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## Annual Budget \$13,000 Lower Than Last Year

School Debt Service  
Decreased by \$20,000;  
Tax Rate to be Less

Common council Wednesday night adopted the city's 1945-46 budget which provides for raising \$190,000 by taxation this summer, a decrease of \$13,000 from the 1944 budget of \$203,000.

The new budget provides \$289,942.90 for operating expenses, an increase of \$3,995.40 over the 1944 figure of \$285,947.50. The debt service totals \$11,880, a decrease of \$5,645 from last year's total of \$17,525. This provides a total budget of \$301,822.90, a decrease of \$1,649.60 from the 1944 budget of \$303,472.50.

From the new budget can be deducted \$70,000 which is 50 per cent of the estimated net earnings of the board of public works, and

### How Budget Is Figured

1945	1944
Operating expense .....	\$289,942.90
Debt service .....	11,880.00
Total .....	\$301,822.90
BPW contribution .....	70,000.00
Balance .....	\$231,822.90
Estimated balance .....	\$1,622.90
Net budget .....	190,000.00
1944	
Operating expense .....	\$285,947.50
Debt service .....	17,525.00
Total .....	\$303,472.50
BPW contribution .....	70,000.00
Balance .....	\$233,472.50
Estimated balance .....	\$30,472.50
Net budget .....	203,000.00

\$41,822.90, the estimated balance for the end of the current fiscal year, to reach the net figure of \$190,000.

Decrease in the budget is due partly to the decrease in debt service, election expenses and numerous items in the 1944 budget which are not included in the new budget. The old budget set aside \$12,000 for plans for a civic center, \$5,000 for paving at the city hospital, 50 per cent of the salary of the city nurse or \$12,000 which is now paid by the county, \$1,600 for two new police cars, \$1,000 for repairs to Centennial park rest rooms, \$600 for a new mower for the cemetery department.

Last year's budget included a third five-cent raise for all city employees. No increase is scheduled this year. Employees of the board of public works are not included in the city budget.

City Clerk Oscar Peterson has been informed that the debt service this year from the board of education will be \$40,000, a decrease of \$20,000 from last year's figure of \$60,000.

Thus, the year's appropriation bills for the city and schools will be \$33,000 less than last year with the result that property holders may expect a decrease in the 1945 city and school tax rate when the board of review meets in May.

The city's 1944 total valuation as equalized by the board of review is \$13,752,990. A tax levy of 14 per cent on the assessed valuation amounts to \$2,025,418.50 and under the city charter this is the maximum amount that can be levied for operating expense. The charter further provides that an additional three mills can be raised for debt service. A tax levy of .0005 on the assessed valuation amounts to \$41,258.97.

The general fund (figures for 1945 the same as last year unless indicated by two sets of figures) is as follows:

Mayor, \$100; aldermen, \$600; clerk, \$3,200; assistant clerk, \$2,184; bookkeeper, \$1,872; assessor, \$3,000; clerical to assessor, \$900 and \$700; treasurer, \$3,000; clerical to treasurer, \$900; municipal judge, \$3,000; clerical to judge, \$1,248; city attorney, \$1,400; janitors, two for city hall, \$3,774 and \$3,536; janitor, clinic building, \$900 and \$850; poundmaster, \$1,150; building inspector, \$520; board of review, \$192; guard at Kollen park, \$400. (In 1944 the guard was included under the police department for \$300); total, \$28,310 and \$27,452.

Elections (two in 1945 and four in 1944) salaries of inspectors, \$800 and \$1,400; printing, advertising and other expense, \$400 and \$1,200; totals, \$1,200 and \$2,600.

Miscellaneous—street lighting, overhead lamps, \$9,000 and \$8,800; street lighting, ornamental lamps, \$8,500; Chamber of Commerce, advertising, \$2,500; Chamber of Commerce, airport maintenance, \$1,000, none last year; American Legion band music, \$2,200; playground commission supervised play, \$1,800; skating pond, \$1,000; Riverview park maintenance, \$2,000 and \$1,000; Riverview park reserve, \$5,000 and \$2,000; civilian defense, \$500.

Fuel, city hall, \$1,000; fuel, museum and clinic buildings, \$3,000 and \$250; light and water, city hall, \$400; telephones, city hall, \$300; janitor supplies, city hall, \$400; insurance, city hall, \$300; Dornbos, Moes and Jones agreements, \$1,600; upkeep on other city property, \$800; testing gas, annual expense, \$400 and \$350; radio interference, annual expense, \$100 and

## Three of Vicinity Are Wounded in Germany

Three of this area have been wounded in action in Germany, according to war department telegrams and letters received by relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kars, 61 West 15th St., received a war department wire Wednesday stating their son, T/S Reinder Kars, 22, was slightly wounded in Germany March 6. He is a tank driver and is with the 1st army.

Kars has been overseas since October and was in France, Belgium, Germany and the Netherlands before participating in the present drive in Germany. Entering the army Feb. 10, 1943, he was stationed at Camp Hood, Tex., Camp Wolters, Tex., and Fort Meade, Md., before being sent overseas. He was born Jan. 8, 1923, and before his induction was employed at the Willow Run bomber plant.

Pfc. Russell Dalman, 26, whose wife and three-year-old daughter, Ruth Marie, reside at North Blenden, was wounded by shrapnel in the right arm Feb. 24. He was flown to England and is now in a hospital there.

Mrs. Dalman received a letter from her husband, written by a friend in the same hospital, last week, three days before the war department message was delivered to her. The letter was dated March 3 and stated that Pfc. Dalman had been wounded in the crossing of the Roer river.

Pfc. Dalman entered the army in June, 1944, and while in this country was stationed at Camp Croft, S. C. He was sent overseas Nov. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ryzenka, route 5, received a letter from their son, Pvt. Ernest Ryzenka, 20, stating that he is hospitalized in Belgium. A war department telegram sent to them previously stated that their son had been seriously wounded in action.

Pvt. Ryzenka wrote that a piece of shrapnel from a German mortar shell hit him in the right side between two ribs during a German night attack.

"We were out on a small hill in a woods," he said. "We moved out there about midnight and dug our foxholes, two guys to one hole. About 2:30 the Germans gave us



Pvt. Ernest Ryzenka

all they had. The fight, he said, was in full moonlight, letting up only about 4 a.m. in the darkness before dawn. At daylight he looked around and, not seeing any Nazis, he got out of his foxhole. But when he stood up there was a German "looking right at me about 50 yards away." He ducked back to safety.

Some of the Nazis were taken prisoners and some of the Yanks took them to the rear. Ryzenka and others remained and in the afternoon the Germans opened up with mortar shells. "The first shell hit about 10 feet away and got me."

Pvt. Ryzenka entered service in January, 1944, and went overseas in October, after having been stationed in North Carolina and Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryzenka have two other sons in the armed forces, Pfc. Gordon and T/S Julius, who are both in the Philippines.

Julius went to the Philippines from New Guinea in October, 1944. He entered service in April, 1941, going overseas with Co. D of the 126th infantry. Gordon entered service in November, 1942, going overseas in June, 1944. He and Julius met the first part of the year, after having been separated for over three years.

## Lievense Resigns As City Chairman

Frank M. Lievense, who has directed the war bond program in Holland city for nearly four years, today said he has submitted his resignation in a letter to Walter Wade, district supervisor, to take effect immediately.

Lievense was appointed city chairman in May, 1941, six months before the attack on Pearl Harbor. He headed a committee appointed by former Mayor Henry Geerlings and his appointment as city chairman was later made by state authorities.

In his nearly four years of voluntary service, Lievense has worked tirelessly in organizing the various divisions and in directing the six war loan drives in Holland city. In addition, he spoke at numerous meetings in the area at the request of Wade. Wade now heads 35 counties in Western Michigan.

In announcing his resignation, Lievense said he felt that the bond program was fairly well organized and that "new blood" would help the program. "There are any number of men who can do the job as well or perhaps better," he said.

## Van Ark in Lansing to Discuss Proposed Bill

City Assessor Peter H. Van Ark went to Lansing on Tuesday to a conference of the Institute of Local Government called by State Treasurer D. Hale Brake in connection with drafting proposed legislation covering county employees' retirement set up on a state-wide basis. Van Ark attended as a representative of the State Association of Supervisors.

The bill is now about ready for introduction and the committee of the Municipal League is in agreement as to its terms.

\$75; harbor board expense, \$100.

Memorial day expense, \$100; annual audit, \$425; annual dues, Michigan Municipal League, \$181.50; treasurer's bond, \$120; travel expense, \$200; legal advertising, printing, supplies, etc., \$1,000; envelopes, postages, supplies, assessor, \$200; compensation insurance, \$100; prizes, victory gardens, \$150; preliminary plans, civic center, \$1,200; last year, incidentals, \$1,000 and \$500; playground equipment for Kollen park, \$500; totals, \$42,876.50 and \$37,951.50.

Grand totals, \$72,386.50 and \$68,003.50.

Receipts—rents, city hall, \$2,700; rents, other city property, \$700; general licenses, \$1,200; municipal court, \$2,000 and \$2,500; state refunds on beer licenses, \$2,500; BPW taxes, \$16,000 and \$15,000; building permit fees, \$450 and \$500; Riverview park fees, \$400 and \$300; state refunds, intangible tax, \$6,000 and \$5,000; BPW refunds, city treasurer's salary, \$1,950 and \$1,400; totals, \$33,900 and \$31,800.

Net amount required, \$38,486.50 and \$36,203.50.

## De Kruif Assist at Launching of Ship

Dr. and Mrs. Paul de Kruif who maintain a home on Lake Michigan south of here, participated in the launching of the steamship Notre Dame Victory at Oregon shipyard near Portland, Ore., on March 9, according to word received here. The Notre Dame was the 1,000th ship launched in the Portland area and it was the 61st Victory ship at Oregonship. Mrs. de Kruif christened the vessel and Dr. de Kruif spoke at the ceremonies.

Dr. and Mrs. de Kruif have been spending some time in San Francisco, working with Dr. Sidney Garfield, director of the Permanente hospital foundation and starting work on a new book, to be published in about two years, entitled "Life and Death." Mrs. de Kruif has collaborated before with her bacteriologist husband, doing much of the research on "Why Keep Them Alive?" which was published in 1936. Other best sellers by de Kruif are "Men Against Death," and "Microbe Hunters."

## Pvt. Klokkert in Holland After Overseas Service



Pvt. Donald Klokkert

Pvt. Donald Klokkert, son of John Klokkert, 57 East Seventh St., is spending a convalescent furlough with his wife and daughter, Pamela, after overseas duty.

He entered the service, May 31, 1944, and was sent to Camp Blanding, Fla., for his 17 weeks of basic training. After moving on to Fort George Meade, he went directly into action in France and Germany. He was in a rifle company of the 7th army and wears the combat infantryman's badge for his overseas service.

He became ill Dec. 28, 1944, and was hospitalized in France and England before returning to Haloran hospital, N. Y. From there he was sent to Camp Butler general hospital, N. C., where he will return for further treatment.

Save Your Waste Fate Buy More War Bonds

## Ceiling Program For Employees Is Effective Here

The manpower ceiling program for all business and industrial establishments in the Holland-Zeeland area became effective here March 16, according to Jacob Barendse, manager of the local USES.

Ceilings for each establishment were determined at a meeting of the area manpower priorities committee and the area production urgency committee Thursday in the Warm Friend tavern. Among the federal agencies represented at the session were the army, navy, army air forces, war production board, selective service, war manpower commission and employment service.

The program is designed to shift men from non-essential work to war work.

Notification of individual ceilings were being received in the mail by local employers today. The ceilings were determined by the urgency of production, and some firms were raised and others were cut. The new program affects all males 17 and over. Discharged veterans of World War II are not controlled by the program but they are counted in their employer's ceiling.

In case of a cut, the employer need not dispose immediately of a number of men, but under the present arrangements he will not be allowed to replace men until the ceiling allows. About 200 workers will be made available for war work under the changes.

No employer is allowed to employ any male 17 or over without a referral from the USES under the priority referral program, Barendse emphasized.

About 100 establishments are covered by the local USES branch. This ceiling program is one of the important steps in a new program announced early in February establishing employee ceilings and expanding to a 48-hour work week.

## Consider Association For Retail Merchants

The Chamber of Commerce today announced a meeting of all retail dealers of Holland Monday, April 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Warm Friend tavern to consider reorganizing a retail merchants' association, as a division of the Chamber of Commerce.

Decision to hold this meeting was the result of a meeting March 13 of a representative group of merchants who conceded that in view of the many rules, regulations and orders that are constantly being issued by the various bureaucracies, it is important that the average business man keep himself well informed to protect himself against a fine or jail sentence.

An association, it was felt, will fill the urgent need for coordinated and cooperative action in the retail field at present and also will serve to solve postwar problems.

## Soldier of Nunica Wins Bronze Star

With the 85th Infantry Division in Germany—Pfc. George R. Campbell of Nunica, Mich., has been awarded the Bronze Star medal for meritorious service during military operations against the enemy.

When an officer was wounded while riding in Pfc. Campbell's jeep, he stopped the vehicle and administered first aid to the officer—though exposed to enemy fire, and evacuated him to an aid station.

Formerly in action in the Gelienkirchen sector of Germany, he also saw action in the Battle of the Bulge in Belgium.

## Hudsonville Soldier Is Killed on Western Front

Hudsonville, March 22—Pvt. Russell V. Neuman, son of Mrs. Anna Neuman, route 1, Hudsonville, was killed in action in Germany Feb. 23. He had been reported wounded on Feb. 19.

Pvt. Neuman entered service in May, 1943, and left for England last January.

Besides his mother, he is survived by six brothers and two sisters and a brother Pfc. Merle, in a German prison camp.

## Nineteen to Leave City For Induction March 28

Nineteen local men will leave Holland March 28 for induction into the armed forces in Chicago.

This number includes seven of the local board and 12 transfers, most of them from Grand Haven board. An eighth man to be inducted from the local board, Arno Alwin Whipple of Milwaukee, Wis., has requested transfer to a Milwaukee board.

The local men include Jerome Kapenga, 121 West 17th St.; Harold Gordon Knoll, 174 East Fourth St.; Raymond Ryzenka, 747 State St.; Chester Gordon Schamper, 15 West 17th St.; Udell Robert Hoffman, 24 West First St.; Bern-

## Churches Elect Board for Home For Aged Here

A 12-man board has been elected for a local Home for the Aged, an interdenominational project in which 17 local churches are participating. These include eight Reformed, seven Christian Reformed, Berean Reformed and Protestant Reformed.

The board members are William Brouwer, Peter Dryer, John Galien, Rev. Paul E. Hinkamp, John Jipping, Isaac Kouw, Ben Lemmen, Anthony Nienhuis, Peter Selles, Vernon D. Ten Cate, Wilbur Van Appledorn and Dr. Teunis Vergeer.

Each of the 17 consistories had previously presented two names for nominations and each consistory member voted on 12 names of the 34 submitted. A total of 244 ballots was cast.

The board will meet soon to organize and lay plans for further promotion of the project. Eventually a society will be formed to give the financial backing and to exercise jurisdiction. Details will be effected by the board.

Electors of the board is the result of extensive preliminary investigation and planning. The desire for establishing a home in Holland was first expressed by Rev. William Van't Hof of Third church and Prof. Clarence De Graaf of Fourteenth Street church.

Representatives of 14 consistories met in September and were organized into four committees for investigation, organization, information on other homes, finance and property. Reports were given at a second meeting in October at which time it was decided Holland should have its own home.

Since the project was to be interdenominational in character, it was decided to solicit cooperation of all protestant churches. The recommended plan of organization was that followed by the Grand Rapids Holland Home. Seventeen churches responded and submitted nominees. The ballots were counted by Rev. Van't Hof, temporary chairman, and Clarence De Graaf, temporary secretary.

## Lt. Ter Haar Is Slightly Injured

Lt. Jarvis M. Ter Haar, 26-year-old fighter pilot, was slightly injured in France Feb. 25, according to a war department telegram received here this morning.

His wife, the former Katherine Nyhoff, and 11-week-old son, Jarvis Lynn, reside at 609 Highland Ave. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ter Haar, 204 West 19th St.

Lt. Ter Haar went overseas to England in October, was later in France and was then sent back to England. He had been flying missions from both countries.

Since at the time of his last letter to his wife, dated Feb. 22, Lt. Ter Haar was stationed in England, Mrs. Ter Haar could not explain why he was in France when he was injured.

He received the silver wings of an army air force pilot and aerial gunnery wings Dec. 5, 1943, at Napier field, Ala. He is a graduate of Holland High school.

## Designate Next Week as Clean-up Week for City

Common council Wednesday night designated next week, March 26 through 31, as Holland's annual clean-up week.

During this period, city trucks will haul away debris such as lawn rakes from city curbs. This does not include tin cans or ashes.

For the remainder of the spring and summer, residents are expected to dispose of their own rakes.

## To Organize First Aid Class in City Monday

A Red Cross ten-week class in first aid is being organized in the city and the first session will be held Monday from 7 to 9 p.m. Any persons interested in registering for the class are requested to call the Red Cross office.

## Lt. Homer Lokker, One Of Co. D. Men, Returns

Another one of Holland's original Co. D. men, Lt. Homer Lokker, 29, a veteran of the New Guinea campaigns and battles in the Netherlands East Indies and holder of the Bronze Star, is home on a 21-day leave, mighty glad to be home and saying that everybody in Holland looks much the same as when he left.

Lt. Lokker was reluctant to talk about his overseas adventures but when cornered about the Bronze Star incident he loosened up enough to say that was the incident which stands out most in his mind.

The citation tells the story. "Lokker led a patrol through Japanese lines and heavy sniper fire to rescue 53 wounded Yanks during the Aitape campaign in British New Guinea."

One patrol had gone in previously and failed to return, but Lokker's outfit was more successful and, with natives serving as carriers, they brought the 53 wounded to safety.

Lokker entered the service in October, 1940, with the national guards. Following training in Louisiana he was promoted to first sergeant and fought in New Guinea with the 126th infantry when they crossed the Owen-Stanley mountains. He also fought in the Buna campaign.

When he was relieved he returned to Australia where he received officer's training and was commissioned a second lieutenant in June, 1943.

As a lieutenant he fought in the Aitape campaign during which he was awarded the Bronze Star.

## Sgt. Allen Shaw Is Hospitalized

Sgt. Allen W. Shaw of the 4th marines, who has participated in four major invasions in the Pacific in the past 13 months, is now hospitalized with a "bad case of shell shock," his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vander West, 92 West 10th St., were informed in a letter received this morning.

The letter was written March 14 at which time Sgt. Shaw was in an army hospital in the Marianas. He expected to be flown to the naval hospital at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, soon, he stated.

Veteran of invasions of the Marshalls, Saipan and Tinian in the Marianas, and Iwo Jima in the Philippines, Shaw said "I'll never forget Iwo which was the bloodiest beachhead I've ever seen." He was evacuated from Iwo Jima on the fifth or sixth day of fighting.

Sgt. Shaw stated he "felt quite good and was trying to get back with his old outfit." He enlisted in the marines April 26, 1943, and left for training May 27 of that year. He was sent overseas in December. He received his rating as corporal while on Saipan and just three weeks later was made a sergeant.

A step-brother, Pfc. Jay Vander West, also with the marines, is stationed in California.

## Drunk Driving Charge Draws Fine, Sentence

Grand Haven, March 22 (Special)—William Yeske, 52, route 1, West Olive, pleaded guilty in Justice George Hoffer's court this morning, to a charge of drunk driving and was sentenced to pay a \$50 fine, \$8.80 costs and serve 10 days in the county jail. City police made the arrest at 4 p.m. Wednesday on Beech Tree St.

## Capt. Cheff, Formerly of Holland, Gets Bronze Star

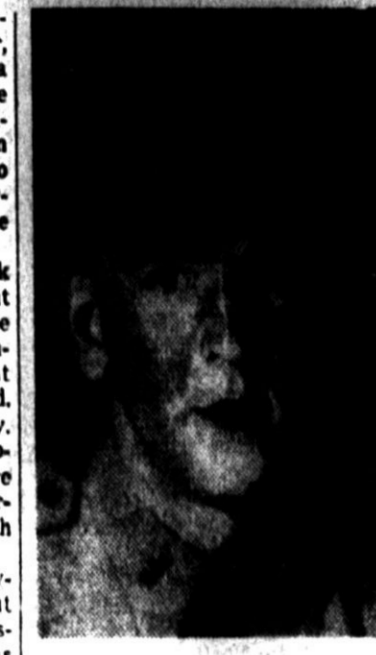
Corp. Gerald Rouwhorst and Corp. Raymond Rouwhorst, brothers, met each other somewhere in France March 1, according to letters written to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rouwhorst, route 2. Neither one had seen their parents or each other for 28 months.

Corp. Gerald, who is with the 3rd division of the 7th army, medical detachment, entered service Jan. 26, 1942, arrived in North Africa Nov. 8, 1942, and from there was sent to Sicily, Italy and France. He has taken part in several campaigns in each country and while in Italy visited Rome. In a recent letter to his parents he said his division had been decorated by the French for having a record of the most days in combat duty.

Corp. Raymond, with the 3rd army, 61st chemical depot company, entered the army Jan. 30, 1943. He has been overseas for 17 months, first in England and now in France. He has been awarded the good conduct and driving medals.

Capt. Cheff attended the local public schools during the time his father, the late Dr. P. P. Cheff, was pastor of Hope church. At the time of his enlistment in the military service, June, 1942, he was a practicing physician in Wilmington, Del.

He is company commander of the medical battalion of the 77th infantry division, and has been in combat action in both Guam and Leyte. He is now with his division on Luzon island in the Philippines. He was born in Zeeland at the time his father was pastor of a church there.



Lt. Homer C. Lokker

He was later returned to Australia for a second time and then was promoted to first lieutenant. He served as such during the invasion of Moroto in the Netherlands East Indies and successive action on that island. He is with intelligence reconnaissance.

Lokker arrived home last Sunday and saw his sister, Lt. Elaine Lokker, an army nurse, whom he hadn't seen for about three years. Lt. Elaine is stationed at Camp McCoy, Wis., and was home on leave Saturday and Sunday.

He wears three battle stars, three campaign ribbons and the presidential citation.

## Third to Exceed Red Cross Quota

Georgetown township is the third township in the south half of Ottawa county to go over the top in the Red Cross war fund campaign this year. Campaign Chairman Paul E. Hinkamp announced Tuesday.

The township of which Mrs. G. De Weerd is chairman turned in \$3,012.05 or just over its quota of \$2,993.70. Mrs. L. De Kleine of Jamestown township has brought in an additional \$333.40, making her township's quota \$2,397.40 or 122 per cent of the assigned quota of \$2,113.20. Olive township was the first to go over the top.

Total collected in Holland city is now over \$13,000 of which \$4,472.85 has been turned in by Mrs. W. S. Merriam, chairman of the residential roll call committee for the city.

The drive in city schools under the direction of E. D. Hanson has brought \$1,195.44. This is divided as follows: Froebel teachers, \$21; East Junior High teachers, \$80; Van Raalte teachers, \$21; Holland High faculty, \$159; Hope faculty, \$142; Junior high faculty and students, \$427.01; Western seminary faculty, \$61.43; Longfellow teachers, \$52; Washington teachers, \$109.50; Lincoln teachers, \$24; Christian elementary teachers, \$24.50; Christian High teachers, \$40; Hope college musical arts club, \$34.

Duncan Weaver, chairman of the manufacturers and industries committee, has reported a total to date of \$5,828.50. The merchants and professional committee with Alex Van Zanten as chairman has reported a total of \$2,206. Trinity church sent in a check for \$160.91 and Berean church \$67.20.

## Holland Brothers Meet Somewhere in France

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## Two Zeeland Soldiers Wounded in Europe

Zeeland, March 22—Pvt. Henry Diepstra, paratrooper, was wounded Feb. 12 on the western front in Germany, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Diepstra, 53 West McKinley Ave. He was taken to an army hospital.

Pvt. Erval S. Ten Brink, son of Simon Ten Brink, route 1, also was wounded in the European area recently.

## Plan Straw Vote For Recreation Building in City

Ballot Will Be Taken At Election April 2; Site Also Is Issue

Ald. Herman Mool, chairman of the municipal recreation committee of Holland, announced last Monday that a "straw" vote will be taken at the April 2 election to determine whether citizens of Holland favor postwar construction of a municipal recreation building.

## Hamilton Gunner Awarded Second Oak Leaf Cluster

An Eighth Air Force Liberator Station, England—S/Sgt. Jay G. Kooker, route 1, Hamilton, Mich., has been awarded his second Oak Leaf cluster to the Air Medal "for meritorious achievement in aerial combat." It was announced recently by Col. E. S. Ligon, of Kirkwood, Mo., commanding officer of the 466th bombardment group, 2nd air division.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kooker, reside in Hamilton, where the young flier was employed by the Hamilton Farm bureau prior to his entry into the service.

He is a veteran of 20 bombing missions over Germany, including such vital targets as Berlin, Ham-



S/Sgt. Jay G. Kooker

burg and Magdeburg.

His citation reads: "For meritorious achievement in accomplishing with distinction several operational missions over enemy territory. The courage, coolness and skill displayed by Sgt. Kooker in the face of determined opposition materially aided in the successful completion of these missions. His actions reflect credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States."

He is an engineer gunner with the 466th bombardment group, which received official commendation from Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle, commanding the 8th air force, for combat achievement on its first mission, attack against Berlin. It was the longest individual assault ever flown by any unit in the history of the European theater, and one of the heaviest daylight bombardments of the German capital on record.

## Fennville

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Henry Sweigart has returned home from Allegan Health center where she recently submitted to an appendectomy. She is making good recovery.

Mrs. Warren Duell entertained the members of her supper bridge club Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Reed returned Wednesday evening from Grand Rapids where she had spent a week with her sister, Mrs. Barbara Anders. After visiting her daughter, Mrs. Keith Hutchins, a couple of days, she went Friday to Lawrence where she has been making her home this winter with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bigelow.

When Mrs. Ella Starring returned from Tampa, Fla., Wednesday afternoon she learned that John Lamoreaux, 62, the nephew she had been visiting there the past three months, died in his home last Sunday night. He had not been in good health, but when she left Sunday afternoon he was apparently no worse. He was born near New Richmond, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Lamoreaux, an dwas a brother of Earl Lamoreaux of Fennville who died about three months ago. Surviving are his wife, two daughters, a son and three sisters, Miss Blanche Lamoreaux, a Grand Rapids teacher, Mrs. Ruby Hansen of Oregon, and Mrs. Abby Hoff, of Minneapolis, Minn.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. O. W. Carr Thursday night were their son, Warren Carr of Kalamazoo, and his cousin, Pfc. James Carr, who is having a 21-day furlough. Pvt. Carr has seen service in India, Italy and Africa.

Mrs. Keith Hutchins has received a letter from her son, 2nd Lt. Robert L. Stevenson, telling her that he has been awarded the Bronze Star. He was recently given the battle field promotion from technical sergeant.

Supt. E. H. Bremer announces that the following honor members of the senior class are as follows: First, Arnold Jones; second, Jacqueline Collins; third, Eleanor Hicks; fourth, Bernard Jorgensen; fifth, Geneva Flanders; sixth, Jane Hogmire. Arnold is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Jones with whom he makes his home. He has taken part in class plays, was class president in his sophomore year, on the annual staff last year, and a member of the F. F. A. Jacqueline Collins, second, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins. She is a member of the band, orchestra, glee club, economics club, and French club and has been pianist for the girls' trio, sextet and glee club.

Mrs. Charles Reed, living in Holland this winter, has been a patient at the hospital there the past few weeks. She has been in poor health the past two years or more.

The Manlius township capus held at New Richmond Monday

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Mrs. Kate Fisher and Mrs. Clarence Huyser have been ill.

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A welcome guest was the Rev. E. J. Dodge, pastor who was called to service as an army chaplain four years ago. Rev. Dodge recalled that it was exactly four years ago that he celebrated his birthday here and at the same time was given a farewell reception. From here he was sent to Spartanburg, N. C., and in 1943 was sent to North Africa where he served about a year before being returned here and soon thereafter given a medical discharge. He is now engaged in ministerial work in Ohio.

Rev. and Mrs. Dodge had three children when they were here, a son and daughter, John and Helen in high school and a baby daughter. The family remained in Spartanburg during his absence overseas. John is soon to be graduated as a navy chaplain from Great Lakes Station.

Rev. Dodge says he was very thankful that his work was chiefly hospital work on the Mediterranean shores, where the climate was delightful. Telling of one trip of 95 miles into the interior, he found the temperature of 120 degrees almost unendurable.

By request, J. E. Burch sang a solo, accompanied by Mrs. A. Thomas at the piano. Mrs. E. T. Brunson then sang, accompanied by Mrs. Thomas. No preparation had been made for a musical program.

Work of converting the upstairs of the church house into Sunday school rooms is progressing, it was reported. Men of the Sunday school do what work they can at night.

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## News of Holland Men in Service

First Lt. Donald W. Winter, 80 West 11th St., has landed in the Philippines with the 14th army corps. This corps, commanded by Major General O. W. Griswold, directed all the army's fighting in the Solomons and is now in its fourth campaign in World War II. Lt. Winter, overseas more than two years, is a member of an ordnance battalion.

Sgt. John Victor, whose wife, Maxine, resides at 182 West 11th St., has been awarded the combat infantryman badge for serving with the 100th division of the 7th army in France. This division is one of the newest fighting on the 7th army front in France.

Gerald C. Millard, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew L. Millard, 23 West Second St., was recently promoted to the grade of sergeant while serving as nose turret gunner in a 15th air force B-24 Liberator group in Italy. He entered the AAF Aug. 3, 1943, and trained at aerial gunnery school at Yuma, Ariz.

Pfc. Kenneth H. Hoeve, route 1, Hamilton, recently completed 2½ years of service overseas with the Mediterranean air transport service which is now somewhere in Italy. Hoeve, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Hoeve, went overseas in August, 1942, and landed in England. He subsequently served in North Africa and then went to Italy. In civilian life, he was a press operator at General Motors in Grand Rapids. His wife resides in Holland.

S/Sgt. Willard J. Greving, 23, 413 Columbia Ave., who has been with the 15th AAF in Italy for the past 12 months, is now authorized under a recent war department order to wear two gold overseas service stripes. He is a medical administrative clerk in a veteran heavy bombardment group which has already participated in more than 150 combat missions against vital Nazi installations. His wife, Sarah, lives on Columbia Ave., and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abel J. Greving, live on route 5.

Lyle W. Bacon, messenger, of the 73rd armored field artillery battalion with the 9th armored division on the western front, has been promoted from private to corporal. He participated in the valiant stand made by the 9th armored division in Belgium and Luxembourg which prevented a complete break through by the enemy and saved vital centers of supply and communications. He was reported missing as of Dec. 19 but returned to his unit. His mother, Mrs. Lulu M. Bacon, resides at 272 West 10th St.

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## Sgt. Herbert Lake Weds Nora Beirne in England



Sgt. Herbert Lake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lake, 179 East Eighth St., and Miss Nora Beirne of Ireland were married Feb. 3 in St. Edmunds church, Bungay, England. Pictured with the bride couple are their attendants, Miss Betty Beirne, her sister's bridesmaid, and John Andrea, best man. The couple went on a short wedding trip to Yarmouth, England, and Mrs. Lake is now living with her husband at his base. Sgt. Lake entered service in June, 1942, and is a parachute rigger with the air corps. He has been overseas about 22 months and has been in England the entire time.

## Furlough Began in Italy As He Caught on to Joke

The point of what the lieutenant had said soaked slowly into Pfc. Harvey Sprick's brain as he bumped along in his supply truck toward the front lines in northern Italy.

Two miles back at the supply dump the lieutenant had offered a furlough in Holland as a swap for the two electric light bulbs—used by radiomen at the front—that lay on the seat at Sprick's side. Sprick had laughed and said sure and driven away.

But slowly it soaked in. Maybe the joke was that the lieutenant really had the furlough all fixed up. Sprick deserved a rest. He'd been overseas 34 months in the dust and wind of North Africa and the mud of Italy.

He wasn't taking any more chances. He stopped his truck and hopped into one going back to the supply dump, which was about three miles from the front lines.

Did the lieutenant, Arthur Shellhouse of Santa Monica, Cal., mean it about the furlough? He did.

If Sprick hadn't caught on when he did he probably would have heard about the furlough at the front lines from some other company officer. Company officers make up the furloughs.

And so Sprick, 24-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sprick, 210 West 16th St., is home on a 21-day rotation furlough. And he's not likely to be in Italy again unless it's on a sight-seeing tour some day. He will be assigned to new duty when he arrives at Miami Beach, Fla., for further rest after his stay here.

During the battles of North Africa and Italy, Sprick drove a truck which carried an anti-tank gun behind it but at the time he heard of his furlough he was driving a supply truck because his anti-tank gun was in position at the front. He had been in Italy for 18 months.

He had plenty of close calls but the time he drove over a land mine three times before discovering where it was the closest he came to getting blown-up and as close as it ever wants to come.

He was parking his truck after setting up the anti-tank gun and he maneuvered it into position by driving back and forth several times. When he got out of the truck he discovered a land mine only a few feet in front of the truck and he realized he had driven over the mine three times but the tires had not touched it.

Sprick has been in the fighting since the invasion of North Africa. He fought there, landed at Salerno, Italy, and participated in most of the big battles all the way up to the Gothic line.

He wears three campaign ribbons and three major engagement stars. The ribbons are for European theater, pre-Pearl Harbor and good conduct. The stars are for the African campaign, the battles from Salerno to Cassino and from Anzio to the Arno river. He won the Bronze Star during action in Italy.

Sprick entered the service Nov. 18, 1941, and joined the "Red Bull" infantry division at Fort Dix, N.J., and was assigned to the anti-tank company as a truck driver.

He underwent training in Ireland and England after leaving the United States.

## Rev. Ten Clay Declines Call to Chicago Church

Rev. Henry Ten Clay, pastor of Maplewood Reformed church, has declined the call extended to him by the First Reformed church, Englewood, Chicago. He received the call about three weeks ago. His decision was announced at the Sunday morning service in Maplewood church.

He has been pastor of the church since its organization and was ordained in July, 1942, following his graduation from Western Theological seminary in May of that year. He and Mrs. Ten Clay have a five-week-old daughter, Marilyn Kay.

Men working with God, and men working with men can find a way to overcome life's enemies and triumph over its limitations.

## Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Sgt. Gerald Schippers and Mrs. Schippers of Camp Skokie, Evanston, Ill., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Schippers, West 18th St., and Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Michmershuizen, 32nd St. Sgt. Schippers, who has charge of 600 German prisoners of war, has recently been transferred from Ft. Sheridan. Mrs. Schippers is employed in a Woolworth store in Evanston.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Whittaker of Ann Arbor were week-end guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Pedersen, route 5.

Misses Donna Van Tongeren and Janet Brooks have returned from a three weeks stay in Florida and expect to resume their studies at Michigan State college next week. Miss Van Tongeren is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Van Tongeren and Miss Brooks is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Brooks.

Kay Louise is the name of the daughter born Sunday at Everett hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kisinger, 72 East 22nd St.

Herman Bouws, 31, who was taken to Holland hospital Saturday after a chicken coop fell on him, causing chest injuries, was in an improved condition in the hospital today.

Pfc. and Mrs. Henry Brower announce the birth of a son Sunday afternoon at Holland hospital. Pfc. Brower is stationed at West Point, N. Y. Mrs. Brower is the former Emily Vander Vlies.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Heuvel left Saturday for Great Lakes, Ill., to visit their son, Marvin Vander Heuvel, who submitted to an operation for the removal of kidney stones March 7 in the Great Lakes naval hospital. He is recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. David Lam of this city recently returned from the East where she visited her brother, Dr. Frederick F. Yonkman, and family of Madison, N. J. She was accompanied east by her daughter, Rosalynn, who is residing with the Yonkmans while studying the organ. Miss Lam also sings with the choir of the Madison Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Harold Weltman is convalescing in Holland hospital following a major operation to which she submitted last Tuesday.

Gilbert Leach, 29, Douglas, paid fine and costs of \$5 in municipal court Saturday on a charge of permitting an unlicensed minor to operate his car on a highway. Arrest was made by the sheriff's department. Jerry Mulder, 19, West 18th St., paid costs of \$1 on a parking charge.

Art Lapenga, 658 Central Ave., reported to police Saturday that the left front fender of his car was damaged by another car while he was parked at 133 West 15th St.

Herman Fredericks, 63, Fennville, was assessed fine and costs of \$15 in municipal court today on a disorderly conduct charge. He was picked up by local police Saturday night at 10th St. and River Ave. and lodged in the city all over the week-end.

## Two of Sheriff's Sons Come Home on Leave

Grand Haven, March 22 (Special)—Marine Sgt. Alvin Boeve of Camp Le Jeune, N.C., and Seaman 1/C Lloyd Boeve of Virginia beach fleet service school in Virginia, have arrived at the home of their parents, Sheriff and Mrs. William M. Boeve, to spend about 10 days. Sgt. Boeve is a veteran of several Pacific campaigns including Tarawa and Kwajalein atoll in the Marshalls.

## THIRD GROUP RETURNS

Hollywood, March 19 (UP)—Film story analysts returned to work today, the third group of movie workers to end the industry-wide strike now entering its second week.

It takes courage to live up to one's best.

## Eagle Award for Marne Boy Scout

Keith Tisch, Marne Boy scout, received the Eagle award at the annual dinner and court of honor in the Marne Methodist church Thursday night.

Tisch who served on the camp staff last season received the badge from his grandfather, Julius Tisch, former mayor of Grand Rapids and former president of the Grand Rapids Boy scout council. The badge was pinned on him by his mother and she in turn was given an eagle mother's badge. Three generations were represented in the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hertz and family of Holland attended the meeting at which Scout Executive Don E. Kyger served as master of ceremonies. D. H. Vande Bunte led singing and gave a short talk.

## Enroll Now for Home Nursing

"Red Cross home nursing courses have been recommended as one of the most effective measures in meeting the doctor-nurse shortage," Mrs. Paul Camburn, chairman of home nursing for the Ottawa chapter of the Red Cross, said today.

"A list of critical war needs published recently places the Red Cross nursing course near the top of things the government 'asks and needs' its citizens to do," Mrs. Camburn said.

"This is the opportunity for those of us who stay home to help relieve the nursing shortage. Every person who enrolls in a Red Cross home nursing course makes it easier to share the remaining professional resources."

"This course teaches homemakers to distinguish between minor and major illnesses in order to avoid demands on overworked physicians. It also actually helps to prevent illnesses in many cases. When sickness does occur, proper home care hastens recovery," Mrs. Camburn said.

A new course in home nursing will be started soon and anyone interested is asked to call Mrs. Camburn for further details. The aim of the local chapter is to teach home nursing to one person in every home in Holland as a contribution to the war effort and the community's health.

## North Blendon

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Jones of Grand Rapids visited her sister, Mrs. P. Knoper, Thursday afternoon of last week.

On March 8, Mr. and Mrs. W. Berghorst entertained their children and grandchildren in honor of Corp. and Mrs. C. Vanden Bosch who left again Monday afternoon for Camp Salina, Kans.

On March 9 a farewell was given for Mr. and Mrs. H. Ter Haar and children and a welcome for Mr. and Mrs. J. Bolhuis and son at the Ter Haar home by their neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Ter Haar and family moved to Vriesland Tuesday and the Bolhuis family will move to the Ter Haar home in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lamer and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moll spent last Friday in Grand Rapids.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claire Dalman on Friday a son, Roger Dean. Mrs. Dalman's mother, Mrs. Dryer, of Grandville, is caring for mother and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Ter Horst attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, Dave Vereke, at Holland Monday afternoon.

On Tuesday night the Men's society of the local Christian Reformed church met with the Beavertown society.

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. John Poskey, Mrs. W. Van Harn and Willard of South Blendon, Mr. and Mrs. M. Poskey and Roger of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. C. Meeuwse and children of Muskegon.

On Wednesday afternoon the J. C. Huizenga family, Mrs. B. Martinie, Mrs. C. Postma and Rev. and Mrs. Henry Zylstra attended the 75th anniversary of the Beavertown Reformed church. Rev. Zylstra brought greetings from the local Reformed church.

The Christian Reformed Ladies Aid met Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Corie Dalman of Zeeland spent Wednesday with Mrs. R. Dalman and Ruth.

On Sunday at the afternoon service the Allen Papp family were taken into the Reformed church through baptism and confession of faith. Special music was furnished by Mrs. H. Vrugink and Mrs. W. Van Harn of South Blendon. Their accompanist was Mrs. C. Meeuwse.

On Wednesday night services were held in both of the local churches on Prayer Day for Crops and Industry.

## Wives of Servicemen Entertained at Party

Members of the staff of Eastern Light, monthly magazine for servicemen of Sixth Reformed church, Friday night entertained wives of the church servicemen at a party in the paragon. Assisting Rev. and Mrs. L. Olgers with arrangements were Mr. and Mrs. George Steggerda. Mr. Steggerda is the "editor" of the magazine. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Some facts are inevitable; hatred poisons the hater; lawlessness destroys security; he that seeketh his own life shall lose it.

## Announce Engagement Of Local Soldier, Wac



Corp. Hazel Steggerda

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Steggerda, 50 West 21st St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Corp. Hazel Steggerda, and S. Sgt. Kenneth Matchinsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Matchinsky, Beechwood, Corp. Steggerda of the Wac is stationed with the headquarters office in Paris and Sgt. Matchinsky is stationed with a supply depot in France.

Corp. Steggerda began her basic training in the Wac Nov. 14, 1942, and was later stationed at Fort Meade, Md. She has been overseas

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one year and in Paris for the past seven months. She met her brother, Pfc. Lloyd Steggerda, last September in London.

Sgt. Matchinsky entered the army in February, 1941. After arriving overseas he was in charge of an ordnance shipping section at a supply depot in England, and was later moved to Paris. He left Paris with an ordnance company the first part of February and at present his whereabouts are unknown. No wedding plans have been made by the couple.

## Grand Haven Officer, Nazi Prisoner, Freed

Washington, D. C., March 22

First Lt. Kenneth L. Vyn, son of Mr. Emma Vyn, Grand Haven, is one of 10 Michigan men, American prisoners of war, liberated by the Russians in their advance on Berlin.

(Mrs. Vyn was informed of her son's liberation several days ago. He had been wounded twice, first on D-day when he took part in the initial landings with a glider division, and again when he was captured in November. The first word his mother received of his

## ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Banger, Lakewood Blvd., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lucille, to Ensign Robert J. Strabbing, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Strabbing, route 6, Ensign Strabbing recently received his commission at Fort Schuyler, N. Y., and was home on leave. He will report to Dallas, Tex., for training with the naval air corps. No wedding plans have been made by the couple.

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## Chaplain, Infantryman Prisoners of Germany



Capt. Rowland A. Koskamp

Two local army men, one a chaplain and the other an infantryman, both reported missing in December, were listed today as prisoners of the German government. They are Chaplain Rowland A. Koskamp who was reported missing Dec. 20 in Luxembourg and Pfc. George B. Wilner who was reported missing Dec. 23 in Belgium.

News that Chaplain Koskamp is a prisoner was received in a telegram from the war department early this morning by his wife, the former Florence Vandenberg daughter of State Senator and Mrs. William C. Vandenberg. Mrs. Koskamp and her young daughter, Karen Jane, reside at 231 Columbia Ave. The message was received through the International Red Cross.



Pfc. George B. Wilner

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wilner, route 1, received a card Saturday from their son stating that he is a prisoner of war in Germany. The card, dated Jan. 31, stated he was "all right" and "not to worry." He was wounded in the European area early last fall and returned to service later. He entered the service Oct. 21, 1942.

Chaplain Koskamp, 28, the youngest chaplain of his class at Harvard following his enlistment in April, 1943, was awarded the Bronze Star medal last fall for meritorious service in France, Belgium, Luxembourg and Germany. He was stationed with a medical unit of the 28th division, and has been overseas more than a year.

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Mrs. Evelyn Geurink and Mrs. Johanna Glass spent a day with Mrs. Richard Schermer in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Mohr had a supper guests last Thursday night T/Sgt. and Mrs. Louis Systma, Mr. and Mrs. E. Terpstra, Gerrit Systma, Sr., all of Grand Rapids. Sgt. Systma has recently returned from New Guinea after having been in service for three years.

Last week's item concerning David Mohr should read David J. Mohr.

The home of Mrs. Jennie Rosema was the scene of a grocery and kitchen shower recently in honor of Mildred Glass of Borculo, a bride-to-be. Guests were Mrs. Sibbey Rosema, Alice Holwerda, Eleanor Stevensma, Mrs. John Potgieter, Mrs. Gerrit Potgieter, Mrs. David Potgieter, Mrs. Henry Potgieter, Mrs. Steve Potgieter, Mrs. Jim Mulder, Mrs. Josephine Glass, Mrs. Evelyn Geurink, Mrs. John Schout, Jr., Mrs. Walter Havedink, Mrs. Russell Kuit, Mrs. Henry Piersma, Mrs. James Rosema, Miss Arlene Rosema and the honored guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rosema, Sr., are entertaining their children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Piersma of Chicago.

Mrs. Henry Gemmen, Sr., Miss Lena Gemmen, Mrs. Evelyn Geurink and Herman Lottermann spent last Saturday afternoon and evening at the home of Reeman relatives.

## Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



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## Panel Discussion Featured at Club

Current inter-race and inter-faith issues were discussed Tuesday afternoon by Dr. Edward W. Blakeman, counselor in religious education at the University of Michigan, and a panel of four speakers at a meeting of the Women's Literary club. Forming the panel, described by Dr. Blakeman as "one of the finest I have worked with," were Mrs. Kenneth De Pree, Rev. Marion de Volder, Prof. Clarence De Graaf and Michigan Attorney General John Dethmers.

Explaining that cultural pluralism, or "many cultures in one," is a theory of democracy in which guarantees both freedom for many faiths and races and a central unity to the country itself, Dr. Blakeman led the discussion which centered for the most part around minority groups to be found in this country. Problems of Japanese Americans and Negroes were among those discussed, several of the club members taking part in the comment.

The provocative program designed to stimulate group thinking, created considerable interest among club members. Among the conclusions drawn from the discussion were that minorities who perhaps want more than "equality of opportunity" must accept some responsibilities, and that a common faith as to the value of personality is needed among all races.

Arrangements for the program were made by Mrs. Roy Heasley of the club program committee.

Mrs. John Dethmers, club president, presided. A proposed revision of the by-laws to provide for the change of hour for club meetings from 3 to 2:30 p.m., was presented by Mrs. John K. Winter, first vice-president-elect who will arrange next year's programs. The change is sought in the interest of program speakers, many of whom must return to Chicago on an afternoon train, she explained. The amendment will be voted upon at the final meeting of the year.

Some folk speak as they think, and sometimes offend.

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## Miss Schaddelee Is Wed To Veteran of Overseas

Miss Margaret Schaddelee and Pvt. Kenneth Roy Harper, wounded veteran of overseas service, were united in marriage Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schaddelee, 128 West 17th St. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harper, route 4.

Vows were exchanged before a background of palms and lighted candelabra with Rev. Daniel Zwier officiating at the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Merle Cook played the wedding march.

For her wedding the bride chose a street-length dress of gold silk with which she wore a corsage of white roses. Miss Elaine Vos, who was her cousin's maid of honor, wore pale green silk and a corsage of red roses. Donald Harper, brother of the groom, was best man.

A reception for 40 persons followed the ceremony with the bride's cousins, Misses Joan Van Dyke, Mildred and Beatrice Ter Beek, and Louise Ter Beek serving the guests. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Goding, grandmother of the groom, Mrs. Leafa Brown, Miss Letha Jo Terry and Leon J. Schaddelee, all of Grand Rapids.

Later in the evening the couple left on a short wedding trip. For traveling the bride wore a black and white checked suit. Upon their return Mrs. Harper will make her home with her parents and Pvt. Harper will return to Billings hospital, Indianapolis, Ind., where he is a patient.

The bride attended Holland Christian High school and is employed at the H. L. Frieden Co. The groom, who was wounded in Italy last September, is on a 21-day convalescent furlough.

## Saugatuck

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)  
Mr. and Mrs. Don Devine have returned from a three months' vacation spent in West Palm Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. McKim spent the week-end at their summer home west of the river.

Bud Edgcomb was home to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Edgcomb.

Mrs. Hubert Plain has returned to her home "Big Oak" on Holland St.

Mr. and Mrs. Merten Weiland and Mrs. Mullholland have come from Chicago for a short stay in Saugatuck.

Mr. Frank Knight arrived at her home in the Simpkins addition last week.

Sgt. and Mrs. Fred Koning of Tullahoma, Tenn., are visiting relatives in Saugatuck and Douglas.

Mr. Storey was here over the week-end looking over the big pavilion and making plans for the summer season.

Mrs. Binghamon has returned to Hotel Maplewood for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Neiman, who bought the Hayes place west of the river last summer, were here to open it Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Junkerman, who are employed in Lansing, spent Sunday in Saugatuck.

Glenn Stewart of Kalamazoo will speak at the meeting of the Saugatuck Women's club Friday afternoon. His subject will be "The Romance of Paper."

Mrs. Jennie Curtis has returned to her home in Saugatuck after a winter spent in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prentice are spending several weeks in Chicago. The automobile belonging to Otto Taylor was stolen from where it was parked in front of his home early Monday morning. State police located it in Niles Monday afternoon.

Richard Rhoda of Milwaukee was here last week to visit his aunt, Mrs. Johanna Frick, who is ill in Douglas hospital.

Gustave Stahl returned from Florida Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Hoodley has returned from Florida and is opening the Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Force are enjoying a week's vacation.

Mrs. Anna Blaine was taken suddenly ill one day last week and was taken to Grand Rapids to be cared for.

The annual speech contest by the pupils of the local High School is scheduled to take place Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Congregational church. Those taking part are Margaret, Schmidt, Frances Funk, Frederick Rasmussen, Sabarna Naughtin, Margaret Webster, Patricia Davis, Dorothy Kasten, Abbott Davis.

Miss Patsy Taylor was hostess at a party last Thursday evening at her home. The junior and senior classes of the high school were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tanner and sons, Robert and Russell, were Sunday guests of their sister, Mrs. Bud Waltman and mother, Mrs. Rob Annesley.

Beaverdam

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)  
Pfc. Henry Bremer arrived at the home of his father, William Bremer, Tuesday night on a 21-day furlough. He served on the Italian front and took part in two major battles. He has been overseas for two years.

Pvt. Justin Palmos, who has been training in a camp in Arkansas for the past four months, is spending an 11-day furlough with his wife, the former Virginia Barnes, and with his parents in Drenth.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Zoet received word Saturday of the birth of a daughter to Lt. and Mrs. Charles Zoet. Lt. Zoet is an instructor at Ocean Springs, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Slag of

## Police Have Annual Chicken Dinner

Members of the Holland police department and other law enforcement agencies, their wives and other guests united Monday night in "punishing to the last silver" 60 pounds of southern fried chicken, augmented by a bushel of French fries, bowls of cole slaw, 12 dozen rolls and four dozen paddle pops.

The event was the second annual chicken dinner for the local officers and was held in the Royal Neighbors hall to accommodate a larger crowd. Chief Deputy Edward Brouwer and sheriff's officers arranged the first dinner a year ago for local police officers. The guest list was enlarged this year to include wives and other guests.

Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith served as master of ceremonies and called on various representatives for brief talks (speeches were outlawed). William J. Meena represented the safety commission. Sheriff William M. De Vries in his brief remarks declined to commit himself to a fourth term but expressed his appreciation for the fine cooperation shown by the local department.

Deputy Brouwer, who said he "grew up" with the chickens that were served, declined to reveal how he tenderized the fowl. Officer Tony Babinski was credited with eating the most.

Smith pointed out that the two sergeants, Gerald Vanderbeek and

Rance Overbeek, spent the greater part of the afternoon peeling a bushel of potatoes for French fries, supervised by Patrolman (Private) Marinus Smeenge.

Judge Fred T. Miles reviewed the early days of law enforcement, mentioning an era of hobo graft in which a hobo would be sentenced to serve perhaps 30 days in the county jail but would probably be released the next day while the county would be charged for a 30-day board bill.

As prosecuting attorney in 1916, he said, he earned the reputation of making police officers good witnesses, and added he has been listening to officer witnesses for the past 15 years as judge. He paid tribute to the officers of this circuit, for their attitude in presenting the unvarnished truth without exaggeration.

Those attending included Police Chief and Mrs. Jacob Van Hoff, Judge Miles, Judge and Mrs. Smith, Sheriff Boeve, Deputy and Mrs. Brouwer, Aids. Meenga and Ben Steffens, Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbeek, Mr. and Mrs. Overbeek, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bear, Mr. and Mrs. Smeenge, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Steketee, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac De-Kraker, Mr. and Mrs. John Piers, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ende, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Babinski, Mr. and Mrs. John Kemper, Mr. Gilbert Tors, Miss Cornelia Van Voorst, Miss Kay Steketee, Miss Lucille Kooyers and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Vande Water.

## Two of Vicinity Now Prisoners

Two of this vicinity, who were formerly reported missing in action, are now prisoners of war of the German government.

Zeeland, March 22—Pvt. Benjamin Clarence Bonnama, 24, who was reported missing in action in France Dec. 4, is a prisoner of war in Germany, according to word received by his parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Bonnama, and his wife, the former Antoinette Teigenhof.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson, 184 West 12th St., have returned to Holland after spending several weeks in the south.

Mrs. Harvey P. Smith of Oak Park, Ill., is spending 10 days with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White, route 4.

Seaman I/C Chester Timmer, aviation machinist's mate, who is now in training at the Philadelphia navy yards, has been assigned to the aircraft carrier Coral Sea which is to be christened about the middle of April. The Coral Sea is a sister ship to the 45,000-ton Midway, the world's largest carrier, which will be christened March 20. Timmer is receiving training as an arresting gear specialist and is expected home on leave before being assigned to his ship.

Dr. Lester Kuyper will be guest speaker at both services in Trinity Reformed church Sunday.

Pvt. and Mrs. William Jones and son, Terry, of San Angelo, Tex., are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kramer, 572 Pine Ave.

Miss Hazel De Meyer of Lansing, former Holland High school librarian, will come to Holland tonight to be a guest at the Harold J. Karsten home. She plans to attend the premiere of "Ever Since Eve," senior play, Saturday afternoon. Other guests of the Karstens who plan to see the play Saturday are Mrs. Karsten's mother and sister of Chicago, Mrs. E. A. Prisman and Miss Erna Prisman, and Mrs. C. H. Karsten of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Jack Barendse, 98 West 16th St., has received a cablegram from her husband, S/Sgt. Barendse, stating that he has completed his missions as gunner in the European area and expects to be home soon. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Barendse.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wilner, route 1, had as their guests last week Mrs. Carol Boras and two children of Bellaire. They are former Holland residents.

Donald E. Kyger, scout executive, will go to Otago tonight to address the Rotary club. He will talk on scouting and will show the scout film, "The Trail to Citizenship."

A daughter, Kay Lou, was born Tuesday in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ten Brink, route 4.

(From Friday's Sentinel)  
Dale Mooi, 203 West 20th St. who underwent an appendectomy in Holland hospital March 8, expected to return to his home today. He is a son of Ald. and Mrs. Herman Mooi and is a student in Holland High school.

Ensign Lloyd Van Raalte is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ralph Van Raalte, route 4, on a delay-en-route from Miami, Fla., to the west coast.

Willard C. Wichers, director of the western division of the Netherlands Information bureau, returned here Wednesday from Cleveland, O., where he helped to open a large photograph exposition entitled "Our Ally, the Netherlands," in Cleveland public library. He will go to Chicago today to open the exhibition of Modern Dutch Architecture and City Planning at the University of Chicago.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Essenburgh, 146 West 28th St., this morning in Holland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Veidhof announce the birth of a son this morning in the Tibbe maternity home.

Mrs. Don Vander Hill has returned to her home on route 6 after spending a month with her husband, Machinist's Mate 3/C Vander Hill, who is attending school at Newport, R. I. Their son, Donald Edward, remained at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook, route 6.

Ensign Kenneth P. De Groot spent two days en route from Norfolk, Va., to San Francisco, Cal., with his father, John De Groot, 378 West 20th St. He has just completed three months' special training in Norfolk as a sound officer and will be attached to a new destroyer which is to be commissioned in San Francisco April 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Gentry, 118 West 15th St., announce the birth of a son, Larry Randall, Wednesday.

Alfred Kietzman, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kietzman, 17 East 13th St., who was taken to Holland hospital Tuesday morning ill of spinal meningitis, showed some improvement today.

Truth, not fancy, sets men free.

He that hath knowledge spareth his words.

Three-fourths of the world's chicle comes from Mexico.

Pays Fine on Charge Of Reckless Driving

Albert Wiegink, 59, route 4, paid fine and costs of \$29.15 in municipal court Tuesday after pleading guilty to a charge of reckless driving. He was arrested Monday night after the car he was driving struck the parked car of John Vroeki on North River Ave.

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Sailor Feted While On Leave in City

Roger H. Vischer, seaman I/C, U. S. navy, left Sunday morning for the armed guard center at Brooklyn, N. Y., for future assignment after spending a 12-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vischer, 217 West 14th St. He recently returned to the United States after overseas duty.

A party was given in honor of Seaman Vischer Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. De Weerd, route 6. Present were his aged grandmother, Mrs. P. Elhart who is 94, also Mr. and Mrs. Van Regenmortel, R. Elhart, P. Van Regenmortel, R. Elhart, P. Vischer, Kay Jane Mary and Garry Vischer.

## Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

Henry Van Noord Sr. to Arthur De Kock and wife, Pt. SW, Section 10-13 Township Jamestown.

William C. Eby and wife to Dick H. Vande Bunte and wife, Pt. Lot 2 Bld. 64 Holland.

Elizabeth E. Wood to Claude Dunnevin and wife, Und. 1 Int. Lots 54 to 59 Inclusive, Lots 86 to 93 Inclusive, Midway Park Subdivision Township Park.

Gust Thieleman and wife to Clyde R. Bates and wife, Pt. W3 SE4 NW4 NE4 Section 29-8-16.

Harmon M. Den, Hender, and wife to Wally Winston and wife, Pt. Lot 16 and 17 Bld. 2 Central Park and Pt. Lot 6 Heneveld's Supervisor Plat No. 28 Township Park.

Ruth Nibelink, Brerley, to Harm Wustman and wife, Pt. SW 1/4 Section 16-5-16 Township Park.

Local W. Vink and wife to Marvin J. Vink and wife, Pt. NW NE4 Section 24-8-16 Township Spring Lake.

Anna W. Vos to Julius Hulst and wife, Lot 77 Riverside Addition Holland.

Howard E. Fritz and wife to James Spruit and wife, W3 Lot 15 Bld. 16 SW Addition Holland.

Joe Patmos and wife to Edward Klomp Jr. and wife, Lots 6 and 7 and 8 Oldman's Assessors' Plat No. 2 Hudsonville.

Wilhelmina T. Sprick Winter et al to Church of the Nazarene, Pt. Lot 7 Bld. 9 Akeley's Addition and Pt. Bld. 11 Monroe and Harris Addition Grand Haven.

Herman H. Rooks to Herman S. Walters and wife, W3 W3 SE4 and Pt. E3 SW4 Section 36-5-15 Township Holland.

Jacob Havenga and wife to Henry Sprick and wife, Lot 18 Vandenberg's Subdivision, Lots 2, 3, 4 and Pt. Lots 5, 6, 7 Bld. B Addition Holland.

Benjamin G. Ter Haar and wife to William Visser and wife, Lot 6 Bld. B Bosman's Addition Holland.

Arthur B. Moll and wife to Clarence W. Reenders and wife, E3 SW4 SE4 Section 13-7-16 Township Grand Haven.

Lottie S. Rolfe to John Moll, Pt. E3 SW4 SE4 Section 34-8-13 Township Wright.

Robert Bol and wife to Ottawa Steel Products Inc. Lot 15 and 16 High School Addition Grand Haven.

Johanna Van Lente et al to Henry J. Kamphuis and wife, SE NE4 SW4 Section 16-6-15 Township Olive.

Albert J. Gebben to Minnie De Zwaan, Pt. NE4 NW4 Section 32-6-13 Township Georgetown.

Trustees Seg. Assets First State Bank to Edward Garvelink and wife, Lot 14 Bld. 8 S. W. Addition Holland.

Stanley Pitula and wife to Iyon L. Ellsworth and wife, Lot 35 Crookery Shores Township Chester.

Gerrit Groenhof and wife to Arthur H. Paxton and wife, Pt. SW4 SE4 Section 22-7-15 Township Robinson.

Gilbert Tripp to Floyd Payne and wife, NE1 SE1 NW4 Section 2-7-15 Township Robinson.

Farmers Cooperative Elevator Co. to Henry D. Roelofs and wife, Pt. SW4 Section 14-5-14 Township Zeeland.

Truda De Witt to Bert Veestra and wife, Lots 40 to 44 Inclusive 57 to 61 Inclusive, De Jonge's 2nd Addition Zeeland.

Jacob Wellings and wife to William Scheerbeek and wife, Lot 65 and Pt. Lot 64 Heneveld's Supervisor Plat No. 9 Township Park.

Dora Bowman to Berend Kunen and wife, Pt. SW4 Section 10-5-13 Township Jamestown.

Christine Nykamp Oostendorp to Herald Hubbell et al, Pt. Lot 35 Rosenrands Supervisor Plat No. 7 Zeeland.

George W. Flanagan et al to Ira

F. Hufford and wife, Pt. SE4 SE4 Section 28-8-13 Township Wright.

Arthur Geerlings to Jacob and Henry Zylstra, Pt. S 4 9 E 9/16 SE4 Section 9-5-13 Township Jamestown.

Ross K. Loew and wife to Ray Hastings and wife, Pt. NW4 Section 30-8-13 Township Wright.

Ray Hastings and wife to Cornelius De Meester and wife, Lot 31 Lang's Assessors' Plat No. 1 Coopersville.

Grace Berens to Peter Idema and wife, Pt. SW4 Section 19-6-14 Township Blendon.

Andrew U. Hefte and wife to Christian John Steinbach and wife, Pt. Lots 1 and 2 Bld. 15 Monroe and Harris Addition Grand Haven.

Rolfe Nyenhuys and wife to Julian Aukerman and wife, NE4 NE4 and Pt. SE4 NE4 Section 18-5-13 and N2 SW4 Section 17-5-13 Township Jamestown.

Jennie Ossewaarde to Henry Mellem and wife, E3 SE4 SW4 Section 17-5-14 Township Zeeland.

Andrew Klomparsens et al to Matthew Borr and wife, Pt. E4 Lot 15 Bld. 63 Holland.

James P. Randall and wife to George A. Todd and wife, SE4 NE4 Section 30-8-14 and Pt. NE4 NE4 Section 30-8-14 Township Polkton.

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## A DUTCH QUESTION MARK

What is in the minds of the  
members of the Dutch under-  
ground? That question is raised  
anew by the recent cabinet resign-  
ed, when the whole cabinet resigned,  
to be followed by a complete new  
set of officials headed by the same  
prime minister, Mr. Gerbrandy.

The situation is complicated  
by various cross currents of opini-  
on. No one can be too certain that  
he knows what people are thinking  
in the underground world of occupied  
Holland. The Dutch government,  
operating in London, must of neces-  
sity guess at the will of the peo-  
ple at home.

The cabinet crisis resulted from  
the fact that J. A. W. Burger,  
Minister of the Interior, made a  
speech during a visit to the liber-  
ated section of Holland in which  
he argued for a conciliatory treat-  
ment of collaborationists. Such an  
attitude on his part was surprising  
because he was the only member  
of the cabinet who had himself  
been active in the underground re-  
sistance movement. Offhand it  
might have been expected that he  
of all men would not have made  
a plea for a "soft" treatment of  
collaborationists.

Does Mr. Burger express the  
sentiment of the Dutch under-  
ground in general? That the un-  
answered question that faced the  
Dutch government in exile. The  
prime minister answered it by  
provoking a cabinet crisis. He said  
thereby that he did not believe  
Mr. Burger was speaking for the  
underground. Fearful that the  
Dutch people would believe that  
the government accepted the Bur-  
ger attitude, he forced the issue  
that led to the resignation of the  
whole cabinet.

But of course the question has  
not been answered. Mr. Burger  
made one answer, Mr. Gerbrandy  
another. The people of the Nether-  
lands do not have the opportuni-  
ty to have their say, because of  
course the Nazis give them no  
chance to speak out.

On the one hand it is hard to im-  
agine that there will be a spirit of  
tolerance and conciliation among  
the Dutch people who have suffer-  
ed most from other Hollanders  
who betrayed their country. Yet  
Mr. Burger was himself one of  
the sufferers until he escaped to  
England, and he is the one who  
displays this spirit of mercy. It is  
equally hard to believe that he  
was not reflecting a public opinion  
in the Dutch underground that  
became his own when he was a  
part of it.

The chances are that politics in  
Holland will turn on the answer  
to this question, when the govern-  
ment returns to the Hague. If it  
turns out that Premier Gerbrandy  
has hit on the wrong answer, his  
new government is most certain  
to fall on the return from exile. If  
he has guessed right he is prob-  
ably headed for a considerable  
period of power. These days Dutch  
politicians have to deal with un-  
answerable questions.

Youth Pleads Guilty  
To Breaking Charge

Grand Haven, March 22 (Speci-  
al)—Gerald Houting, 17, 165 East  
17th St., Holland, pleaded guilty in  
circuit court on last Monday to a  
charge of breaking and entering in  
the nighttime. He was released on  
\$500 bond and will be sentenced  
later.

Houting with a 16-year-old Hol-  
land youth was arrested by city po-  
lice in connection with the theft  
of a case of beer from the Swift  
Beer Service, 373 Columbia Ave.,  
Jan. 6, 1945. In January, Houting  
paid fine and costs of \$14.15 on a  
larceny charge involving theft of  
some fog lights.

Houting surrendered his driver's  
license to the court and was  
ordered not to drive his car nor  
any other car until his case is dis-  
posed of.

(In Holland Saturday, Houting  
paid fine and costs of \$5 in munici-  
pal court on a defective brakes  
charge. The offense dated back to  
March 7.)

## REPORTS THEFT OF \$200

Don Rymsa, who operates a ser-  
vice station at 15th St. and River  
Ave., reported to Holland police  
Saturday that \$200 was missing  
Friday night from his place of  
business. Police are investigating.

## Sunday School

## Lesson

March 25, 1945  
The Last Week—Matthew 21:6-16  
By Henry Geerlings

It is scarcely necessary to say  
that it was in the temple where  
Jesus' authority was not only  
questioned, but was resented by  
the people of his day. That the  
temple had largely become a cen-  
ter of business transactions there  
can be little doubt. Buying and  
selling seemed to result in driving  
from the minds and hearts of the  
Jewish people any sense of the  
religious character of the temple  
courts. That a certain amount of  
trading was necessary goes with-  
out saying. But the business an-  
gle of the transactions was so con-  
spicuous that any real sense of  
the spiritual nature of the visit  
to the temple seems to have been  
lost sight of. One can readily un-  
derstand how the great feasts of  
the Jews lent themselves to the  
encouragement of trading within  
the sacred precincts of the temple  
itself. But this habit has not only  
prevailed among the worshippers  
of two thousand years ago, it may  
be actually present in our modern  
churches.

It is said that when Abraham  
Lincoln was nominated for the  
presidency of the United States he  
was bitterly opposed by hosts of  
people. They said he was both un-  
educated and uncultured. They de-  
clared that he would not be able  
to prepare state papers of the  
character of those that had been  
written by his predecessors. There  
was a widespread feeling that he  
would discredit the office for  
which he had been put in nomination.  
It must be admitted that the  
record of young Lincoln up to that  
time had not been altogether such  
as would win for him the confi-  
dence of the nation. As we look  
back now, we realize what a credit  
he was to that high office. He  
may not have possessed many cul-  
tural qualities, but he manifested  
the ability that startled even  
many of his friends. His state  
papers rank among the best that  
have been prepared by presidents  
throughout our history. Without  
developing the thought we have  
in mind, it is not true to say that  
the same type of opposition Jesus  
himself had to encounter. It was  
said by His enemies that He was  
ignorant and without that back-  
ground which should earn for Him  
the confidence of the Jewish peo-  
ple. What Christ was then and  
what He has done since those  
days goes to show how mistaken  
they were who refused to see in  
Him the revelation of God to the  
world.

Our Lord did not wish His life  
and death and service forgotten.  
He knew better than the twelve  
what this hour was to mean, in-  
deed what His whole life on earth  
was to mean to the church. While  
our remembering Jesus in the  
sacrament is not its whole value  
to us yet on the basis of His  
word. He wanted it to occupy an  
important place. It was He who  
said, "Do this in remembrance of  
me." It must follow then that the  
sacrament of the altar has done  
much to perpetuate the memory  
of our Lord's life among men. He  
grew up in obscurity. His minis-  
try among the people of his land  
was a brief one. To be sure He  
attracted wide attention but most  
of the people took a hostile atti-  
tude toward Him. The number of  
His disciples was very limited.  
Possibly the one thing more than  
any other that keeps the memory  
of Him alive today is what we  
call the Lord's Supper.

We have learned on former oc-  
casions that Peter, James and  
John constituted an inner circle.  
They seemed to understand Him  
better and were able to bring Him  
the comfort He needed. As we  
study what has been recorded we  
gather that the period of time  
our Lord spent in the garden was  
one of bitter struggle and even  
agony. If a veil at times seems to  
be drawn over it, the reason may  
be that there was something gather-  
ed about that experience that is  
too holy for the light of human  
eyes. There can be no objection to  
letting our imagination fill in the  
picture as our hearts dictate, for  
there was much there that no pen  
could record.

Jesus died with perfect peace  
and trust. The task that He had  
come to do was finished. Hence-  
forth unending generations would  
look to the cross for salvation. He  
was at peace, for there is always  
peace to be had when a difficult  
work is done according to the  
plans. He had done His Father's  
will. He had been about His Fa-  
ther's business all His life. Now He  
was ready to return home. In  
characteristic words of trust He  
yielded himself at death's door in-  
to the hands of God.

Jesus died without showing the  
least trace of doubt as to the dis-  
position of His soul. He could do  
this because no one had come be-  
tween Him and His Father, no one  
act of disobedience had marred  
the harmony between them. Satan  
had not the least claim on His  
soul. He could therefore with the  
utmost confidence commend His  
soul to God. Even in the way He  
expired could one see that He was  
not an ordinary man.

Robert Pieper Taken  
By Death Suddenly

Robert John Pieper, 19, was  
found dead in his bed Sunday  
about 8 a.m. in the home of his  
parents, Dr. and Mrs. John Pieper,  
68 West 18th St. Young Pieper,  
an epileptic, had suffered an at-  
tack about 3 a.m. and a second  
some hours later. He was a stu-  
dent at Holland High school.

Surviving are the parents; two  
sisters, Mrs. Adrian De Groot of  
Lansing and Evelyn at home; and  
the grandfather, Albertus Wentzel  
of Holland.

Your loneliness may lead to in-  
sight.

## But It's True



THE LAND PLANE THAT WAS  
WRECKED ON THE NEWFOUNDLAND  
COAST AND WAS FOUND—WITH  
THE DEAD PILOT STILL IN THE  
COCKPIT—ON THE COAST OF  
PORTUGAL A YEAR LATER!

THE MAN WHO  
HAS BEEN SHOT  
172 TIMES...  
STANLEY HARPER,  
AMERICAN  
PROFESSIONAL SOLDIER

PAUL GAUCHOT  
DIED IN 1932 AT THE AGE OF  
84. ALTHOUGH HIS HEALTH  
AND MEMORY WERE UNIMPAI-  
RED UNTIL A FEW DAYS BEFORE  
HIS DEATH, HE NEVER KNEW  
OF THE AUTO, THE AIRPLANE,  
THE TELEPHONE OR THE  
RADIO. HE SPENT 62 YEARS  
IN THE KUSLOVSKI PRISON,  
SIBERIA...

Holland  
In 1913

Last evening in the Central  
Avenue Christian Reformed  
church the Rev. Lee Huizenga,  
medical missionary to the Tohachi  
Mission Field of New Mexico,  
to work among the Indians, was  
installed into this office, began a  
story in the Thursday, Dec. 18, is-  
sue of the Holland Daily Senti-  
nel published in 1913. The devo-  
tional exercises were conducted by  
the Rev. R. L. Haan. The Rev. E.  
J. Tuuk preached the installation  
sermon. The Rev. K. W. Fortuine  
read the form of installation. The  
charge to the congregations, lend-  
ing the missionary was made by  
the Rev. Van Weseppe. The Rev. M.  
Van Vessem made appropriate re-  
marks and also made the charge  
to the missionary. Rev. W. Van  
der Werp made the closing prayer.

Dr. Vennema returned yester-  
day from his trip east. He spent  
last Sunday with the Reformed  
church of New Paltz, N. Y., in  
whose services he spent the first  
four years of his ministry and  
which has recently called Melvin  
Verne Oggel of this city to its pul-  
pit.

Yesterday morning the pupils  
and teachers of the Zealand High  
school listened to a talk by the  
Hon. Albert LaHuis who has just  
returned from a trip to Washing-  
ton, as a member of the 1,000 se-  
lected by the National Prohibition  
league to lay the new declaration  
of the anti saloon men before con-  
gress.

Edward Vanden Berg was cho-  
sen last night to fill the position of  
city inspector to take the place  
vacated recently by Peter Eilhart.

On resolution made by Ald.  
King last night the council took  
the initial steps for the establish-  
ment of a free employment bureau  
in the city hall.

Because of the confusion of  
numbers on the houses along River  
Ave. north of Madison Place, the  
name of the street from Madison  
Place north has been changed to  
River Avenue North, instead of  
plain River Ave.

H. P. Zwemer has purchased of  
Sam Miller the old building formerly  
occupied by the Joe Brown  
Metal company. Mr. Zwemer will  
wreck the building and its removal  
will greatly improve that part  
of the city. The building and ma-  
chinery of the old brick company,  
East 8th St., has been sold and  
the Grand Rapids parties who  
bought it will wreck it.

The interurban company will be  
asked by the council to stop the  
practice of allowing cars to stand  
across the sidewalk on West  
Twelfth St. The practice Ald.  
Hansen said last night, compelled  
the laboring men to go out of  
their way on their way home  
from work.

At a regular meeting of J. M.  
Pond Post No. 460, G.A.R., held  
at its hall in Saugatuck the fol-  
lowing officers were chosen for the  
coming year: Commander, Zenoah  
B. Woody; senior vice, Culver  
Chambers; junior vice, Joshua  
Brown; quartermaster, Smith B.  
Barker; adjutant, William T. Kin-  
sey.

The Interurban depot at Jenison  
Park has been moved from the  
West end of the park to the Gra-  
ham & Morton Boat dock. The  
Macatawa and Ottawa Beach tra-  
velers won't have to walk so far  
when waiting for the cars. This is  
practically at the loop.

The Jessick Bros. of Jenison  
Park are building a boat livery  
just beyond the loop of the Hol-  
land Interurban and near the Gra-  
ham and Morton dock, according  
to a story in the Friday, Dec. 19  
issue. Accommodations have been  
made for 12 launches and a great  
number of rowboats and canoes  
can be taken care of.

The committee appointed re-  
cently to make arrangements for  
the concert to be given by the  
choruses of the Fourteenth Street  
church and of Third church met  
this morning and decided on  
Thursday evening of Jan. 22 as the  
date of the entertainment. It will  
be held in the auditorium of Hol-

land high school which will seat  
in the neighborhood of 1,000 peo-  
ple. John Vandersluis is to be in  
charge of the chorus formed by  
uniting the two organizations and  
he is to be the director in charge  
of the program.

The Men's Adult Bible class of  
Fourteenth Street Christian Re-  
formed church held its annual busi-  
ness meeting at the home of the  
president, H. G. Garvelink, 57 W.  
12th St. The following officers  
were elected: President, Mr. Gar-  
velink; vice-president, Albert  
Kamper; secretary, Albert Buter;  
assistant secretary, John Ham-  
elink; treasurer, Benjamin Lampen;  
assistant treasurer, F. B. Kam-  
meraad.

Hon. Luke Lugers of Holland  
township returned from Washing-  
ton D. C., recently where he at-  
tended the meeting of the commit-  
tee of 1,000 who went there to  
urge on the president and congress  
the passage of an amendment to  
the federal constitution prohibit-  
ing the manufacture and sale of  
intoxicating liquors in the United  
States.

Nick Hoffstein is entertaining a  
party of his friends on a hunting  
trip at his farm in the vicinity of  
Fennville.

Very little was accomplished at  
the meeting of some 125 voters of  
Holland township at the town hall  
yesterday afternoon and the meet-  
ing finally broke up in a turmoil  
after Luke Lugers had called for a  
rising vote on the proposition of  
whether the township should be  
divided. The vote was about three  
to one against division, but the  
men from the fractional township  
declared that only property own-  
ers should be allowed to vote in  
the matter and that it was not a  
fair vote since all took part. This  
news story appeared in the Sat-  
urday, Dec. 20, issue.

The farmers of Blendon and  
Olive townships are so pleased  
with the roads built north of Ze-  
land that the good road spirit has  
taken hold of them in good shape.  
On Wednesday morning a road  
building crew and 24 teams under  
the supervision of Rokus H. Cook  
of the Ottawa County Road com-  
mission graded up one mile of road  
and made it ready for gravel.

A marriage license was issued to  
Egbert Halder of Spring Lake,  
aged 84 and Gedej Vaber, aged 77,  
of Grand Rapids.

Dr. F. J. Schouten, the first  
ward druggist, is celebrating his  
71st birthday anniversary today.

The Rev. J. W. Esveld, pastor of  
the local M. E. church, drove out  
to the Lakeside M. E. church yester-  
day in the interest of that com-  
munity. He has made arrange-  
ments for permanent services there.

The Pere Marquette railroad al-  
ong its line is laying off all the  
employees that can be spared and  
in all departments, effecting a re-  
duction in the force of from 15 to  
20 per cent. Some reduction in the  
force is customary at this time of

the year, but the curtailments may  
be little closer this year owing to  
the letup in business.

Bernard Hoevinga, a student at  
Hope college, left this noon for  
his home in Iowa to spend the hol-  
idays.

Kinsey and Buys have purchas-  
ed 70 acres of desirable property  
on the north shore of Black lake,  
just east of Ottawa Beach and a  
company will be organized to take  
it over as a resort proposition. The  
property has a frontage of about  
4,000 feet on the lake and it will be  
divided into 400 lots to sell at \$150  
to \$250 each. It is planned to have  
the plat ready by early spring.

Mrs. E. H. Beekman left yester-  
day for Rochester, N. Y., to visit  
the Rev. and Mrs. A. Stregenga.

Rev. Osterhaven to Fill  
Chair of Bible at Hope

Rev. Eugene Osterhaven who is  
now completing four years of  
postgraduate work at Princeton  
Theological seminary, Princeton,  
N.J., in the interest of his doctor  
of theology degree, has been ap-  
pointed to the chair of Bible at  
Hope college, according to Presi-  
dent Wynand Weichers. He will  
succeed Rev. Henry Bast, now  
pastor of Bethany Reformed  
church, Grand Rapids, who resigned  
a year ago. During the past  
year the work of the department  
has been carried on by Dr. Lester  
Kuyper and Dr. George Mennenga  
of Western Theological seminary.

Rev. Osterhaven is the son of  
Mr. and Mrs. John Osterhaven of  
Grand Rapids. He was graduated  
from Hope in 1937 and from  
Western seminary in 1941. For the  
past two years he has been pas-  
tor of the Raritan, N.J., Reformed  
church. His wife is the former  
Margaret Nagy, Hope college  
graduate of 1942, and they have  
one child.

Pot. and Mrs. Van Lente  
Of Nevada Complimented

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pommerening  
and Elaine entertained Saturday  
night for Pot. and Mrs. Paul Van  
Lente of Hawthorne, Nev. A two-  
course lunch was served to the  
group by the hostess.

Those present were Bert Van  
Lente, Jean Hulst, A. E. Van  
Lente, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Van  
Lente and Miss Betty Van Lente.  
Mr. and Mrs. Don Slager of Grand  
Rapids, Mary Ann Fogarty of  
Detroit, Lt. and Mrs. Elmer Van  
Faassen and Mr. and Mrs. A.  
Faassen. Also invited were Mrs.  
A. E. Van Lente, who is visiting  
her daughter and son-in-law in  
Selma, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
Van Lente of Spring Lake and Mr.  
and Mrs. Nathan Van Lente of  
the city.

One's behavior is the measure  
of one's integrity.

In the Good  
Old Days

At a meeting of the Board of  
Education held Monday evening  
the committee on teachers recom-  
mended the employment, during  
the next school year, of Frank D.  
Haddock, the present efficient su-  
perintendent, at a salary of \$1,300.  
Miss Grace Ballantine will remain  
as teacher in music and drawing  
at a salary of \$500.

For teachers in the various  
grades the following have been re-  
engaged for next year: Minnie  
Mohr, Sadie G. Clark, Grace Hub-  
bard, Beatrice Kimpton, Marie  
Damon, Anna Dehn, Josephine  
Klein, Grace Clifton, Cora Alleg,  
May De Pree, Minnie Bell, Beatie  
Knapp, Minnie Bird, Carrie De  
Feyer, Martha Schoon, Mattie  
Leonardson, Virginia Briggs, Paul-  
ine Foster, Minnie Van Raalte,  
Winifred McClintock, Grace  
Thayer, Gertrude Takken, Aldie  
Cunningham, Alvina Breyman,  
Ruth Kerkhof, Margaret B.  
Childs, Rose Davidson and Ida  
Cobb. Miss Jennie Werkman, a  
graduate of the high school, who  
finishes a course at the State Nor-  
mal this year has also been en-  
gaged.

The committee on buildings  
which was to suggest means of se-  
curing additional school rooms  
reported recommending the use of  
the third story in the high school  
building for laboratory purposes  
and the rental of the German  
church for school purposes at \$100  
per annum. This news story ap-  
peared in the May 25 issue of the  
Ottawa County Times published  
in 1900 by M.G. Manting.

The senior class of Hope college  
was entertained at the home of  
their classmate, Miss Hattie  
Zwemer, in Grand Rapids Monday  
evening. They were in Grand Rap-  
ids that day to have their pictures  
taken according to the time hon-  
ored custom of the seniors.

The city has lost one of its most  
efficient employees in the person of  
John E. Nies, the city electrician.  
Mr. Nies has resigned from the  
service to take effect June 1. It  
is his intention to take up a  
course of study in electricity.

Ver Schure, Hoek and Kunte of  
the local ball team, R. H. Post,  
Prof. Mast of Hope college and  
Principal Reimold of the high  
school, were in Grand Rapids Sat-  
urday to witness the game be-  
tween the University of Michigan  
and Wisconsin.

Johnnie Noman, a young lad,  
while out fishing near the water  
works on Tuesday, fell in the riv-  
er and was rescued by Simon Wie-  
benga and Johnnie Te Roller who  
were fishing near by.

At the next annual meeting of  
the State Firemen's convention to  
be held at Kalamazoo June 19 and  
20, chief L. T. Kanter is to give a  
paper on the subject, "What  
should be the relation of the chief  
engineer to the municipal council  
in cities or villages where no fire  
commission is established. Should  
he not be present at the regular  
meetings of the council to give  
information relative to the De-  
partment?"

A serious accident happened to  
Rev. and Mrs. K. Kreulen of  
Noordeloos Tuesday morning.  
They drove to Zealand and when  
near the railway the horse became  
frightened and jumped aside,  
throwing both the minister and  
his wife out of the rig. Mrs.  
Kreulen was not injured but Rev.  
Kreulen broke his collar bone and  
was carried into the home of  
Chris De Jonge.

Cardinal and gold are the new  
colors for the high school. The  
streets of Holland are alive with  
these colors this week. Room No.  
3 has for its colors sea-green and  
orange.

Nick Schippers, the dairyman,  
had a runaway on Eighth street  
Monday morning. The team dash-  
ed along the street from the post-  
office to the tracks, where their  
course was blocked by a freight  
train. They turned into a sandy  
lot and were soon at a standstill.  
The damage is but slight.

Invitations are out for the wed-  
ding of Miss Anna Brinkman of  
Graafschap to Rev. Jacob Van der  
Meulen of the same place on  
Thursday afternoon June 7. The  
groom graduated from Western  
Theological seminary last month  
and has accepted a call to the Sec-  
ond Reformed church at Grand  
Haven.

Tonight and tomorrow the  
South Ottawa Teachers' Associa-  
tion will meet in Winants chapel.  
Dr. A. Leenhouts will read a pa-  
per this evening on the subject,  
"Inspection of the Hearing and  
Sight of School Children."  
"Rural Education" will then be  
discussed by Prof. Delos Falls of  
Albion College. The program for  
Saturday morning is as follows:  
Prof. J. H. Kleinhekel, "Need  
of Better Preparations for Teach-  
ers." The answers to the ques-  
tions in the question box will be  
given by Prof. A. J. Ladd. The  
music is in charge of Prof. J. B.  
Nykerk.

Rev. G. H. Dubink of the Third  
Reformed church has received a  
call from the Fourth Reformed  
church at Grand Rapids.

The sophomore class of Hope  
college gave a pleasant surprise  
to their classmates, John Vander-  
Beek, Tuesday night at the home  
of Anthony Rosbach on West 12th  
St.

Spring Lake Soldier is  
Wounded in Philippines

Spring Lake, March 20—Sgt.  
John W. Riemersma, was slightly  
wounded on Luzon, according to a  
letter received by his parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. John Riemersma. He was  
hit by shrapnel in his right arm.  
A brother, Paul, who is a gun-  
ner on a bomber who has been sta-  
tioned on Luzon, was wounded in  
the right arm Dec. 30.

Hope Faculty Member  
Joins Red Cross Staff

Miss Reba Burrows who has  
been a member of the music fac-  
ulty at Hope college since Septem-  
ber, 1943, has received an ap-  
pointment with the military and  
naval service of the Red Cross  
and will begin her training at  
Washington, D.C., April 30. Miss  
Burrows stated today that she  
will continue her teaching at Hope  
until April 15 when she will leave  
to visit her home in Chicago be-  
fore reporting for duty. She ex-  
pects to be sent overseas for  
probable service in an evacuation  
hospital behind the front lines.

Miss Burrows received her A.B.  
degree from Elmhurst college in  
1940, her Bachelor of Music de-  
gree from Northwestern univer-  
sity and her Master of Music  
degree from American conservatory  
in Chicago. She teaches theory, pub-  
lic school music and piano at  
Hope. She is also director of music  
at First Reformed church.

## Personals

(From Saturday's Sentinel)  
Mrs. Irving Sweet, 363 West St.,  
reported about a dozen crocuses  
blooming in the back yard of her  
home. She first saw the flowers  
while she was working in her gar-  
den Friday afternoon.

Pfc. John De Jong, who is with  
the fifth marines, has written his  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marinus De  
Jong, 258 West 20th St., that he is  
on Iwo Jima and participated in  
the invasion of that island. The  
letter was written March 4 and  
received here Thursday. Pfc. De  
Jong has been in the Central Pacific  
since last September.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Williams,  
256 West Ninth St., left for Chi-  
cago Friday to visit his sister,  
Mrs. Carrie Villard.

Rev. Richard Posthumus has re-  
turned to his home, 262 West  
Ninth St., after spending three  
weeks in Paterson, N.J.

The Misses Florence Billings  
and Marie Olsen have returned to  
Chicago after spending a few days  
with the former's parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Roy Billings, 245 West  
17th St. Next week they will com-  
plete their scholarship course at  
Chicago University and return to  
Hasty, Ark., where they are public  
health and missionary nurses.

Members of the Hope church  
choir under the direction of Mrs.  
W. Curtis Snow will present "The  
Triumph of the Cross," by Mat-  
thews at 10:30 a.m. tomorrow.  
Soloists will be Mrs. George Lum-  
den, Miss Ruth Anne Poppen, Thomas  
Boslooper, Timothy Harrison  
and Murray Snow.

Master T. Sgt. E. G. Cook, U. S.  
marine corps, has arrived in San  
Diego, Cal., after two and one-half  
years of service in the south Pa-  
cific, his mother, Mrs. Mary Cook  
who resides at 23rd St. and Ot-  
tawa Ave., was informed today.

Sgt. Cook enlisted Nov. 23, 1941,  
and has never been home on fur-  
lough. Mrs. Cook expected that he  
would be home on leave soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bosch  
Are Complimented

Mr. and Mrs. George Bosch of  
Allendale were honored in their  
home Thursday night on the occa-  
sion of their 40th wedding anni-  
versary. A social time was en-  
joyed and refreshments were  
served. They also received gifts  
and congratulatory wishes from  
many friends. Before her marriage  
Mrs. Bosch was Miss Fannie Velt-  
huis.

Children present included Mr.  
and Mrs. John Bosch and child of  
Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Al Lam-  
berts and three children of La-  
mont, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bosch  
and Mr. and Mrs. Albertus Bosch  
and two children and Mr. and  
Mrs. Boscher and child, all of Al-  
lendale. Miss Mary Jane Palma of  
Kelloggville, fiancée of another  
son, Gladwin Bosch, who is in the  
Philippines, was also present.

Brothers and sisters in attend-  
ance included Mr. and Mrs. Ben  
Velthuis of Noordeloos, Mr. and  
Mrs.

## Camburn Takes Over Grid Reins At Holland High

Supt. of Public Schools E. E. Fell announced today that Paul Camburn, for two years assistant football coach at Holland High school, will take over the coaching reins of the HHS grid team next season due to the resignation of Coach Malcolm Mackay.

Coach Mackay will continue to handle the track and basketball teams.

Dr. Fell said Mackay had asked to be relieved of football duties soon after the close of the 1944 season. He explained that Mackay had been contracted in 1940 as a basketball and track coach and not as a football mentor although he volunteered to head the football outfit after arriving in Holland.

Mackay said he resigned as football coach because it required such a great deal of his time and that from September through May he was busy jumping from one sport into another.

Camburn, 37, coached football at East Jackson High and Marshall before coming to Holland in 1943.

He was graduated from Albion college in 1930 where he majored

in history and science. In 1930 he went to East Jackson High school, (class C) where he served as football coach and baseball coach. In 1942 he went to Marshall High school (class B) where he coached football and taught physics and chemistry and in 1943 he came to Holland High and has assisted Mackay in football for two seasons while teaching physics in the high school.

## Eagle Badge Awarded To William Van't Hof

William Van't Hof, 16-year-old son of Rev. and Mrs. William Van't Hof, was presented with the Eagle scout award at the annual parents' meeting and court of honor of troop 7, Third Reformed church, Monday night.

Prof. Clarence Kleis, council chairman of the committee on advancement, presented the badge to Van't Hof's mother who pinned the badge on her son. She in turn received a mother's Eagle badge. Van't Hof started cubbing in 1939 and joined the troop in 1941.

Scout Executive Donald E. Kyger was master of ceremonies and Albert V. Faasen showed two reels of motion pictures taken in Montana by his son, Gerald, now a naval officer.

Numerous awards were made at the court of honor. Air scout squadron of the church headed by John Van Eerden and Ben Plasman had an exhibit of its work. Al Walters is troop scoutmaster.

First commercial telephone exchange was installed in New Haven, Connecticut, in 1878.

Automobile industries of the U.S. during 1940 consumed 7,325,000 tons of steel.

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## New Cleaner Sold At Service Station

Harrison's Super service station, located at Michigan Ave. and 28th St., carries a new brand of cleaner called Ethyl cleaner which removes all dirt and stains from cars, windows and upholstery. This cleaner contains no inflammable substance and will not mar, scratch or injure your car finish.

Ethyl cleaner is rubbed on the surface to be cleaned and rinsed off again. It dries clean and no chamois is needed. This cleaner also cleans the whole car including windows, windshield, upholstery, chrome, white-wall tires, plastics, canvas tops, body and chassis of the car.

Housewives can use it in the home to clean floors, walls, venetian blinds, woodwork, painted surface, chrome, glassware and even the finest upholstery. It will not redden or roughen hands and is faster and more effective than soap.

## Ganges News

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Sherman Walkley, 82, was taken to Douglas hospital the first of the week as the result of injuries he sustained when struck by a car driven by George Binder of Glenn. X-rays show that he was injured about the head. Both Binder and Walkley were going east on US-31 when the accident occurred. Binder was driving slowly and did not see the elderly man, owing to the dense fog.

Chief Max McCann, machinist's mate, Mrs. McCann and daughter, Patty, of Norfolk, Va., have been spending the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Keldahl, parents of Mrs. McCann. On Sunday they were dinner guests of Mrs. McCann's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nye and family. Mr. McCann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McCann, arrived Thursday from Florida and they will visit them for a few days before returning.

Mrs. W. H. Haile and Mrs. Stanley Stokes will be hosts for the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the Haile home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Nellie Miller will conduct the devotion after which the women will work during the afternoon. The new service plaque which has been presented by the society has been placed in the Ganges Methodist church and has the names of 22 boys, who attended and were members of the church and are now in service. A gold star is for the name of Walter Roblyer.

Mrs. Roy Nye and son Gerald are spending the week in Lansing with her sister, Mrs. Belle Cronkite, and other relatives.

Mrs. W. O. Simons went to La Grange, Ill., Tuesday to spend a week with her daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Richards and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Kenter have returned from Florida where they spent about three months.

The Rose O. D. T. Garden club will meet with Mrs. E. Richards Friday, March 23, with a one p.m. dessert luncheon. Mrs. O. L. Enfield will present the lesson.

Mrs. Fred Thorsen will be hostess for the Ganges bridge club at a noon desert luncheon Monday.

A large number of fruit growers attended the Standard Oil meeting in Fennville Tuesday evening, sponsored by the Fruit Exchange.

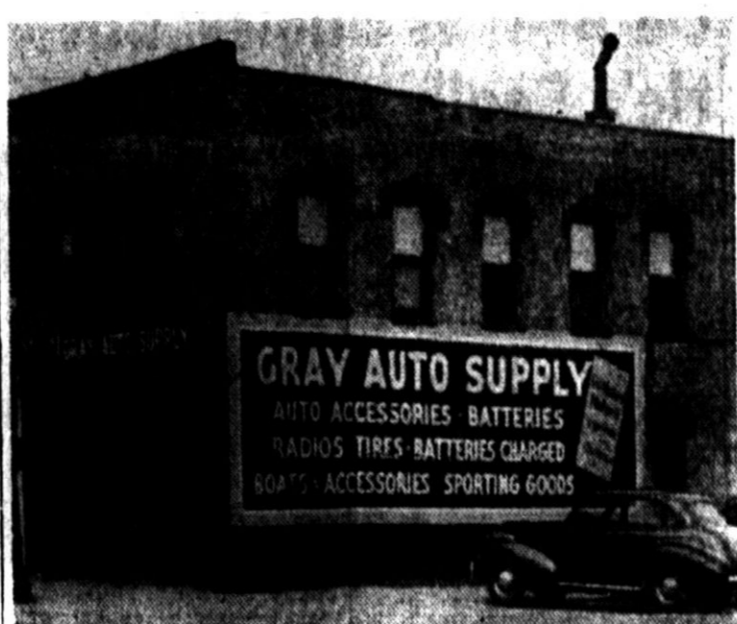
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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hamlin of Gary and Mrs. Christine Thurben of Ann Arbor spent the week-end here in the Chester Hamlin home.

E. Simons has been spending the past week in Chicago with relatives.

The game party at the Methodist church Friday night was well attended and all enjoyed a good time.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mosier was hostess for the Bunco club Friday afternoon. Three tables were in play. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Gladys Thompson and Mrs. Nellie Newcombe.

Ganges Grange will hold their regular meeting at the hall Friday night of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stokes are receiving a visit from his mother, Maxine Atwater, who is employed in Grand Rapids, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Atwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nye spent Sunday in Kalamazoo with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Flora and family.

## Vriesland

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Gerrit Groenewoud, former school commissioner, was the speaker at the Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday night. The Zutphen young people were guests. Mrs. R. C. Schaap furnished special music with Ellen Schermer as accompanist.

On next Sunday afternoon the girls' choir of Forest Grove will sing for us.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ter Haar was baptized at the Sunday afternoon services. He was named Sherwin Earl Ter Haar.

The young people met for Bible study Tuesday night and afterwards the girls' chorus practiced.

Prayer day for crops was observed Wednesday with services at 9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Special music was furnished by Mrs. J. T. De Witt and Mrs. W. Vander Kolk with Mrs. H. Wyngarden as accompanist.

Chester Warner who has been seriously ill is improving.

The Sewing Guild met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden as hostess. The Young Workers met Thursday night.

The girls' trio of the Immigrant church of Holland sang two numbers at the Sunday afternoon services.

Pfc. Jay Dunning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunning, is now in Germany.

A special collection for the leper work was received at the last Sewing guild meeting.

Beth Wiebers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wiebers of Holland, was a week-end guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Van Hartsma.

Mrs. William Meengs accompanied Mrs. P. Born and sister, Mrs. H. Volk, to Straubing, N. D., where she will visit with relatives and friends.

Gerrit Groenewoud of Zeeland was a Sunday evening caller at the home of Rev. R. C. Schaap.

Rev. Werkema and a large number of young people of Zutphen attended the C. E. Meeting Sunday night.

Mrs. Jennie Schermer is confined to her home as the result of a fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nyhuis and daughter of Hudsonville were Sunday guests at the M. D. Wyngarden home.

A caucus meeting of the Citizens party was held Monday night at the Zeeland township hall in Vriesland for the purpose of nominating the various officers.

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## New Honey Supply Received by Firm

The Holland Honey Cake Co., local concern located at 420 West 17th St. and owned by Henry Labort, recently received three carloads of imported honey.

The company uses more than a ton of honey a day and finds it difficult to obtain enough Michigan honey. To ease the situation, they import honey from Hawaii, Cuba and Guatemala. The company bakes 25,000 to 30,000 honey cakes a week.

The firm was organized four years ago, three and a half of which were spent in their new building on West 17th St.

## Pianist of Ann Arbor Gives Recital Here.

Mrs. George E. Kollen was hostess Monday night in her home on West 13th St. to a group of friends invited to hear an informal recital by Miss Jeannette Haen of Ann Arbor, talented young pianist who will receive her master's degree from the University of Michigan at the end of the present semester. Miss Haen was accompanied to Holland by Mrs. Kollen's son, John L. Kollen of the University school of music, with whom she has studied for several years.

Miss Haen, who demonstrated a brilliant technique and sympathetic interpretation of her program, played two Bach numbers, "Prelude and Fugue in E Minor," the Schumann "Symphonic Studies," three movements of a Ravel "Sonatine," including "Moderne," "Mouvement de Menuet and Anime."

The Girl's League for Service had a progressive dinner Tuesday night, stopping at the homes of Lois Huizenga, Raeburne Lubbe and Margaret Strink. They held their business meeting and program at the home of Fanny and Lois De Kleine, after which ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott and son Carl of Fenton, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hollis Sunday.

Mr. Hermansen of Muskegon will be at the local Reformed church to speak on the work at the Bethesda sanitarium at Denver, Colo. He will also show motion pictures of the institute and surrounding country.

Princess Watassa, a representative of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, visited the local school recently and gave an interesting talk to the children.

Several neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter De Kock Wednesday night. In the near future they plan to move to Zeeland.

Misses Victoria Van Westenberg and Leona Van Oss spent a few days with relatives in Wisconsin.

Mayo Dennison, now in the merchant marine called on Jake and Henry Zastra and Miss Jose overlast Tuesday. He was accompanied by Gerrit Veldman and Mrs. G. Tiesenga and daughter.

**APPEALS SENTENCE**  
Allegan, March 22. Sentence of 30 days in jail and \$25 fine and costs given Mrs. Mildred Ashley, 30, Allegan tavern keeper, on a charge of having venison in her possession illegally, was appealed to circuit court Thursday by Mrs. Ashley. Justice Guy Teed bound her over to the April term and she was released on \$300 bond. The arrest had been made by Sheriff Louis Johnson.

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and the Chopin "Nocturne in B. Major," and "Ballade in G. Minor." For an encore Miss Haen played a Chopin "Mazurka," opus 17.

The pianist who last year received her A. B. degree from the university will receive her master's degree in music this year. She has also received two Avery Hopwood awards in poetry. Miss Haen played the Bach "Prelude," the Ravel "Sonatine," and the Chopin "Ballade," at chapel exercises in Hope Memorial chapel this morning.

Mrs. Kollen served refreshments to her guests, Mrs. J. E. Telling and Mrs. G. W. Van Verst pouring.

## P. M. Tuttle Dies Of Heart Attack

Peolo Marion Tuttle, 72, died unexpectedly of a heart attack at 2:45 a.m. Sunday in his home at 337 West 16th St. He lived in Holland for the past 30 years. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Tuttle and was a member of Bethel Reformed church and the Men's Adult Bible class. He formerly lived in Robinson township.

Surviving are the widow, Hattie, a son, Evert Tuttle of Hickory Corners; a stepson and stepdaughter, Mrs. Willis Kraai of Holland and Martin De Wert of Mishawaka, Ind.; ten grandchildren and one great grandchild; a brother,

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## Holland Soldiers Active on Many Fronts Overseas

That Holland men have not been idle on the many war fronts is proved by numerous censored reports received by The Sentinel direct from public relations sections overseas.

Corp. Elmer J. Van Dyke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Van Dyke, 247 West 15th St., has been cited by company officers for his tireless energy and devotion to duty in recent action in the battle of Zig-Zag pass on Bataan, Luzon island, Philippines. His duties as a surgical technician required him to be on hand at all times to assist medical officers in caring for the wounded. He left for overseas in January, 1944, and saw service in the Hawaiian islands and New Guinea before going to the Philippines. In addition to his Good Conduct and Asiatic-Pacific ribbons, he wears the Philippine liberation ribbon.

Sgt. Chester G. Russcher, route 3, is a member of the 98th ordnance company with the 6th army group in France which repairs tanks, armored cars and towed artillery and reconditions small arms and instruments. The "casualty" equipment is put on an assembly line, stripped of all removable equipment, then sent to shop sections for repair and testing. Once a Jerry plane came strafing and ordnance men gave the Nazi a taste of his own medicine from machine guns of disabled tanks they were jockeying into their shops. Then they turned with added zest to their routine job.

Pfc. Russell G. Slighter, 17 West 19th St., is one of the doughboys of the 185th infantry regiment of the 40th infantry division which penetrated the Casbah mountains of central Luzon in the Philippines. These men took hills 1000 and 1500 during February. Previously in a sustained drive against heavy resistance they captured Suicide ridge. In taking hill 1500, the men went without baths and clothing changes for three weeks and spent many sleepless nights. The supply of water, laboriously carried up almost perpendicular mountains, averaged slightly more than a canteen per man per day.

Corp. Earl J. Nichols of West Olive, heavy mortar gunner, is a member of the 81st mechanized cavalry reconnaissance squadron which has been probing German defenses before Italy's Po valley. The 81st spearheaded operations in Northern Algeria and Tunisia and since joining the 5th army in the vanguard of Allied troops in the Italian campaign.

Corp. Wilfred S. Eggleston, route 1, Dorr, is a member of the 905th heavy automotive maintenance unit with the 6th army group in France which was the first to chalk up and maintain a 20-a-day score, 20 wrecked vehicles completely repaired or rebuilt, painted and tested, ready for delivery into army stock depots. This record is an example of teamwork by ordnance men, expert and willing at their tasks, and seasoned by 29 months experience overseas, according to their commanding officer.

Maj. Rudolph Barlow, route 2, Allegan, executive officer, and Pvt. Lester L. Ernwell, Coopersville, cook, are members of the 4th tank battalion which is jabbing German defenders in the most northerly Apennine mountains in Italy. The 4th is a new outfit but its elements have been fighting Germans since the first day American forces were committed to battle against European enemies.

Pfc. Gordon Ryzenga, route 5, participated in the third raid of task force 58 with the 96th division in the Philippines recently on the island of Samar which has as a monument to its deeds a graveyard full of Japs. The latter were sent to their ancestors by seagoing doughboys of the 96th "Dead-eye" division who conducted three amphibious raids on the Jap held town of Santa Margaria.

The third assault, a revenge expedition, was well organized and sailed boldly into the harbor and started working over the Japs. The 300 Japs in the town were not the only Sons of Heaven pasted by the doughboys. A pilot in a small liaison plane spotted 60 Japs on top of a hill watching the battle, the mortar section, receiving the range by radio, registered direct hits at 2,000 yards.

### Mrs. Grace Palmer Wed To Henry Kronmeyer

Mrs. Grace Palmer of Grandville and Henry Kronmeyer, now of Grandville and formerly of Holland, were married Monday at 6 p.m. in the Grandville Reformed church parsonage by Rev. H. Harmeling. Later in the evening they were guests of honor at a party for the immediate families held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kronmeyer, 157 West 17th St. They will make their home in Grandville.

### Two Sugar Thieves Are Sentenced in Allegan

Allegan, March 22 — Austin Oliver, 23, and James Butts, 17, both of South Haven, were sentenced here to serve 3 to 15 years in Southern Michigan prison, Jackson, for the theft of 600 pounds of sugar from the Pearl Creamery.

Judge Fred T. Miles who sentenced the pair stated Butts' sentence was to carry a three-year minimum.

The men pleaded guilty to a charge in circuit court here March 1.

## Wiersum Is Wounded in German Counter-Attack



Pvt. Jeffrey Wiersum

Pvt. Jeffrey Wiersum, 19, was wounded in the arm during a Nazi counter-attack in Germany the first week of March, he has with his parents from Paris, where he is hospitalized. Pvt. Wiersum, who has been overseas since January, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wiersum, 95 East 17th St. He stated in the letter received Monday, that he would be in the hospital for some time for treatment of the shrapnel wounds.

He was inducted into the army July 24, 1944. Born Nov. 3, 1925, he was graduated from Holland high school in 1943 and attended Hope college for one year. His fiancée, Miss Marie Jenkins of New Paltz, N. Y., is a senior at Hope.

## Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Miss Elizabeth Oggel, instructor in English at William Woods college, Fulton, Ill., formerly of the Hope college faculty, arrived Monday night to spend a few days in the city. She is the house guest of Miss Metta Ross and Janet Mulder, 91 East 14th St.

Harold Derks, 402 Lincoln Ave., has returned to his home from the Burleson hospital in Grand Rapids where he has been confined for the past 17 days.

Corp. Harold J. Karsten, Jr., has returned to Smokey Hill airfield at Salina, Kans., after spending a two weeks' furlough at his home here. His fiancée, Miss Joyce Gourley, has returned to Ann Arbor after spending a week in Holland. James Gemmill, who suffered a fracture of his left leg Feb. 28 when he ran into a car, returned Monday to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Gemmill, 378 Lincoln Ave. A cast was applied last Friday in Holland hospital.

John M. Vanden Belt of Detroit was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Vanden Belt, route 5.

Howard Maatman of Western Theological seminary will conduct the prayer service Thursday night in Ebenezer Reformed church.

Pvt. and Mrs. Lawrence Hosley returned to West Palm Beach, Fla., after spending a 21-day furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kuyers, route 3, and Mr. and Mrs. Minard Hosley, Detroit.

Mrs. Hosley has made her home with her husband, who is stationed at Morrison field, for the past three months.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dekker of route 2 spent Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Romeyn, also of route 2. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dekker and Joyce Ann spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dekker. The latter couple entertained Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dykema and grand daughter, Marilyn, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dekker and family Sunday afternoon.

Rev. John Vanderbeek is attending the council meeting at Junior college, Orange City, Ia., this week.

Mrs. Roger Boeve, route 5, has received word from her husband that he is now in Germany. He had formerly been in England, France and Belgium.

Mrs. Carl Swift, former local resident who moved to Hollywood, Cal., about four years ago, spent the week-end here as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Riemersma. She had been visiting in the East and made the entire trip by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Jacobs, 21 West 21st St., announce the birth of a son, Charles Harris, Monday in Holland hospital.

### Harry Dornbos Assigned To Red Arrow Division

Philippines — T-5 Harry Dornbos, Jr., son of Mrs. Harry W. Dornbos, 92 East 20th St., Holland, Mich., has arrived in the Philippines, and has been assigned to the veteran 32nd infantry division.

Technician Dornbos, who has been a military orphan, being transferred from camp to post replacement center, has finally found a home and permanent army address with the famed Red Arrow division. He is now serving as a mechanic in a service company of the 32nd in the Philippines.

Entering the army in September, 1943, Dornbos had basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala. He left the United States for overseas duty in December, 1944.

Prior to his assignment to the 32nd he served as cadre in Camp Robinson, Ark., an infantry replacement training center.

When wealth is lost, nothing is lost; when health is lost, something is lost; but, when character is lost, all is lost.

## Seven Divorces Granted in G.H.

Grand Haven, March 22 (Special)—Seven divorces were granted by Judge Fred T. Miles in circuit court Monday. They include:

Ray E. Nies, Holland, from Anna Canella Nies, now of Detroit.

Gertrude Law from William Law, both of Grand Haven, with custody of two minor children awarded to the mother.

Shirley Ruth McDougall from Lyle Albert McDougall, both of Holland, with custody of two minor children awarded to the mother.

Dorothy Louise Bowers of Holland from Gerald Francis Bowers, now in the armed forces, with custody of three minor children awarded to the mother.

Elizabeth Kiehm from Herbert Kiehm, both of Grand Haven.

Anna Mooney from William Mooney, both of Grand Haven.

Irene Peacock from Howard L. Peacock, both of Grand Haven, with custody of two minor children awarded to the mother.

## Six-Year-Old Girl Dies of Leukemia

Helen Mae Vanderhill, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Menard Vanderhill, route 4, died Friday at 4:15 p.m. in the home of her parents. Cause of her death was leukemia, a rare blood disease. She had become ill only last Monday.

She was born March 9, 1939, in Holland and attended Beechwood school.

Surviving are the parents and a brother, George M., Jr., and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderhill, also of route 4, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ritsma of Grand Rapids.

### Grand Haven Veteran Is Home From Pacific

Grand Haven, March 22 (Special)—Corp. Martin Start, 22, veteran of the New Guinea and Bismarck archipelago campaigns, arrived at the home of his mother, Mrs. Martin Start, 309 Vassar St., Spring Lake, March 14 after three years of service overseas in the Pacific area.

Corp. Start enlisted Jan. 20, 1942, took his basic training at Keesler field, Miss., and in April, 1942, was sent to the Hawaiian islands with the 6th night fighter squadron. He went with the squadron to New Guinea in May, 1943, and shortly before he returned home was transferred to a training center there.

He arrived in this country March 8 and was assigned to Fort Sheridan, Ill. He wears the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with two campaign stars, and the Good Conduct medal. He will be home for 30 days.

## Douglas

(From Friday's Sentinel)

A stated meeting of Douglas Chapter O. E. S. was held Monday night.

Mrs. Alvin Foster was home from Grand Rapids for a few days recently.

Mrs. and Mrs. Dale Demerest of Grand Rapids visited Sunday in the Perry Whipple home.

Mrs. Cora Campbell and daughter, Irene, spent Wednesday in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Varrie have gone to their farm home in Casco, having spent the winter here.

Robert Wick has left for his season's work on the lakes.

Miss Elizabeth Smiley of Long Beach, Calif., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Campbell.

Mrs. George Durham was hostess to members and guests of the N. E. Unit of the Ladies Aid, Tuesday in the church parlors.

The subject Rev. Albert Dawe has chosen for the Sunday morning service is, "Jeremiah the Failure." The choir is preparing special music.

Philip Tuada is home from his military school for boys at Onarago, Ill., for spring vacation.

The West unit of the Ladies Aid society met yesterday in the church parlors. Mesdames Robert Waddell, Henry Jay and W. C. McVea were hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Williams celebrated their 36th wedding anniversary with a dinner party Sunday. Their guests were, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jackson of Fennville, and Mr. and Mrs. George Drought and daughter, Shirley Ann and Miss Margaret Welsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Thomas and Walter Varelle were in Muskegon Saturday to attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown.

Mrs. Lee Demerest and Miss Violet Whipple were guests Wednesday of Mrs. Emma Forrester in her new home in Holland.

### Car Driven by Local Man Hits, Kills Horse

Grand Haven, March 22 (Special)—A horse, owned by Frank Voss, route 2, Grand Haven, running loose on the highway, was killed about 7 p.m. Thursday by a car driven by Edmund Onk, 26, 55 East 13th St., Holland, three miles south of Grand Haven on Sheldon road.

The front end of the Onk car was damaged to the extent of \$250, Norman Prins, 24, route 6, Holland, passenger in the car, suffered a few facial cuts. The car was traveling south toward Holland.

State police investigated.

## De Boer Is Bugler, but He's Really a Nice Guy

William John De Boer of Holland is the bugler—first class—who awakens the sailors at a base in the Marianas—but he's a nice guy.

Take it from a navy writer himself who in a recent issue of the Mariana News wrote about De Boer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John De Boer, 59 East Seventh St., and husband of the former Geraldine Glupker who resides at Hazelbank.

The sailors call De Boer "Music" and they probably add to that when at 5:30 a.m. he cuts loose on the bugle.

"If the guy was standing over your bed it wouldn't sound any louder," the navy writer said. "Your irritated ear drums flutter like butterfly wings... Grumpily, grouchy, you finally roll out of bed, stumble about as you dress and probably mutter in your beard about the bugler."

"But we looked him up and found for your information he is not only a nice guy, he is one of the hardest working men on the depot."

"He is William John 'Music' De Boer, a 32-year-old native of Holland, Mich., where he played trumpet in a church orchestra and band (the City Mission) for 14 years. By occupation he is a bookkeeper. He went through boot at Great Lakes in April of 1943; has been stationed at Lido Beach, Long Island, N. Y., Camp Allen, Norfolk, Va., Bugle school at San Diego, Cal., and he came from San Bruno to the Marianas.

"At Diego he had to learn 100 bugle calls and 15 bugle marches and he knows his job. It starts at 0430 and ends at 2130 on normal days and he is subject to emergency calls at all hours. He has gone for days at a time during

at the next meeting on April 11. This will be a luncheon and final meeting of the year. Mrs. Champion will be hostess for the business meeting. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

## Youth of Iraq Registers With Local Draft Board

Last month, three of the four youths registering for selective service already had seen service, two of them three years or more, and so far this month the Holland board has received a registration from Iraq (Arabia).

The newest registration was sent through the U. S. legation at Baghdad, Iraq, for Bernard Daniel Hakken, Jr., who became 18 years old on Dec. 26. Delay in delivery will place his name with the March group. For his local address, Hakken listed 339 River Ave., the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Riemersma, his uncle and aunt.

Registrants for February included Harold Louis Dalman, 21, 265 East 13th St., who spent 37 months in the marine corps; Herman Rusticus, 20, 209 West Ninth St., who spent three years with the navy; Robert Leon Essenburg, 18, 209 East Eighth St., who spent a few months in training with the navy, and Alvin Eugene Johnson, 720 Washington Ave., who just turned 18 and who is now eligible for service.

The registrant from the Orient is a son of Rev. and Mrs. Bernard D. Hakken, missionaries to Iraq from the Reformed church. Young Hakken was born Dec. 26, 1926, on Bahrain island, Persian Gulf. Giving proper consideration to time changes, he was born on America's Christmas day. Like his parents, he is an American citizen and therefore subject to selective service. His questionnaires are being sent to him through the director of selective service at Washington, D. C.

The Hakken family was eligible for furlough last year but did not come to this country because of war conditions. When hostilities arose in Iraq earlier in the war, the family was evacuated and flown to Jerusalem. Bernard was graduated from high school last June and at present is attending the American university in Iraq.

The two experienced veterans listed in the February registration have had their share of service. Dalman who spent 31 of the 37 months overseas was wounded twice and is credited with five major battles, besides "entertaining" several attacks of malaria. Rusticus was stranded with a merchant ship in North Russia for more than eight months. After returning to this country in December, 1943, he contracted rheumatic fever and spent about 10 months in hospitals.

### Local Music Club Hears Paper on French Music

Members of the Holland Music club, meeting Wednesday, March 14, in the home of Mrs. H. J. Masselink, 621 Lawndale court, heard an interesting paper on French music prepared by Mrs. W. C. Miner who is spending the winter in Florida. It was read by Mrs. Martha Robbins.

In the discussion of early French music emphasis was placed on folk music, "caroles," the ballad or ballet. Popular forms which developed were the suite, the gavotte and minuet, and later the opera. Important French composers mentioned were Berlioz, Gounod, Bizet, Saint Saens, Massenet. Cesar Franck was given credit for the founding of the modern French school, and Charpentier for his delightful opera "Louise."

Modernists in the French school Mrs. Miner listed as Claude Debussy, Maurice Ravel, Theodore Dubois and Gabriel Faure. Mrs. Masselink played two piano numbers by Chaminade, "Scar Dance" and "The Flatterer." Some records of Debussy's music made in Europe at the Paris conservatory, were played.

Miss Jennie Karsten presided and appointed Mrs. Fred Meyer and Mrs. R. B. Champion as a nominating committee to report



Bugler William John De Boer

"alert" periods without taking his clothing off. And in between bugle calls he does clerical work at the MAA office and during rush periods he helps out at the post office.

"Luckily he is the possessor of long legs and they come in handy as he hurries all over the base giving calls for chow, muster, colors, sick bay, movies and taps."

"He takes more verbal abuse than any 100 men here, and, blessed with a good disposition, he takes all this in stride and is as dependable as the Washington Times Signals."

"Music" is a local institution and if you have to blame someone for having to get up and go to work you are blaming the best bugler in the Central Pacific. "Music" is all right. You can be proud of him."

### Discuss Food Problems At Yadnom Club Meeting

The post war food problem was the subject presented by Mrs. Henry Pas and Miss Maibelle Geiger Monday at a meeting of the Yadnom club in the home of Miss Rena Bylsma.

Mrs. Pas reviewed a comprehensive article by Carl Brandt entitled "The World Food Outlook." He stated that in each country there would be a relief period lasting from one to two years; then a reconstruction period of from one to four years. Products most needed would be meat, cheese and eggs, grain and flour, fat and oils and canned milk. The Western European countries desire to revive their own production and import only the most essential items.

Miss Geiger discussed public feeding programs abroad. She explained the British restaurants which are self supporting but non profit institutions. The Russian kitchen factories, the supplementary breakfast of Norway and the Swedish diets. The articles most needed from the United States are emergency food seeds, breeding stock, farm machinery and trained personnel, she said.

The club will meet April 9 in the home of Miss Blanche Cathcart with Miss Nellie La Dick and Miss Anna Dehn in the charge of the program.

### OES Past Matrons Club Entertains at Banquet

Members of the Past Matrons club, Star of Bethlehem chapter No. 40, entertained their husbands, past patrons and their wives and a few guests at the annual banquet Thursday night in the Masonic hall. Table decorations included a floral centerpiece of white and yellow flowers, tall green tapers and favours.

Mrs. William Murphy, president, welcomed the guests, and Mrs. T. D. Thompson arranged the program. Later in the evening the group played cards. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hanson, formerly of Holland, and now of East Lansing.

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## News of Holland Men in Service

William R. Barden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Barden of Spring Lake, has been promoted from first lieutenant to captain, corps of engineers, in the Pacific ocean areas. His wife and 14-month-old daughter reside in El Paso, Tex. He enlisted in the regular army Jan. 29, 1929, and was assigned to the medical department's veterinary service and on July 26, 1942, he was commissioned a second lieutenant in the quarter-master corps. In March, 1943, he was transferred to the corps of engineers and was promoted to first lieutenant the next month. He went overseas late in 1943.

T/Sgt. Andrew Van't Slot, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Van't Slot, 81 East 25th St., recently enjoyed a "recess" from aerial warfare at the air service command rest center in England after completing 23 missions over Nazi-dominated Europe. He attended Hope college before entering the army.

Corp. John H. Harthorn, whose wife, Joyce, resides at 176 West 17th St., recently arrived at an air force station in England and received a brief orientation course to help him adjust himself to live in a combat zone. He was a welder at Holland Furnace Co. before entering the service.

Pfc. Alvin E. Dykema of Hudsonville, a motorcyclist with the 707th military police battalion in Belgium, helps to keep truck convoys moving to the front by straightening out traffic jams, giving directions, and making certain that the road rules of the U. S. army are observed. His wife, Blanche, resides in Zeeland.

F/O Lawrence W. Lamb, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Lamb, Park road, recently arrived at a U. S. strategic air force station in England and will soon transfer to his permanent station.

Pfc. Paul L. Danielson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Danielson, route 2, Zeeland, is a member of the aircraft sheet metal repair department of the maintenance division at an 8th air force service command station in England where battle-damaged B-17 Flying Fortresses are repaired. He was graduated from Zeeland high school in 1934 and has been stationed in the European theater of operations since July, 1944. He has two brothers in the armed forces, Earl, a lieutenant, and Carl, a sergeant, both in the army.

Second Lt. Jean A. Berkel of the army nurse's corps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Berkel, 94 West 12th St., has arrived at Camp McCoy, Wis., for her basic training.

Second Lt. William H. Padgett, 447 West 16th St., has completed a course of instruction as a flight engineer on heavy bombardment planes at Amarillo army air field in Amarillo, Tex.

Pvt. Harris J. Scholten, whose wife, Theima, resides at 118 East 22nd St., has been graduated from the AAF aircraft radio mechanics school at Truxav field, Madison, Wis.

Lois Jean Cramer, daughter of Mrs. Nell Cramer of Ferndale, has been promoted to the grade of private first class at the instrument pilot instructors' training school at Lubbock army air field in Texas. She attended Holland

## High school and was employed in Detroit before enlisting in the Wac.

Marine 2nd Lt. Julius Raymond Karsten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephan Karsten, 219 West 20th St., has reported to the marine corps air station at Cherry Point, N.C., for duty with the 9th marine aircraft wing.

Howard Beelen, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beelen, 434 College Ave., was enrolled recently at radio naval training school on the campus of the University of Wisconsin at Madison.

Peter Terpsma, 18, son of P. Terpsma, 448 College Ave., is receiving his initial naval indoctrination at the U.S. naval training center at Great Lakes, Ill.

## Second to Exceed Red Cross Quota

Jamestown township, Mrs. L. De Kleine chairman, is the second township in the south half of Ottawa county to go over the top in the 1945 Red Cross war fund drive. Roll Call Chairman Paul E. Hinkamp announced here. The quota for this township was \$2,113.20 and the amount collected was \$2,264 or 107 per cent.

More money has come in from Olive township, A. H. Stegenga chairman, the first township to go over the top. The total amount now in is 1,242.50, on a quota of \$1,066.60, or 117 per cent.

North Blendon Reformed church sent in \$38.33. The Christ Craft Co. employees turned in \$912.01, plus \$15.24 from the canten. Employees of the Holland Furniture Co. collected \$209; of the Dutch Boy Baking Co. \$140; of the Home Furnace Co. \$75; of the Dunn Mfg. Co. \$270.50; of the De Pree Co. \$235; and of the Holland Hitch Co. \$885.50.

Hinkamp asked donors to be prompt in making contributions and urged volunteer workers to try to complete their work before Holy Week. A victory reception is planned Friday afternoon, March 23, in the Red Cross production rooms where chairmen are expected to make final reports.

### Over Ninety-Five Per Cent Of Allegan Taxes Paid

Allegan, March 20 — The Allegan county treasurer's office reported today that over 95 per cent of the taxes owed by county property owners has been paid.

High records have been reported in years past in returns to the treasurer's office but this is the first time in many years that the county has paid more than 95 per cent of its total tax. Delinquencies have run, in depression years, to as much as 25 per cent and more.

The entire tax of \$623,358.96 has been paid with the exception of \$25,818, according to John Stockdale, county treasurer.

### DIES IN ALLEGAN

Allegan, March 22 — "Funeral services for Mrs. Rosalia Falk who died Wednesday morning in Allegan Health center, were held on Saturday at 2 p.m. from the Gordon funeral home with burial in Oakwood cemetery. Surviving are the husband, Joseph; two daughters, Mrs. Ethel Reed of Allegan, and Mrs. Grace Kowalski of Pasadena, Cal.; a grandson, Joe Reed of Watson; two great granddaughters, and a brother in Missouri.

## Racing Results in Four-Car Crash

Grand Haven, March 22 (Special)—John Spoelhof, 20, Muskegon Heights, a service man home on furlough, paid a fine of \$100 and costs of \$13.75 and John Yokubonus, 34, Muskegon, paid fine of \$50 and costs of \$3.75 upon their arraignment Monday before Justice George Hoffer on charges of reckless driving.

Charges were the outcome of an accident at 9 p.m. Saturday on US-31 about 24 miles north of Ferrysburg involving four cars, the other two being driven by Mrs. Bertha Hunderman, 36, Muskegon, and George Z. Lindall, 22, Muskegon, also a soldier home on furlough.

Racing between Spoelhof and Yokubonus started in Muskegon with Yokubonus passing Spoelhof. Spoelhof took chase and the accident occurred when they encountered the two other cars.

Yokubonus told officers he thought the other driver was attempting a hold-up.

## Red Cross Goods Getting Through To Prison Camps

Rev. G. Luebke, chairman of the local Red Cross chapter, gave encouraging news today regarding delivery of Red Cross supplies to prisoners of Japan and Germany.

According to a very recent Red Cross news release from Manila, more than 60 tons of clothing and emergency supplies have arrived on Luzon, comprising the first shipment of nearly a million garments being sent to the Philippines by the American Red Cross.

The supplies were distributed immediately to civilian and military casualties in and near Manila through army civil affairs section under Red Cross supervision.

The first supplies, 10,000 bed shirts, were distributed to military and civilian hospitals. Red Cross representatives also are making direct distribution to liberated civilian internees and prisoners of war, and to civilian non-casualties upon recommendation of the army.

Information from Geneva, Switzerland, revealed that a prisoner-of-war supply train supplied by the Swiss government carrying 50 carloads of food, medicine and bandages to a distribution point at Moosburg, Germany, was due to leave Switzerland Saturday.

The first truck convoy from Switzerland into Germany carrying prisoner-of-war supplies left on Sunday morning, moving through Constance, Meersburg, Moosburg, north of Munich, is the city nearest Stalag VII-A which is a large camp with numerous divisions for various nationalities. Approximately 10,000 Americans are believed to be held there at present, 4,000 of whom were moved recently from Stalag Luft III, previously the largest American prisoners' camp in Germany.

The truck cargo will include food and medicines for the Luebeck area and the Karlsruhe-Mariental area where there is a concentration of prisoners on the march. The convoy, comprising trucks supplied by the American Red Cross to the International Red Cross, will be driven by Swiss neutral drivers, accompanied by German guards.

## Brothers Meet First Time in Three Years

Grand Haven, March 22 (Special)—Lt. Howard F. Rose, home on a 30-day leave from the Fort Custer annex of Percy Jones hospital, went with his wife to Chicago over the week-end to visit his brother, Pfc. Robert Rose, patient in Gardner General hospital, their first visit in over three years.

Lt. Rose suffered serious injuries in Alaska June 16, 1944, and his brother was wounded in Italy Oct. 13, 1944. Howard entered the service in February, 1942 and Bob entered the following April. At that time Bob was employed by the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. in Holland.

Lt. and Mrs. Rose are visiting their parents here.

## Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Corp. Russell L. Karel, Grand Rapids, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Karel, 252 Lincoln Ave., is stationed at a Super-Fortress base in the Marianas. He is one of 125 men from Michigan whose efforts have helped make possible the B-29 bomber raids on Japan's war industry. The group was recently commended by their commanding officer, Brig. Gen. Emmett O'Donnell, Jr., who led the first B-29 striking force from Saipan to bomb Tokyo's aviation industry. They are responsible for the pre-mission tasks of insuring safety for the air crews.

"Without the spirit of teamwork which has been exhibited by every man," Gen. O'Donnell told them, "our pioneering job, which is only beginning, could not have been a success."

Corp. Karel was inducted into the air corps March 20, 1943, and was sent overseas in June, 1944. While in this country he was stationed at Miami Beach, Fla., Biloxi, Miss., San Diego, Cal., Pratt, Kans. His wife is the former Esther Ossewaarde.

## ARRANGE DE GRAFF RITES

Grand Haven, March 22 (Special)—Funeral rites for Garrett De Graff, Grand Haven, who died in Municipal hospital Tuesday night, will be held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. from the Van Zantwick funeral chapel with Rev. Albert Helling officiating. Burial will be in Lake Forest cemetery.

## Another Hamilton Man Killed on German Front

Hamilton, March 22 (Special)—Pvt. Arnold Meiste, 21, was killed in action in Germany Feb. 28, according to a war department telegram received by his wife Thursday night.

This was the second war fatality notification received in Hamilton within a few hours. Mrs. Jacob Datema was informed Thursday morning that her husband, Sgt. Datema, had been killed Feb. 27 in Germany. Both soldiers were from Hamilton.

Pvt. Meiste was with the 41st armored infantry division of the 9th army. He was inducted into the army Feb. 22, 1943, and before leaving for overseas Dec. 20, 1944, was stationed at Fort Bliss, Tex., Los Angeles, Cal., Camp Chaffee, Ark., and Fort Meade, Md. Before his induction he was employed at the Chris-Craft Corp.

He was born Oct. 12, 1923, and on June 8, 1944, married Miss Lorraine Johnson, who lives with her father, Henry R. Johnson, in Hamilton. Other survivors are the par-



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## Release Swiss Internee Due to Food Shortages

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According to information received by Mrs. Lemmen, an acute food shortage in Switzerland necessitated the release of 520 Americans and a like number of Germans. It was reported there were 2,000 Germans interned in Switzerland.

In the cable sent from an unknown destination, Sgt. Bomers said he hoped to see his sister soon. Mrs. Lemmen also received a communication from the American legation in Switzerland addressed to Bomers stating that a check for a small amount, the balance due on his internee allowance, would be forwarded.

Bomers, radio man on a B-24



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## Few Hams for Easter is Report

A serious meat shortage which producers, wholesalers and retailers have described as the worst since the war began is not as bad in Holland as in bigger cities, according to local meat dealers.

In fact one dealer reported he had just received a shipment of grade A beef while a United Press report said that better grades of beef, pork, veal and lamb had virtually disappeared.

Pork seems to be the scarcest meat product here and one dealer said there would be few, if any, hams for Easter.

Cold cuts, veal and beef are to be had in most markets in Holland.

All local dealers, chiming in with retailers all over the country, agreed, however, that the meat situation was getting worse and they saw no immediate prospect of it getting better. One dealer said he thought it would hit a new low this summer.

Spokesman for the American Meat Institute cited four reasons for the shortage.

1. The lowest February stocks in history.

2. A drop-off in production, especially in pork.

3. Increased demands of the military and lend-lease.

4. Widespread black market operations.

Another reason cited for the current scarcity was the wholesale slaughter of baby beef.

## Applications for Building Permits

Thirteen applications for building permits including one of \$1,000 for building a new house, were filed with City Clerk Oscar Peterson last week. The 13 applications totaled \$2,728.50, an increase of \$1,313.50 over the previous week's total of \$1,415 which represented eight applications.

The application for the house which calls for used lumber and materials was filed by Martinus Van de Water, to be built at 301 East 12th St. It was described as a one story residence of frame construction, garage attached.

Other applications follow: Neal Bush, 100 East 15th St., take out permits and build cupboards, \$190; M. Van Dyke, contractor.

J. E. Fischer, 730 Washington Ave., chicken coop, 8 by 10 feet, \$124; Essenburg Bldg. and Lumber Co.

Henry Te Roller, 184 East Fifth St., take out permits and build beam, \$55; Albert R. De Weerd, and son, contractors.

John Onk, Jr., 407 Columbia Ave., loading dock, 16 by 22 feet, \$125; self, contractor.

John Klinge, 51 East 26th St., new garage, 14 by 20 feet, \$200; self, contractor.

Neal Van Bruggen, 381 West 21st St., addition to bathroom, 3 by 8 feet, \$50; self, contractor.

Grover Emerick, 307 East Eighth St., add one room, 8 by 16 feet, for use as living room up-

stairs, \$200, self, contractor.

Evert Wessink, 73 East 14th St., build chimney and dig out basement for room, \$100, self, contractor.

D. S. Stegenga, 118 West 10th St., roof house, \$160.

Henry Stehstra, 325 West 21st St., roof house, \$171.

Ben Batema, 275 East 11th St., roof house, \$166.50.

P. J. Klaver, 164 West 17th St., roof house, \$187.

The Holland Ready Roof Co. is the contractor for the latter four applications.

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Two Given Jail Terms

By Grand Haven Justice

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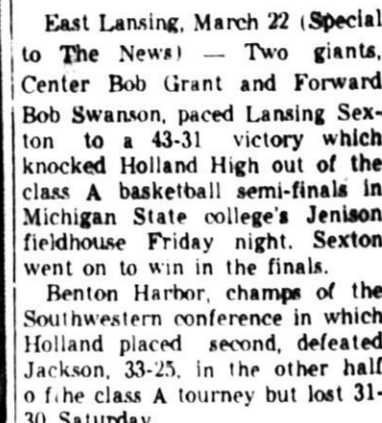
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The unseasonal heat and the long schedule found spectators tired by the time Holland and Sexton came on the floor at 9:45 p.m. Many began leaving during the second half. In contrast to Sexton's large rooting section, Holland had comparatively few rooters.

Holland FG F TP

Ken Zuverink, f 4 1 9

Loonie Van Dyke, f 2 2 6

Leo Vander Kuy, c 3 0 6

Jack Van Dorp, g 1 0 2

Al Van Meeteren, f 2 2 6

Ken Van Tatenhove, g 1 0 2

Totals 13 5 31

Sexton FG F TP

Swanson, f 2 3 7

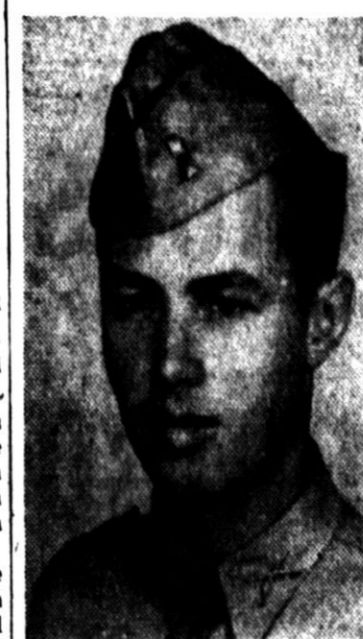
Miller, f 1 0 2

Grant, c 8 2 18

Green, g 2 0 6

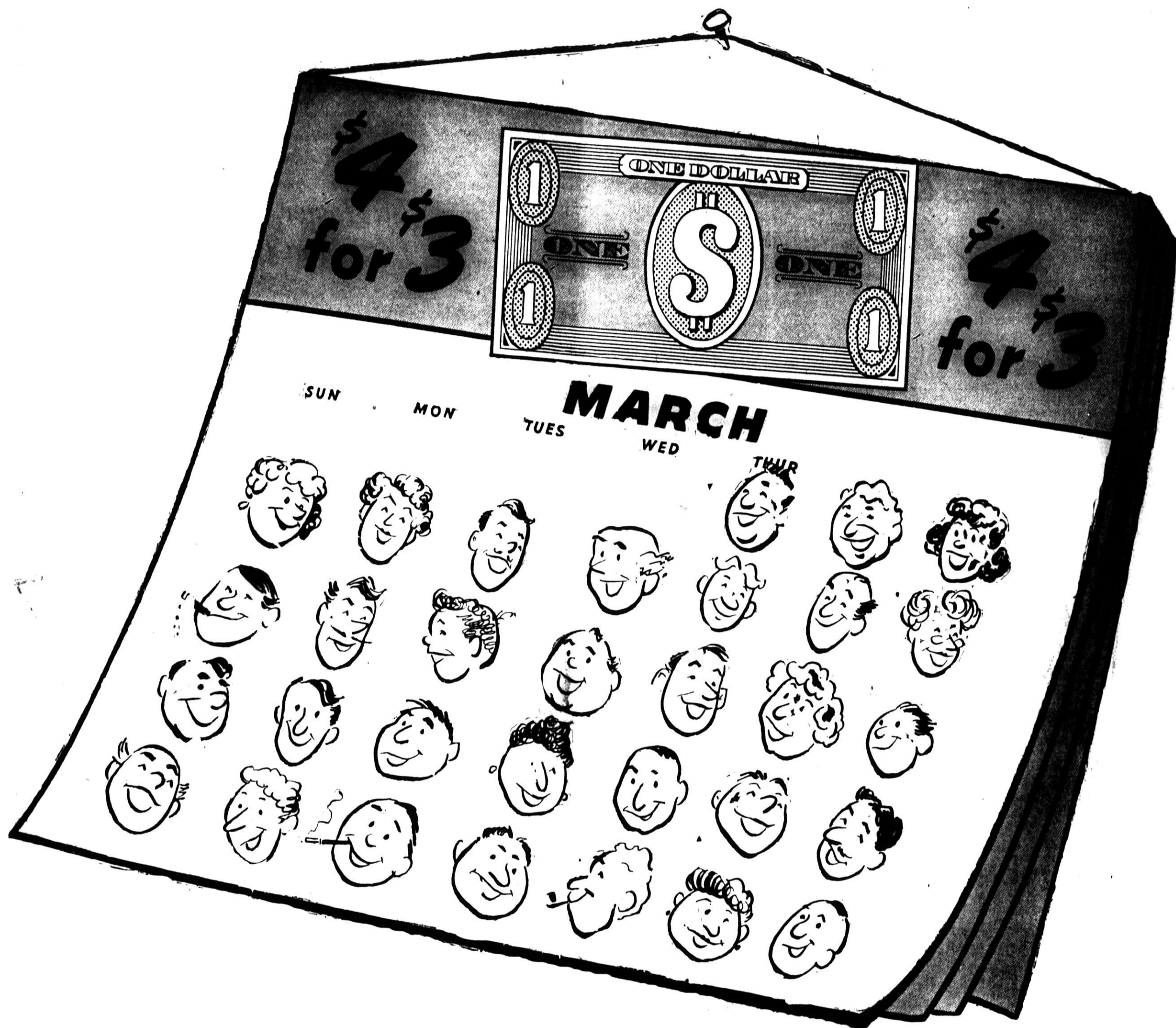
Driver, g 3 2 8

Cornelius, g 1 0 2



Margaret Sikkil, 368 Pine Ave., that her son Lt. William Arnold Sikkil, who has been in the south Pacific since April 1, 1942, has been

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