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Several Appear In Circuit Court For Dispositions

Negligent Driver
Put on Probation;
One Goes to Prison

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Several persons appeared in Circuit Court Monday, some for arraignment and others for disposition of their cases.

Gerald B. Lundeen, 18, Muskegon, who was found guilty by a Circuit Court Jury Feb. 23 of negligent homicide, was placed on probation 18 months. Conditions are that he pay \$400 costs at the rate of \$10 a month, also \$5 a month oversight fees, refrain from use of intoxicants, cannot leave the state without permission of the court or probation officer. His operator's license was surrendered last September, and the judge ordered that it be suspended for one year from the date.

The alleged offense occurred Aug. 22, 1954, on M-50 about 2 1/2 miles west of Allendale in which Lundeen's car and one driven by Albert Yonkers, Jr., 24, of Grand Rapids, collided. Yonkers and Susan H. Little, 21, of Vicksburg were fatally injured. Lundeen was not injured, but he later collapsed and underwent emergency surgery for a ruptured spleen and punctured lung.

Gene Michele, 49, route 1, Spring Lake, who pleaded guilty Feb. 25 to a charge of daytime breaking and entering, was sentenced to serve three to five years at Southern Michigan Prison. Michele allegedly broke into the home of a relative in Spring Lake while she was attending church, and took \$60 from a box in a dresser drawer which belonged to a church fund. Michele was currently on parole from Southern Michigan Prison on a forgery charge.

Gerald L. Huston, 38, Whitehall, who pleaded guilty Feb. 1 to a charge of appropriating building contracting funds to his own use, was placed on probation three years and was granted permission to go to Spokane, Wash., where his mother and brother live. He must pay \$100 costs in 30 days, pay \$5 a month oversight fees, and refrain from using intoxicants. Restitution including \$772 to Scott-Lugers Co. of Holland, \$155 to Mr. Lee of Muskegon, \$375 to Lloyd Imhoff, and \$500 to Frank Garbrecht must be made at the rate of \$50 a month. Huston was charged with appropriating money from West Olive School district No. 2 which was slated for payment to laborers, contractors and for materials.

Ervin Eugene Maynard, 19, route 3, Fennville, pleaded guilty to a charge of nighttime breaking and entering and will return April 5. The alleged offense occurred Feb. 22 when he broke into the John Bouma oil station on River Ave., in Holland, and was apprehended on foot by a rookie officer, William Slaght, of the Holland police department.

James F. Richards of Grand Rapids was restored his operator's license on a restricted basis, just for business purposes. On Feb. 5 he paid fine and costs in Zeeland on a drunk driving charge.

Don L. Minor, 40, Grand Haven, waived the reading of the information and pleaded guilty to an embezzlement charge. He will return April 5 at 10 a.m. He is alleged to have converted to his own use money delivered to him in trust. The offense involved the estate of Herbert G. Hatfield to the extent of \$232.21.

Homer Stowe, 31, Grand Haven, pleaded guilty to a rape charge and will return April 5. The alleged offense occurred Jan. 5 in Robinson township and involved a 15-year-old girl. Stowe was taken into custody in Bakersfield, Calif., and was returned here.

Billy David Arbogast, 21, Grand Haven, pleaded not guilty to a non-support charge and his trial will be held during the April term. He is charged with failure to support his 1 1/2-year-old child. Complaint was by his former wife Evelyn.

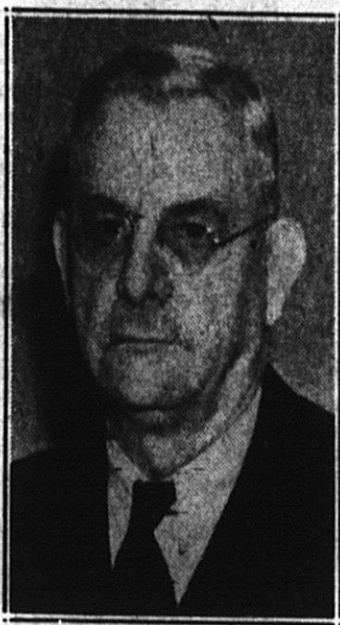
Leslie Brooks, 49, Benton Harbor, who pleaded guilty Feb. 25 to a charge of issuing a check without an account, was placed on probation 18 months and ordered to pay \$100 costs within 30 days. He also must make restitution of the check involved, plus two others, one for \$5 and the other for \$10 within 30 days. He also must pay \$5 a month oversight fees and must leave intoxicating liquors alone. The alleged offense involved a check for \$35.75.

Grand Haven Finds Even Cost of Wrecking Hiked

GRAND HAVEN, Mich. (UP)—The cost of tearing down a building is going up, the Grand Haven City Commission is finding out.

Four years ago, the commission paid \$175 to have a house razed. Now it has another house it wants razed and only one wrecking company, a Grand Rapids firm, has submitted a bid to do the job. It quoted a price of \$350 to tear the house down.

"We'd better scout around and see if somebody will wreck it for free," Alderman Berg Singlerling said and action on the matter was postponed.



ABRAHAM NAUTA

Retired BPW Head Dies Unexpectedly At the Age of 74

Abraham (Abe) Nauta, 74 who retired in 1951 after 49 years of service with the Board of Public Works, died unexpectedly Wednesday afternoon in his home at 143 West 13th St. Death was believed caused by a heart attack. He had been in good health.

It was on May 1, 1902, that he started work with the BPW. At that time the plant had a capacity of 350 kilowatts. When Nauta retired May 1, 1951, the power plant had a 20,000 kw. capacity and had started an expansion program for another 11,500 kw. which is in service today for a total capacity of 31,000 kw.

In the early days, employees would shut off the power when they went home for lunch in view of the fact that nobody would dream of using an electric light at midday and the few factories that used electricity for their machines observed lunch hour at the same time. Later the BPW peddled electric irons and toasters from pushcarts on the street, and virtually had to force skeptical housewives to take them. They would leave the appliances on approval and wait at least two weeks before returning, either to collect the money or repossess the appliances. By that time, the housewife was convinced an electric iron would not electrocute her.

James De Young, for whom the local light plant is named, was superintendent when Nauta came to the Board of Public Works. Carl Bowen, now Ottawa county road superintendent, headed the Board for a short period later. Nauta became superintendent in 1932 and served for 19 years before retiring May 1, 1951.

Nauta was not the first in his family to pioneer in service for the city. His father, George, was street commissioner at the time Abe first joined the BPW. The elder Nauta introduced cement sidewalks in the city, replacing wooden walks which were constantly rotting.

Nauta is survived by the wife, Anna; a sister, Mrs. Elmer Avey of Holland; a brother, Joseph of Concord, Calif.; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. from Nibbelink-Notier funeral chapel with the Rev. Christian H. Walvoord officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Friends may meet the family at the funeral chapel Friday from 3 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

Frank C. Harris Dies At Grand Haven Home

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Frank C. Harris, 75, died early Monday following a two-month illness at his home, 108 South Second Street. He was born in St. Louis, Mo., 1880, and on Jan. 7, 1905, was married in Toledo, Ohio, to Florence Randall. She died Nov. 7, 1953. They had lived in Grand Haven for about 35 years. Before that, they had a summer home in Spring Lake.

He had been in show business as a comedian for more than 35 years and later he and Mrs. Harris teamed up in vaudeville. He was a member of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, and also of the mother church in Boston, Mass. He had been employed at Eagle-Ottawa Leather Co. for 18 years, and retired about a year ago. He had also worked for the city of Grand Haven a few years.

Surviving is one sister, Mrs. Marie Springer, with whom he lived in Grand Haven.

School Bus, Two Cars Damaged in Collision

No one was injured Friday afternoon when a school bus which was stopped to let off a high school student was struck by a car on US-31 near Reimink Rd., south of Holland.

Allegan County deputy Henry Bouwman said the bus was operated by Edward Korthals, 22, of 7 1/2 West 16th St. The accident occurred when a car driven by Leonard Laaksonen, 22, Glenn, stopped directly in back of the bus and was hit by a car driven by Marion Melste, 25, route 2, Hamilton.

Damage to each of the late model cars was estimated at \$500. Bouwman said, while damage to the rear of the school bus was minor. No tickets were issued pending further investigation.

Law Enforcement Officers Called To Many Mishaps

Debris Left on Shore
Of Lakes Following
Worst Storm of Year

Local residents breathed a sigh of relief Wednesday as they faced a normally quiet day with sunshine after Tuesday's storm which was regarded as one of the roughest to hit Michigan in many years.

Frozen slush covered all streets this morning and most motorists proceeded at a top speed of 15 miles in the early hours. But by mid-morning, the icy cover was beginning to break up, and by noon most streets were a slushy (but nice) mess.

The storm toll locally added up to a lot of shoreline damage on Lake Macatawa and Lake Michigan, many branches down, some power failures, phone service disrupted in scattered places, and some accidents.

Worst of all was the general inconvenience caused by a surprise storm. Motorists had a particularly rugged time on ice coated highways where heavy trucks were unable to make grades. Pedestrians found it difficult to brace themselves against winds with gusts up from 40 miles an hour.

A corps of Engineers barge of Grand Haven which was in Lake Macatawa to take soundings Tuesday was finally pulled ashore after there was danger of foundering while riding at anchor. On the barge was a lot of equipment for specialized work.

A. G. Sall of the Telephone company reported only scattered reports on disrupted telephone service. There were mostly a matter of falling limbs. Fortunately, Tuesday's storm involving rain and slushy snow had no sneeting effects and although the temperature dipped there was no danger of ice on wires. The day, however, was one of the busiest the local force can remember on long distance calls. Operators were successful in getting calls through except in places where circuits were out.

BPW Supt. George Rendleman said there were only a few scattered calls on power failures, although a few street light circuits were out all night. All damage was repaired by noon today. He said generally the damage was very light in view of the intensity of the storm.

The street department had five trucks at work on snow removal Tuesday afternoon, plus two sanders.

The storm kept Ottawa and Allegan County deputies constantly on the move Tuesday as dozens of accident reports were received throughout the day and evening. Most of them were minor collisions and many involved single cars and trucks which slid into ditches off icy highways in both counties.

Further adding work to the overburdened deputies were many calls to hills where dozens of cars and trucks were stalled, unable to either move up or down.

Grand Haven State Police report a large traffic jam on US-16 between Coopersville and Marne which tied up cars and trucks for nearly three hours. At one time the line of stalled vehicles stretched for four miles both ways.

Similar tieups developed on State St. south of Zeeland and on M-40 south of Holland. Conditions were so bad that even wreckers were becoming stalled or stuck in drifting snowbanks and on icy covered highways. M-21 between Holland and Hudsonville was the scene of at least a half dozen minor accidents.

Camp Fire Board Has Meeting at Plewes Home

Camp Fire Board members held their monthly meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jack Plewes. Dessert was served by Mrs. Plewes and the assisting hostesses, Mrs. Adrian Van Putten and Mrs. Carroll Norlin.

Three guests at the meeting included Riemer Van Til, president of Community Chest which supports Camp Fire; Russell Klaassen, member of the finance committee of Camp Fire, and Mrs. Carl C. Van Raalte, member of the Camp Fire publicity committee.

Mrs. Robert Gordon, president, conducted the meeting. She presented an outline of the Camp Fire organization and its functions. Mrs. Van Raalte discussed ways of bettering publicity. Mrs. Raymond Smith reported on a regional conference to be held at Angola, Ind., April 17 and 18. Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Anthony Bouwman and Mrs. Gordon plan to attend.

Plans for the annual Council Fire were discussed. Each committee member gave a brief resume of functions of her committee, along with her monthly report.

Heart Attack Is Fatal For Borculo Resident

ZEELAND (Special) — Henry H. Garvelink, 60, of Borculo, died unexpectedly of a heart attack this morning while visiting briefly at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Schout near Borculo. The body was taken to Yntema Funeral Home.

Four Cars Collide When One Stalls on Hilltop

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Four cars were damaged Tuesday afternoon on the Fruitport Rd. in Spring Lake Township when one car stalled and the other three collided in bumper-to-bumper collisions.

The first car was driven by Edward Lakeman, 45, route 2, Spring Lake, who stalled at the crest of a hill. The other cars in the order of their appearance were driven by Morris Chittenden, 49, route 2, Spring Lake, Clarence E. Pickett 41, Spring Lake, and William R. Robinson, 39, Spring Lake.

Officers said Lakeman's car got the worst of the mishap with the other three vehicles also receiving considerable damage.

Accident Touches Off Weird Chain Of Stuck Vehicles

A Holland ambulance was involved in two separate accidents Tuesday and two more ambulances and an Allegan County deputy became stuck or stalled in the snow as they tried to reach the scene of another accident six miles south of Holland on M-40.

The chain of events started when a car driven by Dr. Henry Tenpas, 38, Hamilton, struck a stalled car on the highway operated by John R. Tilden, 27, Muskegon.

A few seconds later a car driven by the Rev. August Tellinghuisen, 35, Overisel, crashed into the two cars. A short distance away two more cars piled up together to avoid the first mishap.

While Dr. Tenpas administered first aid to Tilden and an injured passenger in his car, George Agnew, 44, Muskegon, a call was put in for an ambulance, and a deputy.

A Nibbelink-Notier ambulance driven by Carl Vander Laan, 21, Grand Rapids, was dispatched to the scene. One mile south of Holland the ambulance and a car driven by Myron Sale, 30, side-swiped.

Vander Laan made a quick stop, told Sale he had to reach the scene of a personal injury accident and continued on his way. A half-mile later the ambulance slid into a semi putting the ambulance out of commission with an estimated \$2,000 damage. Sale's car and the semi received damage estimated at \$35 each, deputies said.

The Langeland Funeral Home ambulance responded to the next call only to become stuck in the snow, still three miles from the initial crash. An ambulance from Dykstra Funeral Home was called.

It too, became stuck in the snow past the second ambulance. A wrecker towed out the second ambulance which passed the third one only to become stuck a second time.

Finally the Dykstra ambulance was towed out and reached the accident scene without further trouble, picked up the two patients, and took them to Holland Hospital.

The entire situation was further complicated since all messages had to be relayed through the Holland police department. No radio equipped Allegan cars operate to the north end of the county.

Deputy Earle Tellman also became stalled on icy M-40 but managed to reach the accident scene before the ambulance arrived.

Linda De Wit Feted On Seventh Birthday

A birthday party was given Saturday afternoon in honor of Linda De Wit who was celebrating her seventh birthday. The party was given by her mother, Mrs. Wesley De Wit at their home, 130 West 20th St.

Games were played and prizes won by Margaret Boursma, Gerda Wiechertjes and Beth Eulen.

Other schoolmates present were Nancy Achterhof, Karen Van Ess, Karen Westra, Donna Ver Schure, Beth Telgenhof, Sheryl Dyke and Joan Tubergen.

A two course lunch was served at a gaily decorated table. Mrs. De Wit was assisted by her daughter, Janice.

Royal Neighbors Plan Anniversary Celebration

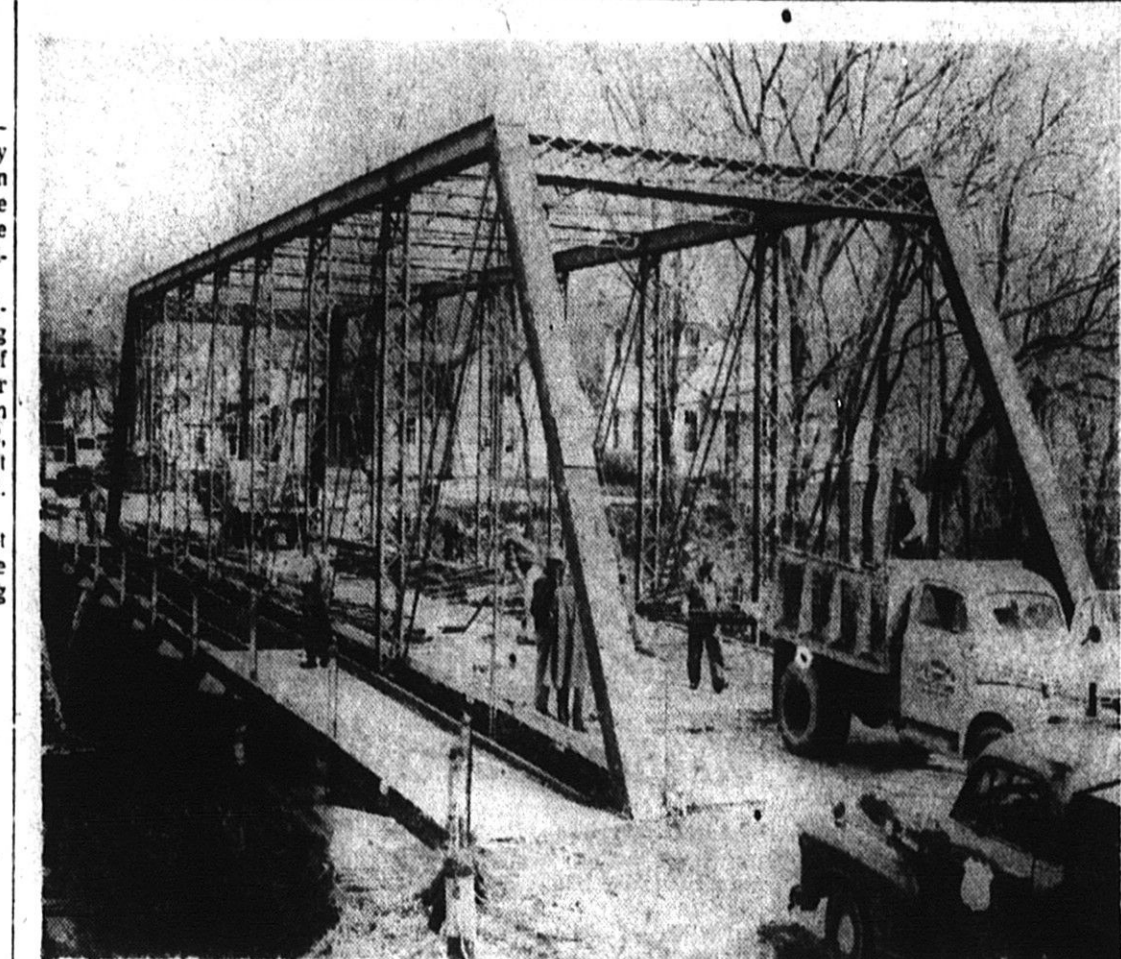
Royal Neighbors, at a regular meeting Thursday night at their hall, made plans for a 60th anniversary party.

The party is scheduled next Thursday, March 24, for all Royal Neighbors, their families and friends. There will be a 6:30 potluck supper followed by a dance.

Mrs. Stella Kay and her committee were in charge of social arrangements for Thursday's meeting. Cards were played and lunch was served. Prize winners were Mrs. Blanche Shaffer, Mrs. Melva Crowle and Mrs. Minnie Serier.

Train Demolishes Car

Stanley Hyde, 61, of 126 East 39th St., escaped serious injury Tuesday afternoon when he was thrown from his car after a collision with a train at the Allegan crossing on US-31. Ottawa County deputies said the '53 model car was a total loss.



LANDMARK STARTS TO DISAPPEAR — Allegan's 70-year-old "North Side Bridge" began a vanishing act Wednesday as workers started tearing it down to make way for a new steel and concrete span to carry M-118 over the Kalamazoo River on the same site. A temporary span located 100 feet north of the old bridge was put into use Wednesday noon.

Zeimet Funeral Held Thursday

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Funeral services were held Thursday for Joseph Zeimet, 51-year-old tennis pro whose body was found in his stalled car at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday on a graded portion of the new highway about 100 feet off US-31 near Stone School. Zeimet, a diabetic, had been missing since Sunday. A gun was found near the body and a self-inflicted bullet hole in the forehead.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday from Kammeraad funeral home with the Rev. Wallace Robertson of the Presbyterian church officiating. Burial was in Lake Forest cemetery.

Zeimet was born in Milwaukee Oct. 23, 1903, and moved to Grand Haven with his parents at the age of 8. He was a graduate of Grand Haven High School and of Western Michigan College where he was captain of the tennis team. He taught manual training at Blissfield seven years and then became a partner with Hobart Bell in a sports shop.

For the last seven years he was employed during winter months at Amtz Sporting Goods shop in Muskegon. Up until last summer he was pro tennis instructor at Highland park. He was a member of BPOE 1200.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zeimet; two sisters, Mrs. John Van Schelven of Grand Haven and Mrs. William Boongaard of Glen Elyn, Ill.

Four Divorce Decrees Granted in Circuit Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A divorce decree was granted in Ottawa Circuit Court Monday to Wilhelmina De Weerd from Johannes, also known as Joe De Weerd, both of Holland. Custody of the minor child was awarded to the mother.

Arlene Shirley Barnes of Holland was awarded a decree from Howard J. Barnes. Custody of the two minor children was awarded to the mother.

Eileen Ann Van Kampen was awarded a decree from Robert M. Van Kampen, both of Holland. Custody of the minor child was awarded to the mother.

Mary R. Krey of Grand Haven was awarded a decree from Myron R. Krey, now of Minnesota. Custody of the minor child was awarded to the mother.

Several Pay Fines In Municipal Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Wardell Mallard of Grandville, charged by the sheriff's department with driving on a revoked driver's license in Crockery township on March 18, paid \$25 fine and \$5.50 costs and was sentenced by Municipal Judge Jacob Ponstein Saturday to serve two days in county jail.

The following appeared before Judge Ponstein Monday.

Frank Joe Sali, 31, of Muskegon, charged by state police with reckless driving in Crockery township on March 17 paid \$75 fine and \$4.30 costs.

Lloyd Don Ward, 29, of Grand Rapids, who pleaded guilty to drunk driving was sentenced to pay \$100 fine and \$5.50 costs. Arrest was by officers of the sheriff's department Saturday night on US-16 east of Coopersville.

Holland VFW Receives Vet Bonus Applications

The Henry Walters VFW post 2144 Wednesday received Korean veteran bonus applications and planned to begin processing them in the afternoon.

Those who have registered for help at the VFW will be notified when to call and they must have discharge or DD-214 and a photo stat of each.

The VFW is assisting veterans as a public service.

80th Birthday



Mrs. John Engelsman

Mrs. John Engelsman celebrated her 80th birthday last Wednesday at her home, 25 East 22nd St. For the past several years she has been confined to her home with a fractured right hip. Mrs. John Wierda has cared for her the last three years and resides with her.

Since coming to Holland in 1931, Mrs. Engelsman has been active in many organizations at Trinity Reformed Church where she is a member.

Born in Orange City, Iowa, she was married in 1909. She was the former Cornelia Johanna Van de Walle. Mrs. Engelsman died in 1938. He formerly served churches in Friesland, Wis., Rock Valley Iowa, Orange City, Iowa, and Randolph, Wis.

Mrs. Engelsman has two daughters, Mrs. Howard Teusink of Ridgewood N. J. and Mrs. Russell Redeker of Pella, Iowa and four sons, John C. Engelsman of Alexandria, La., Arthur Engelsman of Zeeland and Henry J. and J. Edward Engelsman of Holland. There are 10 grandchildren.

Zeeland Scout to Attend Jamboree

Robert De Bruyn, Jr., of Zeeland, has been chosen to represent Chippewa Scout District at the eighth World Boy Scout Jamboree at Niagara-on-the-Lake, Canada. It was announced today by Herman Brandmiller, Grand Valley Council Scout executive.

De Bruyn and four others from the council will attend the jamboree Aug. 18 to 28. A sightseeing expedition has been planned to include a trip to New York City with lunch at United Nations headquarters, visits to Montreal, Quebec, Ottawa, Niagara Falls and a three-day steamship cruise on the St. Lawrence River.

The Explorers will leave Grand Rapids Aug. 12 and return Aug. 23.

Canada's invitation to Scouts in 100 countries already has resulted in registrations from India, China, South Africa, Venezuela, Mexico, Jamaica, Lichtenstein, Switzerland, Italy, France, Great Britain, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, United States and Canada.

De Bruyn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. De Bruyn 54 West Central Ave., Zeeland, is a senior crew leader of post 2021. Sponsored by First Reformed Church of Zeeland. He is junior at Zeeland High School and attends Second Reformed Church.

The five Explorers attending from this council will earn their own money for Jamboree expenses.

One Accident in City

The only accident in Holland during Tuesday's snowstorm occurred at 18th St. and Harrison Ave. at 5:30 p.m. when cars driven by John Vander Leek, 39, of 451 Harrison Ave. and Marinus Doornbos, 59, of 134 West 20th St. collided in the intersection. Damage to the two cars was estimated at \$300, police said.

Allegan Council Approves Review Of Assessments

City Will Plan Fetes
To Entertain Visiting
Mayor in Exchange

ALLEGAN (Special) — Allegan's city council Monday night approved a report from the board of review showing a net gain of \$36,300 in the total assessed valuation of all real and personal property within the city.

The total of the new tax roll is \$7,500,400. The board heard requests for tax adjustments from 11 property owners and granted reductions in five cases.

The council also made plans for the Exchange of Mayors program which will be a part of the Michigan Week celebration. On Monday, May 16, the mayors of Allegan and Brown City in Lapeer county, will trade places and Allegan is planning a full program for the Brown City mayor's visit.

Council took under consideration a request from the Dawson school PTA that \$495 be budgeted for the city's share in employing an adult traffic officer at the school. The board of education has agreed to pay the other half of the cost during the next school year.

Council members spent considerable time discussing ways and means for expanding water service in the city. Two requests for mains to serve new developments were discussed and the council voted to extend a four-inch main north of new M-40 from Thomas St. to serve new homes in that area. The resolution indicated that this main would be connected to the six-inch Cedar St. main when necessary.

Discussion on the proposal centered around the possibility that this area might possibly be the site for either a new high school or a new county hospital.

Entries Pile Up For Hobby Show

ALLEGAN (Special) — Additional cash prizes and ribbons have been made available for youth division winners according to sponsors of the sixth annual Allegan area Hobby Show which will be held Saturday in the Griswold Memorial building gymnasium.

Collections of all kinds, handicraft and art work are especially desired for the children's division.

In the adult division, committee members report that more collections are needed as well as entries for women's needlework and handicraft sections.

Hobbies may be registered with Mrs. John Young, by calling 265-J or at the gymnasium on the morning of the show.

Judges for the show will include Mrs. H. T. Winchester, Miss Miriam Cronenwett and Mrs. William Vahne.

The annual event is sponsored jointly by the Allegan chapter, American Association of University Women, and the Community Council with financial aid from the Junior Chamber of Commerce, Business and Professional Women's club and the Parent-Teachers association.

Plans Advanced For Baseball Loop

Plans for continuation of the Southwestern Michigan Baseball league were made Monday at a meeting of team representatives in the Civic Center. League play will open June 6.

Representatives from Zeeland, Grand Haven and Holland attended. Fennville and South Haven representatives notified league officials of intentions to participate but were unable to attend. There is a possibility of a Muskegon team entering the league.

Gabe Kuite, president of the Holland Flying Dutchmen Boosters club and Russ Vande Poel, business manager, represented the local entry. Marinus Scheele attended from Zeeland and Ray Hartz from Grand Haven. Walter Bale of Fennville and Lester Poorman of South Haven will direct the other two units.

Holland will follow a similar schedule to that used last year. League home games will be played Monday nights and non-league outside foes will play here Thursday nights. The Dutchmen will play one league game on the road weekly.

Russ Woldring will manage the Dutchmen again this year. He will be assisted by Dick Japinga and Loren Wenzel.

Legion Provides Help For Bonus Claimants

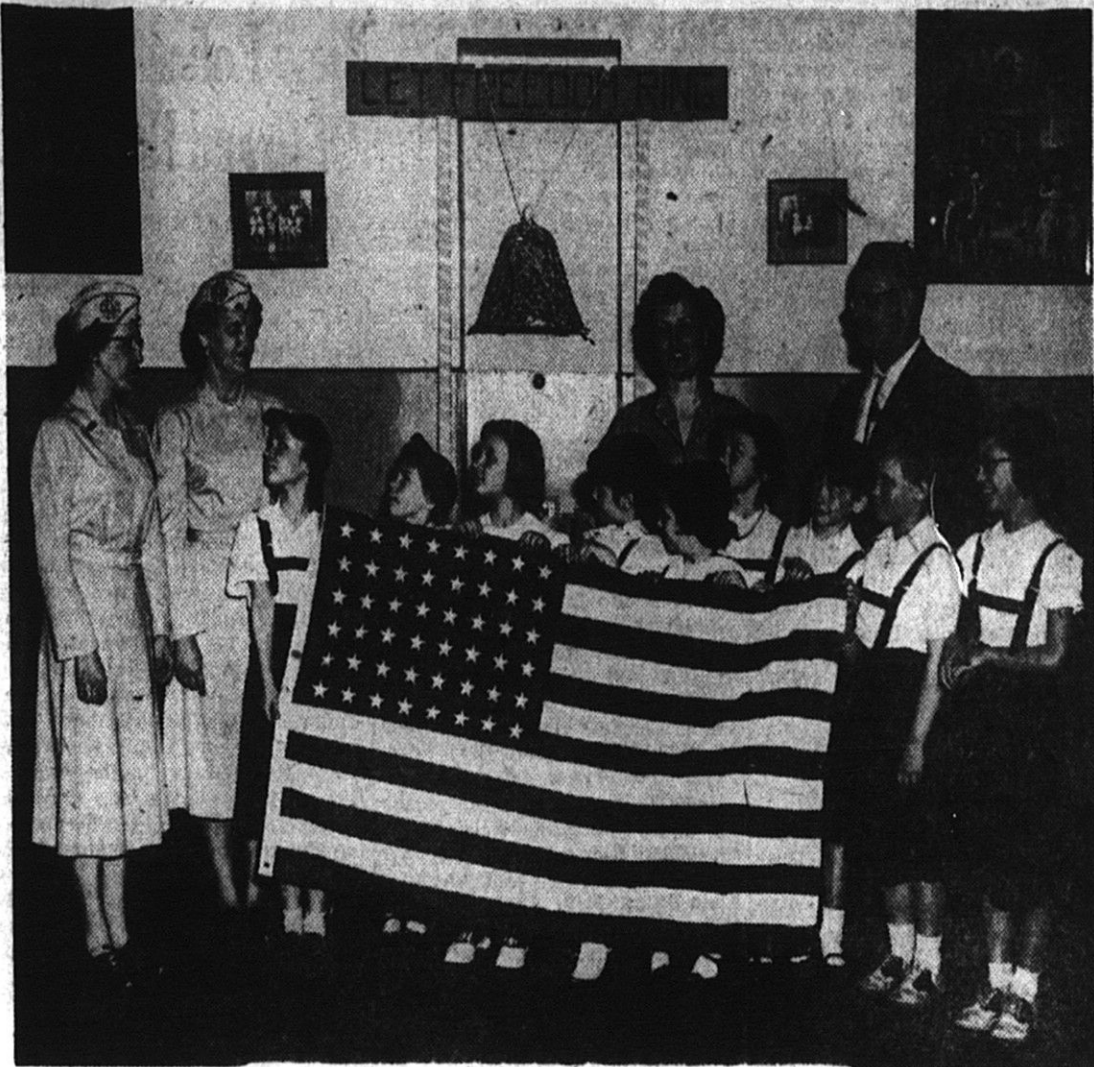
The local American Legion will help Korean war veterans with bonus claims, it was announced today.

Applications are expected this afternoon and will be available by calling Ed Sooter at 2304 during the day and at 9546 evenings.

Veterans must have photostatic copies of their discharge. Sooter points out.

"We'll be glad to help any veteran," he said.

Flag Presentation Highlights Federal Blue Bird Tea



VFW Auxiliary Presents Flag to Blue Birds at Federal School

Blue Birds of Federal School celebrated Camp Fire Birthday Week last week by entertaining at a mothers tea Thursday afternoon. Their mothers, prospective Blue Birds and their mothers were guests along with Mrs. Andries Steketee, Camp Fire executive director, and Mrs. Robert Gordon, council president.

Highlight of the afternoon was presentation of an American flag to the group from the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, Mrs. Stanley Daining and Mrs. Douglas Harmsen made the presentation. After the tea, the Blue Birds presented the flag to the school principal, Albert Luurtsema.

Pictured above with the flag are Blue Birds, left to right, Audrey Arens, Mary Ann Beukema, Valone

Regnerus, Karen Bekius, Jane Ter Haar, Dorothy Van Lier, Patricia Woldring, Barbara Zuverink and Barbara Regnerus; adults are, left to right, Mrs. Daining, Mrs. Harmsen, Mrs. La Verne Regnerus, Blue Bird leader, and Mr. Luurtsema.

The tea was held in the old Federal School building and the flag presentation in the new building.

Theme for the tea was the birthday project, "Let Freedom Ring." Refreshments included red, white and blue cupcakes, arranged on the tea table to form a large bell. At one end was a vase containing one flower, representing Dr. Gulick, who started Camp Fire, and at the other, a vase with 45 flowers,

representing the number of birthday days.

Mrs. Regnerus and Mrs. Elmer Atman, extension chairman at Federal School, poured at the tea table. Mrs. Carroll Norlin, member of the Camp Fire Board, assisted. Miss Lillian Van Tak is assistant leader.

For the flag presentation in the new school, there was a large birthday cake surrounded with pictures of each Blue Bird, plus a picture of Camp Fire Girl Lois Larson, Jean Teen Katherine Potter, Horizonette Connie Norlin and Horizon Girl Sandra Westveld, all former Federal School pupils, and a picture of Mrs. Steketee. The arrangement was placed beneath an arch with a liberty bell.

Scattered Damage Reported as Wind Whips Lake Water

Motorists, Pedestrians Struggling Against Odds of the Elements

King winter dealt a knockout blow to gentle spring Tuesday, whipping up storms of such intensity that traffic was slowed, power service was threatened and visibility was practically nil.

The knockout blow came after the bell had rung. Spring officially arrived Monday morning, but Old Man Winter is no respecter of persons. The low blow started out with rain Monday afternoon and early Tuesday then changed to snow accompanied by gale-like winds.

Slush froze on pavements, making driving extremely hazardous. The city engineer's department hastily dispatched sanding trucks at noon. Pedestrians brave enough to battle the elements had a hard job maintaining their equilibrium while waiting for traffic signals. High winds with velocity estimated at upwards of 40 miles an hour took their toll both on the lake front and over the entire area.

City police hastily roped off sidewalk area at the Penney Co. about 11 a.m. Tuesday when winds tore off a porcelain panel measuring two by four feet from the corner of the newly renovated building. Another panel was left dangling in the wind.

The barometer at the Coast Guard station slumped to a low of 28.28 early Tuesday and by 10:30 a.m. had risen to 28.32. The reading was said to be the lowest here in 15 years. Average barometric pressure here is 29.5 or 29.6.

At 11 a.m. Tuesday the snow measured a half inch on the ground but the freezing slush resulted in far more inconvenience than an ordinary snowfall. Since 5 p.m. Monday a total of 1.06 inches of rain fell or 1.18 since rain started falling early Monday afternoon.

The storm was the worst that long-timers on Lake Macatawa had seen for many years. Most of the docks at Jesieks were covered with water and a section of the road leading to Hotel Macatawa was washed away. The dock in front of the hotel also was under water as well as the parking lot between the hotel and Casey's place. The yacht club parking lot also was flooded.

Water in most cases cut 20 feet into yards of homes on the lake. The same held true for the sandy shores of Lake Michigan where shore erosion already has written a sad chapter the last few years.

Harold Vanderploeg said the storm was the worst in many years. A large section of his front lawn at Lakeshore Cabins was flooded and reached his shoreline. Beacon Boat Co. launched its sixth Navy boat Monday, putting it at the company mooring. Plans to take out the boat Tuesday were postponed.

Chief Wouters of the Coast Guard station said a Corps of Engineers barge of Grand Haven, in Lake Macatawa to take soundings, was riding out the storm at its mooring on the Ottawa Beach side Tuesday.

Cosat Guardsmen pulled the barge up on the beach about 1 p.m. with a winch-equipped telephone-line truck.

All over the city, Mother Nature had done quite a pruning job in the trees. Most streets were littered with dead branches.

Mrs. Adam V'Dovic Dies In Grand Haven Hospital

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Mrs. Frances V'Dovic, 44, route 2, Grand Haven, died in Municipal Hospital early Tuesday morning. She had been seriously ill for the past five months.

She was born Frances Kozlowski in Chicago, Dec. 22, 1910 and had lived here for 25 years. She was married to Adam V'Dovic in 1935. She was a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church and the Altar Society and the Extension Club of Maplewood School.

She is survived by the husband; two sisters, Mrs. Victor Scott of Nunica and Mrs. Llewellyn Hoskins of Bronson; a brother, John, of Okaloosa; and her mother, Mrs. Borodako of Grand Haven township.

The rosary will be recited at Van Zantwick Funeral Chapel Thursday at 9 p.m.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 9:30 a.m. at St. Anthony's with the Rev. Edward J. O'Hara officiating. Burial will be in Robinson Township Cemetery.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Tuesday were Mrs. Calvin Van Wieren, 497 136th Ave.; Connie Jansen, route 6; Nelsy Johnson, route 3, Fennville; Russell Nyland, 305 Oakdale, Holland.

Discharged Tuesday were Mrs. John Visser and baby, 136 East 25th St.; Mrs. Bernard Zwiers and baby, route 4; Mrs. Bernard Zylstra and baby, 124 West 27th St.; Mrs. Laurence Brink and baby, route 2, Hamilton; Mrs. Mae Nauta, 70 West 13th St.; Mrs. Paul Folkert and baby, route 1, Byron Center; Mrs. Earl Boeve, 110 West 13th St.

A son, John Brian, was born in Holland Hospital Tuesday to Mrs. and Mrs. Calvin Van Wieren, 497 136th Ave.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Assink and daughter Barbara, from Haarlem were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hassevoort and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Minard De Vries and Debby from Holland were Sunday guests there and attended the evening worship service.

Mr. and Mrs. Augie Post from Caledonia were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bekins and Mrs. C. Bekins on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stegenga from Holland were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Bohl.

Mr. and Mrs. Augie Post from Caledonia were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bekins and Mrs. C. Bekins on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Top are observing their 40th wedding anniversary today. They will hold open house for relatives and friends on Saturday from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

Jerry De Boer from Borculo supplied special music Sunday evening at the Reformed church by playing on his Clarinet "Trust and Obey" and "Lead Me to Calvary". Miss Alma Vander Slaght accompanied at the piano.

At the Hymn Sing Sunday evening the Rev. Jay Weener was song leader and special music was supplied by Dale Ver Meer from Forest Grove as soloist and The Victory Five from Holland contributed vocal and instrumental numbers.

The Rev. Jay Weener is in receipt of another call from Third Reformed Church Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Knap and children from Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slotman and child from Overisel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Knap and Donna.

The North Blendon Reformed church has given an invitation to the local church to see colored slides of the Netherlands in that church on Friday evening March 25.

Lawrence De Vries has returned home from St. Mary's Hospital, Grand Rapids, and is recuperating at his home.

The Lord's Supper will be celebrated next Sunday in the Reformed church morning service and a vesper service will be held in the chapel at 2:30 p.m. for those not able to attend in the morning service.

Rest Haven Guild will meet in Third Reformed church of Holland, March 25, at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. G. B. Hilson will show slides of his recent trip to Haiti. All are welcome.

The Ottawa Christian League will hold its annual meeting Friday night at 8 p.m. at Borculo Christian Reformed church. The Rev. John De Kruyter pastor of Maple Avenue Church will be inspirational speaker. After the meeting officers will be elected and plans formed for next year. Every church member is urged to attend.

Mrs. M. Tubergen spent a few days last week with her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. John Burkhardt in Grand Rapids. Their son, Raymond, has been ill in the hospital for several weeks and Monday morning Tubergens were informed of his death.

Overdue Vessel Arrives Safely

MUSKEGON (Special)—The City of Grand Rapids, a car ferry, took nearly 30 hours to make a normal six-hour run from Milwaukee to Muskegon Tuesday when it ran into heavy seas and violent winds.

The boat left Milwaukee Monday at 1:05 p.m. and finally tied up at its Muskegon dock Tuesday at 6:50 p.m.

Capt. Clyde Warner, skipper, said that in his 35 years experience on boats he had never seen a storm as bad as Tuesday's. Capt. Warner estimated winds were gusting up to 70 miles per hour and waves running 15 to 20 feet high.

The crew or boat were never in danger, Warner said. He explained he kept the boat headed into the wind and had speed reduced to the point where he could steer.

The boat arrived in the harbor at 4:20 p.m. Tuesday but it took the remaining time to reach its dock. The Coast Guard said Capt. Warner displayed outstanding seamanship in bringing the boat through the channel and into the harbor.

Further complicating event was constant static on the radio which made it impossible to contact the Coast Guard or the boat's owners to advise them they were in no danger.

Bequests Include Sums For Holland Churches

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—The will of the late Thomas H. Marsilje, 135 West 12th St., Holland, who died Feb. 13, has been filed in Ottawa Probate Court. A number of bequests are contained in the will, which include \$12,500 to Third Reformed Church of Holland, \$25,000 to Ninth Street Christian Reformed Church of Holland, \$7,500 to the Pine Rest Christian Association of Grand Rapids, \$10,000 to the Resthaven Patrons, Inc. Holland, and \$7,500 to Hope College.

Each of three grandchildren are given \$5,000.

The balance of the estate is left to his son, Isaac H. Marsilje.

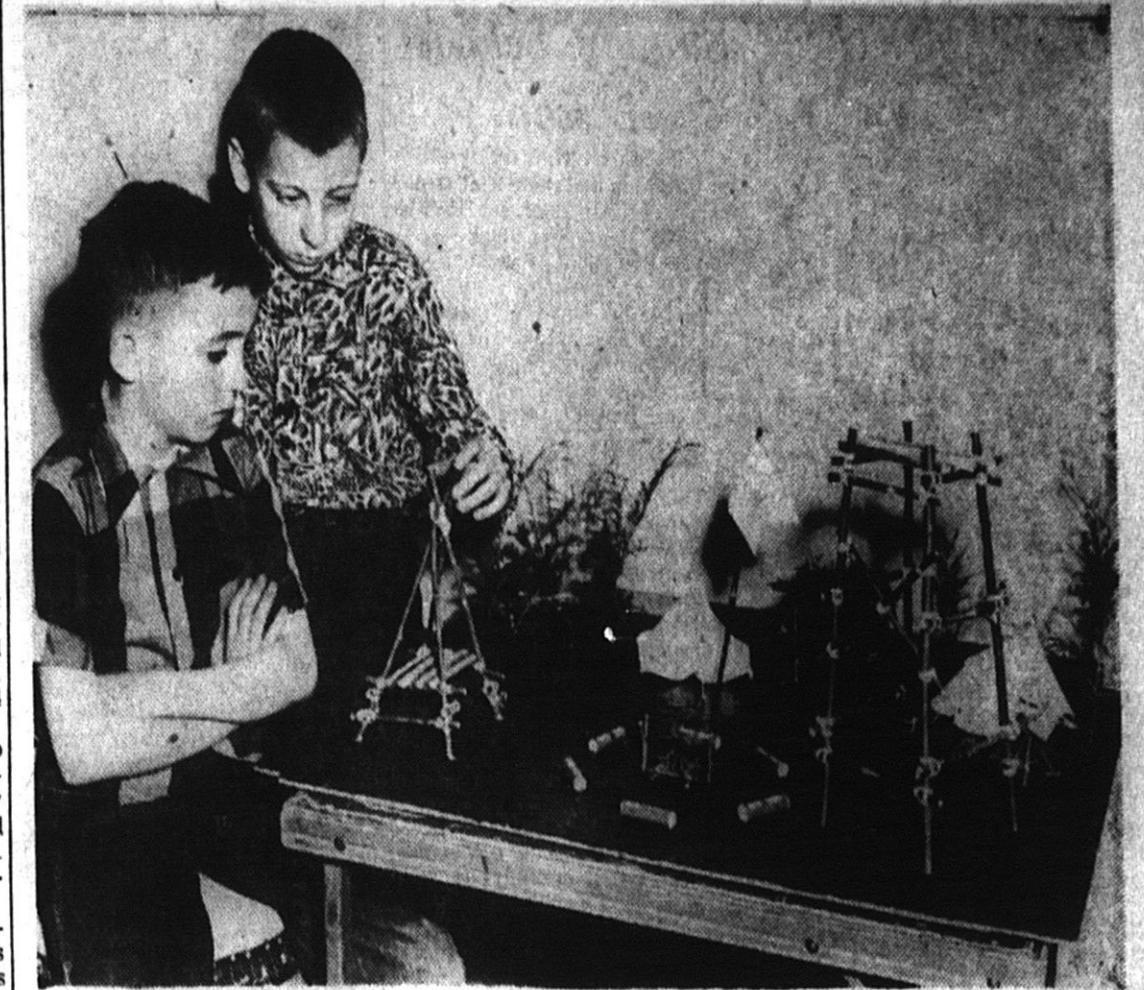
Troop 2, conservation; Troop 6, home repair; Troop 7, home repair, leatherworking, midway; Troop 8, canoeing, safety; Troop 10, archery, electricity and signaling; Troop 12, rope yard, photography and nature; Troop 21, outdoor camping exhibition; Troop 22, aviation, midway and Troop 30, civil defense.

Troop 33, woodcarving; Troop 34, scout spirit; Troop 42, camping, first aid and midway; Troop 44, cooking and midway; Troop 45, railroad; Troop 46, along the scout trail; Troop 57, leatherworking and Troop 58, fire prevention.

Explorer Post 2006, animal care and Indian lore; Post 2007, communications; Post 2021, Indian crafts and 5028, sea explorers.

Escapes Uninjured

Mildred L. Edwards, 26, of 75 East 32nd St., escaped uninjured Tuesday evening when her car skidded at Columbia Ave. and 32nd St. and collided with a parked car owned by Harold Harrington, 24, of 186 East 37th St. Allegan County deputies said damage to the two vehicles was minor.



BOY SCOUT FAIR FEATURE—A model campsite, constructed by Troop 21 members, a replica of what the Zeeland troop will actually build in front of the Civic Center Saturday, is examined by Steve Penna (left) and Melvin McBride. The

scale model campsite was made of twigs and string with the tents made of cloth. The outdoor camping exhibit at the Scout Fair will display tents, towers, rustic camp equipment and actual camp cooking in the open.

Area Scouts Plan Fair Saturday in Civic Center

Holland's Civic Center will take on a carnival atmosphere this Saturday for the annual Boy Scout Fair. The event, complete with stage shows, midway and booths, will run from 2 to 9 p.m. Saturday with Cubs, Scouts and Explorers of the Chippewa district participating.

The fair, with 55 booths, will be twice as large as any other Scout show of its type presented in the Holland area, according to Henry Maentz, general chairman. The stage shows will present Cub Scout and Boy Scout activities while the midway will consist of home-made games and feats of skill. Booths will tell the story of the Scout advancement program, the things Scouts do and what they learn.

More than 1,000 Holland area Cubs, Scouts and Explorers and 400 leaders will take part. Each booth and midway event will be a "live" demonstration. Awards will be given for the best booths.

The Civic Center will be decorated to produce a carnival effect with red and white awnings, pennants and balloons. The audience will be able to participate in many of the demonstrations and some of the booths will feature give-aways.

Stage shows, directed by George Lumsden, will be presented at 3:30 and 7:45 p.m. The afternoon show will be called "Cub Scout Matinee." Included in the acts will be a Cub Scout band composed of members of Pack 3006 of Washington School.

Pack 3001 of Van Raalte School will compete in a pillow fight contest. A Cub Scouts chorus made up of Pack 3056 members of the Montello Park area and directed by Chester Kramer will sing several selections. All packs will have one representative in a crab race, one of the Cub Scout games. Each pack held playoffs and will enter their best Cub.

A dramatic Indian pageant and dance demonstration will highlight the evening stage show. The dances executed by various Holland area Scouts are named crane, skull, beggars, hoop and eagle. Ben Mulder will direct the Indian portion of the show assisted by Elmer Northuis and Elmore Van Lente.

A scout trumpet trio, top ticket sale award, recognition of the district's four latest Eagle Scouts plus appropriate opening and closing flag ceremonies will be presented.

Colored motion pictures will be shown throughout the day in the Civic Center recreation room. Following the Scout theme, the movies are entitled "More Than a Promise," "Happy, Game and Fair," and "Time of Their Lives."

A total of 35 district units will participate. The units and their fair activities follow: Pack 3001, leather handicraft, midway; Pack 3003, molding, midway; Pack 3006, things that go, midway; Pack 3020, den projects, midway; Pack 3028, make-believe; Pack 3030, metal handicraft, midway; Pack 3041, scrapbooks, midway; Pack 3042, rope making, midway; Pack 3043, tools; Pack 3044, Indian lore; Pack 3045, wood and leathercraft, midway; Pack 3056, model boats, midway.

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A significant factor in the growth of Michigan as a center of the automobile industry was its one-time leadership in the production of marine engines and carriages.

Harry J. Baggott Dies At Grand Haven Home

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Harry J. Baggott, 63, died at his home 523 Butler St., Tuesday night. He was born in Grand Haven Nov. 18, 1891 and was married in 1922 in Grand Haven to Miss Clara Bouwman.

He had been in ill health for the past year and seriously so for the past month. He was a member of Second Reformed Church and was with the Polar Bear Unit in Russia during World War I. He was a past commander of the VFW, a member of the Masons and former member of Company F before World War I.

He had been employed by the Grand Haven Gas Co. for 33 years and retired last December. A son, Norman, was killed in a motorcycle-truck accident in Holland in 1949.

Besides the wife he is survived by one son Pvt. Glen Baggott of Fort Sam Houston, Tex., and one sister, Mrs. Sadie LeJeune of Grand Haven.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Van Zantwick Funeral Chapel preceded by a prayer service at the family home at 1:30 p.m. Full military rites by the VFW will be given at the graveside in Lake Forest Cemetery. The Rev. Frederic Dolfin will officiate.

Allegan Fatality First in 2 Years

ALLEGAN (Special)—Allegan city's first fatality in two years occurred during the height of Tuesday's fierce storm when seven-year-old David Siegler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Siegler, was struck at noon on Western Ave. by a car driven by Clifton Schelhas of Allegan.

Witnesses said the boy had pulled his coat up to shield his face from the snow and cold and darted across the street into the path of the car. Police Chief Howard Falk was driving the car immediately behind Schelhas and said the driver sounded his horn and swerved in an attempt to miss the boy.

The car stopped within a few feet with the youngster pinned beneath. A wrecker lifted the car in order to free the body. Dr. Peter Braachman, medical examiner, said death was instantaneous and was caused by a crushed chest and other injuries.

Surviving are the parents; a brother, Thomas 5; a sister, Celeste Marie, 1, and the grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Anton Struyck of Chicago and Mrs. Marie Siegler of Hollywood, Ill.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from Nyberg Funeral home with burial in Oakwood Cemetery. The Rev. Ralph Reed, pastor of Allegan Baptist church, will officiate.

The youngster, a second grader at Dawson school, was returning home for lunch when the accident occurred. The site was only a half block from the scene of the last fatality two years ago involving an elderly woman.

Child Breaks Left Leg In Fall Down Icy Steps

Charlene Gamby, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gamby of Virginia Park, broke her left leg between the knee and ankle in a fall Tuesday afternoon while descending the icy steps at Harrington School.

The child had been excused at 2:45 p.m. for a dental appointment and after the fall she was unable to rise or call for help. Her father who was slated to pick up the child at home noticed a figure on the school steps and investigated. By then, the girl had lain there about 20 minutes.

Charlene was taken to Holland Hospital where a cast was applied and then she was taken home. Her sister, Sharon, was in school at the time.

It's Same Week, But Year Later

ALLEGAN (Special)—Duane C. Minschell, 23, of Gunplum township, celebrated the first anniversary of his initial brush with the law by repeating, almost step for step, an escapade that earned him a stiff fine and two years probation for breaking and entering.

When Allegan County Deputy Robert Whitcomb was notified Monday that the Crescent tavern in Gunplum township had been broken into early Monday morning, details of the crime struck a familiar note. The same window had been broken and the same thing—beer and wine—had been stolen as in a robbery at the tavern a year ago, to the week.

Whitcomb's first call Monday morning was at Minschell's home. Minschell admitted the repeat performance and turned over the key of beer he had taken. He told Whitcomb he had been drinking heavily.

Arraigned before Municipal Court Judge E. L. Andrews, Minschell waived examination on a charge of breaking and entering and was bound over to the current term of circuit court. Bond, set at \$1,000 was not furnished.

Troop 30 Has Court of Honor

Boy Scout Troop 30 of Harrington School held its Court of Honor Tuesday evening at the school. Scoutmaster Forrest Flaughner acted as master of ceremonies for the event, which opened with the pledge of allegiance, Scout oath and law. More than 100 Scouts and friends attended despite the weather.

Robert Chambers, troop bugler, played taps after the blessing and prayer and Robert Kingshott, senior patrol leader, led the pledge and Scout law. Awards were presented by Donald Hamlin, assistant Scoutmaster; I. H. Marsilje, troop chairman; Winton B. Gibbon, institutional representative, assisted by Clifford Onthank, assistant Scoutmaster.

Dr. M. Eugene Osterhaven, in behalf of the committee, presented to Flaughner a parchment scroll in thanks for his leadership and Scout work the last 24 years. The scroll contained more than 200 signatures of parents and friends.

Two films, one on the atomic bombing of Japan and the other on the Scout World Jamboree, were shown.

Second Class Scout awards were given to Jon Harthorne, Pat Haight, Ron Evink, Paul Hamlin, David Beverwyk, Don Beverwyk, Bruce Gibbons, John Den Nyl, Charles Kuiper, Jimmy Morzinski, David Osterhaven, Billy Van Bruggen, James Zeedyk, Tom De Jonge, Philip Strengtholt and Loran Stegenga.

First Class awards went to Arthur and Richard Dirke, Ken Cook, Tom Marsilje, Gary Smith and Ed Marsilje; Star Scout awards to Marty Van Dyke, Arthur and Richard Dirke and Robert Kingshott.

Truck, Car Accident Ties Up M-21 Traffic

Traffic was tied up for several hours on M-21 several miles east of Zeeland Tuesday afternoon when a semi spilled its load of coiled steel after a collision with a car.

The truck driver, Richard Hemphill, 37, South Bend, was treated at Zeeland hospital for a broken rib and released late this afternoon.

Ottawa County deputies said Hemphill's truck struck a car driven by Fred Goorman, 37, route 2, Zeeland, causing the truck to slide into a ditch and dumping six coils of steel onto the highway.

Regular and special deputies directed traffic around the scene during the snowstorm until heavy equipment could be obtained to remove the steel and truck from the main highway.

More men than women in the United States are considerably overweight.

European Trip Reviewed For Local Woman's Club

Scouters Plan Spring Camporee

Bernard Shashagay, Holland, and Russell V. Terrill, Grand Haven, have been named co-chairmen of the Spring Camporee, which will be jointly sponsored by the Ottawa and Chippewa Boy Scout districts on May 20 and 21. "Tournament of Scouting" will be theme for the Camporee.

Camp Holman north of Port Sheldon, has been designated as site for the annual encampment. The Camporee this year will take in two districts, including all of Ottawa County and the western half of Allegan county. An expected 400 to 450 boys and leaders will attend to make this the largest camporee ever held in this area.

Committees elected for the Camporee are: Arrangements, Elmore Van Lente, chairman; Walter Boerma (Grand Haven); program, Elmer Reenders, chairman (Grand Haven); Otto Dressel, Miner Meindersma will direct the Friday evening campfire program.

Van Lente will direct a special Green Bar Training course for Patrol leaders and other Junior leaders on Thursday, April 14, and Friday and Saturday, April 22 and 23. Training will be directed toward Camporee participation. Staff for the training course will include Otto Dressel, Robert Rose, Earl Vandenbosch, Alfred Kane, Richard Wilson, Albert Walters, and Lester Douma.

YWCA Exchange Worker Addresses Kiwanians

Miss Samira Samuel, a native of Egypt who is in the United States under the YWCA training program, addressed members of the Kiwanis Club Monday at their Ladies-night meeting in the Tulip Room of the Warm Friend Tavern.

She spoke on "Life and Conditions in Egypt," and showed slides. She has been in this country for the last nine months and for the past six months has been staying at the YWCA in Grand Rapids. She was accompanied by Mrs. Walling, Miss Samuel also taught at the American College in Egypt.

About 65 attended the dinner meeting. Jack Grasmeyer, president, was in charge.

Friendly Corner Class Meets at Local Church

The Friendly Corner Class of Trinity Reformed Church met in the Ladies Lounge Monday evening. Presiding was Mrs. Lester Klassen and in charge of devotions was Mrs. J. Van Hoff.

Following a solo by Mrs. J. Westerhoff, letters from Miss Esther De Weerd, missionary to India, were read. Miss Mary Geegh, missionary on furlough from India who expects to leave soon on her return to the mission field, was presented a gift.

Refreshments were served by the Mesdames L. Salisbury, W. Bronckdyke, G. Vanden Berg, W. Hamlin and D. Breedveld and Miss Doris Vander Kooi.

Charles P. Olsen Dies Following Heart Attack

ZEELAND (Special)—Charles P. Olsen, 69, who moved from Zeeland two weeks ago to make his home at Fife Lake, died unexpectedly Tuesday while riding in his car near Kingsley. Death resulted from a heart attack. He formerly lived on North Jefferson St., Zeeland, and had been employed by the Bennett Mfg. Co. for more than 25 years.

Surviving besides the wife, Dora are three daughters, Mrs. Della Smith and Mrs. Jack McPherson, both of Muskegon and Mrs. Jake Voss of Redlands, Calif., 11 grandchildren; three great grandchildren; several stepchildren and two sisters, Mrs. Jake Wiersma of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Edward Potter of Vicksburg.

Carpets are not harmed by radiant floor heating. Temperatures of the heating system cannot rise high enough to cause damage or danger.

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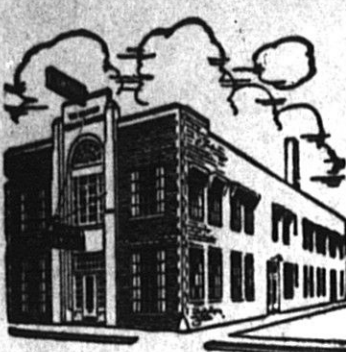
Ottawa County
Franklin Wayne Wierda, 22, Holland, and Audrey Anne Ash, 20, route 1, Holland.

Engagement Told

Miss Marilyn Ann Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Glass of 560 East Lincoln Ave., Zeeland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn Ann to Roger Dean Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, 214 Central Ave., Zeeland.

A son, John Brian, was born in Holland Hospital Tuesday to Mrs. and Mrs. Calvin Van Wieren, 497 136th Ave.

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FRED BEEUWES

Everyone in the community will remember Fred Beeuwes as a public servant. Fred reached the four score and ten, plus five time in his life-time and inasmuch as he spent this entire life in the community, he will be missed. Fred was educated in our local schools and began his public career on 8th St. with Lokker Rutgers Company where he became a member of the firm.

Then in 1914 he moved to the James A. Brouwer Furniture Company as a full time employee and became a member of that firm in 1917. He retired from active business in October, 1950.

A few of his community enterprises were president of the Holland Merchants Association, member of the Holland Exchange Club, the Gideons, Third Reformed Church, where he served as superintendent of the Sunday School as well as an elder for a great number of years.

One of his outstanding public services was a member of the Board of Education for more than 30 years and seven of these years he served as president of the Board. Hundreds and hundreds of people in the community will remember Fred Beeuwes.

CHOOSING A FARM "KING"

The Allegan Junior Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a contest in which Allegan county's outstanding young farmer is to be selected. The deadline for nominations has been set for March 21, and farm residents of the county have been invited to submit names. The winner will receive an expense-paid trip to Minneapolis early in June to attend a convention of young farmer "kings" from many states.

Contests to choose "queens" of all sorts and descriptions have degenerated almost into a national joke. Choosing a farm "king" would seem to be a welcome variation in such popularity contests and worthy of the serious attention of serious farm workers.

The candidate is to be chosen because of his "contributions to farming and the community with special emphasis on farming enterprise and investment." The contest is worth while if for no other reason than that it recognizes farming as an enterprise in the same category with such city affairs as banking, merchandizing, and other activities for which the outstanding young men of a community are chosen from time to time.

Some city people have not yet realized that there has been a fundamental change in the business of farming. There are those who still cling to the "hay-seed" psychology, the assumption that any ignorant citizen can be a farmer. The truth is quite the reverse.

For one thing, an increasing number of progressive young farmers prepare themselves as carefully for their life profession as do business and professional men. College graduate young farmers are becoming fairly common.

But whether a college man or not, a modern young farmer, if he is to win success in his profession, must have the capacity to meet problems quite as complex as those faced by the beginners in any other calling. He must be a true scientist in the manipulation of his crop rotations, and he must be a careful businessman in his job of salesmanship. He must be conscious of the stake he has in government, for he must be able to choose his representatives in the legislature and in the congress wisely in terms of his own profession.

The word "king" originally meant "the man who can." A farmer "king" must be a "man who can" if he is to win out in the competitive system. Calling attention to this fact makes such an enterprise as sponsored in Allegan richly worth while.

The naming of a "king" the first day of spring for Allegan county ought to make the queen nappy.

The Bureau of Mines has devised a caliper small enough to pass through two-inch tubing, yet it can expand to measure holes up to 36 inches in diameter.

The firefly isn't a fly at all, but a beetle. It has two pairs of wings, the forward pair stiff and useless in flight. The flashing light from its tail is a luminous love call with which it finds its mate.

Sunday School Lesson

March 27, 1955

The Christian and the Social Order
Matthew 5:13-16; Romans 13:8-10
By Henry Geerlings

Three compelling reasons demand that Christians live relevantly in the world of mankind. First, the Christian experience and the Christian life require expression in terms of human relationships. Our lives exhibit their quality and significance, not in isolation but in their relation to other individuals and to society.

Second, the world in which we live needs our distinctively Christian contribution and testimony. Our immediate world of the individuals who are nearest and dearest needs us as Christians. Third, God needs Christians who believe wholesomely in the world. For in Christ He has chosen to work redemptively in our world and through redeemed people.

The Christian is bound to face, sooner or later, specific problems in relation to the social life of the neighborhood. Eventually he will find himself at variance with the social conduct of many of those about him. There will be practices in which he cannot participate without violating his true convictions as a follower of Christ. Is he to stand by his Christian convictions, or is he to bow to the will and pattern of the larger group? In a word, is the social life of the Christian to differ in any respect from the social life of the non-Christian?

Are we as Christians conscious that our life is a new life? Unless this basic fact has become a reality to the believer, he will hardly be able to make much of an impression upon the unbelieving world. It was the high ethical code of the first believers that so impressed the pagan world. The pure lives of the followers of Christ created sensation wherever they moved. They did not bend like reeds but rather stood their ground as true Christians when it was necessary for them to take issue with social conditions existing in their community.

God expects the Christian to live the separate life. We are to come out from among the world in our actual habits and live differently. Those with whom we associate should be able to recognize us as Christians by the way we live in every realm of experience.

The first group in the social order that the Christian has to think about, and how he is to be related to it is his fellow believers. His relation to them is like the relation of a member of the human body to the whole body. It is a vital relationship. The health of every one member is essential for the health of all. And here the Christian has a twofold relationship and responsibility. The first is in connection with the exercise of gifts bestowed on us by the Spirit. There is a gift for every believer in Christ, essential to the health and prosperity of the church. These gifts differ one from another. But they are all essential. We each depend on others for the exercise of their gifts for our advantage and they on us.

The other responsibility we have toward the Christian brotherhood is to maintain a spirit of love, consideration and helpfulness to all. We do not have the space to enlarge on this point. The precepts recited in our Scripture reference are pointed and clear. If we follow them we shall live helpfully with all those who are of the same faith.

The next group in the social order that we meet continually are those who are outside the pale of the church. They are classed as unbelievers but we are not to shun them. As much as we possibly can we are to live peacefully with all men. Revenge is not to be one of our weapons. The Christian is to act toward those who are without as Jesus acted toward the world. He was holy and separate from sinners but He gave Himself in sacrificial service to all.

Another part of our social order which claims our attention and obedience is the state. We are all subject to the higher power. The state was established by God and it is His instrument to keep order in the world. The Christian should take an active part in politics, government and in all the many interests of his community, state and nation. He can be an example of good citizenship and act as the salt of the earth and the light of the world.

William Albrecht Dies

At Hudsonville Home

HUDSONVILLE (Special)—William Albrecht, 89, died at his home early Monday after a lingering illness. The body was taken to VanderLaan Funeral Home where friends may call tonight from 7 to 9 and Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Services will be held Thursday at Hudsonville Christian Reformed Church with the Rev. Emmo Van Halsema officiating. Burial will be in Georgetown Cemetery.

On Jan. 10, Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. He was a carpenter and former custodian at Hudsonville High School, and had lived in the area all his life.

Topsy Driver Fined

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Albert J. Boelkins, 27, Muskegon, pleaded guilty Monday afternoon in Municipal Court to a charge of drunk driving and paid \$100 fine and \$5.00 costs. Boelkins was arrested by city police early Sunday morning after his car struck a parked car owned by Louis Koskuri, Route 2, Grand Haven.

The Army maintains military missions and military assistance advisory groups in 28 foreign countries.



HOLLAND'S TULIP FESTIVAL was dramatized to 200,000 visitors at the Detroit News Travel Show by the Automobile Club of Michigan's 1955 Travel Queen, Catherine Hyba, above. She symbolized the Tulip Festival in the Auto Club booth Saturday at the Michigan State Fairgrounds in Detroit. On different days during the show the booth honors 14 outstanding Michigan events to be held this year. Mrs. Hyba wore a different costume each day to represent various celebrations.

Van Raalte School Wins City Sixth Grade Crown

Van Raalte School won the sixth grade public school championship Saturday night stopping Longfellow School, 23-20 before an overflow crowd of 250 at Van Raalte gym. Washington School took consolation honors with a 50-28 win over Lincoln.

The championship tilt was nip-and-tuck all the way. The winners had to overcome a one-point third quarter deficit. Van Raalte led 8-5 at the end of the first period and 15-10 at halftime but fell behind 19-18 at the end of the third quarter.

Lee Overbeek led the winners with nine points while Doug Boven was high point man for Longfellow with 11 points. Other Van Raalte scorers included Mangiltz, 6; Buurma, 3; White and De Vries, 2 each and Teall, 1. Other Longfellow point makers were Brewer, 4; Stryker, 3 and Klaasen, 2.

Gary Vander Molen and Chuck Ragains paced Washington to the consolation victory. Vander Molen tossed up 16 points while Ragains made 14. Bob Klaver led Lincoln with 14 points.

Other Washington scorers included Elenbaas, De Groot, and Shuck, 6 each and Glatz, 2. Schapp had five. Zuverink and Piers, 4 each and Smith 1 to round out the Lincoln scoring.

Van Raalte had moved into the finals with a Friday night 36-22 win over Washington while Longfellow had scored a first round 39-15 victory over Lincoln Friday night.

Jim De Vries led Van Raalte in the first win with 10 points while Vander Molen had six for Washington. Gary Brewer notched 13 to pace Longfellow and Klaver had nine for Lincoln.

First and second all-tournament teams were selected with first team members receiving medals. First team selections included Klaver of Lincoln, Rog Buurma and Overbeek of Van Raalte and Brewer and Dave Stryker of Longfellow. Gardner Klaasen and Boven were Longfellow selections on the second team along with Bob Elenbaas and Vander Molen of Washington and De Vries of Van Raalte.

Harold Streeter and Bill Hinga officiated. Four eight-minute quarters with the clock running throughout constituted the game. John Spurgeon, director of elementary physical education in the grades, supervised the meet.

Newcomers Club Holds St. Patrick's Dance

The Tulip Room of the Warm Friend Tavern became the "Green Room" at the Newcomers Club St. Patrick's Day Dance Saturday night. The Frank Lockage band of Muskegon entertained dancers. A buffet was served at midnight.

Chairmen of the event were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hebert, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haage and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coombs. Group singing and games livened the intermission. Prizes were won by Ernest Johnson and Mrs. Henry Smith.

New members attending their first dance were introduced by Henry Smith, president of the club. They were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brunner, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spahr, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haage, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fetherston.

Women of Moose Attend Baby Village Day Meet

Several members of Holland chapter Women of the Moose were in Grand Rapids Sunday to attend the first International Mooseheart Baby Village Day.

Mrs. Marie Botis, senior regent of Holland Chapter 1010, was general chairman. During the business meeting, Mrs. Rachel Zycerman and Mrs. Onley Boraas were initiated into the local chapter.

Mrs. Ruth Rummier gave the welcoming address and Mrs. Betty VanHeck of the Grand Rapids Chapter responded. Andrew Krauss, governor of Grand Rapids Local Order and Irvin Kangas, secretary of the Holland Local Order, spoke briefly emphasizing the cooperation between the Local Order and the Women of the Moose in their philanthropic endeavors.

Attending from Holland were the Mesdames Botis, Rummier, Maxine Den Uyl, Kangas, Florine Berkey, Emma Witt, Blanche Solomon, Dorothy Bazan, Jeanette Vanden Heuvel, Marguerite Culver and Gladys Gordon.

The kiwi of New Zealand has only vestigial remnants of wings and tail

Key to the Keys Mystery Found

The case of what kiddies had the keys to the cars was solved late Saturday afternoon.

Earlier in the day employees of Vandenberg Buick Co. used car lot were looking for keys to more than 15 cars. The keys were taken out of the ignitions sometime Friday.

A Holland housewife saw the story of the "theft" in Saturday's Sentinel and called the lot. She said her son knew who had the keys.

A few phone calls later, parents of three youngsters showed up with the keys. The children said they wanted some keys on chains like their fathers had.

The employees were happy for the return and gave each of the youngsters a handful of old keys—none of which would start any of their cars.

Area Hospitals Fully Accredited

Holland Hospital, Grand Haven Municipal Hospital and Allegan Health Center are all included in "fully accredited" list, compiled by the joint commission on Accreditation of Hospitals. Member organizations of the accrediting group are the American College of Physicians, American College of Surgeons, American Hospital Association, American Medical Association and Canadian Medical Association.

The list shows 2,928 hospitals fully accredited and 585 hospitals provisionally accredited. There are approximately 6,000 hospitals eligible for accreditation. Hospitals with less than 25 beds are not eligible for accreditation.

The accreditation program is a voluntary one and only those hospitals which request survey are visited.

Miss Alma Groters Feted at Shower

Miss Alma Groters, bride-elect of Donald Van Den Belt, was guest of honor at a grocery shower given by Mrs. Willard Rooks, 635 West 23rd St. Friday evening.

Games were played and prizes awarded to the Mesdames Henry Mulder, Marvin Mulder, Albert Nienhuis, Ronald Israels, James Baas and Peter Sinke, with duplicate prizes given to the bride-elect. Groceries were put under a decorated grocery cart. A two course lunch was served.

Invited guests were the Mesdames James Groters John Van Den Belt, Henry Mulder, Harold Mulder, Donald Mulder, Marvin Mulder, Gertrude Mulder, Albert Nienhuis, Douglas Dykstra, Cornelius Ykes, Henry Van Klink, Jake Plum, William Plum, Jr., Peter Sinke, James Welscoot, John Gebben, James Baas, Harold Derks, Ronald Israels, the Misses Aggie Baas and Delores Mulder, and the hostess, Mrs. William Rooks.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Monday were Mrs. Fred Wilson, route 6; Thomas Sjoerdma, Hudsonville; Venita Sue Grisham, 212 Columbia Ave.; Mrs. Earl Boeve, 110 West 13th St.; Samuel Weerstra, 1164 Graafschap Rd.; Dale Bronkema, 610 Gordon St.; Nancy Morris, 405 James St.; Mrs. Gordon Van Dyke, 403 College Ave.; Mrs. Harry Gladden, 856 South Shore Dr.; Mrs. Marion Van Slooten, route 1, West Olive; Mrs. Dirk J. De Pree, 43 Pine St., Zeeland.

Discharged Monday were Carol Lynn Bryan, 21 East 16th St.; Ruth Weber, 148 Scotts Dr.; Louis De Kraker, Jr., route 3, Hudsonville; Mrs. Julian Stiles and baby, 88 West 12th St.; Dale Bronkema, 610 Gordon St.; Thomas Sjoerdma, 6048 Baldwin Dr., Hudsonville.

Hospital births include a daughter, Marcia Kay, born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Russcher, route 3; a son, William Roderick, III, born today to Mr. and Mrs. William McCaffrey, Jr., 97 East 12th St.

Miss Madderom Feted At Ver Hulst Home

Miss Jean Madderom, bride-elect of John Ver Hulst, was guest of honor at a shower at the home of Mrs. Harold Ver Hulst, 876 Washington, on Saturday evening.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Anthony Ver Hulst, Louis and Phyllis Ver Hulst. Games were played and prizes were won by Mrs. C. Madderom. Mrs. Harriet Bieve, Mrs. Henrietta Kamphuis and Miss Myrna Bremer.

Invited were the Mesdames Andrew Bremer, Frank Bieve, Gary Smith, Albert Bremer, Stewart Bremer, Kenneth Bremer, Barbara Slagh, Russell Bremer, Arthur Bremer, Esther Fraziers, Clarence Kamphuis, Will Bremer, Harold Bremer, Mike Bremer, C. Madderom, Martha Anderson, Charles Scott, Don Houge, Herman Wieten, John Ver Hulst, Don Ver Hulst, Willis Oosterhout, Leona Rotman, Junior Bremer and Miss Myrna Bremer.

Zeeland

The Ladies Aid Society will hold a regular meeting in the Fellowship Hall of Second Reformed church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 in charge of the president, Mrs. H. Geerlings. Mrs. M. Barense will conduct devotional service on the topic "The Resurrection" from Psalm 16. Mrs. Vernon Poest will be in charge of the nursery and hostesses will be Mrs. Arnold Bos and Mrs. Wesley Faber.

The A Capella Choir of North-western Junior College of Orange City, Iowa, will sing at First Reformed Church, Zeeland, Wednesday evening, March 23, at 7:45. Everybody interested is invited to be present.

Physical Therapist Will Make Survey

During spring vacation, Mrs. Arthur Pierre, occupational therapist and teacher at Washington School will conduct a survey of the Holland area to ascertain future needs of the physically handicapped department.

Included in the survey plans will be the number of children needing special education and the extent of services required.

Parrots having handicapped children or persons knowing families in need of such assistance are urged to call Mrs. Pierre before April 1 at Washington School, 4247. Local physically handicapped children have services and facilities provided for them in Washington School through state and local departments. Future plans call for use of a specially designed area in the new Thomas Jefferson School.

Mrs. Pierre and Dr. Frances H. Well, physiotherapist, work with the youngsters in an attempt to offer them the same education opportunities afforded other children. Through the services of these specialists children progress with other children their age but work at tasks and with equipment especially suited for their physical limitations.

Marla Essenburg Feted At Surprise Shower

Miss Marla Essenburg, April bride-elect, was guest of honor at a surprise shower given Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Bert Koning, 185 East 29th St.

Games were played and duplicate prizes awarded to Mrs. Arthur De Haan, Mrs. Gilmer Rigerink, Miss Rosemary Tanis and Mrs. Richard Dirkse. A two-course lunch was served.

Invited guests were the Mesdames John Siebelink, LaVerne Slenk, Willard Koning, Jerry Koning, Gilmer Rigerink, Chester Koning, La Vern Koning, La Vern Kortering, Ben Tanis, Dennis Schipper, Grada Hoek, Bea Snyder, Herbert Tanis, Alder Tanis, Russell Essenburg, Gordon Pippel, Albert Bluekamp, Arthur De Haan, Dick Harmsen, Richard Dirkse, Jerry Nyhuis.

Also the Mesdames Joan Siebelink, Joan Tanis, Rosemary Tanis, Shirley Schipper, Marilyn Dirkse, Janice Dirkse, Sharon Pippel, Sally Bluekamp, Betty Essenburg and Beverly Koning.

Local Elks Elect Officers for Year

Kenneth Dykstra was elected Exalted Ruler of Holland Elks Lodge 1315, for the years 1955 and 1956 in a regular meeting of the lodge this month.

Other officers are Robert Hall, Esteemed Leading Knight; Herman De Vries, Esteemed Loyal Knight; John Wadsworth, Esteemed Lecturing Knight; Leslie McCarthy, secretary; Lewis Borgmiller, treasurer. Rekus Mulder and John Van Dam, trustees.

Holland lodge holds regular meetings the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

Fillmore Township Lists Final Report for Polio

Fillmore township collected \$1,441.76 in the recent polio drive, according to a final report by Township Chairman Henry H. Boeve who forwarded the information to Allegan County Polio Director Everett Bekken.

The breakdown follows: Mothers march, \$896.64 which includes \$398.47 from the Maplewood area; schools, \$46.87; coin collectors, \$67.09; March of Dimes cards, \$66; clubs, churches and organizations, \$368.16.

Costa Rica was the first Central American nation to cultivate coffee.

Audience of 350 Sees Style Show

An archway of yellow and white mums leading to a walk lined with tulips, daffodils and hyacinths provided a beautiful setting for the "Fashion Preview" staged at Montello Park School Thursday evening.

The Mothers Club president, Mrs. Frank Meyer, extended a welcome to the audience of 350 and thanked merchants and others who had made the show possible. She also introduced the charming narrator, Mrs. Carol Duvall, popular television personality from Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Duvall gave descriptions of the many lovely spring styles in coats, suits, dresses, casual and sleep wear.

Each guest received a novel favor and several guests were awarded gifts, including the most recent bride, most recently engaged, grandmother with the most grandchildren, and mother of the youngest baby.

Models included Jan Van Peursem, Paula Nykamp, Virginia Boonstra, Mrs. Larry Van Haitsma, Mrs. Clarence Yntema, Mrs. Alvin Piers, Mrs. Alvin De Pree, Mrs. William Karsten, Eleanor Hoogland, Mrs. Nick Van Haitsma, Mrs. Gradus Schrotenboer, Mrs. George Kleijans, Mrs. Lee Brower, Mrs. Norman Kingenberg, Jan Hoogland, Kris Van Peursem and Gayle Bonenna.

Background piano music was played by Mrs. Alex Karay. During intermission, Lynn Brower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Brower, played acron names.

Refreshments were served at three buffet tables featuring dolls in a fashion parade, each against a background of rose tulle and lighted candles. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. P. Lugers, assisted by the Mesdames Donald Hoek, Maynard Bakker, Romeo Alfieri, Wayne de Went, Hollis Halstead, Wayne Jacobusse, Chester Van Lier and Virgil White.

Teachers who assisted by pouring were Mrs. Blaine Timmer, Mrs. J. Bakker, Misses Lois Kronmeyer, Natalie Nyhuis, Adeline Sybesma and June Fiedler.

Mrs. Volkers to Head Local Emblem Club

Election of Mrs. Dick Volkers as president of the Holland Emblem Club for the coming year featured the business at the regular meeting Thursday night at the Elks Club.

Mrs. Kathy Dykstra, president, presided. Installation will take place at the club house on April 21. Announcement was made of a fun party for members and guests to be held April 1. Prize winners for Thursday's meeting were Mrs. Angie Bouwens and Mrs. Janet Wiersma.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Ethel Picard and Mrs. Gertrude Conklin. Pigs in the blanket were donated by Mrs. Ann Hillman. Table decorations followed the St. Patrick theme.

Unique Shower Honors Miss Carolyn Jaehng

A bridal shower honoring Miss Carolyn Jaehng was given Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Claude Lamoreaux.

Theme for the evening was "Recipes". A corsage of ivy and gay colored measuring spoons was presented to the bride-to-be, after which she collected favorite recipes brought by the guests.

Prizes for games were awarded to the Mesdames Rudolph Mattson, Dock Rowe, Ray Swank Edward Damsen, Robert Greenwood and Miss Eldora Gouloze.

Refreshments were served, after which a glamorized laundry basket overflowing with gifts was presented to Miss Jaehng, and favors given to all guests.

New Officers Named At Van Raalte PTA

Election of officers featured the business session at the March meeting of Van Raalte School PTA Tuesday evening at the school. Elected were George Minnema, president; Mrs. Russell Rutgers, Jr., vice president; Mrs. Fred Beekman, secretary, and Mrs. Donald Ver Hulst, treasurer.

Speaker for the evening was Wendell Miles, district attorney who dealt with the subject "Common Policies in Crime Solutions." A clean, honest sports program with good leadership is very good for the children, he said.

He emphasized the importance of children learning to get along together in the family and with others. "We need education, but education alone does not cure crime and delinquency." In quoting Mr. Hoover who was asked what his solution for crime and delinquency was, Miles said that it was a spiritual foundation of life. He said that religious training should be given in the home and not left only to Sunday school teachers or ministers.

The Rev. Henry Rozendal of Bethel Reformed Church opened the meeting with prayer and Hans Suzenaar, president, was in charge of the business meeting. The executive committee will make plans for the annual school picnic to be held in June. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Leo Inderbitzen, Mrs. John Lorence, Mrs. Wilbur Mangiltz and Mrs. Charles Rich.

Group singing was in charge of Mrs. Preston Shaffer accompanied by Charles Rich.

A centrifugal refrigerating machine made (by Carrier) to cool the new U. S. Rubber building in Rockefeller Center, New York City, has a daily capacity equivalent to the melting of one million tons of ice.

Native Appointed New Police Chief Of Grand Haven

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Richard Klempel, a native of Grand Haven and member of the police force since 1947, was selected by City Council and the city manager Monday night for the position of chief of police, succeeding Lawrence De Witt.

The appointment is contingent upon completion of a course in advanced training in police administration and instruction. Chief De Witt, who was scheduled for retirement April 1, will remain in charge of the department until Klempel completes the training.

Klempel scored favorably in the statewide examination that was taken by 34 applicants. Deciding factors, in addition to the formal rating, were character, general conduct and a war record involving the training and command of troops.

Klempel entered service in World War II as a private and was promoted to corporal and sergeant before he attended officers training school. During combat duty he was promoted to first lieutenant. At the termination of active service he was commissioned a captain, a rank he now holds in the reserve.

He was born in Grand Haven Aug. 16, 1924, and attended local schools. During World War II he served in the southwest Pacific and the Philippines. He was wounded in May, 1945. After his discharge he worked with the Ottawa Police Patrol operated by Richard Levingstone, now police chief at Spring Lake, and then became employed by Camfield Manufacturing Co. He joined the local police force in August, 1947, as a patrolman, and is now a sergeant.

His wife is the former Lois Schultz of Grand Haven. They have two children, Lynda Joyce, 4, and Gayle Ann, 16 months. He is a member of Second Reformed Church.

Salary range for chief of police in Grand Haven is \$4,320 to \$5,088.

Wife of Pastor Dies in Ontario

ZEELAND (Special)—Mrs. Anna Dykstra, 60, wife of the Rev. John M. Dykstra, died at Jarvis, Ontario, at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, following a lingering illness. She was formerly Anna Wyma of Chicago.

Rev. Dykstra was former pastor of North Street Christian Reformed Church in Zeeland. He left Zeeland in 1949 for Battle Creek and later went to Jarvis where he has served three years as pastor of Jarvis Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving besides the husband are three daughters, Mrs. Clarence Overweg, Mrs. Orman Van Haitsma, both of Zeeland and Miss Anette Dykstra at home and three sons, Martin and Arthur of Zeeland and Charles of Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.; five grandchildren; five sisters, including her twin, Mrs. John H. Jonkman of South Holland, Ill.; Mrs. Clara Eyslander of Hancery, Ill.; Mrs. J. Boukamp, Jamestown, Mrs. Henry Hultzen of Highland, Ind., and Mrs. Louis Smith of Chicago and one brother, Nicholas Wyma of Lansing, Ill.

Army Buddies Meet For Dinner At Hub

Nine young men who were inducted into the Army together in March, 1953, held a dinner Monday evening at the Hub Restaurant in Zeeland to celebrate becoming civilians again.

Those attending the dinner were Ronald Van Slooten, Robert Schreuer, Robert Maat, Jerry Shepers, Dale Reimink, Don Oosting, John Teusink, Harlan Nienhuis and Roger Borr.

Others attending were the Mesdames Ronald Van Slooten, Robert Schreuer, Robert Maat and Jerry Shepers; the Misses Alyce Jipping and Marilyn Vander Waal, and Mr. and Mrs. William Van Slooten, Mr. and Mrs. John Teusink, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Borr, Mr. and Mrs. Hero Nienhuis, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shepers, Mr. and Mrs. Arie Schreuer, Mr. and Mrs. John Maat, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reimink and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oosting.



SSP CHECK BOOSTS RED CROSS DRIVE—A check for \$5,615 from Holland's Single Solicitation Plan, Inc., boosted Ottawa county gifts to \$18,442.08, well past the half-way mark in a drive to raise \$33,055. Shown looking at the check are, left to right, George

Heeringa, local campaign chairman; Mrs. Katherine Van Duren, Red Cross executive secretary; Mayo A. Hadden, Sr., secretary-treasurer of SSP, and George Copeland, SSP vice president.

Fennville

In Clyde township officers nominated at their caucus on the Republican ticket are incumbents: supervisor, Linn Sheckler; clerk, Mrs. Dorothy Smith; treasurer, John Weston; board of review, Clark Raymond, and Andrew De Geus; justice of the peace for four years, Carl Walter, trustees, Ernie Crane, also Paul Bennett (for first time). Others are: highway commissioner Carlo Rasmussen; constables, Herman Felker, Clyde Gillan, Charles Billings and Harry Thompson.

The Democratic slate for Clyde township includes: supervisor Carl Winslow; clerk Christ Ornb; treasurer, Burt Fleming; trustees, Chester Keag, James Johnson; justice, none; board of review, Nelsy Johnson, William Bushee; highway commissioner, Orville Collins; constables, Melvin Smith, Joe Larson, Harold Rodloff and Sherman Smith.

In Manlius township James Smeed, who has been supervisor for 30 years, again will head the Republican ticket. Others are: clerk, Ival Green; treasurer, Henry Wedeven; trustees, Jerry Lohman, Gertrude John, Oatman; justice, John Bowman; board of review, Henry Henry Overbeek; constables, Ed Borgalt, Harold Lohman, Harvey Haverdink.

The Democratic slate includes: supervisor, Waldyve (Bud) Roberts; clerk, Cecil McNitt; treasurer, Jules Graves; trustees, Jack Barnes, George Joostberns; justice, William Bryan; highway commissioner, Harlan Slenk; board of review, John Kula; constables, William De Zwaan, Elmer Crippen, Paul Malus.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Landsburg, Roger and David, spent last week at Parma visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Landenberger.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Klunge were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nies of Waukegan, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nies and daughter, Pamela, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Van Dam and Mrs. Norma Boyce of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Reimink have spent the week in Florida. When they return they will bring with them Mrs. Reimink's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop of Martin who have been there for the winter.

During their absence Mrs. Richard Jonathas taught the first grade for Mrs. Reimink.

Mrs. Andrew Kocemba is seriously ill in her home south of the village.

The auxiliary fire truck was called out on the first grass fire of the season last Monday on the Lowell Martin farm near the Macks Landing school.

Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Alden and four children of Pontiac were weekend visitors of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Chapel.

Mrs. Ethelyn Cole left Monday in company of Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Brunson and Mrs. Bessie Olson for a month's vacation trip to California and the southwest.

James Bruce and Sandra Larsen were chosen king and queen of the 1955 high school at the annual coronation dance at the gymnasium a week ago Thursday. Tom Tober, basketball coach, crowned the couple.

Sandra is the daughter of Pullman and Mrs. Abner Larson of Pullman. She has been the Allegan county cherry pie winner for the past two years and has served on the annual staff for many years.

Bruce, son of Mrs. Ann Bruce of Douglas, is president of the senior class. He is also a member of the student council, basketball and football player.

Mr. and Mrs. John Klunge recently were in Grand Rapids, guests of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schumacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kohsel of Chicago were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Ornb. Mrs. Ornb accompanied them home for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Estlow drove to Chicago a week ago, taking Lee Sessions with them. From there he will go to Florida to return by automobile with Marc Hutchinson who has been there on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bohnstengel and her two daughters of Plainwell were recent guests of her sister, Miss Hattie Lamoreaux. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Skinner in the afternoon.

The Past Noble Grand club will meet Wednesday evening, March 30 with Mrs. Arthur Sanford. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Charles Collins and Mrs. E. E. Leggett.

Mrs. Harold Barrington and Mrs. Eugene Ridley drove to Grand Rapids last Thursday to visit their children Mrs. Clifford Paine Jr. and Atherton Ridley. While the Barrington car was parked on the street it was struck by a passing motorist and badly demolished.

The two women were detained overnight and their husbands drove there Friday to return home with them.

Couple Observes 46th Wedding Anniversary—Mr. and Mrs. George Rigerink entertained their children and grandchildren at a dinner party last Thursday evening in celebration of their 46th wedding anniversary which occurred on March 11. The affair was held at the "Hub in Zeeland."

Invited were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rigerink, Norman and Bonnie Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Langland, Lynda and Duane and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Haverdink, Orma, Lou Jeanne and Karl.

Also celebrating anniversaries this month were Mrs. Langeland whose birthday was on March 10 and Orma Haverdink who celebrated her eighth birthday on March 12.

Israel was voted into the United Nations on May 11, 1949.

More Than Thirty Appear at Session Of Traffic Court

More than 30 persons appeared before Municipal Judge Cornelius vander Meulen at traffic court Thursday night. Ten traffic offenders were referred to traffic safety school, a four-week course in association with adult evening school. Four who had completed the course returned for disposition of their cases. Most of the others pleaded guilty and paid fines.

Referred to traffic school were Tim Smith, Jr., of 3010 South Shore Dr., imprudent speed and following too closely; Marcia Sternberg, route 6, speeding; John Albin, Jr., of 128 East Seventh St., speeding; William Schaap, Jr., route 5, speeding; James Becksvort, route 6, excessive noise—defective muffler; Arnold Weaver, 1452 Lakewood Blvd., speeding; Orie J. Vanden Besch, route 4, speeding; Kenneth Nykerk, 277 West 10th St., imprudent speed and racing; Richard Solis, Zeeland, failure to control car.

Receiving suspended fines after completing the safety course were Dolores B. Goforth of 485 Washington, right of way to through traffic, \$15 suspended; William Arnold Pate, of 377 1/2 Shore Dr., speeding, \$15 suspended; Robert Rhoda, of 1690 Washington, speeding, \$10 suspended; Paul Bruzevman, 450 West 20th St., speeding, \$10 suspended.

Also referred to traffic school was Monte Quist, 17, of 52 East 18th St., who appeared on two counts of reckless driving. One involved a police chase from Holland to Saugatuck at speeds of 90 miles an hour.

At a trial Thursday afternoon, Samuel R. Olund, 25, of 171 Manley Ave., was found guilty of a reckless driving charge and was assessed fine and costs of \$43.60 or 20 days in jail.

Rodger L. Dyke, 19, of 144 East Ninth St., appeared Thursday on three separate counts of speeding, driving while his operator's license was revoked, and defective muffler.

He pleaded not guilty to all. He pleaded not guilty to all. He pleaded not guilty to all. He pleaded not guilty to all.

Duane Webbert, route 4, waived examination when he was arraigned on a non-support charge Wednesday. Bond of \$500 was not furnished. He will appear in Circuit court April 5.

The following fines were paid: Bessie Walters, route 6, speeding, \$10; Earl Dwayne Mobley, route 2, Fennville, defective muffler, \$3; Jarvis G. Overbeek, route 6, excessive noise, \$3; Rose Maatman, Virginia Park, speeding, \$10; Hazel Langejans, 360 West 16th St., speeding, \$10 (not paid); Patricia McCarthy, Maple St., Zeeland, speeding, \$10; Fern Van Raalte, route 1, speeding, \$10; Calvin Weener, route 3, excessive noise, \$10; Franklin Oudemolen, 399 West 21st St., speeding, \$15.

James Zoerhof, route 2, Hamilton, speeding, \$10; Joseph P. Leys, of 775 West 26th St., speeding, \$10; Howard D. Boersen, Route 6, imprudent speed, \$12; Robert L. Overkamp, route 6, unnecessary noise, \$5; Lyle Everse, 126 East 24th St., speeding, \$15; Ronald Kuipers, of 82 West Eighth St., speeding, \$32 or 15 days (operator's license held until fine is paid); Dennis Jay Rowe, of 310 West 16th St., passing on right, \$7 (not paid); Ronald L. Vander Yacht, route 4, speeding, \$15 (not paid); Robert Vander Leek, of 235 West 22nd St., speeding, \$10 (not paid).

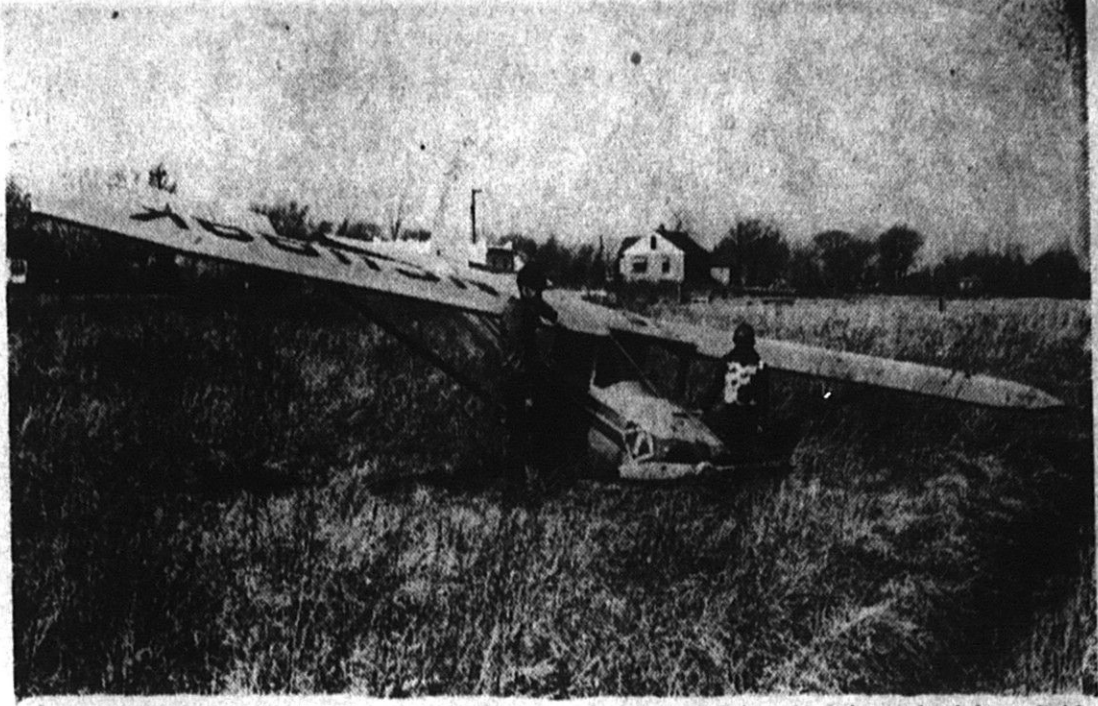
Others paying fines were Benjamin G. Cooper, Jr., of 1126 Ardmore Ave., imprudent speed, \$10; Edward L. Grant, Cadillac, stop sign, \$7; Juan Ybarra, 23, of 55 Spruce, defective muffler \$2; Martin Chispeil, route 4, defective muffler, \$3.

Parking costs of \$1 each were paid by Emily Shaffer, of 113 West Ninth St.; Tom Niles, of 240 West Ninth St.; Francis Jarvis, of 78 West Ninth St.; Peter Kraak, route 4; G. Schrotenboer, no address listed; Ron Den Uyl, of 221 Lincoln Ave.; John Prins, of 120 West 16th St.; Opal L. Quick, Detroit; Keith Dadd, of 304 West 18th St.

Treat Zeeland Youth For Minor Injuries—A Zeeland youth was treated for minor injuries Friday night when a car in which he was a passenger was involved in a collision with another car at 17th St. and River Ave.

Kenneth Hassevoort, 16, route 2 Zeeland, was treated for facial lacerations and bruises at Holland Hospital and released. He was a passenger in a car driven by Ronald Oppenhuizen, 17, route 3, Hudsonville.

Oppenhuizen's car was struck by one driven by Audrey Hopkins, 32, of 194 West 18th St. Mrs. Hopkins was issued a ticket for running a red light. Damage to the two vehicles was estimated at \$300, police said.



HOLLAND MAN UNINJURED—A Holland man crash-landed his airplane Saturday afternoon near Park Township airport when the plane's engine failed. The pilot, Robert Cole, 45, of 1688 South Shore Dr., was not injured. Cole was coming in for a landing on the southwest runway when the engine died. "Rather than try to stretch his glide to reach

the airport Cole elected to land in a field across from the airport on 152nd St., several hundred feet north of the Ottawa Beach Rd. Inspecting the damage to the undercarriage, propeller, and left wing tip are Roger Smith (left) and Carl Dailey. The two along with George Banks and Gene Van Lier saw the plane crash near their homes on route 4.

(Sentinel photo)

SSP Gift Puts Red Cross Drive at Half-Way Mark

The Red Cross fund drive in Ottawa county has passed the half-way mark with the transfer of a check for \$5,615 from Holland's Single Solicitation Plan, Inc., boosted Ottawa county gifts to \$18,442.08, well past the half-way mark in a drive to raise \$33,055. Shown looking at the check are, left to right, George

Hale, Mrs. James Fitch, Mrs. Robert Campbell, Mrs. Louis Farkas, Mrs. Fred Davis, Mrs. Ed Lindgren, Mrs. E. M. Ruhlig, Mrs. Paul Taber, Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. Charles Shidler and Mrs. Sid Johnson.

Persons who were missed in the annual roll call are asked to call Red Cross headquarters at 6-6545 and arrangements will be made to pick up the contributions.

Red Cross funds collected to date total \$18,442.08 or \$14,612.92 under the assigned county quota of \$33,055. The southern half under the direction of George Heeringa has collected \$10,944.89 or \$8,888.11 short of its goal of \$19,833. Only one township, Zeeland, has completed its canvass and has gone over the top. Zeeland city was the first city in the county to go over the top, and has reported a new figure of \$2,096.35, or more than \$200 over its quota of \$1,884.16.

Holland's business area is canvassed this year by the News-Comers Club, and the total collected to date is \$2,048. Mrs. Sam Houston, chairman, said the canvass is expected to be completed soon.

Workers canvassing business areas are Mrs. Hulda Bequette, Mrs. Kenneth Wheeler, Mrs. W. J. Scott, Mrs. John Doika, Mrs. Max Billings, Mrs. Louis Hoffman, Mrs. J. Lacey, Mrs. Ward Wheaton, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. D. J. Bennett, Mrs. James Knapp, Mrs. William Spahr, Mrs. Russell Powell, Mrs. A. Lee, Mrs. Thomas Hebert, Mrs. Milford

During the festival events will include a horse show by the Geneva Wrens 4-H club, amateur contests, musical shows, and a ball game.

Highlight event will be the pancake eating and flipping contests. The festival originated after the winter of 1937 when severe snowstorms marooned about 160 cars and trucks in the village on US-31. When the local larder was depleted the marooned visitors were served pancakes.

Funds raised from the annual festivals have been used to purchase a recreation field and construction of a community building has been started at the site with some of the funds. It is hoped the building can be completed in time for the June, 1955 Festival.

Bruce De Pree Speaks At Accountants Meet—Bruce De Pree, office manager of Colonial Manufacturing Co. at Zeeland, was in charge of the study group following a dinner meeting of the American Society of Women Accountants Tuesday in the Centennial Room at the Warm Friend Tavern. The subject for discussion was "Corporate Taxes."

Plans are being made for the annual public relations dinner on Monday, April 11, when Miss Joy Luidens, former resident to Holland and now executive secretary of the Chicago Association of Life Underwriters will speak. Her subject will be "Public Relations Abroad."

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Hamilton

Dr. Irwin Lubbers of Hope College had charge of the Wednesday evening family night service. He spoke on "Eendracht."

Evangelistic services will be held at the church on the evenings of April 6, 7 and 8. Rev. Gordon Van Oostenburg of Midland Park, N.J., will be the speaker.

The Junior Girls League met at the church last Monday evening. Mary Drenten presided and conducted devotions. Bible study leader was Mrs. John Haakma.

An all member program was given. Roll call response was made by giving a verse on "service."

Refreshments were served by Mesdames Herman Nyhof, Merle Lampen, John Brink Jr., and Dennis Schipper.

Preparations are being made for Troop 33 of Boy Scouts to attend the Scout Circus in Holland on March 28. The local scouts will have a booth of wood-carving and wood working items.

Possibilities that the Riverview 4-H Club will hold a series of summer projects was announced by Jack Parker, county 4-H Club leader.

The summer program is expected to cover gardening, food preparation and preservation and flower gardening.

At present the club is carrying a total of six projects. Achievement day will be held in Allegan on March 21 and 22. The groups are busy working on the items to be displayed at that time.

The Music Hour club and the Study Club met jointly last Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Van Heukelom. The program featured the Parade of American Music. Program chairman for the event were Mrs. Retha Haan, and Mrs. Donna Brink. About 30 attended.

The Women's Guild met in the church on Tuesday evening with Mrs. Janet Johnson presiding. Program chairman was Mrs. Minnie Folkert. Mrs. Laura Folkert read scripture and prayer was offered by Mrs. Martha Kleinheksel.

The ladies trio composed of Mesdames E. Ten Pas, M. Kaper and E. Kaper accompanied by Mrs. Amy Brink sang two numbers.

Guest speaker was Mrs. Ed Tanis formerly of Iowa now of Zeeland. She spoke on "Christian Stewardship."

Closing devotions were led by Mrs. Elaine Kaper.

A business session followed. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Grace Elzinga, Mrs. Mildred Jipping and Mrs. Hazel Folkert.

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Kiddie Karnival Attracts Over 2,200 at Armory

Hundreds of pint-sized cowboys and cowgirls, one-eyed pirates, painted clowns and Indians roamed the Holland Armory Saturday afternoon when the Junior Welfare League staged its annual Kiddie Karnival.

An unexpectedly large crowd of almost 2,200 kids attended the event, which had as its biggest attraction the appearance of television cowboy Buck Barry.

Those children who could come dressed for the occasion with six-shooters, cowboy boots and western attire of all descriptions. Others took advantage of the makeup booth to take on colorful disguises.

Buck Barry performed a variety of tricks in his stage show, then talked with the youngsters and distributed autographed pictures.

All booths were popular—so popular in fact, that many ran out of prizes long before the 4 p.m. closing hour. Easter novelties—baskets, hats, decorated eggs, etc., disappeared faster than Junior League members could supply them, despite the fact that more items were made for the event than ever before.

A real fair atmosphere prevailed with colorfully decorated booths and stands forming a kiddieland midway. The center of the Armory featured a large ring, in which the little youngsters rode kiddie cars, scooters, rockets and such.

Mrs. Jay C. Pitter and Mrs. Julius Lubbers were general chairman for the event.

Unique Piano Program Closes Concert Series—Boris Goldovsky, rare piano virtuoso with a sparkling personality and gay sense of humor, charmed a large audience in Hope Memorial Chapel Saturday night.

Goldovsky's "Piano Portraits" was the final program in the college's successful concert series.

Goldovsky is the well-known Metropolitan Opera broadcast commentator whose presentation is unequalled. His bits of information on development of music, how compositions came to be written, anecdotes about composers and actually the entire field of piano literature add up to a vivid picture for the listening audience. He loves to talk about music, and his explanations and informative notes are some of the most interesting ever heard.

His piano playing is superb, and he goes through piece after piece with technical finesse and artistic interpretation. Goldovsky began his piano playing at an early age. His mother was a concert pianist and played before royalty. When Goldovsky was only nine, he played so well that he was asked to perform publicly.

In his informal program, he treed piano music back to the clavier, playing a clavier selection adapted to piano. Then he discussed the advance to organ music, and skillfully played organ music on the piano, creating a most convincing effect.

The artist's program included many well-known compositions and composers.

Mrs. Working Hostess To Methodist Class—Mrs. Earl Working was hostess to the Ladies Bible Class of First Methodist Church at her home Friday evening. Twenty-one women were present.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Goldie Fox, Mrs. Ella Kendrick presided. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Minnie Serier, on the theme "The Home of the Sparrow," and "Wait Awhile!" Prayer and singing of hymns followed.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Margaret Hright and Mrs. Pearl Kamerling.

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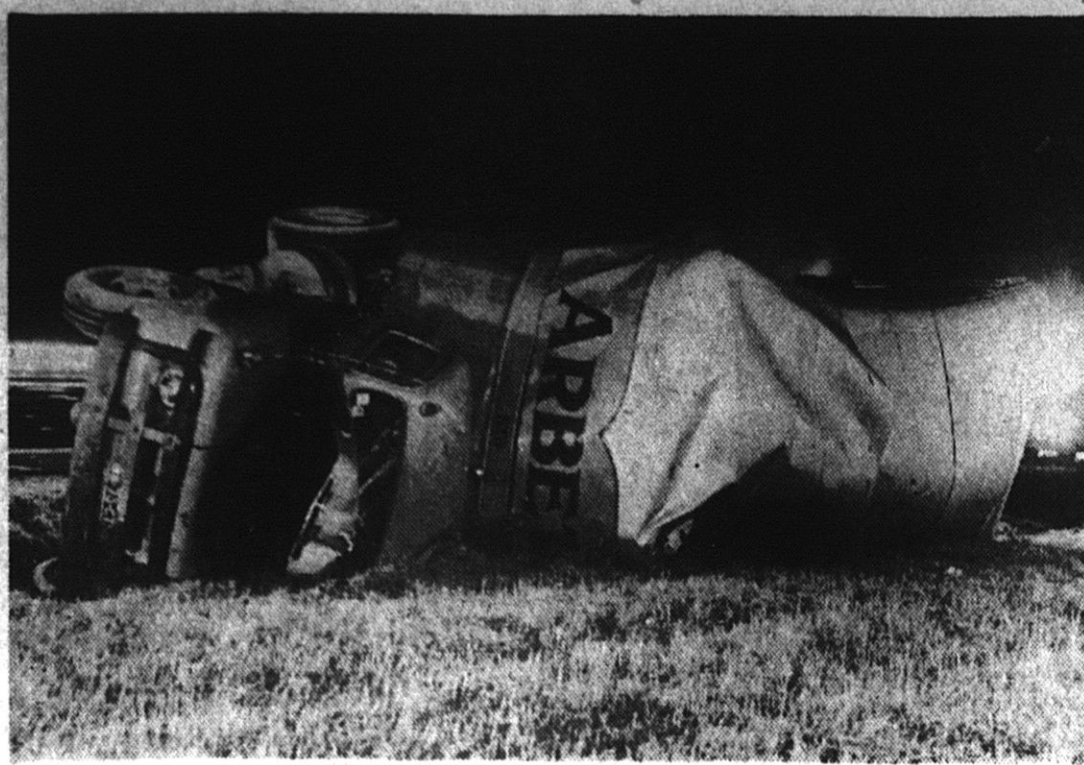
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TRACTOR, TRAILER OVERTURN — A semi carrying 20,000 pounds of onions and paper overturned Thursday night as part of the load apparently shifted. The driver, Melvin Kooiker, 23, Grand Rapids, said he was driving west on M-21 when he felt the truck begin to topple. Kooiker crawled out of the wreckage unhurt except for minor cuts and bruises. The huge trailer ripped in several places and the tractor was badly damaged, deputies said. Ottawa County deputies listed the entire rig as near a total loss. A ruptured gasoline tank hindered men as they unloaded the trailer for shipment on to Chicago. The accident occurred several miles east of the Vriesland Rd. on M-21. (Sentinel photo)

AAUW Panel Compares Systems of Education

An objective discussion of education in several countries and how it compares with education in the United States provided an unusually interesting program Thursday evening for Holland Branch, American Association of University Women, and guests. The annual Guest Night meeting was held in the Juliana Room of Duff Hall.

Discussions of English, German and Dutch education systems and a review of the United States school program forcefully indicated that education, actually, is a reflection of the society.

Miss Jantina Holleman, Hope College faculty member, was moderator for the panel discussion. She reviewed the U.S. education system and also commented on that of the Netherlands, where she did graduate study.

The entire Netherlands system was explained by Miss Helen Brugman, Dutch student at Hope who formerly was a kindergarten teacher in the Netherlands. She pointed out that in her country, "education is more a 'training of the mind' rather than the entire personality. Music, physical education, athletics and social activities are not included in the school program.

In the Netherlands, a child at the age of 12 must make his choice of education—home economics school, trade school or preparation for business and professions. Their choice determines the next step in education.

Miss Christine Denny of England, student at Hope, explained the two systems in her country—the state system and the public (which would be called the private in the U.S.) The approach to education in England, she said, is to give whenever possible, the education that each child is best suited for. Therefore, there is an effective weeding out of those children who are not scholars, but rather equipped for technical training. An examination at the age of 11 determines the training a child shall be given.

Mrs. Raymond Klomparsen of Holland, formerly of Germany, emphasized the strict German system which places each person according to his special talent. Students, even the younger ones, are almost completely on their own and teachers merely teach, without trying to perform the functions which, they feel, should be taken care of in home training.

All three panelists showed the wide differences between European and American universities. In Europe, there is little social life for the university student. It is almost impossible to "work your way through" for few jobs are available. Students are "on their own" almost completely, for there is no compulsory class attendance and few exams except the final written and oral when the entire course is completed.

Miss Holleman, in noting comparisons with our own system, pointed out that the U.S. system is "public," and that fact is the broad base of education—it is a function of democracy. Emphasis is on the whole personality of the child, and the entire approach is more practical.

It was an interesting point that discussion of schools involves the whole of society—family life, the role of women, economics, social life, and many other aspects.

Mrs. Robert Horner, vice president, presided and welcomed guests.

Dessert was served after the program, with a St. Patrick's Day theme predominating.

Archery Scores

Bill Brown led the weekly archery shoot March 16 among members of the Holland Senior Archery club. He fired a 762. Gene Hiddinga followed with 754.

Other scorers include, Juke Ten Cate, 752; Warren St. John, 748; John Lam, 740; Norma Naber, 740; John Mulder, 740; Jerry Klien, 724; Mildred Petroelje, 706 and Paul Barkel, 694.

Al Petroelje, 672; Webb Dalman, 662; Joyce Barkel, 650; Glad Jousma, 650; Harvey Clements, 649; Bob Wiersma, 644; Andy Naber, 635; Bruce Glass, 628; Don Brower, 625 and Mel Jousma, 624.

Deane Mulder, 622; Dick Taylor, 619; Fred Ter Vree, 605; Milt Dangremond, 586; Larry Hager, 465 and Joey Wabeke, 453.

Vriesland

Mr. and Mrs. John De Jonge entertained on Friday evening, Mar. 11, Will Hietje of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Ben De Jonge of Grand Haven, Mrs. Mary De Jonge of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. John Postma, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huizenga of Beavertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jousma of Holland were Wednesday evening guests of Mrs. K. Jousma, Mr. and Mrs. S. Broersma.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ter Haar and two sons were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Vander Laan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meeuwse of Zeeland were Friday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wabeke.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Myaard and children of Forest Grove were Saturday evening guests at Jacob T. De Witt home.

Mrs. Orin Elenbaas, Gregg, and Kathy of Zeeland were Wednesday afternoon guests of Mrs. Al Hop and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold De Jonge and family of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John De Jonge.

Mrs. Casey Wabeke was a Friday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Gerard of Grandville.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nyhuis and family of Kalamazoo were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin D. Wyngarden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Zoeren of Zeeland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. J. Van Zoeren.

Sunday guests at the Simon Broersma home were Mr. and Mrs. John Jousma and two sons, Mrs. Meindert De Vries and Debby of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin P. Wyngarden were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob T. De Witt and family, Herman De Witt.

Henry Spanman was guest of honor at a birthday party on Thursday, Mar. 10, at his home.

The guests were Mrs. Henry Spanman, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schout and family of Vriesland, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Spanman and family of Dunningville, Mr. and Mrs. John Spanman and family of Holland.

Rev. Theodore Byland preached on the subject: "The Devil's Devices" at the Sunday morning service. The Rev. Garrett De Jonge missionary to Arabia was the speaker at the evening service, a class-wide mission emphasis Sunday. Special music was given by Mrs. Nick Ourvinga and sons of Borculo.

Junior C.E. was held on Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

The World Home Bible League, Holland-Zeeland Chapter, helped the Grand Haven Chapter in seeking Bible-less homes in that area on Sunday afternoon at 2:00 p.m.

The Sewing Guild met on Thursday at 1:30 p.m. in the church basement with Mrs. Jacob T. De Witt serving as hostess.

Catechism for the local school children will be held on Friday

The Ottawa Christian League will hold its annual meeting on Friday, Mar. 25 at 8 p.m. at the Borculo Christian Reformed church. The Rev. John De Kruyter of the Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church of Holland will be the inspirational speaker. There will be election of officers and formulation of plans for the next year. Every church member is invited.

The Christian Foundation for Handicapped Children will sponsor a variety program given by the American Seating Co. male chorus on Mar. 30 at 8 p.m. at the Grand Rapids South High School Auditorium. There will be a free will offering. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin P. Wyngarden were Sunday afternoon callers on Mrs. John H. Van Welt at the Parkview Home in Zeeland.

The Rev. and Mrs. Gary De Witt of Chicago, Ill., and Dickie De Witt of Holland were Thursday callers at the Jacob T. De Witt home.

Mrs. Joe Kloet, Mrs. Will Van der Kolk, Mrs. Gerit Boss, Mrs. Martin D. Wyngarden, and Mrs. John Broersma assisted with the Resthaven Guild sale on Friday in Grand Rapids.

The Ladies' Missionary and Aid Society held their annual meeting on Thursday, Mar. 10 at 2:00 p.m.

Mrs. J. G. J. Van Zoeren, preswas in charge of the meeting. Mrs. Henry Spanman read scripter, Mrs. Van Zoeren offered prayer, a trio consisting of the Mesdames Harold er Haar, Will Vander Kolk, and Floyd Ter Haar.

The next meeting will be held in April.

John Van Regenmorter spent last Thursday afternoon with Herman De Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Wyngarden of Hudsonville were Sunday guests at the Martin D. Wyngarden home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ensing and family of Burnips, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Boice and family of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ensing and family.

Zeeland Firm Damaged By Fire Early Friday

ZEELAND (Special) — Zeeland Fire Department answered a double alarm at Colonial Manufacturing Co. 13 North Colonial, at 1:30 a.m. Friday when a refrigerator motor burst into flames.

The fire set off a sprinkler head in the supply room, adjacent to the office, where the refrigerator was kept.

After firemen had extinguished the flames, a gas line in the refrigerator broke releasing sulphur dioxide. Firemen again donned masks and removed the refrigerator from the building.

Damage to office supplies and lumber in the basement of the building has not yet been determined, according to company officials. Most damage was done by water and smoke, they said. The refrigerator was destroyed.

Zeeland firemen remained on the job until 3:15 a.m., assistant Fire Chief Louis Vis said.



HOPE COLLEGE COEDS of the Women's Activity League are making plans for the annual penny carnival. Here members of the executive committee meet to discuss the affair. Front is Miss Avis South, Muskegon Heights senior, back, left to right, Margaret Hoppers, co-chairman, junior from Alexandria Bay, N.Y., Mary Anne Meyers, senior from Muskegon, and Reda Rynbrandt, co-chairman, sophomore from Holland. This year the theme will be "Country Fair" and will take place at the Armory March 26. Proceeds go to the Church World Service. Each dollar contributed by Hope will send \$20 worth of food to a foreign country.



INDIAN DANCE — Two Holland area scouts, Bill Bouwman (left) and Roger Hopkins, go through one of the phases in an Indian dance. Trained by Ben Mulder, several Scouts throughout the area will participate in Indian Dance, complete with authentic Indian costumes. They

will be a leading feature of the annual Scout Fair. The Fair will be presented Saturday, March 26 at the Civic Center. A total of 55 different booths, depicting the various phases of Scouting will be presented. Several demonstrations will be presented throughout the day. (Ernest Penna photo)

Dog Notes

By Petter Boggs

Provides Auto and Cash For Dog

Before Sergeant Ira Morton of Albuquerque, N.M., left for overseas duty with the Army, he arranged to provide for his 3-year-old Irish setter "Dave." Before going off Morton saw to it that Dave had an automobile and an alimony check.

The first thing this soldier did to assure his pet's happiness and well-being was to arrange with an Albuquerque kennel to board the animal. Then Morton left instructions with a bank to mail a check each month to cover the dog's board bill and any other incidentals. Then he drove his car into the kennel grounds, parked it near Dave's kennel run and left instructions that the dog be allowed to sit in the familiar auto a while each day.

Just before he sailed Morton arranged for his insurance to be paid to the bank in case of his death. If that should happen the bank is to use the proceeds of the insurance to pay Dave's board bills for as long as he lives. In his will Morton has bequeathed the auto to the dog. Thus the animal is well provided for and protected while his master is overseas.

No Two Are Alike

I have hammered away, repeatedly, on the need of common sense in training dogs. Nowhere else can it be better shown than in studying a puppy's nature. To use harshness on very sensitive pups is to ruin them. Dogs resemble children in that no two are wholly alike in temperament.

The worst punishment my mother could inflict on my little sister was to deprive her of her goodnight kiss. At the same age, the withholding of a kiss was no deprivation at all to me. Nothing but a very emphatic whipping would serve the purpose. It is so with dogs. You can get less result out of whaling one dog cruelly than by a stern rebuke to another.

And if you lick the wrong kind of pup, you're likely to make him cringing and worthless. Even if he recovers, the memory will stay with him. I had a pointer which I bought when he was two years old. Never did I punish him. Never did he need punishment.

One day, five years later, I picked up a large stick in the woods to throw it out of the path. The dog dropped to the ground in abject terror trembling all over. No I never had taken a stick to him but someone had—and most unmercifully—before I owned him. For five years he had remembered.

Hints On Dog Medicine

Not only does the size and weight of a dog need to be taken into consideration when the animal is given medicine but the age of a dog is also a factor in the amount that should be administered.

A young puppy and a very old dog require smaller doses. It is always better to err on the side of giving too little than too much. Above all, never give a dog medicine unless it is under a veterinarian's orders.

Sliding Semi Damaged On M-21 Near Zeeland

A semi truck received \$100 damage at 7:45 a.m. Friday when it slid off the road into a ditch. The accident occurred on M-21, about a mile and a half east of Zeeland.

The semi was driven by Edwin A. Daughary, 36, of Chicago. It is owned by the Hajek Trucking Co. of North Judson, Ind.

Ottawa County deputies investigated. They directed traffic for about two hours after the accident and burned off gas spilled from the truck's gas tank.

Douglas

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jirasek returned from Florida last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Symons, parents of Mrs. Marvin Demerest, returned from New Jersey Wednesday evening, arriving just in time to help their grand daughter, Marilyn Demerest, celebrate her fourth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cobb, Jr., of Lafayette, Ind., spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Volkers have returned from Florida where they spent the winter.

Douglas Chapter O. E. S. will hold a special meeting March 28 for initiation. Past patron Jack Tyler will preside assisted by Jack Simmons, associate patron.

Mrs. Elma Demerest drove to Belding Monday to attend the funeral of a cousin.

Jack Tyler is the happy owner of a leather case for his past masters apron presented to him by Dutcher Lodge F and AM.

Movies Shown to Local Women of the Moose

Movies of Moosehart and Moosehaven were shown and narrated by Mrs. Ruth Rummel at a regular meeting of Women of the Moose Wednesday evening at Moose Hall.

Mrs. Marie Botsis, senior regent, conducted a business meeting. Communications were read by Mrs. Catherine Miller, recorder. Holland Chapter 1010 was sent a Calendar of Events Award from Moosehart.

Moosehaven committee was in charge of the lunch with chairman, Mrs. Sarah Van Slooten, assisted by Mesdames Maxine Den Uyl, Eleanor Emaus, Ruth Smith and Edith Webber. Prizes for the evening went to Mrs. Botsis and Mrs. Blanche Solomon.

Mesdames Arlene Kangas, Phyllis Vander Kolk, Marquette Culver, Sena Lanning and Gladys Gordon, were in a group of canteen trainees of the Red Cross who visited the kitchen of Holland Hospital and had lunch there. The tour was conducted by Mrs. Caroline Edmunds, head dietitian, and Miss Maxine Boone, canteen instructor.

Executives and co-workers will attend "Baby Village Day" ceremonies in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Drunk Driving Charge Results From Accident

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Clyde Sutton, 34, Grand Rapids, appeared in Municipal Court Friday morning on a drunk driving charge, the result of an accident Thursday night on US-16 in Spring Lake township in which his 1951 car failed to make a curve and struck a tree. He was treated in Municipal Hospital and thereafter confined in county jail until his arraignment. Judge Jacob Ponstien sentenced him to pay \$100 fine and \$4.30 costs. His operator's license was surrendered. State police made the arrest.

Leroy Vincent, 19, Marne, was placed on probation for a year after pleading guilty to an assault and battery charge. He was arrested by state police after allegedly discharging a BB gun at a 13-year-old boy Tuesday.

Miguel Zamarripa, 41, Marne, was sentenced to pay \$10 fine and \$4.30 costs on a cruelty to animals charge. The alleged offense occurred March 15 when he shot a dog belonging to Delbert Cook with a 22 caliber rifle. The dog was not killed.

Marriage Licenses

Robert Dale Elzinga, 20, route 2, Holland, and Bonnie Lou Vander Vliet, 19, Holland.

Zeeland

Faith Reformed church services will hold their services at Lincoln Elementary School on Sunday in charge of the pastor, the Rev. Edward H. Tanis. The morning topic will be "The Acceptable Communicant." Special music at this service will be a solo by Mrs. Randall Dekker. At the evening service, the sermon topic will be: "Who Judges Whom?" A duet composed of Mrs. Henry Karsten and Mrs. Paul Wiersma will provide musical numbers.

At a regular meeting of the Rotary club held in the form of a luncheon on Tuesday noon, Harry Tan, a Chinese student at Hope College was guest speaker. He discussed living conditions in the Dutch East Indies and especially the island of Java which he said produces rubber, tea, sugar coffee and quinine. He told about schools there and said they compose very favorably with American schools.

The president Marvin Ver Plank read letters from the Rev. Harold Englund in England, and District Governor Bill Nichols of Muskegon.

Officers elected by the board were Henry Lokers, president; Ford Berghorst, vice-president; Julius Schipper, secretary; Harold Beekvoort, treasurer; Anton Winterhalder, sergeant-at-arms. Directors elected to the board were: Henry Lokers, Julius Schipper, Ford Berghorst, Robert Bennett, Harold Beekvoort, Elmer Hirtgerink, Anton Winterhalder and Marvin Ver Plank.

Zeeland City Hall was the scene of a large gathering of women on Friday morning when Ottawa County home demonstration group leaders. The meeting was for women in the Holland-Zeeland and Hudsonville areas and Mrs. Grace Vander Kolk, home demonstration agent led the discussion on the topic "Planning for Later Years."

A similar meeting was previously held at the Allendale town hall.

Chapel services at Zeeland High School were in charge of Dr. J.H. Bruinooge, pastor of Third Christian Reformed church on Monday morning. He stressed the need of developing strong Christian characters.

A regular meeting of Zeeland Literary Club will be held in the club rooms in the city hall on Tuesday March 22 at 3 p.m. Music will be furnished by Zeeland High school students and Mrs. Eleanor Walcott of Grand Rapids will present a book review.

The following officers were elected at the last meeting: Mrs. Vernon Poest replacing Mrs. L. Bensing; Mrs. Stanley De Pree-first vice president; Mrs. L.A. Van Kley, second vice-president; Mrs. William Karsten, recording secretary replacing Mrs. M. De Jonge; Mrs. R. Den Herder, corresponding secretary succeeding Mrs. Dwight Wyngarden; Mrs. J. Van Eden, treasurer replacing Mrs. Donald De Bruyn. These officers will plan programs for the year 1955-56 and their terms of service will begin in October. Meetings are held the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

Fennville Resident Dies Following Long Illness

GANGES (Special) — Otto A. Jorgens, 65, died at his home in Ganges Thursday following a long illness involving a heart ailment.

Surviving are the wife, Ethel, one daughter, Mrs. Harold Chapman of Grand Rapids; one son, Robert of Allegan; four grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Anna Gillett of Allegan; one brother, Louis Jorgens of Davenport, Iowa.

Mrs. Jorgens was born in Minneapolis, Minn., and had resided in this area 60 years.

Couple Wed at Calvary Church



Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Vander Hulst

Calvary Reformed Church was the scene of a wedding March 10 when Miss Jeanette Van Houten became the bride of Floyd Vander Hulst. The Rev. Raymond Denekas officiated at the double ring ceremony at 7:30 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Houten 554 East Eighth St. and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vander Hulst, route 3.

For her wedding the bride chose a satin gown featuring an embroidered seed pearl neckline and a full skirt which terminated in a long train. She wore a fingertip veil and carried a white Bible with an orchid. Her pearls were a gift of the groom.

Blue taffeta gowns, featuring lace bodices and tiered net skirts, were worn by the bride's attendants including Miss Shirley Van Houten as maid of honor and Miss Joanne Van Houten and Miss Arlene Raterink as bridesmaids. They carried colonial bouquets of white and yellow carnations.

Best man was Earl Vander Hulst, brother of the groom. Alfred Vander Hulst and Bernard Veenstra were ushers.

Church decorations included bouquets of white gladioli and yellow carnations, ferns and candles. So-

loist was James Nykamp who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer," accompanied by Merwin Van Doornik, organist.

A reception for 90 guests was held in the church basement. Serving as master and mistress of ceremonies were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kamps of Zeeland. Miss Donna Mast and Miss Ruth Smith presided at the punch bowl and Miss Doris Vander Ploeg and Miss Lois Kragt arranged the gifts.

A program included several numbers by the Vanden Berg Brothers of Byron Center and a Yankee Dutch reading by Mrs. Ben Vander Hulst. The Rev. A. Rozendal spoke briefly. Lunch was served by the Ladies Aid Society.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Van Houten wore a navy blue dress with pink accessories and a pink rose corsage. The groom's mother also wore navy blue with pink accessories and pink rose corsage.

The newlyweds will be at home March 21 at 247½ West 12th St., following a southern wedding trip. A pale blue suit with white accessories and an orchid corsage were worn by the bride for going away.

Mrs. Vander Hulst is employed as a waitress at Kane's Lunch and her husband is employed at Municipal Forester's.

Hospital Auxiliary Plans Second Birthday Coffee

All units of the Holland Hospital Auxiliary will cooperate again this year to stage the second annual Hospital Birthday Coffee on April 12. The event will be held at the Woman's Literary club house, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

All members will contribute baked goods and various groups have been assigned for work throughout the day.

A new feature this year will be the serving of lunch at noon, with soup and barbecues on the menu.

General chairman is Mrs. Arnold DeFeyer Jr., assisted by Mrs. Edwin Fuder and Mrs. Clarence Boeve. Hostesses will be Mrs. A. W. Tahaney, president of the board, and Mrs. Clarence De Graaf, past president.

Group assignments are as follows: Red Cross Gray Ladies, work in dining room in afternoon; Rena Boven Guild table arrangements and decorations; Martha Kollen Guild, making coffee; South Shore Guild, kitchen help in afternoon; Junior Welfare League, dishwashing; Waukazon Guild, kitchen help in morning; Christian Reformed Unit, staple supplies.

St. Francis Guild, dining room service in morning; Tuesday Service League, baked goods sale in morning; Woman's Literary Club hostesses, calling downtown merchants; Woman's Literary Club Hospital committee, baked goods sale in morning; Thursday Service League, boxes and other supplies for baked goods sale; Jaycee Auxiliary, publicity; Virginia Park Home Economics Group, baked goods sale in afternoon.

At the board meeting Monday, several new board members were announced including Mrs. Vernon Boersma of Junior Welfare League, Mrs. Charles Bielby, Rena Boven Guild; Mrs. Henry Maentz, reelected, Thursday Service League; Mrs. Paul De Kok, Jaycee Auxiliary; Mrs. J. D. Jencks, reelected, Martha Kollen Guild.

All are named for three-year terms, beginning July 1.

Two Cars Collide

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Jack Raymond Baker, 22, Muskegon, was treated at his home for a left knee injury Thursday night received in a two-car crash at Elliott and Fifth Sts. The other car was driven by Anthony DeVerney, 17, route 2, Grand Haven, whose car a few weeks ago knocked down a line fence of a retired city police officer. City police charged him Thursday night with failure to yield the right of way.

The chemical industry is the fastest growing in the United States.

Saugatuck

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Colburn of Chicago were in Saugatuck for the weekend.

Little Gloria Schrock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Schrock, celebrated her fifth birthday last Saturday afternoon with four guests, Sheryl Fox, Kathy Boyce, Doreen VanOs and Penny Alderink. They spent the afternoon with games and dolls. Gloria received birthday gifts and each child received a gift to take home. Birthday cake and ice cream were served.

Clarence Lynds accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koning last week when they drove to Florida for a vacation.

Mrs. Ralph Troutman and daughter, Cindy Lynn, who have rejoined Ralph in Oceanside, Calif., report they had a fine trip and the weather out there is beautiful.

Mrs. Clayton VanLeeuwen and Mrs. Hattie VanLeeuwen spent Sunday afternoon in Allegan visiting friends.

The Saugatuck Library board will be in charge of the program at the women's club Friday afternoon and will present Mrs. C. C. Corkill in a book review. The library board will also serve the afternoon refreshments.

Coopersville Alumni Plan Banquet in April

The Alumni Association of Coopersville High School is making plans for an alumni banquet on Saturday, April 16.

Cards are being sent to members of classes 1892 through 1954. Because many addresses are unknown, the executive board is requesting each graduate to contact others. Those who have not been contacted are asked to make reservations by writing to Mrs. Clifford Cason, Coopersville, phone 334.

Those persons who know alumni addresses are asked to contact Leon Hansen or Arlyn Shook, both of Coopersville.

All alumni their husbands or wives, all former and current teachers of Coopersville high school are invited. Closing date for reservations is April 1.

Marriage Licenses

Charles H. Armstrong, 22, and Charlene Kay Van Dyke, 20, both of Holland; Earl E. Idema, 24, route 1, Grandville, and Wilma Drew, 20, R. 2, Hudsonville; John Michael Wykowski, 23, Fruitport, and Janice Ruth Hoffer, 19, Grand Haven.

Ministers Hear Summary Report On Nurse's Death

Ministerial Committee Discharged After Report By Mental Health Ass'n

A summary report on the investigation and findings relating to the death of student nurse Marilyn Kraal at Kalamazoo State Hospital last Nov. 5 was submitted at a meeting of the Holland Ministerial Association Monday.

The report, compiled by the State Mental Health commission after months of study and investigation, concluded that no person or persons or agency could be held solely accountable for the many causative factors which contributed to the tragedy.

The Rev. Henry A. Mouw, pastor of Sixth Reformed Church which Miss Kraal attended, and the Rev. A. Rynbrandt of Maplewood Reformed Church had been appointed by the Ministerial association to carry on an investigation into the case in which the Holland Student nurse was slain by an inmate at the state hospital.

The report, in part, follows: "Final review indicated that the educational program offered affiliate nurse students at Kalamazoo has been a sound one. However, it was the commission's observation that because the program had worked so well without untoward incident over a period of 12 years with almost 2,000 students, certain administrative and supervisory laxities crept into the operation.

"Careful review revealed that it was not possible to point to any one factor as being the sole or specific cause of the unfortunate accident. It was felt that others in positions of official responsibility, in addition to hospital authorities, had become complacent and did not adequately meet the shared responsibility for the conduct of this program. The Department of Mental Health did not have adequate written policy to guide the hospital in its conduct of the affiliate nurse program. The State Board of Nursing had not reviewed the conduct of this program for a number of years, even though original approval of the program stipulated certain administrative supervisory requirements for students participating therein.

"Home" nursing schools, although executing annual contracts with the hospital, were not wholly aware of the many factors in the program, which, in retrospect, they could not condone. The Kalamazoo State Hospital, for reasons of expediency, serious staff shortages, and administrative and supervisory practice which contributed to the situation, resulting in a total set of circumstances all of which had bearing on this tragic occurrence.

"It was the commission's conclusion, as a result of extensive and careful review of the Kalamazoo misfortune, that no person or persons or agency could be held solely accountable for the many causative factors which contributed to the tragedy."

This report was adopted by the Mental Health Commission at a meeting Dec. 17, and in addition, it adopted as part of its official rules and regulations, policies to govern the conduct of affiliate nurse programs in a Department of Mental Health hospital, and ordered these policies placed into immediate effect.

The Ministerial association accepted the report and discharged the committee.

Douglas Woman Dies At Holland Hospital

Saugatuck (Special) — Mrs. Julia L. Paris, wife of Robert H. Paris, died at 5:40 p.m. Wednesday at Holland Hospital, where she had been a patient since Sunday. She was 82 years old.

Mrs. Paris and her husband lived at Lake Shore, Douglas, for the last eight years with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Greene. They formerly lived in Chicago. Mrs. Paris was born in Chicago Oct. 4, 1872, to the late Mr. and Mrs. Louis Braumholt.

Surviving are the husband; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Campbell of Fort Worth, Tex., and Mrs. Helen Greene of Douglas; one son, Maurice Paris of Pittsburgh, Pa.; nine grandchildren; three great grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Ella Brown of Chicago, and a brother, John Braumholt of Chicago.

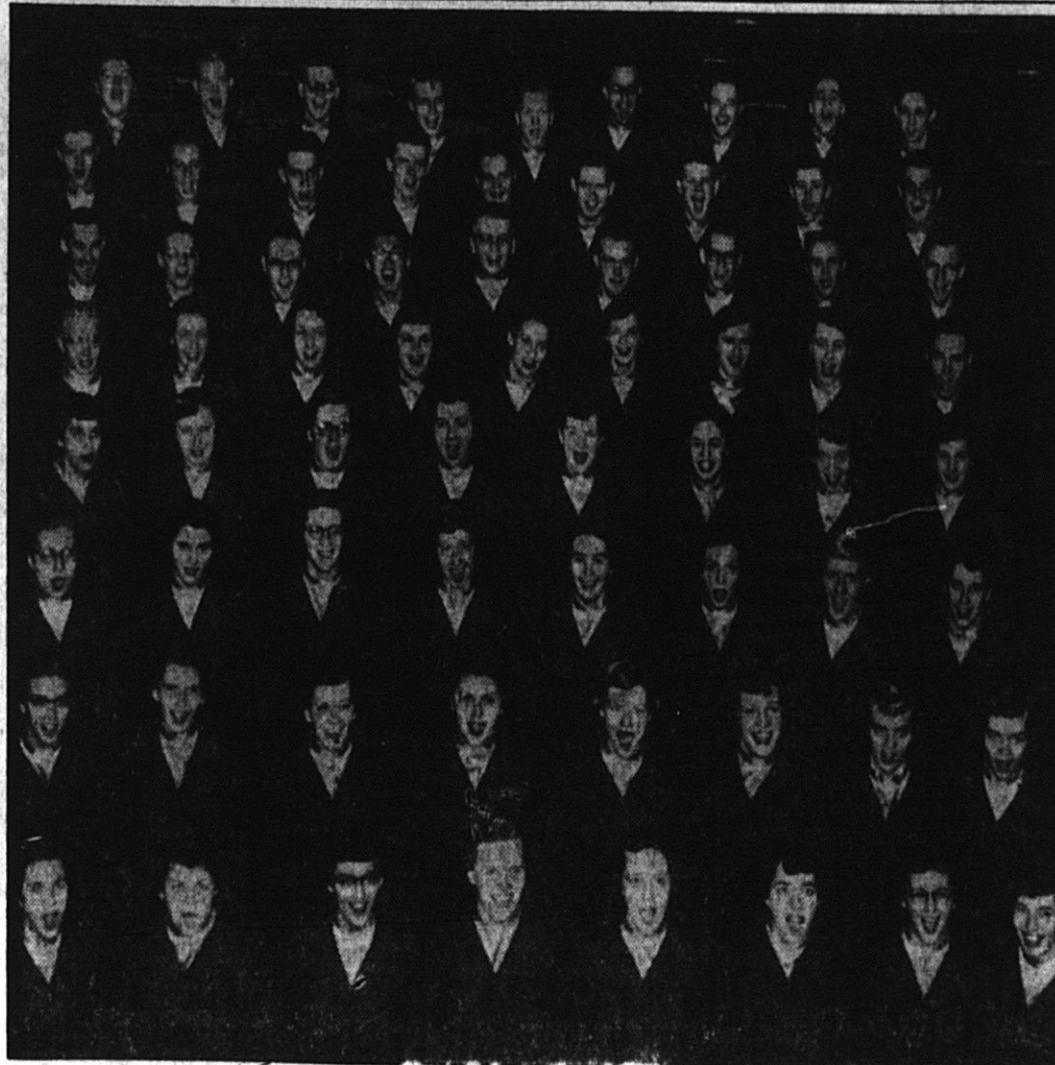
Funeral services will be held Friday at 9 a.m. at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Douglas, the Rev. Hoogterp officiating. Burial will be at Douglas Cemetery. Friends may call at Dykstra Funeral Chapel, Saugatuck, from 7 to 9 this evening.

Henry Russcher, 83, Succumbs At Home

Henry Russcher, 83, of East Holland, died early this morning at his home following a lingering illness. He was a retired farmer.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. John Tucker of Fennville; two sons, Henry H. of East Holland and George of Muskegon; nine grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at Langeland Funeral Home, private, and at 2 p.m. at Niekerk Christian Reformed Church. The Rev. John Beebe will officiate. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home to-night and Friday from 7 to 9 p.m.



Hope College Chapel Choir

College Choir to Leave Sunday on Concert Tour

The Hope College Chapel Choir of 60 voices, under direction of Dr. Robert W. Cavanaugh, will leave Holland Sunday on an extensive western tour. They'll travel through Iowa, Illinois, Colorado, Nebraska, Arizona and California.

In its program this year, Dr. Cavanaugh said, the choir will specialize in sacred music representative of all periods of choral compositions. It is expected the entire tour will cover a period of three weeks.

The itinerary includes: Chicago, South Holland and Fulton, Ill.; Orange City, Sheldon and Pella, Iowa; Denver, Colo.; Tucson, Ariz.; Bellflower, Paramount, Pomona, Artesia and Redlands, Calif.

Another Hope College musical group, the Symphonette, leaves Friday on a two-week Eastern concert tour. Prof. Morrette Rider is conductor. Prof. Anthony Koolker, pianist, will accompany the Symphonette and will be featured as soloist in some of the programs.

Ganges

Corp. Jack Decker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Decker of this place, who is stationed with the army at Fort Lewis, Wash., is now a maneuverer in California. He is taking part in "Operation Surfboard" a joint action between the Army and Navy now being held on the coast of California.

A number from this vicinity attended Pomona Grange held Thursday evening at the Monterey Grange. More than 100 were present from the various Granges in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schlosser of Flint were weekend guests of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Martin Meldrum.

Mrs. Gordon Babbitt attended an educational meeting in Kalamazoo Thursday. The meeting was sponsored by the School Officers Association.

John Westveld has been quite ill at his home here since last Thursday.

Mrs. Lee Starring spent a few days the past week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leon Fleming of Allegan.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nye were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark and daughter, Joyce of Allegan, Miss Marilyn Hutchins of Fennville and Mr. and Mrs. Everette Hathaway of Lansing.

Oscar Huggins has returned from South Carolina where he had spent some time with relatives. A nephew accompanied him for a few weeks stay in the Mosier home.

Mrs. Gertrude Walker and Mrs. Bessie Ensfield returned Monday from Biloxi, Miss., where they spent most of the winter. They also visited friends in Florida before returning to Michigan.

Mrs. William Larson was a recent patient at the Douglas hospital. Mrs. Milo Vesper was also taken to the hospital last week after suffering a bad spell.



BUILDING YOUR OWN RADIO is a lot of fun, especially if you start from scratch and build a crystal set. Here, Jerry Van Wyke (left) and Calvin Dykstra tune in on a program. Their sets will be displayed at the Youth Achievement exhibit in Netherlands Museum next week from March 29 through April 2. The performance division will be staged in Holland High School, with preliminaries Wednesday and Thursday and finals April 1.

(Sentinel photo)

Zeeland Orators Cop Most Honors

Zeeland High School orators walked off with the major share of the first place honors in the district forensic contest held Wednesday, afternoon at Zeeland. The contest was sponsored by the Michigan High School Forensic Association.

Competing with Holland Christian the Zeelanders took four firsts and two seconds. Holland Christian captured one first and three seconds, while Unity failed to place.

In the oratorical declamation, Zeeland's Ron Beyer took first and Holland's Jay Dykstra placed second. Zeeland swept the interpretative reading division with John Van Dam winning the first spot and Betty Kamp taking second.

Ann De Pree of Zeeland took first in the humorous reading while Phil Damstra of Holland Christian placed second. The other Zeeland first came in original oratory and was won by Jan Van Peursen. Second place went to Bruce Keuning of Holland Christian.

Warren Boer of Holland Christian took first in the extemporaneous division and Bob De Bruyn of Zeeland took second.

Judges for the contest were Miss E. Van Haltsma and Rev. Lambert Ponstein of Hope College, Prof. Melvin Berghuis of Calvin college and Rev. John Hains of Holland. The coaches are Mrs. Marie Saunders of Zeeland, Marinus Pott of Holland Christian and George Jasperse of Hudsonville Unity.

All first place winners are eligible to compete in the regionals to be held next month.

Bride-Elect Honored At Personal Shower

A personal shower was given Wednesday evening for Miss Charlene Van Dyke, bride-elect of Charles Armstrong. The party was given by Miss Shirley Bowman at her home, 43 West 21st St.

Gifts for the honored guest were tied to an umbrella. Other decorations included a miniature bridal party arranged on the mantel and arrangements of magnolias on the table. A two-course lunch was served by the hostess' mother, Mrs. John Bowman. Prizes for games were won by Misses Judy Ryppa and Erma Van Dyke.

Guests included the Misses Audrey Bauman, Phyllis Keen, Marianne Peerbolt, Judy Ryppa, Erma Van Dyke and Carol Vork and Mrs. Martin Barth and Mrs. Kenneth Kalkman.

Republican Women To Meet At Allegan

Allegan Republican Women's Club will sponsor a potluck luncheon at Griswold Auditorium, Allegan, on Monday at 12:30 p.m. All Republican women are invited. Those attending are asked to provide their own table service and a dish to pass.

Among the speakers will be Miss Sarah Van Housen Jones, only woman member on the governing board of Michigan State College, Judge Leland W. Carr of the supreme court and Stephen Nisbet, member of the state board of education.

Niekerk Church Choir Plans Program Sunday

The choir of Niekerk Christian Reformed Church will give a sacred program Sunday at 7:30 p.m. at the church. The program will include vocal and instrumental numbers. The public is invited.

Roger S. Greenway is choir director. Beginning Sunday, April 3, services at Niekerk Church will be held at 9:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. The congregation decided at a meeting in November to have evening services during the summer months.

Niekerk Church is located on 112th Ave. between 16 and 24th Sts. The Rev. J. Beebe is pastor.

Town Talk

The Rev. Garret E. De Young of 174 West 15th St., missionary to Arabia home on furlough, entered Bronson Methodist Hospital in Kalamazoo Wednesday for laboratory and X-ray examinations today prior to major surgery Friday.

Russell Busscher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Busscher, RR 5, and Randall J. Kool, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Kool, route 4, are among the 146 ROTC cadets at Western Michigan College who have been promoted, according to the college publicity director. Both were promoted to corporal.

Pvt. Kenneth C. Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Russell, 228 Pine Ave., was graduated Tuesday from the 10-week refrigeration equipment repair course at the Engineer School, U.S. Army, Fort Belvoir, Va., according to the public information office. The course offers training in installation and repair of Army refrigeration and air conditioning units in military structures.

Hope College reports 345 reservations have been made for Senior Day Friday, when high school seniors are invited to the campus to become acquainted with the campus, curriculum and way of life at Hope. Miss Penelope Ramaker is general chairman for the affair. The seniors will visit classes and campus buildings throughout the day and in the afternoon will attend a program in Memorial Chapel. The Hope Chapel Choir, which leaves on concert tour March 27, will present a dress rehearsal of its concert program at 3:30 p.m. The public is invited.

Holland Area Radio Club will meet tonight at 8 at the Red Cross Office. All amateur radio operators are invited.

Pfc. and Mrs. John V. Green, Jr., of Limestone, Me., announce the birth of twin daughters on March 23. Pvt. Green is stationed at Loring Air Force Base. Mrs. Green is the former Joyce Soderberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Soderberg of route 4. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Brown of Pine Creek are great grandparents of the twins. Mrs. Soderberg expects to leave soon for Maine to visit the Greens.

Isla Stegink, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Stegink, 235 West 17th St., underwent surgery Wednesday morning at University Hospital at Ann Arbor. She expects to remain there about three weeks.

Mrs. Carl Zeema of Olive Center who underwent surgery on her arm, left Butterworth Hospital at Grand Rapids today and is convalescing at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zeema, route 2.

Grace Church will have two celebrations of the Holy Communion on Friday, the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, at 7 a.m. and 10 a.m.

The semi-annual meeting of the Ottawa Christian League will be held Friday at 8 p.m. at Borculo Christian Reformed Church. The Rev. John De Kruyter, pastor of Maple Avenue Christian Reformed Church, will speak. Plans for the coming year will be discussed. An invitation is extended to all church members, both men and women, and WCTU members.

A 30-minute Christian color film, "Buttonwood Inn," will be shown Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the City Mission. The public is invited.

A spring luncheon will be held at Second Reformed Church of Zeeland next Thursday, March 31, at 1 p.m. All women of the church and friends are invited. Mrs. Charles Johnson of Grand Rapids, well-known for her interest in civic affairs, will give a book review. Reservations are to be made with members of Group 1 of the Ladies Aid Society.

Martha Kollen Guild of Holland Hospital Auxiliary is meeting all day today at the home of Mrs. J. D. Jencks, South Shore Dr. Members are sewing on Dutch costumes. Assisting the hostess with luncheon were Mrs. James Lugers and Mrs. Frank Working.

Army Pvt. Glen Straatsma, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Straatsma of Holland, recently arrived in Germany and is now a member of the 583rd Field Artillery Battalion, according to the Army Home Town News Center. Pvt. Straatsma, an aidman with Headquarters Battery, entered the Army in September, 1954, and completed basic training at Fort Houston, Tex. He is a 1954 graduate of Hope College.

Judge Orders Man to Mexico

ALLEGAN (Special)—Two men who pleaded guilty to breaking and entering Lakeview Tavern, Wayland Township, earlier this month appeared before Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith Tuesday. Judge Smith suspended an 18-month to 15-year sentence in Southern Michigan prison at Jackson for Roberto Gonzales, 24, on the condition that he would return to his native Mexico "and stay there."

The U. S. Marshal at Grand Rapids has a warrant charging Gonzales with illegal entry into the United States and sheriff's officers will turn the Mexican national over to him.

Donald Bennett, 19, another migrant worker involved in the thefts from the tavern, pleaded guilty and was remanded to jail. Sentence was postponed until the court could learn whether Bennett would be accepted for military service.

Mrs. Ida Patrick, 40, of Orangeville, waived reading of information charging her with possessing an altered check and pleaded not guilty. She was released on \$500 bond pending trial April 6.



COLD, WET TRIP ENDS — Four crewmen aboard the fishing tug, Grover Brothers II, find the heat given off by an old pot-bellied stove really feels good after battling heavy seas and strong winds on Lake Michigan for nearly 12 hours Tuesday. The tug left White Lake early Tuesday morning and nothing was heard from the boat until it limped into Holland Harbor shortly after 7 p.m. Tuesday. Hallard Grover, 32, Montague (left), said they started out to pick up fishing nets about 20 miles out in Lake Michigan. They turned back

because of the storm but were unable to find Muskegon Harbor because of blinding snow. Grover said they stayed about 15 miles off shore until finally sighting land which was near Saugatuck. The boat tied up at the foot of Kollen Park for the night and left Wednesday. Left to right are Grover, Raymond Grover, 23, Eric Wackernagel, 19, and Carl Grover Jr., 21, all of Montague. Grover said he estimated winds on Lake Michigan reached 70 miles an hour during their trip.

(Sentinel photo)

Army Field Band Will Appear at Tulip Time

Major John B. Finigan, liaison officer of the United States Army Field Concert Band, was in Holland Wednesday to arrange details for the band's appearance here May 10, 11 and 12 as a Tulip Time attraction.

The 80-piece band, under direction of Major Chester E. Whiting, will present an evening concert May 10, and morning and evening concerts May 11 and 12. All concerts will be free of charge.

The appearance in Holland will be one of just three in Michigan for the touring unit. Before coming here the band will stop at Bay City and at Saginaw for appearances.

While in Holland the band will be quartered at Hotel Macatawa. Arrangements were made Wednesday. Other details were worked out with Finigan at a noon luncheon-meeting at the Warm Friend Tavern.

Present at the meeting were C. Neal Sketete, vice president of Holland Tulip Time, Inc., Gertrude Sketete, Robert J. Kouw, W. A. Butler, Earl F. Price, William H. Vandewater and Major Finigan.

Dick Smallenburg was unable to attend. However, he voted in favor of presenting the band along with A. J. Peters, Raymond Hollwerda, and Dr. John W. Hollenbach.

The band travels in two sedans, four buses and four trucks—10 vehicles in all. Holland will be one of several stops during a six-week tour. The band travels five to six months each year.

During the late years of World War II, the War Department decided to form a band using combat infantrymen from infantry units throughout the Army. This band, they figured, would go on a tour of the United States to sell defense bonds. Whiting, an accomplished musician and infantryman, was chosen as leader.

Upon being recalled to the United States from the South Pacific, Whiting was charged with the organization and activation of The First Combat Infantry Band. On March 21, 1946, his mission was accomplished. On that day the band was officially organized.

Since that time the unit has traveled more than 200,000 miles throughout the United States, Canada, Mexico, Great Britain and Continental Europe. Concerts are designed to appeal to the tastes of all audiences. All programs are free to the public and sponsored by the Department of the Army, in conjunction with local and civic organizations.

Secret Service Man To Address Legion

Maurice G. Martineau of the U.S. Secret Service will address a meeting of Holland Memorial post No. 188, American Legion, to-night at 8 p.m. at Legion Memorial clubhouse. A special invitation is extended to all veterans and members of Legion post No. 6, as well as persons interested in police work.

Martineau will be introduced by U.S. Attorney Wendell A. Miles. The two men have the same territory of 49 counties, covering the whole of Western Michigan and the Upper Peninsula.

The secret service man will describe his work and outline some of the special problems. In addition he will show a film put out by the Secret Service at Washington.

He has been in the work for 15 years, working out of Boston, New York and Detroit. He is now attached to the Grand Rapids headquarters.

Carpet for Court Room

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The appearance of the court room in Ottawa County Court House is being considerably improved today. Carpeting is being laid in the area inside the rail.

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South Blendon

A daughter was born Tuesday, March 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Arntz.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bytwork and Miss Tena Bytwork of Hudsonville and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brink visited Mr. and Mrs. Manley Stegeman Sunday evening.

Barney Dykhouse and Mr. and Mrs. John Poskey were in Arlene last week Wednesday to attend the funeral of Dorman Poll. Mr. Dykhouse served as one of the pallbearers. Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen of North Blendon accompanied the Poskeys.

Mrs. Gertrude Elzinga was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Elzinga.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leeuw of Holland were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nyhuis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poskey spent last week Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Poskey at Jensen.

Harold Steffens, student at Houghton Technical college is spending his spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Steffens.

Mrs. Effie Vrugink of Zeeland spent Sunday afternoon and evening with the family of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vrugink.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vrugink and family attended a farewell party Monday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kronmeyer and family at the Blendon Town Hall. The Kronmeyers expect to leave soon for Liberia, Africa, to take up their missionary work there after spending a year's furlough in Grand Rapids.

Funeral services were held last Saturday afternoon at the local church for Richard Wierenga, who met accidental death last week Wednesday morning at Flint. He is survived by his wife, the former Harriet Vrugink of this place and three children. Burial took place in Georgetown Cemetery.

Mrs. Gertrude Boldt and Mrs. Margaret De Weerd of the First Christian Reformed Church in Hudsonville sang two duets at the Sunday evening service.

Rev. Ver Hulst Dies in Wisconsin

Word has been received here of the death of the Rev. Theodore Ver Hulst, former pastor of Graafschap Christian Reformed Church, Rev. Ver Hulst, pastor of Bethel Reformed Church of Linden, Wash., died Wednesday evening at a hospital in Sheboygan, Wis., after a illness. He was 48 years old.

Funeral services are scheduled Monday at 2 p.m. at Graafschap Christian Reformed Church. Burial will be at Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Friends may call at the Nibbelink-Notier Funeral Chapel Sunday from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Arrangements are by Clarence Mulder.

Further details will be announced Friday.

Red Cross Receives Korean Bonus Blanks

Red Cross headquarters at 6 East Eighth St. has received applications for Korean veterans bonus, and for the convenience of servicemen the office will be open additional periods Friday night and Saturday morning.

Headquarters will be open Friday from 7 to 9 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon.

'Any Street' Used As Typical Case In Explaining Flaw

Allegan City Stymied And Seeks Approval Of New Amendment

ALLEGAN (Special) — Under present city charter regulations, the owners of property on "Any Street," a typical, partially developed residential street on the outskirts of Allegan, do not stand a very good chance of getting such improvements as street and sidewalk paving and a new sewer.

"Any Street" is a purely fictitious block chosen by city officials to illustrate the need for revamping the city charter so that special assessments for sidewalks, paving and sewers may be levied at the rate of 1 percent of affected property's assessed valuation. Under present regulations, special assessments are limited to 25 percent of the total assessed valuation. As a result, few partially developed areas in the city have high enough valuation to provide funds for such improvements, according to City Manager P. H. Beauvais.

A proposal to raise the limitation from 25 to 100 percent is one of two amendments which will be voted on in Allegan April 4. "Any Street" has 12 lots. Four lots have homes on them and these lots are assessed at \$1,500, \$3,500 and \$4,000. The vacant lots are valued at \$100 and \$200.

To explain how the special assessment is used to provide funds for such things as paving, sidewalks and sewers, assume that the project desired would require an assessment of \$300 per lot.

Under the present ceiling, only the lots with homes on them would be able to pay their share of the cost. Owners of the unimproved lots would pay only 25 percent of the assessed valuation and the total amount which could be raised with a special assessment would be only \$1,475, less than a third of the money needed.

If the city council decided to go ahead with the project anyway, it would mean that the taxpayers at large would be contributing \$2,145 toward an improvement of direct benefit to only 12 property owners.

The same block, under the proposed 100 percent ceiling, could be levied \$2,300 for the special project with the city's share only \$1,300.

In recent years, residents on streets like "Any Street" have been signing an agreement with the city in which they agree to pay full cost of the project desired.

Ottawa Station

The Ottawa School Mothers Club are presenting Miss Bertha Veneberg of Vera Cruz, Mexico, this Friday evening at the school at 8 p.m. Colored slides will be shown and interesting things told about ways and customs of our neighbors to the south. Lunch will be served by the Mothers Club.

The demonstration held at the school last week was a success and everyone had a good time. It was decided to have another one in the fall. Mrs. Pearl Brouwer and Mrs. Delia Rozeboom served lunch.

Ottawa Reformed Church Ladies Aid will be held Thursday. Leader will be Ann Van Der Boel. Special music will be furnished by the Ladies Aid Quartette: Grace Boersma, Marge Merryman, Joan Krontje and Kay Boersma. Louis Kraay, student of Western Theological Seminary, will speak on "Japan." Hostesses will be Marge Merryman and Janet Bush.

The Ottawa Mothers Club are sponsoring a skating party for the district on April 15 at 7:30 in the Community Hall at Zeeland.

Mrs. Cona Runk of Grand Haven spent the weekend with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Eli West.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Sankey attended the funeral of Rex S. Reese formerly of West Olive at Wayne, Mich. on Monday, March 14.

Borculo

Seminarian John Bylsma was guest preacher on Sunday March 13. The Rev. Herman Wierenga of Grand Rapids was in charge of both services on Sunday. Next Sunday the Rev. Fred Bultman of Jamestown church will have charge of communion services.

Beginning on April 3, worship services will be held morning and evening.

On Thursday evening a congregational meeting will be held to call a minister from the following trio: The Rev. Nelson Veltman, The Rev. Martin Bolt and the Rev. Ritz Tadmara.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit R. Essenburg celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary March 18.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bosch announce the birth of a son on March 8. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Driesenga announce the birth of a son on March 4.

Several relatives and friends attended the funeral on Wednesday of Mr. John Bouwman, Sr. Burial was in local cemetery.

Miss Alice Luurtsema, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Luurtsema and John Hamming were united in marriage in the local church at 7:45 p.m. last Tuesday evening.

The Society for Christian Instruction will meet on Thursday March 31. The Rev. William Masselink will be speaker.

The Ottawa Christian League will hold its Annual meeting Friday at 8 p.m. in the local church. The Rev. De Kruyter will be speaker.



Costumed Christian School children will appear in pageant.

'Ye Are My Witnesses' To Be Pageant Theme

Cage Coach Named At Grand Haven

GRAND HAVEN (Special) —

Walter Lowell has been named Grand Haven High School head basketball coach, according to Supt. Ralph M. Van Volkinburg. Lowell presently is coaching the freshmen basketball and baseball team and teaches general science and physical education.

Lowell replaces Steve Sluka, who resigned after the past season. Sluka is still Grand Haven athletic director.

The new cage coach came to Grand Haven in 1953 following two years of Navy service where he coached football and basketball at Navy Amphibious Base, Little Creek, Va. He also saw Naval service during World War II. Between service tours, Lowell coached basketball at Sebewaing.

Lowell, a native of Detroit, attended Hillsdale College and graduated from Western Michigan College. He received his masters degree from the University of Michigan.

Services Are Held Clyde Van Bemmelen

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Funeral services for Clyde Van Bemmelen, 39, of 515 Waverly St., were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church. Mr. Van Bemmelen died at Sunshine Sanatorium in Grand Rapids Sunday evening. He had been ill for three months and seriously so the past two weeks.

He was born in Grand Haven July 11, 1915, and married Thelma Grant on Aug. 21, 1940 in Muskegon. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church and the American Legion. He served in the Army during World War II and was wounded in France. He received the Purple Heart and Bronze Star. He had been employed at Bastian-Blessing.

Surviving besides the wife is a daughter, Jane; the father, John and a brother, Marvin, both of Grand Haven; two sisters, Mrs. Ralph Martin of Ravenna and Mrs. Walter Bruhn of Spring Lake.

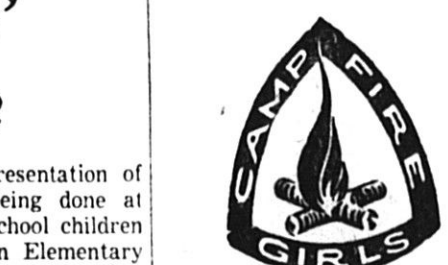
Texas is larger than England, France and West Germany combined.

The complete collection of the manuscript works of Charles E. Ives, noted American composer, have been given by his widow to Yale University.



REDUCE YOUR SPEED — A speed limit sign (right) points out a needless warning to motorists to maintain a 10-mile-per-hour limit.

The entire lot was covered with water and waves off Lake Macatawa were increasing the depth on the lot with each passing hour Tuesday morning. The lot is located between Hotel



The Happy Blue Birds of Van Raalte School met March 14 at the home of their leader, Mrs. Teall. Pictures were taken. Reported by Joanne Bell.

The Basy Blue Birds met at the home of their leader Mrs. Fred Kobes. The girls are busy making felt blue birds Refreshments were served by Helen Rose. Scribe, Nelia Davis.

The Serenading Blue Birds of Montello Park met March 14 at the home of their leader, Mrs. Clare Walker. The girls made St. Patrick neck bands. The treat was furnished by Janet Walker. Marlene Sprick was treasurer. Darlene Eshenaur, scribe.

Last week the Ten Little Blue Birds met at the home of Mrs. Venhuizen. They went on a treasure hunt in Prospect Park, getting clues from "Captain Kid". The treasure was a candy bar and bubblegum. Scribe, Shirley Johnson.

The Serenading Blue Birds of Montello Park met at the home of Mrs. Meyer March 7, instead of their leader, Mrs. Clare Walker who was recuperating from minor surgery. The group was taken through Swift's Ice Cream Co. and were treated to dixie cups. Diane Goodyke was scribe.

The Smiling Blue Birds met March 15, at Connie Slighter's home. The group worked on their bids that they're making for babies in the hospital. Connie treated the group. Scribe, Judy Westerhof.

Body of Missing Man Found at Stone School

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The body of Joseph Zeimet, 41, of 1313 Washington St., was found in his car Tuesday near Stone School house on US-31. Zeimet, a diabetic, was reported missing since Sunday afternoon.

Conductor Harry Napp of the C and O railroad reported to the Sheriff's department that a car was found stuck on the graded highway where the new highway goes through near the Stone School. The body was found seated in the front seat in an upright position with legs crossed. A 22 calibre repeating rifle was found on the front side alongside him. A shot had entered the center of the forehead which came out the right side of the head just above the temple.

Dr. Peter McArthur, who was called in was involved in an accident on the way back to Grand Haven. Dr. John Kitchel is continuing the investigation.

The West Indian island of Puerto Rico claims to have 360 days of sunshine a year.

The O-ki-ci-ya-pi Camp Fire girls of Lakeview school opened their meeting with the secretary and treasurer's report.

They talked about this year's birthday project, which is "Let Freedom Ring". The girls and their leaders played the game called "I've Got a Secret". Last week the girls with several other Camp Fire groups went swimming in Grand Haven. Barbara Karsten treated. Linda Davis, scribe.

The Ches-ca-may Camp Fire Group of St. Francis de Sales met March 15. Instead of having a meeting, the group made a radio broadcast.

The Kom-tah-wee Camp fire group met with their leaders, Mrs. Shearer and Mrs. Kardux on March 15. They had a business meeting and played a game for one of their requirements. They also talked about going horseback riding on March 24. Scribe, Judy Brown.

The Ha-lu-ha-wee Camp fire group attended the Elementary Birthday Party on Monday, March 14 at the Woman's Literary Club. Each girl brought her supper in a box she had decorated herself. The event was to celebrate the Camp Fire Girls 45th birthday. Scribe, Nancy Cuperus.

The Net-pow Camp Fire group met at the home of their leader, Miss Mary K. McLean. They delivered a plant to the Mulder home for the aged, as a requirement for their rank. Scribe, Judy Jordan.

United Press Staff Correspondent LONDON (UP) —

Charles Forsythe, the first man to note that Americans eat pie backwards, is now saying the Yanks are barbarians when it comes to polishing off fried eggs.

The attitude across the Atlantic, he says, seems to be that eating fried eggs takes no talent and very little time.

"They wouldn't be so offhand about breast of guinea hen soup," he said bitterly. "I'm afraid that lack of technique about fried eggs is giving our tourists a bad name with dishwashers."

Forsythe, who made the strange transition from a singing vaudeville headliner in America to distinguished chef in Britain, tried before me a dish of two fried eggs on a slab of York ham and disappeared.

"I couldn't bear to see it," he explained in the kitchen where he was later tracked down.

"I know exactly what you did. You stabbed those innocent yolks and let their yellow lifeblood ooze out all over the plate. Then, because of your American fastidiousness, you did not sop it up with bread. You let half the yolk stick to the dish where it will cake and harden."

Forsythe said it reminded him of the days when he was headlining at the "Palace" in New York and noticed the way Americans ate pie.

"They are — and some probably still do — from the thin triangle of the wedge down to the base of the pyramid or crust," he said. "By the time they reached the crust they weren't hungry any more and it went to waste."

"I converted lots of them to eating pie the right way, namely the crust first, which goes down easily when you are hungry, and working towards the thin end, which is the tastiest."

Impressed, I inquired how he would go about eating fried eggs. Silently Forsythe fried two eggs and tossed them on a plate. Then he grasped a fork and quickly nibbled away at the whites until the yolks were isolated, defenseless.

He slid the fork under the yolk, balanced it carefully and hoisted the whole yolk into his mouth. He rolled his eyes in ecstasy as the second one disappeared.

He held up his plate. Clean! A waiter brought in mine. "Just as I thought," Charley scowled. "A typical American fried egg plate — forever amber."

Birds Short Out Area

Hundreds of starlings, lodged in the Consumers Power substation located on Black River between Holland and Zeeland, caused a power shortage for about an hour late Monday night. According to a company spokesman, the area affected included east of the substation to Hudsonville and west to Lake Michigan. More than 100 of the birds were found dead at the station today.

Volleyballs

Starting the first week in April, the Park Department is all set to spray trees in Holland. This operation is particularly directed against soft maple and elm trees, the one for scale and the elm trees for a special elm disease.

Park Supt. Dick Smallenburg, who always tries to arrange his work so that the least number of people is inconvenienced, said no spraying will be done on Monday. This is out of consideration to the housewife who does the wash that day. The spray won't harm the wash, but the housewife may think it does, so Dick has decreed no spraying on Monday to keep the housewife happy.

The spray won't hurt paint on houses either, but it may spot windows. That may mean a little exterior washing, but it still is the best bet for a choice of diseased trees or slightly soiled windows.

That goes for cars parked on streets or driveways too. The spray won't hurt the paint, but it may leave white spots on the windows. Since the spray rig makes so much noise it can be heard two blocks off, the man of the house should have plenty of time to park his car in the garage on that day.

So when you hear that 125 horsepower rig blat, it means the trees are going to get a bath. Put your car in the garage, and don't worry about a few specks on your windows. They'll come off.

Dick is sorry he can't give a more specified program of operations. The rig cannot operate in a brisk wind—the spray just blows away. So weather conditions must be favorable. Once started, the spray program will take about three weeks.

And there will be no spraying on Mondays!

Wendell Miles, our scrappy district attorney who daily commutes between Holland and Grand Rapids, was all set to engage in another career, and then—poof!

Wendell was going to take a bit part in the forthcoming Grand Rapids Civic Theater play, "Billy Budd," but then "word" came through that he'll have to be in Cincinnati during that period April 15 to 23 on a Jehovah's Witnesses case in the Court of Appeals.

The vocal man was slated to play a small part for a naval officer. We suggested he switch to the defense, write his own script and maybe save Billy from being hanged.

It was funny when it was all done but we don't envy Glenn Coffey's predicament on hitching an extra car.

Aweek or so ago, Glenn's car was tightly jammed in a parking space on Eighth St. and it took some maneuvering before getting out. On his way home he noticed another car following him a bit too closely. He traveled 3 1/2 blocks before he realized the car was hitched to him.

His trailer hitch had hooked the other car near a bumper guard. There was no damage. What's more, Coffey had made two left turns before he stopped.

"I heard a little noise once, but I thought it was some tools in the trunk," he said.

Now that spring is here, it's less than two months to Tulip Time. Take it easy when you get out of your car on tulip lane. This is the crucial period for those tender green shoots. Tulip Time dates are May 11 through 14.

Chuck Rich came across a potato chip with something extra the other day. General operations apparently failed to remove a sizeable stem in a certain potato, and here was a long shredded stem hitched to one chip, all nicely crisped up.

Given to the Red Cross yet? Services of this great organization are far reaching, and sometimes we think only the volunteer workers who regularly work in Red Cross Offices have a good grasp of the scope of the activities.

One of the "little" things Red Cross does through its service committees is sending Christmas gifts to servicemen on the high seas. A thank-you letter came from one Pvt. Irving Bond, now stationed on Korea for 16 months.

After a chatty page on life in Korea with a heavy mortar battalion north of the 38th parallel, he wrote, "I just wanted you to know that your packages were very much appreciated. It was really the only package any of us got for Christmas."

If you haven't given yet, call Red Cross headquarters at 6-6545 and arrangements will be made to pick up your contribution.

Laff for the day: The English writer Francis Toye tells of a schoolmaster he had at Winchester who enjoyed a reputation for short reports to parents. On one occasion he wrote of a certain boy, "Trying," which delighted the boy's parents until the next report came in. This one read, "Very trying."

Zeeland

The Rev. Ausema, pastor of North Park Reformed Church at Kalamazoo was guest preacher at Second Reformed Church Sunday.

Next Sunday a student from Western Theological Seminary will occupy the pulpit.

The Junior Choir directed by Mrs. Edward De Pree sang "His Eye Is on the Sparrow" Gabriel and "Bless the Lord, O My Soul" Ippolito-Ivanoff at the morning service. The Intermediate choir, also directed by Mrs. De Pree sang "Peaceful Round Us the Shadows Are Falling" Storer at the evening service.

Lions Entertain Local Cage Teams

Members of the Hope College, Holland High and Holland Christian basketball teams and their coaches were fêted at the annual Lions Club basketball banquet Tuesday evening at the Warm Friend Tavern.

Stormy weather conditions prevented Paul Goebel, former Big 10 football official, from attending the event. He was scheduled to be the speaker. Walter Scott, Holland superintendent of schools, replaced Goebel and spoke briefly on the values to be gained from athletics.

Al Vanderbush, Hope College athletic director, introduced the three local basketball coaches, John Visser, Hope; Art Tuls, Christian and Fred Weiss, Holland. The group in turn spoke briefly on the past season, prospects for next year and introduced their 1954-55 cage teams and managers.

Harvey De Vries, program chairman introduced Scott. Bernard Shashaguy, Lions club president, presided at the meeting and Herman Bos gave the invocation. Bill Onk led group singing.

Ottawa County 4-H News

Willis S. Boss

4-H Club Agent

4-H members are busy in all sections of the county completing their projects for the annual district achievement days. Many leaders are holding extra meetings to have members complete projects and reports on time. Plans are being arranged this week with committee meetings at Holland, Hudsonville and Coopersville. The dates are: Hudsonville, Monday and Tuesday; March 28 and 29; Hudsonville High School, Holland, Wednesday and Thursday, March 30 and 31. North Shore Community Hall, across from the Holland airport; Coopersville, Monday and Tuesday, April 4 and 5, Coopersville High School.

The county 4-H achievement days for the best chosen in the districts is to be held at the Holland Civic Center on April 14 and 15. The program will be held on Friday, the 15th and will include the talent show and style revue.

Judging of exhibits will be done by leaders and the Danish method of A-B-C is going to be used again this year. A check list has also been recommended and the council drew one up to try out this year.

Mrs. Fred Abel of Hudsonville, Albert Vredvel of Jamestown and Niel Zuidema of Holland will represent the 4-H council at the County Council on Thursday, March 24. Purpose of the meeting is to organize extension work on a county level with the Agricultural Council and Home Demonstration Board represented to discuss related problems.

Overisel

The Women's Missionary Society of the Reformed Church met last week Wednesday afternoon.

The Sunshine band and the Cadet Corps of the Christian Reformed Church met Monday evening.

The new addresses of two servicemen who spent short-furloughs with their parents after finishing their basic training in Kentucky are: Pvt. Leon P. Klassen, U.S. 35501550, Btry B, 95th AHA Bn, ND Platoon, 5th Arm. Div. Arty., Camp Chaffee, Ark.; Pvt. Delvin G. Langheer, U.S. 55501941 3rd, PH Co, A 69th Med Tank Bn, 6th Arm. Div. Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri.

A play, "Judge Fuller's Fortune," will be given at the community hall March 31 and April 1, sponsored by the Overisel Community association with young people of the community taking part.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Sictman became the parents of a daughter, Ruth Elynn, born March 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gemmen and family of Hudsonville were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Folkert and family.

A duet "The Unveiled Christ" was sung by Mrs. Donald Kroppman and Mrs. Lester Kleinhekel at the evening service in the Reformed Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Lampen and Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit J. Lampen left last week Wednesday for a few weeks vacation trip to Florida.

Ivan Innink, who received his Navy discharge recently after four years of service arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Innink, last week Saturday.

Gifts Given to Replace Articles Lost in Fire

A miscellaneous shower was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Bernard Van Voorst, 265 West 36th St., in honor of Mrs. Henry Van Voorst, Jr., whose home on the Port Sheldon Rd., was destroyed by fire on March 7. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Andrew Slager and Mrs. Jacob Van Voorst.

Games were played with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Glenn Slager, Mrs. Pete Talsma and Mrs. Paul Raggel.

Others invited were the Mesdames Chris Van Slooten, Bob Van Slooten, Gordon Slager, Luther Slager, Bruce Van Voorst, John Van Voorst, Howard Van Voorst, Bob Van Voorst, Bert Kortering, Fred Van Voorst, Leonard Fought and Misses Frances, Cornelia and Elaine Van Voorst and Joyce, Peggy and Esie Van Slooten.

Ottawa Farm News

Richard Machiels

County Agricultural Agent

Chemical weed control for crops is becoming more and more popular each year. A new folder gives directions on control of weeds in strawberries, raspberries, grapes, blueberries and orchards. Write for a copy.

The new 1955 Spraying Calendar for tree and small fruits is available. This bulletin covers all tree fruits, grape, raspberry, blackberry, dewberry, currant, gooseberry and blueberry spraying recommendations.

It is not too early to begin planning to put up grass silage this summer. According to Arthur Lucas of Conklin this is a good way to put up your first cutting of hay. Rain doesn't bother you then and it provides excellent feed when pastures become short during the late summer months. Elmo Heft of Conklin, who has fed grass silage for a number of years, says that feeding grass silage saves him money because he doesn't have to buy and feed additional protein for his dairy cattle. If you have an upright silo, use it. If you have not fed all the grass by corn silage time put the corn on top. However, if you have to invest in a silo you should consider a bunker type. According to a study made in which considered the bunker silo cost per construction cost, storage cost, spoilage and feeding costs were considered the bunker silo cost per ton was less than either an upright or unlined trench. The bunker silage however in this cost study was self fed.

Plan some good pasture for your hogs this summer. In trials conducted at Michigan State College on alfalfa and ladino clover pastures it was found that a great amount of hog feed was saved. The greatest amount of saving was on ladino pastures.

The Holland market committee has been meeting throughout the winter making plans to start a farmers retail market in the Holland area. They are now to the point where they need the names of farmers who would be interested in selling on this market. According to a survey conducted recently consumers were interested in buying fresh fruit, vegetables, dressed poultry, eggs, potted plants cut flowers and honey. If you are interested either on a part time or full-time basis please send your name in to the County agent's office as soon as possible.

Jamestown

A shower party for Miss Wilma Drew was given Friday evening at the home of Mrs. George Van Rhee. The 22 guests were all neighborhood women. The bride-to-be received a electric lighted picture, a two-course lunch was served by the hostesses. Mesdames George Van Rhee, H. Beek, R. Meyer, L. Boersma and Iva Beek. Games were enjoyed and duplicate prizes awarded.

Pvt. Marvin Grit is home on furlough from Camp Chaffee, Ark., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grit.

Mr. and Mrs. Rein Hoeksema of Dorris visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Bouwman Sunday evening and also attended the evening service.

Student Herman Dragt of Western Seminary was in charge of services at the Reformed Church Sunday.

Miss Ada Bronsink, now of Grand Rapids, who recently returned from Iceland where she was a government employee, was a Saturday guest of her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Klompenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Ten Have are the parents of a baby boy born at St. Mary's Hospital, Monday evening.

Quarterly meeting of the Sunday School officers and teachers will be held at the church parlors Friday evening, Burrell Pennings, a short term missionary to Japan, before he attended Western Seminary will speak and show slides of work in Japan.

Man Jailed for Skipping Payments to His Wife

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Duane Webb, 29, of 2 South Division St., Holland, appeared in Ottawa Circuit Court Monday afternoon on a bench warrant charging him with failing to abide by terms of his probation, in that he has failed to support his wife, Rosie, and their three children.

Webb, who came into court with a walking cast on his right leg, which he claimed he broke while playing ball on Sunday, March 13, was placed on probation Nov. 29, 1954 for 18 months, after pleading guilty Nov. 3, 1954 to a non-support charge. He told the court he has been unable to find work. The court committed him to the county jail, on the bench warrant, or until he can furnish \$500 bond, and his matter is to be disposed of later, following further investigation.

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