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NOTABLES WILL COME HERE FOR TULIP FESTIVAL

Van Loon to Be Guest in
Addition to Loudon
on May 22

Van Wagoner Will Attend
Luncheon; Denny in
Movie Group

Names of additional notables
who will attend the 1940 Tulip
Time festival were announced by
festival officials Wednesday.

Dr. Alexander Loudon, Netherlands minister to the United States, and Dr. Hendrik Willem Van Loon, noted historian, will head the list of notables who will attend the festival Wednesday, May 22.

They will be accompanied to Holland by Mrs. Loudon and Mrs. Van Loon. Dr. Loudon accepted the city's invitation to attend the festival when he was visited by a delegation of klompen dancers who went to Washington, D.C., recently to participate in the national folk dance festival.

Dr. Loudon has promised that "nothing short of actual war in The Netherlands" will prevent his appearance at the festival. Press dispatches from Washington today revealed that the Dutch government has appointed Dr. Loudon as general postmaster for its officials abroad "in case of emergency."

Should a German onslaught overwhelm Holland, the minister will act as a treasurer and assume charge of paying Netherlands officials who are outside their home country.

Reginald Denny, well known movie actor, also will be included in the group of motion picture and radio personalities who will visit the festival Saturday, May 18, as guests of the Holland Furnace Co. It was announced by Henry Boersma, advertising manager.

Mr. Boersma said Marvin Menter and Vincent Pellatier will be announcers for the nation-wide broadcast from Holland which the company will sponsor May 18. Mr. Menter will announce the show and Mr. Pellatier will handle the commercial announcements.

Other entertainers who will come here include Dorothy Lamour, Herbie Kay and his dance orchestra, Tommy Riggs and his mythical Betty Lou.

Murray D. Van Wagoner, state highway commissioner, will be in Holland Tuesday, May 21, to attend the combined service club luncheon in Holland armory. C. Wayland Brooks of Chicago, Republican nominee for the U.S. senate from Illinois, will speak at this luncheon.

Dr. and Mrs. Loudon and Mr. and Mrs. Van Loon will arrive in Holland Wednesday morning, May 22, from Grand Rapids and will be taken on a tour of the tulip lanes, the tulip farms and through the various exhibits.

In the afternoon, they will be seated on the reviewing stand to witness the annual school children's parade at 3 p.m.

At 4:30 p.m. Dr. Loudon will speak in Centennial park on (See: Festival — Next Page.)

FILIPINOS GET CITIZEN RANK

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—Pedro Escarza Santos and Eligio Coloma Lacuesta, both of the Philippine islands, became naturalized at a hearing before Judge Fred T. Miles Wednesday afternoon. Both are employed on the coast guard cutter Escanaba and are, as far as is known, the only Filipinos who have ever become naturalized in Ottawa county.

Their naturalization was secured under a special law in that they have served over one term enlistment in the coast guard, which is the only way a Filipino may become a U. S. citizen.

ACTING MANAGER IS NAMED FOR TAVERN

Leroy J. Essenburgh, route 1, Holland, has been appointed acting manager of the Warm Friend tavern to succeed the late W. Howard Lillard, manager, who was fatally injured Sunday morning in an automobile accident north of Big Rapids. It was announced today by A. W. Tahaney, secretary-treasurer of the Holland Hotel Co. Mr. Essenburgh has been employed in the accounting department of the Holland Furnace Co. for the past several years. Mr. Tahaney said a permanent manager will not be selected until after Tulip Time festival.

Word was received here Wednesday afternoon that Bishop W. P. Walker, brother of Mrs. Barbara Lillard, was to officiate at funeral services at 11 a.m. today for Mr. Lillard to be held in the Church of the Flowers, Forest Lawn cemetery, Glendale, Cal. Burial was to be made there.

S.L. MAN ARRESTED FOR DRUNK DRIVING

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—Noel Carpenter, 38, of Spring Lake, arrested by State Police Sgt. Earl E. Secrist Friday at 9:30 p.m. on a charge of drunken driving, pleaded guilty on arraignment Saturday before Justice George V. Hoffer.

He was assessed a fine of \$35 and costs of \$7.45 and sentenced to serve five days in the county jail. Bond of \$300 has been posted for the appeal to Ottawa circuit court on the jail sentence.

Carpenter, a well-known former real estate agent in Spring Lake, was involved in an accident at Seventh and Columbia Sts. in Grand Haven when his car collided with a vehicle, belonging to Barney Vander Molen.

ROAD PROJECTS TO START SOON IN THIS COUNTY

Twenty-Eight Miles of New
Highways Included in
Program

Large Sum Will Be Used
to Improve Roads
and Bridges

Grand Haven, May 9—The Ottawa county road commission is pushing plans for the expenditure of \$83,000 for new construction of 28 miles of blacktop roads, giving employment to 20 regular employees and 40 WPA workers.

Carl T. Bowen, county road engineer, said Saturday.

The local commission's plan will be part of a state-wide county road commission program calling for the expenditure of \$15,000,000 for new construction of 1,800 miles of gravel and blacktop road, improvement of 13,000 miles of dirt, gravel and blacktop roads, construction of 200 new bridges and repair of 600 bridges.

Bowen said the program here will commence within a week or two. The commission also will repair and improve 50 miles of dirt roads, 1,249 miles of gravel roads, and 77 miles of blacktop roads at a total cost of \$170,000.

Ottawa county will participate in a joint program with WPA that will total \$271,000 and provide work for 167 men on relief, in addition to the regular road commission force, Bowen stated.

The local road commission will build no new bridges, but will repair five old bridges, he said, at a cost of \$1,500. This job will take six men three months to complete.

This improvement program of the county commission, in addition to the regular maintenance program, which costs \$100,000 per year for the upkeep of 1,376 miles of highway. A force of 80 men is regularly employed by the commission to keep these roads in shape.

BANKERS PLANNING SPRING CONVENTION

Holland bankers are planning to go to Spring Lake Tuesday to attend the annual spring meeting of group of the Michigan Bankers association at the Spring Lake Country club.

Those planning to attend are Alfred C. Joldersma and Otto P. Kramer of the Holland State bank and Clarence Jalving and Jay H. Den Herder of the Peoples State bank. They will be accompanied by their wives. It is expected other bank employees also will attend the one-day meeting.

Between 250 and 300 Michigan bankers and their wives are expected to be present. Frank Seidman, Grand Rapids, will speak at the luncheon on tax problems. Officers will be elected in the afternoon.

At the banquet at 7 p.m. Heber Curtis, president of the Michigan Bankers' association and Fred J. Elliott, state banking commissioner, will speak. B. P. Sherwood, Sr., will be the toastmaster.

FRED HAAN, 73, DIES IN GANGES

Ganges, May 9 (Special)—Fred Haan, 73, died Wednesday night at his home here following a long illness. He was born near Holland March 24, 1867. A retired farmer, he had lived in Ganges for many years. He is survived by the widow; four children, Raymond Ganges, James Ganges, Mrs. Mary Gooding of this vicinity, and Miss Florence Haan at home; nine grandchildren; three great grandchildren; a brother and two sisters in Holland, and a brother in Grand Rapids.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Ganges Baptist church, with the pastor, the Rev. D. E. Robinson of South Haven, officiating. Burial will be in Taylor cemetery in Ganges.

COUNCIL ACTION PUTS WESTVEER ON PARK BOARD

Former Commissioner Is
Named as Successor
to De Neut

Arendshorst Appointed to
Harbor Unit in One of
Few Changes

A. J. Westveer was appointed a member of the board of park and cemetery commissioners and Ald. Bernard Arendshorst was appointed a member of the harbor board by common council at its charter meeting Monday night.

Only three new appointments—including that of Ald. Ben Steffens as council's president pro tem—and an addition of one member to the playground commission were made by council.

By a vote of nine to two, Westveer, who resides at 144 West 12th St., was appointed member of the park and cemetery board to succeed Herman De Neut, 69 West 32nd St., for a five-year term.

Westveer, a former Holland postmaster, served on the park and cemetery board a number of years ago. De Neut was appointed to the board Feb. 3, 1937, to serve out the vacancy created by the death of Richard Van Kolken.

Westveer was nominated by Arendshorst while Ald. Bruce Raymond nominated De Neut. Ald. Steffens and John Menken were appointed by Mayor Henry Geerlings as election commissioners.

Westveer was elected on the first ballot.

Steffens of the fourth ward, who is chairman of council's ways and means committee, was appointed president pro tem of council on motion of Ald. Albert P. Kleis, supported by Ald. William C. Vandenberg, to instruct City Clerk Oscar Peterson to cast a unanimous ballot for Steffens' appointment. The alderman will succeed Henry Prins who did not seek reelection this year as first ward alderman.

In place of Prins, Arendshorst was appointed to the harbor board after Vandenberg withdrew upon being nominated. Arendshorst was elected this year by first ward voters to succeed Prins.

Appointive officers who were reappointed to their respective offices by action in which the city clerk was instructed to cast a unanimous ballot for their appointments, follow:

City engineer: Jacob Zuidema; city inspector and contact man, Ben Wiersma; library board Mrs. Katherine Van Duren; health board Otto P. Kramer; hospital board Ernest C. Brooks; appeal board George Pelgrim and Vaudie Vandenberg; harbor board, Schel, Andrew Klomprens, Andrew Hyma, Brooks, and Jacob N. Lievensse; playground commission, George Damson, Klomprens, Hyma, Raymond, Zuidema, L. B. Dalman, William Vande Water and Harry Koop.

Ald. Vandenberg was appointed as an addition to the playground commission on motion by Arendshorst.

Zuidema has served as city engineer of Holland since May, 1917, although he has been in the employ of the city for 30 years.

Wiersma has been city inspector and contact man for the past four years.

Mrs. Van Duren was appointed to the library board by council in 1920 to serve out a vacancy and she has been reappointed at intervals of three years since 1922.

Kramer was first appointed to the health board in May, 1908, and has been reappointed at intervals of every two years since that time.

Brooks was appointed to the hospital board July, 1936, to serve out the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Frances Brownling. His appointment Monday night was for five years.

Pelgrim was a member of the original appeal board when it was organized in 1926. Vandenberg was first appointed to the appeal board in 1931.

Without making any changes, council approved the salary ordinance which was adopted tentatively in March with approval of the annual budget.

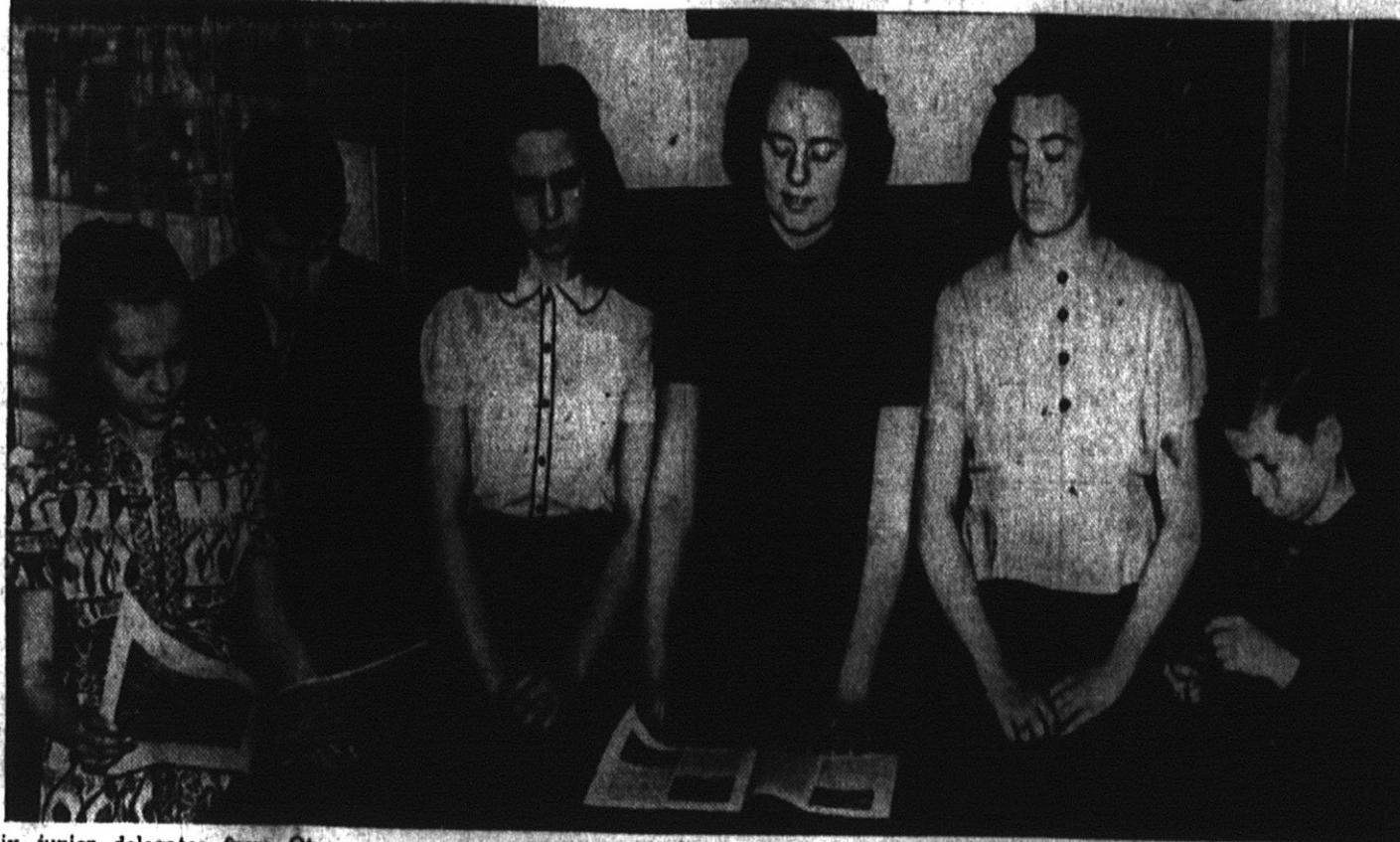
By a vote of seven to four, council rejected a proposal of Ald. Albert V. Faassen that a personnel committee be created to "hear all grievances that come up from time to time and will prevent council from being the laughing stock of Holland."

Name J.C.C. Delegates for State Convention

Harold Yonker, president of the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce, has announced that four delegates will represent the local organization at the state convention to be held Friday and Saturday in Grand Rapids.

They are Robert Arendshorst, Melvin Van Tatenhove, Phil Van Hartesveldt and James D. Boter. New state officers will be elected Saturday afternoon and the convention's annual banquet and grand ball will be held in the Pantiand hotel Saturday night.

Local Delegates Attend Red Cross Convention in Washington



Six junior delegates from Ottawacounty Junior Red Cross chapter attended the 19th annual convention of the American Red Cross in Washington, D.C., from May 6 to 8.

They are Doris Marcus, Holland high school; Gretchen Jellema, Christian high school; Carolyn Scholten, and Dale Boeye, East Junior high school; Allen Miles, Lakeview school; and Ruth Koop, Christian grade schools.

The local group, chartered by Beth Marcus and Charles Knoolhuizen left on Saturday morning and spent their first night in Wheeling, W. Va.

Two delegates from the Ottawa

The above local group was selected as junior delegates to attend the 19th annual Red Cross convention in Washington, D.C., May 6 to 8. They are (left to right) Ruth Koop, Allen Miles, Doris Marcus, Gretchen Jellema, Carolyn Scholten and Dale Boeye.

County Red Cross chapter also attended the national convention. They are Sam H. Bosch of Holland, secretary of the board of directors; and Mrs. J. E. Holmes of Spring Lake, a member of the board of directors and chairman of

the home hygiene committee. A formal dinner was held on Monday night in the Mayflower hotel. The Holland group took with them small cellophane wrapped wooden shoes, filled with Dutch babbaalaars which were distributed at the convention. James Schuiling and William De Cook drove the two cars which carried the junior delegation to the convention.

HOLLAND LIONS AT MEET IN G.R.

Vander Meulen Speaks at
Annual Observance on
Coat of Arms

Grand Rapids, May 9—The annual Hollanders' day was observed by the Grand Rapids Lions club here Tuesday noon with members of the Holland Lions club furnishing the entertainment.

Cornelius Vander Meulen, Holland attorney, spoke on "The Significance of the Coat of Arms of the House of Orange" in which he proved the relationship of Lionism with the ensign of William the Silent.

Mr. Vander Meulen suggested that the adoption of the name of Lions must have had its origin and inspiration in the Dutch lion.

"It could not have been the British lion, which is couchant," he said. "It must have been the Dutch lion, rampant." He quoted the motto, "I will maintain," and considered it fitting for "when a Dutchman gets hold of a thing he hangs on to it; he thinks it is better to be hard-headed and tight-fisted than soft-headed and free with other people's money, and he is the same in national affairs as he is with his own money."

The program included dances by 10 girls in wooden shoes and Dutch costume, music by the club's quartet composed of Jack Bos, Joe Kramer, Elmer Schepers and Jerry Houting, the latter serving also as toastmaster and song leader, and a cute little dance by cute little Mary Lou Van Dyke and Preston Bradley, who glided through a klopomping waltz number to the music of Monty Dyer's accordion behind which Monty, feet dangling half-way down from a piano bench, was almost concealed.

Vanderburg Attending Postmaster Convention

Louis J. Vanderburg, Holland postmaster, went to Grand Rapids today to attend the three-day convention of the Michigan chapter of the National Association of Postmasters. Postmaster General James A. Farley will be guest of honor at Saturday's sessions.

Corporate Status Voted for Seminary in Holland

Theological School Will Be
Able to Grant Its Own
Degrees

With the adoption of by-laws and the filing of necessary papers with the secretary of state in Lansing Wednesday, Western Theological seminary, located in Holland, will become a corporation. Through this action, the seminary will have a legal status and will be able to grant its own degrees. The seminary degrees heretofore had been granted by Hope college.

A resolution to incorporate the seminary was made at a meeting of the board of superintendents last year at this time, later approved by General Synod of the Reformed Church in America. Final action was taken Wednesday.

The board of superintendents, the seminary faculty, the graduating class and the alumni of the institution gathered in Trinity Reformed church Tuesday night for a banquet.

"Oratory in the Pulpit" was the subject of an address by Dr. E. D. Dimmitt at the banquet. He said, "We are living in an unreasoned world, in an unbalanced world. You

Rev. Dame Tells Grads to Give Church Their Best

Prizes Are Announced at
Commencement; Eight
Men Called

"Give your best to the glorious Church of God which has weathered the storms of two thousand years, which has produced saints, men of action, scholars, statesmen, artists and poets, which has warmed the hearts of millions and kindled the fire of inspiration into the hearts of innumerable hosts, which has given courage to the despondent, hope to the despairing, faith to the skeptic, salvation to sinners and comfort to the divine."

Dr. Clarence P. Dame, former Holland minister who is now pastor of Bethany Reformed church, Grand Rapids, told Western Theological seminary graduates at commencement exercises in Hope Memorial chapel Wednesday night.

The 12 graduates who received professional certificates included Bartel Blysmas and Russell W. Van de Bunte of Grand Rapids, Howard G. Trousing of Holland, Rowland A. Koskamp and Thomas A. Laman of Oostburg, Wis., Reuben J. Ongna and Reuben H. Ten Haken of Sheboygan Falls, Wis., Raymond R. Van Heukelom of Pella, Ia., Elton M. Eeneningburg of Chicago, Allan B. Cook of Coopersville, Henry J. Vermeer of Sioux Center, Ia., and Lester W. Muller of Dell Rapids, S. D.

Of these, seven seniors—Blysmas, Eeneningburg, Koskamp, Ongna, Ten Haken, Van de Bunte, and Van Heukelom—were recommended to receive the bachelor of divinity degree.

Mrs. Ongna, Mrs. Ten Haken, and Mrs. Vermeer, who had taken special courses at the seminary, received certificates.

Eight of the young men have already received calls. Muller will go to Vesper, Wis., Cook, to Indianapolis, Ind., Ongna, to Fond-du-lac, Wis., Ten Haken to Newton, Ill., Trousing to Ottawa, Mich., Van de Bunte to Sterling, Ill., Van Heukelom to Corinth, Mich., and Vermeer, to Falmouth, Mich.

Prizes were also announced by Dr. Jacob Vander Meulen, president of the seminary, who presided at the exercises. First and second prizes in each contest were \$30 and \$25, respectively.

In the two divisions of the preaching contest judged by the faculty—content of sermon and delivery of sermon—Van Heukelom received first in each, and Van de Bunte, second in each.

In the senior theological essay on "The Relationship of Church and State," Eeneningburg received first and Van Heukelom second. This prize was established through the generosity of the Rev. George N. Makely of Albany, N. Y. Drs. J. Van Peursem of Zeeland, W. Van Saun of Hope college, and Seth Vander Werf of Holland were the judges.

The prizes in New Testament languages and literature for middle grades, the findings of which were based on two competitive examinations, went to Henry Beukema, first, and Benjamin Ver Steeg, second. Judges were the Revs. A. De Young and A. Rynbrandt of Kalamazoo.

In the Old Testament language and literature contest for juniors, the findings of which were based on two competitive examinations, prizes went to Vernon Kooy and Herman Luben. The Revs. Thomas E. Welmers of Holland and W. J. Hilmer of Zeeland and D. Ivan Dykstra, now on the west coast, were judges.

Burning hearts alone, stated Raymond Van Heukelom, who represented the graduating class, can solve the problems of the world, save the world and bring in God's world of tomorrow.

When Christians with burning hearts will speak to their neighbor, house the migrant, educate and train the underprivileged, fight social injustice, give themselves and their means to the Lord, demand moral rectitude and live circumspectly themselves, and fulfill the spiritual mission of prophecy and redemption of the world, the fire will spread from pole to pole and from sea to sea.

MAN IS FOUND DEAD IN CREEK

Ganges, May 9 (Special)—Leonard Emerick, 32, was found dead on Wednesday in Swan Creek, 14 miles east of Ganges, after he had left home about 8 p.m. on a fishing trip.

A group of boys found his clothing in a bundle near the creek. In the clothing were some money and an identification card. They called Sheriff Fred Miller of Allegan. Officers were unable to locate the body and later went to the farm home of Rasty Warner where Emerick had been employed the past three years.

Warner and Frank Clark joined in the search and later found the body in a stooped position about six inches below the surface of the water. He had been dead several hours.

The body was removed to a funeral home in Allegan. Members of the Warner family said Emerick, a bachelor, had been despondent at times. A verdict of suicide by drowning was returned by the coroner.

Pleads Guilty to Charge of Sale of Beer to Minor

Edward Bredeweg 43, North River Ave., appeared before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith and withdrew a previous plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to a charge of selling beer to a minor, last April 30.

He was assessed a fine and costs of \$54.55 which he paid. Bredeweg's trial had been set for Monday at 10 a.m.

LOCAL SCHOOL BUDGET HIGHER

Maturing Bonds Cited for
Boost; Pastor Asked to
Address Grads

Calling for a total expenditure of \$188,800 for operation and debt service, the annual budget for the Holland public schools was adopted at a special meeting of the board of education Monday afternoon in the high school.

The budget is divided as follows: \$128,800 for operation and \$60,000 for debt service. This year's budget is \$19,800 higher than last year's budget but the major portion of the increase is due to the larger amount of bonds which will mature during the ensuing year.

Last year's budget called for \$129,000 for operation and \$40,000 for debt service, a total of \$169,000.

Supt. E. E. Fell said the board held its meeting Monday to act on the budget instead of waiting until the regular meeting Monday night because the county tax allocation commission meets Monday morning in Grand Haven. The school tax rate is set by this commission.

The school trustees also voted to close public schools at noon on Thursday and Friday of Tulip Festival week. The high school and two junior high schools will convene classes at 7:30 a.m. on those two days but other schools will commence at the regular hour.

Public schools will close Thursday, May 30, in observance of Memorial day but classes will be held the following Friday, the board decided.

It also was voted to extend an invitation to the Rev. C. W. Meredith to speak at the high school baccalaureate services Sunday, June 16, in Hope Memorial chapel. Rev. Meredith is a former pastor of Wesleyan Methodist church but is now a member of the faculty at the Wesleyan Methodist college in Marion, Ind.

West Olive Senior Is Poster Contest Winner

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—Miss Mary Maierhauser of West Olive, a senior in the Grand Haven high school, was announced today as the winner of the first prize of \$4 by the American Legion and auxiliary in the poppy sale poster contest, which was concluded Wednesday.

Carl Berger of Spring Lake, a junior student, won second prize of \$2. These persons will compete in the fifth district contest.

DEATH CLAIMS H. E. WOLTERS

Henry E. Wolters, 70, died on Wednesday at his home, route 6, following a month's illness. Surviving are the widow; four daughters, Mrs. Ed Garvelink, Mrs. Cornelius Lokker, Mrs. Peter Bush and Miss Bessie, at home; four sons, Edward, John, Albert and Arthur Wolters; 10 grandchildren; and three brothers, Benjamin, Albert and John Wolters.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. in the home and at 2 p.m. in the Graafschap Christian Reformed church, with the Rev. H. Blystra officiating. Burial will be in Graafschap cemetery. Friends are requested to omit flowers.

LOCAL MEN ARE KILLED AS AUTO RAMS CULVERT

Lillard and Sulkers, En
Route Fishing, Crash
at Big Rapids

Dentist and Manager of
Hotel Thought to Have
Fallen Asleep

While traveling to the northern part of the state on a week-end fishing trip, two prominent Holland residents met death about 5 a.m. Sunday when the automobile in which they were riding crashed head-on into a culvert on US-131, about two miles north of Big Rapids.

Victims of the tragedy were: W. Howard Lillard, 37, manager of the Warm Friend tavern, killed instantly when he was thrown through the windshield of the car. Dr. Chester F. Sulkers, 38, route 4, Holland, dentist whose office is located at 4 East Eighth St. He died at 9:20 a.m. Sunday in the Big Rapids Community hospital.

Mr. Lillard and Dr. Sulkers had left Holland shortly after midnight Saturday and were en route to the camp of L. H. Kolb near Luther. They had planned to return to Holland Sunday night.

Prior to their departure, the two men had joined their wives and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Landwehr of Hazelbank in a fish dinner in the Warm Friend tavern. Following the dinner, they had taken Mrs. Sulkers to her home, obtained Dr. Sulkers' fishing equipment and had departed in the dentist's automobile.

First word of the accident was received by Holland police about 7:30 a.m. Sunday when the Big Rapids hospital called here. They requested that relatives of the two men be notified.

Mrs. Sulkers in company with the dentist's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sulkers of Holland and Mrs. E. H. Sulkers, daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. George Sulkers, left Holland about 8:30 a.m. Sunday for Big Rapids but did not arrive there until 30 minutes after Dr. Sulkers had died.

Sheriff Judd Arnold of Mecosta county said there were no witnesses to the accident which occurred on a straightway on the highway.

He said his investigation revealed that the car gradually ran off the highway a distance of 250 feet south of the culvert on the east side of the pavement. The automobile struck the culvert with such force that the motor was driven back against the front seat.

Mr. Lillard was thrown out of the car but not clear of the wreckage. He died of a fractured skull and also suffered other injuries. Dr. Sulkers suffered a crushed chest and severe facial injuries, which resulted when he struck the steering wheel. Dr. Sulkers was rendered unconscious and remained in that condition until death. He was still behind the steering wheel when found.

Sheriff Arnold said Clare Edison, 501 East Eighth St., Traverse City, who also was driving north, (See: Fatal Crash — Next Page.)

HENRY MEENGES EXPIRES HERE

Henry Meenges, 73, died early Wednesday at his home at 140 East 16th St. after a lingering illness. He was born in The Netherlands and had resided on a farm at North Holland for more than 20 years before moving to this city.

For many years, Mr. Meenges served as an elder and ardent Sunday school worker in the North Holland Reformed church. He also served as elder in Trinity Reformed church.

A son, Anthony, preceded him in death in 1920. Surviving are the widow, Maggie Luidens Meenges; a daughter, Mrs. Raymond Clark of Rockford; a brother, Dick Meenges of Holland, and two sisters, Mrs. Martin Van Westenburg of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Mary Lievensse of Holland.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 1:30 p.m. from the home and at 2 p.m. from Trinity Reformed church with the Rev. H. De Terkurst officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

MOTHER DIES AFTER BIRTH OF DAUGHTER

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—Mrs. Leroy Francis, 23, 8 Columbus St., died at 1:20 p.m. Wednesday in Municipal hospital a few hours after giving birth to a premature baby daughter, Louise, whose chances of surviving were reported as good.

Mrs. Francis, stricken with flu and pneumonia, had been ill about five days. She is the mother of two other children, Carol Ann, 2½, and Leroy Melvin, 1½.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. from the Van Zantwick funeral chapel.

BOARD SELECTS ITS OFFICERS AT SEMINARY MEET

Rev. Weeldreyer Is Named President of School's Superintendents

Graduation on Wednesday to Climax Two-Day Activities

The Rev. M. Weeldreyer of Clara City, Minn., was elected president of the board of superintendents of Western Theological seminary at a business meeting on Tuesday in Semelink hall. Other officers are the Rev. Abraham Rynbrandt of Kalamazoo, vice-president; the Rev. John Rozenkerk of Muskegon, stated clerk, re-elected; and Dr. E. D. Dimment of Holland, treasurer, re-elected.

Rev. Weeldreyer succeeds Dr. Clarence P. Dame of Grand Rapids as president and Rev. Rynbrandt succeeds the Rev. Henry Snyter of Paterson, N. J., as vice-president.

The annual meeting began on Tuesday with a devotional service in the seminary chapel. The president's report by Dr. Jacob Vander Meulen and the treasurer's report by Dr. Dimment were read. The 1940 graduates will be examined this afternoon and Wednesday morning.

At the meetings were Rev. Dame, Rev. Snyter, Rev. Rozenkerk, Dr. Dimment, President J. Vander Meulen of the seminary, President Wynand Wichers of Hope college, and President Irwin Lubbers of Central college.

The Rev. G. J. Wulfschleger from the synod of New York, the Rev. Calvin C. Meury of the synod of Albany, the Rev. Henry Snyter from the synod of New Brunswick, the Rev. John A. Klaaren, the Rev. John Bovenkerk, Elder Edward Freyling, the Rev. Abraham Rynbrandt and Elder S. Vander Ploeg from the synod of Chicago, and the Rev. Anthony Haverkamp, Elder S. Sessler, the Rev. Henry Colenbrander, and the Rev. W. Denekas from the synod of Iowa.

Representing the classes are Revs. Peter G. Koopman of California, D. A. Elings, of Cascades, John Kuite of Chicago, Jacob A. De Jong, of Dakota, Marnes A. Stegeman of East Sioux, M. Weeldreyer of Germania, Dame of Grand Rapids, John Van Peursem of Holland, Harry J. Hager of Illinois, J. J. Hollebrands of Kalamazoo, John H. Bruggers of Muskegon, Gerrit Melling of Pella, Henry Houtman of Pleasant Prairie, Luke A. Brunsting of West Sioux, and Edward H. Tanis of Wisconsin.

FATAL CRASH

(Continued from page one) was prevented from seeing the accident due to a curve in the highway. Mr. Edison told the sheriff that the car had passed his truck at a high rate of speed. His truck had not reached the curve when the accident occurred about 40 rods northward.

Another passing car notified the hospital of the accident after which the sheriff was called. An ambulance was dispatched to the scene to remove Dr. Sulkers to the hospital.

Sheriff Arnold said the automobile, which was a complete wreck, "tore" to the culvert but that the rear end bounced slightly to the left, the rear wheels coming to rest on the pavement.

Albert Jewell, Mecosta county coroner, aided the sheriff in his investigation and returned a verdict of accidental death. The coroner said no inquest will be held.

While it could not be learned definitely, it is the presumption that Dr. Sulkers, who was driving fell asleep at the wheel. It also was believed that Lillard was asleep.

Mr. Lillard became manager of the Warm Friend tavern Feb. 6, 1935. On March 30, 1937, he was elected a member of the board of directors of the Holland Hotel Co. He had been re-elected to the board at its recent annual meeting.

Mr. Lillard was born April 24, 1908, at Pauls Valley, Okla., to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lillard. His father died when he was about 14 years old.

After graduating from high school when 17 years old, Mr. Lillard went to California where he took a course in banking. He accepted employment in a bank at Santa Monica, Cal., and worked there until 10 years ago.

At that time he became assistant manager of the Clark hotel in Los Angeles, Cal., and held that position until he became manager of the Warm Friend tavern.

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On Aug. 19, 1924, in Chicago he married Miss Lillian Jentsch of that city.

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Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Lillian Sulkers; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sulkers of Holland; and one niece, Miss Marilyn Sulkers, of Holland.

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FESTIVAL

(Continued from page one) Holland-American relationships. A testimonial dinner will be given in the Warm Friend tavern that night for the Loudons, Van Loons and members of the official Dutch consular corps of Michigan, including William G. Bryant, Netherlands consul at Detroit, W. von Weiler, consul attaché at Detroit, and Jacob Steketee, Netherlands consul at Grand Rapids.

Following the dinner and a short talk by Dr. Loudon, the party will go to Riverview park to attend the performance of Tulp Tunes.

Cornelius Vander Meulen and Mayor Henry Geerlings have been designated as official hosts.

Arrangements for the dinner are being made by a committee consisting of Mrs. J. E. Telling, Dr. Wynand Wichers, Mayor Henry Geerlings, Edward Brouwer, acting Tulp Time committee chairman; E. P. Stephan, secretary-manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce; and S. H. Houtman, tulip time manager.

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The Loudons and Van Loons will come here from Grand Rapids where on May 21 they will attend a Netherlands day program.

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Dr. Wichers of Holland is among the members of the committee arranging the Grand Rapids program.

Mr. Boersma said it may be necessary to change the arrangements for the arrival of the entertainers in Holland Friday afternoon, May 17. Original plans called for an airplane flight from Chicago to Grand Rapids and from there to Holland by train.

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Mr. Boersma said the group would then leave Chicago by train and arrive in Holland Friday afternoon.

Byron Center, May 9—Funeral services for Abraham Berkompas, 66, who died Monday at his home here of a heart attack, will be held Thursday at 1:30 p.m. from the home and at 2 p.m. from Byron Center Christian Reformed church. Burial will be in Winchester cemetery.

He was a charter member of the Byron Center church. Surviving are the widow, Maggie; four sons, Arthur, Albert, Tony and Clarence; four daughters, Mrs. Nick Van Sweden, Mrs. William DeGlopper and Mrs. H. Brower, and Wilhelmina of Byron Center; 20 grandchildren; three brothers, Martin and John of West Olive, and Nicholas of Holland and one sister, Mrs. John Boudier of Ferndale, Wash.

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Services for New Pastor of Zeeland Will Be Held Tonight

The Rev. William J. Hilmert will be installed as pastor of Second Reformed church of Zeeland at ceremonies tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the church auditorium. Rev. Hilmert served Garfield Park Reformed church in Grand Rapids as pastor for eight years.

Dr. Leonard De Moor of North Blendon, president of the Holland classis, will preside. Dr. John R. Mulder of Western Theological seminary will deliver the sermon. The charge to the pastor will be given by the Rev. Henry Bast, Hope college pastor, and the charge to the congregation by Dr. John Van Peursem, pastor of Zeeland First Reformed church. Rev. Hilmert will preach his inaugural sermon Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Hilmert and their son arrived in Zeeland Tuesday from Grand Rapids. The new pastor is well known in this section having been graduated from Hope college and Western Theological seminary. The Zeeland church will be his second charge. He will succeed the Rev. R. J. Vanden Berg, who left last September for Pella, Ia.

Beaverdam

A Sunday school has been organized at the Christian Reformed church with an enrollment of 80 members. The first meeting will be held on May 12 after the afternoon services.

Mr. and Mrs. Marinus Van Ark and son Myron of Holland were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowman Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Samson, Miss Lena De Jonge and Miss Schaap of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thys De Jonge.

The Rev. Van Harn of Benheim conducted both services at the Reformed church Sunday, May 12. Professor L. Kuiper of the seminary will be in charge of both services.

Special music at the afternoon service of the Reformed church consisted of two vocal duets by Miss De Jonge and Miss Schaap accompanied at the piano by Mr. Samson, all of Grand Rapids.

Jacob De Jonge was the leader in the Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening, using for his topic "Vocational Detours."

The consistory of the Reformed church met at the chapel Monday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stegheuis and daughter Carrie attended the funeral services of their brother and uncle, Bert Wolhuis of Grand Rapids Friday.

Mrs. Agnes Barnes was the guest of her children in Grand Rapids a few days last week.

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North Blendon

On Sunday, May 12, Rev. Martin Hoekman, pastor of the Reformed Church of Monarch, Alberta, Canada, will have charge of both services at the local Reformed church. Both services will be in the English language. Rev. Hoekman who is a former member of the local church will also speak at the Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening.

On Sunday evening Howard Herrick was in charge of the C. E. meeting. He spoke on the topic "Dollars—Happiness or What?" Special music was provided by the Misses Anne Cotts and Anna Berghorst.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Vander Molen of Grand Rapids spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen.

Peter Cotts visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Berghorst, on Saturday evening.

Miss Alma Bowman of Beaverdam and Gerben Guyers of Borculo were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kuylers on Sunday.

Roy Westveldt who has been ill with mumps is able to be about again.

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When the Holland American Legion band recently decided to observe the 20th anniversary of its organization with a special concert Tuesday night, May 14, in the Holland high school auditorium, the task of making all arrangements for the concert fell upon the shoulders of the members of the band's executive committee.

Harold J. Karsten has been serving as president of the band for the past 12 years. Martin Langula was elected to the office of vice-president in December, 1924.

Raymond J. Knooihuizen, secretary-treasurer, and Bert Jacobs, librarian, were elected to their respective offices in 1921 and have been re-elected each year.

Regular meetings of the executive committee occur each week and special meetings are called when necessary.

In 1935, a board of directors was organized and includes seven men. Directors are three members of the American Legion post, appointed each year, and the four members of the band's standing executive committee.

Chairman of the board of directors is the president of the band. The board holds monthly meetings. Legion members who have served on this board since its inauguration are Louis Dalmann, George Manting, Jacob Bultman, Sam Bosch, Henry Cook, Andrew Rutgers, Simon Meeuwse and Henry A. Geerds.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ensing and family and Harm Ensing were returned visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Ensing and family.

Bert Nyunhuis is confined to his home with illness.

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The Young People's society was led by Charles Bosch Sunday evening. Miss Ardith Zwagerman of Hudsonville provided instrumental selections. Miss Norma Zwagerman gave a reading and Hubert Heyboer spoke a word of appreciation for the work Mr. Bosch had done for the young people since Rev. Vroon accepted a call to South Holland last September.

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Pupils of the grammar room of the Sandy View school won the following awards at field meet in Hamilton last week Friday:

Dale Voorhorst, second, high jump; Wayne Folkert, third, high jump; Wayne Folkert, third, 150-yard dash; Harvard Hoekje, third, 125-yard dash; Robert Kraker, third, studies; Juella Plasman, second, broad jump; Wendell Pyle, third, broad jump; Robert Kraker, first, 125-yard dash; Janice Kraker, third, studies; Juella Plasman, first, 125-yard dash; Wayne Folkert, second, studies, and Lester Kleinheksel, third, studies.

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Harold Compagner and Mabel Dozeman of Oakland were married at the parsonage by the Rev. H. W. Pyle last week Friday evening. Attending the couple were Ada Compagner and Jerald Dozeman. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Compagner, will live on the farm with Mr. and Mrs. George Haverdink. Mr. Compagner will assist Mr. Haverdink with the farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Albers of Grand Rapids were Sunday evening dinner guests at the home of their father, Ben Albers.

The Rev. Benjamin Hoffman returned home Saturday after spending a few months with relatives in New Jersey.

Miss June Pomp of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pomp.

Mrs. D. Frey returned to her home last week after spending the winter months with her children in Muskegon.

Miss Joyce Force of Saugatuck was a week-end guest of Miss Frances De Roos.

The Women's Mission circle met last week Thursday with Mrs. Julius Essink and Mrs. Ray Maatman in charge of the program. Mrs. Francis Nykerk rendered a vocal solo.

NAME COUNTY'S 4-H DELEGATES TO STATE MEET

Honor Roll Also Selected at Achievement Day Program

Projects During Year Are Completed by Large Percentage

Ten girls and eight boys will represent Ottawa county's 4-H clubs at the annual Boys' and Girls' club week in East Lansing this summer. It was decided here Saturday at the seventh annual Achievement day for the county groups.

The delegates are Norene De Kock, Star school; Mildred Cole, Beechwood; Elaine Ulmer, Luther; Rita Permda, Lamont; Helen Vonk, Allendale; Christian; Gertrude Maassen, North Holland; Evelyn Zienstra, Borchulo; Helen Kracker, Allendale; Charlotte Baehre, Luther; Adeline Van Rhee, Jamestown; Richard Hart, Allendale; Jerry Scott, Beechwood; Harold Kapinga, North Holland; Jason Komejan, Borchulo; Herlan Nichols, Lamont; Roger Lemmen, Van Raalte; Fred Klutzing, St. Joseph and Richard Storey, Marne.

Each delegate represents 50 club members and is chosen by state extension workers both with reference to his activities and location in the county.

Included on the all-day program in Holland high school were the display of more than 3,000 items which had been created during the year by the club members in the various projects, a style revue, a wood identification contest and selection of the county's honor roll.

More than 1,200 persons, including club members, leaders and parents, were present.

The two outstanding exhibits, in the opinion of P. G. Ludin, extension worker from Michigan State college, East Lansing, were two modernistic, knee-hole desks which were built by Earnest Overbeck and Earl Weener of Beechwood. Earl Haas of Coopersville, district club leader, plans to enter the desks in the state fair.

The contest to identify blocks of 25 different woods was won by Stanley Van Lier of Beechwood, who recognized 18 types. Jay Weener of Beechwood was second with 15 points.

Two 4-H electrical clubs were active during the year. Of the 13 members in these units, Richard Storey of Marne took first place and was recognized Saturday for outstanding work.

The handicraft clubs usually attract from 15 to 20 girls each year, but only three girls were entered the past year.

Both boy and girl divisions showed a high percentage of project completions. The boy handicrafters had 41 clubs of which 416 of the 427 members, or 97-plus per cent, finished their assignments. The girl sewing groups scored 91 per cent, with 506 of the 556 members completing their tasks.

In the style revue, some 180 girls whose work was unusual were selected to display the dresses they had made. The judging was based on color posture, pattern and accessories. Seventeen girls were named as the style revue honor group.

The county honor roll:

First-year clothing project: Gladys Van Noord, Jamestown; Esther Tubergen, Waverly; Ethel Cole, Beechwood; Joy Ver Plank, and Lois Jean Van Dyke, Zeeland; Jane Louise Dyke, Cury; Barbara Souley, Bursley; Bettie Anderson, Porter; Eunice Deters, Hudsonville; Betty Lou Eden, Coopersville; Erna Kober and Stella Burdgo, Luther; and Geraldine Wielenga, Lamont.

Second-year clothing: Arlene Bowman, Jamestown; Wilma Van Dyke, Beechwood; Marian Fromholz, Conklin; Jean Klutzing, St. Joseph; and Phyllis Nichols and Nina Hodson, Lamont.

Third-year clothing: Norene De Kock and Jerene Baker, Star; Mildred Cole and Maxine Owen, Beechwood; Ellen Preston and Elaine Ulmer, Luther; Rita Permda, Lamont; and Alice Sagman, River Bend.

Girls' room (in which girls make curtains, dressing tables from crates, lamps and other furnishings for their rooms at home): Margaret Kracker, Irene Kracker, Julia Gemmen and Helen Vonk, Allendale; Christian; Eleanor Baker, Jamestown; Gertrude Maassen, North Holland; Evelyn Zienstra, Borchulo; Leona Warner, Coopersville; and Helen Kracker, Allendale public.

Wool: Adeline Van Rhee, Jamestown; Bernice Cauwe, Beechwood; Dorothy Wiltgen, Centennial; and Hilda Bosker, Allendale public.

Complete costume: Leona Overbeck, Beechwood, and Charlotte Baehre, Luther.

Hot lunch: Waverly school.

Honor dress revue group: Charlotte Baehre, Hilda Bosker, Cora Jean Baker, Adeline Van Rhee, Jerene Baker, Mildred Cole, Norene De Kock, Jerene De Kock, Elaine Ulmer, Eleanor Preston, Sally Secord, Frances Karoszyk, Maxine Owen, Helen Van Noord, Stella Bergdorf, Phyllis Nichols and Phyllis Lantheet.

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County club council members are, ex-officio—L. R. Arnold, county agricultural agent; Mrs. G. Vander Kolk, home demonstration agent; and Earl Haas, state district club agent; president, Raymond Lamb, Beechwood; secretary, Miss Myrtle Ten Have, Zeeland; Mrs. E. Muller, Mrs. Lloyd Kirkby, Frank Hambleton and Stanley Mahaffey, Coopersville; Harry Sutter and Mrs. J. Miller, Marne; Mrs. Dorothy Preston, Conklin; Mrs. George Van Rhee, Jamestown; John Dyksterhouse, Vriesland; Fred Knoper, Zeeland.

Club leaders for the 1939 and 1940 clothing club are Emily Andre, Bursley; Emogene Behrens, and Mrs. Henry Taylor, Blendon No. 1; Evelyn Bergman, Delaney; Mrs. Emil Bethke, William Robinson and Anna Burgess, Harrison; Elaine Chittenden and Mrs. Leslie Mitchell, Jeffers; Harriet Dalman, Mitchell; Grace Dean, Diamond; Mrs. Norma Doane and Elsie Vannatter, Conklin; Mrs. J. Dyksterhouse, Waverly; Jean Ewing, Porter.

Mrs. W. Frieswyk Blendon No. 2; Arlie Gallagher, Curry; Myrtle Klooster, Zeeland; Mrs. Henry Teusink, Allendale; Christian; Mrs. B. Gebbens, Owens; Mrs. Martha Hoag, Sand Hill; Mrs. Frank Caraskadon and Mrs. J. Kruizenga, Ferryburg; Frances Jackits, French; Mrs. L. Kirkby, Allendale; Mrs. Mildred Kleibusch and Mrs. Josephine Beusick, Libson.

Kathryn Korstange, Sena Bos, Cornelia Glerum and Evelyn Anes, Beechwood; Mrs. John Kraai and Elizabeth Wagonfeld, Borchulo; Mrs. Mabel Lachman, Centennial; Mrs. Betty Lillibridge, Clayton; Mrs. Manly Looman, Zeeland; Mrs. C. McNitt, McNitt.

Mrs. J. Miller, Marne; Gertrude Meengs, Noordoos; Florence Moelker, River Bend; Mrs. Elizabeth Muller, Mrs. C. Warner, C. Hazenwinkel and Jean Small, Coopersville; Mrs. Dorothy Preston, Luther; Mildred Rogers, North Holland; Nellie Salisbury, Haire; Mrs. H. Schutt, Harlem.

Anne Selles, North Blendon; Gladys Seydel and Mrs. Lorraine Bloemberg, Hudsonville; Mrs. Floreen Sikkema, Tothoore; Mrs. Esther Sluyter, East Holland; Mrs. Alice Smith, Lamont; Mrs. Herbert Sneden, Star (Jamestown); Mrs. A. Sorensen, McMann; Iva Standish, Pigeon Creek; Mrs. Zeeland, Star; Myrtle Ten Have, Zeeland; Mrs. William Van Duinen, Hanley; Herminia Van Dyke, Waller; Mrs. A. Vander Molen and Mrs. Meindersma, Alward.

Marie Ver Hage, Zeeland; Mrs. Clarence Veltema, Shack Huddle; Mrs. J. Vormittag, Clark; Mrs. Hazel Waldo, Lawrence; Mrs. Anna Zahm, St. Joseph; Evelyn Zeinstra, Eagle; Mrs. Horace Hall, Mrs. De Kock, Clarissa Gunneam and Mrs. George Van Rhee, Jamestown.

Handicraft club leaders are John Kracker, Allendale; Enne Keegstra, Allendale; Christian; Ezra Balzer, Alward; Raymond Lamb, Elbert; De Weerd and James Van Nul, Beechwood; John Veenstra, Berlin (2 clubs); Francis Folkert, Berlin; Gerald Plasman and Gerald Zylstra, Borchulo; Hugh Fredericksen, Brotherton; Matthew Krumpke, Clark; G. Davis, Conklin.

Charles Mead, Glen Hudson, Phil Rawn, Kenneth Dunlap and Stanley Mahaffey, Coopersville; Arlie Gallagher, Curry; Albert Cahill, Delaney; Lynn Lowing, Diamond; John Nyenhuis, Drenthe; Cornelius Zeerp, East Holland; Elwin Furst, Hanley; Louis Veldink, Haire.

Marinus Pott, Harlem; Don Voorhoort, Hudsonville, Fred Zagars, Jamestown; Asa Kelly, Jer-

icho; Joe Post and Martin Bouma, Lamont; Hazel Waldo, Lawrence; Dick Postuma, Lillie; John Kleibusch, Libson; Ed. J. Kelly, Jr., McNitt; A. Laurtama, New Groningen; John Dyksterhouse and Fred Knoper, North Holland.

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HOPE GOLFERS DEFEAT DALES

Hope college golfers won their first MIAA match at the windy Hillsdale Country club Monday, 6 1/2 to 5 1/2.

Ade Slikkers, local No. 1 man, was low with a 39-41-80. Bill Buckley, Hillsdale number three, was next with an 82.

Slikkers and Ken Honholt both won from Larry Vickory and Bill Lawrence, 2-1. Ted Cmock in number three lost to Bill Buckley 1-2, and Bob Dykstra and John Brunn split with a 1 1/2 each.

Hope's next match is with Alma here at 10:30 a.m. Friday.

MOTION TO DISMISS CATTLE CASE DENIED

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—Judge Fred T. Miles, in an opinion filed in circuit court Saturday morning, denied a motion to dismiss the case of John Roeloff, a farmer of Kent county, against Edward Bekins of Ottawa county and J. Hazelkamp of Muskegon county.

Roeloff claims that through infection contracted from cattle purchased from Bekins and Hazelkamp, he lost a herd of cattle.

The case against Bert L. Alward, et al, brought by the Hudsonville Box and Basket Co., was dismissed in an opinion filed Saturday morning. As the amount of damage claimed by the plaintiff is less than \$100, a temporary injunction was dissolved.

AGED RESIDENT OF GRAND HAVEN DIES

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—John J. Verhoeks, 81, 303 South Fourth St., Grand Haven, died in his home Monday morning after having been seriously ill the past week.

He was born in Grand Haven Oct. 22, 1858, and lived here all his life. He was employed at the Boygen Mills and later served as a coachman for the Boygen family.

For 20 years he was a commercial fisherman, and was employed at William H. Keller, Inc., for 20 years. He retired a year ago.

Mrs. Verhoeks, with whom he celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1930, died Aug. 22, 1937. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Percy Squires of Grand Haven; five sons, John of Tacoma, Wash., Anthony, Leonard, Neal and Henry of Grand Haven; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Services Are Held for Three-day-old Infant

Louis Ruth Zuidema, three-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zuidema, died Sunday noon at the family home on route 2. Surviving are the parents; a brother, Edwin J.; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Zuidema and Mrs. Elizabeth Leegstra; and a great grandfather, David Leegstra.

Funeral services were held Tuesday.

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LOCAL CASES BEFORE JUDGES

Solicitor Pleads Guilty to Theft in Home; Sentence Dates Set

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—Five persons were arraigned before Judge Fred T. Miles in Ottawa court on Monday on criminal charges. Four of the defendants entered pleas of guilty.

William Campbell, 23, a solicitor of Middletown, O., pleaded guilty to breaking into the home of Mrs. Gertrude Arens, 26 East 21st St., Holland, last April 30. He will appear before Judge Miles Friday, May 17, for sentencing. Campbell also was instructed to pay \$10 which he is alleged to have stolen from the Arens home.

Ben Zuverink, 27, 306 East 11th St., Holland, pleaded not guilty to a statutory charge and date for his trial will be set during the week of May 20. The complaining witness is a 17-year-old girl.

Eelje Roeda, 72, of Holland pleaded guilty to a charge of drunk and disorderly conduct, his fourth offense, and will be sentenced next week.

Howard W. Brouwer, 19, route 2, Hudsonville, charged with breaking into the B. and T. Hughes Corp. in Georgetown township last March 25, pleaded guilty and will appear May 17 for sentencing.

Wayne De Went, 18, of Hudsonville, pleaded guilty to breaking into the Ver Hage Motor Sales Co. in Georgetown township last March 14, and also will appear May 17 for sentencing.

TWO BURNED WHEN OIL TANK EXPLODES

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—Two Grand Rapids residents to-day were recovering from serious burns they suffered Sunday night when a gas tank exploded in their trailer at the Log Cabin trailer camp at the junction of US-31 and M-50.

They were Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Liebert, 916 Arlington St., NE. Their two children, Beverly, 8, and Karl, 2, who were playing outside the trailer, were not hurt.

Liebert, who is employed by the Owen-Ames-Kimball Co., on the pipeline project, was changing tanks of cooking gas, when the full tank exploded. He told Sgt. Earl Seist of Grand Haven police post that he believed the blast was caused by an oil heater in the trailer. He said he pushed his wife out the door and rolled her on the ground to extinguish the flames on her clothing. He then rolled on the ground himself.

Kalamazoo Girl Honored at Shower in Overisel

Miss Marguerite Strick of Kalamazoo was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given by Miss Janet Kollen at her home in Overisel Saturday afternoon. Miss Strong is a teacher in Plainwell and will become the bride of Forrest Bouman of Kalamazoo in June.

The ringing of alarm clocks during the course of the afternoon brought many surprises. Lovely gifts were presented to the bride-to-be. Prizes for the games were given to Miss Kathleen McDonough and Miss Strong. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. James Kollen assisted by Mrs. Harvey Kollen and Miss Clarissa Gunneam.

Guests at the party were Mrs. Erwin Ludwig, Mrs. M. L. Fear, Miss Gladys Earle, and Miss Verletta Klomprens, all of Plainwell; Mrs. Ed Crowell, Miss Ethel Strong, Miss Marie Van Hatten, Miss Margaret Adams, and Miss Rachel Randall, all of Kalamazoo; Miss McDonough of Allegan; the guest of honor, Miss Strong, and the hostess, Mrs. E. E. Adams of Detroit and Miss Marian Aldrich of Alma were unable to attend.

Central Park

The Rev. and Mrs. John Steunenberg left Sunday for Kalamazoo where they will spend a few days while the dominie is in the Bronson hospital there for observation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Botts and son, Harold, of Grand Rapids were in Central Park this week-end with a view to renting a cottage for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Madderom of Chicago spent the week-end at their cottage on the lake front.

The Misses Hannah and Agatha Ton and Elizabeth Aldrich of Chicago spent a week at their cottage taking advantage of spring vacation in the Chicago schools.

Allan Drew Miles left early Saturday morning for a trip to Washington, D. C., in connection with the Junior Red Cross chapter.

Jay Dunters and Marian Karsten of Grand Rapids were guests at the paragonie Sunday.

Paul Brouwer of Hope college spoke to a large and appreciative audience of young people at the church Sunday evening. He gave a very informative talk on the subject of vocations, telling of the desirability of becoming acquainted with the abilities and qualifications of the individual and also knowing some of the requirements of different vocations of which there are now some 40,000 listed.

C. J. De Koeter of Holland led the song service at the church Sunday night with Miss Angeline Smits of Grand Rapids at the piano and Miss Mildred Schuppert at the organ. The attendance was unusually good and the singing of a high quality. The pastor, Rev. F. J. Van Dyk spoke on "Four Anchors" listing Hope, Duty, Prayer and the Cross of Christ.

The Boosters class will hold its annual mother and daughters banquet at the church Friday evening.

Mrs. J. Vander Bok and son, Albert Bult, of Chicago spent the week-end at the Vander Bok cottage and Mrs. Vander Bok is planning to come to stay next Saturday.

Thomas Rosendahl was taken to the Holland hospital Saturday and his condition while not so serious is not much improved.

George St. John is making some alterations in the kitchen of his home which will improve the appearance and make it more convenient.

Miss Johanna Raak of Zeeland Is Honored

Mrs. Charles De Wya and Mrs. Henry A. Overway were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given in honor of Miss Johanna Raak of Zeeland Wednesday, May 1, at the De Wya home on McKinley Ave. The honored guest was presented with many useful gifts.

The evening was spent in playing games arranged by Mrs. Gerrit Lokers and Mrs. Andy Lokers. Prizes were awarded and a two-course lunch was served.

Those present were Mrs. Mary Wolbert, Mrs. Peter Wierda, Mrs. Mimi Rotman, Mrs. Gerrit Wolbert, Mrs. C. Spijkhoven, Harriet and Arlene Spijkhoven of Holland, Mrs. John Lokers, Mrs. K. Ver Hoeven, Mrs. Gerrit Esenburg, Mrs. E. H. Hall, Mrs. Andrew Schermer, Mrs. Albert Diepenhorst, Mrs. Gerrit Zuverink, Mrs. Harry Lokers, Mrs. John Seinen, Mrs. Henry Steenwijk, Mrs. Albert Raak, Mrs. John Raak, Mrs. John J. Lokers, Mrs. George Lokers, Mrs. Isaac Haak, Mrs. Gerrit Lokers, Mrs. Andy Lokers, Miss Jane La Huie, Miss Etta Zuverink, Miss Angeline Northouse, Miss Lillian Ver Hoeven, Miss Mildred Lokers, Miss Carrie Raak and Miss Esther De Wya.

Phi Kappa Delta Banquet Is Held at Anchor Inn

About 35 members of Phi Kappa Delta, debating fraternity, met at Anchor inn for a banquet Monday night at which time installation ceremonies were held. Junius B. Wood was guest speaker and addressed the Hope debaters on "The Present European Situation."

Retiring President Virginia Ellison presided. Anthony Pennings was installed president. Mary Ruth Jacobs, vice-president; Charles Stopples, secretary-treasurer; Ruth Stryker, women's debate manager; and Anthony Dykstra, men's debate manager.

Camp Fire Guardians Elect New Officers

Election of officers for next year and the presentation of annual reports marked the meeting of the Camp Fire guardians' association held Tuesday night in the Camp Fire office. Mrs. William Reagen was named chairman; Miss Marian Shackson, vice-chairman; and Mrs. Elton Gogolin, secretary-treasurer.

Reports of the year's work were given by Miss Lucille Kardux, Mrs. Reagen and Miss Evelyn Antes. Committee were appointed to plan the program for week-end camp, June 7-9. Miss Kardux will be chairman for the opening day, Friday; Mrs. Lloyd Reed, director, will arrange Saturday's council fire; and the Sunday school service will be in charge of Miss Crystal Van Anrooy and her committee.

Mrs. Peter Van Domelen of the sponsors' committee, extended an invitation to all guardians to attend the National Guardians' training course in Detroit, June 21-24. All those planning to attend are asked to call Mrs. Reed before May 11.

Mrs. Wilhelmus Haberland presided at the meeting.

NAME JUSTEMA CITY MANAGER

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—Common council at its annual charter meeting Monday night re-appointed Seymour Justema as city manager at his present salary of \$3,000. J. Nyhof Poel was reappointed city clerk and his salary was increased \$100 to \$2,100 per year.

Other reappointments follow: Deputy city clerk, K. T. Vanden Bosch; city attorney, Howard W. Fant, supervisor, Philip T. Rosbach. Edmund Wilds was elected president of council, succeeding Martin Boon.

Mayor Richard L. Cook made the following appointments: Special assessor, Philip T. Rosbach; hospital board, James Van Wessum; park board, Ralph T. Wilson; cemetery board, Barton W. Elliott; library board, Mrs. Eugene Harbeck; harbor commission, Thomas Johnson.

Mrs. Philip T. Rosbach was appointed member of the welfare board for one year. A. John Roossien and Harold A. Westerhof were appointed to the water committee and Earl E. Hill and A. J. Roossien, committee on plants.

Allegan May 9—Perle Fouch was reappointed city attorney of Allegan Monday night by Mayor Joseph F. Mosler.

William Legner and Floyd Rockwell were appointed to the board of public works. Legner succeeds Mosler and Rockwell will replace Ernest Dalman.

BROTHER OF LOCAL RESIDENT EXPIRES

Dr. Karl C. Myers, local chiropractor, returned here Tuesday from Port Huron where he attended funeral services for his brother, Melvin J. (Tubby) Myers, who died Thursday of a heart attack while he was attending a Masonic review in Sarnia, Ont.

Funeral services were held Sunday from the Grace Episcopal church in Port Huron with burial in Lakeside cemetery there. More than 2,000 persons attended the services.

Mrs. Myers was one of the most outstanding alumni of Western State Teachers college and was a member of the mythical all-time, all-star college football team. He was director of industrial art in the public schools at Port Huron.

As a halfback on the Central high school (Kalamazoo) football team in 1905, he carried the ball and his team to the state high school championship during which they were undefeated, untied and unscored upon.

Upon entering Western State Teachers college in 1906, he was appointed coach and not only held that position without pay but also played as well. In 1907, his team won the Normal school football championship of Michigan.

During the World war, Myers served as a lieutenant and was later captain of company L of the 125th infantry, Michigan national guard.

Besides the brother here, he is survived by the widow, one sister, another brother, the step-mother, two nephews and two nieces.

Couple Surprised on 20th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Capel were surprised at their home Monday night on the occasion of their 20th wedding anniversary. An enjoyable evening was spent in playing games and singing psalms and hymns. A two-course lunch was served.

Those invited were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bergman, Hazel Ann, Benjamin and Hilda, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lenter, Hanna, Grace and Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. John Nyhof, Hermina, Bernard, Harvey and Ida, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Meiste, Alvin and Faye, George Bergman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bergman, Berend, Lee and Jean, Bertha Bergman, Burrell Hamers, Gertrude, Harry, Clara, Bernard and Donald Capel and Mr. and Mrs. Al Van Huis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bergman and Jack Vermae of Kalamazoo.

Miss Harriet Van Doornik Is Honored at Shower

Miss Harriet Van Doornik of Hamilton, who will become the bride of Gilbert Lugten in the near future, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Henry Tyase, East 24th St. A one-o'clock luncheon was served. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in playing yachting games.

Hostesses were Mrs. James Posma, Mrs. Floyd Boerman, Mrs. Bert Vander Poel and Mrs. J. Vander Poel.

Guests were Mrs. Vern Guy and daughter, Shirley, of Grandville, Mrs. James Posma and daughter, Iris, and Mrs. Preston Brunelle of Zeeland; Mrs. Floyd Boerman, Mrs. Ben Van Doornik, Mrs. Gerrit Van Doornik, Mrs. Bert Vander Poel, Mrs. J. Vander Poel, Mrs. H. Van Doornik and daughter, Elaine, of Hamilton and Mrs. Russell Vander Poel.

Teachers' Club Has Informal Banquet

Approximately 120 teachers of Holland public schools and their guests attended a banquet and informal evening of entertainment in the Northshore Community club Monday night. The affair was arranged by the social committee of the Holland Teachers' club. Program for the evening included the playing of various games and roller skating.

A lace making machine was invented in 1758, but did not come into general use until 1909.

Van Tatenhove Enters Law Office in California

Friends of Lester Van Tatenhove will be interested to know that arrangements have been completed whereby he has entered the law office of Riddle C. Smith in Santa Ana, Calif. Santa Ana is the county seat of Orange county and is located 35 miles southeast of Los Angeles.

Van Tatenhove, 25, was graduated from the Harvard law school in Cambridge, Mass., in 1939 with an LL. D. degree. He had received his A. B. degree from Hope college here in 1936. Last January he was admitted to the bar of California and since then has been practicing law in Los Angeles, Calif. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Van Tatenhove, 24 West 15th St.

Local Women Attending WCTU Convention

The Woman's Christian Temperance union will hold its annual election of officers Friday at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. S. C. Mettings, 183 West 11th St. Mrs. Julia Dick will conduct the mother's day program. Special music will be provided. Echoes of the 65th annual convention of the fifth district which was held Tuesday and Wednesday in Rockford will be given.

Mrs. E. J. Leddick, corresponding secretary of the district, Mrs. Margaret Markham, local president, and Mrs. John Van Oss left Tuesday for Rockford to attend the sessions.

The opening session was scheduled for 2 p.m. featuring reports from the various departments including Miss Lillian Grandell, alcohol education; Miss Margaret J. Bilz, Christian citizenship; Miss Dora Robinson, flower mission; and Mrs. Lena Klatt, medal contest. Mrs. Elma White and Mrs. Sweeney were to report on the YTC and the LTL respectively and Mrs. Dora B. Whitney was to conduct an open forum.

Educational Procedure Subject of PTA Talk

The final meeting of the season of the Maplewood Parent-Teacher association was held Friday evening. John Van Voort, president, presided and Henry Ver Hulst led in group singing with Mrs. Van Farowe at the piano. Prayer was offered by Mr. Orman. After the business meeting a program prepared by the school board members was presented.

Accord music was given by Marjorie Mattson followed by a duet by the De Frell sisters, accompanied by Justin Hulst. Edgar Holkeboer gave several marimba selections including Psalm 42. The address was given by Dr. Otis C. Ames, a member of the board of education of the Kalamazoo State Teachers college, who spoke on "Trends in Educational Procedure."

Dr. Ames pointed out that as times and conditions have changed, education must keep the pace of the times, stressing the need of a home-like environment in the school. Many interesting details were brought out, such as cooperation among children solving problems in school society, the necessity of developing a program to suit the child's needs, approaching a child as an ally rather than an opponent, the importance of democracy in the school pointing out that America is one of the few places in the world where democracy may be practiced.

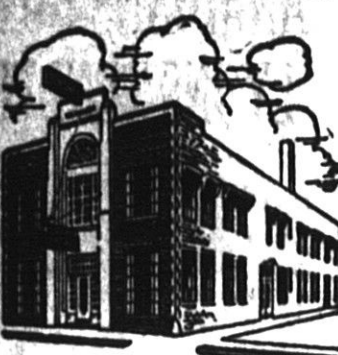
In conclusion Dr. Ames explained how the schools shoulder too much of the responsibility of the training of the child thus proving the importance of socializing the school program in regard to health, emotional and social stability to promote happy, useful thinking among children.

Birthday Party Held in Berkompas Home

John Berkompas was guest of honor at a party Saturday evening at his home in West Olive, the occasion being his 63rd birthday anniversary. Games were played, gifts were presented and a two-course lunch was served.

Those attending included Mrs. John Berkompas, Abel, Bruce, Gertrude, Thessa and Ella Marla Berkompas, Mr. and Mrs. Ott De Young and family, Mr

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FOOLS IN HIGH PLACES

The fact that a man has become
a millionaire does not mean that
he is not a fool. The fact that a
group or a class has succeeded in
getting hold of the almost unlimited
power that money often gives does
not mean that its members
do not belong in an institution
for the mentally underprivileged.

This is said apropos of the insane
of an essentially insane
group of a million dollars for the
capture alive, for purposes of
bringing him to trial, of Adolf Hitler.
Those who made the offer must
have plenty of money; certainly
any group that has a million
dollars to give away is not
pressed for ready cash. But money
has not given them intelligence.

Suppose this utterly unintelligent
offer should have results.
Suppose international kidnappers
should get hold of the person of
the German chancellor. What
would they do with him? They
could not take him to any one of
the European neutral countries;
no country with any sense would
let them in, for it would mean the
death of thousands, perhaps millions,
of their nationals. If the
prisoner were taken to France or
England, the aftermath of death
—the death of innocent people—
would be horrible. For these half-
wits who made the offer haven't
even the slightest conception of
the fact that many millions of the
German people look upon Hitler
as their national hero. Right or
wrong, that is a simple fact.

Suppose he should be taken to
America. That would be the logical
place since the offer was made
by Americans. That would mean
that America would be in the war
in spite of anything and every-
thing any or all the Americans
might do to prevent it—the at-
tack would unquestionably come
from Germany itself. In that case,
would those millionaire fools be
ready to be the first to repel the
enemy with their own bodies? They
would not. Whoever they are, their
intelligence is of such a low
order as shown by their offer, that
they would be sure to call upon
millions of Americans who had
nothing to do with it to die for them.

Aside from all that, the kidnapping
of Hitler would be as futile as
his assassination would be. It
would not reduce Germany's power
by a single airplane or machine
gun. Goering would still be there,
and Himmler, and Goebbels, and
von Ribbentrop, and any number
of other determined men.

The men who made this offer
have shamed the American people
before the world. They ought to
have enough guts to reveal their
identity; then the government
ought to insist on giving them a
sanity test.

THE CHURCH INVITES YOU
This is My Church
Ozora S. Davis said: Here
through beautiful services, I come
close to God and to my human
comrades in worship.

Here in many ways I learn the
truths by which I may live a brave
happy and useful life.
Here I gain strength by which I
become that which I have learned
I ought to be.

Here I find comfort in my sorrow,
courage in my struggle, joy
in my victories.
Here I come into union with
Christ, my Master and Friend.
Why not accept the invitation
and go to church next Sunday?

Miss Lichty Addresses
HHS Girls' League

Myrtle Padgett, president of the
Holland high school girls' league,
presided at a regular monthly
meeting of the league Friday afternoon.

Dorothy Withers sang "The
Singing Hills" and "When You
Wish Upon a Star," accompanied
by Elaine Eding, Phyllis Heyboer,
program chairman, introduced the
speaker, Miss Elizabeth Lichty,
dean of women at Hope college.

Miss Lichty gave an interesting
talk on "Boy and Girl Relationships"
and answered numerous
questions from a question box. She
stressed the importance of mother
and daughter conferences and gave
many helpful suggestions on "date
etiquette."

Sunday School
Lesson

May 12, 1940

Habakkuk Fights Doubt With Faith

Habakkuk 1: 12 to 2: 4

By Henry Geerlings

The prophet Habakkuk lived
and worked towards the end of the
seventh century. He was a con-
temporary of Jeremiah. Great
events had been happening in the
field of international politics.
Northern Israel had long before
perished. Judah survived but had
to reckon with empires to the
east and to the south west. As-
syria was declining in power until
finally came her overthrow by Ba-
bylonia in 612. Then Babylonians
became supreme by defeating
Egypt at Carchemish. King Je-
hoiakim of Judah had instituted a re-
formation but had been killed in
battle in 608. His son Jehoiachaz
reigned only three months and was
succeeded by his brother Jehoia-
cham, a man of contemptible
character who could give little
leadership in such trying times.

The earlier prophets had
claimed the character of God and
his claims upon men. They had
denounced the evils of their times
and God's judgments upon these.
They had also pictured in various
ways a coming day or era which
would vindicate their faith. It is
the mark of originality in Habak-
kuk that he questions God as to
the reason of the evil state of the
world. "Why does God suffer wrong
to triumph so that the law is para-
lyzed and the prophetic justice or
judgment comes to naught?" The
prophets traveled for Israel's
character—to get the people to
love justice till justice prevailed
among them. Habakkuk feels that
justice cannot prevail in Israel,
because of the great disorder
which God permits to fill the
world. He comes to an answer
through faith but he has shown
the beginning of a questioning,
speculative attitude which appears
in later times again. He feels that
revelation is baffled by experience,
that the facts of life bewilder
a man who believes in the God
whom the prophets have declared
to Israel.

His frankness is rather startling.
How could he speak to God as he
did? It must be said to his credit,
however, that he was willing to
be directed. He did not want to re-
main in doubt. He wanted God's
purpose to be made clear. He was
sure that if he knew God's pur-
pose in using the pagan Chal-
deans in punishing Israel, he
would see through what God was
doing, and easily supplant his
doubt with faith. We do not be-
lieve that he at any time lost con-
fidence in God. Though he
found fault he was willing to let
God explain.

The prophet puts God on the
spot. He accuses him of inconsis-
tency. He must make an ex-
planation. He reviews his high
conception of God and points out
that God has not lived up to it. He
has allowed reckless destruction,
as Jerusalem is besieged by ene-
mies. How can God use pagan peo-
ple to overpower and suppress
Israel? How can he justify his
ways with his people? Is there
any justifiable purpose back of
these strange ways?

God's answer was very impor-
tant. It was to be written clearly
as a permanent record. It was to
be in large letters easy to read,
so that any who passed by, even in
haste, could read it. The fate of
the Chaldeans was indicated.
Though God used them to punish
his people, that fact did not pre-
vent them from meeting their fate.
The great truth in God's answer
was that the righteous in Israel
would come through the sad times,
living on because of their faith,
justified in the presence of God.
The purpose of God was the es-
tablishment of Israel in faith and
their return to righteousness. This
purpose was so high and holy that
it justified ways which bothered
the prophet. God's use of the Chal-
deans did not free them from guilt.

Here then is the great contrast
between the wicked and the
righteous, between those who have
been standing before God and those
who are justified in so doing. This
is God's marvelous doing. It is too
much of a puzzle for most of us to
understand. But regardless of any-
thing that takes place, we can
keep on trusting God. His ways
are all just and his purpose pure.
He has no plan but for our good,
though we are not always able to
see his purpose back of the plan.
The satisfied prophet is our ex-
ample. He had bitter complaints
and grave doubts, but he let God
explain and so came through doubt
to faith.

THE CHURCH INVITES YOU
This is My Church
Ozora S. Davis said: Here
through beautiful services, I come
close to God and to my human
comrades in worship.

Here in many ways I learn the
truths by which I may live a brave
happy and useful life.
Here I gain strength by which I
become that which I have learned
I ought to be.

Here I find comfort in my sorrow,
courage in my struggle, joy
in my victories.
Here I come into union with
Christ, my Master and Friend.
Why not accept the invitation
and go to church next Sunday?

Miss Lichty Addresses
HHS Girls' League

Myrtle Padgett, president of the
Holland high school girls' league,
presided at a regular monthly
meeting of the league Friday afternoon.

Dorothy Withers sang "The
Singing Hills" and "When You
Wish Upon a Star," accompanied
by Elaine Eding, Phyllis Heyboer,
program chairman, introduced the
speaker, Miss Elizabeth Lichty,
dean of women at Hope college.

Miss Lichty gave an interesting
talk on "Boy and Girl Relationships"
and answered numerous
questions from a question box. She
stressed the importance of mother
and daughter conferences and gave
many helpful suggestions on "date
etiquette."

Surviving are the widow, an
adopted daughter, Jacqueline Joy;
a brother, Ray, associated with
him in Battle Creek; a brother in
England, and two sisters in Illi-
nois. Mr. King served in the
British army in the last World
war.

Funeral services were con-
ducted in Wheaton, Ill., Sunday
afternoon.

Kalamazoo Man Weds
Miss Marian Working

First Methodist church was the
scene Saturday afternoon of a
charming wedding ceremony
which united in marriage Miss
Marian Working, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Earle Working, 271 East
14th St., and Martin D. Bushouse
of Kalamazoo, son of Mrs.
George Stratton of Coloma. The
double ring ceremony was per-
formed at 4 o'clock by the Rev.
T. O. Lee of Coloma. The Rev.
W. G. Flowerday, church pastor,
was unable to assist with the
wedding because of illness.

Mrs. Rudolph Mattson, church
organist, played "Spring Song" by
Mendelssohn, and accompanied
Miss Trilzie Moore as she sang,
"I Love You Truly." Bond, and
"Ich Liege Dich," Grieg, preced-
ing the service.

The two attendants were her
sister, Mrs. Lloyd G. Miles of
Kalamazoo and Mrs. John Woolley
of Coloma. Mrs. Miles wore an
afternoon dress of dusky pink
with dark blue accessories, and
Mrs. Woolley wore pale green
with white accessories. Their
flowers were Jasmine roses and
sweet peas.

Mr. Bushouse was assisted by
his twin brother, Marvin Bushouse
of Kalamazoo, as best man.
Following the ceremony, an in-
formal reception was held in the
church parlors for about 100
guests. Arrangements were in
charge of Mrs. Frank Working
and Mrs. H. G. Working.

The bride, who was graduated
from Holland high school, at-
tended Hope college two years and
was graduated from Western
State Teachers college. She is a
teacher in Holland public schools.
Mr. Bushouse was graduated from
Kalamazoo college, and is em-
ployed in the office of the Lam-
bough Label Co., of Kalamazoo.

The couple left immediately
after the reception on a short
wedding trip. After June 21 they
will be at home in Kalamazoo.
For travelling Mrs. Bushouse
wore a green tweed suit with
beige accessories.

Out-of-town guests at the wed-
ding were Mr. and Mrs. George
Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. William
Alwood, Mr. and Mrs. A. E.
Stark, Miss Allene Stark, Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Kibler, Mr. and
Mrs. James Kibler, Mr. and Mrs.
Edward Bland, Mr. and Mrs. John
Woolley, Mr. and Mrs. William
Lehew, all of Coloma.

Mrs. John Cherry, Mr. and Mrs.
George Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-
sell Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd
Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bushouse,
of Kalamazoo; Mr. and
Mrs. H. G. Working of Spring
Lake; Lockwood Working of Ann
Arbor; Mr. and Mrs. C. Hawks
of Watervliet; Miss Betty Sears,
Miss Nellie Kramer, Miss Hen-
rietta De Loof, Miss Madeline
Roersma and Miss Hermine Bos,
all of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs.
Edward Ide of Jackson.

Kolan-Wierda Vows Are
Spoken at Parsonage

Miss Marian Kolan, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kolan,
17 East 18th St., and Lewis
Wierda were married at the pa-
ronage of Trinity Reformed church
at 5 o'clock Saturday in the
presence of Mr. and Mrs. Wierda,
with the Rev. H. D. Terkeurst performing
the double ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Wierda plan to
reside on West 21st St.

Miss Julia Klinge Is
Honored at Shower

Miss Bowina Kuizenga and Miss
Fern Klinge were hostesses at a
shower given in honor of Miss
Julia Klinge last Thursday. A
beautiful gift was presented to the
bride-to-be. A two-course lunch
was served. Games were played
and prizes were awarded to Mrs.
Frank Bolhuis, Jr., Mrs. Henry De
Visser and Miss Evelyn Den Uyl.
Invited guests included Mrs.
John Terpstra, Mrs. George Ten
Have, Mrs. Adrian Van Putten,
Mrs. Gerrit De Graaf, Mrs. Den-
ton Norlin, Miss Jean Stratsma,
Miss Bernice Kuizenga, Miss
Louise Schippa, Miss Ada Chal-
mers, Mrs. Jack Kolan and Mrs.
Herman Bergman.

Aged Man Pleads Guilty
to Intoxication Charge

Grant Thorpe, 73, route 3, Hol-
land, pleaded guilty to a charge
of intoxication on his arraign-
ment on Saturday before Munici-
pal Judge Raymond L. Smith
and was assessed a fine and costs
of \$5 which he paid. Thorpe was
arrested Friday night by local
police on East Seventh St.

Mother's Day

GOOD BYE CHILDREN

Birthday Party Is Held
in Kolenbrander Home

A surprise birthday party was
held Saturday evening at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Kolenbrander, 93 West Ninth St.,
on the occasion of Mr. Kolenbran-
der's anniversary.

Those present were Mrs. Al.
Miedendorp and sons, David,
Freddie and Dickey, Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Schutte and daughters,
Sharon and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs.
John Kolenbrander, Mrs. Reka
Kolenbrander, Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Kolenbrander, Mr. and Mrs. Cor-
nellius Vande Heuvel and Mr. and
Mrs. John Maxam.

The guest of honor was pre-
sented with several gifts. An en-
joyable evening was spent. Re-
freshments were served by Mrs.
Henry Kolenbrander, Mrs. Mied-
endorp and Mrs. Schutte.

Miss Borchers Feted
at Skating Party

A roller skating party was held
at the Grand Haven Barn Friday
evening honoring Miss Mabel
Borchers on the occasion of her
birthday anniversary. Hostesses
were Misses Florence Hill and
Dina Borchers.

Included in the guest list were
Emma Jipping, Jean and June
Tubergan, Mabel Borchers, George
Tubergan, Merle Cook, Edward
Buttles, Theodore and Bernard
Laarmán, Corwin Van Dyke, Jun-
ior Wolfe, Vernon, John and Allen
Santora, John Borchers, Edward
Brown, Katherine Ter Horst,
Ethel Woltman and Gertrude
Hamburg.

Couple Surprised on
Tenth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dockter
was surprised at their home, East
28th St., Friday night on the
occasion of their tenth wedding
anniversary.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom
Venhuizen, Mr. and Mrs. Julius
Lamberts, Pearl Venhuizen, The-
ma Venhuizen, Genevieve Ven-
huizen, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence
Dokter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Dokter, Mr. and Mrs. John Dok-
ter, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dok-
ter and Clarence Dokter, Jr.
Crazy bunco was played.

Seminary Banquet Held in
Sixth Reformed Church

Approximately 75 persons in-
cluding faculty, students and
guests attended the annual ban-
quet of Western Theological
seminary Friday evening in the
parlors of Sixth Reformed church.
The program was cleverly car-
ried out in the theme of a mon-
astery entitled "Monasticum
Echomum." Programs were black
with silver letters with a picture
of a monastery appearing on the
cover page. The menu was printed
in Latin. Dinner music was
furnished by an instrumental trio
composed of Harold Van Heuvel-
en, Theodore Meulendyke and
Alma Wedderburn.

Prior Rowland Koskamp served
as "Master of Novices" and intro-
duced the novel program. Frier
Henry Ten Clay gave a talk en-
titled "Dietum Scarcum." A solo
by Frier Henry Vermeer was in-
troduced as "Chant, voc Solus"
and a talk by Monk Benjamin
Ver Steeg was billed as "Cloth-
um Ecclesiasticum." A trumpet
duet by Prior Russell Vande
Bunte and Monk Eugene Osterba-
un was introduced as "Mervor-
um Cantus" by Buccinatores duo.

Another talk by Prior Elton
Eenigenburg was given as "Dormi-
torium Lufum" or "The dormitory
is as cheerful as a tomb."
"Choral, Antistes Quatuor," or
selections by a male quartet was
provided by Priors Vande Bunte,
Reuben Ten Haken, Henry Ver-
meer and Reuben Ongna. Abbot
George Mennenga of the faculty
gave a talk introduced as "Man-
uscriptum."

G.R. Brothers Charged
With Theft of Harness

Allegan, May 9 (Special)—
Ward Pelton, 29, and James Pel-
ton, 19, brothers of Grand Rapids,
waived examination on their ar-
raignment before Justice Volney
Ferris on charges of breaking and
entering and were bound over to
Allegan circuit court Saturday.

Bonds of \$500 each have not
been furnished. They are alleged
to have broken into a barn in
Salem township, taking several
different items, among them being
harness valued at \$40.

Mother and Son Die
in Allegan Hospital

Allegan, May 9 (Special)—Mrs.
Neva Hathaway, 30, died Friday
afternoon in the Allegan Health
center following the birth of a son.
The baby also died.

Mrs. Hathaway survived by the
husband, Everett; three children,
Shirley May, Charlotte Lorraine
and Everett, Jr., all at home; five
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"Lady Gold," the nine-year-old
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Tulip Time parades for the past
four years, died Sunday.

SMITH FINES
HOLLAND MEN

Gerrit Ramaker, 70, 36 East
10th St., pleaded guilty to a charge
of disorderly conduct on his ar-
raignment Monday before City
Judge Raymond L. Smith and was
assessed a fine and costs of \$5.

Ramaker was arrested Saturday
night by Holland police on Eighth
St., east of Central Ave.

Harm Kolenbrander, 63, 120
East 17th St., charged with in-
toxication, pleaded guilty on his
arraignment Monday and was as-
sessed a fine and costs of \$5. He
was arrested Sunday by Holland
police.

The following persons have
pleaded guilty to various traffic
charges on arraignments before
Smith: Peter Braamsa, 68, Hol-
land, Ralph Menning, 23, Semi-
nary hall, Lawrence Harrison, Hol-
land, Adrian J. Newhouse, Semi-
nary hall, overnight parking, \$1
each; Marvin Looman, 24, 312
West 19th St., speeding, \$5; Har-
ry John Kolan, 26, route 4, Hol-
land, no operator's license, \$5;
Charles O'Connor, 18, route 2, Hol-
land, excessive blowing of horn,
\$3.

HHS Seniors Hold
"Farm Frolic"

The Woman's Literary club
(transformed into a barn for the
occasion) was the scene of a gay
party, the "Farm Frolic," held by
Holland high school seniors Sat-
urday evening. Harnesses, lanterns,
horse tails, milk cans, pitchforks,
wagon wheels, milk stools, straw
hay and ears of corn created a
very "barnlike" atmosphere for
the party.

Approximately 80 "hayseeds,"
clad in overalls, slacks, summer
cottons and straw hats, attended
the barn dance. Dance music was
furnished by records.

Old-time square-dancing to the
tune of "Turkey in the Straw"
was a feature of the entertain-
ment. Dances were called by Wil-
lard Beers. Music for the square-
dancing was provided by Eddie
Nieuwsma on the guitar, Keith Sod-
erberg at the piano and Niles Han-
sen, "Fiddler."

John Vander Broek, wearing a
checked shirt, straw hat and red
whiskers, proved a comical master
of ceremonies for the program. As
the opening number Betty Morrell
and Bill Faassen sang a duet, "Rag-
time Cowboy Joe," accompanied
by Marjorie Steketee.

Paul Van Dort and Eddie Nieu-
wsma accompanied themselves on the
mandolin and guitar as they sang
"When It's Night Time in Nev-
ada," "Father's Old Gray Whisk-
ers," and "When You Wore a Tu-
lip." As an encore they sang "El
Rancho Grande." A trio compos-
ed of Lawrence Moody, Harold
Banger and Bill Faassen sang "Old
McDonald Had a Farm" and a
southern melody, "I was Born."
Sound effects for these novelty
numbers were provided by John
Vander Broek.

Vivian Tardiff was general
chairman of the affair. Other
committees were: decorations, Alice
Houtman and Phyllis Pelgrim;
hall, Murray Snow; tickets, Mar-
cella Ver Hoeft; entertainment,
Junior Puius; program, Stanley
Van Otterloo and Jack Yeomans,
and music, Marvin Overway.

Faculty members and guests
present were Principal J. J. Riem-
ersma, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Moody,
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Donovan, Er-
vin Hanson, Miss Margaret Rand-
els, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Drake,
Miss Hannah Parkyn, Miss Beat-
rice Hagen, Miss Evelyn Steketee,
Fred Weiss, Miss Jane Eldridge
and Gerald Breen.

YOUNG GIRL DIES AT
ANN ARBOR HOSPITAL

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—
Eleanor Jean Brytz, six-year-
old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frit-
jol Brytz of West Spring Lake,
died in the University of Michi-
gan hospital, Ann Arbor, at 12:35
a.m. Saturday.

The Brytz child had been ill of
chickenpox which developed into
a brain tumor. She underwent an
operation in the hospital several
days ago.

She was born in Grand Haven
Jan. 19, 1934, and was in the be-
ginners' class in the Ferrysburg
school.

Besides the parents, she is sur-
vived by two sisters, Beverly, 12,
and Sally, 8; and the grandpar-
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Spring Theme Carried
Out in Banquet Here

"Spring Gardening" was the
theme of a mother and daughter
banquet in Third Reformed church
Friday evening given under the au-
spices of the Sunday school class
taught by Mrs. William Van't Hof.
Approximately 180 mothers and
daughters were present.

Decorations were in keeping
with the theme, the room being
decorated with toy garden tools.
Centerpieces for the tables were
fresh vegetables just as they come
from the garden. Programs were
hidden in pods of garden peas. A
spring dinner was served by a
group of men from the church
headed by Carl Zickler.

A welcome was extended by
Toastmaster Mrs. N. Hoffman and
the invocation was given by Mrs.
Van't Hof. Group singing was
under the direction of Miss Mar-
garet Vander Hart with Miss Hel-
ene Van Kersen at the piano. A
toast to the mothers was given
by Miss Beth Marcus and the re-
sponse by Mrs. Henry Poppen.
Three musical selections in keep-
ing with spring were given by the
Hope College trio composed of the
Misses Vera Vanderbeek, Mar-
jorie Brouwer and Mildred Her-
man, accompanied by Mrs. W. Cur-
tis Snow.

The address of the evening was
given by Mrs. Edward Donovan and
was entitled "Life With Mother."
In relation to the theme, she took
Mother as the gardener trying to
cultivate the daughter. She por-
trayed the humorous as well as the
serious side. Mrs. Donovan read
two selections from Clarence Day's
book "Life With Mother."

Among some of the interesting
facts learned about the guests in
general was that there were five
three-generation groups present,
and several mothers with more
than one daughter present. Mrs.
Donovan's mother was present,
coming from her home town of
Lawrence. Mothers on the pro-
gram and mothers of the daughters
on the program were presented
with corsages.

Chairmen of the committees
were as follows: dinner commit-
tee, Mrs. Francis Drake and Mrs.
Nelson Bosman; decorations, Mrs.
Ivan Bosman; program, Mrs. Jo-
seph Moran; tickets, Mrs. William
Barense.

Winners Declared in
WCTU Medal Contest

Rose McCormick and Kathleen
Kraght were declared winners of
the silver medal contest in East
Junior high school Friday after-
noon sponsored by the local Wo-
man's Christian Temperance un-
ion. Two contests were held in
rooms 30 and 34 arranged by the
teachers, Miss Marian Shackson
and Albert Schaafsma.

Rose McCormick's declamation
was entitled "Toby's Exit" and
Kathleen Kraght's "The Guilty
Man." Judges in room 30 were
Mrs. Margaret Markham, Mrs. J.
H. Van Lente and Mrs. Fritz
Jonkman. Mrs. Markham made
the presentation speech. Judges in
room 34 were Mrs. J. Van Oss,
Mrs. Nelson Miles and Mrs. M.
De Boer with the latter making
the presentation.

Others entered in the contest
were Mabeline Victor, Betty
Vande Wege, Phyllis Reimink,
Lois Van Ingen, Mary Vande
Wege, Ruth Marie Ruck, Elaine
Burt, George Zuidema, Phyllis De
Roos and Eleanor Van Dahm.

Ter Horst-Overbeek
Vows Are Spoken

The marriage of Miss Katie
Overbeek and John Ter Horst was
solemnized Friday evening at the
Overbeek home in North Holland.
The Rev. Herman Maassen, pastor
of the North Holland Reformed

Jaycees Open Drive for Greater Baseball Year

Special Rates Offered by Flying Dutchmen for Opening Games

Announcement was made here Friday that the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce is endeavoring to promote greater baseball interest in Holland through active participation in helping the Flying Dutchmen baseball club get off to a good start for the 1940 season.

E. P. Stephan, secretary-manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce, said the junior organization feels that the baseball team is a decided asset to Holland because it provides entertainment during the summer season, both for Holland fans and residents.

The baseball team has promised to get the best attractions available for the coming season. Teams of Chicago, Cleveland, Toledo, Memphis and other cities will play here.

The team is operated as a civic project and not for the financial gain of a few. As the outside teams come to Holland on a percentage basis, the local club must guarantee them a minimum amount.

The experience of the past years has been that the first three of four weeks of the season shows a loss. Then there is the chance of a rainy night which means an entire loss, and the guarantee must be paid.

To overcome this handicap, the baseball team is offering tickets at 50 cents, good for any three of the first five games after Tulip Time. The aim is to sell 1,500 of these tickets to overcome this possible loss and entice the boys in their efforts to give Holland a high grade ball game.

Through the cooperation of the baseball team, the city secured one of the finest lighted ball parks in the state. In the past three years, it has paid approximately \$2,300 on the lights and maintenance of the grounds and has paid the board of public works about \$700 for power consumed.

The junior Chamber of Commerce is fully in accord with the efforts of the junior chamber in behalf of a good local baseball team, believing that it is one of valuable assets of the city.

"We sincerely trust that the solicitors will be joyfully received and given a liberal response," Mr. Stephan said.

Fielding Yost Will Address M Club

Fielding H. Yost, athletic director of the University of Michigan, will be guest of honor at the annual banquet of the local U. of M. club, to be held Tuesday, May 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the Warm Friend tavern.

Mr. Yost is bringing with him the recently released motion pictures showing the various phases of campus life in Ann Arbor. These pictures, called "The Youth of Michigan," cover the entire span of Coach Yost's regime, the years from 1901 to 1940.

Cornelius Vander Meulen will act as toastmaster and Willis A. Diekmann will preside at the piano. The banquet will be served without charge to U. of M. club members whose dues are paid. Because the program promises to be unusually interesting, the committee members in charge of arrangements invite anyone interested in the University of Michigan to attend. All reservations must be made by Saturday, May 11, with one of the following committee members: Mrs. James Brierley, telephone 9395; Miss Anna G. Visscher, 2578; or Peter Boter, 3257.

University alumni of Zeeland and Saugatuck also are invited to attend.

Local Women Receive High O.E.S. Ranks

The 46th annual session of the Supreme Shrine order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem is being held in Grand Rapids at the Civic auditorium, May 6, 7, 8 and 9.

At a recent session, Mrs. George Atwood Brown and Mrs. Mary Streu, worthy matron and associate matron of Holland chapter No. 429 Order of the Eastern Star and Mrs. Emily Beattie, past matron of Peace chapter of Edgewood, North Dakota and an honorary member of Holland chapter, were initiated into the beautiful order with a class of 30 others. Supreme Shrine officers exemplifying the ritualistic work.

They are invited to be guests at a 6:30 banquet given to members by Palestine Shrine No. 1, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem in the Masonic Temple, Friday evening.

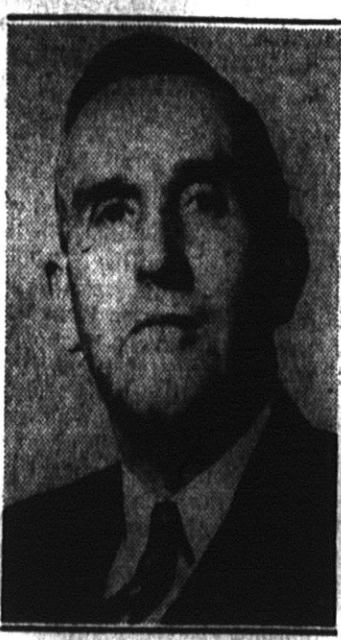
Mrs. G. A. Stover of Central Park, Past Worthy Matron of Oak Park Chapter and Past Worthy High Priestess of Oak Park Shrine of Oak Park, Ill., and an honorary member of Holland chapter O.E.S. accompanied the party to Grand Rapids and will also attend the banquet Friday night.

More than 3,000 people from all over the United States and Canada attended these sessions.

Central College Prexy Leads Hope Devotions

Dr. Irwin Lubbers, president of Central college at Pella, Ia., conducted devotions in Hope Memorial chapel Wednesday. Dr. Lubbers is a Hope college graduate, and 20 years ago was a representative of the Hope student body as a missionary at Hope High school at Vellore, India.

On Fourth Term



Charles Lowing, Georgetown township supervisor, is serving his fourth consecutive term as chairman of the Ottawa county board of supervisors. He was first elected to the post at the board's organization meeting in 1937 and was reelected each succeeding year. Mr. Lowing began his fourth term last April 9.

Two Brides-Elect Are Honored at Shower

A chorus of "Ohs" and "Ahs" greeted the two new brides-elect, Beatrice Fairbanks and Beatrice Kline, students at Hope college, when they were entertained by the Misses Angeline Dornbos, Nina Poppa, Eunice Scholten and Hester Soeters at a surprise shower in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. William Van't Hof Saturday evening.

Games were played and the evening was spent in a social time. Table prizes of soap, wash cloths and towels were awarded to the guests of honor. Beautiful hand-carved, imported coffee tables from India were the gifts of the Sibylline society. Refreshments were served.

Those present were the Sibylline society members and Sibylline Alumnae Angeline Dornbos, Lois Hall, Mildred Kirkwood, Gladys Moerdike and Hester Soeters.

Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard E. Vanderveer and son, Randall B. Vanderveer, are visiting their parents, the Rev. and Mrs. J. Vanderveer and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ter Haar. Mr. Vanderveer has just completed his first year at the Presbyterian seminary in Chicago. He conducted the devotional service in Sixth Reformed church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Oudemool, 47 West 15th St., received a telegram Monday announcing the birth of a son to the Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Oudemool of Kingston, N. Y. This is the first baby born in the manse since the year 1900.

Clarence Pott of Holland was recently elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa, national honor society, at the University of Michigan where he is doing graduate work in addition to teaching. Mr. Pott formerly taught in Christian high school.

John Sjoerdsma, 227 West 18th St. has returned home from Marine hospital in Chicago where he underwent a major operation about three weeks ago.

Robert Vander Hart and Herman Naberhuis furnished special music at the evening service in Sixth Reformed church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Maentz have returned from a two weeks' motor trip to Washington, D. C., and other eastern points.

Miss Elizabeth Lichty, Hope college dean of women, entertained her mother over the week-end. Mrs. Lichty resides in Zion, Ill. Miss Margaret Gibbs, Hope college librarian, also had week-end guests.

Mrs. John Knapp returned home today from St. Mary's hospital in Grand Rapids with her infant son who was born two weeks ago.

G.H. SCHOOL TAXES WILL BE SMALLER

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—The board of education adopted a school budget of \$199,800 Monday night, and the school taxes will be reduced 25c per thousand dollars for the coming year, making a total of \$11 per thousand, \$8 for operation and \$3 for debt service. The budget this year will include salaries for 67 teachers, seven janitors, a clerical staff of four, and a librarian, at a total salary of \$136,900.

Two new teachers have been engaged for the coming year. Miss Helen Lockwood of Monroe, who will teach French, replaces Miss Nola Bower, and Miss Dorothy Magee of Ann Arbor, who will teach English, replaces Miss Sara Fredericks. Miss Bower and Miss Fredericks resigned to be married.

Sister of Mrs. Good Dies in Grand Rapids

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HOLLAND MAN PASSES AWAY

Charles Koenig, 34, route 4, Holland, died on Tuesday morning in Holland hospital, following a lingering illness. He entered the hospital four days ago for treatment.

Mr. Koenig moved to Holland from Chicago in 1921 and operated a poultry and fruit farm on Northshore drive.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Rose Koenig; one brother, Joseph King of Chicago; one sister, Mrs. Helen Hofer of Chicago; two sisters and two brothers who are living in Germany.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. from the Nibbelink-Notier funeral chapel. The body will then be shipped to Chicago for cremation.

Allendale

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Walcott are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, April 29, at their home in Allendale.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Antonides are the proud parents of a son, Jerry Lee, born on Saturday, April 27. Mrs. Antonides is the former June Witcop of Coopersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoving announced the birth of a daughter recently at Butterworth hospital, Grand Rapids.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Syswenda of Marne and formerly from here. He has been named John Ray.

The Christian school PTA of Allendale, met Friday evening in charge of the president, Henry De Jong. The main feature of the program was an address by the Rev. Geels on "Ideal Young Manhood and Ideal Young Womanhood." Instrumental selections were given by the Bower sisters, a duet by Helene Vonk and Frieda Potgieter, 4 reading by Preston Schout, a solo by Irene Aldrick.

Selections were rendered by a male quartet composed of Herman Vonk, Gerrit Brower, John Sall and John Potgieter, Jr. Refreshments were served by the refreshment committee. Approximately 110 were present.

John Dyke has been selected from here for jury duty for the May term of circuit court.

The Allendale Home Extension group met at the home of Mrs. Silas Wiersma Friday, April 26. A pot luck dinner was served at noon. In the afternoon a business meeting was held. Plans were also discussed for Achievement day.

Mrs. Mabel Lowing, was elected president; Mrs. Inez Hubbell, vice-president; Mrs. Ruth Behrens, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Florence Wiersma, recreational leader; Mrs. Margaret Topp and Mrs. Peter Hoving, leaders, and Mrs. Olive Swanson, sub-leader. The group planned a pot-luck supper for May 10 at the home of Mrs. Inez Hubbell to which the husbands will also be invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strayer and daughter Pearl visited last Saturday afternoon. Seminarian Fred Metz was in charge of the Sunday evening services at Christian Reformed church.

Baptism was administered to the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Aldrick, Jr., at the second service Sunday.

Sunday school has resumed its activities again for the season at the Christian Reformed church. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vos of Overisel were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kraker and family of Pearline.

Membership papers of Mr. and Mrs. G. Gerstma of Eastmanville were received at the local Christian Reformed church.

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Miss Ruth Koele was the bride of Bill Topp this month was honored at two bridal showers recently. The first was given by Mrs. Jack Essenburg at her home in Virginia park. Gifts were presented, games were played and a two-course lunch was served. Prizes went to Mrs. Arthur Cook, Mrs. William Topp and Miss Koele.

Those present were Mrs. Albert Gebben of Zeeland, Mrs. Arthur Geerts, Mrs. Neal Northouse, Mrs. Al Boetz, Mrs. Hubert Boudreau, Mrs. John Mokma, Mrs. Lewis Stegenga, Mrs. John Kruid, Mrs. S. Kruid, Mrs. Arthur Cook, Mrs. William Topp, Mrs. William Andringa, Mrs. Donald Mokma and Miss Ethel Woltman.

The other shower was given last Thursday evening by Mrs. William Topp at her home at 344 West 21st St. Games were played, prizes going to Miss Anna Bleeker, Mrs. Alice Coats, and Mrs. Fred Ter Vree. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Topp and Mrs. Neal Northouse.

Those present were Mrs. Walter Coster, Mrs. Gerald Vanderbeek, Mrs. Fred Ter Vree, Mrs. Bernard Coster, Misses Marjorie and Etta Mae Coster, Mrs. Peter De Young, Mrs. Gilbert Komejan, Mrs. Herman Coster, Mrs. C. Mulder and Mrs. Alice Coats of Grand Haven, Mrs. Herman Moss of Grand Rapids, Mrs. J. Bleeker, Miss Anna Bleeker, Mrs. E. De Young, Mrs. Zoerhof, Mrs. Neal Northouse, Mrs. Jack Essenburg, Mrs. William Andringa and Mrs. Jack Coster.

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Wedding Is Solemnized in St. Francis Church

Before an altar decorated with pink and white carnations, snapdragons and palms and ferns, Miss Mary J. Heydens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Desire Heydens of 365 Maple Ave., became the bride of Leo Kemper of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kemper, also of Chicago, in a ceremony Saturday morning in St. Francis de Sales church.

The Rev. Fr. John M. Westdorp read the single ring service at 9 o'clock. Wedding music was provided by the church organist and the children's choir.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a wedding gown of slipper satin, princess style, with sweetheart neck line, pearl clips, puffed sleeves with lace inserts and a long flowing train. She carried a shower bouquet of roses and snapdragons.

She was attended by Miss Mary Kemper, sister of the bridegroom, who wore a gown of blue net with a pink face veil. She carried a bouquet of pink and white roses and snapdragons. The bridegroom was attended by Peter Heydens of Holland, brother of the bride, Henry Kemper of Chicago, brother of the groom served as usher.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Heydens wore an afternoon dress of navy with sheer yoke and a corsage of roses and snapdragons. Mrs. Kemper, mother of the bridegroom, wore a navy afternoon dress with a pink and white corsage of roses and snapdragons.

A wedding breakfast was served in the bride's home with 40 guests present. A reception was held at the home in the afternoon.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Kemper, Mrs. Peter Martens and Mr. and Mrs. John Lang of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lowing and Mrs. Coulter of Grandville, Miss Frances McGaul, Miss Camilla Corrigan and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Sterk of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Alice Spier of Grand Haven, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lugers of Kalamazoo and Miss Lillian Mero of Onaway.

The bride is a graduate of Holland high school and has been employed at the Farm Security Administration office in Grand Rapids. The bridegroom is a graduate of Pullman Technical school in Chicago and is employed by the Continental Can Co. of Chicago.

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Holland-Zeeland League Meets

More than 500 members of the Holland-Zeeland League of Young Women's societies of the Christian Reformed denomination attended the annual spring meeting in Oakland Christian Reformed church Monday evening.

After an organ prelude, Miss Dena Kuiper, president of the league, offered the opening prayer and an inspirational song service was directed by Miss A. Brat. Scripture was read by Miss Ruth Bredeweg. Instrumental music was furnished by the Oakland ensemble. The theme of the program was "The Christian Girl in Her Vocation."

Mrs. R. Heynen read an interesting paper on "The Christian Girl in the Home." Comparing the opportunities and advantages of the modern girl with those of earlier days, she stressed that her making today with its many modern devices and conveniences is changing the house into a home where character is developed and the ideals of Christianity are upheld.

Miss Rena Boven, superintendent of Holland hospital, spoke on "The Christian Girl, a Nurse." Christian virtues, love, joy, peace, meekness and kindness, she stated, are most essential in the lives of those who minister to the sick whether in the home or hospital and should be developed in early training.

"The Christian Business Girl" was the topic of Miss Angie Dogger's address. She stressed the importance of the Christian business girl taking the right attitude toward her work and co-workers as a witness for Christ. Between the addresses, the Misses Sneller of the Oakland society favored with a selection and Miss Louise De Kleine and Miss Ruth Poppa sang a duet. Miss De Kleine sang a solo, "Jesus Is the Sweetest Name I Know."

Announcements regarding the convention of the National Federation of Young Women's societies to be held in Denver, Colo., were made. Several other business matters were discussed. The closing prayer was given by Miss Minnie Nyhuis.

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NEW HOUSES IN HOLLAND SPURT APRIL BUILDING

Twelve Homes Boost Total for Year to Twenty Seven

Construction of Month at Sixty Thousand; Record in Sight

Led by applications for construction of new homes in Holland, the value of building permits soared toward a new record for 1940, unofficial tabulation of the application filed with City Clerk Oscar Peterson during April reveal.

Total value of the permits for the past month was \$60,250 and included in the 49 applications were 12 applications for the construction of new homes at a total estimated cost of \$35,950.

The number of new homes for which application has been made since Jan. 1, 1940, now totals 27. Six of the 12 applications for April called for additional construction of garages at a cost of \$1,000.

Value of the permits for the first four months of the current year now totals \$183,720 which is in excess of the figures for the same period of time for the past two years.

This year's building permit figure is \$61,853 ahead of last year's figure of \$131,867. It is \$100,255 ahead of the 1938 total of \$93,465.

Value of last month's application is also in excess of the value for the past two years. The value of the past two years, \$183,720 and \$183,720, and two years ago \$183,720 and two years ago \$183,720.

Only 32 applications for permits were filed during April of 1939, a decrease of 17 from the past month's figure of 49.

The largest single application during April was filed by Butterworth theaters for the remodeling of the former Strand theater at a cost of \$17,700.

There were 12 applications for permits to complete exterior repairs to homes at a cost of \$875. Nine applications were filed at an estimated cost of \$1,150 for interior remodeling of homes.

Seven applications called for construction of new garages at a cost of \$1,085. There was one application to build an addition to a garage at a cost of \$50.

Two applications provided for remodeling homes at a cost of \$200 and one application called for repairs to a roof of a home at a cost of \$40.

There was one application for the construction of a gasoline filling station, \$350; one application for construction of a temporary stand, \$50; and two applications for construction of new store fronts, \$1,800.

ILLNESS FATAL TO DOUGLAS RESIDENT

Daniel Flint, 76, of Douglas, died last Thursday in Douglas hospital after a lingering illness. He was an old time resident of Douglas, and a retired sailor. Surviving are the widow, Sarah; a brother, Frank Flint of Saugatuck; and a sister, Mrs. Rena Anderson, also of Saugatuck.

Funeral services were held on Sunday.

Couple to Be Married in First Church Here

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kline of 168 East 10th St. announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Beatrice, to Charles A. Steketee of Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Steketee of 84 West 14th St. The wedding will be an event of late June in First Reformed church.

Attendees at the wedding will be Mrs. Raymond Ter Beek, sister



Beatrice Kline

of the bride, as matron of honor; Miss Lois Dykstra, Miss Dorothy Hawley and Miss Leona Steketee, bridesmaids; Margaret Ryenga of Kalamazoo, flower girl; Raymond Ter Beek, best man; Calvin Vander Werf and James Hinkamp of Holland and Richard Schaffenaar of St. Louis, Mo., ushers.

Miss Kline will be graduated from Hope college in June. She is a member of the Sibleyline society. Mr. Steketee is a graduate of Hope college and received his master of arts degree at the University of Michigan. He is a member of the Fraternal society at Hope and Phi Delta Kappa fraternity at the university. He is a teacher in Howell high school.

Scholarships



Phyllis Pelgrim



Harriet Drew

—Photos by Winslow
Miss Phyllis Pelgrim, (above) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Pelgrim, and Miss Harriet Drew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Drew, will take advantage of scholarships offered them following graduation from Holland high school. Miss Pelgrim will go to Rockford college in Illinois and Miss Drew will attend Western State Teachers college in Kalamazoo.

THREE ACCIDENTS REPORTED IN CITY

Three minor automobile accidents in which no one was injured were reported by local police on Friday.

Automobiles driven by Lester Van Der Meulen, 29, 290 Van Raalte Ave., and John Donnelly, 59 West 18th St., figured in a collision at Sixth St. and River Ave., about 2:40 p.m. Thursday.

Police were informed that Van Der Meulen was driving his car west on Sixth St. and was attempting a left turn on River Ave. and Donnelly was driving north on River Ave. Van Der Meulen told police he stopped his car for the intersection and did not see Donnelly's car as another car was parked near the curb.

A truck driven by Albert Serne and an automobile driven by J. Skipper were involved in a crash at 24th St. and Columbia Ave. Thursday afternoon.

Vehicles driven by Joseph Brouwer, 38, 42 Graves place, and Sietse Baron, 61, 83 East 23rd St., were involved in a crash at 15th St. and Columbia Ave. Wednesday at 5:50 p.m. It was reported that Brouwer, who was driving east on 15th St., attempted a right turn onto Columbia Ave. and Baron was driving south on Columbia Ave.

High School Sophomores Hold Spring Party

Holland high school's sophomore class celebrated the coming of spring by holding their first party in the Warm Friend tavern Friday evening. About 75 members of the class attended the affair. Music for dancing was furnished by records.

John Jennings served as master of ceremonies for the program. A dance number was presented by Joanne Vander Velde and Jim McLean, accompanied by Mrs. Otto Vander Velde. Jim Brooks and Charles Dykema provided appropriate gestures and fake blowing while Kenneth Steketee and Harvey Van Dyke (concealed behind a screen) played a clarinet duet. The program was arranged by Norman Oosterbaan.

Later in the evening a quintet composed of Jim Mooi, Roger Schepers, John Jennings, Harvey Van Dyke and Kenneth Steketee sang "My Wild Irish Rose" and "Old Black Joe" in true barbershop harmony. Group singing was led by Clyde Geerlings. John Jennings (becoming dressed in a girl's coat and hat) and Wallace Kemme provide entertainment as a comedy dance couple.

Jim Brooks is president of the class and Miss Beatrice Hagen and Clyde Geerlings are class patrons. Miss Evelyn Steketee, Miss Hannah Parkyn and Ervin Henson also attended the party.

Frank Goodenow Dies at Residence in Marne

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special)—Word has been received here of the death Friday night in his home in Marne of Frank Goodenow, 77. He was a brother of the late Charles Goodenow, former member of the board of supervisors.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Flora Goodenow; one son, the Rev. Robert C. Goodenow, S. J. of Cleveland, O.; one daughter, Mrs. F. J. Clark of Stuart, Neb.; and one grandson, Francis J. Clark, of Stuart.

Christian Nine Is Beaten by Grand Rapids, 12 to 6

A. VOS DIES OF HEART ATTACK

Former Holland Resident Is Stricken Suddenly in His Home

Holland relatives were advised of the sudden death of Arie (Cap) Vos, 45, former local resident, which occurred at 8 a.m. Saturday at his home, 300 West Williamson St., Flint, following a heart attack. He had not been ill.

Mr. Vos was born in Holland Feb. 1, 1895, to Mr. and Mrs. I. Vos. His father died in Holland last April 14. His mother died several years ago.

For a number of years, he operated an electrical shop at 136 West 19th St. but left Holland four of five years ago to engage in electrical work in Flint.

He was a World War veteran, serving in the U.S. navy. He was a former member of Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church.

He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Donna Vos; four children by a previous marriage, Edward Vos, 236 West 19th St., Eugene, Vernon and Miss Ruth Vos, of Ionia; one brother, Charles Vos; and five sisters, Mrs. C. R. Ash, Mrs. George Kuiper, Mrs. William Hovenga, Mrs. Jack Dykstra and Mrs. Benjamin Kragt, of Holland.

Representatives of the Langeland funeral home went to Flint this forenoon to return the body here.

Funeral services were held Tuesday.

JUDGEMENT OF SIX CENTS IS ALLOWED BY ALLEGAN JURY

Allegan, May 9 (Special)—In the case of Leonard Lamb of Saugatuck vs. the Tri-County Telephone Co., an Allegan circuit court jury returned a judgment Friday afternoon of six cents in favor of Lamb.

The jury ruled that the company's trespassing upon Lamb's land was unintentional and by mistake. The plaintiff had filed suit for damages against the telephone company, charging that it had trespassed upon his property by cutting down trees and erecting a telephone line.

FIVE YOUTHS PLEAD GUILTY TO CHARGES

Pleas of guilty to charges of being disorderly in police headquarters were entered Friday afternoon by five Holland young men on their arraignment before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith.

The group included James Haasjes, 18, 130 East 13th St., Ernest Overcamp, 21, and Raymond Overcamp, 18, brothers, 145 East 14th St., Herman De Jonge, 18, 236 East 13th St., and Martin Brown, 19, 124 East 13th St.

Each was assessed a fine of \$5 and costs of \$4.15 and they arranged to pay the total of \$9.15. At first, all of the youths, except Haasjes, entered not guilty pleas and their trials had been set for Tuesday at 10 a.m.

After Haasjes had entered a guilty plea, his companions decided they had had enough confinement in the local jail and each pleaded guilty.

Charges were filed after they had caused a disturbance at police headquarters after it was reported that Haasjes' car, in which they were riding, had bumped the rear of another car on US-31, just north of Holland. The group contended that prior to this, the car which their car bumped had "cut off" their car and turned a spot light in their faces in passing them.

Illness Proves Fatal to Retired Business Man

Grand Rapids, May 9—Henry L. Adzit, retired Grand Rapids business man, died late Friday at his home here after an illness of four months.

Head of the Grand Rapids safety council in 1922, Mr. Adzit was the former owner of the Grand Rapids Electrotape company, the Grand Rapids Printers' supply company, and the Adzit Electrotape company of Detroit. He retired in 1921.

Born Sept. 14, 1869, he was a life long resident of Grand Rapids. For many years he was active in the Rotary club and was a member of the Park Congregational church. He was a member of the Knights Templar.

Mr. Adzit is survived by the widow, Frances, whom he married in 1900, a sister, Mrs. Ida Whitcomb of Grand Rapids, and a niece, Mrs. Hannah Griffin who has resided with Mr. and Mrs. Adzit during the past year.

Club Is Entertained in Hoffman Home

The Past Noble Grands club of Erutha Rebekah lodge met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Hoffman with 15 members present. After the business meeting cards were played. Mrs. Ada Johnson was awarded first and Mrs. Mae Hiller second. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Nellie Haight and Mrs. Beatie Brandt. The June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Mae Hiller with a pot-luck one-o'clock luncheon.

Coach John Tuls' Christian high nine took their third straight defeat of the season, 12-6, at the hands of the Grand Rapids Christian outfit at Garfield Park Friday afternoon. The Grand Rapids lads capitalized on 12 hits as compared with seven by the local outfit to garner their tallies, while errors were equally divided between the two teams.

Danger of calling the game because of a wet field was eliminated Friday afternoon when the weather cleared to conveniently dry the field by game time. Vander Ploeg, pitching for the locals, passed only two men while striking out six opposing batters during six innings as compared with six bases on balls and nine strikeouts by Vander Lugt and De Jong, pitching for the Grand Rapids team.

Grand Rapids	AB	R	H	E
Swart, 1b	2	3	2	0
Jurgens, cf	4	2	2	0
Kuiper, ss	3	0	1	2
Penning, 3b	4	1	1	1
Rosema, 2b	4	1	2	1
Vander Berg rf	2	3	0	0
Vander Lugt, c	3	0	2	2
Hertel, lf	3	0	0	0
De Jong, p	3	2	2	0

Holland	AB	R	H	E
Van Liere, ss	4	2	1	0
Van Wieren, 3b	2	0	0	2
Sjaarda, 2b	3	1	1	0
Wygarden, c	3	1	1	0
Buter, 1b	3	0	0	1
Tulk, cf	2	0	0	1
Ballast, rf	3	0	1	1
Vander Ploeg, p	2	1	1	0
Kalmink, lf	3	1	1	0

Totals 28 12 12 6
De Jong, Vander Lugt and Vander Lugt and Penning; Vander Ploeg and Wyngarden.
Grand Rapids 4 2 1 0 2 3 x—12
Holland 1 0 2 3 0 0 0—6

Personals

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Mesdames J. J. Brower, George A. Pelgrim, Kenneth DePree, Roy Heasley and E. P. McLean were in Ann Arbor Wednesday to attend sessions and lectures of the Institute of Adult Education.

The Royal Neighbor society held a business meeting Thursday night followed by a card party arranged by the Past Oracles club of which Francis Hillebrands is president. Head prizes were awarded to Carolyn Bruinsma and Henry Kleis with consolation prizes to Stella Dore and Freddy Olsen.

(From Saturday's Sentinel)
Billie Dale Fortney of 49 East 18th St. submitted to a tonsillectomy at Holland hospital Thursday.

The Rev. Albert Jabaay of Zeeland will have charge of the afternoon service in Central Avenue Christian Reformed church.

Mrs. John Fik of East 13th St. has been confined to her home for the past few weeks with a streptococcus infection.

Leonard John Vos, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vos, 97 West 19th St., underwent an operation this forenoon at Holland hospital for appendicitis.

George B. Dalman, 539 College Ave., has filed application for a building permit with City Clerk Oscar Peterson for a new roof and to remodel the bathroom of his home at a cost of \$150.

Hans Von Ins, 5 River Ave., filed application for a building permit Friday with City Clerk Oscar Peterson to remove two present porches and rebuild them with asbestos or brick siding, in addition to interior repairs, \$300.

Donald Visser of 228 West 16th St. has been awarded a resident scholarship at Syracuse university for 1940-41. Visser studied at Hope college and Syracuse university. Next year he will do graduate work in education.

Mrs. Nina Daugherty and Miss Anna Dehn attended a 12th annual mother and daughter banquet in South Haven Friday night. Mrs. Daugherty gave the address of the evening telling her experiences while visiting in Europe last year. She also gave a number of readings.

Mel Trotter, superintendent of the Mel Trotter mission in Grand Rapids who was stricken ill several weeks ago i. North Carolina has improved to such an extent that he is able to be dressed and walk about. He hopes to be home in time to celebrate his birthday anniversary May 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Evenhuis of Grand Rapids announce the birth of a daughter, born Friday in Butterworth hospital in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Evenhuis is the former Mable Fairbanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Fairbanks, 274 West 10th St.

MRS. D. VAN OMMEN OF ZEELAND EXPIRES

Zeeland, May 9 (Special)—Mrs. Dave Van Ommen, 43, died Thursday, May 2, in her residence, 30 South Wall St., after an illness of a few weeks. Her husband is city alderman and is owner of the Central Farm hatchery. Before her marriage she was Amelia Van Voort, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Van Voort.

Survivors are the husband; two sons, Ray, a student at Hope, and Jay, a student in high school; a brother, Cornelius Van Voort of Zeeland.

Funeral services were held on Monday.

Mrs. Van Ommen was a niece of Mrs. Henry Roek who died in Holland Thursday. She was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary, the Ladies Literary club and the Ladies Aid of Second Reformed church.

COMMON COUNCIL

Holland, Mich., May 1, 1940

The Common Council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Mayor Geerlings, Ald. Kleis, Arendshorst, Drinkwater, Kalkman, Vandenberg, Faasen, Steffens, Ketel, Menken, Raymond, Smith, Mooi, and the clerk. Devotions led by Mayor Geerlings.

Minutes read and approved.

Petitions and Accounts

Clerk presented several applications for Building Permits.

Granted, subject to approval of City Engineer and Fire Chief, except permit for temporary stand be referred to Civic Improvement Committee.

Clerk presented report of inspection of boiler at hospital. Report states that no conditions were observed that require attention at this time.

Accepted and filed.

Clerk presented application for license to sell soft drinks at 71 E. 8th St. signed by A. Overbeek. Referred to License Committee with power to act.

Clerk presented communications from United Spanish War Veterans, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Women's Relief Corps protesting against use of a so-called G. A. R. room in City Hall for any purpose except that of a patriotic nature.

In this connection, Ald. Raymond stated that their Committee had no intention of depriving any of these patriotic organizations from using this room. However, they had made an investigation to determine what days the room was in use and Mr. Wichers was not to interfere in anyway with any of these organizations. Ald. Vandenberg expressed the same views as Mr. Raymond. Ald. Drinkwater mentioned the fact that when the City Hall was built, documents were placed in the corner stone to show that this room had been dedicated to the G. A. R. and other patriotic organizations.

Alderman Faasen felt that it was an oversight on the part of the Committee in not contacting these, several organizations so that they might know exactly what the intention of the Committee was. Alderman Mooi also took the position that the Council should not over rule the objections of these various organizations.

In speaking again, Alderman Raymond expressed the fact that there was no contemplation on the part of the Committee of interfering with any of the activities of any of these patriotic organizations but their only purpose was to let Mr. Wichers and some of his help use this room when it was not being used for other purposes.

After some more discussion, it was moved by Alderman Kleis, 2nd by Faasen, that this matter be referred back to this same special committee with power to act. This special committee being composed of Alderman Raymond, Vandenberg and Smith.

Clerk presented communication from Willard Wichers, Secretary of the Netherlands Pioneer and Historical Foundation, calling attention to an art exhibit at the Grand Rapids Art Gallery featuring masterpieces of Dutch paintings. Said exhibit to be held from May 7 to 30th, 1940.

Accepted and filed.

Reports of Standing Committees
Street Committee reported recommending that the City Clerk be authorized and instructed to address a communication and Resolution to the State Highway Department requesting the closing of certain sections on the trunk line highway in the City during the Tulip-Time Festivities.

Adopted.
Street Committee further reported recommending that the City Engineer be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the paving of 5th Street from Columbia Avenue and east to the marsh, a distance of approximately 1 block. Committee further recommended that the City Engineer be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for paving 6th Street from River to Columbia Avenue. It being the intention of the Committee to have this paving done during the year of 1941.

After a brief discussion, it was moved by Alderman Smith, 2nd by Vandenberg.
Report adopted.
Street Committee to whom had been referred the petition for closing the alley between 17th and 18th Streets west from Columbia Avenue, reported having investigated this matter, and since the alley is not being used, recommended that it be closed in the rear of Lots 8 to 13 inclusive, Block C, Bosman's Addition, and Lots 1 to 12 inclusive, Block B, Cedar Flats Addition.

Adopted and hearing set for Wednesday, June 5, 1940.

Committee on Claims and Accounts reported having examined claims in the sum of \$3,648.77, and recommended payment thereof.

Allowed.
Public Building Committee reported progress in the matter of fixing up the Museum and Clinic Buildings.

Ordinance Committee presented a communication from the Michigan Municipal League in which they call attention to a proposed Building Officials' conference in which they request representatives from the different cities attend in order that they might be in a position to work out a standard building code, one for large cities, and one for smaller cities. It was the Committee's contention that the City of Holland should be represented at this conference inasmuch as the City is now contemplating the passage of a Building Code which is very bulky and it might be advisable to work with the League in drawing up a building code for small cities that

would be more suitable to the City of Holland than the present contemplated bulky code.

Clerk instructed to write the League and get further information and also inform them that our City Engineer will meet with them at their conferences. Alderman Raymond also brought up the matter relative to suitable hats for the Aldermen to wear during the Tulip Time Festivities. Mr. Raymond also brought up the matter relative to having the collars and cuffs of the Aldermen's suits cleaned before Tulip Time.

Clerk instructed to take care of this matter.

Public Lighting Committee to whom had been referred the matter of lights at Prospect Park reported having met with the Board of Public Works and found that it would be quite an expensive proposition to install temporary lights in this Park. Committee also reported that they have discussed this matter with the Police Department and were of the opinion that it could be handled by them.

Clerk instructed to address a communication to Acting Chief Van Hoff, requesting his co-operation on this matter.

Reports of Special Committees

Alderman Vandenberg reported on behalf of the special committee appointed to look into the matter of granting a lease to Mr. Craft for drilling for oil in the swamp area. Committee recommended that Mr. Craft be given a lease with the provision that they are to drill within 60 days, and further, that failure to complete the first well on a dry hole basis within 90 days from the date of the lease, will automatically cancel the agreement. And further, that in case oil is discovered, that all additional wells which are drilled on City property within the City limits, shall be located in accordance with regulations of the Michigan State Department of Conservation, and further, that the City receive ¼ per barrel royalty, instead of the usual ¼, which is the minimum legal rate.

Committee further recommended that in case oil should be discovered, that the matter be referred to the Zoning Commission in order to define the territory in which drilling for oil should be permitted.

There was some discussion on the recommendation of the Committee. Alderman Raymond took the position that the royalty provision should be for ¼ barrel, the same as the Crown Development Company lease rather than ¼th, in order to be fair to Mr. Craft.

Mr. Craft being present was called on and stated he had no particular objection to a over ride on the lease providing it was on a graduated scale. He explained that in case oil was discovered in small quantities, it would hardly pay them to operate a well if they were obliged to pay ¼th royalty to the City.

After some more discussion, it was moved by Alderman Vandenberg, 2nd by Mooi, that the report be adopted. Carried.

A further motion was made by Alderman Raymond, 2nd by Vandenberg, that the matter of rezoning in case oil is discovered be referred to the City Attorney and Appeal Board with power to act.

Communications from Boards and City Officers

The claims approved by the Hospital Board in the sum of \$3,849.94; Library Board \$185.00; Park and Cemetery Board, \$3,145.52; Police and Fire Board, \$3,776.75; Board of Public Works Operating account, \$5,587.35; Light Plant Construction Account \$153,029.20, were ordered certified to the Council for payment. (Said claims on file in Clerk's office for public inspection.)

Allowed.
Board of Public Works reported collection of \$25,076.37; City Treasurer, \$3,768.56.

Accepted.
Clerk presented report from City Inspector Wiersma giving resume of his activities during April.

Accepted and filed.
Clerk presented communication from Board of Health recommending that Mr. Gerrit Kragt be given contract as City Scavenger for ensuing year at the same prices as last year.

Adopted.
Alderman Raymond suggested that a committee be appointed to look into the matter of compulsory garbage collection throughout the entire City.

Adopted. Mayor appointed as such committee: Alderman Raymond, Vandenberg and Faasen.

Clerk presented communication from George Pelgrim, Chairman of Appeal Board Zoning Commission, giving a full report of a recent trip to Milstadt and West Frankfort, Illinois, to investigate conditions as they exist in the vicinity of Coke Ovens operated at these two points by a company which is considering the locating of Coke Ovens in the City of Holland. Mr. Pelgrim stated that his sole purpose in making this investigation was to determine whether or not the provisions in Zoning Ordinances in general and in the City of Holland's Ordinance in particular was justified in prohibiting the locating of coke ovens within the City limits. It is the contention of Mr. Pelgrim that from what he saw at the two plants visited that the operation of coke ovens within the City limits would be a decided nuisance from the standpoint of smoke, soot and smell from gas funes. Mr. Pelgrim further stated that upon his return he recited the above facts to the Mayor and Committee of the Council. He also recited the above facts to the members of the Appeal Board and they are unanimous in supporting him in his position that the Ordinance should not be changed to permit the location of coke ovens within the City of Holland.

Accepted and filed.
Motions and Resolutions

Chamber of Commerce Committee to whom had been referred the communication from the Park

Board relative to conditions at Lakeview Park which interferes with their sprinkling system, reported having met with the Park Board, and it was their opinion that the only proper way to remedy this condition would be to construct a new crib in the main river. Committee stated that the cost of such a crib would be \$405.00, and recommended that this matter be referred to the Ways and Means Committee with power to act.

Adopted.
In connection with the above report, Committee further stated that they felt it would be advisable for the City to pass an ordinance to control the new channel line in Black River, and reported recommending that the Council pass such ordinance.

Recommendation adopted.
Ordinance Committee then gave

PLAN SERVICES IN HOLLAND FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Annual Sunday Program Will Be Held in Hope Reformed Church

Cornelius Vander Meulen to Deliver Oration at Cemetery Here

Preliminary plans for the annual Memorial day services in Holland to be held Sunday, May 26, and Thursday, May 30, were arranged Wednesday night at a meeting of representatives of local patriotic organizations in the GAR room of the city hall.

Upon motion of Albert E. Van Lente, the representatives voted to accept the invitation of Hope Reformed church to hold the annual service on the Sunday, prior to Memorial day, at that church. The services will be held at 7:30 p.m., with the Rev. Marlon de Velder, Hope church pastor, delivering the sermon.

In past years these services have been held in the afternoon in Hope Memorial chapel, but the place and time of the services were changed in hope of a larger attendance. It was proposed to hold the services Sunday morning in either the church or chapel but other representatives felt this would interfere with morning services and Sunday school at the other local churches.

It was brought out that Madison Richards, 94, a Civil war veteran, is living with his granddaughter, Mrs. Dick Wiersma, 298 West 22nd St., and Mr. Richards will be extended an invitation to attend the services.

Cornelius Vander Meulen, local attorney, has accepted an invitation to serve as orator for the Memorial day program.

J. J. Riemersma announced that a contest will be held in the high school next week to select the high school reader. Mr. Riemersma also was asked to arrange for the Hope college reader on the program.

Alfred C. Joldersma was appointed to have charge of the services in Pilgrim Home cemetery in place of Henry Van Lente. A parade will precede the services at the cemetery.

Franklin Van Ry will be asked to serve as bugler. Dr. William Westrate will be parade marshal and his assistants will be Mr. Riemersma, Watson Lundie, Andrew Hyma, Hub Boone, Fred Boone, Richard Speet, John Hofeld, Henry Poppen and Frank Jilison.

Another general meeting will be held Monday, May 27, to make final arrangements for the Memorial day program.

North Holland

The members of the Home Economics club met at the home of Mrs. Mabel Westrate last Wednesday evening to discuss what object they wish to take next fall. Plans were made to attend Achievement day which is to be held in Grand Haven May 16. All members desiring to go are asked to meet at the church grounds at 9 a.m. Thursday.

The Women's Missionary and Aid society met at the chapel Thursday evening with Mrs. Maassen presiding. Mrs. Paul E. Hinkamp gave an interesting book review and Mrs. H. Smith and Mrs. B. Bosman sang a duet. Refreshments were served.

Robert Keith, is the name of the boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bosch.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bouwman and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Klynstra of Beaverdam attended the evening services in the local church and were entertained at the parsonage.

A meeting was held in the school Monday night to decide whether North Holland would have a 4th of July celebration this year. Majority voted against a celebration. Both the girls and boys 4-H clubs are being organized for the summer. A meeting was held in the school Tuesday evening to organize the boys' club and elect officers. L. R. Arnold of Grand Haven was present and explained the summer work.

The Zeeland high school invited the local high school to field day last Friday. At the gym they were entertained with several selections by the Zeeland band and a few words by the principal and teachers. A guide directed the pupils through the various class rooms, returning later to the gym for moving pictures. The day closed with a number from the band.

The last meeting of the P. T. A. will be held Friday, May 10. The speaker for the evening will be Mr. Zonnebelt.

At the 4-H Achievement day at the Holland high school Saturday, Gertrude Maassen and Harold Kappinga were chosen as delegates to go to Lansing. Jason Ebels was chosen as substitute.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford E. Pitts and daughter, Joyce Grace, spent Monday evening with Mrs. Grace E. Howell.

John Elders of Jenison is erecting a new house south of the Reformed church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moss and daughter, Joyce of North Jenison spent Sunday with relatives in Grand Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Howell were

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Ludlow, Mrs. Henry Steffens, Miss Wilhelmina Haberland, Miss Beatrice Hagen, Miss Adelaide Dykhuizen, Miss Geraldine Dykhuizen of Holland, Miss Barbara Piper, Almon McCall and John Mulder of Grand Haven and C. B. Ver Duin and Harry Brown of Grand Rapids.

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Couple to Mark Golden Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gruppen

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gruppen who reside with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Meppelink, in Borculo, will mark their golden wedding anniversary May 12. They will celebrate the event by holding open house May 14.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Gruppen were born in Emlichheim, Germany, and came to this country 46 years ago with two children. They settled in Graafschap and 35 years ago moved to Borculo.

They have 12 children, all of whom are living, including Ed Gruppen of Borculo, Mrs. Ben Schout of Zeeland, Mrs. Albert

Bosch, Mrs. John Bussies and George of Borculo, Gerrit, William, Mrs. Albert Diepenhorst and Mrs. John De Roo of Zeeland, Herman of Zeeland and Mrs. Marvin Mulder of Crisp. There are 42 grandchildren.

Mr. Gruppen was a mason when he resided in Graafschap. Later he moved to a 120-acre farm in Borculo. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gruppen are in good health and attend the Borculo Christian Reformed church. Mr. Gruppen, 76, was born April 5, 1864, and Mrs. Gruppen, 69, was born May 27, 1871.

Several junior high school students who are making the trip to Springfield, Ill., with the a cappella choir, have filed absentee ballots for the primaries. Candidates for the various offices are:

President—Janet Brooks, Jack Fitzpatrick, Don Ladewig and Jack Tirrell; vice president—Donna Van Tongeren, Julia Hoffman, Donald Russell, Ruth Kammeraad and Tim Harrison; treasurer—Erma Koetsier, Earl Borr, Ethel Klein, Carl Van Den Berg and Peter Weller; secretary—Alma Vander Hill, Glendora Loew, Shirley Visser, Leona Overbeek, Doris Diekema, Arla Parsons and Joyce Vining; chief of police—William Barense, Lewis Borgman, John De Jong, Robert Draper, Ernest Meussen and Ned Olthoff.

Preliminary activities for the senior high school election got under way Wednesday afternoon when candidates were nominated at the annual caucus. Applause and laughter greeted the clever remarks and stunts of the student speakers. Mayor Ray Serier presided and Clerk Ellen Jane Kooiker read the minutes of the 1939 caucus.

Skits will be presented by candidates for major offices during chapel programs next week and election will be held Friday, May 17.

Candidates for the office of aldermen are: ward 1—Christine Meebor, Shirley Maasa, Mary Fredericksen, Vera Zietlow and Robert Strabbing; ward 2—James Mooi, Eleanor Nevenzel and Dorothy Ladewig; ward 3—Mildred Scholten, Carol Meppelink, Natalie Bosman, Wilbur De Witt, Harvey Van Dyke and Eva Meinsma; ward 4—Kenneth Steketee, Martha Van Dyke, Lois Meppelink and Harold Van Tongeren; ward 5—Rexford Koetsier, Carleen Stroop, and Thomas Van Dahm; ward 6—Frances Hillebrands, Dale Van Lente and Marvin Van Eyck; and ward 7—Irene Lundie, Elaine Bielefeld and Don Williams.

Students running for major offices are: Mayor—John Terkeurst, Merle Vanden Berg, Kenneth De Groot and George Thomas; clerk—Shirley Rutgers, Harlene Schutmaat and Merry Haden; treasurer—Robert Scheerhorn, Allan Van Huis, Thomas Cole and William Wood; and chief of police—Anthony Kempker, William Draper and Leonard Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. Vander Schel of West 11th St. celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary Wednesday at their home.

Mr. Vander Schel was born in the Netherlands Sept. 6, 91 years ago and Mrs. Vander Schel April 26, 86 years ago. They were married in The Netherlands and four children were born to them while there. Fifty-five years ago they came to the United States and for 52 years have resided in the house they now occupy. Mrs. Vander Schel was formerly Miss Trientje Bruinsma. Mr. and Mrs. Vander Schel were married in Achlum, Friesland, The Netherlands.

Of 11 children, seven are still living, including Mrs. M. Van Dyke, William Vander Schel, Dave Vander Schel, Mrs. Claus Prins, Mrs. Egbert Witterdink of Grandville, Henry Vander Schel, and Mrs. John Vander Werf of Virginia Park. Mrs. Van Dyke is the only one living of the four who came over from the Netherlands. There are 20 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Vander Schel are both very active and like to read for a pastime. Mr. Vander Schel, despite his age, is still a very enthusiastic fisherman and plans to take his boat, which he has just repaired, doing all his own carpenter work, and go fishing in the near future. He has always liked to hunt, and can relate many interesting experiences in the field.

He worked at the Cappon-Bertsch Leather Co. for 22 1/2 years. He was in the Vander Schel bakery for 28 years. Although he has been retired for 10 years, he says he is "not tired yet."

Among the interesting souvenirs in the Vander Schel possession is a one dollar bill dated 1899, which Mr. Vander Schel received as a Christmas gift from the Cappon-Bertsch Leather Co. when he was in their employ. It is still in the original envelope. Also a valued possession is a personal letter which the Vander Schels received or their 60th wedding anniversary from Queen Wilhelmina of The Netherlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Vander Schel have been members of Central Avenue Christian Reformed church since they came to live here and still attend the afternoon Dutch services.

Grand Rapids callers Monday afternoon.

The Grangers have purchased a new piano for their hall in Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Moss and Mr. and Mrs. C. Leavenworth of North Jenison spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. De Wendt and son, Ben, spent Friday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. C. Van Farowe and son, Dale, of Bauer spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. O. R. De Wendt.

Mrs. L. Marquand of Sand Hill road was a visitor in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Northwestern Alumni Have Annual Dinner

Fourteen Northwestern alumni from Ottawa county met at Anchor Inn Wednesday evening for dinner and the annual candle lighting ceremony which is held by alumni throughout the world on this particular evening.

Miss Wilhelmina Haberland acted as chairman for the ceremony with Mrs. Henry Steffens, Stuart Ludlow and Miss Beatrice Hagen taking part.

The speaker for the evening was Harry Brown, regional alumni representative from the university who spoke on the ten million-dollar building program of Northwestern, stressing the new school of technology.

Those present were Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Ludlow, Mrs. Henry Steffens, Miss Wilhelmina Haberland, Miss Beatrice Hagen, Miss Adelaide Dykhuizen, Miss Geraldine Dykhuizen of Holland, Miss Barbara Piper, Almon McCall and John Mulder of Grand Haven and C. B. Ver Duin and Harry Brown of Grand Rapids.

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MANY ENTER IN CAMPAIGNS FOR STUDENT POSTS

Primary Friday to Climax First Part of Junior High Races

Forty-One Candidates Are Listed in Senior High Competition

Much interest has been aroused in the annual spring elections in the Holland junior and senior high schools this year. A total of 27 candidates is listed in junior high and 41 in senior high.

Miss Minnie K. Smith, principal of junior high, stated that campaigning and registration will be climaxed with the primary election Friday. Candidates for the various offices have been making daily speeches in the home rooms.

Junior high's lists of candidates is exceptionally long this year. However, all but the two highest candidates for each office will be eliminated in the primaries. Final speeches and stunts are to be presented at an assembly program Thursday, May 16, and voting will be completed on May 17.

Miss Ruth Geerlings is faculty adviser for the election.

Several junior high school students who are making the trip to Springfield, Ill., with the a cappella choir, have filed absentee ballots for the primaries. Candidates for the various offices are:

President—Janet Brooks, Jack Fitzpatrick, Don Ladewig and Jack Tirrell; vice president—Donna Van Tongeren, Julia Hoffman, Donald Russell, Ruth Kammeraad and Tim Harrison; treasurer—Erma Koetsier, Earl Borr, Ethel Klein, Carl Van Den Berg and Peter Weller; secretary—Alma Vander Hill, Glendora Loew, Shirley Visser, Leona Overbeek, Doris Diekema, Arla Parsons and Joyce Vining; chief of police—William Barense, Lewis Borgman, John De Jong, Robert Draper, Ernest Meussen and Ned Olthoff.

Preliminary activities for the senior high school election got under way Wednesday afternoon when candidates were nominated at the annual caucus. Applause and laughter greeted the clever remarks and stunts of the student speakers. Mayor Ray Serier presided and Clerk Ellen Jane Kooiker read the minutes of the 1939 caucus.

Skits will be presented by candidates for major offices during chapel programs next week and election will be held Friday, May 17.

Candidates for the office of aldermen are: ward 1—Christine Meebor, Shirley Maasa, Mary Fredericksen, Vera Zietlow and Robert Strabbing; ward 2—James Mooi, Eleanor Nevenzel and Dorothy Ladewig; ward 3—Mildred Scholten, Carol Meppelink, Natalie Bosman, Wilbur De Witt, Harvey Van Dyke and Eva Meinsma; ward 4—Kenneth Steketee, Martha Van Dyke, Lois Meppelink and Harold Van Tongeren; ward 5—Rexford Koetsier, Carleen Stroop, and Thomas Van Dahm; ward 6—Frances Hillebrands, Dale Van Lente and Marvin Van Eyck; and ward 7—Irene Lundie, Elaine Bielefeld and Don Williams.

Students running for major offices are: Mayor—John Terkeurst, Merle Vanden Berg, Kenneth De Groot and George Thomas; clerk—Shirley Rutgers, Harlene Schutmaat and Merry Haden; treasurer—Robert Scheerhorn, Allan Van Huis, Thomas Cole and William Wood; and chief of police—Anthony Kempker, William Draper and Leonard Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. Vander Schel of West 11th St. celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary Wednesday at their home.

Mr. Vander Schel was born in the Netherlands Sept. 6, 91 years ago and Mrs. Vander Schel April 26, 86 years ago. They were married in The Netherlands and four children were born to them while there. Fifty-five years ago they came to the United States and for 52 years have resided in the house they now occupy. Mrs. Vander Schel was formerly Miss Trientje Bruinsma. Mr. and Mrs. Vander Schel were married in Achlum, Friesland, The Netherlands.

Of 11 children, seven are still living, including Mrs. M. Van Dyke, William Vander Schel, Dave Vander Schel, Mrs. Claus Prins, Mrs. Egbert Witterdink of Grandville, Henry Vander Schel, and Mrs. John Vander Werf of Virginia Park. Mrs. Van Dyke is the only one living of the four who came over from the Netherlands. There are 20 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Vander Schel are both very active and like to read for a pastime. Mr. Vander Schel, despite his age, is still a very enthusiastic fisherman and plans to take his boat, which he has just repaired, doing all his own carpenter work, and go fishing in the near future. He has always liked to hunt, and can relate many interesting experiences in the field.

He worked at the Cappon-Bertsch Leather Co. for 22 1/2 years. He was in the Vander Schel bakery for 28 years. Although he has been retired for 10 years, he says he is "not tired yet."

Among the interesting souvenirs in the Vander Schel possession is a one dollar bill dated 1899, which Mr. Vander Schel received as a Christmas gift from the Cappon-Bertsch Leather Co. when he was in their employ. It is still in the original envelope. Also a valued possession is a personal letter which the Vander Schels received or their 60th wedding anniversary from Queen Wilhelmina of The Netherlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Vander Schel have been members of Central Avenue Christian Reformed church since they came to live here and still attend the afternoon Dutch services.

Grand Rapids callers Monday afternoon.

The Grangers have purchased a new piano for their hall in Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Moss and Mr. and Mrs. C. Leavenworth of North Jenison spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. De Wendt and son, Ben, spent Friday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. C. Van Farowe and son, Dale, of Bauer spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. O. R. De Wendt.

Mrs. L. Marquand of Sand Hill road was a visitor in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Northwestern Alumni Have Annual Dinner

Fourteen Northwestern alumni from Ottawa county met at Anchor Inn Wednesday evening for dinner and the annual candle lighting ceremony which is held by alumni throughout the world on this particular evening.

Miss Wilhelmina Haberland acted as chairman for the ceremony with Mrs. Henry Steffens, Stuart Ludlow and Miss Beatrice Hagen taking part.

The speaker for the evening was Harry Brown, regional alumni representative from the university who spoke on the ten million-dollar building program of Northwestern, stressing the new school of technology.

Those present were Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Ludlow, Mrs. Henry Steffens, Miss Wilhelmina Haberland, Miss Beatrice Hagen, Miss Adelaide Dykhuizen, Miss Geraldine Dykhuizen of Holland, Miss Barbara Piper, Almon McCall and John Mulder of Grand Haven and C. B. Ver Duin and Harry Brown of Grand Rapids.

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Personals

(From Today's Sentinel)

Gunnar, Jr., is the name of the eight-pound son born to Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Johnson of Lakeview farm at the home of Mrs. Maggie Lampen, 117 West 17th St., April 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornie Harken of Waterloo, Ia., spent Wednesday and Thursday at the John Hesselink home on East 24th St.

The family of Dan Lavender of River Ave. is in quarantine because of scarlet fever.

John Vanden Elst has returned to his home from Holland hospital after submitting to an appendectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lambers of route 6 have moved to their home on 364 West 21st St.

The Rev. and Mrs. Jacob J. van Kalamazoo visited relatives in the city Wednesday and attended the seminary commencement exercises in the evening.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. Tanis of Waupun, Wis., are visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Chisman and Mrs. E. L. Gage left this morning for their home in Marion, Ia., after spending three days with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wallace, East 24th St.

At a meeting of the sophomore class of Hope college Wednesday, Blaise Leval of Passaic, N.J., was elected editor of the Milestone for next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Timmer of 265 East 11th St. announce the birth of a daughter, Shirley Mae, Tuesday morning.

The Misses Adeline Knoll and Marian Jean Timmer are spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Zwiers of 271 East 11th St.

Lee Harrison has been removed to the University hospital in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. C. Van Tongeren and Mrs. William Westrate entertained a large number of the third division of the American Legion auxiliary at the Van Tongeren home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hoekstra and children of Chicago spent Tuesday in Holland to attend the funeral of their niece, Lois Ruth Zuidema.

Mrs. Randall Bosch and infant daughter, Mary, have returned home from Butterworth hospital in Grand Rapids.

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sovia of route 1, announce the birth of a daughter, Betty Jean, Friday at 281 East 13th St.

John Prins, Holland high school senior, was a guest of the freshman class of Western State Teachers college at the first College Preview day on the campus in Kalamazoo Saturday.

Howard W. Kammeraad, of 234 West 20th St., senior at Holland high school, is one of the 100 high school seniors from Michigan who won alumni undergraduate scholarships for the next school year at the University of Michigan.

Miss Anne Visscher is president of the local U. of M. club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vermeer and son, Harvey, of Sioux Center, Iowa, are visiting at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vermeer of 27 West 18th St. They will attend the graduation exercises of their son, Henry, from Western Theological seminary this evening.

Miss Gertrude Wickes, who resides at 211 West 13th St., has reported that a Darwin tulip is in bloom in her yard, with other buds ready to open in a few days.

Mrs. Bert Van Lente of route 4 was taken to Holland hospital early today for treatment.

The Union Bible class of Wesleyan Methodist church will meet Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freestone, 236 West 20th St.

All is in readiness for the presentation of the Holland Christian high school senior play "Young Doctor Young" by Richard Hill Wilkinson which will be presented Thursday and Friday at 8 p.m. in the Holland high school auditorium. The final dress rehearsal will be held tonight. Vernon Boersma and Gertrude Staal head the cast.

Miss Hazel Steggerda is ill in her home on East 32nd St.

Says Clash of Old and New Schools Is Holland's Gain

But, Lindeman Tells Club, Two Elements Must Be Kept in Balance

The evident conflict between the old and the new schools of thought here is Holland's gain, Marvin C. Lindeman told members of the Rotary club at their luncheon in the Warm Friend tavern Thursday noon.

But, the two elements must be kept in balance, he pointed out in a paper on the past, present and future of Holland.

"There is of course," he said, "an evident conflict between the new and the old schools, but through this synthesis we are holding in check the single-mindedness of the two schools, and are blending them into a new civic character that sets us apart from other communities and gives to us an identity which is most satisfying to our common ego."

He envisioned a future Tulip Time festival as an example of the significance of a proper balance.

"What shall happen to the Tulip festival during the next 10 years can only be a conjecture," he stated, "but my guess is that if we succeed in keeping Holland's two elements in balance the festival will be the nation's outstanding event by 1950."

"Tulip time must be perpetuated along its present lines, if for no other reason than the civic consciousness and civic training it gives us," he said.

But in casting his eye upon the future, he also injected a warning against an eagerness toward a quantitative expansion of Holland at the expense of quality.

Mr. Lindeman described the two elements as the "old school"—the essentially Dutch tradition and conduct which dominate and form the backbone of this city; and the "new school"—the newcomers and youth.

"When I first came to Holland (1920), the city was still in the hands of those who had built it up from the raw," he continued. "Dominie Van Raalte was not yet a hallowed memory, but a spirit whose leadership still dictated the mode of personal and social conduct. Indeed the Holland of two decades ago was still an adolescent—nondescript and inclined to be tawdry and awkward."

Literally over night, however, he explained, things have changed. "Lost to us are the strong men who gave Holland its muscles and morals; no longer do we have them to lean upon and to guide our living. It is now OUR Holland, and what are we going to do with it?"

He described the church as "the voice of old Holland, telling us to be frugal, to be industrious, to be home, and family-minded, to shun the bright lights and to think upon the hereafter."

But the voice of the newcomer has brought a background of thought and conduct that is alien to that of the old school, he said. The location of new industries here, the change in ownership and management of others, and the expansion of many, he pointed out, has added to the population people who live here as a matter of preference, who also have a stake in Holland's destiny and who instinctively try to do some reforming.

It is the inclination of these newcomers, he said, to revolt against the apparent tyranny of the Dutch school of thought and conduct, and there are frequent soundings-off against the state of affairs.

"However," he continued, "the Dutch are and always have been staunch individualists, with a natural tendency to disagree among themselves, but with an equally natural tendency to close their ranks when forced by circumstance to face a common threat to their principles of living."

"The reformer who comes against this stone wall soon stubs his toe and retires in futility. His only recourse is to seek out others of his own inclinations and go and build himself a yacht club."

"Although Holland is not yet fully accustomed to these new elements and the avenues of thinking they introduce, I think these voices of youth and the newcomer are healthy symptoms of Holland's progress," Mr. Lindeman declared.

"It is this outside influence that, with sensible perception, saw the natural advantage of appropriating the characteristic distinctiveness of the old Netherlands. The Warm Friend tavern, the telephone building, and the new Sligh building might have been just ordinary structures had not the men who conceived them, outsiders all, had an awareness of the value of Dutch architectural charm which the Dutch of Holland have themselves ignored."

"The Dutch motif should not be carried to extremes or become a fad. It would be wrong to adopt the Dutch style for our homes because we don't want to turn Holland into a bizarre and horrendous picture."

"It is only by using Dutch architecture and symbolism with discretion that we enhance our civic personality. Let the bulk of Holland be modern and essentially American, using that new-world background for the appropriate and proper highlighting of our Dutch atmosphere with an occasional building which reflects our sentimental ties with the fatherland. There must be dignity to the pattern, else the whole thing loses its significance. Let us have just enough of this Dutch flavor to dignify our background, being careful not to let it get out of hand."

Mr. Lindeman said the Hollanders also were too preoccupied to visualize the enormous value of

the Tulip for the annual dramatization of Holland's presence on the map. It remained, he explained, for a school teacher, an importation to the city, to sense the possibilities, an "alien" mayor to nurture the idea, and an outside Irishman to bring the festival to national importance.

In conclusion, he turned to another aspect of Holland's development which could spoil the whole picture.

"This is the danger, he said, of being too eager to become a big city and of thinking too quickly that new businesses, new people and new homes, mean more prosperity for all of us."

"By turning our thoughts to matters quantitative rather than qualitative, Holland will completely lose its civic character," he said emphatically.

"I do not wish for Holland that it close its doors to new blood and new vitality; I only want it to use discretion, and to keep its balance. I want it to remain true to its character, remembering that as long as it preserves the essential flavor and charm of its heritage, it can be the master of its destiny. In doing that, it can keep Holland the finest of all places in which to live, and to have friends, and to enjoy the pursuits of a wholesome life."

The newly-elected board of directors met after the adjournment of the dinner meeting and elected the following officers to take office July 1: Lawrence Lamb, elevated from vice-president to president, succeeding Dr. Otto Vande Velde; Randall Bosch, vice president; and Leon Moody, secretary, reelected.

Cornelius Vander Meulen introduced the speaker. Lawrence Moody who attended the annual Rotary convention in Jackson Monday as junior Rotarian, gave his report. Sipp Houtman also spoke briefly as the club discussed its Tulip Time activities.

TINY TOTS TO JOIN PARADE

The tiny tots division of the street scrubbers' parade, which one of the features of the opening day's program of the 1940 Tulip Time festival Saturday, May 18, will be in charge of Mrs. Donald Zwemer.

Mrs. Zwemer is asking all parents whose children are kindergarten age or under and in authentic Dutch costume to telephone here at 2839 as soon as possible. The children may push doll carriages, ride in carts pulled by older children also in authentic costume, ride tricycles, or simply march.

The tiny tots division this year will march in advance of the parade. They were left behind in previous years as their progress was necessarily more slow. The children must be at Centennial park at 10th St. and River Ave. promptly at 2:30 p.m. They will parade from River and 10th to Columbia and Eighth, immediately following the street scrubbing ceremony, and will disband in Lincoln park on the corner of Ninth St. and Columbia Ave.

Parents are urged to arrange to meet their children in Lincoln park immediately after the parade.

C.E. Group Entertained in Strong Residence

Miss Lorraine Strong entertained the Young People's Christian Endeavor society of Sixth Reformed church last Thursday at her home on East 13th St. The party was in the form of a farewell for John Benes and Vernon Kooy, juniors at Western Theological seminary, who have been assisting in the work of the society during the past year. The two will soon complete their year of study and will leave for their summer charges, Mr. Kooy to Home Acres, Muskegon, and Mr. Benes to South Dakota.

The entertaining feature was a scavenger hunt in which the crowd was divided into three groups. Later the group returned to the home where refreshments were served and an informal time was spent. A variety of songs was sung with Miss Johanna Faber at the piano.

Among those present were Nick Rowan, Frances Van Voorst, Mr. Kooy, Mr. Benes, Miss Strong, Sirena Beckfort, Virgil White, Bud Steggerda, Murriel Modders, Bernice Johnson, Esther Johnson, Cornelia Van Voorst, Miss Faber, Margaret Nienhuis, Billy Strong, Mr. and Mrs. George Steggerda and Mr. and Mrs. William Strong.

Wellesley Club Holds Luncheon-Meeting

Mrs. W. S. Merriam, 115 West 12th St., on May 2 attended a luncheon of the Western Michigan Wellesley club held in Kent Country club, Grand Rapids, followed by a meeting in the home of Mrs. Hollis Baker. Attending the affair were members from Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Benton Harbor, Grand Haven, Allegan, Kalamazoo and Battle Creek.

In election of officers, Mrs. Baker was named president; Mrs. Merriam, corresponding secretary; and Ms. Charles Dibble of Kalamazoo, treasurer.

As feature of the program, Mrs. Mary Snow of Grand Rapids reviewed two books of Madame Chiang Kai Shek, "Messages in War and Peace," and the recently published, "This is Our China." Madame Kai Shek was graduated from Wellesley in 1917, and was a classmate of Mrs. Snow.

Camera Club Will Enter Photographic Exhibit



—Photo by HHS Camera Club

The Holland high school Camera club will participate in a traveling photographic exhibit which will be held during May under the auspices of Ann Arbor high school. Other schools chosen to participate are Jackson high school and Lansing Central. Holland will send its exhibition to Lansing Central May 10 and will receive one from Jackson on the

same date. Jackson will receive one from Ann Arbor and Ann Arbor one from Lansing Central. Each exhibit will be kept one week and sent on until each of the four schools will have had all the exhibits. The photographs will be shown on the first floor of Holland high school from May 13 through May 31. In the above picture are (front row) Junior Pruks,

Don De Fouw, secretary, Les Nienhuis, president, Dale Fris and John Harthorn; (middle row) Isburne Ash, Tom Lieveuse, Maynard Wieghmink, Howard Alder, Ray De Witt and C. H. Geerlings; (back row) William De Vries, Robert Wolbrink, Charles Dykema, Roger Heasley and Ray Klomprens.

BLAME SMOKE FOR ACCIDENT

Drivers' Views Obscured, Resulting in Headon Crash on M-21

Smoke from the engine of a passing Pere Marquette freight train which fell across M-21 was blamed here for a headon crash about 3:15 p.m. last Thursday of a truck and automobile on M-21, one and one-half miles east of the Vriesland oil tanks, resulting in serious injuries to N. G. Sutton, 55, of Grandville.

He was confined in Butterworth hospital, Grand Rapids, suffering of a fractured left leg, severe head cuts and a crushed chest.

Sutton was an occupant of a car which was being driven by George M. Klinefelter, 55, of Grandville in a westerly direction. The truck, the property of the Michigan Power Shovel Co. of Benton Harbor, was driven by Larry Templeton, 40, 748 Columbus St., Benton Harbor. The large truck was being used to haul a power shovel to Cadillac where a demonstration was scheduled.

Deputy Sheriff John Boes who, with Deputy Sheriff Martin Baarman, investigated the accident, was informed that the truck was partly over the center line of the road at the time of the accident.

Templeton said he was driving only five miles per hour due to the load while Klinefelter told the officers he was driving about 30 miles per hour, having slackened the speed of his car when the engine smoke hid his view.

Klinefelter, an oil well man, suffered head cuts and chest injuries but he did not enter the hospital for treatment.

When Officers Boes and Baarman arrived on the scene they found the injured man had been removed and it was not until about 9 p.m. Thursday that they located Sutton in the Grand Rapids hospital.

Miss Trueblood Dances in Oberlin Recital

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Trueblood, 91 West 18th St., have returned from Oberlin, Ohio, where they attended a recital of the Modern Dance group of Oberlin college, in which their daughter, Miss Eleanor Trueblood, a student at Oberlin, took a prominent part.

The recital, held in Finney chapel, was in the form of a varied program, showing the comic side of the modern dance. Four comedy satires were presented. In this "Historic Fragment," which satirized the Hollywood "Broadway Melody" Rehearsal, Miss Trueblood was one of the stars.

Miss Trueblood was graduated from Holland High school, and was well known here for her artistic dancing and musical ability.

Husbands Entertained at Auxiliary Meeting

Husbands of the members were guests at a program given by the Ladies Auxiliary of Sixth Reformed church Tuesday, April 30. About 75 were present. Mrs. Herbert Wybenga, president, presided and C. De Waard conducted devotions.

A reading was given by Elaine Brouwer and vocal music with guitar accompaniment was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. James Berkel. A Dutch reading was given by Mrs. R. Groen and a religious play was presented by the Hope college YMCA.

Games were played and refreshments were served. The closing prayer was given by the Rev. J. Vanderbeek.

Enters Plea of Guilty to Fishing Without License

Earl N. Driy, 20, of Holland, charged with fishing without a license, pleaded guilty on arraignment before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith on Friday and was assessed a fine of \$5 and costs of \$6.85 which he arranged to pay. The alleged offense occurred April 30 on Lake Macatawa.

Miss Kathryn Hulst Is Honored at Shower

A surprise miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Miss Kathryn Hulst Thursday evening, April 25, at the home of Mrs. Ralph Schierbeek. Hostesses were Miss Margaret Hulst, Mable Mannes, Mrs. Mary Beckfort, Mrs. Della Fokkert and Mrs. Schierbeek.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to Jennie Dekker, Hazel Schierbeek and Henrietta Beckfort. A two-course lunch was served and gifts were presented. Those present were Susanna De Haan, Trudy Menken, Mrs. Bea Kuite, Mrs. Caroline Jongekrijg, Hazel Schrottenboer, Mrs. Henrietta Beckfort, Julianna Dannenberg, Kathryn De Pree, Gertrude Van Zanten, Marian Schra, Jennie Dekker, Gertrude Lieveuse, Mrs. Henrietta Leenhouts, Mrs. Hazel Schierbeek, Mrs. Wilma Ver Schure, Mabel Mannes.

Mrs. Della Fokkert, Mrs. Mary Beckfort, Margaret Hulst, Jean Hossink, Margaret Plasman, Hermina Buscher, Gertrude Plasman, Gertrude Wiersma, Hermina Gruppen, Mrs. Marian Schreuer, Janet Gruppen, Mrs. Susanna Van Huis, Vermetta De Frell, Myra Hulst, Janet Brinks, Susanna De Frell, Gerene Hulst, Mr. and Mrs. R. Schierbeek, Mrs. Jake Hulst, Julius Hulst, Kathryn Hulst and Steve Langejans.

Another shower was held for Miss Hulst together with Miss Alice Beckfort on April 18 by Misses Vermetta and Susanna De Frell at their home. Games were played and a two-course lunch was served. Both honored guests were presented with a gift from the group which comprised the Girls' society of the Graafschap Christian Reformed church known as the Cleaners' society. Thirty girls attended as well as Mrs. Gary Slenk, president of the group.

Miss Minnie Gerritsen Honored at Shower

Miss Minnie Gerritsen, a May bride-elect, was honored at a miscellaneous shower Wednesday May 1, at the home of Mrs. P. Steggerda. The evening was spent in playing games, prizes being awarded to Mrs. Garry Gerritsen, Mrs. Lester Steggerda and Mrs. Albert Gerritsen. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Steggerda, assisted by Evelyn and Hazel Steggerda and Miss Berdene Klomprens. Gifts were presented.

Guests included Mrs. H. Ten Brink, Miss Marguerite Ten Brink, Mrs. Don Greengood, Mrs. Harris Steggerda, Mrs. Earl Steggerda, Mrs. John Overway, Mrs. John Perkoski, Mrs. Lester Steggerda, Miss Lillian Overway, Mrs. Dick Rotman, Mrs. E. Gerritsen, Miss Claribel Gerritsen, Mrs. C. De Waard, Mrs. E. Gerritsen, Jr., Mrs. John Steggerda, Miss Laura Steggerda, Mrs. John Rooks, Mrs. Herm Steggerda, Mrs. Henry Jappinga, Mrs. Cliff Steketee, Mrs. Holtgeerts, Miss Mabel Jappinga, Miss Lois Overway, Mrs. Rance Overbeek and Mrs. George Steggerda, all of Holland, Mrs. Stanley Schippers, Mrs. Bert Woldring and Mrs. Orville Steggerda of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Garry Gerritsen, Mrs. Albert Gerritsen and Mrs. Anna Walcott of Zeeland.

Arlene Welling Has Birthday Party

Mrs. J. Welling entertained a group of children on Thursday May 2, at her home, 323 West 20th St., in honor of her daughter, Arlene, who marked her sixth birthday anniversary. Several games were played and prizes were awarded. A two-course lunch was served at a table centered with a decorated birthday cake with candles. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. B. Boes and Mrs. B. Tucker. The guests were Phyllis Boes, Phyllis Bax, Joyce Boerman, Joy Diekema, Norma Dirke, Janice Karsten, Jean Nies, Ruth Van Nill, Ruth Veele, Jean Visser, Shirline Wolters and Mary Ann Zuverink.

Plaintiff Given Residue of Wright Man's Estate

Grand Haven, May 9 — Judge Fred T. Miles has filed a decree in Ottawa circuit court in the case of Andrew J. Bell vs. Everett Collar, administrator of the estate of A. C. Cramer, former Wright township man, who died in 1938. The court's order gives the plaintiff the residue of the estate following its settlement. Testimony showed that Cramer intended Bell to be the beneficiary, although there was no will, according to the opinion. The defendant contended there was no specific contract, therefore Bell was not entitled to the estate. Cramer had no near relatives and had requested Bell to take care of him in his last days. Bell proved he had done this, according to Judge Miles.

HOLLAND MAN ON TAX BOARD

Marvin C. Lindeman Will Replace Ben Mulder by Appointment

Marvin C. Lindeman, 282 West 12th St., has received notice here from Probate Judge Cora Vande Water, appointing him a member of the Ottawa county tax allocation commission, succeeding Ben Mulder, former editor and publisher of the Holland City News, who has retired from the commission due to ill health.

The commission will meet May 13 to begin a series of meetings to establish county and school tax allocations.

Members of the commission besides Mr. Lindeman are Adrian Van Koeveering, Zeeland publisher, chairman; William Wilds, county clerk; D. H. Vande Bunte, school commissioner; Fred Den Herder, treasurer and Henry Slaughter of Tallmadge township, supervisor's finance committee chairman. Mr. Lindeman is a member at large.

FERRYSBURG MAN DIES IN HOSPITAL

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special) —Claude Hall, 63, of Ferrysburg, died at 6 p.m. on May 2 in Municipal hospital where he was admitted Monday, April 29, after being stricken ill Sunday. He had been in failing health for five years.

He was born in Wisconsin, Jan. 3, 1877, and had resided in Ferrysburg the past five years, moving there from Kinzua, Ore. Mr. Hall had been an active member of the Odd Fellows and was an officer of the lodge.

Mr. Hall, a bachelor, is survived by his aged mother, Mrs. Emma Hall, 87, of Ferrysburg, and one sister, Mrs. Peter A. Keeler of Grand Haven.

CHURCH IN G.H. TO CELEBRATE

Grand Haven, May 9 (Special) —On May 15, First Reformed church of Grand Haven will hold dedicatory services. The Rev. T. W. Mulenberg of Holland, pastor of the church some 35 years ago, will take part in the dedication.

The church has recently built a \$15,000 addition, including boiler room, new kitchen, new rooms for the consistory and choir and men's Bible class. The basement has also been remodeled.

The dedicatory program will start Sunday, May 12, at which time Rev. Mulenberg, retired, will speak at the 9:30 a.m. service.

At the service on May 12, the Rev. J. R. Euwema, pastor of the church, will deliver the sermon and George Swart, Jr., will give a history of the church. There will also be special music. The re-consecration service will be held May 19, with the Rev. J. R. Euwema delivering the sermon.

First Reformed church of Grand Haven observed its 90th anniversary this week. The church was organized in 1850 but little is known of its early history as all the records of the church were destroyed in the fire of 1889.

Speakers Address Two Missionary Societies

The regular meeting of the Women's Missionary society of First Reformed church was held Thursday, May 2, in the church parlors. Mrs. N. Gosselink presided and Mrs. G. Tyse in charge of devotions. Al Shiphorst presented a solo entitled, "Spirit Divine," accompanied by Mrs. Ellen Rulsard. During the business session, Mrs. J. Kronmeyer was made a life member of the Women's Board of Domestic missions.

The Rev. E. J. Blekkink was the speaker of the afternoon. He spoke about the American Bible society which was organized in 1816 and is a missionary society. One million dollars is used to operate and one half of that comes from the churches, he said. His three points were: translation, production and distribution. There are 10 great centers in this country and 12 great centers in other parts of the world where distribution takes place. He stated that the American Bible society is the most important movement on the face of the earth.

After his inspiring talk, Miss Nelly Zwemer read a letter from the conference missionary in China. After the closing hymn, Mrs. W. Vander Haar closed the meeting with prayer.

Those on the serving committee were: Mrs. P. Vinkemulder, Mrs. A. Kuypers, Mrs. B. Slagh, and Mrs. A. Bielefeld.

The Women's Missionary society of Trinity Reformed church held their monthly meeting Thursday afternoon in the church parlors, with 40 women attending. Mrs. H. D. Terkeurst presided, and devotions were led by Mrs. J. Kleinheksel.

Speaker of the afternoon was Miss Margaret Bilkert, a junior at Hope college, who took as her subject, "Views of a missionary's daughter in Arabia." She gave brief glimpses of her own experiences as she recalled early impressions.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. J. Van Oss and Mrs. J. K. Van Lente.

Bethel Class Has Dinner Preceding Program

The Helping Hand class of Bethel Reformed church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Miss Edith Mool. Supper was served in the form of a penny social and later the group attended the program at Bethel church.

Those present were Alyda Schultema, Minnie Gerritsen, Kathryn Bakker, Minnie Swierenga, Dorothy Martinus, Irene Harkema, Helen Orr, Dorothy Dekker, Henrietta Pomp, Janet Huizenga, Frances De Pree, Esther Walters, Edith Mool and Mrs. Charles Stoppels, the teacher.

Almost one-fourth the land surface of the world is a part of the British empire.

Birthday Party Held in Ter Beek Home

John Ter Beek, Sr., recently celebrated his 73rd birthday with a surprise party at his home at 90 East 14th St.

Those present were Mrs. John Ter Beek, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ter Beek, Mr. and Mrs. John Ter Beek, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ter Beek, Mrs. Jacob Van Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schaddole, Mrs. Gary Nonhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ter Beek, Mrs. A. Dogger and Mrs. John Fris of Zeeland.

The guest of honor was presented with several birthday gifts and refreshments were served by the daughters of Mr. Ter Beek.

Women of Grace Church Have Luncheon-Meeting

The May meeting of the Women's Council of Grace Episcopal church was held last Thursday in the guild hall. After a corporate communion with Bishop Lewis Whittemore as celebrant, and the presentation of the united thank offering, the women enjoyed a luncheon served at attractively decorated tables.

Mrs. George Copeland, vice-president, presided at the business meeting following the luncheon. Reports were given, and the election of officers took place. The new officers are: president, Mrs. Allan B. Ayers; vice-president, Mrs. R. W. Tardiff; secretary, Mrs. Verne C. Hohl; treasurer, Mrs. Gerald Kramer; united thank offering, Mrs. Bert Habbig; box supply chairman, Mrs. O. Harris.

Delegates to the 1940 convention of the women of the Diocese of Western Michigan, to be held at St. Luke's church at Kalamazoo on May 7 and 8, are Mrs. Ayers, Mrs. Otto P. Kramer, Mrs. Arthur Mills and Mrs. Hohl. Mrs. Miles Baskett, a member of the Diocesan board will also attend.

Bishop Whittemore gave a brief but instructive talk on the work of the women of the Diocese.

Approaching Marriage Date is Announced

Miss Virginia Vischer of Battle Creek has chosen May 25 as the date of her marriage to Victor E. Kronmeyer, also of Battle Creek. Miss Vischer is the daughter of David Vischer of South Haven, and Mr. Kronmeyer is the son of Mrs. Albert Kronmeyer of this city. The wedding will take place in Holland.

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