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Board Continues Study on Plans For Buildings

Equalization Committee Report Calls for County Total of \$154 Million

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The Board of Supervisors will continue study on plans for county building units both in Grand Haven and Holland, it was decided at the closing meeting of the April term Wednesday afternoon.

Specifically, the ways and means committee and the buildings and grounds committee will report back at the June meeting with recommendations on building, plus the possibility of presenting both projects on a single ballot with final decision by the voters at the fall election. The prosecutor will be consulted on legal aspects. It was suggested that the committee visit new court houses in Marshall and Ann Arbor.

Mayor Robert Visscher of Holland felt that a package deal for the two projects would be highly desirable, an expression in which many members concurred. It was a general opinion of the board that the present court house in Grand Haven should not be remodeled.

A resolution approving terms of the transfer of the Wagner property near Holland City Hall was approved, subject to a condition that if the county should vacate the premises, it would convey \$8,000 to the city of Holland. The city is providing the property on condition it be used for a court house branch. The resolution passed 27 to 1, Henry Slaughter of Tallmadge township dissenting.

The resolution also included a clause directing the committee to file an application with the Holland City Board of Appeals for a variance to allow such construction and use, so that zoning action may be obtained before the June session.

The equalization committee report was adopted, calling for a county valuation as equalized of \$154,358,968 or 90 percent of the estimated state equalized value of \$169,625,236. Total county assessed valuation is \$115,257,413.

Holland city shares 26.64 percent in the county tax levy. The city's assessed valuation is \$31,150,220; the city's equalized valuation, \$41,134,487, and the state equalized valuation, \$45,202,733. Holland township shares 9.85 percent; Park township, 5.67 percent; Zeeland city, 5.11 percent; Grand Haven city, 19.07 percent.

Chairman Roy Lowing appointed the following additional committees: permanent traffic safety committee, William Kennedy, Robert Visscher, Robert Murray, Gerrit Bottema, John Stephenson; reappraisal, George Swart, Henry Vermeer and Lowing; humane society committee, Richard L. Cook, Lawrence Wade and Henry Slaughter.

The matter of purchasing a seven-acre site just east of Holland for a retail farmers' market was discussed and referred to the agricultural committee and the buildings and grounds committee for investigation with instructions to consult the prosecutor on legal aspects. Henry Vermeer of the agricultural committee reported the committee has an option to purchase the property for \$6,100. Since the property lies 313 feet west of the bypass in the vicinity of 10th St., in Holland, there was some question on proper entrance.

The board adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

Local Orchestra Wins Top Rating

Holland's Junior High Orchestra received the only first division rating in the AA Junior Orchestra classification Saturday at the state music festival in Muskegon.

This is the sixth straight year the group has received final ratings of first division. Carleton Kelch, director, considers this one of the best orchestras he has ever entered in the competition. Holland's "arch rival," the Muskegon Junior Orchestra, received a division II rating for the first time in six years.

Judges were Wayne Dunlap, director of the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra; Carl Huffman of Fontana, Wis., and Samuel Mages of Winnetka, Ill. Competition was held in McLaughlin School in Muskegon with more than 20 teachers, principals and music faculty members assisting the many orchestras and bands that performed. The concert program included the "Eastern Dance" by Woodhouse, the entire "Symphony in D" by Sammartini and the string number "Traumerei und Romanze" by Schumann.

The orchestra's next performance here will be in the massed instrumental and vocal all-city concert April 24 at 7:30.

The Junior High Band presented two concerts in Muskegon Heights Junior High School Tuesday at the invitation of A. K. Meertz of the music faculty and Principal Murray. They played for two school assemblies. Soloists were Jim Vande Vusse, Jim Bos and Bruce Kulken. Raymond Roth is band director. The group traveled by bus and returned to Holland about 4 p.m.

County GOP Convention Praises Ike For Veto

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — More than 100 persons gathered in the court room of the county building Wednesday night for the county Republican convention at which delegates and alternates were chosen for the coming state convention May 5 in Detroit. County Chairman Carl C. Andersen opened the convention and Edward Meany of Grand Haven served as chairman. Fred Den Herder was secretary.

Keynote James Schoener of Muskegon, state chairman of the Young Republicans, said the Republican party today faced organized resistance from the Democratic party which can be met only by hard work. "Good politics is a door-to-door proposition in which every citizen must be contacted personally," he said.

Schoener called attention to accomplishments of the Eisenhower administration, pointing to the end of the Korean war, strengthening of foreign policy under Secretary of State Dulles, easing of Israeli tension, and fostering of the Geneva conference.

"Inflation has been halted, social security extended, the Seaway is an accomplished fact, and prices are stabilized. Thank goodness we have a president who can stand on his feet and veto a bill which he thinks is bad for the country," Schoener said.

Resolutions adopted by the convention commended President Eisenhower for his stand on the farm bill veto. "We believe that Dwight D. Eisenhower increased in stature in the eyes of the American people in taking the stand he thought was right. We believe his signature on the farm bill would have meant that he believed in the theory of 'Anything for a vote in an election year,'" the resolution read. Sen. Clyde H. Geerlings was chairman of the resolutions committee.

Delegates to the state convention are Alfred Pytlinski, Marvin Smith, Robert Bareham, Russell M. Tague, John L. Van Apple, Mrs. A.H. Loomis, James W. Scott, Harry Loeffers, James W. Bussard, Howard Rose, Mathilda Moss, William S. Share, Carl C. Andersen, Alyce Yost, Mariette Miles, Andrew G. Sall, Ray Gemmen, L.C. Dalman, Joan Danhof, Yvonne De Jonge, George Van Koeveing, George Van Perseum, Fred Den Herder, Corey Van Koeveing, Walter Vander Haar, Anna Van Horsen, Gerald Vanderbeek, William Winstrom, Jane Lilley, Don Voss and Ruth D. Scott. Alternates are Orville Stegenga, Dor Garter, Eunice K. Bareham, Pauline M. Tague, Mrs. Leon Hopkins, William Jesiek, Harold Swarts, Kent Hastings, Bruce Thompson, Warren McKenna, Robert Beukema, Cecelia Crane, Robert J. Kammeraad, Agnes Andersen, Arthur C. Yost, Hesper Raymond, Peter Lugten, Leona Postma, Seymour Padnos, Anthony Mulder, Clarence Yntema.

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George E. Wendt, Dies at Age 84

George E. Wendt, Sr., 84, of Park Township, route 4, died Tuesday evening following a heart attack suffered at his home. He was dead upon arrival at Holland Hospital.

He was born in Frieberg, Germany, in 1871 and came to this country in 1901. Coming to Racine, Wis., he received his citizenship papers while living there. He moved to Holland in 1910 and for many years worked as a landscape gardener at the Gold residence on Lake Macatawa. He was a forester in Germany before coming to America and was influential in the organization of the West Ottawa Soil Conservation district back in 1938 when he cited his reasons before the state committee hearing and convinced them that tree planting could eliminate a deplorable condition in the west section of Ottawa county.

He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church.

Surviving are three daughters, Miss Margaret Wendt, Mrs. Vernon (Johanna) Van Oort and Miss Ruth Wendt, all of Holland; four sons, Kurt Wendt of San Francisco, Calif., and George, Jr., of Holland and Arnold of Grand Rapids; 10 grandchildren and six great grandchildren; one brother, Robert Wendt of Schwerin, Germany.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church with the Rev. E.M. Ruhlig officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Relatives are asked to meet in the parish hall at the church at 1:45 p.m. Friends may meet the family at Dykstra Funeral Chapel Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Tien Trial Expected To Cover Two Days

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A jury trial which will probably last two days opened in the Ottawa Circuit Court this morning in which Orville Tien and his next friend, Alyda Tien, are seeking judgment of \$25,000 against Earl and Harold Barkel all of Holland.

It is alleged that Orville sustained permanent injuries as the result of a fatal accident at 1:30 a.m. June 20, 1953, on Butternut Dr. while a guest passenger in a car driven by Earl Barkel who was driving with the consent of his father.

Adult Education Program Aired At Local Meeting

Educators, superintendents and directors of Adult Education in the public schools went on record Wednesday night urging Superintendent of Public Instruction Clair Taylor to take a leadership role in encouraging more districts to participate in an adult education program.

The Ottawa - Allegan Adult Education Conference was held in Thomas Jefferson School from 4 to 9 p.m.

Vern Schipper, Adult Education Director in Holland Public Schools and general chairman of the conference, welcomed guests and introduced speakers.

Dr. I.J. Lubbers, Hope College president, gave a review of adult education as expressed at the Washington White House Conference.

Issues in adult education were discussed by Henry J. Ponitz, of the division of adult education, department of public instruction. Arthur R. Read, construction supervisor of Holland Public Schools, directed a conducted tour of the new Jefferson school pointing out aspects of a modern elementary school.

Dinner was served to the group at 6 p.m. by the home economics department under Lavina Cappon. After the dinner break, a panel discussion on the reaction to the issues involved in adult education was presented.

Howard Y. McClusky, professor of Educational Psychology and Consultant in Adult Education at University of Michigan, was moderator.

On the panel were John B. Holden, consultant on adult education at Michigan State University; Edward Grunt of South Haven, principal of South Haven High School and Edwin L. Taylor, superintendent of schools of Grandville.

Several valuable points were a result of the discussion with one affecting Ottawa County. A committee of interested county and city citizens will be asked to help provide an adult education program which is a direct service to industries and businesses as well as to the citizens of a community. School plants should be used as much as possible to utilize 100 percent the facilities and the adult program does this, according to the panelists.

There have been two major trends in education — the Horace Mann elementary school idea and the Kalamazoo idea — secondary or high school and now a third major trend in developing — adult education, brought about by automation and the shorter work week which give people more leisure time to spend on education.

In addition to the panel, moderators and speakers, those present included Walter W. Scott, J. J. Riemersma, Austin Buchanan, Schipper, Robert Slocom, Edward Donivan, Russell Hornbaker, Harold Streeter, Carroll Norlin and Verne C. Hohl of Holland; James Jacobs, director of adult education, Grand Haven; Supt. Ralph Van Volkinburg, Grand Haven; Supt. C.W. Lubbers, Plainwell; Supt. Lloyd Shaffer, Reeth-Puffer School, Muskegon; Harold Fisher, Grand Haven and Supt. Julius Schipper, Zeeland.

Mrs. Ethel M. Cain Succumbs at Age 59

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Ethel M. Cain, 59, Circle Dr. Spring Lake, died Tuesday noon in Municipal Hospital following a 10 year illness. She was born Ethel M. Moench, Nov. 12, 1896 in Terre Haute, Ind., and married Orville Cain June 10, 1922 in Indianapolis. She had been a school teacher in Indiana and a member of First Evangelical church of Terre Haute.

Besides the husband she is survived by three sons, Robert of Spring Lake, Orville, Jr., of Madison, Wis., and William Charles of Indianapolis; a sister, Mrs. J. C. Reed of Port Allen, La.; three brothers, Robert Moench of Indianapolis, Theodore Moench of Pleasantville, N.Y., and Harold Moench of Terre Haute; also three grandchildren.

The body will repose at Barbier Funeral Home in Spring Lake where services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. The Rev. John L. Koert of St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed Church of Grand Haven will officiate. Burial will be in Spring Lake Cemetery.

Blood Donors Sought

The Red Cross is seeking donors for a regular blood clinic at Red Cross headquarters, 6 East Eighth St., Monday. Executive Secretary Gladys Aldrich said supplies are low at Holland Hospital, and some replacements are necessary for blood used by area persons in Grand Rapids Hospitals. Donors are requested to call Red Cross headquarters at 6-6545 for appointments.



TULIP TIME TRAFFIC — The thousands of cars that yearly throng into Holland during Tulip Time are always a big problem. Law enforcement officers begin their planning early to cope with the situation. It is a combined effort by Holland police, Ottawa County deputies and State Police. Several meetings between the agencies are held prior to Tulip Time to insure the handling of traffic is a smooth operation. Last week representatives of the three groups sat down to figure out their basic plans. Left to right are Sheriff Gerald Vanderbeek, Sgt. Ralph Woldring, Deputy Len Ver Schure and Sgt. Milton Swingle. Seated are Capt. LeRoy Hunt and Lt. Ernest Bear. (Sentinel photo)

Work on Building At Holland Park

Elzinga and Volkens, Inc., of Holland, has started excavation at Holland State Park for the new \$26,000 combination toilet, shower and laundry building.

It will be the same type of architecture as the building that now is in use at the north end of the park grounds. The one-story structure will be 54 by 25 feet and should be ready in time for the heavy camping season, according to Park Manager Clare Broad.

Meanwhile, Broad said Saturday has been designated as the annual cleanup day at the park. There will be about 75 Boy Scouts from the area and 40 members of the Tulip City Rod and Gun Club at the park, setting out tables, clearing the beach, etc.

The Rod and Gun Club Auxiliary will serve a meal to the workers at noon and afterwards Broad will show a film on quail hunting.

Hope May Day Chairman Named

Miss Glenyce Kleis of Holland has been named chairman of the annual Hope College May Day to be staged on the campus May 4. It was announced today by Miss Emma Reeverts, dean of women.

May Day has been an annual event at the college since 1935. Throughout the day intramural sports are conducted for men and women. The celebration will be climaxed by the crowning of the May Queen in the college grove. An all-college banquet will follow.

Miss Kleis, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Clarence Kleis, 96 East 15th St. is a senior English-German major who is planning to teach in Ann Arbor next year. She has been active in the Chapel Choir, Women's Glee Club, the YWCA and the Elementary Teachers Club. She is a member of Kappa Beta Phi sorority and is vice president of the Women's Athletic League board.

Ex-Holland Man Heads Bureau

CHICAGO — Appointment of Jack C. Vandenberg as manager of the Lansing, Mich., bureau of the United Press was announced Wednesday by Bert Masterson, Central Division Manager.

Vandenberg, night bureau manager of the UP Detroit bureau, succeeds Clair M. Hekhuis, who resigned to join the Michigan Economic Development Commission.

Vandenberg, 28, began his newspaper career with the Holland (Mich.) Sentinel and later worked for the Fort Huron (Mich.) Times-Herald and radio station WTHH at Port Huron.

A graduate of the University of Michigan, he served with the Navy Air Corps from 1945 to 1948. He joined the United Press at Detroit.

Day-Old Baby Succumbs In Municipal Hospital

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Stephen De Garmo, one-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard De Garmo of Robinson Township, died in Municipal hospital at 9:30 Tuesday morning. The father who is with the Marine Corps, stationed in Japan, has been requested to return to the States due to his wife's physical condition. The child was born Monday in the local hospital.

Besides the parents he is survived by the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garmo and Mr. and Mrs. David De Verney all of Robinson Township.

Petitions Circulated For 2 School Board Members

Petitions are being circulated for Carl C. Andersen and Bernard Arendshorst for re-election to the Board of Education at a regular election June 11.

Andersen who was appointed last fall to succeed Margaret De Pree is seeking a one-year term to round out Mrs. De Pree's original term. Arendshorst is seeking a full four-year term. The board has seven members.

Petitions for nominations must be filed with Board Secretary Lester J. Kuyper a month prior to June 11. To qualify, a candidate must have 50 or more signatures of qualified voters in Holland City. Petitions are available from Dr. Kuyper, 73 East 10th St.

Fund Raising Meetings Set

Presidents from 14 of Michigan's non-tax supported colleges and several officers of the Michigan Colleges Foundation, Inc., will be in Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Holland, Zeeland, and Grand Rapids, April 17 through 20 acquainting business firms with the work of the Foundation.

Operating as a non-profit, fund raising organization, the Foundation is seeking from the State \$350,000, to help support its member colleges. These are church-related, four year accredited colleges in Michigan.

Hope College in Holland, and Aquinas College in Grand Rapids are members of the Foundation. Other members are: Adrian, Albion, Alma, Emmanuel, Hillsdale, Kalamazoo, Madonna, Marygrove, Mercy, Nazareth, Olivet, Siena Heights.

Each of these schools is independent and raises more than 95 percent of its own funds through tuition, gifts from alumni and other sources. The extra help which these colleges receive from the Michigan Colleges Foundation very often keeps them operating in the black.

If the donor wishes to give his contribution to a specific college or colleges, the Foundation will distribute funds as requested. Of the undesignated funds 60 percent are distributed equally among the colleges; the remaining 40 percent are divided among the 14 members in proportion to their full-time student enrollment.

The Foundation which was established six years ago, raised \$296,000, for its members in 1955. Simon D. Den Uyl of Detroit, president of the Bohn Aluminum and Brass Corporation, is chairman of the Board of Trustees. George M. Holley, Jr., president of the Holley Carburetor Co., is president of the Foundation. Some of the local business people leading this movement include H.M. Taliaferro, president of American Seating Company, C.J. Reese, president of Continental Motors, B.P. Sherwood, Jr., president of the Grand Haven State Bank, and George Heeringa, president of Hart-Cooley Co., in Holland.

In addition to their calls on firms, the presidents will appear at several service club luncheons. The Pantland, Occidental, Warm Friend, and Schuler Hotels will be the group's headquarters during the four-day visitation here.

Although the Michigan Colleges Foundation was the first group of its kind to incorporate, there are now 38 states with similar organizations. Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, and Illinois have been the most successful to date.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Kearns, 5407 Lake Shore Dr., have returned from a vacation in Florida. They stayed at the Wynholm in Fort Lauderdale and also spent some time in Nassau.

Proposal Vote Loses at HHS

At an election of the Holland High School student body Wednesday morning, the proposal to change the constitution whereby officers would be nominated by petition rather than by caucus lost by 96 votes. Reason for the proposed change was because the auditorium of Holland High School is not large enough to house the entire student body for a caucus meeting.

The chapel hour at the school this morning was in charge of Miss Clara Reeverts' first hour Bible Class. Karen Lam was chairman and Roger Kleinhessel led devotions. Mary Ellen Steketee, local forensics winner in original oratory, gave her speech on "A Pattern for Living." Tom Bos announced the Band and Orchestra formal spring concert to be held tonight at 8 p.m. at the High School.

Mayor John Stryker read the results of the vote on the proposal to the constitution and asked for suggestions relative to this problem.

Bound to Circuit Court On Non-Support Count

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — William R. Palmquist, 36, Grand Haven, waived examination on a non-support charge before Justice Frederick J. Workman of Spring Lake Wednesday afternoon.

Palmquist had previously demanded examination when arraigned and was scheduled to appear Wednesday afternoon. Previous to the taking of testimony he waived the hearing. His bond of \$200 was continued and he will appear in Circuit Court June 11.

The alleged offense, made up complaint of his wife, Ruth, allegedly occurred in Grand Haven township between Dec. 1, 1955 and Feb. 27, 1956, when he has failed to support his wife and their six-year-old son, Russell.

Name Selected For New Church

A name for the newly-formed Christian Reformed Church which holds services at Beechwood School was selected at a business and social meeting Wednesday evening in Centra Avenue Christian Reformed Church. The new church, which will be known as Calvin Christian Reformed Church, services are held each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. at Beechwood School. The entrance is the Douglas St. door.

Holland Classis of Christian Reformed Churches will meet May 17 to decide on the application of the new church for organization. About 40 families were represented at the meeting in charge of Claus Bushouse. Refreshments were served.

The Rev. John Bratt, professor of Bible at Calvin College, will be in charge of both services at the new church Sunday. Special music at the evening service will be a solo by Mrs. Carol Johnson.

King's Kuples Meet at Central Park Church

The King's Kuples of Central Park Reformed Church held a regular meeting Tuesday evening at the church.

Dick Winter of Temple Time showed slides of work being done by Temple Time in the Virgin Islands.

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Helmink and Mr. and Mrs. Penny Pathuis.

New City Budget Lists Increases

Box Elder Tree Ordinance Passed By City Council

City Council Wednesday night passed an ordinance outlawing unsprayed box elder trees.

Effective date of the new ordinance is May 10. After that date any unsprayed box elder trees will be declared public nuisances and be removed either by the city or the property owner. Council has the option of either using city funds to remove the tree or requiring the owner to pay the cost.

In other action, council denied the application of Sam McCoy to move a one-story house from 699 State St. to lot 6, block 1, Visscher's addition (East 28th St.).

City Clerk Clarence Greengood presented a petition from property owners in the East 28th St. area protesting the moving inasmuch as the house is of old-fashioned construction and has no continuity of design... and would depreciate surrounding properties on East 28th.

Appearing on behalf of the property owners were Ed Brolin, 669 Columbia Ave., Mrs. Forrest M. Gibson, 194 East 28th St., John T. Hietbrink, 183 East 28th St., and Albert Scholten, 176 East 28th St. Rex Chapman, owner of the house, denied the house was antiquated and asserted it would not be an unsightly or depreciate the values of the other homes in the neighborhood as claimed.

Alderman Robert Kouw made the motion to deny the application and all councilmen agreed except John K. Vander Broek.

Mayor Robert Visscher expressed thanks to the Chamber of Commerce and specifically to Secretary-Manager W.H. VandeWeyer for getting a dredge here to clear the channel at Ottawa Beach so that coal and other deliveries could be made to the city and Brewer's.

On suggestion of City Attorney James Townsend, council voted to amend the reverter provisions in the deed to the Wagner property on West 12th St.

Several members of the Waluta Camp Fire Group attended the meeting. Introduced by Joan Mosher, one of the members, were Jane Dalman, Carol Kraai, Nancy Cuperus and Mrs. Andy Dalman, leader of the group.

Several Appear In Circuit Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Carl Pearce, 17, Nunica, pleaded guilty to a charge of nighttime breaking and entering in Circuit Court today and will return for sentence May 2. The alleged offense involved entering the grocery store of George Downs in Crocker township April 15.

Francis W. Roon, 20, Spring Lake, and Jackie Tuller, 18, Grand Rapids, pleaded guilty to felonious driving charges and will return May 2. The pair was arrested March 17 after allegedly "horsing around" several Grand Haven streets at high speeds and disregarding stop signs and the like.

Howard Scholten, 21, route 3, Hudsonville, pleaded guilty to two counts, forgery and uttering and publishing a check, for \$40.53. The alleged offense occurred in Zeeland city Feb. 29.

D and C Stores, Inc., Grand Haven, Floyd Bates, manager, pleaded not guilty to a charge of exposing for sale 81 packages containing food with incorrect net weights. Trial will be set later. The alleged offense occurred March 27.

Red Cross Vice President Dies in Arlington, Va.

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Word was received here early Wednesday of the death of Walter Weselius of Arlington, Va., vice president of the American Red Cross.

A sister-in-law, Mrs. George Christman, Sr., of Spring Lake, left immediately by plane for Arlington. Mrs. Weselius is the former Cornelia Glurum of Grand Haven. Dr. James Glurum, Grand Rapids dentist, is a brother.

Weselius died unexpectedly of a heart attack early Wednesday in his apartment in Arlington. He was associated with headquarters in Washington and was slated for retirement within two months.

City Council Wednesday night filed its proposed budget for the year starting July 1 calling for a total property tax levy of \$469,378.38, an increase of \$50,516.24 over the 1955-56 budget.

By resolution, Council placed the 139-page document on file with City Clerk Clarence Greengood and scheduled a public hearing May 2 at 7:30 p.m. prior to final adoption.

Based on the budget total, the tax rate for the coming year will be \$15.067 per \$1,000 valuation, or an increase of \$1.167 over last year's rate of \$13.90 per thousand. Assessed valuation for the city is \$31,152,220, an increase of \$1,018,250 over last year's total of \$30,133,970.

The property tax levy is broken down as follows: general, \$368,881.38; library, \$35,497; hospital, \$30,000; debt retirement, \$35,000. Utility funds, which have their own revenues, do not come under the tax levy.

While taxes would bring in \$368,881.38 towards operation of the city, other revenues are estimated at \$560,605.32, for a grand total of \$929,486.70 needed for city operations. This does not include hospital or Board of Public Works operations other than the \$30,000 allocation to the hospital. Main other revenues are sales tax, intangibles tax, BPW transfers, etc.

The total of \$929,486.70 is broken down as follows into estimated expenditures: personal services, \$449,086.06; other current expenses, \$449,010.64; capital outlay, \$165,379.70.

Council estimates transfer of BPW revenue to the city this year will total \$200,000 of which \$100,000 is put into the general fund and the other \$100,000 into a public improvement fund which is available on loan basis to the BPW for utility improvements. Currently, there is about \$75,000 in the fund. The new budget has made provisions for salary adjustments in keeping with a study made by the Public Administration Service which will be completed by May 2.

The budget includes such improvements as new lights for Riverview Park, a new concrete bandstand at Kollen Park which eventually may be made into a band shell, some improvements to Civic Center including draperies for the Green Room, improvements at the ice rink on Fairbanks Ave., an additional cruiser for the police department, some long deferred improvements to City Hall including aluminum doors on the 11th St. entrance, \$5,000 in capital outlay for recreation equipment.

City Manager Herb Holt said he has found Holland's tax rate is lower than average for 10 cities in the Lower Peninsula in the 10,000 to 25,000 population bracket. For 1955, the average equalized tax rate of these 10 cities was \$30 per \$1,000, whereas Holland's tax rate was \$28.

Rev. Homer A. Pontius, 81, of 325 Washington Ave., died Wednesday evening at a Kalamazoo hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. Pontius moved to Holland from Hastings about 15 months ago and had lived with their son and daughter - in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Pontius.

He was a minister in the Church of God for 45 years before his retirement and had served a number of pastorates in southern Michigan and northern Indiana.

Surviving are the wife, Gertrude; two sons, Leroy of Holland and Reuben of Elsie, Mich.; a daughter, Mrs. Ruth Salisbury of Marion, Mich.; two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Hazel Pontius of Esccondido, Calif., and Mrs. Robert Iseler of Port Hope, Mich. also two brothers, Clarence of Charlotte and Allen of East Lynn, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday at Langeau Funeral Home with burial Saturday afternoon at North Webster, Ind. Officiating ministers will be the Rev. and Mrs. Martin J. Raab of La Porte, Ind.

Friends may call at Langeau Funeral Home Friday from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Man Bound Over

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Carl Reynolds, 52, of 313 East Fulton St., Grand Rapids was bound over to Circuit Court on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, upon arraignment in Municipal Court this morning. A \$500 bond was furnished and he will appear in the higher court May 2. The alleged offense occurred on or about Dec. 20, 1955, in Robinson township and involved the sale of Christmas trees according to a contract between Reynolds and Edward Bethke, owner of the land on which the trees he allegedly cut and purchased were grown.

Group to Meet

Representatives of township boards in Holland area together with members of City Council will meet in Council chambers in City Hall at 8 p.m. tonight to discuss further the possibilities of city annexation and reactivating the Port of Holland Authority.

New Appraisal Program Slated For This County

Supervisors Authorize Committee to Advise For Professional Bids

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The Board of Supervisors at its Tuesday session authorized a special committee to advise for bids for a professional reappraisal of all county property with the exception of Grand Haven and Holland which already have undergone such a reappraisal.

George Swart of Grand Haven, who introduced the subject, explained that the board had considered such a program last year but was unable to carry through because it was illegal to use county funds for such a purpose. He explained that since that time through State Rep. George Van Peursem and State Sen. Clyde H. Geerlings, a bill has been passed in legislature allowing professional appraisals for entire counties. This is known as the "Ottawa County Bill," he said.

Firm opposition came from Henry Slaughter of Tallmadge township who said it should be up to the people to decide whether the county should spend some \$125,000 on such a program. Swart said the rank and file of taxpayers are not familiar with the fine points of appraisals and would not be able to vote intelligently on a subject which should be decided by the governing body which has the authority.

Mayor Robert Visscher of Holland said Holland City has just finished its budget study and among other things a reappraisal of the city was considered. The last time such an appraisal was made it cost the city \$11,000. He said the people of Holland feel the council is in better position to decide such matters, and there was no thought of going to the people to ask whether \$11,000 should be allocated. He felt board members would be shirking their duty if they did not take these administrative matters in their own hands instead of running to the people.

City Attorney James E. Townsend of Holland said the county has \$100,000 in a special fund and it is up to the board to determine what this money should be used for. Swart explained the last time bids were taken on the county-wide reappraisal, they ran \$89,000, \$109,000 and \$120,000 and one much larger.

In other business, the board heard a report on progress in organizing a county humane society, presented by O. A. Vanden Dooren, secretary of the Holland Humane Co. He said considerable work had been done to organize such a society and articles of incorporation already have been filed. Plans are under way with the aid of Sheriff Jerry Vanderbeek to obtain a parcel of land which is strategically located.

Plans call for erection of an animal shelter 30, 60 or 90 days after the land is cleared. A two or three-acre site is desirable for a layout somewhat similar to the animal shelter operated by the Kalamazoo Humane Society.

Vanden Dooren explained that the society would be able to take care of 60 to 65 percent of all expenses and would like some contribution from the county and other cities. He asked the board to appoint a dog committee of two to five members to work with the Humane Society. Chairman Roy Lowing of Georgetown township said he may appoint such a committee in the future and thanked Vanden Dooren and the Holland Humane Co. for what they had accomplished up to this time.

Christian Golfers Blanked in Opener

Holland Christian's golf squad dropped its season opener, Tuesday afternoon on the Saugatuck course, bowing to a strong North Muskegon crew, 5-0. The match was a West State Golf League affair, and the first for the Norsemen in the new loop.

North Muskegon has the same squad back this season which lost only once in its regular schedule last year. Considering the top caliber competition for the first match and the inexperience of his own team, Coach John Timmer of the locals was well pleased. Timmer has only one vet back from last year, Ken Michmerhuizen, a sophomore. The other three starters consisted of another sophomore, Wes Nykamp, junior Herm Tuls and senior Wade Nykamp. A freshman, Jim Hulst, played a non-counting match in which he defeated his opponent.

All league matches are scored on a one point per individual match and a one point for low team total. Basis. All of the matches were close to the end, Timmer reports. By mutual agreement, the match was halted after nine holes as the snow reached almost blizzard proportions.

Christian's individual scores were, Michmerhuizen, 48, Tuls, 52, Wade Nykamp, 52, Wes Nykamp, 57 for a team total of 209. North Muskegon scores were Tom Kampenga, 44, Bob Bond, 47, Don Cilla, 48 and Bob Prins, 56 for a team total of 195. In the non-counting match, Hulst defeated Steve Koch of the Norsemen, 52-53.

The Dutch entertain Muskegon Christian here on Friday.

Plans Complete for Catholic Women's Convention



Committee Chairmen for Diocesan Convention

Final plans for the 18th annual Diocesan convention of the National Council of Catholic Women were discussed at a dessert meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph W. Lang, who is general chairman of the convention.

Pictured above are chairmen and co-chairmen from the Holland Diocese who head the various committees in coordinating plans for the convention.

Seated left to right are: Mrs. Joseph Fabiano, Holland; Mrs. John Baron, Jr., Saugatuck; Mrs.

Other chairmen and co-chairmen from the Holland Diocese who were unable to attend the meeting are Mrs. Louis J. Hohman, Jr., Holland; Mrs. John F. Donnelly and Mrs. Thomas Godburn of Holland and Mrs. Jay Mulder of Zeeland.

The convention, a one-day event, will be held at the Holland Civic Center May 2, following mass at 9 a.m. at St. Francis de Sales Church. The luncheon is scheduled for 12:30 in the Tulip Room of the Warm Friend Tavern, with the afternoon session at the Civic Center concluding the convention.

Grandstanding...

Witnesses Plan Three-Day Meet

The opening session of the three-day convention of Jehovah's Witnesses, expected to attract 1,200 persons, will be held Friday night in Holland High School auditorium.

D. E. Stull, district supervisor from New York, will deliver the welcoming address at 7:15 p.m. Friday on the subject, "Be Rich in Right Works."

At 7:30 p.m. he will conduct a Theocratic Ministry School session which will feature local and out-of-town speakers.

The convention will move to the Civic Center Saturday and Sunday for additional meetings starting at 9 a.m. each day.

The keynote address, which will be given by Stull, is set for 3 p.m. Sunday. Stull's subject will be "Consulting God on World Affairs." The public is invited to attend any of the meetings.

Beaverdam

Mr. and Mrs. John Wiersma from Sparta spent Friday with their sister, Mrs. Clara Tubergen.

Mrs. George Ohlman, representing the Missionary Society and Mrs. Harry Bowman the Mission Guild attended the Service Project commission which was held at the home of Mrs. Ben Eding in Hamilton on Tuesday afternoon. Each representative received their assignment for the year to come.

Next Sunday the Reformed church will take up a special offering which will be used to help those who suffered losses in the tornado in the Hudsonville area.

The Spring Conference of the Ladies Missionary Union was to be held today at Overisel Reformed church.

The annual Spring Program of the Holland-Zeeland Chapter of the World - Home Bible League will be held this evening at 7:45 in First Christian Reformed Church in Zeeland. Mr. Ackerman will speak about his trip to Cuba and Mexico. There also will be a chalk display by Mrs. Wiers. Everyone is welcome.

The annual Men's and Ladies Societies Social of the local Christian Reformed church was held last Tuesday evening. Miss Nancy Chapell a student at Reformed Bible Institute told about her work behind the Iron Curtain. The husbands and wives of members of the societies attended.

Mrs. John Schutte who has been ill is improving.

The local Christian Reformed church held a special collection for the tornado disaster fund last Sunday which amounted to \$825.92.

The Golden Chain Union meeting will be held at Ottawa Reformed church Thursday at 8 p.m. Transportation will leave the church at 7:15. All the young people are urged to attend.

Cold Weather Forces Postponement of Games

The cold weather and snow flurries knocked out several scheduled spring sports events Tuesday.

Hope College's baseball team will meet Grand Rapids Junior College this afternoon at Richmond Park if the weather is favorable at game time. The game was called off Tuesday.

Holland High's tennis and golf matches with Benton Harbor and Muskegon respectively were postponed. The netters will play at Benton Harbor May 17 and the golfers play at Muskegon May 7.

The Holland High baseball game slated at Kalamazoo has been postponed until Monday, April 23.

By Randy Vande Water

Except for the reams of copy announcing the start of the 1936 baseball race, a look outdoors and a walk up the street would convince us that we ought to get out the football vocabulary.

And to go along with our thinking, Michigan and MSU have started football drills, and the weather has put the practices in an autumn atmosphere.

Since we've been thinking about gridiron we had some kindling for our thoughts with an article announcing that the Grand Rapids All-Stars have been purchased by a young fellow interested in returning the team to where it was "during the plush years following World War II."

During those same "plush years," Holland had some independent football and in the minds of a lot of folks it was the best football ever played at Riverview Park.

The fans got a big boot out of a club called the Holland Hurricanes.

The "Canes stuck it out for three years and then folded. First they were operated by one man and later a local service club took over. Various reasons caused the breakup. One was the gate. Early season crowds were good but a couple of wintry days late in the year killed them.

Also, the club had to recruit players from surrounding areas because local fellows didn't want to monkey with the risk of playing. And these outsiders had a habit of wanting to play in the games but failed to make practice.

But for those who played it was a lot of fun and the Michigan Independent Football League was mighty fast competition.

With Grand Rapids going at it again full speed and Muskegon and Montague expected to have independent clubs, we would certainly like to see independent football resumed here.

Granted, the boys who played with the original "Canes are now candidates for the bleachers. But there should be many post high school athletes around, willing to throw around a little extra exertion come Saturday night.

Luann L. Moodie Has 10th Birthday Party

Luann L. Moodie was honored at a party Saturday afternoon at her home, 830 South Shore Dr., in celebration of her 10th birthday.

Present were the following friends: Karen Grotenhuis, Janice Haynes, Priscilla Kemper, Marilyn Koeman, Maria Matichinsky, Judy Reinking, Roxanne Speck, Eva St. John, Merrill Timmer, Elaine Van Huis, Janice Van Lente, Ronelle Vollink and Susan Wajahn. All are fourth graders at Lakeview School.

Games were played and the group was entertained by Ed Gallmeier, local magician. Climax of his show was the baking of a birthday cake for Luann.

Table decorations were in pink and white gifts were presented to the honored guest and lunch was served featuring a pink and white birthday cake and pink ice cream. Mr. and Mrs. Eldon E. Moodie served.

South American Leaves Holland for Repairs

The South American left Holland Harbor Tuesday night for Manitowish, Wis., where she will be put into drydock for cleanup and needed repairs.

She is due back in Holland either Saturday or Sunday. The North American is scheduled to leave Monday night for the same repair work.

Officials of the Chicago, Duluth and Georgian Bay Transit Co. owners of the two boats, said the South will start on her first cruise May 15 and the North, May 16.

Hieftje Answers CD Criticism Filed With Supervisors

Ottawa County CD Director Fred Hieftje of Zeeland today clarified the position of Civil Defense in natural disasters such as the Hudsonville tornado April 3, following criticism by a Zeeland group which drafted a resolution submitted to the Board of Supervisors in Grand Haven Tuesday.

The resolution, signed by D. E. Pikaart, A. Stephenson, P. Wolthuis, J. A. M. Hecocks, Charles Knoll, Calvin Faber, Jay Slagh, Otto H. Bosma, Bud Postma and Gerard Bouman, criticized Hieftje for not calling out the Zeeland Civil Defense unit the night of the tornado, and asked supervisors to take whatever steps were necessary to insure all available aid in any future emergency.

Hieftje explained today that he is directly responsible to the state civil defense director who is under Gov. G. Mennen Williams, and that the Hudsonville disaster was classed as a "natural disaster" and not a man-made disaster such as enemy attack. Civil Defense takes over responsibility in the latter situation.

Hieftje explained he was on the scene shortly after the tornado struck and conferred with Sheriff Jerry Vanderbeek. Dozens of deputies, state police, Holland auxiliary police who are a part of Civil Defense, National Guard, the American Red Cross and the Salvation Army, and Hudsonville firemen and police were on the scene almost immediately.

After conferring with several leaders present, it was decided no more units were needed that night.

Hieftje said all assembled personnel worked on the scene until well into the afternoon of the next day. More than enough equipment was on the scene, he said.

Hieftje pointed to action taken by the Michigan legislature three days after the tornado in which lawmakers turned down a request from the governor which would have given him the same emergency powers in natural disasters as in the case of enemy attack.

The Senate at that time said the governor's powers to call out state police and the National Guard were enough to cope with natural disasters without sending Civil Defense personnel and equipment into the area.

At Tuesday's supervisors' meeting, John Stephenson of Zeeland moved that a committee of three be appointed to investigate, but Richard L. Cook's substitute motion that the resolution be filed carried.

Grocery Shower Given For May Bride-Elect

Miss Beverly Breuker was guest of honor at a grocery shower given last Friday at the home of Mrs. Henry Breuker. The honored guest will be married May 25 to Henry Tubergen, Jr., at Pine Creek Christian Reformed Church. Games were played and prizes awarded. Decorations included a decorated sprinkling can with streamers.

Invited were the Mesdames Henry De Ridder, Neal Rus, William Hirdes, George Veldheer, Roger Bartels, Herman Orman, Jerold Riemersma, Ron Vander Yacht, Jake Smith, Jack Jongekrijg, Conrad Slagh, Henry Tubergen, Sr., Jay Breuker, Laverne Overbeek, Sidney Lankheet and the Misses Gladys De Ridder, Joyce De Ridder, June Veldheer, Beverly Orman, Albertha Orman, Betty Smith, Joyce Smith, Judie Jongekrijg and the guest of honor.

First American-engraved map of the United States was made in 1783.

At Home After Honeymoon



Mr. and Mrs. Carow Kleinheksel

Mr. and Mrs. Carow Kleinheksel are now at home at 29 1/2 East Ninth St. after a honeymoon trip to Washington, D.C. They were married Thursday, April 5, in the parsonage of First Reformed Church.

The bride is the former Eleanor Geerling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Geerling of 281 East 12th St. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kleinheksel of 35 East Ninth St.

The double ring wedding ceremony was performed by the Rev. Raymond Van Heukelom. Bouquets of white mums, gladioli and snapdragons were used as decorations.

The couple's attendants were Miss Carol Harrington as maid of honor and Victor Kleinheksel as best man.

The bride wore a ballerina-length gown of ice blue taffeta featuring a sweetheart neckline and full skirt with bustle bow. A matching satin skull cap held her shoulder-length veil. She carried a colonial bouquet of white pompons and carnations centered with a white orchid.

Miss Harrington wore a pink street-length dress with boat neckline and full skirt and a headband of pink and white carnations. She carried a pink and white colonial bouquet.

The bride's mother chose for the occasion a navy crepe dress with navy and white accessories. The groom's mother wore a charcoal gray taffeta dress with black and white accessories. They had pink carnation corsages.

A reception for 90 guests was held at American Legion Country Club. Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Ter Haar served at the punch bowl and Misses Darlene Groeters, Arlene De Feyter and Margaret Hoeve arranged the gifts. Miss Phyllis Kruijthof was in charge of the guest book.

Dr. J. Carow Kleinheksel was master of ceremonies for the program, which featured a vocal duet by Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kruijthof and a trumpet duet by Victor Kleinheksel and Dale Kruijthof. Mrs. Kleinheksel accompanied them. Rev. Van Heukelom gave closing remarks and prayer.

For going away, the bride wore a navy blue wool suit with navy and white accessories and an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Kleinheksel, a graduate of Holland High School, is employed as a dental assistant. Mr. Kleinheksel, also a Holland High graduate and now a sophomore at Hope College, is an apprentice mortician at Dykstra Funeral Home.

Essay Contest Winners Named

Miss Barbara Bosman of Holland High School and Richard Vukin, eighth grade pupil at St. Francis de Sales School are winners of first places in the annual American Legion Auxiliary Essay Contest staged recently in the city.

Miss Bosman won in the senior division with Miss "Micaea Farabee" winning second, and honorable mention going to Calvin Dykman of Holland Christian High School. Diane Noser of Junior High School won second in the junior division.

Contestants wrote on the theme, "The Lamp and Our Doorway—the Statue of Liberty."

Essays of first place winners will compete for honors in the district contest which includes Ottawa and Kent counties. Last year Holland won both firsts in the district contest and Monica Donnelly of Junior High School won a second in the state contest. Prizes in the local contest for the senior division are \$10 and \$5 and for the junior division, \$5 and \$3. Winners in the district contest receive \$10, \$5 and \$3. First, second and third prizes in the state contest are \$100, \$25 and \$15.

Judges in the local event were Miss Maibelle Geiger, Mrs. J. H. Den Herder and Mrs. John Kobes. There were 70 local essays entered. Mrs. Herbert Stanaway, of the local American Legion Auxiliary, is chairman of the Americanism committee which sponsors the essay contest.

Camp Fire Group Takes Train Trip to Lansing

The O-Ki-Zu Camp Fire group of Montello Park enjoyed a train trip to Lansing, Friday. Leaving the Grand Rapids station, they arrived in Lansing where they visited the Senate and Legislature and toured the capital and state buildings.

Following a shopping tour of the downtown area, they visited Michigan State University campus and museum. They returned to Holland in the evening.

Taking the trip were Dianne Besko, Virginia White, Tera O'Mera, Mary Jane Meyer, Marlene Sprick, Janet Walker, Diane Godoyke, Marlene Snyder, Darlene Eschenauer, Mary White and Linda Meyer. Accompanying the girls were Mrs. W. Clare Walker, Mrs. Rayman Sprick and Mrs. Virgil White.

Fair Condition

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Larry De Can, 15-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold De Can of Spring Lake, was in fair condition in Municipal Hospital Monday, following an emergency late Sunday afternoon when he went into convulsions and was taken to the hospital.

Couple Wed in Forest Grove



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Richard Stevens

Miss Edna Grace Sprick and Kenneth Richard Stevens were married at 8 p.m. Friday, April 6, in Forest Grove Reformed Church. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Van Dyken in a setting of Ferns, bouquets of gladioli, carnations and snapdragons.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sprick of Forest Grove and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stevens of Traverse City.

The bride wore a princess style gown with lace bodice and satin skirt and carried a bouquet of red roses and carnations. Her attendants, Mrs. Calvin Bolt, her sister, Mrs. Chester Nykerk and Miss

Mary Gitchele, wore light green crystal gowns and carried yellow and white carnations.

Attending the groom as best man was his brother, Jack Stevens. Ushers were Calvin Bolt and Robert Detwiler.

Soloist for the ceremony was Theodore Medema, who sang "Wedding Prayer" "Through the Years" and "God Gave Me You."

A reception was held for 200 guests at Forest Grove Hall.

The newlyweds honeymooned in Florida. For going away, the bride wore a beige dress with aqua accessories.

The couple will be at home this week in Traverse City, where the groom is a petroleum distributor. The bride is a registered nurse.

334 Suburban Students Visit Junior High School

Some 334 eighth grade students from suburban schools of Holland area took part in annual Visiting Day at E.E. Fell Junior High School Tuesday. Regular Junior High students were dismissed at noon and the suburban eighth graders "took over" the school in an orientation program which gave them opportunity to get acquainted with the school itself, the faculty and school program in preparation for their entering Junior High as freshmen next fall.

The program began with a general meeting in the school gym. Miss Bernice Bishop, principal, welcomed the group and introduced Walter W. Scott, superintendent of Holland public schools, who talked to the students about their future in Holland public schools.

The students were then divided into eight groups which were assigned to home room teachers for next year. In the home room, the youngsters became acquainted with their teacher and each other. General information was given and questions were answered.

Each home room was divided into "guidance groups" of 12 and a teacher assigned to each group to aid students in completing enrollment forms in elected subjects they will take next year. They were conducted on tours of the building by teachers and Junior High Students.

During this afternoon, the group was served refreshments provided by the Junior High Student Council.

These orientation programs have been successful in the past in helping new students to know the physical high program, faculty and physical facilities. Each student receives individual counseling in choosing the courses which will be most beneficial to him, and in this way, is given a good beginning to a successful high school career.

Couples Club Stages Potluck at Trinity

Trinity Reformed Church Couples Club members staged a potluck supper Monday evening at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meppelink were chairmen of the event, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Myron Van Ark, Mr. and Mrs. John Percival and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Van Otterloo.

Mrs. Bill Slagh was in charge of devotions and Mrs. Earl Vanden Bosch sang "Life's Weaving," accompanied by Mrs. Jack Marcus.

The program featured a question and answer period with the Rev. John Hains and Dr. Miner Stegenga answering a variety of questions from club members.

President Bill Venhuizen conducted the business session.

10-Month Old Baby Dies at Hospital

ZEELAND (Special) — Noami Gross, 10 - months, route 3, Holland, died Monday evening in Blodgett Memorial Hospital in Grand Rapids following a heart ailment.

Surviving are the mother, Mrs. Ann Gross; one brother, Charles Wayne and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Keller of route 3, Holland.

Plainwell Netters Defeat Christian

A potent Plainwell High tennis squad took the measure of the Holland Christian netters, Tuesday afternoon, on the 21st St. courts, 6-1. The match was finished in a snowstorm with the courts completely wet by the time the last match was completed.

Coach Harley Pierce has a veteran outfit this season and figures to be one of the powers in the Wolverine League along with Kalamazoo State High. They showed plenty of balance as the Dutch were able to salvage only Warren Boer's win in the No. 1 singles. The win was no walkaway, however, as the Dutch in their season opener, made almost every match a close one, three going three sets.

Coach Harold Grissen got a good look at three freshmen who performed well for the first time, despite the fact they were defeated in three sets. Arlyn Lanting lost his No. 4 singles match, while Dale Dykema and Ron Windemuller lost their doubles match.

Match results are: Singles—Boer (HC), def. Gless (P), 1-6, 6-3, 6-4; Myers (P) def. Damstra (HC), 6-4, 6-3; Burd (P) def. Van Appledorn (HC), 6-4, 6-3; Hourigan (P) def. Lanting (HC), 1-6, 6-3, 6-1.

Doubles—Smith-Harney (P) def. Mulder-Weener (HC), 6-2, 6-2; Cowles-Hourigan (P) def. Waldeck-Dozeman (HC), 6-3, 6-0; Hirsch-Cornhill (P) def. Dykema-Windemuller (HC), 6-0, 4-6, 6-3.

Christian, travels to Muskegon today to take on the Big Reds.

Grand Larceny Case Bound to Circuit Court

Anna Mae Dreyer, 19, of 14815 James St., was bound over to Circuit Court on examination Tuesday afternoon in Municipal Court here on a charge of grand larceny, involving \$5,000 from Peoples State Bank in Holland.

During the two-hour hearing, Prosecutor James W. Bussard called as witnesses for the prosecution Clarence Jalving, president-cashier of the bank, and several of his employees. Miss Dreyer did not take the stand.

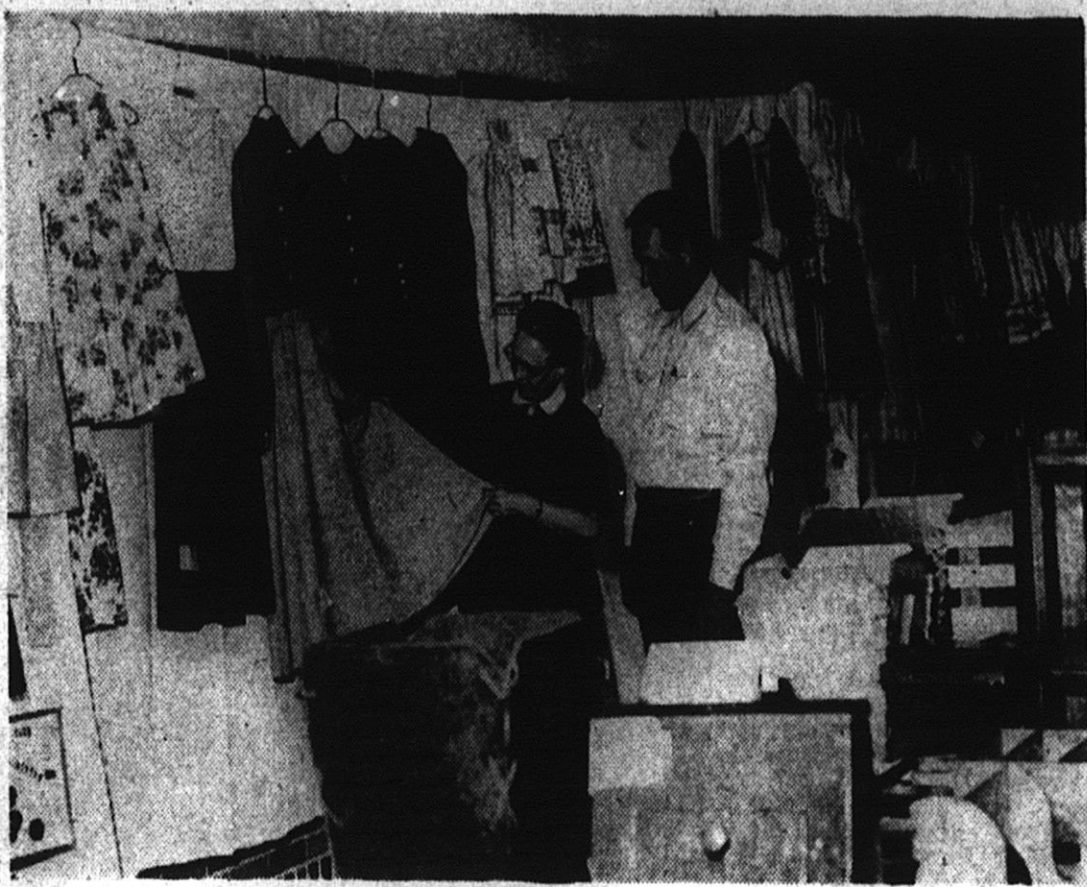
The alleged offense occurred March 19. The money has been recovered.

Miss Dreyer will appear in Circuit Court April 25 at 10 a.m. Bond of \$1,000 was continued.

Pair Bound Over

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Francis Roon, 20, route 2, Spring Lake, and Jackie Tuller, 18, of 609 Washington St., Grand Haven both waived examination on a charge of felonious driving, when arraigned before Municipal Judge Jacob Fostein Monday afternoon. Roon furnished \$400 bond and Tuller was unable to furnish same. Both are to appear in Circuit Court Thursday morning.

There are more than four million tractors in use on American farms today.



EXAMINING 4-H PROJECTS — Scenes like this will be predominant in the exhibition room at Holland Civic Center Thursday and Friday when judges examine closely more than 250 articles competing for state honors. The county 4-H Achievement Day activities will be climaxed

with a style revue and talent contest at 8 p.m. Friday. An invitation is extended to the public to view the projects and also attend the program which is free. Shown examining clothing at last year's event are Mrs. Grace Vander Kolk and Willis S. Boss, both County 4-H officers. (Sentinel photo)

Achievement Day Plans Completed

The Ottawa County 4-H Achievement Day activities which will be held Thursday and Friday at Holland Civic Center will bring to the city more than 250 projects which will be judged for state competition.

Students from Holland, Coopersville and Hudsonville areas will display articles which won honors in district Achievement Days held late in March. Judging at Hudsonville took place on April 3. The style revue and talent program were postponed due to the tornado which struck a part of the Hudsonville area. However the talent program was held last night and winners will compete in the county contest Friday. Leaders also selected students to participate in the style revue.

Residents of Holland and surrounding areas are invited to view the display Thursday evening and Friday afternoon. Included will be approximately 104 articles of clothing, 40 handicraft, 50 conservation, 35 electrical and about 20 from the 4-H Club "Girl." There also will be two Achievement booths.

Highlighting the public program on Friday at 8 p.m. will be the county 4-H style revue and a talent program when winners of the district contests will compete for state honors. Mrs. Marie Bosman, president of the Ottawa County 4-H Council, will announce the program.

Willis S. Boss, county 4-H Club Agent, and Mrs. Grace Vander Kolk, Ottawa County Home Demonstration Agent, will announce winners in the county contest.

Volleys

This area has been through the fearsome experience of a tornado since the last time this column appeared in The Sentinel.

Since the April 3 tornado, many local residents have had occasion to visit some of the devastated areas, and most have returned home with a new set of values on things often taken for granted before.

After almost two weeks, perhaps the most compelling memory of reporters and those working on the scene was the attitude of the following day of those persons who had lost their homes and belongings, the persons digging in the ruins to salvage a few belongings all volunteered the thought how thankful they were that their lives had been spared. Such is the appreciation of true values.

It makes all those other things we bicker over seem so insignificant.

Among the contributions received by the Red Cross for disaster relief was one which brought special pleasure. It was 50 cents brought in by Judy Garlock and Gloria Blackburn, both about 10 years old. They had brought in the money which they raised in a penny carnival.

Even the newspaper in Brazil, Ind., is anxious to get the Tulip Time dates straight. This little item ran in the Brazil Daily Times March 19:

"Some people every spring call in to get the dates of the Holland (Mich.) Tulip Festival. It is May 18 to 19 inclusive. We have it straight from the Chamber of Commerce secretary, William H. Vande Water. There are more persons bearing the name 'Van' something in Holland than there are in the Chicago directory."

An article in April's issue of the magazine Seventeen salutes Holland, Mich., with a special feature devoted to the city's annual Tulip Time Festival.

Titled "Festival of Tulips," a feature story describes Holland's four-day celebration of its Dutch heritage, detailing in pictures and text the costumes, dances, parades, fashion shows and special events. In the middle of May, when the tulips start to bloom, everyone from the tiniest child to the governor himself dons Dutch costumes," says Seventeen. "Thousands of visitors admire the miles

of brilliant tulips and the days are full of old Holland magic."

"Behind the Scenes" column in the April 20 issue of Look shows a picture of Look Photographer Phil Harrington perched on a monument checking a camera shot. Phil was a member of a three-man team which traveled 7,200 miles during six weeks in Florida photographing and writing a story on Florida for this issue. Phil is a son of former Mayor Harry Harrington.

There is a new three-section sealed kapok cushion with air pockets that has been approved this year by the Coast Guard. It's a mighty handy thing to have on your boat.

The Coast Guard hastened to explain, however, that because it has approved this new type, it does not mean it has withdrawn approval of other types. Some of these older jackets have been approved as long ago as seven or eight years.

The question of life jackets came up at Holland's sport show a few weeks ago. The Coast Guard operated a booth there.

Bill Russell, local mail carrier, has put a new twist in the man-dog controversy. The other day he was walking his dachshund on a leash as he made his rounds.

It's newcomer time again and the city hostess has welcomed 12 new families into Holland area during March.

Four new families are associated with General Electric. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hinkle of Fort Wayne, Ind., have built a new home at 17 East 28th St. They have three children. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ducas and two children of Schenectady, N. Y., are living at 84 East 23rd St. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Obbink and four sons of Baldwin, Wis., are living at 166 112th Ave. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dolan and two young sons of Berkeley, Calif., are living in an apartment in the Temple building.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Int'Groen and two sons of the Netherlands are living at 430 Pine Ave. Mr. Int'Groen is employed by Donnelly-Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bondy and young daughter of Sturgis have moved to 17 West 18th St. Mr. Bondy is assistant manager at Montgomery Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew De Kann and nine children of Edgerton, Minn., have purchased a home at 372 West 21st St. Mr. De Kann is janitor at the Christian school.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McDonald and six children of Chicago are living at 144 East 18th St. Mr. McDonald is employed by Wolter Brothers Commercial Fisheries.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Beukema and three children of Grand Rapids are living at 284 West 10th St. Mr. Beukema is an attorney.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long and two daughters of Bryan, Ohio, are living at 107 Aniline Ave. Mr. Long represents Roto Industry.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hallacy of Grand Rapids are living in an apartment in the Temple building. Mr. Hallacy has purchased Knoolhuizen Tire Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Muller and children of Grand Rapids are living at 971 Central Ave. Mr. Muller is with International Harvester.

Our good friend Junius B. Wood of Silver Spring, Md., (suburb of Washington, D.C.), has sent a most welcome collection of tidbits which we expect will find their way into various volleys columns. Thank, Junius! Sample:

From a nameless professor of botany comes an animal story with a moral. Two parasites are swimming in the blood stream of a horse. Eventually they come to an arterial branch, and one parasite says, "I'm going this way."

"Don't," says the second parasite, but too late. So the first swims on into a narrowing passage and dies. Moral: don't change streams in the middle of a horse.

Anderson-Mayhew Engagement Told

The engagement of Miss Irene Mae Anderson of Holland to Michael Anthony Mayhew is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Anderson of Grand Rapids. Mr. Mayhew is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mayhew of Evansville, Ind.

Ganges

Among the Ganges residents who have recently returned to their homes here from Florida where they spent the winter are: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark and son Stanley. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Atwater from New Port Ritchey; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stillson of St. Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Studley and Mrs. Bernice Knox. Mrs. Eugene Brunson returned to her home in Vicksburg, Mrs. Bessie Olsen to Grand Rapids. The latter were at Bradenton, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atwater have returned from a short trip in the southern States. As have Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Bolles.

The Ganges Home Club will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Orran Ensfield, Jr. The program on Michigan Water Wonderland will be presented by Mrs. William Van Hartesveldt.

The last family night for the season of the Ganges Baptist Church was held Wednesday evening, April 11, at the Ganges Grange Hall. About 40 were in attendance. Following the supper hour a film on Mission work, "The Song of the Shining Mountain," was shown at the church.

Mrs. Joseph Doody entertained a group of friends and neighbors at a Coffee Hour at her home Thursday morning.

A number from here attended the Cub and Boy Scout Circus Friday and Saturday evening at the Civic Center in Holland. The Scouts from here took part in the affair.

Mrs. Donald Nye was guest of honor at a pink and blue shower held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Alva Hoover. Fourteen guests were present two guests being unable to attend. Games and contests were enjoyed and the guest of honor received many gifts.

A two-course luncheon was served by the hostess and a social time followed. Those winning prizes in the games and contests were Mrs. Elmer Hutchins and Mrs. John Bast of Fennville.

Mrs. Gertrude Walker was hostess to the members of the Ganges Bridge Club at her lakeside home on Monday, April 16. A dessert luncheon was served and an afternoon of bridge was enjoyed.

Orville Cutchow, assistant County engineer, was guest speaker at the Ganges Community Grange on Friday evening, April 13. A co-operative supper was served preceding the lecture and business session.

Mrs. Paul Stickel was hostess to the members of the J.U.G. Club at her home Friday, April 13. A co-operative luncheon was served followed by a social afternoon.

Lee Starring underwent major surgery Wednesday April 11, at the University Hospital at Ann Arbor. He is progressing as well as can be expected. Mrs. Starring and her daughters, Mrs. Arnold Green, Mrs. Donald Hutchins of Glenn and Mrs. Leon Fleming of Allegan went to Ann Arbor to be with Mr. Starring.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Dornak, Sr. have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Geraldine Dornak, to Robert Breed of Allegan, son of Mrs. Marion Breed of Lake City. Plans are being made for a June wedding. Miss Dornak is a graduate of the Fennville High School and is employed at the telephone offices in Allegan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wyatt of Three Rivers were weekend guests in the home of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Roy Nye and family. Sunday dinner guests in the Nye home were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark and daughter Joyce of Allegan.

Mrs. Emma Miller has returned to her farm home having spent the winter in Kalamazoo in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willard Cooley and family.

The Duettes Club of First Reformed Church held its regular monthly meeting Monday night.

Vice president Harvey Laman took charge of the business meeting. Plans were made for a banquet to be held in May as the last meeting. Eugene Ten Clay read scripture and Howard Smith led prayer.

The Rev. Ray Van Heukelum led a discussion of "Why We Believe in God," taken from Dr. Albertus Pieters' book, "The Facts and Mysteries of a Christian Faith."

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ten Clay and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Colton, Jr.

Couple Observes 50th Anniversary



On Wednesday, April 18, Mr. and Mrs. William Huesing observed their 50th wedding anniversary quietly at their home, 225 West 11th St. An open house had been planned by the Ladies' Aid Society of Zion Lutheran Church, but because of Mrs. Huesing's illness it has been cancelled. The Huesings were married in Detroit in April, 1906, by the Rev. Phillip Bohn. Mr. Huesing is a Spanish War veteran. He is 75 years old and Mrs. Huesing is 74.

Named to Space Heating Board

Andrew Dalman, local furnace branch manager, was appointed to the board of space heating examiners by Mayor Robert Visser at a meeting of City Council Wednesday night. Dalman will fill the unexpired term of Carl Snyder who has left Holland, which expires July 1, 1959.

Council reappointed Mayor Visser as member of the Board of Appeals for a four year term. The mayor has been a long-time member of the planning commission and also has served on the Board of Appeals.

Council approved paving special assessment rolls for the 1956 paving program involving 12 projects all in the southern section of the city at an estimated cost of \$166,016.89. Council also passed a bond resolution, a lengthy document, involving sale of bonds totaling \$147,000. Bids will be opened May 16 at 7:30 p.m.

A resolution was drafted instructing the city manager to prepare the necessary reports for a special assessment project to improve the alley between Eighth and Ninth Sts., running from Central to River Aves.

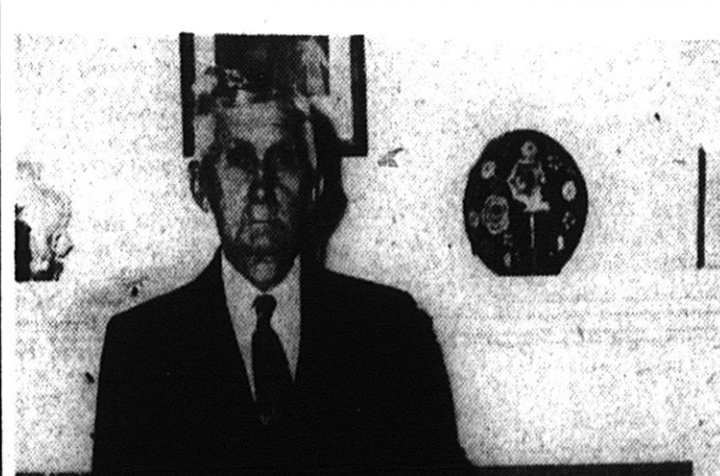
A contract was approved hiring Ernst and Ernst for the postpaid audit for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1956, at a cost of \$3,000, the same as last year. The contract includes provision for an audited summary of the city's financial position for publication.

Mrs. Vink Hostess To Camp Fire Board

Members of the Camp Fire Board met for dessert Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Donald Vink. Mrs. Bryan Athey and Mrs. Paul Jones were co-hostesses.

Mrs. Joe Fabiano reported that the committee of awards met April 9 with the Leaders Association. Mrs. Jones reported on the father-daughter Jean Teen dinner, attended by 200.

According to Mrs. Anthony Bouwman, the Horizonettes will go on their Yankee Spring outing May 25, 26 and 27. Horizonettes also are planning a top tune dance April 20 at Jefferson School.



70 YEARS OF MARRIAGE — Mr. and Mrs. Albert Timmer, whose home is in Central Park, observed their 70th wedding anniversary Wednesday, although illness prevented their being together for the observance. Mr. Timmer, who also celebrated his 93rd birthday Wednesday, is at Parkview Convalescent Home in Zeeland, and Mrs. Timmer, who'll be 90 on July 12, is a patient at a Kalamazoo Hospital. They have eight children, Peter of Florida, James, John, Albert, Jr., Benjamin of California, Howard of Holland, Mrs. Henry Karsten of Holland and Mrs. Stanley Elferdink of Florida. There are 22 grandchildren, 33 great grandchildren and six great great grandchildren. Mr. Timmer's home has been in Central Park for 90 years. He's a former township highway overseer.

Ottawa County 4-H News

By Willis S. Boss, 4-H Club Agent

The school conservation achievement at Allendale was held last week and a list of winners follows:

The outstanding boy's exhibit was by James Hoek from Allendale Public School, with Mrs. Vera Burger as teacher. The outstanding girl's exhibit was by Wanda Alward from Alward School, with Ezra Balzer as teacher. These two members will spend a week at Camp Show in the Upper Peninsula, the week of June 25 through June 30.

Eastmanville School, with Mrs. Esther Henning as teacher, will receive the plaque for the best room exhibit.

Congratulations to these winners.

All honor roll members in all winter projects will exhibit at the Holland Civic Center, April 19 and 20.

On Friday evening at 8 p.m., a free program is being sponsored by the 4-H clubs. This program includes a style revue and talent show. These also consist of the winners from the three districts. Bring your family, neighbors, and friends to the County Achievement days.

Mrs. Esther Henning from Coopersville is Leader of the month. She has been a 4-H leader for 14 years and will be honored in East Lansing in a ceremony on April 24. Mrs. Henning was nominated by the 4-H Council and selected by the 4-H staff of Michigan State University. She will make a broadcast and be honored with a dinner in the evening.

Her 4-H leadership has been in dairy, conservation, vegetables, flowers, handicraft and electric. She will be accompanied by two of her 4-H members from the county.

4-H will play a role in the Grand Haven Hobby Show to be held in the High School on April 20 and 21. Exhibits will be composed of clothing, handicraft, electric and leather craft. Clark School and the Rosy Mound club in Grand Haven and some clubs from Coopersville will exhibit.



TOP HONORS as Brand Names Foundation's Retailer-of-the-Year were awarded to G. Vander Hooning, left, president of Van's Food Department Stores, Inc., of Holland, Wednesday at the Brands Names Day awards dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York City. A bronze plaque was presented by Thomas F. O'Neill, right, president of Mutual Broadcasting System, Inc., and chairman of the foundation's executive committee. "Conover Girl" Hake Forsythe took part in the presentation. Van's received the top honor in food stores, class II, category of the 1955 competition for its outstanding presentation of manufacturers' advertised brands to the public during 1955.



CLOTHING FOR NEEDY — These Lincoln school youngsters are helping to load 139 bundles of clothing collected in all Holland public schools this week for the "Save the Children Federation" to be distributed to

Navajo Indian reservations, plus isolated rural areas in the United States, Europe and Korea. Russell H. Welch, principal of Lincoln School, was chairman of the drive. (Penna-Sas photo)

Singing Boys to Give Concert Friday Night

Complete program for the Holland Christian School "Singing Boys" concert to be given in the Niekerk Christian Reformed church, Friday night was announced today by Miss Albertha Bratt, director. The program, sponsored by the Niekerk Christian School society, is scheduled to begin at 7:45 p.m.

Selections to be sung by the 23-voice choir are "Panis Angelicus," "Angels We Have Heard on High," "French song," "Song of the Magi," "Orchestra Song," "Old Quilbet," "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia," "Bland," "The Blind Ploughman," "Clarke," "Seek Ye the Lord," "Roberts and "The King of Love My Shepherd Is." Shelley. Mrs. Bert P. Bos is accompanist.

Jim Lucas will also sing two solos, "Intercessory Hymn," Germans and "My Task." Ashford. Instrumental numbers include a cornet duet, composed of Roger Maxam and David Plasman and a trombone quartet made up of Jerry Vande Vusse, Tom Bratt, Douglas Windemulder and Jack Steigenga.

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Individuals, churches, service clubs, schools and business organizations will be solicited for contributions. Committees are now being appointed to proceed with the work once the approval of City Council has been granted.

Den 5 presented bird poems, den 4 led a game and den 2 was in charge of the closing ceremony.

Republican Women Plan Meet in Allegan

FENNIVILLE (Special) — Allegan County Women's Republican Club will hold its spring potluck luncheon Tuesday, April 24, at 12 noon in Griswold Auditorium, Allegan.

Speaker will be Dr. William Weber, head of the political science department at Western Michigan College. His topic will be "Republican Program Is for All the People." A question-answer period will follow.

Election of officers will be held.

Council Endorses Booster Club Plan

Plans were revived today for constructing a band shell in Kollen Park.

A proposal to proceed with the work was submitted to City Council Wednesday night by the Holland Band and Orchestra Boosters Club. The Club said it would undertake to raise the bulk of the funds needed.

Council voted to endorse the project and voted to write a letter of thanks.

Under terms of the proposal, set forth in a letter signed by James C. Crozier, president of the club, the structure would be a combination band shell and outdoor stage. It would be suitable for plays, pageants, public forums, and similar activities as well as for instrumental and vocal concerts.

This proposal dovetails with plans of the city to raze the existing wooden bandstand this year and replace it with one made of concrete. The cost has been estimated at \$3,500.

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Builders Class Has Birthday Party

The Builders Class of First Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. Bernice Rotman Tuesday evening for a birthday party.

Those celebrating birthdays were the Mesdames Evelyn Gilcrest, Gertrude Fletcher and Bernice Rotman.

Games were played with prizes going to Mrs. Kay Lindsay, Mrs. Gurena Anderson, Mrs. Marie Scott and Mrs. Rotman. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Election of officers will be held.

Benefit Dance Set for Friday

The Horizonettes, ninth grade members of Camp Fire, will stage a benefit "Top Tunes" dance Friday evening in Jefferson School gym, from 8:30 to 11 p.m.

Purpose of the event is to help raise funds for purchase of draperies for the Civic Center recreation room.

Mrs. Ed Brondyke's group will be in charge of refreshments. A floor show will be given, featuring an act provided by each Horizonette group. David Scobie, a teacher, will act as emcee.

Mrs. Anthony Bouwman and Mrs. Paul Jones are general chairman from the Camp Fire Board. Mrs. Lester Schaap's group is in charge of tickets and publicity; Mrs. Thomas McCormick's group, decorations, and Mrs. Joe Fabiano's group, program.

Group leaders and their husbands will serve as chaperones.

Missionary to Speak At Youth for Christ

Mrs. Lorraine Meiste, missionary in the Zalanga region of Nigeria, Africa, will be featured at Youth for Christ Saturday at 7:30 p.m. at the Clubhouse.

Mrs. Meiste is the former Lorraine Johnson of Hamilton, who, since her husband's death in World War II, has graduated from the missionary course at Moody Institute. She left for the Africa mission field in 1951 and is engaged in a teaching and evangelistic ministry. She travels extensively and is her own mechanic when her car needs attention.

Her message will be illustrated by color slides which she took in the field.

Musical talent will include pianist Dorothy Deters, Holland High School junior, and Shirley Merryman, 14-year-old vocalist.

April is known as anniversary month in Holland Youth for Christ. It is 11 years ago that this work was started in the city. Gilbert Van Wylen is director.

Vander Meulen Speaks At Maplewood Club

The Maplewood Christian Fellowship Club met Tuesday evening at the church with President John Schripsema in charge. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Compagner led devotions and special music was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tubergen and daughter, Judy.

Speaker of the evening was Arnold Vander Meulen of the Haven of Rest Mission who spoke on the subject "From Crime to Christ."

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kronmeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Overway, Mr. and Mrs. John Schripsema and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nicol.

Four-Run Rally Gives Hope Nine Wm in Opener

BIG RAPIDS (Special) — Hope College's baseball team exploded with a four-run rally in the seventh inning here Friday and went on to defeat Ferris Institute, 6-3, in the opener for both clubs.

The four-run outburst iced the game for the Dutch who were leading at the time 2-1.

Jack Kempker, starting Dutch hurler, tripled in the seventh to bring home two runs in the big hit of the game. Scoring were Dave Woodcock, who had driven in Art Olson with a single, and Wayne Westenbrook, second Hope pitcher, who had singled.

Ferris broke the ice in the fourth combining a ground rule double, an infield single and a long fly ball for the run.

Mike Troupe, Ferris chucker, didn't give Hope a hit until the fifth when Ann Boeve rapped a single between third and short. Boeve later scored Hope's first run coming home on Dave Woodcock's smash off the second baseman's glove. Westenbrook scored the inning's second run on a passed ball after advancing to third on the Woodcock drive.

Ferris got its other two runs in the seventh on a single and error. Kempker, who moved to center field, after his pitching stint, let a ball get away from him and two runs scored.

Coach Russ De Vette used 17 men in the game and was pleased with the performance.

"We used four pitchers," said De Vette. "This is the first time I can recall our having four pitchers available."

Kempker started the game and pitched three innings. He allowed one hit and no runs. Westenbrook worked the next three and allowed five hits and one run.

Mert Vander Lint pitched the seventh and eighth and allowed two hits and two unearned runs. Jim Stout hurled the last inning and gave up no hits and no runs.

Troupe struck out eight and Elenbaas four.

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Ferris 000 100 200 3 7 3

Christian Reformed Churches Collect \$11,600

Twenty Christian Reformed churches of the Holland classis to date have collected \$11,600 for tornado relief, listing an average of \$4.80 per family, it was announced today. Two churches have scheduled offerings later.

The Holland classis includes Christian Reformed churches in the immediate Holland area stemming to East Saugatuck, Hamilton, Pine Creek, Nordeloos and South Olive. Zeeland has its own classis.

Funds will be sent to the denominational treasurer in Grand Rapids and distribution will be in the hands of a special denominational committee. The Rev. Titus Heyboer of the South Olive church is stated clerk of Holland classis and Henry Vander Zwaag, of 447 College Ave., is central treasurer.

Engaged



Miss Mary Jo Oonk

The engagement of Miss Mary Jo Oonk to Terry D. Vande Water is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Oonk of route 1, Holland, Mr. Vande Water is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Teno Vande Water, 197 East ninth St. Both young people are students at Hope College.

Industrial Golf Loop Planned Here

Holland's Industrial Golf League will play again on Thursday nights this season. A total of 14 teams will play each other once for 13 weeks, Dick Tobias, league secretary, announced today.

This is the second year the league has operated. Matches are played at the American Legion Country Club course.

Teams entered include two from General Electric, three from Hart and Cooley, and single teams from Chris-Craft, Baker Furniture, Holland Hitch, DeWitt's Hatchery, Lievens Agency, Dutch Novelty, Donnelly-Kelly, Holland Transplanter and the Holland Racine Shoe Co.

Team representatives are requested to attend the May 1 meeting at the Country Club at 7 p.m. The first meeting's attendance was poor and so proposals regarding scoring, prizes and other league actions still be decided.

Mrs. Jesene Kooiman Succumbs at Age 57

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Jesene Kooiman, 57, of 108 North Fourth St., died at the home of her son, William, in Spring Lake Saturday evening following a long illness. She was born Jesene Ver Duin Dec. 27, 1878 in Grand Haven daughter of the late Capt. and Mrs. William Ver Duin. She married Adriaan Kooiman Oct. 18, 1916 in Grand Haven.

She had been employed as a practical nurse at the local hospital for about 12 years. She was a member of First Reformed Church and its Ladies Aid and Mission Circle and also was a member of the Business and Professional Women's Club, the Practical Nurses association and the Triangle Club.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John Stulp of Muskegon and Lois Mae Kooiman of Grand Haven; two sons, William of Spring Lake and Robert of Grand Haven; three sisters, Mrs. Evan Van Lopik of Grand Rapids, grandmother of the Van Lopik twins who recently died of leukemia, Mrs. C. T. Ziegler, Muskegon Heights and Mrs. E. J. Roosien of Grand Rapids; two brothers, Dr. John W. Ver Duin of Grand Haven and C. B. Ver Duin of Cleveland; also five grandchildren.

William Klies Dies At Home of Brother

William Klies, 82, died Sunday noon at the home of his brother, Henry Klies, of route 6, after a lingering illness.

Surviving are the brother; a sister, Mrs. Dick Ross, and several nieces and nephews.



The Bier Kelder offers many services for your pleasure. The best in draught and bottled beers and wines and champagnes. Also, sandwiches and snacks. All served by trained employees. Air-conditioned and open noon until midnight.

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Zeeland

The First Reformed Church Mission Circle held a regular meeting on Tuesday evening, April 10. Mrs. John den Ouden, president, was in charge of the business meeting and members reported on several projects. Mrs. B. Poest was in charge of the program, and presented three representatives of the Federation of Women's Societies of the Holland vicinity in the interest of Lepers. They told about a meeting held in a Christian Reformed Church in Holland, March 28. Mrs. Slenk, president gave the devotion and offered prayer, giving several texts on the topic, "Holy Spirit." She showed several slides of Dr. Stauffer's colony of Lepers. This Federation sponsors the care of 175 Lepers at \$40 each. Mrs. Young sang 2 selections. She was accompanied by Mrs. Vander Meer. A social hour was enjoyed and lunch served by Mrs. A. G. Pyle, Mrs. E. Pikaart and Mrs. P. Vanden Bosch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bosch were surprised at their home in Boreo on Tuesday evening, April 10. The occasion was the 45th wedding anniversary and those present were the following brothers and sisters: George Bosch of Pearline, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bosch of Boreo, Mr. and Mrs. George Petroelje, Mrs. Grace Raterink and Mrs. Peter De Pree of Zeeland, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Bosch of Holland. Lunch was served and a social time enjoyed.

Mrs. Mary De Kruij, Mrs. John Packard and Mrs. Gordon Packard of Ann Arbor, called on Mrs. Delia Veneklasen this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Vereeke have returned home after spending a three weeks vacation with relatives and friends in Pasadena, Calif.

Zeeland High School will hold Career Day on Tuesday, April 17. Plans are being made by Mr. Schipper, Mr. Lokers and members of the committee. An effort is being made to have local business men speak for all the fields. The Home Economics girls will prepare and serve lunch for the Rotary Club before the conference.

The Hi-Y club of Zeeland High School enjoyed a swimming party at the Grand Rapids YMCA recently.

The Regional Forensic Festival will be held at the First Reformed Church on Thursday morning, April 26, at 8:45. The schools participating in the event include: Holland Christian, Muskegon Heights, Muskegon Christian and Grand Rapids schools. Zeeland has four first place winners: Wayne Tanis, humorous; Ron Beyer, interpretive; Carol Schaap, oratory; Max De Young, declamation. Mrs. Saunders and members of the senior class will be host to the visiting schools. The judges are from East Lansing.

The FFA chapter of Zeeland High School won a gold award rating and \$12 in prizes in the broiler contest at the Hamilton Farm Bureau. This organization fed out 125 chicks in their brooder coop on the school grounds. The birds were found to have an average weight of 3.8 pounds in the 10 weeks of the contest. The weight was achieved at the rate of three pounds of feed per pound of gain. Anyone wishing to purchase any of these birds should place their order soon. Herbert De Kleine is ag. instructor.

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Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Keag were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lambros of Chicago.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Johnson attended the funeral of Irving Tucker of Allegan Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walter, Jr., and Miss Florence Sewers of Saugatuck entertained at a family dinner Sunday for the belated birthdays of Miss Sewers and Jacquelyn Woodall. Other guests present were Philip G. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. William Woodall and Billy Jo, Mrs. Frank Comstock all of Saugatuck; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jonathas and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walter, Sr., of Fennville.

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Chix Nine Wins Despite No-Hitter By Comstock Park

ZEELAND (Special) — Zeeland High's baseball team didn't get a hit here Thursday but managed to score three unearned runs in the first inning and that was enough to beat Comstock Park in the opening Kenawa league game.

The 3-0 victory stretched Zeeland's unbeaten string to 17 straight and set the Chix up as the team to beat again this year in the Kenawa league.

Art Klamt started what turned out to be the big inning, getting on first after being hit by a pitched ball mulling by Comstock hurler Bud Millering.

Tom Bos followed with a walk and pitcher Jim Kaat sacrificed both runners along to second and third. Millering then hit Coug Wierda to load the bases.

Ron Komejan hit a grounder to the third baseman, who bobbled it, and Klamt came home. Allen Riemersma drove a hot smash off the pitcher's glove and while Millering was looking for the ball Bos came home.

Wie rda came home with the third run after Mike Vanden Heuvel's hit to short was bobbled. And that was the game's scoring.

Lefty Jim Kaat handcuffed the Comstock Park batters in chalking up the shutout. He gave up four hits, singles in the first, second, fifth and sixth, but helped his cause by fanning and walking only two.

Comstock got a man to third base in the first but the Zeeland southpaw retired the side. The Panthers didn't get a man past first the rest of the game.

In recording the no-hitter, Millering struck out seven, walked five and hit two men.

The Chix showed midseason form playing without an error while Comstock Park committed four costly miscues, including three in the first inning.

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Fennville

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Page, route 1, Allegan, announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis Ann, to Elton Leroy Jones of Fennville, route 3. Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Jones. He is employed at Van Hartesveldt's Market in Fennville.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson have received word of the recent birth of a second son to their daughter, Betty and husband, Dr. and Mrs. William Nelson of Arcadia, Calif. He has been named William Edward, Jr.

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Hospital Notes

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Discharged Friday were Mrs. Clayton De Feyter, 195 132nd St.; Mrs. Charles Rozema, 458 West Main, Zeeland; Mrs. Russell N. Simpson and baby, 344 Fourth Ave.; Harold Derks, 402 Lincoln Ave.; Michael Clark, 213 West 10th St.; David Allen Ten Brink, James St.

Admitted Saturday were Mrs. John Holt, 105 East Eighth St.; Mrs. John Heider, 25 East 21st St.; Nancy and Kathleen Groenholz, 603 Azalea Ave.

Discharged Saturday were Ralph Brink, route 6; Kenneth Van Wieren, 222 West 12th St.; Egbert Beekman, 65 River Ave.; Mrs. John De Graaf, 189 East 16th St.; Arthur G. Knoll, 1091 Lakewood Blvd.; Richard Anderson, 370 West 15th St.; Mrs. Cyrus Hoezee, 220 West Eighth St.; Mrs. James Kammeraad and baby, route 1; Pullman; Mrs. Marvin Wilson and baby, route 1; Mrs. Bill Simensen, 313 Vander Sluis; Mrs. Harry Bakker and baby, 754 Myrtle Ave.; Raymond Scholten, 3475 Port Sheldon Rd.; Hudsonville; Kathleen and Nancy Groenholz, 603 Azalea Ave.; Mrs. Nelson J. Kleinhekel, 3354 142nd Ave.

Admitted Sunday were Willard Krulthof, route 1; Mrs. George Mooney, 91 East 17th St.

Discharged Sunday were Mrs. Raymond Boeskoop, 136 Glendale; Mrs. Russell Kempker, 848 Graafschap Rd.; Brian Kleeves, route 4; Barbara Ann Baumann, route 2; Mrs. Marvin Van Zanteu and baby, 644 West 22nd St.; Mrs. Clifford Prins and baby, route 2, Zeeland; Mrs. Reynold Banger and baby, route 4; Mrs. Franklin Schuitema and baby, route 5; Mrs. John Russell and baby, route 1.

Hospital births include a son, Joseph Arthur, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Grunst, 174 East 33rd St.; a daughter, Sally Jo, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vanden Berg, 226 Hope Ave.; a son, Keith Lynn, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lohman, route 2, Hamilton; a daughter, Karen Sue, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bouwman, 726 Pine Ave.

A son born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Frelander, route 6; a son, Ronald Lee, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. John Stegenga, route 2; a son, David Michael, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. David Czerkies, 59 East 35th St.; a daughter, Christine June, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Raess, 966 Bluebell Ct.

A son, Kenneth Dale, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Genzink, route 6; a daughter, Cheryl Ann, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Funkes, 951 East 21st St.; a son born today to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hemmeke, 803 Pine Ave.

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Gifts were presented to the family and a buffet lunch was served from a table decorated with call lilies.

Relatives and friends attending were the Mesdames Leon Witteveen, Andrew Van Wieren, Calvin Van Wieren, Robert Boes, Ted De Graaf, Jack Witteveen, Walter Scheibach, Harvey De Vree, Bill Van Wieren, Louis Van Wieren, Martin Van Wieren, Roger Van Wieren, Lester Van Wieren, Roger Naber, Andrew Bremer, Frank Brieve, Jake Terpstra, Art Vanden Brink, Gerrit Van Kampen, Melvin Dekker, Al Van Kampen, Fred Van Wieren, Everett Vanden Brink, Gen Gort, Richard Scheerhorn, John Van Wieren, Gary Smith, Elmer Van Wieren, Harold Van Wieren, Harold Aldrink, Clair Lockman, Henry Van Wieren and Jack Jordan; also Mr. and Mrs. James Slager and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Meyer.

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Highway Intersection Scene of 2-Car Crash

Three persons were injured when two cars collided at the intersection of US-31 and M-21 at 10:20 a.m. Friday about a mile east of the city limits. Both drivers contended each had the green light.

Drivers were Jack Robbins, 46, route 2, Spring Lake, proceeding south on US-31, and John B. Holstege, 44, of 517 East Lincoln St., Zeeland, going east on M-21.

Sam Robbins, 72, of 1712 Jackson St., Grand Haven, father of one of the drivers, was seriously cut when his head hit the windshield. He was treated for multiple lacerations and shock in Holland Hospital, and was discharged after treatment. Both drivers also were taken to the hospital but were released after treatment.

In the impact, the Holstege car careened and hit a 1947 car which was parked on the shoulder. The car was owned by Tony Vanden Berg, of 343 Washington St., Zeeland.

State police investigated.

Holland Hospital Included on Year's Accredited List

CHICAGO — The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals today published its annual list of accredited hospitals in the United States, its possessions and Canada. The list includes Holland City Hospital, Allegan Health Center and Grand Haven Municipal Hospital.

The list shows 3,102 hospitals fully accredited and 528 hospitals provisionally accredited. There are approximately 6,000 hospitals eligible for accreditation but Dr. Kenneth B. Babcock, commission director, pointed out that the omission of a hospital from the list did not necessarily mean it had failed to pass an accreditation survey. Hospitals with less than 25 beds are not eligible for accreditation.

The accreditation program is a voluntary one and only those hospitals which request survey are visited. Therefore, some of the hospitals not listed may not have requested survey. Further, Dr. Babcock pointed out, the limited survey staff has made it impossible to visit all requesting hospitals during the Commission's three years of existence and thus a hospital not listed may have requested survey but not yet have been visited.

The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals is an agency established by five leading health organizations — the American College of Physicians, American College of Surgeons, American Hospital Association, American Medical Association, and the Canadian Medical Association — to conduct the hospital survey and inspection program initiated by the American College of Surgeons in 1919. The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals began operations Jan. 1, 1933.

"Accreditation of a hospital means," Dr. Babcock said, "that it has voluntarily submitted to a survey of its facilities and its patient care. It is a badge of recognition which the hospital can display to its community to prove that it conforms to high standards of patient care."

Dr. Babcock said the surveyors, all physicians, rate a hospital on certain basic requirements such as: a safe physical plant free from fire hazards; proper supervision and review by the medical staff of the clinical work done in the hospital; maternal, infant and anesthetic death rates that are not excessively high; adequate medical records; ethical practices; in-

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Guest Instructor Named For Hope Summer School



Ruth Kaashoek Rus

Guest instructor in music for the Hope College Summer Session June 18-July 27 will be Ruth Kaashoek Rus, former Holland resident.

Mrs. Rus, a graduate of Eastman School of Music with the M. Mus. degree and a Fulbright scholar to the Royal Conservatory in the Hague, Netherlands, in 1953-54, will teach piano during the six-week session, according to Dr. Jay E. Folkert, director of the summer school.

Each student taking Mrs. Rus' course will receive one hour credit toward the A.B. degree at Hope and other schools.

Mrs. Rus has made solo appearances with the Eastman-Rochester Symphony Orchestra, the Grand Rapids Symphony, and the combined Hope-Calvin orchestras at the Tulip Time concert in 1955. She has also appeared in a series of three Bach recitals at the Eastman School, playing the Well-Tempered Clavier, Book I; recitals in New York, Pennsylvania and Michigan and also in The Hague and Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

She is a native of Holland, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kaashoek, 104 East 21st St., and now lives in Bowling Green, Ohio, where her husband, Dr. Louis C. Rus, is an instructor in the English Department at Bowling Green State University.

Dr. Folkert has announced that 17 other courses will be offered at the session. In Art a course in drawing and painting will be taught by Miss Eleanor DePree with a choice of 2 or 3 hours credit. When weather permits this course will be conducted outdoors doing landscape scenes or using outdoor models. Students of high school age may enroll for this course which meets daily from 9:30-11:30 for 2 hour credit, and 9:30-12:30, 3 hours.

In Bible, Dr. Henry Voogd will teach Philosophy of the Christian Religion; Education, Garrett Vanderborgh, History and Philosophy of Education and John J. Ver Beek, Principles of Teaching in the Elementary School and Educational Sociology. English offerings by the Hope staff include Freshman Composition and a Survey in American Literature, and Edward Brand will teach Business English.

German offerings will be Elementary German taught by Edward Wolters and Intermediate German by Dr. Ernest E. Ellert. These classes will meet three hours a day for eight weeks and carry 8 hours credit.

In the field of history, European Civilization, Recent American History, and Recent History of the Far East will be taught by Dr. J. Dyke Van Putten and others of the history staff.

Mathematics courses will be Intermediate Algebra, Integral Calculus and Differential Equations to be taught by Dr. Folkert and Albert Lampen.

Introductory Psychology and Educational Sociology will also be offered.

Folkert said all instructors will be regular members of the Hope College faculty except Mrs. Rus. All courses carry three hours credit except Differential Equations, 2 hours and Integral Calculus, 4 hours.

Application for admission is to be made to the Director of the Summer Session.

Brothers Reunited After Three Years in Service

Earl Kortering, who has just been graduated from Navy submarine school at New London, Conn., flew into Holland Saturday morning to spend a leave with his family.

It marked the first time he and his two brothers were reunited in three years and three months.

One brother, Vern, came home last January after four years with the U.S. Air Force, which included 2½ years in Alaska.

Another brother, Ronald, returned home late in March after two years with the U.S. Army, including 15 months in Korea and Japan.

The three servicemen, representing three branches of the U.S. military service, are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kortering, 144 East 24th St. They have a younger sister, Norma.

DAV Auxiliary Meets At Home of Mrs. Vos

Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary of Holland held its April meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Vos Thursday evening. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Cornelia Olin, commander.

After the business session, games were played and lunch was served by the hostess.

Chix Run Over Fremont 72-32 In Kenawa Meet

ZEELAND (Special) — Zeeland High's track team had its best day so far and walloped Fremont, 72 to 32 in a Kenawa league dual meet here Friday.

The Chix grabbed seven firsts and the relay in scoring the win and now hold a 2-1 dual meet mark.

Jack Sneller and Bud Luurtsema continued their unbeaten ways and came through for Zeeland in both the 440 and mile. Both ran their best times this season. Sneller has won the quarter mile four times and each time has bettered his time.

Harv Feenstra, participating in the broad jump for the first time, won the event and put smiles on Coach George Van Horne's face with an 18'2" performance.

Zeeland also recorded the best time of the season in the 880-yard relay with 1:42.6.

In the day's closest race, Putney of Fremont nipped Gary Looman by half of a tenth of a second in the 100-yard dash. The winning time was 10.9 and Looman came home 10.9.5. He revengeed the loss by winning the 220-yard dash.

Results in order of finish: 100-yard high hurdles — Beyer (Z), Taber (Z) Shermer (Z), Time 18.5.

100-yard dash — Putney (F), Looman (Z), Blaukamp (Z), Time 10.9.

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MSU Alumni to Meet Thursday

Michigan State University Alumni Association of Holland will meet Thursday, April 19, at Grace Episcopal Church at 8 p.m. All alumni, parents of students and Michigan State friends are invited.

Featured speaker will be Dr. A. Conrad Posz, assistant professor of communication skills at MSU. He has been a member of the MSU staff since February, 1946.

A native of Minnesota, Dr. Posz received his B.S. degree from Winona State Teachers College in Minnesota in 1944, his M.A. from Iowa State in 1946 and Ed. D.



Dr. A. Conrad Posz degree from MSU in 1952. Before coming to MSU, he was a radio announcer, then a graduate teaching associate at the State University of Iowa and later sales manager of the Farmers Market, Plainview, Minn. He is a member of the Speech Association of America, National Society for the Study of Communication, and American Association of University Professors. He has been active as a public speaker.

The program also will include a film describing MSU's centennial celebration in 1955.

Mrs. Bill Gargano, president of the local alumni group, is general chairman for the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Jesiek and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lalley are in charge of arrangements. Mr. and Mrs. John Bender are in charge of refreshments and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Schipper will act as host and hostess.

Holland High's tennis team chalked up its 33rd straight win and the second this year with a 5-2 victory over Muskegon High at the 21st St. courts Thursday afternoon.

Coach Joe Moran reported the Dutch were hard pressed in spots, especially in the No. 1 and 2 doubles where the locals were behind in second sets, but retaliated to score wins.

Bill Japanga, playing the No. 1 spot for Holland, had the easiest time of it winning 6-1-6-0 over Terry Braverman of Muskegon.

Bill Bos, a former Holland resident, is Muskegon tennis coach. His team shows a lot of balance and will be tough to beat as the season progresses.

John Landwehr, playing the No. 4 singles spot, lost one match for Holland and John Winter and Ron Bronson, No. 3 doubles team, dropped the other.

Results: Singles — Japanga (H), 6-1, 6-0; Braverman (M) 6-1, 6-0; Roger Plagenhoef (H) def. Jim Brammer (M), 6-2, 6-4; Lester Overway (H) def. Don Dephose (M), 6-2, 6-1; Louis Philip (M) def. John Landwehr (H) 8-6, 6-1.

Doubles — Jim Vande Poel and Marshall Elzinga (H) def. Dan Wright and Ray Russ (M), 8-6, 7-5; Bill Bouman and Dennis Wiersma (H) def. Jack Burgess and Mike Workman (M), 6-4, 9-7; Dave Reck and Clyde Le Tarta (M) def. John Winter and Ron Bronson (H), 6-4, 6-0.

In an extra match Taber of Holland defeated Phyl Osborn of Muskegon, 7-5, 6-3.

Immediate Relatives Safe in Berlin, Wis.

Mrs. Paul Wajohn of Holland has received word from an older sister in Berlin, Wis., the town which was hit by a tornado the same day it swept Western Michigan, stating that all is well with her family, although a big timber crashed through their newly built addition, wrecked the roof and the bedroom.

Word was also received that a cousin and second-cousin of Mrs. Wajohn were killed and a cousin and her daughter are in serious condition in a hospital.

The letter also cited another story. Two sisters in the neighborhood found to their dismay when they returned to their leveled home that a mattress containing \$1,000 was gone. By telling all their neighbors, they all began a systematic search of the territory and found the mattress with the \$1,000 intact.

Berlin, Wis., was Mrs. Wajohn's childhood home town.

Martin Kole Installed As VFW Commander

The Henry Walters Post 2144 Veterans of Foreign Wars Thursday night held installation ceremonies for their new officers.

Elected commander was Martin Kole. Other officers are Ben Cupers, senior vice-commander; Clifford Dengler, junior vice-commander; Bill Ten Brink, quartermaster; Henry Lemson, adjutant, and Paul Dalman, chaplain.

Dutch Get Three Firsts in Meet With Muskegon

MUSKEGON (Special) — Holland High's track team got a rough baptismal here Friday afternoon losing to Muskegon High, 74% to 34% but there were several bright spots in the Dutch performance.

Holland tallied three first firsts and the marks set in the events were all commendable. Sherri Shaffer, picked up where he left off last year, with a sparkling 4:35 in the mile while Al Hill tossed the shot put out 43'14", his best heave, and Jan Robbert turned in his best high jump effort with a 5'8 1/4" performance.

Coaches Dale Shearer and Bill Hinga feel these lads will carry the bulk of the load this year.

The Dutch picked up four seconds and a tie for second and got six thirds.

Muskegon recorded some good marks for the first meet. Woodring ran the 440 in 53.1; Phillips broad jumped 20'3 1/2" and pole vaulted 11', tied with two other Big Reds.

Results in order of finish: 120 yard high hurdles — Lucas (M), Warner (M), Nienhuis (H), Time 16.5.

Medley Relay — Muskegon. Time 2:37.8.

100-yard dash — Workman (M), Streicher (H), King (M), Time 10.8.

Mile — Shaffer (H), Stover (M), Boeve (H), Time 4:35.

440 - yard mile — Woodring (M), Dykstra (H), Francomb (H), Time 53.1.

180-yard high hurdles — Bulgaris (M), Robbert (H), Plakke (H), Time 23.3.

220-yard dash — Workman (H), Streicher (H), King (M), Time 24.6.

880-yard run — Wickland (M), Warren (M), Kibby (H), Time 2:14.5.

880-yard relay — Muskegon. Time 1:38.

Pole vault — Phillips, Thomson and Cahill, all Muskegon. Height 11'.

Shot Put — Hill (H), Homfeld (M), Timmer (M), Distance 43'14".

Broad jump — Phillips (M), Rose (M) Robbert (H), Distance 20'3 1/2".

High jump — Robbert (H), Nienhuis (H), Boyink (M) and Hawkins (M) tied for second and third. Height 5'8 1/4".

La Verne Berghorst and wf to Henry Van Gelderen and wf. Pt. SE 1/4 SE 1/4 18-14 City of Zeeland.

Peter Ver Burg and wf. to James Hamill and wf. Lot 7 H.P. Zwemmers Sub. Twp. Holland.

Marvin A. Vanden Bosch and wf. to Gerald L. Van Malsen and wf. Pt. Lot 26 Essenburg's Sub Twp. Holland.

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — State Highway Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler has filed suit in Ottawa Circuit Court against G. Palmer Seeley, ousted right-of-way buyer for the department, and Seeley's wife, in connection with certain properties Seeley purchased in Ottawa county.

The bill of complaint charges that Seeley used "guile and artifice" in obtaining the property for himself instead of for the highway department. Purportedly, Seeley then was prepared to sell the properties to the state at a profit to himself.

The department has offered to repay Seeley the sums expended by him out of his own funds, and is asking the court to decree that the parcels Seeley holds in trust for plaintiff be turned over on payment.

Seeley was charged with conspiracy to defraud and cheat in both Ottawa and Muskegon counties back in 1954. He was sentenced to serve a term in Jackson prison out of the Muskegon court.

Fillmore Home Club Has Potluck Supper

The Fillmore Home group held a potluck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Klingenberg Tuesday evening. Husbands were special guests.

Ernest Kortering showed slides of his travels in Austria, France, Germany, Netherlands and Italy. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. James Koops, Mr. and Mrs. John Tien, Mr. and Mrs. William Vandenbelt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kortering, Mr. and Mrs. John Kronmeyer, Mr. John J. Boeve, Mrs. Joe Zoet, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee Bonzele, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Vanden Berg and Ben Lohman.

Radio Station Okayed

WASHINGTON (Special) — The Federal Communications Commission announced today that the Grand Haven Broadcasting Co. has received a license to operate a radio broadcasting station to serve the Grand Haven, Spring Lake and Ferrysburg areas. Station call letters will be WGNH and offices and studios will be located in Grand Haven at 223 1/2 Washington St. The station is expected to be ready for operation June 18 and a 200-foot transmitting tower is being constructed at the present time. The FCC authorized the station to operate from sunrise to sunset. Stockholders are H. F. Wolf of Spring Lake; Joseph Deeb, Bob Runyon and Bob Kirby, all of Grand Rapids.

Marv Wabeke Elected Archery Club President

Marv Wabeke was elected president of the Holland Archery club at the annual spring election Tuesday at the Holland Fish and Game Club house.

Paul Barkel was named vice president, Glenn Brower, secretary, Gene Hiddinga, treasurer, and Webb Dalman, reporter. The newly elected officers will begin their terms of office following the annual archery banquet, May 2.

A total of 38 members were present at the election. Outgoing president Bill Brown presided. Refreshments were served and games were played and prizes awarded.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

American Properties Inc., to Richard L. Clay and wf. Lot 14 Little Farms Plat, Twp. Wright.

Richard Lubbers and wf. to James Van Iwaarden and wf. Pt. SE 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 35-5-16 Twp. Park. Jennie Kooyers to James Spruit and wf. Pt. Lot 6 Blk 62 City of Holland.

Henry W. Timmer and wf. to Leonard M. DeWitte and wf. N 1/4 W 1/4 E 1/4 SE 1/4 and E 1/2 NE 1/4 35-5-14 Twp. Zeeland.

Teunis Vergeer and wf. to Neal Jacobus and wf. Pt. Lot 1 Blk 67 City of Holland.

Arthur Aukerman and wf. to Martin Ymkc — Lot 5 Peasley's Sub. Hudsonville.

Bert Baker et al to Garrett John Lubbers and wf. Lot 40 Baker - Huizen Sub. No. 1 Twp. Georgetown.

Dick G. Elzinga and wf. to Alfred Vrugging and wf. Pt. E 1/2 N 1/4 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 22-6-13 Twp. Georgetown.

Christian Becker and wf. to Anthony Ten Harmel and wf. Lots 6, 7 Blk F R.H. Post's Park Hill Add., City of Holland.

Anthony Ten Harmel and wf. to Frank Bouman and wf. Pt. Lots 6 Blk F R.H. Post's Park Hill Add. City of Holland.

John A. Brieve and wf. to Wilard DeJonge and wf. Lot 49 John A. Brieve Sub. Twp. Holland.

James Spruit and wf. et al to Mayme Den Bleyker Pt. Lot 6 Blk A City of Holland.

Clayton Zaagman and wf. to Thomas N. Whalen and wf. Pt. Lots 6, 7 Blk 3 Monroe and Harris Add. Grand Haven.

Bernard A. Kammeraad and wf. to Gerrit L. Grossman and wf. Lot 25 Graves Sub. Spring Lake Beach, Twp. Spring Lake.

Kenneth DeWitt and wf. to Gerald E. Kamp and wf. Lot 23 Evergreen Park Sub. Twp. Spring Lake.

John F. Rutgers and wf. to Julius C. Huf and wf. Lots 5, 6 Indian Hills Sub. Twp. Park.

Nellie B. Vaughn to Florence Vaughn Carroll Lots 61, 62 Macatawa Park, Twp. Park.

Leroy Vermeer and wf. to Neal Ralva and wf. Lot 84 Glueck's Sub. No. 3 City of Grand Haven.

William Nyboer and wf. to Russell P. Schmelzer and wf. Lot 41 Indian Hills Sub. No. 1 Twp. Park.

George Wolfert et al to Adrian Van Wyk and wf. Pt. SE 1/4 11-6-13 Twp. Georgetown.

Adrian Van Wyk and wf. to Karl A. Clarici and wf. Pt. SE 1/4 11-6-13 Twp. Georgetown.

Donald Gordon and wf. to Laura Gordon Pt. NE 1/4 SW 1/4 22-8-15 Twp. Crocker.

La Verne Berghorst and wf. to Henry Van Gelderen and wf. Pt. SW 1/4 SE 1/4 18-14 City of Zeeland.

Peter Ver Burg and wf. to James Hamill and wf. Lot 7 H.P. Zwemmers Sub. Twp. Holland.

Marvin A. Vanden Bosch and wf. to Gerald L. Van Malsen and wf. Pt. Lot 26 Essenburg's Sub Twp. Holland.

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — State Highway Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler has filed suit in Ottawa Circuit Court against G. Palmer Seeley, ousted right-of-way buyer for the department, and Seeley's wife, in connection with certain properties Seeley purchased in Ottawa county.

The bill of complaint charges that Seeley used "guile and artifice" in obtaining the property for himself instead of for the highway department. Purportedly, Seeley then was prepared to sell the properties to the state at a profit to himself.

The department has offered to repay Seeley the sums expended by him out of his own funds, and is asking the court to decree that the parcels Seeley holds in trust for plaintiff be turned over on payment.

Seeley was charged with conspiracy to defraud and cheat in both Ottawa and Muskegon counties back in 1954. He was sentenced to serve a term in Jackson prison out of the Muskegon court.

Fillmore Home Club Has Potluck Supper

The Fillmore Home group held a potluck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Klingenberg Tuesday evening. Husbands were special guests.

Ernest Kortering showed slides of his travels in Austria, France, Germany, Netherlands and Italy. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. James Koops, Mr. and Mrs. John Tien, Mr. and Mrs. William Vandenbelt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kortering, Mr. and Mrs. John Kronmeyer, Mr. John J. Boeve, Mrs. Joe Zoet, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee Bonzele, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Vanden Berg and Ben Lohman.

Radio Station Okayed

WASHINGTON (Special) — The Federal Communications Commission announced today that the Grand Haven Broadcasting Co. has received a license to operate a radio broadcasting station to serve the Grand Haven, Spring Lake and Ferrysburg areas. Station call letters will be WGNH and offices and studios will be located in Grand Haven at 223 1/2 Washington St. The station is expected to be ready for operation June 18 and a 200-foot transmitting tower is being constructed at the present time. The FCC authorized the station to operate from sunrise to sunset. Stockholders are H. F. Wolf of Spring Lake; Joseph Deeb, Bob Runyon and Bob Kirby, all of Grand Rapids.

Marv Wabeke Elected Archery Club President

Marv Wabeke was elected president of the Holland Archery club at the annual spring election Tuesday at the Holland Fish and Game Club house.

Paul Barkel was named vice president, Glenn Brower, secretary, Gene Hiddinga, treasurer, and Webb Dalman, reporter. The newly elected officers will begin their terms of office following the annual archery banquet, May 2.

A total of 38 members were present at the election. Outgoing president Bill Brown presided. Refreshments were served and games were played and prizes awarded.



BEFORE DINNER CHAT — Prior to the Holland Fish and Game club dinner Thursday night in Civic Center, a group of local club officials chatted with Robert Fortney, center, district fisheries supervisor of the Michigan Department of Conservation. Neil Bergen (left), club president, greets

Fortney. Looking on are Marv Wabeke, banquet chairman, Hine Vander Heuvel, who presented gifts, and Vern Schipper, head of the Adult Evening School who arranged for Fortney's appearance here earlier as a lecturer in the conservation series. (See story Page Nine.)

(Penna-Sas photo)

Plans to Wed



Miss Reda Ann Rynbrandt

The Rev. and Mrs. Abraham Rynbrandt of 133 East 34th St., announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Reda Ann, to John T. Santinga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Santinga of Kalamazoo.



Let's Plant Beauty -- Soil Must Be Ready to Work Before You Plant

Now is the time of year when a gardener must exercise restraint. How easy it is to rush out, grab a spade, then a rake, then a trowel, and immediately begin to plant. Whether this can be disastrous or not depends on the question: How friable is your soil? To tell whether your soil is ready for working, take a handful, squeeze or press it into a lump. Does it retain this shape or does it crumble into a looseness that promises good working ground for rootlets?

If the soil in your garden still packs like a snow ball, you had better "put your feet in the stocks" as your garden is not ready for planting. A soil that is friable is one that crumbles but has water-holding capacities; it is soil so well aerated that plant roots may easily penetrate it.

To understand the nature of soil better, we small-space gardeners should make it our duty to know more about it. In a very broad sense, it is composed of two materials—rock and organic matter. It also classifies itself rather steadily into three main types—clay, sand or loam. The type of rock matter in the soil of your garden determines whether it is clay or sand. Clay is made up of fine particles, which are powdery when dry and which become sticky and pack together when wet. Sand is made up of coarse particles and has little ability to retain water because the spaces between the sand particles is greater. The organic matter in your soil is humus, which is decomposed or partially decomposed vegetable or animal matter. This humus is important in the manufacture of food for plants. Added to clay soil it helps make it porous so water and food can reach the roots of plants; added to sandy soil it helps it retain water by giving it bulk which acts as a sponge.

Loam is of course the ideal dream of every gardener as it combines the working properties of all three—clay, sand and humus. Since the soil can supply most of the necessary conditions (air, heat,

water and food), it should be worth our best efforts to strive for the proper things for our plants, especially since the warm brown earth can be hard and cold and grey if you let her.

Garden soil serves two main functions: supplying plant-food and offering a foothold for plant life. Soil that is stony so that shoots cannot push through it or rootlets are stopped in their tracks, soil that is so packed with water so that air cannot reach through to the roots, or soil that is so loose that water runs too fast for the rootlets to slake their thirst tends to deter itself from serving efficiently.

If your garden retains water and dries cement-like in the blazing sun, it most likely has a lot of clay. Even though a garden should become self-sufficient by producing large quantities of its own humus, you may have to add some from other sources—such as well-rotted horse or cow manure, leaf mold, or best of all, loads of compost from one of your own pits. To the clay we would also add some sand in trying to acquire a loam condition. If your garden is made up of shining sand, lots of humus and clay must be added and thoroughly mixed toward making loam.

To these few general ideas we might add that many a gardener has saved himself a needless number of headaches and expense by planting things on clay that prefer clay to sand, and planting the sand-loving plants in places where they won't get wet feet. After all, there are people too who have their preferences—some like foam rubber, some feathers, and others prefer to roost on pine boughs in Sherwood Forest. Of importance then is to know your plant's preference and be wise enough to heed it.

While mixing our soils, our organic matters, minerals, compost pits, commercial fertilizers, and what have you, we are reminded of the English artist who, when asked what he mixed his paints with, replied, "I mix them with brains, sir."

Locals to Attend Annual Confab

Between 300 and 400 persons are expected to attend the second annual Industrial Management Conference at the Pantlind Hotel, Grand Rapids, Friday, April 20, sponsored by the West Michigan chapter of the Industrial Management Society.

They will represent Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo, Muskegon, Holland, Battle Creek, Ionia and other West Michigan communities.

Allen H. Mogensen, pioneer leader in work simplification, will be featured speaker. Mogensen is director of work simplification conferences held at Lake Placid, N.Y., since 1937 and is a graduate of Cornell University. He was appointed expert consultant to the Secretary of War during World War II and his program was used throughout various theaters.

Other speakers at the conference will be: Victor K. Genger, factory manager of the Florence Stove Company, Kankakee, Ill.; Lisle Hodell, general manager, general purpose motor department, General Electric Co., Fort Wayne, Ind.; Samuel A. Angotti, vice president of industrial relations, Sutherland Paper Co., Kalamazoo.

4 Suits Filed Against Spring Lake Industry

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Four suits were filed in the Ottawa Circuit Court Monday against the Anderson Belling Co. of Spring Lake. Suits by the Ford Motor Co., General Motors Corp. and Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. were filed by affidavit and writ of replevin. In the suit filed by Dryden Rubber Division of the Sheller Manufacturing Co., an Indiana Corporation, proofs were taken late Monday afternoon and Judge Raymond L. Smith granted a consent judgment in the amount of \$130,030 plus \$25 costs to be taxed. The amount represents goods and chattels delivered by plaintiff to defendant at the latter's request at various times prior to April 14, 1956. Plaintiff alleged that defendant has not, though often requested, delivered the goods and chattels to plaintiff, but has unlawfully detained some.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker to Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baker of route 1, Zeeland, will celebrate their 45th wedding anniversary Saturday, April 21.

They are planning a dinner at Bosch's restaurant with their family.

The Bakers' children are Mr. and Mrs. Andy Klynstra and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Essenberg. They have six grandchildren.

Samuel P. Meeuwse Succumbs at Age 62

ZEELAND (Special) — Samuel P. Meeuwse, 62, died unexpectedly following a heart attack at his home northeast of Zeeland Monday evening.

Surviving are the wife, Josie; one son, Roger; two daughters, Darlene and Mary Ann, all at home three brothers, John P. of Allendale, Dan P., Lewis P. and Gerit P. Meeuwse, all of Zeeland; two sisters, Mrs. Henry Velderman and Mrs. Gerrit Vanden Bosch of Zeeland.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. at North Street Christian Reformed Church. Relatives will meet in the church basement at 1:45 p.m. The Rev. John Guichelaar will officiate. Burial will be in Zeeland Cemetery. The body is at Baron Funeral Home where friends may meet the family Wednesday and Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m.

Driver Charged With Negligent Homicide

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Donald M. Farnquist, 19, Muskegon Heights, demanded examination when he was arraigned on a negligent homicide charge in Municipal Judge Jacob Ponstein's court Monday afternoon. He furnished \$1,000 bond for examination set May 10 at 9 a.m.

The charge arose from a fatal accident April 6 on West Spring Lake Rd. 3.7 miles north of the M-104 junction which claimed the life of Carl Tufts, Jr., 16, of Muskegon. Tufts was a passenger in the car driven by Farnquist.

Also injured were David Van Dyke, 18, Muskegon, and Robert Temple, 18, Muskegon Heights. The latter received a fracture of the sixth vertebra and was paralyzed from the neck down. He is now in Ann Arbor hospital.

Prosecutor James W. Bussard authorized the warrant Monday afternoon. State Police officers Dawn Wilson and Axel Mead made the investigation.

Holland Man Pleads Guilty in Car Case

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Richard Franklin, 31, hotel address in Holland, pleaded guilty in Circuit Court Monday afternoon to a charge of unlawfully driving away an automobile, without intent to steal. He has been unable to furnish \$1,000 bond and he will appear for disposition of his case April 24.

The alleged offense occurred in Holland April 12, and involved taking a car of LeRoy S. Morphy of Holland.

He is now serving a 45-day jail sentence on a reckless driving charge, speeding and failure to have his car under control, as he was unable to pay \$104.70 fine and costs when arraigned in the Holland Municipal Court.

Maroon Thimclads Edge Hudsonville In Opening Meet

A surprising Holland Christian High School track team got its season off to a good start on the 21st street track, Monday afternoon by upsetting Hudsonville, one of the Keweenaw League leaders, 50-45. It was Hudsonville's second loss in four starts this season, their other defeat coming at the hands of powerful Sparta.

The weather was anything but ideal for a track meet and hampered the times set by both schools. However Coach Art Wyman, in his first year at the Maroon helm, was well pleased with his squad's performance.

"Considering the little practice we have had and the bad weather Monday, I am well pleased at this stage," he reported.

Particularly gratifying to Wyman was the performance of several underclassmen who are competing for the first time. A freshman dash man, Wayne De Young, and Jim Meurer, a sophomore 880 runner, came in for special plaudits.

The locals showed surprising strength in the field events where they took first in all three events. The pole vault was not held due to repairing underway in the pit.

All in all the Dutch picked up seven firsts, four seconds and three thirds. Hudsonville had four firsts, six seconds and seven thirds. The biggest single point getter was the Eagles' Roland Schut who picked up 14 points on two firsts, a relay leg and a second. Christian's high man was Rich Hertel with firsts in the 100 yard dash and the 220. He was followed by John Nykamp with eight points.

Christian's next meet will be a night affair at Grand Rapids Christian on Thursday, run in conjunction with the Calvin College - Ferris dual meet.

Results in order of finish:

120 yard hurdles — Schut (H), Huizenga (HC), Mohr (H); time — 17.9.

100 yard dash — Hertel (HC), Mohr (H), Vrugink (H); time — 11.4.

1 mile run — Brower (H), Kuipers (HC), Nienhuis (H), time — 5:39.8.

880 yard relay — Won by Hudsonville (Mohr, Wind, Schut, Vrugink) time 1:44.5.

440 yard dash — Voetberg (HC), Mannes (HC), Wiers (H), time — 59.4.

180 yard hurdles — Schut (H), Mohr (H), Huizinga (HC), time — 23.8.

880 yard run — Meurer (HC), Brandt (H), Orrell (H), time — 2:23.

220 yard dash — Hertel (HC), Vrugink (H), De Young (HC), time — 25.8.

High Jump — Nykamp (HC), Schut (H), Ensing (H), height — 5'4".

Shot Put — Altena (HC), Nykamp (HC), Wind (H), distance — 39'1".

Broad Jump — Baker (HC), Ensing (H), Heerspink (HC), distance — 17'9".

Couple Arrested After Party

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A Spring Lake couple was arrested early Sunday morning coming home from a party which had been given in their honor prior to their leaving this week on a five-week trip to Europe.

George W. Pardee, 40, was charged with drunk and disorderly, and his wife, Nadair, with drunk driving. They were arrested by city police at 4 a.m. and first lodged in the detention cell at police headquarters where Mrs. Pardee broke four panes of window glass. They were later transferred to the county jail.

Arraigned in Municipal Court before Judge Jacob Ponstein here Monday, both pleaded guilty. Pardee paid \$10 fine and \$5.10 costs and Mrs. Pardee paid \$100 fine and \$5.10 costs, plus restitution of \$15.10 for damage done at police headquarters.

Two others also were arraigned on drunk driving charges Monday. Owen Russell Ratcliff, 59, route 1, Vicksburg, pleaded guilty and paid \$100 fine and \$5.10 costs. He was arrested by city police at 5:15 p.m. Saturday on Washington St. Pedro Rivera, 29, route 5, Muskegon, pleaded not guilty to a drunk driving charge and was unable to furnish \$150 bond for his trial set May 2 at 10 a.m. He was arrested by sheriff's officers Saturday on US-16 in Polkton township.

Ladies' Day Golf Events Planned at Saugatuck

Saugatuck Ladies' Golf day will open the new season Thursday, April 19.

At a meeting held Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. James Cook, the executive committee made plans for opening day at Saugatuck Golf Club. Booklets were made giving dates of coming events.

Any woman interested in golf is welcome to join the group on Thursdays at 9 a.m. at which time Jim Unwin, new golf pro, will give free group lessons.

Mrs. Bruce Fogarty, last year's woman champion of the club, is president of the group. For further information she may be called at 8102.

Some scientists believe if the annual average temperature of the earth were raised one degree, arctic and antarctic ice would melt enough to raise the level of the oceans as much as 50 feet.

Dr. Hatcher Emphasizes Need for Spiritual Unity

"Whenever intelligent people (of all races) sit down together and think a thing through, they come to one conclusion—that spiritual unity is the thing that is going to be necessary for survival in a modern world."

That statement was made by Dr. Harlan Hatcher, president of the University of Michigan, at the annual spring banquet of the Century Club Monday evening in Durfee Hall on Hope campus.

Displaying great personal charm, Dr. Hatcher recounted his experiences of a trip to the Orient last December and January.

His first stop was the Philippines where he was tremendously impressed by President Magsaysay, finding him to be the most dynamic and aggressive personality he met in the Orient. He stressed the fact that the Philippines was the only spot where Communism has really been put down. He viewed the war ruins and was happy to have a part in the graduation of a class of 4,000 young Filipinos who had completed a public administration course.

At Formosa, Dr. Hatcher spent considerable time with the Chiangs. He was specially impressed with the educational system the Chiangs were promoting on Formosa and was particularly thrilled with Mme. Chiang's orphanages.

At Hong Kong, Dr. Hatcher found the greatest building and greatest rush of business in the Orient. It is here where much foreign capital is being invested.

At Japan, Dr. Hatcher visited the prince who previously had visited the University of Michigan in connection with the Phoenix project. While at Ann Arbor after all protocol had been observed, the prince had expressed a wish to see the university football team in practice. At the field, Coach Wally Weber was most informal in explaining football to the prince. On this visit, Weber was the one person the prince remembered and inquired about.

Dr. Hatcher's address to the Japanese-American club in Japan was tremendously well received. Afterwards, the Japanese had told him that all previous visitors had told how the Americans build the best highways, best communications systems, produce the best engineers... and Dr. Hatcher had told them that American educators are interested and concerned with teaching students spiritually.

"We must do more spiritual training in our universities, because spiritual unity is most necessary for survival in this modern world," he had said.

Banquet arrangements for the 120 guests were in charge of Dr. and Mrs. O. van der Velde, Dr. and Mrs. Milton Hinga and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Lamb. Selections by a piano duo, Mrs. Harold Karsten and Mary Ann Wildschut, included "Braziliera" from the suite Scaramoucha, by Milhaud, and "Anda Lucia" from the And Lucia suite by Lecuona. Dr. Lester J. Kuyper gave the invocation.

Before he handed the gavel to the new president, retiring President Marion de Velder paid tribute to Adelaide Dykhuizen for her 11 years of service as secretary-treasurer of the organization. Dr. J. Harvey Kleinhekel, chairman of the nominating committee, presented the slate of new officers.

New officers are Mrs. Edward Donovan, president; Joann F. Donnelly, vice president; Mrs. Marian Stryker, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Bruce G. Van Leuwen and Henry Steffens, new members of the executive board.

Bridal Shower Given For Myra Beekman

Miss Myra Beekman, whose marriage to James Tyink, Jr., will take place May 4, was honored at a bridal shower Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Ray Beekman, 230 West 19th St. Hostesses were Miss Elaine Beekman and Mrs. Roger Beekman.

A yellow color scheme was used in decorations which included a yellow umbrella. A two-course lunch was served.

Attending were the Mesdames Gerrit Beekman, Art Beekman, Ed Rooks, W. Bruner, Fred Beekman, Roger Northuis, Jack Nagelkerk, E. Soper, Jim Veele, J. Van Dorpe, Roger Beekman, Ray Beekman, O. B. Blok and the Mesdames Helene Van Klink, Bertha Beekman, Connie Beekman and Shirley Beekman, Elaine Beekman and the guest of honor.

Mrs. Margaret House Dies at Age of 98

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Margaret House, 98, of 401 Fulton St., died Tuesday at the Little Village Rest Home in Nunica, after a long illness. She was born Margaret Shurt Feb. 11, 1858, in La Grange, Mich. On May 22, 1881, she was married in South Boardman to Augustus R. House, who died Jan. 29, 1956, at the age of 89.

They came to this vicinity 17 years ago from Virginia. She is survived by three sons, Thomas of Denver, Colo., William of Priest River, Idaho, and Frank of Nunica; six grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; and seven great great grandchildren.

Marriage Licenses

Kenneth C. Russell, Jr., 21, Holland; and Marcia Boes, 18, Zeeland; Hubert Rosema, 23, route 1, Cheboygan, and Carol Lee Hendry, 19, route 1, Grand Haven. Charles Dale Hoezee, 18, route 3, Zeeland; and Muriel Zwagerman, 21, route 2, Zeeland; Philip Thomas, 23, and Marilyn Vander Molen, 18, both of Grand Haven.

Auxiliary Has Dinner Meeting

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Auxiliary held their annual spring dinner meeting Thursday evening.

A beautiful spring bouquet centered the dinner table and a spring flower corsage and a mini ure cornucopia at each member's place carried out the spring motif. The latter were gifts to the members from the president, Mrs. Don Gilcrest.

After dinner, a regular business meeting was held with annual reports presented by Mrs. Gilcrest; Mrs. Norm Wanger, secretary; Mrs. C. Petter, treasurer; Mrs. J. C. Petter, cards and flowers; Mrs. Myron Van Oort, constitution, and Mrs. N. O. Etmueller, membership.

Officers elected for the 1956-57 season are Mrs. Wanger, president; Mrs. Egbert Boer, vice president; Mrs. Tom Vander Kuy, secretary; Mrs. Etmueller, treasurer; Mrs. Burke Field, two-year board member, and Mrs. Don Scholten, one-year board member. The group is making Dutch hats, which will be sold during Tulip Time.

The May 10 meeting will feature a progressive dinner and installation of officers.

Jay Rietberg Succumbs at 63

Jay Rietberg, 63, of Grand Rapids, father of Dr. Roger Rietberg of Holland, died Monday evening in his home after a long illness.

For 44 years he had been employed at the Boston store in Grand Rapids, serving as display manager several years. Active in music circles, he was one of the original members of the Wolverine Club, a men's quartet organized in 1919 which was in great demand at appearances in Western Michigan. For several years, the group provided special music at Community Good Friday services in Holland.

He was a member of Eighth Reformed Church in Grand Rapids for 35 years. He taught Sunday School there, also served as an elder and vice president of the consistory.

Surviving are the wife, Katherine; two daughters, Mrs. Joe Vlietstra and Mrs. Jack Magnuson of Grand Rapids; two sons, Roger of Holland and Warren of Grand Rapids; six grandchildren; two brothers, John and Gerrit of Grand Rapids, and three sisters, Mrs. John Jagt and Mrs. John Mersman of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Minnie Bosma of Zeeland.

Committees Listed For Supervisors

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The following standing committees of the Board of Supervisors have been appointed by Chairman Roy H. Loving of Georgetown township:

Ways and Means — Henry Slaughter, Gerrit Bottema, J. E. Townsend, Clarence Reenders, W. L. Kennedy.

Buildings and grounds — Dick Nieuwsma, C. Szopinski, M. Boon. School and educational — Bottema, Robert Visscher, John Stap.

Equalization — George Swart, John Helder, Nieuwsma, William Koop, John Hassold, Al Stegenga, Wayne Murray.

Drains — Szopinski, Al Stegenga, Cliff Fedt, John Stephenson, J. Claver.

Coordinating and zoning — Swart. Taxes and apportionment — Koop, Nick Cook, L. Vollink, John Helder, Stap.

Good roads — Reenders, Walcott, Nieuwsma, Murray, Harry Harrington.

Recreation — Reenders, Hassold, Claver.

Printing and stationery — Bottema, Swart, Stephenson.

Agriculture — Henry Ver Meer, Hassold, Vollink, Ervin Hecksel, Kennedy.

Abstracting — Koop, H. W. Fahf, Fendt.

Conservation — Reenders, Hecksel, Ver Meer.

Public Health — Slaughter, R. Cook, L. A. Wade.

Sheriff's committee — Boon, Kennedy, Ver Meer.

Rules and legislation — Townsend, Fant, Wade.

County officers and employees — Wade, Boon and Murray.

Social Welfare — Harrington, M. Mohr, Walcott.

Finance — R. Cook, Mohr, Visscher.

W. Boer Is Winner In Speech Contest

Warren Boer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Boer of 575 Lawndale Court was selected as winner of the Holland-Zeeland Young Calvinist League oratorical contest and will compete in the District elimination to be held in Holland May 25.

The contest took place at the regular meeting of the league last Tuesday in Bethany Christian Reformed Church. Boer, who is a senior at Holland Christian High School and is president of the student council, will compete with orators from Ohio, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana and Michigan.

He won over Larry Dykstra the only other contestant in a close decision judged by the Rev. Paul Veenstra, pastor of Hamilton Christian Reformed Church, the Rev. Gerald Vanden Berg, pastor of Pine Creek Christian Reformed Church, and the Rev. Lambert Ponstein, professor of Bible at Hope College.

Winner of the district contest will receive a round trip coach fare which will enable him to attend the national convention of Young Calvinist Federation at Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, in August and participate in the International Young Calvinist Oratorical contest.

First place winner of the International contest will receive a one-year tuition award at Calvin College, Grand Rapids, and also an engraved trophy. A one semester tuition will be awarded the second place winner.

Last year Bruce Keuning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Keuning of 27 West 32nd St., won first place at the national convention at Rock Valley, Iowa.

HHS Students In Speech Event

Holland High School students who won first places in the district forensic contest here on March 27 will take place in the regional division of Michigan State Forensic Association competition April 26 in Zeeland.

Bruce Van Leuwen of Holland placed first in the declamation contest and Keith Van Hoff of Holland was first in extemporaneous speaking at the district event, judged by Dr. Albert Boer, Dr. John Fred and Clara Bush, all of Western Michigan College speech department.

Other participating schools were Muskegon and Muskegon Heights.

Winners were, in order of finish: Declamation, Van Leuwen, Ken Smith of Muskegon and Ann Herist of Holland; extemporaneous, Van Hoff, Harvey Workman of Muskegon and Ron Riasecki of Muskegon Heights; original oratory, Gordon Murray of Muskegon Heights, Nancy Miller, Muskegon, and Ronald Chandler, Holland.

Humorous, Ed Winger, Muskegon, Fred Titus, Muskegon, Carolou Bromley, Muskegon Heights; dramatic, Mary Rodewald, Muskegon, Kay Ten Brink, Holland and John Allen, Muskegon.

Other Holland students participating were Fred Protsman, Mary Ellen Steketee, Kay Keane, June Veldheer and Carol Nieuwsma.

Miss Ruby Calvert and L. H. Stillwell are Holland High coaches.

Cleanup Program Continues in City

City streets will be cleaned by the weekend, City Manager Herb Holt said Monday. The Street Department, working fulltime on the cleanup job, is moving towards the south of the city, which remains to be cleaned.

The deadline for the pick-up of refuse, Holt said, is Wednesday. Lawn refuse after that date won't be picked up, he added.

There has been more refuse on the streets this year than in the last, according to the Louis Dalman. He cited two reasons, first, snow came too early last Fall to give people adequate time to get rid of the leaves and twigs, and second, the severe ice storm a few weeks ago left a pile of refuse on the streets.

Manager Herb Holt alleged that some people had taken unfair advantage of the Mayor's emergency cleanup offer following the ice storm. Refuse that did not result from the ice storm was left for pickup teams on the emergency cleanup job, Holt said.

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Boy Scout Circus Held Friday in Civic Center

Gay circus atmosphere, complete with colorful costumes, balloons, wagons and carts, transformed the Civic Center Friday and Saturday for the Boy Scout Circus.

The circus, held in Holland every other year, is sponsored by the Chippewa district of the Grand Valley Council and Holland Rotary club.

Purpose of the show is to present an action picture of the Cub, Boy and Explorer Scout program.

A complete list of the circus staff has been announced. William Gargano, WHTC announcer, and Richard Wilson, district Scout Executive, will announce the show.

House lighting is in charge of Elden Moody and Lester Douma, with Tony Bowman, Arie Vuurens and Nick Vukin, assisting as spotlight operators.

Robert Rescorla, M.E. Evans, Joe Bender and Phil Frank, will handle the action on the main floor.

L.A. Wade, president of the Rotary club, and club members will assist as ushers. Otto Dressel and Bernard Shashagway will aid Lumsden as spotters.

Wade, circuit general chairman, listed the Scout units participating. They include:

Cub Packs: 3001, Van Raalte PTA; 3003, Lincoln PTA; 3006, Washington PTA; 3007, Jefferson PTA; 3008, St. Francis DeSales Church; 3020, Zeeland Faith Reformed Church; 3028, Saugatuck Congregational Church; 3030, Harrington PTA; 3033, Hamilton PTA; 3042, Lakeview PTA; 3043, Waukazo PTA; 3044, Maplewood PTA; 3045, Ganges Methodist Church; 3049, Lakewood PTA; 3055, Longfellow PTA; 3056, Montello Park PTA; 3052, Beechwood PTA.

Scout Troops: 2, Fennville Fire Dept.; 6, First Reformed Church; 7, Third Reformed Church; 8, St. Francis DeSales Church; 10, Methodist Church; 12, Trinity Church; 21, Zeeland Second Reformed Church; 22, Beechwood Congregational Church; 30, Harrington PTA; 33, Hamilton Reformed Church; 34, Pearl Methodist Church; 41, Pine Creek PTA; 42, Lakeview PTA; 44, Maplewood Reformed Church; 45, Ganges Methodist Church; 57, Robert School; 56, Montello Park PTA.

Explorer Units: 2006, First Reformed Church; 2007, Third Reformed Church; 2010, Methodist Church; 2021, Zeeland Second Reformed Church; 5028, Saugatuck American Legion; 5017, Holland V.F.W.

Swift and Co., Richard L. Schlecht, agent, paid fine and costs of \$43.90 in Municipal Court Wednesday on a violation of the meat law involving low protein.

Paying traffic fines were John Nicholas Hoffman, 60, of 376 Pine Ave., failure to report property damage accident, \$25; Larry Sidney Jarvis, of 3331 Central, imprudent speed, \$12; Richard P. Taylor, of 259 Dartmouth, speeding, \$18; Kenneth Paul Wise, of 190 East 25th St., speeding, \$12; Warren Johnson, of 168 East 31st St., speeding, \$15.

Ivan Schroteboer, of 24 East Ninth St., stop street, \$5; John A. Buurman, of 185 West 26th St., stop street, \$5; Lawrence Burk, of 2, Hamilton, red light, \$5; Kenneth Bouwman, East 26th St., excessive noise, \$5; John C. Hoogeven, and Robert F. Schievink, both of Grand Rapids, obstructing traffic in connection with staging a fight downtown, \$12 each.

Anthony Lieveski, 41 East 21st St., right of way, \$12; Robert L. Miedema, Zeeland, speeding, \$10; Willis Dale Van Huis, 22, of 439 1/2 Washington, no operator's license, defective muffler, and passing on right, \$39.70; John Helder, 45, route 3, disorderly conduct, \$4.70 costs and six months' probation.

Paying \$1 parking costs were Harris Scholten, of 501 Plasmann; Paul Bowman, of 543 College Ave.; Donald Adelberg, of 242 Pine Ave.; \$2; Alan Boudreau, of 410 Home-stead, Larry Souder, of 242 East 13th St., and L. Rosel of 375 Central, paid \$2 each, and Douglas Vander Hey, of 71 West 13th St., paid \$3 for parking near a hydrant.

Using as her title "Consider the Ladies," Mrs. George Damsen gave an inspiring description of woman's place in the garden of life. Like seeds, she said, each life has a wonderful potential for development, and cultivation of friendship with Christ, the master gardener, is essential. Christian women must deny themselves some alluring flowers in developing character and must learn to differentiate between passing pleasure and true happiness, she pointed out. The undesirable "weeds" of cynicism, bitterness and lack of appreciation must be eliminated.

Mrs. Damsen listed flowers whose attributes make up a pleasing personality combining service, beautiful thoughts, good influence on others, contentment and love. "Blue Skies" and "Over the Rainbow" were sung by a sextet of Holland High School girls including Mary Dixon, Karen Hansen, Sylvia Slaght, Doreen Lemmen, Betty Droost and Nancy Plewes. Their accompanist was Eleanor Ver Burg.

Janet Vanden Bos, Gail Moon, Ruthann Brondyke and Marianne Walters composed a string quartet playing two movements of "Frontier Sketches" by Pyle.

Pouring at a tea table featuring violets and pansy-decorated cakes were Mrs. William Venhuizen and Mrs. Gary VandenBerg. Other hostesses were the Mesdames H. Slighter, J. Slighter, P. Vander Wege and R. Janssen.

Mrs. Jacob Westerhoff, president, welcomed the guests. The affair was arranged by the program committee including Mrs. William Jacobs, decorations chairman; Mrs. John Boersma and Mrs. Arthur Hoedema, program; Mrs. Marinus Cole and Mrs. Lincoln Sennett, Mrs. John Van Oss and Mrs. Paul Vander Hill conducted a nursery.

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Cars Peppered

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Sheriff's officers are seeking the person or persons responsible for peppering two 1955 cars with rifle shot late Wednesday night. The cars are owned by Floyd Johnson, route 1, Nunica and Fred Stewart, who lives in a trailer on the Johnson lot. Both are employed by Anderson-Bolling in Spring Lake, which is on strike. The incident was reported to sheriff's officers Thursday afternoon.

Divorce Granted

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A divorce decree, to take immediate effect, was granted in Ottawa Circuit Court Friday to Ernest DeJonge, now serving with the armed forces in France, from Joyce Arlene DeJonge, of Holland. There are no children and Mrs. DeJonge was restored her maiden name of Joyce Arlene Bursema. Testimony in the case was taken last October 19.

Farm Bureau Head Dies Unexpectedly

Joseph G. Schipper, 69, route 5, Holland (Overisel), died unexpectedly of a heart attack late Friday at the farm home of his son. He had been in ill health for a few months but death came unexpectedly.

A farmer all his life, Mr. Schipper was a member of Overisel Reformed church and had served as elder in the consistory for several years. He was president of the Hamilton Farm Bureau and a member of the board of directors for 22 years. He also was a board member of the Allegan County Farm Bureau for a number of years.

Surviving are the wife, Gertrude; two sons, Harris of Vriesland and Wayne of Overisel; two daughters, Mrs. William (Cynthia) Knickel of Spearfish, S.D., and Mrs. Robert (Eunice) Vanden Belt of East Holland; three grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Henry Brower and Mrs. Bert Tellman of Hamilton and Mrs. Steve Dayton of Owosso; a brother, the Rev. Stanley Schipper of Gary, Ind., and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Sena Schipper of Overisel.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday from Overisel Reformed Church with burial in Overisel cemetery. The Rev. A. Tellinghuisen will officiate. Relatives will meet in the church basement at 1:45 p.m.

Friends may meet the family at Langeland funeral home Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. The body will be at the Schipper home in Overisel Monday afternoon and evening.

WCTU Stages Medal Contest

Martha Bosch, sixth grade pupil, was winner of the first silver annual medal contest Friday afternoon at the regular meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

Under the direction of Mrs. Clifford Marcus, the contest was held in the chapel of First Methodist Church. Martha gave the reading "You Don't Fool Me."

Second contest winner was fifth grader Marilyn Zwemer, who gave the reading "Why Don't They."

Others taking part were Judy Garlock, Betty Snyder, Nancy Van Oosterhout, Melody Wise, who was the only fourth grader taking part, Mary Groenewoud, Diane Marcus, Susan Severson and Judy Bos.

Each contestant will receive a year's subscription to Young Crusader.

Judges in the first contest were Mrs. John W. A. Y. Mrs. Carl Dressel and Mrs. Walter Van Saun, and in the second contest, Mrs. Elton Van Pernis, Mrs. Irene Ver Huist and Mrs. Paul Hinkamp.

Mrs. Lela Walters, county superintendent of the WCTU, presented Mrs. Marcus with a pink carnation corsage from the local union. She also planned the first winner. Mrs. Cecil Streeter, district superintendent of the WCTU, pinned the second contest winner, and also announced that the district WCTU convention will be held May 8 at Rockford First Baptist Church.

Miss Nettie De Jong's devotion was from Ezekiel, "I have set thee a watchman, therefore thou shalt hear the word and warn them." Mrs. Edith Walvoord presided at the meeting.

Hostesses were Mrs. Dick Vander Meer and Mrs. Dick Atman.

Miss Doris Bauman Honored at Shower

A bridal shower honoring Miss Doris Bauman was given Tuesday night by Mrs. Harry Koop at her home, 116 East 14th St. Assisting the hostess were her daughters, Mrs. Jack Yeomans and Mrs. Clarence Pott.

A pink and white color scheme was used for decorations on the fireplace mantel and about the room. A corsage of pink and white carnations was given to the bride-elect. Duplicate prizes for games were awarded to Mrs. Chester Warner, Mrs. Gene Elenbaas, Mrs. Simon Koop and Mrs. Roger Timmer.

Guests invited were the Mesdames Arie Bauman, Edward Lautenbach, Tony Elenbaas, William Koop, John Koop, William Sampson, Simon Koop, Gerrit Koop, R. E. Koop, Claude Timmer, Ties Prais, Henry Koop, Gene Elenbaas, Earl Elenbaas, Ivan Elenbaas, Gene Newhouse, James Heyboer, George Van Koeving, Jr., Hamilton McCallum, Chester Warner, Gene Wyngard, Harvey Koop, Robert Koop, Herm Slager, Harold Reed, Geneva Dugway, Howard Koop, Roger Timmer, Donald Timmer and Roger Prais.

Miss Bauman will be married to Erwin Koop on April 21, in Maple Avenue Christian Reformed Church.

Tulip Festival Plans Slowly Taking Shape

Civic Center to Be Utilized for Three Major Attractions

Program plans for Holland's annual Tulip Time festival May 16 to 19 are coming along in fine shape, and promise one of the most interesting festivals of all time, Tulip Time Manager Earl F. Price told the board of directors Friday afternoon.

Work has started at the Little Netherlands under the supervision of Sid Jarvis, according to Robert J. Kouw, chairman of the committee. Some new moving models are being installed and outdoor landscaping will be completed next week.

Phil Osterhouse, director of Dutch Fantasies, is working on an entirely new version this year. This program, presented in the Woman's Literary Club several times daily, has been one of the popular mainstays of Tulip Time Festivals.

Wednesday night's highlight in Civic Center is billed as the third annual Michigan Intercollegiate Choral Festival, involving some 400 college singers in a combined song fest and programs. Chorus appearing are currently on extended tours, and their selections will be those that have been most popular in their appearances in many sections of the United States.

A new feature Thursday night in Civic Center will be "Volk Province" showing authentic costumes of provinces in the Netherlands. Special attractions will be the Spartan Bell Ringers and the Varsity Quartet of Michigan State University. The Thursday show is in charge of the Woman's Literary Club with Robert Chard as director.

Main attraction Friday night at Civic Center will be the annual Parade of Quarters, arranged by the Holland barbershoppers chapter.

Traditional attractions on Saturday will be the three-hour band review, the parade of bands and the Saturday Evening Varieties. Chairman Harold Karsten reported that plaques for bands participating in the band review will be presented this year at Riverview Park instead of at Kollen Park. Top-flight talent will be featured at the Saturday night program, the board was assured.

The Holland Garden Club is completing plans for a flower show in Holland Armory around the theme, "Salute to the Americas." Central attraction will be an avenue of flags as well as flowers.

Price also reported that scrubbers are being lined up for the opening ceremonies Wednesday afternoon. As in previous years, local burghers will be led in the folk parade and scrubbing ceremonies by Governor G. Mennen Williams.

The housing department reported there have been more reservations for bus groups than for any previous festival.

Floot Chairman LaVerne Rudolph and his assistants, D.C. Hansen and Art Peters, are urging local firms, businesses and organizations to enter floats in Tulip Time parades. Persons interested in doing so are urged to get in touch immediately with any member of the committee.

The tulips are coming along in fairly good shape, and it is hoped they will be at the peak of beauty for the four-day festival next month.

Services for Baby

Graveside services were held at North Holland Cemetery at 4 p.m. today for Christine Ruth Simenson who was dead at birth at Holland Hospital late Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Simenson live at 333 Vander Sluis Ave. in Holland township. The Rev. G. B. Hillson officiated at the service. Arrangements were by Dykstra Funeral Home.



HANDS ACROSS THE SEA—The three men at the right of this photo won't be likely to forget tornado disasters when they return to their homes in Paris and Algiers, North Africa. They were passing through Grand Rapids when the tornado struck and they promptly volunteered their services in sorting clothes for disaster victims in the basement of the CIO hall. At right from front to rear are Gaston Aschour of Algiers, and Paul Tyrant and Andrew Mille of Paris. Others are also volunteers.

International Visitors Help in Disaster Work

GRAND RAPIDS — Three international visitors will have lots to tell their home folks in Paris and Algiers, North Africa, about their trip to Michigan.

They were in this area when the tornado struck and got lost in the shuffle.

The trio, sponsored here by the U. S. State Department, their own countries and the UAW, to study industrial and community relations, was in Muskegon when the twister hit.

Instead of beating a hasty retreat to safer pastures, they headed back to Grand Rapids and helped sort clothing in the basement of the CIO Hall.

The men, now visiting factories and labor centers in Flint, Mich., are Gaston Aschour from North Africa, Paul Tyrant and Andre Mille from Paris.

"The trip to Michigan gave them an opportunity to practice what they've been studying at Columbia University, New York City, although I doubt the course covered how to act in a disaster," said Mrs. Martha Reynolds, Community Services representative for the CIO.

Mrs. Reynolds announced that any persons who need clothing are urged to come to the CIO Hall or to their branch clothing depot at Diesel Union Hall, 1320 Burton SW and Michigan Veteran's Facility, 3000 Monroe NE.

"Disaster victims have first choice of this clothing, of course, but they can't begin to use all of it," she said. "The surplus clothing will be turned over to the Red Cross soon." (The CIO agreed to collect clothing for the Red Cross as a disaster service.)

"Truckloads of clothing arrived on the day following the disaster from places as far away as Detroit."

Mrs. Reynolds said a big van of clothing arrived from Lowell, 16 miles from here, and that packages are still arriving from Detroit.

Auxiliary members of the AFI and CIO, together with the League of Women Voters and Ottawa Hills High School children, worked side by side in sorting the clothes for speedy distribution.

"Volunteers came from all parts of Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Detroit and Lansing to do the work," she said.

Men joined the ranks of volunteers on a full time basis from two plants closed down because of electrical problems caused by the storm (Fisher Body Plant No. 2 and Lear Plant, Inc.).

Many Kent and Ottawa County CIO members lost their homes and all their possessions in the tornado. CIO union counselors are contacting their own plant workers to get them registered with the Red Cross and to make sure their needs are being met.

Youth to Compete In Speech Contest

Merle Van Dyke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Van Dyke of Holland, and campus leader at Calvin College, will be among those competing for honors in the Detroit Times Tournament of Orators in Kalamazoo April 26. He is a veteran of last year's Tournament of Orators.

Van Dyke will team with Michael De Vries, a freshman at Calvin, who is a native of Leuwarden, in the Friesland province of the Netherlands.

Since appearing in the Detroit Times contest a year ago, Van Dyke has added to his laurels in intercollegiate speech competition by receiving high rating in the statewide interpretive reading contest this spring and at Wayne University's Invitational Speech Festival. He is a major in psychology and plans to become a clinical psychologist when he graduates from Calvin in 1957.

Other colleges participating in the western division contest are Michigan State University, Albion College, Alma College, Ferris Institute, Hope College, Kalamazoo College and Western Michigan College at Kalamazoo.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Thursday were Mrs. Nelson J. Kleinhessel, 3354 142nd Ave.; Henrietta Schierbeek, 1621 South Shore Dr.; Diane Sue Michmerhuizen, 62 South 122th St.; Mrs. Dirk De Pree, 42 Pine St.; Zeeland; Mrs. John Pieper, route 6; Brian Kleeves, route 4; Mrs. Charles Rozema, 458 West Main, Zeeland; Vernon Rotman, Jr., 144 1/2 East 16th St.

Discharged Thursday were John Vanden Heuvel, 7 West 17th St.; Mrs. Howard Siebelink and baby, East Saugatuck; Mrs. Harvey Schipper and baby, Hamilton; Mrs. Gene Scholten and baby, 121 East 22nd St.; Mrs. Raymond Van Netten and baby, 925 Paw Paw Dr.; Mrs. Clifford Cunningham and baby, 307 West 12th St.; Henry Banger, 200 East 16th St.; Joyce Robinson, West Richmond; Mrs. Hazel Nusbaum, West Olive; Mrs. Jacob Van Voorst, 204 Hazel Ave.; Brian Kleeves, route 4.

Hospital births include a son, Mervin Glen, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tover, 148 Scotts Dr.; a son, Joel Henry, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Russell De Vette, 34 East 14th St.; a daughter, Christine Mae, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Banger, route 4; a son born today to Mr. and Mrs. Iman Koeman, 206 West Ninth St.



JEFFERSON BUST UNVEILED — Students of Mrs. Katherine Winter's seventh grade gather around the bust of Jefferson as the sculptor, Leo Jungblut, explains what is involved in making such a bust. The piece of fine sculpture was unveiled in the foyer of the school on Jefferson's birthday anniversary. (Holland Illustrative photo)

Impressive Ceremonies Mark Unveiling of Bust

Friday the 13th was a day of special significance in Holland's newest elementary school, Thomas Jefferson School, for it marked the birthday anniversary of the great patriot for whom the school was named.

It also served as an excellent occasion for unveiling and dedicating a bust of the third president of the United States, Thomas Jefferson.

All pupils gathered in the school gymnasium for the event which featured a motion picture on the life of Jefferson, a talk by David Scobie on Jefferson, and a talk by Leo Jungblut, sculptor who did the bust which now reposes in a lighted niche in the place of honor in the school foyer.

Jungblut, a fine Dutch artist who came to Holland after World

War II, explained it took him three weeks to make the initial plaster cast which was sent to Italy. Italian artisans there roughed out a sculpture in fine Italian white marble and then forwarded it to Jungblut. It took many weeks of painstaking labor to complete the final piece of art.

Friday's program was prepared by Principal Carol Norlin, David Scobie and Mrs. Harriet Emmons. Pupils of Mrs. Lucille Van Dyke's class led devotions, and music was provided by the school orchestra under the direction of Carleton Kelch.

Mrs. Anita Van Wyk offered the dedicatory prayer after which the students assembled in the foyer for the unveiling. Several members of the Board of Education were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Club Has Meeting at Harderwyk

The Mr. and Mrs. Club of Harderwyk Christian Reformed Church met Thursday evening in the church basement. Devotions were led by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oosterbaan.

The group of 38 enjoyed a film, "The Story of Elim," which told of Elim Christian School for the physically disabled and mentally retarded children. Lucy and Elsie Geurink presented an accordion duet. Mrs. Shirley Waterway gave a short reading.

The presidents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boes, presided at a business meeting. Mr. Boes closed with a prayer.

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Witteveen and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Klungle. The next meeting will be held Thursday, May 10, when the Rev. Henry Baker will speak on "Christians Witnessing to Our Neighbor."

Bad Things Bunch Up: He Faces Second 30 Days

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Glenn Albert Gueren, 44, route 2, Shelby, who had just completed serving a 30-day jail sentence for drunk driving in Flint, was returned to Grand Haven Thursday for arraignment on an old drunk driving charge dating back to last June.

Gueren had been arrested by Grand Haven city police June 12, 1955, on a drunk driving count, and had posted \$150 bond for trial the following day. The bond was forfeited when he failed to appear.

Arraigned before Municipal Judge Jacob Ponstein late Friday, Gueren pleaded guilty and was sentenced to pay \$100 fine and \$5.10 costs or serve 30 days in jail. The fine had not been paid today.

Marriage Licenses

Ottawa County

Bernard Kunnen, 22, and Ida Borgerding, 18, both of Jensen.

Serie-Wedeven Rites Performed



Mr. and Mrs. Willard Serie (Simonsen photo)

Miss Gladys Wedeven became the bride of Willard Serie in a double ring ceremony at the home of the bride's parents on Friday, April 6. The Rev. James Handley officiated at the rites before a setting of ferns and spring bouquets.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wedeven of route 2, Hamilton, and Mrs. Louise Serie of East Saugatuck.

The bride chose a ballerina-length gown of nylon net over satin, featuring a fitted bodice of embroidered lace over satin. She carried a lavender orchid.

Miss Linda Serie, sister of the groom, attended as maid of honor. Her street-length dress was fashioned of a coral shade. She carried a cascade bouquet.

Julius Wedeven, the bride's brother, attended as best man. A reception for 20 guests was held at the Hub Restaurant after the rites.

For a southern wedding trip, the new Mrs. Serie chose for traveling a light blue suit with navy blue accessories.

Former North Holland Farmer Passes at 76

Cornelius W. Brouwer, 76, formerly of North Holland, died this morning in the Irwin Convalescent home in Jensen. He spent most of his life as a farmer in North Holland and had been living with his sister, Mrs. George W. Deur at 14 West 18th St., before going to the convalescent home.

Surviving are the sister; a brother-in-law, John De Boer, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Benjamin Brower, route 2, Holland.

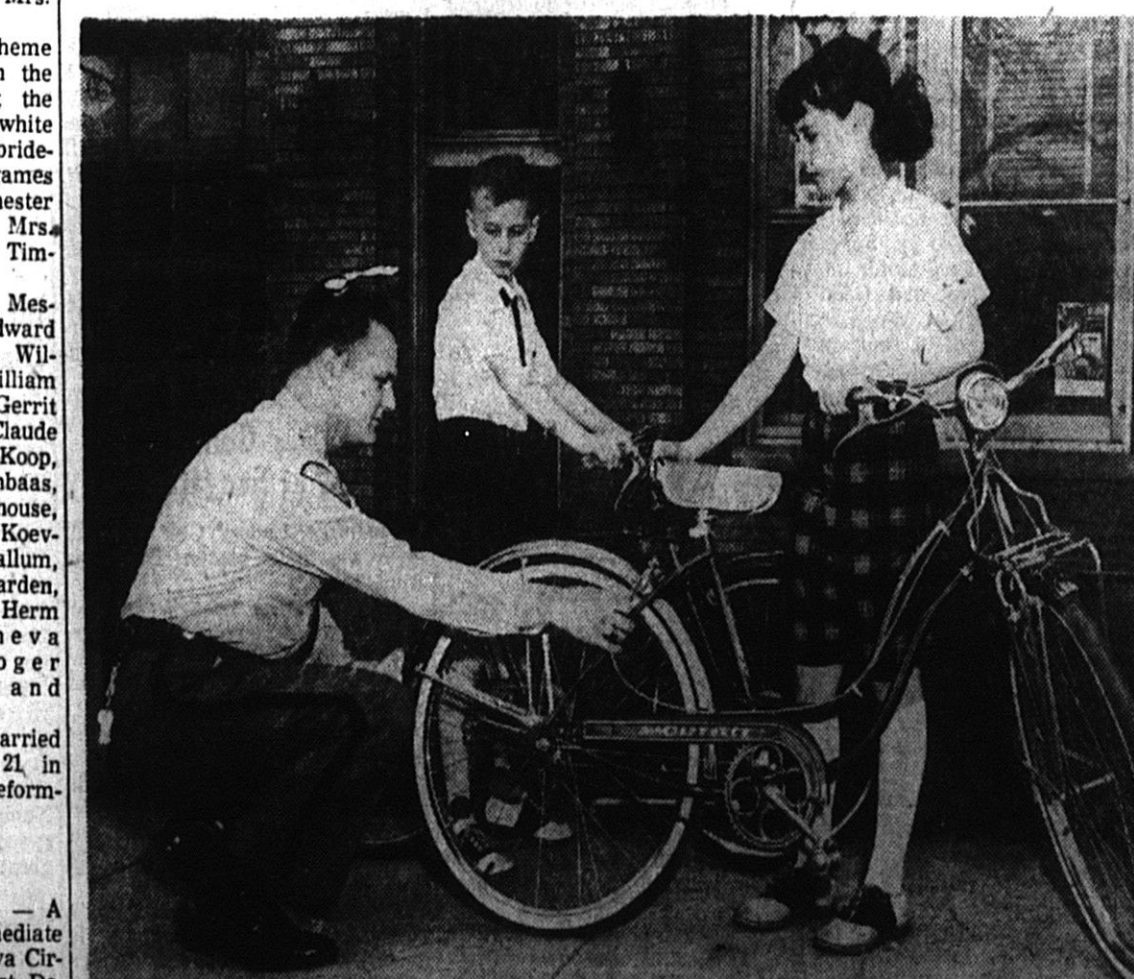
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SPRINGTIME FOR KIDS — Getting a license for a brand new bicycle is a great experience for any youngster, and here 12-year-old Barbara Kouw gets expert attention from Police Officer Bud Barr, while her eight-year-old brother, Bobby,

waits for the same treatment for his year-old model. They are children of Councilman and Mrs. Robert J. Kouw and the family also boasts of three-month-old twins. (Sentinel photo)