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Lead Senior Class at CHS



Miss Elizabeth Kamphuis

Miss Elizabeth Kamphuis was named valedictorian of the senior class of Holland Christian High school and Miss Joyce Branderhorst, salutatorian, in an announcement made today by Dr. Walter De Kock, superintendent. Miss Kamphuis, 17, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kamphuis, route 2, and Miss Branderhorst, also 17, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Branderhorst, route 4. Both plan to attend Calvin college in the fall.

Miss Kamphuis, prominent in school activities, has participated in forensics and took second place in triangular and district orator-



Miss Joyce Branderhorst

ical contests. She was also on the debate team. She was sophomore class secretary, member of the Biology, Latin, German and Girls' social clubs, on the Echo staff and served as associate editor of Footprints.

Miss Branderhorst also participated in forensics and was oratorical declamation representative in the district contest. She was a Community Chest speaker and on the debate team. A member of the Biology, Latin and Girls' Social clubs, she was also an Athletic Sister, in the Junior play cast, a member of the chorus and was an associate editor of Footprints.

Rotary Speaker Urges Specific Bank Powers

William H. Leininger, Detroit chairman of the committee for economic development, speaking before the Rotary club at their noon luncheon today, urged that the International bank as outlined in the Bretton Woods agreement be given specific powers to make loans to member countries for postwar restoration and for currency stabilization.

"Unless such specific powers are granted," he added, "we face possible developments such as we have had in recent years under the general welfare clause of our own constitution. The 'general welfare' clause has been invoked time and again to explain legislation that could not be based upon any definite constitutional provision; and in the Bretton Woods proposal, the clause 'except in special circumstances' might lead to the same kind of action.

"As the bank is now outlined," Mr. Leininger said, "it is given authority to make or guarantee loans for specific projects of reconstruction and development—except in special circumstances. It is this clause which, being so broad, might permit interpretations we would not want; or, being so broad, might cause the bank to withhold badly needed loans in order to avoid criticism. I believe our congress should insist that express powers to make restoration and stabilization loans be written into the proposal.

"When a loan is made to a member country, call it a loan and treat the creditor as our bankers treat us when we are personal creditors," he added. "Let loans be made on a strictly business basis, without recourse to emotional pique.

Mr. Leininger said that the instability of economic factors in other countries helped bring on our depression in the late twenties, and that, even if the bank should cost us "a few million dollars eventually," it will be worth while if it helps prevent such economic instability in the future.

The fund, second of the two agencies created at Bretton Woods, is intended to deal with currency stabilization over a long period of time, Mr. Leininger pointed out. If the fund must be called upon immediately after the war to deal with this situation, its usefulness will be curtailed if not destroyed.

"That is the reason," he concluded, "why specific powers should be given the bank to deal with currency stabilization in the very trying days that will follow the war."

Bub Streur Writes He Is Prisoner of Germany

Pfc. Willis J. Streur, infantryman who was reported missing in Germany since Jan. 8, is a prisoner of war of Germany, according to a printed post card received on Monday by his father, Capt. Henry Streur, 248 West 13th St.

On the printed form dated Feb. 6, Streur, known here as "Bub," wrote he was in good health and was at Stalag 12-A near Frankfurt. He added that the family should not write because he would be moving.

This was the first word concerning the soldier that the Streurs received since Jan. 27, stating he was missing.

Streur served in the Aleutians 74 months before being sent to the European area to serve with the 1st army last October. He was assigned to the infantry when he first was inducted March 4, 1943, but served with the coast artillery in the Aleutians from which he returned in March, 1944.

His father, Capt. Streur, now on inactive status, spent four months in the British Isles the first part of 1944.

A telegram Saturday stating that Pvt. Robert (Bud) Steggeda was missing in action in Germany since March 27, failed to alarm his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Steggeda, 294 East 13th St., of his wife, since they received a letter from him a few days earlier stating he had returned to his outfit after being missing seven days. Another letter has revealed that he was recuperating in a



Pfc. Willis J. Streur

hospital in Germany.

Steggeda who was with a reconnaissance company wrote that at one time he had to lie motionless for 14 hours because the Germans were so thick in that locality. He mentioned four had been turned back but gave no indication how many had been sent out. His brother, George John (Pinkie), who was wounded in Germany in March, is still hospitalized, according to a letter from him dated April 16. Another brother, Ken, also is in Germany. All are with Patton's 3rd army.

Says Civic Clubs Must Share Work Of Building Peace

"Win the War—Build the Peace" was the subject of an address given by Archie E. McCrea, editor and publisher of the Muskegon Chronicle, at the meeting of division 3 of Michigan Kiwanis club in the Warm Friend tavern Friday night. He pointed out that members of Kiwanis and all service clubs should realize their responsibility in shaping public opinion for the tremendous task of building peace among the nations.

The speaker also referred to Michigan's senior senator, Arthur Vandenberg, who is working "to crystallize the thinking of the nation." Stressing that Americans do not always see the power of righteousness which should lead on the road to peace, McCrea stated "Let us pledge ourselves to the prevention of a third world war."

Arthur H. Cansfield of Bay City, governor of the Michigan district of Kiwanis International, presented membership achievement awards to the past presidents of the Grand Haven, Hastings, Grand Rapids and Holland clubs, and District Secretary Frank O. Staiger of Port Huron reported on membership and club activities.

Kenneth R. Sanderson of Hastings, lieutenant governor of division 3, presided at the meeting which was attended by club officers and members of the Muskegon, Grand Haven, Grand Rapids, Hastings and Holland clubs. Presidents reporting on activities of their organizations included E. Guy Slater, Muskegon; Martin Van Schelvin, Grand Haven; George Lewis, Grand Rapids; Stan Cummings, Hastings; and John Van Dam, Holland.

The meeting attracted about 75 persons.

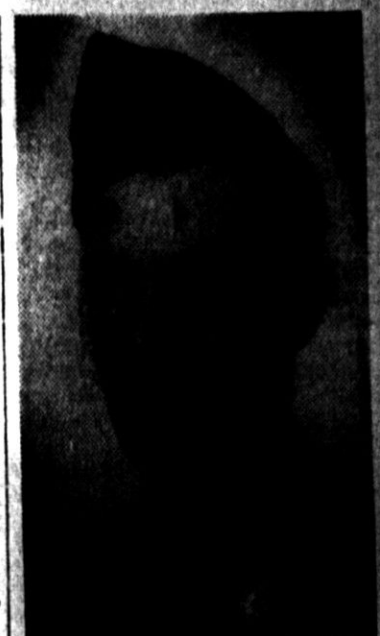
Infantryman Awaiting Commission Is Killed

T/Sgt. Delwin H. Andersen, 26, infantryman who was about to receive a battlefield commission as second lieutenant, was killed on Luzon March 27, according to a war department telegram received Saturday by his wife, the former Lois Deur, who resides with her parents at 226 West 10th St.

Sgt. Andersen who never was able to come home on furlough entered service Oct. 16, 1942, and received infantry training at Fort Lewis, Wash., and spent 2 1/2 months on maneuvers in the California desert before leaving for overseas July 5, 1943. He spent many months in Hawaii and then was sent to New Guinea and Dutch East Indies before going to the Philippines.

He was born in Holland Sept. 20, 1918, and was married Oct. 10, 1942.

Besides the wife, he is survived by his father, O. S. Andersen of Grand Rapids, and three sisters, Shirley Andersen of Holland, Mrs. Treva Lindberg and Mrs. Mary



T/Sgt. Delwin H. Andersen

Anne Harris, both of Grand Rapids.

Scout Leaders of Region Will Meet

Holland will be host to scout officials of five councils of western Michigan at a region 7 silver anniversary meeting in the Warm Friend tavern Friday, one of 19 meetings held throughout the region comprising Michigan, Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin. The meeting, originally scheduled to be held in Muskegon, was transferred to Holland.

From 30 to 50 are expected to be present for the all-day session which opens at 9 a. m. Councils include Traverse City, Muskegon, Grand Rapids, Holland and St. Joe. E. H. Bakken of New York, director of rural scouting, and W. W. Shaver and C. O. Nimitz, deputy regional scout executives, will speak. Council President Charles R. Sligh, Jr., will preside at the morning session. A "silver anniversary" luncheon is scheduled at 12:15 p. m. The program is scheduled to adjourn at 5:45 p. m.

Those expected to attend from Holland include Sligh, Peter Kromann, F. H. Benjamin, William H. Yande, Walter, Earl Vanden Bosch, Earl, Clarence Klein, Don E. Kyrer and George Wright; from Grand Haven, Baitzer, Bolling, Maurice Wilson, W. Preston Bliz and Claude Verduin; from Allegan, Arthur Kaechle, from Charlevoix, Kenneth Walworth and A. Hogue.

In former years, a regional meeting for the four states was held in Chicago, but 19 meetings were arranged this year for travel convenience.

Plan Memorial Service For Sgt. Jacob Datema

Hamilton, April 28—Memorial services for Sgt. Jacob Datema, Jr., 26, who was killed in Germany Feb. 27, will be held tonight at 8 p. m. in First Reformed church here with Rev. Peter Mayskens speaking on the subject, "God Is Our Ally."

Music will be furnished by a girls' trio composed of Margaret Lampen, Mildred Lubbers and Joyce Nienhuis who will sing two hymns, and by Joyce Lohman who will sing, "The Blue Star in the Window."

Additional information received here since March 15 when Sgt. Datema's wife, the former Viola Lohman, first was informed of the death, reveals that the soldier, attached to the 634th tank destroyer battalion, was killed in the vicinity of Solter, Germany, by "enemy artillery action." Death was instantaneous, the message said. He is buried in a cemetery at Henri Chapelle, Belgium.

Surviving besides the wife and a son, Gary, whom the father never saw, are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Datema, Sr., of Hamilton, four brothers and two sisters. Mrs. Datema received word from the war department Monday that a Purple Heart medal, a posthumous award for her husband, would be forwarded to her in the near future. She also learned recently that her husband had been awarded the Bronze Star medal shortly before he was killed.

Announce New Editor Of Hope College Anchor

Miss Ruth Joldersma of West Sayville, N. Y., has been named editor of the Hope college Anchor for next year, it was announced today at the college. Appointment was made by the college board of publications. Miss Joyce Van Oss of Holland was runner-up in the position. The two have served as associate editors this year.

Miss Joldersma will succeed Miss Helen Wilhelm of Canandaigua, N. Y., and will take over her new duties in the fall. Two associate editors for next year will be chosen by the student body the third week in May.

The editor-elect was a member of her high school paper and year book staffs and has served on the Anchor staff for three years. She has been a member of Houseboat, Pan Hellenic board, Milestone staff and is affiliated with Sorosis sorority.

LIMIT ALLEGAN TAVERNS

Allegan, April 28—City council has limited the number of beer taverns in Allegan to not more than six.

Former Ottawa Employee Dies

Grand Haven, April 26 (Special)—Miss Anna Bottje, former Ottawa county deputy register of deeds for over 30 years, died in the home of her niece, Miss Etta Rossien, 220 South Seventh St., at 6 p. m. Wednesday. Miss Bottje suffered a heart attack Sunday.

She was born in Grand Haven June 17, 1866, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antonie Bottje, pioneer residents of the community, and was employed until September, 1942, when she suffered a fractured ankle which confined her to her home for a long time.

At the age of 15 she joined First Reformed church of which she has been a faithful member all her life. Besides being employed in the county building, she served as bookkeeper for various firms in Grand Haven.

Surviving are two brothers, Harmon of Grand Haven and Antonie of Kenosha, Wis.; several nieces and nephews, including Frank Bottje, Ottawa county register of deeds.

The body will lie in state at the niece's home until Saturday morning when it will be taken to the Van Zantwick and Ayers Funeral home where services will be held Saturday at 2:30 p. m. with Rev. J. R. Euwema officiating. Burial will be on the family lot in Lake Forest cemetery.

Lt. Hoekman is Flying With 15th AAF in Italy

Fifteenth AAF in Italy—Second Lt. Henry Hoekman, 27, whose wife, Mrs. Thelma E. Hoekman, resides at 28 West 21st St., has arrived at a 15th Air Force bomber base in Italy and has been assigned to a veteran B-17 Flying Fortress group with which he will fly as pilot. He is the son of Peter Hoekman of Colton, S. D.

Lt. Hoekman entered the Air Corps in February, 1943, enlisting while a student at Hope college. His purpose in coming to Holland was to attend college.

His wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Kamp, Zeeland. Lt. Hoekman received his wings at Pecos, Tex., in June, 1944.

Rev. Walter de Velder Goes on Speaking Tour

Rev. Walter de Velder, returned missionary to China, planned to leave this afternoon on a three week speaking trip which will take him to Kentucky, Alabama and New York city where he will give a report on missionary work in China at the annual meeting of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Reformed church, May 15. On May 17 he will speak at the New Brunswick, N. J., seminary alumni dinner.

Board of Review Will Start Sessions May 8

The board of review will open its annual session here May 8 in the city hall, according to City Clerk Oscar Peterson who serves as clerk for the board. The session, according to city charter, will last at least four days but no longer than two weeks.

The board customarily meets from 9 a. m. to noon and from 1 to 4 p. m. each day. The board consists of the mayor, city attorney, city engineer, city assessor, two supervisors and the chairman of the ways and means committee. A representative of the J. M. Clemmshaw Co. of Cleveland, Ohio, which conducted the reassessment survey on residential property here, also will be present.

John R. Wiggers, Holton, Dies; To Be Buried Here

Local relatives have been informed of the death of John R. Wiggers, 66, of Holton, Monday morning in White Cloud following a lingering illness. Surviving are the widow, four sons and two daughters, four sisters and brothers including Mrs. G. A. Vos and Richard Wiggers, both of Holland, and seven grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at the Boven Funeral home in Fremont Thursday noon and a graveside service is scheduled for 3:30 p. m. at Pilgrim Home cemetery, where burial will take place.

More Volunteers, Clothing Sought

Co-Chairmen C. Neal Steketee and Willard C. Wichers directing the used clothing drive, today asked for more volunteers to assist in sorting and packing the supplies at the army and also urged a final all-out effort on the part of residents for further contributions. More cartons also are needed.

A little over eight tons were packed Tuesday and a little over six tons Wednesday. At this rate, the goal of 50 tons will not be reached by Saturday night when all work must be completed in the army.

To assist in sorting and packing, organizations listed for this volunteer service are urged to send as many members as possible. Individuals also are asked to report any afternoon or evening.

By tonight, every home should be contacted for donations. If block leaders failed to make the contacts, persons with contributions are requested to take them to the army, any afternoon or before 10:30 p. m.

Clothing was collected today from zone 6 from 17th to 32nd Sts. east of River and Michigan Aves. A small corner of 17th to 19th Sts. east of Columbia is enclosed in zone 5 where the pickup will be made Friday. Zone leaders for zone 6 are Mrs. J. H. Van Dyke and Mrs. Lester Klaassen.

Workers for Friday afternoon and evening will include the Lions club and Lionesses in charge of Ernest Post, Froebel PTA in charge of Mrs. Nick Pieper, Hope, Fourth, Sixth, Bethel, Maplewood Reformed churches, Baptist church, Christian Science society, Kiwanis club and Kiwanis queens under Simon Borr and Mrs. Henry Masselink and VFW post and auxiliary under Mr. and Mrs. Peter Borchers, Christian high school teachers in charge of Dr. W. De Kock and the Boy scouts will work from 4 to 5 p. m. and at night, Central trades and labor council of AFL will work at night. In addition the City Mission, DAR, AAUW and Pythians have been assisting.

Woman Dies Suddenly At Home in Saugatuck

Saugatuck, April 26 (Special)—Mrs. Helen Mae Chamberlain, 67, died suddenly at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday in her home here. She was sitting at the dinner table when she suffered a heart attack, death following immediately. She was the widow of Glenn Chamberlain who died in 1940. She was born near Douglas, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wynn, pioneer residents who came to Saugatuck township from the Netherlands in 1847. There are no immediate survivors.

Funeral services will be held at the home on Mason St., Saturday at 2 p. m., with Rev. Horace Maycroft officiating and burial in Riverside cemetery.

Zeeland Pilot Still Listed As Missing After a Year

Zeeland, April 28—Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Karsten have been informed by the war department that their nephew, 1st Lt. Marvin Lamer, missing in action over Germany since April 11, 1944, is still listed as missing.

The pilot of a B-24 Liberator had completed approximately 50 missions when he failed to return. Since no trace of the bomber or any of the crew has been reported, hopes have been expressed that the men may be found as the Allies continue in Germany.

RECEIVED PURPLE HEART

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brink of East Saugatuck have received the Purple Heart medal awarded to their son, Pfc. Theodore Brink, for serious wounds received March 15 in Germany while serving with the 7th army. He is now convalescing in a hospital in England.

C. Van Zyl Is Taken by Death



Charles Van Zyl

Charles Van Zyl, 66, 88 West 19th St., who operated the Holland Vulcanizing Co. at 182 River Ave. for many years, died at 12:30 p. m. today of coronary thrombosis in Holland hospital where he had been taken early Monday morning.

Active in civic affairs, Mr. Van Zyl was connected with the Chamber of Commerce for many years, and was a member of Trinity Reformed church and the Men's Bible class.

Survivors include the widow, Emma; two daughters, Mrs. Donald Battjes of Grand Rapids and Constance at home; a son, Ensign Charles Van Zyl who is on ship duty off the Philippine coast, and one grandchild.

The body was taken to the Langeland Funeral home.

Canning Sugar Blanks Are Available in City

The war price and rationing of food has received application blanks for canning sugar and persons who desire to fill them out in advance may obtain them at the office at 25 West Eighth St. The applications, however, must not be returned to the office but must be taken to the city hall next Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday where volunteers will be on hand to receive and assist in filling out applications from 2 to 8 p. m. in the GAR room.

Beechwood and Federal schools and Park township hall also will be open all three days from 2 to 8 p. m. to assist with applications. Zeeland city hall will be open Wednesday from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. and Hudsonville High school will be open Tuesday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Jamestown YMCA hall will be open Monday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Orville Gentry Is New Head of Local CIO Unit

Orville Gentry was named president of local 103, CIO, Holland Precision Parts, at a meeting held Saturday in the Royal Neighbors hall. Others elected to office include Norman Wagner, vice-president; John Robberts, financial secretary; Clarence De Vries, recording secretary; Bob Chambers, Ken Thompson and Chick Zeep, trustees; Mart Klomprens, sergeant-at-arms; and Art Van Loon, guide. The retiring president, Ben Schrotenboer, was presented with a fountain pen and a sum of money as a gift of the group.

Purple Heart Received By Mrs. Minnie Griep

Mrs. Minnie Griep, 179 East 18th St., whose husband, Pvt. Adrian Griep, was killed in action in France Jan. 23, has received the Purple Heart medal from the government. Pvt. Griep was with the army engineers and went overseas in November, 1944.

Trout Season to Open Saturday

Anglers are checking their fishing equipment in preparation for the opening of trout season Saturday in Michigan, which will continue until Labor day.

Limit for a day is 10 trout or not more than 10 pounds and one trout from trout lakes, or 15 trout or 10 pounds and one trout from trout streams, according to state regulations. Only brown, brook and rainbow trout may be taken.

Trout enthusiasts of Holland and this area will generally head in the direction of Big and Little Pigeon creeks in Port Sheldon or in streams off Grand river, since there are no trout in Black river, according to Conservation Officer Clayton Forry.

S.L. Man Sentenced and Fined for Drunk Driving

Grand Haven, April 26 (Special)—Fred Melotte, 52, Spring Lake, paid a fine of \$50, costs of \$8.25 and started a 10-day jail sentence upon his plea of guilty on Monday before Justice George Hoffer on a charge of drunk driving.

He was arrested by state police at 11:45 p. m. Saturday after his car tore off the door of the car of James Coates, 32, Kalamazoo, whom State Trooper Maurice Chenoweth was questioning. The car narrowly missed Chenoweth. Trooper Sam Senesi just ahead of the Coates car apprehended Melotte.

Russell Swanson, 34, route 1, Nunica also arrested by state police Saturday night, paid a fine of \$10 and costs of \$5.25 in Hoffer's court on a drunk charge.

Bound to Circuit Court On Third Drunk Offense

Bion Payne, 42, 4 West Eighth St., charged with being drunk and disorderly, third offense, waived examination upon his arraignment on Wednesday before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith, and was bound over to circuit court to appear in Grand Haven Friday at 10 a. m. Bond of \$500 was not furnished.

Payne, according to local court records, was first charged June 3, 1941, and at the time paid costs of \$6.65 and was put on probation for a year. On Oct. 2, 1941, he was charged a second time and was sentenced to serve 90 days in the county jail.

AIRPORT IN SAUGATUCK?

Saugatuck, April 28—The Saugatuck village council has applied to the Michigan board of aeronautics for funds to make a detailed survey of airport property to provide a landing field here.

Rev. de Velder to Head Rotarians

Rev. Marion de Velder was elected president of the Holland Rotary club at the regular luncheon meeting in the Warm Friend tavern Thursday noon. He will succeed C. C. Neal Steketee and will assume his new duties July 1. Others elected were: Leon Moody, secretary-treasurer; W. T. Stolp, sergeant-at-arms with Edward Hekman as assistant; Dr. W. F. Kendrick and Rev. W. C. Warner, co-chapmans. Rev. de Velder and Ralph Blanchard were reelected members of the board and C. C. Andreassen was named a new board member. Duncan Weaver retires from the board.

Dr. Irving D. Scott, professor of geology at the University of Michigan, talked to members and guests about the shifting sands, changing lake levels and erosion of the Lake Michigan shore line. Dr. Scott has been in Holland for the past several days making a survey of the shore line and lake levels and studying the formation of the sand dunes at Macatawa and vicinity. He was introduced by Rotarian Henry S. Maentz.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maentz during their stay in Holland.

Mr. Steketee, club president, presided. Guests were Stuart Boyd, Leonard Van Regenmortel, Edward J. De Pree, Carl Harrington, S. D. Den Uyl, Phillips Brooks, and C. Steketee.

Former Local Resident Dies in Grand Rapids

Funeral services for Mrs. Kate Vanderheide, 61, of Grand Rapids, former resident of Holland, were held in the Van't Hof Funeral home in Grand Rapids Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Vanderheide, who died Sunday night in her home, 1032 Courtney St., Grand Rapids, was the daughter of the late Klaas Dykema who was a tailor in the clothing store operated by former Mayor William Bruuse in the building now occupied by Peck's Drug store.

She was born in Grand Rapids and came with her parents to Holland when about two years old. She resided here until about 25 years ago when she returned to Grand Rapids. Her husband died about 15 years ago.

Surviving are a son, a technical sergeant serving with Patton's 3rd army; and a brother, Nick Dykema, and two sisters, Mrs. Anna Kammeraad, widow of a Holland mayor, and Mrs. Edward Lam, all of Holland.

Local Man Injured in Germany

Pfc. Evert De Graaf, 33, one of five brothers serving in the armed forces, was slightly injured in action in Germany, April 5, according to a telegram received by his father, Cornelius De Graaf, 115 East 17th St.

Letters written by Pfc. De Graaf to his father stated that his wounds were not serious and he was in a hospital in England.

Pfc. De Graaf, a native of the Netherlands, entered the army in the fall of 1943 and received his training in various camps in Texas. At the time of his entrance into the army, he had his choice of joining the Dutch army in Canada or becoming a member of the United States army. He chose the latter and received his citizenship while serving his country. Pfc. De Graaf went overseas last May and arrived in Germany, from England, soon after D-day. He has also been action in France, Belgium and the Netherlands.

De Graaf is a graduate of Deatur High school and worked at the Western Machine Tool Works previous to his entrance into the army.

Four other members of the De Graaf family are serving their country: Pfc. Casey De Graaf, overseas; Pfc. Bill De Graaf, Fort Mason, Cal.; Pvt. Jacob De Graaf, also overseas; and S 2 C Silas De Graaf, with the navy at Little Creek, Va.

Commissioned in Merchant Marine

Kings Point, N. Y.—Cadet-Midshipman Raymond Dennis De Witt, 20, son of Henry De Witt, route 5, Holland, Mich., has been graduated from the United States Merchant Marine Academy here. He has qualified for his license as third assistant engineer and he will soon be shipped out in that capacity aboard a vessel of the U. S. merchant marine. In addition to receiving his license he received a commission as Ensign in the U. S. naval reserve.

De Witt is a graduate of Holland High school where he was active in football and track. He was appointed to the United States Merchant Marine Cadet corps about 19 months ago, reporting to the Academy here. After three months studies he was assigned as an engine cadet-midshipman to a merchant ship carrying war supplies to the far-flung battlefronts. Serving about seven months at sea he returned to Kings Point on July 6, 1944, to complete his academic studies.

De Witt has a brother, Almore De Witt, now serving in the U. S. army.

Borculo Marine Wounded on Iwo

Borculo, April 26—Marine Pfc. Jason Kraai, 24, was wounded on Iwo Jima March 17 when he was hit by a Jap hand grenade resulting in wounds to his left leg, arm and back, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Kraai.

Kraai, who has been on Iwo since the first day of the invasion, wrote that he was in an army hospital on the island. He said the fighting was nearly over but that there were still a lot of snipers.

R. A. Struik, Formerly Of Jamestown, Is Taken

Zeeland, April 26 (Special)—Richard A. (Dick) Struik, 57, of Wyoming park, formerly of Jamestown, died Saturday morning at St. Mary's hospital in Grand Rapids after a two weeks' illness. He was a veteran of World War I.

Surviving are the widow, the former Jennie Klemets, a daughter, Marjorie, at home; a son, Richard, Jr., of Caro; two brothers, Peter of Kalamazoo and William of Jamestown.

First Aid Course to Be Started in West Olive

Mrs. Anna Polich, postmistress at West Olive, will serve as instructor for a standard first aid course sponsored by the Red Cross starting Tuesday, May 1, at 7 p. m. in the West Olive school.

Mrs. Polich, formerly of Olive township, is an authorized instructor of the American Red Cross. Anyone in that vicinity interested in taking the course is requested to be present Tuesday night.

SEEK BOND RECORDERS

Misses Mary Kintira and Shirley Messore of the U. S. treasury department will be at the U. S. employment office, 244-45 River Ave. daily from 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. this week, through Saturday, to interview young women and girls interested in recording and processing war saving bonds in Chicago.



Pfc. Evert De Graaf

Bee Inspection To Reveal Extent Of 'Foul Brood'

Whether "foul brood" is being checked or is still on the increase in Ottawa county will be determined when Jay Cowing of Jenison, state bee inspector, looks into the hives in the county. That will be as soon as warm weather returns and is reasonably stabilized.

Foul brood is a disease which has no effect on the eating qualities of honey and does not harm bees or humans. But it does kill bees in the larva stage. And that, Mr. Cowing pointed out here, is serious.

Anything that threatens to reduce the number of bees is serious, for without bees there is no pollination and without pollination there is no fruit. And, of course, the fewer the bees the less the honey itself.

Until recently, foul brood was practically non-existent in Ottawa county after an 18-year fight. Cowing, a bee-man for the past 34 years, explained.

"In 1927 we obtained a special appropriation from the state to start a clean-up program," he said. "In that year we inspected all the bees in Ottawa county and found over 1,000 colonies had foul brood and had to be destroyed by fire, burning the combs and honey the diseased colonies contained."

"Ottawa county's commercial bee population averages 3,000 colonies. The percentage of disease in our bees at that time was exactly 38 per cent for Ottawa county. Each year from 1927 we cut the percentage of disease down by thorough inspection until we had it under 1 per cent and had one of the cleanest colonies in the state."

However, he said, infestations appeared, and last year 15 colonies or hives of bees were destroyed in the Holland area alone, whereas only one or perhaps none had to be burned in the years of extreme control.

"Honey containing foul brood is the only source of the disease, he explained.

"There would be no danger if bees always could get nectar from clover and other fresh sources. That's what they like. It's when they can't get it that they go on the hunt for such secondary sources as honey itself, buzzing into discarded containers and even robbing other hives if they can get by with it."

Thus when bees run across honey infected with foul brood and carry it back to their hives as food they doom the larva feeding in those hives. Death comes rapidly. Cowing said, and old bees soon die off and few young bees hatch. The colony becomes so weakened that it in turn is robbed by other colonies and the disease spreads from one hive to another. (Life span of a bee in flight is about six weeks.)

"Any honey containers not sterilized which may be left out where bees can obtain the residue of honey is a source of danger to the bee-keeper and may cause widespread disease among the bees, he stated.

"I am told that foul brood exists in every country where bees are kept and that we have better laws governing bee protection than any other country," Cowing said. "Imported honey will not cause any more foul brood than domestic honey provided there are no disease germs present."

"There is an outbreak in the Holland area and every measure will be taken to stop it."

"I wish anyone who may find that bees have set up a colony in his house somewhere will give The Sentinel his name and street number, or write to me in Jenison."

Foul brood, he emphasized, does not affect adult bees or humans.

South Blendon

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. P. Vriesenga received a letter last week from their son, Pvt. Donald Vriesenga, stating he is now stationed at Ft. Lewis, Wash.

A memorial service was held at the local church Sunday afternoon for the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Rev. Fiske's topic was "Only Be Very Courageous" and the choir sang "America The Beautiful."

Gerald Vrugink left last Thursday for induction into the armed forces.

Mrs. Willard Van Harn and son spent Sunday afternoon and evening with the family of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoffman at Zeeland.

The League for Service met with the Jamestown League last Thursday night.

Mrs. J. H. Vrugink is confined to her home because of illness.

Last Saturday was the last catfish class of the season for the children.

Monday the local eighth grade pupils visited the Hudsonville High school.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Elzinga and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Holstege and family, Mrs. Lydia Gerrits, Mr. and Mrs. G. Dalman and family, Mrs. Ethel Johnson and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dalman and Mr. and Mrs. M. Gerrits attended the Gerrits reunion last Friday night at the Hudsonville auditorium.

Mrs. Amelia Kramer Of Grand Haven Dies

Grand Haven, April 26 (Special)—Mrs. Amelia K. Kramer, 97, wife of Alfred E. Kramer, 947 Pennoyer Ave., died in Municipal hospital at 1 a.m. Friday. She was born in Muskegon and lived in Grand Haven the past four years. She attended St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church. She was a member of the Eastern Star and a member of the Ladies of Grand Haven. The husband and four sisters

Serving Under the Stars and Stripes

William Timmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Timmer, 388 West 19th St., is with the third army in France. An infantryman, he was inducted into the army Aug. 2, 1944, and received his basic training at Camp Roberts, Cal. He landed in France Jan. 16. Previous to his induction he attended Holland High school.

The twin sons born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nye of Ganges, in Douglas Community hospital, Friday have been named Daniel E. and David A. Nye.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stehle of Ganges has received the Purple Heart medal from their son, Sgt. Richard Stehle, who is hospitalized in England. The medal was awarded to Sgt. Stehle for bravery in action in Germany. The letter did not contain the particulars regarding how or where he was wounded. He was seriously wounded in Germany March 4, according to information by the war department.

Mr. Robert B. Wolbrink, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wolbrink of Ganges, who is a B-24 medium bomber pilot, is now with the 11th Air Force. After leaving the United States he spent one month in Alaska receiving hours of special instrument training for flying storm areas. He has been on the Aleutians since the 23rd of January. He writes that his missions last about nine hours and their targets are the Kurile Islands. He has already had several missions.

Mrs. William Newcombe was hostess for the J. U. G. club meeting at the home of Mrs. William Larsen Friday afternoon. Four tables were in play for buncos. Mrs. Lela Miller won high score and Mrs. Amy Foster the buncos prize.

Mrs. Lottie Kingsburg of South Haven is here for a few weeks, stay with Mrs. Zeldo Trowbridge.

E. H. Bremer of Fennville was the guest speaker and entertainer at Ganges Community Grange Friday night. He gave a travel talk and pictures on his trip to the Rocky mountains.

Mrs. Joseph Tuma has been a patient at Douglas Community hospital for several days. She returned to her home here Wednesday.

Mrs. W. R. Hanes of Chicago is here for the weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. Ida Bronson, and sister, Mrs. F. L. Rhodes and family.

Abner Miller spent a few days in Chicago last week with friends.

Mrs. O. L. Enfield was hostess for the W. S. C. S. Tuesday afternoon. The discussions were conducted by Mrs. William Broadway, followed by the business meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cady have moved from the Barden farm in Casco to their farm home here on U. S. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rhodes spent Sunday in Niles with their son, Leon Rhodes, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard McKinnon of Buchanan spent Sunday here at their cottage.

PTA Group Discusses Promotion Change-Over

Members of the Longfellow school P. T. A. at their meeting April 17, named Ray Smith president for the coming year. Other new officers are Mrs. Clarence Becker, vice-president; Mrs. John K. Winter, secretary; and B. Patterson, treasurer. Mrs. Ernest Penna served as chairman of the nominating committee.

A discussion of the change-over from mid-year promotion to year-end promotion was a feature of the program. Participating in the discussion were Miss Kathleen Essenberg, a mid-year student; Mrs. Ray Swank, Mrs. Joseph Moran, Miss Florence Kossen, Mrs. Henry Hopper, Mrs. M. Westrate, Miss Caroline Hawes, Mrs. George Kollen, Mrs. Kenneth De Pree and Jay De Koning, the latter three members of the board of education. The group decided to send a committee to the other P. T. A. groups in the city and to the board of education recommending the change.

Dr. Lester Kuyper presided at the meeting. Rev. H. D. Terkeurst led devotions and Miss Dora Strowen's sixth grade pupils sang several selections, accompanied by Miss Margaret Van Vyven. Refreshments were served by Mrs. James Klomparsen and her committee.

ATTENDS BAR MEETING

Dan Vander Werp who succeeds Edward R. Hondelink as court stenographer for the Ottawa-Allegan circuit was a guest for the first time at a meeting of the Ottawa county bar association Thursday night in the Dutch Mill restaurant. A resident of Grand Rapids, Vander Werp has purchased the former Nick Hoffman residence on College Ave. Hondelink who made his home in Holland has accepted a position in Grand Rapids.

Stroke Fatal to Steven Kalmink

Steven H. Kalmink, 63, died at 1 p.m. Friday in Holland hospital where he had been ill about 12 hours earlier. He had been ill about a week and had suffered a stroke a few days ago. Born in East Saugatuck, he lived in Grand Rapids for 28 years and came to Holland three years ago. He had been living in the Warm Friend tavern.

Surviving are two brothers, George and Harry of Holland, and three sisters, Mrs. Henry Kool of East Saugatuck, Mrs. Herman Gerritsen and Mrs. John Bratt, both of Holland.

Overisel

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Corp. Herman Vande Riet wrote his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Vande Riet, from Germany where he is stationed that he had received a seven day furlough recently to the French Riviera, the Florida of Europe and the world's most famous resort. This was his first furlough since he entered the army two years ago.

It is reported that Pvt. Earnest R. Zeevala was hospitalized in Europe, making normal progress.

Mrs. H. Hoffman returned recently from Avon, S.D., where she spent the winter months with her children, Rev. and Mrs. John Bartel.

The Mission Circle of the Reformed church met last Friday night. This being guest evening the ladies brought their husbands. Mrs. Jerrald Kleinhekel, the president, presided. The speaker was Dr. Eva Tysse Mc Gilvray. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kraker held open house Tuesday afternoon and evening to honor their son, Albert, who is home on a 15-day leave from the navy.

Harriet Mulder and Cadet Dorothy Wolters feted Miss Juella Wolters at a miscellaneous shower recently at the home of Miss Mulder.

Bernard Pekelder of Calvin seminary served the pulpit of the Christian Reformed church Sunday night. At the song service a birthday request hymn was sung for Corp. Lester Kaper who is now in France.

Cadet Dorothy Wolters left for an army hospital in California to finish her training under army supervision after which she will be inducted into the army as nurse.

Mrs. Justin Mastman and son, Chester, left for Ann Arbor last Saturday where Chester entered the hospital clinic.

Pfc. Ervin Folkert of Camp Ellis, Ill., spent the week-end with his wife and relatives.

Mrs. John Rugterink had charge of the congregational prayer service Thursday night.

Holy baptism was administered in the Reformed church at the morning service April 8 to Linda Lou, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Buscher, by Rev. Benjamin Hoffman.

The Womans Mission society of the Reformed church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Julius Pomp in charge.

The C. E. of the Reformed church met Tuesday evening with Rev. A. Tellinghuizen of Beaverdam as leader.

Dr. Bernard Mulder, editor of the church Herald, will conduct the services in the Reformed church Sunday.

Hamilton

(From Friday's Sentinel)

A large group from the surrounding townships of North Allegan county attended the mass meeting held in the Hamilton auditorium Thursday night, April 12, to discuss the ban on Sunday hunting in these local areas, this sport having become a decided nuisance to farmers, residing in these areas. A resolution was adopted to urge legislation in this matter so that interested parties may be legally protected.

Dr. Jacob Prins of Grand Rapids, past president of general synod and now minister of evangelism in the Reformed church, will be guest preacher at the local Reformed church Sunday night.

The Allegan County Rural Letter Carriers association held their April meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Strabbing with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keag of Fennville in charge of the program. Lois Lugten and Joyce Nyenhuis favored the group with special vocal and instrumental numbers. A cooperative supper preceded the program and business sessions of the Men's Group and Ladies Auxiliary closed the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. John Kronmeyer and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kievit of Holland were guests. There were nearly 35 in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Der Kamp of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Der Kamp of Grand Rapids were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Lampton, Ira Van Der Kolk led devotions at the Christian Endeavor service last Sunday and Rev. P. J. Muijskens led.

The Music Hour club met in the home of Mrs. M. Koonker Monday night with Mrs. John Brink, Jr., presiding. The program, "Interlochen Youth Music," was discussed by Mrs. Allen Calahan, Mrs. Wallace Kempfers and Mrs. Ray Kaper. Two piano selections were played by Dorothy Schart and Mrs. H. W. Teupas directed the chorus work at the close of the program. Plans were discussed for a local piano recital the club will sponsor May 11 in observance of National Music week.

THREE PAY FINES

Lloyd Van Slooten, 18, route 3, Wednesday paid fine and costs of \$29.15 in municipal court on a charge of reckless driving. Alfred Bosch, 17, route 3, paid fine and costs of \$15 on a speeding charge. He had appeared previously on similar offenses. Dick Zwip, route 1, paid costs of \$1 on a parking charge.



ENGAGED TO SOLDIER

Mr. and Mrs. William Huizenga Zeeland, route 2, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia Annette, to Pvt. Jay Vander Meulen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rhine Vander Meulen, 103 East 24th St. No wedding plans have been made. Pvt. Vander Meulen is serving with the 5th army overseas.

News of Holland Men in Service

Pfc. Fred Oudemolen, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oudemolen, Sr., route 3, has completed 19 months of overseas service with the 825th engineer aviation battalion which has just been released from the censor's secret list. A radio operator, Oudemolen is serving with the battalion on the western front where it is now building another airfield for the 9th army. The battalion was one of the first to land in France and has put into service 14 airfields.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul have opened their cottage in the park.

Mrs. Harry Newham has returned from Detroit where she visited her niece, Mrs. Robert Schaufele.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Guild came last week-end to open their summer home in Baldhead park.

Work is progressing nicely on the home being built for Miss Lenore Spencer on Mason St. opposite the school house.

David Plummer has been ill for a week.

Lawrence Brooks is ill this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Haik have come to spend the season at their home on Silver lake.

Mrs. Lucy Bryan of Holland received word that her son, Donald, has arrived at Percy Jones hospital, Battle Creek, just two months after he stepped on a mine and lost a foot and injured his right arm.

Jean Simonson is having a 30-day furlough from Percy Jones hospital. This week he is visiting his cousin, Natalie Reed, at Manistee.

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Several women from the local Congregational church attended the meeting of the Grand Rapids association in Park Congregational church, Grand Rapids, last week.

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Village President Clarence Lynds has made the following appointments: Water committee, Wicks and Simonson; street committee, Simonson and Wicks; finance committee, Wright and Force; park and buildings, Force and Crowe; publicity, Wright and Kasperek; board of review, August Pfaff and LeRoy Jarvis; fire chief, street and water commissioner and village marshal, Harry W. Newham; water rate collector, Ralph W. Clapp; harbor master, Harry A. Jackson; president pro-tem, Frank Wicks.

Mrs. Marie Powers is visiting her son in Battle Creek this week. All the property at the mouth of the Kalamazoo river, over 400 acres, which was owned by the late David C. Cook and his wife Margaret Cook of the David C. Cook Publishing House of Elgin, Ill., has been sold to D. A. Bennett of Chicago. Mr. Bennett plans to repair and reconstruction the buildings and property and occupy it as a private estate.

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Mr. De Goede, one of the operators of the Molenaar and De Goede grocery and meat market in the downtown section here for many years, retired six or seven years ago and went to Chicago to make his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mow.

He was born in the Netherlands and came to this city at the age of 18, living here most of his life.

The body was brought to Holland for burial.

Saugatuck

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Miss Augusta Till and Henry Till are spending the week visiting their brother, Albert, Till, and family in Chicago.

Mrs. Ruley is spending a week in Chicago.

Mrs. Beatrice Finch entertained a group of friends Friday evening in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. Morgan Edgcomb and Mrs. James Lamb.

Warren Hungerford spent the week-end in Chicago, but returned to Saugatuck where he is a guest at Maplewood hotel.

Miss Louise Johns is quite ill.

Junior Edgcomb is spending a 15-day furlough at home. He has just returned from Belgium.

Mrs. Jean Dissel has returned from Fremont where she spent the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Force. She will be with her grandmother, Mrs. William Bradley, for the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Prentice have returned from Chicago where they spent several weeks.

Mrs. Winifred McDonald spent a few days in Detroit recently with her daughter, Miss Marjorie McDonald, who is a dental technician.

Mrs. Edward Williams has returned from Detroit where she spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Schaufele.

Mrs. Hilton Force and Mrs. Justin Dummire left Monday noon for Washington, D. C., where they will spend two weeks visiting Dr. and Mrs. Walter Good.

Dr. and Mrs. Arnold Barr and son were here from Port Washington, Wis., to spend the week-end.

Mrs. Mildred Murphy has returned from California where she spent several months.

Mrs. Frank Wicks spent a few days with her son, Raymond Stullson, and family in Dayton, O.

The pavilion in Mt. Baldhead park has been improved with a new blue roof. Last season a new floor was laid. This pavilion is a very popular spot with its picnic tables and fireplaces, and is enjoyed by hundreds from early spring until late fall.

Following are the standings of the top ranking students in the class which will be graduated from Saugatuck High school this year: Betty Campbell and Jerrie Crowe, 3.28; Patricia Ball, 3.21; Katherine House, 3.13; Reece D'Amour, 3.03.

The annual business meeting and election of officers will be held at the Womans club this afternoon. Mrs. Burgess, music chairman, will present a boy pianist, James Lowe of Grand Rapids, said to be a child prodigy.

Borculo Soldier Is Held by Nazis

Borculo, April 26—Pfc. Gerald Volink, route 1, Zeeland, who was reported missing in France since Jan. 20, is a prisoner of war in Germany, according to a card received by his father, Louis Volink.

The message dated Jan. 28 which was a form message in French revealed that Volink was well and was being moved to another camp in a few days. It added, "Don't write to me because I am sending a new address." Red Cross officials in Grand Rapids were unfamiliar with this type of prisoner communication, the father said.

Volink entered the army Feb. 11, 1943, and has been overseas a year. News that he was missing was received by his father Feb. 6. Volink was with an anti-tank division with the infantry.

Grand Haven, April 26—Sgt. Harold Millman, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Millman of Spring Lake, has been reported missing over Germany since March 28, according to word relayed by his wife who lives in New York.

Schutt Brothers Meet At Air Base in England

Sgt. Edwin Schutt, hospitalized in England for injuries received Jan. 28 in Germany, was recently granted a seven-day furlough to visit his brother, Lt. James Schutt, who is with the 8th air force in England. They entered service March 31, 1943, and have not seen each other since that time. Sgt. Schutt was with Patton's 3rd army engineers and expects to be returned to duty soon. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schutt, Harlem, received a cablegram telling of the meeting.

PAYS FINE

John Willis Styf, route 1, Zeeland, paid fine and costs of \$5 in municipal court Thursday on a speeding charge.

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Navy Pilot Is Honor Student

Naval Air Station, New Orleans, April 26 (Special)—Ensign William A. Jesiek of Macatawa park, Holland, Mich., has been cited as honor student in a class of enlisted men (aviation pilots, first class) at the navy's school for primary flight instructors here.

Heights Track Team Beaten By Holland, 56-48

Muskegon Heights was strong in the dashes, the 440 and the 880 Friday afternoon but that wasn't enough to carry them to a victory over Holland High in Muskegon Heights and the Dutchmen, scoring heavily in the mile, low hurdles, high jump and shot put won the meet, 56-48.

Heights has the best dashman in the conference in Paul Hulka and he topped first place in the 100 and 220. The Tigers also are strong in the 440 with Bob Werner but the work of these boys, who helped net Muskegon Heights a victory in the relay, wasn't enough to offset Holland's balance.

Leo Vander Kuy scored two firsts for Holland—in the 120 yard high hurdles and in the high jump, although Bud Vander Wege tied him in the high jump.

Summaries:
120-yard high hurdles—Vander Kuy, H. first; Howell, M. H., second; Botis, H. third. Time: 18.0.
100-yard dash—Hulka, M. H., first; Caravia, H. second; De Poy, M. H., third. Time: 10.8.

Mile run—Nieboer, H. first; Roberts, H. second; Goerke, M. H., third. Time: 5:08.3.
440-yard run—Werner, M. H., first; Staiska, M. H., second; Baker, H. third. Time: 2:48.

880-yard run—Rogers, M. H., first; Garvey, M. H., second; Walsh, H. third. Time: 2:24.6.
Broad jump—Werner, M. H., first; Harrington, H. second; Chapman, H. third. Distance: 17' 5".

High jump—Vander Kuy, H., and Vander Wege, H., tied for first; Datson, M. H., third. Height: 5' 2".

Pole vault—Lugers, H. first; Garvey, M. H., second; Vander Wege, H. and Veldheer, H., tied for third. Height: 9' 6".

Shot put—Bilek, H. first; Van Dyke, H. second; Zoratti, M. H., third. Distance: 41' 9".

Relays—Won by Muskegon Heights. (De Poy, Hulka, Werner and Staiska). Time: 1:45.2.

Rev. Ten Clay Speaks At Alethea SS Meeting

"Ghosts" was the theme of an address given by Rev. Henry Ten Clay at the meeting of the Trinity Reformed church Alethea Sunday school class Friday night.

"We are giants or pygmies in our attitudes," he stated. "We do not have to be pygmies, tied down by petty cords of small thoughts, but can, by a living union with a living Christ, be as strong giants."

Music on the program included vocal solos, "I'd Rather Have Jesus Than Anything" and "When I Come to the End of the Long Road," sung by Henry Kleinhekel, Mrs. J. Spjaker led devotion.

Refreshments were served during the social hour by a committee composed of Mrs. J. Steketee, chairman, Mrs. G. Scholten, Mrs. J. Siebelink and Mrs. Spjaker. Those on the program committee were Mrs. J. Tubergen, chairman, Mrs. M. Schepers, Mrs. P. Tuinisma and Mrs. C. Topp.

Two Teams Get Top Rating In Scout First Aid Meet

Two patrols of troop 6, First Reformed church, received "A" ratings in the Midwest First Aid meet Monday, April 16, in the Holland Furnace gymnasium.

Six teams of four troops qualified for the finals. The Golden Eagle and Wolverine patrols of troop 6 received "A" ratings, the Panther patrol of troop 6, the Eagle patrol of troop 22, and the Cobra patrol of troop 93, Allegan, received "B" ratings, and the Flying Eagle patrol of troop 26 received "D" ratings.

Judges were Joe Bolte, Richard Streu, A. E. Van Lente, T. P. Rhodes, Henry Poppen, Jr., Stanley Curtis, Andrew Steketee, Ben Mulder, William Lundie, Joseph Rhea, Frank Ten Have and Fred Bocks. Ray and John Mooi were recorders and Elmore Van Lente was timekeeper.

Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Pvt. Cornelius Van Der Wege, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Van Der Wege, 235 West 24th St., was born Oct. 14, 1913, and entered the army March 8, 1944. He attended Holland High school. He was inducted at Ft. Sheridan, Ill., where he received his basic training, and he is now stationed at the reception center there.

The more you enthone the God who became man, the more you can make other men your true and lasting friends.

Two Liberated From German Prison Camps



Pvt. Nelson Brieve
Two Holland men, Pfc. Jack Sooter, 19, and Pfc. Nelson Brieve, 24, are among 2,400 American prisoners of war liberated from a group of filthy camps near Bremen, Germany, it was revealed Friday.

Sooter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Sooter, 206 West 11th St., received notification in a long distance call about 10 p.m. Thursday from the Detroit Free Press. Brieve's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brieve, 13 East 19th St., were awakened early on Friday with a call from Mrs. Brieve's brother in Chicago who said the news was in the final edition of the Chicago Tribune.

The Sooters had received a prisoner-of-war letter just a week ago Thursday from their son, the first word they had received since they were notified Feb. 6 that he had been missing in France Jan. 20.

This is the first word concerning Brieve that his parents have received since Feb. 8 when he was reported missing in France Jan. 10.

Pfc. Jack Sooter
According to dispatches, the prisoners had been in the Fallingbomel camps, Stalag 11-B and Stalag 357, which were described as a group of "dilapidated shacks, louse and bed-bug-ridden." The men were forced to sleep four abreast on rough three-tiered cots.

Sooter was interned at Stalag 11-B which his parents said is approximately 75 miles southeast of Bremen. It was not disclosed in which camp Brieve was held.

Both were infantrymen with the 7th army. Sooter with the 79th division and Brieve with a medical detachment of the 242nd infantry.

Brieve entered service Sept. 1, 1943, and left for overseas last Nov. 25. Sooter entered Nov. 23, 1943, and left for overseas last Nov. 1.

In addition to the American prisoners liberated, there were 25,000 British, Russian, Polish, Belgian and Yugoslavs captured over a five-year period. The men were liberated by the British 7th armored division.

Shoe Company Is Fifty Years Old

Holland-Racine Shoes, Inc., of this city, last week celebrated the 50th anniversary of the founding of the parent organization, the Racine Shoe Manufacturing Co. The anniversary climaxes 50 years of steady growth which culminated in the merger of the Holland and Racine companies in January of 1939.

The closing of the Racine unit during the past year concentrates all operations in the Holland plant which is currently engaged in producing army combat boots and rationed civilian footwear. Officers of the company are C. C. Andreasen, president, W. C. Reagan, vice-president, A. C. Prigge, secretary-treasurer.

Under normal conditions the company has coast to coast distribution of three nationally advertised lines. Consolidation of all manufacturing in the Holland plant ties in with company plans for considerably increased post-war production.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

John De Vries and wife to Ernie Hoekema and wife, Pt. 3-4 NW 1/4 Section 21-5-16 Township Park.

Ben Steffens to Martin J. Van Dyke and wife, Pt. Lot 2 Section 35-5-16 Township Park.

Dora A. Robinson et al to Howard M. Van Singer and wife, N 1/2 Lot 36 Middleberg Plat Lamont.

Dirk Plaggenmeyer and wife to Jarvis H. Drnek and wife, N 1/2 Lots 20 and 21 Weersing's 1st Addition Holland.

Henrietta Bosker to Clarence Bosker and wife, Lots 8 and 9 and Pt. Lots 10 and 7 Blk. 3 Leggett's Addition Grand Haven.

Albert Van Der Hulst Jr. and wife to Jacob Zwiers and wife, Lot 28 De Jonge's 2nd Addition Zeeland.

John W. Kuipers and wife to Earl W. Mulder and wife, NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 11-5-15 Township Holland.

Henrietta Bosker to Gust T. Thieleman and wife, Lots 6, 7, 8, 13, 14 and 15 Blk. 12 Leggett's Addition Grand Haven.

Andy Peterson and wife to Martin Luther Fritz and wife, Lots 1, 3, Blk. 2 Adults Addition Nunica.

Lillian B. Andrus to William Schuitema et al, Pt. Lot 7 A. C. Van Raalte Addition No. 1 Holland.

Henry Piers and wife to Jess Beckhorn and wife, Lot 46 Lake View Addition Holland.

Thomas E. Walsh and wife to Minor D. Dutcher, Pt. Lot 2 Lane and Walsh's Subdivision Township Tallmadge.

Albert Walcott et al to Herman Walcott, Pt. S 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 22-7-14, Lot 1 Wolbrink's Subdivision Section 22-7-14 Township Alameda.

John Voss and wife to William Harry Jellema and wife, Lot 30 Heneveld's Supervisor Plat No. 5 Township Park.

Richard D. Douwstra and wife to Elmer Oudemolen and wife, Lot 26 Slaght's Addition Holland.

Emiel H. Klumpel and wife to Catherine Kieve, Pt. Lots 4 and 5 Blk. 2 Munroe and Harris Addition Grand Haven.

Edward Stille and wife to William Koop and wife, Pt. NE 1/4 and Pt. N 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and S 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 2-6-15 Township Olive.

William Koop and wife to Abel Berkompas and wife, Pt. NE 1/4 and Pt. N 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and S 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 2-6-15 Township Olive.

Est. Marinus Van Zoeren Dec'd by Adm. et al to James J. Vanderaan and wife, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 14 and W 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 14 and Pt. NW 1/4 Section 23-5-14.

Henry J. G. Boerman et al to H. Nieuwsma's Supervisor Resubdivision, West Michigan Park Township Park.

Gertie Yruggink Gerrits to Richard Vander Molen Sr. et al SW 1/4 Section 23-6-14 Township Blenden.

Sarah P. Leonard to Kenneth C. Welch and wife, Lots 2 and 3 Grand Haven Beach Subdivision No. 1 Township Spring Lake.

E. Lloyd Bennett et al to Ethel J. Guide, Pt. lots 20 and 21 plat Longview twp. Spring Lake.

Ray Koetsier and wife to John Van Dyke and wife, Lot 110 Post's 4th add. Holland.

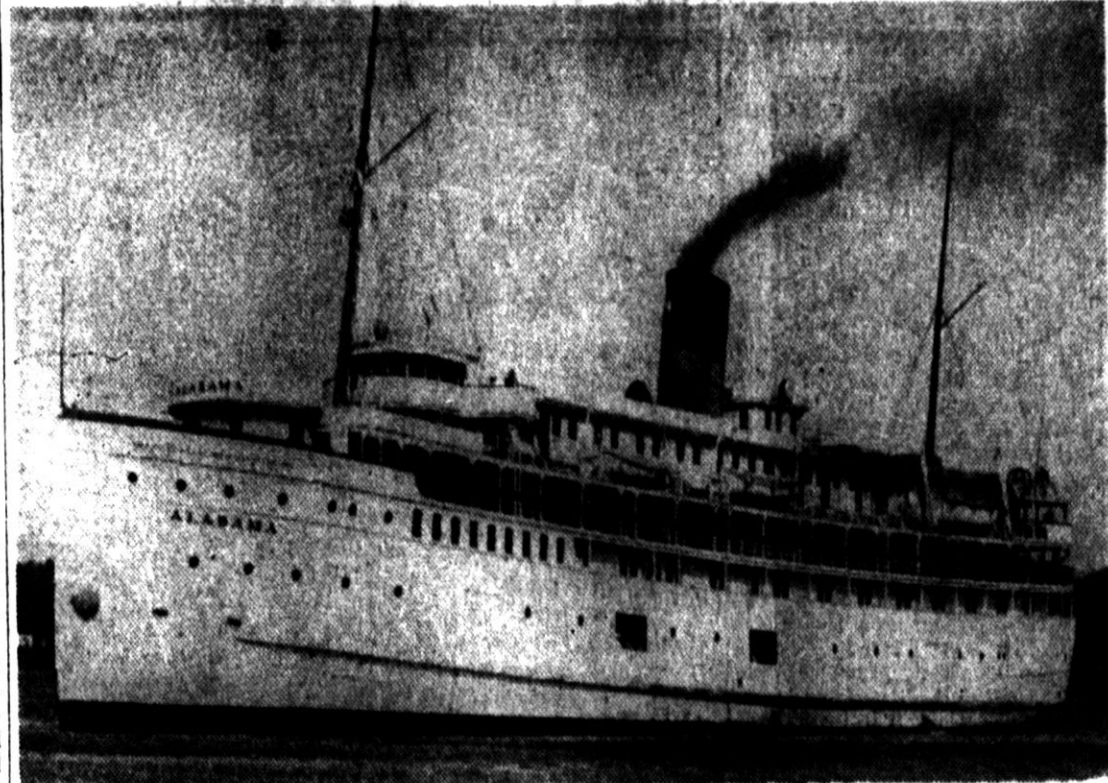
Couple of Fennville Married 50 Years
Mr. and Mrs. John Westveld celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with open house on Tuesday in their home on US-31 near Fennville. They will receive their friends and relatives during the afternoon and evening. Married April 24, 1895, in Grand Rapids, they are former residents of Grand Rapids and Holland. They have lived in or near Fennville for the past 35 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Westveld have three daughters, Mrs. George Glupker of Holland, Mrs. John East of Fennville and Mrs. Alva Hoover of Ganges, also five grandchildren.

Allegan High School Star Inducted Into Army
Allegan, April 26—Jack McIntire, Allegan High school's outstanding athlete, who was a major factor in giving Allegan outstanding football, basketball, baseball and track teams during the past three years has been inducted into the army.

Topping his athletic career with Allegan are a no-hit baseball game he pitched last spring, an outstanding batting average and the fact that he scored 23 points in the regional tournament cage final.

As S.S. Alabama, Luxury Ship, Left Holland



The S.S. Alabama, which has been sold to the Islands-Bay Steamship Co., left Harrington docks at 4:15 p.m. Thursday for Lake Michigan on its trip to Toledo, O., where it will be converted as an excursion ship for daily trips on Lake Erie. The ship, which was operated by the Chicago, Duluth and Georgian Bay Transit Co., had been idle since 1942.

Hopkins Soldier Killed on Luzon

Hopkins, April 26—Pfc. Clifford F. Hazen, 24, was killed on Luzon March 2, according to a telegram received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hazen of near Hopkins.

Hazen entered the service Oct. 12, 1942, and went overseas in July, 1943, without having a furlough. He worked on his father's farm before being inducted.

Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel)
Mrs. Nelle Cramer and daughters, Misses Maxine and June, all of Detroit, and Pfc. Jeanne Cramer of Lubbock, Tex., are spending a few days with relatives and friends in Holland.

Members of the Friendly Corner class of Trinity church worked on USO scrapbooks at their meeting in the church Friday night.

Mrs. P. Vander Wege conducted devotions and Mrs. R. Van Waarden and Mrs. H. Northuis served as hostesses.

Hope college chapel exercises this morning were led by Prof. Albert Timmer. Prof. Paul E. Hinkamp officiated in the absence of Dr. Wynand Wichers who is out of the city.

Seaman 2 C. Don Lindeman and a friend, Seaman 2/C Jack Lamb of Omaha, Neb., stationed at Great Lakes, Ill., spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Lindeman, 282 West 12th St.

Seaman 1/C James Lamb, a signalman in the U.S. navy, is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Lamb of Park road. He will leave Wednesday for New York city to report for armed guard duty in the merchant marine.

Mrs. Ward Phillips of Detroit is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnard, North Shore drive.

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce auxiliary and their husbands enjoyed a hay ride last Tuesday night after which refreshments were served the group in the home of Mrs. Robert Gordon, Montello park. Those on the supper committee were Mrs. J. Van Dyke, Mrs. B. Selles, Mrs. Charles Laitsch and Mrs. W. Wellington.

Mrs. A. Mersman of Columbia Ave. plans to return to her home here in June. She left for Los Angeles, Cal., last October to be with her son, Ben, of the Seabees, who returned last summer from New Guinea. He has now received his honorable discharge from the navy. She plans to return via Denver, Colo., and will spend some time before arriving here with her son, George, who is a German prisoner guard at a camp in the Rockies.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jinnette and children, Sally and Bromley, of Maywood, Ill., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Homfeld, 197 West 13th St.

Births at Holland hospital Sunday included a daughter, Linda Rae, to Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Bos, 243 West 23rd St., a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Kobes, 122 West 22nd St., and a son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bluekamp, 701 Reed Ave.

Motor Machinist's Mate 3 C. Nelson H. Klompars, arrived in Holland Saturday morning from Cleveland, O., from where he was assigned to duty at the coast guard station at Macatawa park. He had been on sea duty in the Pacific for 18 months. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Klompars, 80 West 14th St. He has been in the coast guard for five years.

Memorial Rites Sunday For Pvt. M. P. Koppenaal
A memorial service for Pvt. Marvin Paul Koppenaal was held Sunday at 7 p.m. in Bethel Reformed church. Pvt. Koppenaal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Koppenaal, 214 Maple Ave., was killed Dec. 14 in France. They also have three other sons in service, all of whom are in the navy.

Rev. C. A. Stoppels, pastor of the church, spoke on "The Repairs of the Breach." The music included the singing of "When the Blue Star Turns to Gold" by Gilbert Van Wymen and "No Night There" by the Misses Thelma Oonk and Mildred Cook. The service was under the auspices of the church and the American Legion.

One simple way to receive and give the greatest joy in life is always to be glad when others are glad.

Specimen Class Added To Tulip Competition

Entries being received for the three-day Tulip show give promise of making this event an interesting and colorful success when it opens to the public on May 3. Although the dates for this annual Tulip Time display have been set a full two weeks ahead of the usual time, it now appears that with cool weather holding the tulips back, they will be at their peak for the show.

An innovation this year is the introduction of a Specimen class which is aimed at developing a greater interest in the private plantings of tulips. The tulips exhibited in this class must be grown by the exhibitor, and they will be judged on the same point basis as in the national flower shows.

It is felt that if Tulip Time is to regain its former importance, the people of Holland must make it their responsibility to make more individual tulip plantings, and it is hoped that the specimen competition will stimulate this activity. In future Tulip shows this class will assume more and more importance.

In the 27 other classes under the seven sections, a broad diversity of artistic expression is allowed the exhibitor, with several new classes being included for the first time. Flowers in these exhibits need not be those grown by the exhibitor, but may be obtained from outside sources.

The committee wishes to encourage a wide participation on the part of local flower lovers, and also requests that entries be made early so as to permit the better planning of arrangements. All entries must be in by next Saturday, April 28, although it will not be necessary to have exhibits in place until the morning of May 3. Entry blanks may be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce office, or one may write name and address on a piece of paper or postcard, listing the class numbers under which exhibits are to be made, and mailing same to the Chamber office. A printed schedule, with rules, is available at the Chamber office.

Cash prizes, totaling several hundred dollars, are to be paid in war bonds or stamps, they being the contribution of Mrs. Katherine Chaff to promote local interest in the tulip.

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Twenty Apply for Building Permits

Twenty applications for building permits amounting to \$4,775 were filed last week with City Clerk Oscar Peterson, an increase of \$1,161 over the previous week's total of \$3,114 which represented 14 applications.

The applications follow:
Milton Vander Vliet, 189 West 20th St., addition to kitchen, 8 by 12 feet, \$150; self, contractor.

Ted Piers, 410 West 21st St., double garage, 20 by 24 feet, \$175; self, contractor.

Mrs. M. Frazee, 17 West 13th St., apply siding to house, \$490; Mooi Roofing Co., contractor.

Mrs. M. McIntyre, 312 West 17th St., re-roof house, \$150; Mooi Roofing Co., contractor.

Gerrit Appledorn, 198 West 17th St., re-roof house, \$175; Mooi Roofing Co., contractor.

Gil Vande Water, 83 West 18th St., re-roof house, \$300; Mooi Roofing Co., contractor.

John Harmen, 282 Van Raalte Ave., add toilet room, six by seven feet, \$150; self, contractor.

Arthur Slag, 271 West 19th St., enclose front porch with glass, \$115; Ed De Pree, contractor.

S. Holkeboer, 169 West 28th St., remodel and repair front porch, \$75; self, contractor.

Louise Rupp, 117 West 15th St., replaster kitchen, \$50; C. Zeerip, contractor.

Douglas Gordon, 259 West 16th St., addition to house in rear, \$400; Essenburg Bldg. and Lmbr. Co., contractor.

Ben Borgman, 284 East 14th St., tear down frame porch and rebuild with brick, \$200; Kryn C. Kalkman, contractor.

Viola Lewis, 288 West 16th St., brick siding on house, \$700; Vander Laan Roofing Co., contractor.

Mrs. Peter Boven, 46 East 16th St., new roof on house, \$250; Edward J. Holkeboer, contractor.

Bert Van Faasen, 179 West 17th St., modernize kitchen, \$175; M. Plockmeyer, contractor.

Bert Dekker, 288 West 11th St., repair porches and reside house with asbestos shingles, \$475; Wallace Vander Kolk, contractor.

White's Market, 236 River Ave., repair fire damage, \$200; Essenburg Bldg. and Lmbr. Co., contractor.

Maude Horning, 424 Central Ave., enlarge back porch, \$200; Martin Van Dyke, contractor.

Henry De Maat, 259 West 17th St., re-roof house and garage, \$135; Frank Cherven, contractor.

Two Cars Damaged in Crash at Intersection
Cars driven by Nelson LaMar, 20, route 1, and Mrs. Phyllis Pelgrim White, 22, also of route 1, were damaged in an accident at 8:15 p.m. Friday at Eighth St. and River.

LaMar traveling west on Eighth and attempting to make a left turn onto River was given a summons for failure to yield the right of way. He told police he did not see the other car. Mrs. White, traveling east on Eighth St., was driving a car owned by her father, George Pelgrim.

Witnesses listed by police were John Bos, West 24th St., and Ruth Vrieling and Alvin Ash, route 1.

COAL BOAT ARRIVES
The freighter "Adam E. Cornelius" arrived Thursday at 3:35 p.m. from Toledo, O., with a cargo of coal for the Netring Coal Co. here, and left later in the evening. It was the first coal boat to enter the local harbor this season.

Long Distance reminder for Spring

Today and tomorrow and every

Bee Inspection To Reveal Extent Of 'Foul Brood'

Whether "foul brood" is being checked or is still on the increase in Ottawa county will be determined when Jay Cowing of Jenison, state bee inspector, looks into the hives in the county. That will be as soon as warm weather returns and is reasonably stabilized.

Foul brood is a disease which has no effect on the eating qualities of honey and does not harm bees or humans. But it does kill bees in the larva stage. And that, Mr. Cowing pointed out here, is serious.

Anything that threatens to reduce the number of bees is serious, for without bees there is no pollination and without pollination there is no fruit. And, of course, the fewer the bees the less the honey itself.

Until recently, foul brood was practically non-existent in Ottawa county after an 18-year fight. Cowing, a bee-man for the past 34 years, explained.

"In 1927 we obtained a special appropriation from the state to start a clean-up program," he said. "In that year we inspected all the bees in Ottawa county and found over 1,000 colonies had foul brood and had to be destroyed by fire, burning the combs and honey the diseased colonies contained."

Each year from 1927 we cut the percentage of disease down by thorough inspection until we had it under 1 per cent and had one of the cleanest counties in the state."

However, he said, infestations appeared, and last year 15 colonies of bees were destroyed in the Holland area alone, whereas only one or perhaps none had to be burned in the years of extreme control.

Honey containing foul brood is the only source of the disease, he explained.

There would be no danger if bees always could get nectar from clover and other fresh sources. That's what they like. It's when they can't get it that they go on the hunt for such secondary sources as honey itself, buzzing into discarded containers and even robbing other hives if they can get by with it.

Thus when bees run across honey infected with foul brood and carry it back to their hives as food they doom the larva feeding in those hives. Death comes rapidly. Cowing said, and old bees soon die off and few young bees hatch, the colony becomes so weakened that it in turn is robbed by other colonies and the disease spreads from one hive to another. (Life span of a bee in flight is about six weeks.)

Any honey containers not sterilized which may be left out where bees can obtain the residue of honey is a source of danger to the bee-keeper and may cause widespread disease among the bees, he stated.

"I am told that foul brood exists in every country where bees are kept and that we have better laws governing bee protection than any other country," Cowing said. "Imported honey will not cause any more foul brood than domestic honey provided there are no disease germs present."

"There is an outbreak in the Holland area and every measure will be taken to stop it."

"I wish anyone who may find that bees have set up a colony in his house his name and give The Sentinel his place and street number or write to me in Jenison."

Foul brood, he emphasized, does not affect adult bees or humans.

South Blendon
(From Saturday's Sentinel)
Mr. and Mrs. P. Vriesenga received a letter last week from their son, P. J. Vriesenga, stating he is now stationed at Ft. Lewis, Wash.

A memorial service was held at the local church Sunday afternoon for the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Rev. Fiske's topic was "Only Be Very Courageous" and the choir sang "America The Beautiful."

Gerald Vrugink left last Thursday for induction into the armed forces.

Mrs. Willard Van Harn and son spent Sunday afternoon and evening with the family of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoffman at Zeeland.

The League for Service met with the Jamestown League last Thursday night.

Mrs. J. H. Vrugink is confined to her home because of illness.

Last Saturday was the last cat-schism class of the season for the children.

Monday the local eighth grade pupils visited the Hudsonville High school.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Elzinga and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Gerits, Mr. and Mrs. G. Dalman and family, Mrs. Ethel Johnson and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dalman and Mr. and Mrs. M. Gerrits attended the Gerrits reunion last Friday night at the Hudsonville auditorium.

Mrs. Amelia Kramer Of Grand Haven Dies
Grand Haven, April 26 (Special)—Mrs. Amelia K. Kramer, 67, wife of Alfred E. Kramer, 947 Penney Ave., died in Municipal hospital at 1 p.m. Friday. She was born in Muskegon and lived in Grand Haven the past four years. She attended St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church. She was a member of the Eastern Star and Royal Neighbors of Grand Haven and the Lady Macabees of Muskegon. The husband and four sisters

Serving Under the Stars and Stripes

William Timmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Timmer, 388 West 19th St., is with the third army in France. An infantryman, he was inducted into the army Aug. 2, 1944, and received his basic training at Camp Roberts, Cal. He landed in France Jan. 16. Previous to his induction he attended Holland High school.

The twin sons born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nye of Ganges, in Douglas Community hospital, Friday have been named Daniel E. and David A. Nye.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stehle of Ganges has received the Purple Heart medal from their son, Sgt. Richard Stehle, who is hospitalized in England. The medal was awarded to Sgt. Stehle for bravery in action in Germany. The letter did not contain the particulars regarding how or where he was wounded. He was seriously wounded in Germany March 4, according to information by the war department.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wolbrink of Ganges, who is a B-24 medium bomber pilot, is now with the 11th Air Force. After leaving the 11th Air Force he spent one month in Alaska receiving hours of special instrument training for flying storm areas. He has been on the Aleutians since the 23rd of January. He writes that his missions last about nine hours and their targets are the Kurile Islands. He has already had several missions.

Mrs. William Newcombe was hostess for the J. U. G. club meeting at the home of Mrs. William Larsen Friday afternoon. Four tables were in play for bunco. Mrs. Lela Miller won high score and Mrs. Amy Foster the bunco prize.

Mrs. Lottie Kingsburg of South Haven is here for a few weeks stay with Mrs. Zeldo Krowbridge.

E. H. Brenner of Fennville was the guest speaker and entertainer at Ganges Community Grange Friday night. He gave a travel talk and pictures on his trip to the Rocky mountains.

Mrs. Joseph Tuma has been a patient at Douglas Community hospital for several days. She returned to her home here Wednesday.

Mrs. W. R. Hanes of Chicago is here for the weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. Ida Bronson, and sister, Mrs. F. L. Rhodes and family.

Abner Miller spent a few days in Chicago last week with friends.

Mrs. O. L. Enfield was hostess for the W. S. C. S. Tuesday afternoon. The devotions were conducted by Mrs. William Broadway, followed by the business meeting with Mrs. H. M. Atwater presiding.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cady have moved from the Barden farm in Casco to their farm home here on U. S. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rhodes spent Sunday in Niles with their son, Leon Rhodes, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard McKinnon of Buchanan spent Sunday here at their cottage.

PTA Group Discusses Promotion Change-Over
Members of the Longfellow school P. T. A. at their meeting April 17, named Ray Smith president for the coming year. Other new officers are Mrs. Clarence Becker, vice-president, Mrs. John K. Winter, secretary, and B. Patterson, treasurer. Mrs. Ernest Penna served as chairman of the nominating committee.

A discussion of the change-over from mid-year promotion to yearly promotion was a feature of the program. Participating in the discussion were Miss Kathleen Essenberg, a mid-year student, Mrs. Ray Swank, Mrs. Joseph Moran, Mrs. Florence Kassen, Mrs. Henry Hopper, Mrs. M. Westrate, Mrs. Caroline Hawes, Mrs. George Kollen, Mrs. Kenneth De Pree and Jay De Koning, the latter three members of the board of education. The group decided to send a committee to the other P. T. A. groups in the city and to the board of education recommending the change.

Dr. Lester Kuyper presided at the meeting. Rev. H. D. Terkeurst led devotions and Miss Dora Strowenjas' sixth grade pupils sang several selections, accompanied by Miss Margaret Van Vyven. Refreshments were served by Mrs. James Klompars and her committee.

ATTENDS BAR MEETING
Dan Vander Werp who succeeds Edward R. Hondelink as court stenographer for the Ottawa-Allegan circuit was a guest for the first time at a meeting of the Ottawa county bar association Thursday night in the Dutch Mill restaurant. A resident of Grand Rapids, Vander Werp has purchased the former Nick Hoffman residence on College Ave. Hondelink, who made his home in Holland has accepted a position in Grand Rapids.

THREE PAY FINES
Lloyd Van Slooten, 18, route 3, Wednesday paid fine and costs of \$29.15 in municipal court on a charge of reckless driving. Alfred Boesch, 17, route 3, paid fine and costs of \$15 on a speeding charge. He had appeared previously on similar offenses. Dick Zwip, route 1, paid costs of \$1 on a parking charge.

Stroke Fatal to Steven Kalmink

Steven H. Kalmink, 63, died at 1 p.m. Friday in Holland hospital where he had been taken 12 hours earlier. He had been ill about a week and had suffered a stroke a few days ago. Born in East Saugatuck, he lived in Grand Rapids for 28 years and came to Holland three years ago. He had been living in the Warm Friend tavern.

Surviving are two brothers, George and Harry of Holland, and three sisters, Mrs. Henry Kool of East Saugatuck, Mrs. Herman Gerritsen and Mrs. John Bratt, both of Holland.

Overisel

(From Friday's Sentinel)
Corp. Herman Vande Riet wrote his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Vande Riet, from Germany where he is stationed that he had received a seven day furlough recently to the French Riviera, the Florida of Europe and the world's most famous resort. This was his first furlough since he entered the army two years ago.

It is also noted that Pvt. Earnest R. Zeeb was hospitalized in England, suffering from normal progress.

Mrs. H. J. Hoffman returned recently from Avon, S.D., where she spent the winter months with her children, Rev. and Mrs. John Bartlett.

The Mission Circle of the Reformed church met last Friday night. This being guest evening the ladies brought their husbands. Mrs. Jerrald Kleinfinkel, the president, presided. The speaker was Dr. Eva Tysse Mc Gilvray. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kraker held open house Tuesday afternoon and evening to honor their son, Albert, who is home on a 15-day leave from the navy.

Harriet Mulder and Cadet Dorothy Wolters feted Miss Juella Wolters at a miscellaneous shower recently at the home of Miss Mulder.

Bernard Pekelder of Calvin seminary served the pulpit of the Christian Reformed church Sunday night. At the song service a birthday request hymn was sung for Corp. Lester Kaper who is now in France.

Cadet Dorothy Wolters left for an army training in California to finish her training under army supervision after which she will be inducted into the army as nurse.

Mrs. Justin Maatman and son, Chester, left for Ann Arbor last Saturday where Chester entered the hospital clinic.

Pfc. Ervin Folkert of Camp Ellis, Ill., spent the week-end with his wife and relatives.

Mrs. John Rugterink had charge of the congregational prayer service Thursday night.

Holy baptism was administered in the Reformed church at the morning service April 8 to Linda Lou, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Buscher, by Rev. Benjamin Hoffman.

The Womans Mission society of the Reformed church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Julius Pomp in charge.

The C. E. of the Reformed church met Tuesday evening with Rev. A. Teelinghuizen of Beaverdam as leader.

Dr. Bernard Mulder, editor of the church Herald, will conduct the services in the Reformed church Sunday.

Hamilton
(From Friday's Sentinel)
A large group from the surrounding townships of North Allegan county attended the mass meeting held in the Hamilton auditorium Thursday night, April 12, to discuss the ban on Sunday hunting in these local areas. This sport having become a decided nuisance to farmers, residing in these areas. A resolution was adopted to urge legislation in this matter so that interested parties may be legally protected.

Dr. Jacob Prins of Grand Rapids, past president of general synod and now minister of evangelism in the Reformed church, will be guest preacher at the local Reformed church Sunday night.

The Allegan County Rural Letter Carriers association held their April meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Strabbing with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keag of Fennville in charge of the program. Lois Lugten and Joyce Nyenhuis favored the group with special vocal and instrumental numbers. A cooperative supper preceded the program and business sessions of the Men's Group and Ladies Auxiliary closed the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. John Kronmeyer and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kievit of Holland were guests. There were nearly 35 in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Der Kamp of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Der Kamp of Grand Rapids were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Lampen.

Ira Van Der Kolk led devotions at the Christian Endeavor service last Sunday and Rev. P. J. Muijskens led.

The Music Hour club met in the home of Mrs. M. Kooker Monday night with Mrs. John Brink, Jr., presiding. The program topic, "Interlochen Youth Music" was discussed by Mrs. Allen Calahan.

Mrs. Wallace Kemper and Mrs. Ray Kaper, two piano selections were played by Dorothy Scharf and Mrs. H. W. Teupel directed the chorus work at the close of the program. Plans were discussed for a local piano recital the club will sponsor May 11 in observance of National Music week.

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ENGAGED TO SOLDIER
Mr. and Mrs. William Huizenga Zeeland, route 2, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia Annette, to Pvt. Jay Vander Meulen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rhine Vander Meulen, 103 East 24th St. No wedding plans have been made. Pvt. Vander Meulen is serving with the 5th army overseas.

Word was received by relatives here late Friday night that Peter De Goede, 72, former resident who left Holland six or seven years ago for Chicago, had died in a Chicago hospital of a stroke suffered earlier in the evening. He was taken to the hospital after being stricken.

Mr. De Goede, one of the operators of the Molenaar and De Goede grocery and meat market in the downtown section here for many years, retired six or seven years ago and went to Chicago to make his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mouw.

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about three years prior to his being commissioned a lieutenant in the U. S. dental corps in July, 1942.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prentice have returned from Chicago where they spent several weeks.

Mrs. Winifred McDonald spent a few days in Detroit recently with her daughter, Miss Marjorie McDonald, who is a dental technician.

Mrs. Edward Williams has returned from Detroit where she spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Schaufele.

Mrs. Hilton Force and Mrs. Justin Dunmore left Monday noon for Washington, D. C., where they will spend two weeks visiting Dr. and Mrs. Walter Good.

Dr. and Mrs. Arnold Barr and son were here from Port Washington, Wis., to spend the week-end.

Mrs. Mildred Murphy has returned from California where she spent several months.

Mrs. Frank Wicks spent a few days with her son, Raymond Sullivan, and family in Dayton, O.

The pavilion in Mt. Baldhead park has been improved with a new blue roof. Last season a new floor was laid. This pavilion is a very popular spot with its picnic tables and fireplaces, and is enjoyed by hundreds from early spring until late fall.

Following are the standings of the top ranking students in the class which will be graduated from Saugatuck High school this year: Betty Campbell and Jerrie Crowe, 3.28; Patricia Ball, 3.21; Katherine House, 3.13; Reece D'Amour, 3.03.

The annual business meeting and election of officers will be held at the Womans club this afternoon. Mrs. Burgess, music chairman, will present a boy pianist, James Lowe of Grand Rapids, said to be a child prodigy.

Borculo Soldier Is Held by Nazis
Borculo, April 26.—Pfc. Gerald Volink, route 1, Zeeland, who was reported missing in France since Jan. 20, is a prisoner of war in Germany, according to a card received by his father, Louis Volink.

The message dated Jan. 28 which was a form message in French revealed that Volink was well and was being moved to another camp in a few days. It added, "Don't write to me because I am sending a new address." Red Cross officials in Grand Rapids were unfamiliar with this type of prisoner communication, the father said.

Volink entered the army Feb. 11, 1943, and has been overseas a year. News that he was missing was received by his father Feb. 6. Volink was with an anti-tank division with the infantry.

Grand Haven, April 26.—Sgt. Harold Millman, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Millman of Spring Lake, has been reported missing over Germany since March 28, according to word relayed by his wife who lives in New York.

Schutt Brothers Meet At Air Base in England
Sgt. Edwin Schutt, hospitalized in England for injuries received Jan. 28 in Germany, was recently granted a seven-day furlough to visit his brother, Lt. James Schutt, who is with the 8th air force in England. They entered service March 31, 1943, and have not seen each other since that time. Sgt. Schutt was with Patton's 3rd army engineers and expects to be returned to duty soon. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schutt, Harlem, received a cablegram telling of the meeting.

PAYS FINE
John Willis Styf, route 1, Zeeland, paid fine and costs of \$5 in municipal court Thursday on a speeding charge.

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Heights Track Team Beaten By Holland, 56-48

Muskegon Heights was strong in the dashes, the 440 and the 880 Friday afternoon but that wasn't enough to carry them to a victory over Holland High in Muskegon Heights and the Dutchmen, scoring heavily in the mile, low hurdles, high jump and shot put won the meet, 56-48.

Heights has the best dashman in the conference in Paul Hulka and he copped first place in the 100 and 220. The Tigers also are strong in the 440 with Bob Werner but the work of these boys, who helped net Muskegon Heights a victory in the relay, wasn't enough to offset Holland's balance.

Leo Vander Kuy scored two firsts for Holland in the 120 yard high hurdles and in the high jump, although Bud Vander Wege tied him in the high jump.

Summaries: 120-yard high hurdles: Vander Kuy, H. first; Howell, M. H., second; Botjes, H. third. Time: 1:50. 100-yard dash: Hulka, M. H., first; Caravia, H. second; De Poy, M. H., third. Time: 1:08.

Mile run: Nieuwen, H. first; Roberts, H. second; Goenke, M. H., third. Time: 5:08.3.

440-yard run: Werner, M. H., first; Staiska, M. H., second; Baker, H. third. Time: 5:37.

120-yard low hurdles: Botjes, H. first; Vander Kuy, H. second; Koteles, M. H., third. Time: 1:56.

220-yard dash: Hulka, M. H., first; Caravia, H. second; De Poy, M. H., third. Time: 2:18.

880-yard run: Rogers, M. H., first; Garvey, M. H., second; Walsh, H. third. Time: 2:24.6.

Broad jump: Werner, M. H., first; Harrington, H. second; Chapman, H. third. Distance: 17' 5".

High jump: Vander Kuy, H. and Vander Wege, H. tied for first; Datson, M. H., third. Height: 5' 2".

Pole vault: Lugers, H. first; Garvey, M. H., second; Vander Wege, H. and Veldheer, H. tied for third. Height: 9' 6".

Shot put: Blek, H. first; Van Dyke, H. second; Zoratti, M. H., third. Distance: 41' 9".

Relays: Won by Muskegon Heights. (De Poy, Hulka, Werner and Staiska). Time: 1:45.2.

Rev. Ten Clay Speaks At Alethea SS Meeting

"Ghosts" was the theme of an address given by Rev. Henry Ten Clay at the meeting of the Trinity Reformed church Alethea Sunday school class Friday night.

"We are giants or pygmies in our attitudes," he stated. "We do not have to be pygmies, tied down by petty cords of small thoughts, but can, by a living union with a living Christ, be as strong giants."

Music on the program included vocal solos, "I'd Rather Have Jesus Than Anything" and "When I Come to the End of the Long Long Road," sung by Henry Kleimhessel, Mrs. J. Spjaker led devotions.

Refreshments were served during the social hour by a committee composed of Mrs. J. Steketee, chairman, Mrs. G. Scholten, Mrs. J. Stehlik, and Mrs. Spjaker.

Those on the program committee were Mrs. J. Tubergen, chairman, Mrs. M. Schepers, Mrs. P. Tumma and Mrs. C. Topp.

Two patrols of troop 6, First Reformed church, received "A" ratings in the Midwest First Aid meet Monday, April 16, in the Holland Fearnley gymnasium.

Six teams of four troops qualified for the finals. The Golden Eagle and Wolverine patrols of troop 6 received "A" ratings, the Panther patrol of troop 6, the Eagle patrol of troop 22, and the Cobra patrol of troop 93.

The Flying Eagle patrol of troop 26 received "D" ratings.

Judges were Joe Bolte, Richard Streut, A. E. Van Lente, T. P. Rhodes, Henry Poppen, Jr., Stanley Curtis, Andrew Steketee, Ben Mulder, William Lundie, Joseph Rhea, Frank Ten Have and Fred Boeks. Ray and John Mooi were recorders and Elmore Van Lente was timekeeper.

Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Pvt. Cornelius Van Der Wege, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Van Der Wege, 235 West 24th St., was born Oct. 14, 1913, and entered the army March 8, 1944. He attended Holland high school. He was inducted at Ft. Sheridan, Ill., where he received his basic training, and he is now stationed at the reception center there.

The more you enthroned the God who became man, the more you can make other men your true and lasting friends.

Two Liberated From German Prison Camps



Two Holland men, Pfc. Jack Edward Sooter, 19, and Pfc. Nelson Brieve, 24, are among 2,400 American prisoners of war liberated from a group of filthy camps near Bremen, Germany, it was revealed Friday.

Sooter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Sooter, 206 West 11th St., received notification in a long distance call about 10 p.m. Thursday from the Detroit Free Press Brieve's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brieve, 13 East 19th St., were awakened early on Friday with a call from Mrs. Brieve's brother in Chicago who said the news was in the final edition of the Chicago Tribune.

The Sooters had received a prisoner-of-war letter just a week ago Thursday from their son, the first word they had received since they were notified Feb. 6 that he had been missing in France Jan. 20.

This is the first word concerning Brieve that his parents have received since Feb. 8 when he was reported missing in France Jan. 10.

According to dispatches, the prisoners had been in the Fallingboml camp, Stalag 11-B and Stalag 357, which were described as a group of "dilapidated shacks, louse and bed-bug-ridden." The men were forced to sleep four abreast on rough three-tiered cots.

Sooter was interned at Stalag 11-B which his parents said is approximately 75 miles southeast of Bremen. It was not disclosed in which camp Brieve was held.

Both were infantrymen with the 7th army. Sooter with the 79th division and Brieve with a medical detachment of the 242nd infantry.

Brieve entered service Sept. 1, 1943, and left for overseas last Nov. 25. Sooter entered Nov. 23, 1943, and left for overseas last Nov. 1.

In addition to the American prisoners liberated, there were 25,000 British, Russian, Polish, Belgian and Yugoslavians captured over a five-year period. The men were liberated by the British 7th armored division.

Local Branch of AAUW Has Panel Discussion

A panel discussion on Latin America arranged by Miss Beatrice Hagen, chairman of International Relations, was an interesting feature of the program presented before members of Holland branch, American Association of University Women, Thursday night in the home of Miss Bernice Bishop and Miss Carolyn Hawes, 202 West 15th St. Miss Marion Shackson served as chairman and others participating were Miss Katherine Post, Miss Maibelle Geger and Miss Hagen.

Introducing the discussion, Miss Shackson presented a brief historical and geographical sketch of Latin America, listing natural resources, Miss Post discussed transportation and the outlook for trade with the United States after the war, Miss Geger told of what has been done in the way of social legislation and Miss Hagen talked about the strategic raw materials available in Latin America, suggesting an increased trade along those lines with the United States.

Maps and charts, a colorful material of flags and other illustrative material were displayed. Miss Shackson closed with a brief discussion of the "Good Neighbor" policy and the role of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt in Pan-American relations. Two sound films on Central American countries were shown by Miss Bishop.

Miss John D. White presided at the business meeting which featured annual election of officers. Mrs. J. D. French was named president for a two-year term and Miss Ruby Calvert was elected secretary. Other officers whose terms extend for another year are Miss Bishop, vice-president, and Mrs. Leon Moody, treasurer.

Mrs. French was named delegate to the national convention by mail, a novel wartime measure replacing the annual event. Recordings of the scheduled convention activities will be heard at the May 15 meeting of the branch which will be a dinner in the home of Mrs. J. J. Brown. It is hoped that Mrs. James Brierley of Grand Rapids, state treasurer and former president of the local branch, will be present to report on affairs of the Michigan division.

Mrs. W. S. Merriam of the Red Cross camp and hospital committee made a plea for playing cards, games, records, yarn and other materials for the veterans facilities in Battle Creek. Contributions may be taken to the home of Mrs. Merriam.

Refreshments were served by Miss Elizabeth Lichty, Miss Margaret Gibbs, Miss Bishop and Miss Hawes.

Eastern Star Chapter Enjoys Spring Banquet

Covers were laid for 75 persons at the spring banquet arranged by Star of Bethlehem chapter, No. 40, Order of Eastern Star, Thursday night in Masonic hall. Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Harry Riemink and her committee. During the dinner hour Mrs. E. J. Bachelier brought in a large birthday cake which was presented to all whose birthdays occur in April.

Following the dinner an all-games program was conducted. Voted the most successful was a take-off on a "truth and consequences" program. Prizes were awarded in the various games.

A card party in Masonic hall is planned for next Thursday at 8 p.m.

Royal Neighbors Plan Public Party Next Week

Royal Neighbors, at their meeting Thursday night, discussed plans for the public party to be held next Thursday at 8 p.m. in the hall. Pedro and 500 will be

played and Mrs. Lyle Wright and her committee will be in charge of refreshments. Prizes at cards last night were awarded to Miss Bernice Oimstead, Mrs. Gerrit Sprong and Mrs. Henry Vanden Berg.

Methodist Men's Group Hears Athletic Coach

Judson W. Hyames, director of athletics at Western Michigan college, Kalamazoo, spoke on problems of returning servicemen at a meeting Thursday night attended by members of the First Methodist church brotherhood and their guests. He said that Western Michigan college, as well as many other schools, hopes to set up a program to help the disabled veteran who has the desire to find a place for himself in athletics.

It is not the attitude others take toward us that sets the course for our lives," continued Mr. Hyames, "but the attitude we take toward ourselves."

Special guests included members of the Virginia Park Community club volleyball team and Pct. Arthur Hoedema of Percy Jones hospital.

Miss Alice Slenk Feted at Shower

Miss Alice Slenk, a May bride-elect, was guest of honor at a shower given by Mrs. Fred Kemper in her home, 66 West 19th St., Wednesday, April 18. Games were played and a two-course lunch was served.

Guests included the Mesdames Cornelius Zoernman, Richard Nyland, Myron De Jongh, Henry Hilbink, Gerald Hilbink, John Hilbink, Raymond Hilbink, Henry Kemper, Julius Kemper, Wally Kemper, Marinus Ten Brink, Martin Ploekmeyer, John Van Nyl, Floyd Kemper, Al Overbeek, Herman Miskotten, John Kemper, Russell Kemper, Nelson Plagenhoef and Chris De Vries, also Misses Evelyn Slenk, Delores De Vries and the guest of honor.

Prof. De Graaf Speaks To Consistorial Union

"The Place of Religion in the Church College" was the topic of Prof. Clarence De Graaf's address before members of the Holland Consistorial union at their quarterly meeting Tuesday, April 17, in Sixty Reformed church. He included as points in his speech religion as a supplement to education, religion as an experience, apart from education and religion as a haven that permeates education.

Special music was presented by Bernard Plomp, marimbist. Union President Martin Sale introduced the speaker and Hope College President Wynand Wichers gave the closing prayer. Following the meeting refreshments were served by the women of Sixth church.

Miss Brouwer Feted at Miscellaneous Shower

Miss Adriana Brouwer, a May bride-elect, was complimented at a miscellaneous shower given Wednesday, April 18 by Mrs. Jacob Boers and daughter, Caroline, in their home at Central park. Games were played with prizes going to Mrs. Marvin Maatman, Mrs. John Dykema and Miss Brouwer. A two-course lunch was served.

Invited guests included the Mesdames John Brouwer, Hattie Michmershuizen, Harold Michmershuizen, Henry Kloosterman, John Timmer, John Dykema, Martin Jonkrite, Marvin Maatman, Richard Brouwer, Raymond Brouwer, John Boers, Robert Eyles and the Mesdames Henrietta Kloosterman, Elaine Michmershuizen, Anette Brouwer and the guest of honor.

Shoe Company Is Fifty Years Old

Holland-Racine Shoes, Inc., of this city, last week celebrated the 50th anniversary of the founding of the parent organization, the Racine Shoe Manufacturing Co. The anniversary climaxes 50 years of steady growth which culminated in the merger of the Holland and Racine companies in January of 1939.

The closing of the Racine unit during the past year concentrates all operations in the Holland plant which is currently engaged in producing army combat boots and rationed civilian footwear. Officers of the company are C. C. Andreasen, president, W. C. Reagan, vice-president, A. C. Prigge, secretary-treasurer.

Under normal conditions the company has coast to coast distribution of three nationally advertised lines. Consolidation of all manufacturing in the Holland plant ties in with company plans for considerably increased post-war production.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

John De Vries and wife to Ernie Hoekema and wife, Pt. St. NW 1/4 Section 21-5-16 Township 35-5-16 Township Park.

Ben Steffens to Martin J. Van Dyke and wife, Pt. Lot 2 Section 35-5-16 Township Park.

Dora A. Robinson et al. to Howard M. Van Singer and wife, N. 1/4 Lot 36 Middleburg Plat Lamont Dick Plagemars and wife, N. 1/4 Lots 20 and 21 Weersing's 1st Addition Holland.

Henrietta Bosker to Clarence Bosker and wife, Lots 8 and 9 and Pt. Lots 10 and 7 Bk. 3 Leggatt's Addition Grand Haven.

Albert Van Der Hulst Jr. and wife to Jacob Zwiers and wife, Lot 28 De Jonge's 2nd Addition Zeeland.

John W. Kuipers and wife to Earl W. Mulder and wife, NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 11-5-15 Township Holland.

Henrietta Bosker to Gust T. Thieleman and wife, Lots 6, 7, 8, 13, 14 and 15 Bk. 12 Leggatt's Addition Grand Haven.

Andy Peterson and wife to Martin Luther Fritz and wife, Lots 1, 3, Bk. 2 Admits Addition Nunica.

Lillian B. Andrus to William Schuitema et al., Pt. Lot 7 A. C. Van Raalte Addition No. 1 Holland.

Henry Piers and wife to Jess Beckhorn and wife, Lot 46 Lake View Addition Holland.

Thomas E. Walsh and wife to Minor D. Dutcher, Pt. Lot 2 Lane and Walsh's Subdivision Township Tallmadge.

Albert Walcott et al. to Herman Walcott, Pt. S. 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 22-7-14, Lot 1 Wolbrink's Subdivision Section 22-7-14 Township Allendale.

John Voss and wife to William Harry Jellema and wife, Lot 30 Henevelds Supervisor Plat No. 5 Township Park.

Richard D. Douwstra and wife to Elmer Oudenolten and wife, Lot 26 Slaghs Addition Holland.

Emiel H. Klumpel and wife to Catherine Kleve, Pt. Lots 4 and 5 Bk. 2 Munroe and Harris Addition Grand Haven.

Henry Hans Mass et al. to Ruth Brierley, Lot 16 Bk. G. Bosman's Addition Holland.

Edward Stille and wife to William Koop and wife, Pt. NE 1/4 and Pt. NE 1/4 NW 1/4 and Pt. S. 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 2-6-15 Township Olive.

William Koop and wife to Abel Berkompas and wife, Pt. NE 1/4 and Pt. NE 1/4 NW 1/4 and S. 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 2-6-15 Township Olive.

Est. Marinus Van Zoeren died by Adm. et al. to James J. Vandaele and wife, S. 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 14 and W. 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 14 and Pt. NW 1/4 Section 23-5-14.

Egbertus J. W. Berghorst et al. to Henry J. G. Boerman et al. Lot 117 Nieuwsma's Supervisor Resubdivision, West Michigan Park Township Park.

Gertie Vrugink Gerrits to Richard Vander Molen Sr. et al. SW 1/4 Section 23-6-14 Township Blendon.

Sarah P. Leonard to Kenneth C. Welch and wife, Lots 2 and 3 Grand Haven Beach Subdivision No. 1 Township Spring Lake.

E. Lloyd Bennett et al. to Ethel J. Guilde, Pt. Lots 20 and 21 plat Longview twp. Spring Lake.

Ray Koetsier and wife to John Van Dyke and wife, Lot 110 Post 4th add. Holland.

Couple of Fennville Married 50 Years

Mr. and Mrs. John Westveld celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with open house on Tuesday in their home on U.S. 31 near Fennville. They will receive their friends and relatives during the afternoon and evening.

Married April 24, 1895, in Grand Rapids, they are former residents of Grand Rapids and Holland. They have lived in or near Fennville for the past 35 years.

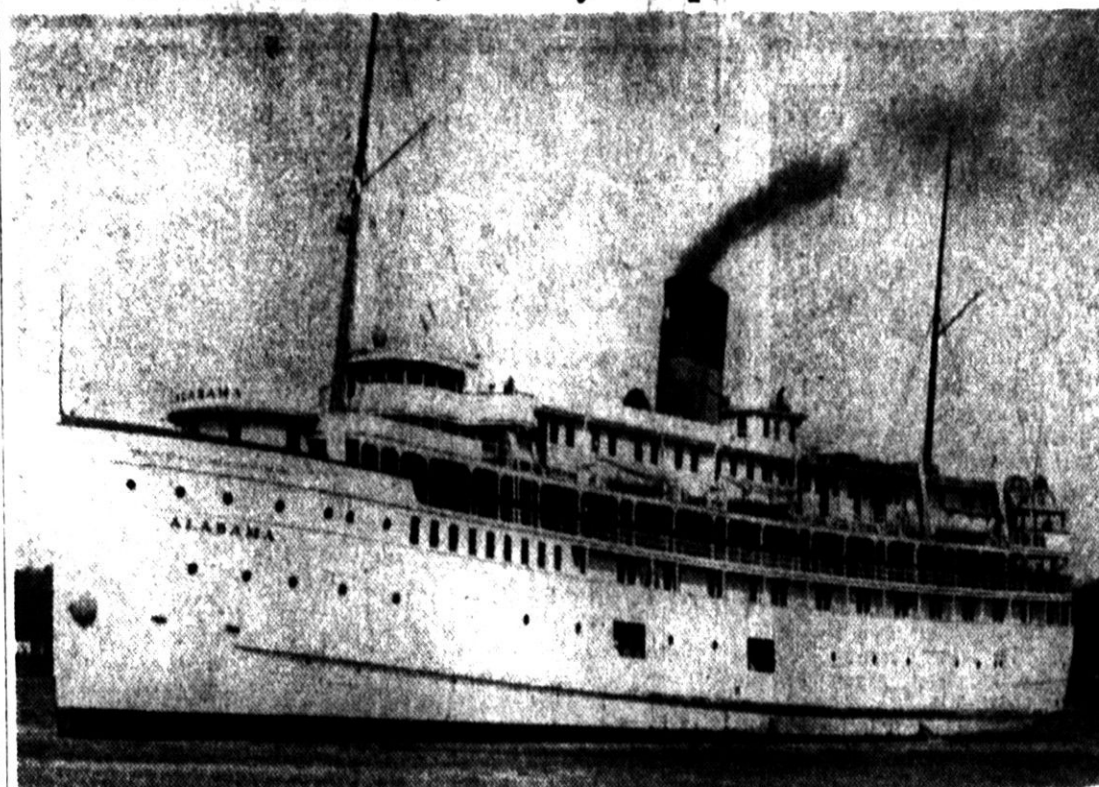
Mr. and Mrs. Westveld have three daughters, Mrs. George Glupker of Holland, Mrs. John Bast of Fennville and Mrs. Alva Hoover of Ganges, also five grandchildren.

Allegan High School Star Inducted Into Army

Allegan, April 26—Jack McIntire, Allegan high school's outstanding athlete, who was a major factor in giving Allegan outstanding football, basketball, baseball and track teams during the past three years has been inducted into the army.

Topping his athletic career with Allegan are a no-hit baseball game he pitched last spring, an outstanding batting average and the fact that he scored 23 points in the regional tournament cage final.

As S.S. Alabama, Luxury Ship, Left Holland



The S.S. Alabama, which has been sold to the Islands-Bay Steamship Co., left Harrington docks at 4:15 p.m. Thursday for Lake Michigan on its trip to Toledo, O., where it will be converted as an excursion ship for daily trips on Lake Erie. The ship, which was operated by the Chicago, Duluth and Georgian Bay Transit Co., had been idle since 1942.

Hopkins Soldier Killed on Luzon

Hopkins, April 26—Pfc. Clifford F. Hazen, 24, was killed on Luzon March 22, according to a telegram received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hazen of near Hopkins.

Hazen entered the service Oct. 12, 1942, and went overseas in July, 1943, without having a furlough. He worked on his father's farm before being inducted.

Personal

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Nelle Cramer and daughters, Misses Maxine and June, all of Detroit, and Pfc. Jeanne Cramer of Lubbock, Tex., are spending a few days with relatives and friends in Holland.

Members of the Friendly Corner class of Trinity church worked on USO scrapbooks at their meeting in the church Friday night.

Mrs. P. Vander Weeg conducted devotions and Mrs. R. Van Waarden and Mrs. H. Nortmoe served as hostesses.

Hope college chapel exercises this morning were led by Prof. Albert Timmer. Prof. Paul E. Hunkamp officiated in the absence of Dr. Wynand Wichers who is out of the city.

Seaman 2 C. Donn Lindeman and a friend, Seaman 2 C. Jack Lamb of Omaha, Neb., stationed at Great Lakes, Ill., spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Lindeman, 282 West 12th St.

Seaman 1 C. James Lamb, a signalman in the U.S. navy, is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Lamb of Park road. He will leave Wednesday for New York city to report for armed guard duty in the merchant marine.

Mrs. Ward Phillips of Detroit is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnard, North Shore drive.

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce auxiliary and their husbands enjoyed a hay ride last Tuesday night after which refreshments were served the group in the home of Mrs. Robert Gordon, Montello park. Those on the supper committee were Mrs. J. Van Dyke, Mrs. B. Selles, Mrs. Charles Laitisch and Mrs. W. Wellington.

Mrs. A. Mersman of Columbia Ave. plans to return to her home here in June. She left for Los Angeles, Cal., last October to be with her son, Ben, of the Seabees, who returned last summer from New Guinea. He has now received his honorable discharge from the navy. She plans to return via Denver, Colo., and will spend some time before arriving here with her son, George, who is a German prisoner of camp at a camp in the Rockies.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jinnette and children, Sally and Bromley, of Maywood, Ill., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Homfeld, 197 West 13th St.

Births at Holland hospital Sunday included a daughter, Linda Rae, to Mr. and Mrs. Jerrill Bos, 243 West 23rd St., a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Kobes, 122 West 22nd St., and a son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bluekamp, 701 Reed Ave.

Motor Mechanist's Mate 3 C. Nelson H. Klomparsen, arrived in Holland Saturday morning from Cleveland, O., from where he was assigned to duty at the coast guard station at Macatawa park. He had been on sea duty in the Pacific for 18 months. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Klomparsen, 80 West 14th St. He has been in the coast guard for five years.

Memorial Rites Sunday For Pvt. M. P. Koppenaar

A memorial service for Pvt. Marvin Paul Koppenaar was held Sunday at 7 p.m. in Bethel Reformed church. Pvt. Koppenaar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Koppenaar, 214 Maple Ave., was killed Dec. 14 in France. They also have three other sons in service, all of whom are in the navy.

Rev. C. A. Stoppels, pastor of the church, spoke on "The Repairs of the Breach." The music included the singing of "When the Blue Star Turns to Gold" by Gilbert Van Wymen and "No Night There" by the Misses Thelma Onk and Mildred Cook. The service was under the auspices of the church and the American Legion.

One simple way to receive and give the greatest joy in life is always to be glad when others are glad.

Specimen Class Added To Tulip Competition

Entries being received for the three-day Tulip show give promise of making this event an interesting and colorful success when it opens to the public on May 3. Although the dates for this annual Tulip Time display have been set a full two weeks ahead of the usual time, it now appears that with cool weather holding the tulips back, they will be at their peak for the show.

An innovation this year is the introduction of a Specimen class which is aimed at developing a greater interest in the private plantings of tulips. The tulips exhibited in this class must be grown by the exhibitor and they will be judged on the same point basis as in the national flower shows.

It is felt that if Tulip Time is to regain its former importance, the people of Holland must make it their responsibility to make more individual tulip plantings, and it is hoped that the specimen competition will stimulate this activity. In future Tulip shows this class will assume more and more importance.

In the 27 other classes under the seven sections, a broad diversity of artistic expression is allowed the exhibitor, with several new classes being included for the first time. Flowers in these exhibits need not be those grown by the exhibitor, but may be obtained from outside sources.

The committee wishes to encourage a wide participation on the part of local flower lovers, and also requests that entries be made early so as to permit the better planning of arrangements. All entries must be in by next Saturday, April 28, although it will not be necessary to have exhibits in place until the morning of May 3. Entry blanks may be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce office, or one may write name and address on a piece of paper or postcard, listing the class numbers under which exhibits are to be made, and mailing same to the Chamber office. A printed schedule, with rules, is available at the Chamber office.

Cash prizes, totaling several hundred dollars, are to be paid in war bonds or stamps, they being

the contribution of Mrs. Katherine Chaff to promote local interest in the tulip.

The committee, with Mrs. L. G. Stalkamp as chairman and Mrs. Chester Van Tongeren as co-chairman, is engaged in completing details for transforming the Women's Literary club building into a setting for the show which promises to be as unusual as it will be attractive.

Other girls who placed among the prize winners were:

Singles: Millie Bouwens, 541; Evelyn Steggerda, 536; Mary Peters, 534; Dora Hoover, 531; Mae Van Tongeren, 525; Ann Adler, 525; Marge Slighter, 524 and Sylvia Ramaker, 523.

Doubles: Evelyn Steggerda-Angeline Heerspink, 1068; Esther Tubergan-Ethel Tubergan, 1055; Rose Burrows-Lucille Christopher, 1035; Billie Tripp-Hannah Jipping, 1028; Dorothy Borr-Kay Fish, 1028; Janet Meusen-Bernice Borr, 1017; Evelyn Manting-Ella Prins, 1010 and Billie Brover-Mae Van Tongeren, 1008.

Couple Returns on First Visit Here in 18 Years

Mr. and Mrs. John Hovenga of Bellflower, Cal., arrived in Holland Friday afternoon on their first visit here in 18 years. They formerly resided in Holland and left here many years ago for California. Now retired, they plan to spend several weeks with relatives in this area.

COAL BOAT ARRIVES

The freighter "Adam E. Cornelius" arrived Thursday at 3:35 p.m. from Toledo, O., with a cargo of coal for the Neitring Coal Co. here, and left later in the evening. It was the first coal boat to enter the local harbor this season.

Witnesses listed by police were John Bos, West 24th St., and Ruth Vrieling and Alvin Ash, route 1.

Two Cars Damaged in Crash at Intersection

Cars driven by Nelson LaMar, 20, route 1, and Mrs. Phyllis Feldgrum White, 22, also of route 1, were damaged in an accident at 8:15 p.m. Friday at Eighth St. and River.

LaMar traveling west on Eighth and attempting to make a left turn onto River was given a summons for failure to yield the right of way. He told police he did not see the other car. Mrs. White, traveling east on Eighth St., was driving a car owned by her father, George Pelgrim.

Long Distance reminder for Spring

Today and tomorrow like four million iness day something like four million Toll and Long Distance calls will be going over Bell System lines.

So we'd like to remind you that there's still a wartime rush on certain circuits and ask your cooperation when the operator says—"Please limit your call to 5 minutes."

INVEST IN VICTORY—BUY MORE WAR BONDS

PROCEEDINGS

of the

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Ottawa County, Michigan

APRIL SESSION, 1945

First Day's Session

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to statute on Tuesday, April 10, 1945 at 1:30 p.m. and was called to order by the clerk.

Upon the calling of the roll the various townships and cities were represented as follows: Allendale, Justin, Zylstra, Blenden, Louis, Volland, Chester, John Hassold, Crocker, Edwin H. Hecksel, Georgetown, Charles S. Lowing, Grand Haven, Clarence Reenders, Holland, John H. Holder, James Robinson, Case Szopinski, Spring Lake, Gerret Bottma, Tallmadge, Henry C. Slaughter, Wright, Lester W. Martin, Zeeland, Maynard Wilds, Peter J. Ryenga, Philip F. Rosbach, Charles E. Misner, Holland City, Elmer Schepers, William Koop, John Galien, Simon De Boer, Vernon Ten Cate, Zeeland City, Nicholas Frankena and Benjamin Lanning.

Absent, none.

The clerk announced that the first order of business would be for the selection of a temporary chairman.

Mr. Ryenga moved that Mr. Vernon Ten Cate be selected as temporary chairman which motion prevailed.

Mr. Ten Cate as temporary chairman announced that the first order of business would be for the election of a permanent chairman.

Mr. Slaughter moved that we proceed by ballot to the election of a permanent chairman and that the chair appoint two tellers which motion prevailed.

The chair appointed Messrs. Galien and Lanning as tellers.

Result of the first ballot: Total number of votes cast was 28 of which Mr. Mohr received 14 votes, Mr. Ten Cate 4 votes and Messrs. Slaughter and Stegenga 1 vote each.

At this time Mr. Mohr addressed the board and stated that he was not a candidate for the office of chairman and could not accept if elected.

No one having received a majority of the votes cast on the first ballot, the second ballot was taken resulting as follows: Total number of votes cast was 28 of which Mr. Ten Cate 10 votes and Messrs. Bottma and Stegenga 1 vote each.

Mr. Ten Cate having received the majority of the votes cast was declared elected chairman of the board for the ensuing year.

The chairman announced that

the next order of business would be for the election of a vice chairman.

Mr. Lowing placed in nomination Vernon Ten Cate.

Mr. Ten Cate placed in nomination Maynard Mohr.

Mr. Bottma moved that the nominations be closed which motion prevailed.

Result of the first ballot: Total number of votes cast was 28 of which Mr. Mohr received 14 votes and Mr. Ten Cate received 14 votes.

No one having received a majority of the votes cast the second ballot was taken resulting as follows: Total number of votes cast was 28 of which Mr. Mohr received 16 votes and Mr. Ten Cate received 12 votes.

Mr. Mohr having received the majority of the votes cast was declared elected vice chairman of the board for the ensuing year.

Mr. Ten Cate moved that we proceed to the election by ballot of three members of the Auditing Committee and that the one receiving the largest number of votes cast to be the chairman of the committee which motion prevailed.

Result of the first ballot: Mr. Rosbach received 25 votes, Mr. Bottma received 25 votes, Mr. Mohr received 21 votes, Mr. Galien received 3 votes and Messrs. Hassold, Smallgan, Lowing, Lanning, Ryenga, Slaughter and Ten Cate 1 vote each.

Messrs. Rosbach, Bottma and Mohr having received the largest number of votes cast were declared elected members of the Auditing Committee for the ensuing year.

Mr. Rosbach moved that the rules governing the board for the past year be adopted as the rules governing the board for the ensuing year which motion prevailed.

Report of the Road Commission

THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Ottawa, Michigan

We are submitting herewith the Thirty-Fourth Annual Report of the County Road Commissioners of Ottawa County for the year ending December 31, 1944.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM VERDIN, Chairman
JOHN H. VAN NOORD
ALBERT HYMA

GENERAL COUNTY ROAD BONDS

The following is a table of outstanding General County Road Bonds and dates of maturities:

Date	Amount	Date	Amount
May 1, 1946	\$26,000	May 1, 1950	\$26,000
May 1, 1947	26,000	May 1, 1951	26,000
May 1, 1948	26,000	May 1, 1952	26,000
May 1, 1949	26,000	May 1, 1953	26,000

Total Outstanding General County Road Bonds \$130,000.00

GAS AND WEIGHT TAX RECEIPTS

During the Period January 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944

Date	Item	Amount	Cr. or Dr.	Balance
Jan. 1944-4th	wt. tax 1943	\$ 1,414.24		\$ 1,414.24
Jan. 1944-2nd	wt. tax 1943	1,706.15		3,120.39
May 1944-1st	wt. tax 1944	1,706.15		4,826.54
Aug. 1944-2nd	wt. tax 1944	1,706.15		6,532.69
Oct. 1944-3rd	wt. tax 1944	1,706.15		8,238.84

CLASSIFICATION OF DISBURSEMENTS (COUNTY PARK ACCOUNTS)

For Year Ending December 31, 1944

Item	Amount	Transfers	Disbursements	Balance
TUNNEL PARK:				
Buildings	\$ 24.46			\$ 24.46
Grounds	42.75			42.75
Insurance	15.30			15.30
Lighting	48.90			48.90
NORTH BEACH PARK:				
Buildings	\$ 45.24			\$ 45.24
Grounds	2,063.15			2,063.15
Gas and Light	8.14			8.14
Caretaker	560.51			560.51
EASTMANVILLE PARK:				
Grounds	\$ 55.33			\$ 55.33
Total County Park Account	\$ 3,685.24			\$ 3,685.24

CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT

For Year Ending December 31, 1944

Item	Amount	Transfers	Disbursements	Balance
Overdraft December 31, 1943	\$ 1,175.50			\$ 1,175.50
Receipts				
Petty's Bayou Bridge	637.62			637.62
Transferred to Board of Supervisors Approp.	126,000.00			126,000.00
Transferred to County Road Equity Account	5,555.88			5,555.88
Disbursements				
General Exp.	4,966.25			4,966.25
TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE				
For Year Ending December 31, 1944				
U.S. 14	\$ 4,606.94			\$ 4,606.94
U.S. 31	4,606.94			4,606.94
M. 21	4,606.94			4,606.94
M. 104	4,606.94			4,606.94
Labor & Material Sold State	4,606.94			4,606.94
CLASSIFICATION OF TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE COSTS				
For Year Ending December 31, 1944				
Roadbed	\$ 2,844.04			\$ 2,844.04
Structures	1,762.90			1,762.90
Drainage & Patching	1,762.90			1,762.90
Reurfacing	1,762.90			1,762.90
Snow Removal	1,762.90			1,762.90
Traffic Control	1,762.90			1,762.90
Roadside Development	1,762.90			1,762.90
Weed Cutting	1,762.90			1,762.90
Black Top Maintenance	1,762.90			1,762.90
Bituminous	1,762.90			1,762.90
U.S. 31 Park	1,762.90			1,762.90
Gas & Oil Sold State	1,762.90			1,762.90
Labor Sold State	1,762.90			1,762.90
COUNTY ROAD MAINTENANCE				
For Year Ending December 31, 1944				
Section 1	\$ 4,606.94			\$ 4,606.94
Section 2	4,606.94			4,606.94
Section 3	4,606.94			4,606.94
Section 4	4,606.94			4,606.94
NOTE: The original county road system has been divided into four sections.				

SECTION NO. 1 includes all county roads in the N.W. 1/4 of the County.

SECTION NO. 2 includes all county roads in the S.E. 1/4 of the County.

SECTION NO. 3 includes all county roads in the S.W. 1/4 of the County.

SECTION NO. 4 includes all county roads in the N.E. 1/4 of the County.

CLASSIFICATION OF COUNTY ROAD MAINTENANCE COSTS

For Year Ending December 31, 1944

Item	Amount	Transfers	Disbursements	Balance
Roadbed	\$ 2,844.04			\$ 2,844.04
Structures	1,762.90			1,762.90
Drainage & Patching	1,762.90			1,762.90
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Black Top Maintenance	1,762.90			1,762.90
Bituminous	1,762.90			1,762.90
U.S. 31 Park	1,762.90			1,762.90
Gas & Oil Sold State	1,762.90			1,762.90
Labor Sold State	1,762.90			1,762.90
COUNTY ROAD MAINTENANCE				
For Year Ending December 31, 1944				
Section 1	\$ 4,606.94			\$ 4,606.94
Section 2	4,606.94			4,606.94
Section 3	4,606.94			4,606.94
Section 4	4,606.94			4,606.94

NOTE: Plus sign indicates balance; Minus sign indicates overdraft.

BALANCE SHEET

For Year Ending December 31, 1944

Item	Amount	Transfers	Disbursements	Balance
Min. Accts.	\$ 1,762.90			\$ 1,762.90
Co. & Twp. Maint.	1,762.90			1,762.90
General Exp.	1,762.90			1,762.90
Unallocated Exp.	1,762.90			1,762.90
Stock	1,762.90			1,762.90
New Equipment	1,762.90			1,762.90
Total	\$ 11,762.90			\$ 11,762.90

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

For Year Ending December 31, 1944

Item	Amount	Transfers	Disbursements	Balance
Overdraft	\$ 1,175.50			\$ 1,175.50
Balance				
Dec. 31, 1943	1,175.50			1,175.50
Transfers				
Dec. 31, 1944	1,175.50			1,175.50
Disbursements				
Dec. 31, 1944	1,175.50			1,175.50
Balance				
Dec. 31, 1944	1,175.50			1,175.50
Transfers				
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Disbursements				
Dec. 31, 1944	1,175.50			1,175.50
Balance				
Dec. 31, 1944	1,175.50			1,175.50
Transfers				

Lohman, Teed Argue Points of Sunday Hunt Ban

Whether rights are being lost is the big point of debate in Allegan county over the house-approved bill to close Lakeland, Fillmore, Overisel, Salem, Heath and Manlius townships to Sunday hunting.

Guy Teed, president of the Allegan County Conservation league, says the bill would deprive 5,000 hunters in the county of their right to spend a Sunday as they wish.

A. G. Lohman, manager of the Hamilton Farm bureau, representing about 1,000 farmers, says hunters will lose none of the rights they now possess.

Teed contends and Lohman denies that the Horton trespass law protects property owners.

Teed points out that last January the board of supervisors, 10 to 18, declined to sponsor a petition for presentation to the state legislature; that an estimated \$23,000 was spent by bow and arrow hunters in the county during the 1943-44 seasons; that some 4,000 young men of the county, most of them sportsmen, are in the armed services fighting to make possible a return to a free place. He refers to a letter from Pfc. William N. Hale in Percy Jones' hospital in which Hale says: "This section of land that Rep. Miles proposes to close includes some of the Allegan state forest, the Kalamazoo river area, Ottawa marsh, Waungan marsh and Miner lake, some of the best duck and goose shooting to be found anywhere."

Hale told Teed, "I know many truly good men who have spent very few Sundays at church, but have found their happiness in the field or marsh hunting on Sunday after a hard week's work."

In reply, Lohman asserts that all government-owned land is exempt, that farmers are better sportsmen than the hunters, that some of the best hunting grounds in the county have been grabbed up by so-called sportsmen and closed to all hunters except club members, that sports groups are not concerned about reimbursing farmers for losses caused by hunters.

Declaring that the Sunday question would be decided by democratic process, a referendum, Lohman says he believes most of the servicemen from the county would favor a ban on Sunday hunting as they now are "living and walking closer to God than most of the folks back home."

Lohman asks a greater voice for farmers in conservation and adds that sportsmen should be suggesting that returning servicemen be given special hunting privileges such as a longer season and larger bag limit. He asks why sportsmen do not respond to charges made by farmers of "abuse loss, damage and vandalism" instead of "squawking" about loss of rights.

Will Present Play in North Holland School

Students of the Ninth and Tenth grades of North Holland High school will present the three-act comedy, "Here Comes Charlie," Thursday and Friday, May 3 and 4, in the school. The play is directed by Miss Janet Jonker of Holland.

Heading the cast is Vernon Kraai as Larry Elliot, who has an orphan child trust upon him. Ted Hartley, Larry's college pal, portrayed by Bernard Ebel, is amused at Larry's lot, but Aunt Fannie, played by Luella Knoll, is afraid it will frustrate her plans to marry off Larry to Vivian Smythe-Kersey, a society girl, played by Beatrice Koetsier. Complications arise when Vivian's father, played by Corrie Brouwer, and Mortimer, played by Russell Veldheer, arrive for dinner. Bob Baerman as Uncle Alex Twigs, is made the family butler and assists the man servant of the house, Tim McGrill, played by Elmer Veldheer. Miss Charlotte De Hoppes, an Ozarkian hillbilly, is played by Henrietta Riss.

Miss Myra Brouwer Honored on Birthday

Miss Myra Brouwer was guest of honor at a party given Wednesday night at her home, 52 East 14th St., celebrating her 20th birthday anniversary. Games were played with prizes awarded to Misses Phyllis Van Lente and Rose Smith. A gift was presented to the honored guest and a two-course lunch was served by Mrs. William Brouwer and Mrs. George Lumden.

Invited guests were Misses Irene Boer, Phyllis Van Lente, Betty Boer, Evelyn Pieper, Gayle Koop, Rose Smith, Elaine Ter Haar and Miss Brouwer.

Hoving Memorial Rites Scheduled for Tonight

Memorial services will be held tonight at 8 p. m. in Sixteenth Street Christian Reformed church for Pvt. Sander Raymond Hoving, Rev. P. Jonker will officiate.

Pvt. Hoving, born Sept. 5, 1923, was inducted into the army Feb. 11, 1943, and was killed in action in Germany Feb. 8, 1945. Survivors include the widow, formerly Arlene Spikhoven, one daughter, Sheryl Joy, and the mother, Mrs. Ralph Hoving.

Residents of Montello Park Protest Oil Storage Tanks

Following protests from many property owners in the Montello park area relative to proposed plans of the Texas Co. to erect storage tanks and pipelines there, the Holland township board at a meeting Monday night made plans for a public meeting of all Montello property owners May 7 in the Montello park school house. A representative of the Texas Co. will be present. Storage tanks of the Globe company are located in the Montello park area.

Miss Jane Ash Wed to Lt. Harry L. Bosscher

Before a background of palms, ferns, candelabra and baskets of snapdragons, Miss Jane Ash, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ash, 166 West 19th St., became the bride of 2nd Lt. Harry L. Bosscher, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bosscher, Rehoboth, N. M., Thursday night at 8 p. m. in the parlors of Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church. Dr. R. J. Danhof performed the double ring ceremony.

Gil Holkeboer sang "O Promise Me" preceding the ceremony and "Because" following the ceremony. He was accompanied by Miss Ruth Kaasboek who also played the Lohengrin wedding march.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a gown of white tulle fashioned with sheer yoke outlined with a wide ruffle of old fashioned lace. Her finger tip pearls fell from a coronet of soft pearls. She carried a white satin Bible topped with white gardenias and matching streamers.

Miss Myra Ash, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, wore a gown of aqua chiffon with a fitted midriff of satin. She carried a bouquet of pink roses. Jay Bosscher, brother of the groom, served as best man and Robert Ash, brother of the bride, was usher. Mrs. John Dornbos and Mrs. Arthur Bosscher were in charge of the gift room.

Later in the evening a reception for 50 guests was held in the parlors of the church. A two-course lunch was served by the Misses Esther Scholten, Hester Timmer and Pat Headley.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bosscher, Rehoboth, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bosscher, Mrs. Arthur Bosscher, Mrs. John Dornbos, David Bosscher and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peterson, all of Grand Rapids.

The bride has lived in Holland all her life and is a graduate of Holland Christian high school. She is employed by the Holland Motor Express. Lt. Bosscher has lived in New Mexico all his life and is a graduate of Wasatch academy, Mt. Pleasant, Utah. He received his pilot's wings April 15 at Moody Field, Ga., and upon completion of his 20-day furlough, will report to Tuskey Field, Madison Wis.

The couple left on a short wedding trip. For traveling the bride wore a lime green gabardine suit with brown accessories and a gardenia corsage.

Members of the American Legion auxiliary will entertain gold star mothers at their meeting May 28 in the club rooms. Mrs. John Kobes is gold star mother chairman.

Mrs. Verne Whitaker of Ann Arbor is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Pedersen, route 5, and their family.

Mrs. Carl Walter, 248 West Ninth St., left today for Sioux Falls, S. D., where she will spend 10 days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walter, Jr., and son Phillip.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Huyser have moved to Royal Oak. Mr. Huyser was formerly employed by the park department here.

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