bryant, Jr., and A. Dale Schreuer. (Sentinel photo)

Dog Complaints Increasing Daily

A sure sign of spring is the increasing number of complaints regarding dogs running loose being received by Holland police and the poundmaster.

Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff said that many residents are citing instances of dogs digging up lawns and gardens.

Van Hoff said the city ordinance requires that all dogs remain on a leash. The purchase of a dog license does not allow dogs to run free.

Poundmaster Richard Bell said the same holds true for all of Ottawa County.

Bell said the law makes the dog owner liable for any damage their pets do. He also urged residents, who lose their pets, to call either the police at 3141 or his home, 6-5709, immediately.

Under the ordinance he must destroy dogs after 48 hours. Owners may reclaim their pets, if picked up, by payment of fees.

Bell said if anyone wishes to dispose of their pets they can reach him at either of the two phone numbers.

Proposed M-21 Plan Debated

George Van Koeveering of Zeeland, spokesman for a delegation from Holland city, Holland township and Zeeland that met with State Highway Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler in Grand Rapids Tuesday, took exception to a statement by Ziegler that "all except one seemed to agree that the plans were all right."

Ziegler made the statement after meeting with the delegation. The group objected to the proposed interstate route of M-21 and its link with US-31 east of Holland.

Van Koeveering said, Wednesday, "None of us agree or think the plans are right. We approached this thing in the frame of mind that none of us are engineers, but the proposed plans just don't look right. We had several suggestions and they're going to bring maps along and inspect the scene of argument."

"In that way we will try to explore the situation and find if our suggestions are feasible from an engineering standpoint."

Ziegler's planning and traffic director, Carl McMonagle, said he would notify Van Koeveering when he will be coming to the area, possibly within the next 10 days.

Spring Lake Woman Dies at Age of 35

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Margaret Virginia Grevel, 35, of Oak Park, Spring Lake, died unexpectedly Wednesday afternoon in Blodgett Hospital, Grand Rapids. She had been in ill health for two years.

Mrs. Grevel was born in Sparta, Wis., Feb. 23, 1921, and came to Spring Lake with her parents in 1924. She was married in Spring Lake May 30, 1946. She was a member of Spring Lake Reformed Church.

Surviving are the husband, William; her mother, Mrs. Ella Lee of Eastmanville; three sisters, Mrs. Marcella Hippler of Grand Haven, Mrs. Thomas Modderman of Eastmanville and Mrs. John Bruch of Port Angeles, Wash.; three brothers, Edward Lee of Coopersville, Earl Lee of Oxford and Tech. Sgt. Robert Lee of Camp Lejeune, N. C.

The body was taken to Barbier Funeral Home where services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday with the Rev. John Benes officiating. Burial will be at Spring Lake Cemetery.

Mrs. Anna Fisher, 82, Succumbs in Zeeland

ZEELAND (Special) — Mrs. Anna Fisher, 82, of 228 West McKinley Ave., Zeeland, died at her home early Wednesday. She had been ailing for some time but died unexpectedly.

She was a member of First Reformed Church and widow of the late Peter Fisher who died about six years ago.

Surviving are one son, Raymond Chard of Grand Rapids; one daughter, Mrs. Viola Mae Burr of Hershey; five grandchildren; three great grandchildren; one brother, Henry Newenhouse; three sisters, Mrs. Alice Vander Weide, Mrs. Dena Niggle and Mrs. Jennie Kamp, all of Grand Rapids.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Yntema Funeral Home with the Rev. J. den Ouden officiating. Burial will be in Zeeland Cemetery. The body is at the funeral home where relatives and friends may meet the family Thursday and Friday from 7 to 9 p.m.

34 Give Blood At Donor Clinic

Thirty-four persons donated blood at a regular clinic for the Holland Community Blood Bank Monday in Red Cross headquarters at 6 East Eighth St.

Donors were Jason L. Korterger, Myron Sale, Warren Baar, Lewey Michmerhuizen, Jacob De Vries, Wayne Mowery, Howard Dorgelo, Dean King, William Valkema, Jr., John Wolbert, Clarence Hill, A. Jay Grothuis, Mrs. Minnie Sheldon, Bill Dykstra, Lloyd Schurman, Ralph H. Jones, Reinder Kars.

Melvin Scheerhorn, Wallace De Zwaan, Mrs. Frances Kamphuis, Frank Kamphuis, Norman Scheerhorn, Edythe Hapeman, Fred Smith, Jr., Cornelius Haveman, Floyd Wiersma, Joe Mast, Henry Mast, Don Van Lente, Mrs. Chester Bronson, Kenneth Raak, Earl W. Vanden Bosch, Emma Van Hoven, Roger Harmsen.

Physicians were Dr. R. Nykamp and Dr. William Winter. Nurses were Mrs. R.L. Schlecht, Mrs. P. Ter Beek, Mrs. W.C. Kools and Mrs. A. Vinstra. Nurses aides were Mae Whitmer, Nella B. Stanaway, Mrs. R. Burton and Mrs. George Vander Weide.

Gray Ladies were Mrs. Eugene King, Mrs. Bina Nead and Mrs. Valkema. In charge of the afternoon were Mrs. Irving Kangas, Mrs. David Gordon and Mrs. Peter Borchers. Historians were Elineor M. Ryan and Gertrude Dowstra. Rochelle De Vries was Red Cross aide.

Retired Fennville Farmer Dies in Grand Rapids

FENNVILLE (Special) — Stephen Bedes, 87, of Fennville route 2, died Tuesday night at the Little Sister of the Poor Home in Grand Rapids. He had been living there since 1952.

Survivors include seven children; Ralph, Mrs. Paul Mezay of Fennville, route 2; Mrs. Irvin Schumacher, route 2, Fennville; Steve Bedes, of Hartford; Mrs. Harold Radloff of Fennville; Joseph Bedes of Fennville and Richard of Santa Ana, Calif.; 16 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

The rosary will be recited Friday at 8 p.m. at the Chappel Funeral Home here and services will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday from St. Peter's Catholic church in Douglas. Burial will be in Fennville cemetery.

Bedes, a retired farmer, was born in Czechoslovakia and came to the United States 49 years ago.

Virginia Dorrance Wood Wed to James O. Gregory

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wood, of Waukazoo, announce the marriage of their daughter, Virginia Dorrance, to James Oliver Gregory of Holland.

School Children Mark Prayer Day

Holland public elementary schools observed Prayer Day for Crops and Industry at programs Wednesday featuring speakers and music.

Carl Schroeder, senior at Western Theological Seminary, was speaker at Washington School. Kindergarten, first and second grade pupils sang "Father We Thank Thee," and children of grades three through six sang "This Is My Father's World."

At Longfellow School, the Prayer Day services were in charge of Mrs. Jean Muyskens and her fifth grade. Pianist for the occasion was Susan Eenigenburg. A choral reading, "Beauty Everywhere," and a hymn, "We Plow the Fields to Scatter," were presented by the group. Scripture was read by Sharon Van Tongeren. Speaker was the Rev. Jerry Veldman of Third Reformed Church, who was introduced by Patty Bouwman. Instrumental music was provided by Bonnie Van Dyke, Lucille Brink, David French, Robert Kammeraad, Harold Harris and Willard Nelson.

Programs were presented separately for the younger and older children at Thomas Jefferson School. Speaker was the Rev. Kenneth Van Wyk of First Reformed Church of Allegan. Scripture was given by Mrs. Lucille Van Dyke's fourth graders and prayers were given by Miss Mary Kossen's second and third grade children. Miss Betty Cook sang a solo, accompanied by Mrs. Van Wyke. The children sang a Prayer Day song.

At Van Raalte School, the Rev. Paul Rowgo of First Baptist Church spoke to children of the upper elementary grades and Mrs. Rowgo spoke at a later program to the younger children. The older children learned to sing three songs, "This Is My Father's World," "We Plow the Fields" and "For the Beauty of the Earth." The little children sang several prayer songs they had learned.

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John Sjoerdsma Dies After Extended Illness

John Sjoerdsma, 72, of 227 West 18th St., died early Wednesday at his home after an extended illness. Born in 1883 in the Netherlands, he came to this country when a boy. He was a carpenter by trade. He was a member of the Gospel Chapel.

Surviving are the wife, Grace, three daughters, Mrs. Clayton (Lucy) Hoover, Mrs. James (Nell) Wiersma and Miss Alice Sjoerdsma, all of Holland; two sons, Henry and Edward of Holland; two brothers, Joe Sjoerdsma of Ripon, Calif., and Albert Sjoerdsma of Grand Haven and two grandchildren.

Private funeral services will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at Dykstra Chapel with public rites at 2 p.m. in Gospel Hall with Dr. S. Franklin Logsdon officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Friends may call at the Dykstra Chapel Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m. and Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Partially Built House Badly Damaged by Fire

Workmen were busy this week repairing damage to a partially built house near the American Legion Country Club that was badly damaged by fire Saturday night.

Fire Marshal Andrew Westenberg said the blaze started in the basement from a salamander heating unit. The flames ate through the ground floor, traveled up one wall and burst through the roof.

The entire roof and roof rafters were so badly damaged they all had to be replaced.

The house is being constructed by Russ Michmerhuizen on the corner of Linden Ave. and Legion Rd.

Roads Federation Leader Suggests Financing Plans

Claims User Taxes Wouldn't Be Raised If Congress Acts

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Better roads will cost money, but this does not mean Michigan will necessarily have to have a general increase in user taxes, Gerald William Graves said at a Kiwanis Club meeting in Grand Haven, Tuesday night.

Graves, executive director, Michigan Good Roads Federation, reviewed Michigan's first comprehensive state-wide needs and deficiency study of all trunklines, county roads and city streets made by his organization in 1946-1947 and its relation to the study just completed.

To bring the earlier study up to date, he said, the Michigan legislature in early 1954 authorized another study. This consisted of a state-wide engineering needs and deficiency study, a fiscal study to determine how to meet these needs and deficiencies and a codification of all highway laws.

He said one of the bad features we are faced with is that the number of registered motor vehicles in this state increased 74 per cent since 1948, and travel 70 per cent. In the 20-year period ahead, it is estimated that motor vehicle registration will increase by another 82 per cent, and travel by 78 per cent.

"Light on our needs and deficiencies can be shown by the fact that 70 to 95 per cent of the improvements needed on various systems, except local roads and streets, should be completed in the next 10 years," Graves said.

According to the completed fiscal report, "Financing Modern Highways for Michigan," Graves said, Michigan's \$5.7 billion dollars worth of needs can be met — in 10 years on trunklines, 15 years on county roads and city streets — without any general increase in user tax:

(1) If the state issues \$500 million in bonds, at the rate of \$50 million a year for 10 years.

(2) If the Dykstra Act is repealed and the State Highway Department assumes 100 per cent of the cost of constructing trunklines in municipalities.

(3) If 50 per cent of the cost of local rural roads is paid for locally, and not from user taxes.

(4) If the present rate of local participation is maintained in the municipalities for local streets.

(5) If the Federal Government will accept the responsibility for the growing needs on the National System of Interstate Highways.

In regards to the National System of Interstate Highways, Graves pointed out that there are 970 miles within Michigan borders, and 40,000 miles nation-wide in the system.

"Though the national system or military system as it is often referred to, embraces only 1.2 per cent of this nation's total road mileage, the roads involved are the vital arteries of the nation," he said.

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Auxiliary Unit Gives Tea for Student Nurses

Five student nurses from Michigan State University were entertained Monday at Holland Hospital by hostesses from the Christian Reformed unit of the Hospital Auxiliary.

Attending were Hospital Director Frederick Burd, various hospital staff members and the honored guests, Kathy Gallagher, J. Vander Moore, Vickey Santrucke, Alice Knake and Marilyn Link.

The tea table featured pink and white decorations with a centerpiece of pink and white snapdragons and pink carnations. Mrs. Roger Brouwer and Mrs. Gerald Vusse poured.

Following the tea, corsages were presented to the visiting nurses, who are training here for four weeks. Later they were taken on a tour of the city and shown points of interest, including the churches representing their faiths.

Chairman for the event were Mrs. Brouwer and Mrs. Vande Vusse. Mrs. Ray Liefers, Mrs. Harvin Zoerhof and Mrs. Chris Otten assisted.

Navy Officers at Hope To Interview Students

The United States Naval officers will be at Hope College today and Friday interviewing prospective candidates for officer commissions.

Lts. Jack Ludwig and Jim Gaynair said they are interested in talking to students who have completed two or more years of college.

If they pass the mental and physical examinations the youths are eligible for direct commissions in the U.S. Navy.

The officers, who are pilots, also are seeking men who wish to enter the Navy and become flyers.

Native of Holland Takes New Post

Alfred T. Joldersma, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Joldersma of 1734 Waukazoo Dr., has been appointed financial vice president of Kawneer Company of Niles, according to an announcement by Henry W. Zimmer, executive vice president of the Niles firm.

Joldersma goes to Niles from Detroit Harvester Co., where he served in various accounting and financial capacities and recently, as treasurer. At Kawneer he will coordinate and administer the financial activities of the company and will be in charge of all corporate accounting and treasury matters.

Dale Brondyke, another native of Holland, is chief accountant at Kawneer.

Joldersma received his B.A. degree from Hope College in 1940 and his master's degree in business administration from the University of Michigan in 1942. He served as staff member of Arthur Anderson and Co., public accountants in 1943. He has been active in activities of the Controllers Institute of America and the Tax Executives Institute for several years.

When he was appointed treasurer of Detroit Harvester at the age of 30 he was considered the youngest corporation treasurer in Detroit.

Joldersma, who now is 38 years old, is married and the father of three children. The family has been living in Birmingham.

Mrs. Mac Dougall, 80, Succumbs in Zeeland

Mrs. Ann Mac Dougall, 80, of 216 South Wall St., Zeeland, died at 10:15 this morning at her home following a two weeks illness. She formerly lived in Detroit, but had been living in Zeeland for the last three years with her brother, Henry Slotman.

Surviving besides the brother, Henry, is another brother, William of Chicago and four sisters, Mrs. Benjamin Kortering and Mrs. Julia Mulder of Holland; Mrs. Hattie Michmerhuizen of Overisel and Mrs. Lillian Rice of Kalamazoo and several nephews and nieces.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Overisel Reformed Church with the Rev. Clarence Denekas of Benheim officiating. Relatives will meet in the church basement at 1:45 p.m. Burial will be in Overisel Cemetery. Friends may call at the Langeland Funeral Home Friday from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

Appraisers Report In Condemnation Case

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A panel of special appraisers Tuesday filed a final report with Circuit Court on judgments on condemnation proceedings for four parcels of property on Wallace St. in Grand Haven city. The suits were instituted by the Michigan State Highway Department in connection with the US-31 relocation.

The panel, consisting of Oscar Peterson of Park township, John H. Post of Holland and Scott Holmes of Crookery township, made the following judgments: Emilie Jeske, \$1,900; Mink and Lena Dykhouse, \$5,250; Harold and Arlene Rice, \$5,600; Peter J. and Henrietta Rycenga, \$1,400.

The special appraisers were appointed by Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith Feb. 14 and conducted several hearings.

Grand Haven (Special) — Cars driven by Donald Baty of Hastings and Mrs. Margaret Fisher of Spring Lake collided at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the junction of US-16 and M-104. Mrs. Fisher was leaving a filling station when she did not realize her car was moving. State police gave her a ticket for failure to yield the right of way. Damage to both cars was slight.

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Holland Woman New Chairman of Polio Chapter

Mrs. Irvin De Weerd of Holland has been elected chairman of the Ottawa county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, it was announced today by retiring President Wilbur C. Cobb of Holland.

Other officers are Earl Rhodes of Conklin, vice chairman, re-elected; Mrs. Jack Nieboer of Olive township, secretary, succeeding Mrs. De Weerd; Charles Bugielski, treasurer, re-elected.

Mrs. De Weerd succeeds Cobb who has served as chairman for the last year and a half. Cobb declined another term because of the press of business. However, he will serve another year on the executive board.

Mrs. De Weerd has been active in polio work ever since the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary sponsored its first polio dance in 1949. She was president of the organization at the time. Shortly thereafter, she accepted various responsibilities with county campaigns and then served as chapter secretary for the last three years.

During the last four years, she made six ambulance trips with polio patients to Warm Springs, Ga., caring for the patients en route.

Last year, Mrs. De Weerd served as chairman for volunteer workers for the Salk vaccine clinics in Ottawa county, working in cooperation with the Ottawa County Health Department of which Dr. Ralph Ten Have is director. Mrs. De Weerd's committee was responsible for lining up approximately 150 volunteer workers for the nine centers in the county.

She also was chairman of the Mothers March the first two years. She is active in the work of Grace Episcopal Church and is president of the Women's council which heads all women's guilds in the church. She also is a member of the Kiwanis Queens and a Camp Fire sponsor in Holland.

Her husband is an industrial engineer at Hart and Cooley Co. in Holland and also has been active in polio work for several years. He served as Holland chairman last year, and was chairman for south Ottawa in the emergency drive in the summer of 1954. They have one daughter, Gretchen, 13.

The executive board unanimously adopted a resolution at its March 7 meeting expressing heartfelt appreciation to Chairman Cobb for his service as chairman the past year and a half. The resolution will be forwarded to the national foundation.

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Saugatuck Resort Owner Dies in Chicago Home

Edward M. Starr, 58, owner of Van Star Lodge in Saugatuck, died Tuesday at his home in Chicago where he had lived all of his life except for the summers spent at Saugatuck.

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State Promises Further Study On M-40 Location

Apple Avenue School Objections Heard at Highway Conference

A restudy of a possible M-40 relocation has been promised as the result of a meeting late Wednesday afternoon of local representatives and representatives of the Michigan State Highway Department in Pantlind Hotel, Grand Rapids.

Specifically, C. A. Weber, deputy commissioner and chief engineer of the highway department, said the M-40 matter will be taken from the road department and returned to the traffic department for further study. He said the traffic department will consult the Holland Planning Commission and township representatives, and the traffic study on origin and destination will be reviewed.

Mayor Robert Visscher, Laverne Rudolph and Willard

Newcomers Club Stages Annual Style Show Luncheon



Club Members Model Fashions for Spring Style Show

Spring came early to the Tulip Room of the Warm Friend Tavern Wednesday as the Newcomers Club presented its annual style show luncheon. Arrangements for forsythia and yellow baby mums were used effectively about the room and yellow tapers were used on the small tables. Artistic land screened cards and programs of black and gold featuring models marked each place.

Hostesses for the day were Mesdames Herbert Childress, Josephine Hopps, Paul Taber and Frank Klann.

Mrs. Jean Engelsman presided at the organ and played a selection of spring songs as a prelude to the style show. Mrs. Henry Smith,

chairman, narrated from an original script. Mrs. Engelsman played appropriate background music as each model entered the room.

Models were all members of the club and their children, including Mesdames Edward Adler, Joseph Corrado, Donald Bell, Janet Crull, Robert Hall, Sydney Johnson, Cletus Merlat, Phillip Singeton, James Taylor, Dean Thompson and Dwight Wilts. Children were Linda and Laura Adler, Janet Bell, Julie Hall, Debbie Johnson, Michael Maihofer and Jim Taylor.

Mrs. Smith introduced her co-chairmen, Mrs. Earl Helmers and Mrs. Dick Nicholson, in charge of models and arrangements, Mrs. Ted Ness, Mrs. John Hoyka and Mrs. James Clancy.

Mrs. Louis Brunner, club president, introduced and welcomed the following prospective members: Mesdames Joseph Ebenhoek, M. J. Harter, Donald Reek, Don Bondy, M. Collins and Richard Yerkey.

Cards were played and prizes won by Mrs. Will J. Scott for bridge, Mrs. George Steininger, canasta, and Mrs. Paul Taber, pinocle.

Models pictured above, left to right, are the Mesdames Robert Hall, Phillip Singeton, Sydney Johnson, Dwight Wilts, Dean Thompson, James Taylor, Joseph Corrado, Donald Bell and Edward Adler. Standing in front is little Janet Bell.

Tigers Nip Chix In Sudden-Death Overtime, 50-49

Allegan High's cagers advanced to the Class B regional at Western Michigan College in Kalamazoo this week following a sudden-death 50-49 overtime win over Zeeland before a jammed - packed house of 2,600 in Civic Center Saturday night.

The victory gave the Tigers the Class B district crown and qualified them for the Western regional against St. Joseph, Kalamazoo State High, Grand Haven and East Grand Rapids.

But to move into the regional Allegan had some real sweating. And it was the closest game the Tigers have had all year in compiling a 15-3 record.

Bill Young, a senior forward, finally sank the winning basket, a driving layup, after about one minute of play in the sudden - death period.

This same fellow had made a dog shot at 2:08 in the first three-minute overtime to put Allegan ahead. Cool Carl Wissink, then had sunk two free shots with 35 seconds remaining and sent the game into the sudden - death period, the first such overtime seen in Civic Center this season.

Ken Vande Bunte, who had been clamped all night by the tight Allegan defense, was fouled by center Bud Ingalsbee during the sudden - death period.

The lanky center, straining under the pressure, swished the first shot but the second hit the rim and Allegan took over. The Tigers went down and Young found the opening.

Zeeland, showing the determination that had been a big factor in giving the Chix a 13-4 season's mark, was eight points down - the game's largest margin - with 3:36 to go in the third period.

But the Chix fought back, out-scoring the winners 14-11 in the third quarter and pulled up within two points, 40-38 at the period's close.

Wissink tied the score with a corner push shot early in the fourth quarter and then, for the first time in the game, the Chix took the upper hand.

For the rest of the quarter, Zeeland was in the driver's seat, pushing ahead to its biggest margin 46-42 with 1:30 to go.

The Chix went into a stall, but the pressing Tigers broke through and Tom Hunter and Ingalsbee made the baskets that knotted the count at 46 all.

Ingalsbee's fade away shot came with just nine seconds left in the game and served as a shot-in-the-arm for the Tigers that held over in the overtimes.

From the floor, the teams were practically even. Zeeland made 20 out of 63 shots for 32 percent and the Tigers were a shade behind with 22 out of 72 for 31 percent.

Allegan led at the end of the first quarter, 10-7, hitting on five buckets out of 16 shots. Zeeland only scored three times in the first period out of 17 tries.

In pushing to a 29-24 halftime margin, Allegan had its best quarter in the second period, making eight out of 16. The Chix weren't far behind with seven out of 16.

Zeeland's second half play saw the Chix making six out of 18 in pulling to the two - point deficit at the end of the third quarter while Allegan had five out of 20.

The Tigers had one of their poorest quarters this season in the final frame, hitting only two for 16 while the Chix were hitting four out of 12.

From the foul line Allegan made six out of 15 and the Chix swished nine out of 18.

In the first overtime, Allegan made one out of three basket attempts and Zeeland missed on six tries. In the second overtime Allegan made its one shot and Zeeland failed to get a floor attempt.

The sudden - death ruling states that the first team to score two points is the winner.

Box score:

Allegan (50)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Young, f.....	7	3	1	17
Grew, f.....	5	1	4	11
Ingalsbee, c.....	4	2	4	10
Hunter, g.....	2	0	0	4
Scheur, g.....	2	0	1	4
Eddy, c.....	2	0	1	4
Stroud, f.....	0	0	0	0
Totals.....	22	6	10	58

Zeeland (49)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Wissink, f.....	7	2	2	16
Wiersma, f.....	1	0	0	2
Vande Bunte, c.....	1	5	2	7
Kaat, g.....	4	0	2	8
Klamt, g.....	4	0	2	8
Bos, f.....	2	0	3	4
Looman, c.....	1	2	0	4
De Jonge, f.....	0	0	0	0
Burns, f.....	0	0	0	0
Beyer, g.....	0	0	1	0
Totals.....	20	9	12	49

Local men participated in a Laymen's Institute Saturday and Sunday at Grace Episcopal Church.

The Very Rev. William C. Warner conducted a series of lectures on "The Development of the Concept of God in the Bible." Laymen from the Episcopal Churches in Grand Rapids, Elk Rapids, Dowagiac, South Haven, Saugatuck and Holland attended.

Local men at the institute included Clarke Field, Albert Centolella, Verne C. Hohl, Clarence Damsgard, William Dekker, William Jesiek, Milton Johnston and William D. Collins.

St. Monica's Guild served the supper Saturday night and a light breakfast followed the 9 a.m. Communion service. The concluding lecture was held at 10:15 a.m. Sunday.

13-Month-Old Child Dies in Hospital

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — David Becker, 13 - month - old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Becker, route 1, Nunica, died in Municipal Hospital Saturday noon following a brief illness. He was born in the local hospital Jan. 17, 1955.

Besides the parents, he is survived by a sister, Carol Ann; two brothers James L. and Paul H. Jr.; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Becker, and the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Mary Boswell, all of Lidington.

'Worst Accident I've Ever Seen,' Sheriff Says

COOPERSVILLE — "It was the worst accident I have seen in the 20 years I have been a police officer," Sheriff Gerald Vanderbeek said.

Vanderbeek said as far as he knows, no single auto accident in Ottawa County history has claimed as many as the six lives lost last night when two cars crashed head-on two miles west of here.

State police at Rockford said it was the worst accident in Western Michigan in many years.

Two of the men killed in the accident—Donald E. Maitner, 33, and Theodore J. Vogt, 37—had been close friends since school days.

They attended Grand Rapids Catholic Central together in the late 1930s and were employed by

the same company. Maitner was purchasing agent at the Haviland Products Co., and Vogt was a salesman for the same company.

Maitner and Vogt were on their way to the San Lazaro Catholic Retreat House at Fruitport on Spring Lake to make a weekend retreat.

Maitner's wife, Alberta, 33, and their three children, were planning to return to Grand Rapids after leaving the two men at the retreat house which is run by the Vincentian Fathers.

Four of the six persons were killed instantly—Mrs. Maitner, Vogt, Sharron Lynn Maitner, 10, and Abram Phillips, 48, of Muskegon—driver of the other car.

Maitner died in St. Mary's Hospital at 7:45 and little Donal Mait-

ner, 2, was dead on arrival at the hospital.

Russell Haan, of Grand Rapids, driver of one of the trucks which Phillips passed on a curve seconds before the accident, estimated the Muskegon man was going 80 miles an hour when he passed him.

Vanderbeek said Phillips' car, a 1956 model, hit the other car with such an impact that his rear wheels were torn loose.

Vanderbeek said the only identification on Phillips was a card showing that he was a parolee from Southern Michigan Prison at Jackson. The sheriff said Phillips was released from prison in 1953 after serving 10 years of an armed robbery sentence.

Vanderbeek said two of the six persons riding in the Maitner car, which was a 1954 model, were thrown out of the car. They were Sharron Lynn and Gary Lee, 7, who was the only survivor of the accident.

Gary Lee remained conscious throughout the ordeal and chatted with an ambulance driver while on the way to the hospital.

Both Maitner and his wife were veterans of World War II. Maitner served in the Army and his wife was a member of the Women's Army Corps.

Vogt also was a World War II veteran.

Phillips is survived by the wife and a 16-year-old daughter.

Traffic at the scene was backed up for quite a while as officers re-routed cars on US-16.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Friday were Phyllis Brower, route 6; Mrs. James Hoover, Hamilton; George Schipper, 138 Pine Zeeland.

Discharged Friday were Mrs. Tillman Senter and baby, 125 East Ninth St.; Mrs. David Toscano, 28 West First St.; Mrs. Henry Walters, route 3; Harry Ypma, route 3, Zeeland; Henry Van Den Berg, 491 Lincoln Ave.; Gertrude Ten Brink, 333 West 21st St.; Mrs. Harvey De Witt and baby, 1131 32nd St.; Mrs. Donald Kouw, East Saugatuck; Mrs. Bernice Griffiths, 252 Maple Ave.

Admitted Saturday were Mrs. Raymond Beltran, 50 East Seventh St.; Jane Spencer, 28 West 17th St.; Dean Prince, 608 Central Ave.; Barbara Johnson, route 6; Richard Vander Broek, 36 East 12th St.

Discharged Saturday were Phyllis Brower, route 6; Mrs. Ivan Kehrwecker and baby, 241 West 17th St.; Mrs. Junior Slagh and baby, route 1; Mrs. William Van Ark and baby, 69 East 32nd St.; Mrs. John Hellenenthal and baby, 106 East Seventh St.; Mrs. Bernard Borgman and baby, 242 Maerose Ave.; Mrs. Joseph R. Hurlbut, 242 Pine Ave.; Mrs. Gerrit Exo, route 4; Mrs. Clarence Veldhoff and baby, route 2, Hamilton; Gregg Mulder, 10723 Paw Paw Dr.; Michael Goodyke, route 3; Mrs. Frederick Buurman and baby, 1495 Ottawa Beach; Mrs. Robert Knowles, 126 West 18th St.; Barbara Johnson, route 6; Richard Vander Broek, 36 East 12th St.; Jane Spencer, 28 West 17th St.; Ervin Laarman, route 2.

Admitted Sunday were Luke Lambers, 42 Graves Place; Arie Vander Wilk, 155½ East 16th St.; Mrs. Harold Volkers, 197 East 26th St.; Betty Kamer, route 4; Mrs. Jack Steigenga, 97 Lakewood Blvd.; Mrs. Karl Goosen, 180 West 18th St.; Mrs. Ernest H. Phillips, 133 East Ninth St.; Mrs. Herman Heerspink, route 2.

Discharged Sunday were Mrs. Jay Wolbert and baby, 179 West 18th St.; Mrs. Allan Fischer and baby, 807 South Shore Dr.; Mrs. Robert Kruthoff and baby, route 4; George M. Schipper, 138 Pine, Zeeland; Mrs. Wilson Huizenga, 157 Vander Veen; Mrs. George Helgeson, Baker's Trailer Court.

Hospital births include a daughter, Kemma Jo, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Harris Oppenhuizen, 120½ East Main St. Zeeland; a daughter, Susan Diane, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Schrotenboer, 466 Beeline Rd.; a daughter, Mary Kay, born Sunday to Dr. and Mrs. John Yff, 511 East Central Ave., Zeeland.

A son, Michael John, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Kars, of 1012 Butternut Dr.; a daughter born today to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schutt, route 2; a son, Dale Frederick, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Kloosterhouse, Lamont.

Delta Phi and Arcadians Win

Delta Phi Sorority and Arcadian fraternity won first place in the women's and men's divisions of the annual All-College Sing at Hope College Friday night in Memorial Chapel.

Delta Phi won the women's division with their singing of "Comin' Through the Rye," directed by Marcia Veldman. The Arcadians were directed by James Nevel in their number, "One World."

Alpha Sigma Alpha, freshman sorority, won second in the women's division with their presentation of "New River Train," directed by Anne De Pree. Second in men's competition went to Knickerbocker fraternity, singing "The New Ashmolean Marching Society and Students Conservatory Band," directed by Nick Poole.

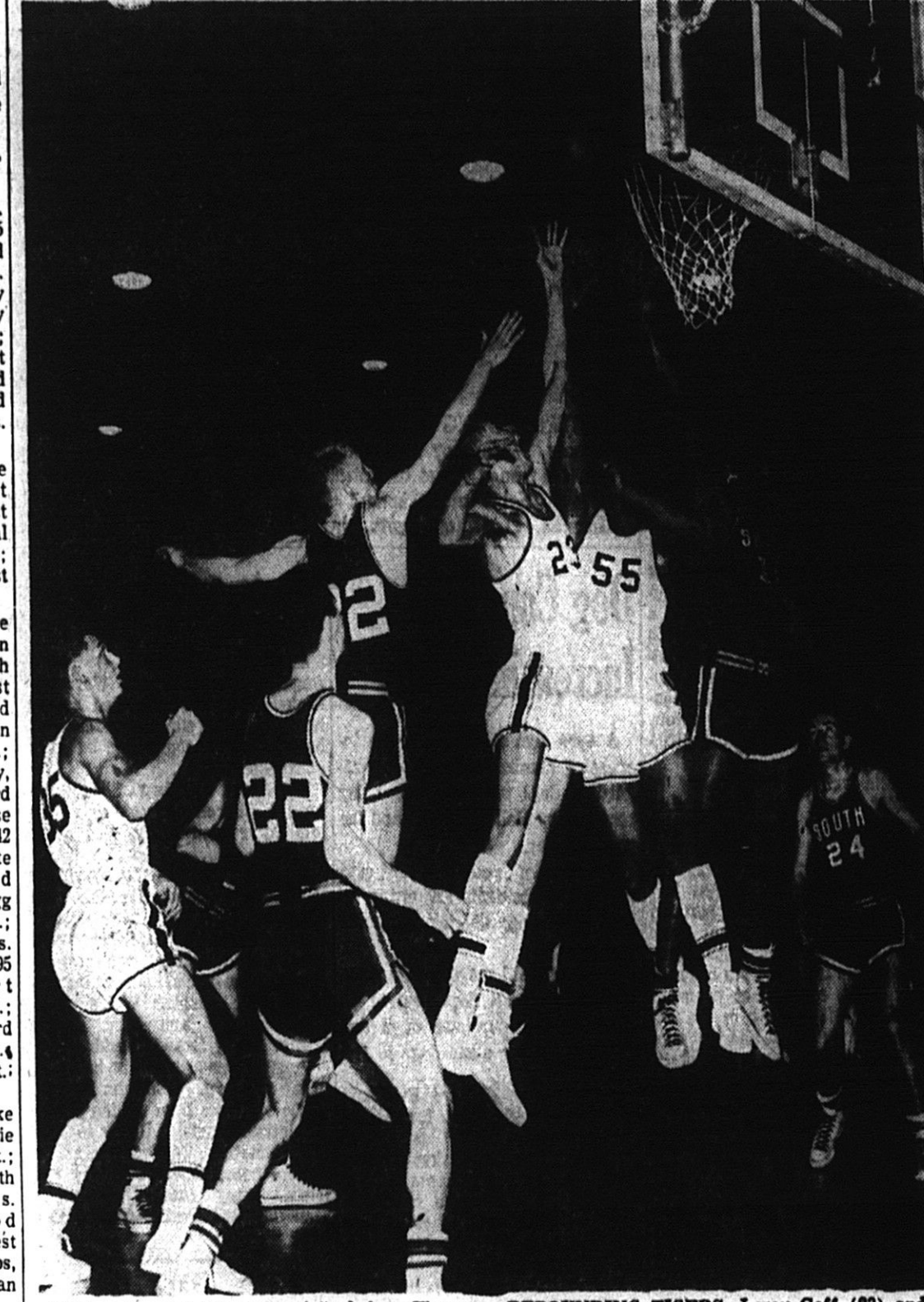
Judges for the Sing, one of the highlights on the campus each year, were Miss Margaret Van Vyven, Willard East and Marvin Baas, Barbara Klompars and Ted Redding were chairmen.

Ten campus societies took part in the competition. During the judging, special entertainment was provided by the Hope-ives, organization of students' wives under direction of Mrs. Chester Onk; the Duffie Walters directed by James Nevel, and the Minors, group of senior girls, directed by Marcia Veldman.

Five Persons Appeared Before Board of Review

Five persons appeared before the Holland Board of Review with requests for review of assessments. The Board concluded its week-long meeting last Friday.

The Board also received three written applications for adjustment of assessment.



82-51 and moved into the semi-finals here Thursday night. Adding a hand in vain is Ed Atkinson of South while Duane Dunbar (35) and Pat Lind (22) of South stand by poised for action.

(Sentinel photo)

Big Second Half Gives Favored Tigers First Win

Benton Harbor's basketball team spluttered in the first half, then came to life for a big 50 - point second half and smashed Grand Rapids South out of the Class A regional tournament here Monday night with an 81-52 victory before a full house of 2,600 fans.

With the win, the Tigers gained more prestige and favor among the already big group that feels that Benton Harbor may go all the way this year.

Benton Harbor is presently ranked No. 1 in the state tied with Muskegon Heights and its balanced scoring attack showed why the Tigers are going to be hard to defeat. The drubbing made Grand Rapids basketball look sick since the Trojans were City champions with a 32-1 record.

The Tigers play Niles in the semi-finals in Civic Center Thursday at 7 p.m. Niles has a 4-11 season's record.

Although the winners looked like a million dollars at times during the second half in handing the Trojans the 29-point trouncing, the Tigers were shaky from time to time in the first half and South stayed in the ball game by getting around and through the Tiger defense.

Benton Harbor, with its three big men — Jim Reynolds, Leroy Goff and Chesser Walker — dominated the boards but the Tigers, although in the lead throughout, were frequently loose on defense and another team with comparable big men could give Benton Harbor trouble. The "big-three" scored 51 of the Tigers' points, one short of South's total.

The Tigers pounded through six of 12 shots in the first quarter and moved out to a 17-11 first period lead. The Trojans gathered four out of 11 in the opening stanza.

South put up its best fight in the second quarter and outscored the winners by one point, 15-14, and brought the more than 1,000 South fans to their feet by pulling within three points 29-26 in the final 36 seconds of the first half. The Tigers then added a pair of free throws and led at halftime 31-26.

The Trojans made six out of 17 shots in the second quarter and the Tigers had five out of 17.

The Tigers toyed with the Trojans for the first minute and a half of the third period and then let go. Most of the shots were layups achieved by breaking away

from the sagging South defense, but were successful and before the losers realized it they were out of the game.

The Tigers pounded through 11 out of 16 shots in the third period while the Trojans got the same number, but connected on only four.

Leading the third period drive were Reynolds, Goff and Walker. When it was over, the Tigers held a 61-40 margin.

Reynolds was lost on fouls with the fourth period not even a minute old, and bury Sam Watson moved into the rebounding assignment. Watson performed admirably and got the ball back to other Tigers who were frequently fouled by the pressing Trojans.

Benton Harbor managed to score 20 more points in the final period, with five buckets and 10 free shots. The Tigers took 16 shots.

Both teams lost their big men in the fourth period. Besides Reynolds, Goff went out on fouls with 5:30 left and forward John Buttrely of South left at 7:16 and center Larry May at 5:12.

South managed to make only three baskets in the fourth period out of 14 tries and they came few and far between. At one point it took the Trojans five minutes to score a basket.

Benton Harbor ended with 27 out of 61 shots for 44 percent and the losers had 17 out of 48 shots for 29 percent.

Goff led the winners with 19 points. Following was Reynolds with 17, Walker with 15 and Mel Hensley and Watson, 11 each. All are Tiger starters.

Pat Lindsey led South with 12 points, aided by six free throws. Buttrely followed with 11 and May had 10.

The highly-touted little Leroy Davis was completely bottled up by the Tigers. He ended with two buckets and three free shots for seven points and was kept on the bench a good deal of the first half.

South made 18 out of 35 free tooses while the Tigers sank 21 out of 44.

Charles Forsythe, state director of athletics, and Dave Arnold, assistant state director of athletics, attended the game and were again impressed with the local facilities.

Box score:

Benton Harbor (81)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Walker, f.....	6	3	4	15
Goff, f.....	5	9	5	19
Reynolds, c.....	6	5	17	11
Hensley, g.....	4	3	3	11
Watson, g.....	4	3	4	11
Dunbar, c.....	1	2	0	4
Peaples, f.....	0	2	0	2
Barclott, c.....	0	0	1	0
Totals.....	30	35	44	81

South (52)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Buttrely, f.....	4	3	5	11
Davis, f.....	2	3	4	7
May, c.....	4	2	5	10
Atkinson, g.....	2	0	2	4
Holwerda, g.....	2	2	2	6
Lindsey, g.....	3	6	2	12
Thompson, c.....	0	1	3	1
Bardo, f.....	0	0	4	0
Knudsen, g.....	1	1	0	3
Grooters, g.....	0	0	2	0
Totals.....	17	18	29	52

Observe Pathfinder Day At Seventh Day Adventist

Saturday was observed as Pathfinder Day in the Holland Seventh-day Adventist Church, commemorating the first anniversary of the boys and girls organization known as the Pathfinder Club.

The morning service was devoted to inspirational messages and testimonies by the director, Dennis Slikkers and the deputy directors, Howard Dorgelo and Miss Rachel Brower; also by the counselors Frank DeKoster, Mrs. Julia Oetman and Mrs. Leon Slikkers. A vocal duet by Arlene and Shirley Oetman and an accordion solo in the Sabbath School service marked the Pathfinders participation in the morning services.

In the afternoon, marking the closing hour of the Sabbath, 25 Pathfinders attended in uniform and presented exhibits of handicraft and nature study, representing work done for vocational honors in metal craft, basketry, flower study, and star study. Music in the afternoon included a saxophone solo by Ronald DeWitt, an accordion duet by Wanda Dorgelo and Arlene Oetman, and a vocal solo by Glen Oetman. A poem, "The Outdoor Son of God" was given by Marjorie Slikkers.

A second 10-week training course for counselors begins today at the Adventist Church School, with Miss Rachel Brower as instructor.

Pleads Guilty

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Fred Thretheway, 18, of 406 Elm St., Zeeland, pleaded guilty in Ottawa Circuit Friday afternoon to a charge of breaking and entering. His bond was continued and he will return March 19 for disposition.

The alleged offense occurred March 1 when he allegedly broke into the Herman Prins gun shop on Columbia Ave. in Holland.

The resistance of steel to atmospheric corrosion is improved by the addition of alloying elements such as nickel and copper.

Library Adventures

—Arnold Mulder

The current best seller "Andersonville," by MacKinlay Kantor, is a mixture of about three parts history and one part fiction. Listed as a "novel," it might almost as accurately be placed on a non-fiction shelf.

To me the most amazing fact about "Andersonville" is that it has reached the best seller list. It seems incredible to me that hundreds of thousands of people would pay out \$5 for the privilege of reading it.

Not that it isn't well enough done, rather because it is too well done. Best sellers, more often than not, are books that are shallow in substance. In intention at least "Andersonville" is in the tradition of Tolstoy's "War and Peace," which is universally recognized as one of the greatest novels of all time.

One count against it as a candidate for the best seller list is that it is almost as long as "War and Peace." There are 768 large pages; it contains about 385,000 words. The publishers announce that the author worked on it for 25 years. In my opinion he didn't work long enough; he should have used some more years to cut the book to half its size; I'm convinced that that would have made it a better book.

Kantor sets out to tell the story of what happened to the Union prisoners in the Andersonville concentration camp in Georgia during the closing period of the Civil War. That camp is of course one of the dark blots on the Confederacy, although it should be remembered that the South was so poor that even Lee's soldiers lived on starvation rations.

At Andersonville prison, over a period of some 19 months, from 30,000 to 35,000 Union soldiers were confined in a space of about 13 acres, not enough space for 10,000. There was no shelter, drinking water was almost unobtainable, food was just enough to keep body and soul together, sometimes not enough for that. As many as 200 deaths occurred sometimes in one day. Soon the cemetery south of the camp was almost as large as the camp itself.

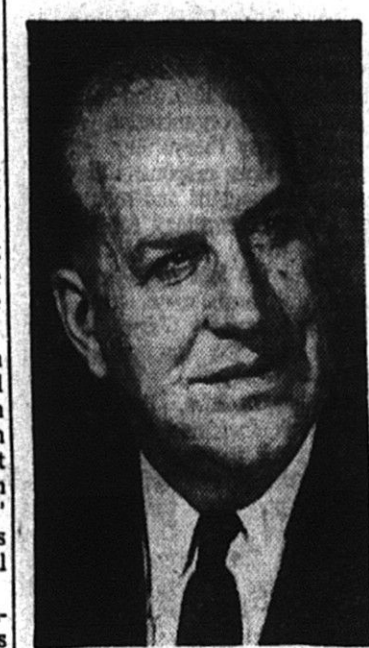
What happened to those thousands of prisoners of war—that is Kantor's story. His technique is to create a large number of representative individuals, such as unquestionably were found in the actual historical concentration camp, telling their stories in detail. There are toughs from New York's gangland, ignorant farm boys from Iowa, intellectuals with a university background, gentle poets caught in the grip of war, and a score of other types.

The author attempts to turn each of those types into an individual, with own individual background. When he tells the story of a farm boy from Iowa, he begins far back in the boy's childhood, sometimes even in his ancestry, devoting perhaps from 20 to 50 pages to the portrait. When he finally lands in the Andersonville prison the boy is supposed to be a personality to the reader.

Unfortunately he almost never is. Occasionally a single character becomes incandescent for a moment. MacKinlay Kantor is a very excellent writer, in spots. But for the most part the characters remain shadowy; they fade out of memory almost before the reader closes the book.

What remains is a picture of horror and death and degradation and hunger and scurvy and sadism and cruelty. And that picture is terribly effective. But it is hard to see why hundreds of thousands of today's Americans are willing to pay \$5 to have their feelings harrowed by such a recital.

The oldest of all wind instruments is believed to be the flute.



Gerrit Vanderhooning

Brand Names Foundation Honors Local Retailer

Vans Food Department Store, Inc., of Holland, Monday was judged brand name retailer-of-the-year in annual competition of the Brand Names Foundation.

Vans was entered in Food Stores class II.

Gerrit Vanderhooning, owner, will be honored during three days of festivities in New York City April 16 to 18, culminating with a brand names dinner. Vice President Nixon will be speaker.

Box Elder Menace Concerns Official

City Manager Herb Holt's office is planning a war against box elder bugs.

Since these annoying red-and-black bugs grow on box elder trees, the city manager's

Four in One Family Of Grand Rapids Among the Victims

Seven-Year-Old Boy Is Lone Survivor Of Head-On Accident

A seven-year-old boy was the lone survivor of a two-car crash Friday night on US-16 near Coopersville that wiped out four members of his family and two other men.

Dead are:

Donald E. Maitner, 33, of 58 Quimby Ave., NE, Grand Rapids. Mrs. Alberta E. Maitner, 33. Sharron Lynn Maitner, 10. Donald Maitner, 2. Theodore J. Vogt, 37, of 1904 Fruitwood NW, Grand Rapids. Abraham Phillips, 48, Muskegon. Garry Lee Maitner, 7, the remaining member of the Maitner family was reported in fair condition later at St. Mary's Hospital in Grand Rapids.

The accident occurred about 6:25 p.m. approximately one mile west of Coopersville on US-16.

The Maitner family and Vogt were in one car, heading west and Phillips was the driver of the other car heading east.

Ottawa County Sheriff Gerald Vanderbeek said witnesses told him that Phillips had just passed two trucks on a sweeping curve at a high rate of speed.

His car was still on the wrong side of the road when he met the oncoming Maitner car.

Maitner swerved his car at the last second and at the same time Phillips swung his car in the same direction. The vehicles met head-on.

Mrs. Maitner, Sharron Lynn Vogt, and Phillips were killed instantly. Maitner died at St. Mary's Hospital at 7:45 p.m. and his daughter, Donald, was dead on arrival at the same hospital.

Ambulance drivers from the Throop Funeral Home who arrived on the scene minutes later said along with Maitner in the front seat were Mrs. Maitner holding her daughter on her lap and Vogt. The other two Maitner children were riding in the back seat.

The two Maitner children in the back seat, were thrown from the vehicle. The others all remained in the car.

The victims all died of multiple fractures and crushed chests.

The tremendous impact of the cars shoved the entire front end of the Phillips car back to the level of the front windshield.

The drive shaft was split in two and turned around. Phillips still had his foot on the accelerator when his body was removed from the smashed car which he had purchased less than three weeks ago.

A cousin of Phillips said the victim had stopped at his Muskegon Heights gasoline station at 6 p.m. and said he was going home. He could give no reason why he had changed his mind.

Phillips car was turned around by the collision ending up in the middle of the road facing west, the direction he had come from. The Maitner car was knocked backwards off the highway.

The two cars were so badly smashed that wreckers were forced to pick them up and put them on trailers before they could be hauled away.

Sheriff Vanderbeek said that Mrs. Maitner was expecting the birth of another child in a few weeks.

Woman Drowned In Shallow Pond

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Mrs. Cornelia Heyboer, 48, of 1069 Second Ave., in Tallmadge township, was drowned in a shallow pond in Rosedale Cemetery at 8:15 a.m. Friday. The cemetery on M-50 is located about a half mile from her home not far from the Kent county line.

Sheriff Jerry Vanderbeek said Mrs. Heyboer had left a note for her family written sometime during the night stating she could not sleep and was going to take a walk. He added she was well dressed.

The family became alarmed and organized a search. Her footprints were followed through the cemetery and the woman presumably was returning home when she came to the pond which she followed along shore because of shrubbery for some distance. Then, presumably, she went out on the ice in the darkness and broke through.

The water was only 1 1/2 feet deep but in her struggle to return to shore she broke up an area of ice for some 60 feet before apparently dropping of exhaustion.

Her body was found by her son, Robert, a sheriff's deputy, who was searching along with Deputy Keith Averill of Coopersville.

Dr. Jay Post of Allendale, deputy medical examiner, ruled accidental death by drowning.

Mrs. Heyboer and her husband, Joseph M., operated a store in Standale in Kent county not far from their home.

Firemen Answer Alarm

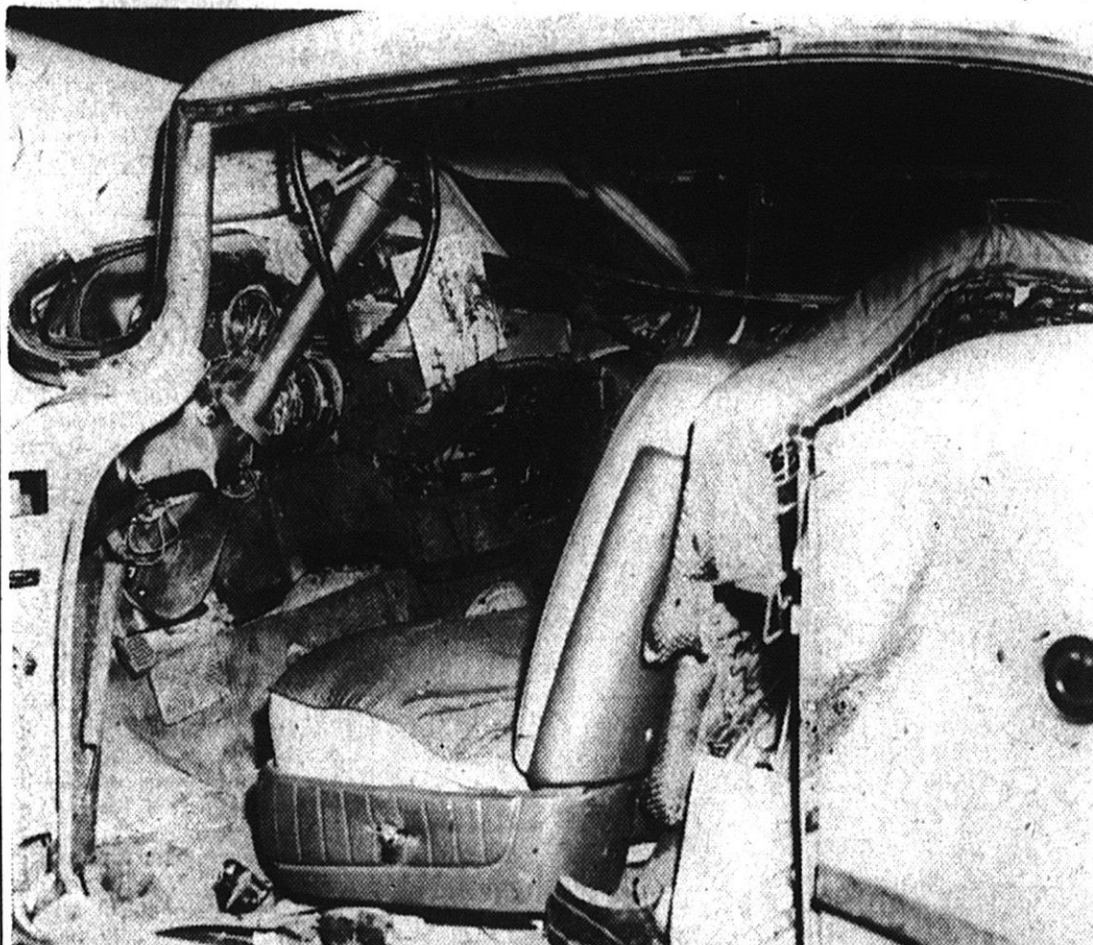
Firemen were called out shortly after 1:30 p.m. Friday to the Henry Maucha home, 35 East 19th St., where a daynport was on fire. The daynport was badly damaged and some damage resulted from smoke to other parts of the house. Cause of the blaze was not immediately determined.



DEMOLISHED DEATH CAR — This twisted mess of steel is barely recognizable as a three-week old 1936 model car. Abram Phillips, 48, Muskegon, was driving this car when he met his death along with five others in the oncoming car he hit. Throop Funeral Home attendants in Coopersville, who arrived minutes after the crash, said Phillips was hanging out of the

driver's side of his car with his feet still inside on the accelerator and brake. The vehicles were so badly damaged that it is doubtful that anything is salvagable. The clock in the car had stopped at 6:28 p.m. Sheriff's officers said the clock probably ran a couple minutes after the impact.

(Sentinel photo)



FIVE DIED IN THIS CAR — Donald Maitner, 33, Grand Rapids, was behind the wheel of this vehicle. His wife, Alberta, 33, sat beside him holding their two-year-old daughter, Donald on her lap. Also in the front seat was a close friend, Theodore Vogt, 37, Grand Rapids. Two other Maitner children, Sharron Lynn, 10, and Gary Lee, 7, were riding in the back seat. A

few seconds after 6:28 p.m. only Gary Lee was alive. The others had been killed in a violent head-on crash along with Abram Phillips, 48, Muskegon, driver of the other car who was on the wrong side of US-16 a mile west of Coopersville. Ottawa County Sheriff Gerald Vanderbeek said Phillips had just passed two trucks before the crash.

(Sentinel photo)



Hope College Symphonette and Conductor Morrette Rider

30 Jurors Selected For New Court Term

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A jury list of 30 names has been drawn for the April term of Circuit Court which opens the afternoon of April 3.

From Holland city are Helen C. Sanger, Josie Van Zanten, John Vander Broek, Cornell P. Baker, Martin Plockmeyer and Caroline Carley. Others in the area are Gordon Van Tamen, Zeeland city; John Wolfring, Holland township; Oscar Peterson, Park township; Cornelius Kamps, Zeeland township; John Poskey, Blendon; Mrs. Janet Bloemers, Olive; Mrs. Carl Garbrecht, Port Sheldon.

From Grand Haven city are Frank Botje, Ivaux Miller, Mrs. Daisy Vanden Bosch, Mrs. John G. Dirkse, Mrs. Ernest Scott and Clyde Zietlow. Others are Garry Klouw, Spring Lake township; William N. Hancock, Grand Haven township; Stephen Potgeter, Allendale; Henry Schwartz, Chester; Charles Wesley, Crookery; Lawrence Peuler, Georgetown; Rufus Van Noord, Jamestown; Howard Irish, Polkton; William Butcher, Robinson; Harry Sutter, Tallmadge; Mabel Lutting, Wright.

Drivers Given Tickets

Two motorists were issued tickets Thursday afternoon following an accident at 16th St. and Harrison Rd. Jay Greenlee, 32, of 724 Lu-gers Rd. received a ticket for failure to yield the right of way and Roy Chase, 50, Greenville, was given a summons for failure to have his car under control.

College Symphonette Plans Tour of Midwest

The Hope College Symphonette of 24 pieces has scheduled a Midwestern concert tour covering Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota and South Dakota.

Dr. Morrette Rider, director of the Symphonette, announced that the group will leave Holland April 2. The first concert will be presented in the St. Anne Reformed Church in Illinois. The itinerary includes St. Anne, Chicago and Lansing in Illinois; Milwaukee, Waupun and Cedar Grove in Wisconsin; Orange City, Hull and Ackley in Iowa; Hollandale, Maple Lake and Roseland in Minnesota; Springfield, S. D., and Kalamazoo. The group will return to Holland April 14.

Featured soloist with the concert group will be Anthony Koolker, pianist, of the Hope College music department.

Last year the organization made a successful tour covering New York, New Jersey, Michigan and Ontario, Canada. The work of the Symphonette has been given wide publicity and recognition by Michigan and Eastern newspapers as well as in music journals — the Instrumentalist, American String Teacher, American Symphony Orchestra League Bulletin and publications of the American Association of University Women.

Three programs are being made

available to audiences on this year's tour, a full-length evening program, a lighter program for junior and senior high school students and a specially prepared children's program for grades three through six. All programs include a wide variety of music from all periods and feature student soloists.

Holland members of the Symphonette are Keith L. Brower, Sandra Dressel, Howard Harrington, Jantina Holleman of the music faculty, Jean Kromann, William Meengs, Leonard Rowell, Reda Rynbrandt and Marcia Welch.

Mrs. Havinga Hostess To DAV Auxiliary Group

Members of the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Edith Havinga. The president, Mrs. Cornelia Olin, conducted the meeting.

Candy was distributed for a fund raising project. It was announced that men and women of the district will meet April 3 at American Legion club house. The Auxiliary's next regular meeting is scheduled April 12.

Refreshments were served by the hostess

Several Cases Are Processed In Local Court

Raymond Collazo, 19, of a local hotel address, was bound over to Circuit Court on examination Tuesday in Municipal Court on a charge of felonious assault. The alleged offense occurred March 3 and involved a knife fight with two others who were treated in Holland Hospital. Collazo with appearance in Circuit Court March 12. Bond of \$1,000 was not furnished.

At another examination Tuesday, Ramona Ruth Piron, 19, of 88 East Eighth St., was bound over to Circuit Court on a nighttime breaking and entering charge. She also will appear March 12 and furnished \$1,000 bond for her appearance. She was one of four, two of them juveniles, apprehended in connection with a break-in Feb. 29 at Prins Gun Shop, 160 East Eighth St., in which two new guns were taken.

James Norman Crittenden, 17, of 78 1/2 East Eighth St., waived examination Tuesday afternoon, after having previously demanded it, on a statutory rape charge and will appear March 12 in Circuit Court. Bond of \$500 was provided.

Homer Blackman, 26, route 4, pleaded not guilty Wednesday to a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor and trial was set March 13 at 1 p.m. Bond of \$100 was not furnished. The alleged offense occurred Feb. 15.

Marvin Knoll, 24, route 1, was sentenced to serve 90 days on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor. He was sentenced March 3 after his case had been postponed because he was held in Grand Rapids.

Hubert Clyde Sutton, 28, of 11 1/2 North River, was placed on probation for a year after pleading guilty Monday to a disorderly conduct charge involving non-support of his wife and children. Conditions of the probation are that he refrain from drinking, keep employment and report every Saturday.

Paying fines were Clarence Boss, of 1270 South Shore Rd., red flasher, \$5; James O. Lamb, 29, Holland, speeding, \$15; Mabel C. Miller, 64, Allegan, red light, \$5; Daniel W. Raess, 31, of 996 Bluebell, speeding, \$15; Leroy Clinton Cook, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$10; Leroy Lester Fink, of 227 West 21st St., stop street, \$7; A. Patsy Fabiano, of 61 East Eighth St., right of way, \$12; Howard Armstrong, of 663 Rogers Rd., speeding, \$12; Fred George Simmons, of 18 East 12th St., stop sign, \$7; William R. Springfield, local hotel address, drunk and disorderly, \$24.70; William Gorham Smith, Kalamazoo, red light, \$7; Robert Fales, route 5, speeding, \$20; Richard Franklin, 31, of 75 East Ninth St., drunk and disorderly, 10 days in lieu of fine; R.J. Max Congdon, of 238 North Centennial St., Zeeland, speeding, \$16.30.

Paying \$1 parking costs were Bernard Donnelly, of 88 West 24th St.; Dick Rem, of 369 1/2 West 19th St.; Norman Etmueller, of 114 West 30th St.; Ralph Anderson, Grand Rapids; Dwayne Teusink, of 112 East 14th St.; Harvey Jalving, of 235 East 11th St.; H. Palmbois, of 96 West 21st St.; Charles Thomaie, of 50 West 14th St.; Ray Mokma, route 2, Zeeland; Cecil Van Slooten, of 75 East Ninth St.

D. G. Willis, of 1157 Harvard; Henry Lugers, of 490 West 19th St.; David Hyma, of 244 College; Don Morris, of 243 West 22nd St.; Henrietta Van Dyke, of 549 Butternut; John Van Dam, route 3; Ken Zuverink, of 122 East 21st St.; Don Ver Hey, of 1658 Ottawa Beach Dr.; Paul Van Wyk, 18, of 679 Lincoln; Mrs. Leonard Kuite, of 632 Michigan; H. Van Tatenhove, of 28th St.; Ginny Hansen, of 654 State St.; Alvin Van Tubbergen,

Grand Rapids; Henry Alkema, of 187 West 16th St. Fello Rios of 185 East Sixth St., paid \$2 parking costs for two tickets.

Hunt for Missing Plane Called Off

The hunt for a plane reported missing Thursday near Holland State Park was called off at noon Friday after a two-hour air search. The search plane took off shortly after 9 a.m. Friday and made a systematic criss-cross pattern from Saugatuck to Grand Haven.

Flying at an altitude of 600 feet the plane swept the entire shoreline and nearly a half-mile inland and three miles out into Lake Michigan.

On the final swing the plane dropped down to 200 feet and flew a few feet off the shore checking to see if any wreckage had washed ashore on the shoreline icebergs. The twin-engine Aero-Commodore is owned by H. J. Win-



HAVE GREAT SEASON — Here is the Holland Christian reserve basketball team, winners of 17 out of 18 games this season. Left to right, seated are: Ron Windemuller, Dan Bos, Jerry Altma, Bob Klingenberg, Bernard Evink and Harry Van

Munster. Second row: Coach Clare Pott, Larry Van Til, Jim Meurer, Warren Otte, Ken Dorn, Paul Rillema and Arlyn Lanting. Third row: Paul Prins, Jim Hulst, Paul Johnson, Gerald De Weerd, Cal Klaasen and Jim Kool.

Christian Reserve Cagers Sparkle In Winning 17 Out of 18 Games

Holland Christian's reserve basketball team lays claim to the "winningest" and highest scoring team in Ottawa County this season.

And there's a good reason why. The Little Maroons won 17 out of 18 games and were hotshots in every game, pumping through an even 1,000 points.

While the Christian reserves were racking up the points at an average of 55.5 per game, they weren't forgetting defense and the foes were held to 606 points or an average of 33.7 per contest.

The highest total made in a single game was 68 points and the Little Maroons hit this figure twice, once against Zeeland, the Ken-New-Wa League reserve champs, and in the finale at Muskegon Catholic.

Although the Little Maroons weren't conscious of it, they needed 68 points in the last game to reach the 1,000 point plateau.

Coached by Clare Pott, the

Christian seconds scored more than 60 points six different times and were held to under 50 points only twice.

One of these games, was a 36-35 win over Niles when only six minutes quarters were played.

The lone defeat was a 53-51 setback at St. Joseph.

Jim Kool led the Maroons with 212 points and also took the high spot in number of field goals and free shots with 76 and 60.

Christian just missed hitting 50 percent of its foul tosses. The Maroons ended with 49.5 percent on 226 points out of 456 chances.

The reserves committed 260 personal fouls for a 14.4 game average. Pott attributed the success of this year's team to steady team play and pointed out as evidence the balanced scoring. "There were no outstanding stars," Pott said.

The Christian reserve mentor also pointed to the Little Maroons' strong defense, both by individuals and as a team. "I believe our defense won as many games for us

as did our offense," Pott said.

The Christian reserve team of a year ago compiled a 13-5 record. Some of the lads on this year's club played on that team. This year's unit was composed of 13 freshmen and nine sophomores.

The starting five of Cal Klaasen and Jim Meurer, forwards, Jim Kool, center and Dan Bos and Jerry Altma, guards, are all sophomores.

Proof of the pudding:

	FG	FT	TP
Kool	76	60	212
Klaasen	67	48	182
Meurer	72	22	166
Bos	62	37	161
Altma	59	15	133
Otte	16	19	51
Klingenberg	18	8	44
Hulst	8	3	19
Johnson	4	8	16
Lanting	1	5	7
De Weerd	2	0	4
Windemuller	2	0	4
Rillema	0	1	1

Totals 387 226 1,000

dolph. Aboard the plane were Windolph, the pilot, Ted Krauss, Coast Guard Boatwain Mate 1-c Walter Sears and a Sentinel reporter.

No sign of the plane or any wreckage was seen.

The search started at 10:30 a.m. Thursday when a workman at Holland State Park said he heard a plane crash nearby.

The hunt, on foot and in jeeps, went on until 6:30 p.m. when darkness and a swirling snowstorm halted operations.

Herman Vander Zwaag and George Purcell, both of Grand Haven, drove to Holland and used their jeeps in the search.

Ottawa County deputies combed the hills near Ottawa Beach as well as the Macatawa Hills but were unable to locate any plane.

Airport officials at Grand Rapids and Muskegon reported no planes were missing or overdue.

In making jello, speed up the hardening process by using only enough boiling water to dissolve the jello. For the rest use ice water.

Holland Residents Injured in Accident

Mrs. Corneal Israels, Jr., of 336 Arthur Ave., Holland was in 'fair' condition Friday at St. Mary's Hospital, where she and three other Holland residents were taken following an accident Wednesday.

A car driven by Charles Mide, 35, Holland, went out of control on icy highway M-21 just west of Jenison. The car skidded and rolled over twice.

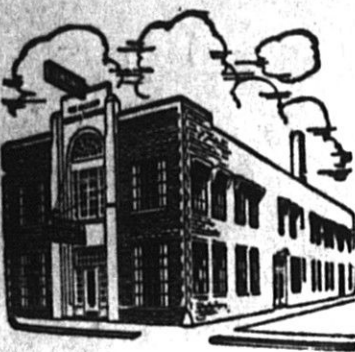
All occupants of the car, Holland residents who work in Grand Rapids and 'share' rides, were taken to St. Mary's Hospital.

Mide, Austin Walker, 36, and William Rowan, 47, were released after treatment of bruises and cuts. Mrs. Israels received head injuries.

Hudsonville's Chief of Police D. R. Stratton investigated the accident.

Some mammoths killed by the settlers in primitive America stood 13 feet high at the shoulder and had 16-foot tusks.

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HISTORY REPEATING ITSELF

In a story from Bonn, Germany, Holland's Guy Vander Jagt throws a revealing light on what is going on in Germany. Vander Jagt is contributing articles to the Sentinel from time to time. In the dispatch in question he reflected some of his experiences in his contacts with contemporary Germans.

The gist of his report was that there has been a great deal of "battering up" of Allied forces by former Nazis for the sake of getting jobs, and hence for getting enough to eat, a place to sleep, and something to wear. He quotes a German sailor as describing his hardships during the war. Then he added: "But they were nothing compared to the sickening spectacle confronting me when I returned to Bonn after the war. Former Nazis, who overnight had developed a terrible hatred for Hitler, were butting up the English and receiving coveted jobs."

Many others, the speaker among them, who couldn't all in a moment change their time because they had honestly believed in their cause, had a hard time. That situation is being corrected now and something like substantial justice is coming into play.

Today's Americans may not know that a situation exactly analogous developed in the United States in 1865. In this respect history is so exactly repeating itself that the repetition is startling.

When the guns fell silent in the Civil War, the grueling job of reconstruction began. The Federal Congress had passed what was known as the "ironclad oath." Under its terms any citizen in the South who wanted a job, from that of being congressman to that of serving as constable, had to subscribe to that oath.

The heart of the oath was that the person who subscribed to it swore that he had never aided the Confederacy. A high-minded father, even though he was a Unionist in sympathy, had worked for a southern manufacturer to save his wife and children from starvation. He could not sign the oath that he had never done anything that had helped the Confederacy. He and his family were left starving, and for ten years during Reconstruction there were thousands like that.

Meanwhile many others who had little conscience and no scruples freely signed the "ironclad oath" even though they had worked hard during the war for the triumph of the Confederacy. Such people were in clover. As a result the horrors of the Civil War was extended for ten or twenty years into the post-war period.

The same thing appears to have been happening in Germany the past ten years. Wars never seem to end with the silencing of the guns.

We with our President Eisenhower hope and pray for continued peace in the world today.

Mike Koop Has Party On His Ninth Birthday

Mike Koop celebrated his ninth birthday anniversary Tuesday with a party at his home, 121 East 32nd St. The party was given in the afternoon by his mother, Mrs. Dell Koop, who was assisted by Mrs. Katherine Koop and Mrs. John Kemper.

Games were played with prizes going to Terry Gibson, Randy Johnson and Jeff Lubbers. A decorated birthday cake centered the refreshment table.

Guests included Ronny Beukema, Terry Gibson, Bruce Gooden, Jim Harthorn, Randy Johnson, Jeff Lubbers, Mark Raith, Dick Schaftenaar and Jay Wauke. Unable to attend was Paul Winter.

Judgment Awarded

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Circuit Court Monday awarded a judgment of \$1,256.24 plus \$53 costs to Vanson Cold Heating, Inc., against James Lacey of Holland covering goods which plaintiff shipped to the Trawl Tool and Manufacturing Co. of Chicago during the summer of 1952. Lacey was described as a free lance manufacturer's agent who placed orders for goods amounting to \$1,068.56.

Sunday School Lesson

Sunday, March 12
Jesus Institutes The Lord's Supper
Luke 22:7-23
By C. P. Dame
(Based on copyrighted outlines produced by the Division of Christian Education, National Council of the Churches of Christ in the U.S.A. and used by permission.)

Protestants believe that the Lord instituted but two sacraments—Holy Baptism and the Lord's Supper. The Roman Catholic Church has seven sacraments. In this lesson we shall study the Lord's Supper and its meaning for us today. Jesus instituted the Lord's Supper. The Lord sent Peter and John to a home of an unnamed friend of Jesus to prepare the Passover. Jesus gave them directions and instruction. He said to them that when they would enter Jerusalem they would meet a man carrying a pitcher of water on his head and they should follow him into the house in which he would enter. Carrying a pitcher of water was a woman's work and any man doing that would be conspicuous.

These two men found everything just as Jesus had told them and they obeyed His order and made ready the Passover. The "goodman of the house" mentioned in the text undoubtedly was a friend of Jesus—his name is not known. There are other characters mentioned in the New Testament whose names are not recorded.

When the whole group was reclining at the table, Jesus told them that he had desired greatly to eat this Passover with them. This was the final Passover recognized by God. The Passover feast commemorated the deliverance of the Israelites from Egypt. It also pointed to the Messiah, the Lamb of God, Jesus Christ, the Saviour.

II. After Jesus and His disciples had eaten the Passover, the Lord instituted the Holy Supper. All four gospels tell about this sacrament and how it was instituted. Luke, being a Gentile, does not tell us much of what Jesus said when He instituted this sacrament. Jesus said, "This is my body which is given for you." We believe that these words mean that the bread represents the body of Jesus which was broken for us. The Lord also said that the cup "is the New Testament in my blood which is shed for you. The words of Jesus make it plain that the Holy Supper teaches that He laid down His life for his people. Jesus wants His people to remember His death by which we have obtained our salvation. Every time we celebrate the Lord's Supper we confess our faith in the atoning death of Christ. Through the Lord's Supper the Church witnesses to its faith in the death of the Christ as the only ground of our salvation.

II. The Supper is not only a confession but it is also a covenant between Christ and His people. The word "sacrament" originally was the oath of allegiance which every Roman soldier took. When we partake of the Lord's Supper we pledge our love and loyalty and our lives to Jesus. Every communion service should be followed by more consecrated Christian living on the part of God's people.

The Lord's Table is also a place of communion and fellowship. We commune with our Lord and we feed on Him as the true Bread of life and we also fellowship with each other. The Lord's Supper must never be observed by one person alone. We do well to remember the words of Paul: "Because there is one loaf, we who are many are one body, for all partake of the same loaf" (1 Cor. 10:17). It is tragic that so many church members fail to celebrate the Lord's Supper when the opportunity is offered them. This does not suggest spirituality.

1. The sacraments were instituted for our spiritual growth.
2. It is a good custom to search our hearts before we partake of the Lord's Supper.
3. Jesus wants us to remember the He died for us.
4. Every time the church celebrates the Lord's Supper it preaches the gospel.
5. Jesus feeds the souls of His people.

Wesleyan Couples Club Stages Box Supper

A box supper was staged by members of the Couples Club of Wesleyan Methodist Church Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Jensen. An Easter theme was carried out in the decorations.

The boxes were sold by auction, with B. Jensen as auctioneer. The money will be put into the club's project fund.

Deviations were led by Vaughn Jensen. Games were played and prizes awarded to Mrs. G. Getman, Mrs. P. Overway and Mrs. E. Harrington. A brief business meeting was held.

Members of the committee in charge of the party were Mrs. Vaughn Jensen, Mrs. William Valkema, Jr., and Mrs. C. Johnson.

Miss LeElna Baldus Succumbs at Nunica

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Miss LeElna Baldus, 36, of Nunica, died at the home of her parents Tuesday evening following a long illness. Born April 2, 1919, in Nunica, she was a member of St. Luke's Lutheran Church.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baldus, who operate a grocery store at Nunica; a sister, Mrs. Thelma Cramer of Houston, Tex., and a brother, Judson Baldus, of Nunica.

Lansing Woman Speaks On 'Personal Inventory'

"It is a very wise woman who takes time to stop and take a 'Personal Inventory,'" the Rev. Helen Riggs Brown of Lansing told a Woman's Literary Club audience Tuesday afternoon.

In comparing a business failure with a personality failure, Mrs. Brown gave four points of comparison as she told the group to "just stand aside and watch yourself go by."

A business man would not last long with insufficient capital or resources much as a person without reserve in the bank of life would be a success. The intangibles of life—faith, hope, charity, courage, love and loyalty—determine this, not money, degrees, position or family heritage, she said.

Deterioration of the product was the second point of comparison. Often a product doesn't stand up to the original promises made for it. It loses its market appeal. Like so many Hollywood sets, the "fronts" are all there to be seen, she said. Look behind these props—up sets and there is nothing behind it.

Neglect of sales is the third important reason for business failure, Mrs. Brown said. In life it is the neglect of selling our talents, abilities, energies and values to others.

Mrs. Brown delighted her audience of women by pointing out four types of women in all clubs, organizations and church groups. The tired—too tired to take on any extra jobs or responsibilities; the retired—those who feel they have served their time and can now relax; the tiresome—those who grudgingly accept assignment and finally, the tireless—the small group always willing to do the unglamorous tasks without fuss or fanfare.

Low wages—and here Mrs. Brown illustrated that she meant not dollars and cents, but appreciation—was the fourth point. Many people feel that they are underpaid or "taken advantage of." Many persons think they work the hardest and yet receive the lowest pay.

As a young girl, Mrs. Brown helped a friend with the dishes and the girl's mother remarked, "What a thoughtful girl you are, Helen." Later when her own mother reproached her for a shortcoming, Mrs. Brown said "It is strange that everybody else appreciates me but at home I can't seem to do anything right."

Mrs. Alvin Bos, club president, announced that the club would assist in the production of the Dutch Costume Show this year at Tulip. Mrs. Alvin Bos, club president, announced that the club would assist in the production of the Dutch Costume Show this year at Tulip. Mrs. Duncan Weaver, chairman of this project, is looking for more authentic Dutch costumes.

Archery Scores

Jack Ten Cate fired 200 out of a possible 216 Tuesday night in Junior Archery shooting in Holland High gym. Dick Van Raalte was runner up with 198.

Other scores included: Bob Wenzel, 194; John Brown, 190; Ron Bowerman, 190; Terry Woldring, 188; David De Visser, 186; Carl Dams, 184; Cary Wakeke, 182; John Fisher, 176; Bob Vanden Brink, 176; Chester Kamphuis, 174; Arlen Dangremond, 173; Bob Sprick, 170; Joann Tempas, 164; Ross Reeves, 164; Bob Piers, 162; Dave Helder, 162; Russ Harmsen, 160; Roger Beukema, 160; Dave Risselada, 158; Doug Hartgerink, 158; Lorin Van Geldren, 157; Ted Wierda, 154; Jim Essenburg, 154; Jarvis Ter Haar, 152; Ken Hoek, 151; Allen De Jonge, 144; Paul Neinhuis, 144; Walter Van Osterhout, 142; Jim Nelson, 139; Ron Lamer, 132; Billy Tempas, 137 and Jim Stegelder, 134.

Ronald Overway, 133; Doug Carnevale, 133; George Klein, 133; Len Krakt, 133; Paul Lee Nienhuis, 131; James De Neff, 128; Dennis Allen, 124; Paul Van Wyke, 122; Eddie Reeves, 112; David Bultema, 111; Ben Jansen, 102; John Dziedzic, 102; and Ed Bos, 100.

Terry Dornbos, 93; George Vischer, 90; Steve Carlson, 89; Bob Allen, 88; Mark Ver Hult, 85; Roger Woltman, 85; Irvin De Weerd, 83; Tim Toyne, 87; Judy Ter Vree, 68; Jane Dalman, 66; Larry Green, 65; Sandy Ter Haar, 65; Dave Timmer, 63; Danny Toyne, 63; Gail Van Raalte, 62; Ronald Bos, 61; Douglas Ter Vree, 54; Jack Elenbaas, 50; Mary Lou Kay, 43; Jim De Pree, 36; Bruce Joldersma, 35 and Bill Elenbaas, 20.

Beverly De Vries Feted On Her 10th Birthday

Mrs. Bernard De Vries was hostess at a party Monday afternoon at her home on route 4 in honor of her daughter, Beverly, who celebrated her 10th birthday anniversary.

A decorated "Doll" cake centered the table at which guests were served a two-course lunch. Pictures were taken of the group. Games were played and prizes awarded to Sally Vander Kooi, Janice Vanden Brink and Sheryl Kalmink.

Honoring Beverly were Diane Van Tilt, Marlene Bakker, Karen Habers, Elaine Timmer, Janice Vanden Brink, Mary Masselink, Sheryl Kalmink, Sally Vander Kooi, Marcia De Young, Linda Huizen, Sharon Rutgers, Sharon Kapenga, Virginia Stam, Patty Bryan, Janice Kratt, Ruth Van Huis, Beth Butler and Henrietta Elzinga. Tena Albers was unable to attend.

Mrs. White Gives Talk at PEO Meet

In a thought-provoking discussion on the topic "What Is This World Coming To?" Mrs. James White talked to members of BW Chapter, PEO, Monday night about the changes that will inevitably take place in the coming years.

Mrs. I. J. Lubbers was hostess for the meeting. Taking as illustration a baby boy and girl born Monday in Holland Hospital, Mrs. White asked pertinent questions about the world they will grow up in. Quoting widely from many of the prominent thinkers and writers of the day, she pointed out that peace, along with advances in education and technology, a deeper religious insight and new developments in every phase of living will be in the picture.

While the possibilities of some phases of modern life are almost terrifying, Mrs. White left with her listeners a feeling of optimism and hope for the future.

Mrs. William Schier, new president, presided at the meeting. In a special election, Mrs. Leonard Swartz was named chaplain. Mrs. Robert Vanderam assisted the hostess.

The next meeting will be March 26 in the home of Mrs. Gerald Bolhuis when initiation will take place.

Couple Married In Ohio Church

Miss Carol L. Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McGarry of Toledo Ohio, and Pvt. Leonard D. Van Dyke were married Saturday, March 10, in Epworth Methodist Church in Toledo. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Van Dyke, formerly of Holland and now of Toledo. Pvt. Van Dyke has just returned to the United States after being stationed in Germany for 14 months.

After the wedding, a reception was held at the Wallbridge Park Shelter House in Toledo. About 100 guests attended.

Guests from this area were Mr. and Mrs. John Van Dyke of Holland, grandparents of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Molengraff, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Barlow and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoffmeyer, all of Holland; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gebben, Paula Jean and Craig, Mrs. Ralph Molengraff and Leon and Mrs. and Mrs. Roger Ensing, all of Zeeland; Mr. and Mrs. Don Hartman of Grand Haven and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Thies and Sandra Sue of Detroit. Paula Jean Gebben was a flower girl in the wedding.

After his furlough, the groom will be stationed in California. The bride will accompany him there.

Local Gray Ladies Stage Party at VA Hospital

A group of local Red Cross Gray Ladies staged a dance Monday evening for 54 patients in Ward 82-P at Veterans Administration Hospital at Fort Custer.

The patients in that ward had decorated the recreation room for St. Patrick's Day in anticipation of the party. Music was provided by the dance band of the Moose Lodge in Holland. This is the third time this band has volunteered its services for parties at the hospital.

Cupcakes for the lunch were donated by members of Holland Chapter No. 429, Order of Eastern Star. Sandwiches were donated by the Gray Ladies, relishes, coffee and table decorations by the Ottawa County Red Cross Chapter. Gray Ladies who spent the afternoon at the hospital under regular recreation assignment and stayed on for the evening party were Mesdames Ben Borgman, William Broker, Herbert Colton, E.R. Dangremond, Donald Gebrard and Floyd Ketchum. Those going for the evening to entertain or serve refreshments were Miss Maxine Potts and the Mesdames Mildred Barnease, James Kiekinkveld, Gladys Aldrich, E.P. Smith, Julius Karsten, William Venhuizen, Donald Hoek and Kent Thompson.

Discussion on Mental Health Heard by PTA

A large group of PTA members gathered at Van Raalte School Tuesday evening for a regular meeting which featured a panel discussion on mental health of children. The discussion by panelists, Dr. Vernon Boersma, Supt. Walter W. Scott, Dr. Henry Voogd, college pastor, and Gene Scholten, local high school teacher dealt with the physical, educational and religious sides of the question. George Lumsden was moderator.

Frank Harbin opened with prayer and two solos, "Prayer Perfect" and "In the Garden" were sung by Miss Karen Hansen, accompanied by Miss Doreen Lemmen.

At an election held during the business meeting in charge of George Minnema, Lewis Vande Bunte was named president; Mrs. Seth Kalkman, vice president; Mrs. Arthur Hoedema, secretary, and Mrs. Chester Hill, treasurer. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. George Stephens, Mrs. John Bos, Mrs. Robert Hamm and Mrs. Chester Kuiper.

Three Presidents of the United States fought in the Revolution, five in the War of 1812, three in the Mexican war, six in the Civil War, one in the war with Spain, one in World War I and one in World War II.



The Cheerful Lincoln Blue Birds met with Mrs. Slagh at her home on March 5. The president, Caryle Belle opened the meeting. The girls made ties out of plastic lacing for their skate keys. Lynne Slagh treated the group. They counted the money in their banks. Reported by Joan Pluin, scribe.

The Friendly Blue Birds of Longfellow School met at the homes of Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Klomparsen and Mrs. Thomas. They made German cookies and Tuesday afternoon Barbara Klaasen, Debby Klomparsen and Lynda Howard brought the cookies to school and the German class ate them at school. Reported by Jennie Thomas, scribe.

The Jolly Blue Birds of St. Francis met Friday, March 9. The group finished their name place cards for the anniversary party. Mrs. Donnelly, their leader, and the girls then went to the Camp Fire office to deliver the cards. Reported by scribe, Suzanne Masuga.

The Fourteen Little Blue Birds met at the Cuperus home for their meeting on Monday, March 5. As roll was called each girl was given a bird to report on for the next meeting. Election was held. President, Linda Cuperus; treasurer, Jeanne Dalman, secretary, Linda Veldebeer; scribe, Nancy Gebben. Donna Riemersma and Linda Cuperus gave a puppet show on "How to Behave at a Blue Bird meeting." Treat was given by Nancy Gebben. Reported by scribe, Nancy Gebben.

On March 5, the Sunshine Blue Birds of Montello Park met at the school. Their leader gave the girls, some yarn for pool knitting. They are going to make beanie caps. The color of the yarn was turquoise. Reported by scribe, Beverly Kiekinkveld.

The Happy Blue Birds of Longfellow school held their regular business meeting March 5. After playing "Squirrel in the Tree" Patti Jo Sprick presided. Roll was called by Ruth Ann Van Dyke.

Betsy Aardsma led the singing of the "Blue Bird Wish." Everyone was reminded to wear their Blue Bird outfits to church Sunday morning, March 11. Then the members made carrot tags to be used at the Blue Bird Birthday party March 12. After learning about the different parts of a carrot, each girl made a carrot into a hanging basket plant. Some members are going to make carrot dish plants at home. Betsy Aardsma served a treat. Mrs. James Hallan furnished 7-U. The clean-up committee chairmen were Sharlene Prince and Susan McBride. Reported by Mary Pat Boersma, scribe.

The Shining Blue Birds had their meeting at the home of Patty Lemson. All 12 members were present. Mrs. Kiekinkveld and Mrs. Lemson took charge of the meeting. They finished their aprons. The treat was furnished by Christina Hanson. Myra Kiekinkveld, scribe.

The Butterfly Blue Bird group is making things for mother's day. Mary Ellen Beekman treated. The meeting was held at the home of their leader, Mrs. Hill. Reported by scribe, Lois Ten Have.

The Bonnie Blue Birds of St. Francis School met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Unruh. The meeting opened with prayers. Loretta Lepo read the Blue Bird Wish. Roll call was taken by Mary Jo Tervoot. The girls discussed plans to attend church as a group Sunday. Crayon drawing was enjoyed by all. Flowers and faces were the most popular subjects. Kristin Clark and Linda Zeno served hot chocolate and donuts. A guessing game was played by Judy Komarek and Linda Runyon had clean-up duty. Reported by Sharon Unruh.

The Beechwood Pixies opened their meeting with the pledge to the flag. After roll call they elected new officers: President, Judy Bennett; secretary, Joan Slagh, scribe, Sandra Brand; treasurer, Melodie Greenwood. They finished their Blue Bird Wish and traced Mr. and Mrs. Potato heads. After the meeting, their leaders treated with gum. Scribe, Sandra Brand.

The Maplewood Dozen Blue Birds group met on March 5 at the home of Mrs. Mazurek with Mrs. De Feyter. The group filled flower pots with sand and planted the cloth flowers that they had been making to sell at Maplewood Fun Night. On March 11, the group planned to go to church. Dolores Maat treated. Reported by Cynthia Hein, scribe.

The Fairy Blue Birds met in the music room of Washington School. Barbara Dye opened the meeting. Linda Silver gave the Blue Bird Wish and Brenda Bontekoe read the minutes. The group made gum dolls for children in the hospital. The treat was furnished by Mary Van Tatenhove. The past Monday they met and spent the afternoon playing "True and False" and "A Hunting We Will Go." Francis Valders presided the treat. Scribe, Trudy Loucks.

The Smiling Blue Birds met Feb. 28 at the home of their leader, Mrs. Westerhof. Every two months the Blue Birds have a birthday party for the girls who celebrated birthdays. Janice Klaver, Connie Slighter, Caroline Connor were the girls who had birthdays. The girls presented each with a gift. Games were played, also square dancing was enjoyed. They sang songs and gay cheers. Pictures were also taken. Mrs. Westerhof and Mrs. Barker, the leaders, served birthday cake and ice cream. Janice Klaver also treated the group. Reported by scribe, Janice Klaver.

The Beechwood Pixies have been making their Blue Bird Wish out of macaroni letters. Paula Meurer

New Expressway Proposed North Of Grand Haven

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — In keeping with a State Highway Department proposal for a new expressway from Grand Haven to Muskegon, the Ottawa County Road Commission has recommended to the good roads committee of the Board of Supervisors that Ottawa County participate in the venture to the extent of \$116,000.

County Engineer Henrik Stafseth explained that under Public Acts of 1941 No. 205, various municipalities involved may participate in such improvements. In this case, the highway department is working with Grand Haven city, the Ottawa County Road Commission and the Muskegon County Road Commission. A bond issue of \$13,000,000 has been proposed to finance the limited access highway.

It was pointed out that Ottawa county would not have to issue bonds for its share in the expressway and the county commission has suggested that payments be made in three allotments of \$43,767 a year for three years starting May 15, 1957.

Stafseth said plans call for an additional participation of \$15,300 for Ottawa county in recapping and widening the present US-31 which then would become a county road after the improvement.

The subject will come up before the April session of the Ottawa Board of Supervisors. Board approval is required before sums can be allocated for an improvement such as an expressway.

Stafseth explained that the new expressway would go under the railroad viaduct north of Ferryburg and would pass over Taft St. but would cut off Hickory and Wilson Roads. The general route would lie east of present US-31. There would be access at Ferryburg and at Van Wagoner Rd. north of Smith bayou.

Participation by counties and municipalities in such projects as expressways has been well established in Michigan. Detroit, Oakland county and Genesee county have participated in such projects.

It was pointed out that US-31 between Grand Haven and Muskegon, although a U.S. highway, is not a part of the interstate route.

Ottawa County 4-H News

By Willis S. Boss, 4-H Club Agent
On March 5, members of the Holland Kiwanis Club were entertained with a 4-H program, Steve Bosworth from Jenison, second place winner in Public Speaking, explained "4-H Promotes Better Citizenship." Karen Naber of the Van Raalte Club, Holland, spoke on "What 4-H Means to Me." Mrs. Marie Bosman, council president and leader for several years, spoke from the leaders point of view. Gordon TenBrink, Vawerly Club, Holland, did a novelty talent number. The 4-H members were guests for the meal and performed during the regular time set aside for their program. They all did a good job in promoting 4-H during National 4-H Club Week.

Neil Zuidema, 4-H council delegate from Holland, attended the district conference held at Bostwick Lake on March 7. Discussion centered around district and state events. Delegates from Oceana, Newaygo, Montcalm, Muskegon and Ottawa counties take part in the district council.

Bad weather caused postponement of two meetings this past week.

The 4-H Council had planned to meet on March 7 at Allendale Public School. This will be held later when arrangements for time and place have been made.

The turkey or poultry project members were to meet on March 8. This meeting also will be held at a later date. Arrangements will be made and an announcement sent to the past year's project members.

On March 8, Richard Machiele, County Agriculture Agent, toured the farms of the five members enrolled in the hog project. This tour was to take the place of the exhibit in this year's hog project. All members did a good job of caring for their hogs and all of them are ready for market.

Leaders from Hudsonville, Holland, and Coopersville will go to Bostwick Lake today to attend the 4-H judging school. They received training in the winter 4-H projects and will judge member's projects at the Achievement Days in the different districts. Remember the 4-H motto, "To Make the Best Better."

Avery Baker Shows Film To Kiwanis Club Members

Avery Baker, Ottawa County Safety Director, presented a film titled "The Case of Officer Hallbrand" to the Holland Kiwanis Club at its weekly meeting in the Hotel Warm Friend Tavern Monday night.

Also present was Edwin Raphael who discussed the needs of Prestatue Hills. Howard Van Edmond gave a short talk on mental health. Andy Dalman and Vern Kupellian were elected as delegates to the Kiwanis convention in San Francisco beginning June 17. President Andy Dalman presided at the meeting.

Urban use of water is estimated at about 200 gallons a day per person in the United States.

200 Children Celebrate Birthday of Camp Fire

More than 200 elementary school Camp Fire Girls gathered at the Armory Tuesday at 5 p.m. to celebrate the 46th birthday of Camp Fire Girls.

Each girl brought her supper in a decorated box following the birthday or St. Patrick's Day theme. The boxes were judged while the girls gathered for a song session.

Three of the groups made large displays which included all the group members' lunches. They were Tawanka group of Federal school, Mrs. Laverne Regnerus, leader; Wa-la-tu of Longfellow School, Mrs. Andrew Dalman, leader, and Wa-cl-p-wah-ca of Longfellow, Mrs. J.H. Van Dyke and Mrs. Kenneth Baker, leaders. Each group was awarded a one-dollar prize for its treasury. All three displays will be shown in the downtown Camp Fire windows.

Individual prizes were won by the following: In the birthday project theme, first Kristi Venhuizen, second Pamela Willis, third, Linda Vukin; 45th birthday theme, first Diane Riemersma, second Darlene Kobes and third Carol Lound; St. Patrick's Day, first Charly Wouters, second Sandra Munson and third Gayle Kowalke.

After prizes were awarded, the girls gathered in their groups to sing the Camp Fire blessing and eat supper. Coffee and milk were served by Mrs. Donald Vink of the elementary Camp Fire committee.

Featured on the program were skits by each group. Taking part in the program fulfilled a rank requirement for those working on Woodgatherers rank.

Zeeland Group Names Officers

Executive Board members of the Women's Missionary Union of Reformed Churches of Zeeland, pastor's wives and delegates from 35 societies, gathered at Harlem Reformed Church last Friday evening for their annual business meeting.

Elected to serve for the new year were Mrs. H. Kuit, president; Mrs. F. Dykstra and Mrs. H. Koop, vice presidents; Mrs. C. Meuwesen and Mrs. B. Poest, secretaries, and Mrs. F. Collings and Mrs. M. Nienhuis, treasurers.

Announcement was made of the spring conference of the Union which will be held April 18-19 at Overisel church, with the Benheim societies assisting. The morning session will begin at 10 with a program planned to help the societies in understanding the missionary outreach of the denomination as well as local organizational interests and problems.

The afternoon session will begin at 1:30. Speaker will be Mrs. Harvey Staal. Plans also were discussed for the fall conference which will be held in Hamilton Reformed Church. Offerings received at both conferences will be divided equally between foreign and domestic missions.

Mrs. Francis Dykstra conducted devotions at the meeting Friday and the Harlem members served coffee and cake.

Bentheim

The following sermon topics were used by Rev. Denekas on Sunday: "His Blood Be on Us" and "Shut the Door."

Wallace Folkert of Overisel sang two solos at the evening services. James Jurries, Irvin Scholten, Robert Schra and Kay Tubergen were welcomed into membership of the church Sunday morning after public confession of faith.

Willis Essink, Henry Groenheide and Rev. Denekas attended the Spring Session of the Zeeland Classis in Jamestown Tuesday.

Worship services for crops and industry were held at the church Wednesday evening.

The Bread of Life program will originate from the local church next Sunday.

The all-sacred program given by members of the different Churches in the Zeeland Classis at the Jame

School Committee Reports Progress In Area Study

Considerable progress in the Holland area school study was reported at a meeting of the committee Thursday night in Federal school. The meeting over which Chairman James Lugers presided featured reports from each of the seven subcommittees.

Holland Supt. Walter W. Scott said attendance was excellent in view of bad weather conditions, and commented on the enthusiasm and interest shown by committee members in the reorganization study. The survey is carried on to determine facts on educational programs in Holland area. Committees are collecting information, summarizing and interpreting it. This will be compiled into a final report before any decisions are made. Scott said the interest shown represents a great deal of unselfish effort, all aimed at the welfare of the children and their future education.

John Kaper, chairman of the school program committee, reported that two surveys are being conducted, one among suburban schools, and the other among high school students to evaluate the program. Half of the questionnaires have been returned in the first group and some 300 in the second.

Other members of his committee present were Mrs. Henry Steffens, Austin Buchanan, J. J. Riemersma, and George Haverdink. Absent were Theron Stone and James Kapenga.

Don Williams reported on the census and projected school enrollment committee, explaining questionnaires and statistical data collected. He said 12 different kinds of enrollment data are being processed and will be completed in another three weeks. Other members of his committee present were Jerry Lohman, Al Riemersma, Andy Sall, Leonard Fought, Isen Koeman and Ed Donivan. Absent were Mrs. Mary Emma Young and Adrian Veele.

Jack Plewes, reporting on community study, said questionnaires have been sent to all school districts to chart the extent of the influence of Holland trade plus the recreational, educational and social influences. Over 75 per cent of the questionnaires have been returned. Others present were Stuart Boyd, Henry Freriks and James Lugers. Absent were Mrs. Stanley Boven and Jay Dykhuis.

Carroll Norlin reported for the finance committee, submitting a thorough and comprehensive study on the financial ability of each school district. Others present were Albert Bakker, James Hayward, William Koop, Ray Mulder and Don Thomas. Absent were John Van Dyke and Wendell Miles.

Arthur Read reported on a survey of school buildings and said maps are being prepared showing locations and other data. Each school will be visited and complete report compiled. Others present were Harold De Pree, A. J. Cook and Hans Suzenaar. Absent was Gerald Veldheer.

Herbert Vander Ploeg, reporting for the transportation committee, said questionnaires have been sent to 32 schools and detailed maps and statistical material are being compiled. Others present were Harvey De Vree, Henry De Ridder, Gordon Haverdink, Edward Prins and James Hallan. Absent was Nick Prins.

Supt. Scott reported for the public information and communications committee, stating that coordinator Byron Hansford has met with the planning commission, council, board of realtors, township supervisors and principals and teachers in surrounding schools. A progress report is expected in six weeks. Present was Henry Vander Ploeg and absent were George Lugers and W. A. Butler.

Jacob Dykstra Succumbs At Home of His Sister

Jacob Dykstra, 66, of 350 East Sixth St., died Thursday noon at the home of his sister, Mrs. Helen Battjes, in Grand Rapids. He had been ill with a heart ailment for the past year.

Mr. Dykstra was born in the Netherlands in 1890 and came to this country when he was two years old. He lived in Holland all his life and was employed by the C&O Railroad for many years.

Survivors include one daughter, Miss Kathryn Dykstra of Holland; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Henrietta Dykstra of Hudsonville; Mrs. Battjes and several nieces and nephews.

Several Qualify In Forensic Fete

Qualifiers for the district forensic contests were named at Holland Christian High School Friday afternoon. Contests were held in the various divisions throughout the week, with first and second place winners representing the school in the district meet to be held later this month.

In the declamation event, Paul Weener and Dan Bos were the winners. Other contestants were Barbara Steenwyk, Jane De Kam, Louis Wagenveld, Tom Joldersma, Marjorie Schuurman and Ula Oosterbaan.

Winners in the humorous reading division were Thelma Slenk and Gladys Shoemaker. The other contestant was Lois De Waard. Larry Dykstra and Paul Nykamp were the winners in the interpretative reading event. Others trying out were Marekella Scheerhorn, Lois Kamphouse, Dale Bierma, Gladys Staal, Betty Van Eyck, Marjorie Bergman, Arlene Bouwman, Linda Kalkman, Alice Timmer, Gloria Mulder, Salome Windemuller and James Michmerhuizen.

In the extempore division, Richard Hertel and Warren Boer were the winners. The other contestant was Carl Van Appledorn. Calvin Dykman and Rose Van Til won the original oration event. The other contestant was Cecil Ten Cate.

The district contests will be held at Hudsonville Unity Christian High school later this month. Other schools competing in this district are Unity, Hudsonville High, Zeeland, Grand Haven and Grandville.

Hero Bratt is the Holland Christian forensic coach.

Volunteers Aid In Replacing Home

Ten to 15 volunteers were busy Saturday rebuilding a home for the Odell Shoulters family which burned out in a fire Feb. 13 which destroyed their two-story frame home on 165th St. just off Lakewood Park Rd., in Allegan County. The site is located a half-mile west of old US-31 and about a half-mile south of Lakewood Rd.

Plans for the working bee started at a contractors' meeting in Grand Rapids Wednesday night. One man offered to dig a basement, another offered to line up some bricks and other offers took care of carpentry and the like. More than 20 persons offered services at some point in the construction. The new home will be of cement block construction, it was reported.

Since the fire, Mrs. Shoulters gave birth to twin daughters in Holland Hospital. Neighbors, friends and organizations have been instrumental in outfitting the family with clothing and other necessities.

Elbert C. Wells Succumbs at Home

Elbert C. Wells, 92, died early Friday at his home, 188 East Eighth St. He had been ill several months.

Mr. Wells had been spending his summers in Holland since 1934. He has been living here since May, 1955. He was a retired railway mail clerk.

Surviving are the wife, Amy; a son, Harold B. Wells of Miami Shores, Fla.; two daughters, Mrs. E. B. Erickson of Honor, Mich., and Mrs. Fred Andrews of Oak Park, Ill.; five grandchildren, and six great grandchildren.

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Three Referred To Traffic Court

Three persons were referred to traffic school and several others paid fines at a regular session of traffic court Thursday night.

Referred to traffic school were Gilberto Rivera, route 2, cutting in on traffic causing accident; Dale M. Woodwyk, route 1, speeding; and Carol Seidelman, 673 Butter-nut Dr., stop street and no operator's license on person.

Persons whose fines were suspended after completing traffic school were Arlene Mulder, of 716 Sandy Lane, speeding, \$12 suspended; Bert Van Dis, Saugatuck, speeding, \$15 suspended; Jack Kievit, of 164 Walnut, excessive speed, \$12 suspended; Justin Petroleje, route 5, speeding and stop street, \$12 suspended.

Paying fines were Nelson J. Vanden Beldt, route 5, speeding, \$27; Thelma Billings, route 2, Fennville, speeding, \$12; Norma J. Teusink, of 352 1/2 Columbia, speeding, \$10; James TenBrink, of 165 Walnut, speeding, \$25; Judith Kuipers, Holland, speeding, \$10; Thomas Robert Kincaid, route 1, Allegan, speeding, \$20.

LaVerne Smith, of 21 West 19th St., stop street, \$5; Sharon Parrott, of 371 West 25th St., no operator's license, \$10; Frank Rios, of 176 East 18th St., cutting in on traffic, \$12; Jerry Heemstra, of 1704 Washington, expired license plate, \$3; Edward Korthals, of 250 1/2 East 11th St., expired license plate, \$3; Harvey Genzink, of 861 Lincoln, speeding, \$10; Allen Val-kema, of 1045 South Shore Dr., speeding, \$17; Shirley Shoemaker, of 10628 Paw Paw Dr., speeding, \$15.

Parking costs of \$1 each were paid by Ed Fuder, route 1; Leonard Lynema, of 4 East 14th St.; Edwin M. Timmer, of 280 West 16th St.; Stanley Beckman, route 6; Ella Ten Brink, route 4; Jim Evershuis, of 133 East Ninth St.; Harold Martine, of 320 North Division; Martin Silva, of 167 Burke; Ron Wertheimer, Zeeland; Ray Warren, of 201 120th Ave.; Thurman Rynbrandt, of 262 West Ninth St.

Carl Forslund Speaks to DAR

Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met at the home of Mrs. R. C. Bosch Thursday afternoon.

Carl Forslund, Jr., of Grand Rapids, gave an illustrated talk pointing out the decorating problems that are generally present in any room. The speaker suggested building up a personal file of ideas, noting how the room to be rearranged is to be used.

The first step, he said, in making a change is to find the permanent center of interest—such as a fireplace or picture window, then build furniture arrangements around it. Choose colors, he said, which instinctively go together because of contrasts in light and dark. The entire subject was developed with samples of materials in a typical scheme.

Mr. Forslund summed up his talk by saying that while magazines entice with a thousand colors and fads, good taste will last indefinitely.

The meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance and national anthem. Devotions appropriate to the Easter season were led by Mrs. Ben Van Lente, chaplain.

Mrs. Earl Price, regent, presided and thanked Miss Mary McLean for presenting the Good Citizenship pin to Vera Grotenhuis at a recent high school assembly.

Miss Lida Rogers, vice regent, announced that the speaker for the April meeting will be Helen Martin, state geologist. Her subject will be "Michigan's Mineral Contribution to Our Standard of Living."

Assisting hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. John Kramer and Mrs. Dwight Yntema.

Judgments Awarded

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Judgment of more than \$7,000 was awarded a Chicago firm against a Holland firm in a civil suit in Circuit Court Friday. Kainer Co. of Chicago was awarded \$7,083.12 and \$28 costs against Orville Munkwitz of Beacon Boat Co. of Holland for material delivered. In another suit, John I. Shafer Hardware of Logansport, Ind., was awarded \$2,369.60 and \$29.40 costs from John Cammenga, Holland manufacturer.

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The annual meeting of the Zeeland Lifeary Club will be held Tuesday evening at 7:45 in the City Hall auditorium, in the form of a dessert - coffee. Dr. Douglas Bloksma of Grand Rapids will give a talk entitled, "The Woman's Angle." Dr. Bloksma is a graduate of Calvin College with a master of arts degree from University of Michigan and a doctor of philosophy from University of Chicago.

He has served many organizations, including the state department of public instruction, the state P.T.A. Board, the Camp Blodgett Board in Grand Rapids, the Grand Rapids YMCA and many other organizations. At present he is a consulting psychologist in private practice. A vocal solo will be presented by Dick De Witt of Hope College and the hostesses will be Mrs. F. Berghorst and Mrs. K. Folkertsma.

All local congregations have announced plans for special services for the annual day of prayer for crops and industry to be held Wednesday. The First, Second and Faith Reformed Churches will hold their combined morning service in First Church at 9:30 with the Rev. John den Ouden, pastor of First Church, conducting the service. In the evening all three churches will hold a union service in Second Ref. Church, with the Rev. Harold Englund, pastor, conducting the service. The First and Bethel Christian Reformed Churches will hold a morning service at 9:30 in Bethel Church and an evening service at 7:45 in First Church. The Rev. A. Rozendal of First and the Rev. G. Haan of Bethel will exchange for the day.

The First Baptist Church will hold its prayer service at 10 o'clock in the morning. The Rev. Herbert Vander Lugt, pastor, conducting the service. The Free Methodist Church will hold an evening service at 7:30, with Rev. James Heocks in charge of the service.

Explosion Wrecks Big Rig on US-31

A semi-trailer loaded with asphalt shingles was a total loss after an explosion while firemen were on the scene on US-31 shortly after 5:30 a.m. Saturday.

Driver of the rig, Keith Shue of Ravenna, had stopped for a flat tire. He got out and hitchhiked into Fruitport to notify his boss. Owner of the truck was Lappo Lumber Co. of Fruitport.

In the meantime the rig caught fire from what was believed to be the overheated flat tire. Deputy Lon Ver Schure was called and notified the fire department.

However, the fire raged out of control after the explosion and the rig was a total loss. No one was injured. The accident occurred one and a half miles north of the M-21 intersection.

Mrs. Anna E. Jenkins, 88, Dies at Daughter's Home

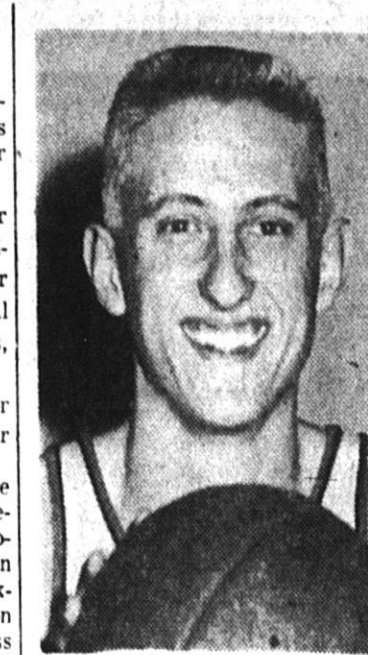
Mrs. Anne E. Jenkins, 88, died Sunday evening at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Watson, 100 East 30th St.

Born in 1867 in Belleville, Ontario, Canada, she was the wife of the late Adelbert Jenkins. Mrs. Jenkins and the Watson family have lived in the Holland and Saugatuck area for many years.

Survivors include the daughter, three sons, Adelbert E. Jenkins of Versailles, Mo., Charles A. and Harold W. Jenkins of Chicago; four grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Motorist Injured

Frank Owens, 53, West Olive, was injured Saturday afternoon when he lost control of his car, knocked down a mail box, before skidding into a ditch on 120th Ave., just north of the Beeline Rd. Owens received severe scalp lacerations. Ottawa County deputies estimated damage to his '50 model car at \$300.



Whitey Riemersma ... rewarded for efforts

Riemersma Named Most Valuable

Dwight (Whitey) Riemersma has been named Hope College's most valuable basketball player. Coach John Visser announced today.

The award now qualifies Riemersma to compete with other similarly honored MIAA players for the Randall C. Bosch trophy, given annually to the top player as voted by the league coaches.

Riemersma, a 6'2" St. Joseph senior, played four years on the Hope varsity. He was a forward about three and a half years, finishing up this season at guard.

Co-captain with Hal Molenaar of the Hope team, Riemersma wound up in sixth place in the MIAA scoring derby with 207 points in 24 games.

"This year's team seemed to go the way Whitey went," Visser said. "This was particularly true in the Hope-Calvin game in Civic Center, where Riemersma had his best night, getting 26 points, and the Hope team probably played its finest game in defeating the Knights."

His unusual and off-balance shots have made him one of the most colorful players in the area. "He can shoot much better moving than standing still," Visser said.

Riemersma will complete his college work in June and hopes to obtain a teaching and coaching position.

Mayor Addresses Local Rotarians

Mayor Robert Visser was guest speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon meeting Thursday noon. Speaking on "Civic Affairs," he prefaced his remarks by commenting on the number of Rotarians who are active in city affairs and the high quality of the city employees and excellent work they are doing.

Dividing his talk into two parts, Mayor Visser first gave a review of the city charter and the form of government set up by it. He then gave a commentary on facts facing the city of Holland today. According to the mayor, the city and its suburbs are growing rapidly and in a short while the school system will be faced with a tremendous increase in enrollment.

The sewage plant operates at full capacity now so will have to be expanded to supply equipment for an expected 30,000 people by 1975, Mr. Visser said.

The same problem of expansion faces the hospital, library and the power plant. All this adds up to a possible general indebtedness for the city of more than \$11,000,000 which can only mean increased taxation, the mayor said.

In closing, Mr. Visser said that he and the council welcomed the advice and constructive criticism of interested and informed citizens.

International students from England, Okinawa, Japan, Iraq and Iran were introduced by Dr. Marion de Velder and welcomed as guests for the month of March.

Elected as directors for the coming year were Charles Cooper, Carl Cook and Jim Lugers.

Mrs. De Valois Speaks To Bethel Church Group

The March meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Bethel Reformed Church was held Wednesday evening in the church fellowship hall. Mrs. H. Rozendal presided at the business meeting.

Speaker was Mrs. J. J. De Valois, missionary on furlough from India. She showed slides of the work she and her husband are doing in India.

Devotions were in charge of Mrs. H. Deodema. Mrs. J. Neuvsma sang two selections accompanied by Mrs. D. Vander Meer.

Hostesses were Mrs. F. Beekman, Mrs. G. Groenheide, Mrs. H. Juries and Mrs. H. L. Juries.

Mrs. Grace Van Dam Dies at Home of Son

ZEELAND (Special) — Mrs. Grace Van Dam, 83, of Oakland died at the home of her son and daughter - in - law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Van Dam, route 3, Holland early Friday. She was born in Oakland, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Myaard. She was a member of Oakland Christian Reformed Church. She was the widow of Klaas Van Dam who died 20 years ago.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. John Nykamp; two sons, Henry K. and Art and son - in - law, John Van Ommen, all of Oakland; 11 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

Mental Health Problems Aired

Ottawa county members of the Allegan-Ottawa Committee for Mental Health met Thursday evening at Allendale Township Hall. Judge of Probate Frederick Miles, Dr. Ralph Ten Have of the county Health Department, Mrs. Ruth Van Duren, Ottawa county psychiatric social worker, and Eugene Tjalsma, Circuit Court probation officer, attended as guests and contributed much to the discussion.

Many aspects of county mental health were explored. Judge Miles explained problems confronting Probate Court and stressed the urgent need for adequate facilities for detention of children in custody of the court, and a need for temporary facilities for emotionally disturbed or mentally ill children and adults. Only the jails are now available, he said.

Mrs. Van Duren presented facts and figures on work of the Muskegon Area Child Guidance Clinic. She said 147 Ottawa county children were sent to the clinic in the first 10 months her office was open in the county. She cited a growing waiting list as evidence that additional staff would have to be considered in the future. She told of a study she made for the clinic, in which re-evaluation of cases five years after treatment was made. Eighty-five percent of the cases had improved or remained as well emotionally. Mrs. Van Duren stressed the need for discovering and treating cases at an early age before personality difficulties become deep rooted.

The need for more visiting teachers was discussed and Miss Fleda Nevins of Grand Haven defined a visiting teacher as primarily a school counselor with additional training in some psychiatric social work which prepares her to work with parents in a home visit.

Dr. Ten Have spoke about the growing awareness of all health and social agencies of their responsibilities in working together to prevent mental illness.

Tjalsma presented some of the problems he meets as probation officer and outlined the need for some kind of a family counseling service with a trained and understanding social worker.

The committee was informed that National Mental Health Week is April 29 to May 5. Members were urged to arrange special programs and publicity for the week. Mrs. Ruth Wolbrink of Allendale is replacing Mrs. John Van Buren on the committee. Next meeting will be a joint Allegan-Ottawa dinner meeting April 12.

Plans Discussed At Deanery Meet

Mrs. J. W. Lang, West 12th St., Holland, opened her home to the board of directors of the Holland Deanery of the Grand Rapids Diocese of the National Council of Catholic Women for its quarterly meeting Thursday morning.

Mrs. Robert Wyngarden board president, gave a report of the diocesan board meeting which she attended at Ionia on Jan. 19. She said February had been designated as Catholic Press Month and March will be Membership Month. She emphasized the importance of membership and encouraged the parish to become affiliated with the National Council of Catholic Women.

Mrs. Wyngarden stated the next diocesan board meeting will be held in Muskegon on March 15. It was announced that Mrs. B. P. Donnelly, Jr., of Holland has information on the summer camp for girls at Yankee Springs and parish council presidents were asked to pass this information on to members of their unit prior to the summer season.

Mrs. Daniel Conroy of Allegan was appointed chairman of social action to the deanery board.

It was announced that the women of St. Francis de Sales Church of Holland will hold the next general deanery meeting in their school auditorium on Sunday afternoon, April 8. Several board members were unable to attend the meeting. Those present were Mrs. Robert Wyngarden of Holland, president; Mrs. J. W. Lang, Holland, vice president; Mrs. Lester Bott, North Dor, Mrs. Laura Wolf, Byron Center, Mrs. John Baron, Jr., Douglas, Mrs. Hector Munro and Mrs. Dale Geiser, Holland, parish council presidents and Mrs. John Hudzik, Holland, chairman of press and publicity.

Physician Heads Guidance Clinic

Dr. Otto van der Velde of Holland was elected president of the Muskegon Area Child Guidance clinic at the annual reorganization meeting on March 7. He succeeded Dr. Norman A. Fleishman. Dr. van der Velde, vice president last year, has served on the board seven years.

Municipal Judge Jacob Ponstein of Grand Haven was elected vice president and Miss Helen Harris secretary - treasurer, succeeding Mrs. Alfred E. Hanson.

Mrs. Wilver I. Drost, director of the clinic, reported 52 children on the clinic's waiting list as of March 1. A total of 84 cases was opened during January and February and 74 closed during that period, putting the number of cases currently open at 162.

Lake Michigan Level 18 Inches Under 1955

Lake Michigan level was a full 18 inches lower than it was a year ago, a review of February's statistics revealed today.

The February level was 579.52 or 1.52 feet below the previous year's level of 581.05. It also was .61 feet below the average February level of 580.13. Extreme high and low for the month of February was 582.86 in 1860 and 577.35 in 1926. The current level is 1.02 feet above low water datum, the plane to which Lake Survey chart and federal navigation improvement depths are referred.

The U.S. Lake Survey indicated that Lakes Superior and Michigan-Huron have continued their seasonal decline at about average rate. Lake Erie declined more than average because of deficient supplies and ice jamming in the St. Clair river throughout February which retarded the flow from Lake Huron to Lake Erie. Lake Ontario continued to decline at more than average rate.

Probable March level for Lake Michigan will be 579.4 feet.

Seventh Grade Girls Give Play at School

Eleven seventh grade girls at Thomas Jefferson School presented a play "I Wish I Were a Queen" for the benefit of the students Wednesday morning and afternoon.

The girls acted, directed, prompted, made up for the play and provided their own costumes. They used their noon hours for rehearsal. This was all done without adult help, except in an advisory way.

First and second graders and pupils in the orthopedic room saw the morning performance and kindergarten, third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh graders made up the audience for the afternoon show. Included in the cast were Betty Lou Essenburg, Diane Dargemond, Betsy Conner Jackie Gallen, Candy Dekraker, Sharon Dargemond, Sherrill Arnoldink, Nova White, Pauline Van Dyke, Judy Stengena and Verona Prince.

John Bohl Succumbs At Beaverdam Home

ZEELAND (Special) — John Bohl, 84, died Thursday afternoon at his home in Beaverdam.

Surviving are the wife, Maggie; two sons, Reuben and Beal, both of Beaverdam; two grandchildren; four great grandchildren, and a sister, Mrs. Anna Notting of Grandville.

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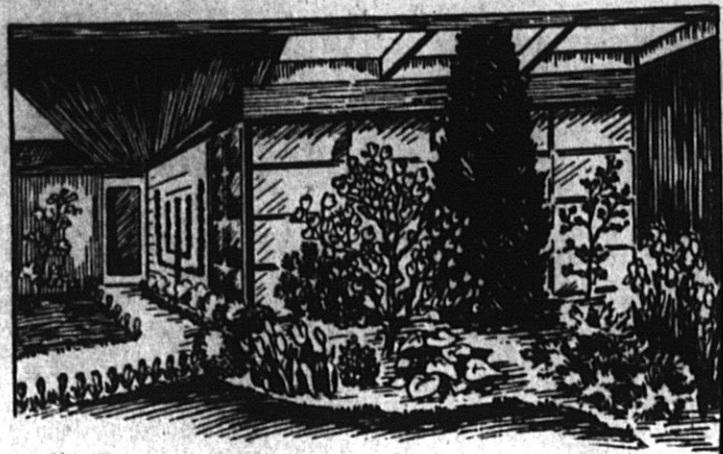
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Let's Plant Beauty-Pruning Must Be Done Properly to Be Effective

An art often abused because so poorly understood, pruning should not be attempted without reasonable knowledge. Since senseless pruning is inexcusable the honest gardener will make it his business to know exactly what he must do with the particular plant or shrub, vine or tree he wishes to prune. There is much information on this subject at the local library.

Regular snipping or shearing the tips of trees and shrubs is a common practice but one that deserves to be frowned upon. Rather than prune because we feel it belongs in our gardening repertoire, let's first scan some of the reasons for pruning. Several present themselves: we may prune to achieve a desired shape or size to a shrub or plant; we may wish to give new life to it; we may wish to obtain a few specimen blooms or we may wish to achieve many blooms that are small in size; we may be training a vine or shrub to assume an artificial shape as in the espaliering of roses or in topiary gardens.

One of the most important purposes for pruning is to keep the shrub, tree, hedge, vine, or plant in good condition and attractive to the eye; consequently we should prune whenever there are diseased, broken, injured, frozen, or dead branches as they must be removed.

Flowering Shrubs: Proper pruning will encourage new and vigorous shoots even though growth may be temporarily arrested. Now is the time to prune summer-blooming plants if spring growth has not yet started. Spring-blooming plants should be pruned soon after the blossoms fall. If no consideration is to be given to fruits or flowers, pruning may be done throughout the summer.

Rhododendron: Where a deciduous shrub like lilac, forsythia, and so on will send forth an abundance of sprouts when pruned, shrubs like rhododendron are apt to be more temperamental. Confine your pruning to two or three-year old stems on rhododendron and you may be successful in getting new shoots. The cut should be made just above the whorl of leaves as this is where flower buds are most likely to be formed—even though their formation may be indefinitely postponed by the cutting.

Roses: First remove all dead wood, all cracked, broken, defective, diseased, or frozen canes; next remove canes that are no thicker than a lead pencil. In April dead wood can be easily recognized so wait until then or you may be removing good canes by mistake. If you want large blooms and in few numbers, give your hybrid tea rose a severe pruning. To do this thin out all but three or four shoots leaving only a few buds on each shoot. Severe pruning brings more roses and more roses means

blossoms of smaller size. On climbing roses, old wood should be removed to the base every three or four years. Lateral branches (branches that cross over) and very thin canes should be pruned from perpetual roses. In trying to renew very old bushes, cut them completely to the base with the exception of two or three canes ranging from eight to fifteen inches long. On rose bushes the cut is made about a half inch above a strong bud that points out from the center of the bush.

Hedges: A privet hedge even if trimmed regularly all summer will eventually get too high and too wide. Now is a good time to cut them back to where you want them. Privets that have become too thin and scraggly may have to be cut back all the way to the ground even though it may take a couple of years before they produce abundant growth. Barberry does not respond to constant shearing like privet will; instead it may become thin and bare if cut back too severely. Instead of clipping Barberry three or four times during the summer as you do privet, prune it only once in the spring, cutting back the longer branches.

When pruning hedges be sure to retain some of the new growth. In shaping your hedge a rounded top is better than a flat one and a wide base narrowing toward the top is better than a wide top narrowing toward the base because more leaves will be exposed to the light in this way, keeping the base from becoming thin and stinky. New hedges should be cut back to twelve or fourteen inches so a thick growth may be encouraged at the base.

Vines: Remove all young growth to keep tangling at a minimum. All dead or dried up stems should be removed as well as those that seem to crowd. If some shoots are too long, these can be trimmed after flowering. The side growth on trumpet vines should be trimmed to keep the plant within bounds. Now is the time to do this. If your vines are very old, remove some of the old and allow new ones to take their place.

No matter what you are pruning, be sure to use equipment that is sharp so the cut made will be smooth and clean—not chewed, twisted, or split. Cut all stems or branches on a slight slant. When a saw is used, two preliminary cuts are made before the branch is removed—an under cut (about twelve inches from the trunk) goes halfway into the branch, then an upper cut (about twelve and one-half inches from the trunk) severs the branch from the tree. Finally, the remaining stub is cut off as close to the trunk as possible. Garden book illustrations convey the idea more clearly. The cut should be elliptical rather than round to hasten healing and to prevent possible decay or infection.

Vriesland

Collins Weeber, senior student at Western Theological Seminary in Holland was guest preacher in the local church on Sunday. The special music at the evening service was furnished by Burnette Vredevel and Kay Wiggers of Drenthe.

The World Home Bible League chapter meeting was held at Third Christian Reformed church of Zeeland Sunday at 3 p.m. Mrs. Joseph Esther was the speaker.

Men's Brotherhood met Tuesday at 8 p.m. A former Catholic of Western Seminary in Holland was the speaker.

Young peoples' catechism and senior C.E. was held Tuesday evening.

The Mission Syndicate Inspirational dinner will be held at the First Reformed church of Zeeland. The speaker will be the Rev. John Buteyn, Foreign Mission Secretary of the Western District.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Dam went to Mayo Clinic in Minnesota Monday, Feb. 27, where Mrs. Van Dam submitted to surgery some time last week. Her address is 20 Fifth St., S.W., Rochester, Minn.

Catechism for the local school children will be held on Friday (Lesson 18).

The new address of Pvt. James C. Morren, U.S. 5555046, Co. C, 9th Inf., Fort Lewis, Wash.

A special collection will be taken for the C.E. Unified Finance at the morning service Sunday, March 11.

The Women's League of Hope College will sponsor a musical program March 16 at 8 in the Jamestown Reformed Church. Lunch will be served. Collection taken will be used to furnish a room in the new dormitory.

Mrs. Casey Wabeke spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Gerard of Grandville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Den Bleyker and daughter were recent weekend guests in Ohio.

Heldred De Witt received superior rating at a musical contest which was held at Junior College in Grand Rapids on last week Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Boss spent Tuesday

afternoon at the Elmer Boss home in Zeeland.

Several local residents are confined to their homes with the flu and colds.

Tony De Witt was guest of honor on his 80th birthday on Saturday, March 3. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob T. De Witt, Heldred, and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. John T. De Witt, Junior, and Betty, and Albert De Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin P. Wyngarden were Wednesday evening callers on Mrs. J. H. Van Welt in Zeeland.

Mrs. Wil Huizen, Mrs. Syrene Boss, and Miss Lucille Huizen of Galewood were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Wabeke were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gerard and family of Grandville.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brower and family of Lakeland were Sunday supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew De Vree of Zeeland were Sunday guests of George De Hoop, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kuipers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob T. De Witt, Heldred, and Mildred were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Valk of Grand Rapids.

Marilyn Broersma and girl friend of South Haven were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Broersma and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vander Kolk of Vriesland in company with Mr. and Mrs. John Gunneman of Coopersville left Monday morning for California on a vacation. They will be guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vander Kolk and family.

The meeting of the Sewing Guild was postponed last week Thursday because of the funeral service of Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Syrene Boss of Galewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Langejans of Holland were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wabeke.

Start the gardening season with good sanitation. Mummified fruits and cankered branches should be cut from fruit trees and burned before they spread disease spores.

Mrs. Henry Boss spent Tuesday

Kammeraad Home Scene of Rites



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas William Knowles

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kammeraad, 125 18th St., was the scene of a double ring wedding ceremony Friday, March 2, when their daughter, Miss Shirley Yvonne Kammeraad, became the bride of Thomas William Knowles. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knowles of Auburndale, Fla.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Raymond Denekas, pastor of Calvary Reformed Church. Palms, ferns and baskets of white tulips and hydrangeas were used for decorations. Recorded music was played before the rites and as the bride approached the improvised altar.

Miss Yvonne has attended the bride as maid of honor and Donald Kammeraad was best man. James Kammeraad, brother of the bride, and Keith Kammeraad, cousin of the bride, served as ushers and lit the candles.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white ballerina-length gown of lace and net over satin, featuring a satin bow in back. A pearl crown held her fingertip veil and she carried a bouquet of

white hyacinths and carnations. The maid of honor wore a ballerina gown of light ocean aqua crystalite with bow in the back. She wore a matching headpiece and carried white hyacinths with pink carnations.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Kammeraad wore a rose dress with a corsage of roses and hyacinths.

A reception for 60 guests followed the rites, with Mrs. James Nysson, Mrs. Henry Japinga, Mrs. Dena Meulenbelt and Mrs. Cyrus Vande Luyster assisting about the rooms. Mrs. Barbara Frelander served at the punch bowl and Barbara Hoek was in charge of the gift room.

The newlyweds are honeymooning in Florida for two weeks. For going away, the bride wore a navy blue suit with red accessories.

The bride, a Holland High graduate, is employed as a stenographer. The groom, a graduate of Auburndale High School, served with the Marines for three years, including 15 months in Korea. He now is employed by Mulders Welding and Steel.

Local Lawyer Admitted To Bar in Ceremony

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Gordon H. Cunningham, member of the law firm of Ten Cate and Townsend, Holland, was admitted to the bar of the State of Michigan, in a ceremony in Ottawa Circuit Court Friday afternoon before Judge Raymond L. Smith.

James E. Townsend, member of the firm, accompanied by Vernon D. En Cate of the firm, moved for Cunningham's admission.

Howard W. Fant, Grand Haven attorney and Commissioner of the State Bar of Michigan which comprises the Fifth Congressional District, welcomed Cunningham into the association.

Cunningham has been connected with the Holland law firm since last September, coming from Godwin Heights, near Grand Rapids. He is married and has two children, and resides at 82 West 26th St.

Mrs. Cunningham and other members of his family witnessed the swearing-in ceremony.

Rites Held Monday For Elbert C. Wells, 92

Funeral services for Elbert C. Wells, 92, who died early Friday morning at his home, 188 East Eighth St., were held Monday at 2 p.m. at McLaughlin Funeral Home in Dowagiac. Burial was in Dowagiac Riverside Cemetery.



PFC. RICHARD D. SMITH, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin G. Smith of route 3, Holland, is home on a 15-day furlough. He must report back to Fort Bragg, N.C., on March 18. At the end of this month, he is scheduled to go overseas to Germany as part of Operation Gyroscope. Smith entered the Army last October and received basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. He has just completed training in an ammunition company. His address is Pvt. Richard D. Smith, US 55534248, 606 Ord. (Ammo), Fort Bragg, N.C.

George Washington has been portrayed on 5¢ U. S. postage stamps.

Dog Notes

By Peter Boggs
\$125,000 For Dead Dog

I wonder if you remember a splendid shepherd dog named Peter the Great. He was a motion picture star, of the same excellence as Strongheart and Rin-tin-Tin. His inspired acting was worth a fortune to his master, Edward Faust. Then Peter the Great was killed, and Faust brought suit for heavy damages. The court at last awarded him a verdict of \$125,000. Whether or not Faust ever got the full sum, I don't know. But, to the best of my belief, it was by far the highest amount ever claimed or granted for the death of a dog.

For the next eight years, Faust tried to breed and train a police dog capable of taking the place of Peter the Great. When last I heard of him, he had not yet succeeded, although he had experimented with seven dogs, one after another. For, according to him, Peter the Great had a rare and elusive quality which he could not find or develop in any of the later dogs. That trait was personality. "Personality," explained Faust to a reporter, "is just as important in a dog as it is in a human. Every one of the seven dogs I've trained since he died has been able to do all the things Peter could do. But none of them had his personality."

Ever Hear of a Dog With Mumps? I am always learning something new about dogs. For instance, I never knew dogs had jaundice until one day one of my best pointers died of it and two vets told me it was not an uncommon canine disease. And now comes mumps.

Not long ago, I read that four children in Nevada fell ill with mumps and their mother caught the malady from them. So I searched my canine library to learn if the story was a fake or if it might be true. In the first authoritative book I picked up—Dr. Garbutt's "Diseases and Surgery of the Dog"—I read on page 215:

"MUMPS—Authorities state that mumps in the human are communicable to dogs. . . . Isolate the patient. This is particularly necessary if other dogs are present."

A list of symptoms follows, and then ensues a prescribed line of treatment. I omit these because you would be wiser to consult a veterinary in case your own dog should contract this odd malady. In all my experiences with dogs, I never before heard of one with mumps. Did you? Yet it's a recognized disease.

The Question Box Question: What is the youngest age at which the Laidlaw-Dunkin treatment for distemper can safely be given? How soon after exposure does a dog develop distemper?—F. N.

Answer: The Laidlaw-Dunkin immunization treatment shouldn't be given to a dog until he is at least four months old. Distemper usually develops five to nine days after the dog has been exposed.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

George Wolfert & wf. to Hugh G. Wiggers & wf. Lot 3 Baker-Cole Sub. Twp. Georgetown.

Bert Baker et al to George Wolfert & wf. Pt. W 1/4 E 1/4 SW 1/4 23-6-13 Twp. Georgetown.

Arthur Reenders & wf. to Eugene L. Van Dyke & wf. Lot 23, 24 Reenders Add. No. 2 City of Grand Haven.

Exec. Est. Anna Holkeboer, Dec. to Gertrude Holkeboer Lot 18 Westerhof's Sub. City of Holland. James G. Van Valkenburgh & wf. to Harry J. Plaggemans & wf. Lots 1, 2 Blk 8 Visscher's Add. City of Holland.

Paul E. Wabeke & wf. to Simon N. Disselkoen & wf. Lot 10 Van's Sub. Twp. Holland.

John S. Roberts & wf. to John L. Young & wf. Pt. E 1/4 SE 1/4 2-7-13 Twp. Tallmadge.

Bert Baker et al to James Wiltjer & wf. Lot 19 Baker-Huizen Sub. Twp. Georgetown.

Cornelius Wiersma & wf. to Andrew J. Dalman & wf. Lot 16 Heneveld's Plat No. 4 Twp. Park.

John P. Wiersma & wf. to Clarence Knoll & wf. Lot 7 Wiersma Plat, Twp. Georgetown.

Herman Weaver & wf. to Bernard Zwiers & wf. Pt. S 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 7-5-15 Twp. Holland.

Alice E. Gaylord to City of Holland Pt. Lot 17 Blk 38 City of Holland.

A. J. Cook Lumber Co. to Cornelius A. Van Lier & wf. Lot 117 & pt. 118 Austin Harrington Add. City of Holland.

Harold Oostendorp & wf. to Walter Hoeksema & wf. Pt. SW 1/4 SE 1/4 32-5-15 City of Holland.

Henry Delonge & wf. to James A. Van Laar & wf. Pt. E 1/4 NE 1/4 30-7-14 Twp. Allendale.

Almon McCall & wf. to Trustees Est. Roy William Herrick Lot 51 Plat of Longview Plat, Twp. Spring Lake.

Melvin Siscoe & wf. to Leonard Meyer & wf. Lot 29 Crockery Shores, Twp. Chester.

Mary McMillan Oakes et al to Marvin M. Steineke & wf. Pt. Lot 3 Sheldon Homes Add. Grand Haven.

Adm. Est. Cora Hintz, Dec. to Lester W. Hintz & wf. Pt. NE 1/4 34-6-13 Twp. Georgetown.

Robert Lee Koning & wf. to Edward Robert Sund & wf. Lots 57, 64 Goodenow Gardens, Twp. Tallmadge.

Arthur Lynn Hight & wf. to Jack F. Hudson & wf. Lot 2 Plainfield Sub. Twp. Grand Haven.

Andrew Vlietstra & wf. to Reimer Luikes & wf. Lot 41 Vos-Koster Sub. Twp. Georgetown.

Graeme S. McLinda & wf. to Lawrence E. Mitchell & wf. Pt. Lot 6 Blk 4 Boltwood's Add. Grand Haven.

Edward Van Eck & wf. to Leslie Van Hecken & wf. Pt. NE 1/4 SW 1/4 33-5-15 Twp. Holland.

West Olive

Bruce Berkompas has resigned as school director. He has been replaced by Theron R. Stone.

The qualified electors of West Olive School district No. 2 will vote March 13 at the local school at 7 p.m. for the purpose of deciding whether or not to issue a \$6,000 bond to build a one-room addition to the local school.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Slooten have returned home from Florida where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Hank Van Eyke.

To celebrate Birthday Week of the Camp Fire Girls, the Robert girls are planning to attend Harlem Church Sunday in uniform. The Blue Birds and group leaders also will attend.

Residents of Port Sheldon township are asked to attend a zoning board meeting at Robert School.

Pupils of Robert School had an early spring vacation Thursday afternoon and Friday when they were sent home because the furnace line froze.

Tom Im Wi Ka Camp Fire Girls of Robert School are having a paper drive today. The fathers are helping with the collecting.

The girls are working for money for a Detroit trip on April 6. Anyone outside of the area wishing to contribute paper to the drive is asked to call 75701 or 75702.

JCC Auxiliary Hears District Report

The March meeting of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Norman Wangen, with Mrs. Don Scholten and Mrs. Don Gilcrest as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Gilcrest, president, conducted the business meeting and reported on the district regional meeting held in Muskegon March 6. Those attending from Holland were the Mesdames Tom Vander Kuy, Norman Eittmiller, Richard Den Uyl, Myron Van Oort, Norman Wangen and Don Gilcrest. Other representatives were present from White Hall, Montague, Ludington, Hart, Holton and Grandville auxiliaries.

Assisting Mrs. George Slikkers, chairman of the scrapbook committee, will be Mrs. Ed Nyland, Mrs. Paul De Kok, Mrs. Clarence Boeve, Mrs. A. Schwartz, Mrs. Wangen and Mrs. Gilcrest. The completed scrapbooks will be entered in the Michigan JCC Auxiliary awards contest to be held May 4. For the last two years the auxiliary has won a first place award with its scrapbooks in the division of community service.

Mrs. J. C. Petter will be hostess for the April 12 meeting.

Co-chairmen named for the Tulip Time sewing project are Mrs. Schwartz and Mrs. Burke Field.

Eight Building Permits Sought Here Last Week

Eight applications for building permits totaling \$47,208 were filed last week with Building Inspector Laverne Serne.

Applications follow: Board of Public Works, install wash room at light plant, 19 by 21 feet, \$4,923; Russ Lamar, contractor.

Donald Northuis, 300 West 22nd St., new house, 69 by 29 feet and garage 20 by 24 feet, brick and frame construction, \$12,485 and \$1,000; Bernard Kuipers, contractor.

Nick Van Zalk, 268 West 11th St., repair basement wall, \$250; self, contractor.

A. J. Cook Lumber Co., 202 East 25th St., new house and garage, 32 by 30 feet and 16 by 21 feet, frame construction, \$10,000 and \$500; self, contractor.

A. J. Cook Lumber Co., 196 East 25th St., new house and garage attached, 34 by 40 feet and 14 by 22 feet, frame construction, \$10,500 and \$500; self, contractor.

Louis B. Dalman, 265 East 13th St., replaster ceiling, remove bookcases and install picture window, \$200; Vander Bie Brothers, contractor.

William LaBarge, 111 East 31st St., add kitchen, bedroom and utility room, \$6,000; A. J. Cook Lumber Co., contractor.

Mrs. Tony Vander Bie, 265 West 12th St., remodel kitchen cupboards and change window, \$350; Fred Jacobs, contractor.

Fred Jacobs, contractor.

Highway Project Slated for 1957

The southbound lane of US-31, between Holland and West Olive probably will be constructed in 1957, according to present plans of the State Highway department.

Officials said there is some chance the road would be built this year but more likely not until next year.

Earlier this week the highway department received permission from the West Ottawa Soil Conservation District to remove 125,000 yards of sand fill from land the district supervises one mile south of West Olive.

If the program to complete the 9.4-mile stretch of dual highway gets underway this year the fill taken from near West Olive will be used.

Additional fill sand will be secured near Holland for the project that got underway five years ago when the 22-foot east lane was paved.

The Grand Rapids office originally announced several months ago that the project would be started this year. They now report the US-16 project at Coopersville will probably be done first.

Starting this summer the new US-31 stretch from the Stone School through Grand Haven to Jackson St. will be paved. The million-dollar contract calls for a completion date of Aug. 31.

The entire 10-mile stretch between Grand Haven and Muskegon is expected to be completed in two years. State Police are presently looking over locations along the route for a new post which will be moved from Grand Haven.

Mrs. Gertie Morren Succumbs at Age 98

Mrs. Gertie Morren, 98, formerly of Holland, died Friday morning in Holland Home, Grand Rapids.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Susan De Waard of Grand Rapids; three sons, Benjamin of Grand Rapids, Edward of Detroit and George of Lansing; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harry Menken of Graafschap; 19 grandchildren; 34 great grandchildren and seven great great grandchildren.

At the conclusion of the show, refreshments were served from three large buffet tables to the accompaniment of Mr. Swieringa's music. Beautiful wrought iron floral carts laden with pink carnations, gladioli and ivy centered each of the tables and were flanked by baskets of frosted fruit and matching black candleholders with pink tapers.

Those serving punch were Mrs. Peter Lugers, Mrs. Maynard Bakker, Mrs. Romeo Alfieri, Mrs. Russell Tague, Mrs. William Brower and Mrs. Ray Riksen. They were assisted by Mrs. Henry Bosma, Mrs. Clinton Bowen, Mrs. Austin Walters, Mrs. Julius Brown, Mrs. Hollis Halsted, Mrs. Wayne Jacobusse, Mrs. Harold Swanson, Mrs. Bernard Shashagay and Mrs. Virgil White.

The success of the style show was attributed to the work of the entire Mothers Club and all who took part.

Former Holland Woman Succumbs in Flint

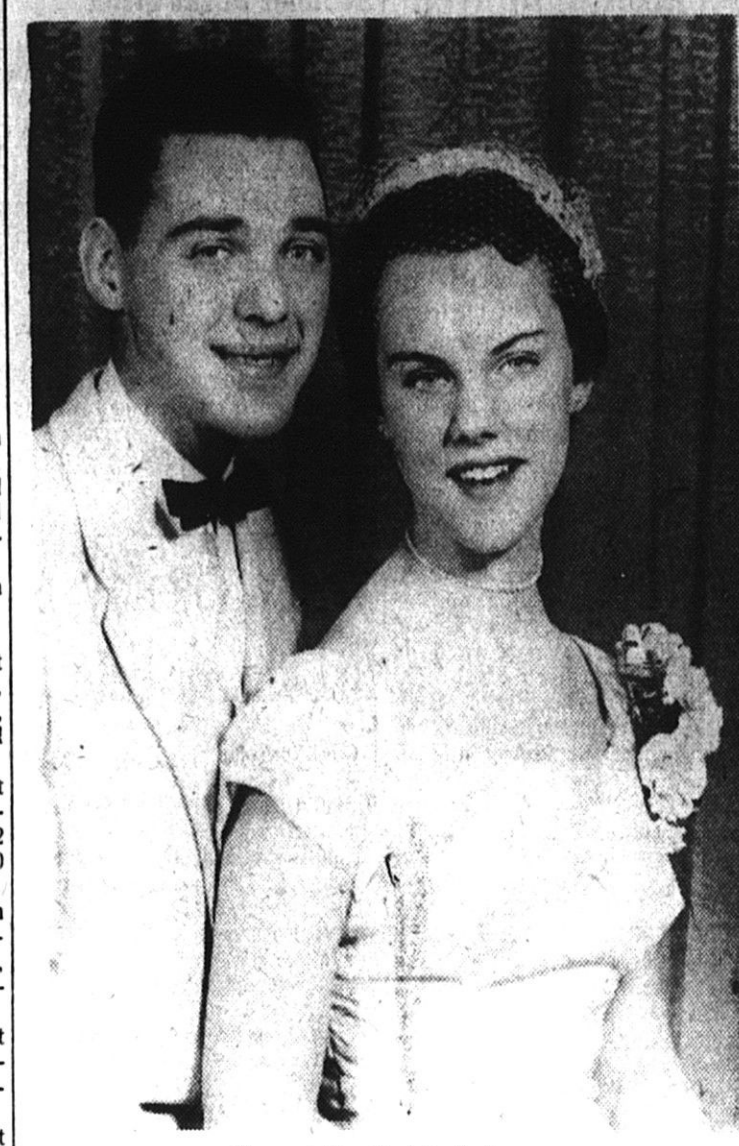
Mrs. Geraldine D. Wiers, of 2106 Kentucky Ave., Flint, died Friday at St. Joseph's Hospital in Flint. A former resident here, Mrs. Wiers was 51 years old, was the daughter of Gerrit Doll of Holland and the late Mrs. Doll.

Surviving besides the father are the husband, Lambert H. Wiers; two daughters, Mrs. Marguerite Hubner of Lansing, Mrs. Katherine Mc Intyre of Flint, a son, Lambert H. Wiers, Jr., of Flint; four grandchildren and several aunts living in the Holland area.

Mrs. Wiers moved from Holland 25 years ago. She spent many summers visiting here.

Fruit of the nutmeg tree resembles a peach, the nutmeg itself being the kernel.

Bruizeman-De Weerd Vows Spoken



Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Bruizeman

Miss Lois Jean De Weerd and Paul F. Bruizeman were married at 6 p.m. Monday, Feb. 27, in double ring rites performed in the parsonage of Montello Park Christian Reformed Church by the Rev. Fred Handlogten.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman De Weerd of 512 West 21st St. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bruizeman, 450 West 20th St.

Miss Cynthia De Witt of Zeeland and Paul Beyer, U.S.N., attended the couple.

The bride wore a pink chantilly lace over taffeta gown with fitted bodice, scoop neckline and a cummerbund of taffeta at the waist. The skirt was ballerina-length. Her hat was fashioned of

pink flowers and matching pink veil. A single strand pearl choker and pearl earrings were her only jewelry. She wore a corsage of pink carnations and feathered white carnations.

The maid of honor wore a light blue ballerina gown of lace and a corsage of pink roses.

After the ceremony, a wedding supper was served to the immediate families in the dining room of Cumerford's restaurant.

The couple left on a wedding trip through Wisconsin. On Friday, March 2, the groom left to report at the Naval Receiving Station, San Francisco, for sea duty aboard the USS H. W. Tucker. The bride will continue to live with her parents.

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SOIL TESTING CLINIC — A large number of local residents Tuesday took advantage of the free offer to have soil from their gardens or lawns tested. More than 150 samples were brought in to the Civic Center. The soil was tested for lime or acidity, nitrogen, phosphorus and potash and recommendations were made.

Soil Testing Service Reaches 150 Residents

Local Delegation Meets Ziegler to Talk About M-21

Delegations from Holland city, Holland Township and Zeeland met at the Pandlind Hotel in Grand Rapids Tuesday with State Highway Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler to discuss the proposed future route of M-21 and its link with US-31 east of Holland.

Ziegler's entire staff of engineers and assistants attend the meeting.

In general the local delegations asked that the proposed intersection route of M-21 be shifted closer to the present M-21 and US-31 intersection.

"I feel that we have a good location worked out," Ziegler said. "I feel it is satisfactory in point of service with M-21 and property values will not be reduced."

Ziegler after the meeting said, "We explained to them that we have to have completely controlled access to meet with federal aid requirements."

"After we finished talking to them and showing them the maps, all except one seemed to agree that the plans were all right. The one objector said that a proposed grade separation was too close to his home. They all thought the proposed location of a proposed grade separation one-quarter of a mile east of the M-21 and US-31 intersection wasn't too good. We agreed and explained that it's only a temporary plan. We don't like it either. They thought it was terrible."

He went on to say that it will be a year or more before the highway department can start working on the grade separation at M-21 and US-31. He said now when the highway department orders steel, delivery will take from 12 to 15 months.

However, after hearing the delegation, Ziegler said his planning and traffic director, Carl Monagle, would visit the area to look over the site again before any further action.

George Van Koeveering acted as chairman of the delegation that met with the highway officials for more than an hour and a half. Others present included City Manager Herb Holt of Holland and W.H. Vande Water, secretary-manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce; John Van Apple-dorn, Holland Township clerk; and Walter Vander Haar, also of Holland Township; Dr. and Mrs. J.J. Brower of Holland Township and Mrs. William G. Winter of Holland city.

Infant Daughter Dies At U.S. Army Hospital

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Word was received here Monday of the death of Kimmie Ann Lyons, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons of Clarksville, Tenn., which occurred Sunday at the U.S. Army Hospital at Fort Campbell, Ky. The child was born March 9.

Surviving are the parents; a sister, Debbie; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons and Mr. and Mrs. William Klempel of Grand Haven, and the great grandparents, Mrs. Mary Lyons of Seattle, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garbrecht of West Olive.

The body, and the immediate family, are arriving by plane in Grand Haven.

Zuwerink Loses

George Zuwerink, Baltimore Orioles pitcher, made his first spring training appearance Monday. Zuwerink worked two innings, relieving in the seventh and was against the New York Giants. Zuwerink worked two innings, relieving in the seventh and was touched for four runs and was charged with the loss as the Orioles were defeated 9-5.

Maroon Giants Unleash Power On Central Five

Kalamazoo Central's up and coming cage outfit stamped itself as a definite tourney threat to cop the class A regional tournament on the Civic Center court, Tuesday night, as it mauled a hapless Grand Rapids Central quintet, 68-39. Kazoo moved into semifinals play against Battle Creek on Thursday night by virtue of its win.

Coach Bob Quiring's Maroon Giants actually only played top flight ball for the first quarter, but what a quarter it was. Using their terrific all-court press, the Kazoo lads completely baffled the Hilltoppers to take a 29-7 lead at the end of the first period. In fact the press was so effective that Central was able to take just one shot from the field in the first five minutes. Most of the time, they never got the ball into their front court before it was stolen by the Kazoo pressure defense.

Grand Rapids which had won only two ball games all season was one of the weakest class A ball clubs to perform in Holland in a long time. Sadly lacking in material the Hilltoppers just didn't belong in the same class with the poised Maroons. Only one boy, center Dave Klunder, showed to good advantage for the Central outfit. He was the workhorse on the floor and led both squads with 16 points. Grand Rapids also tried their patented T pressing defense, but they didn't score often enough in the first quarter to use it.

Obviously realizing that they had the game won in the first quarter, the Maroons let down badly in the second quarter. They hit on only two out of 18 shots and scored just six points in the period. Grand Rapids fared even worse as they could manage only five to trail 35-12 at halftime. Kazoo did a real workmanlike job on the Grand Rapids zone defense throughout the first half.

Coach Quiring, thinking of possibly two more tourney games this week, started clearing the bench early in the third period. But it didn't stop the press with the subs turning it on with as much fervor as did their starting teammates. At the end of the third quarter it was 50-24.

Grand Rapids had its best scoring quarter in the finale against third and fourth stringers of the Kazoo club, but they were still outscored 18-15. A total of 11 boys broke into the scoring column for the winners.

In the entire game, the Celery City lads hit on 29 out of 74 tries from the field for a 39 per cent average. Grand Rapids took just 41 shots and hit on 10 for a 24 per cent average. At the foul line, Kalamazoo tallied 10 out of 17 while Central netted 19 out of 36.

Center Bob Brown was high for Kazoo with 13 points followed by Larry Brownell with 12. Klunder led the losers with 16 markers.

Box score:

Kalamazoo	FG	FT	PF	TP
Holmes, f	3	2	1	8
Beelick, f	3	2	4	6
Brown, c	5	3	4	13
Chumas, g	3	2	3	8
Brownell, g	6	6	0	12
La Duke, g	2	0	2	4
Scott, g	3	1	2	7
Lake, g	3	0	1	6
Stamm, f	1	0	0	2
Friedman, c	0	0	1	0
Johnson, f	0	0	1	0
Macomber, f	0	1	2	1
Lanka, g	0	0	1	0
Butler, f	0	0	1	0
Austrins, f	0	1	0	1
Totals	29	10	24	68

Grand Rapids Central (39)

Zeep, f	0	1	2	1
Gartman, f	1	1	2	3
Klunder, c	4	8	3	16
Beardsley, g	0	0	1	0
Henry, g	1	4	1	6
Stanley, g	0	2	2	2
Smith, f	2	2	2	6
Cleveland, f	2	1	0	5
Killman, c	0	0	1	0
Totals	10	19	14	39

Officers Elected by Maplewood Mothers

Mrs. J. Nickerson was elected president of the Maplewood Mothers Club at the meeting in the school on Monday night. Mrs. E. Redder was named vice president; Mrs. J. Kemper, assistant secretary; Mrs. J. Ten Cate, assistant treasurer.

Mrs. Jean Engelsman, retiring president, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. C. Pardue was in charge of devotions. Eileen Griep sang "Faith, Hope and Charity," accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. Griep.

Mrs. Hazel Hayes of the Holland Public Library was speaker. Hostesses were Mrs. I. Harrington, Mrs. W. De Haan, Mrs. E. Redder and Mrs. Rycenga.

Dr. Schrier Returns Home From Far East

Dr. William Schrier returned to Holland Saturday night from the Far East, where he had been teaching for the last year and a half.

Dr. Schrier, who is on a leave of absence from Hope College, where he was head of the speech department, went to the Far East under the university of California Far East program. He taught three terms (24 weeks) in Japan, and the remainder of the time in Korea.

Mrs. Schrier spent about six months in Japan with her husband returning to Holland last May.

Zeeland

Plans are being made for the spring meeting of the Women's Missionary Union of the Christian Reformed Churches of Classis Zeeland to be held Thursday, April 28, in First Christian Reformed Church, Zeeland. Final arrangements for the meeting will be made at a delegate board meeting to be held in Oakland Christian Reformed Church Friday afternoon, March 16.

The Lions Club members are already rehearsing for the stage play, "Mr. Icebox," a brilliant, laughter-filled comedy, which will be given, April 11, 12 and 13, in Zeeland High School auditorium. Mrs. Larry Van Haltsma is directing the play and the cast includes, Dr. Russ Munro, Ken De Jonge, Mrs. D. Koolman, Mrs. P. Van Eenaam, and Mrs. L. Meengs. This will be a benefit production with proceeds for the new Community Hospital and the Lions Blind Fund.

The Junior Class of Zeeland High School is practicing for its annual dramatic production, "Every Family Has One" which will be presented in the auditorium March 21-23. The play, a hilarious comedy, is directed by Mrs. Maatman and the following are in the cast: Norma Knoll, Ron Komejan, Carol Hop, Marcia Myaard, Terry Van Haltsma, Ron Beyer, Mary Schipper, Shirley Ver Beek, Ron Bekins, Judy Lokers, Fred Veldhuis and Karen Deur.

At the morning worship service in Second Reformed Church, the Rev. Harold Englund had for his sermon: "The Trial: With Malice Toward One." The choir sang the anthems - "O Lord How Excellent," Galbraith and "Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee," Bach. At the evening service, the sermon topic was: "Sprinting To The Tape" and the choir sang: "Hold Thou My Hand," Briggs.

Several churches in Zeeland and vicinity are practicing in the presentation of a musical festival of all the Reformed Churches in this area. The festival will be held in the Jamestown Reformed Church Friday evening, March 16 at 7:45. The event is given by Reformed Churches, including: First and Second and Faith of Zeeland, Beavertown, Benheim, Forest Grove, Hamilton, Hudsonville, Jamestown, North Blendon, South Blendon, North Holland, Ottawa, Overisel, and Vriesland. The program will include solos, quartets, duets and sextets. The Hope College Women's League of Zeeland Classis is sponsoring this festival and all the proceeds will go to the Women's League for their work on the college dormitories. This League was organized several years ago for the purpose of repairs and furnishings for the college dormitories.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Monday were Leo Hopkins, 45 West 10th St.; Amos Beedon, 45 East 26th St.; Mrs. John Voss, 36 West 17th St.; Mrs. Angelo Kavathas, 63 West Ninth St.; Mrs. Harm Knoll, 817 13th Ave.; Mrs. Lester Johnson, 249 East 14th St.; Danny and Calvin Reimink, Hamilton; Dawn Bakker, 661 Apple Ave.; Harley Koopman, route 5; Susan Kvorka, 577 West 21st St.; Gustave Nynas, 408 Lakeshore Dr.

Discharged Monday were Mrs. Carlton Brouwer and baby, route 2; Mrs. Jerrold Lubbers and baby, 1 West 17th St.; Mrs. Allen Veldhuis, 730 Wisteria Rd.; Dean Prince, 608 Central Ave.; Gregory Hartsock, 768 West 32nd St.; Amos W. Beedon, 47 East 26th St.; Calvin Ray and Danny Ray Reimink, Hamilton; Dawn Bakker, 661 Apple Ave.

Hospital births include a daughter, Roslyn Joy, born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bakker, route 2; a daughter, Debra Lynn, born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pyle, route 1, Zeeland; a son born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rademaker, 3336 Lakeshore Dr.; a daughter born today to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reppley, 93 East 22nd St.; a son, Keith Dale, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Riselada, 531 Graafschap Rd.

Three Plead Guilty To Assorted Counts

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Raymond Collazo, 19, local hotel address, Holland, pleaded guilty in Circuit Court Monday to a charge of felonious assault and will return April 3 for sentence. His bond of \$500 was continued. The alleged offense involved a knife fight March 4 in Holland in which two companions were treated in Holland Hospital.

James Norman Crittenden, 17, of 784 East Eighth St., Holland, pleaded guilty to a rape charge. His bond was continued and he will appear for sentence April 13. The alleged offense involves a 13-year-old girl.

Ramona Ruth Piron, 19, of 88 East Eighth St., Holland, pleaded guilty to a charge of nighttime breaking and entering. She was released on her own recognizance and will return for sentence April 13. The alleged offense involved a break-in at the Herman Prins gun shop March 1.

Hardrers Unit Meets in Saugatuck

Holland Hairdressers Unit No. 5 met Monday evening at the Alice Bartz beauty salon in Saugatuck. The local unit gave a hair dryer to Resthaven recently during Beauty Salon Week.

At Monday's meeting, Miss Nadine Abbott, beauty technician, demonstrated a hair coloring and a permanent called the rose wave. Refreshments were served after the program.

The Chinese were the first people to carve on wood and print from it.

Control Conscious Bearcats Dump Dutch From Meet

Holland High's basketball squad began and ended its state regional tournament play Tuesday night on the Civic Center court, as they bowed before a smooth working Battle Creek club, 56-43. A crowd estimated at 1,500 fans turned out to see the double bill, although there weren't more than 500 left when the night's activity closed.

Coach Fred Weiss' Holland High cagers were the victims of one of "those nights" which most clubs experience at one time or another. As hot as the locals were on the hoop in their win over Muskegon last week, they were as cold against the Bearcats. The Dutch hit on only 13 for 57 tries from the field for a poor 23 per cent average. On many occasions throughout the contest the Dutch missed easy layups which didn't help the morale in any of the other departments, such as passing and overall court play. The Dutch had the shots, but just couldn't connect, and there wasn't much anyone could do about it.

Battle Creek which now meets Kalamazoo Central in the Thursday semi-final, had a good ball club in all departments, particularly when it came to shooting. The Bearcats attempted 54 shots from the field and made good on 22 for a 40 percent average. Playing strictly control basketball, the Battle Creek outfit used a screening type offense off the forwards and took only good shots. Due to their lack of size for a class A ball club, the winners were forced to make sure of their shots as their rebounding positions. It was obvious from the start that one of their main objectives was to slow down Holland's fast break — which it did well.

The Battle Creek crew started out in great fashion as it sank six out of the first nine shots it tried in the first quarter. Getting balanced scoring from three of its players, the Cats broke a 4-4 tie and never trailed again in the contest. At one stage in the first stanza they led 17-6, before two Holland baskets narrowed the margin to 19-10 at the first horn.

Although the Dutch on several occasions looked as if they might begin to move in the second period, each time the deliberate Battle Creek offense would move into high gear. Sharpshooting Henry Rolfe did most of the damage as he pumped in eight points in the second quarter. By halftime the Bearcats held a 31-22 advantage and an even 50 percent shooting average. Holland at this stage had managed but six baskets.

The third quarter was a slow moving, poorly played quarter by both squads with the teams making many mechanical mistakes. It was a low scoring stanza with the Cats outscoring the Hollanders 10-6. Ron Van Dyke and the hard working Sherri Shaffer got Holland's only two baskets.

Both clubs played on even terms in the final eight minutes as the Dutch applied an all-court press which bothered the winners. Shaffer with some alert backboard play dumped in four baskets in the last period. At one stage in the last period the Bearcats held a 16-point buffer before reserves flooded the court for the both squads.

At the foul line, the Dutch had more success as they hit on 17 out of 30 tries while the invaders connected on 12 out of 22. Shaffer led the Dutch with 14 followed by Van Dyke with 12. Rolfe led Battle Creek with 14 followed by Bob James, a fine center, with 13.

The Dutch closed their season with a 4-12 record while Battle Creek of the Six A league is now 8-8.

Box score:

Holland	FG	FT	PF	TP
Van Dyke, f	3	6	2	12
Shaffer, f	6	2	4	14
Kleinheksel, c	2	3	4	7
Japinga, g	0	2	1	2
Vander Yacht, g	1	2	1	4
Vander Poel, f	0	0	1	0
Overway, c	1	0	2	2
Robbert, f	0	2	0	2
Totals	13	17	13	43

Battle Creek (56)

Graham, f	3	2	3	8
Steeby, f	2	0	3	4
James, c	5	3	3	13
Davis, g	3	3	3	9
Rolfe, f	6	2	4	14
Hjortas, f	2	2	3	6
Gordon, g	1	0	0	2
Totals	22	12	19	56

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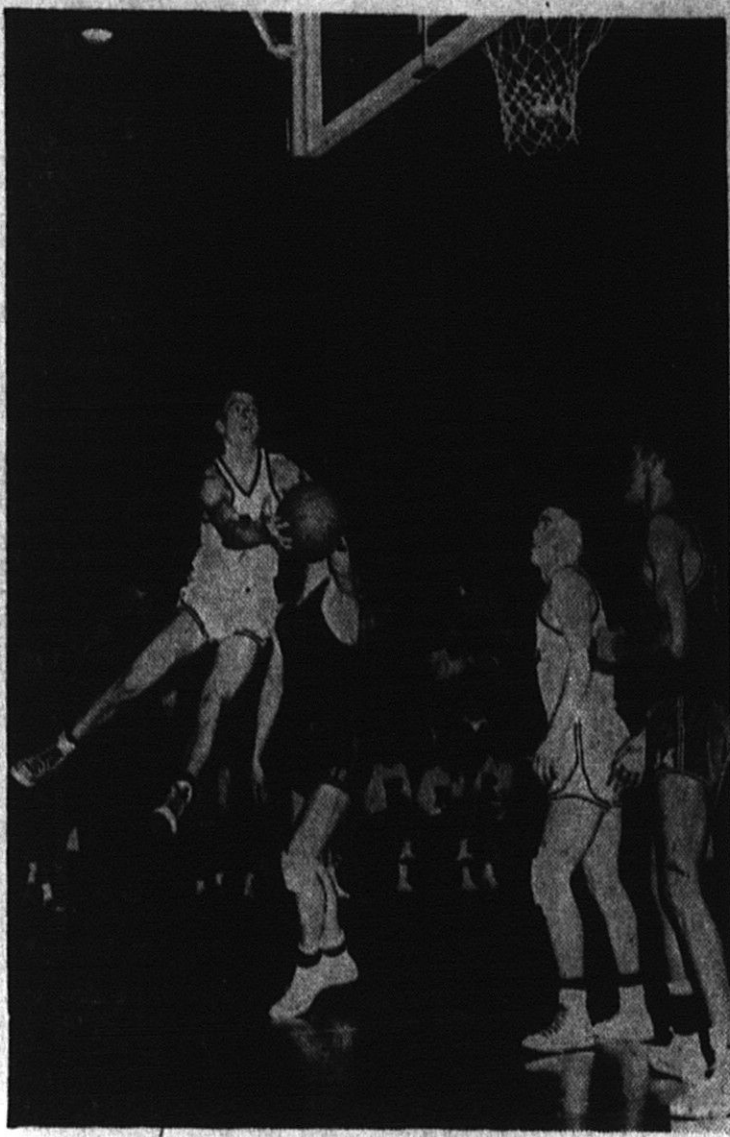
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LAYING IT UP — Sherri Shaffer, Holland forward, leaves the ground in an attempt to chalk up another basket for Holland against Battle Creek Tuesday night. Shaffer was successful in making five buckets, including four in the last quarter, but the Dutch were held to 13 baskets in losing to the Bearcats in the Class A regional in Civic Center. Trying vainly to stop the shot is Jim Graham (42) while Ron Van Dyke of Holland and Bob James of the Bearcats wait to see Shaffer's success. Battle Creek won the game 56-43 and will play Kalamazoo Central Thursday night at 8:30 p.m. (Ben Young Photo.)

Junior High Pupils Given First Ratings at Festival

Holland Junior High Band and Orchestra members were the only students to receive a first division rating from each of the four judges at the annual Band and Orchestra Festival in Grand Haven last Saturday. Nineteen West Michigan junior high school bands and junior and senior orchestras earned first division ratings and were among the more than 2,000 musicians from 15 communities who participated.

Three of the judges based their decisions on concert playing and the fourth on sight reading.

The Junior High Orchestra under the direction of Carleton Kelch, will enter the state contest in Muskegon on April 14.

An unusual innovation this year was the performance of Holland Grade School Orchestra. They were not competing for a division rating, but were complimented on their excellent performance. For this effort members of the orchestra received Certificates of Merit signed by all officers of the District 7 Band and Orchestra Festival.

Approximately 200 parents accompanied the musicians and enjoyed the facilities of the new Grand Haven High School. Mr. Salisbury chaperoned Junior High students who went by bus.

The Junior High band has accepted an invitation of Albert Meerzoo, director of Muskegon Heights band, to play for an assembly program in April. Ray Roth is the director of the local band.

At a regular meeting of the Band and Orchestra Boosters Club held Monday evening at Van Rualte School, members heard Supt. Walter W. Scott who spoke in connection with the music program in the Holland schools. A film describing the various parts of a band or orchestra was shown.

During the business meeting it was announced that new uniforms for the Grade School band will be ready shortly and plans are being discussed for a Pops Concert at which time it is hoped members may wear the new uniforms for the first time.

Jim Crozier, president of the Boosters' Club, appointed a nominating committee after which there was a social hour.

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Saugatuck

The Rev. Dow D. Nagel was taken to Grand Rapids Monday where he will be under observation and treatment at Butterworth Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Bryan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wade in Benton Harbor. Mrs. Bryan and Mrs. Wade are sisters.

Mrs. Willis Bryan was called to Farmington, Mo., by the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. I. F. Robinson. Mrs. Bryan made the trip by plane.

The Past Matrons Club of the Saugatuck O.E.S. met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Wicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koning have returned from a winter in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koning expect to go to Florida next week.

The Lions Club held its annual Father and Sons meeting at the high school cafeteria Tuesday evening.

F. M. Kreusch, formerly of Saugatuck, celebrated his 94th birthday in St. Petersburg, Fla., last week.

The annual meeting of Douglas Community Hospital was held in the American Legion Hall in Saugatuck Monday evening.

Dominic Leod has sold his barber shop on Butler St. to William Schumacher of Douglas.

A letter from Mr. and Mrs. Byfield says they expect to return to their Lake Shore home in May.

A son, David, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warnshuls of Greenville, last Sunday. Mrs. Warnshuls is the former Delores Thomas of Saugatuck.

Mrs. Winifred McDonald has returned from Detroit where she visited her daughter Marjorie who is convalescing following surgery.

Miss Mildred Blakesley is a house guest of Mrs. Frank Flint having returned to Saugatuck to sell her home on Allegan and Maple Streets.

Raymond Stillson of Williamston visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wicks, last week.

The Camp Fire Girls will present a musical at Saugatuck High School March 15 at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Nancy Francis entertained her canasta club at her home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Ball is visiting her daughter Patricia and family, the Carl Worrels of Detroit this week. Mrs. Grace Munson who spends her summers in Saugatuck is spending a month in Sarasota, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilson are vacationing in Florida.

The Rev. Clarence Ellinger of Hopkins is occupying the pulpit of Douglas Congregational Church while Rev. Nagel is ill.

Jack Daskam, who has been a guest in the Harry Newnam home, left Friday evening for Minneapolis, Minn.

Weekend guests in the Harold Whipple home were their daughter, Ruth Jean of Farmington, Mich., and daughter Harriett and family, the Jack McDermotts, of Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. Shelby Heuer writes that she will return to Saugatuck to open her home Heuers' Lodge, the middle of March.

Clarence Lynds will accompany the Fred Koenigs on their trip to Florida.

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Conservation Series Attracts 100 Sportsmen

More than 100 Holland sportsmen got some first hand information on fishing Monday night from Robert G. Fortney, district fisheries supervisor for the Department of Conservation.

Fortney appeared in Washington School gym in the first of four meetings sponsored jointly by the Holland Community Evening School and the Holland Fish and Game club.

Fortney included in his talk some sound conservation ideas along with outdoor incidents. In drawing a parallel, he used the Lewis and Clark expedition of the early 19th century when there was no wild life management to the present day when a pond on a farm can be made to earn a profit.

He showed and demonstrated a variety of rods, reels, lines and lures with much dexterity and maintained a running comment of "homely", humorous examples to point out his argument for conservation of natural resources.

Neil De Waard, former Fish and Game club president, presided at the meeting and introduced the speaker. He outlined the program the club and community schools are trying to achieve in getting greater interest in conservation.

A Holland High School trumpet trio of Jim Van De Vusse, Harold Wise and Andries Steketee, accompanied by Paul Lucas, provided music.

Edward W. Ray, superintendent of Michigan's Conservation Training school at Higgins Lake will speak and show a film at the next meeting next Monday. His topic will be "Hunting in Your Own Backyard" and the film is titled "Nature's Half-Acre."

The public is invited to the meetings.

Holland Area Students To Tour With Calvin Band

Several Holland area students at Calvin College in Grand Rapids are members of the college Concert Band which will visit seven Midwestern cities on its annual spring concert tour March 21-28. The 75-piece band will play in Chicago, Hammond Ind., Waupun and Sheboygan, Wis., Grand Haven, Kalamazoo and Detroit.

The band is directed by Harold P. Geardes, assistant professor of music at the college.

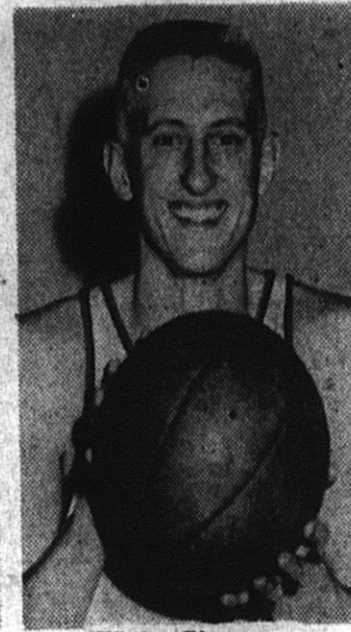
Members from this area are Dale Topp, 26 East 16th St., Holland, Lois De Groot, 75 East 15th St., Holland; Miriam Boven, 37 West 21st St., Holland; Gordon Bouwman, Hamilton; Mary Lou Kemme, route 3, Zeeland, and JoAnn Westenbroek, 804 Bertsch Dr., Holland. All are graduates of Holland Christian High School.

Injured in Collision

Arnold Hassevoort, 27, of 191 Elwill Ct., Wednesday morning received head lacerations and chest injuries when a car he was driving struck the rear of a parked truck on 136th Ave., near Riley Ave. Operator of the truck was Marinus Vanden Berg, 58, Kalamazoo. Ottawa County deputies said the Hassevoort '51 model car was a total loss.



Paul Benes



Whitey Riemersma

Riemersma, Benes Picked To All-Loop Second Team

Hope College placed two men on the all-MIAA basketball second team while conference champion Calvin had three first team selections. De Gay Ernst, MIAA judge advocate, who compiled the team following a vote by league coaches, announced today.

Dwight (Whitey) Riemersma, senior, and Paul Benes, freshman, were named to the conference second team at forward and center. Riemersma tied with Kalamazoo's Dave Moran of Holland for one of the forward

positions. Tom Newhof, center and sophomore, Don Vroon and Jim Kok, both guard selections and seniors, made up the Calvin first team representatives.

John Hannett, Albion junior forward and conference scoring champ and Leon Harper, Adrian sophomore forward and runnerup in the scoring with 275 points were the other first team selections.

Hannett, who scored 300 points in 14 games, was the only unanimous choice.

Former Holland Man Succumbs in Wisconsin

John Wielinga, 87, former Holland resident, died Saturday morning in Madison, Wis., where he had lived for the last 3 1/2 years. Mr. Wielinga had left Holland a number of years ago and lived in St. Joseph and Grand Rapids before moving to Madison.

Surviving are the wife, Clara; a daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Kissner of Madison; two sons, Andrew of Grand Rapids and William of Madison; seven grandchildren.

Sophomore Henry Hughes of Adrian, the league's scoring champion in 1935-36 and again in 1934-35—and an all-MIAA choice both years—just missed the first team although out of six first semester games due to scholastic ineligibility. He finished ninth in scoring with 198 points for a 24.1 point average.

Other second team selections were sophomore George Carter of Alma and junior Gary Morrison of Kalamazoo.

This is Vroon's third straight year on the all-MIAA first team. Kok made the second team two years ago and the first team last winter. Harper was on the second team a year ago. Morrison, on this year's second team, was on the first five last season.

Receiving honorable mention were Hal Molenaar of Hope; Al Shaefer, Jim Woods of Hillsdale; Charles Tucker and Doug Steward of Kalamazoo; Norm Schultz and Maynard Stafford of Olivet and Bill Collison of Albion and Ron Lude of Alma.



WHEN IT RAINS IT POURS — The George Smiths, plagued by a lack of water at their new home in Virginia Park, now have more than they need. In an area where wells usually produce only five to 10 gallons of water per minute, the Smiths have one which produces 40 gallons per

minute. Smith, at right, is shown with George Schutmaat, center, owner of the drilling company, and driller James Orrell, who "brought in" the unusual well Monday morning.

(Sentinel photo)

40-Gallon-a Minute Well Discovered in Park Area

Missionary Welcomed Home by Ladies Aid

A spring atmosphere prevailed despite blustery March weather Thursday afternoon as 55 members of Trinity Ladies Aid welcomed home their missionary, Miss Esther De Weerd of India. Her mother, Mrs. Henry De Weerd of Kalamazoo, was also a guest at the meeting in the church lounge.

Gay kite name tags in spring colors identified the guests. A personal gift appropriately wrapped to resemble a kite with its "tail" bearing tags of love, comfort, cheer, prayers and good wishes, was presented to Miss De Weerd, who wore a yellow jonquil corsage, also a gift from aid members.

Mrs. Lincoln Sennett introduced the guest of honor, who greeted the group preceding an informal social hour. Refreshments were served from a table featuring yellow and white snapdragons and green and white candles by Mrs. Johanna Schaap, Mrs. Agnes Schaap and Mrs. J. Vander Kolk. Mrs. J. Hains and Mrs. M. Stegenka poured.

Devotions, led by Mrs. Eldert Bos, emphasized lenten thoughts and illustrated God's bridging of the gap between sinful man and Himself. Mrs. Jacob Westerhoff, president, conducted the business meeting.

Heart Attack Fatal For Grand Haven Man

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Charles Alex Brandel, 53, of 209 North 6th St., died unexpectedly of a heart attack at his home Saturday noon. He was born in Oconto, Wis. March 20, 1902. He had lived in Grand Haven for some time and had been employed at the Story and Clark Piano Co., and Ryenga Lumber Co. He was a member of the Eagles Lodge and had attended the Methodist church.

Besides the wife, he is survived by two daughters, Marian and Roberta, and one son, Edward, all at home; two stepdaughters, Madeline and Judy Fochtman of Grand Haven, two stepsons, William Fochtman of Milwaukee, and Paul of Grand Haven; also a sister, Mrs. Norman Kittler of Milwaukee, and a brother, William of Fort Worth, Texas.

Miscellaneous Shower Honors Gladys Wedeven

Miss Gladys Wedeven was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Julius Wedeven in Hamilton. The party was given by Mrs. Wedeven and Mrs. Willis De Boer assisted by Mrs. Harry Jipping and Mrs. Marvin Klokert.

A two-course lunch was served and games were played with duplicate prizes awarded. Invited were the Mesdames Albert Klokert, George Paul, Harm Kuite, Henry Vrugink, Herman Berens, John Jipping, Joe Jipping, Harry Jipping, John Paul, Jerry Meeuwse, Milton Barkel, Marvin Klokert, Garry Aalderink, Richard Brower, Louise Serie, Henry Wedeven, Willis De Boer, Julius Wedeven and the Mesdames Linda Serie, Sylvia Klokert, Marlene Jipping, Glenda Brower, Beverly Berens, Pat Serie, Barbara De Boer and Paul Wedeven.

Marriage Licenses

Ottawa County
Peter Sloboda, Jr. 25, Marne, and Shirley R. Raskiewicz, 21, Marne; Frederick C. Herbst, Jr., 23 of Grand Haven and Joan R. Shaffer 23, Grand Haven; Howard Arens 28, Grand Rapids.

It's been months since the new home of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Jr., was completed at 631 Harrington Ave. in Virginia Park. Just one problem prevented their moving in. No water.

Drillers had found surface water, but its "potability" was very poor and the taste and odor were not pleasant, probably because of the nearby swampy area.

Now, nine months later, James Orrell, driller for the Hamilton Supply Shop, has hit the jackpot. For several days the driller, in the front yard of the home, and Monday morning brought in a well that's a rarity in those parts. At a depth of 123 feet, the well began gushing 40 gallons of water per minute. The usual output in that area, which runs along a swampy ravine, is only five to 10 gallons per minute.

George Schutmaat, owner of the company, explained that the driller undoubtedly hit an unusually good stratum, or water producing sand.

"There isn't much we can do to get water if the stratum isn't there," Schutmaat said. "However, in most cases the stratum can be treated in scientific ways and water production can be increased and bettered. We could probably double the output of this well, if necessary." Schutmaat said, but the 40 gallons per minute will be more than adequate for the Smiths' use." Mrs. Smith need not worry about her water supply for automatic washers, dishwashers and the like, nor for watering the garden.

The Smiths, after being plagued by lack of water since last June, now need only a pump before moving into their new home. Schutmaat said they'll put in the pump as soon as possible.

Donna De Jonge Feted On Her 16th Birthday

Mrs. Garry De Jonge was hostess at a party Saturday evening at her home on James St., in honor of her daughter, Donna, who celebrated her 16th birthday anniversary.

A decorated birthday cake centered the table at which the guests were served supper. The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Beverly.

Pictures were taken of the group after which the guests went skating at the Zeeland coliseum.

Those honoring Donna were the Mesdames Shirley Kruihof, Eleanor Smith, Judy Fisher, Betty Brower, Judy Jongekrijg, Linda Overbeek, Sandy Bloemers, Connie Jansen, Karen Nienhuis and Marcia Veldheer.

Paul Beyer Honored While Home on Leave

Paul Beyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Beyer of 128 West 19th St., left last week for duty aboard the USS Paricutin, after spending a 14-day leave here from boot camp at Great Lakes, Ill.

His parents entertained at a party in his honor at their home. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Cal Jansen, Sharon and Roger, Mr. and Mrs. John Jansen, Jr., and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wierda and Teddy, John Jansen, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jansen, Mr. and Mrs. Mike De Jongh, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Beyer and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Beyer, Dr. and Mrs. Donald De Witt of Saugatuck and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Beyer of Zeeland.

Unable to attend were Mrs. John Jansen, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jansen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tuis, Jr., and Edna Jansen.

Gary Vander Ark of 832 East Eighth St., Lois Kok, 105 West 19th St., and Vince Vandewerp, 111 East 10th St., are members of the Calvin College A Cappella Choir, which will leave Wednesday, March 21, on a 10-day concert tour of Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Massachusetts and Ontario, Canada.

Engaged



Miss Marilyn Jean Brink

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Brink announce the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn Jean, to E. Nickolas Bridges, son of the Charles F. Bridges of Walled Lake.

The bride-elect is teaching in Birmingham and Mr. Bridges is attending law school at Vanderbilt University. Both are Michigan State University graduates.

A June 16 wedding is planned.



Miss Carol Diana Drake

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald J. Drake of Fonda, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Carol Diana, to Gordon Meeusen, son of Simon J. Meeusen of Holland.

Miss Drake is a graduate of Green Mountain Junior College, Poultney, Vt., and is a junior at Hope College where she is majoring in physical education. She is a member of Sigma Sigma Sorority. Mr. Meeusen is also a junior at Hope College and is a music major. He is a member of Omicron Kappa Epsilon Fraternity and is treasurer of his class.

A late summer wedding is planned.



Miss Marian Bruins

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bruins of Hudsonville announce the engagement of Mr. Bruins' daughter, Marian, of Holland, to Henry A. Rubingh of Grand Rapids. Mr. Rubingh is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mettus Rubingh of Ellsworth. A fall wedding is being planned.

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The Rev. and Mrs. Gerard Van Gronigen spent the weekend in Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., where he fulfilled an appointment. Seminarian, Jan Van Dyk had charge of both services on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Van Dyk are staying at the parsonage during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Van Gronigen.

Reitze De Haan who spent several months at Pine Rest in Cutlerville is now staying at the home of his daughter in Dor.

Prayer Day services will be held tonight at 7:45 p.m. the catechism classes will meet Thursday evening this week.

The Golden Hour Society is sponsoring the widely known "Martin Luther" film in the local church on Friday evening at 7:30. The spring Korean Relief Clothing Drive is to be started April 16 through April 30. Clothing must be brought to the church basement.

The young people of the congregation are taking part in the annual Young Calvinist campaign. Donations go to support the work for our servicemen. The campaign will be March 19.

Mrs. Bernice Griffiths spent a number of days in Holland Hospital. She is much better.

Volunteer drivers are needed to go to the Millgrove Mission March 20 to 27. Gordon De Jong is in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rynsburger spent Sunday evening in Cutlerville with Mr. and Mrs. Al Van Eck and daughters.

The Mothers Club of the Owen's School met for their regular monthly meeting on Monday evening. Cards for all purposes are being sold by the members. Refreshments were served.

Infant baptism was administered to Mary Jo daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Huyser.

Louis P. Vander Berg, owner of the Ottawa Telephone Company is undertaking an \$81,000 modernization and conversion program expected to take about 18 to 20 months. A complete automatic dial system will be installed.

Mrs. Birdie Mae Emery Succumbs at West Olive

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Birdie Mae Emery, 53, of route 1, West Olive died at her home Monday. She had been in ill health for several years. She was born July 14, 1902 in Robinson Township and her maiden name was Birdie Tuttle.

She married Chester Emery on Dec. 19, 1919. She was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

She is survived by the husband, three sons, Martin and Byron of Grand Haven township and William of Ada; one daughter, Dorothy Ann at home; five brothers, George Charles, Ray and Donald Tuttle of Tustin, Mich., and Alfred of Fruitport; four sisters, Mrs. Lucy Giddings and Mrs. Tom Wheeler of Tustin, Mrs. Louis Wheeler of Plainwell and Mrs. Leslie Lucas of Luther.

Ralph W. Brouwer Succumbs at Home

Ralph W. Brouwer, 83, of route 2, Holland, died Sunday morning at his home after a short illness. He was born Dec. 18, 1872, in Olive township, where he lived his entire life. His wife, Reka, died in January, 1932.

Surviving are a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Martinus Nienhuis of route 2; a grandson, Roger Wayne Nienhuis; two brothers, Cornelius and Charles, and a sister, Mrs. George Deur, all of Holland, and several nieces and nephews.

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