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State-Wide C.E. Convention to Be Held Here in June

**Dr. George Mennenga
To Serve as General
Chairman for Event**

Plans are progressing for the 59th annual convention of the Michigan Christian Endeavor union which will be held in Holland June 26 through 29. Meetings will be held in Hope Memorial chapel and Winant's chapel.

Serving as general chairman of the local committee is Dr. George Mennenga of Western Theological seminary who will be assisted by a committee. Zeeland Christian Endeavors will assist in convention plans.

Vice-chairmen serving under Dr. Mennenga will be the Rev. James Baar of Maplewood church; Jay Weener, president of the Holland union, and Don Lam, who also is serving on the state program committee. Miss Gladys Buurma is serving as secretary and Burt Kortering as treasurer.

About 1,500 delegates are expected to register for the state-wide event for which Holland was host in 1930 and 1939. Wilson Diekmann of Holland and the Rev. A. Rymbrandt of Zeeland will take charge of registrations and Clarence Jalling will head the finance committee.

Lodgings will be in charge of Charles Stiekette of Holland and the Rev. William J. Hilbert of Zeeland. A dormitory on Hope campus may be utilized for some lodging facilities.

Banquets and halls will be in charge of Prof. A. E. Lampen and Prof. William Miller of Hope college. The two men will arrange luncheons and dinners during the four-day event, also a Saturday night banquet, a highlight of the convention.

Other chairmen are Miss Cornelia Van Voorst, publicity; John Swieringa, music; Leon Moody, recreation; J. J. Riemersma, parade; Scoutmaster Donald E. Kyger, guides and ushers; Prof. E. Osterhaven, decorations and exhibits; the Rev. John Benf, ministerial co-operation; Mrs. Edith Walvoord, "Long-Timers;" Miss Ruth Jipping, Junior Christian Endeavor.

The keynote speaker on the opening night will be Dr. Luman J. Shafer of New York city, connected with the Reformed church mission board; Dr. Daniel A. Poling, Philadelphia, N. J., president of the World Christian Endeavor union, will be the leading speaker Friday night. Dr. Poling was president of the Reformed church General Synod when Hope Memorial chapel was dedicated about 18 years ago.

Other leading speakers will include the Rev. William Alben, pastor of a Presbyterian church in Detroit, and the Rev. Lawrence Bash, a former vice-president of the International Christian Endeavor union.

The first meeting of the local committee was held Thursday. Plans for the convention were outlined by the Rev. Warren E. Jackson of Detroit, general secretary for the Michigan Christian Endeavor union. Rev. Jackson was appointed to the position several months ago, succeeding Ernest S. Marks who is now field secretary for the International union.

Mrs. D. Damstra Succumbs Here

Mrs. David Damstra, 67, died at her home, 82 East 21st St., at 10:15 a. m. today. She had been in ill health for a year and a half and was seriously ill for eight weeks.

Mrs. Damstra was a charter member of Trinity Reformed church. She was a Sunday school and catechism teacher until she became ill, was a member of Ladies Aid and the Ladies Missionary society. She lived in Holland all her life.

Surviving are her husband; four sons, Dr. Harold J. of Grand Rapids, the Rev. Russell D. of New York City, Dr. Eugene F. of Dayton, O., and Louis G. of Holland; one daughter, Mrs. Vera Hayden of Dallas, Tex.; 11 grandchildren and five brothers, Marinus Klompagans of Jackson, Gerri, Henry, Harry and Albert Klompagans of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. William Visser and Mrs. Joe Rosendahl of Holland.

Private funeral services will be held Monday at 1:30 p. m. from the Nibbelink-Notier. Funeral home and 2 p. m. at Trinity Reformed church. Dr. H. D. Terkurst will officiate and burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Oil Tanker and Cement Boat Arrive Today

Two boats entered Holland harbor this morning. The Texas Co. tanker "Meteor," a converted whaleback, arrived at 12:20 a. m. and was expected to leave by noon. The second boat, the "Daniel McCool," entered at 3:40 a. m. carrying Medusa cement.



Dr. George Mennenga

County Employees Petition Board for Retirement Plan

Grand Haven, April 17 (Special)—A petition signed by 47 employees, requesting a survey to determine costs of a retirement plan, was referred to the County Officers' committee with power to act at Wednesday's meeting of the Board of Supervisors. The committee was instructed to report back at the June session.

The petitioners, representing 100 per cent of the county employees, are seeking a system similar to one now in effect for City employees in Holland. The plan was explained at a meeting of employees April 8.

Purpose of such a plan is to encourage qualified and superior personnel to remain in county service on a career basis, and will attract qualified individuals to become county employees when needed for replacement. To the employees, it will mean security benefits provided by a pension, and an annuity made up of his own contributions to the program, it was pointed out.

Following a long discussion on procedures in the sheriff's department, the County Officers' committee was instructed to study the situation and when the time comes draw up new rules and regulations that the committee make definite rules, particularly on food bills for the county jail and assignment of deputies.

Supervisor Henry Slaughter introduced the subject by questioning food bills at the county jail. He said the last bill submitted listed \$194 for one month and listed "lean pork chops, sirloin steak, etc." To Slaughter's question, Supervisor P. Rosbach answered there was one prisoner on Tuesday but the prisoners run from one to five, six and seven.

Supervisor Dick Smallegan questioned bills submitted by deputies which often list 12 to 15 hours a day. He said, however, that deputies may be forced to pad their accounts because of the low pay scale. The rate is 50 cents an hour. He suggested the Officers' committee make a thorough study and submit recommendations to the Finance committee and sheriff's department.

Supervisors Charles E. Misner of Grand Haven, John Ter Avest of Polkton and Gerrit Bottema of Spring Lake were appointed to study rules and regulations of the Board of Supervisors.

Youth Fined on Assault And Battery Charge

Joe Mendez, 18, route 1, was assessed fine and costs of \$28.90 by Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith after he pleaded guilty to an assault and battery charge. The alleged offense occurred Monday night and the complaint was signed by Gerald J. Schurman, local tavern operator, who police said was treated in Holland hospital for a facial laceration.

Others paying fines were Charles C. Pion, Big Rapids, stop street, \$5; Orville C. Haan, 22, Grand Rapids, stop street, \$5; Lester E. Schaap, 21, route 5, double parking, \$1; Adrian Brower, route 3, Zeeland, stop street, \$5.

Harm Brower, 52, of 308 West 15th St., no chauffeur's license, \$5; William Valkema, of 128 West 11th St., parking, \$1; John Vande Woude, Jr., route 1, Zeeland, improper passing, \$5; Archie J. Langlois, 57, Muskegon, speeding, \$5.

Pentwater Driver Is Charged After Crash

Grand Haven, April 17 (Special)—Morris LaValley, 55, Pentwater, was arrested by state police for failure to have his car under control, after being involved in an accident at 4:45 p. m. Sunday on US-16 in Walker township, Kent county, on the four-lane concrete highway.

Officers report that LaValley, allegedly driving at an excessive rate of speed, was about to pass another car and when attempting to pull back into the first lane of traffic lost control of his car, ran into a hill about 25 feet from the highway, causing the LaValley vehicle to roll over.

Local Station Gives Statistics On March Weather

**Mercury Dropped to
Four Below in 1943;
Plenty of Rain in 1944**

March this year closely resembles March 1943 in many weather characteristics, according to Jay E. Folkert of the U. S. station at Hope college. Folkert has just released statistics for the years 1943 to 47.

The prevailing wind was north-west in both years; moreover the two years were strikingly similar in average maximum temperature, average minimum temperature, average temperature and relative number of clear or cloudy days.

It was pointed out that the average temperature for Holland in March is 34.2 degrees, compared with 31.2 degrees this year. The average maximum temperature over a period of years is 42.7 degrees in comparison to 38.5 degrees this year. The average minimum temperature is 25.6 degrees and 24.0 this year.

In comparing the highest maximum temperatures in the month of March during the last five years it is seen that 1945 was tops with a high of 80. The high in 1945 and 1946 was 77 degrees, while 1944 and 1947 had 61 and 52 respectively. The lowest temperature for March during the same period was in 1943 when the mercury dropped to four degrees below zero. The low in 1944 was 11 degrees, while in 1947, the minimum was 15 degrees. The average temperature was lowest in 1943 with a 30.8 mark. Highest, with an average of 46.8 was in 1946.

The records show that March of 1944 had the most rain—3.25 inches. The lowest month was 1945 when there was only 1.55 inches of precipitation. March of 1946 was tops for the number of clear days with a total of 10 while 1947 and 1943 had nine each. 1944 had the most cloudy days with 14 while 1947 was a close second with 12, as compared with 4 in 1945 and 1946.

Jacob Tummel Is Found Dead

Jacob J. Tummel, 67, who had been in ill health for a few years, was found dead Thursday April 10 in his home at 243 East 16th St. Coroner Gilbert Vande Water said death was due to a heart condition.

He was born April 29, 1879, in France. He came to Holland 30 years ago and was employed for many years by the Holland Furnace Co. He was a member of Sixth Reformed church.

Surviving are the wife, Emma; three sons, Lester of North Olmsted, Ohio; Robert of Zeeland and William of West Olive; five grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. A. Cartwright of Akron, Ohio, and Mrs. Mary Zeiler, Mrs. A. Klotz and Mrs. Marie Stromminger of Toledo, Ohio; and a brother, Peter of Akron.

Renew 10 Liquor Licenses Here

Ten applications for renewing liquor licenses, covering the operation of taverns, clubs and places where intoxicating liquors are sold for consumption on the premises, were renewed by Common Council at its regular meeting Wednesday night.

City Attorney Vernon D. Ten Cate commended the License committee for its policy in keeping a close check on establishments and its careful study of all places before recommending license renewals.

The applications had come through the state liquor control commission, which pointed out that approval is required of the governing body of the city.

Licenses were approved for Harlow and Blanche Burrows, 234 East Eighth St., "Hollander hotel;" Kenneth A. Dean, Warm Friend Tavern Bier Kelder; Gerald J. and Hazel B. Schurman, 234 River Ave., "Covered Wagon;" Raymond T. and Estelle Schipper, 124 East Eighth St.; C. E. and Lillie Smith, 180 River Ave., "Lee's Place;" Catherine Sernas, 205 River Ave., "Vogue Coffee Shop;" Edwin G. Lewendon, 147 River Ave.; Velma Ruth Van Ark, 179 River Ave., "Owl Sandwich Shop;" Bastian Bowman, 200 East Eighth St., "East End Cafe;" Verne V. Hoover, 115 East Eighth St., "Do Drop Inn."

Council approved the transfer of a tavern license and SDM from Verne V. Hoover at 115 East Eighth St. to Hazen Leland Van Kampen.

Council also approved the addition of the name of Gerald A. Raffenaud to the firm formerly in the name of Peter Raffenaud, in connection with issuing an SDD license.



John F. Donnelly Dies in Hospital

An unexpected heart attack Friday claimed the life of John Francis Donnelly, 72, in Holland hospital. He was stricken in his home at 59 West 18th St.

A former member of the police board and treasurer of Donnelly-Kelly Glass Co., he moved to Holland in 1920. He was a member of St. Francis de Sales church.

Surviving are the wife, Mary; one son, John Thomas Donnelly of Chicago; two grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. E. T. McCann of Chicago, Mrs. George Doyle of Miami, Fla., and Sister St. Bernard of Ossining, N.Y., and a brother, Daniel Donnelly of Chicago.

Kiwanis Endorses School Measure Without Dissent

The Holland Kiwanis club Monday evening unanimously endorsed the raising of the tax limitation for a sinking fund for the proposed school building and repair program to be voted on April 21 by local citizens.

The Rev. Marion de Velder, a member of the Citizens committee which made a survey of the local school problem, explained the necessity for replacement and repairing of some of Holland's schools, stating "There is no better investment in the world than education."

In explaining the two proposals to be voted on, Rev. de Velder said the first proposal is that the total amount to be raised by taxation shall not exceed 20 mills and the second proposal, should the first proposal pass, gives power to the proper authorities to actually levy the tax and establishment of a sinking fund for building purposes.

Emphasizing the necessity for increased school facilities, the speaker pointed out that in five years there will be two or three hundred more pupils in the high school to increase the already congested conditions.

"It is not a tax in the sense it goes out of this community and we do not see any of the services and buildings," Rev. de Velder asserted, "But it is something that stays in this community and is an investment in youth, and the best investment I know of in educating our young people to take their part in the life of tomorrow."

President Simon Borr, who conducted the meeting, introduced the speaker. Group singing was led by William Meengs, accompanied by Franklyn Van Ry.

Daniel Vander Werf, Jr., secretary-treasurer, reported on the divisional meeting held last Wednesday at Grand Rapids.

Report of the state bowling tournament held at Jackson in which the Holland club took part, was made by Jack Grasmeyer, team captain.

Guests were P. Morgan, Detroit; Clarence Pott and Howard H. Eddy of Holland.

Jacob Van Rosendahl Passes in Home Here

Jacob Van Rosendahl, 64, died Wednesday night in the home of his brother, Louis Rosendahl on route 4, after a short illness.

Surviving are five sisters, Mrs. Arie Slingerland of Grand Rapids, Mrs. John Dunkirk of Zeeland and Mrs. Charles Klungie, Mrs. Jennie Schregardus and Mrs. Martin Kunen, all of Holland; two brothers, Peter and Louis of Holland and a brother, John in the Netherlands.

Friends may call at the Nibbelink-Notier funeral chapel Friday from 4 to 5 p. m. Funeral rites are scheduled for 1:30 p. m. Saturday from the Nibbelink-Notier chapel with burial in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Funeral arrangements were made by Clarence Mulder.

Retired Saugatuck Resident Succumbs

Saugatuck, April 17 (Special)—William D. Carpenter, 89, of 747 Butler St., died in Douglas Community hospital Tuesday night following a lingering illness. He was born Oct. 15, 1857, in Almo, Kalamazoo county. He was a retired grocer-merchant of Kalamazoo before coming to Saugatuck in 1940.

Surviving are the wife, Anna; a son, Frank of Detroit; two grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Ottawa-Allegan Scout Exposition Scheduled May 3

**Scout Demonstrations,
Merit Badge Projects
To Be Arranged in Gym**

May 3 has been set as the date for the 1947 Scouting Exposition sponsored by the Ottawa-Allegan county, Boy Scout of America, central district, according to joint announcement by Don Kyger, scout executive, and Peter Kromann, president of the council.

The exposition, which will be a demonstration of scouting skills, will be held in the Holland high school gymnasium. It will not only be prepared throughout by scouts but scouts will be carrying on demonstrations of merit badge projects, vocational studies and craftsmanship displays during the entire performance.

Drawing up of a detailed floor plan of booth placement in the gymnasium is being done by Walter Kimberly of Holland, General chairman of the steering committee for show organization is District Commissioner Miner Meindertsma of Zeeland.

Tom Longstreet is chairman of arrangement and properties. He is being assisted by Vic Van Oosterhout, Earl Vanden Bosch, Walter Kimberly, Henry Derksen and Russell Welch.

In charge of the floor program is Seymour Padnos, Joseph Moran and Peter Veltman are in charge of publicity. Dr. Lester Kuypers will direct announcement in church bulletins.

Ticket sales and distribution will be handled by Kenneth De Pree and his committee. Chapin E. McAllister is chairman of the judging committee. Assisting him in his work will be Ray Swank, Dr. Charles R. Wimmer and the Rev. M. E. Osterhaven.

A. E. Van Lente heads the auditing committee. Helping in planning the budget for the scouting exposition, and auditing accounts is Gerald Kramer.

Stated as aims of the exposition are the following: Exhibiting to the public that scouts are always ready to serve; that scouting skills are many and worthwhile; that scouting develops self-reliance and self-discipline; and that Scouting exercises ingenuity and personal enterprise.

It is planned that every scout unit in the central district will participate. Some 3,000 spectators are expected to attend the exposition. A similar show for the north district is planned for May 24 in Grand Haven high school.

Parking Problem Aired by Group

Holland's parking problems were aired in a 1½-hour session Tuesday of the Public Safety commission. Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff, and members of the streets, roads and highway committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting was called after many protests had been registered on the limited parking space downtown, particularly bus stop and loading zones.

After a thorough discussion, the group decided to "go along" with the Safety commission in a trial period under the current setup.

The subject of parking meters came up and Ald. William J. Meengs explained the main purpose of such a plan in Holland is to provide funds for obtaining municipal parking lots on off-street locations.

Zuverink Gets Omaha Release

George Zuverink, who had been Holland's only baseball player in the minor leagues this year, was notified recently of his unconditional release from the Omaha Cardinals of the Class A Western League. He was one of 300 players which had to be disposed of by the chain before the opening of the current season.

Zuverink arrived at Daytona Beach, Fla. for spring training four weeks ago and since that time has pitched in exhibition games against Columbus, Ohio and Rochester, N.Y. The 6-foot 3-inch Hollander gave creditable performances against both squads. Both outfits are AAA caliber and are loaded with major league cast-offs.

His plans for the future are undecided, and it may be possible that he will remain in Holland and twirl for the Flying Dutchmen this season. He has contacted the Stockton Independents of the California State League and told them of his release, and is now awaiting word from this aggregation. He was one of the few pitchers in the league last year who could consistently whip the Stockton team. He pitched for the Fresno nine which is in the same league. Stockton is now a class B team and has no affiliation with major league clubs.

City Employees Request 15 Cents Per Hour Raise

**Issue Is Referred to
Ways-Means Committee
Without Discussion**

A communication from Holland city employees requesting an increase of 15 cents an hour to compensate them for the increased cost of living, was referred to the Ways and Means committee at a meeting of Common Council Wednesday night.

The communication, signed by Leo Salisbury, secretary, specified employees of the Park and Cemetery departments, the Police department, and employees of Holland hospital. It also pointed out that working agreements of the last year have proved satisfactory and requested their renewal.

The message stipulated May 1 as the effective date for the increase. There was no floor discussion.

A communication of S. H. Houtman requesting approval on the use of the "Little Netherlands" property at Central and 13th for an exhibit substantially as it was in pre-war days, was referred to the Buildings and Grounds committee with power to act.

Houtman wrote he has made a tentative agreement with the Tulip Time committee of the Chamber of Commerce to take over the exhibit on a basis of percentage of profits with a guarantee of \$100 per day for each festival day for the next five years. He explained that since the property is owned by the city, he does not feel free to enter into a proposed agreement without council approval.

He added the project would be directed by his son, Robert W. Houtman, a Navy veteran attending Hope college. He said contract terms were arranged by H. S. Maentz, C. C. Andraesen, Marvin C. Lindeman and Jay H. Pette.

Ald. Bertal Slagh said he understood the Chamber of Commerce was not wholeheartedly behind the project and Chamber Secretary-Manager William H. Vande Water said no transaction has been completed.

Ald. Bernard De Pree, who lives in the vicinity, objected to the state of disrepair the property had fallen into, and said the property has been no credit to the city the last few years.

City Engineer Jacob Zuidema recommended that a retaining wall be built on city property behind police headquarters where cinders have been placed to make a parking lot. He said heavy rains have caused cinders to wash down into a garden just west of the property harming a garden. Council approved fixing up the garden and building a retaining wall to avoid similar occurrences.

Council approved a recommendation of the Ways and Means committee granting increases for the superintendent and clerk of the Board of Public Works, submitted in requests from the board previously. No amounts were listed.

Truck Plunges Into Deep Gulley

Traffic on East Eighth St. was re-routed for almost nine hours Wednesday while a semi-truck loaded with 10 tons of steel, was removed from a deep gully where it had plunged at 3:15 a. m. after the driver failed to make the curve on M-21 and Eighth St.

The driver, John S. Luttrell, 21, of Chicago, injured his wrist in the accident. The large truck was only slightly damaged. Only the rear end of the trailer remained near the shoulder of the road.

Three deputies of the sheriff's department directed traffic, rerouting most the Hart and Coolidge employees and many others.

The driver told officers the accident occurred while it was snowing.

Robinson Resident Dies Unexpectedly of Attack

Grand Haven, April 17 (Special)—Arthur H. Brems, 65, died unexpectedly at his home in Robinson township early Wednesday following a heart attack Sunday. Born in Chicago, Oct. 3, 1881, he came to this vicinity 50 years ago. He was a member of the Robinson Center school board for 35 years. For the last four years he was employed at the Oldberg Manufacturing Co. Previously he operated a farm in Robinson township. He married Mildred Peterson 13 years ago.

Surviving are the wife; a son, Arthur, Jr., at home; two brothers, Charles of Muskegon and William of Robinson township.

Funeral services are scheduled for Friday at 1:30 p. m. in the Van Zantwick and Avers Funeral chapel, the Rev. Victor Felten of St. John's Lutheran church officiating. Burial will be in Lakeview cemetery, Ludington.



Miss Trixie Moore

Directing the Holland High school a cappella choir in a spring concert Thursday night in the high school auditorium will be Miss Trixie Moore, prominent in music affairs in Holland and director of the choir for a number of years.

Miss Moore is a graduate of Northwestern university from which she received a bachelor's degree in music. Last summer she received a master's degree from the same institution.

A number of excellent choirs have been developed by Miss Moore. One year the Holland High school choir under her direction entered the National Competition festival in Springfield and gained a first division rating.

The 94-voice choir will appear Thursday at 8 p. m. in a varied program, augmented in two selections by members of the mixed chorus. Tickets are available from choir members and at the door.

Laketown Board Accepts Officers; Adopts Ordinance

The township board of Laketown township met Monday evening to accept the qualifications of the men elected to office in the spring election. The following men qualified and will be township officers for the next two years:

James Boyce, supervisor; Herman Tien, clerk; Harold J. Alderink, treasurer; William Ash, highway commissioner; Alvin Bauhahn and Herman Van Oss, justices of the peace; John Jipping, member board of review; William Becksford, Steven Langejans and John H. Slenk, constables.

The salaries and per diem of the officers were set at the same rates as have prevailed in the last two years. However, new duties caused by the new registration system and the ordinances will be paid for on a per diem basis until it can be determined how they will fit into the salary schedule.

The township board adopted an ordinance regulating the operation of junk yards and places where automobiles are dismantled. This ordinance is intended to prevent the unsightly piles of junk and old cars seen frequently along highways. The township clerk will have the application forms and licenses and anyone intending to operate such a business can obtain the forms from him.

The board tentatively approved the application of about 2,000 yards of road gravel to highways in the township. It is tentative because they hope that the Road Commission will find time to apply that much gravel. The township park was discussed and it was decided to repair the bath house, which vandals have damaged during the winter, and to place additional gravel on the parking lot.

The board decided that the Gibbons cemetery needs permanent markers for the lot corners and instructed the cemetery committee to contract for sufficient markers to supply the cemetery. After approving bills for the spring election the board adjourned. The next meeting will be held May 5.

Youth Who Took Three Cars to Go to Allegan

The 16-year-old youth of Allegan county, who Monday admitted to local police that he had taken three local cars, will be taken to Allegan Probate Court where he is already under probation, according to Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff, who said Prosecutor Howard W. Fant of Grand Haven had made proper arrangements with Prosecutor Chester I. Ray of Allegan.

The chief said the youth will be charged with larceny of a set of golf clubs, belonging to Ernest C. Brooks of Holland. The clubs were in the Brooks car which the youth was driving when picked up by Holland police Monday afternoon.

Chief Van Hoff explained that this charge is a felony, a type which allows Probate Court to waive jurisdiction. He said the charge of unlawfully driving away an auto without intent to steal is a high misdemeanor. Both, however, are punishable by state prison sentences.

The youth admitted taking cars belonging to Mrs. W. J. Olive, Gerald Vanderberg and Brooks.

First Reformed Church Planning Centennial Book

**Activities for 100th
Anniversary Listed
In Separate Program**

A Centennial book and a complete printed program of Centennial week activities are being distributed to members of First Reformed church as part of their 100th anniversary observance scheduled for April 27 through May 4.

The book, which is a 110-page publication, contains the history of the church written in detail by Dr. Albertus Pieters and Dr. Seth Vander Werf, pictures of ministers, missionaries and all active church groups, and other data making it one of the most complete handbooks ever published by a local church. This book was prepared by Walter Vander Haar, Centennial chairman, and James Nykerk and Peter Dryer, general committee members.

The 12-page booklet, which serves as program guide, lists all activities for the week including four Sunday services, a public meeting in Hope Memorial chapel, two banquets, and an historical play which will be presented on two nights. Program details, banquet menus, play cast and settings and an explanation of the Dutch phrases used in the play are all included in this booklet which was prepared by Miss Beatrice Fortney, publicity chairman, and Miss Elizabeth Ver Schure, Miss Joan Vander Werf, Ray Knooihuizen and Harry Weaver, members of that committee.

Other committee chairmen and members, who were appointed in the spring of 1946, follow: historical committee, Dr. Pieters and Dr. Vander Werf, co-chairmen, John De Kraker, Miss Hilda Stegeman, John Brinkman, Miss Jeanette Westwater, Andrew Stiekette, Rev. G. Tyse, Mrs. A. Nienhuis and Mrs. Minnie Marsilje; invitation, Rev. Bastian Kruthof and A. A. Nienhuis, co-chairmen, William De Haan, Dick Boter, Mrs. Melvin Van Tatenhove and Mrs. Gerald Van Lente.

On the play committee are Mrs. Kruthof and Mrs. Edith Walvoord, co-chairmen, Mrs. Herbert Colton, Ray Mool, Miss Thelma Harmsen, Miss Elaine Bielefeld, Delbert Vander Haar, Elmore Van Lente, Irving Lemmen and Ben Mulder; reception, Mrs. Charles Kuysers and Mrs. Ellen Ruissard, co-chairmen, Mrs. Kuysers, Mrs. Vanden Brink, Bert Vander Poel, Leonard Kammeraad, Mrs. Nella Ellerbroek and Jacob Rusticus; program, Mrs. Ray Lemmen and Mrs. Marvin Vereke, co-chairmen, Carroll Herlein, Mrs. Albert Bielefeld, Mrs. Maurice Vander Haar, Mrs. John Olthoff, Mrs. John Tien, Nelson Kracht, John Van Tatenhove, Jr. and Miss Anne Vander Werf.

Maurice Vander Haar and John Van Tatenhove are finance co-chairmen. On their committee are John De Haan, Leonard Van Lier, Mrs. Julius Kleinknecht, Nellie Zwemer, Ben Poll, Miss Nellie Herrema, Albert Kleis, Mrs. H. De Looft and Chester Kramer.

The banquet committee includes Ralph Zoet and Marvin Shoemaker, co-chairmen, Mrs. Knooihuizen, Herbert Hop, Mrs. Harold Bussies, Mrs. Frank Van Etta, Fred Zeep, Mrs. Jacob Van Dyke and Gerald Van Lente; music, John Ter Beek and Miss Geraldine Walvoord, co-chairmen, Gerrit Bruins, Dick Ter Beek, Fred Van Lente, Miss Edna Van Tatenhove, Mrs. Herbert Wybenga, Miss Ruth Ann Poppen and Miss Louise Ter Beek; decorations, Julius Kleinknecht and Mrs. Cornelius Hoeland, co-chairmen; Edward Boeve, Mrs. John De Haan, Matthew Borr, Mrs. Harry Young, Herbert Wybenga, Miss Minnie Ver Houw, John Mooi and Martin Kammeraad.

Grand Rapids Man Pays Fine on Drunk Charge

Fine and costs of \$15 in the form of an estrated bond were paid in Municipal Court Monday for Harry Estel of Grand Rapids who was arrested by local police on a drunk charge April 9. Estel, who posted a bond shortly after his arrest, failed to appear for arraignment.

Other fines were paid by Justin Brinks, 20, route 6, speeding, \$5; Donald Van Ess, 19, of 333 West 17th St., stop street, \$5; Max J. Bolleman, Hillsdale, double parking, \$1; Charles Bouma, of Paris, Mich., night parking, \$1; Tulip City Cab Co., Holland,

Methodist Mission Service in China Since April, 1847

Church Has All-State Observance of Day of Missionary's Departure

The 100th Anniversary of Methodist missionary service in China was observed April 10 in Ann Arbor commemorating the departure of Judson Dwight Collins, youthful member of the University of Michigan's first graduating class, in April, 1847, to establish the first mission post of his church in China.

An all-day observance was climaxed with a state-wide mass meeting in the Rackham building. Among the outstanding speakers for the day were Dr. Y. C. Yang, president of Soochow University in China and a member of a United Nations commission; Dr. Frank T. Cartwright, associate secretary of the Methodist Board of Missions, recently returned from China, and Dr. Ralph E. Diffendorfer, Methodist missionary leader recognized as America's outstanding authority on foreign missions.

A trip to Judson Collins' grave in Unadilla, his home town, was planned as a part of the observance, with short memorial services conducted there. Also a part of the program was a dramatization of Collins' life by the Adrian College Players. It was given at First Methodist church in Ann Arbor, where the afternoon portion of the observance was held. The play, written and directed by Prof. Matthew A. Vance of Adrian college, was entitled "Before the Mast." The title is taken from Judson Collins' dramatic words in response to Bishop James' lament that the Methodist church had neither missionaries in China, nor money to send them. "Secure me a position before the mast," wrote the youthful Collins, "My strong arms can pull me to China and support me after I get there. God is calling and I must go."

It was Collins' vision and leadership which established a small mission school in Foochow, China, and set a precedent on which the entire educational system is based. In spite of opposition abroad and apathy at home, Collins' work prospered until he contracted tuberculosis which forced him to return to the United States where he died at the age of 29.

A commission established by the Detroit annual conference of the Methodist church and headed by Pres. Samuel J. Harrison of Adrian college, himself a former missionary to China, planned the memorial rally in Ann Arbor. A memorial thank offering of \$50,000 was called for among Michigan Methodists, half being used in Michigan to promote missionary interest among Methodist youth of the state.

Shower Compliments Miss Maxine Veurink

A shower honoring Miss Maxine Veurink, who will become the bride of Jack Zwiers, Jr., in April was given Thursday night by Mrs. G. Veurink, 49 East 22nd St. Game prizes were awarded to Mrs. Abe Van Zanten, Mrs. Arthur Groenhof and Miss Gertrude Van Zanten. A two-course lunch was served by the hostess.

Guests were the Mesdames Arthur Groenhof, Albert Kruithof, Clarence Elzenbaas, Bill Van Wieren, Harold Van Wieren, Jack Zwiers, Sr., Alex Van Zanten, Ben Rooks, Abe Veurink, Hattie Van Zanten, William Veurink, Abe Van Zanten, John Van Zanten and Marvin Van Zanten; also the Mesdames Lavina Van Zanten, Ruth Van Zanten, Mildred Rooks, Barbara De Koster, Betty De Koster, Gladys Grissen, Lucille Bouwman, Marjorie Nyenhuis and Gertrude Van Zanten.

Builder's Class Meets At Mrs. F. Taylor's Home

The Builders class of First Methodist church met Friday night at the home of Mrs. Floyd Taylor, 550 West 18th St. Mrs. William Lindsay read devotions with the theme "Christ's Last Week in the Open Door." Easter hymns were sung and selections were whistled by Mrs. Harvey Slotman.

Mrs. Jenorus Knutson, president, conducted the business meeting. It was voted to send more boxes of food and clothing to Austria and the Netherlands. Mrs. John Kruid read a letter from a recipient of previous gifts from the class expressing the dire need and poverty of the people in Austria.

It was also decided to donate \$45 to the leper fund. A party was planned for April 18 at the home of Miss Grace Thorne for all members with birthdays in March and April. Mrs. Louis Miles and Mrs. Earl McCormick will be in charge of games.

Election will be held at the next meeting in May when there will also be a potluck supper. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Miles.

Identities Cleared

The Hollis Brower, 19, whose operator's license was suspended this week for 60 days due to a bad driving record, is not the Hollis Brower, 20, who lives at 104 East 25th St. The other Brower lives at 128 East 16th St.

Pine trees are hacked for turpentine gum in January.

Married in Iowa Ceremony



Shown cutting the wedding cake at the reception following their marriage March 14 in the Prairie City, Ia., Christian Reformed church, are Mr. and Mrs. Justin Poll.

Michigan Alumni Hear Of School's Progress

Local University of Michigan alumni and their guests, meeting in the Warm Friend Tavern Friday night, heard reports of the university's progress and its contributions to the winning of World War II, as presented by Marvin Niehuus, vice-president of the university and professor of law. More than 50 persons attended the annual dinner meeting.

Prof. Niehuus emphasized the tremendous growth of the university, which now has more than 19,000 students, and outlined its aims for the future. He designated World War II as a significant period when the university mobilized its resources as its contribution to the winning of the war, with 220 members of its faculty called away to special distinguished service, and its program devoted to training programs and research activities. He visualized a university of the future to accommodate about 18,000 students.

Ervin D. Hanson, local Michigan club president, presided at the business meeting which featured election of officers. Cornelius vander Molen was elected president for the coming year; Mrs. Charles K. Van Duren, vice-president; Alex Avery, secretary-treasurer. Report of the nominating committee was made by Henry Maentz. Dr. John R. Mulder pronounced the invocation.

Two applications for university alumni scholarships have been made for next year, according to a report of the committee, which is composed of Mrs. Van Duren and Principal J. J. Riemersma of Holland High schools. Miss Kathleen Essenburg, holder of a scholarship, now a student at the university, was introduced.

Mr. vander Molen served as master of ceremonies, reading a letter of greeting from Junius B. Wood, member of the local club now in Washington, D. C. Miss Betty Van Lente, Hope college senior, played two piano solos, "Romance," by Sibelius, and "Scherzo," by Moskowski.

J. Hawley Tapping, of Ann Arbor, alumni secretary, extended greetings. Also introduced were State Reps. Henry Geerlings and Edward Hutchinson, the latter of Fennville.

Willis Diekema, retiring secretary-treasurer, accompanied group singing. Mrs. Gerda Nesbitt assisted with arrangements for the dinner.

First substitutes for leather were made in the United States in 1849.



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Mrs. Grace Reimink to Observe 80th Birthday

Friends and relatives will honor Mrs. Grace Reimink who observes her 80th birthday anniversary Thursday at an open house Wednesday afternoon and evening in her home at 13 West 18th St. Mrs. Reimink will receive guests from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p. m.

The daughter of Gerrit Rutgers, Sr., who came to Holland with Dr. A. C. Van Raalte in 1847, Mrs. Reimink is the only surviving member of that early family. She was born in Graafschap where she lived until four years ago when she came to Holland to live with her son Bert Reimink and family.

There are three children, Mrs. John H. Post of Holland, Mrs. Garry Baker of Graafschap and Mr. Reimink, and seven grandchildren.

In good health for her advanced years, Mrs. Reimink is a member of Graafschap Christian Reformed church and regularly attends services there twice each Sunday.

High School A Cappella Choir To Give Concert

Thursday at 8 p. m. the Holland High school a cappella choir, under the direction of Miss Trixie Moore, will present its Spring concert in the Holland High school auditorium.

Music to be sung by the choir, consisting of 94 members, will be of both sacred and secular nature. Part of the program will be sung by a combined chorus of both the choir and mixed chorus.

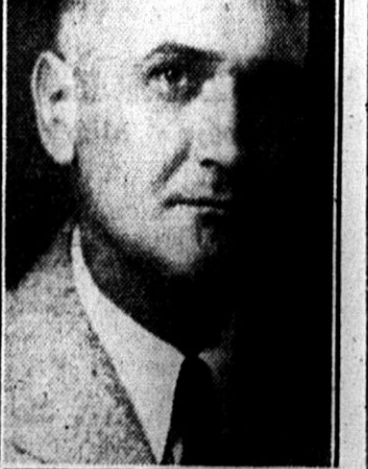
Tickets for the concert can be obtained from any member of the choir.

Women's Mission Society Meets in Fourth Church

The Women's Mission society of Fourth Reformed church met Thursday afternoon in the church parlors. President Mrs. H. Van Dyke presided. Devotions were led by Mrs. J. Vander Hill and Mrs. G. Elgersma.

Miss Joan Ten Hoeve, accompanied by Miss Prudence Haskin, sang "In the Garden" and "The Lost Chord." Rev. Van Dyke talked on the United Advance and the importance of missionary work.

Mrs. J. Overbeek was hostess.



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Ghandi Accused of Bucking Christians

Chicago, April 17.—Dr. John A. Subhan, Methodist bishop of Bombay, has accused Mahatma Ghandi of actively opposing the growth of Christianity in India.

"Ghandi is deliberately putting great obstacles in the path of the Christian missionary movement," he said here. "He is preaching among the Hindus the idea that conversion must not be permitted. 'If Ghandi's policy is followed after India becomes an independent state, Christian missionaries will be restricted and will be forbidden to proselytize.'"

Bishop Subhan said Ghandi's opposition to Christianity does not arise from any active objection to Christian ideals but from the fact that the Hindu regard a man's religion as the faith and state of life into which he was born, and not into which he is converted.

The growth of Christianity in India continues to amaze non-Christians, Bishop Subhan said pointing out that from only 3,000,000 in 1911 the Christian religions have grown to eight million in 1946. He declared that communism is growing amazingly in India among the working classes but is still basically an underground movement. The Communists are making their greatest gains among Hindus, he said.

May Bride-Elect Feted At Surprise Shower

A surprise miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Thelma Batema, a May bride-elect, Thursday night at the home of Mrs. John Batema, 425 East 16th St., by Mrs. Alvin Batema and Mrs. John Batema, Jr.

Games were played and prizes awarded. A two-course lunch was served.

Guests were the Mesdames George Dalman, L. C. Dalman, Andrew Dalman, George Dalman, Jr., John Westerhof, Gerrit Veenboer, Hendrik Bosman, Bud Westerhof, Howard Kooker, Eva Tripp, John H. Tripp, Clarence Dokter, Ben Batema, Gary Batema, Harold Smith, Gerald Batema, Jay Bruijschot, Jennie Batema, and the Mesdames Jennie Batema, Billie Tripp, Leona Westerhof, Mary Sue Smith.

Officers Installed By VFW Auxiliary

Officers of the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary were installed at exercises Thursday night in the VFW building on West Seventh St. Mrs. Jeanette Sundin, the first president of the VFW auxiliary, was installing officer.

Mrs. Lillian Borchers was installed as president; Mrs. Norma Steggerda, senior vice-president; Mrs. Ruth Overway, junior vice-president; Mrs. Maria Roos, treasurer; Mrs. Sarah Thrall, chaplain; Mrs. Claudia Petersen, historian; Mrs. Flora Kow, conductress; Mrs. Kate Wyngarden, guard; Mrs. Geneva Bremer, secretary; Mrs. Eldena De Vries, Mrs. Doris Oosterbaan and Mrs. Ruth John, color bearers; Mrs. Ruby Myers, patriotic instructor; Mrs. Aurelia Althuis, Mrs. Irma Knapp, trustees.

Gifts were presented to the retiring president, Mrs. Althuis; the retiring secretary, Mrs. Alice Johnson and the retiring musician, Mrs. Jeanette Sundin.

Several guests were present at the open meeting. A potluck lunch was enjoyed.

It was announced that a special meeting will be held in the VFW building Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Zeeland

(From Saturday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Heuvelhorst, who visited relatives and friends in California, Nevada and Arizona, have returned to their home in Zeeland.

Mrs. Anna K. Keppel of Detroit and Mrs. Mary De Krul of Ann Arbor spent a few days this week visiting in Zeeland.

Miss Elizabeth Boerman, Central Ave., has left for Los Angeles, for an indefinite stay.

A union meeting of the First Christian Reformed church girls' society and the Young Men's society was held at the chapel this week. A Bible discussion was held, after which Nick Tanis talked about missionary work at Millgrove.

Miss Nella Den Herder, teacher at Barryton, was a recent visitor in Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nies and son of Ann Arbor were recent visitors at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Nies, Cherry St.

The Rev. John M. Dykstra will conduct services at the Overisel Christian Reformed church Sunday afternoon.

In the annual exchange Sunday of the Reformed church the Rev. R. Schaap of Vriesland will conduct services at Ottawa Station. The Rev. Postma of Decatur will conduct services at the Vriesland Reformed church.

The Rev. J. Rozendal of Beaverdam will conduct services at the Allegan Reformed church, and the Rev. Richard Van Farow of Portage will be in charge of services at the Beaverdam church.

Federal PTA To Meet

The final Federal school Parent-Teachers association meeting for the school year will be held Friday at 7:30 p. m. in the school gym. Andrew Vinstra, president, will conduct the meeting. Mrs. Russell Bouws, program chairman, announces that several pupils will present short safety plays. Parents will have an opportunity to meet the teachers.

Supported by Immanuel Church



At a recent congregational meeting of Immanuel church it was decided that the Sunday school would assume responsibility for the missionary support of Miss Margaret Datema and Miss Janet Glupker.

Miss Datema is working under the auspices of the Central American mission and has been appointed to the school and home for missionaries' children at Heuhtenango, Guatemala. Miss Glupker is engaged in child evangelism work in Lakeland, Fla. under the Children's Bible mission. Both young ladies are graduates of the Moody Bible Institute, members of Immanuel church, and were reared in this community.



Miss Margaret Datema and Miss Janet Glupker

Miss Datema is the daughter of Jacob Datema of Hamilton, and Miss Glupker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Glupker, of 413 Columbia Ave., Holland. Assumption of their support brings to nine the total of missionaries supported by Immanuel church. Others are Miss Marie Barham with the China Inland mission at Guhsien, Chekiang province, China; the Rev. Asaph Toberl, the Rev. and Mrs. Harry Newhouse and the Rev. and Mrs. John Grant, all in Nigeria, Africa; and Miss Ethel Mokma, working in Whitesburg, Ky. Sunday is missionary Sunday in Immanuel church when offerings for missions will be received.

Children's Work Told Local WCTU Members

Mrs. Lefa Snyder of Grand Rapids, president of the Fifth District, Womens Christian Temperance union, was guest speaker at the meeting of the local unit held in First Methodist church Friday afternoon. Mrs. Snyder was accompanied by Mrs. Cecil Streeter, vice-president of the Fifth district, who told briefly of the work done in the Recreation center sponsored by unions of Kent county.

In a building lately bought for this purpose, located on Ionia Ave. in a neighborhood called a "little hell" by the police of that precinct, the work is carried on among children. Most of the children come from colored families. They can come after school and stay until 9 p. m. Volunteer workers lead the Bible studies, teach good health and sanitation, manual training and sewing.

Results are seen, though progress is slow. Some 150 children have been registered and there is an average attendance of 50 or 60 children. Mrs. Streeter also gave a report of the Brown Home for aged women, sponsored by the WCTU.

Mrs. Snyder's address dealt with women and the alcohol problem. Highlighting her discourse with excerpts from newspapers and current magazines, she gave figures and facts proving that in this country alone 100,000 women are chronic alcoholics. There has been a steady increase of arrests for drunken driving among women. Mrs. Snyder said that the war years are partly to blame for this condition. Women were left alone, had more money than ever before and the taboo has been taken off. Women are not stigmatized for drinking in public, though the female barfly is an appalling sight, she declared.

Mrs. Snyder also called attention to the evil of liquor ads along the nation's highways, popularizing liquor, familiarizing even little children, through attractive pictures, with this menace to our nation. Drinking scenes in movies also are responsible for this growing evil. A cleanup is drastically needed, the speaker emphasized. Modern literature deals with this problem and the danger is being recognized.

Mrs. Snyder told about the slogan the WCTU has taken for this year's campaign, "Let your neighbors know the evil alcohol has brought into the world." In connection with this campaign Mrs. Snyder displayed pamphlets issued by the National WCTU. A lively discussion followed her address.

Announcement was made of the annual district convention to be held May 9 in Grand Haven.

Mrs. B. Smith conducted devotions, using the theme, "Your Salvation Cometh." Tea was served by Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Dick Vander Meer and Mrs. Margaret Markham.

Heart Attack Fatal for Thomas Morse of G.H.

Grand Haven April 17 (Special)—Thomas William Morse, 67, died of a heart attack at 9 p. m. Wednesday. An ambulance was called to take him to Municipal hospital but when the ambulance arrived at his home, Mr. Morse was dead.

He was born in Muskegon Aug. 7, 1879. He was a member of the Masonic lodge, O.E.S. and was well known in Grand Haven where he lived for the last 22 years, coming from Muskegon in 1925. Mr. Morse operated a minnow concession on Water St.

He first started at the state park until the concession there was taken over by the American Legion, and then moved his equipment to Water St., where he since operated. Mr. Morse had purchased all new equipment for his summer business, which he expected to expand.

He married the former Elsie Curtis of Fruitport, June 30, 1909, who survives him, as does one sister, Mrs. Clara Stark of Muskegon.

Local Woman Arrives In Le Havre, France

Mrs. Harry Bliss, East 26th St., arrived in Le Havre, France after a rough 11-day crossing in the converted troopship, Marine Marlin, that sailed from New York March 10. Mrs. Bliss had booked passage on the John Ericsson that burned at the New York pier the night before it was to sail.

In a letter to her sister, Mrs. Ben Vanden Bos, Mrs. Bliss says she is staying at the Truman Hotel in Mannheim, Germany. This hotel is headquarters for American Army Occupation officers and wives. Mrs. Bliss' brother, Jack Wildschut of Zeeland, is in charge of the PX there.

As soon as he is granted a furlough they will go to the Netherlands where they have several relatives and then to Belgium and France.

Keep Dog Home; Gardens Starting

With spring gardens being planted and tulips and other plants several inches tall, the police department today issued a warning to dog owners to keep their pets on their own premises or under control at all times.

The warning came after many complaints had been received. Enforcement officials said the law which is in effect the year around will be rigidly enforced and warrants will be issued owners of offending dogs.

Owners who allow dogs to run early in the morning or late in the evening also were warned to desist.

All complaints on dogs should be sent to the police department or sheriff's department. Poundmaster Tony Beyer works out of these departments.

Douglas

(From Friday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. John Schriber of Chicago were recent guests of Mrs. George Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Meier of Grand Rapids, spent the week-end as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McVoys.

Paul Spillman, of Chicago has been visiting in the Frank Oliver home. Mr. Spillman is a brother of Mrs. Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wicks of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wicks.

Mr. and Mrs. De Forest Doerner and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Naill of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bekken.

Miss Maxine Demerest, has returned from a visit with friends in Ionia.

Roy McDonald has resigned as caretaker of the school and has accepted a position as guard in the Northern Wood Products Co., Holland.

The Past Matrons club of Douglas chapter, O.E.S. planned a meeting for April 9 in the home of Mrs. Claud Ellis but it was postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dunn have moved into one of the apartments above the Fabricated Steel Co.

Mrs. Lillian Grimes Eddy celebrated her 84th birthday recently. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimes Eddy of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Plummer of Bath and Joan and Joyce Eddy of Kalamazoo.

The Home Town club dance was well attended Friday evening. The refreshment committee included Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Van Dragt and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Working.

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Civic Leader of Grand Haven Dies In Chicago Hotel

Hardware Co. Owner Stricken With Heart Attack on Week-End

Grand Haven, April 17 (Special)—Hartger S. Jonker, 48, Grand Haven business man and civic leader, died unexpectedly of a heart attack at 7:30 a.m. Sunday in the Palmer House, Chicago, where he and his wife, together with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hostetter and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Ernst were spending the week-end. Death came an hour after he was stricken.

He was born in Grand Haven April 8, 1899, and attended local schools and Grand Rapids Business college in Grand Rapids. He enlisted in the National guard at the age of 16 and went through major campaigns of World War I, being discharged as a sergeant in 1919. A brother, Alvin, was killed in action in France Oct. 10, 1918.

Mr. Jonker was owner and manager of the Jonker Hardware Co., which was organized in April, 1921, when he and the late Charles L. Robinson purchased the Boomgard Hardware Co. Mr. Jonker bought on the Robinson interests in 1927.

He was a member of First Presbyterian church, the American Legion, VFW, Elks and Masonic lodges, Kiwanis club, Chamber of Commerce, Stag club, Spring Lake Country club and an early member of the airport committee. He was a former president of the Board of Public Works and a former member of the Hospital board.

Surviving are the wife, the former Irene Webster of Chicago; four children, Mrs. Robert Evans of Grand Rapids, Alvin who attends Michigan State college, Nancy and Kenneth at home; two sisters, Mrs. Ello E. Emery of Grand Haven and Mrs. William H. Patterson of Grand Rapids. He was a nephew of Mrs. Minnie Borgman and Mrs. Edward Winters of Holland.

Zeeland

(From Thursday's Sentinel)

Soloists at the First Reformed church morning worship were Esther Vanden Bosch, Mrs. John Boeve, June Meusen, Mrs. Marcell Gallente, John Vanden Bosch and Gordon Berkompas. The choir presented "The Lord of the Easter Tide" by Edith Sanford Tillotson, music by John D. Creswell.

The Rev. Stanley Schipper of Seventh Reformed, Grand Rapids will be in charge of services at the First Reformed church next Sunday in the annual exchange sponsored by the particular synod of Chicago Expansion committee and the Western Seminary. The pastor, Rev. A. Rynbrandt will go to Cornish Reformed church.

The Senior C.E. society of the First Reformed church is collecting Holland and German Bibles because of the extreme shortage of Bibles in Holland and Germany.

Drenthe

(From Thursday's Sentinel)

Miss Lila Mae Schra who is at the sanatorium at Grand Rapids spent Easter Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Schra.

Infant baptism was administered Sunday to Elaine Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Nykamp.

Sunday evening the Young Peoples society of Drenthe invited the young people of the Beaverdam, Oakland and Zutphen societies to a combined hymn sing. The meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. N. Veltman and the Rev. S. Werkema led the song service. The Beaverdam society presented an instrumental number; Oakland Girls Trio sang and a solo was sung by a member of the Zutphen society. The Drenthe Men's quartet also sang. The meeting was closed with singing, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" as a farewell to Rev. Werkema who will leave Monday for Iowa Falls, Ia. The Rev. Yff closed with prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Arendsen of Forest Grove and M. De Kleins and Louis spent an evening recently with Miss Jean Vis.

The Christian school society met Wednesday evening in the church basement. Music was furnished by the Gelder sisters of Beaverdam. A very inspiring address was given by Dr. Bert Bos from the Holland Christian school.

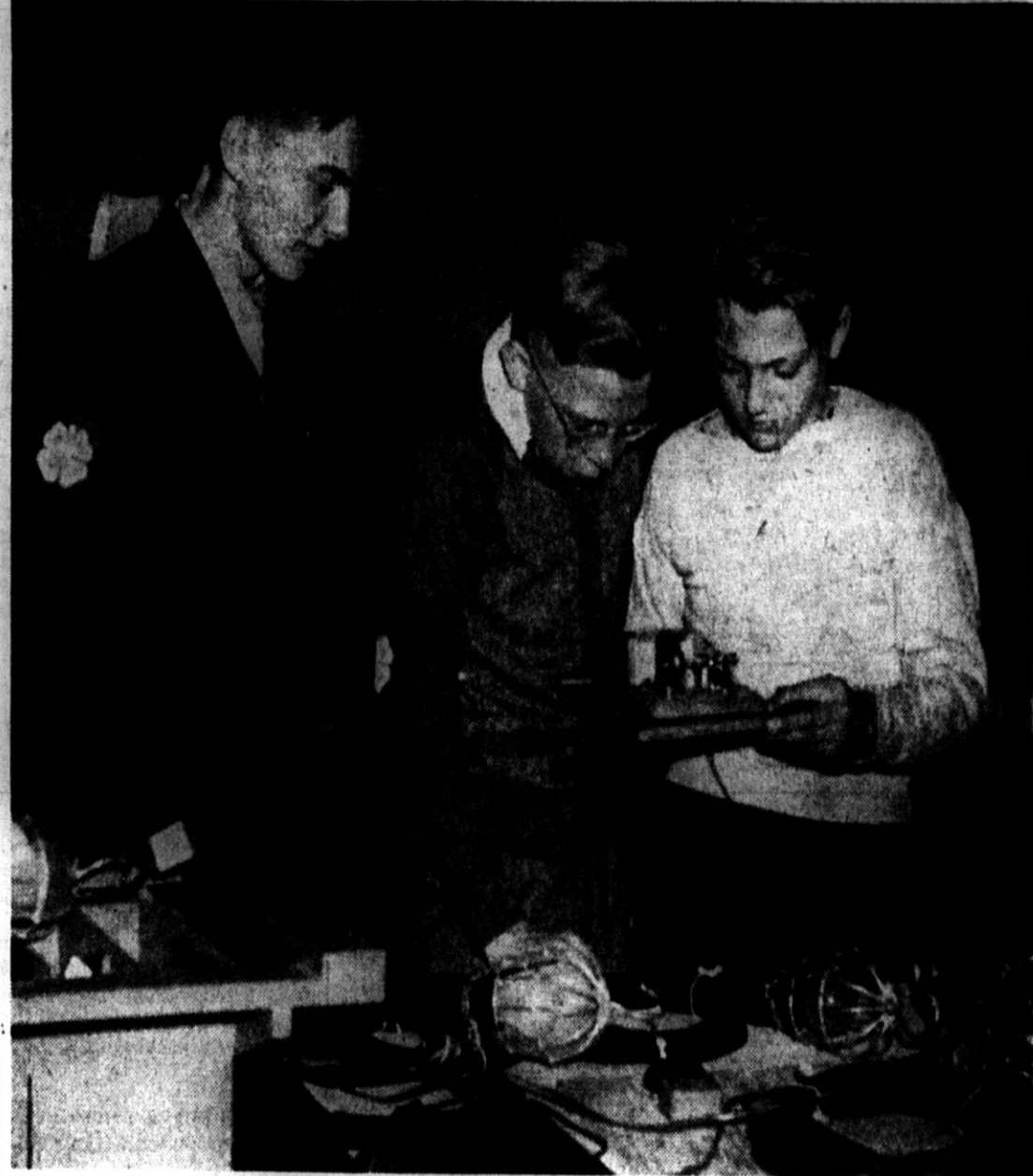
Four Escape Hurts When Tie Rod of Car Breaks

Four youths escaped injuries Saturday night when a tie rod of the car in which they were riding broke, causing the car to leave the highway, run into a guard wire pulling down about 10 poles and coming within a few feet of going into the river at a big culvert drop-off.

The accident occurred at 11:15 p. m. on M-21 about 1 1/2 miles east of Holland. The driver was Criston De Jongh, 17, route 2 with him were James Garvelink, route 1, Zeeland; and Kenneth Wright and Russell Van Dyke, both of route 4.

The damaged car was hauled to Zeeland by a wrecker. Sheriff's officers investigated.

The United States took formal possession of the Hawaiian islands in 1898.



DISPLAY PROGRESS

Members of the Husky Farmers Electrical club of Townline

school inspect their exhibits at 4-H Achievement day in Holland High school. Standing, left to right, are

John Kossen, Dale Mohr and Gordon Kossen, all of route 1, Zeeland. (Penna-Sas photo)

Volleys From Ambush

JUST WHO was it that called Oregon the land of the Webfoot? These last few days have just gone to prove the old adage that it never rains but it pours.

One of the Ambushers friends, who shall be nameless, decided to throw a little grass seed around, so he talked to Larry Wade who gave him detailed instructions on scattering the seed around, raking it and rolling it into place. "Now here," thinks our friend, "is a man who knows how to grow a lawn. Perchance I should lend an ear." And so he did. That is, he lent an ear and he followed Larry's instructions to the letter. Then came the rains. A little later the lawn was a veritable sea. So our friend asked Larry if he thought the rain would harm the newly planted seed. Quoth Larry, "I dunno. I never planted a grass seed in my life!"

Judge Fred T. Miles, in speaking of humorous incidents in his long and honorable career as a jurist, told the Kiwanians he hoped the Ambusher would desist from reprinting any of the incidents related. The Ambusher defers to the bench, but it certainly can't be called contempt of court if the Ambusher notes an incident that occurred this week. May it please the court, congratulations on your 70th birthday!

While congratulations are being discussed, the Ambusher wants to take this chance to congratulate the Jaycee Auxiliary for their library project at Holland hospital. The local matrons and their book cart are certainly welcomed by shut-ins at the hospital. This corner hopes you get statewide recognition for this unselfish gesture.

With the coal strike still unsettled, this bit may be welcome news to plenty of people in Holland. There is all the kindling wood you want just for the taking at Northern Wood Products. The company asked the Ambusher to pass the word around to any who want to help themselves to piles of crating. The pieces are mostly small and useful only as kindling. The Ambusher is happy to pass this information on. The offer is good until Tuesday morning.

Durwood Wiltendrick can smile in spite of drenching April showers these days, for he sports a Japanese officer's rain coat. Wiltendrick, assistant personnel man at Bohn Aluminum, says a Jap officer "sold" the coat to him. Unintelligible Japanese characters line the front flap. They probably contain the name of the coat's former owner.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. De Weese, who live on the banks of the creek on East 16th St. have solved one flood problem. They tied their picnic table to a tree when the creek overflowed and threatened to float everything away that was movable.

It probably isn't sporting to mention it, but spring vacation is drawing to a close for local schools and the pupils and students will be answering the school bells again next week. Sorry, but that's the trouble with a vacation, they all have to end sometime.

The change gadgets used by banks and theater cashiers are handy things, but their utility is usually limited to making change. One customer at First National bank the other day put it to another use. After completing his business there, he carefully deposited his cigarette ash in the coin "bowl."

A local agency long-distancing the visual education department in Chicago (before the telephone strike) and was amazed to hear the greeting, "County Morgue." After checking, he found the op-

Personal

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Slooten and Mr. and Mrs. William Overway spent the week-end in Chicago.

Dr. and Mrs. William Winter of 291 West 12th St. announce the birth of a son, Paul Arthur, Sunday at the local hospital.

A daughter was born Wednesday at the local hospital to Mr. and Mrs. William Plum of 252 East 14th St.

Pfc. Gerald Houting, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Houting, route 1, was graduated this week from a 16-weeks Air Training Command basic airplane mechanics training course at Keesler field, Miss.

Betty and Carol Cowan, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cowan of Virginia Park, are confined to their home with mumps.

Pfc. Kenneth D. Cook of 29 West 22nd St., recently with the military personnel of Madigan General hospital at Tacoma, Wash., has been discharged, according to Col. Maxwell G. Keeler, commanding officer.

Mrs. H. C. Marks, 276 Washington Blvd., is convalescing at Holland hospital after being ill with pneumonia. Her children, the Rev. Marvin E. Marks of Frankfurt, Ind., and Mrs. Sarah Versteeg of Wayne, called on her recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boscher, 1009 Dallas Ave., Grand Rapids, announce the birth of a daughter Sunday morning in Butterworth hospital. Mrs. Boscher is the former Jane Ash of Holland.

Mr. Gerrit Van Zyl accompanied his sister, Mrs. George Schutmaat of Hamilton, to Detroit last Wednesday and Thursday where they attended meetings of the Michigan State Federation of Women's clubs.

Mr. Schutmaat is president of the Allegan county chapter. Among the outstanding conference speakers were Dr. Harley Lutz, professor of government finance at Princeton university; Dr. Allan Stockdale and Mrs. Oscar Ahlgren, recording secretary of the national federation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirchen have returned to their home on route 4 after spending two months at Tyron, N. C. Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald returned with her parents after spending three weeks with them there.

Local Juvenile Pleads Guilty to Forgery Count

Grand Haven April 17 (Special)—Donald Earl Tien, 15, of 668 Central Ave., Holland, in whose case the Probate Court waived jurisdiction, was arraigned in Circuit Court Saturday morning on a forgery charge, to which he pleaded guilty. He will return later for disposition of his case.

Tien is alleged to have forged four \$100 checks on different dates during March, using his father's name, George Tien. Three of the checks were cashed at the First National Bank of Holland on which they were drawn, and the fourth at the Fox Jewelry Co., where he purchased a ring for approximately \$34 and took the balance in cash.

He has been on probation in the Ottawa Probate Court since Oct. 13, 1946, when he took \$1,700 of his father's money.

Rejoins Army

Sgt. Gilbert Johnson, local Army recruiting sergeant announced today that Edwin L. Bulson, 23, son of Mrs. Lucy Bulson of route 1, has reenlisted in the Army for 3 years. He was discharged last month as a first lieutenant in the Air Corps, and was sworn back in as a master sergeant last Tuesday at Detroit. He was then sent to Chanute field, Ill., where he will wait for a new assignment.

Ottawa County Transfers Real Estate

Fred W. Hippler and wf. to John F. Castle and wf. Pt. NE4 Sec. 6-8-15.

Lloyd Ruster to Loran E. Cooke and wf. Lot 15 Laug's Asses. Plat No. 2 Coopersville.

Vincent A. Martin and wf. to John F. Castle and wf. Pt. SE4 NE4 Sec. 6-8-15.

Consumers Power Co. to Charles B. Riemersma Lot 7 Hyma's Supr. Resubd. Holland Twp.

Robert Norman Moon and wf. to Justin W. Smeege and wf. Lots 42 and 43 Jensen Park, Park Twp.

Delbert Soderberg and wf. to Arie Schuitman and wf. Pt. Lot 25 Harrington. Westerhof and Kramer's Add. No. 2 Holland.

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Mrs. Annabelle Economon to William Byko Pt. NE4 SE4 Sec. 1-8-16.

Orren L. Deremo and wf. to Johan De Young and wf. Lot 14 Bk 2 Hopkins Add. to Village of Spring Lake.

May Barnard et al. to Kent County Girl Scouts Council Pt. E4 SW 1/4 Sec. 33-6-16.

Marius J. Kole and wf. to Harold Vander Bie and wf. Pt. Lot 10 Heneveld's Supr. Plat No. 13 Park Twp.

Albert Winstrom and wf. to William F. Winstrom and wf. Lot 2 Harrington's Add. No. 3 to Macatawa Park Grove Park Twp.

Henry A. Van Kampen and wf. to Peter Roels and wf. Pt. Lot 53 and Pt. Lot 54 Dornink's Subd. Bk 2 Add. to City of Holland.

Clara E. McClellan et al. to William F. Winstrom and wf. Lot 35 Harrington's Add. No. 3 to Macatawa Park Grove Park Twp.

John Schlukebr and wf. to Robert Kamp and wf. Pt. Lot 5 in Sec. 10-8-16.

John Schlukebr and wf. to William Kamp and wf. Pt. Lot 5 in Sec. 10-8-16.

Francis Joseph Haas to Lester L. Bliss and wf. Lot 33 Weersing's First Add. City of Holland.

John Bosma et al. to Clara Madison N 2/5 N4 SE4 SW4 Sec. 28-8-16.

John J. Boeve and wf. to Gerrit J. Van Dyke and wf. Lots 36, 37 and 38 Wabeke's Add. to City of Holland.

Joseph Dalman and wf. to Ray Gerrits and wf. NW4 NW4 Sec. 29-6-13.

John F. Castle and wf. to Dennis W. Baker and wf. Lot 17 Linnview Plat.

Anna Vojkovic Koritza to Edward Poel and wf. N4 SE4 Sec. 29-7-15.

Mrs. Louise M. Rutgers Dies in Huyser Home

Zeeland, April 17 (Special)—Mrs. Louise M. Rutgers of Holland, 68, died Sunday noon at the home of her nephew, Ross Huyser, Holland route 5. She was the widow of Gerrit J. Rutgers.

Surviving are one son, Benjamin J. Rutgers of Holland; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jerry Graham of Jackson; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Peter Schipprus of Chicago and Richard J. Ton, Los Angeles, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Otto, Mrs. Ella Otto and Mrs. Nadeline Otto, all of Chicago.

Funeral rites will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Dykstra funeral home, Holland. Dr. H. D. Ter Keurst will officiate.

Per capita consumption of milk products in the United States has varied less than 6 per cent in 15 years.

Reformed Church Exchange Sunday Pastors Listed

Sunday was the annual Exchange Sunday for the particular synod of Chicago, Reformed Church in America, when pastors exchanged pulpits and Western Theological seminary students filled in vacancies.

Assignments for the Holland classis were as follows:

Beechwood, a.m., Mr. W. Lemmen; p.m., Rev. M. Folkert; Beaverdam, Rev. R. Van Farow; Bentheim, Rev. H. Van Egmond; Central Park, p.m., Rev. J. Benes; Dunningville, Rev. P. Muyskens; Overisel, Rev. M. Klaaren; Ebenezer, Dr. John R. Mulder, a.m.; Dr. Lester J. Kuyper, p.m.; Forest Grove, Rev. G. J. Rozeboom; Hamilton, Mr. C. Muyskens; Harlem, Rev. H. Fikse; First, Rev. C. Meengs; Hope, Rev. M. de Velder; Third, Dr. L. Benes; Fourth, Rev. H. Colenbrander; Trinity, Dr. H. Terkeurst; Sixth, a.m., Rev. E. Osterhaven; p.m., Dr. G. Mengenga; Bethel, a.m., Mr. J. Hibma; p.m., Mr. H. Buis; Maplewood, Rev. E. Tanis; Hudsonville, a.m., Dr. G. Mengenga; p.m., Rev. J. Vanderbeek.

Jamestown, Rev. B. Kruithof; North Blendon, Rev. H. Zylstra; North Holland, p.m., Rev. H. Rosenberg; Ottawa, Rev. R. Schaap; South Blendon, Rev. R. Jager; Vriesland, Rev. C. Postma; First, Zeeland, Rev. S. Schipper; Second, Zeeland, Dr. S. Blocker, a.m.; Dr. John R. Mulder, p.m.

Harvey Hoekstra of Western Seminary preached at Emmanuel church in the Chicago classis; the Rev. T. Schaap at Englewood and the Rev. J. Baar, Hope, G. Van Oostenburg and C. Romence of the Seminary preached at morning and afternoon services at ninth in the Grand Rapids classis; Delbert Vander Haar, Bethany; H. De Roo and H. Steele at Bethel; Dr. R. Oudersluis, Central; the Rev. George Douma, Casnovia; Thomas Boslooper, Fairview; Wayne Lemmen, Grace; the Rev. H. Ten Clay, Hope; H. Steele and D. Vander Haar at Grandville, morning and evening services.

John Janssen and J. Vos conducted services at Fulton, Second in Illinois classis and Robert Hector the afternoon service at Newton.

In the Kalamazoo classis R. Ten Clay preached at Battle Creek; F. Buseman at Detroit, Grace; H. Wieringa at Detroit, Nardin Park; the Rev. H. Van Dyke at Kalamazoo, First; A. Johnson, morning, Kalamazoo, Third, W. Ietswaart, Dutch, afternoon, W. Dykstra, evening; W. Vandenberg at Kalamazoo, Fourth; Dr. J. J. Sessler at Kalamazoo, Bethany; W. Vandenberg, afternoon at Kalamazoo, Trinity; W. Dykstra, morning at Kalamazoo, North Park; A. Johnson, North Park, evening; Paul Miller at Portage; A. De Voogd, morning, Twin Lake; B. Brunsting, evening.

In Muskegon classis W. Kroon was at Atwood; J. Van Heest at Falmouth and Moddersville; G. Poppen at Forest Home, Muskegon, morning; J. Gillesse at Lucas; the Rev. W. Miller at Muskegon, First; J. Bos at Fellowship; G. Poppen, evening at Unity; the Rev. C. Stoppels at Barnard; J. Muddie and F. Ligtenberg at Trinity, Muskegon.

N. Tenpas was at Fond du Lac, Grace, Wisconsin classis; the Rev. R. Redeker at Sheboygan Falls and J. Maassen at Wisconsin Rapids, Faith, G. Wolbrink preached at Byron Center, Methodist; Dr. Lester Kuyper at Gibson and the Rev. H. Rozendal at Packard Gospel center.

Illustrious Potentate Visits Holland Shriners

Illustrious Potentate Harold G. Vaughan visited Holland's Shrine club at its April meeting. Other members of the Divan visiting with him were Claude L. Goldner, recorder, Churchill K. Linkfield, chief rabban, Lewis M. Lockley, treasurer and William C. Diedrich, prophet.

Mr. Vaughan spoke to members emphasizing the imperative need of suppression of communism and a return to an appreciation of true value. He said that a system of popular education should be brought forth to enable individuals to differentiate the true from the false philosophies.

A letter from the father of three men killed in action to United States congressmen, asking their action to free the United States of communism, was read by Mr. Vaughan. Petitions were circulated for names of local men opposed to Communists.

Circuit Court Grants Four Divorce Decrees

Grand Haven April 17 (Special)—Four divorce decrees were awarded in Circuit Court Saturday.

Mitchell A. Dykstra of Spring Lake received a decree from his wife, Martha Evelyn, who is now in Atlanta, Ga., and has custody of the one minor child.

Minnie Pellegrom was awarded a decree from William Pellegrom. Both are from Grand Haven. There are no minor children involved.

Flora Smith was awarded a decree from Frank Smith, both of Grand Haven.

Norma June Samuel of Grand Haven was awarded a decree from Marvin N. Samuel of Chicago. Mrs. Samuel was awarded custody of the minor son.

Miss Mary Fredrickson Wed to Alfred Nedeau

An attractive arrangement of tall tapers in crystal holders centered by a bouquet of white stock and carnations with huckleberry greens for contrast decorated the mantel in the home of the bride's parents Thursday afternoon when Miss Mary Ellen Fredrickson became the bride of Alfred B. Nedeau, Jr. of Boston, Mass.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Fredrickson of Central Park, and Mr. Nedeau is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Nedeau of Little Falls, N. Y.

Vows were exchanged before the fireplace at 3 p.m. with the Rev. Herman Rosenberg of the Central Park Reformed church reading the nuptial service in the presence of relatives and close friends. Mrs. Leon Sandy played the wedding music.

The dining room was decorated with bouquets of white stock and pink tulips. Tall tapers in brass candelabra accented a green table cloth.

For her wedding the bride chose a smart honey beige gabardine suit with a matching bangkok hat trimmed with yellow flowers and a green veil. Johanna Hill roses tied with a beige and pink ribbon formed her bridal bouquet. The groom's gift was a cameo and gold bracelet.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Barbara Nedeau of Concord, N. H., sister of the groom. She wore a gray gabardine suit with navy straw hat and carried a bouquet of yellow roses.

Benjamin Bowmaster served as best man.

A reception in the Marine room of Warm Friend Tavern followed the ceremony. Places were set for 40 guests. Miss Marjorie Borgman presided at the punch bowl and Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Fredrickson were master and mistress of ceremonies.

Following their return from a wedding trip to Chicago Mr. and Mrs. Nedeau will live at Central Park. Mr. Nedeau is a student at Hope college.

Annual 'Spring Frolic' Attracts Large Crowd

More than 200 members and guests attended the gala annual "Spring Frolic," in the Tower club, Holland youth center, Friday night where dancing was the featured entertainment.

Gay decorations in spring colors transformed the room into a May garden. Garlands of flowers were wound about the pillars in the center of the room. Door prizes were won by Hope Beyer, Kenneth Victor and Maxine Mulder.

Assisting as host and hostess for the party were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen, Mrs. J. G. Van Leuven is youth center director.

Marge Mulder and Dawn Brower were co-chairmen for the party. Other committee members included Betty Van Lente, Maxine Mulder, Pat Salisbury, Bob Lemmen, Lois Elferdink, Margo Marcotte, Mary Jo Geerlings and Jim Slaght.

Philathea Class Has Hat Parade

A hat parade, arranged by Mrs. Mike Skaalen and her committee of new members, featured the program at the dinner arranged for members and guests of the Philathea class of First Methodist church Friday night in the church parlors. Dinner was served by Mrs. E. J. Holder and her committee. Several former members from out of town were present.

Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Sidney Krupnick, and Mrs. George Danson presided at the business meeting.

Judging of the hats was in charge of Mrs. Olin Walker, Miss Clara McClellan, Mrs. H. L. Dunwoody and Mrs. Harry Harrington. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Krupnick for the prettiest hat, to Mrs. Earl Ragains for the oldest hat, which was 100 years old; to Mrs. Rudolph Mattson, smallest hat; Mrs. Georgene Brown, largest; Mrs. Robert Greenwood, funniest; Mrs. LeRoy Pontious, most original; Miss McClellan modeled a Dutch hat and sang a song in Dutch.

Songs were sung by the group as appropriate hats were modeled.

Miss Hester Pellegrom Honored at Luncheon

Mrs. Neal Wiersema of Holland and Mrs. Bert Van Vulp of Muskegon entertained with a miscellaneous shower Saturday in the Wiersema home at 371 College Ave. for Hester Pellegrom, fiancée of Paul Kircher. The affair was in the form of a 1 p. m. luncheon.

Guests included the Mesdames B. Timmer, J. R. Wiggers, Don Wiggers, Ross Dodge, Otto Lanning, the Misses Maryalys Wiggers, Dorothy Van Dyke, Donna and Virginia Lanning, all of Grand Rapids; the Mesdames G. Van Dyke, C. Van Dyke, William Baron, G. Van Lopik, C. Van Lopik, and Miss Lois Van Dyke of Zeeland; Mrs. M. H. Pellegrom, Miss Jean Pellegrom, Mrs. G. Van Oostenburg and Mrs. J. Ederle of Holland and Mrs. R. Van Vulp and Mrs. N. J. Timmer of Muskegon.

Also invited were Mrs. John Dinkeloo of Whiting, Ind.; Mrs. E. Sugarbaker of Columbus, Mo.; Mrs. L. Van Dyke of Detroit; Mrs. K. Wiersema of Ann Arbor and Miss Eloise Van Vulp of Bloomington, Ind.

The U. S. forestry bureau was made a part of the department of agriculture in 1905.

Romania has about 7,000,000 acres of forest land.

Florida's coastline is about 1,200 miles longer than that of any other state.

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Bohn Pay Suits Are Adjourned

Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith said Monday the 16 civil suits filed last week by employees of Bohn Aluminum and Brass Corp. to collect outstanding pay have been adjourned for two weeks.

In the meantime, plaintiffs will file their declarations and answers the judge said.

Conferences between union representatives and company officials Friday afternoon failed to reach any conclusion on the pay check issue. Legal representatives of company and union met again this morning, but no satisfactory arrangement was made.

Purpose of the conferences was to decide a procedure whereby office employees might pass picket lines to prepare checks for periods preceding the strike.

Local Pilot Places Second in Air Event

Melvin Brooks of Holland was one of the winners in the Nation's first flying elimination contests sponsored at the Sparta Municipal airport Sunday by the Civil Air patrol and sanctioned by the Amateur Athletic union.

Brooks placed second in the cross wind take off and landing event. First place in this event went to Glen H. Van Otteren of Grand Rapids.

A similar meet scheduled for Sunday at Kellogg field in Battle Creek was cancelled because of poor flying weather.

Dutch Newsmen Visits For Labor Impressions

H. Martin Amberg, American correspondent for five Dutch newspapers in Amsterdam visited Holland Friday. In the United States to give Dutch people his impressions of the social circumstance of United States laborers and facts about industry, arts and science, Amberg has been in the United States about a month.

Friends told him, he said, that he would find himself at home in Holland, a typical Dutch community, and they were right, he said, as Holland is just what he was looking forward to its being. He will return here later to cover Tulip Time and Centennial celebration for the Amsterdam papers.

Also a photographer, Amberg will present 12 large photographs of Dutch cities before and after the war to be used in the Centennial exhibition. After the celebration, they will be given to the Netherlands museum.

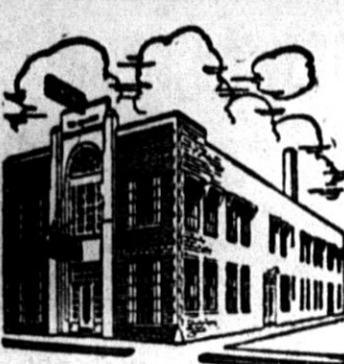
James A. Garfield, 20th president, resigned a major-generalship in the Army to enter Congress at the age of 32.

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AAUW to Hear Talk On Cancer Control

Holland branch, American Association of University women, meeting Thursday at 8 p. m. in the home of Miss Wilhelmina Haberland at Waukegon, will hear a talk by Dr. Victor Notter of Grand Rapids, formerly of Holland. Dr. Notter

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THAT "SUDDEN URGE"

The St. Joseph, Mo., minister's
adopted son who beat a sexton to
death with a hammer did so be-
cause "he had a sudden urge to
kill someone," if his own story is
to be believed. He is only 16 years
old, and it seems certain that he
will be let loose on society after
a few years in detention. What is
to prevent him from having an-
other "sudden urge" at that time?
Who is to protect innocent people
against him?

If this were a single case it
would hardly be in point to take
it too seriously, in spite of the
seriousness of the crime. What
makes it really frightening is the
fact that those "sudden urge" kill-
ings have been increasing rapidly.
If this keeps on, who is safe?

One possibility — probability
even — is that those "sudden urges"
are not sudden urges at all. It is
likely that youngsters who have
committed a desperate crime
simply hit on the excuse of a
"sudden urge" because they have
observed that society is inclined
to deal reasonably gently with
such criminals. A large number of
people appear to feel that such
youngsters are the victims of
some obscure physical compulsion,
that they are not quite responsi-
ble for what they have done.

If a youngster who committed
such a "sudden urge" murder
were treated like a murderer, this
plea would become less popular.
If, in a capital punishment state,
he were regarded as responsible
for his crime to the extent of
executing him, the plea would
soon lose its attractions, and per-
haps such murderers would de-
crease.

But assume for the sake of the
doubt that a boy of sixteen kills
because of a real "sudden urge,"
doesn't that suggest that he is a
mental case? And isn't it the part
of wisdom to place a criminally
insane person, young or old, in an
asylum for the criminally insane
and to keep him there — perma-
nently? If all "sudden urge" killers
were put behind the bars for good,
the motivation would be taken
away from youngsters to make
such a plea. At the very least, as-
suming that such persons did gen-
uinely kill merely on a "sudden
urge," innocent people would be
protected against them for all
time. And that's the least society
can do to safeguard the lives of
the innocent.

Mr. and Mrs. Heneveld
Feted on Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Heneveld of
Central Park celebrated their 57th
wedding anniversary Sunday at
the home of their youngest son,
Dr. and Mrs. Edward Heneveld of
Muskegon.

Their children and grandchil-
dren present included Adrian Hen-
eveld, Dr. and Mrs. John Heneveld
and children, Winston Harold,
Beth Ann and Adele, Mr. and
Mrs. Stanley Heneveld and chil-
dren, Joan Marie, Gary Allen,
James Lee and Harvey Eugene.
Dr. and Mrs. Edward Heneveld
and children, Barbara Ann, Gret-
chen Ann and Edward Henry II
and Miss Marilyn Mow, niece of
Mrs. Heneveld who is a student
nurse at Hackley hospital. Mrs.
Ralph Buitendorp, close friend of
the family, was also a guest.

The Henevelds' oldest son and
his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. George
Heneveld of Wyckoff, N.J., were
unable to attend but sent congrat-
ulations.

Many gifts were received by the
honored guests and a 6 p.m. supper
was served by the hosts assisted
by Miss Mow and Misses Betty
Ann and Adele Heneveld.

FINED ON DRUNK COURT

Grand Haven, April 17 (Special)
—Fern O. Waterman, 30, Muske-
gon, and Jan J. Nauta, 32, Grand
Rapids, were arrested by state
police early Monday morning at
Turk's Tavern in Crockerly town-
ship, charged with being drunk
and disorderly. Arraigned before
Justice George V. Hoffer later
Monday, each paid \$15 fine and
\$4.40 costs.

Sunday School
Lesson

April 20, 1947

The Kingdom Strengthened and
Enlarged

2 Samuel 5:3-10, 12, 17-25
By Henry Geerlings

After David had established him-
self in Jerusalem; two things were
needed to make it the capital of
the nation. These were, that it
should possess a palace for him-
self; and that it should be the
abode of the ark of the covenant.
The distinguishing peculiarity of
the king was that he recognized
the most loyal manner the
higher royalty of God, and re-
garded himself as a mere human
vice-regent. Had he been con-
tent to build only an official re-
sidence for himself, Jerusalem
would have been no more than
the city of David; but in a theo-
cracy it was necessary also that
the metropolis should be in the
city of God; and so, in that spir-
it of patriotic piety for which he
was so remarkable, David set
himself at once as earnestly to
prepare a place for the reception
of the ark, as to erect a habita-
tion for himself. Entering into a
league with Hiram of Tyre, he
caused to be built for himself a
splendid cedar palace.

Before he could turn his atten-
tion to the removal of the ark,
however, he had to encounter and
overcome the Philistines. That
warlike people could not regard
his establishment on the throne
of Israel and his occupation of
Jerusalem with indifference. The
battleground was the Valley of Rep-
haim, a broad and fertile plain
about a mile in length, which was
the southern entrance into Jeru-
salem. After inquiring at the sac-
red oracle what he should do, Da-
vid led his troops into the hold.
Here he had a signal victory over
the enemy. But he took no credit
to himself for his success. In this
engagement, probably with the
view of stimulating the courage
and inspiring the confidence of
their troops, the Philistine lead-
ers had brought their idols into
the field; but David, having taken
them with the other booty,
caused them to be burned. This
was a proof on the one hand of
his pious determination to ac-
knowledge Jehovah alone as di-
vine, and a manifestation on the
other, of the helplessness of the
heathen deities.

In spite, however, of this de-
feat, both of their gods and of
themselves, the Philistines, some
months afterward, renewed the
contest. Again they encamped in
Rephaim; again David inquired
of the Lord, and was directed to
take such measures as resulted in
their complete disorganization. He
was commanded to come upon them
from the rear by making a cir-
cuitous march, and was cautioned
to take his stand at a certain
spot until, by the sound of going
in the tops of the mulberry trees,
the signal should be given to ad-
vance. All this being carefully
observed by him, his sudden ap-
pearance created such a panic in
the Philistine host that they
arose and fled, and were smitten
by their pursuers all the way
from Seba until the entrance into
their own city of Gaza.

David was king over Israel for
40 years. For the first seven of
these years his capital was He-
bron, and for the rest of the pe-
riod it was Jerusalem.

We must remember that the Is-
raelites were still a more or less
nomadic people. During the long
period of the judges, the govern-
ment was controlled by the force
of the more powerful tribes and
personalities, much as in the case
of the American Indians in the
early history of our country. Sam-
uel marked the transition be-
tween the period of the judges
and the monarchy. Though Saul
reigned in a sense for 40 years,
the nation was still in a state of
unstable.

It was not given to David to
build the temple, though he col-
lected much of the material. God
saw the great purpose of his heart
and because of that He made the
promise that his kingdom should
be established forever. After all,
though the temple made with
hands is important, while we are
in the body, it is the temple with-
in one's own heart that lasts for-
ever. David's kingdom is an ever-
lasting kingdom, because David
reared a temple to God in his own
soul.

David's temple never stood on
Mount Moriah. Its golden dome
never glistered in the rising sun.
Its graceful arches never sheltered
weary pilgrims. Its altars never
smoked with burning sacrifices.
And yet they really did, for
God looked within the soul of
David and saw within, beyond all
his folly and sin, the temple reared
to God.

Here is a possibility within the
reach of each of us. It may not be
given to us to be great builders of
external institutions. We may not
write great books, or preach
great sermons, or play great mus-
ic, but we can all carefully, pray-
fully erect in our souls a house
of prayer and build there an al-
tar to Jesus, so that from the
heart there may overflow to a
needy world the love of God in our
life and works. Such a temple is
everlasting.

SERVICE RESUMED

Postmaster Harry Kramer said
today that insured parcel post
service has been resumed with
Denmark, Finland, Hungary, Nor-
way and Sweden. Money order
business with Norway and Tunis,
which was suspended in 1940, also
has been resumed.

Utah's Great Salt Lake is 70
miles long, 48 miles wide, and 4-
000 feet above sea level.



COUNTY 4-H DELEGATES

Ottawa county 4-H girl dele-
gates to the Home Week at Mich-
igan State college June 23 to 27
are, left to right, Lois Volink of
Borculo, Lia Flo Taylor of Coop-

ersville, Lois Lillibridge of Marne,
Carol Fahling of Lutheran school,
Chester township, Mildred Knoll,
Irma Hackstock of Robinson Cen-
ter and Marilyn Dyke of Curry
school. (Penna-Sas photo)

Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Stallkamp,
South Shore Drive, have returned
from a trip south. Coming with
them was the latter's mother,
Mrs. Annie Perkins, who spent
the winter at her home in St.
Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Geertman,
206 North Centennial St., Zeeland,
announce the birth of a son, Ron-
ald Lee, Monday morning in Zeel-
and hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Kyger
and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E.
Kyger of Holland and Miss Mary
Kyger of Chicago spent Sunday in
Watervliet with Mr. and Mrs.
Chester I. Monroe who celebrated
their golden wedding anniversary.

Donald Williams, 24 East Eighth
St., son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H.
Williams, left this morning for
Egin, Ill., where he will enter
the Elgin college of watch making.

Mrs. Sadie Van Oort of Maca-
taw has arrived home from Fre-
mont where she spent the week-
end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Reynolds. Mrs. Reynolds has been
convalescing from a serious illness
the last eight weeks.

Announcement was recently
made of the appointment of Miss
Lois Schoon, student at Stephens
college, Columbia, Mo., as senior
sister for the 1947-48 school year
in Windsor hall, one of 25 student
residence halls on the Stephens
college campus. She is the daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis W.
Schoon, 55 West 14th St.

A son was born Saturday at
Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs.
Gerold Kooyers, route 2 and a
daughter was born Monday to
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robert
Tubergen, 357 Lincoln Ave.

Jerry John Vanderbeek, 10, who
underwent a brain operation in
Grand Rapids following a fall on
skis March 8, returned to his
classes at Lincoln school Monday.

Miss Dorothy Pieters, daughter
of Dr. and Mrs. Albertus Pieters,
44 East 15th St., has been re-
leased from Harper hospital, Detroit,
and is convalescing at her par-
ents' home from severe injuries
suffered when struck by an auto-
mobile Feb. 3. Miss Pieters suffered
head injuries and compound
fracture of both bones of the right
leg.

Mrs. L. Ash of Douglas cele-
brated her 96th birthday anni-
versary Saturday. She has three
children, Alvin Ash at home,
Charles of Douglas and Mrs. Wil-
liam Zuber of Holland; eight
grandchildren and four great-
grandchildren. Her children called
on her and presented her with
gifts on the occasion. Mrs. Ash
does all her own housework and
makes her own dresses.

Miss Gladys Wiskamp and Miss
Ruby Calvert, Holland High school
teachers, visited Milwaukee
and Chicago during their spring
vacation.

Of interest to friends here is
announcement of the birth of a
son, recently, to Mr. and Mrs.
Glennard Smith of Milwaukee.
Wis. Mrs. Smith is the former
Beatrice Hagen, for a number of
years teacher of journalism in
Holland High school.

The Misses Adelaide Dykhuizen,
Doris Brower, Joan Vander Werf
and Barbara Lampen have return-

ed from a 10-day motor trip to
Washington, D. C., and other
points in the east.

Beaverdam

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Gerald Huyser entertained the
Golden Chain Christian Endeavor
Union executive board at his
home Monday evening. Those of
the several societies present were
Edith and Ruth Brower from
Forest Grove, Marjorie Hoeve
from Vriesland, Ruth Kronen-
eyer, Irene and Wayne Folkert
from Hudsonville, Doris Kappenga
from Zeeland, Glen Ten Brink and Haz-
el Morren from Ottawa, Norman
Vrugink from South Blenden,
and Helen Van Farowe from Beau-
terdam. After the business meet-
ing a two-course lunch was served
by Mrs. C. Huyser.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stegheuis and
Mr. and Mrs. H. Stegheuis, Mr.
and Mrs. S. Kamminga and son
of Grand Rapids visited with Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Stegheuis Sun-
day. Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown and
daughters were there Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman
attended the wedding ceremony of
their nephew, Theodore Bowman
of Jamestown, and Margaret Rit-
tenger of Grand Rapids in St.
Mary's chapel of St. Mary's cath-
edral Friday afternoon at 4 o'-
clock and the reception which was
held afterwards in the Sadler
lounge of the Pantlind hotel.

The Rev. Richard Van Farowe
of Portage conducted the services
at the Reformed church Sunday.
He was accompanied by his two
sons and they were dinner guests
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al
Van Farowe and Lorraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey De Boer
of Jamestown were the guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowman last
Friday evening.

The Christian Endeavor is spon-
soring a special program of sacred
music on Sunday evening, April
20. The Crusaders quartet of
Grand Rapids, with others, will
take part, and everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huyser of
Kalamazoo and Mr. and Mrs. An-
drew Schut spent Thursday after-
noon with Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit
Huyser.

Mrs. H. Rozendal and Mrs. H.
Van Dam were hostesses at the
monthly meeting of the Ladies
Aid on Thursday afternoon at the
chapel. There were 20 members
present.

Shower Arranged for
Miss Thelma Batema

A miscellaneous shower was
held Friday night at the home of
Mrs. John Batema, 125 East 16th
St., for Miss Thelma Batema.
Hostesses were Mrs. Batema and
Mrs. Jay Bruschat. Games were
played with prizes awarded and a
two-course lunch was served.

Invited were the Mesdames Ger-
rit Alderink, Arthur Alderink,
William Alderink, Albert Alder-
ink, John Vander Vliet, Albert
Bosch, Floyd Koopman, Ray Wier-
sma, Rena Elenbaas, Gerrit Van
Grondelle, Bud Elenbaas, Harold
Smith, Alvin Batema, John Bat-
ema, Jr. and Gerald Batema; also
the Misses Mary Sue Smith and
Donna Elenbaas.

Gas Company Shares
Offered to Public

Otis and Co., Cleveland, and as-
sociates report making a public
offering of the 440 per cent Pre-
ferred Stock of Michigan Gas and
Electric company at \$101 per
share plus accrued dividends to
yield about 4.36 per cent.

The shares being offered con-
stitute the balance not taken in
exchange, by holders of the com-
pany's outstanding prior lien and
preferred stock. The exchange
offer, which was made by
the company, expired at the close
of business on Saturday, April 12.

The Company supplies electric-
ity in territories in the Upper and
Lower Peninsula of Michigan hav-
ing a total population of about
100,000. Among the larger cities
served are Marquette, Holland,
Niles and Ishpeming.

Diamond Springs

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)

The Rev. William Gearhart and
the Rev. A. R. Merrill of Hopkins
spent two days last week at the
Wesleyan Methodist Conference
Ministerial association at the
Wesleyan Methodist church in
Lansing.

John Barber, formerly of Dia-
mond Springs but now living at
Hopkins, route 1, is in But-
terworth hospital at Grand Rapids
where he expects to undergo an
operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Bock of
Washington and Mrs. Hall of Chi-
cago spent last week visiting Mr.
and Mrs. Will Williams and fam-
ily.

Burrell De Young and Mr. Vel-
ton of Fennville spent last Satur-
day visiting in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Arndt and
children went to a farewell party
last Tuesday night at Shelbyville
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob
Kraai given for Richard Hide-
brand who left Thursday for Union
City, Tenn., where he is going to
play ball with the Cleveland In-
dians farm team.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton J. Tol-
hurst of Shelbyville, Mr. John and
Evans Meredith and Miss Mildred
Gordon of Kalamazoo were vis-
itors in the John and Albert Gates
homes last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Furne Zeinstra
and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb
Brenner and son Ray of Shelby-
ville enjoyed dinner Sunday at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry
Arndt.

Mrs. Ernest Coffey visited her
father John Barber at But-
terworth hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Arndt of
Battle Creek and Mr. and Mrs.
Ray Harper of Caldonia were vis-
itors in the Jerry Arndt home
Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Confer
and daughter Darlene spent Sun-
day in Kalamazoo, visiting Mr.
and Mrs. Mils Wesseling and son,
Richard.

Mrs. Neva Jo Lawhon and
Frank Cluffs attended the wed-
ding last Saturday of Miss Bar-
bara Jane McGarry of Parnell and
Joe Cluffs of Grand Rapids. They
were married at the Catholic
church at Parnell and were given
a large reception at Grand Rapids.
The couple left Sunday for a trip
to New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Wakeman
and children and Miner Wakeman
visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fox at
Kalamazoo last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Arndt and
children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne
Confer and daughter Darlene went
to Martin Saturday evening to see
the school play "Brides to Burn."

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fox of Kala-
mazoo spent Sunday with her
folks, Mr. and Mrs. Miner Waka-
man. Monday Mrs. Fox drove
Mrs. Wakeman to Grand Rapids
to see the latter's father John
Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wakeman
and girls spent Sunday in Benton
Harbor visiting relatives.

County Agricultural Agent
Describes Ladino Clover

L. R. Arnold, county agricul-
tural agent, has received numer-
ous inquiries in regard to Ladino
clover. Many farmers will estab-
lish small plantings in 1947. The
West Ottawa Soil Conservation
district has distributed 10 pounds
of seed to be planted on several
farms, these serving as demon-
strations.

Ladino is a large white clover
which has proved very successful
in Wisconsin and Indiana as a
pasture crop. It should not be har-
vested as hay due to poor curing
qualities. However, as a pasture
grass it is "tops."

One pound of pure Ladino seed
mixed with alsike or red clover
will do for one acre. The Ladino
will fill in as the other clovers
disappear. It is particularly adapt-
ed to low spots which retain mois-
ture. For dryer soil the brome-
alfalfa is ideal.

Arnold is pleased with the in-
creased interest in planting of
grasses. The district program
calls for a greater acreage of
grass in Ottawa county. Farmers
seem to be turning to more grass,
less acre to tillable crops. This is
particularly desirable due to the
great number of cattle in the
county.

Albion College Alumni
Plan Annual Meeting

Albion college alumni in Hol-
land, Zeeland, and nearby commu-
nities, will observe their annual
Round-the-World celebration at
an evening meeting in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest V. Hartman,
73 East 10th St., Tuesday, April
22, at 8 p.m. A speaker from the
college is expected. Paul Camburn
is president of the Holland-Zeel-
and club and Miss Kathryn Hart-
man is secretary.

Charles Sligh
Wins Ski Crown

Winter Haven, Fla., April 17

—Charles R. Sligh, Jr., of Hol-
land made it a grand slam in the
Dixie water ski tournament at Cy-
press Gardens Saturday, by plac-
ing first in all three men's events,
winning slalom, trick riding and
jumping contests. This is the first
time since 1939 such a sweep has
been made by any one man in a
tournament sponsored by the
American Water Ski association.
Dan Hains, president, announced.
Nance Stille of Winter Haven
won the Women's championship
placing first in slalom, with Tee
Matthews of New York second.
Miss Stille also won the trick
riding contest. Katy Turner, who
competed in the ski meet at Hol-
land last summer, placed third.
They both also placed in the
jumping contests.

Jim Knoll of Holland placed sec-
ond in the men's slalom, with
Larry Tinkham of Miami third.
Bill Telling of Holland took sec-
ond honors in the jumping con-
tests.

Large Deer Loses
Race With Truck

A large buck deer lost his race
with a truck across US-31 Fri-
day afternoon just south of West
Olive, and today was being pro-
cessed for use at the county home
at Eastmanville.

Sheriff's officers said the antler-
less deer was thrown to the
east side of the highway into deep
water in a drainage ditch with
only the head and upper part of
the body appearing above water.
The head and rib section were
badly injured and two legs were
broken.

From all indications, the deer
had broken one of his legs per-
haps a year ago.

While deputies and Conserva-
tion Officer Harold Bowditch
were preparing to take the deer
from the scene, a neighborhood
resident in passing remarked that
he often had dodged that particu-
lar deer.

Several Haled Into Court
For Alimony Non-Payment

Grand Haven, April 17 (Spec-
ial)—Cornelius vander Meulen,
Friend of the Ottawa Circuit
Court, brought several persons be-
fore Judge Fred T. Miles for non-
payment of alimony Saturday.

Louis Bruschat is required to
pay \$7 a week; Lyle Markham \$10
next week and \$6 a week there-
after; Otto Emmenegger \$15 a
week; Anthony Capitano is to re-
turn to Circuit Court next Satur-
day and in the meantime make
some payment. Howard Bronsema
was held in contempt of court and
sentenced to one year at Southern
Michigan Prison at Jackson, or
until he purged himself by paying
\$25 on back support and \$1.10 of-
ficer's fees, which he paid. All are
from Grand Haven.

J. George Howlett, who is in ar-
rears on payments in a bastardy
proceeding, in the amount of \$88.90,
was ordered to pay \$45.00 officer's
fees and keep up regular weekly
payments of \$15.

New School Calendar
Adopted for Next Year

School will open early in Sep-
tember and end early the follow-
ing June, according to the 1947-
48 calendar adopted by the Board
of Education at its regular meet-
ing Thursday.

The fall term will open with a
two-day pre-school conference for
teachers on Tuesday, Sept. 2, and
will be open for classes on the fol-
lowing Thursday.

The regional meeting of the
Michigan Education association will
be held for teachers in Grand
Rapids Oct. 23 and 24 and Thank-
sgiving recess will be Nov. 27 and
28. Christmas recess will start
Dec. 19 and school will resume
Jan. 5. Evening school will start
Jan. 12.

The first semester will close
Jan. 23 and the second semester
will begin Jan. 26. Spring recess
will begin April 2 and the spring
term will open April 12. Baccala-
ureate services for high school
seniors will be held June 6. High
school commencement exercises
will be held June 10 and school
will close officially June 11.

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Fame is the thirst of youth.

- APRIL
- 23—William Shakespeare born, 1564.
- 24—Susan Dimock, founder of first nurses' school, born, 1847.
- 25—United Nations children's office opens at San Francisco, 1945.
- 26—Confederate Memorial Day.
- 27—Ulysses S. Grant, born, 1822.
- 28—False German surrender rumors, 1945.
- 29—Benito Mussolini executed, 1945.

School Trustees Adopt New Policy For Beginners

Also Vote Sick Leave Policy for Teachers And Clerical Helpers

The Board of Education at its monthly meeting Monday night adopted a new school entrance policy for beginners and a new sick leave policy for teachers and clerical employees.

The board approved Supt. C. C. Crawford's recommendation to allow children who will be five years old by Nov. 15 to enter kindergarten next fall, and starting next year allow children who will be five years old by Sept. 30. The new policy also stipulates that a child entering first grade must be six by Nov. 15 next fall, and thereafter must be six by Sept. 30.

Crawford explained that the change was proposed by principals and teachers who believe after two years' experience with the Dec. 31 date that kindergartners are too young and immature to adjust well to the work of the school.

He said studies in other cities have shown that more failures in upper grades are due to immaturity than to any other factor, and it is felt many students are

finishing high school too young and are handicapped in either their college work or in their ability to find a job.

The new sick leave policy allows 10 days of sick leave each year with full pay, the leave to be cumulative but in no case to exceed 40 days. No accumulated leave, however, will be lost by those teachers who have more than 40 days to their credit under the old system which allowed four days a year with an indefinite accumulation.

The sick leave may be used for personal illness, illness or death of a member of the immediate family, the latter construed to mean a father, mother, wife, husband, sister, brother or child.

Crawford said the new plan is to be interpreted as a protection for the students in the public schools, and decisions will be made with this interpretation as the basis. He said some teachers in the past have returned to school before they should and endanger both the health of the children as well as their own. He also outlined policies of 19 comparative cities in Michigan.

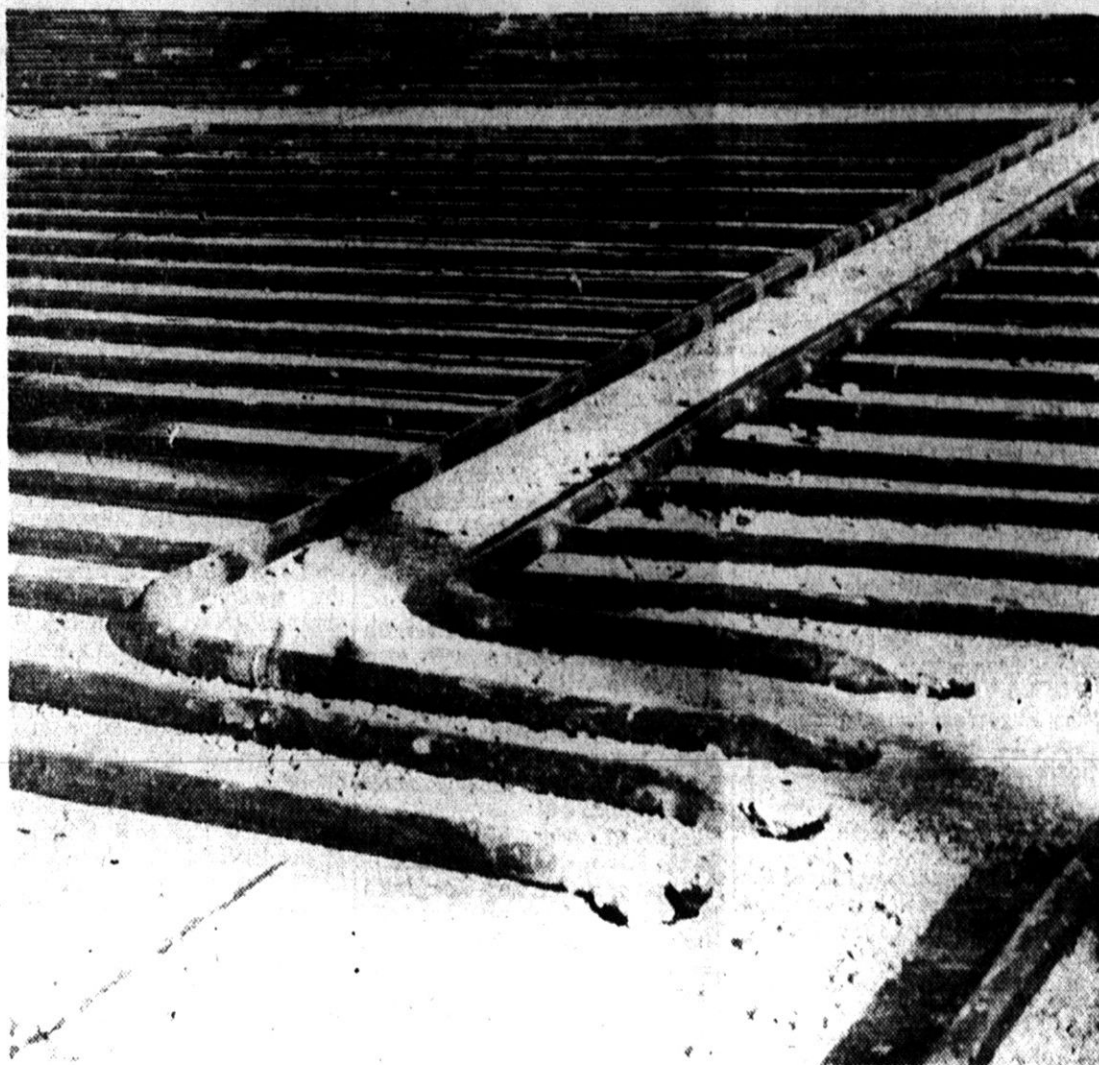
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The firm specializes in printing of duplicate and triplicate office forms and invoices, letterheads, envelopes, statements, handbills, etc. The printing company has good equipment making it possible for them to produce satisfactory results at reasonable rates.

In season the printers handle a line of calendars and Christmas cards with name imprinted.

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The Holland Welding service, 32nd St. and Michigan Ave., is owned and operated by Steven and Walter Wiersma. The shop is capable of handling all your welding needs and any information concerning your particular job regardless of how large or small is gladly given by the owners.

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Charles Verburg is employed as heating engineer and designer for the welding firm.

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Du Saar Shop Has Gift, Film Variety

Many unusual gifts not found elsewhere are available at the Du Saar Photo and Gift shop which has a complete line of gifts including imported and domestic pottery—Gouda and Delft. The gift shop, owned by Albert Schaafsma, is located at 10 East Eighth St.

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Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

John J. Vander Kooi and wf. to Bert Kraai Pt. Lot 9 Roosenraad Supr. Plat No. 4 City of Zeeland. Dennis W. Baker and wf. to Raonald E. Holland and wf. Lot 17 Linnview Plat Spring Lake Twp. Henry P. Kleis and wf. to Margaret Dekker Pt. Lot 10 and 11 Blk 4 Hope College Add. City of Holland.

Arthur DeWitt and wf. to Joseph E. Zlotnicki and wf. Pt. Lot 7 Blk 3 Bolwoods Add. to City of Grand Haven.

Jacob Buwalda and wf. to Martin H. Ringelberg and wf. Lot 15 Fairfield's Add. to City of Grand Haven.

Frank Hornstra and wf. to Peter Klynstra and wf. Pt. NE1 Sec. 29-5-13.

Francis Volkers et al to Francis Volkers and wf. Lot 1 Roosenraad's Supr. Plat No. 3 City of Zeeland.

Henry H. Kragt and wf. to Louis Van Dyke Pt. SW1 Sec. 22-5-15.

Edward W. Tanis and wf. to Alfred G. Ter Haar and wf. Lot 36

Kiel's Subd. Village of Hudsonville. Charles Zwiers et al to Bert Ter Haar and wf. Pt. NE1 Sec. 24-5-15. Mrs. Elizabeth Eby to Arlene A. Eby Pt. Lot 16 Blk 48 City of Holland.

Joseph C. Straub Jr. and wf. to William L. Howard and wf. Lot 6 Pt. Lot 7 Klumpel's Subd. Pt. Blk 14 Munroe Howlett and Cutlers Add. Grand Haven.

Robert M. Thomas and wf. to Harlan H. Hill and wf. Pt. Lot 16 Blk 4 Bock's Supr. Plat No. 1 Grand Haven.

William Sloomaker and wf. to Forest Palmer and wf. Lot 7 Sloomaker's Add. Grand Haven.

Stephen Donovan and wf. to Victor E. Oberman and wf. Pt. W1 E4 W1 NW1 NE1 Sec. 22-8-16.

Bertha Kiekintveld to Helen Hulst Lot 18 Heneveld's Supr. Plat No. 11 Park Twp.

Louis H. Rupp and wf. to James Dionese Pt. SE1 SW1 Sec. 13-5-15.

Emma M. Wanrooy to John Van Tongeren and wf. Pt. NE1 Sec. 2 Blk 63 City of Holland.

Abram T. Kieft and wf. to Fred H. Gillard et al Lot 12 Barnes Add. to City of Grand Haven.

Ralph De Haan and wf. to Harold De Koster and wf. Pt. NE1 Sec. 24-5-15.

Theodore Du Mez and wf. to Harry Vander Kamp et al Lot 177 Post's 4th Add. to City of Holland.

Martha Van 'Zuiden to Robert Thomas and wf. Pt. Lots 4 and 5 Blk 11 Boltwood's Add. to City of Grand Haven.

Margaretta Goeree to Wesley Kasperlik and wf. SE1 NE1 Sec. 35-7-13.

John Voss and wf. to Floyd Westveld and wf. Pt. Lot 114 Riverside Add. Holland Twp.

Patty Ann Onk Feted At Birthday Party

Patty Ann Onk celebrated her eighth birthday with a party given by her mother Mrs. C. Onk, Virginia Park, Saturday.

Each guest received a prize in the indoor games. Cake and ice cream was served by Mrs. Onk and Mrs. John Kuipers.

Guests present were Patty Kay Zeedyke, Jean, Joyce, Joan and Roland Dusbrow, Mary Ann and Charles Kuipers, Judith and Steven Dorn, Judy Groteler, Marilyn Rutgers, Karen Sue Stielstra, Joan Mary Tanis, Sandra Mosher, Mary and Danny Onk. Others invited were Louise Ann Marallie and Pat Lou Winstrom.

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Former Local Woman Dies in North Dakota

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Vera Ward, 49, former Holland resident, Friday in Grand Forks, N. D. She had been ill a long time. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Walt and Mrs. Maxine Dregmew, both of Grand Forks; a sister, Mrs. Ethel Ward of Los Angeles; a brother, Ward Phillips of Detroit; and a brother-in-law, Frank Bertsch of Holland.

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sports classic. The car, a stock 4-door Stratford blue 1947 Nash trunk model sedan, will be driven by George W. Mason with Shaw, three-time winner of the race, as a passenger.

Al De Weerd manages the local Nash Sales and Service garage at 224 Central Ave. The building includes a showroom, and a service department. Parts and accessories are also sold. Mr. De Weerd has factory trained mechanics on his staff who are able to service cars in the best possible way.

Saugatuck Area Hit

A report to mariners from the U. S. Engineer Department states that a 200 foot section of the south breakwater at Saugatuck near the east end has been undermined and carried away by the swift current. So far as can be determined, the channel is unobstructed.

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Local Minister, Ill for Months, Passes at Home

Rev. Paul Van Eerden Served Seventh Church More Than Two Decades

The Rev. Paul Van Eerden, 66, who preached his last sermon in Seventh Reformed church last Feb. 9, died Thursday, April 10, in his home at 94 West 17th St., after an illness of several months. He served the local church more than 22 years.

He was born June 7, 1878, in the Netherlands in a small town called Ten Post where he received his early education, being graduated from grade school at the age of 12. Then his parents moved to the city of Groningen where young Paul learned the carpenter trade.

As his father desired to give his boys the best education obtainable for a working man, the boys attended a special school held in the evenings from 7 to 10 p.m. five nights a week during the summer, and in the daytime during the winter. This training lasted six years, he often related.

In 1899, Rev. Van Eerden married, and he came to the United States in 1906, making Paterson, N.J., his home town. His wife died in 1908. In 1910 he remarried and in 1916 he moved to New Brunswick, N.J., entering the ministry there to become a minister, a childhood ambition.

He was graduated from New Brunswick seminary in 1919, and accepted a call to the Reformed church in Melvin, Ia., which he served for three years. In 1922 he accepted a call to Third Reformed church of Muskegon, serving until 1924. Then he came to the newly-organized Dutch-speaking Seventh Reformed church in Holland.

Surviving are the widow, Jennie; five daughters, Mrs. Peter Meurer, Mrs. Cornelius Kammeraad of Holland, Mrs. Abraham Giep of Grand Rapids, Mrs. William Burger of Denver, Colo., and Pauline at home; five sons, Bernard of New Brunswick, N.J., Lambert of Philadelphia, Pa., Robert Stark of Muskegon, August Van Eerden of Whitehall, and John of Holland; 20 grandchildren; and four brothers, John, Abel, Eefke and Simon, all of the Netherlands.

Funeral services were to be held Monday.

From the Third Reformed church with burial in Pilgrim Home cemetery. The Rev. H. Mollema, a retired minister, was to officiate at the home, Dr. J. J. Sessler of Third church, Dr. Simon Blocker of Holland and the Rev. Anthony Van Harn of Waupun, Wis., were to officiate in the church. Dr. J. R. Mulder was to take charge at the cemetery.

Palbearers were to be Dr. H. D. Terkeurst, the Rev. John Benes, the Rev. Lambert Olgers, the Rev. Bastian Kruijthof, the Rev. John Vanderbeek and Prof. Clarence Kleis.

North Blendon

(From Thursday's Sentinel) Members of the Girls' society of the Christian Reformed church were entertained at the home of Mrs. Henry Maaslink at Hudsonville last Thursday evening. The gathering, arranged by Mrs. Maaslink, Mrs. W. Retman and Mrs. C. Mulder, was a shower honoring Miss Beatrice Rietman, a bride-elect. A two-course lunch was served following the games for which prizes were awarded. Miss Rietman was the recipient of several gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Vander Molen and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Bolhuis and family witnessed the marriage of their brother Gerrit Donald Bolhuis of Hudsonville and Elora Glass of Borculo last Wednesday evening. The ceremony and reception were held at the Zealand City hall.

Mr. Brinklander of Pella, Ia., is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, the Rev. and Mrs. H. Zylstra and Bruce.

The Rev. and Mrs. F. Netz and son of Grant were recent visitors in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Meeuwse and children of South Blendon were Sunday dinner guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen.

Several local folks are confined to their homes with flu.

Some roads in this locality were impassable over the week-end because of the heavy rain fall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Klinger of Zealand were in this vicinity on business one day last week.

Seminarium Vander Ark had charge of the Good Friday services at the local Christian Reformed church, on Sunday the Rev. S. Werkema of Zutphen was their guest minister.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Berghorst recently entertained their pastor and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas of Hudsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Vanden Bosch and Kenneth of Allendale called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Berghorst, Saturday evening.

Herman Wolbers sang "Open the Gates of the Temple" at the morning service at the Reformed church. A mixed chorus also sang a number of selections at the Good Friday and Easter services.

The Rev. H. Zylstra and Elder C. Postma are delegates to the spring sessions of the Holland classes which convened in Holland this week.

Mrs. H. Wolbers and Miss Mary Huijzinga attended a board meeting of the Women's Federation of the churches of Holland and vicinity held Monday afternoon.



Rev. Paul Van Eerden

Gotta Room? Register It!

The Tulip Time committee today made a plea for residents of Holland and surrounding area to open their homes to accommodate festival visitors in May.

Festival Manager Willard C. Wichers said already 424 persons have sent in deposits for rooms and the hotels have exhausted reservations long ago.

Anyone with available room is asked to call the Chamber of Commerce office or the Tulip Time office listed under the Netherlands Museum office, and register their names and a description of accommodations available.

Hamilton

(From Thursday's Sentinel) Miss Gladys Bultman, who submitted to a major operation recently at Butterworth hospital in Grand Rapids, has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bultman.

Several local people attended the Easter sunrise service at the Bentheim Reformed church Sunday morning. The regular Christian Endeavor services for the afternoon were cancelled. Special Easter music at both Sunday services in the local church was presented by the Girls' choir in the morning and the Junior Girls' choir in the evening.

Henry Van Doornik, Jr., who has been confined to his home for several weeks by illness has recovered sufficiently to resume his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boeve and Mr. and Mrs. William Van Der Beldt of East Holland called on the Rev. A. H. Strabbing last Friday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Lampen of Petoskey spent the Easter weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Lampen.

The Women's Missionary society of the local church entertained the Women's church league last week Tuesday evening in the church parlors. Mrs. Peter J. Muyskens presided and Miss Josephine Bolks was in charge of devotions. Program arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Muyskens and Mrs. Z. Veldhuis. The latter read impressively an Easter story, interspersed with several musical numbers, including a quartette number, "No Not One" by Mrs. Henry Wedeven, Mrs. A. D. Strabbing, Mrs. Harry J. Lampen and Mrs. H. H. Nyenhuis. The group also sang "In My Heart There Rings a Melody" accompanied by Miss Myrtle Van Der Kolk; a duet, "Nor Silver Or Gold" by Mrs. Floyd Kaper and Mrs. Earl Polk; a vocal solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple" by Mrs. Floyd Kaper; a duet, "I Have a Rising Saviour" by Mrs. Ben Lohman and Mrs. Homer Bolks; a vocal solo, "For You I Am Praying" by Mrs. Marvin Kaper. Accompanists for the latter numbers were Mrs. John Brink, Jr., and Miss Fannie Bultman. After separate business sessions of the two groups a fellowship hour was enjoyed. Approximately 85 were in attendance. Social hostesses were Mrs. B. Koonen, Mrs. B. Lugten, Mrs. H. H. Nyenhuis, Mrs. Harry J. Lampen, Mrs. John Bartels, Mrs. James Lohman and Mrs. H. Strabbing.

Good Friday services were held in the local Reformed church on the evening of that day, the pastor, the Rev. Peter Muyskens using the subject, "His Last Word Until Easter."

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kooner entertained at Easter dinner their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. John Hakma and daughters, Connie Sally and Carla and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Eding and sons, Bruce and Jack, all of Hamilton.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. Ver Duin of Overisel and the Rev. and Mrs. A. Mansen of Bentheim were visitors in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Peter J. Muyskens last Sunday evening.

Several local relatives and friends attended the wedding of Alvin H. Strabbing and Virginia Mae Greltzing Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist church in Fennville.

William De Jonge, 86, Claimed in Borculo

Zeeland, April 12 (Special) — William De Jonge, 86, of Borculo, died early today at the home of his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Geerts of Borculo, with whom he had been living.

Surviving is one brother, John De Jonge, who also lives at the Geerts home.

Rome's Colosseum is said to have seated 90,000 persons.

Geerlings Favors Millage Increase

Throwing his support behind the proposed raising of the tax limitation to provide a sinking fund for school building and repair, State Representative Henry Geerlings today said, "Hundreds of communities in the state are facing a serious school situation. The city of Holland is in that group. Parents and school officials realize the absolute necessity of providing facilities for the training of children and young people for civic responsibility in the days and years ahead."

"The problem is a major one," Geerlings pointed out. "We cannot close our eyes and hope for a solution. For 15 years there has been an annual need for \$18,000,000 additional funds for repairs, replacements, additions and new construction."

"It is estimated," he continued, "that at the present time there is an emergency need in the State of \$100,000,000 for new buildings and an additional need for more than \$50,000,000 to replace obsolete schools. Holland will need more school buildings in the very near future."

"There is only one sane way to raise the necessary funds," he said, and that is to increase our local millage. I do not believe in bonding. That is expensive business. An increase in millage will solve our local problem."

Vriesland

(From Thursday's Sentinel) Miss Marie Ver Hage of Zealand was a Thursday guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage.

John Elisma of Holland was a Sunday guest of Mrs. H. Ensink and John.

Mrs. Henry Gerrits of South Blendon, and Mrs. Jack Holwerda and Frankie of Grand Rapids were Friday guests at the Mrs. D. G. Wyngarden home.

The profit of the Sewing Guild project held April 3, amounted to \$380.

Special collection for the United Advance will be taken at the service April 20.

One of the lilies in Vriesland church on Easter Sunday was given in memory of C. J. Den Herder by the children.

The Rev. C. Postma of Decatur will be guest preacher Sunday, April 13, exchange Sunday. The Rev. R. C. Schaap will preach at Ottawa Station.

Wednesday evening pictures were taken in the local church for the anniversary booklet to be published soon.

Because of classis there will be no C. E. meeting Tuesday evening. Friday evening the young people will have a hayride party.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary society members will be guests of Mrs. H. Roelofs Thursday afternoon.

Rev. R. C. Schaap and W. Meengs attended the meeting of Holland classis at Central Park Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack De Witt and family of Sturgis were Easter guests of their mother, Mrs. P. De Witt.

Good Friday services were held in the local church April 4, at 7:45 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roelofs sang two numbers with Mrs. R. C. Schaap as accompanist.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Boss and daughter of Grandville.

Miss Doris Ensink of Zutphen sang "Open The Gates of the Temple" and "Enter Into His Courts" at the Easter services Sunday morning with Miss Gloria Timmer as accompanist. Rev. R. C. Schaap preached on "Christ is Risen" and in the evening "The First Begotten of the Dead."

A large number of friends and relatives attended the annual sale and supper April 3 at Vriesland chapel. Merle Meengs of Zutphen was auctioneer.

Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden was a Monday afternoon guest of Mrs. J. F. De Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack De Witt and family of Sturgis and Mrs. Peter De Witt of Townline were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Myard and family of Forest Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. De Witt and daughters of Zealand were Saturday evening guests of Nick Beyers of Drenthe.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nyhuis and Marcia, Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Wyngarden of Hudsonville and Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfert of Vriesland, were Sunday guests at the M. D. Wyngarden home.

Property Buyers Should Check First at Rent Office

Prospective purchasers should check with the Area Rent office before buying residential property for rental purposes, Erde W. Hoogsteden, area rent director, said here.

With today's really inflated as they are, some purchasers find their legal return from property less than they counted on after paying high prices for the property, he explained.

"Such disillusioned buyers usually ask for permission to raise rent proportionate to the purchase but ceiling rents remain with the property and we can't adjust rents because the new owner paid too much for the property, he said. "It would be unfair to the tenant and would raise rent above that for comparable housing in Kent, Ottawa and Muskegon counties."

Maximum rents for residential property in Ottawa county are on file in the Area Rent office at 503 Keeler building, Grand Rapids.

West Olive

(From Thursday's Sentinel) Mrs. George Hassevoort has received word that her son, Pvt. Harvey, has arrived in Nuernberg, Germany. They made the ocean trip in nine days.

Olive Township will again receive the banner, given each year, by the Red Cross chapter, to the first township in the county to exceed its quota. The amount collected here was \$559.00 with the quota at \$380.81. This is the third time the township won the banner, the only township holding that honor.

Oliver Banks drove to Grand Rapids last Tuesday, where he visited his twin sister, Mrs. Olive Briggs. They celebrated their 70th birthday anniversaries that day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boers are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born last week Wednesday at Zealand hospital. He has been named Dale Henry.

Harold Vander Zwaag and Mrs. Mary Lugers are showing improvement after being confined to their beds with severe attacks of the flu.

Mrs. Herman Hassevoort of Ottawaw visited Mrs. Harm Looman last week Thursday.

The last regular meeting of the Home Economics club will be held Tuesday April 15, at the home of Mrs. John Nienhuis. Plans for the annual party will be made at this meeting.

Tulip Time Group Plans Displays

Plans for Tulip Time window decorations and display events for local merchants were made Friday afternoon at a meeting in the Chamber of Commerce headquarters. Present at the meeting were Willard Wichers, chairman of the Tulip Time committee, Tony Last, president of the Retail Merchants' association and the committee in charge of decorations and displays.

Mrs. Thad Taft, chairman, Miss Hazel Allen, Delbert Vaupell and James Boter.

Merchants on River Avenue and Eighth St. are eligible to enter the contest to be featured on Wednesday, May 14, the first day of Tulip Time known as Merchants' Day. Two trophies will be awarded, one for the best window display and one for the best flower arrangement.

Mrs. Taft explained that those not wishing to participate in the window decoration event could enter the flower arrangement contest. Judging will take place Wednesday, May 14, from 6 to 8 p. m.

Mr. Vaupell and Mr. Boter will canvass the merchants to determine who plan to participate.

Vriesland Plans Church Events

Vriesland, April 11 (Special)—The Vriesland Reformed church is busy preparing for its 100th anniversary celebration. A booklet will be published containing the history of the church, pictures of former pastors, the present pastory, consistory members, greater consistory, and of the different societies and organizations of the church.

The celebration will be held June 22, 23 and 24.

On Sunday evening, June 22 a special service will be held. The Rev. Theodore C. Schaap of Englewood, Chicago, will be the speaker.

Monday afternoon sons of the church now in the ministry, and former pastors will speak. A social time will follow and refreshments will be served.

Tuesday afternoon, a supper will be served to former pastors, greater consistory, and all those who are in Christian service, and are members of the Vriesland Reformed church. In the evening there will be another special service at which speakers will be former pastors. A social time will follow with refreshments.

The music committee consisting of Carl Schermer, John Frenks, and Mrs. James Vander Laan is arranging special music for the celebration.

Man Charged With Drunk Driving in 4-Car Crash

Grand Haven, April 17 (Special)—After being involved in a four-car accident at the corner of Washington and Second Sts. Tuesday night, Hiram Fuller, 32, of Muskegon, was charged by city police with drunk driving, and upon his arraignment before Justice George V. Hoffer April 9 pleaded not guilty. He furnished \$200 bond for his appearance at trial today.

The accident involved cars driven by Clyde E. Kinkema, 15, Grand Haven, which had stopped for a red light at the intersection, another car driven by Napoleon B. Vanderwal, 50, of Akron, Ohio, which was behind the Kinkema car, and the third by John Hall, 39, Spring Lake. City police said Fuller, who was allegedly intoxicated, was driving at an excessive rate of speed and crashed into the rear end of the Hall car, causing a pile-up of the four cars.

Lela May Westerhouse, 40, Muskegon, a passenger in the Fuller car, was taken to Municipal hospital in an ambulance, suffering from head injuries, requiring 28 stitches, and two broken ribs.

Copper mines of the U. S. produce one-half the world supply.

Dutch Golfers Claim Three Vets

Coach Paul Camburn, Holland High school mentor, again will head the Holland High golfers in a rough match schedule, this year. Camburn has three boys who are sure to make the squad if they stay out for the team, but a fourth man will be chosen from the other boys trying out for the squad.

His charges have had little practice because of wet grounds at Holland Memorial grounds where all home matches will be played. When school begins next week Camburn will have to round his team out in a hurry to prepare for the season opener against Kalamazoo April 23.

The three returning lettermen who are practically assured of a position are Bob Sundin, Hern Slager and Bill Hinga. All of these boys were on the squad last year, but just how strong the Dutchmen will be this year remains a question.

The schedule includes the Southwestern Conference schedule together with the regionals. April 23, Kalamazoo, (there); April 29, Muskegon, (there); May 1, Benton Harbor, (there); May 6, Muskegon Heights, (there); May 13, Benton Harbor, (here); May 20, Muskegon, (here); May 24, Regionals at Kalamazoo; June 3, Kalamazoo, (here); June 12, State finals.

Personals

(From Friday's Sentinel) Bill Overway of 78 East Ninth St. is spending this week in Chicago and will attend Moody's church Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Maedel and small son, John Howard, of Detroit have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bergen, West 24th St. for the last week while their apartment was being redecorated.

Mrs. Maedel is returning to Detroit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Rietdyk, Park road, will have as their week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Meeter and daughter Marge of Lansing, Ill. Meeter is a sister of Mrs. Rietdyk and will visit other relatives while in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schultz of Zealand, route 2, have returned home after spending three months in Daytona Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Vanden Heuvel of 225 Alpine Ave., Zealand, announce the birth of a son, Jack, April 5, in Zealand hospital.

Mrs. Vanden Heuvel is the former Angeline Geerts of Zealand.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Hopkins, 17 West Ninth St., have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Johnson, Milan, O. Mrs. Johnson is the former Mabel Apel, Holland High school gym instructor. Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins' daughter, Muriel, is spending spring vacation from Western Michigan College of Education, Kalamazoo, with her parents.

Steven Langejans of Graafschap has been elected constable of Graafschap village. Fellow employees of shaper department, Western Machine Tool Works, have presented him with a shiny new badge.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Prince of East Lansing announce the birth of a daughter, Jacqueline Ann, Monday at Sparrow hospital. Lansing. Mrs. Prince is the former Jeanne Price.

A son was born Wednesday at Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Rietgink, Hamilton; sons were born Thursday at the hospital to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Buscher, route 1; to Mr. and Mrs. L. Verne De Vries, 165 West 17th St. and to Mr. and Mrs. John Stuyts, Jr., 350 West McKinley, Zealand.

A son was born Tuesday at Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. John Maiten, route 4. A son was born Wednesday at the hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Robert North, 18 West Ninth St.

(From Saturday's Sentinel) Barbara and Marcia Macdonald and Patricia Hodges have returned to their homes in Jackson after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jencks, 133 East 22nd St. The Macdonald sisters are nieces of Mr. and Mrs. Jencks.

Dr. Edna W. Schrick left Friday afternoon for St. Louis, Mo., where she will take a week's refresher course in pediatrics at Washington university.

Dr. and Mrs. Leslie Hofstede and son, David, of Madison, Wis., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Hofstede and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben E. Lohman entertained members of the Fillmore Town board Thursday night. A two-course lunch was served. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Tien, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Timmer, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tucker, Mrs. Austin Fairbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Mulder, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ten Bleyker and Mr. and Mrs. Milo Vork.

Mrs. Irene Steffens was one of four color bearers initiated into that office at the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary meeting Thursday night in the VFW building on West Seventh St.

Mrs. John W. Schaap will be soloist at the 7:30 p.m. service in the North End Gospel hall Sunday.

Miss Florine Nykamp and August De Jong Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nykamp of 269 East 16th St. announce the engagement of their daughter, Florine Jane, to August De Jong, son of Mrs. Wilhelm De Jong of Grand Rapids, formerly of Holland. No definite wedding plans have been made.

DAR Hears About Work Among Indians of State

Mrs. Paul Elliott of Muskegon, former biology teacher at Albion college and Bay View summer university, appeared in authentic Indian costume before members of Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. E. C. Brooks on State St. Mrs. Elliott, who has made Indian lore one of her chief interests, talked principally about the Indians of Michigan—the Algonquins, composed of three tribes, the Ottawas, Chippewas and Pottowatomies.

Work among the American Indians is one of the important phases of the DAR program, and the speaker complimented the organization on its activities. The Michigan DAR supports a scholarship in the Mt. Pleasant High school for an Indian girl in addition to other assistance to the race which is now increasing in numbers.

Mrs. Elliott gave a brief historical sketch and told interesting Indian legends. The contributions of the Indian to present-day civilization are many, she said. She urged her listeners to read and know more about the Indian, now frequently referred to by the new term, Amerind, and to patronize their industries.

In keeping with the theme of the program, Mrs. Peter Veltman, accompanied by Mrs. Martha Robbins, sang "Spring Song" from the Indian opera "Shanewis" by Cadman, and for an encore, "By the Waters of Minnetonka," also by Cadman.

Miss Lida Rogers, who arranged the program, introduced the speaker and musicians.

Mrs. John Rezeboom, vice-regent, presided at the meeting which opened with the customary patriotic ceremony. Announcement was made that Miss Joyce Brunzell, Holland High school senior who was chosen Good Citizenship pilgrim, received third place at the state DAR conference held recently in St. Joseph. She is now second alternate for the coveted trip to Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Bruce Van Leuwen appeared before the group in behalf of the public school Citizens committee, and a vote of confidence and co-operation in the program was expressed by the chapter.

Refreshments were served by Mesdames E. J. Bachelier, H. M. Jensen, R. W. Everett, Richard Martin and Everett Dick.

Ganges

(From Monday's Sentinel) Mrs. Gladys Chapman and Mrs. Abner Miller entertained their Sunday school classes at an Easter party at the home of Mrs. Chapman Saturday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Brunson have returned from their southern trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kuban were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nye at dinner Wednesday.

Several couples from here attended the "Bit O Fun club" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bast in Fennville Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Snyder, who spent the winter in California are expected to arrive home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hale of Chicago were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Simmons Friday. The Hales who purchased the W. O. Simons farm expect to come here in May to live here permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hasty of Douglas spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mosier in Ganges.

The Youth Fellowship class of young people of the Baptist church held Bible Study Sunday evening at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. B. E. Robinson in South Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Winne and son Lowell spent Easter day in Kalamazoo with Mrs. Winne's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Van Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerneith Van Leeuwen have moved from Fennville into their new home on his farm in Ganges.

Marjorie Lou Symons of Kalamazoo, Allen Wightman of East Lansing, Lucile Wightman of Kalamazoo and Maxine Atwater of Grand Rapids spent the Easter week-end at their homes in Ganges.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Spencer spent the week-end in Aurora, Ill., with the parents of Mrs. Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Elliott of Washington, D. C., visited their sons, Belle Lockhart last week.

Mrs. Alfred Newman visited friends in Chicago last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Johnson are expected home from Florida the last of the week.

The Home club and Hamilton Study club were guests of the Jill club Wednesday evening at the Methodist church. The program was given by the Hamilton club who presented musical numbers and a book review. The hostesses served ice cream and cake.

Mrs. Edith Bryan is visiting her daughters in Zealand.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nye had as Easter dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark and children of Hopkins and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jesiek of Holland.

Municipal Court News

Dale Voorhorst, 20, route 5, paid costs of \$3 in Municipal Court Thursday on a charge of driving with no muffler. Others paying parking costs of \$1 each were A. L. Beverly, of 234 West 22nd St.; Louis Boeve, route 4, and Herman Ten-Harnseld, Jr., 24, of Zealand.

Gray Lady Corps Is Considered by Red Cross Here

Need Urgent at Both Battle Creek and Ft. Custer Hospitals

In response to telephone calls and letters from both Percy Jones hospital in Battle Creek and Veterans hospital at Fort Custer, the local chapter of the American Red Cross is planning to organize a Gray Lady corps with Mrs. W. S. Merriam, community coordinator, in charge.

Need for more Gray Ladies is due to the high caseload of patients at the hospital, and the Red Cross there finds it necessary to train more volunteers for the service.

Gray Ladies would be expected to spend a minimum of a day a week at the hospital, although volunteers would not be asked to give that length of time if a sufficient number is trained. If the local group is large enough, it may be possible to report only once a month. The chapter is responsible for transportation.

Volunteers generally arrive at the hospital to start work at 1 p.m. and leave at 4 p.m. They are assigned to recreation workers for guidance and supervision while on duty in the hospital. Each Gray Lady may develop and use her own skills in carrying out various phases of the recreation program of the patients. Volunteers visit patients in designated wards, take them books, read to them, write for them, arrange flowers.

Qualifications for membership in the Gray Lady Corps are American citizenship, membership in the Red Cross, age 21 to 60, good health (physical examination required), necessary time to devote to the service.

Training lectures will be given at the hospitals in Battle Creek and Fort Custer April 15, 17 and 22.

Anyone interested in joining the corps is requested to contact the local office at 6 East Eighth St.

Vows Exchanged In Literary Club

Miss Helene Klingenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Klingenberg of Hamilton, became the bride of T/Sgt Willard Wolters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wolters, route 2, Friday at 8 p.m. in the Woman's Literary club rooms. The Rev. H. Ver Duin read the double ring ceremony before and arrangement of palms, ferns and candelabra.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Marjorie Van Kampen sang "Oh Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly." She was accompanied by Miss Marian Nienhuis who also played the wedding march.

The bride wore a gown of white satin fashioned with a square neckline trimmed with lace and lace inserts at the waist. The full skirt ended in a long train. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a beaded tiara and she carried an all-white bouquet.

Miss Alma Geurink, bridesmaid, wore a light blue chiffon gown with matching veil. She carried a mixed bouquet of flowers.

Lester Wolters assisted his brother as best man. Ushers were Willis Klingenberg and Richard Tuinstra.

Mrs. Richard Tuinstra was in charge of gifts.

Fifty-five guests attended the reception which followed the ceremony. Serving were Mrs. Max Calkins, Mrs. Allen Taylor, Mrs. Richard Tuinstra and Miss Hazel Geurink. A short talk was given by the Rev. S. Kramer.

T/Sgt and Mrs. Wolters will live at Ft. Knox, Ky., where the groom is stationed.

A miscellaneous shower honoring the bride was given last week Monday at the home of her parents. Invited were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kortman, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kole, Mr. and Mrs. John Engelman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Klein and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Klein and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mulder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Engelman, Willis Klingenberg, Raymond Klingenberg, T/Sgt Willard Wolters and the bride-elect.

Ravenna Church Burns

Services of the Ravenna Methodist church Sunday were held in the Odd Fellows hall following a fire which completely destroyed the church building Wednesday morning. Loss of the fire exceeds \$10,000. Mrs. C. C. Strickland, school teacher, discovered the fire in the church basement where school classes of the kindergarten and first two grades have been held for some time. The blaze was believed caused from an overheated furnace. New choir robes and school equipment were among the loss. The Rev. J. Lawrence Ward is church pastor.

Prosecutor Tells PTA To Request Survey

Grand Haven, April 17 (Special)—Prosecutor Howard W. Fant, to whom was referred a request from the Montello park PTA for traffic control near the school, informed the Board of Supervisors Wednesday that the township board should request the County road commission and the Commissioner of Public Safety for a survey.



URGES SCHOOL SUPPORT

"The very best school systems we can maintain are necessary for the complex problems facing tomorrow's citizens," Dr. John R. Mulder, president of Western Theological seminary said today. He heartily supports the schools proposal for establishment of a sinking fund for local school building and repair. Holland voters will decide the issue of raising tax millage in a special election April 21.



FOR SCHOOL CAMPAIGN

"A school building program planned and financed in advance looks like good business to me," Henry S. Maentz, president of the First National bank and director of the Chamber of Commerce said today.

Maentz wholeheartedly supported the campaign sponsored by the Citizens' committee to provide a sinking fund for school building and repair in Holland. The issue will be voted on in a special school election April 21.

Surprise Shower Given For Mildred Ter Beek

A surprise shower honoring Miss Mildred Ter Beek, who will be married this week, was given Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Sylvester Zych, 54 West First St. Hostesses were Mrs. John Zych and Mrs. Arthur Van Dyke.

Prizes for games were won by Mrs. Russell Van Til, Mrs. John Wlodarczyk, Mrs. W. Miller and Miss Ter Beek. Gifts were presented and refreshments were served.

Invited guests were the Mesdames Jack Firlit, John Stepaniak, Jack Vroski, Lucien Montmay, Gil Troski, K. Dekker, William Miller, James Kalman, John Mrook, Frank Mrook, Frank Komarek, C. Israels, Russell Van Til, Mary Dabrowski, Helen Boersma, Carroll Norlin, Michael Wlodarczyk, Richard Gee, John Wlodarczyk, Roy Victor, Michael Victor, Leo Roy, Du Shane, and the Mesdames Jane Stepaniak, Alyce Kalman, Caroline Kalman, Lorraine Victor, Estelle Wlodarczyk and Helen Jean Van Dyke.

Grand Rapids guests were the Mesdames Theodore Wisneski, Frank Walenga, V. H. Saltsiak, B. Kemper, R. Doyle, John Nimmo, Joseph Ross, Joseph Ottowski and Lawrence Lafelski.

Kay Visscher Is Feted at Shower

A miscellaneous shower was given Friday night in the home of Mrs. Bert Van Dis, Sr., in East Saugatuck, in honor of Miss Kay Visscher of Holland. Mrs. Van Dis and Miss Lillian Van Dis were hostesses.

Games were played, with duplicate prizes going to Mrs. S. Turner, Mrs. Fred Diekema, Mrs. Bert Van Dis, Jr., and Mrs. Edward Boeve. A two-course lunch was served.

Invited were the Mesdames Fred Diekema, Joe Kleever, John Van Wieren, Leo Inderbitzen, Carl J. Mannes, L. J. Mannes, Henry Lubbers, Lambert Lubbers, Ed Boeve, S. Turner, Simon Wiegink, Martin Sale, Henry Drenton, John Pieper, Wallace De Zwaan, Lambert Van Dis, Bert Van Dis, Jr., Jerry Hulst, Claud Hutchinson, Henry Volkers, and the Mesdames Sarah Drenton and Marian Kurz.

Also present were Henry Volkers, Bert Van Dis, Sr., Bert Van Dis, Jr., and Mavis Van Dis.

Country House Scene of Dudek-Battjes Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Ditmar of West 17th St., announce the marriage of their daughter, Henrietta J. Battjes, and Joseph C. Dudek of Detroit. The wedding took place Friday at the Country House, Grand Rapids, before the fireplace decorated with spring flowers, palms and two seven-branch candelabra.

Prof. Henry Schultz read the service and a program of wedding music was played by Mrs. Irving Cramer, Mrs. A. Vermeer sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Beaverdam

(From Thursday's Sentinel)
Mrs. Gertrude Geerits and Mrs. Lou Schut of Hudsonville were recent visitors with Mrs. Fred Berens.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Steenwijk and daughters left Wednesday for Iowa where they expect to spend a week with relatives.

Mrs. Alfred Bowman and Mrs. Harry Bowman attended a shower Wednesday evening honoring Miss Margaret Rittenger of Grand Rapids at the home of Mrs. Gerrit Wyngarden of Zeeland.

The members of the Sherbourne school board, Jake Hop, Harry Bowman, and Henry Feenstra and the teacher, Carl Schermer of Vriesland, with their wives were entertained at the Feenstra home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ohlman entertained the deacons and their wives at their home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Zoet spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Timmer of Grand Rapids, also calling on their father, Mr. Timmer at Cutterville.

Mrs. Martin Tubergen was the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Burkhart of Grand Rapids last Wednesday.

Mrs. Thys De Jonge and son Ted left Friday and spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Sampson in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stegehuis attended the funeral service of Hiram Wagner of Bauer last week.

Mrs. Corneal Verecke and Mrs. Willard Verecke attended a shower at the home of Mrs. Bertha Hop in Holland in honor of Miss Beth Meengs. April 9 is the date set for the marriage of Miss Meengs and Alvin Hop.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barrens entertained friends from Grand Rapids Friday evening. The guests were the Rev. and Mrs. Wilbur Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitford, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hazelwood and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Beyer of Saranac.

Mr. and Mrs. Sietze Baron of Holland were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bekins and Mrs. C. Bekins, also calling on Mr. and Mrs. C. Verecke one afternoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Purlin Verecke called on their brother-in-law, Henry Van Nul at Holland hospital. He submitted to a goiter operation Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ensing of Hudsonville were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrene Huyser and their father, B. Kroodsmas Saturday.

Mrs. Jake Hop and Mrs. Mart Tubergen spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Corneal Verecke.

Miss Beatrice Zoet and girl friend of Grand Rapids spent Thursday evening with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Zoet.

Ed Stegehuis and Mrs. Sadie De Frew of Grandville, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hop, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Klynstra and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Masselink of Beaverdam were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stegehuis during last week.

Arlene Kay Verecke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arend Verecke, received the sacrament of baptism at the afternoon service of the Reformed church Sunday.

Ed Veldman was the delegate appointed to attend the spring session of the Holland Classis in the Central Park Reformed church Monday.

Sunday being annual exchange Sunday, the Rev. Richard Van Farrow of Portage will preach at the Reformed church and the pastor, Rev. H. Rozendal, will occupy the pulpit at Allegan Reformed church.

On Sunday evening April 20, there will be a special service at the Reformed church of song and music. The Crusaders quartet of Grand Rapids is included in the program.

The new communion table which the Ladies Aid society purchased for the church arrived last week and was dedicated at the afternoon service Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stegehuis called on their daughter, Mrs. Alex Wagner, who is ill at her home in Bauer.

The bride wore a dress of white eyelet fashioned with a wide V-shaped sheer yoke edged with eyelet ruffle, fitted bodice and full skirt and train. Her fingertip length veil was fastened with a cluster of orange blossoms and she wore pearls, the gift of the bridegroom. She carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations and English ivy.

The bride's sister, Marjorie, was maid of honor and her sister, Ruth Jean, was bridesmaid. They wore identical dresses of light green and of yellow eyelet fashioned like that of the bride. Their mitts and bonnets were of colors to match their dresses and they also carried cascade bouquets of yellow and pale pink carnations and English ivy.

Sandra Kay Luth, flower girl, wore a frock of white organdie and her hair was tied with a pink ribbon. She carried a basket of pink sweet peas and strewn rose petals on her way. The rings for the ceremony were carried in a calla lily by Jimmy Hoff.

Ray Bredeweg of Jamestown was best man and Gerald Battjes, cousin of the bride, seated the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dittmar of Belding, formerly of Holland were master and mistress of ceremonies.

Approximately 100 guests attended the reception held immediately following the ceremony.

The bride is a recent graduate of St. Mary's School of Nursing. The couple will live in Detroit where Mr. Dudek is employed.

The U. S. bureau of engraving and printing was set up in 1894.

Holland In 1914

Ottawa county is to have a series of Farmers' Institutes in January that will surpass any similar according to information sent out by L. R. Taft of East Lansing, State Superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, began a story in the Monday, Dec. 21, issue of the Holland Daily Sentinel published in 1914. The series will open in Holland and will close on Coopersville with the County Institute some time in February.

The Rev. H. J. Veldman held special services last night for the young men of the Sunday school. In his address the pastor stated that with a Sunday school attendance of 600, one third of these are men and young men between the ages of 15 and 60. In fulfillment of a promise, because Dick Botes' class of boys between the ages of 15 and 21 years had an attendance membership of 50 last Sunday, Mr. Botes will entertain the class with a supper a week from tomorrow night.

Mrs. R. S. Jones and daughter left Saturday for Los Angeles, where they will spend the winter.

The Rev. P. A. Hoekstra, pastor of the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church, apprised his congregation yesterday of a call he had received from First Christian Reformed church at Patterson, N. J. Mr. Hoekstra recently declined two calls from other fields.

Mission boards in the Reformed church have been named beneficiaries in the bequests aggregating \$17,000 in the will of Mrs. Adrianna Van Houten who died recently at her home in Passaic, N. J. The board of foreign missions is left \$5,000 and other boards received lesser amounts. Her total bequests to board and public institutions were \$37,500.

The Hope college basketball team now on a tour through Illinois and Michigan, met their second defeat Saturday night when they lost to the Illinois Athletic club's national basketball champions by a score of 22 to 44.

Three long double rows of pens with spacious aisles between, rows that extend nearly the length of the Lyceum skating rink, pens that are filled with fowls of all colors and descriptions—such is the scene that presents itself in the rink on West Seventh St. today, the first day of the 15th annual exhibition of the Holland Poultry and Pet Stock association.

This news story appeared in the Tuesday, Dec. 22, issue.

Illustrating his address with charts made in the local schools, Capt. E. E. Fell last night before the Social Progress Club when it met at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. Leenhouts, gave an illuminating talk on "Industrial Education."

Pere Marquette train No. 108 due here from Mukegon at midnight reached Holland six hours late, having been stuck in the snowdrifts at Harlem.

The Men's Adult Bible class of the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church held its annual meeting last evening at the home of John Lampen. The following officers were elected: J. De Foyter, president; G. Wanrooy, vice-president; George Schuurman, secretary; Anthony Schermer, treasurer; John Weersing, librarian.

In order to keep in line with the trend of present day pedagogy in the teaching of history and civics, the department of history of Hope college will introduce an additional text book in American history and civics. The Literary Digest is to be used for one day each week for the study of current topics.

The new mission chapel which is being erected on North River Ave. under the auspices of the local Christian Reformed churches is about completed and Sunday school sessions will be resumed within a few weeks. The chapel was formerly the Gelderland church which was dismantled and the material used in its reconstruction.

Fourteen boys and girls enjoyed a party at M. A. Sooy's cottage at Macatawa park last evening. The following were present: Misses Irene Olson, Edith Cappon, Ethelyn Vanpel, Lillian Congleton, Marguerite Huntley, Jewel Knoohuizen, Antoinette Rosendahl and Edward Coster, Herbert Cook, Lowell McClelland, Edward Cartwright, Lewis Don Uyl, Edward Sooy and Alfred Joldersma.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Oudemolen a boy.

John P. Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Kelley has returned from Kalamazoo, where he attended Barbour hall, to spend the holidays at his home here.

Reports of the Red Cross Christmas seal sale up to Monday morning as reported from the State head quarters in Ann Arbor, showed a total of 1,006,345 seals sold to date, according to a story appearing in the Wednesday, Dec. 23 issue.

The Zeeland Civic club held its annual meeting. The following officers were elected: L. A. Pleus, re-elected president; M. Ver Hage, vice president; Angus De Kruij, re-elected secretary; C. De Koster, re-elected treasurer. H. Milker, W. Lapple and Adrian Van Koevering were appointed on the board of control.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Van De Est yesterday a boy.

Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Scott and daughter left on the noon train today for Kansas City, Mo.

J. R. Steffens of San Francisco, is visiting his mother, Mrs. N. M. Steffens, 133 West 11th St.

The Men's Adult Bible class of the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church presented P. Schoon with a set of Barnes' "Notes on the New Testament" in 11 volumes. Mr. Garvelink made the presentation speech. J. Slighter was elected president of the class for the coming year.

Local Dog Club Holds Successful Field Trials

38 Entries Competed For Coveted Awards; Holland Pointer Places

Results of the Holland Pointer and Setter club's spring field trial were announced today by Lloyd Maatman, club secretary. First place went to an English setter, O. O. Tony, owned by Dr. M. P. Cosgrove of Fremont. Carl's Peerless White, an English setter owned by Carl Forslund of Grand Rapids placed second and a Detroit pointer, Ebebe's Billy, owned by E. T. Bennett, placed third. No pheasants were placed out for the puppy runoff, because of a limited supply received from the conservation department, however they seemed to find plenty of native song birds to chase amusingly while running.

After the puppy stake was over, the derby stake was next on the club's schedule and the first brace of dogs was again promptly released by the starter. This stake was won by another dog owned by Dr. M. P. Cosgrove, Commando Sam Boy. Second place went to a Grand Rapids pointer, Arcile's Hoosier Boy, owned by C. L. Lammons. Dingo's Seaview Spot, a pointer owned by J. Ward of Muskegon took third.

In the all-age stake, Art White's pointer, Village Boy King, and Ben Lievens's setter, Communique Tim, paired up for the first brace, but first place went to Commando Jo Boy, a pointer owned by C. Rose of Grand Rapids. Second place in the all age stake went to Relisfoot Sport Peerless, an English setter owned by Carl Forslund of Grand Rapids. Third spot went to a Holland dog, the only local entry to place in the trial, Village Boy's Ace, a pointer owned by Art White.

All first place entries received loving cups and second and third place winners received merchandise items and generous amounts of dog food went to all winners. All prizes were donated by local merchants to the club for this trial.

With 38 dogs entered, the club held its most successful trial in its history. The meet was held Sunday at the J. Driscoll farm located northwest of Holland. The large entry received, was attributed to the club's fine organization of the trial which was registered, and thereby all winners will receive national recognition and honors, through the Amateur Field Trials club of America.

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at the home of Mrs. Harriet Hutchins.

The Rev. and Mrs. O. W. Carr drove to Lansing Monday where they will remain until Thursday with their daughter, Mrs. C. D. Allen. Rev. Carr will also attend a ministerial training school.

Saturday night and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trapp and Mrs. Gladys Bills and daughter Sandra of Grand Rapids. On Sunday all had dinner at the home of Mrs. McCarthy's and Mrs. Sill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gerred, where the birthdays of Mr. Trapp, Mrs. Sill, Sandra and Leon McCarthy were celebrated.

On Sunday three sisters of Mrs. Clovis Dorman were her guests. They included Mrs. Mildred Porter and daughter Mary Lou of Three Rivers, Miss Gertrude Galbreath and friend Walter Raymond of Kalamazoo, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mileham and daughters Jean and Shirley of South Haven.

Their brother Roger Galbreath returned from service in Japan a week ago. He and his wife are living temporarily at the Leon Shepard home where she lived during her husband's absence overseas. He expects to be discharged in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Strabbing and daughter Mollie spent Saturday here attending to the sale of the household goods of Mrs. Ida Atwater, the late mother of Mrs. Strabbing. The house has been sold to the Michigan Fruit Canners, Inc. filling out their square on M-89 in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stennecke of Watervliet, who have just arrived home from Florida, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ida L. Sherman and Mrs. Frances Sheehan. Overnight guest in the home was Miss May Lamoreaux of Grand Rapids.

Miss Blanche Lamoreaux of Grand Rapids was also a Saturday guest.

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Youth Admits Taking Three Holland Cars

Juvenile Apprehended South of City Driving Auto of E. C. Brooks

Holland police are holding for Probate Court authorities a 16-year-old youth of Allegan county, who Officer Dennis Ende apprehended Monday afternoon driving a '46 model car owned by Earnest C. Brooks of Holland, who had reported it missing two hours earlier from its parking place on Eighth St.

Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff said the youth also admitted taking the car belonging to Mrs. W. J. Olive Thursday morning from its parking place near Hope church. This car was recovered Friday south of Virginia Park.

Police said the youth further admitted taking a car belonging to Gerald Vandenberg last Jan. 29. This car was found abandoned a few weeks later in the brush near Saugatuck.

Since the latter two cars were found in a general area south of Holland, local police suspected the youth, and Officer Ende was en route to East Saugatuck to consult Allegan Deputy Ben Sterenberg when he saw the youth in the Brooks car.

The youth told police he threw out alongside the road an antique chair in the back of the Brooks car. Although officers searched the area, the chair was not found.

A valuable set of golf clubs belonging to Brooks was recovered from the attic of an abandoned house in Gibson.

Since the youth is already on probation of Allegan Probate Court on a breaking and entering charge, Chief Van Hoff said he expects Probate Court will waive jurisdiction and the case will be bound over to Circuit Court. The youth likely will be charged with unlawfully driving away a motor vehicle.

Local Jewelers Attend State Convention Meeting

Several local jewelers were present at Monday night's meeting of the Michigan Retail Jewelers convention being held in Grand Rapids. Attending the convention Monday were Burt L. Post, Jack Plewes, Lyle Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Garry Vandenberg, Donald Jalving, Miss Frieda Mow and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kalmink.

James Herrspink attended the convention meeting Tuesday.



SPECIAL AWARDS GIVEN

Receiving a special award, a dress revue pin, at the 4-H Achievement Day held in Holland March 29 is Wilmine Boehre of Kent City. Awarding the pin is A.

R. Arnold, county agricultural agent.

Others who received special awards for 1946 project work were, front row (left to right) Alma Jean Klammer, route 1, Zeeland; Patricia Hubbel of Coopersville; Betty Dawes, route 2, Spring Lake; Monica Mierle, route 2, Spring Lake; Ella Mae Meeuwse of route 1, Zeeland and Joan Pyle of route 1, Zeeland.

Standing in the back row, left to right, are Lois Lillibridge of Marne; Shirley Hilton of Coopersville; Adeline Van Rhee of James-town; Irene Kraker of Allendale; George Veltema of Hudsonville and Ray Hunderman of Drenthe. (Penna-Sas photo)

Grand Haven Visitors Recall War in Netherlands

Grand Haven, April 17 (Special)

—Mrs. Sophia Jansen and her daughter Fie, of Ermelo, the Netherlands, who have arrived here to visit speak freely and interestingly of their experiences during the war. The 20-year-old daughter told of occasions when they hid youths in their attic and in underground shelters nearby. They repeated the known facts concerning inflationary prices prevailing in their native lands and the scarcity of various articles.

Mrs. Jansen is 61 years old and a retired nurse, while Fie is still busying herself with the task of speaking the English language more fluently. She already converses intelligently in the English tongue, having studied it along with French and German in grammar school. She is particularly anxious to improve her knowledge of the American phrases.

Among the souvenirs the Jansens brought with them was a novel sugar and creamer set. The set was a Beatrix Blue, but the Germans would not allow the word "Beatrix" because it was the name of a Dutch princess. Consequently "Beatrix" was rubbed from the bottom of the pitcher.

Fie relates an interesting war experience concerning a friend of hers, Jan Stolk. Her shoes were completely worn out, so Jan while living in an underground shelter carved a pair of wooden shoes for her. The base is of solid wood with a band of leather across the instep and heels and toes open. Copper tacks for leather fastenings add a decorative note. Jan at present is serving with the RAF and expects to be discharged in June.

Speaking about food the Jansens said supplies were scarce, although the situation was somewhat alleviated when they left last month. They mentioned eating tulip bulbs, and of making the bulbs into cookies using salt pepper, but without sugar since it was not available. During the war milk was \$4 a quart and butter \$30 a pound.

They expressed appreciation for American clothing sent to the Hollanders. They said the Dutch people were trying desperately to forget the horrors of war, but a certain amount of tenseness was still noticeable.

Traveling on the same ship, the Veendum, was Piet De Vries of Koogadzaan, the Netherlands, who is visiting his brother in Grand Rapids. Neither De Vries nor the Jansens knew the other was coming to Michigan until De Vries overheard the Jansens talking Dutch on a train from New York to Grand Rapids. They expressed surprise at the nearness of Grand Haven and Grand Rapids.

The Jansens who are making their headquarters with a cousin, Hen Ringelberg, 630 Columbus St., praised the Travelers Aid in New York and in Grand Rapids, who took care of arrangements.

MERCURY DOCKS

The tanker Mercury, carrying one million gallons of gasoline, entered Holland harbor at 11:50 a.m. Tuesday. This is her second trip into the local harbor.

Hansen-Burt Vows Read In St. Francis Church

Wearing a gown of white Skinner's satin with long train, imported lace peplum and long, full sleeves, Miss Elaine Burt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Burt of 37 East 14th St., became the bride of Eugene Hansen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Niles Hansen, Sr. of 187 Howard Ave., Saturday at 10 a.m. in St. Francis de Sales church.

Imported lace trimmed the sweetheart neckline of the gown and tiny buttons extended down the back. The bridal veil of white net illusion with lace trim was held by a crown of imported lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses and snapdragons. Her single strand of pearls was the gift of the groom.

Mr. Burt gave his daughter in marriage. White snapdragons with a touch of pink decorated the church for the impressive double ring ceremony which was read by the Rev. J. M. Westdorp. Wedding music was furnished by the choir.

Attending the bride as bridesmaid was Miss Betty Tuinsma who wore a gown of pale blue taffeta with high round neck and cap sleeves and blue taffeta mitts. She wore a blue net shoulder veil and carried a bouquet of pink roses and snapdragons.

Little Judy Rummier as flower girl wore a peach taffeta gown with net inserts and a blue net bonnet. She strewed rose petals from a white basket.

Best man was Gordon Burt, brother of the bride, Arthur Rummier, Jr., cousin of the bride and Niles Hansen, Jr., brother of the groom, were ushers.

A wedding breakfast was served to members of the immediate families and relatives in the Marquee following the ceremony. Assisting were the Misses Pearl De Haan, Julia Brandens, Marcia Dykstra and Geneva Diekema. Guests came from Lansing, Grand Rapids, Grand Haven, Three Rivers and Hudsonville.

Edward Morlock was master of ceremonies and Niles Hansen Jr. and Leonard Rummier played violin and piano selections. Dancing was enjoyed after the breakfast. From 3 to 5 p.m. open house was held at the bride's home.

Both the bride and groom have always lived in Holland and were graduated from Holland High school in 1945. The bride has been employed by Northern Wood Products Co. and the groom is employed by the Dunn Manufacturing Co.

The couple left late Saturday

And What's Next, Mister Mayor?

Who says the mayor doesn't have anything to do!

Mayor Ben Steffens, while consulting Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff Tuesday on traffic problems in the city, casually mentioned he needed a mathematician to figure out his schedule for the day.

At noon, he was scheduled to attend a meeting of the Tulip Time committee in the Warm Friend Tavern. At 1:30 p.m. he was to meet with the Public Safety Commission and the Chamber of Commerce in regard to downtown parking.

Also at 1:30 p.m., he was to attend the opening meeting of the Board of Supervisors in Grand Haven.

At 3:30 p.m. he is scheduled to attend a meeting of the Board of Directors of the First National bank.

At 4:30 p.m. he expected to be present at a meeting of the hospital board.

At night, he's going to a meeting in church.

"And what do you do in your spare time, Mr. Mayor?" one officer asked him.

"Maybe you ought to get a raise," another said.

For your information, the mayor's "salary" is \$100 a year.

Couple Exchange Vows At Justice Hoffer's Home

Grand Haven, April 17 (Special) —Mrs. Inez Green of route 2, Spring Lake, and Earl R. Deal of Nunica, were married Saturday evening by Justice George V. Hoffer at his home.

The couple was attended by Mrs. Mary Palen of Muskegon Heights, sister of the groom, and Jack Robidoux of Spring Lake, a Navy friend of the groom.

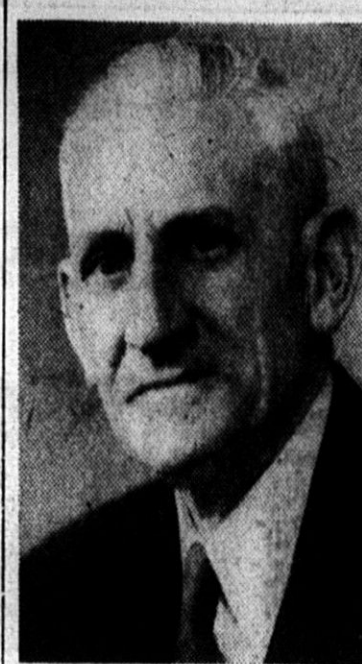
The couple will make their home at route 2, Spring Lake.

Still No Checks

No further developments were reported Tuesday in conferences of legal counsel of both union and management Monday on the two-week-old strike at the Bohn Aluminum and Brass Corp. Conferences were held to consider ways to issue checks for outstanding pay, but the point of disagreement involved classification of personnel to be allowed in the plant.

afternoon on a short wedding trip and are now living at 19 West 18th St. For traveling the bride wore a black wool suit with pale blue coat and black accessories.

Chile is 2,600 miles long, equal to the distance from Quebec to the Panama canal.



URGES BUILDING

C. Eugene Ripley, president of Holland Exchange club, today endorsed the school building program with the following statement, "School building has to keep up with the needs of the times. I am for the building program." Voters will decide April 21 on the establishment of a sinking fund to provide for repair and building in Holland public schools.

Classis Holland Plans Meetings

The Centennial mass meetings of Classis Holland will be held Thursday and Friday at 8 p.m. in Ninth Street Christian Reformed church. The Rev. R. B. Kuiper of Westminster seminary will be main speaker both evenings.

His subject for Thursday will be "The Faith of our Fathers—What Was It?" and Friday, "The Faith of Our Fathers—How to Keep It."

The Rev. Henry Schultze and Prof. S. Volbeda of Calvin college and seminary will also speak. The Christian High school choir will sing. The public is invited.

Miss Anne van der Werf Wed to Charles Wabeke

Mrs. A. van der Werf announces the marriage of her daughter, Anne, to Charles H. Wabeke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wabeke of Holland.

The ceremony was performed at 11 a.m. Saturday in Howes Memorial chapel, Evanston, Ill., by Dr. Rockwell C. Smith. Attendants were Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Veneklasen of Chicago, sister and brother-in-law of the bride.

After a wedding trip to the Smoky Mountains, the couple will live in Lansing where Mr. Wabeke is a salesman for the Holland Furnace Co.

Local Thinclads Drill for Rugged Spring Schedule

Only seven familiar names will be noted on Malcolm Mackay's Holland High school track team this spring. Coach Mackay has issued several calls for track talent to report and thus far 45 boys have shown their interest. Only seven of this number are lettermen who were on last year's team.

The Dutch thinclads have been practicing some, but have been hampered by the weather and forced to use the inside track in the gym. All spring sports are slow in getting underway this season because of the heavy rain and cold weather. Coach Mackay, however expects to get his tracksters out next week in an attempt to get them polished before the season's opening match in Allegan on April 23. The Allegan opener will be a quadrangular affair with Allegan, Muskegon Heights, Kalamazoo and Holland participating.

Mackay's lettermen include some boys who have participated in other sports at the high school. Eddie Leverette is one of the leading contestants for the dashes by virtue of his speed and ability to get away in a hurry. He proved his speed in football when he starred for the Dutchmen and several times in the Muskegon game pulled away from Barrott who supposedly is the fastest man in the conference.

Jack Veldheer is a candidate for the 440 while Bob Van Voorst will be running the 880. Both of these boys are well known on the gridiron also. Veldheer played the full back position while Van Voorst was a lineman, but due to an injury had to retire from the game in midseason. Art Boeve and Randy Vande Water are both returning lettermen who are practicing daily for the mile run. Bob Van Dyke, well known cage star, will participate in the high jump again this year, along with Bill Bocks.

The schedule is as follows: April 23, quadrangular meet at Allegan; April 30, Muskegon, (there); May 3, Mt. Pleasant, (there); May 14, Muskegon Heights, (there); May 17, conference regionals at Kalamazoo; May 24, state meet at Lansing.

Miss Janet Bogart To Be Married in June

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Bogart, of Seaciff, Long Island, N. Y., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Janet, to Robert B. Wolbrink, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irving L. Wolbrink of Ganges. June 14 has been set as the wedding date.

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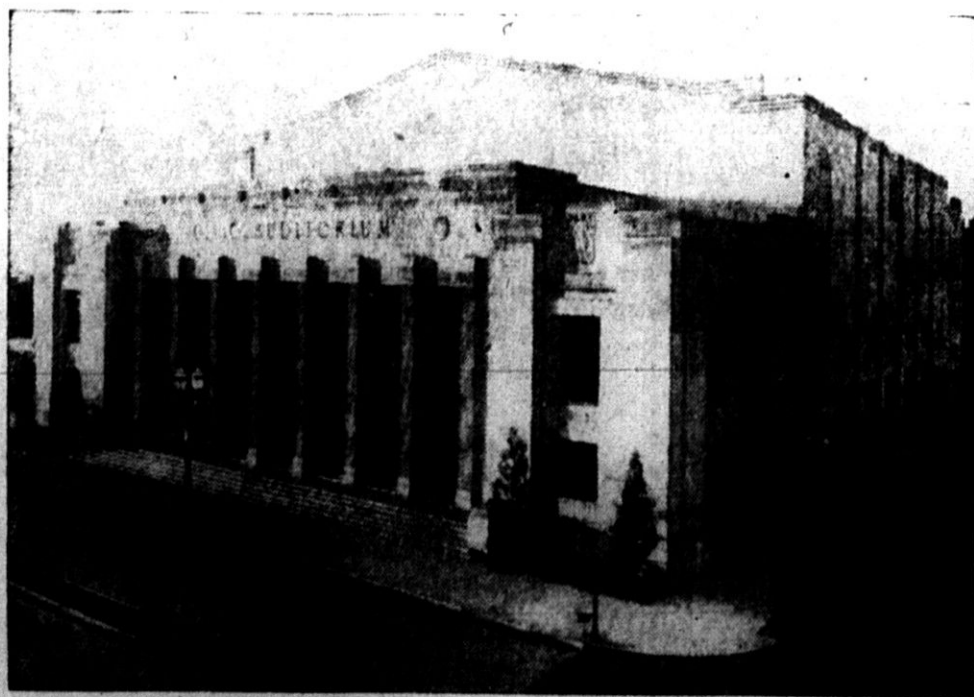
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