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## New Jersey Man, Native of Ottawa, Succeeds Swets

Former G.H. Principal  
Scheduled to Assume  
Duties in Holland Soon

The Holland Christian school board through its secretary, M. J. Tinholt, today announced the appointment of Walter D. De Kock, Ed. D., of Midland Park, N. J., as superintendent of the Christian school system, succeeding John A. Swets whose resignation became effective last May 15 in order that he could accept appointment as assistant superintendent of the Boys' Vocational school at Lansing.

Mr. De Kock's appointment was revealed at a meeting Wednesday night at which the entire faculty was present. The local board has been in contact with Dr. De Kock for some time and he met the school board members in an interview several weeks ago.

His acceptance of the appointment has been indicated to the school board and it is anticipated that he will take over his new duties in the near future.

Dr. De Kock is a graduate of Ferris Institute. He also attended Calvin College and Western State Teachers College.

He received the professional diploma of superintendent of schools and recently received his doctor of education from Columbia University. The latter degree requires work on an extensive project and some 15 more points of graduate credits and two more examinations than a Ph.D. degree.

He has been active in the Christian school system for 16 years, nine of which were spent as principal of the Grand Haven Christian school.

Dr. De Kock has taken specialized training at Columbia University along administrative lines which with his teaching experience will qualify him for the new position he is to assume in Holland.

He has been very active in church and mission work of various kinds both in Grand Haven and Midland Park. He also took prominent roles in directing civic projects in the east.

Dr. De Kock is married and he and his wife have three children of school age. He was born in Grand Haven 38 years ago, received his grade school education in the Grand Haven Christian school and Jamestown public school. He was later graduated from Zeeland high school.

## Horse Tramples Farmer to Death

Allegan, June 18—Howard McLoughlin, 47, Watson township farmer, died Tuesday at 4 p.m. in Allegan Health center of injuries he received when he was kicked in the head and trampled by a horse he had purchased Monday.

The tragedy was discovered by Mr. McLoughlin's 5-year-old daughter, Norma, about 11 a.m. and she ran for her mother, who dragged her husband from beneath the horse's hoofs. He was taken to the hospital in an ambulance.

Mr. McLoughlin is survived, besides the widow and Norma, by another daughter, Phyllis; a son, James; his aged mother, Mrs. Robert McLoughlin; three sisters, Mrs. Marcellus Smith of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Mildred Clawson of Watson, Miss Frieda McLoughlin, and one brother, Frank, of Kalamazoo.

Funeral services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Friday from Watson Sacred Heart church, with burial in Sacred Heart cemetery.

**Former Hope Athlete Joins Army Air Corps**

Having enlisted in the U. S. Army air corps recently, Robert Marcus has arrived in Holland for a visit prior to departure for training.

While not advised when he will be called, Marcus was given instructions to leave on a 24-hour notice within the next two weeks or two months.

Marcus was graduated from Hope college in 1939. While in college he played basketball and football. For the past three years he has been in Detroit where he served as director of recreation for the Westminster Presbyterian church and he also took graduate work at Wayne university.

**Lifelong Resident of Marne Passes Away**

Marne, June 18—Funeral services for Charles C. Walker, 85, retired farmer and life resident of the Marne area, were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. from the Baptist church, with burial in Marne cemetery. Mr. Walker died Monday in his home. Surviving is one sister, Verona Walker, with whom he lived.

## At Holland-Racine Firm's 'Minute Man' Ceremony



Shown above are the principals who took part in the ceremony Tuesday afternoon when the local plant of Holland-Racine Shoes, Inc. received its "Minute man" flag for war savings bond participation. They are (left to right) Peter Kromann, comptroller holding the 224 bonds which will be distributed to the employees; Lieut. Comdr. Harry Kipke, U.S.N.R., who presented the flag; Frank M. Lievens, executive chairman of the local savings bond and stamp committee; Miss Ruth Den Herder, secretary to Kromann, who accepted the bonds on behalf of the employees; Lieut. (junior grade) Milt Gantenbein who accompanied Kipke; and Carl C. Andreasen, general manager and secretary of the shoe company, who accepted the flag.

## Japs to Release Three of Ottawa

Scheduled to Come to  
America in Exchange  
Of Civilian Prisoners

Grand Haven June 18 (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Brouwer, 511 Howard St., have received word that their daughter, Mrs. James P. Whitman and her son, Jonathan Glendage, will probably arrive in the United States in August in an exchange of civilian prisoners with Japan.

Mrs. Whitman and her son, who was born last fall, have been in Stanley Island prison at Hong Kong since the Japanese captured the British crown colony early in the war. Information received by way of British diplomatic channels last March stated that a British official had seen them and they were in good health.

No word has been received regarding Mr. Whitman who is a representative of an insurance company in Hong Kong. He was a member of the citizens volunteer defense corps and is a military prisoner.

According to word received by the Brouwers Wednesday from the office of secretary of state in Washington the exchange affects civilian and official prisoners. They are to be evacuated to Lourenco, Marques, Portuguese East Africa, by the Japanese where the exchange will take place. The Americans in the group will then travel to New York on the steamer Gripsholm.

Mrs. Whitman, the former Beatrice Brouwer, had a secretaryship in the U. S. consulate at Hong Kong at the time of her marriage.

Mrs. Florence Meeker Rantz, former teacher in the Spring Lake schools and a sister of Mrs. J. E. Holmes of Spring Lake, who was a missionary at the Door of Hope school in Hong Kong is also to be among those exchanged. Mrs. Rantz's son, Paul, also is mentioned on the list but her four-year-old daughter is not included in the list. Mrs. Rantz is expected to make the voyage from Lourenco on the Gripsholm.

## Check-Up Meets Open in Allegan

Allegan, June 18—Meetings to instruct township leaders on a farm check-up campaign were under way today in Allegan county.

Leonard Swanty, county AAA chairman, said that through coordination of the AAA, county extension office, the war board and civilian defense a program has been outlined whereby every farm in the county will be checked for scrap, number of trucks available, crops to be harvested and amount of labor needed. Farmers will receive information and help on their labor problems.

The meetings which started Wednesday are being held at 8:30 p.m. The remainder of the township schedule is as follows: Tonight, Cheshire, Clyde, Laketown, Martin, Overisel; Friday, Hopkins, Salem, Saugatuck, Trowbridge, Valley, Wayland; Tuesday, June 23, Dorr, Fillmore, Lee, Manlius, Otsego, Gun Plain.

**HEADS G.H. DRIVE**  
Grand Haven, June 18—Appointment of F. C. Bolt as city chairman for Grand Haven in the war bonds drive, is announced by Mayor James Van Wessem. He will fill the vacancy created by the resignation of B. P. Sherwood, Sr., who will continue as chairman for the city drive. He previously had held both positions.

## Hudsonville Soldier Is Awarded Camp Honor

Williams Field, Ariz., June 18—A committee of officers and enlisted men at Williams Field has designated Corp. Justin Schipper of Hudsonville as the "soldier of the week."

The award gives Schipper an advance in rating from private to corporal and a trip to Hollywood. The award is based on outstanding soldier qualities.

## Three Fined on Traffic Charges

Grand Haven, June 18 (Special)—Andrew Den Hollander, 51, of Grand Rapids paid a fine of \$10 and \$3.35 costs upon his plea of guilty to a charge of having no chauffeur's license. He was arraigned in Justice George V. Hoffer's court Tuesday afternoon after his arrest by state police Tuesday in Crocker township.

Wayne Waite, 32, Bangor, who was arrested by state police June 14 on a charge of driving a truck at an excessive rate of speed in Grand Haven township, pleaded guilty before Justice Hoffer Tuesday afternoon and paid a fine of \$5 and \$1 costs.

Jack Vickers, 20, 1717 Penney Ave., Grand Haven, paid \$5 fine and \$3.35 costs in Justice Hoffer's court Tuesday upon his plea of guilty to a charge of allowing contents of his loaded truck to drop on the highway Tuesday morning in Crocker township.

## Peter A. Mass Is Sent To Camp in Maryland

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mass, 255 West 18th St., have received word that their son, Peter A. Mass, recently inducted into the army under selective service, has been sent to the ordnance replacement training center at the Aberdeen, Md., proving grounds.

Prior to his induction, Mass was working at the Rock Island, Ill., arsenal. When he returned to Holland for his induction, he brought with him a letter of recommendation from an army officer that he be sent to the Aberdeen proving grounds for training.

Mass has been assigned to Co. A, 3rd Ordnance training battalion.

## Van Raalte School Has Picnic at Kollen Park

Van Raalte school held its annual afternoon picnic Wednesday afternoon and evening at Kollen park. Joseph Moran directed games, assisted by Donald Mokma, Lucien Raven Nelson Karsten and Gary Kruthof. The prize committee consisted of Mrs. Russell Barnard, chairman, Mrs. Henry Stroop and Mrs. Arie Buurman.

Mrs. J. K. Ward was chairman of the refreshment committee, assisted by Mrs. Leo Ebel, Mrs. Lucien Raven, Mrs. Don Rypma and Mrs. Martin Hardenberg. Supt. and Mrs. E. E. Fell were guests.

Prize winners included Leon Beyer, Kenneth Boeve, Norma Van Vuren, Rose Wolters, Vernon Johnson, Marvin Vander Bie, Ella Lambert, Betty Radseck, Bruce Poppo, Leonard Johnson, Shirley Mack, Rose Mary Lamberts, Robert Sale, Bill Wooden, Dolores Cook, Mary Ruth Kampen, Malcolm Gordon, Phillip Troost, Marion Zuverink, Janice Karsten, Connie Tuinstra, Lonna Ray Piers, Earl Welling, and Ronald Boeve.

## Three Thousand In Local Parade

Hour-Long Procession  
Greatest in History of  
City, Mayor Declares

There were virtually as many marchers as spectators when Holland climaxed Flag week Monday night with a record-breaking parade sponsored by the city defense council and the Chamber of Commerce.

Mayor Henry Geerlings, who headed arrangements for the observance which included a program in Riverview park, estimated that 3,000 persons were entered in the parade and that about as many persons lined the parade route to watch the hour-long procession.

He said the parade was the longest in the city's history. Three blasts on the "mocking bird" whistle signaled the start of the march led by a police escort and Dr. William Westrate, chief marshal.

The patriotic program, delayed half an hour by the length of the parade, was presented in Riverview park under the direction of Chairman Eugene Heeter before several thousand persons.

## Local Bond Sales Reach New High

The biggest sale of war savings bonds for any 15-day period in Holland occurred here during the first two weeks of June, Frank M. Lievens, executive chairman of the committee to promote the sale of stamps and bonds in Holland, reported yesterday.

He said that bonds with a purchase value of \$102,196.19 had been bought during the first 15 days of June. The previous high mark was \$103,000 but this represented the maturity value of the bonds, Mr. Lievens reported.

The bond sales follow: Series E, \$41,137.50; Series F, \$51,258.69; Series G, \$9,800.

## Independent Union Is Voted at Holland Hitch

By a plurality of 97 votes, employees of the Holland Hitch Co. voted overwhelmingly in favor of the Independent Employees union of Holland Hitch Co. as their collective bargaining representative.

The election, conducted by the national labor relations board, was held Wednesday at the plant and the results were announced today by Mayor Henry Geerlings, president of the firm, and Henry Ketel, vice-president and general manager.

A total of 287 votes was cast with the following results, they announced today: Independent Union, 187; United Automobile, Aircraft and Agricultural Implement Workers of America (CIO), 90; no union, 9; blank ballots, one.

## RAIN MEASURES .56 INCH

Rain which fell in Holland Holland about 7 a.m. today and again shortly after 8 p.m. measured .56 inch, according to Chief Weather Observer Bert Smith. Predictions call for scattered showers and thunderstorms tonight.

## Scholarships Are Awarded at C.H.S. Commencement

Check for Thousand  
Dollars Given School  
As Class Memorial

Announcement of college scholarships, presentation of the class memorial and other awards and a surprise number by the fifth and sixth graders proved to be the highlights at annual commencement exercises in Central Avenue Christian Reformed church Tuesday night for this year's graduating class of Holland Christian high school.

The year's scholarship to Hope college was awarded to Kathleen Schrotenboer, one of the two all-A co-valedictorians this year, and the scholarship to Calvin college was awarded to Martin Sjaarda, an outstanding member of the senior class.

The senior class memorial as presented by Howard Koop, class president, consisted of a \$1,000 check to be used for new library books, paintings and statuettes, hand instruments, motion picture equipment, playground equipment and other causes. John Tuls, acting principal who accepted the check, explained that the class had raised this large sum through the four years by selling candy, assessing class dues, conducting extensive Christmas card campaigns and the senior play.

The surprise number by the two elementary grades was the presentation of a \$100 war savings bond to the school board with Durward Bakker, a sixth grader, making the speech. The Rev. D. H. Walters, president of the board of trustees, accepted the bond. The children raised the money by collecting waste paper for more than three months.

Other prizes and awards included honor medals, cash prizes, a plaque and other medals and a Bible. Honor award medals went to the two valedictorians, Kathleen Schrotenboer and Robert Kalmink. Prizes in the senior essay contest given by the school board went to Barbara De Vries, \$5, and Angelyn Tuurling, \$2.50 (second prize). The subject was "My Part in the Present Crisis."

Christian high took first and second prizes in a city-wide contest sponsored by the VFW auxiliary on the subject, "Unity for Victory." First prize of \$10 in defense stamps went to Nella De Leeuw and second prize of \$5 went to Betty Bruusma.

Medals for the representatives in the Triangular Oratorical contest went to Sylvia Nykamp and Howard Koop. They won first and second respectively, in the final contest. The science award, a plaque, for the senior doing the best work in science during the four years in high school, was given to Kathleen Schrotenboer.

The senior Bible award to the member doing the best work in Bible during the senior year went to George Vander Ploeg. This prize is given in memory of Miss Anne Holkeboer by the King's Daughters class of Ninth Street church. The winner's name this year was inscribed by Miss Tena Holkeboer, missionary to China on furlough here. Citizenship medals were awarded to Nella De Leeuw and Howard Koop.

The two valedictorians spoke on the class motto, "Today We Follow, Tomorrow We Lead." Miss Schrotenboer in speaking on the first phrase said, "We should respond to God the things that are His. Therefore, we should give Him our lives, follow Him closely and bear each other's burdens. Our parents first taught us to follow this path and this debt to our parents is more than we can pay."

Robert Kalmink said school commencement is generally regarded as the beginning of personal responsibility, a milestone in the lives of many. "There are many leaderships, but only one true leadership, and that is to follow the banner of Christ."

He emphasized the importance of responsibility and said "Education without work is failure; education with work is success. We cannot lead without a leader, therefore, follow the leader, Christ. It is our task to help reshape and rebuild the world."

He concluded with citing some of the advantages of education offered by a Christian institution. Board President Walters presented diplomas to the class. Two of the 49 members were unable to be present, Harvey Wolbert was home with the measles and Hattie Boeve is seriously ill. A previous long distance call from John Swets, former school superintendent, now in Lansing, congratulated the class.

Miss Hazel Oelen was the organist. The girls this year wore street-length dresses. Special music was provided by the choir of Marvin Baas and by an instrumental ensemble. The Rev. D.D. Bonnemera of Zeeland gave the invocation and the Rev. A. De Vries of Borculo the closing prayer.

The USWV auxiliary will meet Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the GAR room of the city hall.

## Civilian Pilot Training for Hope College Is Approved

## Nearly 40 Tons of Rubber Collected in Local Drive

A survey of local gas stations and wholesalers today revealed that nearly 40 tons of scrap rubber have been collected in the city as a part of the national scrap rubber drive, according to L. Philip Van Hartesveldt, acting chairman of the local salvage for victory committee. The exact total of 78,900 pounds does not include rubber collected by Gulf stations which were unable to turn in definite reports.

Mr. Van Hartesveldt estimated that Holland's contribution to the campaign would net 100,000 pounds or more of rubber before the drive is completed. Ray Smith, manager of the Sinclair Refining Co., suggested that a meeting of all operators and managers in the Holland area be held to form a committee whose function would be to call on all industrial plants, talking to men during lunch hours and displaying signs urging scrap donations in an effort to boost the city's total. This plan has proved successful in Greenville.

A meeting may be arranged Friday evening for all operators

interested in such a program. Dave Schripsema, Holland Pure Oil operator, collected a truckload of old tires weighing 1,283 pounds from farmers living south of Holland in only three hours' time Wednesday afternoon. One of the tires, a tractor tire, weighed 172 pounds.

An appropriate wartime slogan at one station urged local citizens to "Get in the Scrap" by turning in all old rubber materials.

Zeeland, also responding favorably to the appeal, has collected nearly ten tons in the first three days of the two weeks' drive.

## Nineteen Hundred Youths of Ottawa Due to Register

Wiersema to Be Chief  
Registrar in Holland  
For Listing June 30

Vaudie Vandenberg, chairman of the local selective service board, today estimated that about 500 youths between the ages of 18 and 20 will be registered in Holland Tuesday, June 30, for the fifth registration under the selective service act.

He announced that Neal Wiersema will serve as chief registrar and that the only registration place in Holland will be at the board's office on the second floor of the Temple building, 10th St. between Central and River Ave.

The board will accept registrations of youths Saturday and Monday, prior to the registration day Tuesday, he said. The registration figure is based at 50 per cent of those who registered for the third draft which totaled 965.

Ottawa county selective service board No. 2 at Grand Haven estimates that 1,400 youths will be registered in the county outside Holland.

Registrations will be held at the armory in Grand Haven and at other centers at Conklin, Coopersville, Marne, Allendale, Lamont, Hudsonville, Zeeland and Holland township.

The registration will be held in accordance with a proclamation issued by President Roosevelt. Col. E. M. Roscreans, state selective service director at Lansing, predicts that about 150,000 youths will be registered in Michigan.

President Roosevelt has announced that every male person will be subject to registration on June 30 "if such male citizen or other male person has attained the 18th or 19th anniversary of the day of his birth on or before June 30, 1942, or the 20th anniversary of the day of his birth after Dec. 31, 1941 and on or before June 30, 1942." Persons previously registered will not again be subject to registration.

The registration will be conducted from 7 a.m. until 9 p.m.

The fifth registration this month will complete the tabulation of all persons between the ages of 18 and 65, as required by the selective service act. Approximately 1,700,000 persons have already been registered in Michigan. More than 1,000,000 of these registrants are in the military age group between the ages of 20 and 45. Registrants of the fifth registration will not be subject to military service until they reach the age of 20 or until such time as the present selective service act is amended.

Men subject to registration on June 30 are urged by selective service headquarters to register at the nearest registration place in their own local board area, if at all possible. Persons away from home on registration day, however, may register at the office of the nearest local board.

## Holland Men Included In New Navy Enlistees

Grand Rapids, June 17—Frank Data, chief quartermaster and local naval recruiting officer, announced today that 73 western Michigan men have enlisted in the navy during the past few days.

Among the enlistees are Julius Meiste, Robert B. Schoonard and Lester J. Sliter of Holland; Carl A. Schoeder, Easton E. Maxfield, Frank V. Nerd and James Crane of Grand Haven; William Mastenbrook and Clifford W. Widley of Spring Lake; Glenn W. Brown, Jr., of Ferrysburg; and Tom Peick, of West Olive.

Chief Data also announced that all branches of the service are re-opening and urges all men who were heretofore unable to meet physical requirements to visit the nearest navy recruiting station as standards have been lowered in regard to eyes and teeth.

## Ten Students in First Unit for Ground and Flight Instruction

Hope college today received official notification from the civil aeronautics authority, approving the opening of a civilian pilot training school at the college.

Announcement of the approval was made by Dr. Bruce Raymond who said the college had applied for a pilot training school last January but approval was withheld by the C. A. A. pending passage of a congressional appropriation which has been completed. With the C. A. A. granting its approval, Hope college now becomes a primary training school for pilots, Dr. Raymond said.

The ground school work will include courses in civilian air regulations, meteorology, navigation and mechanical construction which will be offered at the college. The flight training will be conducted at the Park township airport, now under supervision of Ottawa county, and will be in charge of a Mr. Fennell of Grand Rapids Northern Airlines.

The first unit will consist of 10 students who filed their applications some four or five months ago. Other students have applied to fill out the unit, providing some of the original applicants do not fulfill their plans, Dr. Raymond said.

Classes are to start soon, he reported. A plane is being placed on the college campus for laboratory use.

The students are to be taught in units of 10 members with one unit for the first fall semester and another unit for the second semester. Interested students should contact the college office, relative to application for training.

Ground school course instructors will include Prof. A. E. Lampen, navigation; Prof. Clarence Kleis, meteorology; Dr. Raymond, civil air regulations; Mr. Fennell, mechanical construction.

## Mother of Local Woman Passes

Grand Haven June 18 (Special)—Mrs. Victoria Bessinger, 61, died at 10 p.m. Wednesday in her home, 1075 Waverly St., after a critical illness of the past three weeks.

She was born July 18, 1881, in Poland and had been a resident of Grand Haven for 20 years, moving here from Pellston. She was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 9 a.m. from St. Patrick's church, with the Rev. Fr. Daniel J. Hyland officiating. Burial will be in Lake Forest cemetery.

Recitation of the rosary will be at Bessinger home Friday at 8 p.m.

Survivors are the husband, Jacob Bessinger; three daughters, Mrs. Walter Grabarek, Mrs. Jack Meurer of Grand Haven and Mrs. Ray Johnson of Robinson township; four sons, Joseph of Detroit, Walter of Grand Haven, Julius of Grand Haven township and George of Spring Lake; and two sisters.

## Father of Mrs. Haight Will Be Buried Today

Allendale, June 18 (Special)—Funeral services were scheduled this afternoon for Lemuel Blakney, 80, who died early Tuesday morning in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ira Haight, in Holland. Surviving are two other daughters, Mrs. Terence Sheridan of Conklin and Mrs. Fred Kennedy of Allendale; 14 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mr. Blakney was a member of the Wesleyan Methodist church for many years and was an old Allendale resident, living here until a few years ago when he was taken to the home of his daughter due to advanced age and infirmities.

## Holland Girls Honored On Program in Chicago

Sally Diekema and Elaine Bielefeld, Holland high school seniors who will be graduated in annual commencement exercises in Hope Memorial chapel tonight, climaxed their active school careers by being chosen as members of the "Citizens of Tomorrow" honor roll in a group of 55 students who were honored on a Chicago program. The program honored outstanding students of Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Michigan and Iowa.

Both girls were active in extra curricular activities during their high school careers and were members of the junior and senior honor rolls. Their trip to Chicago included a tour of various points of interest in the city, a luncheon and a dinner. Miss Diekema will participate in the patriotic narrative which is a feature of the commencement program tonight.



## Building Permits Amount to \$2,485 In City for Week

Total Is \$1,358 Under Previous Period; Eleven Applications Are Filed

Eleven applications for building permits calling for a total of \$2,485 were filed last week with City Clerk Oscar Peterson. Applications are \$1,358.25 less than last week's total of \$3,843.25 which covered 27 applications.

The list of this week's applications follows:

Peter Veltman, 229 West 20th St., rebuild porch and inclose with glass, \$100; Mr. Veltman, contractor.

Mrs. Elsie Walker, 80 West Seventh St., built-in cupboards on first floor and remodel upstairs for an apartment, \$475; Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., contractors.

Joe Terpema, 382 Lincoln Ave., reroof house, \$100; Dyke and Vandenberg, contractors.

C. Vander Heuvel, 205 Pine Ave., build single stall garage, 22 by 12 feet, \$250; Herman Bontekoe, contractor.

John Arendshorst, reroof former Gil-Boat Co., River and Fourth, with asphalt roofing, \$280.

Sam Plagenhofe, 310 East 13th St., glass inclosure of front porch, \$85; Bert Gebben, contractor.

Henry Overway, 124 West 13th St., extend garage south three feet, \$35; Mr. Overway, contractor.

Crampton Mfg. Co., West 12th St., loading platform, \$250; W. Vander Kolk and son, contractors.

Arthur Schaap (727 State St.) to build dormer and make room for window at 87 East 17th St., \$150.

Joe Borgman, 439 Central Ave., inclose porch with screen, \$60; A. De Weerd and son, contractors.

George Vogt, 94 East Ninth St., remodel into three - apartment house, \$700; Eisenberg Building and Lumber Co., contractors.

## Former Holland Man Succumbs

Cornell Heijte, 80, died Saturday night in Mercy hospital, Mantoloking, after being admitted there a week ago for treatment. He had been in failing health for some time.

For the past 30 years, he had been living at Arcadia where he operated a large farm. He was born March 18, 1862, in Holland to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heijte.

Survivors are three sisters, Mrs. Charles Hanson, of Holland, Mrs. Jennie Manley of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Nellie Bricker of Grand Rapids; and two brothers, John and Edward Heijte of Holland.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. from the Dykstra funeral chapel, with the Rev. George Trotter officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

## Local Man to Become Chaplain in U.S. Navy

Harry R. Boer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Boer of Holland, was declared a candidate of the Christian Reformed church following examination at synod in Grand Rapids Friday, and will leave immediately for Norfolk, Va., where he will take a 15-week training course to prepare for a chaplaincy in the navy.

Ensign Boer was graduated from Calvin seminary in 1941 and took a year of post-graduate work at Princeton seminary. Upon a satisfactory completion of the training course, Mr. Boer will be duly installed as an ordained minister by Prospect Park Christian Reformed church of which he is a member. Eight other seminary graduates were declared eligible as candidates in the ministry.

## Local Firm Victor in Suit Over Stone Bill

Grand Haven, June 18 (Special).—After hearing testimony in Ottawa circuit court Thursday in the case of G. A. Swenson, doing business as the Swenson Stone Co., of Bloomington, Ind., against the Roy D. Beard Cut Stone Co. of Lansing and the B. & B. Haring Co., contractors of Holland, Presiding Judge William B. Brown of Kent county found no cause of action against the Haring Co., and granted plaintiff a judgment of \$1,814.23 against the Roy D. Beard Cut Stone Co.

The suit involved an unpaid balance on stone materials which the Swenson company allegedly furnished the defendants for use in the improvement of Pilgrim Home cemetery in Holland.

## Zeeland Man Expires After Long Illness

Zeeland, June 18 (Special).—William Post, 75, 345 West Main St., died Friday noon after a lingering illness. Surviving are the widow, Mary; one son, Benjamin, of Morrison, Ill.; two brothers, Bernard Post of Zeeland, route 1 and Jacob Post of Zeeland.

Crop of winter wheat for 1942 is estimated at 647 million bushels, an increase of 22 million bushels over the estimate of one month ago, but 23 million bushels less than in 1941.

## Local Men in the Armed Forces



John Kools, 80, 325 Maple Ave., a resident of Holland for the past 18 years, died at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in Holland hospital after a ten-day illness. Born May 23, 1862, in Kalamazoo, he attended school in that city and was in the employ of the Michigan Sugg Co. there for 18 years. Later he accepted a position with the Imperial Wheel Co. at Jackson and went to Flint with the company to complete 26 years association with the firm.

While in Flint Mr. Kools was a member of First Presbyterian church and served on the session for a number of years. When he came to Holland his membership was transferred to Hope Reformed church.

Surviving include the widow, Anna; a daughter, Mrs. W. G. Winter, Sr.; a son, Dr. W. C. Kools; four grandchildren, Dr. John K. Winter, Dr. William G. Winter, Elizabeth Ann Kools and John W. Kools; and three great grandchildren, all of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. A. Michmershuizen of Holland and Mrs. C. Den Adel of Kalamazoo; and two brothers, Abram Kools and Benjamin Kools of Kalamazoo.



Corp. Donald A. Cook who will be 22 years old June 17 enlisted with the U.S. Marine Corps Jan. 12, 1942, and is now home on an 18-day furlough visiting his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cook, West Main St., Zeeland. He will report back for duty June 18. Corp. Cook has completed his training with the commandos at San Diego, Calif., and will enter active duty next month. He is the first marine to enlist from Zeeland and was made a corporal after being in the service five weeks. He was born in Zeeland and was graduated from Zeeland high school three years ago.



Pvt. Donald De Kraker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter De Kraker of 231 West 17th St., enlisted with the Army Air corps in June 1941, and was stationed in St. Louis, Mo., for two months. After that he took a course at Chanute field, Ill., on weather observation, being graduated in October, 1941. Since then he has been stationed at Elgin field, Fla., and Tyndal field, Fla., where he is now working. He was born Oct. 30, 1918, and attended Holland public schools. In 1940 he was graduated from Hope college where he took a course in business administration. He worked for the Chemical Specialties Co. in Zeeland for a year before enlisting with the air corps.

## Christian Grade Pupils Collect Paper for Bond

Pupils in the fifth and sixth grades of the Holland Christian grade schools collected a grand total of 13,927 pounds of paper in a race to raise funds for the purchase of defense bonds. The children plan to buy a \$75 war bond for the school with money gained from the sale of the papers.

The paper was collected in two races, the first of three months duration, and the second lasting a week. Winners of the first race received a treat for their work and winners of the second race received a double treat. A single prize was given to all who did not win in the second race.

Thirty-five pupils of the 6-2 grade participated in the races, collecting a total of 8,004 pounds of paper, or slightly over 228 pounds per pupil. In the 6-1 grade approximately 117 pounds per pupil made up a total of 2,580 pounds.

Members of the 5-2 and 5-1 grades collected about 35 and 77 per pupil, respectively, making totals of 1,484 and 1,859 pounds.

Vermont leads the nation in granite and marble quarrying.

## Illness Fatal to John Kools, 80

John Kools, 80, 325 Maple Ave., a resident of Holland for the past 18 years, died at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in Holland hospital after a ten-day illness. Born May 23, 1862, in Kalamazoo, he attended school in that city and was in the employ of the Michigan Sugg Co. there for 18 years. Later he accepted a position with the Imperial Wheel Co. at Jackson and went to Flint with the company to complete 26 years association with the firm.

While in Flint Mr. Kools was a member of First Presbyterian church and served on the session for a number of years. When he came to Holland his membership was transferred to Hope Reformed church.

Surviving include the widow, Anna; a daughter, Mrs. W. G. Winter, Sr.; a son, Dr. W. C. Kools; four grandchildren, Dr. John K. Winter, Dr. William G. Winter, Elizabeth Ann Kools and John W. Kools; and three great grandchildren, all of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. A. Michmershuizen of Holland and Mrs. C. Den Adel of Kalamazoo; and two brothers, Abram Kools and Benjamin Kools of Kalamazoo.

## Personals

(From Thursday's Sentinel)

Miss Lois Nyboer, 13 West 17th St., will leave Tuesday for Hartford, Conn., where she will visit her brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. John Nyboer. The latter couple who have been visiting here are at present in Detroit where Miss Nyboer will join them prior to going to Hartford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Vander Poel, 17 East 16th St., received word Thursday that their son, Earl, who enlisted June 3, has been assigned to flight C, 357th TSS, Air Corps, and is stationed at Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Le Jeune and Miss A. Serling returned Wednesday night from Chicago where they attended the graduation exercises of Miss Christie Wellman from Mercy high school. Miss Wellman, a niece of Mrs. Le Jeune, returned to Holland with them.

Dr. Myron J. Van Leeuwen, instructor in the dental school at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, has returned for the summer session after spending a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Van Leeuwen of route 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Van Bock of 473½ Pine Ave. announce the birth of a son Thursday in Holland hospital. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hertz of 465 Central Ave. at the hospital this morning.

Ray Grisson who has enlisted in the construction branch of the navy left Saturday for Norfolk, Va. where he will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hjelte of route 6 announce the birth of a daughter, Brenda Jane, Wednesday at the Lampen Maternity home.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Postma and sons of East Saugatuck and Miss Gene Hulst of Holland returned Tuesday from a five day trip to Missouri where they visited Pvt. Harold Langejans who is stationed at Camp Crowder.

Robert D. Kuile, 632 Michigan Ave., a senior in the school of music at the University of Michigan, has returned to Ann Arbor after spending a ten day vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kuile. A graduate of Holland high school, Mr. Kuile will enroll for the university's summer term which begins Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Pieters, a cataloguer at the National Bureau of Archives in Washington, D. C., has arrived in Holland to spend her vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Albertus Pieters.

Mrs. John Swets and children, John Arthur and Mary Lou, moved to Lansing today from 79 West 19th St. Mrs. Swets, who has accepted a position as assistant superintendent of the boys' vocational school and has been living in Lansing for the past month, came to Holland to accompany his family to Lansing.

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nicol of route 5 have received a letter from their son, Corp. Jesse Nicol, from Australia. This was the first word they have received directly in many weeks. Corp. Nicol writes that Australia is fine and the people are friendly. He adds the food is rationed but they have good meals. The trip was pleasant, he said.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hopp of route 3 a daughter June 7 weighing seven and three-quarters pounds. She has been named Iris Faye.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Roller, A. E. McClellan, Clara McClellan and Mrs. A. Winstrom were in Kalamazoo Saturday to attend the graduation exercises of Lois Jane Te Roller from Western Michigan college.

Mrs. Peter Van Ark and daughter, Lucille, 244 West Ninth St., have returned from Troy, N. Y., where they visited Mrs. Van Ark's son, George D. Kardux, and family. They also visited relatives in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Broek of Chicago visited at the Harry Broek home on route 3, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rozeboom and daughter, Emma, spent the week-end in East Lansing, and attended the graduation of their son and brother, Lt. Paul Rozeboom, from Michigan State college. He received his B. S. degree with high honors, graduating second in his class of 57 mechanical engineers.

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Karen Lynn is the name of a daughter born Friday morning in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hertz, 465 Central Ave.

Twin daughters were born in Holland hospital Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Elferdink, 113 West 23rd St.

Fred Scheibach, route 4, is confined in Holland hospital with a foot fracture suffered Friday afternoon when he dropped a large piece of iron on his foot at his place of business. He was to have further x-rays today and probably will return to his home today or Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vanderlaan of Chicago are spending several days with Mrs. E. E. Post, 145 West 19th St.

Mrs. Klaas Bonthuis and son, Gene Edward, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Expert Essenburg, 290 East Eighth St. Before her marriage Mrs. Bonthuis was Evelyn Essenburg of Holland who left here more than five years ago to reside in Burbank, Calif. This is her first visit since leaving the city. Mrs. Bonthuis plans to remain in Holland until the end of June when she will return to California.

Leon H. Nies of 58 West Cherry Ave., Zeeland, will receive a bachelor of science degree from Wheaton college Monday. Mr. Nies has joined the U. S. forces and in the fall will attend Notre Dame for a month and then attend Northwest for three months of further study.

Miss A. Serling and Miss Christie Wellman left Friday to spend two weeks in New York.

**Drunk Is Sentenced to Serve Ten Days in Jail**

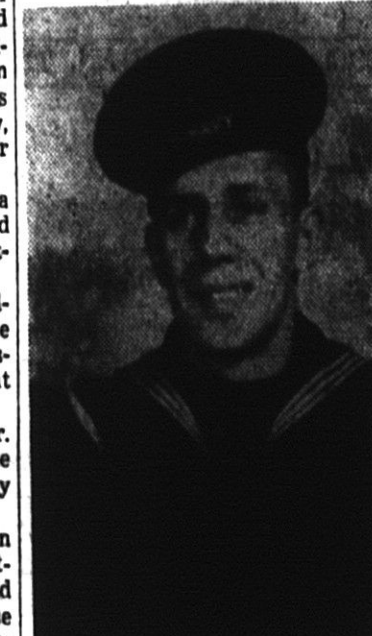
Leslie Godfrey, 41, of Waukegan, Ill., was sentenced to serve ten days in the county jail in Grand Haven when he was arraigned before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith on charges of drunkenness on last Thursday.

Godfrey was picked up by local police Wednesday night at the Pere Marquette depot where he had fallen from a train. He was taken to the local jail for the night and remained there most of Thursday.

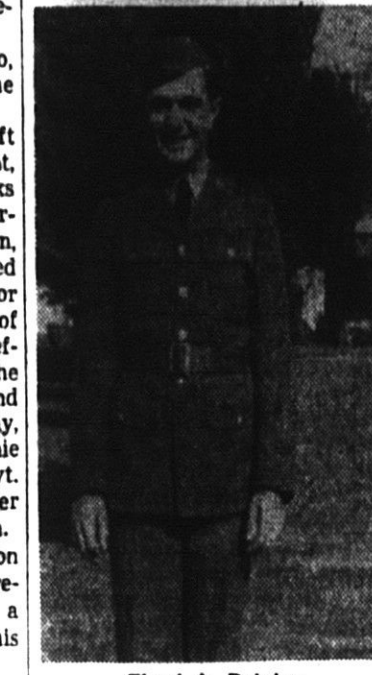
Nelson Westerhof, 27, route 4, paid fine and costs of \$5 Thursday when arraigned before Judge Smith on charges of having no chauffeur's license.

Cook county, Illinois, was the first to adopt civil service.

## Local Men in the Armed Forces



Garold Marvin Daining



Floyd A. Daining



Jack Pommerening

These three cousins, all grandsons of Fred Vanden Beldt, 15 West 19th St., are in three different branches of the nation's armed forces. Jack Pommerening is a fireman third class in the submarine service of the navy; Floyd A. Daining is a private first class in the army, and Garold Marvin Daining is a fireman third class in the U. S. naval reserve.

Pommerening, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Pommerening of route 4, enlisted July 28, 1941, and spent six weeks at the Great Lakes Naval Training station, before being transferred to Ford Navy Trade school. After completing his course he volunteered for submarine service and the latter part of February was sent to Coco Solo, Canal Zone, Panama, where he is now stationed at the submarine base.

He attended Holland high school. Floyd Daining, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Daining of route 3, was inducted into the army Oct. 15, 1941, and was stationed at Camp Wallace, Tex., until Dec. 24, 1941, with the coastal artillery. He was then transferred to Camp David, N. C., where he was attached to the balloon barrage. After completing this course he was transferred to Seattle, Wash., where he is now stationed as a rigger. He was 22 years old May 30.

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John H. Van Huizen and wife, to Henry J. Hazekamp and wife, NE 1 sec. 13-15 twp. Robinson.

George Hillard and wife, to Floyd Harrison, Pt. NE 1 SW 1 sec. 32-9-13 twp. Chester.

Gerrit Van Tongeren to Egbert Boes and wife, Lot 27 Weersing's 1st add. Holland.

John Van Heekken and wife, to William F. Kendrick and wife, Lot 39 Country Club Estates subd. Pt. lot 1 Village Cedar Swamp twp. Holland.

Jennie Mulder to Margaret Molewyk, Pt. NW 1 SW 1 sec. 27-5-15 twp. Holland.

Edwin G. A. Gustafson and wife, to Harold W. Gustafson, SW 1 NW 1 sec. 8-8-15.

Harry Plow to John Vander Meulen and wife, Pt. Blk. C. A. C. Willis Add. Coopersville.

Stephen A. Cook to George W. Cook and wife, W 1 E 1 SE 1 and W 1 NE 1 sec. 2-7-14 Pt. E 1 NE 1 sec. 11-7-14.

Wilhelmina Beukema to Jack Dykstra and wife, Lot 5 Elmdale Court subd. Lot 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 add. No. 1 Holland.

George J. Moeke et al to Theron A. Stone, N 1 E 1 and N 1 NE 1 sec. 5-6-13 twp. Olive.

George J. Moeke et al to Nann Zetta Slade, S 1 E 1 and N 1 NE 1 sec. 5-6-15 twp. Olive.

Howard Russell Sluyter et al to Charles Kroten and wife, Lot 98 Steketee Bros. add. Holland.

Isaac Paarlberg to Elizabeth Paarlberg, Lot 45 Elm Grove Park subd. Pt. lot 61 Heneveld's sup. plat No. 20. NE 1 and NW 1 sec. 27-5-16 twp. Park.

Isaac Paarlberg to Marion Bell et al, Lot 38 Elm Grove Park subd. Pt. lot 61 Heneveld's sup. plat No. 20. NE 1 NW 1 sec. 27-5-16 twp. Park.

Gladya Burma to Lambertus Burma and wife, Pt. S 1 NW 1 sec. 21-5-16 twp. Park.

Gertrude Van Pelt to Frank Zant and wife, Lot 8 De Spelder's add. Grand Haven.

Greta Johnson to Joseph Skwarek and wife, Pt. NW 1 NW 1 sec. 25-8-16 twp. Spring Lake.

John Harmon and wife, to John A. Nagelkerk and wife, Lot 11 Van Der Ven's subd. Pt. lots 5, 6, and 7 blk B add. Holland.

## Father of Mrs. Dethmers Dies

Dr. Conrad De Jong, Prominent Physician, Taken in City Hospital

Dr. Conrad De Jong, 70, prominent physician in Grand Rapids until his retirement from active practice four years ago, died Saturday afternoon in Holland hospital after a lingering illness.

Surviving are the widow, the former Cynthia J. Burma, daughter of the late Rev. Ale Burma of Grand Rapids; one daughter, Mrs. John R. Dethmers of Holland; and one son, Dr. Russell N. De Jong of the faculty of the University of Michigan Medical school at Ann Arbor; three grandchildren; four brothers, Stephen and Henry of Orange City, Ia., Joseph of Primm, Wash., and Gerret of Spokane, Wash.; and three sisters, Mrs. Hubert Mullenberg, Mrs. John Newendorp and Mrs. Charles Sterenberg, all of Orange City, Ia.

Dr. De Jong, a native of Iowa, attended Hope college and was graduated from the University of Iowa in 1895 and the University of Iowa Medical school in 1897. He practiced in Minnesota and Iowa before going to Grand Rapids in 1915. He was a member of the staffs of Blodgett Memorial and Butterworth hospitals there for many years, also a staff member of the Holland U. B. A. home, a member of the honorary staff at St. Mary's hospital and an emeritus member of the Kent Medical society.

During her husband's illness in Holland hospital, Mrs. De Jong has been residing with her daughter, Mrs. Dethmers, on Park road.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. in Central Reformed church of Grand Rapids, with burial in Oakhill cemetery. The body will lie in state at the Nibelink-Notter funeral chapel here from 7 to 9 tonight and at the church from 1 p.m. until the funeral hour tomorrow.

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## Slow Signs Added To Solve Traffic Issue on Seventh

### Numerous Items Are Considered at Meet Of Police, Fire Board

Questions concerning traffic, construction, radio, beach surveillance and a fireman's convention were disposed of by the Holland police and fire board at its regular meeting in City Clerk Oscar Peterson's office Monday afternoon.

Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff reported that installation of 10-mile-an-hour signs for Seventh St. at Columbia Ave. had apparently quieted protests which a-

rose after the board two weeks ago ordered the stop signs reversed to make Columbia Ave. traffic halt at the corner.

The change was ordered two weeks ago as part of a plan to reroute traffic, especially trucks, from Eighth St. to Seventh St. However, the reversal, the chief said, had caused complaints that children near the corner were unable to cross due to flow of traffic along Seventh St. Mayor Henry Geerlings and several aldermen joined in the protests, he stated.

Following complaints of parking on the North side of Tenth St. in the vicinity of the Holland Hitch Co., after recent inauguration of two-hour parking on the south side, the board voted to set up two-hour parking on the north side of Tenth St. from Pine Ave. west past the residences to the middle of the block.

Turning to building problems, the board gave Fire Chief Andrew Klomparsen authority to determine whether a building permit should be issued to Theodore Kuiper for rebuilding a commercial structure at 55-57 West Eighth St.

The chief said he was to confer today with Kuiper for a final decision on materials which would go into the building. Common council at its last meeting voted approval of the project on condition that it be approved by the police and fire board and the fire chief.

Kuiper proposed to make a one-story building out of the present structure, making three

walls of masonry and the front of glass, wood and some masonry.

Chief Klomparsen said he would insist that Kuiper use tile in front and use concrete blocks, one factor in the controversy, in some of the other walls. The new building, the chief said, would be an improvement over the present frame structure, and would give the adjacent police department ten additional feet next to its driveway.

The board approved a plan, considered by Chief Klomparsen and a council committee, whereby a new stairway will be built at the No. 2 engine house, a toilet will be moved and a workroom will be enlarged. Other improvements at the engine house, including painting the upper rooms, are scheduled, with the firemen cleaning up the quarters and doing all the work except that which requires the services of a professional carpenter.

Police Chief Van Hoff was given authority to work with the board's building committee, of which Commissioner Fred Kamferbeek is chairman, in revamping the tall, yellow brick smokestack at the former Fifth St. power plant into a transmitter for the two-way police radio system which may be in operation by fall.

The chimney has been declared ideal as an antenna for the system. The base of the chimney will be converted into a room to house the transmitter, with a roof to be built inside the smokestack about ten feet from the ground. A concrete floor will be laid by the policeman.

Chief Van Hoff also was instructed to obtain heavier generators which will be needed for the police cars when the radio system is placed in operation.

The application of Orlo Palmer, route 4, for position as maintenance man for the radio system, was filed. The police will operate the set, but a maintenance man, subject to call when needed, will be employed.

Cornelius J. Dornbos' application for a position as guard and special policeman at Kollen park this summer was accepted. He will start his duties when notified by Chief Van Hoff, the board decided.

Twelve firemen, six from each of the two local companies, will attend a state firemen's convention in Grand Rapids, June 22, 23 and 24. Expenses are expected to total \$30. Four men, two from each company, will be sent to the convention each day and bring back notes for the benefit of those firemen who will not attend, Chief Klomparsen said in asking the board's approval of

the proposal. The convention is expected to be unusually significant with present emphasis on civilian defense.

After the fire chief had explained that the items were needed by the fire department, the board voted the purchase of 12 helmets, a fireman's coat and a pair of boots. The coat, it was said, will replace one believed stolen from former Chief C. Blom four or five years ago.

In other business, the oath of Anthony J. Babinski, 202 West 16th St., as special police officer at the Western Machine Tool works, was accepted.

All members of the board, Chairman James Borri, John Donnelly, William Deur, William J. Meengs and Kamferbeek, were present.

### Dorothy Den Herder Is Complimented

A surprise shower was given by Mrs. Benjamin Molenaar, 361 West 18th St., on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Dorothy Den Herder, who will be married this month at Albany, Ga., to Lt. George Heneveld, an instructor in the U.S. Army Air corps. The bride-elect was presented with many attractive gifts. Bunco was played and a two-course lunch was served.

Invited guests were Mrs. Henry Troost, Mrs. Horace Troost, Mrs. Harold Schaap, Mrs. Anthony Bowman, Mrs. Bernard Hill, Mrs. Gary Bongars, Mrs. M. F. van Herder, Miss Ruth Den Herder, Mrs. George Heneveld, Sr., and Miss Nellie Kammerman all of Holland; Mrs. J. H. Den Herder, Mrs. E. Roberts, Mrs. A. Koolman, Mrs. G. Weber and Mrs. J. Stulp of Grand Haven; Mrs. J. Klomparsen of Muskegon; Mrs. H. Sywassink of Adrian; and Mrs. James Den Herder of Drayton Plains.

### Four Are Honored at C.E. Board Party

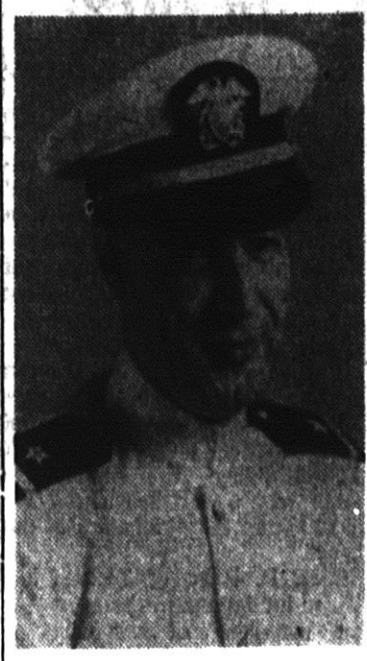
Members of the old and new boards of the Holland Christian Endeavor union gathered at Buchanan beach Monday night following the Flag Day parade for a beach party honoring four board members who plan to enter armed service this summer. The four are John Maassen, Harvey Koop, Ray Mool and Don Van Ark.

Others present included Charles Stoppels, Miss Frances De Pree, Miss Edith Mool, Miss Marion Vande Bunte, Miss Carleen Stroop, Miss Cornelia Van Voorst, Wayne Lemmen, Irving Lemmen, Alvin Rezelman, Miss Mildred Borri, Delbert Vander Haar and Lawrence Baker.

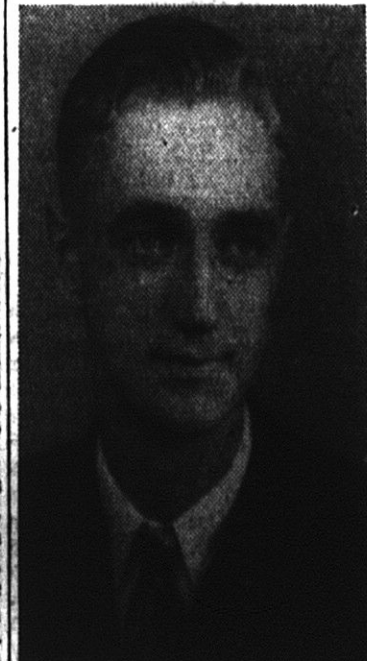
Arrangements were in charge of a committee consisting of Miss Borri, Miss Van Voorst, Miss Vande Bunte and Wayne Lemmen.

Coldest weather ever recorded by the U. S. weather bureau was 66 degrees below zero, at Riverside ranger station in Yellowstone park, February 9, 1933.

## Local Men in the Armed Forces



Ensign Thomas Roy Kieft, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kieft of Holland and Manistee, enlisted with the Naval Reserve shortly after his graduation from Michigan State college in June, 1941. He is now attending the Naval Mine Warfare school in Yorktown, Va. First he was sent to Annapolis Naval Academy where he attended for three months, then to Northwestern University Midshipman's school where he received his commission as ensign May 14. He was graduated from Manistee high school in 1935. The Kiefts' local address is 174 West 12th St. During summer vacations, Ensign Kieft had been employed by the Western Machine Tool Works.



Harold Louis Dalman, private first class in the U.S. Marine Corps, enlisted Jan. 2, 1942, and spent the first three months at Parris Island, S.C., Quantico, Va., and New River, N.C. He left New River around the first of April for an unknown destination. He was given highest ranks as expert rifleman and marksman in pistol. Dalman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Dalman, 265 East 13th St., was born Dec. 18, 1922, and attended Holland high school.



Lewis Terpema, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Terpema of 240 West 10th St., entered service in the army Oct. 18, 1941, and is now with the field artillery at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. Before being stationed at Fort Leonard Wood he spent some time at Fort Custer and Fort Sill, Okla. He has a brother, Frank Terpema, who is stationed on the west coast. He was born in Holland June 9, 1920, and was graduated from Holland high school in 1940.

**EXAMINE REGISTRANTS**  
Forty registrants were examined Monday night at the local selective service board headquarters. The examiners were Drs. O. Vander Velde and Chester Van Apple-dorn.

**REPORTS CRASH**  
Miss G. Vander Berg, 320 West 16th St., reported to police Monday that her car was involved in an accident at 16th St. and Central Ave. with one driven by Junior Zoet of Zeeland.

## In Partnership Fifteen Years

For the past 15 years John Van Dyke and John Volkers have engaged in a successful contracting business as partners under the firm name of Van Dyke and Volkers, 26 East 20th St. The two businessmen formed a partnership after working for several years in the building contracting business for another local firm.

Buildings constructed by the firm include the new office, just recently completed of Drs. John and William Winter, the Harlem Reformed church, the Holland and Grand Haven state park bath houses and pavilions. At present they are at work remodeling the Swift and Co. plant and erecting the Maplewood Reformed church.

### Showers Compliment Miss Stella Firli

Miss Stella Firli of Holland, whose marriage to John Niemiec will take place Saturday at 9 a.m. in St. Francis de Sales church, was honored at three showers recently.

On Sunday, June 14, Miss Firli was guest of honor at a surprise miscellaneous shower in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Firli, in Muskegon. Bunco was played. Guests included Stella Kutas, Mrs. Leon Kowalewski, Irene Petroski, Mrs. J. Dabrowski, Joan Kutas, Stella Janis, Jennie Petroski, Louise Kutas, Alberta Goheski, Mrs. P. Dabrowski and Mrs. Herbert Schaeffer.

On June 9 the office girls of the De Pree Chemical Co. entertained with a party. Guests included Mrs. James Brower, Mrs. Leona Kellogg, Mrs. S. Kamminga, Mrs. Louise Wierda, Misses Norma Seekamp, Donna Rens, Ida Laarman, Lillian Klein, Ella Drinkwater, Helen Stroop, Mae Rozeboom, Amanda Rozeboom, Gretchen Ming and Marion Postma.

On June 4 the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Jack Firli, entertained in her home at 46 West

First St. Among those present were Mrs. Mike Wlodarczyk, Mrs. Sylvester Zych, Mrs. John Mrok, Mrs. Frank Mrok, Mrs. Jack Dabrowski, Mrs. John Stepanaki, Mrs. William Miller, Mrs. Gilbert Tora, Mrs. Kenneth Decker, Mrs. John Firli, Mrs. Myrtle Victor, Mrs. Jack Vroeki, Mrs. C. Israels, Mrs. Frank Doyle, Mrs. Robert Doyle, Mrs. Mary Zych, Miss Berdene Israels, Miss Genevieve Mrok, Miss Lucille Mulder, Miss Toni Wlodarczyk, Mrs. James Kaiman, Mrs. Arthur Van Dyke and Miss J. Stepanaki, all of Holland, and Mrs. Lucien Montminy of Fall River, Mass.

### Miss Dorothy Hawley Honored at Shower

Miss Dorothy Hawley was guest of honor at a kitchen shower Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Walter Mitchell, West 16th St. During the evening games were played and prizes were awarded. Miss Hawley was presented with many useful gifts. Refreshments were served by the hostesses who included Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Ruth Mitchell and Miss Rachel Brower.

Attending the party were Mesdames Claude Dunnawin, Howard

Dorgelo, Dale Dunnawin, Sam Miller, Bert Smith, Douglas Gordon, Barbara Gordon, Elizabeth Walberg, Gabe Brower, Tony Van Beukering, Fred Slikkers, Harold Gee, Clarence Wood, William Gordon and Misses Mary Gee, Hannah Brower, Marion Blake, Mary Jane Gordon, Marjorie Gee, Lois Mitchell and Mary Lou Mitchell.

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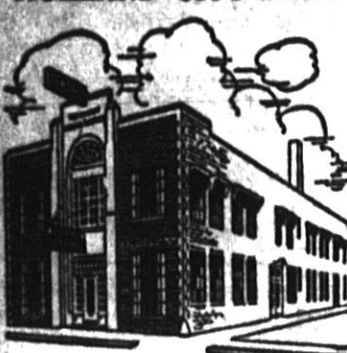
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## WHEN TULIP TIME RETURNS

The decision to suspend the  
Tulip Festival for the duration  
was a wise one. By next May  
the American people will be so  
preoccupied with the war effort,  
and travel will be so difficult,  
that the tulip celebration would  
have been doomed to failure. Sus-  
pension of the festival is one of  
Holland's ways of doing its part  
in the war.

That is the practical side of  
the situation. There are other  
reasons hardly less compelling.  
One of them is that the tulip  
celebration is essentially a Dutch  
institution that depends for its  
unique appeal on our visitors' in-  
terest in the quaint customs that  
have their origin in the land from  
which many of the people of this  
community trace their ancestry.  
Continuing to hold the Tulip  
Festival while that land of our  
fathers languishes under the  
tyranny of the Nazi invaders  
would be inappropriate.

But that suggests the idea  
that the next Tulip Festival that  
Holland will stage should not be  
merely a resumption of an inter-  
rupted custom; it should be given  
the tone of a festival in celebra-  
tion of the return of liberty and  
autonomy to the land that first  
gave the festival significance. For  
when the Tulip Festival returns  
to Holland the invaders will have  
been driven out of The Nether-  
lands; the Nazi highwaymen will  
have been punished or will be in  
the way of being punished; the  
legitimate Dutch government will  
have been restored to The  
Hague; the owners of the vast  
tulip fields in the neighborhood  
of Haarlem will have repos-  
sessed their lands. All that will be re-  
ason for celebration, and no more  
appropriate note could be sound-  
ed in our next Tulip Festival,  
whenever it is held, than the note  
of triumph for the restoration of  
law in the world.

It is of course too early to  
decide on details. Many horrors  
must still be lived through before  
the day of triumph comes to The  
Netherlands and to the world.  
Many governments may still fall  
and others take their place be-  
fore that "V" campaign has been  
fully implemented throughout the  
world. The scarlet of the tulips  
may by that time connote much  
more than it does today the blood  
that is shed for human freedom.  
What is around the corner of  
history is so hidden from the  
sight of men that it would be  
foolish to make any detailed plans  
for future celebrations.

But at this time, when suspen-  
sion of the festival gives empha-  
sis to the true meaning of Tulip  
Time, it is appropriate for Hol-  
land to make the resolve that the  
next festival will be in honor of  
the restoration of freedom in  
The Netherlands. That will give  
a significance to the celebration  
that nothing else can give it.

## THE CHURCH INVITES YOU

## A Litany of the Church

"I am a voice, calling to man-  
kind through the ages; calling  
from all that is unworthy to all  
that is high and holy. I am a  
light, shining in the darkness re-  
flecting the glory of Him who  
is the light of the world, making  
bright the lives of those that sit  
in the darkness. I am an altar,  
built in the shadow of the cross,  
the place where the soul of man  
keeps trust with the spirit of God.  
I am the communion of saints,  
the tie that binds all hearts in  
Christian love, and links the re-  
deemed of earth with the re-  
deemed in heaven. I am the body  
of Christ, through which he operates  
for the existence of his kingdom  
whose imperishable glory is the  
fatherhood of God and the brother-  
hood of man." Why not accept  
the invitation and go to church  
Sunday?

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To James Zwier

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gagement of their daughter, Dor-  
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Sunday School  
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## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

June 21, 1942

The Task Committed to the  
Disciples

Matthew 28: 16-20; Mark 16:  
14-20; Luke 24: 49-53

By Henry Geerlings

Christ's commission to His dis-  
ciples has been in force now for  
nineteen hundred years. It all  
began in a small country that  
does not in these days bulk large  
among the nations of the world.  
Palestine nowadays is thought of  
as a land to see and not to hear  
from. But we still need to re-  
member that it was in that small  
country that our gospel was first  
proclaimed. If we may be-  
lieve tradition, the gospel was not  
long getting out into other lands  
and making profound impressions  
in the most important countries  
of the world at that time. There  
is good reason to believe that the  
apostles themselves traveled far  
beyond the boundaries of their own  
land, telling the story of Jesus.

Christ never did gather many  
disciples about Him. There were  
probably not more than 120. In  
a sense these persons were not  
very promising material. They  
were humble folk. Very few of  
them would ever have been heard  
of outside their own community.  
If Christ had not called them and  
placed upon them His power and  
authority. But He rarely does  
call the rich or the mighty, or  
the wise, or the noble. Those  
everyday people were willing to  
do the best they could, and Christ  
worked mightily in them. He  
would rather have a willing in-  
strument than any other kind.  
And He had in that little flock  
with which He began the gospel  
enterprise a number of disciples  
who would have tried to go to  
the end of the earth if He had  
told them to do so.

The time was when the dis-  
ciples of Jesus were very few. He  
did not inherit a kingdom that  
had thousands of citizens in it.  
He went out day by day, adding  
one here and another there.  
There were times when crowds  
pledged their loyalty to Him but  
that did not mean much. He  
knew them that were His. The  
multitudes followed Him for the  
loaves and fishes. Christ gathered  
them one by one. He was not  
anxious to swell the number by  
leaps and bounds. He knew that  
slow growth meant permanent  
growth.

These apostles were men who  
had come up through the ranks.  
They owed their all to Christ and  
their all was to be used for  
Him. Before Christ took them as  
disciples to be trained they were  
without distinction. After He had  
finished with them they were  
destined to enter the lists of the  
greatest and qualify for highest  
honors. They had learned to  
know Christ, to love, honor and  
obey Him. They had seen His  
works. They had heard and heeded  
His teaching. They had reached  
up to the fullest meaning of  
worship. They were ready to put  
everything into his service. They  
made the great commission an  
individual matter. Their hearts  
were filled with joy. They let  
the temple become the center of  
their interest while they waited  
for the power he had promised.

What is the meaning of Christ's  
commission? It is the transfer of  
the work He had been doing to  
the disciples whom He had trained  
to be with Him. They were  
to make disciples of all nations.  
It was a plan or a program which  
He meant to have His disciples  
carry out. He Himself had only  
begun the work and they were to  
take it up where He laid it down.  
This commission is the gospel in  
action. What Jesus did as He  
went up and down Palestine tell-  
ing the people the story of God's  
love, He meant His disciples to  
carry on not only in that little  
country but wherever they might  
be led by the Holy Spirit.

We are to remind ourselves  
also that these men were to be  
given power for this work, for of  
themselves they would not be  
able to accomplish anything. It  
was His work and He was to  
direct it and they were to be  
under His authority. We might  
ask what the purpose of this  
commission was. Certainly it was  
not very much that the apostles  
could see at that time. They  
thought of it as a message that  
they were to give to their own  
people and the people of their  
own race. Perhaps they scarcely  
thought of getting very far from  
home as they carried on the  
work that had been entrusted to  
them. But they did grow in their  
understanding of what His com-  
mission contained and they were  
to become in a little while very  
much broader in their sympathy  
and interest than they had been  
when he left them. This purpose  
grew on them day by day and  
month by month. As they saw  
the success that accompanied their  
preaching, they must have felt  
that their Lord intended them to  
go very much farther from home  
than that they had first imagined.

Since the message of Christ is  
intended for all man kind, it be-  
comes the mission of His follow-  
ers as individuals and as the  
organized church to carry His  
gospel to the ends of the earth.  
We are driven to such a conclu-  
sion since each one possessing a  
valuable truth should share it  
with those less fortunate. The

Christian spirit of brotherhood  
would make this obligation doubly  
binding upon us. The commission  
and command of Christ leaves us  
no alternative.

Capt. Clemons to  
Direct Training

Capt. E. J. Clemons, retired  
coast guard officer, who was called  
back to active duty last week,  
has become commanding officer  
of the newly established coast  
guard training station at the for-  
mer C. C. C. camp in Grand Haven.  
Upon being recalled to duty,  
Capt. Clemons was placed in  
charge of the St. Joseph station.  
He will remain commanding officer  
until coast guard headquarters  
makes his transfer to Grand Haven  
permanent.

The first trainees, numbering  
40, were scheduled to arrive at the  
training station Wednesday, he  
said. Trainees will continue to ar-  
rive in camp until 200 are quar-  
tered there. The camp has accom-  
modations for 400 trainees, Cap-  
tain Clemons said.

Capt. Clemons is a former offi-  
cer in charge of the Holland coast  
guard station. Before his retire-  
ment in July, 1941, he was officer  
in charge of the Grand Haven  
station and commanding officer  
of the Chicago district repair shop  
there.

## Drenthe

Mrs. Benjamin Schreier arrived  
home Thursday from Washington  
where she had been spending four  
weeks. She left here in January  
for California where she spent  
three and a half months. Her  
husband, First Class Private Ben  
Schreier, left Camp Murray,  
Wash., Monday.

Dr. Henry Beets of Grand Rap-  
ids conducted services here Sun-  
day.

Diana De Vries was surprised  
on her birthday anniversary June  
10 by 20 of her girl friends.  
Games were played and pictures  
were taken. Refreshments also  
were served and gifts were  
presented.

Several friends from here at-  
tended funeral services for Wil-  
liam Moes in Zeeland Friday  
afternoon. He was 86 years old.  
The Rev. and Mrs. B. Essen-  
burg of Chicago called on their  
children, Mr. and Mrs. John De  
Weerd, while Rev. Essenburg at-  
tended Christian Reformed synod  
meetings in Grand Rapids.

Pvt. Reinert De Vries sent  
word home that he was leaving  
Camp J. T. Robinson, Ark., where  
he has been stationed since April  
25.

The fire truck was called out  
last week to the farm of John  
Broekhuis where the chicken  
coop was struck by lightning.  
More than 200 chickens were  
smothered by smoke.

## Beaverdam

Mrs. Simon Kamminga spent  
the week-end with her husband at  
Chanute field, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Corneal Vereke  
were supper guests of their sister,  
Mrs. Johanna Jager of Hudson-  
ville Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Hall of Grand  
Rapids was a guest at the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnes  
over the week-end.

The Rev. R. D. Douwstra of  
Hull, Iowa, conducted services at  
the Reformed church Sunday.  
Henry Kik of Grand Rapids will  
fill the pulpit on Sunday, June  
21.

The Christian Endeavor meet-  
ing was led Sunday evening by  
P. D. Huyser. Special music, vo-  
cal and guitar, was furnished by  
Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit D. Schut and  
Mrs. Schut's sister, Miss Ham-  
minga of Hudsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hop spent  
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jake  
Hop.

John Hop who has been stay-  
ing in Grand Rapids with Mr.  
and Mrs. J. Rooks has returned  
here to his children, Mr. and  
Mrs. Jake Hop.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bouwman  
and Alfred were visitors at the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Slag of  
North Holland.

Mrs. J. Roeters has returned  
home after being in Ann Arbor  
where she went for treatments.

Mrs. George Nienhuis attended  
the funeral of Robert Boshooven  
at the Metcalf funeral home of  
Grand Rapids.

Rev. R. H. Haan of Wellsburg,  
Iowa, conducted the evening ser-  
vice at the Christian Reformed  
church Sunday.

Holland  
In 1912

The John Nuveen Co. of Chi-  
cago has decided that the \$100,-  
000 good roads bond issued by Ot-  
tawa county are sufficiently legal  
in form for them, and a message  
from the company stated that the  
bonds were being lithographed  
and prepared for sale and asking  
the signature of the proper offi-  
cials of the board of supervisors  
to be attached to them, began  
a news story in the Wednesday,  
July 10, issue of the Holland  
Daily Sentinel published in 1912.  
Accompanying the communica-  
tions was a certified check for  
\$5,000 from the purchasers of the  
bonds.

Mrs. D. Poest of Zeeland has  
issued invitations to the approach-  
ing marriage of her daughter,  
Sena, to Albert Otteman which  
event will take place on Tuesday  
evening, July 23 at her home on  
West Main street.

The contract for the new  
church building to be erected by  
the congregation of the Wesleyan  
Methodist church has been awarded  
to Contractor J. B. Brinka.  
The new church is to be built on  
the corner of Pine and Seven-  
teenth streets and the lot and  
building are to cost in the neigh-  
borhood of \$4,000.

One of the most successful pic-  
nics in the history of the Grand  
Rapids City Rescue mission was  
held yesterday at Jensen park.  
About 600 persons participated  
and the event was held without  
an accident of any kind.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Huls  
and son, Abel have returned from  
a visit with relatives and friends  
in Chicago.

The Rev. and Mrs. Andrew  
Stegenga of Rochester, N. Y., are  
spending their vacation with re-  
latives in the city.

Dr. H. S. Nash of Cleveland,  
O., is visiting his brother, George  
H. Nash, West Ninth St.

Fred Markham of Detroit is  
visiting relatives and friends in  
this city.

Miss Kate Dirks of Kalamazoo  
is visiting relatives in this city.  
At the first meeting last night  
of the new Board of Education  
that was elected Monday the or-  
ganization of the board was af-  
fected with Dr. J. J. Mersen as  
president and Henry Geerlings as  
secretary, the latter being re-  
elected to that office. The board  
made a new rule last night creat-  
ing the office of vice president and  
L. Marsjale was appointed. This item  
appeared in the Thursday, July  
11, issue.

This morning George P. Hum-  
mer threw his hat into the ring  
as candidate for United States  
senator on the Democratic ticket.  
A pretty wedding took place in  
Zeeland last evening at the home  
of the bride's parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. C. Pieper of Zeeland when  
their daughter, Katie, was mar-  
ried to Ludwig Wolff. The cere-  
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P. P. Cheff in the presence of a  
company of relatives and friends.

Miss Ruth Stratton of near  
Kalamazoo is visiting her grand-  
mother, Mrs. I. Stratton, on West  
16th St.

Miss Charlotte D. Easton of  
Detroit is visiting at the home of  
Mrs. O. E. Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Batema  
of Detroit are visiting relatives  
and friends in the city.

Miss Alberta Meyers who has  
been visiting relatives and  
friend in this city for some  
time has returned to her home in  
Petoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Kow, Mrs.  
A. Van Putten, Mrs. A. Wester-  
hof and Anthony and Adrian  
Westerhof made the trip to Grand  
Rapids yesterday in an automo-  
bile.

Zeeland-Albert La Huis has  
just received his new 50 horse  
power Elmore touring car. It is  
one of the finest in the city. Born  
to Mr. and Mrs. C. Kiken, a boy,  
Miss Claude Kleyen has return-  
ed from a year's study of music  
in Berlin, Germany. Miss Kleyen  
will spend a few weeks here later  
going to Chicago where she  
will continue her studies. She  
will resume her position at teacher  
of music at the University of Michi-  
gan this fall.

Miss Anna Tjema entertained  
a company of 12 girls last even-  
ing at her home on West 12th  
St., giving a linen shower in hon-  
or of Miss Gertrude Browner who  
is soon to be a bride. The color  
scheme of cream, pink and white  
was prettily carried out in de-  
corations and refreshments.

The tenth annual anniversary  
of the Fourteenth Street Chris-  
tian Reformed church of this city  
will be held this evening at the

above named church. One of the  
features of this anniversary will  
be the burning of the \$350 mort-  
gage.

A handsome new drinking foun-  
tain has been placed on the cor-  
ner of Central Avenue and Eighth  
St.

At 7 o'clock this morning the  
laying of the concrete bottom on  
the 12th Street paving job was  
begun according to a story in the  
Friday, July 12 issue.

Last evening Miss Carrie De  
Feyer was pleasantly surprised  
on her birthday anniversary by  
a number of her friends. The  
party journeyed to Macatawa  
park on a hay rack.

Last night at the home of the  
bride at 170 East Sixteenth St.  
the marriage took place of Miss  
Eva Bentema and John Tripp in  
the presence of relatives and  
friends.

Supt. and Mrs. E. E. Fell and  
family are visiting relatives and  
friends in Remus, Mich.

Miss Mary Thornton has re-  
turned from Chicago with her  
friend Miss Margaret Grase.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John  
Palmbos of Forest Grove a boy,  
Paul McLean and Arthur Heu-  
rer are having a month's outing  
at the State Y. M. C. A. boy's  
camp Hayo-Went-Ha on Torch  
Lake north of Traverse City.

Mrs. Harry Stitt, wife of the  
managing editor of the Evening  
Press entertained a number of  
friends at Jensen Park today.  
The party made the trip in the  
Honolulu.

Suffragets from all parts of  
Ireland met in Dublin to demand  
that votes for women be included  
in the new constitution. It was a  
thoroughly representative gather-  
ing of men and women, divided in  
political opinions but united in  
the conviction that the land will  
never be true to her best tradi-  
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political equality of the sexes.

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link officiating.

A reception followed in the  
home of the bride's parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. H. Vande Bunte, with  
about 50 present.

Mr. and Mrs. Langworthy will  
make their home in Grand Rapids.  
The bride was honored at two  
pre-nuptial affairs including a  
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## Victory by Hulst Gives Them Lead In Softball Loop

**Tie Broken as Steffens Defeat Tailors in One Of Two Close Games**

Hulst's Market softball team today held the undisputed lead in the city league following their 4-3 victory over the Pure Oils in Riverview park Tuesday night and Steffens' Food Market's 4-2 win over the Dykema Tailors.

Pres Bos, star hurler for the Steffens team, fanned nine men and walked none. He allowed four hits. Tony Bouwman was behind the plate. Ed Bos for the Tailors, struck out two batters and walked two, allowing seven hits. Tony Westerhof was catcher.

Dykema led at the end of the first inning 2-1 following Gil Bos' triple to center and Batema's single to right and the right fielder's error which allowed Batema to round all the bases scoring Johnson (running for Bos) before him. Tony Westerhof reached first on an error but was stranded when the next two batters made outs. Kraai struck out early in the inning for the third out. Steffens got one run in the first when Tony Bouwman reached first on a fielder's choice, stole second and scored on Buursma's single to right. Crozier, lead off man, also got a single but was out second baseman to shortstop when Bouwman reached first.

Another run for Steffens came in the second inning when Skeeter Bouwman singled to third, advanced on Johnson's out and scored on Len Steffens' double to left field, tying the game at 2-2. Dykema's went down three in a row to end the inning.

In the third, Overbeek on a walk was the only man to reach base. All other batters for both teams were out on flies or strikeouts.

Handweg singled to right to begin the fourth inning and Skeeter Bouwman reached first on an error advancing Handweg to second. De Witt doubled to center, scoring Handweg, and Chet Johnson's single to third base brought in Bouwman. Steffens tied to left. Pres Bos struck out and with Crozier at bat De Witt was out, caught stealing third by the catcher. Dykema's were retired quickly on two flies and a strikeout.

The scoring was completed by the end of the fourth but Dykema's got two additional hits when Koopman singled in the fifth and Tony Westerhof singled in the seventh.

Hulst's won the second game after Pure Oils had seriously threatened to take them out of the lead. Pitching for Hulst's was Ade Woldring who allowed two hits and struck out five. Mel Scheerhorn caught for the winners. Conklin pitched for the Pure Oils, allowing four hits and striking out one. Catcher was Stan Rutgers.

The only hit of the first inning was for Hulst's when George Hulst singled to left field but was left dangling when the next two men flew out.

In the second Kemper of the Oils singled to left and John Elenbaas hit into a double play, flying to first and making Kemper out by the first baseman, unassisted. Hulst's grabbed one run in the second when Dutch Schurman scored on Ade Woldring's single to right with the bases loaded. Mel Scheerhorn also got a single but went out shortstop to second when Piersma reached first on a fielder's choice. Buter of the Pure Oils walked in the third for the only man to reach base.

Pure Oils got their three runs in the fourth when De Neff and Van Lente walked. Bagladi went out when hit by a batted ball and Kemper reached first on an error by the shortstop to fill the bases. Elenbaas singled to second scoring De Neff and Van Lente and Rutgers scored from the short fielder scoring Kemper. Conklin went out third to first for to retire the side. Hulst's took one run in the fourth when Griep reached first on an error, advanced on Scheerhorn's double to right and scored on an error by the catcher. Hulst's only hit in the fifth was Bud Westerhof's single to left.

Hulst's came through to win by getting two runs in the seventh when Griep reached first on a fielder's choice and scored on Piersma's triple. Piersma was called safe on a close play at third and scored when Dutch Schurman reached first on an error.

Score by innings:

Steffens	110	200	0-4
Dykema's	200	000	0-2
Hulst's	010	102	-4
Pure Oils	000	300	0-3

Steffens will travel to Douglas to meet the Douglas Merchants tonight. Kelley will pitch and Bouwman will catch for the locals.

Motorist Is Fined on Drunk Driving Charge

Clarence O'Connor, 39, route 5, Holland, pleaded guilty to a charge of driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor an arraignment Monday before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith. He paid a fine of \$75 and costs of \$9.50.

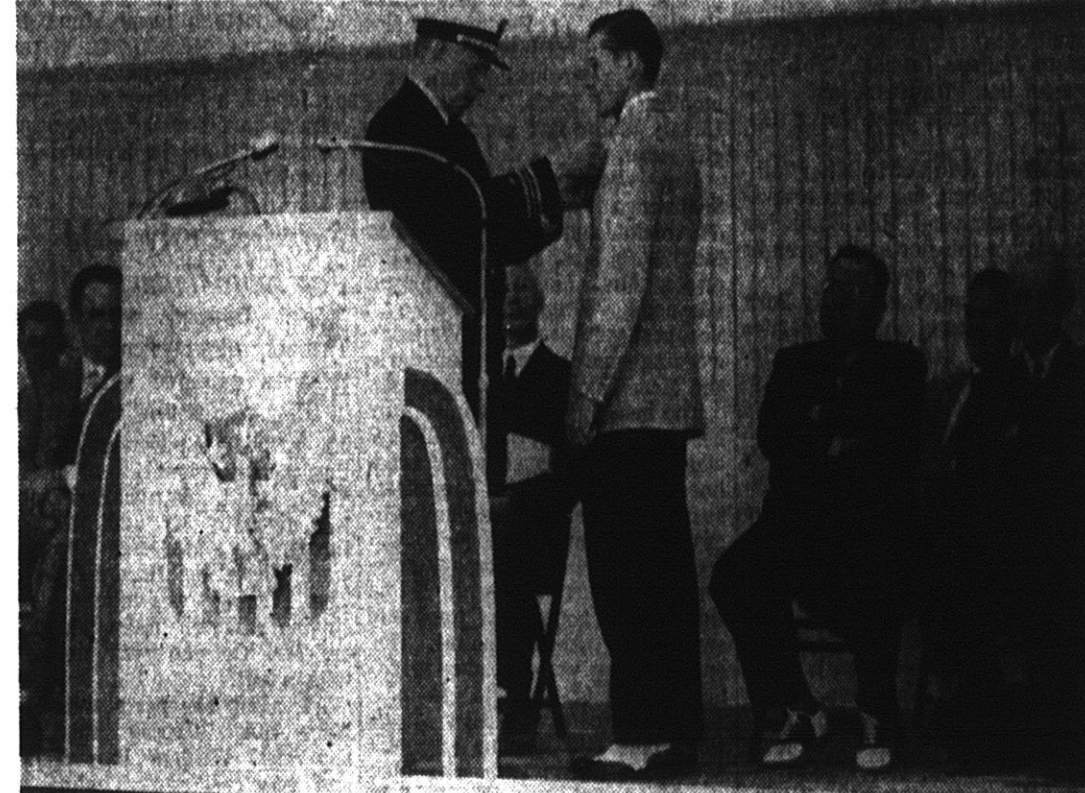
His driver's license also was confiscated by the court to be sent to the secretary of state for revocation. O'Connor was arrested at 12:44 a.m. Sunday by local police on East Eighth St.

John Wiersma, 33, 75 Lawrence St., Zeeland, was assessed a fine and costs of \$3 Friday by Judge Smith upon his plea of guilty to running a "stop street."

## When Navy 'E' Was Awarded to Chris-Craft Plant



Shown above is part of the 2,000 persons who gathered Monday afternoon to witness the presentation of the Navy "E" burgee to the Holland plant of the Chris-Craft Corp. The picture was taken as Dr. Wynand Wiebers, president of Hope college, was speaking.



On behalf of employees of the Holland plant of the Chris-Craft Corp., Edward Buteyn (right) received his lapel button from Lieut. Comdr. F. A. Fenger, U.S.N.R., Detroit office supervisor of shipbuilding (left) at Monday's Navy 'E' ceremonies here. Buteyn was one of the five oldest employees in the point of service to take part in the presentations. Also seen in the picture are H. H. Coll, manager of the Holland plant, Dr. Wynand Wiebers, president of Hope college, O. N. Smith, director of purchases and vice-president; State Sen. Earnest C. Brooks; and Mayor Henry Geerlings.

## Personals

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sewers of Saugatuck announce the birth of a daughter, Tuesday in Douglas hospital. Mrs. Sewers formerly was Miss Roselle Kuite of Holland. William Arendshorst, Jr., who received his Ph. D. degree in chemistry this year at Ohio State university which he attended for four years after being graduated from Hope college, will leave around July 1 for Philadelphia, Pa., to accept a position with Rohm and Haas, chemical plant in war production. He has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Arendshorst. His house guest is Richard J. Bruchman of Woodville, O., who is spending a few days in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ingraham, 256 West 14th St., have received word that their son, Pvt. Harold Ingraham, who was inducted into the army June 3 is now with Co. F. 2nd Wm. T. Regt., Fort F. E. Warren, Wyoming.

The Rev. Richard Jager of Hull, Ia., will conduct the mid-week service at Trinity Reformed church Thursday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Sidney Tesenga planned to leave today for a week's vacation with relatives in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Lyle H. Miller and son, Bradford of Alexandria, Va., are guests for a few days of Mrs. Miller's father, C. A. French, 66 West 11th St. They are on their way to Crystal lake where they will spend the summer. Col. Miller of the U.S. Marines is in foreign service.

Mrs. Henry Hospers, 26 East 12th St., has left for the east to visit her sons, R. D. Hospers in Harrisburg, Pa., and Henry O. Hospers in Utica, N.Y. She will be away five or six weeks.

A son was born Tuesday night in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schwander, 418 College Ave.

The Rev. and Mrs. Bernard Flikkema have returned from their wedding trip and are leaving today for their home in Preston, Minn. Miss Antoinette Van Koeveering entertained a few friends Tuesday evening in her home in Zeeland for Mrs. Flikkema.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zweering, Earl Zweering, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sessions, Miss Betty Sessions and Roger Sessions of Lansing spent Sunday at the home of A. E. McClellan, 169 East Fifth St.

The Ladies Bible class of First Methodist church will have a family pot-luck picnic Friday at 6 p.m. at Kollen park instead of Ottawa beach. Members are asked to bring their own table service, sugar and a covered dish for the table.

Abram Van Zanten, 20, son of Mrs. H. Van Zanten of 13 West 26th St., left today for Detroit where he will report for service in the navy. He enlisted in Grand Rapids Monday.

Misses Marguerite Deur, Betty Van Langevelde and Mrs. Clarence Van Langevelde of Holland, Miss Blanche Hopp of Zeeland and Miss Kay Johnson of Muskegon have just returned from a week's visit with their friends and relatives stationed in Camp Niantic, Conn.

## Detroit Man Weds Local Girl in Home Ceremony

A quiet wedding was solemnized in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rusticus Saturday night when their daughter, Estelle Thelma, became the bride of Gail Evans Deepe of Detroit, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Deepe of South Bend, Ind.

The ceremony was performed at 9 o'clock by the Rev. Nicholas Gosselink, pastor of First Reformed church, before an improvised altar of peonies and seven-branch candelabra.

The bride wore a street-length dress of aqua blue and British tan with accessories of British tan. Miss Helene Rusticus, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid wore a print dress of black, red and white, with red accessories. Both wore shoulder corsages of carnations and sweet peas.

The bridegroom was attended by his brother, Myron Deepe, as

bestman. Miss Florence Derks was in charge of the gifts. Waitresses were Mrs. Major Horton, sister of the bride, Mrs. Ray Weysschede, Miss Helene Rusticus and Miss Mary Mady. Guests at the reception were Mr. and Mrs. C. Deepe, Miss Thora Deepe, Harold Mays, Miss Alice Deepe, Myron Deepe, Miss Mary Mady and Foster Strook of South Bend, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. L. Crause and daughters, Carol and Linda of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. M. Horton of Grand Rapids, James Corsaut of Big Rapids, and Rev. Gosselink, Mr. and Mrs. H. Weysschede, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Weysschede and daughter, Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kragt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rusticus, Marvin, Mary, Faith and Jack Rusticus.

Mr. and Mrs. Deepe will make their home in Detroit.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Vanderbeek left at noon today for Deerfield, Ill., to visit their son and daughter-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard E. Vanderbeek and family, Bernard Vanderbeek will be ordained and installed as pastor of the Deerfield Presbyterian church Thursday night and Rev. Vanderbeek will take part in the service. The Vanderbeeks will be gone a week.

Pvt. and Mrs. Wallace Van Putten visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Putten and Mr. and Mrs. H. Weysschede, over the week-end. Pvt. Van Putten is attending school at Chanute field and Mrs. Van Putten is employed at Rantoul, Ill.

Edward Hindert, who has received his engineer's commission as an ensign in the naval reserve, is at Notre Dame university for a six weeks' indoctrination period which began May 18. Before going to Notre Dame he spent several days with his parents on route 4 and also a week at Elizabeth, N.J., where his wife is a chemical engineer for an oil company. His wife is spending this week-end with her husband at Notre Dame and they will celebrate their first wedding anniversary Monday.

Mrs. Joe Mullen and daughter, Joan, of Sioux City, Ia., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hilbink, at Central park for a couple of weeks. The annual Schievink family reunion will be held for the 12th time Saturday, June 20, at Johnson park with John Henry Albers of Hamilton presiding as president.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bosch of Evanston, Ill., where Prof. Bosch is teaching in Northwestern university, are spending a few days with Mr. Bosch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bosch of East 20th St.

Mrs. Elmer Teusink sang two selections at the morning service of Fourth church Sunday, and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Van Lente sang two numbers.

Dr. and Mrs. L. Kuyper and

children have left for a few weeks' vacation with relatives and friends in Iowa, the home state of both of them.

Mrs. Arnell Vander Kolk, Miss Louise Pathuis of Holland and Mrs. Simon Kamminga of Zeeland spent the past week-end with their husbands and friends in Chanute field, Rantoul, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marcus of Detroit are visiting at the home of Mrs. Marcus's mother, Mrs. C. H. Shuprine and Mr. Marcus's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Marcus.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Harmon and infant son of Pontiac have moved to Holland where Mr. Harmon is now employed.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. Stoppels and sons, Charles and Paul, spent Sunday in Muskegon with relatives, and Rev. Stoppels had charge of the services in one of the Reformed churches there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McBride have received a telephone call from their daughter, Mrs. Ray Davis, at Coronado, Calif., in which she stated that her husband, who is with the naval air corps, is safe and well after participation in the battle of Midway island, and has been promoted from senior lieutenant to Lt. Commander. Mrs. Davis is the former Marjorie McBride.

Members of the V.F.W. auxiliary, in their white uniforms and overseas caps, marched in the Flag Day parade Monday night, following the group of war veterans. Mention of this unit's participation in the parade was inadvertently omitted in the story of the parade in Tuesday's Sentinel.

**HURT IN FALL**

Henry Smeenge, 35, route 2, Holland, was admitted to Holland hospital about 7 p.m. Tuesday for treatment of a back injury which he suffered in a fall off a scaffold at the First Reformed church. The hospital today reported his condition as good as could be expected.

**Program Is Presented By Elementary Groups**

A varied program of instrumental music by the Holland Elementary band, orchestra and soloists attracted an interested audience in Holland High school auditorium Thursday night. Both groups of children are under the direction of Stuart A. Ludlow.

First on the program were selections by the orchestra, including "Marching Feet," and "Blue Waves" (waltz) by DeLamater; "Sleeping Beauty," Tschalkowsky; "The Silken Fan" (minuet) by Isaac and "Fuflydima Oriental Intermezzo," by Drake.

Two violin solos, Handel's "Largo," and "Kuyawiak," Polish dance by Wieniawski, were played by Joyce Brandt accompanied by Kay Simpson. The selection, "In the Aquarium," by Long was played by a woodwind quartet composed of Carol Van Lare, Vera Vande Bunte, Myron Van Ark and Robert Kamphuis, and Myron Van Ark, accompanied by Gerard Hanchett played the clarinet solo, "Long, Long Ago," with variations.

The uniformed band, playing as they marched into the auditorium following a fanfare and advance of the colors, presented the first half of the program. "Hello March," and "Monarch March," by Olivadi were followed by an excerpt from the Finale of the "New World Symphony" by Dvorak, "Sunbeam" overture by Olivadi and the specialties, "Echoes from the Circus," "Old Mac Donald," "Every Man for Himself," and "Pop Goes the Weasel." Two marches, "Laurel" and "Chaser" and the "Star Spangled Banner," closed the program.

Members of the orchestra are: violins—Joyce Brandt, Jean Brower, Caryl Curtis, Mary Geerlings, Gwennie Koolker, Donald Postma, June Riedma, Pat Salisbury, Arlene Vander Heuvel and

Irma Westmoreland; violas—Mary Houtman and Howard Van Dahm; cellos—John Mac Queen, Janice Van Dyke, Edward Vening; piano—June Looman; bass—Carole Van Lare; flute—Denice Raffenaud; Clarinet—Robert Kamphuis, Vera Vande Bunte, Myron Van Ark; saxophone—Howard Meyer; horns—Ted De Graaf, Roger Horn, Donald Van Ingen; trumpets—Victor Kleinhekel, Richard Ruch; trombone—Roger Kramer.

In the band are: flutes—Ruth Menninga, Denice Raffenaud, Carol Van Lare; clarinets—Merli Boes, Pat Crowley, Doris Dekker, Jim De Vries, Kenneth Doezman, John Du Mez, Jack Gallen, Ruth Koeppel, Robert Kamphuis, Norman Japings, Robert Steketee, Arlene Smith, Myron Van Ark, Vera Vande Bunte and Connie Van Zyl; alto clarinet—Marvin Ver Schure; bass clarinet—James Bennett.

Saxophones—Bill Brink, Jack Brunell, Fred Lindsay, Howard Meyer, Nelson Morris and Jack Van Dorpe; baritone—James Schepers, Charles Zwemer; horns—Ted De Graaf, Roger Horn, Robert Roos, Donald Van Ingen; cornets—Robert Albers, Burton Borr, Ronald Bos, Kenneth Hulst, Dorothy Dykman, Harold Frank, Victor Kleinhekel, Richard Ruch, James Wajahn, Alvern Woodwyk; trombones—Donald Klaasen, Roger Kramer, Robert Miles, Lester Sweeringa, Dale Van Eck, Leon Wiersema; basses—Francis Forsten, John MacQueen; drum—Paul Becker, Earl Dalman, Don Hildebrands, Gerrit Israels, June Looman and Donna McCormick.

Mr. Ludlow announced that a summer band and orchestra program for pupils of elementary school age will get under way immediately after the close of school and will continue for six weeks.

## Episcopal Conference Opens Sunday in Holland

The young people of Grace Episcopal church will play a prominent part in the annual summer conference of the Episcopal diocese of western Michigan which will open Sunday, June 21, with a six-o'clock dinner in Waukazoo inn and will continue through noon Saturday, June 27.

Mrs. Edwin H. Crouch, Miss Alice McClay and Mrs. Arthur C. Barnhart will act as camp counselors and Mrs. M. H. Hall of Holland will be conference nurse. Elizabeth Mills and Ruth Pierson have registered as delegates and others from the local church are expected to register later. The Rev. Arthur C. Barnhart will teach one of the courses.

Bishop L. B. Whittemore is patron of the conference and the following are on the staff: Director, Rev. Henry P. Krusen, Manistee, assisted by Rev. J. Ethan Allen of Allegan and Mrs. Berton Spring, Grand Rapids. Miss Louise Biederstadt of Grand Rapids is secretary and Mrs. S. B. Chapman of Manistee is dean of women.

Rev. Jesse F. Anderson of Grand Rapids is director of activities and will be assisted by Mrs.

David R. Cochran of Dowagiac. Rev. Thomas V. Barrett, chaplain of Kenyon college at Gambier, Ohio, will be the chaplain and Rev. Richard B. Townsend of Grand Ledge the sacristan. M. E. Nickerson of Chicago will have the book store.

The conference is under the auspices of the diocesan department of Christian education. Courses will include: The devotional life, by Rev. Cochran of Dowagiac; Old Testament biographies, Rev. Barnhart, of Holland; the church and its missions, Miss Bernice Jansen, Neighborhood House, Orangeville; the life of the churchman, Rev. William T. Reeves, Muskegon; the gospel of St. Mark, Rev. William A. Simms, Battle Creek; the stream of Anglican tradition, Rev. Victor L. Dowdell, Albion; the church's teaching, Rev. Robert K. Giffin, Kalamazoo; the services of the church, Rev. William C. Warner, Traverse City; we live in families, Mrs. Howard Bigelow, Kalamazoo; the Christian year, Rev. Knight Dunkerly, Big Rapids.

A recreation period is provided for each evening after dinner, followed by a program of entertainment.

## Program Is Presented By Elementary Groups

A varied program of instrumental music by the Holland Elementary band, orchestra and soloists attracted an interested audience in Holland High school auditorium Thursday night. Both groups of children are under the direction of Stuart A. Ludlow.

First on the program were selections by the orchestra, including "Marching Feet," and "Blue Waves" (waltz) by DeLamater; "Sleeping Beauty," Tschalkowsky; "The Silken Fan" (minuet) by Isaac and "Fuflydima Oriental Intermezzo," by Drake.

Two violin solos, Handel's "Largo," and "Kuyawiak," Polish dance by Wieniawski, were played by Joyce Brandt accompanied by Kay Simpson. The selection, "In the Aquarium," by Long was played by a woodwind quartet composed of Carol Van Lare, Vera Vande Bunte, Myron Van Ark and Robert Kamphuis, and Myron Van Ark, accompanied by Gerard Hanchett played the clarinet solo, "Long, Long Ago," with variations.

The uniformed band, playing as they marched into the auditorium following a fanfare and advance of the colors, presented the first half of the program. "Hello March," and "Monarch March," by Olivadi were followed by an excerpt from the Finale of the "New World Symphony" by Dvorak, "Sunbeam" overture by Olivadi and the specialties, "Echoes from the Circus," "Old Mac Donald," "Every Man for Himself," and "Pop Goes the Weasel." Two marches, "Laurel" and "Chaser" and the "Star Spangled Banner," closed the program.

Members of the orchestra are: violins—Joyce Brandt, Jean Brower, Caryl Curtis, Mary Geerlings, Gwennie Koolker, Donald Postma, June Riedma, Pat Salisbury, Arlene Vander Heuvel and

Irma Westmoreland; violas—Mary Houtman and Howard Van Dahm; cellos—John Mac Queen, Janice Van Dyke, Edward Vening; piano—June Looman; bass—Carole Van Lare; flute—Denice Raffenaud; Clarinet—Robert Kamphuis, Vera Vande Bunte, Myron Van Ark; saxophone—Howard Meyer; horns—Ted De Graaf, Roger Horn, Donald Van Ingen; cornets—Robert Albers, Burton Borr, Ronald Bos, Kenneth Hulst, Dorothy Dykman, Harold Frank, Victor Kleinhekel, Richard Ruch, James Wajahn, Alvern Woodwyk; trombones—Donald Klaasen, Roger Kramer, Robert Miles, Lester Sweeringa, Dale Van Eck, Leon Wiersema; basses—Francis Forsten, John MacQueen; drum—Paul Becker, Earl Dalman, Don Hildebrands, Gerrit Israels, June Looman and Donna McCormick.

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## Geerlings and Gray Urge All-Out Participation in Rubber Campaign

Mayor Henry Geerlings of Holland and H. J. Gray, secretary-manager of the West Michigan Tourist and Resort association, today in separate appeals urged full participation in the scrap rubber drive which may avert nationwide gasoline rationing.

"Gasoline filling stations stand ready to receive your scrap rubber during the next two weeks," Mayor Geerlings said. "Ald. L. Philip Van Hartesveldt, chairman of the local salvage committee, will appreciate the assistance given by us in this campaign. I am urging all our citizens to give all the time and energy they possibly can to the success of this drive."

Mr. Gray said, "Your whole hearted cooperation, plus a little hard work, is one of the best ways I can think of now to increase not only the tourist business but all other business that depends upon the tourist trade for their livelihood."

"Put a placard in your place of business, appealing to the public to deliver their scrap rubber. Get your various organizations busy. It's a hurry-up job."

Mayor Geerlings pointing out that the drive will end at midnight, June 30, said: "Total war involves creation of a tremendous human pyramid. At the apex stands the soldier with gun in hand, facing the enemy. Below him are skilled workmen turning out tools of war, and farmers producing the staff of life, and transportation workers and the workers in mines and forests who produce the raw materials. At the bottom are millions of civilians that keep the home fires burning."

"Because we are pouring everything we have into the war effort we are faced with shortages in vital materials, shortages which will grow more serious as the war progresses. This has meant and will continue to mean less and less for the civilian, widespread substitution and an increasing necessity for getting scrap metals and other materials back to the processing plants."

"The last necessity, more than

ever before, indicates a spare-time job for each of us. There is an urgent need just now for scrap rubber. Only by scraping the bottom of the barrel will we have enough for victory."

The inventory of the rubber salvaged is expected to determine the future allocation of rubber supplies, and also whether nationwide gasoline rationing is necessary to conserve the tires on civilian autos."

**Man Pleads Guilty to Larceny Charge Here**

Herbert Nicol Jones, 37, who has been residing at 13 West Ninth St., pleaded guilty to a charge of simple larceny Tuesday afternoon on arraignment before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith and paid court costs of \$10.

Municipal Judge Smith suspended a five-day jail sentence since Jones had spent the past five days in the county jail in default of \$1,000 bond.

Jones originally was charged with larceny from a dwelling but the count was changed on motion of Prosecutor Howard Fant. He is alleged to have stolen a towel, several pieces of silver and a sugar bowl from the home of G. Den Blyker where he had been living.

**Local Rural Carriers To Sell Savings Bonds**

Farmers or persons residing on rural routes which are served by the Holland post office may purchase war savings bonds through their rural carriers. Acting Postmaster Harry Kramer announced today.

In making application to purchase a bond, the purchaser will pay the rural carrier who in turn will issue a receipt for the money received. Then delivery of the bond will be made later by the carrier.

## Local Men in the Armed Forces



Pvt. Paul G. Gebhardt, 22, of Fennville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Torrence Gebhardt, was inducted Oct. 20, 1941, at Fort Custer. He received his basic training at Fort Sill, Okla., the largest field artillery school in the United States. From there he was transferred to the coast artillery at New Orleans and almost immediately was sent to field artillery in the Panama Canal zone. He was first stationed at Fort William D. Davis and later at the Reo Hata Field, the most important Panamanian base. Later he returned to Fort William Davis and at present is located at another camp somewhere in the Canal Zone. Before being inducted, Pvt. Gebhardt was a member of the Sea scouts and had other military training. He is a brother of Mrs. John Turner of Fennville. His father was inducted at Fort Custer in the last war.

**Two Pay Fines After Accident**

Grand Haven, June 18 (Special)—Clare W. Hoffman, 26, and Miss Margaret Conklin, 18, both of Muskegon, were arrested by state police about 11:15 p.m. Sunday following a collision with a car driven by John B. Blue, 61, route 1, Spring Lake, on US-31, three miles north of Perryburg.

Both were arraigned before Justice George V. Hoffer here and Hoffman paid \$5 fine and \$3.35 costs for allowing an unlicensed person to operate his car. Miss Conklin paid \$5 fine and \$3.35 costs for failing to have an operator's license and \$10 fine and \$1 costs for failing to have the car under control.

Kenneth G. Hissong, 18, of Muskegon, paid \$5 fine and \$1 costs to Justice Hoffer for passing on a hill on US-16 in Crocker township Saturday night.

Joseph Mercier, 24, of Detroit, paid \$10 fine and \$4.30 costs in Justice Peter Verduin's court as the result of an altercation which occurred between Mercier and Leroy Brill, 21, of Grand Rapids after their cars were involved in an accident at US-31 and M-104. Grand Haven city police charged Mercier with assault.

**Retired Railroad Man Dies Here**

Duncan Sheldon MacEwing, 84, who came to Holland after his retirement from work with the Wabash railroad a few years ago, died Tuesday night in his home on route 1. MacEwing was a freight agent with the Wabash railroad for 58 years.

Surviving are a son, Eugene of route 1; a daughter, Mrs. Mae Tyler of Chicago; and a sister, Mrs. Ella Haut of South Bend, Ind.

**Motorist Pleads Guilty To Drunken Driving**

Frank B. Van Ry, 52, route 1, Holland, appeared before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith Tuesday afternoon to plead guilty to a charge of drunken driving.

He paid a \$75 fine and costs of \$6.55 and his driver's license was picked up to be sent to the secretary of state for revocation.

Van Ry was arrested last May 6 by the sheriff's department following an accident on the Macatawa park road about one mile west of Holland. A car driven by Van Ry collided with one driven by Henry Smallegan, 258 East 13th St. On a previous arraignment Van Ry had pleaded not guilty.

**Three Men Volunteer For Army Enlistment**

The local selective service board today reported that two local registrants and a former Holland resident have volunteered for enlistment in the army.

They are Leonard (Peenie) Daley, 185 West 13th St., Herbert Donald Lake, 179 East Eighth St., and Robert Nelson Gosselaar of Grand Rapids.

Daley and Lake are scheduled to leave Holland June 26.

**Dies of Attack While Playing in Allegan Band**

Allegan, June 18—While playing with the community band in the Flag day parade here Sunday, Myron J. Trigg, 77, of Allegan suffered a heart attack and dropped dead. Surviving are a nephew and two nieces. He had been an Allegan resident for 30 years and before his retirement several years ago was employed at the Baker furniture factory.

**Lemson-Woldring Vows Are Exchanged in West**

Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Marian Woldring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Woldring of 190 East Fifth St. to Sgt. Henry Lemson of Zeeland, stationed at Camp Cooke, Calif.

The wedding was performed last Wednesday evening, June 10, in the First Presbyterian church of Santa Barbara by the Rev. Deane F. Babbitt. Mrs. Lemson was formerly employed by the Rose beauty shop of Holland.

**Dr. Beets Resigns As Stated Clerk**

Dr. Henry Beets of Grand Rapids, for 40 years stated clerk of the Christian Reformed church, resigned that office Monday for reasons of failing health. Dr. Beets expects to devote his time to the preparation of a manual of the Christian Reformed church.

Dr. Henry Schultze was given an indefinite reappointment to the presidency of Calvin college by synod which is concluding its meetings this week. The appointment was made "indefinite" so that Dr. Schultze may return to his professorship in the seminary at such time as he may desire.

By a majority vote, synod decided to meet annually instead of every two years as had been proposed. For the past five years, the church assembly has met every year with four delegates from each classis. Prior to that time synods met biennially with each classis represented by six delegates.

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## Rev. Bast Urges Seniors to Have Courage, Faith

### Large Crowd Attends Annual Baccalaureate Service of High School

In addressing the Holland high school graduating class on the subject, "This Is Your Day," at annual baccalaureate services Sunday afternoon in Hope Memorial chapel, the Rev. Henry Bast, professor of Bible and Religion at Hope college, based his thoughts on the story of Esther and likened the hatred of Haman to the world situation today. He said the courage of Mordecai was needed in the present day.

"In every hour of crisis, there are myriad voices suggesting which course to take," Rev. Bast said. "But in the multitude of voices, there are only two or three types. One is the voice of despair which holds no hope for tomorrow. This comes from scientists, philosophers and even some people of the Christian church."

"The second voice is that of desperation. It says, 'May be today can be saved. You must save it. If you fail...' But the third voice is the calm voice of Mordecai, one of faith, truth and confidence. It is the prophetic voice that God's course and kingdom will never fail. You may have a share in winning the day."

The first two voices, according to the speaker, are those of men and women who live without God, but the voice of Mordecai is of a man who believes and trusts. "Mordecai was a realist. He didn't cry, 'Peace, Peace,' when there was no peace."

The condition of the church today, Rev. Bast said, is one of gravity—it is fighting for its very existence. "Russia almost extinguished the church in one generation. The German church, Luther's great Reformation, also is fighting for its life. It is the net purpose of Germany to wipe out the Lutheran and Catholic churches in Germany and Norway. Even the Netherlands churches have irregular services and are gasping for breath."

"There is no persecution, no opposition in the church in America. But even here the church is in a decline and is not moving ahead. This is your day. The church is threatened and you can help. Every great movement in God's kingdom has been started by one man and every great movement has been carried through by 100 men or less. There were 100 men in the Reformation and less than that in the Reformation. God does not ask for numbers but for sincerity and steadfastness of purpose. Therefore take courage. Character and ideals must be high but you need something more—commitment to the cause of Jesus Christ."

As an example, Rev. Bast cited Nathan Hale, the 21-year-old school teacher who regretted he had but one life to give for his country when he was being hanged for spying during the Revolutionary war. "That example in secular history is what Jesus Christ means by commitment," Rev. Bast concluded.

The Holland high school choir in its last appearance of the year desired the many complimentary comments it received for its thrilling rendition of Sullivan's masterpiece, "The Heavens Are Telling," with Mrs. W. Curtis Snow at the organ, and the Christians number, "Thy Kingdom Come," sung without accompaniment. Miss Tricie Moore directed. The Rev. Paul E. Hinkamp of Hope college read the scripture and gave the prayer.

The 237 members of the graduating class together with underclassman members of the choir made a colorful picture as they proceeded down the long center aisle of the chapel, the girls wearing formal. The auditorium was crowded.

### Miss Alma Stegenga Entertains Group

Miss Alma Stegenga entertained a group of friends Friday evening at her home, 376 College Ave. The evening was spent socially and a two-course lunch was served by Miss Stegenga and her mother, Mrs. A. Faasen.

Invited guests were the Misses Hope Hiemenga, Eleanor Bedell, Virginia Muller, Isla Meppelink, Dorothy Muller, Doris Van Lente, Beatrice Geerlings, Lois Krone-meyer, Ruth De Young, Nelvie Vanderbilt, Anna Ruth Nabers-huis, Lois Van Zomeren and Mesdames Dick Aardma and Gordon Groenewoud.

### Holland High Juniors Have Dancing Party

An informal dancing party was held in the Tulip room of the Warm Friend tavern Friday night under auspices of the junior class of Holland high school. Kenneth Waller was chairman of arrangements for the party and decorations were in charge of Lela Vandenberg. Chaperones for the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Breen, Miss Margaret Randels and Bob Vandenberg.

### MINOR ACCIDENT

Erna Kowit Looman of route 2 who was driving a car east on 18th St. Friday was struck by a car driven by Marinus Dornbos, 340 Pine Ave., which was pulling away from a parking space.

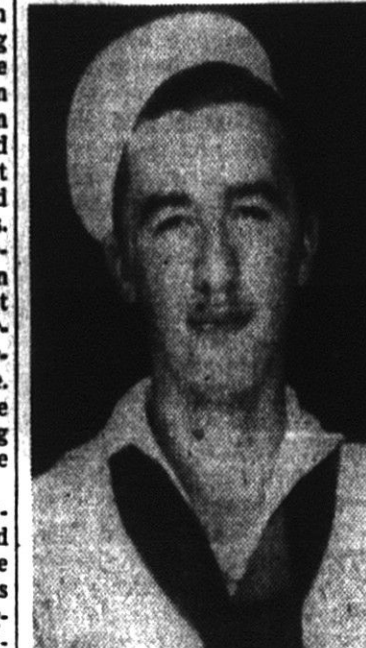
## Local Men in the Armed Forces



Pvt. Lennart H. Hemwall, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hemwall of route 1, was inducted into the service of the U. S. army Nov. 18, 1941, and received his basic training at Camp Croft, S. C. He is now stationed at Camp Gordon, Ga. He has completed a course in radio telegraph.



Pvt. Marvin Hulst, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hulst of Oakland, is serving as a truck driver at Camp Cooke, Calif. Previously he was stationed at Fort Belvoir, Va., and Fort Knox, Ky. He was inducted into the U. S. army July 17, 1941. Before entering the service he was employed by General Motors.



Charles Windisch, second class gunner with the U. S. navy, enlisted Dec. 10 a few days after war was declared. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Windisch of 1 North River Ave. and was 18 years old March 5. He has had no furlough since he enlisted. His mail is sent to San Francisco.

### MAYOR SPEAKS

Mayor Henry Geerlings delivered a Flag Day address in Zeeland and Friday night following a Flag Day parade. The Holland High school band marched in the parade.

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## Rev. Bovenkerk Freed by Japan

Zeeland, June 18 (Special) — Mrs. Henry Bovenkerk, residing in this city with her mother, Mrs. Jeannette Ossewaarde, on East Central Ave., received an encouraging message last week from the Presbyterian mission board in New York. The message read: "State department advises Mr. Bovenkerk will be repatriated. Coming on Asama Maru."

Rev. H. Bovenkerk was on a Japanese boat, homeward bound, Dec. 7 when war broke out. He left Japan Dec. 2. The boat returned to Japan where Rev. Bovenkerk was interned. The Asama Maru is a large Japanese liner which was to leave Japan about June 10 and sail to Portuguese East Africa, where exchange of interned people will be made. There is no knowledge when it will arrive.

Rev. and Mrs. Bovenkerk have been missionaries of the Presbyterian church for some time. They have been active in evangelistic work for many years. Rev. and Mrs. Bovenkerk are the parents of four children, Warren, Adele, Ruth and Paul Edwin. Mrs. Bovenkerk came to this country from Japan in February, 1941, and they have resided in Zeeland since that time. Rev. Bovenkerk is the son of the Rev. John Bovenkerk of Muskegon. His mother died the past year.

### Rotarians Hear Dimment In Meet at Yacht Club

Members of the Holland Rotary club, meeting in the Macatawa Bay Yacht club, Thursday noon heard Dr. Edward D. Dimment of the Hope college faculty speak on the present world situation from the point of view of the economist.

Previously it had been said that in the present situation economically and financially and with reference to the war debt, we must deal with the inevitable, but Dr. Dimment challenged this idea with the question, "What is the inevitable, or is there an inevitable for anyone or for the country?" He made the suggestion that we should rather deal with the infinite and emphasized that there is still an individual right which must and will be taken into consideration for all to voice that right.

Regarding the war debt, he said that if every individual would meet his share each year in a small way for 20 years, this debt could be paid honestly rather than by resorting to inflation. President Randall Bosch presided at the meeting and introduced Dr. Dimment. Willis Diekema entertained with vocal and piano selections.

### Capt. E. J. Clemens Is Recalled to Active Duty

E. J. Clemens, who retired last July as captain of the Grand Haven coast guard station and commanding officer of the Chicago district repair shop after a year and a half of service there, has been recalled to active duty and departed Monday to report for temporary duty in the Chicago ninth naval district.

From Chicago, Capt. Clemens will proceed to St. Joseph where he will assume duty as commanding officer of the St. Joseph coast guard station.

Capt. Clemens, who was commander of the Holland coast guard station six years before he went to Grand Haven, has been residing at 84 West 19th St. Mrs. Clemens and their two sons will maintain their residence here.

Infant mortality in the Hawaiian islands has been decreased by 58 per cent in the past 40 years, public health records reveal.

## Promoted



Attorney and Mrs. C. J. Lokker on Friday received a telegram from their son, Lieut. Jack Lokker stationed at Columbus, Miss., as a pilot instructor, stating that he has received a promotion from the rank of second lieutenant to that of first lieutenant, dating from Feb. 1.

The promotion was received June 11 just one year after his graduation from West Point when Lokker was commissioned a second lieutenant in the field artillery. Upon his request Lieut. Lokker was transferred to the army air corps and after required training received his "wings."

## Term of Lifer Is Reduced at G.H.

Grand Haven, June 18 (Special)

—Frank Wagner, alias G. L. White and Frederick Thompson, appeared in circuit court Saturday accompanied by Henry Goodall, guard of Southern Michigan prison, and was arraigned on supplemental information charging him as a second offender.

Wagner was serving a life term in Jackson prison as a fourth offender. The sentence of Aug. 31, 1939, in which he was given a life term, was set aside and he was sentenced to serve from 10 to 21 years at Jackson prison. He will receive credit for the time already served on false check charges.

The reduced sentence followed a petition by Prosecutor Howard W. Fant which pointed out that two of the offenses occurred in other states and would have constituted misdemeanors instead of felonies if committed in Michigan.

### Third Church Society Has Closing Luncheon

About 130 members of the Ladies' Aid society of Third Reformed church attended the closing luncheon in the church on June 10. The rooms were attractively decorated with bouquets of peonies and other spring flowers.

Mrs. John R. Kempers pronounced the invocation preceding the meal which was planned by division chairmen.

Following the luncheon a program under the direction of Mrs. John Dethmers and Mrs. R. J. Kuiper was presented. Two vocal solos, "I Passed by Your Window" and "No Limit," were sung by Mrs. John Prakken of Seattle, Wash., who is visiting here.

Taking part in a one-act comedy, "The Dear-Deer Children," were the Mesdames William Van't Hof, John De Kraker, Ben Van Lente, E. Arnold, O. Schaap, John Van Eerden, G. Vander Borgh and John Dethmers. The play was directed by Mrs. Otto Schaap. Concluding the program were two piano solos, "Love" by Grieg and Mendelssohn's "Spring Song," by Miss Henrietta Warnshuis.

## Rare Antiques Given Museum

The Netherlands museum has received from Mrs. Eloise A. Engel, of Waukegan and Chicago, a large collection of Bennington pottery, a most unusual collection of old brasses and coppers, and a rare collection of antique shawls, Persian and Indian bracelets, pashley and the like.

Mrs. Josie Dykstra, a close friend of Mrs. Engel, had always hoped the museum would be able to house some of Mrs. Engel's rare antiques, and as a memorial to Mrs. Dykstra, Mrs. Engel has loaned her collection to the museum as long as she shall live.

She gave the museum a print of the Mongolia, the ship that fired the first shot and sunk a German submarine in the last war. This boat served as a convoy for transports. Mrs. Engel at that time was active in the Red Cross, outside of her work there, personally managed materials and labor, and furnished complete knitted outfits for all the seamen on the Mongolia.

Although Mrs. Engel's home is in Chicago she has been more than a summer resident here, first coming to Holland in 1930. With her was an invalid husband and father and a sister, Miss Joyce Unangst.

After the death of both her father and husband, her sister returned to Chicago but Mrs. Engel has since made this her home seven or eight months of each year.

This community, especially Park township, where her properties are located, has felt her influence. First she took the old Chapman place north of Lakewood, remodeled and made out of that a beautiful home. A few years ago she acquired property at the extreme west end of Waukegan where she has concentrated her energies until that has been beautified into one of the attractive places on the North shore.

Mrs. Engel has been seriously ill for several months, so is renting her home in Waukegan, and as soon as her health sufficiently improves, she will again continue in Red Cross work. Her special interest is centered in the department of blood donors.

### Past Matrons, Patrons Honored by Chapter

A special meeting of the Star of Bethlehem chapter No. 40, Order of Eastern Star, was held in Masonic hall Thursday evening honoring the past matrons and patrons.

A class of five candidates received the degrees exemplified by the past matrons and patrons. Mrs. Luella White, past matron, and Burt Welton, past patron, were seated in the East and presided during the conferring of degrees. Margaret Murphy presided due to the illness of the worthy matron, Mrs. Clara Asseheim. Appropriate initiatory music was provided by a choir.

Approximately 125 members and guests filled the chapter room. Guests present from Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Spring Lake, Oak Park, Lansing and Reed City were welcomed by Miss Murphy. A short memorial for Mrs. Jennie Lacey, a past matron of the Star of Bethlehem chapter, was given by Mrs. Lucille Tyner.

The new initiated members and invited guests gave short impromptu speeches. Arrangements for a picnic at Kollen park on June 29 were completed. This was the final meeting for the summer. Activities will be resumed the first Thursday in September. Refreshments were served by Gretchen Ming and her committee.

### Miss Gladys Moffat Feted at Shower

Miss Gladys Moffat who will become the bride of Bernard Bos in June was honored at a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening given by Mrs. John Bos and daughter, Mrs. Lee Solomon, at the Bos home, 47 McKinley St., Zeeland.

The evening was spent in playing games and singing. Prizes were awarded to Miss Betty Van Langevelde and Mrs. Marvin Nienuis. A two-course lunch was served. The bride-to-be was presented with many beautiful and useful gifts.

The guest list included Mrs. Bernard Van Langevelde, Mrs. Ray Van Voorst, Mrs. Lloyd Mastman, Mrs. George Zuverink, Mrs. Henry Postma, Mrs. Clarence Van Langevelde, Miss Betty Van Langevelde, Mrs. John Altona and Bernice, Mrs. Marvin Nienuis, Mrs. Earl Van Oort, all of Holland, Mrs. Martin Damstra, Mrs. Peter Damstra, Mrs. Henry Zuverink, Mrs. John Kraai of Zeeland, Mrs. L. Bos and Mrs. Arthur Kool of Saugatuck, Mrs. G. Kuite, Mrs. J. Kolan, Mrs. Henry Dokter, Mrs. Ben Zuverink, Mrs. Gordon Zuverink and Adeline Zuverink.

### Fabocha Class Enjoys Slumber Party

The Fabocha Sunday school class of the First Methodist church were entertained in the form of a slumber party at the home of Mrs. W. G. Flowerday Friday night in the absence of Rev. Flowerday who is attending the Methodist Conference in Grand Rapids.

Fifteen girls were present for the fun and were served an early morning breakfast. It was also the occasion of Vera Kirchner's birthday.

## Fourth Reformed Church Is Scene of Wedding

An arch covered with greens, banked with palms and ferns, baskets of white peonies and candelabra, formed the setting for the wedding of Miss Lucille Jane Meyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Meyer of 174 West 18th St., to Cornelius Groenewoud of Zeeland and East Lansing, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Groenewoud, 349 West Central Ave., Zeeland, which was solemnized Friday evening in Fourth Reformed church.

The Rev. J. Prins of Grand Rapids, uncle of the bride, read the double ring service at 8 o'clock in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends.

Wedding attendants included Miss Eleanor Ruth Meyer who attended her sister as maid of honor; Carla Tinnholt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Tinnholt, and Joan Heneveld, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Heneveld, flower girls; Walter Groenewoud, brother of the bridegroom, best man; and John H. De Witt of Grand Rapids and Albert Van Dyke of Chicago, college friends of the bridegroom, ushers. The Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Van Farow of Portage, uncles Van Farow of Portage, uncle and aunt of the bridegroom, served as Elsie Koeman and Lillian Victor had charge of the gift room.

For wedding music George Schierenga sang "Because," d'Hardelot, and "God Sent You to Me," with Mrs. H. Mass at the organ. Mrs. Mass also played Wagner's "Evening Prayer," Schubert's "Serenade," Wagner's wedding march from Lohengrin and Mendelssohn's wedding march.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore the traditional white satin fashioned on princess lines with a long train. The sweetheart necklace was outlined with pearl braid and her fingertip veil was held in place by orange blossoms. She carried a white Bible and a small bouquet of roses and swainsons with a shower. Her only jewelry was a cameo necklace, a gift of the bridegroom.

As maid of honor, Miss Meyer wore blue silk applique organdie with pink ribbon trim. Her blue shoulder-length veil was held in place by a bandeau of blue flowers. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and sweet peas.

The little flower girls wore long dresses of pink organdie over taffeta with blue ribbon trim. The men of the wedding party wore white coats and black trousers.

A reception for about 100 guests followed in the church parlors where a wedding supper was served by Lorraine Interbitzen, Mildred Borr, Louise Peerbolte and Mrs. Ruth De Vries. Out-of-town guests came from Chicago, Elmhurst, Jersey City, Grand Haven, Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids, Zeeland and Detroit.

The bride was born in Holland and was graduated from Holland high school in 1938. She has been employed as a stenographer at the Holland Furnace Co. The bridegroom was born in Zeeland, but lived in Holland for 17 years.

He was graduated from Holland high school in 1935 and received his A. B. degree from Hope college in 1940. He has been taking a post-graduate course at Michigan State college in East Lansing for the past two years, and also served as part-time instructor in mathematics.

The couple left for East Lansing where Mr. Groenewoud received his A. M. degree at commencement exercises Saturday.

and after that left on a southern wedding trip. For traveling the bride wore an outfit of antique tan with white dots and a beige jacket with coconut straw hat and matching accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Groenewoud will make their home at 174 West 18th St. after July 1.

The program given at intervals during the reception included an invocation by the Rev. H. Van Dyke, pastor of Fourth church; piano duets by Jean and Cornelia Van Farow; vocal solo by Miss Rose Winstrom, accompanied by Mrs. H. Mass; guitar duets by Jeanette and Gertrude Vanden Bosch; cornet and saxophone duets by Robert Van Eenennaam and Howard Meyer, accompanied by Doris Prins.

Pre-nuptial affairs for the bride included one given May 15 by Mrs. J. Van Zoeren, Mrs. Ray Nienuis and Mrs. H. Mass in the latter's home; May 26, a shower in the Meyer home with Miss Lorraine Interbitzen and Miss Mildred Borr as hostesses; June 3, a shower given by Mrs. J. Prins and Mrs. R. Van Eenennaam in the latter's home; June 4, a shower by Mrs. G. G. Groenewoud in her home in Zeeland, and on June 9, a luncheon and crystal shower given by the stenographic department of the Holland Furnace Co.

### Surprise Party Held For John Ortman

John Ortman was surprised Thursday night when a group of relatives gathered at his home in East Saugatuck to celebrate his birthday anniversary. During the evening games were played. Vocal and instrumental music was given by Mr. and Mrs. Justin Hulst and Dutch readings were given by Harvin Zoerhoff. The evening was closed with singing a Dutch psalm and prayer. Mr. Ortman was presented with a gift.

Attending the party were Mrs. Alice Hulst, Gerene Hulst, Mr. and Mrs. William Van Hemert and two children, Thelma and Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boes, Mr. and Mrs. John Vos, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dekker, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Hulst, Mrs. Sena Kalmink, Robert Kalmink, Howard Kalmink, Gertrude Staal, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ortman and two children, Jacqueline and Sherwin, Mr. and Mrs. Harvin Zoerhoff and two children, Laverne and Rosalyn and Mr. and Mrs. John Ortman.

### Shower Compliments Miss Ruth Klaasen

Miss Doris Van Lente was hostess at a dinner party Saturday evening at The Mooring in honor of Miss Ruth Klaasen who will become the bride of Lester Wassenaar in late June. Miss Klaasen was presented with a gift.

Invited guests were Miss Marjorie Last, Miss Marian Klaasen, Miss Bernice Klaasen, Mrs. Morris Gardepe, Miss Laura Roosenraad, Miss Helen Becker and Mrs. Cornie Steketee of Grand Rapids and Miss Mary Boema of Muskegon.

English tradition says people many years ago were taxed by the queen to provide money to buy pins. The term "pin money" is believed to be thus derived.

## SUNDAY DINNER Suggestions

WARM lazy summer days are here when the wise homemaker will crowd her menus with fresh fruits and vegetables and substitute generous salads, cheeses and tarts for the heavy desserts which are popular in the winter.

Vegetables are of excellent quality now and the prices are most attractive. Among those which are particularly good buys this week are asparagus, beans, cabbage, carrots, cucumbers, onions, rhubarb, spinach, tomatoes and iceberg lettuce. Avocados, cherries and oranges are in the group of fruits which should have special attention from the budget-minded.

Although it is definitely not a budget item, baby spring lamb is in market now and there is no meat which is any better for a warm weather dinner. Among good main dish selections for Sunday dinner are prime ribs of beef, broilers and fryers, chuck steaks and roasts and pot roasts.

Marion Rouse Budd, director of the Kitchen, offers these suggestions for three different menus:

- Low Cost Dinner**  
 Braised Chuck Steak  
 New Potatoes  
 Green Beans  
 Enriched Bread  
 Frozen Apricot Pudding  
 Iced Tea or Coffee
- Medium Cost Dinner**  
 Fried Chicken with Cream Gravy  
 Whipped Potatoes  
 Buttered Carrots  
 Corn Sticks  
 Fresh Fruit Salad with Iced Coffee
- Very Special Dinner**  
 Stuffed Celery  
 Roast Leg of Spring Lamb  
 Creamed Cauliflower  
 Buttered Bets  
 Orange and Avocado Salad  
 Hot Muffins  
 Cheese and Crackers with Coffee

## Will Not Publish Names Until After Acceptance

The local selective service board on orders from state headquarters hereafter will not release for publication the exact hour of departure of selectees or the route which will be taken by the registrants to the induction station, Chairman Vaudie Vandenberg said today.

Neither will names be published, after June 15, of registrants selected for service until after they have been accepted for induction and have returned for their 14-day furlough. At that time it will be definitely known who the men are who have been found acceptable for military service and there will be no embarrassment for those who have been rejected.

At the end of the 14-day furlough, the men who have been accepted will be assembled in local board groups for the purpose of delivery as a group to the reception center. The board will arrange its customary farewell meeting at the end of the furlough.

**G. R. PASTOR CALLED**  
 Grand Rapids, June 18 — The Rev. William Masselink, pastor of Alpine Avenue Christian Reformed church, has received a call from the Second Reformed church of Englewood, Chicago, Ill. Former pastor at Englewood was the Rev. Edward J. Tanis who resigned to teach Bible in Grand Rapids Christian high school. Rev. Masselink formerly served as pastor of Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church of Holland.

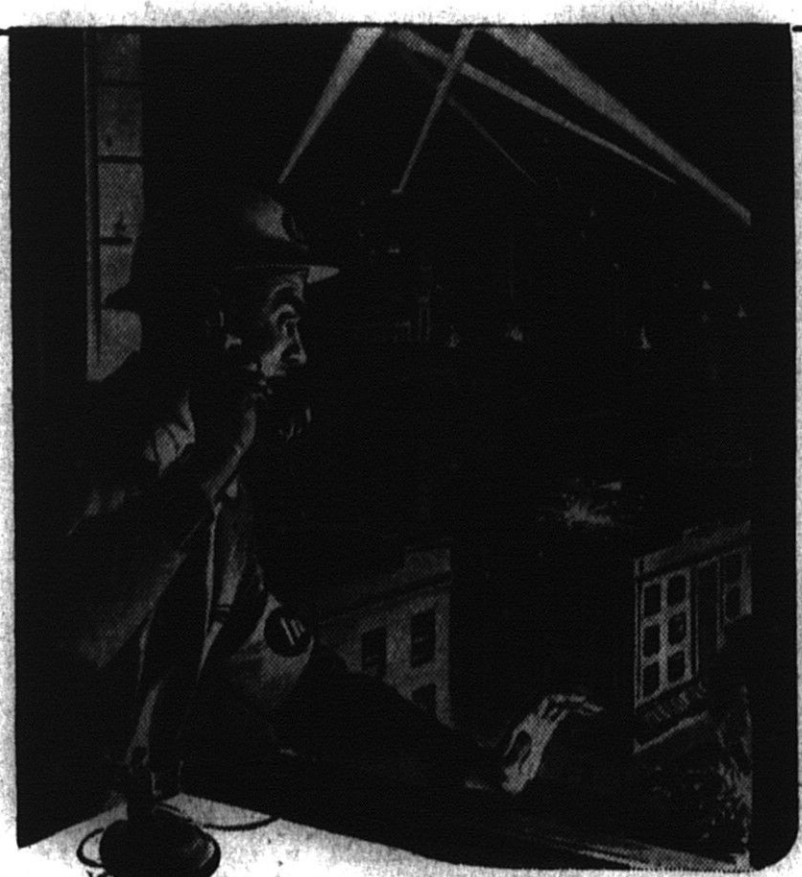
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## Tributes Paid to Chris-Craft Plant As 'E' Is Awarded

### Employees Are Fighting Battle of Production, Dr. Wichers Points Out

Holland's efforts in the nation's "battle for production" received recognition Monday afternoon when the U.S. navy presented the Navy "E" burgee to the Holland Plant of the Chris-Craft Corp. for excellence in production.

In addition to the award for the plant, lapel buttons were presented to the five oldest employees of the plant in point of service who accepted them on behalf of all employees of the plant.

A similar program also was held Monday at the Cadillac and Algonac plants of the Chris-Craft Corp. The Holland ceremony was held on company property just east of the main plant and attracted an estimated 2,000 persons, including 650 employees and their families.

Honored guests and those who took part in the program occupied seats on a specially-built platform which was painted red, white and blue and decorated with flags and bunting. American flags lined the approach to the property and were hung around the area where the program was held.

The east side of the main plant also was decorated with red, white and blue bunting. On the speakers' stand was mounted a gold eagle. In the center of the canopy over the rostrum was a large "V" for victory with a large eagle in flight.

The program opened with the Holland American Legion band, under direction of Eugene F. Heeter, playing the "Star Spangled Banner" while a color guard from the Holland coast guard station raised the American flag. The color guard in charge of Commanding Officer Oscar Halstad consisted of Lloyd Bigley and Peter Schmitt, apprentice seamen; and Bill Ehrenfeld and Melvin Porath, seamen second class.

Speaking on the significance of the meeting, Dr. Wynand Wichers, president of Hope college, said America and her Allies are battling the forces which would destroy the freedom of this country. He pointed out that this special navy program was to honor those in this and other plants who have brought distinction to themselves and are proving themselves as patriots "in this grim and desperate struggle which is being fought on a global battlefield."

Recalling last week's incident at Lidice, Czechoslovakia, which was wiped off the map by the Nazis, Dr. Wichers said that America cannot let this happen again on the continent of Europe or on this continent.

"We must dedicate ourselves to the fact that this will never happen again and that freedom will be restored to those who have lost it."

He stated he was proud that the honor of receiving a Navy "E" burgee had been accorded a Holland plant, pointing out that the firm's employees are fighting a patriotic battle in production. Dr. Wichers read a telegram of congratulations from Frank Knox, secretary of the navy.

In presenting the award to the firm, Lieut. Comdr. R. J. Twyman, U.S.N.R., district civilian personnel officer, ninth naval district, U.S. Naval Training station at Great Lakes, Ill., said the navy was showing its gratitude for the fine production record which the Chris-Craft Corp. has established.

"The Navy 'E' burgee is not awarded lightly," he said. "Today is not a day of jubilation but one of stimulation. The navy knows that you, the employees of this plant, will not rest upon your laurels of the past but will continue to work harder to produce the boats which are needed by the navy."

"Winning of this burgee has resulted from the close cooperation between labor and management. The work you are doing and the boats you are building are of vital importance."

Referring to recent U.S. navy victories in the Coral sea and at Midway Island, Lieut. Comdr. Twyman said these and future victories are of great significance. He said the victories show the U.S. navy is "alert and on the job."

"Do not let down but go on about your work with inspired and renewed energy," he pleaded. "The men in the U.S. navy expect the tools from you to prosecute this war. We need the troop landing boats and show the world that you are doing your part in contributing to the victories of your navy."

"Fly this burgee over your factory and 'keep it flying,'" he said in making the award to H. H. Coll, manager of the Holland plant.

While the band played "Anchors Aweigh," the color guard raised the burgee to the top of a pole on the southeast corner of the rostrum.

Mr. Coll, in accepting the award, thanked the employees of the plant for making it possible for the local plant to receive the high naval award. He pleaded that in the future "we will con-

tinued to give the best of our ability, the best of our experience, the best of our efforts on every job."

"I further pledge," he said, "that this plant's products will measure up to navy standards and that they will be delivered on time. We will be proud to work under this burgee for it shows that we are in partnership with the best fighting forces of the world."

Presentation of the lapel buttons was made by Lieut. Comdr. F. A. Fenger, U.S.N.R., Detroit office supervisor of shipbuilding, who recalled the first time the American flag was saluted by the Dutch on Nov. 16, 1776, when the American navy consisted of only five vessels which had been converted into men-of-war.

Those receiving the buttons were Jacob Tibma, John Wehrmeyer, Edward Buteyn, Henry Price and Joseph Zeyman.

Dr. Wichers closed the ceremony by expressing his thanks to all of those present. The audience sang "God Bless America."

Those occupying seats on the rostrum included Mayor Henry Geerlings, President Clarence L. Javling and Secretary-Manager E. P. Stephan of the Chamber of Commerce; State Sen. Earnest C. Brooks, State Rep. Nelson A. Miles, O. N. Smith, director of purchases and vice-president of the Chris-Craft Corp.; E. Boyd, representing a Detroit advertising agency; R. Fredricks, personnel manager, George Smith, plant inspector, Kenneth Tyse, in charge of boat shipments and Lester Kautz, plant engineer, and R. E. Johnson, U.S. navy resident engineer, all of the Holland plant; and Commanding Officer Oscar Halstad of the Holland coast guard station.

Lieut. Comdr. Harry Kipke, U.S.N.R., aviation cadet selection board, Detroit; Lieut. Comdr. Lindsay Lord, U.S.N.R., Bay City office, supervisor of shipbuilding, U.S. navy; and Ensign Rudolph P. Custer, U.S.N.R., ninth naval district, U.S. Naval Training station, Great Lakes, Ill., also were among the navy representatives who were present for the ceremony.

The "E" award was instituted in the navy in 1906. It is recognized as a symbol of excellence. On the turret of a ship, it signifies excellence in gunnery—on the funnel, it indicates outstanding achievement in engineering. By special permission of the president of the United States, the "E" may be awarded to industrial plants demonstrating their patriotism and determination to win the war by outstanding performance on navy contracts.

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## South Blendon

The Rev. and Mrs. H. Fikse and family left Monday evening for a two weeks' vacation which they will spend with relatives and friends in Steen, Minn., and Sanborn, Iowa.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the local church for William Steffens of Grand Rapids who was electrocuted last Friday while at work at the Farmers' Co-op elevator in Hudsonville. Rev. J. Vanderbeek of Holland and Rev. H. Fikse had charge of the service. He is survived by the widow, Ida, and two sons, Charles and Irvin.

The League for Service met in the church basement last Tuesday evening. The Harlem society met with them. The following program was given: a reading by Jeannette Groeters, two numbers by a ladies' quartet, and a missionary play entitled "The Tithing Box." A social hour followed and refreshments were served.

Miss Julia Holstege of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at her parental home.

Student G. Van Engen of North Blendon and Rev. H. Fikse exchanged pulpits Sunday afternoon.

Miss Hermina Vrugink has secured employment at a factory in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Berghorst have moved into their newly built home at Georgetown.

Revenue raising stamps were required in the United States in 1862 to help defray the emergency costs occasioned by the Civil war.

## Personals

### From Today's Sentinel

Evelyn Myrtle Beach of Detroit, formerly of Holland, received a Bachelor of Science degree in Education from Wayne university at commencement exercises in Olympia, June 11.

The Friendly Corner class of Trinity church will have a pot-luck supper at 6:30 p.m. Friday at the home of Mrs. Ben Nienhuis on East 32nd St. Mrs. William C. Jacobs and Mrs. Ray Brondyke will assist Mrs. Nienhuis as hostesses. It will be the last social meeting of the class until September.

Zeeland Garden club will meet tomorrow afternoon in the home of Mrs. D. Van Bree. Mrs. G. Van Hoven will present a paper on "Poppies," and Mrs. E. Van Lopik will lead a discussion on peonies.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Witterdink of route 5, Holland, announce the birth of a son Wednesday in the Lampen Maternity home at 117 West 17th St.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Eagles will have a regular meeting Friday at 8 p.m. June birthday anniversaries will be celebrated.

Rainbow girls will practice for initiation Friday at 7 p.m. in the Masonic hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kraai and daughters, Beverly and Joyce, and Mrs. Anna Zahart expect to leave Friday on a vacation trip to Chattanooga, Tenn., where they will visit Mrs. Fred Wendel. They also expect to visit Mr. Wendel who is still confined to the Marine hospital at Memphis, Tenn., with a leg injury.

A real interest and a revival spirit is being shown in the "Back to the Bible Campaign" carried on at the City Mission by Evangelist and Mrs. O. W. Stucky. Nearly 3,000 Bible chapters have been read by those attending the service. Tonight's subject will be "What Is It?" and Friday night's "Blindness—Can It Be Cured?"

Mrs. William Ward of Flint is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stephan, 45 East 12th St. She will leave Tuesday for Chicago to join Mr. Ward who is in Dallas, Tex., attending the national Junior Chamber of Commerce convention as a delegate from the Flint organization.

Mrs. Nellie Lokker, 108 East 14th St., has received a cablegram from her son, First Sgt. Homer C. Lokker, in Australia stating that "he is fine." She also received a letter from him asking for long letters from home and telling of the scarcity of cigarettes and razor blades. He left with the national guard unit for active service in October, 1940.

## Overisel

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kleinhessel, Lester Kleinhessel and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kleinhessel and family spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wabeke of Riverside Trailer Lodge near Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Albers and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Albers of Hamilton enjoyed a supper at Silver Creek Tuesday evening.

Born on Sunday morning, a baby girl, named Marilyn Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nykerk.

Mrs. John Rigtierink had as her guests last week Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Ralph Van Dam of Drenthe, Mrs. Simon Tynenewer of Coopersville, Mrs. Albert Scholten of Holland, Mrs. John Lampen, Mrs. Sena Arink, Mrs. Henry Brink and Mrs. H. J. Hoffman. On Friday afternoon the same group was entertained in the home of Mrs. Henry Brink.

Mrs. G. Rigtierink left Monday to spend this week with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Volkers of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mack of Ann Arbor who have been spending a part of their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pomp, left again Monday morning on a motor trip to Sault Sainte Marie to spend some time there with Mr. Mack's parents. Their sister, Lorraine Pomp, accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vrugink and children, Mary Lou and Burwin, of Hudsonville spent Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Folkert.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Voorhorst, Arlyne Voorhorst, a d m r, and Mrs. Peter Leestma and Suzanne Leestma of Grand Rapids motored

to Bately, Mich., on Wednesday to spend the day with Rev. and Mrs. Harold Leestma who are enjoying a few weeks' vacation at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pomp, Norma and Josephine Pomp, motored to Reed City last Friday to bring Lorraine home who taught there the last school year.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Folkert, Evelyn, Robert, Wayne and Irvin Folkert and Hulda Rigtierink were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Folkert of Holland last week Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Naberhuis of Holland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Kollen.

Rev. Donald Houseman of Raymond, Minn., had charge of the services in the Christian Reformed church on Sunday afternoon and Rev. Gerrit Vande Riet of Bejou, Minn., in the evening.

Frances Ruth De Roos was graduated from the Western Michigan college of Education at Kalamazoo last Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. She was one of a class of 325 members and one of the three of the entire class attaining the rank of magna cum laude. She was graduated from the Holland high school before going to Kalamazoo.

Services in the Reformed church last Sunday both morning and evening were in charge of Dr. George Mennenga of Western seminary.

The annual Walters-Lankheet family reunion was held Monday evening at Zeeland City park. After a basket supper a baseball game and a program of sports were enjoyed with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Albers and Mr. and Mrs. Garry Alderink in charge. As a special feature prizes were awarded to the oldest and youngest persons present. A short business meeting was later held at which the president, John J. Albers, presided. The other officers are John Overbeek, secretary and Martin Buscher, treasurer. Mr. Johannes Lankheet offered a closing prayer.

Prayer meeting in the Reformed church Thursday evening was led by Floyd Folkert. His subject was, "Christ Meeting the World's Need."

The Christian Endeavor society of the Reformed church met Tuesday evening. Dorothy Immink was the leader. The subject was, "Who Is Who in the Bible."

## Allendale

The Rev. A. Wassink of Inwood, Iowa, was in charge of the communion services at the local Christian Reformed church Sunday. A student of Calvin Theological seminary conducted the evening service.

The Rev. E. J. Krohn of Hudsonville will be the speaker next Sunday.

Mrs. Gerrit Gemmen returned to her home from Butterworth hospital and is getting along nicely.

The Young Men's society was guest of the Girls' society at an outing held in Johnson park last Friday night.

The Rev. A. Persenaire of Eastmanville called on Mrs. H. Lottermann recently.

Mrs. C. Post who was confined to her home for a considerable length of time due to illness was able to attend church services again last Sunday.

Fred Rozenswaag was taken home from Ann Arbor where he had spent some time for observation and treatment.

Miss Mildred Wassenaar, daughter to Dr. and Mrs. Peter Wassenaar, left for California after enlisting as nurse in the navy.

The June meeting of the Allendale Farm union was held at the home of Jack Atkins with Mr. Atkins in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Folkeringa and children of Grand Rapids spent Tuesday evening with Pearl Barrels at the home of Mrs. Bartels, following the program.

Several local people were in Holland last Monday evening to see the Flag Day parade. It was estimated that about 3,000 people marched in the parade, with about as many spectators.

Dr. and Mrs. William J. Clough and sons, Jimmy and Malcolm, of Saugatuck were dinner guests in the H. D. Strabbing home last Sunday.

## HEADS NURSING UNIT

Allagan, June 18—Mrs. Arthur Morris has resigned as chairman of the home nursing department of the Red Cross, and Mrs. Elsie Dalman has been appointed in her place, according to H. B. Stafford, county Red Cross chairman.

## Hamilton

The Rev. William Wolvius of Holland conducted the morning service in the First Reformed church last Sunday while the Rev. Gradus Aalberts of Harlem occupied the pulpit at the afternoon service. In observance of Children's day, a group of primary and junior girls sang a couple of selections, at the latter service. The Christian Endeavor service in the evening was in charge of Blanche Rigtierink who discussed the subject, "Who's Who in the Bible."

Funeral services were held here last Saturday for Jacob Karsen of Muskegon, with the Rev. I. Scherpenisse officiating. Burial was made in Riverside cemetery. The Karsen family resided in Hamilton for many years.

Several of the local boys who were inducted in the army last Saturday were home on furloughs during the week. Returning to Fort Custer on Monday were Stanley Schipper, Alvin Strabbing and Jacob Dama. Edward Joosten and Martin Johnson, returned on Tuesday. Howard Lugten and Ben Schrotenboer on Wednesday, and Henry Johnson, Silas Sal and Marvin Van Doornik are scheduled to return the latter part of the week. The former three sent word on Tuesday morning that they were leaving Fort Custer that day for an unknown destination.

A number of local people attended the Holland high school baccalaureate service last Sunday afternoon at Hope Memorial chapel. The Rev. Henry Bast of Hope college preached the sermon. Included in the group were Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Lampen, their daughters, Evelyn and Margaret and Joyce Nienhuis, Andrew Lubbers and children, Melvin and Mildred, Mr. W. C. Monroe and the Andrew Reinstra family. Local young people graduating from Holland high this year are Margaret Lampen, Mildred Lubbers, Donald Reinstra and Leonard Kreuger. Graduation exercises will be attended by this group on Thursday evening of this week at Hope Memorial chapel. Junior high students of Hamilton, completing this year's work at Holland high are Joyce Nienhuis, Lois Lugten, Gail Kookier, Ruth Morganstern, Eleanor Miskotten, Maxine Essink, Wayne Schutmaat and Ivan Borton.

Mrs. John Haakma was expected to return from Holland hospital this week Wednesday, with her infant daughter, Sally Joan.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. Van't Kerkhoff of Grand Rapids were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Kulte last Friday.

Julius Lubbers, student at U. of M. Dental school at Ann Arbor, spent a few days at the home of his father, Andrew Lubbers at the close of the school year.

The local Lampen families attended the Klingenberg family reunion at Hughes Grove in Hudsonville last Tuesday evening.

The Girls choir of First Reformed church will sponsor a hymn sing in the church auditorium on Sunday evening, June 28, at 8 o'clock. John Smits of Grand Rapids will be guest leader.

Howard Kronemeyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kronemeyer, left last Thursday for Fort Custer, after a ten-day furlough, following his induction the previous week. Word was received Tuesday that he is now stationed at Jefferson Barracks in Missouri.

Mrs. Howard Edling entertained at a bridal shower in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Juella Edling, Wednesday evening, June 10. A large group of friends were present and the honor guest was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

The King's Daughters Missionary society of First Reformed church met in the home of Pearl and Esther Bartels last Tuesday evening. Lorraine Johnson, the president, opened the meeting and conducted devotions. She was assisted in the discussion of the program topic, relating to China, by Viola Kronemeyer. At the close of the program Blanche Rigtierink presided at the business session. Group singing was enjoyed with Pearl Bartels at the piano. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Bartels, following the program.

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Dr. and Mrs. William J. Clough and sons, Jimmy and Malcolm, of Saugatuck were dinner guests in the H. D. Strabbing home last Sunday.

He classified talk that the war will end this year as "enemy propaganda" and said that only a miracle will end the war in three years. The next 300 days will be the most crucial days of the war and the work you do now will hasten the peace and save the lives of those in the armed forces but to listen to this propaganda will only prolong the war and cause a greater loss in lives, he asserted.

Lieut. (jg) Milt Gantenbein, assigned to Kipke for temporary recruiting duty, also was present for the flag presentation. Now stationed at Jacksonville, Gantenbein is a former University of Wisconsin football player and for several years played professional football.

Miss Kirchen Will Be Wedding Attendant

Miss Peggy Kirchen left this week for Beverly Hills Calif., where she will be maid of honor for Miss Joan Robbins, whose marriage to Edna John Barkum of the U. S. Navy will be a fashionable event of June 27. The wedding will take place at 4:30 p.m. in the Episcopal church at Beverly Hills.

Miss Robbins is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Robbins, formerly of Holland, and now residents of Grand Haven and Beverly Hills.

Holland Legion Band to Give Summer Concerts

The first of a series of summer concerts will be given Tuesday, June 30, at 8 p.m. in Kollen park by the Holland American Legion band. Concerts will be given on Tuesday nights during the summer, except in event of inclement weather when they will be held Thursday night.

Returns to Fort Knox After 7-Day Leave

First Lieut. Robert J. McBain has returned to Fort Knox, Ky., after a seven-day leave spent with Mrs. McBain in their home in Grand Rapids.

Lt. McBain, former dean of business administration at the University of Grand Rapids, presented the diplomas to the business administration seniors at their graduation Saturday, June 5.

Since his call to active duty on Feb. 4, 1942, Lt. McBain has been made one of the officers in charge of the Armored Force Replacement Training Center Officers Mess at Fort Knox.

Mrs. McBain is spending the summer months in Holland with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. K. Prince.

## Howard Kuiken of G.H. Weds Miss Van Zyl

Grand Haven, June 18 (Special)—Cornelia L. Van Zyl, daughter of Peter Van Zyl, and Howard Kuiken, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kuiken, 907 Pennoyer Ave., Grand Haven, were married Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Proving Camp, Ill., where Mr. Kuiken is in an army training school studying for a sergeant's rating.

The wedding was performed at the post chapel by the army chaplain and the couple was attended by Miss Eleanor Reame of Muskegon and Kenneth Campbell of Grand Haven who also is in training at the camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Kuiken both are graduates of Grand Haven high school and Mrs. Kuiken now is employed by the Eagle Ottawa Leather Co. Mr. Kuiken before entering the service was a foreman there. He is a baseball player of exceptional ability and has played on numerous occasions with the Flying Dutchmen of Holland.

Word was received by the Brady's that Bill is stationed at Camp Bowie, Texas. He is with the infantry.

Mrs. Harm Kulte and Miss Carolyn Smeyers have returned from a trip to Camp Claiborne, La., to visit the former's son, Justin Pol. They made the 12,000-mile trip by bus, and report a fine time though the temperature in Louisiana rose as high as 120 degrees.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Banks were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Taylor last Wednesday.

Miss Darlene Winters of Holland City spent a week at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Veldheer.

Mrs. Fred Veneberg spent the week-end with her husband, who is stationed at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slagh of North Holland who also have a relative in that camp.

Harry Driesenga met with an accident while attending a ball game in Harlem. He was struck with a bat over the left eye. The gash bled profusely and Mr. Driesenga was taken to Holland hospital where he was given medical attention. Three stitches were required to close the wound.

The families of Lois Bakker and Stanley Nieboer attended baccalaureate services for Holland high school graduates in Hope Memorial chapel Sunday afternoon. Miss Bakker completed the full four years at Holland high, while Nieboer attended North Holland high for the first two years.

## Minute Man Flag Is Presented to Local Shoe Plant

### Kipke Awards Banner That Recognizes Bond Buys by Employees

With 90 per cent of its employees purchasing war savings bonds under the salary allotment plan, the local plant of Holland-Racine Shoes, Inc., was accorded the privilege of flying the treasury department's "minute man" flag at impressive ceremonies which were held Tuesday afternoon in front of the factory building on West 16th St.

In the presence of company employees, Peter Kromann, comptroller, announced that 224 war savings bonds, the largest number to be issued to any one industrial group in Holland, were ready for distribution among local employees. He said the bonds represent a total of 374 which have been purchased in the local plant and a grand total of 374 which have been purchased in the local plant and a grand total of 652 bonds for the Holland and Racine, Wis., plants. They were purchased by employees of the two plants at a cost of \$12,800 and will have a maturity value of \$16,300, he said.

Mr. Kromann said that not a single employee who has subscribed to the salary allotment plan is purchasing less than \$1 per week in war savings stamps.

Presentation of the "minute man" flag which will be flown from the flag pole atop the local factory was made to Carl C. Andreesen, general manager and secretary of the firm, by Lieut. Comdr. Harry Kipke, U.S.N.R., aviation cadet selection board, Detroit. The flag is the first to be awarded to any local plant.

In congratulating the employees on the fine job they have done in their purchases of bonds, Lieut. Comdr. Kipke said they were doing their part in bringing the war to a successful conclusion.

The harder they work and the more bonds they buy the more they make it possible "for the boys at the front to get better equipment to bring the war to a successful conclusion," he said.

He said there is as much honor in flying the "minute man" flag as there is in winning the Navy "E" burgee.

Mr. Andreesen, in accepting the flag, expressed hope that in the future the plant will gain the privilege of flying another flag when employees have pledged 10 per cent of their salary towards the purchase of bonds and stamps.

Frank M. Lievesen, chairman of the local committee, to promote the sale of bonds and stamps in Holland, congratulated the shoe firm on being the first in Holland to win the right to fly this special flag. He said the cost of the present struggle will be tremendous and that the treasury department does not consider purchases of a half-billion dollars per month in bonds as sufficient.

Since it is estimated that the national income this year will be 120 billion dollars, Mr. Lievesen said, the treasury department is endeavoring to reach a goal of one billion dollars in bonds per month or 12 billion in a year, this representing 10 per cent of the national income, to carry out the war.

Mr. Lievesen explained that a 10 per cent purchase of an employee's salary in bonds or stamps gives the individual "a stake in the future of your country," that it provides the implements of war for those in the armed forces, that it will hold down inflation and that it will provide a cushion for future buying power when the war is ended.

"We all remember that during the last war we sent our boys away to the accompaniment of bands and they returned home only to find their jobs gone. Your bond purchases today will turn the wheels of industry in the future and give them assurance of work after the war."

He classified talk that the war will end this year as "enemy propaganda" and said that only a miracle will end the war in three years. The next 300 days will be the most crucial days of the war and the work you do now will hasten the peace and save the lives of those in the armed forces but to listen to this propaganda will only prolong the war and cause a greater loss in lives, he asserted.

Lieut. (jg) Milt Gantenbein, assigned to Kipke for temporary recruiting duty, also was present for the flag presentation. Now stationed at Jacksonville, Gantenbein is a former University of Wisconsin football player and for several years played professional football.

Miss Kirchen Will Be Wedding Attendant

Miss Peggy Kirchen left this week for Beverly Hills Calif., where she will be maid of honor for Miss Joan Robbins, whose marriage to Edna John Barkum of the U. S. Navy will be a fashionable event of June 27. The wedding will take place at 4:30 p.m. in the Episcopal church at Beverly Hills.

Miss Robbins is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Robbins, formerly of Holland, and now residents of Grand Haven and Beverly Hills.

Holland Legion Band to Give Summer Concerts

The first of a series of summer concerts will be given Tuesday, June 30, at 8 p.m. in Kollen park by the Holland American Legion band. Concerts will be given on Tuesday nights during the summer, except in event of inclement weather when they will be held Thursday night.

Returns to Fort Knox After 7-Day Leave

First Lieut. Robert J. McBain has returned to Fort Knox, Ky., after a seven-day leave spent with Mrs. McBain in their home in Grand Rapids.

Lt. McBain, former dean of business administration at the University of Grand Rapids, presented the diplomas to the business administration seniors at their graduation Saturday, June 5.

Since his call to active duty on Feb. 4, 1942, Lt. McBain has been made one of the officers in charge of the Armored Force Replacement Training Center Officers Mess at Fort Knox.

Mrs. McBain is spending the summer months in Holland with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. K. Prince.

## Howard Kuiken of G.H. Weds Miss Van Zyl

Grand Haven, June 18 (Special)—Cornelia L. Van Zyl, daughter of Peter Van Zyl, and Howard Kuiken, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kuiken, 907 Pennoyer Ave., Grand Haven, were married Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Proving Camp, Ill., where Mr. Kuiken is in an army training school studying for a sergeant's rating.

The wedding was performed at the post chapel by the army chaplain and the couple was attended by Miss Eleanor



## Former Holland Man Is Survivor From Lexington

Cornie Dronkers, in Navy for Twenty-Eight Years, Well and Safe

Cornie Dronkers, a warrant officer in the supply corps who left Holland 28 years ago to join the navy, was among the 92 per cent of the aircraft carrier Lexington's personnel which was rescued when the 33,000-ton craft was sunk May 8 during the Coral sea battle.

This was revealed in a telegram he sent his mother, Mrs. John Dronkers, 10 West 18th St., saying he was safe and well. He was believed to be in California.

The telegram followed a letter which Mrs. Dronkers received in May in which her 47-year-old son said the Japanese were "trying mighty hard" to sink the Lexington. "But," his letter written at sea April 26 said, "we are very much afloat yet and have given them much to worry over and many headaches."

When the Japanese made their sneak attack on Pearl harbor last December he stated the Lexington was at sea but "they had us sunk the day of that raid and have 'sunk us' three times since."

It was the Lexington which Lieut. Edward O'Hare was helping defend when he alone shot down five of 18 Japanese bombers which were attacking the craft, he revealed. "We got 16 of the bombers and only lost one plane," he said. "Several bombs landed near us, but not one of them hit. O'Hare was from our ship, and that really was a day. That was only one of many a fracas we have had so far, and more are to come."

Dronkers, who had been with the Lexington the past four years, said he had been at sea most of the time since the start of the war—once for 55 days without sighting land.

He has not returned to Holland since the day he went to Rhode Island and entered the navy. He was 19 then, and a graduate of Holland high school and of a Grand Rapids business college. His life has been varied, exciting and one without regrets, he said. "I have gone, many, many thousands of miles and have visited many points of the earth. I guess by now I have visited most all countries there are to visit and since I last wrote have been to Europe twice, Asia twice, besides many smaller, outlying spots. It seems I really feel more at home in a foreign country than I do in my own, and I thrive in the tropics."

Dronkers obtained an officer's rating four years ago when, placing 13 in an examination which 400 enlisted men took, he was appointed a warrant officer in the supply corps. He has been recommended for a full lieutenant's rank in the supply corps. As assistant to the supply officer on the Lexington he was kept busy handling the commissary, clothing and store supplies on the ship which carried 1,800 officers and men and 80 to 90 planes at the time it was commissioned.

He said he had received five medals. He did not explain further, but added, "You can't tell these days when you wake up in the morning but what you will earn another medal before evening. Look at O'Hare."

Dronkers has five sisters who reside in Holland and two brothers. His father died several years ago. His sisters are Mrs. John Slighter, Mrs. John A. Overway, Mrs. John Nyland, Mrs. Al Bouwman and Mrs. Henry TeRoller. His brother, William, resides in Grand Rapids and his brother, Frank, in Chicago.

Also among the Lexington's survivors is Leonard Van Dussen, 32, chief gunner's mate, who advised his parents Mr. and Mrs. Kryn Van Dussen, Nunica, that he has arrived safely in America. Van Dussen former Grand Rapids resident, had been assigned to the Lexington the past 12 years.

A brother, Adrian, and a navy man for 16 years, was on the tanker Neches which was sunk in the Atlantic. He was subsequently transferred to another ship and no information has been received concerning his whereabouts for the past two months.

### Beaverdam Couple Is Wed in Parsonage

Beaverdam, June 18 (Special)—Miss Marion Machiele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Machiele, and John De Boer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank De Boer, both of Beaverdam, were united in marriage Saturday evening in the parsonage of the Christian Reformed church. The Rev. J. Geels performed the ceremony.

A reception was held in the community hall south of Zeeland for about 90 relatives immediately after the vows were spoken. Mr. and Mrs. De Boer will reside on North State St., Zeeland.

### Book Review Heard At Trinity Meeting

Miss Laura A. Boyd of Hope college gave an interesting review of the book "A Lamp in the Wind," by Eleanor McDougall, an English missionary who is president of the Madras Women's college in India, at the evening meeting of the Women's Missionary society in Trinity Reformed church Tuesday night. The book revealed the author's experiences with the girls of India, who have been sheltered, but must be prepared to meet the conditions of the world.

Miss Dorothy Eisenberger, Holland High school senior, sang

several solos accompanied by Mrs. H. D. Terkeurst. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. E. W. Saunders. During the business meeting it was decided to hold the next meeting on Sept. 21 in the form of an evening reception for Miss Esther DeWeerd, Trinity church missionary to India who is on furlough here.

Hostesses for the evening were Mesdames A. Buter, H. DeFouw, M. DeFouw and P. De Kraker.

## Juliana to Live In United States

Ottawa, Ont., June 18—Aneta, the Netherlands news agency, reported Monday that Crown Princess Juliana of The Netherlands and her two daughters, Irene and Beatrix, will establish a summer residence in Lee, Mass., in the Berkshire mountains.

The princess came to Ottawa when Germany invaded Holland and has been living in this Canadian city ever since. She frequently has visited the United States, staying with President and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House and Hyde Park.

(Crown Princess Juliana and her husband, Prince Bernhard, visited Holland for three days in June, 1941.)

### Two Are Selected for Allegan Plaque Honors

Allegan, June 18—H. B. Stafford and John Nahlikan will have their names inscribed on the community council service plaque, hanging in the corridor of Griswold Memorial auditorium, for having performed outstanding work for the community.

Each year an adult and a youth are chosen for having done the most outstanding work toward betterment of their community.

The selections of Mr. Stafford as the adult recipient and of Mr. Nahlikan as the youth winner, made it the third time that such awards have been named.

Two years ago, the adult award went to Hermann Priebe while the youth award went to Bob Rumery. Last year, Mrs. Harriet Pitcher and Charles Holland were named to the place on the plaque. Mr. Stafford, a resident of Allegan for the past 12 years, has been active in virtually every type of community affair during that time.

### Two Navy Recruiters Are Coming to Holland

Acting Postmaster Harry Kramer today received notice that two U.S. navy recruiters from Grand Rapids will be at Holland post office Friday and Saturday.

The recruiters will be assigned an office on the second floor of the post office building which will be open from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. for all men interested in enlisting in the navy and its services.

### Joyce Alverson Feted On Sixth Birthday

A birthday party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alverson Friday afternoon in honor of their daughter Joyce, who marked her sixth birthday anniversary. Games were played, gifts were presented and refreshments were served.

Those present were Darlene Groeters, Doris Miles, Ardith Van Doornik, Norma Rosema, Mary Ann Firlit, Joe Firlit, Eleanor West, Terry Alverson, Marvin Alverson and Anna Mae Funches.

### Eight Grand Haven Boys To Attend Boys' State

Grand Haven, June 18—Eight boys are being sent by Grand Haven fraternal and veterans organizations to the annual Wolverine Boys' state at Michigan State college which opens today.

The committee announces those to attend will be: Dirk Vyn and Tony Lepenna, sponsored by Grand Haven lodge No. 1200, BPOE; William Law, Jr., sponsored by POE No. 925; Peter Vandenberg, by the Masons; Donald Peterson, by the Veterans of Foreign Wars post; Gail Olger, by the Spring Lake Ex-Service Men's club, and Donald Trull and Larry Dornbos, by the Charles A. Conklin post No. 28, American legion.

### Training Local Recruit For Navy Radioman

Indianapolis, Ind., June 18 —David Harold Nordhof, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Nordhof, 257 West 11th St., Holland, Mich., recently arrived at the U. S. Naval training school here and has started an intensive course designed to train him to become a navy radioman. Nordhof enlisted in the navy Feb. 17 at Grand Rapids. Upon completion of his training the new radioman will be assigned to the fleet or to some shore station.

### Local Boy Joins Navy; Trains at Great Lakes

Great Lakes, Ill., June 18 (Special)—Joining the many other "fighting" men with America's armed forces from Holland, Mich., Ralph Eugene Scott, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Caruso, 31 West Eighth St., was received at the U. S. Naval Training station here last week to begin recruit training. During this training he will be given an aptitude test to determine whether he will be given further specialized training.

The Mississippi river washes into the Gulf of Mexico each year an estimated 400 million cubic yards of solid matter or silt.

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On all deferred or budget payment plans the new regulation requires minimum payments of \$5.00 a month or \$1.25 a week.

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