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Prison Camp Discussed By Brooks

By Paul Van Kolken
Earnest C. Brooks of Holland, former chairman of the State Department of Corrections and originator of the camp program allowing prisoners to live and work outside walled prisons, had mixed feelings Wednesday about plans for a proposed prison facility in Laketown.

But Brooks agreed there was a need for more of the camp type programs begun 25 years ago and which has drawn national attention.

Brooks was named corrections commissioner in 1949 and was chairman of the Department of Corrections when it was created in 1953. He served on the commission until Jan. 1, 1976, completing 25 years.

"There is no such place as a 'medium security' prison," said Brooks. "Either you have them behind walls or you don't."

Use of the St. Augustine Seminary property was proposed as a medium security facility with fences around the 50 acre site.

Brooks said the camp program was started in the Waterloo area near Jackson where the Conservation Department needed work done in the area parks.

Men were released from the prison at Jackson daily to work in the parks and returned to the prison at night but weather conditions created some problems in transporting the men back and forth.

Brooks said the idea to house the prisoners at the camp work areas was born and the legislature appropriated \$40,000 to construct the first camp facilities.

In the following few years eight to ten other prison camps were formed with about 1,500 inmates taking part.

"We found by working carefully with the selection of inmates for the camp program we had good luck. It gave the men a chance to do some work and get something out of the program. There is nothing to be gained by keeping them behind walls," Brooks said.

Prison personnel from New York and California patterned camp programs after Michigan's plan.

Prisoners have done outdoor work for years in the Gun Lake and Yankee Springs area and the Allegan State Forest area, Brooks added.

He saw the proposed St. Augustine facility as an extension of the prison camp program but declined comment on the choice of location.

Corrections Department director Perry Johnson Monday night said the facilities would lend itself to use as an educational center with classrooms and vocational training.

Fire Levels Home Near Fennville

FENNVILLE — Fire of undetermined cause burned down a home south of Fennville Sunday night that was damaged by a fire in January.

Fire chief Gerald Steenburg said the two story wood-frame structure was owned by John Teets and was located along 57th St. 1/2 mile south of Fennville.

Repairs were being finished on the home damaged by fire in January, Steenburg said, and no one was home at the time of the fire. Damage estimates were not available.

A state fire marshal was called in to investigate the cause of Sunday's blaze. Firemen remained at the scene until 1:30 a.m. Monday.

Driver of Truck Escapes Injuries

ALLEGAN — Charles Ogden, 32, of Burnips, escaped injuries when the semi-trailer truck he was driving south along M-40 failed to negotiate a curve east of 34th St. near Allegan and rolled over Thursday at 8 p.m.

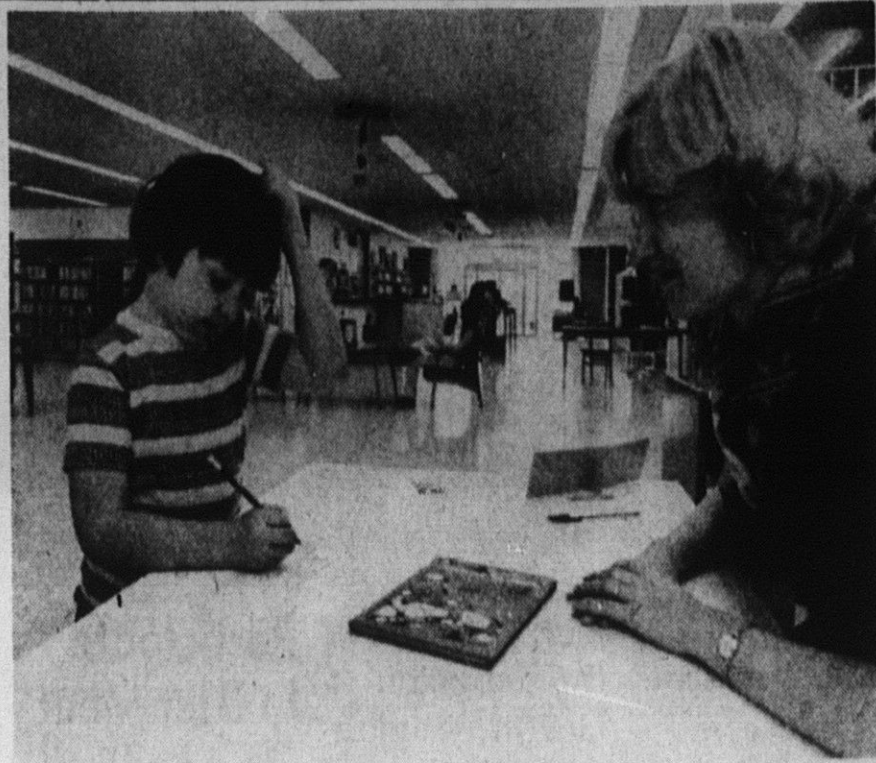
Allegan County deputies said Ogden apparently fell asleep at the wheel of the truck.

The truck, carrying a load of onions and parsley, went down a 30 foot embankment and overturned. Deputies said Ogden was heading for Detroit when the accident occurred.

CD Sirens Tested In County Alert

Civil Defense sirens at 23rd St., and Dieken Ave., and at 27th St., and Myrtle Ave., failed to perform satisfactorily during a test at 11 a.m. Friday in Holland and Ottawa County.

CD director Glen Timmer said all other sirens functioned properly during the three minute test designed to alert citizens to the siren sounds in case of natural or severe weather emergency or enemy attack.



HOW DO YOU SPELL...? — A perplexed Thomas Hutter, 6, of 188 West 11th St., ponders the spelling of his school, Washington, where he is a first grader. The youngster was one of more than 300 adults

and children registering for the new library card system Tuesday. Assisting Thomas is library aide in charge of registration, Lynn De Young.

(Sentinel photo)

Registration System Begins at Herrick

Library Cards: A New Status?

By Ann Hungerford
Liisa Penrose has all the angles covered.

Should her new library registration card dissolve in the laundry water along with the indigo blue dye in her jeans, she's prepared.

A recipient of a \$2 a week allowance, the Washington School sixth grader is already anticipating how to earn additional funds for a replacement card should the one she is totting in her jeans pocket be forgotten on washday.

An almost daily patron of Herrick Library and volunteer book shelver in the children's department, Liisa is a strong believer in the new registration system initiated Tuesday.

"I really see why they had to do it (registration)," she explains, "so there wouldn't be so many books being ripped off."

A dewey faced beauty strongly resembling the adolescent Liz Taylor, Liisa admits she may have a problem if she forgets her card, "if I don't have a pocket in my pants," she says.

Registered persons forgetting cards may still check out books but a 25 cent fee will be charged to verify identity. And to replace lost cards a 50 cent fee will be charged.

Six-year-old Thomas Hutter, first grader at Washington School, hasn't anticipated the dilemma of where to carry his card. He's just thrilled to have one.

With the patient assistance of Lynn De Young, library aide in charge of registration, Thomas meticulously completed the brief application punctuating each printed letter with a heavy sigh and wipe of his brow.

"I've checked out books before, but I've never had so much trouble," he exclaimed following his five-minute approximately 20-word ordeal. (Adults will take only a minute to fill out comparable information.)

"It's awfully hard to do," Thomas continued. "My hand gets tired from all that writing. But I guess it will be easier next time."

It will. Cards need only be renewed every four years and book check outs follow the identical system as pre-registration.

To complete the registration transaction, youngsters under 16 must have the application co-signed by a parent or guardian.

Mrs. De Young encountered the most reluctance from a library volunteer who insisted that she need not fill out a form since she knew her. It was to no avail.

Everyone from the president of the library board to Mrs. De Young's mother had to produce proper identification and list one reference.

Due to infrequent but evident complications arising from a lack of appropriate identification, some unusual but verifiable proofs of identification have been accepted.

The registrar indicated that several people complained that registration should not be for them, an attitude of "other people steal books, I don't."

Only persons with \$1.50 or more in fines due are refused an application until fines are paid.

Mrs. De Young commented that almost all patrons have been pleased with the new system, particularly the older citizens who recall that until recent years, cards had been mandatory.

One woman recalled that dog-eared, dilapidated cards had been real status symbols, signifying a well-read youngster.

So painter pants and down jackets move over.

The next status symbol among Holland's youth may prove to be a frayed library card.

West Ottawa School Board Petitions Available

Nominating petitions for the West Ottawa Board of Education are now available at the district's offices, 294 West Lakewood.

Expiring in June are the four-year terms of Don Ladewig and Louis Van Slooten.

Petitions which must bear a minimum of 20 names must be returned to the office by 4 p.m. Monday, April 11.

Election will be held June 13. The West Ottawa office is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Republicans Win In Village Ballots

SAUGATUCK — Republicans were elected to village councils in Saugatuck and Douglas in Monday's general elections.

In Saugatuck Republicans De Forest Doerner, Robert Rea and Robert Gardner were elected to two-year council terms while Robert Jones, unopposed, was named to a one-year term.

Also running for a two-year term was Democrat James R. Potts.

In Douglas Republicans Larry Phillips, Richard Snyder and Carl Wicks were elected to two-year terms defeating Democrats Larry Hosley and William Shook. Write-ins were received for Bruce Troutman and William Schumacher Jr.

Traffic Blocked By Derailment

Traffic along Central Ave. was blocked Wednesday when a railroad car left the tracks between Fourth and Sixth Sts. at 7:30 a.m. Police said there were no injuries.

Set \$2,108,900 Budget

Christian Schools Elect 5 to Board

Five new members were elected to the Board of Trustees of the Holland Christian Schools at the society's 76th annual meeting Wednesday and a 1977-78 operating budget of \$2,108,900 was approved.

Elected to the board were Jerome Bush, Alfred Rietbrink, Lloyd Ver Hage, Vernon Beelen and Gordon Raterink. Their three-year terms begin in September.

Retiring are Donald Branderhorst, Donald Schreier, Robert Buscher, Jay Hop and Gerrit Van Langevelde.

The operating budget for 1977-78 represented an 8.4 per cent increase over the current year. An enrollment of 2,210 is expected next year. Treasurer Kenneth VandenBosch explained major increases in spending and revenues.

School superintendent Martin Essenburg reviewed enrollment trends, curriculum development, programs for the professional growth of teachers, sale of property and special honors for three teachers.

Cited were Daniel Vander Ark, high school English teacher who has been accepted into

Public Use Of CATV Discussed

Plans for more public use of cable television access channels has set its sights on the St. Augustine seminary property along Lake Michigan south of Holland in Allegan County's Laketown township for a proposed medium and minimum security prison.

Chairman Reed Brown said the commission will develop a questionnaire to community service organizations asking their interest in cable television and whether they would take part in a committee to serve as a clearing house for volunteers who could help in television productions.

Continental Cablevision has provided studio space and equipment for local productions. The equipment includes a black and white video tape camera, two monitors and two recorders.

Free studio time up to 30 minutes is available with a minute by minute charge after that. Technical assistance is available from Continental at \$10 per hour.

Under provisions of a cable television system, the public is given use of some channels. Public access is provided on one channel, another is devoted to messages and a third channel, operated as a commercial channel by continental, has public time available.

After the public meeting the CATV Advisory committee elected officers and returned Brown as chairman until June, 1978. Helen Brockmeier was named vice chairman.

Allegan Inn Damaged by Fire

ALLEGAN — Vicki's Inn at M-40 and M-89 was damaged by fire at 12:05 a.m. Monday that began in the kitchen area. Authorities said smoke and water damage was reported elsewhere in the building.

The cause of the fire was not determined and damage estimates were not immediately available, Allegan deputies said.

The restaurant was owned by Roger Iehl and no one was reported in the restaurant at the time of the fire.

Option Taken on Seminary's 600 Acres

St. Augustine Proposed Choice

By Paul Van Kolken
The state Department of Corrections has set its sights on the St. Augustine seminary property along Lake Michigan south of Holland in Allegan County's Laketown township for a proposed medium and minimum security prison.

Corrections director Perry Johnson told a hastily called meeting of area civic leaders Monday night in the Warm Friend Motor Inn that he has given up the idea of a prison farm in the Allegan State game area.

He added that the St. Augustine seminary site, with 1 1/4 miles of lakeshore and rolling sand dunes off 66th St., had been proposed about two weeks ago and that an option has been taken on the 600 acre site.

The seminary announced last year that it planned to phase out the facilities and would put the property up for sale.

Johnson said the corrections department would use the buildings existing on a 50 acre site away from the lakeshore for the proposed prison while the remaining 550 acres would be used by the Department of Natural Resources for potential park purposes.

Such a combination of prison and public park now exists at the Cassidy Lake Technical School at Chelsea, Johnson explained.

The selling price of \$4.2 million is subject to a state appraisal and Johnson estimated it would cost \$5.1 million to purchase the 50 acres and prepare the buildings for prison uses.

A new facility would require three years planning and construction and would cost \$17 million, Johnson added.

Under the projected timetable first prisoners could be using the St. Augustine facilities by August or September.

Johnson envisioned 400 inmates in the medium security prison and another 80 in a minimum security setting.

The medium security facility would be surrounded by a fence and an electronic sensing system to prevent escapes or walk-aways. Guards would not be armed.

The minimum security facility would have no fencing. Inmates using the proposed facilities would have a capacity for education and face release in two to five years. There would be no sex offenders, none with pending charges against them for such offenses as rape, robbery or murder, none with previous escape attempts from other facilities and none with major misconduct in six months.

Johnson said the completed facility would operate with a \$3 1/2 million annual budget and employ about 180 workers, most from the local area. Included would be teachers, maintenance persons, food service and some guards.

Johnson assured a public hearing would be held, most likely in two weeks in Allegan, before funds are appropriated for the property.

Faced with criticism about the handling of the proposed Allegan State Game area prison camp and the lack of public information before a recommendation was made, Johnson said the corrections commission decided to hold an informal local meeting to explain the situation.

Former state representative James Farnsworth, now executive assistant to the director of the department of budget and management, said purchase of the property would be recommended to the state legislature which would decide on funding the project.

Farnsworth said he had called a select number of civic leaders, political leaders and others from the area to the meeting to enlist the support of the area but word of the meeting leaked out and scores of citizens joined the meeting. An estimated 200 persons attended.

Farnsworth said negotiations for other prison facilities have been underway in the Detroit area for some time and a warehouse in the downtown area was promising. Also looked at was the Kincheloe Air Force Base in Upper Michigan. The air base is being phased out by the government.

Johnson said Michigan's prison population was expected to double between 1973 and 1978 and there were no back up facilities available to hold prisoners should the federal government put a limit on the prison population.

In looking at St. Augustine, Johnson said the corrections department was seeking a facility that could be easily and quickly converted to prison uses.

The seminary property now includes dormitories, dining facilities, classrooms, administrative offices and recreational facilities, Johnson said.

Allegan County commissioner John Vogelzang from Holland said county commissioners were not aware of the proposal before the meeting and expected the matter would be discussed at the commission meeting in April.

Ottawa County Circuit Court Judge James Townsend said after the meeting that 70 per cent of the persons sentenced by his court are recommended to medium security prisons in Muskegon and Ionia and added that facilities proposed for St. Augustine would be of direct benefit to most of those sentenced from his court.

Mayor Louis Hallacy of Holland, who said he was familiar with the St. Augustine property and operations of the seminary, cautioned Johnson about the cost of operating the buildings.

Hallacy claimed the heating bills were "horrendous" and that the sanitary system would not accommodate a proposed 480 persons.

Hallacy charged that if private investors sought to use the buildings for a motel they would not get approval because of a lack of adequate water and sewer services.

Laketown township residents said private residences were within two blocks of the proposed prison facility and feared property values would drop.

Johnson challenged the citizens to visit with those living near similar medium security prisons in Muskegon and Ionia and learn first-hand of what has happened in those areas since the prisons were opened.

Third Charged In Auto Theft

Steve Jerome of Glenn, one of three persons arrested during an investigation into alleged auto thefts in the Holland area, demanded examination at his District Court arraignment Friday to a charge of auto theft. Bond was set at \$3,000.

Police said Jerome was charged in connection with the alleged theft in Holland Feb. 12 of a car from which some parts were found in Gallien.

Two other persons were arrested on charges of receiving and concealing stolen property. They were Jim Hayes, 20, and Thomas Tolle, 33, both of 137 Lakewood where Holland police and Ottawa county deputies arrested the pair last week.

Police said three cars reportedly were involved in the alleged auto thefts. Two were missing from Holland and one from Muskegon.

Police alleged parts from the cars were being used to build a stock car.

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'Count Blessings,' Vander Jagt Says

"Count Your Blessings" may have been a questionable topic for a Lincoln Day dinner for Ottawa county Republicans on Tuesday night at the polls last November, but U.S. Rep. Guy Vander Jagt of Michigan's 9th district used it as a clarion call to challenges for his party in years to come.

The occasion was the annual Lincoln day dinner Saturday night at Grand Valley State College in Allendale.

"If we only had 80 counties like Ottawa in strategic places throughout the country, we could change American government," the Congressman said. He was alluding to the fact that Ottawa county attracted 85 per cent of the registered vote last November and 75 per cent voted for President Ford who lost the election but attracted 48 per cent of the national vote. Vander Jagt had received 77 per cent.

Although national polls list Republicans at 20 per cent (sometimes 18 per cent), Vander Jagt said people are turning to the Republican party by the tens of millions "but they don't know it." He said the same polls have a marked showing that people are becoming more conservative in their tastes.

"The fundamental difference between Democrats and Republicans is that Democrats think America is great because of what government does for the people, and Republicans think America is great because of what a government permits a free people to do for themselves," Vander Jagt said.

In reviewing tenets from Lincoln to Ford, he said

Citizens Plan Public Meeting

Organizers Hope To Block Proposed Prison in Laketown

DOUGLAS — A grass roots effort whose organizers hope will successfully block a proposed state medium and minimum security prison in Laketown township was launched during a meeting Tuesday of governmental leaders in the Allegan County area.

Representatives from the townships of Laketown and Saugatuck and the villages of Saugatuck and Douglas agreed that Phillip Quade, administrator for the two villages and Saugatuck township, should head the committee to coordinate efforts.

The committee was to plan for a public meeting scheduled Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Saugatuck High School gym.

Allegan county commissioner Walter Bray, whose district includes Laketown township, said the state of Michigan has a 120 day option to purchase the 600 acre-site of the St. Augustine Seminary along Lake Michigan in the township.

He said a request for funds to purchase the property was expected to go to an appropriations committee within ten days and if the funds are appropriated then the battle comes down to Gov. Milliken and Perry Johnson, director of the corrections department.

Johnson explained the proposal for the seminary as a medium and minimum security prison to house 480 inmates during a meeting Monday night attended by an estimated 200 persons.

Assistance from State Reps. Ed Fredricks and Melvin De Stigter and state Sen. Gary Byker and U.S. Rep. Guy Vander Jagt was being sought.

Bray said De Stigter is vice chairman of the appropriations committee.

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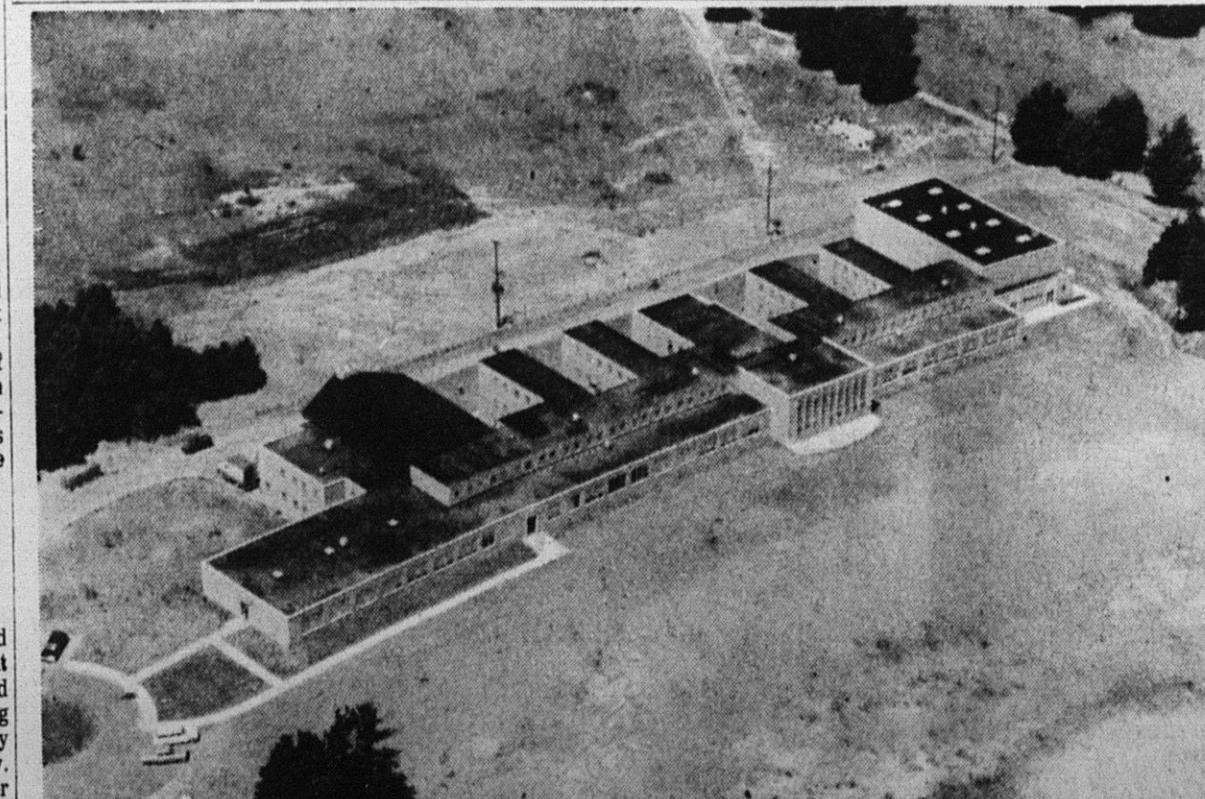
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PRISON SITE — When dedicated Aug. 28, 1964, Hickey Hall at St. Augustine Seminary north of Saugatuck provided room for 250 students with classrooms, dining hall, library, recreation area and chapel. The building was in honor of the Most Rev. Joseph A. Hickey, OSA, the first American

to be Superior of the world-wide Augustinians. Now the 600 acre seminary property along Lake Michigan is for sale and the building is the main structure on a 50-acre site proposed for a medium and minimum security state prison complex.

(Holland Photography photo)

Township Permits Net \$318,900

Fifteen building permits totaling \$318,900 were issued in Holland township during February by Building Inspector Harry Nykerk.

There were three permits for houses with attached garages for \$97,000 and four residential remodeling for \$2,650.

There were four commercial permits for \$182,000. These included repairing fire damage, \$56,000; warehouse construction, \$108,000; one addition, \$9,050, and remodeling, \$9,000.

There was one industrial addition for \$35,000 two signs for \$2,000 and a greenhouse for \$250.

Permits follow:

Ivan De Jonge, lot 21, proposed Canyon Creek Estates, house and garage, \$32,000; self, contractor.

Gene Morren, lot 12, Canyon Creek Estates, house and garage, \$36,000; self, contractor.

Michael Stoner, 3828 140th Ave., lot 13, Rambling Brook Estates, house and garage, \$29,000; Ronald Oppenhuizen, contractor.

Lawrence H. Jackson, 2731 112th Ave., residential remodel, \$1,000; self, contractor.

Grace Reformed Church parsonage, 165 Franklin St., siding, \$800; V & S Siding Co., contractor.

Thomas C. Fosdick, 876 Woodside Dr., remodeling, \$400; self, contractor.

Ray Rosendahl, 555 Pinecrest Dr., remodeling, \$450; Lubbers Cement, contractor.

Kenneth Raak, 779 Maywood Ave., repair fire damage, \$56,000; John Mulder, contractor.

N.B.C. Supply Co., 103 North 120th Ave., warehouse construction, \$108,000; Lamar Construction, contractor; Gordon Sluiter, architect.

Gysbert J. Bron, 151 Coolidge, addition, \$9,050; Wedeven Brothers, contractor.

Baskin Robbins, 573 East Eighth St., remodeling, \$9,000; B. M. Van Valkenburg, contractor; M. E. Wright, architect.

Maes Inc., 215 Charles Dr., industrial addition, \$35,000; Lakewood Construction, contractor.

Marvin Wabeke, 2595 North 120th Ave., greenhouse, \$250; self, contractor.

Mrs. Joseph Dore Dies in Marne

MARNE — Mrs. Joseph (Stella) Dore, 84, formerly of 669 East 12th St., died in a local nursing home early Sunday following a short illness.

Porn in Newaygo county, she came to Holland on her marriage. Her husband died in 1968 and a daughter, Mrs. John (Doreen) McKenna also preceded her in death. She was a member of Sixth Reformed Church, Royal Neighbors of America and the Rebekah Lodge.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Stephen (Lorayne) Novotny of Youngstown, Ohio and Mrs. Benjamin (Norma) Hofmeyer of Baton Rouge, La.; six grandchildren; six great-grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Reformed Church Women Have Program on Hymns

A program based on hymns, their authors and meanings was presented for Calvary Reformed Church Women at their March meeting Tuesday evening in the church lounge.

Several circle members spoke on the authors and their lives and their hymns were sung by the group. Special music was provided by "Sonrise," singing group from local Youth for Christ.

Mrs. Jerrald Redeker presided at the meeting and Mrs. David Kemper and Mrs. Jack Naber conducted devotions. Mrs. Richard Den Hartog, spiritual life chairman, gave closing thoughts following the business meeting.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. D. Wilcox, Mrs. K. Bauman, Mrs. J. Barkel, Mrs. Kemper, Mrs. Naber and Mrs. D. Wehrmeyer.

County Nurse Presents Program for Sorority

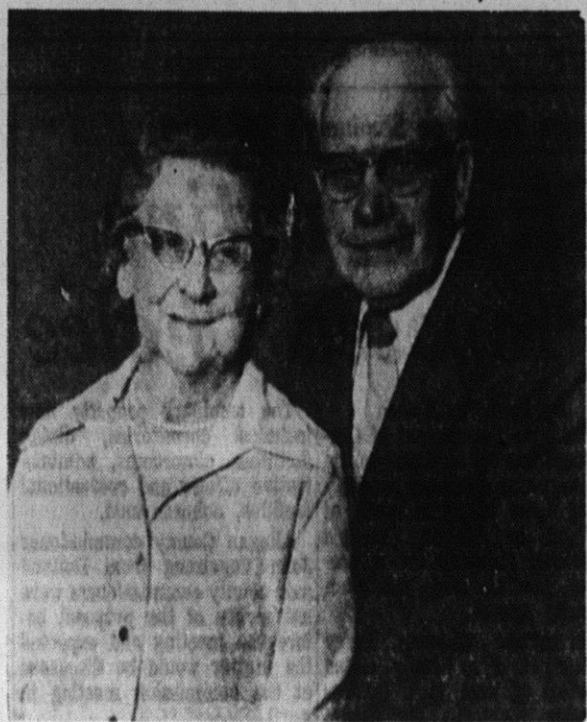
"Follow the Rainbow Road" was the theme for Eta Gamma chapter of Beta Sigma Phi last Monday in the home of Mrs. Richard Cammarota. Prospective members were guests.

Guest speaker was Ms. Elymra Beech, public health nurse for Ottawa county. She gave a presentation on breast cancer, illustrating with an informative movie and demonstration of self-examination techniques.

Business was conducted by president Mary Battaglia. Committee chairmen acquainted prospective members with the chapter and purpose of Beta Sigma Phi.

Dessert was served by Alice Cammarota and Judy Stevenson. Guests were Irene Burns, Terri Kerschen, Barb Nash and Ginny Weber.

Golden Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. James Rabbers, Sr.

March 10 marked the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James Rabbers, Sr., of A-5257 146th. In celebration of the occasion, they will entertain their children and grandchildren at a dinner party on March 19 at Van Raalte's in Zeeland.

Mrs. Rabbers is the former Vina Prillwitz. They were married March 10, 1927, and have lived in Holland all their lives.

They are members of Immanuel Baptist Church.

Their children and grandchildren are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rabbers, Jr., Jerry and Linda, Dave and Carol; Mr. and Mrs. Don (Clara) Brink, Jacalyn, Ed and Phil; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Rabbers, Kevin and Scott, and two great grandchildren, Jeffrey and Chad Rabbers, all of Holland.

Three Promotions Announced By Life Savers, Inc.

Life Savers, Inc., has announced three personnel changes at its plant in Holland.

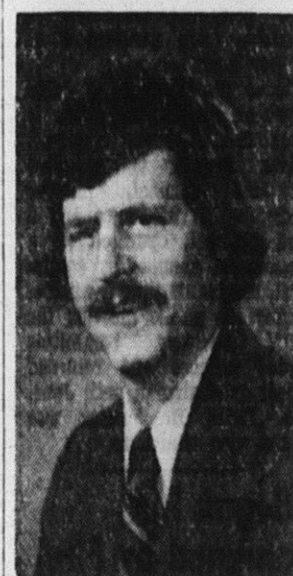
Robert Walters, a graduate of Michigan State University and



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a six year veteran of the Navy, has been named quality control supervisor of the second shift. Walters, his wife and two children live in Holland.

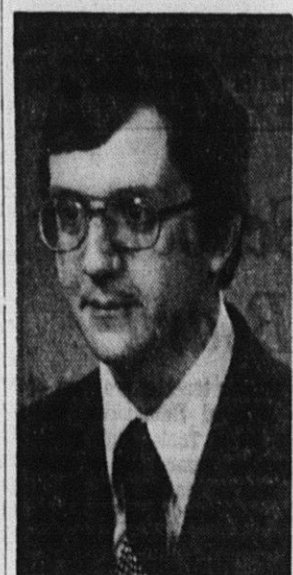
John Kobus, employed with Life Savers since 1974 as lab technician in the quality con-



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trol department, has been promoted to production supervisor in the mint department on the second shift. Kobus is a Hope College graduate and lives in Holland.

James Musgrave, a Bowling Green State University graduate,



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has been named supervisor of costs and budgets in the accounting department. Musgrave and his wife, Mary, live in Zeeland.

Cattle Lost in Fire At Robinson Barn

GRAND HAVEN — Several head of cattle perished in a barn fire along 112th Ave. in Robinson Township Sunday at about 10 p.m., State Police said today.

The barn was owned by Richard De Haan and the loss to the structure and contents was estimated at between \$50,000 and \$60,000. Troopers said several of the 53 head of cattle in the barn were killed. The cause of the fire was not determined.



HOME SHOW BOOTHS — Holland Civic Center was filled with 53 exhibitors taking part in the annual Home Show of



CELEBRATE MUSIC — "Music: Harmony in the Arts," is the theme of Music in Our Schools Week, a nationwide observance celebrated March 9 at Longfellow School. Shown is one of the classes singing songs

and displaying projects made in art class. The assembly was under the direction of Carl Wiltse, general music specialist. Similar programs were held at Washington and Harrington Schools during the week. (Sentinel photo)

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Thursday were Scott Alan Poppema, 278 West Tenth St.; Beatrice M. Kaniff, 103 Grandview; Emma Swanson, 1733 State St.; Violet Scholten, Hudsonville; James Shelby Norwood, Fennville; Alice Foote, Fennville; John F. Santora, 14693 Vanessa; Brenda Hill, South Haven; Doris L. Hietje, 112 East 21st St.; Hubert Pelgrim, Zeeland.

Discharged Thursday were Clarence Buitendorp, 183 Elwill Ct.; Norma Fitts, 450 Howard; Brenda Hill, South Haven; Ruby Jones, Zeeland; Brad Kamphuis, 47 East 28th St.; Kevin Kline, 11357 Greenly; Delia Molina, 81 West Eighth St.; Gregory Stoike, 254 Country Club; Sharron Linda Storey, 585 Pinecrest; Rodney Vermeulen, 401 West 40th St.

Admitted to Holland Hospital Friday were Muriel Hardie, 1663 South Shore Dr.; Rachel Lila Kasinger, 250 West 14th St.; Bessie McDonald, 6887 96th Ave.; Zeeland; Faye Morales, 605 South Bailey Ave.; South Haven; Philip Parr Jr., 523 Butternut Dr.; Christopher Todd Reed, 568 Hiawatha Dr.; Donald Rice, 166 Fairbanks Ave.

Discharged Friday were Adela Garza, 3297 136th Ave.; Hamilton; Lena Karsten, 5 East Eighth St.; Kenneth Long, Allegan; Eleanor Marlink, 1984 92nd Ave.; Zeeland; Russell Nyland, 798 Oakdale Ct.; Timothy Overway, 340 East 24th St.; John Santora, 14693 Vanessa Ave.; Kenneth Vohlken, 148 East 21st St.; Donna Walter, 6480 140th Ave.; Hugh Wassink, 668 Brookside; Robin Young, A-42407 58th St.

Admitted Saturday were Beth Zuidema, 127 West 17th St.; Ella Schmidt, 121 West 30th St.; March Westrate, 1984 92nd Ave.; Frances Hulst, 566 State; Anthony Speet, A-4020 58th St.; Catherine Hopkins, 166½ West Ninth St.; Mitchell Owen, 2469 142nd Ave.; Henrietta Van Brink, 136th Ave.; Hamilton.

Discharged Saturday were Lily Albee, 644 West 21st St.; David Hyde, 443 West 32nd St.; Theodora Muyskens, Resthaven; Scott Poppema, 378 West Tenth St.; Gladys Van Dyke, 3054 104th Ave.; Everdina Wiersma, Resthaven.

Admitted Sunday were Jeanne Cleghorn, 3549 Lincoln Rd.; Hamilton; Aaron Davis, 325 Woodland Ave.; Bert Knoll, Birchwood Manor; Berendina Ras, 6887 Blair, Hudsonville; Minnie Barlow, 287 West 40th St.; Delia Brouwer, O-39990 112th Ave.; Dorothy Van Doornik, 1703 Perry St.; Marty Susanna, 51 East 17th St.; John Brown, 259 Marquette; Margaret Fuerst, 2434 Miles Standish Dr.; Edward Stryker, 451 Huizenga, Zeeland; Steven Essenburgh, 111 West 28th St.; Derek Van Oss, 751 Coolidge Ave.; Dorothy Osborne, 187 East 27th St.

Discharged Sunday were Mrs. Mike DeVree and baby, 116 East 18th St.; Sharon Dekker, Hamilton; Juan Garza, 293 Skylark Ct.; Mrs. David Newman and baby, 174 West Tenth St.; Stepan Noveik, 102 East 16th St.; Frances Lyn Turner, 236 East 12th St.; Mrs. Dan Wyngarden and baby, 166 East 17th St.

Plan Open House In Celebration Of 90th Birthday

Mrs. Peter (Minnie) Jonker will celebrate her 90th birthday on Thursday, March 17.

Her children have planned an open house in her honor on



Mrs. Peter Jonker

Saturday afternoon, March 19, from 2 to 4 in Providence Christian Reformed Church. All friends are invited to attend.

Her children are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jonker of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vander Leek, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jonker and Dr. and Mrs. Milton Wyngarden, all of Holland.

Mrs. Vredevel Succumbs at 84

ZEELAND — Mrs. Adriana Vredevel, 84, of 718 East Central Ave., Zeeland, died this morning in a local rest home where she had made her home for the past nine months.

She was the widow of Louis Vredevel, who died 34 years ago.

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

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Raymond (Clarissa) Lokers of Hamilton; one son, Theodore of Cardiff-By-The-Sea, Calif.; eight grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. John Janssen of Holland; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Edward Boeve of Grand Rapids.

Leprechaun Dance Held By Tulip City Squares

A leprechaun dance held by Tulip City Squares Saturday night in Maplewood School attracted 12 squares. There were 33 guest couples from Grand Rapids, Jenison, Hamilton, East Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Allegan, Grand Haven, Wayland, Fennville, Bangor and Holland.

It was an all singing call night, with Jay Bruschat calling the squares. Al Steinke of Benton Harbor cued the rounds.

Next Saturday, March 19, Russ Young of Matawan will call the squares and Bill Blank of Holland will cue the rounds for the dance at 7:30 p.m. in Maplewood School. All square and round dancers are welcome.

16 Seek Building Permits

Sixteen applications for building permits totaling \$29,280 were filed last week with City Building Inspector Jack Langfeldt in City Hall.

They follow: Russell J. Plockmeyer, 568 Lake Dr., garage and interior remodel, \$8,000; self, contractor.

Chemtron Corp., 491 Columbia Ave., panel two rooms, \$2,000; Art Witteveen, contractor.

Boeve Oil Co., 715 Lincoln Ave., remove wall, \$500; Ace Builders, contractor.

Dr. James Howard, 1119 South Shore Dr., replace window on sun porch, add sliding door, \$2,000; Clayton De Vries, contractor.

Russell Nuismer, 249 East 15th St., aluminum siding, \$2,000; Del Goorman Siding Co., contractor.

John Noe, 123 East 31st St., cabinets in recreation room, \$500; Vander Meulen Builders, contractor.

Mrs. Bissell, 637 Bay Ave., addition, \$5,000; Ken Beelen, contractor.

Mrs. Janet Essenburg, 267 West 16th St., aluminum siding, \$1,450; Vanden Bout Siding, contractor.

David Klaver, 184 East 26th St., aluminum siding, \$2,310; Vanden Bout Siding, contractor.

Peter Buhay, 218 East 12th St., panel living room, \$120; self contractor.

C. Lindstrom, 556 Hiawatha Dr., finish recreation room, \$1,200; self, contractor.

Family Take Out, 877 South Washington, sign; self, contractor.

Robert Klein, 599 Elmdale Ct., aluminum siding, \$3,500; Alcor, contractor.

First National Bank, 1 West Eighth St., sign; Sun Ray Sign, contractor.

Herm Dirkse, 877 South Washington, three signs; Sun Ray, contractor.

John Vanden Bosch Jr., 104 Country Club Rd., aluminum eaves, \$700; V & S Siding, contractor.

3 Allegan-Ottawa Shrine Club Members Honored

Three members of the Allegan-Ottawa Shrine Club recently received special honors, according to Chester Walz, president, at a well-attended breakfast meeting held Saturday at Point West.

Charles Gillan was elected Oriental Guide of the 5,600 member Saladin Temple, a position which places him in direct line to become Illustrious Potentate in the future. Fabun R. Hull was elected Shriner of the Year by the Shrine Club Council composed of officers of the 19 Shrine clubs in the Saladin jurisdiction for his outstanding work for Shrinedom and especially for crippled children. Walz was elected vice president of the Council.

Preliminary plans for the Shrine Band Concert during Tulip Time were presented by Paul Klomparsen, general chairman. Future events of the club were also discussed. The many women attending were thanked for their interest and help during the past year.

Arson Suspected In Series of Fires

SOUTH HAVEN — A series of suspicious fires in the Pullman area of Allegan county was under investigation by State Police today as arson. Three of the fires were reported Sunday.

Authorities said the suspicious fires have been found generally at vacant or unoccupied homes and no injuries have been reported.

Latest fires were reported in the areas of 55th St. and 107th Ave. and 55th St. and 111th Ave. and a home along 57th St. south of Fennville.

Troopers said four or five other fires since Wednesday also were under investigation.

VFW Auxiliary Reports Cancer Benefit Success

A regular meeting of Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Post 2144 was held at the post home Thursday evening. President Alta Houting conducted the meeting, which opened with presentation of colors.

Cancer chairman, Jan Cuperus, reported that the benefit smorgasbord was highly successful, enabling the Auxiliary to send a check to Cancer Aid and Research bringing the local group to 200 per cent. A check for \$50 also will be sent to Bar Harbor, Me., and a gift will be presented to the local Cancer Society.

Vada Rosenberger announced that the annual Mother-daughter banquet will be held May 11.

Lunch was served by Sandi Kantz and her committee. Next meeting will be March 24.

Participate In 81st Meet Of Academy

Several Hope College students and faculty members will present papers to the 81st annual meeting of the Michigan Academy of Science, Arts and Letters at Central Michigan University, March 18 - 19.

Faculty members scheduled to present papers include Dr. Paul Van Faasen, associate professor of biology and Les Beach, chairman of the department of psychology.

Dr. Robert Reinking, associate professor of geology, and two students will present papers to both the geography and geology sections. The students are Elizabeth Cadmus, and Robert Drake, both seniors.

Dr. Donald Williams, professor of chemistry, and three students will present a paper to the physical science section. The students are David Vandeveld, a junior, Robert Titus, and James Davidson, both sophomores.

J. Sidney Downey, instructor in economics and business administration, and Mary Kroon, a senior, will present a paper to the management science section.

Dr. Eldon Greij, chairman of the biology department, and three of his students will present two papers to the fisheries and wildlife section. The students are seniors Cynthia Buchan, and Daniel Kiel, and Jennifer Yeomans, a senior from Holland.

Four papers will be presented by representatives of the communication department. Department chairman Joseph MacDoniels, assistant professor Sharon Mahood, and students Rachel Hesselink, a junior and Gary Kirchner, a senior.

Local Hospitals List Six Births

Holland Hospital reports the birth of five babies.

Births March 10 include a daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael De Vree, 118 East 18th St., a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Upton, 215½ West 15th St., and a daughter, Jennifer Debra, to Mr. and Mrs. David Newman, 174 West 10th St.

Births March 11 include a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Egloff, 60 East 26th St., and a son, Ryan Douglas, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sullivan, 47 West 40th.

A daughter, Charity Lynn, was born March 10 in Zeeland Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Huizenga, 201 East 15th St., Holland.

Frank Brandsen Succumbs at 90

Frank Brandsen, 90, of 11400 Bingham St., died Thursday in Holland Hospital following a lingering illness.

Born in Olive Township, he had lived in that area most of his life, was a retired farmer and member of South Olive Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving are his wife, Hattie; one daughter, Mrs. Lester (Mildred) Dams of Crookston, Minn.; a son, John R. Brandsen of Holland; four grandchildren, Kenneth J. Brandsen of Flint, Warren F. of Selma, Calif., Mrs. John (Audrey) White of Grand Rapids and D. Lester Dams of Oak Harbor, Wash.; five great-grandchildren; two sisters - in-law, Mrs. Jacob (Gertie) Brandsen of Zeeland and Mrs. John (Johanna) Brandsen of Holland.

John A. Anderson Succumbs at 79

GRAND RAPIDS — John A. Anderson, 79, of 749 Lockwood NE, died here Sunday.

Born in Holland, he was a retired automobile salesman. He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, the Doric Lodge 342 F. and A.M. and the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rites. Surviving are his wife, Effie; three sons, Robert D. Anderson of Kentwood, James of Grand Rapids and John D. of Holland; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

the Exchange Club last week. The show was sponsored by the Exchange Club. (Sentinel photo)



PENNEY RETIREES — Three employees of the Penney Co. with a total service of 80 years were honored at a retirement party for 105 guests at Point West. Left to right are Henrietta Dykema who has been in

sportswear for 16 years, Manager Floyd J. Folkert, who has been with the Penney Co. 38 years, and Helene Schreur, 26 years in the women's department.

(Sentinel photo)

Penney Manager And Two Employees Retire

The manager of the J. C. Penney Co. in Holland and two long-time employees are retiring.

Floyd Folkert, who started in the local store as a trainee while he was attending Hope College before World War II, has been with the Penney Co. 38 years, returning to his home town here 10 years ago to become manager.

Others are Mrs. Helene Schreur who has been with the company 26 years and Mrs. Henrietta Dykema, 16 years. All three were honored at a retirement dinner last Saturday at Point West.

Folkert interrupted his training program to enter the Air Force in 1942, serving as a navigator on a B-24 through 1945. He returned home as assistant manager and then transferred to Petoskey, also as assistant manager.

He next became manager of the first Penney store in Cleveland area, then transferred as manager of a second Penney store in East Cleveland, and later was transferred to Muskegon as store manager, serving until 10 years ago.

Folkert has been active in civic affairs and in the Downtown Merchants Association. He has served as president of the Holland Chamber of Commerce. He has two children, David of Grand Haven, chief prosecuting attorney for Muskegon county, and Carol Whittemore of Boston, research assistant for the Harvard Graduate School of Business, and one granddaughter, Cindy Folkert.

Mrs. Schreur and her husband John have six children, Paul of Monroe, Mrs. Myra Van Kuiken of South Holland, Ill., Mrs. Lois Simpson of Dalton, Ill., John Jr. of Portage, Iowa of Grafton, Ohio, and Allan of Holland.

Mrs. Dykema and her husband Lewis have three children, Dr. Paul Dykema, Dr. Dale Dykema and Mrs. Kathy Hekman, all of Holland.

Miscellaneous Shower Honors April Bride-Elect

A miscellaneous bridal shower was given Friday evening in honor of Miss Debra Bouwer of Grand Rapids, who will be married April 1 to Bert Elgersma of Edmonton, Canada. The party was given by her aunts, Mrs. Harold Martinie, Mrs. Morris Gort and Mrs. Julian Smit, at the Martinie home.

Blue, pink and yellow carnations were used as decorations. Refreshments were served and games were played, with duplicate prizes awarded.

Invited were the Mesdames Julian Bouwer, George Bouwer, Harm Lambers, John Lambers, Stuart Vander Kooi, John De Nooy, John Keuning and the Mesdames Valorie Martinie, Vicki Martinie, Amy Bouwer and Lisa Gort.

Resthaven Guild Hosts March Birthday Party

Montello Park Christian Reformed Church hosted the Resthaven birthday party there on Monday evening in the social room.

Resthaven Guild sponsored the party with birthday committee members Mrs. Ernest Vandenberg and Mrs. Justin Brink making arrangements. Mrs. Vandenberg presided and Mrs. Jack Tuinsma accompanied for the birthday song and favorite hymns chosen by those residents having March birthdays.

Montello church junior choir sang several songs accompanied by Mrs. Tuinsma and David Hulst, one of the choir members, accompanied on the auto-harp for two numbers. Brenda De Kan sang a solo. A skit was presented by five women, Mesdames Randy Rypma, Ron Johnson, Al Achterhof, Orin Uitmark and James Le Fabre.

The birthday people were George Kooiker, John Calsbeek, Herman Kapenga and Clifford Brighttrall, also Mesdames Henrietta Fuder, Everdon a Wiersma, Rolina Beyer, Helen Hines, Florence Busch, Nellie Kiezer, Bena Steinfort, Gertrude Ver Beek, Jennie Brooks, Harriet Godfrey and Henrietta Daining, also Misses Sue Hofstra and Theodora Muisken. Mrs. Brink greeted the many residents and friends in attendance and pinned a favor on each celebrant.

Dessert was served in the dining room by Mrs. Minnie La Mar, Mrs. Ed Schierbeek and Mrs. Tuinsma.

Mrs. Robert Tanis Succumbs at 85

ZEELAND — Mrs. Jennie Tanis, 85, widow of Robert D. Tanis, formerly of 242 West Tenth St., died Friday in Zeeland Community Hospital following a lingering illness.

She was born in Drenthe, formerly living in Vriesland and had been a member of the Vriesland Reformed Church where she served as a Sunday School teacher and as a member of the Ladies Sewing Guild. Later she moved to Holland where she was a member of Third Reformed Church and of the adult Bible Class and the Ladies Mission Society.

She is survived by two sons, Donald I. of Hudsonville, one daughter, Mrs. Gordon D. (Verna) Evink of Grandville; 17 grandchildren; one sister-in-law, Mrs. John (Johanna) Van Dam of Drenthe; a brother-in-law, Lawrence Tanis of Holland.

3-Act Play Scheduled In South Olive

"Calm Yourself," a three-act comedy by James F. Stone, will be presented next week in the South Olive gym, 6212 120th Ave. Sponsored by South Olive Christian School, the play will be given Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 17-19. Curtain time is 7:45 p.m.

A nonsensical farce, the play takes place in 1936 and includes a cast of five men and five women.

Appearing in the production are Rog Brandsen, Ann Visser, Norma Terpstra, Ruth Kooiker, Steve Terpstra, Mick Knoll, Avis Jongekryg, Milt Jongekryg, Ron Hulst and Dorothy Nienhuis.

Action takes place in the Smithie living room as the family prepares for an honored guest. Even the cuckoo clock enters into the spirit of the occasion and speaks for itself. The ensuing jumble provides a hilarious evening for the audience and many laughs at the expense of the players.

Tickets are available at Mill's Barber Shop in Zeeland and from cast members.

Jaycee Auxiliary Tours JA Center

A tour of the Junior Achievement Center highlighted the Jaycee Auxiliary March meeting Monday evening. Sid Downey, JA director, displayed students' products and explained business aspects.

Auxiliary members later gathered at the home of Kris Stumpf for a business meeting and program. Steve Essenburg, a quarterly winner in the Michigan Jaycees Speak Up contest in Wyoming on Feb. 4, presented his speech to the Auxiliary. Sandy Bodenbender, president, introduced the speaker.

Internal reports were given on sunshine, awards, pass-a-dessert, dinner meeting and orientation. External projects reported were Gerber labels, Meals on Wheels, Tulip Time concessions and Easter egg hunt.

There will be a District 6 luncheon on March 26 in Muskegon. After the business meeting, a work bee was held to make decorations for the annual Jaycee spring dance, to be held March 19 at Carousel Mountain with the Tom Page band.

Guests for the evening were Marlene Ramirez, Lorie Nederveld and Jan Naberhuis.

8,644 Persons Visit Home Show

Attendance at the Holland Home Show, sponsored by the Exchange Club, reached 8,644 for the five-day event in Civic Center which ended Saturday. The figure was 100 more than the total attendance in 1976. Saturday 2,380 persons visited the show.

The Home Show featured 53 exhibitors and proceeds from the show will be used by the Exchange Club for community service projects and charities.



SPRING PRODUCTION — Holland High School students are in the midst of preparations for their spring production of "The Miracle Worker," scheduled to open March 24. Scores of crew workers are busy

at work in support of the 15-member cast. Cast members pictured, left to right, are Julie Van Eck, Dave Trask, Theresa Grace and Mary Beth Apple.

(Photo by Bob Johnson)

Play Opens March 24...

Cast and crews have been busy for more than three weeks on Holland High School's Theatre Department spring production of "The Miracle Worker."

Preparing for the opening on March 24 are 15 cast members plus about 45 students who have volunteered to work on construction and production crews.

Assisting with technical aspects is Kevin Kelly of Hope College. State manager is Eric Ouderkerk; backstage assistant, Karen Hufford; lighting designers, Tim Steer and Bob Johnson, and assistant directors, Betsy Macicak and Bonnie Van

Fleeren. Heading the crews are Heidi DeWilde, Leslie Guggisberg and Debbie Baldwin, costumes; Kathy Haan, make-up; Barb Feininger, scenery and props; Kim Douma and Nancy Dirkse, publicity.

Volunteers on the construction crews are Elaine Charles, Bobbie Funks, Jim Olson, Mark Gargano, Sherry Overton, Dave Van Dyke, Andrea Ehmman and Tom Skiles on scenery and props; Sally Helbing, Patti Fuder, Nancy Fisher, Sue Boundy, Sarah Dykstra and DeeDee Komejan on costumes. Julia Hutter, Karen Boerson, Mary Hallacy and Barb Fein-

ger are working on make-up; Ray Lopez, Lance Johnston, Rick Ricci, Bryan McAlpine and Diane Vanden Brink on lighting, and Eleanor Shoemaker and Vicki Bussies on publicity.

Because "The Miracle Worker" is set in the 1890's, there has been much research involved for most of the crews. Scenery and props have been particularly difficult and the crew is still in need of items, including a lantern, suitcase, cradle and washstand of the era. Anyone in the community who is willing to lend these items for use in the play is asked to telephone the HHS Theater Arts department.



Mrs. Bradley W. Patterson

(Photo by Lyle)

Patterson-Rainey Vows Exchanged In Local Church

Immanuel Baptist Church was the setting for wedding ceremonies Saturday afternoon, March 5, when Donna Jean Rainey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Moeckel, 258 West 16th St., became the bride of Bradley W. Patterson of 233 West 33rd St. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Patterson of 643 West Lakewood Blvd.

Mrs. Jeff Maatman was organist and Miss Judy Sloot-haak and Miss Jamie Spoor were soloists for the rites performed by Pastor Robert Terpstra.

The bride wore a polysheer gown trimmed with re-embroidered alencon lace. It was styled with high neckline, long fitted sleeves and circular skirt with chapel train. She carried a lace-covered Bible with a rose. Mrs. Robert Ter Vree, sister-in-law of the bride, was her personal attendant.

Bridal attendants wore gowns of floral print on cream colored background, with short capes and white hats completing the ensembles. They carried arrangements of pink carnations. Miss Sally Van Deusen was maid of honor and Mrs. Joe Bures and Miss Debra Bouws were bridesmaids.

Attending the groom were Bruce Patterson as best man and Bill Bouws and Brent Patterson, groomsmen.

A reception was held at Carousel Mountain Lodge. Assisting were Mr. and Mrs. James Spoor at the gift table; Connie and Patricia Moeckel and Terri Shidler at the punch bowl. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hamlin were master and mistress of ceremonies.

A rehearsal dinner, hosted by the groom's parents, was held at Holland Country Club.

The bride is employed at Will's Food Center and the groom, at Patts Paper Specialties.

An August wedding is being planned.

The engagement of Sue Johnson and Jerry Overbeek is announced by their parents. Miss Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Johnson, 6741 Gordon St., Zeeland. Mr. Overbeek is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Overbeek of Hamilton.

The bride-elect is a student at Calvin College. Her fiancé is employed at Herman Miller in Zeeland.

They plan to be married on Sept. 30.

Delegates from 39 societies attended the annual spring Delegate Board meeting of the Missionary Union of Christian Reformed Churches, Holland Classis. The meeting was held Thursday afternoon in Calvin Christian Reformed Church. Mrs. Louis Hekman, president, was in charge.

Mrs. Howard Graves led devotions and Mrs. Donald Brandhorst accompanied singing.

During the business session, Mrs. Robert De Nooyer was elected vice president and Mrs. Jerry Pott, corresponding secretary. Mrs. Adrian Van Liere read minutes and Mrs. Gordon Wassink called the roll. Causes for which offerings will be received were discussed. They include Brazil, Honduras, Nicaragua and Rehoboth, N.M.

Mrs. Henry Vander Linde, vice president, announced that the Children's Mission Rally will be held Sunday afternoon, May 1, in Holland Christian High School. Women's Union meetings are scheduled April 14 in Providence Christian Reformed.

Admitted to Holland Hospital Wednesday were John Anthony Jr., 199 East 34th St., Kevin Kline, 11357 Greenly; Brad Kamphuis, 47 East 25th St.; S. B. Holmes, South Haven; Willard Alderink, 109 Orlando; Robin Young, A-2407 58th St.

Discharged Wednesday were Marie Bos, 103 East 19th St.; Hope Briggance, 217 Lindy Lane; Franklin Bryan, Saugatauck; Sara Heetderks, Zeeland; Michael Jager, Hudsonville; Raymond Kimball, Grand Haven; Stephen Mugg, 127 170th Ave.; Mrs. Froylan Ordaz and baby, 232 West Tenth St.; Rosielee Stewart, 10593 Riley; Kathy Smith, Zeeland; Jeanne Streur, Zeeland; John Stygstra, 338 East Fifth St.; Troy Winters, Zeeland.

Engaged



Miss Kristi Kae Sheridan

The engagement of Kristi Kae Sheridan to James Gordon Hansen is announced by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sheridan of Allendale, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hansen, 3518 Elderwood Dr.

Miss Sheridan is attending Allendale High School and is employed by the Allendale Nursing Home. Her fiancé, a West Ottawa High School graduate, attended Grand Rapids Junior College and is employed by Thermotron, Inc.

An Oct. 14 wedding is being planned.

Bride-Elect



Miss Janet Lynn Harig

Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Harig of 232 Skate St., Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Janet Lynn, to Steven Anthony Franklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edders Franklin of Fennville.

Miss Harig, a graduate of Zeeland High School, is employed by Robertshaw Controls Co., Simicon Division, Holland. Mr. Franklin is employed at Wavecrest Nursery. He is a senior at Fennville High School.

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RETIREMENT GIFT — The Rev. and Mrs. Josias I. Eernisse are living in Holland since his retirement from the active ministry. Vriesland Reformed Church members presented the Eernisses with a grandfather clock, at a program in honor of the couple.

(Sentinel photo)

Minister and Wife Make Retirement Home Here

The Rev. Josias I. Eernisse and his wife, Wilma, are living at 14626 Lillian, their retirement home following nearly 40 years of his ministry in the Reformed Church in America.

The Eernisses enjoy the ticking of a Colonial grandfather clock, a gift from the congregation of Vriesland Reformed Church, their last church. The clock, a lamp and a love offering was presented by the church at a farewell for the Eernisses last month.

Rev. Eernisse was born in Pipestone county, Minn., and is a graduate of Central College, Pella, Iowa and Western Theological Seminary. Mrs. Eernisse is a native of Holland. She was active in organizations

District Officers At OES Meeting

Officers of Southwestern District Association, Order of the Eastern Star, were invited to conduct initiatory work at a special meeting of Saugatuck - Douglas Chapter 203, OES, Monday evening. The Association includes members in six counties.

Worthy Matron Laverne Davis and Worthy Patron Ted Kimball presided and introduced guests. Honored guests were Evangeline Wecker, past grand matron; Bonnie Tregloan, past grand Adah, and Lillian Couch, past grand Electa of the Grand Chapter of Michigan.

SWDA president Betty Burns took the part of worthy matron and SWDA second vice president, Frank Green, work of worthy patron. SWDA officers assumed all other stations for the initiatory work.

Attending from Star of Bethlehem chapter 40, Holland, were Mrs. Mary Blackburn, Mrs. Florence Hall, Mrs. Marie Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Meyers, Miss Vernice Olmstead, Mrs. Mae Pierson, Mrs. Betty Runyon, Mrs. Bonnie Tregloan and Mrs. Marjorie Van Howe.

St. Patrick's Day was the theme for decorations in the dining room, where refreshments were served.

Following the program, achievements and future plans of each new Good Citizen were reviewed.

Members of the refreshment committee were Mrs. Jack Daniels, Mrs. Carl Danielson and Mrs. William Hakken.

Jesus Amaya, 21, of 209 West 15th St., westbound along 16th St., ran off the side of the road and hit a tree 89 feet east of Hazel Ave. Saturday at 12:20 p.m. He was taken to Holland Hospital for treatment of injuries and released.

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in the churches he served and also sang in choirs.

He began his ministry in 1933 at First Reformed Church, Hudsonville and his entire ministry was served in Michigan. In succession he served Aberdeen Reformed, Grand Rapids; Hope Reformed, Kalamazoo; Fifth Reformed, Muskegon and the Vriesland church.

In the denomination, Rev. Eernisse was clerk of the Classes of Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo and the Particular Synod of Michigan. He also served on the expansion committee of the Particular Synod and the extension committees of three Classes, the board of Central College and the board of Temple Time.

Good Citizens Given Awards By Local DAR

Presentation of DAR Good Citizen Awards highlighted a regular meeting of Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton chapter, DAR, Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Clarence Becker.

Presentations were made by Mrs. Clarence Priebe, regent, assisted by Mrs. Harrison A. Lee, Good Citizen chairman, to Barbara Feininger of Holland High School; Debra Dreyer, West Ottawa; Melissa Roels, Holland Christian; Joel Wolters, Zeeland; Sara White, Hamilton; Sarah Cady, Hudsonville; Sarah Hoffman, Saugatuck, and Donna Nye, Fennville.

Good Citizens and their parents were honored guests at the meeting. Other guests were Mrs. George Ouderkerk, Mrs. Eldon Moore and Miss Stephenie Davies.

Introduced by Mrs. Priebe as new chapter members were Mrs. Harry Wendt and Mrs. Lucille Davies.

The program, presented by Mrs. Dwight Yntema, was a taped sermon, "I Am the American Flag," by the Rev. Robert Schuler of Garden Grove, Calif.

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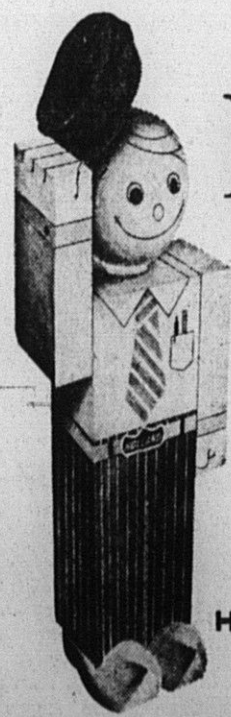
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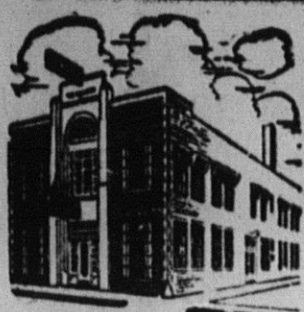
THE BIG DUTCHMAN SALUTES

Kent Sucheiki

Trapped in a burning upstairs apartment, a young mother and her infant daughter soon learned the meaning of valor when this Hope College sophomore came to their rescue. Kent's actions averted what could have been a tragedy and we are proud to have this young man as a member of our community.



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CATALYTIC CONVERTERS

The one-time ruckus over the possible dangers posed by those auto pollution control devices known as catalytic converters has been officially laid to rest. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration concludes after a three-year study that the converters "do not present an unreasonable risk of death or injury." The Environmental Protection Agency concurs in this.

The findings are a relief. At the time the catalytic converters began coming into use, disturbing things were said about them. Some experts contended that sulfuric acid mist emitted by the tailpipe devices that might be as harmful as other pollutants they curtail. Others found that they tend to overheat, thus threatening vehicle fires.

These fears are now largely discounted. An EPA spokesman likens the fire danger to that posed by leaking fuel or shorting wires, concluding that the converters "do not present any kind of hazard so long as the car is properly maintained and operated." With continued government monitoring promised, the drawbacks seem minimal. Catalytic converters are here to stay as a significant weapon against automotive pollution.

WCTU Hears Talk By Missionary

Miss Jean Walvoord, retired missionary to Taiwan, presented the program for a monthly meeting of Women's Christian Temperance Union Friday afternoon in First Reformed Church. Miss Walvoord gave opening devotion for the meeting and spoke on "Communism as I Saw It."

The meeting opened with the singing of a hymn, accompanied by Miss Ruth Broekema at the piano. Mrs. A. V. Kooyers, president, conducted the business session.

Miss Marion Shackson displayed posters, made by public and Christian school pupils, relating to drug and alcohol problems. She said that 46 posters and 96 essays were submitted in the annual WCTU contest. Members served as judges for the poster entries. Essays will be judged later.

Mrs. J. C. Van Wyk and Mrs. A. Sybesma served refreshments. Miss Irene Bauhahn gave the closing prayer.

The April meeting will be held Friday, April 15, in Third Reformed Church.



SHARE PROCEEDS — Denise Lucas, (left) secretary-treasurer of West Ottawa Faculty Wives, presents a check to West Ottawa High School Principal Martin Ball, representing the proceeds of the group's recent style show. The check is for the West Ottawa Memorial Scholarship Fund, which provides help to West Ottawa graduates who have been unable to receive any other form of assistance to continue their education. Also present are Barb Smith, vice president of Faculty Wives and chairman for the style show and Norma Longstreet, president of the Memorial Fund and a counselor at West Ottawa.

(Sentinel photo)



Mrs. Lloyd Lubbers
(Van Den Berge photo)

Point West Scene Of Lubbers-Hulst Wedding Rites

Point West was the setting for the marriage of Miss Kathy Hulst and Lloyd Lubbers. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hulst, 3840 58th St. and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lubbers, 4690 61st St. are parents of the couple. The Rev. John Leugs performed the March 4 ceremony.

The bride chose an ivory gown of combed cotton and polyester. A high neckline with a rounded lace yoke was accented by a deep lace-trimmed ruffle, which extended to the back of the dress. The softly gathered skirt also had a lace-trimmed ruffle and a bow in back. She carried a colonial bouquet of pastel colored roses, poms and carnations with baby's breath.

As matron of honor, the bride's sister, Mrs. Mary Boeve, wore a dress of aqua organdy, with white lace trim on the bodice and cuffs. She wore multi-colored flowers in her hair and carried a white wicker basket with spring flowers in pastel colors. Gord Bosch attended as best man.

At the reception Mr. and Mrs. Les Hulst acted as master and mistress of ceremony; Mr. and Mrs. Don Hulst were at the gift table; punch bowl attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lubbers, and Chris Lubbers and Tom Hulst presided at the guest book.

After a western wedding trip the couple will reside at 602 Pleasant Ave. The bride is employed by Steketee's and the groom, by Shinville Associates. The groom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner at Jay's Restaurant in Zeeland.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Tuesday was Dennis Andringa, Jenison; Kathleen Maude Westerhof, 127 West 31st St.; Cindy De Weerd, Allendale; Jeanette Koele, 1605 Woodlawn Ave.; Jennifer Lynn Hovinga, Zeeland; Nellie Thompson, 67 West Ninth St.; Bernard Voorhorst, Hamilton; Eugene Shawn Freiberg, Dorr; Ross MacDonald, 523 Butternut Dr.; Ronald Ross, 398½ West 16th St.; Judy Tubergen, Dorr; Linda Sligher, 799 Maywood; Peter Martin, Allendale.

Discharged Tuesday were Warnetta Mae De Went, 1943 West 32nd St.; Mrs. Andrew Egloff, 60 East 26th St.; Dena Meulenbelt, 272 East 11th St.; Flora Mullins, Warm Friend Hotel; Christopher Todd Reed, 568 Hiawatha Dr.; Mrs. Douglas Smith and baby, 8824 David A. Dr.; Anthony Speet, A-4020 58th St.; Derek Scott Van Oss, 751 Coolidge Ave.; Rev. Dick Vriesman, 165 Franklin St.; Marcy Jo Weststrate, 1984 92nd Ave.; Beth A. Zuidema, 127 West 17th St.

Bride-Elect



Miss Julie Deanne Boes

The engagement of Julie Deanne Boes to Douglas Bareman is announced by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Boes of 144 Dunton Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bareman of 171 West Lakewood Blvd. A June 18 wedding is being planned.

Engaged



Miss Marjorie Spykman

The engagement of Marjorie Spykman to William K. Exo has been announced by their parents. Miss Spykman is the daughter of Mrs. John Spykman, 347 East Lincoln, Zeeland, and the late Mr. Spykman. Her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Exo of 270 Norwood. They are planning an October wedding.

Bride-Elect



Miss Marilyn Ruth Arnoudse

The engagement of Marilyn Ruth Arnoudse to Delwyn Gordon Deur is announced by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Arnoudse of Grand Rapids and Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Deur of Zeeland.

Miss Arnoudse is a graduate of Davenport Business College and is employed in Grand Rapids as a medical secretary. Her fiancé is a senior at Michigan State University.

A June 17 wedding is being planned.

Three Inducted Into Kiwanis Club

Robert Hanna, Capt. Thomas Line of the Salvation Army and Richard Santamaria were inducted into the Holland Evening Kiwanis Club at its regular meeting Monday night.

Program for the evening was presented by Don Kiektintveld who described the "medic alert program." The program encourages persons with certain "hidden illnesses" to wear bracelets or necklaces describing their illness. This action will permit these people to be treated in the event of an emergency situation where they can't talk.

The program is operated on a national basis by the Medic Alert Foundation, charitable non-profit organization.

The Holland Association of Life Underwriters is encouraging citizens to participate in the program and Kiektintveld underscored this need.

Marriage Licenses

Allegan County

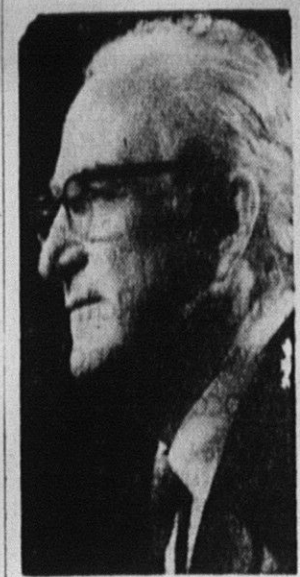
Lloyd Lubbers, 26, and Kathy Hulst, 23, Holland; Charles Hunter, 23, and Lillie Banner Wellborn, 22, Holland; Theodore William Krystek, 21, Fennville, and Teresa Christine Hubert, 25, Michigan City, Ind.; Linus John Starring, 18, Saugatuck, and Janice Ellen Hall, 17, Fennville.

Interlochen Orchestra In Concert Here Friday

Interlochen Arts Academy Orchestra, an unsurpassed symphony of 13 to 18-year-olds, will appear in concert here Friday evening. This appearance is part of the "Interlochen Outreach" program supported by the Michigan Council for the Arts and sponsored locally by Holland Band and Orchestra Parents Association.

The concert will begin at 8 p.m. in Holland High School fieldhouse.

Conducting will be A. Clyde Roller, popular guest conductor at Interlochen, and Byron Hanson.



A. Clyde Roller

son, a graduate of Eastman School of Music, who is the orchestra's resident conductor.

Roller, former assistant conductor of the Houston Symphony, is currently conductor of the Lansing Symphony and the University of Texas Symphony, Austin. He will conduct the

orchestra in a program highlighted by "Symphony No. 1," Shostakovich, and "Symphonic Metamorphoses on a Theme by Weber," Paul Hindemith.

Gerrit Van Ravenswaay of the



Byron Hanson

Holland Public Schools music department, has been in charge of local arrangements for the Band and Orchestra Parents Association.

Tickets will be available at the door, \$2 for main floor, \$1 for bleachers. Senior citizens will be admitted to the main floor for \$1.

Interlochen Arts Academy is the winter facility of the Interlochen Center for the Arts. Its summer operation is the National Music Camp. The academy is a co-educational private high school with equal emphasis on pre-professional training in fine arts and a college preparatory curriculum in academics.

Former Resident, Honor Graduate, Admitted to Bar

Kristine Galien Opperwall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Galien of Holland, graduated with honors from Wayne State University Law School on Dec. 26, 1976.

She took the Michigan State Bar Examination in February



Kristine Galien Opperwall

and is presently employed as a pre-hearing attorney with the Michigan Court of Appeals.

A 1959 graduate of Holland Christian High School, Mrs. Opperwall completed her undergraduate studies at Calvin College in Grand Rapids where she received a bachelor of arts degree in May 1973.

Mrs. Opperwall and her husband, Theodore, who is employed with the National Labor Relations Board live in the Detroit area.

Family Dinner Marks Van Dorples' Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Van Dorple of 345 West Main St., Zeeland, celebrated their 47th wedding anniversary Saturday with a family dinner at Hoffman House, Grand Rapids.

Attending the event were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack (Jude) Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Keith (Marcia) Riegerink, Mr. and Mrs. Don (Mary Jo) Zeerip, Mr. and Mrs. John (Oakley) Kruid and Mr. and Mrs. Chris (Jacquelyn) Baarman.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Monday were Warnetta De Went, 1943 West 32nd St.; Paul Bloomquist, Grand Haven; Charla Schreiner, 1750 Columbus St.; Leonora Guzman, 182 East Fifth St.; Theodore Gilman, 4689 120th Ave.; Rebecca Tatarchuk, 229 West 16th St.; Nancy Shuck, 208 West 14th St.; Herman Eckert, 101 Grant St.; Allegan; Ruth Bonge, 243 West 21st St.; Donna Koetje, 97 West Lakewood Blvd.; Debra Wagner, 799 Baywood; Susan Thorpe, 222 East Washington, Zeeland; Teresa Jones, 234 East Main St.; Zeeland; Ruth Hoedema, 333 Lakewood Blvd.; Eldon March, 2155 122nd Ave.; Hopkins; Peter Van Gelderen, 5590 120th Ave.

Discharged Monday were Willard Alderink, 109 Orlando; Charlotte Bosma, 172 Reed; Floyd Durham, 319 West 24th St.; Jeanette Harringsma, 299 West 17th St.; Catherine Hopkins, 166½ West Ninth St.; Eric Martin, 220 Charles Dr.; Bessie McDonald, 6387 96th Ave.; Zeeland; Phillip Parr, 523 Butternut Dr.; Mrs. Franklin Upton and baby, 215 West 15th St.; Jeanette Zoet, 1453 South Shore Dr.

Sandra Kalmink Feted At Surprise Shower

Mrs. Leslie Hoffman and Mrs. Dale Folkert of Hamilton hosted a surprise miscellaneous bridal shower Friday evening in honor of their niece, Miss Sandra Kalmink. The party was held at the Folkert home.

Duplicate prizes were awarded for games conducted by Miss Belva Hoffman and Miss Lori Folkert. A buffet lunch was served.

Guests included the bride's mother and grandmother, Mrs. Ed Kalmink and Mrs. Ed Harmsen of Hamilton, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Clarence Groeneveld of Holland. Others attending were Mrs. George Johnston and Miss Karen Hoffman of Kalamazoo; Mrs. Harvey Lubbers and Judy, Mrs. Cal Lubbers, Miss Jan Brink, Mrs. Ron Harmsen and Karl, Miss Jane Schipper and the honored guest, Mrs. Bob Hoffman was unable to attend.

Miss Kalmink and Gary Groeneveld will be married on May 6.

Talented Trio Climaxes Concert Series Season

By Helen Wright
It was a short evening, Tuesday, for chamber music buffs who attended the final Holland Concert Association/Hope Cultural Affairs concert of the current season, held in Diment Chapel.

Arturo Delmoni, violinist, Marcus Thompson, violist and Ronald Thomas, cellist, all displayed the technical mastery that seems to be the hallmark of every young American musician nowadays. In addition to their obvious skills, they have invested their joint performances with a spirit that recalls the original purpose of chamber music, which was to afford as much fun for the performer as the audience during a social evening.

The three works presented, beginning with violin and viola in the Handel-Halvorsen Passacaglia, are full of the flow and contrast that making listening

to such works a delightful game. The addition of Thomas, the young cellist enhanced the fun in the Beethoven trio and after intermission, climaxed in the Dohnanyi Serenade which left the audience just a little hungry for more.

The Young Concert Artists, Inc., Music by Three programs are one of the highlights of the concert series. The performers are so very talented and so full of youthful enthusiasm and not so incidentally, so very well trained, that hearing them is to experience discovery. They will undoubtedly continue to grow as artists, but they will never again be so young, and present their interpretations of old and beloved music so fully and artlessly.

Tuesday's concert was also a bonus for new subscribers to the concert series, and a fine appetizer for the coming season.

Tulip Time Flower Show

"Discovering Beauty" will be the theme for Holland Garden Club's 1977 Tulip Time Flower Show.

Preparations are well under way for the popular Tulip Time attraction, staged each year in Holland Armory. Dates are May 11-14.

Mrs. Robert Albers and Mrs. Ralph Lescoghier are chairmen of the 1977 show. Mrs. John Hudzik, Garden Club president, announces that all committee chairmen have been busy with preparations.

Mrs. Donald Japinga, Mrs. J. T. Farley and Mrs. Joseph Mitchell are in charge of staging. Scheduling is being done by Mrs. Albers, Mrs. Elizabeth Chamberlain, Mrs. Leonard Dick, Mrs. Lescoghier, Mrs. Wade Nykamp, Mrs. Vern Schipper and Mrs. Tom Vander Kuy. Mrs. Edward Mott is in charge of publicity.

In charge of the Artistic Design Division are Mrs. Chamberlain and Mrs. Wade Nykamp; Horticulture Division, Mrs. Robert Darrow and Mrs. LeRoy DuShane, Sr. Mrs. Tom Vander Kuy and Mrs. Jerome Hurtgen are in charge of judges and Mrs. Frederick Meyer, judges hospitality. Mrs. Maurice Bennett is floor hostess.

Awards and records chairmen are Mrs. Clark Weersing and Mrs. Roscoe Giles; finance and tickets, Mrs. J. D. Jencks and Mrs. Walter McNeal; door reception, Mrs. Everett Duester; classification and placement of Artistic Design Division, Mrs. John T. Ouderik, and Horticulture Division, Mrs. Earle Wright.

Educational Exhibits, under direction of Mrs. Leonard Dick, are as follows:

Discovering Beauty in Tulips, Holland City Park Department.

Discovering Beauty on the Wing, Mrs. Charles Ferrell, Garden Therapy.

Discovering Beauty in Energy and Opportunities Unlimited, Mrs. Harry Wendt and Mrs. Donald Kingsley.

Discovering Beauty Through Landscaping, Mrs. Dick and Mrs. L. E. Schmidt.

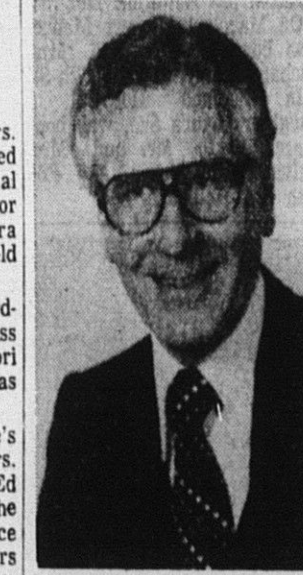
Discovering Beauty in the World Around Us, Mrs. James Dykema.

Discovering Beauty in Our Part of the World, West Ottawa High School, Horticulture class.

Boonstra Elected To Bank's Board

ZEELAND — Melvin S. Boonstra, president of Zeeland Wood Turning Works, has been elected to the board of First Michigan Bank and Trust Co. it was announced by Robert J. Den Herder, president and chairman of the board.

Boonstra is a past president of the Zeeland Lion's Club, the Zeeland Chamber of Commerce and the Zeeland United Fund. He is a member of the Salvation Army advisory board.



Melvin S. Boonstra

active in the Zeeland Community Foundation and is a member of the Zeeland Board of Public Works.

Boonstra also is a member of the Michigan Manufacturers Association and the Grand Rapids Furniture Manufacturers Association.

A member of the Third Christian Reformed Church of Zeeland where he was an elder, Boonstra received the Distinguished Service Award from the Calvin College Alumni Association in 1971 for his work with college fund raising projects.

Boonstra and his wife, Alice, have five children and live in Zeeland.

Mrs. Dusterwinkle Succumbs at 74

GRAND HAVEN — Mrs. Caesar (Fannie Nykamp) Dusterwinkle, 74, of 1007 Orchard St., died Tuesday at her home following a lingering illness.

Born in Holland township, she was a member of Community Reformed Church and its Women's Guild. Her husband died in May, 1969.

Surviving are two daughters, Miss Carol Dusterwinkle of Spring Lake and Mrs. James (Dolores) Fletcher of Birmingham, a son, Gordon Dusterwinkle of Baldwin; two grandchildren and three sisters, Mrs. Frank Kamphuis of West Olive, Mrs. Dick Hoffman of Holland and Mrs. Joe Calvin of Grand Rapids.



Room Rate Increase Averages \$10 a Day

Hospital Rates Going Up April 1

Hospital rate increases ranging from \$5 to \$12 a day will go into effect April 1 at Holland Hospital.

New rates in the west wing will be \$96 for private, up from \$86; \$88 for semi-private, up from \$76; and \$85 for wards, up from \$73. Rates in the south wing will be \$85 for private, up from \$77; \$83 for semi-private, up from \$72; and \$80 for ward, up from \$69.

Obstetrics rates for private will be \$94, up from \$86; semi-private, \$84, up from \$76; and ward, \$81, up from \$73. Pediatrics rate will be \$85 for ward, up from \$78. ICU will be \$183, up from \$173.

Nursery rates with mother will be \$52, up from \$47, and without mother, \$54, up from \$49. There is no increase for emergency room service which carries a \$20 minimum.

Hospital spokesmen said the average increase amounts to \$10 a day, with \$5 going to hospital operating costs and \$5 for bonding costs under requirements of the ordinance for revenue bonds.

Increases represent a 11.9 per cent increase this year, and over the next three years, an additional 12 per cent increase is anticipated.

The Hospital Authority Board, which approved the increases, adopted a budget of \$9.9 million some weeks ago, up 9.2 per cent over the current year. Malpractice insurance costs have stabilized but still remain high at \$266,000 a year.

Increased from last year are health insurance costs, retirement, social security, unemployment, supplies, utilities and personnel.

New rates still compare favorably with other area hospitals, although increases in these hospitals are expected in July and/or October.

Private room rates at present run \$101 in Muskegon Mercy, \$98 in Muskegon Hackley, \$97 in Grand Haven, \$90 in Butterworth, \$101.50 in Blodgett, \$91 in Grand Rapids Osteopathic, \$83 in Zeeland and \$82 in Douglas.

Council Is Asked To Oppose Prison

The city of Holland was asked Wednesday night to lend its support in opposing a proposed state medium and minimum security prison in Laketown township.

Phillip Quade, who is coordinating such efforts for the villages of Saugatuck and Douglas and Laketown township, appeared before City Council seeking its support, stating Holland has as much at stake as does Saugatuck and Douglas.

Since the property in question, the St. Augustine Seminary, carries a Holland address, Quade told Council, "This proposed prison probably will be known as Holland State Prison, much as Southern Michigan Prison is known as Jackson Prison."

He said since Saugatuck and Douglas are almost totally dependent on tourist activity, locating a prison facility within miles could not have a beneficial effect, nor would such proximity be of any value to

Holland. He called attention to a public meeting Friday at 7:30 p.m. in Saugatuck High School gymnasium.

Quade agreed with the general penology concept of providing some kind of minimum security facilities for those about to complete prison terms, but he felt the Laketown site was not a good location.

Mayor Lou Hallacy said the subject has come up so quickly that City Council has had no opportunity to obtain full information or even discuss the matter. He said local study would be given and that the city will keep in touch with Quade.

Quade emphasized that time was short and action should be taken quickly. The state of Michigan holds a 120-day option to purchase the 600-acre site of St. Augustine Seminary in Laketown township. A selling price of \$4.2 million has been listed.

ening their recreational programs.

Councilman Russ De Vette said funds from government sources have aided in providing many fine things in Holland, pointing to the need for careful consideration before such opportunities are turned down.

Council adopted an Equal Employment Opportunity Policy.

A letter from retiring Park Supt. Jacob De Graaf thanked Council for declaring a "Jacob De Graaf Day" and submitted his resignation from the Tulip Time board of directors, as co-chairman of the Tulip Planting contest, and from the Nature Center advisory committee. His resignations were accepted with regret and later in the meeting the new park superintendent, Joe Romeyn, was appointed to the Tulip Time board.

An application from Tulsa Oil Corp. for a building permit for remodeling a service station at 161 East Eighth St. was approved, subject to approval of the building inspector.

A board of Public Works report requesting appointment of Gordon Schrotenboer to the Personnel Advisory committee to replace Ray Reidsma who retired was approved.

Claims against the city from Roadways Express Inc., Margaret Ewing, Jolien and Phillip Sturdevant, Roger and Diane Davis and Mrs. Clarence Parker were referred to the city insurance carrier and city attorney.

Council approved purchase of property at 252 Fairbanks Ave. for \$5,200 directly east of the Street Department warehouse. This parcel will "square off" city owned property to insure space for future expansion.

Approval of addition funding of \$1,500 was given Child and Family Services of Michigan Inc. for the Higher Horizons program.

Council passed a resolution recognizing the Fraternal Order of Police, State Lodge of Michigan, as bargaining representative of certain members of the police department.

The Holland Night Commission of Auction 25 was given permission to display a banner on Eighth St. April 18-30.

A city manager report revealed net proceeds of \$1,003.25 as the result of the sixth annual benefit basketball game Feb. 24. This amount, plus an estimated \$58 from concession profits, will go to the Police Community Relations Unit to provide summer camping experience for underprivileged area youngsters.

The vote was not unanimous and councilman Hazen Van Kampen voiced concern over seeking such grants on a matching basis, feeling that eventual government control permeates simple programs like softball.

Council Member Beatrice Westraite concurred. Councilman Elmer Wissink asked what other units of government are doing and City Manager Terry Hofmeyer said both Park and Holland townships are broad-



LICENSE FOR FUNDS — State Rep. Ed Fredricks (left) presents a state license to solicit funds as a non profit organization to Frank Gamby of New Richmond, president of the Concerned Citizens for the New Richmond Bridge during ceremonies Friday on the old bridge. The citizens seek to raise

\$8,000 as their share of funds to have the single lane bridge reopened to traffic. The Allegan County Road Commission has agreed to fund the remaining \$16,000 necessary for the project. Application has been made for national historical funds. (Sentinel photo)

Citizens Seek Story of 'First Easter' Retold for Club Women

NEW RICHMOND — A citizens effort designed to preserve what is considered the state's last single lane swing bridge was launched Friday on the old New Richmond bridge with state Rep. Ed Fredricks.

Members of the Concerned Citizens for the New Richmond Bridge received a state license for solicitation by a non profit organization from Fredricks.

Frank Gamby, a New Richmond resident, is president of the citizens group and received the license from Fredricks.

The bridge was removed from vehicular service last year when a modern structure along 5th St. west of the old bridge was opened to traffic.

But residents claim the new bridge adds several miles of travel along poor roads to reach the bridge and during the January snow storm drifts closed the new bridge and National Guard and others were forced to walk supplies into New Richmond across the old bridge which remained open.

The citizen campaign has offers of matching funds from the Allegan County Road Commission to put the bridge back into shape for vehicular use.

Road commissioner manager Fred Neils said the commission would contribute \$2 for each \$1 raised by the citizens group and the county match would be about \$16,000 with citizens raising \$8,000.

Grand Rapids attorney John Lodi, who has worked with the Heritage Hill project in Grand Rapids, has been working with the New Richmond citizens and has petitioned for federal historical money to preserve the old bridge.

Mrs. Don Herzog of Holland, active with the citizens group, said the local funds must be raised first and said persons interested in working with the citizens campaign could contact her or Frank Gamby.

The old bridge was built nearly 100 years ago and originally swung open to allow passage of boats on the Kalamazoo River.

Two Girls, One Boy Born In Holland

Three babies were born in Holland Hospital recently. A daughter was born March 14 to Mrs. Wanda Martinez, 2947 Brookdale Dr.

Born March 16, a daughter, Dawn Renee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ver Strate, 4511 34th St., Zeeland, and a son, Matthew Allen, to Mr. and Mrs. John Marone, 171 Highland Dr.

By Arkie Van Raalte

Dr. Paul Maier, noted author and professor of ancient history at Western Michigan University, provided a provocative, exciting account of "The First Easter" for Woman's Literary Club members Tuesday afternoon.

Having appeared before the club two years ago presenting "The First Christmas," Dr. Maier was back "by popular demand," this time retelling the timely story of the passion and death of Jesus. Relating all evidence outside the New Testament, from ancient historical documents and archaeological discoveries, he accomplishes a dual purpose: giving additional dimension to the events of that Holy Week, and "Christian apologetics," a defense of the Christian, Biblical story against other evidence.

Especially intriguing is Dr. Maier's view of Pontius Pilate, who like a good defense attorney, tried to get Jesus released, attempted a change of venue and every other means to free Him, but failed because he was a victim of politics of his time. The reality of politics in Palestine, the divisions and loyalties of the people came alive in Dr. Maier's presentation. Recently found evidence of "nailing to the cross," proof

of the empty tomb and other phenomena of that week can be proved outside the New Testament. "You can use your head, not just your heart, to believe," he said.

During the club business meeting, officers for 1977-78 were elected. The slate named Mrs. John Schutten, president; Mrs. Harlan Sprick, first vice president; Mrs. C. D. Zwiap, second vice president; Miss Geraldine Dykhuizen, recording secretary; Mrs. Simon Stekete, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Preston Luidens, treasurer; Miss Emma Sand, assistant treasurer.

Directors are Mrs. Donald Thomas, Mrs. Simon Sybesma and Mrs. H. Gregg (terms expire 1978) and Mrs. F. B. Stearns, Mrs. E. Van House and Mrs. H. Gregg (terms expire 1979).

Miss Esther Kooyers of the Necrology Committee, presented the annual report on members who died during the last year.

Mrs. Schutten presided and announced that volunteers are being recruited for serving of Tulip Time lunches in the club house. In June, members will act as hostesses for the Parade of Homes.

Final meeting of the season will be on April 5, featuring the President's Tea and a fashion show.

Batts, Canadian Firm Join Forces

ZEELAND — A Canadian firm will manufacture and distribute products for the Canadian market and act as agent for John Thomas Batts, Inc., world leader in the manufacture of quality clothing hangers, it was announced.

John Thomas Batts announced the union with Canadian Batts, Ltd., Montreal, Jack Batts, president, said.

Batts is based in Zeeland and has been making clothing hangers since 1905.

House Trailer Lost In Allegan County Fire

SHELBYVILLE — A house trailer owned by Joe Steska, 1261 124th Ave., was destroyed by fire reported Wednesday at 9 p.m., Allegan county deputies said. The loss was estimated at \$4,000.

Deputies said the cause was not determined and no one was believed injured. Firemen from Wayland and Hopkins answered the alarm.

No Great Tax Rate Cut Seen

Sixth Ward Councilman Elmer Wissink in a brief statement at a regular meeting of City Council Wednesday night reminded local citizens that although residential assessments have increased an average of 25 per cent, industrial and commercial properties have not been increased.

Thus, residents cannot expect anywhere near a 25 per cent decrease in tax rates. He estimated at most, the total city assessments may have increased 15 per cent.

Earlier in the meeting, Council heard a communication on the subject from Charles Conrad, the same letter that was published recently in the Sentinel's Public Opinion. This letter called for a corresponding decrease in millage so that the total tax take will be equitable.

Also read was a letter signed by seven persons commending Conrad and endorsing ideas expressed in his letter.

In other business, another public hearing was held to review findings and order of the hearing officers to determine whether or not the structure at 52 East Sixth St. should be demolished. Action was delayed for three weeks until the next regular Council meeting in view of the possibility of sale of the property to a person who is considering remodeling and retaining the structure for residential purposes. It had been used for storage.

Council resolved the Maple Ave. parking situation which has been under study for several weeks. The new action prohibits parking on both sides of Maple Ave. from 24th to 26th Sts. and on the west side of Maple Ave. from 26th to 27th Sts. Concern had been expressed at prohibiting that much parking in view of proposed hospital construction.

Also approved were requests for loading zones at Kandu Industries and Hope College, tabled from previous meetings.

The oath of office of William E. Gargano as a member of the Planning Commission was filed.

A letter from the Liquor Control Commission on an application from George L. Martell, stockholder on behalf of Dewmar Inc. for a new full year class C and SDM license at 1006 South Washington Ave. was referred to the city manager for report.

Also referred to the city manager was a letter from Transmatic Manufacturing Co. seeking an industrial facilities exemption certificate on a new facility to be constructed on a four-acre site on M-40 across from Ex-Cello Micromatic and adjacent to the C and O railroad.

Council approved a request from Redder's Party Store Inc., 217 East Eighth St. for transfer of stock interest in 1976 SDD-SDM licensed business from Charles B. Schultz to existing stockholder Donald H. Ter Haar.

Council voted to terminate a contract with Fillmore township on providing building inspection service to the township as of June 30.

A letter from the Michigan Municipal League announced the annual regional meeting for region 5 April 21 in Wyoming.

A letter from Holland Community Choral inviting mayor and council to the annual winter concert Saturday was accepted.

A letter from Gordon Vander Bie submitting his resignation from the Human Relations Commission was accepted with regret.

Mayor Lou Hallacy presided at the meeting which lasted just over one hour. All Councilmen were present except Al Kleis Jr. The invocation was given by Capt. Thomas Line of the Salvation Army.



Couple Married In Royal Oak

Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Van Netten are now at home at 2800 Patrick Henry Dr., Apt. 602, Auburn Heights. They were married in First United Methodist Church of Royal Oak on Feb. 19. She is the former Linda S. Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan R. Johnson of Troy. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Van Netten of A - 9744 Ottogian St.

The groom, a graduate of Northwestern Michigan College and Michigan State University, is employed by Michigan BankAmericard in Southfield.

Taking part in their wedding were Mrs. Cynthia Evans as her sister's matron of honor; Mrs. Nancy West, bridesmaid; Robert Eggleston, best man; Larry Van Netten, brother of the groom, groomsmen; David Van Netten, the groom's brother, who lit the candles, and Stephen Johnson, brother of the bride, and Roger Brondyke of Holland, ushers.

A reception was held in the church parlors. The Van Nettens hosted a rehearsal dinner at Harbor House of Troy.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Wednesday were Ronald Dannenberg, 4100 38th St., Hamilton; Paul DeGoed, 456 Maple Ave.; Jean De Jonge, 221 South Maple St., Zeeland; Garrett Huizenga, route 3, Zeeland; Marjorie Modderman, 5454 Lawndale Ave., Hudsonville; Helena Oonk, 40 West 22nd St.; Norma Pena, route 3, 54th St.; Lula Revlett, 215 West 13th St.; Sherwin Sternberg, South Haven; Bernice Stygstra, 65 East 35th St.; Gladys Vanden Heuvel, 496 Harrison Ave.; Richard Williams, 5590 136th Ave., Hamilton; Paula Gee, 37 West 32nd St.; Jeffrey Kamphuis, O-5991 144th Ave.; Elizabeth Van Doornik, 654 Hazelbank; John De Graaf, 40th West Apts.

Discharged Wednesday were Rosie Arrendon, 256 East Ninth St.; Minnie Barlow, 287 West 40th St.; Muriel Hardie, 1663 South Shore Dr.; Teresa Jones, 224 East Main St., Zeeland; Eldon March, Hopkins; Nettie Mathews, South Haven; Mrs. Roger Nagelkirk and baby, 898 96th St., Zeeland; Mrs. James Strauss, and baby, 204 West 19th St.; Mrs. Douglas Sullivan and baby, 47 West 40th St.; Susan Thorpe, 222 East Washington, Zeeland; Debra Wagner, 799 Maywood.

Smith Baby Only Birth Reported at Holland

Holland Hospital lists the birth of one girl, Amber Christina, who was born March 11 to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Smith, 8824 David A. Dr.

Many Pay Fines In Local Court

Several persons appeared in Holland District Court recently to answer a variety of charges. They follow:

Rocky Harbison, 17, 83 Burke, minor in possession of alcohol, \$60, 15 days (suspended); Deborah Lynn Polinsky, 20, 15123 New Holland St., driving while license suspended, \$50, three days; Irvin Wade Harper, 18, 182 West 13th St., driving under influence of liquor, \$150, six months probation; Thomas Jay Koeman, 18, 602 Myrtle Ave., stop sign, \$40; Oscar Ledesma, 23, 482 West 20th St., improper registration, \$15, no insurance, \$125; Robert William Brooks, 19, 345 Lincoln Ave., disorderly, intoxicated, \$35.

Franklin J. Perin, 25, 730 Riley St., disorderly, trespassing, 90 days (87 days suspended); Glenn Jay Renkema, 18, 511 Jacob, careless driving, \$30; Beverly Ann Baumann, 21, 862 Paw Paw, red light, \$15, pleaded no contest; Kenneth Wayne Knoll, 17, 561 West 18th St., careless driving, \$20; Robert Junior Poore, 22, 523 Butternut, disorderly, intoxicated, \$40; Kimberly Ray Kuipers, 18, 1748 Virginia Pl., open container of alcohol in motor vehicle, \$40; Gordon Wayne Sloothaak, 44, 2219 Marlaboca Dr., improper use of registration plates, \$15, pleaded no contest.

James H. Long, 257 Evergreen Ct., driving while license suspended, no operator's license on person, \$20; Jose Ramirez, 26, 828 Lincoln, leave scene of property damage accident, four days jail; Mark A. Hagar, 24, 14 South Jackson St., improper lane usage, \$15; Steve Westerhof, 26, 127 West 31st St., disorderly person, \$35; Everett Duane Stuart, 30, 119 West 31st St., disorderly person, \$35; Everett Duane Stuart, 30, 119 West Tenth St., no Michigan license, \$20, traffic signal, \$20; Linda Howard, 26, 4869 136th Ave., speeding, \$40; Cathy Jo Zych, 19, 236 West 19th St., bench warrant, \$20.

A.R. Steketee, 114 West 11th St., permit dog to run at large, \$100 (suspended); Paul Dean Kotman, 27, 176 West 19th St., stop sign, \$30 (trial); Dennis William Hart, 20, 112 East 37th St., improper right turn, \$15; Gordon Minto Thompson, 24, 9 East Tenth St., drove left of center, \$15 (trial); Wendy Marie Schultz, \$23, 722 Wisteria, no insurance, \$125; Thomas Scott Pierson, 22, 325 Cosumma, no registration, \$25, no insurance, \$125; James William Dunn, 18, 209 West 12th St., drinking in public place, \$25; Cheryl Lynn Heuvelman, 19, 39 1/2 West 18th St., no insurance, \$125; Warren Vander Ploeg, 54, 82 East 30th St., possession of seven salmon (limit five), \$25; Roger J. Brouwer, 58, 14250 Rose Park Dr., fishing without license, \$28; Clarence P. Becker, 33, route 4, Fennville, possession of seven salmon, \$25.

Douglas G. Waldron, 37, 14147 Brooklane, possession of seven salmon, \$25; Mike Stoutemire, 18, 5311 136th Ave., violation of probation, 30 days jail, probation revoked; Larry Arizmen, 22, 317 West 15th St., disorderly, fighting, \$100, ten days (suspended) (trial); Leland Daniel Bowen, 19, 1055 Lincoln Ave., speeding, \$80; Bernard J. Hulst, 46, 472 Howard, improper lane usage, \$15, pleaded no contest; Lynn Montgomery, 22, 184 1/2 River, driving while ability impaired by liquor, \$150, six months probation; Jose Rodriguez, 34, 2547 Plymouth Rock, disorderly, intoxicated, \$200, 15 days jail, two years probation.

Douglas J. Ter Haar, 22, 3610 Diamond Dr., Hamilton, driving while ability impaired by liquor, \$150, one year probation; Walter Bosma, 30, 221 170th St., assault and battery (two counts), \$40; Roxanne McAlpine, 24, 254 West Ninth St., disorderly person, \$50; Elsa Luz Gonzalez, 29, 331 West 14th St., simple larceny, \$100, 30 days (suspended), two years probation; Randal Craig Johnson, 22, 13871 New Holland, speeding, \$42.50; Robert Dale Allen, 25, A-6346 146th St., disorderly, intoxicated, \$150, one year probation; Steven John Vande Vusse, 18, 396 Pine, stop sign, \$40; Pamela Sue Weener, 18, 11875 Port Sheldon, drove left of center, \$40.

Richard Leon Kroon, 21, 5230 Riley, Hudsonville, possession controlled substance, marijuana, first offense, 120 days jail, six months probation; Robert Lewis Miller, 21, 535 Pinecrest Dr., possession of open container of alcohol in motor vehicle, \$40; Harry Glatz, 62, 77 West Ninth St., fail to stop and identify after property damage accident, \$50; Ronald G. Long, 49, 248 West Ninth St., possession of firearm while under influence of liquor, two years probation; Raymond Donald Romeyn, 34, 188 East 39th St., disorderly, intoxicated, \$150, one year probation; Paul Thomas Bridges, 19, 129 Reed St., disorderly, trespassing, \$50; Bruce Wayne Harkema, 29, 1622 Jerome St., driving while license suspended, \$100, 65 days (60 days suspended).



TRAIN DERAILS — Four cars of a westbound Chessie System freight train derailed Sunday at 9:21 p.m. near the Centennial St. crossing and one car overturned, spilling five 1977 model automobiles into a ditch behind the Zeeland power plant. No injuries were reported and the cause of the derailment was not determined.

Damage estimates were not available. Zeeland Civil Defense director Don Vos said the derailed cars were near the center of the train. Neither the power plant nor other buildings in the area were damaged. Train crews repaired damaged track and service was restored along the Chicago mainline this morning, Vos said.

Civil Defense crews provided emergency lighting and security until 9:30 a.m. Monday. The Zeeland derailment was the second Chessie System accident in a week involving cars carrying automobiles. Ten cars left the track Wednesday near Pullman damaging 36 autos. (Sentinel photos by Mark Copier & Dave Sundin)



CHIX STARS — Chuck Kraai (left) and older brother Gene Kraai are two big reasons that Zeeland's wrestling team came within a whisker of winning the state Class B championship. Gene captured his second straight state title in his weight class while Chuck was runner-up at his weight. (Sentinel photo)

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By Leo Martonosi

Chix Records Crumble
Records may be unbreakable on American Bandstand but when it comes to wrestling, records tend to crumble. That certainly was the case this past season for Zeeland's brilliant team.

With the Kraai brothers, Gene and Chuck leading the way, the Chix rewrote the record books at Zeeland.

Gene mustered the best individual record (percentage) at 39 - 0 and led the Chix to their best team mark at 11 - 0 - 1. Chuck, with still one season of eligibility left, has a fantastic 94 - 13 - 1 career mark which is the best in the school's history in at least 100 matches.

Senior Doug Van Dussen established a career norm for wins with 116. The rugged Van

Rynburger was recently named the Michigan High School Coaches Association Coach of the Year in all classes.

The Chix finished a tremendous season with a second place finish in the state tournament, losing by a mere half point to Eaton Rapids. The grapplers also won the O - K White Division championship and took tournament firsts at the Allegan, Zeeland, Holland, Grand Rapids West Catholic, conference and regional sites.

Rynburger shows a fine career 71 - 13 - 1 record in his five years at the school. His teams have not lost a home match since his first year at Zeeland.

He has coached three individual state champions the last two years with G. Kraai taking his second consecutive crown this year. Ron Essink won the heavyweight title last year as a senior. Van Dussen and C. Kraai finished second in the state this past season.

Rynburger's philosophy of scheduling the toughest opponents available may be the reason his teams have improved their record each year since his arrival. One of those opponents, Grandville carried a state record of 80 consecutive dual matches without a defeat until losing to the Chix.

The Zeeland mentor an outstanding wrestler himself, was the school's first state champion, winning the 98 - pound title as a sophomore and the 133 - pound class as a senior.

As a collegiate wrestler, Rynburger won his numeral as a freshman at Michigan State University, then transferred to Grand Rapids JC where he took the 137 - pound Michigan Junior College title as a sophomore. He received his B. S. degree from Mankato State College (Minn.) in 1971.

Jim is married and the father of two children. The Rynburgers are expecting a third child.

Two other Chix wrestlers, Tim Van Dyke and Kurt Brinks also participated in the state this past year but didn't place. Besides G. Kraai and Van Dussen, Rynburger only lost Tim Cooke and Gus Mancilla through graduation.

"We should be tough and ex-

pect to be near the top in the state again next year," Rynburger said. "However, New Boston Huron is probably the team to beat in Class B."

Rynburger spends two hours teaching physical education at the Zeeland Middle School and remaining hours of his teaching schedule at various elementary schools (kindergarten - fifth grade).

He admits he would like to start practicing immediately but won't be able to until one week before football season ends. However, he'll be able to work with three guys now and a full team in the summer with clinics.

Wrestling is a sport that requires a lot of time.

"Basketball can't come close time-wise to what we put in," Rynburger claimed. "We have as many games (meets) as they do, plus we had a tournament every Saturday but one throughout the year."

Jim indicated that he leaves his home for a tournament at least by 7 a.m. and doesn't return to 11 p.m.

What's the toughest part in being a wrestler?

"The toughest part is self-discipline," stated Rynburger. "The guys get a lot of pressure from the other guys on the team."

Rynburger doesn't encourage starvation as a means of losing weight. He said that almost everyone can lose a few pounds but you shouldn't lose it if it's going to affect your ability.

The only goal and that a big one for Rynburger's 1977 - 78 Chix, will be winning the state championship.

"If we don't win it next year, we'll keep coming back until we do," Rynburger replied. "Hopefully, we'll get it."

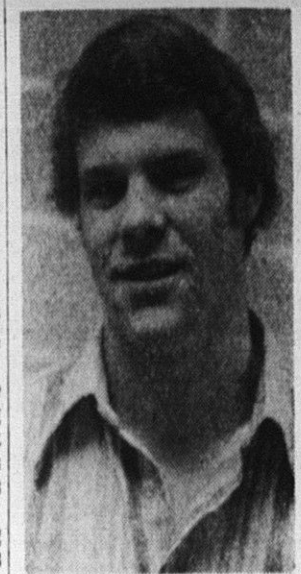
It takes something extra to win a state crown but the Chix seem to have the man to direct them to their goal in Jim Rynburger.

Pat Nelis Is State B Champion

ANN ARBOR — Pat Nelis, West Ottawa's "super" swimmer, placed first in the state meet Saturday at the University of Michigan.

Nelis, a senior, won the 50 - yard freestyle in a school record 22.2 clocking. Nelis was also third in the 100 - yard freestyle in 49.4.

The Panthers finished ninth in the state Class B meet with



Pat Nelis
... West Ottawa flash

65 points. East Grand Rapids came in first and Cherry Hill second in the rugged competition.

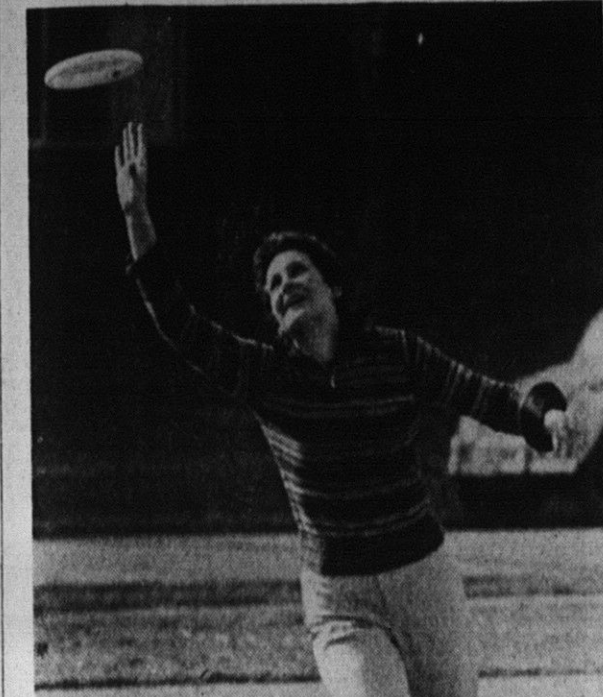
Ken Cooper of West Ottawa was sixth in the 100 - yard backstroke in 58.9. Cooper is only a freshman.

West Ottawa's 200 - yard medley relay team of Cooper, Jeff Reest, Kerry Wheeler and George Moeke finished seventh in 1:45.1. Wheeler, Reest, Moeke and Nelis came in seventh in the 400 - yard freestyle in 3:22.1.

Derks Records Lone Dutch Point In Class A Meet

EAST LANSING — Bill Derks scored Holland's lone point in the state Class A swimming and diving championships Saturday at Michigan State University.

Derks set a school mark in



RESIDENTS ENJOY WEATHER AS TEMPERATURE SOARS TO 71 FRIDAY
(Sentinel photos by Mark Copier and Dave Sundin)

Economist Says 'Small Is Beautiful'

"Small is beautiful," Dr. E. F. Schumacher, noted British economist told a large audience Monday night in Dimment Memorial Chapel on Hope College campus. His appearance was sponsored by Herman Miller Inc., Donnelly Mirrors and Hope College.

Advocating an "intermediate technology" as an answer to bridging production methods from the simple to the highly complex (jumping from stage 4 to 12), Dr. Schumacher put strong emphasis on energy shortages and the conviction that science cannot solve everything.

"Too many methods today are violent," he said, "particularly on the pesticide front where we solve one problem through a chemical and create perhaps a dozen others. Science often creates more problems than it solves, and Michigan has had more than its share on this front."

Dr. Schumacher, a German native who studied as a Rhodes Scholar at Oxford University, had predicted the world fossil fuel crises as early as 1958, stating that oil is only one of the world's nonrenewable resources.

It was on Oct. 6, 1973, that the OPEC countries used oil as a political weapon, producing a world-wide crisis felt particularly in the United States. And Dr. Schumacher said it had taken the oil countries ten years to reach that point. OPEC had discovered power.

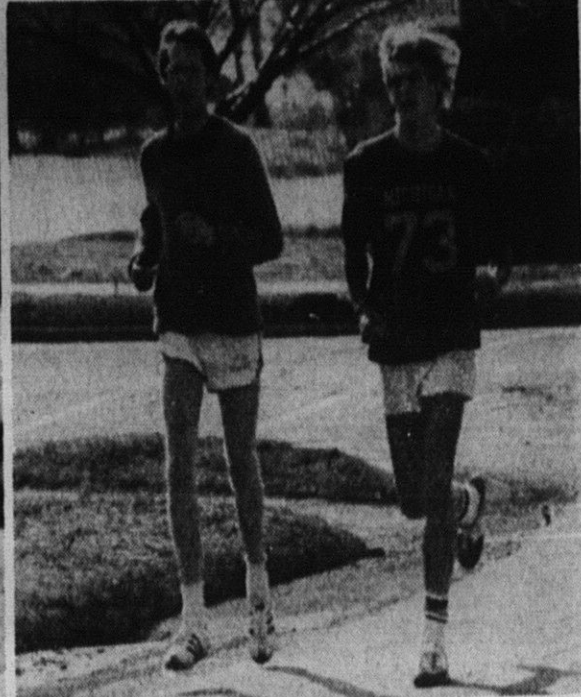
Thus, the world entered a new phase in 1973, and the British economist feels one answer is to pull away from "bigness" and make some effort to return to the simpler life—a bakery turning out bread for consumption in smaller areas, not sent to markets 500 miles away, meeting other bread trucks traveling the same great distances.

"Small Is Beautiful" is the title of his recent influential book, aptly subtitled "Economics as if People Mattered."

It was in India that Dr. Schumacher originated the concept of an "intermediate technology" that would be both an improvement over primitive implements and an alternative to costly, fuel-consuming and job-displacing complex machines and highly centralized systems.

It is this concept which is highly challenging to innovative companies like Herman Miller Inc., geared to sophisticated engineering skills.

Dr. Schumacher is spending today, Wednesday and Thursday morning meeting with company executives and planners of Herman Miller before going to Chicago. He has been in America five weeks and has addressed some 30,000 business executives on subjects dealing with alternate energy, keeping rural places alive, sustaining industrial society, new rules or "non rules" for government, water shortages and new building designs.



Anne Carey 3rd in State

GRAND RAPIDS — The Holland High girls' gymnastic team completed its best season ever Saturday by placing 18th in the 41 - team state finals.

Anne Carey placed third in floor exercise and fourth in tumbling for the Dutch. The Holland sophomore set a personal high of 8.55 in floor competition.

Ludington easily won its third straight state crown with 122.60 points. East Lansing, Troy Athens and Muskegon Mona Shores followed in that order.

Ludington also had four individual champions. Former Holland resident Lynn Forberg of East Grand Rapids was second in all-around.

Holland Coach Marilyn Trembl was pleased with the team's performance, especially Carey's fine effort. The Dutch finished the year at 9 - 3.

C. Riemersma Dies in Hospital

Charley Riemersma, 88, of 1145 North 136th Ave., died Tuesday in Holland Hospital following a short illness.

Born in Holland, he was a lifelong resident of the area and owned and operated a gas station and tourist camp north of Holland for many years. He was a member of Rose Park Reformed Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mary; a daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Lambert of Holland; a son, Neal of Wyoming; seven grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Matilda Riemersma of Grand Rapids.

Garden Rental In Third Year

Community Gardens of Holland, Inc., offering a garden plot for persons to grow their own flowers or produce, enters its third year of renting land.

The non profit group rents parcels about 25 by 30 feet in area and gardeners are responsible for their own plowing and fertilization. Organic and conventional gardening is available.

Garden plots are available on a first come, first served basis and persons may contact Jack Lowe, president, or Lois Rust for reservations.

The group has about three acres of land turned into the community garden project.

Guild Meeting Held At Grace Reformed

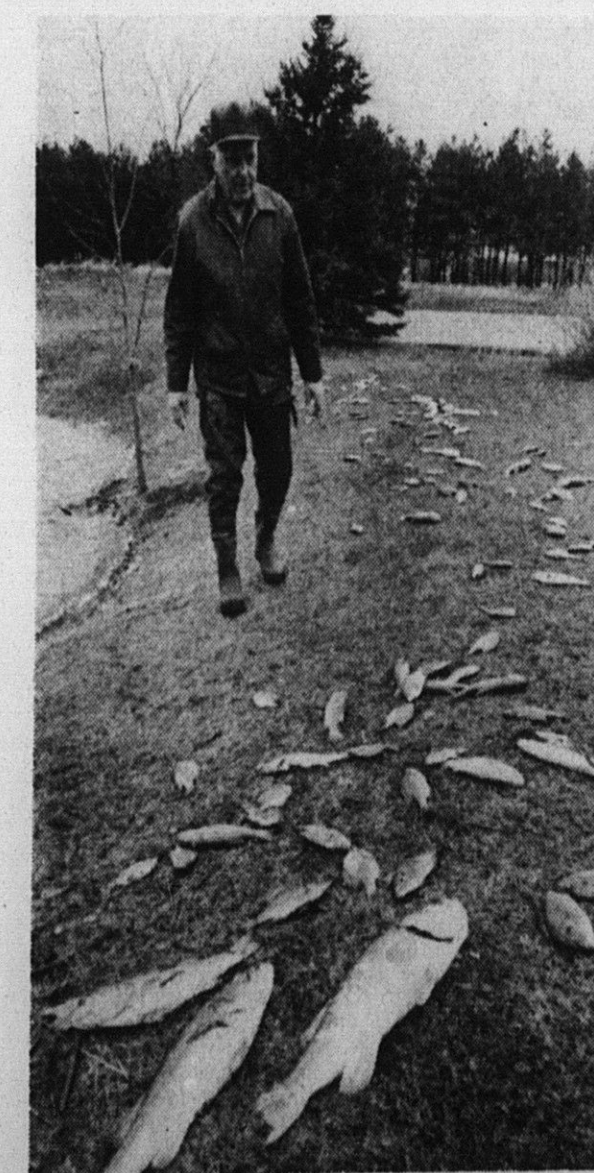
A program entitled "His Cross in Agony" was presented at the Grace Reformed Church Guild meeting Monday. Taking part were Adeline Bjorum, Mildred Koetje, Ruth Bloemers, Linda Van Rhee, Claudia Van Rhee, Carolyn Overway, Sally Lambert, Doris Wehrmeyer, Wilma Brouwer and Henrietta Van Den Oever. Ruth Bloemers sang two selections and Mrs. Van Den Oever closed with prayer.

President Analene Raak presided at the meeting, which opened with singing of the guild theme song. Bible study group leaders were Gladys Boeve, Linda Van Rhee, Claudia Van Rhee, Judy De Visser and Sharon Yonker.

Hostesses for the social hour were Pat Weatherwax, Sandy De Feyter, Carolyn Overway and Gail Reidsma.

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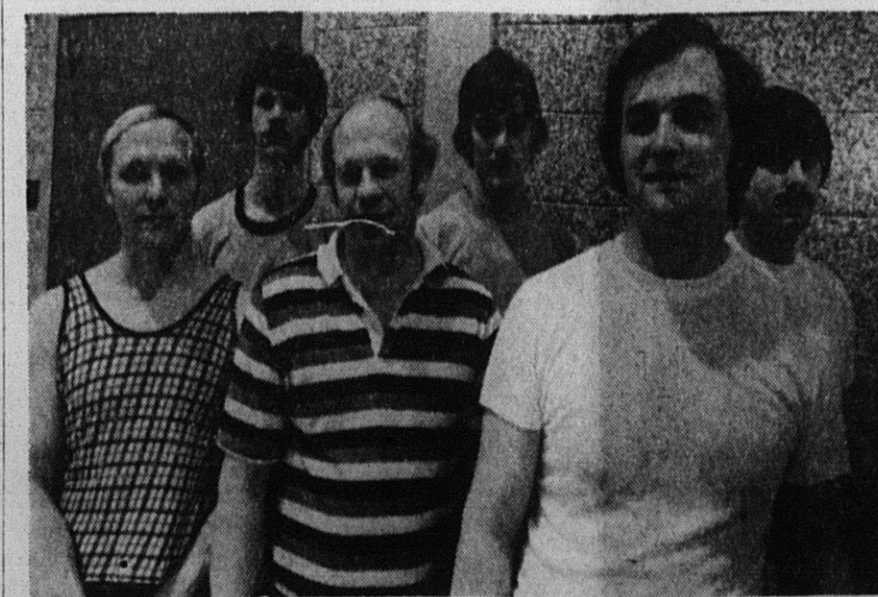
DEAD FISH — A disappointed Bert Zimmer of 11780 Riley walks past several dead fish at his pond Saturday. Zimmer said that the heavy snow this winter shut off light to the 200' by 100' pond and the end result was several hundred dead fish. The avid fisherman, who started his pond 10 years ago said that it will take him three years of growth to re-stock the pond for fishing. The fish consisted mostly of blue gills and large mouth bass. (Sentinel photo)



CO-B LEAGUE WINNERS—Volleyettes tied McClaskey's for the Holland Township women's B League championship. Team member for Volleyettes include front row (left to right) Thelma Simmons, Pam Hield and Marlene Klies. Top row: Vivian Boss, Dawn Jacobusse, Sharon Vander Yacht and Debbie Overway. (Sentinel photo)



CAPTURE B LEAGUE—Lamar Construction No. 2 won the Holland Township volleyball B League title with a 16-2 mark. Front row (left to right) John Potts, Bob Lamar and Wayne Scholten. Top row: Keith Hulst, Denny Tanis, Paul Hulst and Tom Bratt. (Sentinel photo)



C LEAGUE WINNERS — Country Side Builders took the Holland Township C League volleyball championship with a 17-1 record. Front row (left to right) are Corwin Boeskool, Jim Grassmid and Al Holstege. Back row: Bill Dekleine, Jerry De Groot and Jack Machiela. (Sentinel photo)