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A doll and hobby show will be one of the attractions at an open house program for the new addition at Lakeview school, Lugers road and 32nd St., Friday night. Left to right are Jerry Kowalko, Craig Hilbink, Principal John Nyenhuis, David Linn and Mary Jonker. All residents of the community are invited to inspect the new \$82,000 addition. (DuSaar photo)

Ernest Leenaers Dies at Home Sunday Evening

Ernest C. J. Leenaers, 62, died at his home 232 West 16th St. Sunday at 9:45 p.m. He had been ill for three years.

Born in Antwerp, Belgium, his knowledge of six languages enabled him to serve as an interpreter during World War I, for Belgium, Great Britain, Italy and the U.S.

At the time of the United States' entry into World War I, he was asked to become a U.S. citizen, but felt he could not renounce his Belgian citizenship while that country was at war.

Following the war he was connected with the Red Star and White Star lines. In 1925 he came to the U.S. and was with the United Fruit company. In 1932 he applied for citizenship and it was granted within 24 hours, because of his war record.

In 1934 he became purchasing agent for the Chicago, Duluth and Georgian Bay Transit Co. and moved to Holland with his wife, Antoinette.

During World War II he managed 56 Liberty ships with headquarters in New York City. After this he resumed his local job. He was a member of St. Francis de Sales church.

He is survived by his wife, one brother in the Netherlands and a sister in Belgium.

Sagman Assessed \$200 Fine, Costs

Grand Haven (Special)—Albert Sagman, 41, route 1, Zeeland, was convicted of a charge of simple assault Wednesday after a circuit court jury deliberated 45 minutes. Judge Raymond L. Smith fined him \$100 plus \$100 costs or 90 days.

Sagman allegedly pointed a gun at Emory Niemchick who with his brother Hubert, electrical employees, had gone to collect an electric bill or turn off the power. This offense occurred Sept. 27, 1948.

Last May 16 Sagman was found innocent by a circuit court jury and Prosecutor Wendell Miles authorized a new warrant charging felonious assault. The May 16 case was an appeal from a justice court conviction Nov. 17, 1948, when Sagman was sentenced to pay \$75 fine and \$22.50 costs.

Being heard today was the case of Clinton DeForest, 29, Grand Rapids, father of four children, seeking \$20,000 judgment for permanent injuries from Richard N. Harreutt of Holland. DeForest alleges he received permanent injuries Oct. 12, 1947, when Harreutt's car hit his motorcycle in Grand Rapids resulting in a compound fracture of the left leg and left jaw.

Pair Plead Guilty On Drinking Charges

Phillip Scanlon, 43, of 22 East 16th St. pleaded guilty Monday afternoon to a charge of being drunk while driving, and was ordered by Municipal Judge Cornelius van der Meulen to pay \$100 fine and \$4.70 costs, or spend 45 days in jail.

Scanlon chose the fine, and was scheduled for release by police today.

Evon Nicely, of the same address, pleaded guilty at the same time to a drunk and disorderly charge, and Judge van der Meulen ordered a \$25 fine and \$4.70 costs or a jail sentence of 20 days. Nicely paid the fine and was released.

Open House Set Friday For New School Addition

School children will take part too when Lakeview school holds open house Friday night for its newly completed \$82,000 modern addition which provides an auditorium-gymnasium, two class rooms, a new heating plant, rest rooms, kitchen and an office.

All residents of the community are invited to the 7 p.m. event in order to inspect the new addition at the school located at Lugers Rd. and 32nd St.

One of the leading attractions will be a doll and hobby show in which the youngsters will display home made dolls, models and collections. The social evening also lists considerable other entertainment with children participating. The entire event is staged by the PTA with Mrs. Gerald Hilbink as general chairman.

The school has 126 pupils and four teachers.

Mrs. Mary Van Noord Dies at Zeeland Home

Zeeland (Special)—Mrs. Mary Van Noord, 64, widow of Peter Van Noord, died Saturday at her home, 239 Alpine Ave. She had been ill several months, following surgery in February.

She was a member of First Christian Reformed church and the Priscilla society. She formerly worked as a clerk at the Zeeland variety store.

Surviving are two sons, Gelmor of Holland and Henry of Zeeland; two grandchildren; two brothers, Henry and George Dekker, both of Zeeland; a sister, Mrs. Fred Volkers of Zeeland; a brother-in-law, Albert Koerts of San Rafael, Calif., and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Anna Vander Meulen of Holland.

The funeral services will be held Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. at the home and 2 p.m. at Third Christian Reformed church. The Rev. D. D. Bonrema will officiate and burial will be at Zeeland cemetery. The body is at the Baron funeral home and will be taken to the residence at 6 p.m. today.

Two MSC Scholarships Awarded to HHS Seniors

Two Holland high senior girls have received scholarships to Michigan State college, according to an announcement made by Principal J. J. Riemersma at chapel exercises Tuesday.

Receiving the scholarships are Virginia Koning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Koning, 235 West 18th St., and Joan Souter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Souter, route 4.

Miss Koning has been secretary of the sophomore class, an alderman, member of the welfare board, GAA, GAA president, assistant editor of Boomerang, cheer leader, Dutch dance, business staff of senior play, honor roll.

Miss Souter's activity schedule includes Athletic Sisters, president of Horizon cabinet, secretary of senior class, treasurer of sophomore class, member GAA, Dutch clerk magazine campaign, assistant manager of senior play business staff, honor roll.

Membership Luncheon

The Holland Chamber of Commerce is completing plans for its first membership luncheon, to be held May 3, at 12:15 p.m. at the Veterans of Foreign Wars clubrooms. Chamber President Harry Maentz announced that the purpose of the meeting will be to introduce new members, to review Chamber activities of the year, and to serve as an informal get-together.

Flames in House North of Holland Damage Basement

A fire Thursday night licked through the basement of the John F. Hindert home at 86 Vander Veen Ave., causing considerable damage.

The blaze was believed to have started in a trash can in the basement, according to Holland township Fire Chief John Vandenburg. The flames seeped into the partitions between the basement and first floor and sent smoke billowing throughout the house.

A baby sitter, Harry Graham, first smelled smoke shortly after 10 p.m. When he went to the basement to investigate, he saw the flames around the furnace and the trash box.

Station No. 1 truck and a tanker from station No. 2 responded. They used high-pressure fog to douse the flames, Vandenburg said. Firemen stayed at the scene for an hour and a half.

No estimate of damage was given.

The first call to the township station said the Hindert house on Lakewood Blvd. was afire. The truck immediately went out on Lakewood.

Meantime, another call gave the correct location which was about a block from the fire station.

Vandenburg today cautioned persons calling in fires to "stay on the phone long enough to give complete directions."

"Keep as calm as possible," he said.

Vandenburg points out that "every second counts in fire fighting and it is very important to have correct directions."

"We can't call back," he said.

City firemen were called this morning to the home of Peter S. Boter, 284 West 17th St., where some rubbish was burning. Only slight damage was reported.

New Railroad Signs Erected

The Holland police department Tuesday completed placement of four stop signs at city railroad crossing.

The new 36 by 36 feet signs are located at the crossings at 15th, 17th, 20th and 24th Sts.

Erection of the signs was ordered by the Public Safety commission last November, shortly after a fatal railroad crossing accident. The new signs are reflectored. The rest of the city's crossings have flashers.

Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff warned that all cars are supposed to come to a complete stop at the new signs. The flasher crossings require a stop only if flashers are working.

Jail Damage

Grand Haven (Special)—Lambert Kritikon, 29, Philadelphia, who competed a 10-day jail sentence today on a disorderly charge imposed by Justice George V. Hoffer April 16, was charged by the sheriff's department with malicious destruction of property in the county jail. This morning he was sentenced by the same justice to make restitution for damage to a window sash, amounting to \$15, plus \$5.40 costs or serve 10 days.

Rotarians Hold Slight Lead in Book Ticket Sale

Advance Tulip Time Ticket Sale Provides \$4.10 Value for \$3

The Rotary club was reported to be slightly ahead in the Inter-club council race in the advance sales of Tulip Time season ticket books, Chairman Dan Vander Werf announced today.

The five service clubs and the Junior Chamber of Commerce, which form the Inter-Club council, are carrying on the advance campaign to sell 1,500 books in an effort to provide funds for advance expenses for Holland's 1950 Tulip Time festival May 17 to 20.

Club selling the most books on a pro-rata arrangement will receive a \$100 prize. Organization ranking second will receive \$50. To provide the \$150 the Tulip Time committee is allowing 10 cents on each book sold for the 1,500 books to be disposed of in the advance sale. This means each member sells five books. Should a member fail to dispose of his books, he will be assessed 10 cents per book not sold, the small "fine" to go into the fund for the prizes.

H. J. Triezenberg, president of the Optimist club, has challenged other clubs in the book sale race. The Optimist club has a good chance of winning the \$100 since the membership is smaller than other clubs and organization of such a campaign is relatively more simple.

Books sell for \$3, allowing admission to six of 13 events with the widest possible flexibility. Individual admission charge to six such events is \$4.10. An added incentive for advance purchase is the fact that holders of book tickets will have first crack at the box office for reserved seats for Riverview park events.

Careful advance consideration is given to possibilities of rain, and the three major evening events at Riverview park will be moved to Hope Memorial chapel in case of rain. Holders of reserved seats will be put into a specially reserved block.

The book has two 50-cent tickets, two 60-cent tickets, one 90-cent ticket and one \$1 ticket. The 50-cent ticket allows choice of Little Netherlands, baton twirling, flower show or horse show. The 60-cent ticket allows choice of Parade of Provincies, Dutch Treat show or Windmills of Holland. The 90-cent ticket gives choice of Choral and Orchestra festival, Musical Evening at Hope college, or Tulip Time Varieties. The \$1 ticket allows choice of Wednesday Night Musical, U. S. Navy Band or Band Review.

Zeeland Youths Admit Assault

Three Zeeland young men pleaded guilty Tuesday to a charge of assault and battery upon the person of a 14-year-old Holland boy. The attack happened Friday night on Central Ave.

Odell De Jonge, 18, of 263 Peck St.; Vern Dams, 18, of 138 N. Centennial St.; and Eldon Moore, 17, of 142 South Maple St., were ordered to pay \$10 fines and \$3.40 costs by Municipal Judge Cornelius van der Meulen. Charges against a fourth youth, only 16, were dropped.

The fracas occurred Friday night when Bill Fortney, 14, of 49 East 18th St., and two other boys and a young girl were walking home.

Fortney stopped to tie his shoe lace, and the Zeeland youths stopped their car and began questioning him about the girl. He refused to answer, and was attacked. Fortney's mother, Mrs. Alice Fortney, preferred the charges.

Hart and Cooley Elects Officers and Directors

A board of 13 directors was elected for the coming year at the annual stockholders meeting of Hart and Cooley Manufacturing Co. Tuesday.

Directors are Norman P. Cooley, Stanley Hart, James H. Robinson, Ralph W. Blanchard, Norman P. Cooley II, William H. Hart, Jr., Joe Kramer, J. D. Jencks, Herman Vander Leek, George D. Heeringa, George W. Copeland, Leonard Zavorski and J. Howard Smart.

New officers are James H. Robinson, honorary chairman of the board; Stanley Hart, chairman of the board; Ralph W. Blanchard, president; Joe Kramer, vice president; J. D. Jencks, secretary; George D. Heeringa, assistant secretary; Herman Vander Leek, treasurer; George W. Copeland, assistant treasurer.

Municipal Court News

Four drivers appeared in Municipal Court Saturday on violation counts. Donald W. Conley, White Village, paid \$2 costs for not having a muffler on his car. Ed Pelton, 81 East 17th St.; Alice Vandenberg, 302 East Seventh St.; and Dorothy Jacobus, route 4, each paid \$1 parking fines.



Malcolm R. Mackay

HHS Facultyman Accepts Post as Belding Principal

Malcolm R. Mackay, who has been on the Holland high faculty for 10 years, has accepted a new position as principal of Belding high school, starting with the fall term.

He came to Holland as head coach of all sports and physical education instructor. He dropped football five years later, and three years ago became dean of boys and counselor, acting assistant principal and study hall supervisor.

He continued coaching basketball and golf. The high spot of his coaching career was in 1946 when Holland high won the state basketball championship in class A competition, even though the local school is class B size.

In his new position, Mackay will have charge of the seventh through 12th grades. The school has more than 500 pupils and is in the class B athletic conference with Ionia, Greenville and other cities. Belding is 25 miles northeast of Grand Rapids.

For the first time in 18 years, Mackay will relinquish sports activity in high school, but will continue football officiating. He was the first president of the Michigan Officials' association for football and basketball.

His special interests the last several years have been in the guidance field, and he has taken an active part as a board member in state guidance conferences. He instituted one of the first college and career days in the state and is a past president of the Southwestern Michigan Guidance association.

During his 10 years in Holland, Mackay has been active in church and civic life. He is a past president of the Lions club, has served as consistory member in Hope church seven years and as Sunday school superintendent one year.

Mackay is married and has two children, Janet, 13, and Bob, 7. His home town is Kalamazoo and he was graduated from Western Michigan college in 1932. He came to Holland from Jackson high school where he was head football coach.

Local Man Found Guilty Of Larceny Charge

Grand Haven (Special)—After deliberating for an hour, a circuit court jury Monday afternoon found Ervin C. O'Connor of Holland, guilty of a charge of larceny from a building.

O'Connor was alleged to have taken a \$65 power saw from the Vogelzang Hardware Co. at Holland on March 9.

Among the witnesses called at the trial were George Knoll, Dick Vander Meer and James Hopclender in the store, John Vogelzang and Gilbert Zuvernick, the latter a companion of O'Connor. O'Connor will return May 4 for disposition.

The jury case of Robert T. Richardson, 43, route 1, Fruitport, charged with drunk driving, was postponed because a witness was ill. The case is an appeal from a justice court conviction.

Heart Attack Fatal for Mrs. Barbara Hodal, 59

Grand Haven (Special)—Mrs. Barbara Hodal, 59, former Grand Haven resident, died unexpectedly at midnight Wednesday of a heart attack at the home of her son, Rudolph, in Yuba City, Calif. She was en route to the home of a daughter, Mrs. Clyde Hinckley, of Altadena, Calif., with whom she had made her home since the death of her husband, John Martin Hodal, Dec. 18, 1943.

She had just spent five weeks in Spring Lake with another daughter, Mrs. Stewart Boyink. She was born Feb. 1, 1891, and was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Besides the three children, she is survived by a sister, Mrs. Mary Halmo, of Czechoslovakia and six grandchildren.

The body will be brought to Grand Haven and funeral arrangements will be announced later by the Kinkema Funeral home.

Donaldson Nixes 'Nixie' Division Of Post Office

Directory Service Ordered Dropped As Economy Move

The "nixie" division of the Holland post office has been nixed. "Nixie" is the term used by postal authorities for mail that is improperly addressed, and therefore undeliverable.

Up to now, there has been a man in the post office who looks up correct addresses in phone books and directories and asks carriers if they have the addressee on their routes.

But this directory service went in the waste basket as result of Postmaster General Jesse Donaldson's economy order last week.

From now on, improperly addressed mail will be returned to its sender. If there is no return address, it goes in the dead letter file.

Superintendent of Mails S. H. Houtman estimates that the Holland post office spends about \$1,000 a year on this service.

"We have one man who spends several hours a day checking addresses," Houtman said. "But the entire service has been discontinued."

Dick Klein, the directory man in Holland, estimates that he used to handle 300 to 400 "nixies" a day.

Houtman cautioned Hollanders that mail must be addressed properly if it is to be delivered. The new order already is in effect.

However, the order has no effect on forwarding of properly addressed mail. That will be forwarded as usual.

Houtman pointed out some of the areas in Holland where confusion is heaviest. The area north of Lake Macatawa is not all route four, he said. Instead, there are four carriers that deliver in that area. About 600 patrons on route four now have street addresses.

Montello Park is not an address, Houtman said. Four carriers deliver there, too, and exact street and numbers should be used, Houtman said.

Another area is on the south side of the lake. South Shore Drive, Lugers Road and Central Park are not rural routes, Houtman said. These areas all carry street addresses.

"Most of these addresses are available in the phone book," Houtman said.

Charter Group Council Convene

Members of Common Council and the city Charter commission met in joint session Wednesday evening to discuss provisions of the proposed charter, recently completed and adopted by the commission.

Mayor Harry Harrington presided, and turned the meeting over to Charter Chairman Vernon D. Tate, who reviewed the commission's work from March 1, 1949 to April 20, 1950. Tate pointed out that many problems had been studied and that some required as many as five re-draftings before the commission was satisfied.

Raymond Holwerda, a commission member, then reviewed the charter, chapter by chapter. Many questions about provisions were answered.

Ten Tate revealed that official copies of the new charter were slated to be filed with the city clerk today. Details as to publication will be worked out within the next few days to comply with state law, he said.

The chairman expressed the commission's willingness to explain the charter to any groups in the city, and suggested that the problem of acquainting the public with charter provisions be considered by the council.

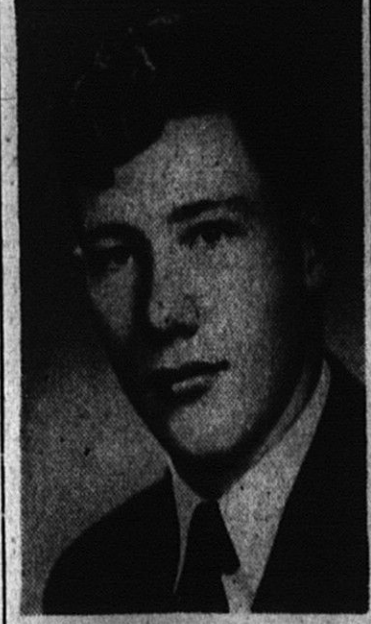
Mrs. J. W. Chamberlain Dies at Grand Rapids

Mrs. Gerda C. Chamberlain, 49, of 23 Dennis Ave., S.E., Grand Rapids, died Saturday afternoon at Butterworth hospital. She had been ill two weeks. She was the wife of Joseph W. Chamberlain. The Chamberlains lived in Zeeland for 17 years and in Holland for a short time before moving to Grand Rapids about a year and a half ago. Mr. Chamberlain operates a dairy.

Mrs. Chamberlain was born in Chicago and was a graduate of the University of Illinois. She was a former Chicago school teacher.

Surviving besides the husband are a daughter, Karen; four sons, Austin, Joseph, William, Jr., Charles S. and Neil Valdemar; three sisters, Mrs. V. E. Hulteen of Bremerton, Wash., Joanna Christiansen of Oak Park, Ill., and Mrs. Paul N. Powers of Cranford, N.J., and a brother, C. Valdemar Christiansen of Oak Park.

The funeral will be Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. at the Zangman funeral chapel in Grand Rapids. The Rev. George Douma will officiate. The body is at the funeral chapel.



Donald Dykstra



Carol Marcuse

Class Leaders Named at CHS

Carol Marcuse and Donald Dykstra received the top scholastic honors of the Holland Christian high school class of 1950. Principal Raymond Holwerda announced Tuesday, Miss Marcuse, named valedictorian and Dykstra salutatorian. Both will be honored at commencement exercises in June.

Miss Marcuse is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Marcuse of 80 West 19th St. She was active in school activities during her four years. She served as class treasurer and secretary of the student council. She was a four-year member of both band and a cappella choir, and a member of the school Tulip Time operetta, "Windmills of Holland." She recently received high honors in the state vocal contest. She was also a member of school publication staffs—"The Echo" and "Footprints."

Dykstra is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Dykstra of 120 East 18th St. He was also active in extra-curricular work. He served as business manager of the Christmas Card campaign and is also literary editor of the "Footprints." He was a member of the school debate team. Three weeks ago, he won first place in the state district extempore speaking contests. He was also a member of the biology, physics and photography clubs.

Heart Ailment Fatal For William Woldring

William Woldring, 69, of 189 East Fifth St., died at Holland hospital Sunday at 7:30 p.m. Death was caused by a heart ailment. He had been taken to the hospital Wednesday.

He was born in the Netherlands May 16, 1880, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Woldring. He lived in Holland 63 years.

Woldring had worked as a watchman at the local wooden shoe factory and at the city light plant. For three summers he served as a life guard at Kollen park. He was formerly a guard at the Ionia Reformatory for five years.

Surviving are the wife, Jennie; five sons, Edwin and John of Holland; Jason of Northfield, William Jr., of Muskegon and Robert, with the U.S. Air Corps in New Mexico; 12 grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Rense Sybesma and Mrs. William Pathuis of Holland, and three brothers, Yocum and Ralph of Holland and Luke of Sparta.

Funeral service will be Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Dykstra funeral chapel. The Rev. A. W. Hoogstraate and John Keuning, missionary, will officiate. Burial will be at Restlawn cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday from 4 to 6 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Young Mother Succumbs At Grand Haven Hospital

Grand Haven (Special)—Mrs. Patricia Bird, 22, wife of Stanley Bird, route 1, Grand Haven, died Wednesday afternoon in Municipal hospital where she was taken Sunday. Death was caused by a lung condition.

She was born in Grand Rapids, Aug. 10, 1927, and had lived in Nunica for some time before coming to the township. For a short time she was employed at the Grand Haven Electrical Assembly Corp.

Lingering Winter Delays Opening Of Boat Season

Shipyards Report Weather Held Up Floating Schedules

Recent winter-like weather has delayed the pleasure-craft season at least three weeks, according to Holland area shipyards.

"We're at least three weeks behind on our work," Don Jesiek of Jesiek Bros. shipyards said. "Last year we had our first boat out April 4."

The "Sis" was the first boat out of the Jesiek storage shed April 17 this year. It was the first of 200 that must be floated from the drydock. Eighty per cent of these boat owners are from out-state, according to Jesiek's.

Campbell Boat Co. reports that bad weather is delaying their operations "somewhat." The company has 40 boats stored.

During the winter months, while the boats are in drydock, they are painted, varnished and engines conditioned. Jesiek's takes each boat on a test run on Lake Macatawa before turning it over to the owner.

At Jesiek's, the boats are inched down a 300-foot railway and into the water with an electric winch. The railway gradually slants into 22-foot of water and extends 100-foot into the lake.

The huge chain on the winch has two lengths to a foot. It was imported from England in 1935 at a cost of \$1.44 for two lengths. A crew of 16 men is kept busy conditioning boats at Jesiek's during the winter months.

At Campbell's, work orders are sent to each boat owner in the fall and the necessary work is done during the winter. Each boat is checked before it goes into storage and a work order filled out. Small boat owners start conditioning their craft this time of the year.

That conditioning includes painting and calking, in many cases. If the paint on the boat gets too thick, it's best to scrape down to the bare wood before repainting, according to professional advice.

A boat should be calked at least once each three to four years, depending on how well it is constructed. When there is no more "give" in the calking, it must be replaced.

"The late start, however, won't bother at least one, Campbell Co. customer from St. Louis, Mo."

"He never asks for his boat until the first or second week of July," a spokesman said.

Sounding Work Begun by Army

A sounding crew from the Corps of Engineers, Milwaukee district, is now in action in the Holland Harbor to determine if any shoals have formed that would reduce project depth and necessitate added dredging.

The engineer dredge Haines left the harbor last week after dredging operations. Coach Guard officials said that soundings are taken both before and after dredging to see if more is needed.

The sounding crew, under the direction of Engineer O. Steffens, arrived Monday. Work will last approximately two weeks.

During the field work, all boats are asked to operate with caution. The sounding notes will be sent to the Milwaukee office for plotting, estimating and scheduling any added dredging that may be necessary.

Steffens will move to White Lake to start soundings there about May 8.

Bulletins

EX-BFW CLERK DIES
Gerrit Appleborn, 61, of 198 West 17th St., died this noon at his home. He had been ill for nine weeks. Appleborn was a former clerk of the Board of Public Works.

Jacob Van Der Lune Dies of Long Illness

Jacob Van Der Lune, 67, of 140 East 14th St., died at 6:20 a.m. Monday at his home. He had been ill for three years.

He was born Jan. 29, 1883, in the Netherlands to the late Mr. and Mrs. Brons Van Der Lune. He had lived in Holland for the last 58 years. He was chief clerk of the freight department of the local railroad for 37 years.

Surviving are the wife, Jennie; a brother, Peter of Holland, and two stepsons, Earl Thomas and William Renkema of Grand Rapids.

Building Moved

One of the temporary housing units at Pine Court has been moved to Ottawa State Park to serve as rangers' quarters, park director Clare Broad said Tuesday. The building was moved Monday, and will be permanently settled on a foundation in the near future.

Errors Give Hope Extra Inning Win Over Plucky JC's

Fighting Dutch Wage Long, Uphill Battle To Post the Victory

An experiment almost proved "experiment perilous" for Coach Jack Schouten and his Hope nine Saturday. A last ditch two-run rally in the ninth tie and one in the tenth just did nose out Grand Rapids junior college 4-3.

And the Dutch wouldn't have won if the obliging JC's hadn't committed errors in just the right spots. All four Hope runs were unearned.

The experiment was to start and play for seven innings a team composed of reserves. The rally was capped in the tenth when with Jack Marema on third, pinch-hitter Don Brink slapped a clean single past short for the win.

But the tussle was plenty tough for Jack Schouten's boys. Behind 3-1 in the ninth with Con Boeve on third, as a result of a walk, a stolen base and an infield out—Shortstop Zeke Piersma came through with a ponderous drive to deep right center which caromed off the glove of the Raiders' Centerfielder Bob Sack.

Before he could retrieve the ball, Piersma had gone all the way around to score. That was the turning point.

It looked pretty bleak for the Fighting Dutch until the eventful ninth. The subs could do nothing with the righthanded slants of Milt Cudney. They had touched him for only three hits and he had whiffed eight Dutch batters.

Portlander Hardy Ensing opened on the mound for the Dutchmen and he pitched nine full innings of "pretty good" ball. He allowed four hits and struck out seven Raiders.

Don Huffman—who came on in the tenth inning and retired the JC's in order—got credit for the win. Hope collected only four safeties off the Raiders. Lefty Herb Landy—who relieved Cudney in the 10th—was the victim of Brink's game breaker although Cudney was charged with the defeat.

The Raiders drew first blood when they tallied a single marker in the second frame. Consecutive singles by Henry Saverson, Sack and John Heeren produced the run.

Two Hope errors gave the Raiders two runs in the fifth. Don Beezalski got a life when Ensing threw wild on his grounder. Tom Greenhoe cracked a double to left-center to score Beezalski and he came home a second later when Saverson's grounder was bobbled.

Hope got one of those runs back in the eighth when Al Van Der Kolk—who was in the Raiders' hair all afternoon—boomed a double against the bleachers in left center. He scored when Third-baseman Stan Levanduski made a two-base throwing error on Gordie Van Hoeven's bouncer.

The JC leaky defense put the winning run on base in the extra inning. Marema was safe on a muff by Shortstop Beezalski. Vander Kolk beat out a beautiful bunt when the Raiders' elected to play on the elusive Marema sliding safely into third.

This brought the Husky Brink to the scene as a pinchhitter—and smack—the ball game was over.

Of the newcomers Schouten used, Vander Kolk proved himself a capable performer. He garnered two of the Dutchmen hits and converted nicely in his flycatching role. Spike Van Eck caught a fine game and Ensing—although a little unsteady at times—pitched good ball.

Hope Netmen Notch First MIAA Victory

The Hope college tennis team won its first MIAA "swat" match Saturday as they beat Hillsdale 5-2.

The Fighting Dutch netmen dropped only two singles matches in the day's proceedings. Ron Beckfort playing in the No. 2 slot overcame Joe Rummel of the Dales 8-6, 6-3.

Gerry Gnade and Chuck Votaw, Nos. 1 and 3 respectively, both lost their matches.

But Ron Bos and Neil Van Dis both came through to tie the match. Doubles combinations of Beckfort and Bos and Gnade and Votaw won their tussles.

Insurance Co. Starts Suit Against Garage

Grand Haven (Special)—State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Co., assignee of James L. Hicks, has opened suit in Ottawa circuit court against Frank Holzinger, Charles E. Holzinger and Robert W. Holzinger, doing business as Grand Haven Motor Co.

Plaintiff claims judgment of \$1,200 and costs of suit, representing value of a station wagon destroyed by fire in the building last July 14.

The declaration alleges Hicks had left his station wagon in the garage for repairs and that it was so badly burned that it had to be sold for junk after the fire. Hicks said the vehicle was valued at \$1,175 and that he received only \$25 for it.

Plaintiff also claims damage was caused by negligence of defendants.

Approximately 397,500 miles of track, including main track, yard track and sidings, are operated by the railroads of this country.



Spring is in the air, and spring means house-cleaning, even for the Holland Coast Guard station. Seaman Charles F. Parish displays the form with which he wielded a paint brush during the winter. The station now has 11 men on duty, and appears all set for the coming summer busy season. (Penna-Sas photo)

Coast Guard Station Set For Banner Summer

Holland Coast Guard station is all ready for the coming summer season.

Two new seamen arrived for duty last week, bringing the manpower total to 11. Station complement is 14.

But two of the 11 men now on duty are expected to leave within a month. That would bring the total down to what it has been.

Chief Boatswain's Mate Charles I. Carpenter, in charge of the station, expects replacements at any time. But just when—who can say?

The Holland manpower situation reflects that of the Ninth Coast Guard district, in which there are 112 enlistment openings.

The Holland station takes care of its end of Great Lakes business, too. There are 45 Coast Guard stations on the Lakes, and Holland was near the top in number of assistance calls during 1935.

Belle Isle led the list with 206 assistance calls, and Chicago was second with 193. In 14th place was Holland, answering 55 calls. Four of these were classified as major, 45 minor and six attempted.

Holland station was just behind Milwaukee. The Wisconsin station answered 58 calls.

One of the Coast Guard's main jobs during the season is to inspect pleasure crafts—small boats, they're called. A small boat is described as a "numbered and undocumented vessel."

Coach Guard personnel board these boats under motion and check five main inspection points: Fire extinguisher, lights, safety precautions on gas tanks and carburetors, and safe operation.

The main thing, Chief Carpenter reports, is safety.

"We're concerned with the saving of life and with safe methods of boating," he said.

Small boat inspection is a great task for the Coast Guard. The Ninth Coast Guard district, with headquarters in Cleveland and including the Great Lakes area, has 91,123 small boats in its area. And they're all supposed to be inspected yearly.

Chief Carpenter said that he expects to board as many as possible in the Holland area this summer.

"Most yachtsmen are very cooperative," he said. "They know our boarding is to assist them." The chief's love of cleanliness is reflected all over the station. New paint appears all through the buildings. Parts of the station quarters have been prearranged and modernized during the winter, including installation of tile flooring in many strategic spots. The galley also has been overhauled.

A new method of artificial respiration will be used this season for the first time at Holland station. The water-logged victim is strapped on a stretcher-like affair and slowly and systematically teetered over a small saw-horse. The instrument looks like a playground teeter-totter, with the victim's head at one end and his feet at the other. The new resuscitator is called the "Eve Method."

Of the 11 men now on duty at the Holland station, five are from Michigan. Besides Carpenter, they are Edwin O. Feddick, Boatswain's Mate First; John D. Burkholder, Engineman Third; Ernest C. Nash, Seaman; and Louis Glowney, Seaman Apprentice, one of the new personnel.

Nash is married to a girl from Holland. Both he and Charles F. Parish, Seaman, expect to get out of service within a month on the newly passed Career Compensation act.

Others on duty are Keller F. Harmon, Boatswain's Mate First; Glenn E. Basham, Cook Seaman Second; Francis D. Mulqueeny and Paul J. Formolo, Seaman; and Richard Roositer, Seaman Apprentice, the other new man at the station.

Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mary Avery, Mary Stewart, Gretchen Himes, Laurie Hohl, Peggy Warner, Sally Terhune and Mary Madison were in the group of young people attending the spring youth rally in Muskegon Sunday afternoon and evening.

The Rev. William C. Warner attended with the Holland delegation.

Mrs. A. Howard Maedel and children of Detroit are spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bergen, 253 West 24th St. Mr. Maedel drove there here and returned to Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kievit, 518 West 18th St., have returned home from Clearwater, Fla., where they spent six months.

Harold and Jay Ten Cate of Holland were in charge of music at the Madison Square gospel center in Grand Rapids on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Homfield, Mr. and Mrs. John Borgman and Ruth Bryan are in Montague to attend the funeral of Henry Jager, brother of Mrs. Homfield and Mrs. Borgman, who died Thursday in Muskegon.

Kiwanis club members will meet at Kamp Kiwanis tonight for a clean-up session. The Kiwanis Queens are planning a potluck dinner for the event.

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Oosterhout, Butternut Dr., and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boerger, 28 East 25th St., spent the week-end in Ann Arbor visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Snuerink.

Municipal Judge Vorneluis today Meulen is back in his offices today following a three-week vacation trip that covered 5,200 miles.

Judge and Mrs. van Meulen drove through the south-west, visited Los Angeles, and returned along the southern route.

Mrs. C. Bosma has moved to the Martha and Cora Convalescent home.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland hospital Friday were Mrs. Harry Griffin, 124½ East Eighth St.; Mrs. Bert Thomas, 438 Howard Ave.; Donna Dorgelo, 128 West 29th St. (discharged same day).

Discharged Friday was Marie Elferdink, 338 West 29th St.

Admitted Saturday were Henry Schreier, 177 College Ave.; William Timmer, route 1; Shirley De Neff, 955 Bluebell Ave.

Admitted and discharged Saturday were Mrs. Irvine Chester, 83 East 25th St.; Margaret Fought, 654 Gordon St.; Peggy Scheerhorn, route 4; Patricia Wolff, route 1.

Discharged Saturday were Gertrude Appledorn, 198 West 17th St.; Mrs. Wilmer Dozeman and son, route 3; Mrs. Ray Boeskoel, 444 Rifle Range road; Mrs. Jack Van Dyken, 325 Central Ave.

Admitted Sunday were Sue Huribut, 242 Pine Ave.; Mrs. Philip Frank, 235 West 24th St.; Mrs. John Groets, 197 West 17th St.; Mrs. Gerald Bishop, Allen Ave.; Mrs. John Mulder, route 5.

Discharged Sunday were Mrs. Henry Van Voorst and son, route 1, West Olive; John Ziltzema, Columbia Court; George Slenk, East Saugatuck; Howard Dyke, 68

Fennville

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Hartesveldt, Jr., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Donna Jean, to Albert Wiegierink, son of Mrs. Albert Wiegierink, and the late Mr. Wiegierink of Holland. She has chosen her wedding date as May 12, the occasion of her paternal grandmother's birthday anniversary.

Donald Morse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morse left Saturday for Vincennes, Ind., for a try-out with the Mississippi-Ohio class D baseball league. Morse has been active in high school athletics and baseball activities.

Kermit Cosgrove has gone to Chicago for his assignment on a government dredge for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rasmussen and two children, Howard and Ellen, have returned from Steger, Ill., where they were called by the death of Mrs. Rasmussen's sister, Mrs. Edward Gast.

Mrs. Lon Howell of Fayetteville, Ind., spent several days here last week with her sister, Mrs. Donald Dickinson, and family, attending military funeral services for Lt. James Dickinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Tuhacek are parents of a boy born April 14 at Douglas hospital. He has been named Gary Lynn.

Several members of Radiant Rebekah lodge attended the annual district meeting held at Allegan Monday. The Noble grand, Mrs. Nellie Walter was unable to attend as delegate, because of illness, and Mrs. Lottie King was appointed alternate. Mrs. Eunice Pahl was alternate delegate for Mrs. Ella Kee, vice grand, who was unable to attend. Mrs. Connie Collins was advanced to the office of secretary. During the evening session, Radiant lodge presented the play, "The Love of a Bonnet."

Those taking part were Mesdames Art Pahl, Yvonne Chappell, Lawrence Sackett, Frank Keag and Otto Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keag entertained the 500 club Saturday evening. High scores were held by Mrs. Lawrence Bale and Henry Johnson.

Richard Jonathas, who submitted to major surgery at Blodgett hospital recently, has been convalescing at Chicago with relatives the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dickinson of South Bend, Ind., spent Sunday with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dickinson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mechem are ill and under the doctor's care in their home on West Main St.

Richard Keag of Western Michigan college, Kalamazoo, and Charles Dickinson of Wesleyan college, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, spent their spring vacations at their respective homes last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bale and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Atkins attended a concert at the Civic auditorium in Grand Rapids, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Bess Whitbeck, who has been spending the winter with her children in Kalamazoo, was a local caller last week coming to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. Florence Bale of Saugatuck, who is ill.

Mrs. Whitbeck was accompanied by her son, John.

Word has been received here of the recent marriage of a former resident, Mrs. Helen Mohler Goodrich of Jackson to George Clemens.

Homer Bale, who has been attending school in Flint, has returned here to take two months post graduate work necessary in his course of training.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smeed and son, Stanley, and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Stanley of Kalamazoo were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Smeed.

Mrs. T. E. Van Dussen and Mrs. Keith Hutchins attended a convention of State Federation of Women held in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Emma Cooney of Athens is visiting in the home of her grandson, Wayne Harris.

The Past Noble Grande club met with Mrs. James Smeed, assisted by Mrs. Lawrence Sackett and Mrs. Augusta Hoover. There were 25 members present. In a contest prizes were won by Mrs. Milo Dalaiden and Mrs. E. S. Johnson. The club accepted an invitation to be guests of Mrs. Etta Larsen of Glenn at a 6:30 potluck supper May 3.

Newly elected officers of the Sunshine society are president, Mrs. Louis Kluck; vice president, Mrs. Paul Schultz; recording secretary, Mrs. E. E. Leggett; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harry Streithoff; treasurer, Mrs. Victor Egelkraut, Sr.

Hope Golfers Carve Out Second Victory

Hope's linksters shot consistent golf Saturday on the Saugatuck golf course to eke out a 101-84 victory over Hillsdale.

It was the second Fighting Dutch victory of the season.

The totals and points were Howie Jalving 80 (1); Heinie Visser 84 (21); Bill Kloote 80 (14); Paul Mulder 88 (0); Bob Houtman 80 (2); and Dick Huff 81 (21). They received one point for low totals.

Vander Veen Ave. Births included a son, Randall A., born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kruihof, 118 East 13th St.; a son, Oscar, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Cristobal Mascorro, route 1; daughter, Tonya Kay, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ter Horst, 190 East 28th St.; a daughter, Christine Mae, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Armand Lavoy, 261 East Ninth St.; a son, Richard Craig, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Butteyn, 151 East 14th St.

Burnips

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Doris Schieb of Grand Rapids was the Sunday guest at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Grooters of Burnips.

The Gospel team of the Chicago Evangelistic Institute is making plans to hold special services at the Market Street Methodist church on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 12, 13 and 14. The Friday and Saturday services will be at 8 p.m. The Sunday services at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. The Rev. Earl J. Stine is pastor of this church.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts of Six Lakes were the visitors, Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Alward and family of Burnips and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Teed and sons, Bob and Darle of Burnips.

Mrs. Frank Hesley was confined to her home with illness last week. Mrs. Hesley is the teacher of the Monterey school. Her pupils were given the day off on Monday.

The Rev. Earl J. Stine was guest speaker at the devotional period in the Burnips school on Monday morning, April 17.

Mrs. Mattie Noorgaard visited at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred De Jongh and sons, Jack and Don of Burnips.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fleser spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Fleser of Burnips.

Sharon Kay Howard has been confined to her home with the chicken pox.

Miss Susy Maynard of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with her mother and family, Mrs. Margaret Maynard and children of near Burnips.

On Wednesday, the Women's Society for Christian Service of the Burnips Methodist church met all day in the home of Mrs. Grace Fleser. The meeting began at 11 a.m. and dinner was served at noon. Mrs. Ray Barnes presided at the business meeting at 2 p.m.

Mrs. J. P. U. Nelson was in charge of the program.

W. H. Twining was confined to his home with illness last week.

Mrs. Harold Shuck was a shopper in Grand Rapids last Thursday.

A film, "Life in Africa," was shown in the Market Street Methodist church last Monday evening. Several members of the Monterey Center Methodist church attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Burnips had visitors at their home Sunday afternoon.

The Rebekah lodge No. 506 held a meeting last Tuesday evening in the IOOF hall in Burnips.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Fleser of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests at the home of relatives in Burnips.

The Burnips Boy Scouts troop No. 32 met with their leader, Kenneth Moore, on Tuesday evening, in the Salem Township Community hall.

Ivan Fleser of Albion spent the week-end at his home in Burnips. A missionary spoke to the children in the local school on Tuesday.

The Burnips Girl Scout troop No. 1 held a meeting on Monday evening with their leader, Mrs. Dorothy Oakes in the Salem Township Community hall.

Miss Jean Commisaris of Allegan spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Commisaris and family of Burnips.

Mrs. Nellie Grooters moved to her home in Burnips last week after staying with her grandchildren in Wayland during the winter months.

Mrs. W. Brenner had a heart attack on Friday evening at her home in Burnips.

Plans are being made for the annual Bible school of Burnips and other surrounding communities, which will be held this year in the Diamond Springs Wesleyan Methodist church Tuesday, April 18. The Rev. Harold Shinglecker spoke in the afternoon. In the evening, Rev. and Mrs. Shinglecker spoke. They are missionaries to Africa.

Mrs. D. Mooney spent Sunday in Allegan.

Miss Coleen Parker of Burnips was a shopper in Grand Rapids on Saturday.

Recently, Mrs. Sylvester Raab underwent surgery in St. Mary's hospital in Grand Rapids. She is convalescing at home.

Birthday Party Given For Robert Allen Koop

Robert Allen Koop celebrated his seventh birthday anniversary Saturday afternoon at a party in South Shore Super club. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin H. Koop, 595 Elmdele.

Games were played and guests were entertained by the magic tricks of "Uncle Roy" Young.

Invited guests were Gary Smith, Chuckie Kuipers, Jimmy Masuga, David Klazen, Arthur Dirks, David Stryker, Gary Alderink, Herkie Van Tongeren, Russell Schurman, John Van Alsburg and Gerry Ogden.

Zeeland Seniors Attend First Circuit Court Case

Grand Haven (Special)—Forty-eight senior high school students from Zeeland attended the first criminal case of the April term of circuit court Monday. Students were transported to Grand Haven in two buses, accompanied by instructors, Paul Ter Avest and Marvin Overway. This afternoon they were to visit the plant of the Eagle-Ottawa Leather Co.

To replenish underground water reservoirs, flood water is often directed across porous earth surfaces.

Local Girls Win State Elk Honors as Outstanding Seniors



The Michigan State Elks association offered four cash scholarships to outstanding high school seniors. Holland high school won two of them.

Catherine Ann De Koning won third place award and \$150 in cash and Myra Jane Saunders took fourth and received a cash award of \$100. Both will be entered in the national contest in which \$13,500 will be distributed to outstanding students.

Miss De Koning is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay L. De Koning, 141 East 30th St., and Miss Saunders is the daughter of Mrs. Marie Saunders, 57 West 21st St.

The girls received checks in an impressive ceremony at the local Elks temple. The presentation of checks was made by past Exalted Ruler William Pluim.

Catherine's weighted average

was 98.3 per cent and Myra Jane's was 98.2. In arriving at the contest percentage, judges took into account scholarship, citizenship, leadership and future plans.

Four other Holland high school girls finished out of the money, but scored sufficiently high to be included in the national contest. They are: Elaine Ford, Virginia Koning, Joan Houtman and Joan Souter.

Blendon spent Friday at the Mrs. D. G. Wyngarden home.

Mrs. C. Wabeke was a Thursday guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Gerard of Grandville.

Several Vriesland farmers attended the meeting last Thursday evening in the Zeeland City hall sponsored by the Rotary club of Zeeland.

Mrs. J. H. Van Welt, Mr. and Mrs. G. Streur and Isla of Holland, Vern Schipper of Zeeland were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden and family.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary society met Thursday afternoon, April 13, with the president, Mrs. J. G. J. Van Zoeren presiding, the singing of a Dutch psalm verse, scripture reading and prayer by the president. Readings were given by Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage, Mrs. H. Roelofs, Miss Marie Ver Hage and Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden. The following collections were taken: missionary \$15, and silver, \$2.20.

The singing of a hymn, "My Redeemer," and closing prayer by Mrs. Henry Spanman concluded the program. The following members were present: Mrs. J. G. J. Van Zoeren, Mrs. J. Pott, Mrs. C. Faber, Mrs. H. Roelofs, Mrs. T. W. Van Haisma, Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage, Mrs. E. Vander Kolk, Mrs. H. Spanman, Mrs. J. Freiks, Mrs. M. P. Wyngarden and Miss Marie Ver Hage.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Allaban and family. Mrs. Jennie De Witt of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Jack Wyngarden and Jill returned to their home on Wednesday from Ludington. Mrs. Wyngarden's mother, Mrs. Forsell underwent a serious operation recently.

The Classis Holland which met last week has voted overwhelmingly against the proposed merger of the Reformed churches with the United Presbyterian church.

The Rev. John Pott preached in Benheim on Exchange Sunday, April 13, with the pastor of the church. At the evening service, the special music was furnished by a male quartet of Drenthe composed of Marvin Paddig, Floyd Brower, Harold and Wesley Timmer.

The regular consistory meeting was held on Monday evening at 8 p.m.

The Willing Workers meeting was held on Thursday evening with Mrs. M. Wabeke and Mrs. D. Kroodas as joint hostesses.

The CE met Wednesday evening with Ellen Wyngarden as leader. The topic discussed was "I Will Pray." Catechism class met at 8 o'clock.

The spring conference and ingathering of supplies for Knox Memorial hospital was held Wednesday, April 15, at the Third Reformed church of Holland. The Rev. R. Ten Haken of New Mexico was the speaker in the afternoon.

Sunday evening services will be held April 23 in the local church at 7:30, 7:15 song service. The special music will be furnished by Douglas De Graaf, an outstanding singer and song leader. He comes from Grand Rapids and is a student at Calvin college.

Mr. and Mrs. L. De Pree of Zeeland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Wabeke.

Henry Boss attended a father and son banquet on Friday evening in Grandville with his son, Elmer Boss. Mrs. H. Boss was a supper guest of Mrs. Boss and children of Grand Rapids.

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Supervisors Set Tentative Budget In Allegan County

Miscellaneous Fund Of \$75,000 Set Up for Anticipated Deficits

Allegan, (Special)—Allowing a \$75,000 miscellaneous fund to pay off anticipated deficit this year, Allegan county supervisors set a tentative \$457,642.55 budget Thursday before adjourning its April session.

The total is an increase over \$322,914, which was the 1930 budget, but which the board acknowledged was sure to be exceeded before the year is over.

While passing the enlarged budget, supervisors also admitted there was no hope of raising the amount by taxation; it would take 9.48 mills on present county valuations.

Finance Chairman Carl Winslow said his committee would ask the tax allocation board for eight mills, which would be an increase of one mill over this year's rate.

"At that," said Winslow, "We don't know how we'll squeeze by on it."

The board's action on raising equalized valuation this week gave the county a chance to raise about \$388,041 if it receives the requested eight-mill rate. The resulting deficit in the budget probably will mean a second action to borrow money sometime this year. The \$75,000 fund, plus a \$1,000 for interest on the loan, are thus budget items over and above the requests from county departments for operating expenses.

The board also added \$10,000 to the budget, Thursday by approving the social welfare department's request for an addition to the county hospital. It plans a building 22 by 36 feet to house a kitchen and dining area, with the present facilities to be remodeled for care of 14 patients. A ramp from the hospital to the annex is another building item.

Besides allowing for a loan, the new budget also includes requests from the county offices, some of which are larger than this year.

But the county road commission, which asked for three mills to help pay off its anticipated deficit, received no allotment.

The commission said it expected state revenues to total \$392,000 next year, with expenditures figured at \$734,000.

Final decision on departmental budgets will be made in October, but one of the requests figured in the total include the welfare department's \$140,000, a \$40,000 increase over this year, and a sum they asked for and did not receive when the 1930 budget was set up.

The board of education asked \$7,350, instead of \$5,400 received this year, and comparing with 1949 actual expenses of \$7,343. The health department, which spent \$41,581 in 1949, and was allotted \$27,400 this year, is asking \$33,000. The sheriff's department wants almost \$5,000 more than this year's \$24,874 grant due to increased business. The supervisors' account has an added \$2,500 for re-amping added to its usual \$10,000.

Other department requests tally closely with the amount received this year. These include, among the largest offices: Register of deeds, \$10,372; prosecutor, \$6,690; probate \$11,225; clerk, \$11,227; circuit court, \$10,020; treasurer, \$12,695; drain commissioner \$4,765. A \$38,600 fund provides care for county patients in tuberculosis and other sanitariums.

Hope Choir, Soloist Featured in 'Elijah'

Excerpts from Mendelssohn's "Elijah," sung by the Hope college choir, with Robert Krandenonk as title soloist, furnished the highlight of the choir concert in Hope Memorial chapel Thursday night.

Presented was the Mt. Carmel scene and also the familiar portion of the oratorio, "He Watched Over Israel." Both choir and soloist gave a finished performance of this dramatic episode. Harvey O. Davis of the faculty was the director. Miss Jeanne Ver Beek and Miss Alicia Van Zoeren were piano accompanists.

The all-sacred concert opened with two chorales by Bach, "Wake, Awake," and "Jesus, Who Didst Ever Love Me," also the "Miserere Domini" written for double chorus by Durante. Miss Frances Rose was organ accompanist.

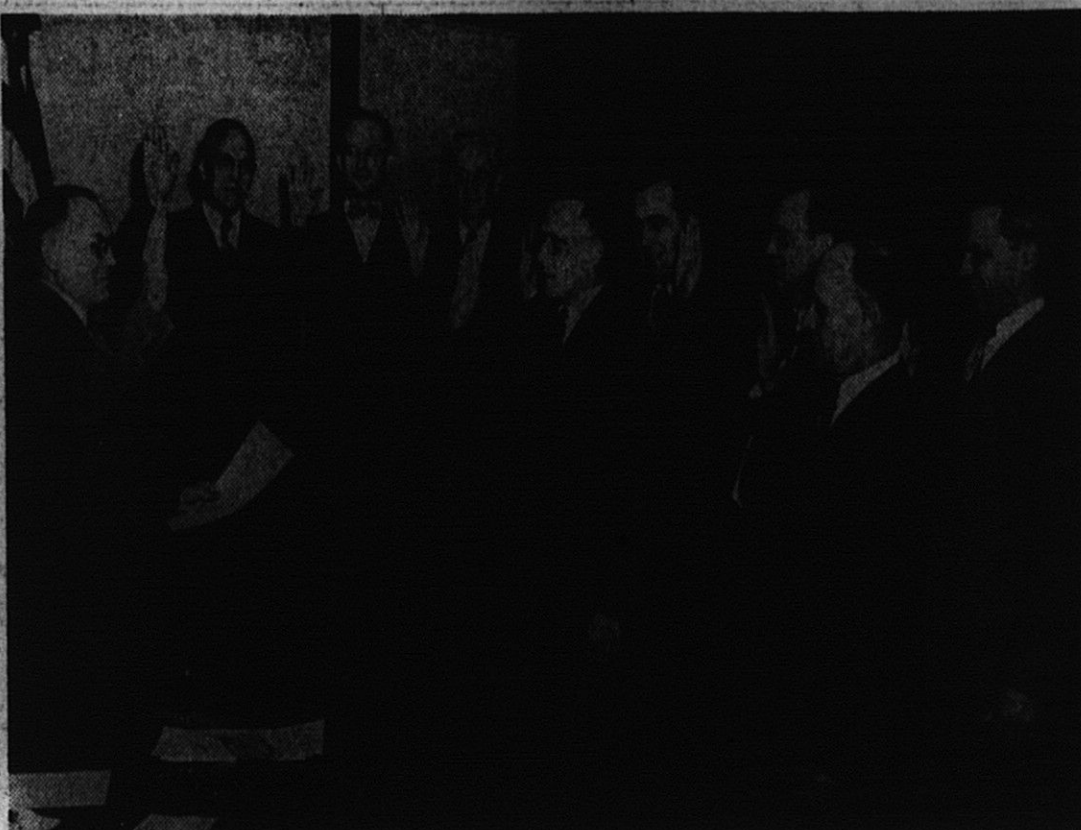
The remainder of the program was sung a cappella and included "Cherubim Song" by Glinka; "Jesu, Friend of Sinner," Grieg; "Holy Radiant Light," Gretchaninoff; "As Torrents in Summer," Elgar; "Built as a Rock," Christiansen, with Paul Kranendonk as soloist, and "Hymn to King Stephen," by Kodaly.

Watson District Voters Approve Consolidation

Allegan (Special)—Voters of Watson school district approved consolidation of their district with the Martin Township Agricultural school Thursday night.

The dozen or more students have been attending the Martin school for six years. Martin district will have to approve the consolidation before the union is effective.

Two other Watson schools, districts eight and three, already have been consolidated with Martin.



Three new aldermen were among the eight city officers sworn in by City Clerk Clarence Greengood at the regular Common Council meeting this week. The group included three re-elected aldermen, the mayor and city treasurer. They are (left to right): Clerk Greengood, Mayor Harry Harrington, Ald. Robert Notier of the first ward, City Treasurer Henry J. Beckfort, Ald. LaVern Rudolph of the second ward, Ald. Robert Vischer of the sixth ward, Ald. Arnold Hertel of the fifth ward, Ald. Anthony Peerbolt of the fourth ward, and Ald. Lloyd Maatman of the third ward. Rudolph, Vischer and Hertel are serving their first terms. (Penna-Sas photo)



Ten tired people look on happily as Charter Commission Chairman Vernon D. Ten Cate affixes the final signature to the new city charter completed Thursday night. Seated (left to right) are John Donnelly, Dr. Bruce Raymond, Ten Cate, Mrs. Lucille Donovan and George Sidwell, charter consultant from Lansing. Standing (left to right) are Daniel Vander Werf, Herman Mooi, Raymond Holwerda, Isaac Kouw, Alfred Joldersma and City Clerk Clarence Greengood who served as clerk.

Commission Ends Job, Sends Charter to Capitol

After more than a year of work, the City Charter commission completed its work Thursday night. Members affixed their signatures to the proposed new charter, and a copy was sent on its way for approval by Gov. Williams and the attorney general's office.

The commission was elected Feb. 21, 1949, and held its first meeting March 1. Since then, 40 meetings have been held, and a 16-chapter charter has been written and adopted.

Thursday's session was occupied mostly by proof-reading—checking on punctuation, grammar, and wording. Passages that rounded off and polished existing sections were adopted.

Commissioner Herman Mooi made the motion to adopt the charter, and received a second from Alfred Joldersma. The vote, of course, was unanimous.

Raymond T. Holwerda and Dr. Bruce Raymond, then extended the commission's vote of thanks and applause to chairman Vernon D. Ten Cate, citing him for leadership in the writing of the charter.

Ten Cate responded by reminding the commission that this had been no one-man job. He called the charter commission's work "a masterful job."

"Holland needs what we have done here," Ten Cate said. He also praised the work of charter consultant George Sidwell, of Lansing, and City Clerk Clarence Greengood, who served as commission clerk.

Sidwell, who has worked with 33 charter groups, said that the Holland commission was "near the top of the list." You have been a good group to work with, he said.

Sidwell pointed out that the average commission meets from five to eight months. Holland's met 13 months.

"This commission is at the top of the list for duration," he said. The clerk was directed to inform Common Council of the commission's adoption of the charter, and to request the council to establish election procedure. The election date recommended by the Commission is June 26.

The commission also directed the clerk to request a special, informal meeting with the council to discuss the charter. This meeting will probably be next week.

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Other commissioners present last night were Mrs. E. Donovan, Dan Vander Werf, John Donnelly and Isaac Kouw.

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Exchange Club Hears College President

Dr. Irwin J. Lubbers, president of Hope college, addressed the Exchange club at its regular noon luncheon April 17. His topic was "The Second Half, or, After the Intermission." Dr. Lubbers prefaced his talk by saying that in recent years the people of our country have passed from an attitude of questioning the big industrialist and a debunking of his greatness to one of wondering if labor isn't getting too important in its own thinking.

Last year Dr. Lubbers attended a convention of the National Association of Manufacturers and came back with definite convictions of that organization. One was that these men are insistent on keeping the country solvent. Some startling figures were divulged by them, he said. Our \$43 billion government costs more than the combined value of all the insurance policies in our country, more than the working capital of all industries in the United States, more than the value of all our urban homes, and more than all the livestock and machinery on all our farms.

"Dr. Lubbers believes these men are fully cognizant of the responsibility of the United States to the rest of the world and are willing to shoulder it. They would continue the Marshall plan. American business is willing to support President Truman's four-point program of aiding undeveloped areas, providing that aid is administered by business men, and not by politicians. They would have everyone realize that whatever the government gives away, it first takes away, he said.

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Fighting Dutch Win Net Victory

Hope college's tennis team broke in the victory column Friday with an overwhelming 8-2 victory over Grand Rapids Junior college at Grand Rapids.

Gerry Gnade and Chuck Votaw were the only Hopeites to lose. Gnade playing No. 1 lost to E. Theodore 1-6, 6-2, 6-3. Votaw, playing No. 3 singles, dropped his match to R. Norden 3-6, 6-2, 6-2. The remainder of the Fighting Dutch won their matches. No. 2 Ron Beckfort defeated B. Boeskoel 6-2, 1-6, 7-5; and Ron Bos, Neil Van Dis, and Ken Van Wierden all won.

Hope swept the doubles. Beckfort and Bos beat Theodore and Boeskoel 6-2, 6-4; Ego and Van Wierden won over Norden and T. Drenton 8-6, 8-6; and Gnade and Votaw slammed J. Gensch and C. Fry 6-1, 6-3.

The matches were played at the Franklin park courts in Grand Rapids. Ken Weller's crew moves on to Hillsdale today for its first MIAA opponent of the season.

21 Respond at Donor Clinic

Twenty-one donors appeared at the regular clinic for the Holland Community Blood bank April 17 at Red Cross headquarters.

Donors were Mrs. Harold Cramer, Gerrit Ter Horst, Ruth Smith, Howard Phillips, Mrs. Ruby Hyser, Alvin Brandt, Jay Vanden Berg, Barbara Lampen, Evert Schotenboer, Kenneth Smouse, Fred A. Banna, Charles Kelley, Richard Blouin, Wilbur Masse-link, Mrs. Don Elenbaas, John Talsma, Nalvan Lugten, Esther Bartels, Mahtien Tans, Emma Kuysers and Doris Eschenaur.

Physicians on duty were Dr. E. Vander Berg and Dr. William Westrate. Nurses were Mrs. A. Van Hoven, Mrs. O. Anderson and Mrs. H. Hall. Nurses aides were Mae Whitmer, Margaret Stegink and Jeanette Poest.

Gray Lady on duty was Crystal Van Amroy. In charge of the canteen were Mrs. H. Kuit, Mrs. E. Den Herder, Jeanette Veltman and Mrs. R. Carley. Mrs. Jack Elenbaas was historian.

The next clinic will be held Monday, May 1.

After a two-hour deliberation, the jury foreman announced that it had failed to reach a unanimous decision. Justice C. C. Wood then discharged the jury and excused the defendant.

The trial took most of the day, starting at 9:15 and ending at 3:40.

Hobeck, a high school student, was charged with reckless driving growing out of an accident March 18 at the corner of Ottawa Ave. and Lake Shore Drive.

Men who served on the jury were A. L. Knipe, Ralph Teerman, Rance Overbeck, Jacob Essenberg, and Joe Ten Brink.

Holland Preparing for a Gay Time at Tulip Time

"Tis a Gay Time at Tulip Time," Holland citizens agree as they circle on their calendars May 17-20, the dates marking the 22nd year of this distinctive floral festival.

Renowned as a festival for all ages and tastes, this year's event is patterned to please guests with varied interests.

For flower lovers there is the tulip—more than eight miles of lanes, dozens of mass plantings in the parks and boulevards, and acres of tulips in spectacular array at three tulip farms. Among these thousands of tulips, there is a single mystery tulip which will be unveiled for the first time this

year. In contrast to most festivals, homage is paid to the flowers and the tulip is Queen of the Festival.

Tiny tots and teen-agers alike have important duties for the festival. More than 300 high school girls present the sparkling wooden shoe dance, scores of their classmates appear with the bands and choirs. Smaller fry cavort in a children's festival reenacting games, folk dances and songs of their cousins in the land of windmills and dikes across the sea.

Everyone loves a parade—and Tulip Time offers three, each one unique to the festival.

Tulip Time is a festival of

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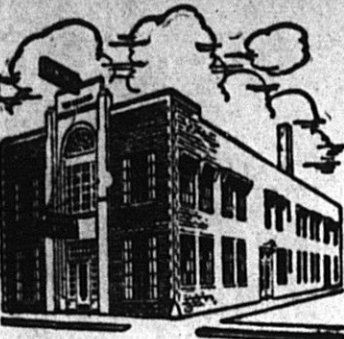
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YOUNG MEN IN SEARCH
OF AN ISSUE

Eager to be of service to their
community, state and nation, cer-
tain local young men asked ear-
nestly of older heads, at a public
get-together, what there was for
them to do. All the voters were
after, they pointed out, was hand-
outs from the governmental Santa
Claus. What issues could they as
the coming leaders advocate that
would capture the voters? Should
they think up new give-away
schemes that the politicians in
power had not yet hit on? If so,
what should be the issue? They
were looking for advice from ex-
perienced heads.

This is an attempt to provide
the answer. It may sound ideal-
istic and impractical to youthful
budding leaders who have grown
up in the gospel of give-away.
But the time seems to have come
when idealism is the only sal-
vation for the American people who,
on national and state levels, are
on the broad highway to economic
ruin.

To all young men and women
who are looking for an "issue",
the advice should be given that
the Santa Claus psychology is a
delusion. True, it has worked
gloriously for politicians for half
a generation. But unless young
men are so defeatist in their poli-
tical thinking that they believe
the American people have per-
manently lost their common sense,
they may safely bet on the theory
that the future, politically, does
not belong to the believers in
Santa Claus.

The best political issue that
anyone could hitch his wagon to is
the blunt gospel that the Ameri-
cans of tomorrow must live with-
in their income, and better yet
save a few dollars. The greatest
evil that confronts the people of
this country is the impossible tax
burden. Public men and would-
be public men who have the guts
to tell the voters bluntly and bru-
tally that they must quit kidding
themselves that they can get
something for nothing are the
only ones who can save the people
from disaster—on all three fronts,
national, state, and local. Playing
the give-away political game is
showing signs of becoming obso-
lete, for the simple reason that
average Americans are beginning
to see that in that way lies dis-
aster.

Don't be fooled by the "me-
too-ism" of bigger and better
handouts for more and more votes.
If you want a real issue, throw
all that into the ash can and con-
front the voters with a gospel of
political blood, sweat and tears.
Even if you lose the immediate
battle, you'll help to win the eco-
nomic war against a tax burden
that is strangling the life out of
America.

If any young man wants an is-
sue, there is one ready to hand.
This should make anyone part
of a plank for a platform.

Youth Changes Plea
In Tulip Destruction

Grand Haven (Special)—Eugene Gillette, 17-year-old Holland youth who previously pleaded guilty to a charge of malicious destruction in connection with de-
stroying tulip plants on Wash-
ington boulevard, changed his plea
to not guilty when he appeared in
circuit court Monday.

Young Gillette told Judge Ray-
mond L. Smith he thought the tulip
bed was mud. Bond of \$1,000
was continued and his case was
adjourned until the June term.

The alleged offense occurred
March 22 in which tulip plants
valued at \$400 were destroyed.

Holland Furnace Elects
Officers and Directors

All officers and directors were
re-elected at the annual stock-
holders meeting of the Holland
Furnace Co. Tuesday.

Directors are P. T. Cheff, Mrs.
Katherine Nystrom, Edgar F. F.
Garlock, L. H. Kolb, Edgar P.
Landwehr, Grover C. Good and
Paul Cholete.

Officers are P. T. Cheff, presi-
dent; H. Weyenberg, vice presi-
dent; William H. Boer, secretary
and assistant treasurer; George B.
Tinholt, treasurer and assistant
secretary.

Sunday School

Lesson

April 30, 1950
Moral Decline

Hosea 4:1-9; 6:1-3; 10:12, 13
By Henry Geerlings

The book of Hosea is a wonder-
ful book in many ways. It not
only tells us of the moral condi-
tions of the Israelitish people of
his time, it gives us a revelation
of the love of God for His people
and of His sovereign purposes in
grace for them in times that are
yet future. A reading of the book
at first brings a feeling of depres-
sion, when we think of the low
depths to which the chosen people
had sunk; but as we continue, we
are inspired and elated when we
read of the glorious deliverance
and salvation that is yet to come
to Jews and Gentiles alike
through the Savior King.

The message of Hosea was in
the main like the messages of the
other prophets. He pointed out the
sins of the people. He exhorted
them to repentance. He warned
them of certain judgements and
he predicted a future glory for
the people. His first theme was
that of the moral decline of the
nation. This was not a popular
theme. It never is. No matter how
guilty a people may be they re-
sist being reminded of the fact.
And, moreover, many times those
who have declined morally are the
least sensible to the fact. They
are ready to deny the charge and
challenge the speaker.

In the case of Hosea, he had
plenty of evidence to prove the
moral decline of the people. He
pointed out their religious apos-
tasy. They had separated them-
selves from God and His temple,
the appointed place for worship.
They had made golden calves and
set them up as objects of wor-
ship and devotion. The prophet
showed them the foolishness as
well as the wickedness of this
charge. Their god was the product
of one of their own workmen. This
was a devastating argument that
they could not deny. Moreover,
the prophet added that the calf
was unable to deliver. It had vir-
tually cast them off. The end was
worse than the beginning.

Another example of their moral
decline was their political apos-
tasy. They had dethroned Jehovah
as their king. He had promised to
protect them from their enemies.
Now they were seeking political
alliances with adjacent nations.
They call to Egypt. They go to As-
syria. The result was the Assyria
with whom they tried to make an
alliance was the nation that in the
end destroyed them. Their sin
found them out. Such is the na-
ture of sin. It destroys those who
fall into its power.

Another evidence of their moral
decline was their moral apostasy.
In the law of Moses the people
were commanded to be true to one
another, kind, considerate and
helpful. They were to live as bro-
thers, children of one family, re-
garding the interests, safety and
well-being as a religious privilege
and duty. But when they turned
from God, their attitude to one
another changed for the worse.
Their sins had brought them into
an unusual condition. Is that not
a picture of much of the political
world of today?

Another sign of the moral de-
cline of this people was their apos-
tasy from their covenant with
God. He had given them his laws,
ordinances and commandments,
when Israel came out of Egypt.
These governed the domestic, re-
ligious and social life of the peo-
ple. The laws were comprehensive
and easily understood by every
normal person. And those who
walked in them found them con-
ducive to a life of peace, usefulness
and blessedness. Their moral state
was the direct result of their vol-
untary choice. They had not been
deceived.

Another proof of their moral
decline was the presence of prop-
hets in their midst. If they had
known their law, they would have
known that the prophets appeared
among them only when they had
departed from following the Lord.
But the presence of the prophets,
while they were a sign of God's
displeasure, were a sign of hope.
God was still for them. He had
not cast them off entirely. He was
giving them one more opportunity
to return to Him and to enter in-
to His favor.

In studying the moral decline
of this people, who had been so
signally blessed by God above all
peoples of the earth, the thought
arises in our mind, Why? What
was the cause of it all? We get
the answer from the Bible. All
human institutions, even if they
are of divine origin, have a ten-
dency to be corrupted by the will
and interference of men. The wor-
ship of God, marriage, the Sab-
bath day set apart for rest and
worship, human government, the
society of God's people—all these
have been corrupted by the dis-
obedience and sinful will of men.
In this fallen world, it is the na-
ture of things to decay. God only
is changeless. We can set down
as a fact that any institution that
comes under the government of
man will eventually suffer a moral
decay.

But the root cause of it all lies
in the nature of man. He has a
sinful nature. Before he can serve
God acceptably he must be born
again. Born-again Christians will
be faithful and true to God's re-
vealed will and purposes. While
they are active the institutions
under their care will remain
strong and prosperous. But born-
again Christians do not get born-
again children. They must pass
through that experience for them-
selves.

Ouchita national forest in Ar-
kansas and Oklahoma produces
nearly 22 million board feet of
lumber each year without deplet-
ing the natural supply.



Here's an idea of what prepara-
tions go into the annual Holland
Fish and Game club banquet. It
took 140 pies to serve the more
than 600 sportsmen who attended.

Getting ready to make a round of
the Armory are (left to right):
Mrs. Howard Bauman, Mrs. Pres-
ton Dalman and Mrs. John Raak.
Ladies of North Holland Reform-
ed church were in charge of serv-

ing and preparing the meal. And
imagine all the accompanying
knives, forks and spoons, cups and
plates that had to be cleaned up
the following morning.
(Penna-Sas photo)

In the Good
Old Days

O. Wild of Benton Harbor, state
vice president of the White Wy-
andotte national association, has
notified L. S. Spritsma, secretary
of the Holland Poultry and Pet
Stock association, that the silver
cup given each year by the na-
tional association for competition
between members of the White
Wyandotte association will this
year be given to the Holland as-
sociation. This news story ap-
peared in the Sept. 30 issue of the Ot-
tawa County Times published in
1904 by M. G. Manting.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Wol-
fert, North River St., a daughter,
Invitations are out for the
wedding of Percy Ray and Miss
Alvena Breyman on Thursday,
Oct. 6.

Grand Haven milkmen have ad-
vanced the price of milk to 6
cents a quart.

The Rev. D. R. Drukker of the
Fourteenth Street Christian Re-
formed church, has declined a call
to Muskegon.

Miss Minnie Riksen, who was
graduated from Hope college last
year, has taken a position as prin-
cipal of the public school at Beaver-
dam.

Ray Hadden, John Neerken, B.
Lugers, Hoyt G. Post, Clarence
Kremers, Ed Stiekete, Ralph De
Vries and Henry Pelgrim left for
their studies at the State Univer-
sity on Monday.

The opening address in Seme-
link Family hall was delivered
Tuesday evening by Dr. N. M.
Steffens. His subject was, "Roman
Catholic Tendencies in the Pro-
testant Church of Today."

The health board recently
passed a resolution recommending
that the common council order all
premises in the city to be connect-
ed with sewers wherever there are
sewers.

The Rev. J. J. Van Zanten of
this city, the educational agent
of Hope college, has received a
call from the Reformed church at
Beaverdam.

Miss Alma Cooley of Chicago
and Royal W. Scott of this city
were united in marriage on Wed-
nesday by the Rev. A. T. Luther.

Cards are out announcing the
marriage of Richard Van Lente
and Sarah Clark Thursday eve-
ning, Sept. 29, at the home of the
bride's sister, Mrs. James Price.

Grand Haven Tribune—Captain
Fisher of the tug Auger picked
up a muskallunge, in the river, yes-
terday morning that weighed 42
pounds and was four feet eight
inches in length. The tug went
out of the harbor just behind the
steamer Indiana, and as they
came opposite the life saving sta-
tion the huge fish came to the sur-
face. When it was picked up it
was found to have been struck by
the Indiana's propeller wheel and
cut in two places.

Mrs. W. A. Holley entertained
Mrs. Elizabeth Beahler of Stan-
wood and Mrs. W. E. Durrah of
Big Rapids.

Mrs. E. W. Burton and son, Cal-
vin, of South Chicago, Ill., are vi-
siting Mrs. J. E. Moffett and fam-
ily of Orchard Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Westveer of Wa-
terloo, Iowa, visited their parents,
Mr. and Mrs. James Westveer this
week.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Ben-
jamin and son of Appleton, Wis.,
visited relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mier of
Fredericksburg, Ohio, and Mr. and
Mrs. R. Mier of Ottawa Station
visited Eugene Fellows and family
Friday and Saturday.

Survivors Listed

Survivors of Mrs. Mary Van
Noord, 64, who died Saturday at
her home in Zeeland, are two sons,
Gelder of Holland and Henry of
Zeeland; two grandchildren; two
brothers, Henry and George Dek-
ker; a sister, Mrs. Fred Volkers;
a half brother, Albert Koerts of
California; a stepister, Mrs. Min-
nie Smeets of Grand Rapids, and
a sister-in-law, Mrs. Anna Van-
der Meulen.

Holland
In 1916

At 8 o'clock last evening before
a large gathering of friends and
relatives, Miss Anna Van Ark,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Her-
man Van Ark of 214 West 12th
St., became the bride of Bert
Naberhuis, son of Mr. and Mrs.
James Naberhuis of 216 West
10th St. The Rev. Martin E. Flipse
of the Third Reformed church
performed the ceremony. This
news story appeared in the Fri-
day, July 7, issues of the Holland
Daily Sentinel published in 1916.

Miss Bessie Van Ark of the
Evanston Hospital Training school
is spending a few days at the
home of her parents on West 12th
St.

Miss Mary Collins of Cleveland,
Ohio, and Miss Clyde Hamel of
this city who are training at the
St. Mary's hospital in Grand Ra-
pids, are spending their vacations
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P.
L. Hamel.

The members of fireside club of
Jamestown are having a house
party at the Edgewater cottage,
Macatawa park. The party con-
sists of the following girls: Hattie
Strick, Emma Van Noord, Lizzie
De Jong, Abby Beek, Hattie Bou-
man, Lizzie Beek, Gertrude De
Boer, Della Rynbrandt, Blanche
Stillwell, Belle Van Haften and
Gertrude Geerlings.

Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Godfrey and
Prof. Wynand Wichers are making
an extensive automobile tour of
the eastern states. Leaving Hol-
land about two weeks ago they
went to Jackson, Toledo, Cleve-
land, Buffalo, Rochester, Otsego,
N. Y., and other cities. While in
New York they took a boat trip
around the "Thousand Islands".
They recently crossed into Cana-
da at Montreal. They expect to
tour down the Hudson to their re-
turn from Canada and visit New
York, Boston and other large cit-
ies.

Active operations were inaugu-
rated in Grand Rapids last night
in the campaign of Gerrit J. Diek-
ema for the Republican nomina-
tion for governor, by the selec-
tion of George Clapperton as
chairman of a permanent working
organization and manager of the
campaign, according to a story ap-
pearing in the Saturday, July 8,
issue.

John Hill and Miss Etta Eld-
ridge of West Olive were united in
marriage by Justice M. A. Sooy
this morning. They will make
their home on a farm in West
Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Croft and
daughter, Marian of Chicago, Ill.,
are the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Arend Visser. Mr. Croft is man-
ager of the United Agency in Chi-
cago.

Miss Anna Phanstiel of Battle
Creek who has been visiting her
sister, Mrs. A. C. Van Raalte of
this city has left on a motor trip
to Old Mission and Mackinac Is-
land with Gus Ashford and fam-
ily of Detroit.

Hermanus Bos has the distinc-
tion of being the oldest employee
on the payroll of the Pere Mar-
quette railroad. He will complete
46 years of continuous service
next week. Bos started his rail-
road career as a section boss in
1870 for the old Chicago and West
Michigan Railway company which
later was absorbed by the Pere
Marquette. Twenty years later he
lost his right leg in an accident
and for 26 years he has been a
flagman at the East Eighth St.
crossing.

Miss Vera Ward who has been
the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank
Bertsch of Beechwood for the past
few weeks, left today for her
home in Rolette, N. D. Mrs. W.
Addison of Niagara, N. D., and
Mrs. W. McMahon of Orr, N. D.,
sister of Mrs. Bertsch are now vi-
siting at Beechwood.

The fifth annual West Michigan
Pike tour, which started from
Chicago Monday morning and
terminates at Mackinac City Fri-
day, stands high to establish a

precedent in "pike touring," for
all the associations in the Uni-
ted States, according to a story
appearing in the Monday, July 10,
issue. It will be largely different
from any other tour, because it
will be staged with the definite
object of ascertaining just what
amount of work has been done on
the famous pike, and exactly the
amount required to bring it to a
stage of completion.

Miss Henrietta Brinkman,
daughter of Mailcarer and Mrs.
John Brinkman of route 8 was
pleasantly surprised Saturday af-
ternoon at her home by a num-
ber of her friends, the occasion
being her 12th birthday.

William Jekel has a position
with the Judson Grocery Co. of
Grand Rapids. Mr. Jekel finished
a course at the Holland Business
college in June.

A rattlesnake-dog fight in which
both paid the penalty with their
lives, proved an exciting affair on
the farm of Benjamin Arndt of
Hamilton. The dog attacked the
reptile until it was dead. The
snake, however, bit the dog so
badly the animal had to be killed.
Arndt secured seven rattles for
the loss of his dog.

The Rev. and Mrs. Clarence
Dame will be tendered a recep-
tion by the congregation of the
Calvary Reformed church, Grand
Rapids, of which Rev. Dame was
last week ordained pastor, Thurs-
day evening.

Edward Soule of Grand Haven
will enter the primary campaign
as candidate for the nomination of
probate judge.

Paul and Gordon Oltmans,
Lawrence Hamburg, Tennis Beck-
er and Harold Karsten have re-
turned from a 10 days' outing at
Port Sheldon.

Harrington PTA Names
Officers at Meeting

Hoyt Steffens was named presi-
annual election and social Tues-
day night. Mrs. Eugene Osterhav-
en is the new vice president; Mrs.
James Wiersma, secretary, and
Mrs. Harold Dorn, treasurer.

Mrs. Morette Rider presented
music pupils in a varied program
of vocal and instrumental num-
bers to give the parents an oppor-
tunity to hear the progress being
made.

Dr. D. Ivan Dykstra presided
and announced appointment of a
committee to work with the Boy
Scouts, Camp Fire Girls and Blue
Birds. Chairman is Hoyt Steffens
with Mrs. I. H. Marsijle, Miss
Adeline Sybesma and Russell
Teusink.

Mrs. Russell Teusink and her
committee served pie, coffee and
ice cream following the program.

This was the concluding PTA
program for the year with eighth
grade graduation scheduled for
May 25.

Retiring officers are Dykstra,
president; Mrs. Lawrence Welton,
vice president; Mrs. Robert Green,
secretary, and Mrs. Gerald Tin-
holt, treasurer.

Miscellaneous Shower

Honors Brides-Elect

The Misses Marjorie and Elaine
Van Loo, May and June brides-
elect, respectively, were guests of
honour at a miscellaneous shower
given Friday afternoon at the
home of Mrs. Dick Klein.

A two-course lunch was served
by the hostesses, Mrs. Klein, Mrs.
Arthur Groenhof and Mrs. Harold
Winters. Gifts were opened under
a decorated umbrella. Easter lil-
ies decorated the room.

Guests were the Mesdames Nick
De Witte, John Huizenga and
Helen Van Loo, of Holland and
Frank Huizenga and Gary Huiz-
enga of Zeeland.

Rainfall at 1.34 Inches

Holland residents welcomed
sunshine early Tuesday fol-
lowing a night of rain and a dark
drizzling morning. Latest rainfall
measured 1.34 inches, sending
Black river and small tributaries
over their banks. The temperature
was 45 at 11 a.m.

Zeeland

Joyce Hendricks was in charge
of the Junior Christian Endeavor
meeting at the Second Reformed
church on the topic "The Family
Works Together."

Anne De Pree discussed the to-
pic "I will Read My Bible Every
Day" at the Intermediate Chris-
tian Endeavor meeting.

Services at the Second Reform-
ed church next Sunday will be in
charge of Russell Horton, student
at Western seminary.

Catherine Schreotenboer, Della
Bosch, Catherine Vander Kooi and
Geraldine Walcott of Zeeland high
school have been awarded certi-
ficates for passing a complete the-
ory test in shorthand. A minimum
of 90 per cent is required to re-
ceive the award.

Typing awards were won by
Joan Bolman, Ruth Kuit, Mary
Dickman, Geraldine Walcott, Celia
Yntema, Roger Brower, Fred
Freeman, Shirley Walters, Den-
nis De Haan, Marilyn Mathieson,
Sylvia Schipper, Betty Zwijghu-
zen, Mae Naber, Lyle Hop, Harris
Nykamp, Laura Gitchel and Kath-
leen Lankheet.

Seniors of Zeeland high school
have received an invitation from
the University of Michigan to at-
tend "University Day." The pro-
gram is devoted to acquainting
prospective students with the
courses and campus. The event is
scheduled for May 5.

The faculty and employees of
Zeeland public schools will be en-
tertained by the Board of Educa-
tion in the near future. The pro-
gram will be planned by the
wives of board members and the
dinner will be held at the City
hall. Several games are planned
for entertainment. This is an an-
nual affair which is in its third
year.

At a regular meeting of the
Ladies Aid society to be held in
the parlors of the Second Reform-
ed church on Thursday afternoon,
a special musical program will be
presented under the direction of
Miss Dorothy Smith of the music
department. The high school chor-
us will sing selections from the
opera, "The Student Prince" by
Sigmund Romberg. Patty Lowry
and Albert Wesseldyke will sing
solo parts. Mrs. B. Venekla-
sen will be in charge of devotions
and Mrs. John Baar and Mrs. S.
Baar will be hostesses, all women
of the church are invited to at-
tend.

May 4 has been set aside as
Honor Day at Zeeland high school
for the presentation of awards. At
an afternoon assembly program
medals or awards in music, fore-
nsics, sports, journalism, Student
Council, National Honor society
and photography will be pre-
sented. Special honors for citizenship,
service and other merits will also
be granted. Honor Day is spon-
sored by the Student Council.

Miss Lila De Pree, student
nurse at Presbyterian hospital,
Chicago, recently spent a few
days in Zeeland at the home of
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian
De Pree, South Centennial St.
Mrs. Edward De Pree, Central
Ave., underwent surgery at Hol-
land hospital Wednesday after-
noon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Schreuder who
visited at the home of their chil-
dren, Mr. and Mrs. D. Plasman,
Garfield Ave., a few weeks, have
returned to their home in Denver,
Colo.

Eugene Van Tamele, student
at Harvard university, Cambridge,
Mass., has returned after spend-
ing his spring vacation at the
home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Gerrit Van Tamele, West Cen-
tral Ave.

Misses Dena and Albertha Vugt-
even, of Rock Valley, Iowa, are
visiting their uncle and aunt,
Mr. and Mrs. L. Sharpe of South
Maple St.

Mrs. F. Bekins of Coopersville
was a recent visitor at the home
of her mother Mrs. Anna Knap
East Cherry St.

Inez Wassenaar was announc-
ed the winner of the Ottawa
county dairy queen contest held
in the City hall April 12. Miss
Wassenaar is a senior of Zeeland
high school. She was judged on
her ability to express herself
and on her extracurricular school
activities. At present she is a
member of the Y-Teens, Home
Economics club, chorus, glee club
and annual staff. She is rated in
the upper third of the class. Af-
ter graduation she plans to en-
ter a nursing school. Inez will
next travel to Fremont where she
will compete with eight other
contestants to be judged for the
state dairy queen.

At a regular meeting of the
Second Reformed church Ladies
Aid society to be held in the
church parlors Thursday after-
noon, a musical program will be
presented. The Zeeland high
school chorus under the direc-
tion of Miss Dorothy Smith, will
sing selections of the "Student
Prince." Patty Lowry and Al-
bert Wesseldyke will sing the
solo parts.

Members of the Bible Mission
guild of the Third Christian Re-
formed church with husbands as
guests met at the church par-
lors for a potluck supper last
Tuesday evening. The Rev. C.
Witt was guest speaker and dis-
cussed Canadian mission work.

A Parent-Teachers meeting of
the Zeeland School for Christian
Instruction will be held at the
Third Christian Reformed church
Thursday at 8 p.m. Pictures will
be shown by the Rev. Arnold
Brink of Calvin college.

No Fire Permit

Grand Haven (Special)—John
Abramowicz, 40, of Grand Rapids,
charged by the conservation de-
partment with setting a brush fire
which got out of control and en-
dangered and damaged the prop-
erty of William Osner in Robinson
township April 18, pleaded guilty
in Justice George Hoffer's court
and paid \$25 fine and \$5 costs.

Cast Ready to Give 'Rumpelstiltskin'



Members of the Junior Welfare
league have as much fun as the
audience during their presenta-
tion of the children's favorite,
"Rumpelstiltskin." After many
readings of the play (above)
and final dress rehearsals, the
cast is ready to present the pro-
duction for Holland children on
Thursday and Friday afternoons.
It will be given in Holland high
school auditorium at 4 p.m.
Thursday's performance will be
mainly for children of city

schools, Friday's performance for
suburban school children. Mrs.
William Beebe is director.
In the picture, seated in fore-
ground, is Mrs. George Smith, who
plays the role of the Miller's Aid
Queen

Maroons Get Fine Pitching to Blank GR Christian 2-0

A brilliant one hit pitching performance by Floyd Brouwer gave the Holland Christian baseball squad a 2-0 victory over Grand Rapids Christian Thursday afternoon at Grand Rapids.

The contest was Holland's opener and was the first of three games to be played in five days. Coach John Ham's boys entertained Fenwick at Riverview Park today and journey to Hudsonville on Monday.

The young Maroon hurler was in control all the way with the exception of one bad inning when a neat bit of fielding pulled him out of trouble. He allowed just one infield hit while walking two batters and fanning four. The game went only five innings as prearranged by the coaches due to the cold weather. Christian managed to garner five solid blows off the slants of Roger Van Vleet who went the distance for the Eagles.

It was a scoreless ball game for the first two innings with both flingers pitching superb ball. In the third inning the locals managed to touch Van Vleet for a pair of safeties and a tally. Wes Timmer opened the inning with a walk and romped to second on Jerry Kok's one base knock to

left. Catcher Chet Warner filed out, but Tony Diekema singled to right, scoring Timmer. Grand Rapids threatened dangerously in the fourth inning when they loaded the sacks with no outs. Brower then settled down to fan the next batter. Catcher Elzinga then walloped a long drive to left field, but Kok turned to pull it down, saving at least two runs. The Dutch hurler then struck out the final batter to retire the side with no damage done.

The Maroons "iced" the win in the fifth inning adding an insurance marker. Dale Hoffman, local second baseman, socked a hard double over the rightfielder's head. He later came around to score when the first baseman bobbled Byrle Haan's ground ball. Grand Rapids went down in order in their half of the final inning.

Tony Diekema was the hitting star getting two out of three trips to the plate. He was denied his third straight safety by a shoe-string catcher in the final inning. Jack Bykerk got the only Grand Rapids hit. Both clubs committed three errors.

Miscellaneous Shower Honors Leona Bartels

A miscellaneous shower was given Wednesday night in honor of Miss Leona Bartels. The event was held at the home of Mrs. Harvin Zoerhoff.

Games were played and duplicate prizes were awarded to Mrs. John Zoerhoff, Jr., Mrs. Laverne Zoerhoff and Miss Joyce Koops. A bride's book also was made. A two-course lunch was served by the hostess.

Gusts were the Mesdames John Zoerhoff, Sr., James Zoerhoff, Albert Boerger, John Zoerhoff, Jr., Kenneth Nienhuis, Dale Vos, Edward Koops, Laverne Zoerhoff and Levi Bartels, Misses Joyce Koops and Rosalyn Zoerhoff and the guest of honor.

Drops of rain have been measured as large as one-fourth inch in diameter. Their rate of fall is from 15 to 25 feet per second.

Harrison Finishes Remodeling Work

Work has been completed on the modernization job at Harrison's Super Service station, 677 Michigan Ave., which now makes it one of the best and largest Sunoco stations in Western Michigan. Ray Harrison is owner-operator.

The outside of the station was finished with white Erie enamel porcelain with blue above the office. The station canopy also is of white. The interior has two twin-post hoists that are flush with the floor. There are no posts in the center of the room and the inside has glass partitions. The doors are of special design and the heating unit is a specially-built one. Blue Sunoco gas is sold at the station in addition to Exide batteries, seat covers, Firestone tires and polishes, Sunoco Mercury Made and Dynalene oils.

Sunoco products have been accepted in Holland to such an extent that the larger and better equipped station was needed to take care of trade, according to Harrison.

Community Council Plans Annual Meeting in May

Allegan (Special)—Each Allegan organization will have a chance to tell of its biggest accomplishment the past year when the Community council holds its annual meeting in May.

President Stanley Moffett said part of the program will be reports from the more than 60 organizations which comprise the council. Election of officers is slated.

Gerald Shafer has been named nominating committee chairman; Mrs. Hollis Peabody, dinner arrangements, and the Rev. Maxwell Brown, tickets. The date will be announced soon.

Local Home Show Ends After Successful Run

Monday was D for dismantling day at the Home Show.

The show closed Saturday night after a four-day run during which 3,200 persons looked at the 33 displays and exhibits.

Participating merchants and manufacturers expressed "complete satisfaction" with the show, according to promoters.

It is hoped that the entire Army basement, including the large rifle-range room, can be used for any future show.

Saugatuck

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Alwood and daughter Nancy of Milwaukee were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brady. They returned Sunday evening and their son Charles accompanied them.

Miss Jessie Veits had as guests Tuesday, Mrs. Herbert Thomilson and Mrs. E. J. Robert of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Taylor of South Haven, have been spending a week visiting friends here.

Miss Marion Jones of Battle Creek has returned, having spent the winter in Battle Creek.

Marjorie McDonald of Detroit was a recent week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Winifred McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Blois have returned to their lake shore home from a winter stay in Florida.

Mrs. Sophie Roblyer has returned to her home in Saugatuck. She spent the winter in Fenwick.

Mesdames Harry Jackson, George Ferry and Harry Underhill attended a Library Association meeting and luncheon in Wayland last Friday afternoon.

The WSCS of the Methodist church met Tuesday, April 25, with Mrs. Audrey Herbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKay have returned to their home in Chicago after spending a few days at their cottage.

Mrs. Charles Woolever and daughter, Mrs. Larine Bennett, drove over from Chicago for a few days stay at their home on Mason street.

The election on the bond issue for the proposed sewage disposal system, will be held Tuesday, May 9th.

Mrs. Natalie Reed-Franck of Muskegon, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Simonson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wakefield have returned, having spent the winter in Chillicothe, Ohio.

The 29th district of Rebekah Lodges, held its 25th anniversary district meeting in Allegan in the IOOF Hall.

Mrs. D. A. Heath returned Saturday from a winter stay in Florida.

Mrs. L. D. Niles of Ann Arbor spent the week-end with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hopper.

Miss Virginia Hedglin of Dearborn and Robert Collins of Dearborn were week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. Thomas Hedglin.

Mrs. Lavern Davis and son, Larry were guests of her father, B. L. Pierce, in Watervliet for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kean have been visiting her brother, David Plummer. Mr. Plummer spent the winter months in Florida.

The Woman's club meeting, Friday afternoon, April 28, is the annual Business Day. There will be election of officers. The president, Mrs. L. R. Brady, announced the appointment of Mrs. G. A. Heath, Miss Cornelia Koning and Mrs. W. R. Watson on the nominating committee for their meeting, April 28. Mrs. Don Clover is social hostess.

Mrs. Harold Van Syckle of Douglas, entertained the members of the Guild of All Saints Episcopal church at her home, Thursday afternoon, April 20.

The Lincoln Avenue garage specializes in new and factory rebuilt motors, batteries, tires, accessories and the repairing of all makes of cars and trucks. The roomy service department is equipped with high doors to accommodate most any truck, regardless of size.

The lubrication department is well-equipped and modern machinery has been installed to service cars and trucks.

Sixth Grade Pupils Visit The Sentinel

Sixth grade pupils of Froebel school visited The Sentinel Friday afternoon with their teacher, Miss Mae Whitmer.

The pupils are working on the first edition of their own paper, which will be a mimeographed sheet, according to Miss Whitmer. Their visit Friday was part of this newspaper project.

Visitors were Tommy Cady, John Beverwyk, Terry Beck, Billy Buis, Dale Beernink, Ann Marie Kleis, Margo Wolman, Ken Seabast, Janis Malmans, John Canfield, Joanne Peters, Lester Overway, Louise Snellenberger, Minnie De Ridder, Sharon Crawford, Barbara Emmick, Mary Ann Cumerford, Sarabeth Brown, Patty Ashworth, Donna Kempfers, Naomi Ruth Atwood, Marcia Wiersma, Betty Prins, Carolyn Borr, Margie Zickler and Sharon Van Kley.

Meteorers are twice as numerous from July to January as from January to July.

Other officers are Allen Robinson of Coopersville, vice president; Rachel Boer, Coopersville, treasurer; Ray Brummel, Zeeland, secretary; Lloyd McLaughlin of Grand Haven was named to represent the district at the representative assembly. Paul Ter Avest of Zeeland was named alternate.

Area delegates to the state assembly will be John De Witt, Coopersville; Ray Gerkin, Hudsonville; Wilbur Husted, Grand Haven; Don Johnson and Florence Ten Have, Holland; Annabelle Whitnell, Zeeland.

The Music Hour club met at the home of Mrs. Ted Harmsen the past week for the April meeting. Mrs. Justin Sale presided and conducted the State Music Federation meeting to be held at Benton Harbor on May 1-2. The Federation hymn of the month, "Glory and Honor" opened the program. The topic for the evening "Listening to Leisure" consisted of recordings, the choice of each member present and included classical selections with a couple of lighter music. At the conclusion of the program, a television radio sketch was enjoyed.

The family requests that flowers be omitted.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Ver Lee Funeral chapel. The Rev. A. W. Hoogstrate will officiate and burial will be in Restlawn cemetery.

Friends may call at Ver Lee Funeral chapel.

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City Budget Must Be Pared, Allegan Council Informed

Allegan (Special) — A budget totaling \$71,878, representing taxation income, will be the subject of a parring down process when the city council convenes in special session here next Monday night.

In giving the council the tentative figures, City Manager Philip Beauvais estimated \$4,659 would have to be cut somewhere along the line.

The council this week instructed the manager and city attorney to see that no natural gas is put into the mains until the council is satisfied the system is in safe condition. A meeting with officials of the National Utilities Co., which plans to bring natural gas to the city in May, is requested by the council to have a report on the company's recent inspection here.

Two damage suits in prospect against the city were discussed Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams notified the council of claims amounting to \$4,076 when the new elevated storage tank overflowed and water ran into their basement and claiming the tank constitutes a nuisance. Beauvais said construction of a catch basin which would eliminate further mishaps was starting immediately.

Following notice from her lawyer that she would sue for \$6,500, the council requested that Mrs. Mary Grace Barker and her witnesses appear next Monday night for questioning about her claims. Mrs. Barker charges the city liable for injuries she suffered when she fell on a sidewalk ramp on Hubbard St.

Marinus (Mike) De Jonge owns and operates the Lincoln Avenue Garage, 881 Lincoln Ave. He also operates a used car lot in conjunction with the service garage. You will find here a large selection of popular late model automobiles, thoroughly inspected and reconditioned in the service department before being placed on the used car lot. A full guarantee is placed on all cars sold.

De Jonge has a background of many years' experience in the automobiles repairing field and knows automobiles. In addition to late model cars, earlier models also are sold and carry the guarantee.

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Hamilton

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The last meeting of the present school year for the Parent-Teacher group was held last week Friday evening. Anthony Mulder presided at the business session. Dr. H. W. Tenpas led the group singing with Mrs. Earl Poll at the piano, and the Rev. Peter J. Muyskens conducted devotions. Program arrangements were in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Edling and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kaper with Mr. Edling announcing the numbers.

The Rev. Marion Klaaren of Overisel was guest speaker. Musical numbers were a piano solo by Blanche Edling and a vocal solo by Sharon Wassink. County Nurse of Allegan county was present to discuss a health clinic for pre-school children. Refreshments were in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kaper and Mr. and Mrs. Justin Sale.

All arrangements are completed for the musical program, "Spring's a-poppin'", to be presented this week Friday evening at the Community auditorium. Program numbers include chorus groups from the local school, the pupils from Mrs. Ver Hey and Mrs. Melvin's rooms, singing two numbers. A rhythm band from Mrs. Van Slo's room will play, "Sing and Play" and "Echoes of Spring." A Girl's chorus from Mr. Mulder's room will present a song "Water Lilies", all under direction of Mrs. Floyd Kaper, who has taught music throughout the school year.

Solo numbers are a piano solo, "Welcome, Sweet Springtime" by Blanche Edling and an accordion solo, "Spring Song" by Barbara Strunk. A cornet trio, Bruce Brink, Eddie Miskotten and Glenn Folker will play, "Sharpshooters March". An added feature of attraction will be a number of selections by "The Harmoniacs", popular Barber Shop Quartette from Holland. The public is cordially invited to this program. There will be no admission charge. The proceeds of a collection will benefit the local school for musical equipment. The Hamilton Music Hour club sponsors the project.

Mrs. Harry J. Lampen, assisted by Mrs. G. Voss of Holland, entertained relatives and friends at a miscellaneous shower for the former's niece, Wilma Mae Nyenhuis of Holland, May bride-elect. The party was in the former's home last Friday evening. The honor guest was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. She is a former Hamilton resident.

Mrs. J. H. Poll quietly observed her 88th birthday anniversary last week at her home. She has lived in Hamilton most of her married life and has been a member of the local Reformed church throughout the years.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lampen entertained last week for an evening visit the Rev. and Mrs. H. Ver Duin of Overisel, honoring the birthday anniversaries of the latter two and Mr. Lampen.

The Kings Daughters Missionary group of the local church met in the home of Elaine Sternberg for the April meeting, with Shirley Reimink presiding. Devotions were in charge of Miss Sternberg and the Mission Study on Arabia was conducted by Yvonne Bartels. Hand work on articles for a Mission Station Christmas box followed the program.

Mrs. Sarah Peters of Holland was a week-end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Lampen.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Groeters and Larry and Mr. and Mrs. Don Bolt and Charlene of Grand Rapids were visitors in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Peter J. Muyskens last Saturday afternoon.

The cancer drive for Heath township is headed by Miss Florence Lugten. Assisting her in soliciting contributions are the Misses Donna Rankens, Yvonne Bartels, Leona Koops, Shirley Reimink, Betty Danglemond and Vivian Wentzel. Canisters for contributions have also been placed in local business places.

The Rev. and Mrs. Peter J. Muyskens were assistant hosts at a meeting to the Ministers Circle of the Holland Classis in First church of Holland on Monday afternoon.

The Music Hour club met at the home of Mrs. Ted Harmsen the past week for the April meeting. Mrs. Justin Sale presided and conducted the State Music Federation meeting to be held at Benton Harbor on May 1-2. The Federation hymn of the month, "Glory and Honor" opened the program. The topic for the evening "Listening to Leisure" consisted of recordings, the choice of each member present and included classical selections with a couple of lighter music. At the conclusion of the program, a television radio sketch was enjoyed.

The family requests that flowers be omitted.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Ver Lee Funeral chapel. The Rev. A. W. Hoogstrate will officiate and burial will be in Restlawn cemetery.

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Grand Haven Boy Second Accident Fatality This Year

Grand Haven (Special)—Grand Haven's second fatal accident this year occurred Friday afternoon when four-year-old John Russell Lautenschlager was hit by a car at 5:12 p.m. near his home at 1227 Franklin St. The child died at 10:30 p.m. in Butterworth hospital in Grand Rapids.

According to city police, the child darted into the street in front of a parked car and narrowly missed being hit by one car before struck by one driven by Betty Kieft, 27, of 1330 Pennoyer Ave.

The child received a double concussion and head lacerations. He was admitted to Municipal hospital and was immediately taken to Grand Rapids. He did not recover consciousness.

The body was taken to Van Zantwick funeral home where services will be held Monday at 2:30 p.m. with the Rev. Karl Detro officiating. Burial will be in Lake Forest cemetery.

The child was born in Grand Haven Oct. 8, 1946, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lautenschlager. Surviving besides the parents are a brother, David Edward, 8, and two grandmothers, Mrs. Sarah Lautenschlager of Jonesburg, Mo., and Mrs. Minnie Berg of Grand Haven.

The city's first fatality occurred Jan. 27 when 17-year-old Robert Wierenga of Grand Rapids was instantly killed when the panel truck in which he was a passenger was hit by a car driven by Joyce Ver Plank of Spring Lake.

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Big Crowd Sees Ingenious Acts At Scout Circus

An estimated 5,000 persons crowded the huge Grand Rapids stadium Friday and Saturday to see Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and Explorer Scouts from seven West Michigan counties stage the Grand Valley Council Circus.

More than 4,000 boys, including scouts from 16 Holland area units, participated in the event sponsored by the Grand Rapids Lions club.

The outstanding act in the smooth-running hour and a half show was the Indian campfire, used to demonstrate the outdoor phases of scouting. Green spotlights in the blacked-out stadium created a nighttime atmosphere for the Indian dancers and a huge campfire in the middle of the floor.

Teams of dancing braves, with bells jingling from their ankles, hopped through the buffalo and sun dances, accompanied by the eerie tom-tom beats. The act ended with the eagle dance, in which two winged scouts battled to "death."

Clowns, attired in everything from rags to top hats and gaudy costumes, opened the show at 7:45 and filled the floor between acts.

A concentrated section of approximately 200 boys, each carrying an American flag, led off the grand march. The 4,000 participating scouts followed in unit formation until the floor was jammed. All the scouts turned toward the flag concentration in the center of the floor and recited the pledge of allegiance and sang the national anthem.

Next on the floor were dispersed units that depicted communications from the cave-man days to modern semaphore sendings. The line of communication depicted the cave men pounding logs, smoke signals, town criers, pony express, flashlight, buzzer and flag signals.

Next were the rope demonstrations, including knot-tying contests, tug-of-war, and units tying knots with huge ropes that were more than a foot in diameter.

A wide assortment of scout games comprised the next act. The act was used to demonstrate "what a grand time these boys have in scouting."

Ingenious first-aid demonstrations followed. One unit carried off a house made up of eight sections. Later smoke belched from the windows and scouts entered the burning building, dragged smoke victims outside and applied first aid. Other units demonstrated artificial respiration, rescues of persons from water and through ice.

There followed a parade of 1,000 Cub Scouts with each unit depicting a fairyland character. The units were attired as crusaders, "Blackbirds in the Pie," "Humpty Dumpty," "Old King Cole," "Prince George and the Dragon," "Three Men in a Tub," and many others.

Sea Scout ships followed with well-scaling drills, close-order drill teams and a breeches buoy demonstration.

Scout units filled the floor for the next act that included a camping and pioneering demonstration. The scouts erected rustic bridges, lean-to camps, etc.

A scout tableau and grand finale concluded the circus.

Scout leaders from throughout the council and more than 100 Lions club members worked behind the scenes to wield the units into a fast-moving show.

Miss Helen Whitmer Wed to Texas Man

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Gillespie, 210 East 12th St., of the marriage of Miss Helen Whitmer, to Richard Frazier of El Paso, Texas.

The couple was married Monday evening at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Frazier, Sr., of El Paso.

Following the wedding, the couple left on a wedding trip to Michigan and Ohio. They plan to spend the summer in Holland.

Mrs. Frazier has been employed as a nurse at the El Paso city hospital. She had previously been a nurse for several years at University hospital, Ann Arbor. She formerly made her home with the Gillespies.

Personal Shower Given For Miss Elaine De Neff

A personal shower honoring Miss Elaine De Neff was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Harris De Neff, 955 Lakeview Blvd. Hostesses were Mrs. De Neff, Mrs. Donald Johnson and Mrs. Julius Kleis.

Gifts were presented to the bride-elect who was seated under a decorated umbrella. Games were played and duplicate prizes were awarded to Miss Pearl Saxton and Miss Bertha Steenwyk. A two-course lunch was served.

Guests were the Mesdames Kate De Neff, Leslie De Neff, Lu Doolittle, William De Neff, Evart De Neff, Walter De Neff, Tony Rutgers, Gary Kruidhof, M. D. McAllister, George Brinks, Harold Mokma, Stanley De Neff and Ivan De Neff; Mrs. Nick Steenwyk and Miss Bertha Steenwyk of Hudsonville and Mrs. Ernest Obenau and Miss Pearl Saxton of Holton.

Ganges

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

The spring program at the Reid school Tuesday evening presented by the rural music teacher and Mrs. Gerald Overheul's pupils was attended by a large crowd.

The program included, trumpet, Cornet and piano solos by the pupils, also playlets and vocal music.

Mr. and Mrs. John Westveldt and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hoover visited relatives in Grand Rapids Sunday.

The Ganges Garden group will meet with Mrs. Wright Hutchinson next Friday, April 28, with dessert luncheon at 1:30 p.m. followed by the program on "New flowers and vegetables in the garden," presented by Mrs. Anna Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynus Starring of Detroit spent the week-end here with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stehle.

The amount collected in Ganges township for the Red Cross quota was \$323.25 as reported by the chairman, Mrs. James Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nye and four sons visited in Lansing last week-end in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Max McCann and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shafley, sisters of Mrs. Nye.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service sponsored a spring luncheon in the social rooms of the Methodist church Tuesday.

About 30 women were present. A program followed the luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Such of Chicago were here for the week-end at their farm home.

The "Bit O'Fun club" held its last meeting for the season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Schultz in Fennville Saturday evening. A social time and games followed the dinner.

Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Brunson have returned from their winter stay in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Starring and baby of Detroit were here for the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. Graydon Chapman and infant son have returned home from Douglas hospital.

Miss Joyce Starring and friend from Grand Rapids were here for the week-end visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Starring.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gaze moved to Fennville Wednesday from the Dutch cottage.

Rudolph Schmidgal was here from Chicago Saturday and Sunday at his farm home with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Plummer are visiting relatives in Detroit this week.

Personals

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Twenty-four members of the Ladies Bible class, First Methodist church, attended a meeting Friday night at the home of Mrs. Willis Haight. Mrs. John Bekken conducted devotions on the theme, "The Risen Lord." Mrs. W. F. Kendrick told the group about her trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Timmer, South Shore Dr., who left Thursday for Charlevoix, are now established on South Fox Island where he is first assistant keeper of the light.

Don Stegink is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Stegink of 81 West 17th St., following his graduation from the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. After his visit here, Stegink will enter home missions work with the Oak Hills fellowship, at Bemidji, Minn.

The Federal Home Economics club met Wednesday evening at Federal school. Following a business session, a baked goods sale was held. Eleven members were present.

The name of City Carrier Watson Lundie, vice president of the local carriers' organization, was omitted from the guest list given to The Sentinel in a report on that organization's party Monday night.

Mrs. J. D. French, 1113 South Shore Dr., is in East Lansing today to attend a luncheon of Alpha Chi Omega sorority. After the

luncheon she plans to go to Jackson where she will visit relatives for several days.

At the 7:30 p.m. service Sunday at Immanuel church, speaker will be the Rev. Abe Vander Puy of the World Radio Missionary Fellowship, Inc., operating radio stations in Quito, Ecuador. Rev. Vander Puy has completed two terms of service as director of the department of evangelism of the organization. Music at the service will be by a ladies trio.

John Smith Urban, manager of the Macatawa hotel and Fred Urban of the hotel staff have arrived in Holland to make preparations for the season opening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. LeJeune and family are in Chicago today to attend the wedding of Miss Christy Wellman, formerly of Holland, and William Foley, son of Dr. and Mrs. William Foley of Chicago.

Chun Young Chang, Korean student at Western Theological seminary, will preach at the 10

a.m. service in First Reformed church in Grand Haven Sunday. He spoke at a recent family night gathering in the church.

W. D. Hathaway to Show Colored Films Here

W. D. Hathaway of Muskegon will show colored films of his recent six months air trip to Central, South and Latin America on Monday night. The Holland Stamp club has obtained the Odd Fellows hall to accommodate the public for this special meeting.

Hathaway, a member of the Muskegon Stamp club and a frequent visitor here, will show in his films the San Blas Indian village, the volcano Irazu in Costa Rica and the Mayan ruins in Xmal, Yucatan.

Following the movies, he will give a short lecture and show native jewelry, dolls and curios. The open meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m.



Mr. and Mrs. Victor Kleinheksel

Dorothy Boss Married To Victor Kleinheksel

A spring wedding was solemnized Friday night in First Reformed church when Miss Dorothy Boss became the bride of Victor Kleinheksel. Vows were spoken before an arrangement of palms, ferns, bouquets of gladioli and lighted candelabra. Gladioli clusters and satin bows marked the pews.

The Rev. Bastian Kruihof performed the double ring ceremony at 8 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss, 528 22nd St. and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kleinheksel, 35 East Ninth St.

Miss Geraldine Walvoord, organist, played pre-ceremony music and the traditional bridal marches. The soloist, Miss Ruth Ann Poppen, sang "Because" preceding the ceremony and "The Lord's Prayer" during the exchange of vows.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose an ivory slipper satin gown fashioned with a square neckline and bias folds forming a bertha collar. The sleeves were long with points over the wrists. The full hoop skirt, with a bustle back and long train, fell from a pointed basque bodice. Her fingertip-length veil of imported silk illusion was held in place by a satin half-hat. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses with an orchid center. Her only jewelry was a rhinestone necklace, a gift of the groom.

Mrs. Roger Olive, cousin of the bride, was matron or honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Donna Kragt and Lois Hindert. The bridal attendants were dressed alike in ice blue taffeta gowns with bias folds forming a bertha collar and

full hoop skirts. They wore matching half-hits with clusters of small white flowers. Mrs. Olive carried a small round bouquet of hibbaid roses and white carnations. The bridesmaids carried pink roses and white carnations. The attendants wore silver necklaces, gifts of the bride.

The flower girl, Vicky Rae Boss, niece of the bride, wore an ice blue gown similar to the bridesmaids'.

Peter Dryer, Jr., attended the groom as best man and ushers were Robert Boss and Gene Immink. Dr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Kleinheksel was master and mistress of ceremonies.

A reception for 160 guests was held in the church parlors. A buffet lunch was served. Pouring were Miss Karel-Mari Kleinheksel and Mrs. Paul Grevengeod. The five-tier wedding cake was made by Mrs. J. Harvey Kleinheksel, aunt of the groom.

Presiding at the punch bowls were Miss Yvonne De Loof and John Tien, Miss Pat Salisbury and Floyd Gouloze. Mr. and Mrs. William Lundie and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Boes were in charge of the gift room.

The bride is a graduate of Holland high school and La Parent Beauty school. She is a beautician at Otte's Beauty shop. The groom also was graduated from Holland high school and attended Hope college two years. He is employed at Dykstra's Funeral home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kleinheksel left on an Eastern wedding trip following the reception. For traveling the bride wore a navy blue suit and red coat with navy blue accessories, and an orchid corsage.

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Went unplaced. Evans of Muskegon Heights (second from right) finished third.

(Van Meele photo)

Hope Errors Cost First MIAA Game To Kazoo Hornets

The sting of Kalamazoo's Hornets instilled no fear in the hearts of Hope's Fighting Dutch baseball team but their own misplays did. Coach Jack Schouten's nine dropped its second MIAA tussle by a close score of 2-1.

Again it was errors which beat the Dutch.

As in the past the Dutch got good pitching. Fireballer Paul Buckhout limited the Hornets to a mere five hits. But as in the past a shaky Dutch defense proved too costly.

It was a ninth inning error by Hope's third baseman Jerry Mull and a blooby single by Gordon Ferris which won the game for the Hornets.

The Dutch were charged with five errors—four by Mull.

The Kazoos drew first blood, scoring in the very first inning. Mosier walked, advanced to third on Bob Pruden's hit, and came home on a long fly to right by Chandler Koehlinger.

The Dutch tied the count on Jack Marema's walk, a stolen base, and Gordie Van Hoven's line double.

And the game remained tied until the fateful ninth.

Buckhout—with the exception of a wild streak at first—looked very good. He hit three batters but he struck out nine Hornets. His opposing hurler Righthander Topp was tough too. He whiffed eight Dutchmen.

Hope pounded out eight hits but couldn't put them together for a sustained rally.

One encouraging note for Schouten was the four hits which rattled off the big bat of the stocky Van Hoven. He is expected to pace the Dutch hitting—which has been weak so far.

Schouten took encouragement in the fact that his boys are starting to meet the ball better. Con Boeve and Mull each got a hit and Catcher Jim Harvey collected a pair.

The loss drops the Hopeites below the 500 mark in MIAA standings. They now have one victory against two losses. Their overall season's record is two and two.

Schouten will throw an "experimental team" on the field against Grand Rapids Junior college today. He plans to use some of his second stringers including Hadley Ensing and Spike Van Eck as his battery. The contest is scheduled for 2 p.m. at Riverview park.

Trio Apprehended

Grand Haven (Special)—Three juveniles, two boys, age 12 and 13, and a girl, 14, were taken into custody Wednesday by sheriff's officers and petitions were to be filed today to have them turned over to probate court. The children are alleged to have broken a window and entered the unoccupied home of Gertrude Yonker in Ferrysburg April 13, taking out some small articles and destroying a number of things in the house.

One ton of sugar beets will produce about 240 pounds of sugar

Miss Donna Ruth Klopman

The engagement of Miss Donna Ruth Klopman to Robert Borgman is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Klopman, 320 West 19th St. Mr. Borgman's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Borgman, 439 Central Ave.

McCool Here Again

The cement boat Daniel McCool entered Holland harbor for the sixth time this season Friday a.m. at 12:30, and left again at 8:30 a.m. She was carrying 4,200 barrels of cement for Medusa Portland Cement Co. This was the 13th boat to enter the harbor this season, and the fourth time the McCool has been here in less than a week.

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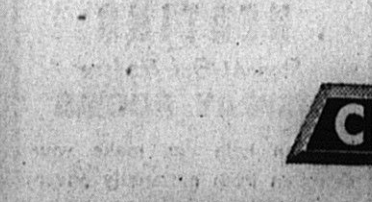


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This test pump was delivering 3,600 gallons of water per minute when this picture was taken earlier this month. Located on East Eighth St., it replaces the original No. 1 well which started to pump sand last summer. Considered the best of several wells drilled in the area recently, the new

well is expected to be used at the rate of 1,800 gallons per minute when put to use this summer. Left to right are Joe H. Geerds, Abe Nauta, George Hofacre of Delta, Ohio (in charge of drilling) and Millard Westrate.

(Penna-Sas photo)

New Well Will Be Ready For Summer Sprinkling

A new well on East Eighth St. will be ready in time for the sprinkling season this summer, according to the Board of Public Works.

It replaces the original No. 1 well which was drilled in 1922 to a depth of 75 feet at which point it was terminated because of large boulders. Boulders also were found in the new well but modern drilling techniques made it possible to penetrate to the bottom of the water bearing formation.

A test earlier this month brought 3,600 gallons per minute, which is twice the rate the BPW expects to pump at the well.

The original well was made of concrete and was discontinued last year when it started to pump sand. The new well is equipped with a slotted bronze screen 16 inches in diameter and 30 feet long. Pumping tests indicate this is the best of several wells drilled recently in the area.

No sprinkling restrictions were required last year, even after the well was discontinued in July.

Dorothy Boss Feted At Personal Shower

Miss Donna Kragt, 167 Highland Ave., entertained at a personal shower Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Dorothy Boss.

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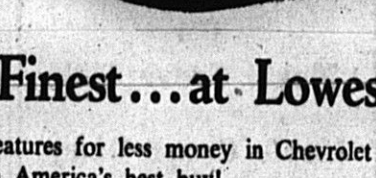
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Coach Joe Moran's players with the exception of No. 1 man Dale Van Dorpe, all won their matches—but most were extended.

Van Dorpe was pitted against one of the finest prep netters in the country in Jimmy Farrell, Farrell won 6-3, 6-2.

Dave Moran won a tough match from Owen Bennett of the Saints 7-5, 6-4. No. 3 seed Bobby Piersma dropped Jim Eady in another grueling match 8-6, 6-4. Tom Maentz in the No. 4 singles also had his work cut out but prevailed over Chuck Day 7-5, 7-5.

In the doubles, Tim Beerthuis and Andy Sall had to go three sets before overcoming Tony Lascalle and Bill Fahl 4-6, 6-2, 6-4. Combinations of Henry Maentz and Harold Miller and Rog Dandremond and Russ Picard also won doubles tussles.

A southwestern match against Benton Harbor has been moved up to Monday. Moran plans some changes in his doubles. He said Roland Vander Ven is sure to play and Jack Partington may break in.

Mrs. Anna Duven Dies Following Long Illness

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Douglas

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Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Alley in Grand Rapids.

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Rev. and Mrs. Klaaren were host and hostess at the ministers meeting in Holland Monday afternoon.

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News of Interest to Western Michigan Farm Operators

Farmers Benefit By Following Hints On Egg Production

Survey Reveals Most Producers Agree on Management Practices

To get quality eggs, most farmers know that they must follow a few approved management practices. But how many do all the jobs that mean better eggs and higher profit?

L. E. Dawson and J. A. Davidson, research poultrymen at the Michigan Agricultural Experiment station, recently queried operators of 206 Michigan farms concerning their methods of egg production and marketing practices. Farms studied were in the vicinities of Kent, Allegan, Isabella and Tuscola counties. Egg grading stations there were chosen for the number of high quality eggs which pass through them.

Early chicks seem to be one of the things which egg producers agree are a good practice. Sixty-seven per cent of the farms questioned bought their chicks in March and April and only three per cent after May.

It takes more time to feed oyster shells, wet mash, or pellets but they make for better and more eggs. Most farmers questioned agree with the wisdom of the practices for 98 per cent fed the oyster shells and two-thirds use either wet mash or pellets.

Egg gathering should be as frequent as possible, authorities say. Of the farmers surveyed, only nine per cent gathered only once a day; 55 per cent twice each day; and 30 per cent gathered three times a day. Wire baskets for gathering find favor with half of the producers and 39 per cent still use pails.

For cooling, the basement still is the favorite place since it meets the requirements of coolness, moisture, and good ventilation. More than 89 per cent of farmers kept their eggs in basements before marketing them.

Results of the survey show that farmers sometimes don't follow every one of the recommended production and marketing practices. However, they follow enough of the practices so they market a greater proportion of top quality eggs than the average farmer in the state.

The Michigan State college poultrymen sum up their advice as follows: If you're seeking more eggs of better quality, follow just as many of the recommended practices as possible. They may take a little more time or a bit more effort, but in the long run they'll pay off in profits.

Man Given 30 Days On Bad Egg Count

Grand Haven (Special) — William Brenner, 50, Grand Rapids, was found guilty of selling eggs unfit for human consumption, a second or subsequent offense, by a jury in Justice George V. Hoffer's court Thursday afternoon. The jury deliberated a half hour.

Brenner was immediately sentenced to serve 30 days in the county jail. In imposing sentence, Hoffer stated, in view of Brenner's admission that he had committed four previous violations, the court did not feel a fine would stop Brenner from continuing the practice and that the jail sentence should be imposed.

Brenner immediately announced his intention to appeal to circuit court and posted a \$200 bond.

Complaint was made by a representative of the state department of agriculture, alleging the eggs were sold Feb. 10 to the DeBoer Food Market on Beach Tree St. in Grand Haven.

The case was prosecuted by Prosecuting Attorney Wendell A. Miles. The following served on the jury: William Pellegrom, Rolla Paris, John Versput, Burl Ernst, John McCracken and Mrs. Paul Van Tol.

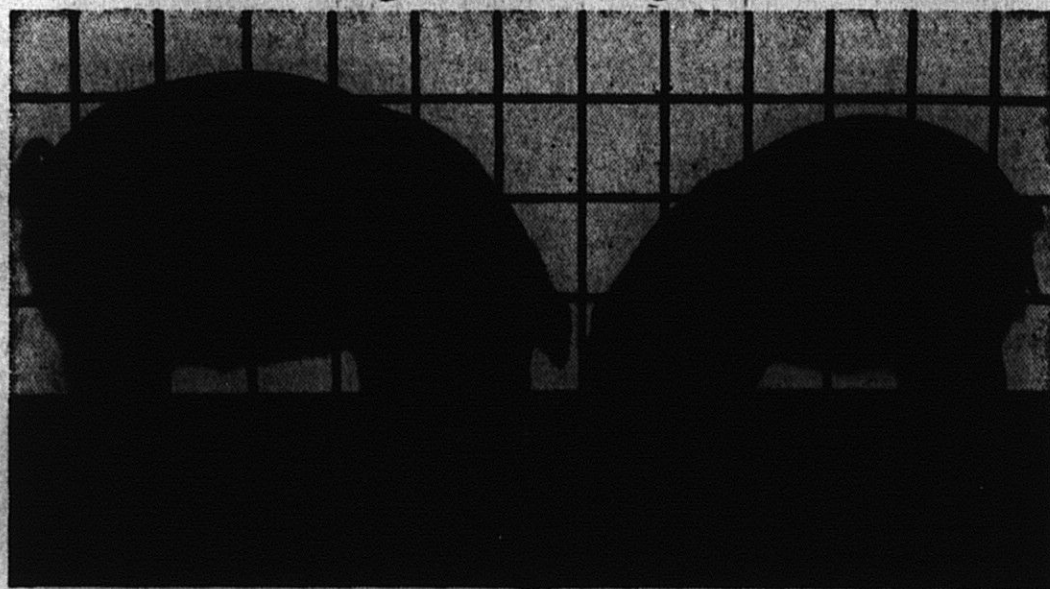
Dr. Van Zyl Attends Chemistry Meetings

Dr. Gerrit Van Zyl, head of the Hope college chemistry department, returned Friday from Detroit where he attended meetings of the 117th conference of the American Chemical society April 16 to 21.

Several Hope alumni were present for the meetings and for a Hope college dinner on Wednesday evening.

Among the alumni were Dr. and Mrs. Walter S. Kuipers of Highland Park, Dr. and Mrs. Earl G. De Witt of Detroit, Elmer Hart, erik of Zeeland, Charles J. Larson, student at Wayne university medical school, David O. De Free of Detroit, Glenn Breen of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. Myron Kollen of Detroit; Dr. James Neckers of Carbondale, Ill.; Dr. and Mrs. Leonard E. Vintana of Chicago; Thomas Houtman of Midland; James Slager of Zeeland; Dr. Kenneth Van Lente of Carbondale, Ill.; Dr. Frank H. Moser of Huntington, W. Va.; Dr. James B. Hinkamp of Detroit; Dr. Gerrit Levey, Peter college, Ky.; Dr. Adrian Kipper of Wayne university medical school and Dr. Henry Wolthorn of Youngstown, Ohio.

Wonder Drug Makes Pigs Gain Faster



Proof for the claims of the wonder drugs such as streptomycin and their value in swine feeding is shown in the picture above. These two litter-mates got identical rations in a 42-day feeding test at the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station at East Lansing. Both weighed 35 pounds at the start. The pig getting vitamin B-12 plus one half of one percent streptomycin with the basic 18 percent protein ration of corn, soybean oil meal, B vitamins, and minerals

gained 62 pounds in 42 days. The other, getting the basic ration alone, with no streptomycin, gained only 36 pounds in 42 days.

Scientists at Michigan State College believe the streptomycin acts as an antibiotic, making favorable changes in the intestinal bacteria. Further tests will be made to determine practical ways farmers can use the method to get faster, more economical gains with swine and perhaps other livestock.

Keep Garden Soil Fertile

Questions on gardening are now being received at the extension office as usual at this time of year, reports L. R. Arnold, Ottawa county agricultural agent.

Arnold states that the most important part of good gardening is that of keeping the soil in a fertile condition. Application of good barnyard manure is the best practice of all. This adds fertility, moisture-holding capacity and keeps the soil in good physical condition. Arnold advocates applications of 20 bushels per 1,000 square feet of space. An additional application of 20 pounds of 20 per cent superphosphate will help greatly. Apply about just as soon as possible in the spring.

If manure is not available, an application of 3-12-12 fertilizer at the rate of 20 pounds to 1,000 square feet is recommended. An additional application may be made at time of planting. Make a trench about two inches deep and two inches away from the row. Put in 3-12-12 at rate of two pounds per 100 feet. This will be covered when you make the seed row.

Test the soil for acidity. If soil tests around 6.5, it is in fine shape. If down to around 5 or 5.5, lime is needed.

Recommendations on weed and insect control are available at the extension office.

Bass River

(From Monday's Sentinel)
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bennett and family recently visited their cousins Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Wing of Muskegon.

Miss Donna McDonnell of Grand Rapids spent last week-end with the Floyd Lowing family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smead attended the wedding of their sister, Violet Smith, and Henry Van Kampen of Grand Rapids. The wedding took place in the United Brethren church of Grand Rapids on April 14.

The Rev. and Mrs. Emory Scott and two children of Romulus spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McMillan.

Floyd Lowing and Charlie McMillan recently visited A. J. Whitt of Jenison, who recently suffered a stroke. His condition is serious. He will be 89 on May 24 and is known as the oldest resident of Bass River.

The white elephant sale sponsored by the Mothers club netted \$60.60. A program was also presented.

Harry Bennett is confined to his home with a heart ailment. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Vander Mate and two sons spent last Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hevington of Grand Haven. Hevington has been ill of a heart condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Vegter Mark Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vegter, 83 East 14th St., celebrated their 34th wedding anniversary Wednesday at a family dinner with their children and grandchildren. Eighteen were present at the event, held at The Marquee.

Later the group went to the Vegter home where the evening was spent socially. Music and movies of members of the group were enjoyed. Throughout the evening movies were taken of those present.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Daane and children, Mr. and Mrs. Si Vander Kooi, Leon H. and Davis, of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Klunder and son, Freddie; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin James Vegter and children, Albert Jon and Gretchen Marie, of Grand Rapids; Dr. and Mrs. J. Robert Vegter and Bobby of Kalamazoo. Mr. and Mrs. B. Mulder of Byron Center were also present. Mrs. Mulder is Mr. Vegter's only surviving sister.

Lima-Peru has a usable highway system 16,000 miles long. Of the 1200 miles that are hard-surfaced, about two-thirds constitute a part of the Pan-American route.

Procedure Given for Control of Crabgrass

L. R. Arnold, county agricultural agent, reports Ray Jones, Michigan State college, has indicated a procedure for control of crabgrass in lawns. It is as follows:

1. Early spring—fertilize and reseed if bare spots are present.
2. Apply 2-4-d. Amine, for broad-leaved weeds.
3. Repeat 2-4-d treatment at time of normal germination of crabgrass; 1000 PPM when grass seedlings are just emerging will kill them.
4. Apply Dow Selective, one gallon in 100 gallons of water, when Crabgrass is in one-three leaf stage. Some yellowing of lawn grass may occur but is of a temporary nature and grass soon recovers.
5. When crabgrass is two-four inches tall apply petroleum (standard crabgrass killer) at two quarts per square rod. Repeat application in 10 days.
6. Alternative procedure is to combine 25cc Dow Selective with two quarts petroleum. This gives a quick kill of crabgrass and thus may be used at a later stage of grass development.

More Farm Price Drops Are Likely

Major drops in Michigan farm product prices are past, but there will likely be another 10 to 15 per cent dip before we reach that "solid post-war level" around which prices may fluctuate for several years.

That's the way L. H. Brown, Michigan State college agricultural economist sees the price situation at this time. His article, "More Price Decline?" appears in the April issue of Michigan Farm Economics, MSC's monthly extension publication of timely farm economic and management topics for farmers.

The average decline so far has been 25 per cent from the early 1948 peak. Although a further 10 to 15 per cent decline would leave farm prices 75 to 90 per cent above pre-war, the parity ratio would drop to range between 75 and 85, the economist says. The ratio for March 1950, was 95.

These predictions assume that present indications of high non-farm employment and income are correct, that the cold war stays cold, and that a price support program will be operating about as effectively as the Agricultural Act of 1949.

Efficient farmers will still prosper following this shaking out and adjustment period, Brown predicts. But they will have to keep "on their toes." It will mean keeping finances on a sound basis, use of capital to take advantage of opportunities to buy stock when low priced, and organizing the farm business for maximum production efficiency.

Two Livestock Pioneers To Be Feted at Banquet

Two men, long identified with Michigan's livestock industry, will be honored at a banquet, Thursday, May 4, at 6 p.m. in the Michigan State college Union building. They are George Brown, head of the animal husbandry department and Ralph S. Hudson, head of the farm and horse department at Michigan State college.

Portraits of these two men who have spent 43 years serving Michigan's livestock interests in their positions will be presented. John S. deMarletti, MSC artist, did the paintings.

Both Brown and Hudson joined the staff upon graduation from Michigan Agricultural college in 1907 and will retire on June 30. Charles E. Snyder, editor of the Chicago Drovers' Journal, will be the speaker for the occasion. Reservations for the event are being made through Verne Freeman of the 4-H club department at Michigan State college.

ENCOURAGE EATING

Turkey poulters need lots of encouragement in eating and drinking. Michigan State college poultry specialists advise extra feeders and waterers in their pens.

Plow for Beans Before May 15

Plowing under a green crop for beans or soybeans to be planted in late May or June should be done by May 15, urges H. R. Pettigrove, who conducts studies in bean cultural methods at Michigan State college.

Trials conducted by the Michigan Agricultural Experiment station on the college farms at East Lansing, showed that two out of three years the yield of field beans was cut in half when the sod crop was plowed late.

Results of one year's test showed a yield of 945 pounds of field beans per acre when fall plowing was done; 920 pounds when plowed May 1; 977 for May 15 and the significant drop to 472 pounds per acre when plowed May 31.

In another year, plowing before May 15 brought a yield of 1,787 pounds per acre and plowing May 31 resulted in only 841 pounds of field beans per acre.

Similar results come for any late planted crop unless the year has rains sufficient to carry the crop. Pettigrove contends. Many farmers are planting soybeans late for better control of the weeds. The bean specialist says no bad effect should result from this if the field is plowed early enough.

A green manure crop plowed under late takes too much moisture for its growth in late May. Unless rains occur, not enough moisture is left in the soil to produce a maximum yield of the next crop planted.

It isn't wise to trust the weather, Pettigrove concludes. Plowing for late planted crops should be completed by May 15 each year.

New Cow Testing Group Organized

Twenty or more dairymen met at Zeeland City hall recently for organization of a cow testing association. Larry Johnson, dairy specialist, Michigan State college, and L. R. Arnold, county agricultural agent, were present to assist in the organization work. Melvin Hodge, Hesperia, was present as candidate for position of tester for the new association.

Hilbert Holleman, Byron Center, was selected chairman for this meeting and Wayne Lowing, Jenison, secretary. Dairymen voted solidly for organization. A total of 20 herds were signed up.

The following were elected as directors: Herman Hassevoort, Route 3, Holland; Wayne Lowing, Jenison; Harold Vander Zwaag, Holland; Hilbert Holleman, Byron Center and David Batson, Conklin. Holleman became directors president, Batson, vice president and Lowing, secretary-treasurer.

Arnold said five more herds can be accepted into the association. Application should be made through Arnold or Lowing. It is hoped that the association will be filled by May 1 as equipment should be on hand at that time.

Two Speeders Fined By Township Justice

Two speeders pleaded guilty before Park Township Justice C. C. Wood Friday. Thomas W. McCoud, 1294 Beach Dr., paid \$17 fine and costs for going 55 miles per hour in a 35 mile zone. Harvey Jay Wolters, Route 6, paid \$12 fine and costs for going 45 in a 35 mile zone.

Marvin Kloote, Grand Rapids, Charles Eliander, 41 East 20th St., and Bert Reimink, 13 West 18th St., each paid \$1 parking fines in Municipal Court Friday.

HAVE HEAT READY

If you have some late-farrowing sows, don't let warm spring weather throw you off guard. Michigan State college swine specialists advise having the heating equipment ready to go at any time.

One in 10 American teachers held only emergency certificates in October, 1949.

Many Will Observe Annual Arbor Day

The young and the old alike, armed with picks and shovels, will take to the fields Friday to take part in the observance of Arbor Day, the annual tree planting festival.

For the first time in recent years Arbor Day will be observed by the entire state on the same date. Formerly the upper peninsula observed Arbor Day two weeks later than the lower peninsula because of climatic differences.

"Our timber waste lands along with our remaining standing timber represents a large conservation problem" reports John N. Fleide, extension forester at Michigan State college. As a conservation move, Arbor Day is designed to aid in reforestation of millions of acres of timberland that have been depleted by wasteful logging and fires.

Fostered by the American Forestry Congress, Arbor Day not only represents tree planting day but also stresses such conservation measures as selective cutting and protection of young growth, the MSC forester reports.

Arbor Day, as a conservation movement is assuming international proportions. The annual observance is now being carried on by the United States, Great Britain, Canada, and others, the time of celebration being governed by climatic conditions.

North Blendon

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. M. Fish and children of Standale were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Klompars.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Vander Molen of Alward district last week Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Schut of Alward district were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cotts.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Martine recently spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. Piers at Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hirdes were among those who visited Mrs. H. Dys who is still confined to St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

Miss Marilyn Martine has secured employment at the Hosiery Mills at Zeeland.

Members of the Men's society of the local Christian Reformed church attended the meeting of the Men's League of Zeeland. Classis held at the Immanuel Christian Reformed church at Hudsonville last week Thursday evening. The speaker was the Rev. H. Sonnem.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cotts spent Saturday evening with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moerdyk at Grand Rapids.

Members of the Young Peoples society at the Christian Reformed church attended the Young Peoples banquet held at Holland Christian high school on Tuesday evening April 11.

The Young Peoples' catechism classes have been discontinued for the season.

Mrs. J. Ter Horst and Mrs. H. Klinger spent a day last week with Mrs. Lee Dyke at Allendale. Alvin Klynstra is again employed at the D. Elenbaas farm near Zeeland.

Mr. Curtis of Western Theological seminary conducted services at the Reformed church on Sunday. The Bruins sisters gave instrumental selections at the evening service.

Mrs. C. Meeuwse led the CE meeting Sunday evening on the topic, "I Will Pray."

Mrs. H. Klynstra and Sherry Lyn, returned to their home here from Butterworth hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Criston De Jongh became the parents of a son, Jerry Allen, born at Holland hospital on Monday, April 17 Mrs. De Jongh is the former Gladys Klynstra of this place. Mr. De Jongh is staying at the G. Klynstra home at present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mulder and sons of Zeeland spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. Vander Molen.

Mrs. C. Meeuwse and baby of South Blendon called on Mrs. J. C. Huizenga and Albert Sunday evening.

A women's meeting will be held at the Allendale Reformed church on Friday evening, April 28, at which Miss Tena Holkeboer will speak.

Reformed church women attended the annual spring Missionary conference held at the Third Reformed church at Holland on Wednesday. The Rev. R. Ten Haken of Mesalero, N. M., was the guest speaker.

Spring Party Is Held by Christian School Faculty

Faculty members of the local Christian schools, their wives and husbands, attended a spring party Wednesday night at the South Side school. Games were played during the evening. Pictures of those attending the party, which were at least 15 years old, were projected on a screen.

Refreshments were served. New officers named for the year are Miss Gertrude Vander Gugten, president; Arthur Tuls, secretary; Miss Ervina Van Dyke, treasurer, and Clarence Pott, vicar.

RESEARCH AIDS

Agricultural research has added many dollars to the farmers' yearly income in Michigan.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

W. Grant Treloar and wife to Ray Hastings and wife, Lot 4 Blk. 3 Hoamer and Earl's Addition Coopersville.

Arthur A. Vos and wife to William F. Mills and wife, Lots 12, 15, 16, 21, 22, 23, 29, 30, 31, 32 Vos-Koster Subdivision Township Georgetown.

William Brems and wife to Leonard F. Szymas and wife, NW 1/4 NW 1/4 and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Township Robinson.

Charles Buzas and wife to Elmer Horton and wife, SW 1/4 SE 1/4 33-14 Township Polkton.

Lester Kammeraad and wife to Harold Edward Nykamp et al, Pt. Blk. D. J. W. Verhoeks Addition Grand Haven.

John H. Geerlings and wife to Harold Banger and wife, Lot 91 and Pt. 92 Country Club Estate Subdivision No. 2 Township Holland.

John H. Geerlings and wife to Stanley P. DeVries and wife, Lot 94 Country Club Subdivision No. 2 Township Holland.

Harold J. Mouw and wife to John Fransburg, Pt. Lot 9 Blk. 9 South Prospect Park City of Holland.

Sophia Borodako to Ernest J. McCain and wife, SW 1/4 7-8-14 Township Polkton.

Lester Overway and wife to Donald J. Scholten and wife, Pt. SW 1/4 SE 1/4 32-5-15 City of Holland. Johanna Kraker to Harold J. Kraker and wife, Pt. N 1/4 NW 1/4 7-14 Township Allendale.

Carmen W. Dunton to Jacob Esensburg and wife, Lots 221-226 inclusive 199-206 inclusive Howard B. Duntons Subdivision Holland.

William A. Gust and wife to Vander Wall Bros. Pt. NE 1/4 NW 1/4 4-8-16 Township Spring Lake. Lloyd C. Sebright to Russell J. Ellen and wife, Lots 12, 13 Crocker Shores Township Chester.

Charles F. Waldo and wife to Harold Earl Pikaart and wife, Lot 9 Waldo's Subdivision City of Zeeland.

George J. McCarthy and wife to Louis H. Behm and wife, Lot 46 Peach Plains Subdivision Township Grand Haven.

Frank D. McKay and wife to Malcolm Clever and wife, Lot 62 Evergreen Subdivision Township Talmadge.

Robert W. Radeke et al to Arthur Reenders and wife, Pt. E 1/4 NE 1/4 NW 1/4 28-8-16 City of Grand Haven.

Lester W. Martin and wife to Legrande Lillibridge and wife, Pt. NE 1/4 NW 1/4 26-8-13 Township Wright.

Russell A. Michmerhuizen and wife to Gerrit Kapenga and wife, Lots 113, and Pt. 114 Country Club Estates Subdivision No. 2 Township Holland.

John Diedrich and wife to National Utilities Co. Lots 9, 10 Blk. Haire, Telford and Hancock's Addition Spring Lake.

Cornelius P. Zwemer to Russel H. Langeland and wife et al, Pt. Lot 9 Blk. 66 City of Holland.

Albert Nyhuis and wife to Richard Vander Molen Jr. and wife, Pt. W 1/4 SE 1/4 23-6-14 Township Blendon.

Peter P. Vanden Bosch and wife to George P. Vanden Bosch and wife, Pt. E 1/4 SW 1/4 24-6-15 Township Olive.

Spring Luncheon Held By Newcomers Club

Bouquets of spring flowers, with tiny umbrellas as favors decorated the tables at the April luncheon meeting of Newcomers club Wednesday afternoon at the VFW hall. The committee in charge was Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Frank Swartz, Mrs. Arthur Bach and Mrs. Hugh Winterink.

Following the luncheon Mrs. M. H. Brunner, club president, welcomed eight new members: Mrs. William Allen, Mrs. Winston Churchill, Mrs. Truman Lee, Mrs. Richard Kinder, Mrs. Will J. Scott, Mrs. James Scott, Mrs. John Scott and Mrs. Leonard Rehbein.

Members of the Tulip Festival costume exchange committee were introduced as well as those making up the slate for the coming election of officers. The election will be climaxed by an evening party on May 6 with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madison and their committee in charge.

A social hour was enjoyed with members playing bridge and canasta.

Christian Alumni Choir Has Business Meeting

The annual business meeting of the Holland Christian Alumni choir was held Tuesday night in the high school. Retiring President Nick Vogelzang presided.

New officers for the year are Henry Ten Hoer, president; Arthur Tuls, vice president, and Miss Frances Pott, secretary. Retiring from office are Vogelzang, president; Don Bulthuis, vice president, and Miss Norma Piers, secretary.

Choir members decided to begin practice next season on the first Tuesday in September. The two-hour practices will begin at 7 p.m. Committees were appointed to investigate recordings and cost of new choir robes.

The final concert for this season will be presented Sunday night, April 30, in Central Avenue Christian Reformed church.

Marvin Baas is choir director and Miss Martha Bareman is accompanist.

Veltmans Visit Tulip Bulb Fields In Netherlands

Cut Off Blooms Made Into Colorful Wreaths For Tourist Visitors

Following is the 12th of a series on "A Dutch Odyssey" written by Peter Veltman of Holland who is in the Netherlands for a nine months' term at the University of Amsterdam.

By Peter Veltman

THE NEIGHBOR GIRLS want to play with our girls' jacks and then go off with the jacks because they understand from what little American they do understand that they may keep them. There is a brief misunderstanding—an appeal to pop who theoretically understands both languages but sometimes doubts if he understands either. The argument is settled, and Pop feels as though he could unify Western Europe or could at least be ambassador to Russia.

TODAY WE WENT to the bulb fields and saw the national flower show at Lisse just beyond the sea dunes. In the Netherlands flowers are raised for bulbs, not blooms. The blooms are soon cut off. Many are woven into yellow wreaths of daffodils, reds of tulips, and reds and blues of hyacinths. These wreaths are sold to tourists who drape them over their cars, their necks. Many people go by means of bicycles to the bulb fields. If people are too late or too tired to pump back home, cars are available attached to trains especially for the purpose of bringing bicycles of tired cyclists back home.

It plans to succeed. The Netherlands will soon have its first open air theater—American style.

SEEMED LIKE A bit of home the other day. Two American destroyers were in the harbor for public inspection. We went, were shown around by someone who talked American. Who'd ever think a destroyer would feel like home?

The Dutch have some practical ideas. A store downtown is selling hose per piece, instead of per pair. Two pair, I guess, for the price of one-and-a-half. And then, the natives here make more of birthdays than of deaths. If a person attains the age of 65, he is given a write-up in the paper. Frequently deaths are merely recorded. I believe somewhere there's a theory in America, too, that a man appreciates compliments more when he's alive.

Then there's the practical idea of two Easter days—Sunday and Monday. The second day is a duplicate of the first with church services, and with places of business closed. When Pentecost comes around, there will be two of those, too.

APRIL 1 APPARENTLY comes in for a good bit of Dutch humor. One paper gave April 1 stories to the effect that an American firm was to place a story atop one of the local restaurants in one and three-fourths hours. Also that a drilling machine would make borings in connection with a tunnel across the Y, on the dam. Both were denied as April 1 jokes in a subsequent issue. The populace seemed to swallow these items readily, but some radio program had announced as an April 1 joke that Rembrandt's famous "Night Watch" in the Ryksmuseum was suddenly fading out by morning. The Museum would be open that night for all who wanted a last look. This proved too much for at least one "stung" Amsterdammer—who gave vent to his wrath in a letter to the editor of one of Amsterdam's dailies.

NEXT TIME YOU get hungry, try a slice of bread with a piece of honeycake or a "Santa Claus" cookie between the two halves. It's a general favorite here. Or a mouthful or two of unsalted peanuts might do.