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Employees Have Prominent Role In Ceremonies

Only Three Per Cent of
U.S. Firms So Honored;
High Officials Present

For "excellence in production" the coveted army-navy "E" pennant was presented to the Western Machine Tool works of Holland at impressive ceremonies Monday afternoon in Kollen park in the presence of approximately 2,000 persons including company employees and officials, guests, high ranking army and navy officers and townsmen.

In addition to the pennant, lapel pins were awarded to company employees. Three employees accepted pins on behalf of the workers of the firm.

Roadways of the park and the area set aside for the ceremonies were lined with hundreds of large flags representing the allied nations. Honored guests and those who took part in the program occupied seats on a specially decorated covered platform flanked with two flag poles, one for the American flag and the other for the new "E" pennant. The color guard of the American Legion past took charge of the posting of the colors and the raising of the award flag.

The company buildings located a couple of blocks from the park also were gaily decked with patriotic colors. The presentation ceremonies were arranged so that employees of all shifts would be able to attend with little resulting confusion.

Only once before has Holland been honored in a similar manner. This was in June of 1942 when the Chris-Craft Corp. was awarded the navy "E" burgee with appropriate ceremonies.

Lieut. Col. Clement P. Quinn of the sixth service command, Detroit, attended Monday's ceremonies in Kollen park in place of Col. A. M. Krech, district commander of the sixth service command, who was detained in Detroit because of Negro rioting, and read Col. Krech's speech which had been prepared for the occasion.

"The Western Machine Tool works has a long and prominent history and the fact that it was ready for the challenge lies in its production record. This record was achieved and maintained only because the great teamwork existed," Lieut. Col. Quinn read.

"You as employees have won this award because you have all worked together. Holland is proud of the Western Machine Tool works. Of all the industries in the United States, only about 3 per cent deserve this distinction. The army and navy are grateful to you as individuals."

G. J. Bosch, secretary and treasurer of the tool works, in accepting the pennant, said, "We are proud and highly honored to accept the army-navy 'E' flag. As this flag flies from our mast, it will be a constant reminder to all of us of our duty to our country and to our fighting men."

Lieut. Comdr. E. H. Ocker, resident inspector, naval material, Tuskegee, in presenting the "E" award pins to the three employees read a citation calling attention to "meritorious service to their country in time of need . . . their unflinching patriotism, energy and skill . . . making an enduring contribution to the United States and to enduring freedom itself."

The three honored employees were Charles Vander Schaaf, representing the employees of the tool works, Miss Julia De Frell, representing the women and office workers, and Walter De Weerd, an employee for 48 years.

Mr. Vander Schaaf, who accepted the award pins on behalf of the employees of the firm, said the meaning of the great honor was not lost on the employees.

In his introductory remarks, Dr. Wynand Wichers, president of Hope college who served as master of ceremonies, said, "We are engaged in a grim, desperate struggle to defeat ideas and to overthrow men who would bind the chains of slavery upon all of the world. This by victorious land, sea and air fight is being carried to the enemy forces. But let us never forget that behind our fighting men are the farms, the mines, the factories, the transportation systems which may well be called the first lines of defense."

The American Legion band under the direction of Eugene F. Heeter provided a half-hour concert before the regular ceremonies opened at 4 p.m. A burst of applause came from the large assembled crowd as Nicodemus Bosch, founder of the company, together with other company officials, employees, guests and high ranking army and navy officers mounted the speaker's stand. The Rev. Marion de Velder, pastor of Hope Reformed church, pronounced the invocation.

Representing the employees on the platform were Mr. Vander Schaaf, John Buurman, William Van Oosterhout, Peter Cramer, Mr. De Weerd, Benjamin Dalman, H. O. Denman and Miss De Frell. From the management were Nicodemus Bosch, G. J. Bosch, R. C. Bosch, C. E. MacArthur, N. D. Chard, E. J. Jansma and Bruno Lundgren. Local

Elks' Club Is Cited for Work in Sale of Bonds

Holland lodge N. 1315, B.P.O.E. has received the treasury department award for "distinguished service rendered the United States treasury as a member of the 'Gallant Sixty thousand of Michigan'."

The organization sold \$3,199 in stamps and \$4,180.25 in bonds to club members during the recent drive. Thomas McCarthy is chairman of the Elks' bond committee and Edward De Haan and William Grabowski are co-workers.

Given Stiff Fine Following Trial

Local Driver Is Found
Guilty of Drunk Drive;
Another Is Penalized

Following a jury trial which took nearly four hours, Edward Linters, 50, 622 Lincoln Ave., Friday afternoon was found guilty of a drunk driving charge and assessed a fine of \$100 and costs of \$11.65 which he arranged to pay Tuesday. The jury deliberated 40 minutes.

The alleged offense took place May 21 about 2:30 p.m. Testimony by witnesses brought out that Linters had attended a party on the Northside for a service man and had drunk two bottles of beer and two "shots" of whisky. On the way home he was said to have almost struck a police car. Officers took him to the police station and later to the hospital for blood tests.

Witnesses for the people were Officers John Kemper and Isaac De Kraker, Dr. E. Vander Berg, physician who examined the defendant, and Herbert Bultuis, city chemist who took the blood tests. Witnesses for the defendant were Mrs. Harriet Balder, who took the party was held, Gust Tokarzewski for whose son the party was held, and Mrs. Linters, wife of the defendant.

Benjamin Kuit, 43, route 1, Hudsonville, paid a fine of \$75 and costs of \$4.15 when arraigned on Saturday before Judge Smith on a drunk driving charge. Kuit was arrested by state police Friday night while driving on M-21 between Zeeland and Grand Rapids and spent the night in the local jail.

C.G. Entertains R.C. Committee

Members of the camp and hospital committee of the local Red Cross were guests of local coast guardsmen Wednesday afternoon who entertained in appreciation of the committee's efforts to furnish a recreation room in the local station.

Committee members include Mrs. Phillips Brooks, Mrs. R. W. Everett, Mrs. John F. Donnelly, Mrs. Roy Heasley, Mrs. P. T. Cheff, Mrs. Charles Kirchen, Mrs. W. S. Merriam, Mrs. James De Pree, Mrs. A. W. Tahaney, Mrs. J. E. Telling, Mrs. John G. Van Leuwen, Mrs. J. C. Rhea and Miss Peggy Kirchen, Miss Jean Brummer and Miss Janet Brooks represented the Junior Horizon girls.

The group was met at the entrance by one of the service men and conducted to the recreation room where they were welcomed by Chief Boatswain's Mate M. E. Rhea, commanding officer of the local station, Mrs. Rhea, their young daughter, and a Mrs. Van Ingen whose husband is at the Gull Lake station.

Later a luncheon was served under the trees where tables were arranged with colorful china and checked red and white tablecloths. The luncheon served by the coast guard cook and his assistants consisted of potato salad, tuna fish salad, assorted sandwiches, pickles, sliced tomatoes, strawberry shortcake, hot coffee and cool drinks. At the conclusion Commanding Officer Rhea made an appropriate speech and conducted the group on a tour through the living quarters and the work rooms.

Mrs. Sencer Resigns as Secretary of Red Cross

Mrs. Helen Sencer, executive secretary of the Ottawa county Red Cross, has resigned her position here. Her successor in all probability will be selected at a board meeting near the first of July. In the meantime Miss Beth Marcus will be in temporary charge. The office at 6 East Eighth St. will be open every day from 9:30 a.m. to noon and from 2 to 5 p.m.

Guests were Dr. Wichers, Mayor Henry Geerlings, Rev. de Velder, Clarence Janning and C. A. French. From the service were Lieut. Col. Quinn, Lieut. Comdr. Ocker, Capt. R. C. Thompson, Lieut. E. Rhinehart, Lieut. Boyd Hill, Capt. Robert May and Major R. E. Brennan. J. Woolley represented the war production board.

Only Two Survive As Mystery Blast Sinks Escanaba

At Least 60 Killed;
Convoy Ship Has No
Time to Signal Aid

The coast guard cutter Escanaba which left its station at Grand Haven March 7, 1942, for convoy duty was blown up by a mysterious explosion on the north Atlantic, the navy department announced Friday.

A common sight in western Michigan ports and an attraction at Holland's Tulip Time festival, the 165-foot, 718-ton Escanaba sank almost immediately with the loss of all but two men. She carried 60 men during peace time but her wartime complement was not revealed. The survivors were Raymond F. O'Malley, Jr., 23, boatswain's mate second class of Chicago, and Melvin Baldwin of East Grand Forks, Minn., also boatswain's mate second class.

The captain of the vessel, Lieut. Comdr. Carl Otto Peterson of Newtonville, Mass., who also was in command when the Escanaba was stationed in Grand Haven, went down with his ship.

She was the fifth cutter and the 99th U. S. naval vessel listed as lost in the war.

Max A. Bonham, first machinist's mate of Grand Rapids, was believed to be lost on the cutter. Two other men, originally from Missouri, but whose relatives live in western Michigan, are known to have gone down with the Escanaba. They are Charles Mickie, chief machinist's mate, and Layton Counselor, 27, chief machinist's mate. Mrs. Mickie a former nurse in Municipal hospital, Grand Haven, now resides in Sheridan. Counselor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonie Counselor, reside in Grand Haven.

Yeoman Robert Oller, whose wife is Mary Margaret Hay, popular pianist and accordionist at the Warm Friend tavern, had originally been attached to the Escanaba but was transferred to another ship some time ago.

The cutter went to Manitowoc March 7, 1942, and remained there for two weeks before going to the east coast, reaching Boston June 8 and starting on convoy duty three days later. According to letters received by relatives in Grand Rapids, the cutter returned to Boston only twice, once on Dec. 5, 1942, and again on March 10, 1943. The men were given regular furloughs in December. The ship returned to Boston in March because an iceberg had bent a propeller. The men were given another 10-day leave at that time.

The survivors, picked up by the coast guard cutter Raritan, were quoted by the navy as saying they had no idea what caused the explosion.

The explosion, which tore the vessel amidship, could have been caused by a torpedo, a mine or an internal explosion, according to a navy announcement. There was but one explosion, followed by a cloud of smoke, and the cutter disappeared, according to dispatches. The navy said it sank so quickly it did not have time to signal.

Observers aboard the coast guard cutter Storvik which was the vessel nearest the Escanaba when she blew up said a large cloud of smoke went up into the air and the cutter went down leaving only small bits of wreckage afloat.

The Escanaba had distinguished itself earlier in the year by rescuing 133 men from a torpedoed ship in the North Atlantic, and had already built a record in western Michigan for saving lives. Its spectacular feats during the winters provided dozens of good news stories.

Built especially for ice breaking, the cutter performed valiant service in the storms and ice of winter. Records in the coast guard office show that the cutter saved millions of dollars worth of property and countless lives, the men working in sub-zero weather to break a path through the ice to stricken vessels. She is credited with having saved eight vessels on Lake Michigan in 1941.

Hopkins Farmer Is Electrocuted

Hopkins, June 24 (Special) — Herman Reuhle, 58, farmer, living in Monteville township, was electrocuted Monday about 7 p.m. when, while trying to dislodge a bird nest in a tree at the home of Richard Redder, a neighbor, the long length of steel pipe, the pipe touched a high tension wire carrying 4,800 volts.

Surviving are the widow, Linnie; five brothers and one sister, Oscar and Wallace of Allegan, George and Ray of Detroit, Lawrence of Monteville township and Mrs. Elsie Newman of Detroit.

Abel Postma, 72, Supervisor, Dies

Rites on Saturday for
Contractor Who Once
Served as Alderman

Abel Postma, 72, well known local contractor and member of the county board of supervisors, died Wednesday afternoon in Holland hospital.

Mr. Postma's death was the result of a heart condition after he had been confined to the hospital for one day. He had been ill since the latter part of March when he suffered bronchitis and flu and the heart trouble came on when he suffered a relapse.

Mr. Postma constructed a number of major buildings in this area. Among them were the warehouse of the Holland Motor Express Co., the Dutch Tea Rusk Co., De Vries and Dornbos store, Montgomery Ward and Co. store, the building now located by the Gamble store, The Sentinel building and part of the A. Paty Fabiano building.

Other buildings were Beechwood school, Boter and Co. store and the Walter C. Walsh buildings in the downtown section. He built or remodeled from 85 to 90 per cent of the Eighth St. business district.

Born in the former town of Singapore near Saugatuck in 1870, Mr. Postma conducted a general contracting business in Holland for the past 45 years, specializing in commercial work here and throughout western Michigan. The family resides at 44 West 17th St.

Mr. Postma was a member of Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church and the Holland Exchange club and until recently was a member of the Ottawa County Building and Loan association. He was interested in community affairs and for four years was fifth ward alderman. He was first elected to the board of supervisors in 1935, a position he

Mrs. Katherine Crouse Succumbs in Zeeland

Zeeland, June 24 (Special) — Mrs. Katherine Crouse, 83, died Wednesday in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, the Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Bonnema, 25 South Church St., after an illness of 17 weeks.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Harley Brown of Hurdman, Ia., and Mrs. Bonnema; two sons, Harry Crouse and Lester Crouse of Paulina, Ia.; 16 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one brother, George W. Smith of Paulina; and two sisters, Mrs. J. Weaver of Forreston, Minn., and Mrs. Minnie Richard of Montana. The body was sent from the Yntema Funeral home to Hurdman for burial.

Smith, Wounded on Attu, Finds Jap Who Is Graduate of U.S. University

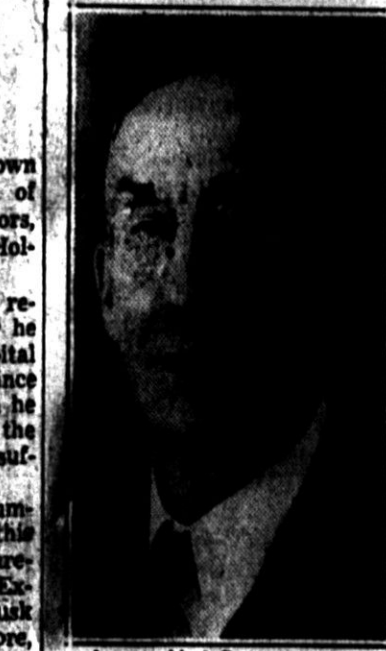
Although he spent only four action-packed days on Attu island before a wound in the right arm forced his evacuation, Pfc. Wilbur E. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Smith, 262 West 11th St., someday will be able to spin plenty of tales that will make his grandchildren's hair stand on end. Quiet and unassuming, Smith had many interesting incidents of his part in the Aleutians campaign to relate to a Sentinel reporter in an interview Monday afternoon.

He described the climate on Attu as being "cold, foggy and wet," and said many of the men suffered frozen feet. "We fellows from the north knew what cold weather was but men from California and the south were easier victims of frostbite," he said. Smith said they had plenty of clothing to resist the weather but most men could have used more socks to keep their feet dry. The Japs, he said, were well equipped even to fur lined coats and helmets.

Smith did not know when he left the states April 23 that he was bound for the Aleutians until his ship was well out at sea. He said they were told by their officers to expect 1,700 Japs and about 72 hours' fighting. However, the Yanks encountered more Japs than anticipated. "I saw too many of 'em," said Pvt. Smith emphatically.

"We landed in boats, made in this vicinity," Smith said. He said he was sure some of them were products of this vicinity because Elmer Talama, a former driver for the local company, recognized some of the serial numbers. Talama, a local soldier, was in the same company with Smith and was, when he left, still "okay," Smith said.

Smith said he knew Pvt. Richard Elgerman of Holland, now in Vancouver, Wash., recovering from wounds before entering armed service, but had no contact with him since, although they both underwent training at Fort Ord, Calif., prior to going overseas.



Abel Postma

still held at the time of his death. He served as alderman from 1927 to 1931.

Survivors include the widow; four children, Andrew and Jacob of Holland, Mary Louise and Leona J., at home; a grandchild, Andrew Donald Postma; three sisters, Mrs. Peter Koole, Mrs. John Zoerhof and Mrs. Albert Brink all of Holland; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Jacob Postma of Holland; and two brothers, John of Alton, Ia., and William of East Saugatuck.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. from the Nibbelink-Notter Funeral home and at 2 p.m. in Maple Ave. church, with burial in Pilgrim Home cemetery. The Rev. D. H. Walters will officiate. The body will lie in state at the funeral home Friday from 3 to 5 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

Club Here Marks All-Kiwanis Week

The Holland Kiwanis club observed All-Kiwanis week with a special meeting Monday night in the Warm Friend tavern. Plans were made to continue the regular summer project this year of taking children to the beach during July and August. A resume of events of the year was given and the proclamation of the president of Kiwanis International was read.

Due to the war program, the international convention usually held this week has been canceled to give transportation of troops and war equipment the right of way. Of the 115,000 members of Kiwanis International 10,000 are in military service including three of the Holland club, President Leo Ebel said.

West Olive Youth Loses His Life in Crockery Lake

Friend Tries to Save
Joseph King When He
Slips Into Deep Water

Grand Haven, June 24 (Special) — Joseph King, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph King, route 1, West Olive, was drowned about 9 p.m. Tuesday night in Crockery lake located in Chester township.

Sheriff William Boeve, Under-sheriff Maurice Rosema, Deputy Sheriff Harold Vande Bunte and Deputy Sheriff Lloyd Denhof of Chester township were called.

King, who was born at West Olive, Oct. 27, 1924, for the past two months had been working on the farm of Peter Van Dyke, route 2, Conklin. He was graduated from the Connell school in West Olive and for two years during 1941 and 1942 attended Grand Haven high school. He was a member of the Grand Haven Eagles lodge.

King, with a companion, Charles Winters, 19, also of route 1, West Olive, who has been working at the farm of Gerald Van Dyke, Chester township, entered the lake and suddenly slipped into deep water. King, who could not swim, grabbed hold of Winters.

Winters can swim, but he is not an expert, and had difficulty in assisting King.

Walter Swartz, 19, also of Chester township, dived several times after the body and recovered it about 11:10 p.m. The body was lying on the beach when the officers arrived. For about half an hour futile attempts were made to resuscitate King. Coroner Joseph Kammeraad of Coopersville gave a verdict of accidental death.

The body was taken to the Kinkema Funeral home here. Besides the parents, he is survived by two brothers, Fred and Robert of Grand Haven; and four sisters, Mrs. William Hieholder of Grand Haven township, Beatrice and Bernice, twins, and Patricia at home.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2:30 p.m. from the Kinkema Funeral home, with the Rev. R. A. Lewis, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, officiating. Burial will be in Grand Haven township cemetery.

Prepare to Start Swim Instruction

Functional swimming and water safety best adapted to military needs will be emphasized in the American Red Cross swimming campaign for south Ottawa county which began June 21 with the placing of ring buoys at strategic places along the shore of Lake Michigan from Port Scholten to the southern end of Ottawa county.

The eight-week course of swimming and life saving instruction will be open to anyone as in past years, but main concentration will be given to those entering the armed forces as reports show that large percentages of inductees are either poor swimmers or unable to swim at all. The aims of the course are to teach all young men facing induction and women contemplating enlistment to swim and swim well and the special functional swimming and water safety course to fit them to meet today's military needs.

The four phases of instruction are fundamental aquatic skills, useful variation of these, their application to possible situations and personal safety rescue and resuscitation.

Any person who wishes to take advantage of this instruction should contact the Red Cross office or Edward Damson. Although the course is offered for eight weeks, aid will be given for the duration of the war to any person entering the armed services who desires help.

The tentative schedule is: Monday, 2 to 5 p.m., Ottawa beach; Tuesday, 2 to 5 p.m., Waukazoo; Wednesday 6:30 to 8 p.m., Central park; Thursday, 2 to 5 p.m., Ottawa beach; and Friday, 2 to 5 p.m., Central park.

New Stamps for Poland Received at Post Office

Of special interest to local stamp collectors is the lot of 1,000 five-cent government stamps commemorating Poland which have been received by Acting Postmaster Harry Kramer.

The stamp, the first of a new series being issued in honor of over-run countries, bears a picture of the red and white Polish flag.

Rev. de Velder's Mother Dies Suddenly in Iowa

Word was received early today by the Rev. Marion de Velder of the sudden death of his mother, Mrs. Dick de Velder, at her home in Orange City, Ia. Rev. and Mrs. de Velder and their two children plan to leave for Iowa by train from Chicago tomorrow. They will be away about two weeks.

Two Picked Up Here Admit Stealing From Orphanage

Two teen-age boys were returned to Grand Rapids late Thursday afternoon after being picked up earlier by Holland police near the railroad tracks on the east end. The boys confessed having stolen \$104 from the St. John's Orphanage home in Grand Rapids. They had spent all but \$4 of the amount.

Both said they originally came from Cheboygan, Mich. They were detained by local police for several hours before Grand Rapids officers called for them.

Knapp Station Is Ransacked

Small Amount of Cash
And Candy Are Stolen;
Boys Are Suspected

Police today were seeking a person or persons who broke into John Knapp's service station at 11th St. and River Ave. Tuesday night and took cash from a money changer, gum, a flash light, pop and candy.

The thief or thieves gained admittance by breaking a window pane on the west side of the building and releasing the window lock. A large pane of glass was removed from an inner partition to get into the office. There were indications that a glass cutter was used before decision was made to remove the entire frame. The candy machine was battered and all drawers of the desk stood open with all contents in disorder. Police who succeeded in getting fingerprints, believed the entry was the work of boys. No tires were missing.

Inductees Will Leave Earlier

The selective service board today announced changes in plans for the departure of a group of 14 inductees here Friday. Members will gather in the local headquarters at 10 a.m. and will leave for Fort Custer by way of Grand Rapids. William Selles will serve as group leader.

The group had originally been ordered to report at 10:45 p.m. This was the first group from Holland receiving examinations in Detroit June 10 and 11.

Another group will leave Thursday for examination in Detroit with John Harold Scholten, 88 West 20th St., as leader. The men will meet at 2:30 p.m. in the local headquarters and will board a train for Grand Rapids.

Troops End Stay In Armory Here

Local members of the state troops, who have been mobilized in Holland armory since Monday for possible duty in Detroit as a result of race riots were to return to their homes this afternoon following receipt of demobilization orders from Brig. Gen. Thomas Colladay, commander of the first division of the Michigan State troops.

The telegram, from divisional headquarters in Detroit, ordered all Michigan state troops "now on active duty at home stations" except those in certain specified areas to begin demobilization at 6 p.m. today. Members of the Grand Haven unit who were ordered to the Muskegon armory were relieved from duty there and were to return home.

Maj. Henry Rowan and Capt. Ranford Wenzel said there were "a lot of disappointed men" in the Holland outfit who reluctantly relinquished their active duty status.

Commented for their work in the kitchen were Mess Sgt. "Bert" Gilcrest, Corp. Tech. Ted Van Dyk, Corp. Tech. Richard Woodruff and Mess Officer Charles L. Schutt.

Muskegon troops were reported as "still standing by" and Kal-amazoo troops remained on active duty in Detroit.

Release Court Jurors For Farm Production

Circuit Judge Fred T. Miles today said that the court is co-operating with the war effort in every way possible to relieve farmers chosen for jury duty to continue farm production. During the last term in Ottawa county, fully half of the jury members were excused to continue farming, he said.

He expected that others will be excused Monday in Allegan county when the Allegan term of circuit court opens. All cases that do not require immediate action are being delayed and some cases are being settled without the aid of a jury. In other instances, older men or women are selected to serve as jurors. The jury term in Allegan will last five days.

G.H. Lieutenant Victim of Plane Crash in Tenn.

Lieut. Gerrit Swier Is
Killed During Routine
Flight Near Covington

Grand Haven, June 24 (Special) — A telegram was received by Mrs. Gerrit Swier this morning informing her that her husband, Lieut. Swier, 26, was accidentally killed Wednesday near Covington, Tenn., while participating in a routine training flight.

The telegram was sent by his commanding officer, Col. E. T. Kennedy, from the army air base at Dyersburg, Tenn. His wife is the former Pauline Page, former secretary for a number of years in the AAA office and whom he married Feb. 16, 1940.

(A United Press dispatch from Halls, Tenn., said Swier was one of five men killed when a Flying Fortress crashed and burned on Island 35 in the Mississippi yesterday. All aboard the plane were killed. Officers said the ship was on an operational training flight and the total crew, normally augmented by five gunners was not aboard.)

He was born July 24, 1916, in Lebanon, Ia., and came to Grand Haven from Muskegon when a child with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. William Swier of Robinson township. He was graduated from Grand Haven high school in 1933.

He enlisted in the U. S. air corps Feb. 26, 1942, and was called for training May 24, 1942. He received his training at Santa Ana, Tulare and Merced, all in California, and was commissioned a second lieutenant at Douglas field, Ariz., Feb. 6, 1943. He later received further training at Hobbs, N. M., and at Blythe, Calif., and from there was sent to Dyersburg a month ago.

Besides the widow, he is survived by a son, Garry Arthur, who was born last May 20; his parents, three brothers and three sisters. William, Jr., in the air corps at Nashville, Tenn.; Adolph of Grand Haven and Harold at home. Mrs. Henry Overbeck of Ypsilanti, Mrs. George Miller of Hollywood, Calif., and Anna at home.

For several years he was employed at the Model market and also Henry Casener's market and was a member of the latter place's softball and bowling teams until he left for service.

The body will be brought to Grand Haven under military escort and will be taken to the Van Zantvick funeral home. Funeral arrangements had not been completed today.

Chas. Van Duren New Legion Head

Charles K. Van Duren Wednesday night was named commander of the Willard G. Leenhouts post of the American Legion at its regular meeting in the Legion clubrooms. He succeeds John Rozeboom.

Other new officers, all of whom will be installed sometime in September, include Ben Rutgers, first vice - commander; T. P. Rhodes, second vice-commander; Joe Nyhof, adjutant; Andrew Rutgers, treasurer; Al Boyce, sergeant-at-arms; Harry Kramer, chaplain, and Louis Dalman, historian.

Named as delegates to the state Legion convention in Detroit were Al Jolderama, Al Van Lente, Henry Cook and Louis Dalman. Alternates include Arthur W. Prigge, Charles Miller, John Rozeboom and Joe Nyhof.

Vande Water Appointed To Allegan Wage Board

William H. Vande Water of Holland who was recently appointed to the Allegan county farm wage board, attended a meeting with other committee members Wednesday afternoon in the soil conservation office in Fennville, at which time wage rates were determined for farm produce.

A. D. Morley, county agent, is serving as chairman of the committee and other members are Ernest Swanty representing the AAA, M. Foote of Allegan, Guy Teed of Allegan, representing emergency farm labor, and a number of outstanding growers whose appointments will change with the crops. There are about 15 in all.

The main topic of discussion was a wage scale for small crops now in process of being weeded.

Internal Revenue Officials Hold Hearings in City

Charles K. Van Duren, in charge of a new branch office for internal revenue at the local post office, said today that a group of internal revenue officials of Michigan met in Holland Wednesday to conduct hearings.

Included in the group were Thomas Sutter of Detroit, assistant chief field deputy; Robert W. Tripp of Detroit, chief of the legal division; Joseph W. De Boer of Grand Rapids, division chief, and two officials of Washington.

Twenty-Eight Accepted For Service From City

Twenty-eight local young men were accepted for various branches of the service following examinations June 10 and 11 in Detroit, the local selective service board announced here. Sixteen of the 17 accepted for the army will leave here June 25 for Fort Custer. One already has entered service. The seven accepted for the navy left Holland Thursday night to report in Detroit at 9 a.m. Friday. Four are awaiting calls into the army air corps from the sixth service command, Chicago.

Accepted for the army were Paul Laverne Cook, 29 West 22nd St.; William Selles, Jr., 110 East 15th St.; Harold Alvin Ten Cate, 157 West 21st St.; Kenneth Paul Klasan, 98 East 17th St.; Vernon Glen Rowan, 99 East 17th St.; Kenneth Jay Steggerda, 294 East 13th St.; Steven Andrew Kuna, 227 Pine Ave.; William Stanley Tummel, 243 East 16th St.; Eugene Irwin De Witt, 311 West 20th St.; Donald Louis Frego, 303 West 15th St.; Ernest Henry Johnson, 29 East 13th St.; Willis Harold Dorgelo, 103 West 28th St.; Albert Klinge, 119 East 24th St.; Wilbur Arthur Klenm, 243 Maple Ave., transfer from Romeo, Mich.; Cecil J. Essenburgh, 670 Michigan Ave., transfer from Los Angeles, Calif.; William Ussery Lutes, 12 East Eighth St., transfer from Port Huron; John Townsend Ayers, 43 West 17th St., who reported for active duty at Fort Custer June 11.

The seven who already have entered naval service are Franklin Essenburgh, 480 Central Ave.; Franklin Junior Van Dyke, 177 East 15th St.; Floyd J. Van Raalte, 368 West 17th St.; Paul Warren Moody, 238 West 11th St.; Gerald Raymond Glupker, 413 Columbia Ave.; Jerome Miles Essink, route 1, Hamilton, transfer from Chicago, Ill.; and Dorvin Thomann, Jr., 349 Van Raalte Ave., transfer from Flint.

Awaiting call from the air corps are Robert Franklin Van Ry, 166 East 27th St.; Elmer George Harmsen, 70 East 21st St.; Stanley Plagenhoef, 310 East 13th St.; and Lloyd Eugene Piersson, route 1.

Another Holland group will leave Thursday, June 24, for examinations in Detroit. They will leave on the 2:57 p.m. Pere Marquette train for Detroit and stay overnight at the Fort Shelby hotel.

Fifteen of the 28 young men who passed their examinations in Detroit last week received their high school diplomas this week. They include Cook, Selles, Klasan, Rowan, Steggerda, Kuna, Tummel, De Witt, Frego, Johnson, Van Raalte, Moody, Van Ry, Harmsen and Plagenhoef.

Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel)
Don Van Hoven, Zeeland Boy scout, is attending a national aquatic school at Camp Mankona, Sylvan, Ohio, for a week's training in water front activities. He will serve as a member of the camp staff at Camp Ottawa in Newaygo county this year.

Charles K. Van Duren, connected with the U. S. department of internal revenue, today was getting the zone office in order on the second floor of the post office. Van Duren indicated that there would be only certain times that he would be available for consultation, but that he hoped to clear with district authorities soon.

John J. Good, chief clerk at the local rationing office, today made a plea for volunteer workers to assist in getting out gasoline rations for trucks which must be completed before July 1. There will be some night sessions later.

Pvt. Eugene Hulst of Fort Benning, Ga., arrived Friday to spend a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hulst, at Vriesland.

Pfc. Joseph Ferner stationed at San Francisco, Calif., is spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ferner, route 1, Grandville. He arrived Friday.

Dr. L. E. Beeuwkes, a captain in the U. S. Army stationed at Camp McCoy, Wis., and his wife and son arrived in Holland Sunday night to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beeuwkes, 112 East Ninth St. Jake Van Bragt reported to police Saturday that Loring Holt of Fairbanks Ave., hit his car at Eighth St. and Columbia Ave. Mrs. Van Bragt was the driver.

Holland hospital today announced the following births: To Mr. and Mrs. James Lugten, route 2, Hamilton, a daughter, Beverly Jean, Friday; to Mr. and Mrs. Horace Renick, route 1, a daughter Saturday; to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, 28 West 17th St., a daughter, Patricia Joy, Saturday; to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pierce, route 1, a son Saturday; to Mr. and Mrs. John Van Dyke, route 4, a daughter, Jo Anne, Saturday; to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Beyer, route 5, a son Sunday; to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Yonker, route 4, a son Sunday; and to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Reidsma, route 6, a daughter this morning.

Russell Dyke has returned to Ypsilanti after spending several days with his family at 79 East 14th St. The Dyke family will leave sometime this month to make their home near Detroit.

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Prize winners in cards after the regular F. O. E. auxiliary meeting last week were Stella Kay, Jennie Johnson and Jean Kuhlman. Birthday gifts were given to Augusta Garbrecht, Agnes Mortenson and Martha De Witt.

Andy Sall, Jr., is leaving Tuesday for Camp Manitoulin on Barlow lake to be the guest of the Ojibway Indian guide tribe. Andy is a former member of the Grand Rapids tribe.

Ted Boeve, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Boeve, 155 Maple St., and Leon Dykstra, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dykstra, 315 East Main St., Zeeland, left for East Lansing to attend Michigan State college for a week.

Pvt. and Mrs. Nelson L. Molenaar of Camp Swift, Tex., are spending a 15-day furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Molenaar, route 5, and Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Heerspink, 189 West 17th St.

Roger Ryzenga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ryzenga, 740 Lincoln Ave., submitted to a tonsillectomy Saturday morning in Holland hospital.

Pvt. John Ayers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan B. Ayers, who is stationed at Fort Custer, spent the week-end with his parents. He left June 10 with a group of inductees for Detroit and, upon being accepted for army service, requested immediate induction.

Mr. and Mrs. George Yonker, 47 West 22nd St., announce the birth of a seven and three-quarter pound son Saturday night at the Tibbe Maternity home. A seven and three-quarter pound daughter, Janice Elaine, was born at the Tibbe home Monday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Naber, route 3.

Mrs. Harold E. Karren of Newark, N.J., is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Harley Souter, 126 East 21st St. Mrs. Karren is the former Ruth Munn of Holland.

Miss Jo Anne Hughes of Drayton Plains returned to her home Saturday after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wiersum, 95 East 17th St. While here she attended Holland High school commencement exercises Thursday night at which time Jeffrey Wiersum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiersum, received his diploma.

John Becksfort, 29 East 19th St., received a Father's day greeting Sunday from his son, Sgt. George William Becksfort, who is stationed somewhere in Australia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Phillips of Detroit are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnard of North Shore drive.

Seaman Second Class Alvin Dykema, route 2, is spending a nine-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dykema. He recently completed a quartermaster course at Newport, R.I., and following completion of his leave he will attend an advanced training school at Solomon, Md.

John Geerlings and Gabriel Kuite, of the local No. 275 International Fur and Leather worker's union, left Friday noon for Williamsport, Pa., to attend a meeting of the union.

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The executive committee of the Women's Missionary union of the classis of Holland will meet in a business session at the home of Mrs. S. C. Nettinga, 133 West 11th St., Friday at 2:30 p.m.

The Rev. Gerrit Rezelman of Litchfield, N.D., has returned to his home after spending about two weeks with relatives and friends here.

Pvt. Bernard J. Topp arrived home Monday from Fort Eustis, Va., to spend a seven-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Goodhart of Peoria, Ill., were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dell Goodhart of Montello park.

The Rev. and Mrs. Albert Baker and son left Tuesday for their home near Mitchell, S. D., after spending three weeks with relatives and friends in Holland.

The Rev. and Mrs. G. Visser left Tuesday for Fairmount, Ind., where Rev. Visser will attend sessions of the general conference of the Wesleyan Methodist church in America as a delegate. This session is held once in every four years. The Vissers will be gone about a week.

Bill Butrusma, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Butrusma of North Holland, left Monday morning to enroll in the summer course at Calvin college.

Dale B. Walters, route 1, Holland, reported to police a minor accident at 16th St. and River Ave. involving his car and one driven by Mabel Japinga, 20 West 16th St., Monday.

Pfc. Harold Hoeksema, stationed at Nashville, Tenn., arrived unexpectedly Monday to spend an eight-day furlough with his wife, 139 East 16th St., and other relatives.

Sgt. Arthur W. Tuls, who has been stationed at New Orleans, La., has been transferred to Camp Ripley, Minn. He is a son of Mrs. Helen Tuls, route 5, Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fris of Whitehall announce the birth of a daughter, Judith Ann, Sunday in Zeeland hospital. Mrs. Fris is the former Miss Evelyn Hieftje and both Mr. and Mrs. Fris are former Holland residents.

A son, Emil John, Jr., was born June 18 to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Vander Vate of Mt. Prospect, Ill. Mrs. Vander Vate is the former Eleanor Timmer of Holland.

In a ceremony performed Thursday night in the Methodist church, Miss Florence Ellen Hansen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hansen, became the bride of Ivan James Stam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Stam. The service was read by the Rev. H. C. McDonald of Dearborn, uncle of the bride. The altar was decorated with palms, large baskets of white peonies and lighted candelabra.

Miss Anna Ruth Poppen played the wedding music and Miss Jean Brinkman and Theresa Van Houw sang "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly."

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Mrs. Roderick French was hostess Friday night at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Maxine Hopkins, an August bride-elect. The affair was given in the latter's home, 671 Michigan Ave. Decorations included a pink umbrella hung above a table of gifts. Extended from the umbrella were paper raindrops containing a verse giving the bride-to-be advice on how not to be a good wife. Games were played and refreshments were served.

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She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Moody, 237 West 11th St. She is employed as private secretary to the manager of Swift and Co. in Oklahoma City, and is also soprano soloist in the First Presbyterian church there.

Pot Luck Supper Is Held by SS Class

The Friendly Corner class of Trinity Reformed church enjoyed a pot luck supper Friday night in the cottage of Mrs. L. Dalman.

The evening was spent playing volleyball ball and other games. Mrs. B. Arendsen entertained with a humorous reading. Plans were made for a moonlight cruise to be held next month. Mrs. C. Dressel is the teacher of the class.

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Sgt. E. Wilbur Boot and Mary Bolema Are Wed

Before an altar arrangement of palms and large baskets of white peonies and lighted candelabra Miss Mary B. Bolema, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bolema of Muskegon, became the bride of Sgt. E. Wilbur Boot, son of the Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Boot, 408 College Ave., Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Bethany Christian Reformed church, Muskegon. The double ring service was performed by the groom's father assisted by the Rev. Thomas E. Welmers of Hope college.

Miss Gertrude Bolema was maid of honor. Miss Betty Bolema and Miss Miss Iris Bolema and Davy Bolema served as flower girl and ring bearer respectively. Ensign E. Raymond Boot of Washington, D. C., assisted his brother as best man. Ushers were Harold Colenbrander and Jack Bolema.

Following the service a reception for 125 guests was held in the basement of the church with the Misses Frances Dornbos, Beatrice Geerlings, Mina Bolema, Gertrude J. Bolema, Margaret Ann Baker and Jennie De Roos serving as waitresses. Miss Ethel Boot was in charge of the gift room.

Holland persons attending the affair were Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Boot, Rev. and Mrs. Welmers, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boot, Miss Ethel Boot, Dr. and Mrs. Wynand Wichers, Mrs. J. Geerlings, Miss Beatrice Geerlings, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dornbos, Miss Gladys Dornbos, Miss Frances Dornbos, Jay Schaap, Mr. and Mrs. W. Coons, Mrs. I. T. Schuppert, Mrs. Mildred Schuppert, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Van Kersen and Miss Helene Van Kersen. Others were present from Grand Rapids, Washington, D. C. and Grand Haven.

The bride was born in Muskegon and was graduated from Hope college. She has been serving as personnel secretary at Hope college. The groom was born in Amoy, China, and has lived in Holland for about eight years. He also was graduated from Hope college. At present he is stationed in Louisiana in the medical corps. Sgt. and Mrs. Boot plan to leave Sunday for Dr. Ridder, La., where they will make their home. For traveling Mrs. Boot will wear a green and white silk jersey dress with white accessories.

Van Raalte School Has Annual Picnic

Kollen park was the scene of the annual picnic of Van Raalte school on Wednesday, June 16th. Games for the children were planned and directed by Joe Moran.

Prizes were won by the following: first grade—first, Paul Mack and Eileen Prins; second, Robert Langejans and Marcia Borr; second grade—first, Darwin Overway and Connie Tuinisma; second, Russell Freers and Shirley Smith; third grade—first, Donald Kane and Gretchen Winterhof; second, Jack Tuinisma and Jean Nies; fourth grade—first, Jim Plagenhoef and Beatrice Langejans; second, Franklin Wierda and Phyllis Bax; fifth grade—first John Vande Wege and Norma McFall; second, Bruce Poppen and Natalie Hop; sixth grade—first, Kenneth Van Wierden and Maxine Mulder; second, Paul Stoppels and Joyce Kobes.

Luncheon Features Final Meeting of Fourth Aid

The final meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Fourth Reformed church was held Thursday in the form of a 1 p.m. luncheon. Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. H. Mass and Mrs. Fred Meyer, assisted by Mrs. J. Kobes and Mrs. J. Atman. Devotions were led by Mrs. H. Van Dyke. As a feature of the program following the luncheon Mrs. J. Kobes gave two readings. Mrs. H. Van Dyke, accompanied by Mrs. D. Vander Meer sang "Smiling." "The Man Who Died for Me" was the title of a reading given by Mrs. R. Doustra. Mrs. Vander Meer also played a piano solo.

Games were played under the direction of Mrs. De Roos and Mrs. Kasten. Prizes were won by the Meedames J. Overbeek, H. Kronmeyer and William Mokma. The group will resume meetings sometime in September.

League Has Cruise on S.S. North American

Almost 600 members of the Holland-Zeeland League of Young Men's societies of Christian Reformed churches and their guests attended a moon-light cruise on the S. S. North American Thursday night. The boat, which is piloted by Captain Edgecomb, left the dock at Montello park at 8 p.m. and cruised on Lake Michigan until 11 p.m.

Group singing of hymns and patriotic songs was led by Nick Vogelzang. The outing was planned by the local board which is headed by Rev. C. Witt, president; Frederick Veltman, vice-president; Bud Witteveen, secretary; and Harris Ver Schure, treasurer; officers of the league.

Engagement News Is Revealed at Luncheon

The engagement of Miss Lydia Gebben and Ensign James Nelson Westover, U. S. N. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Westover, 144 West 12th St., was announced at a luncheon Thursday noon by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gebben. Simple table decorations included a low bowl of roses on a mirror. No plans have been completed for the wedding.

Guests at the affair were the

Misses Isla Meppelink, Eleanor Smith, Beth Michmerhuizen, Lavina Van Zanten, Laura Post, Ruth Ann Prins, Florence Olerit and Mrs. Garold Gebben.

Diplomas Are Given to Beechwood Graduates

Diplomas for eighth grade graduates of Beechwood school were given out at a school picnic Thursday, the last day of school. A community dinner was scheduled for 6 p.m.

Graduates include Henry Bol, Kenneth Bosman, Laura June Brandt, Ervith De Vree, Donald Kelly, Dorothy Laarman, Kenneth Sloothaak, Russell Van Dyke, Mary Martin, Robert Monetta, Kenneth Oosterbaan, Sally Secard and Glenn Wiersma. Julius Bon-tekoe is school principal.

Special Room Pupils Are Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. John Ter Vree and son, Nelson, entertained the pupils of the special room at East Junior High school at their home on Park road Wednesday, June 16. The children enjoyed playing games and roasting marshmallows. Prizes were awarded to all the children.

Those present were Mary Ann Bilek, Clifford Boerman, Arlene Dams, Roger Dams, Alice Hopkins, Arlene Lohman, Vera Por, Alice Sjoerdama, Paul Vander Haar, Donald Walters, Lois Clifman, Amariyllis Siegers and Hazel Ann Bergman. Philip Holkeboer could not be there.

A picnic supper was served by the teacher, Mrs. Dena Schutmaat, and Mrs. Ter Vree. Several "Grimms Fairy Tales" records were given to Nelson by the group.

Reception Is Given For Sgt. and Mrs. Zoerhof

A reception was held Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Van Oss, route 1, in honor of their son-in-law and daughter, Sgt. and Mrs. Ernest Zoerhof, who were married recently at Camp McClellan, Miss. Mrs. Zoerhof is the former Miss Dorothy Van Oss. Decorations included bouquets of summer flowers. Gifts were presented to the honor couple. A three-course luncheon was served to approximately 30 persons by the Misses Frieda Vander Veen, Theresa Buscher, Edith Visser and Mrs. Gerrit Frens. Mrs. John Knoll was cateress.

Sgt. and Mrs. Zoerhof plan to leave Wednesday for Grenada, Miss., where they will make their home. Sgt. Zoerhof is stationed at Camp McCain.

Buy Zealand Property for Battery Chick Brooding

Zeeland, June 24—Mr. and Mrs. Ivan LeVerne Bensinger of Zeeland have purchased property on North Elm St., formerly the Chevrolet garage, and will install equipment for the production of live poultry. Batteries will be installed for the rearing and feeding of cockerels to marketable broilers.

The Bensingers formerly resided in Holland where they operated a similar business for several years.

Landlords Must Report Each Change of Tenants

Landlords must report each change of tenants to the OPA rent office according to Laurence D. Smith, OPA rent attorney for Kent and Ottawa counties.

The rent regulations provide that when a new tenant moves into a rental unit he must see and sign the landlord's copy of the OPA rental registration. Both landlord and tenant must sign a report of the change of tenancy and file this report with the OPA rent office within five days after the new tenant moves in.

Mr. Smith is at the ration board office, over Good's store in Holland every Tuesday from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Forms for reporting change of tenancy and additional information may be obtained from Mr. Smith.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Dekker, 268 West 10th St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Ann, to Clare E. Wolters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wolters of Fennville. No date has been set for the wedding.

Dollar volume of machine tool shipments increased from about \$200 million in 1939, to more than \$1,300 million in 1942.

Wounded in U.S. Offensive on Attu



Pfc. W. E. Smith

One Holland soldier who participated in the American seizure of Attu island in the Aleutians was home today to recuperate from slight wounds while another local fighter, who was believed to have been wounded in the same offensive, was in a Vancouver, Wash., hospital.

Pfc. W. E. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Smith, 262 West 11th St., arrived in Holland Friday for a 30-day convalescence furlough. He was slightly wounded in the right arm while on Attu June 12 or 13. Pfc. Smith entered service in September, 1941, and before leaving for Attu, was stationed at Fort Ord, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elgersma, 129 East 17th St., received a letter Friday from their son, Pvt. Richard Elgersma, stating that he

had returned from overseas and was confined in a hospital in Vancouver, Wash., recovering from wounds in his shoulder and arm. Pvt. Elgersma gave no details, but the family had known previously that he was in the same company as Pfc. John R. Harrington whose death was announced this week, and assumed that Pvt. Elgersma had been wounded in the North American area, perhaps during the Attu campaign in the Aleutians.

Pvt. Elgersma entered service Sept. 15, 1942, and received his basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala. From there he went to Camp Butler, N. C., and then to Fort Ord, Calif. He left from Washington sometime in April. He was out of the country about 2 1/2 months.

Ganges News

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilkin-son, Gloria and Wendell, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilkinson and daughter, Mrs. Donna Butler, Mrs. William Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Wing, Mr. and Mrs. Variell Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Wilkinson, Mrs. Lowell Dovell, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lyman and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wark attended the wedding of Miss Maxine Wilkin-son, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilkinson of Ganges to J. C. Nelson, which took place at the Danville Methodist church on Saturday, June 12, at 3 p.m. A large number of friends and relatives were present. The bride was given in marriage by her father. The Rev. Marjorie Hawkins performed the ceremony. The bride is a graduate of South Haven high school and received her A.B. degree from W.M.C.E. in 1939. She has been a teacher in the Danville school for the past four years. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson will reside on the groom's farm near Danville.

The Rose O.D.T. Garden club will meet with Mrs. C. L. Goodrich and Mrs. William Broadway at the Goodrich home in Ganges, Friday, June 25. Mrs. Charles Little has charge of the program on the "Figwort Family," which includes, snapdragons, fox gloves, mullein and turtle heart. Desert luncheon at 1:30 p.m.

The closing meeting of the Unity club was a picnic at the home of Mrs. Walter Edwards Tuesday.

The Misses Rachel McVea, teacher in the Mt. Clemens schools and Miss Myrth Mosier, teacher in the Lansing schools, returned to their homes here Friday for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lighthart and sons Vernon, wife and baby, Harold and Glenn of Chicago and mother, Mrs. Alice Lighthart of Douglas were in Ganges, Tuesday visiting relatives.

Miss Ann Van Gorder came Tuesday from Avila, Ind., for a week's stay in the home of her uncle W. E. Collins. Her grand-mother, Mrs. Ivy Guthrie, will accompany her home next week, after being here several weeks with her brother.

John McVea came from Chicago Tuesday for a week's stay visiting his sisters and brother James McVea.

Mrs. L. A. Bartholomew went to Cadillac Saturday to help care for her new grandson recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Bartholomew.

Mrs. Roy Nye and son, Gerald went to Lansing Tuesday to spend a few days with her sister Mrs. H. Cronkite and brothers Everett and Earl Hathaway. She accompanied her sister, Mrs. Fred Clark and daughter, Louise, of Allegan on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Beaty were happily surprised on Sunday when about 25 relatives met at their home for a surprise and birthday dinner. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Beaty's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Anna Leggett injured her foot Monday, when a large pipe rolled on her instep. Her foot has been placed in a cast for a month. She was working at a defense plant in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Van Tassel of Midland spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lovridge. Mrs. Van Tassel remained for a week.

Mrs. Fred Thorson entertained friends Friday evening at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. Roderick French.

Miss Helela Miller, went to Camp Tyson, Tenn., Monday for a week's visit with her friend, Robert Cunningham.

Corp. Frank Warren of Indianapolis, Ind., is spending the week with his parents, Mr.

Bond Sales in Holland Listed for First Period

Bond sales in Holland from June 1 through 15 amounted to \$50,325, according to a report from the office of Frank M. Lievense, local bond chairman.

The amount includes: Theaters, \$187.50; Holland State bank, \$22,067.50; People's State bank, \$19,708.25; post office, \$8,175; and Ottawa County Building and Loan, \$168.75.

Fennville Man Dies Suddenly

Fennville, June 24 (Special)—William Kowalski, 34, died about noon Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Birkholz where he was painting. His work was outside, but a neighbor found him unconscious on the kitchen floor. Mrs. Birkholz was not at home and the neighbor called a doctor. Mr. Kowalski died without regaining consciousness.

He was born June 6, 1889, at Ann Arbor, and lived for many years in Detroit where his wife died about three years ago. He then came here to live with his sister, Miss Emma Kowalski. For nearly two years he drove daily to Holland where he worked at the Chris-Craft company until last February. Failing health compelled him to give up his work there and he had not been able to do much since.

Surviving besides the sister are two brothers, August and Carl in Indiana.

Personals

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Gilbert Van Wylen and Ben Van Lente presented Gideon testaments to a group of Hope college young men who left for the service Wednesday noon from the bus depot.

Paul Moody, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Moody, left at 7 p.m. Thursday for Detroit for service with the navy. He is the fourth son of the Moody's to enter the service. He was a member of the Holland high school graduating class. Dick Moody, another son, who was graduated from Western Michigan college recently, has been appointed one of the counselors at the Boy's State in East Lansing.

Robert Snow, second son of Mrs. W. Curtis Snow to enter the service, was one of the group of Hope college boys who left for Ft. Custer Wednesday.

A servicemen's request hymn sing is being planned for Sunday at 8:30 p.m. in the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church with C. W. Dornbos and William J. Brower as leaders. Approximately 75 young men of the church are in service, and 42 request numbers will be sung.

Mrs. Henry Koop and daughter, Mrs. John Kemper of Holland, and Miss June Middag of Grand Haven, left Wednesday to visit Pfc. Dell W. Koop, who has been transferred from Keesler Field, Miss., to Parks Air college, East St. Louis, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss, route 6, have received word from their son, Pfc. Henry Boss, that he has arrived safely in the south Pacific area.

Pvt. Jason Belter is spending a 10-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Belter, route 1, Virginia Park. He is stationed Camp Howzie, Tex. His brother, Pvt. Floyd Belter, recently inducted into the army, has been transferred from Fort Custer to Camp Robinson, Ark.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Van Dyke and son of Holland are attending a wedding in Lowell today of Rev. Van Dyke's nephew, the Rev. Albert Van Dyke of Chicago, a recent graduate of Western Theological seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lemmen have moved from 256 West 19th St., to a recently purchased home on 209 West 12th St.

Harold Hulsmann, 315 West 12th St., is confined to Holland hospital following an appendectomy.

Pvt. Donald De Witt of Fort Jackson, S. C., is spending a week's furlough with his brothers and sisters and other relatives.

Larry Gayle Borgman, 11-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Borgman, is confined to his home with measles.

Conrad Zeedyk, route 3, reported to police Thursday that as he was driving a Tulip City cab west in Eighth St. a rear door opened and hit a car parked in front of a service station at Eighth St. and Columbia.

Miss Mary Kyger, daughter of Don G. Kyger, Ottawa-Allegan Boy scout executive, arrived in Holland Wednesday afternoon to spend the summer with her father. She is a student at Stevens college, Columbia, Mo.

Miss Cleora Skinner who was called here by the illness and death of Miss Minnie K. Smith left Wednesday night for her home on route 5, Kalamazoo.

Pvt. Dick Prince has returned to Camp McClellan, La., after a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Prince.

Ike Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Cole passed his physical test at Detroit and plans to leave for service June 25.

Jay Timmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Timmer who enlisted in the marines, also plans to leave June 25 for San Diego, Calif.

Pvt. James Schutt has passed the required mental and physical examination and will be transferred to the U.S. army air corps.

Mrs. Ralph Blawkamp visited her husband, Pvt. Blawkamp of Camp Grant, Ill., for a few days.

There are 15 boys in service from the Harlem school district.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Kamphuis motored to Lansing Sunday and visited their sister who is ill.

A few of the young people enjoyed the boat excursion on Lake Michigan Thursday night.

Education is compulsory in Greenland. It is estimated that there is one teacher for every 14 pupils.

Stars and Stripes Serving Under the



Alfred Kraker, son of Bert Kraker, Pearl Line, Jensen, route 1, was born in Allendale, Dec. 30, 1920. He was drafted Aug. 25, 1942 and is in the army air force. Eight weeks after his induction he was sent overseas.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

Henry Dykehouse & w. to Willard P. Koeckek & w. Pt. SE1 SE1 Sec. 31-7-13 Twp. George town.

Bert Kettle & w. to John Terpstra & w. Pt. Lot 1 Blk 4 Hosmer & Earl's Add. Coopersville.

Herbert N. Lynn & w. to L. Wessel Shearers & w. Pt. NW1 SE1 Sec. 23-8-14 Coopersville.

Rein Visscher & w. to Henry Leuw & w. Lot 66 Steketee Bros. Add. Holland.

Martin E. Low & w. to Mary Wynna Pt. S1 S1 SE1 SE1 Sec. 12-5-16 Twp. Park.

Martha Daane to Ralph De Young & w. S1 S1 NE1 SW1 SW1 Sec. 28-8-16.

Daniel Meussen & w. to Clarence Laman & w. Lot 24 Blk A Ed. C. Smith Add. Grand Haven.

Annie Graham to Seth R. Bidwell & w. Pt. Lot 2 Sec. 28-7-16 Twp. Grand Haven.

Myron Conklin to Fred L. Conklin & w. Pt. NE1 NE1 Sec. 32-6-13 Hudsonville.

Charles A. Donahue & w. to Joseph Reznay W1 W1 SE1 Sec. 30-7-15 Twp. Robinson.

Godfrey W. Schultz to Herman Berens & w. SE1 NW1 SE1 Sec. 31-7-13 Twp. Georgetown.

Dennis Boer et al to Arend Naber & w. Lot 10 Blk D Bosman's Add. Holland.

Hannah M. Anderson to Esther Anderson Bjorlien et al Pt. Lot 1 Sec. 16-8-16 Twp. Spring Lake.

Frank John & w. to Wm. Herbst & w. Pt. Lot 192 Ryenga's Assessor's Plat No. 2, Grand Haven.

Theodore Kuiper & w. to Eugene Ten Brink & w. Pt. Lots 3 & 4 Blk 65 Holland.

Cornelia Leuw to Dick G. Elzinga & w. Lots 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 53, 55, & 56 De Jonge's 2nd Add. Holland.

Manley Stegeman & w. to Chris Hoogendoorn & w. Pt. Gov't Lot 1 Sec. 22-5-15 Twp. Holland.

Henry Klumper & w. to George V. Steketee & w. Lot 143 Post's 4th Add. Holland.

Wife of Holland Contractor Dies

Mrs. Alice Holkeboer, 71, wife of E. S. Holkeboer, 55 East 14th St., died at 10:30 p.m. Friday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nick Pieper, 28 West 12th St. She was born Oct. 9, 1871, in The Netherlands and came here with her parents at the age of 11. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gysbert Appledorn. On Jan. 1, 1891, she was married to Mr. Holkeboer, local contractor, in Holland.

She was a charter member of Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church and of the Ladies Aid society.

Surviving are the husband; three daughters, Mrs. Pieper of Holland, Mrs. Arnold Jackson of

Mrs. E. S. Holkeboer Grand Rapids and Miss Minnie Holkeboer at home; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Gilbert Holkeboer; three sons, Simon, Edward and Henry; 14 grandchildren and two great grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Cornelius Dekker of Holland.

TWO PAY FINES
Alexander Spagonaby, 28, 24 1/2 West First St., paid fine and costs of \$10 when arraigned on a drunk charge before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith Friday. Harold Borr, 26, of Grand Haven, paid fine and costs of \$5 on a speeding charge.

Gerrit Van Dragt & w. to Nick Kiekover & w. Lot 18 De Jonge's 2nd Add. Zeeland.

Stanley F. Symanski & w. to Harry D. Haring & w. Lot 38 Plat Longview Twp. Spring Lake.

Incentive Pay Plan Is Set for Fafair Concern
Detroit, June 24 — Philip J. Arnow, wage-hour director of the regional war labor board, has announced the board has approved an incentive pay plan for several hundred production employees of the Fafair Bearing Co., at Holland, Mich.

Arnow said employees would receive pay increases "in proportion to their increased production." He said incentive bonuses would be paid on the basis of time studies and job evaluations.

Ottawa Fund Will Be Invested in U.S. Bonds
Grand Haven, June 24 (Special)
The county treasurer has been directed by the finance committee of the board of supervisors to invest \$28,600 of county funds, now on deposit in local banks, in \$40,000 maturity value of series "F" United States savings bonds. The finance committee met Thursday afternoon in the court house.

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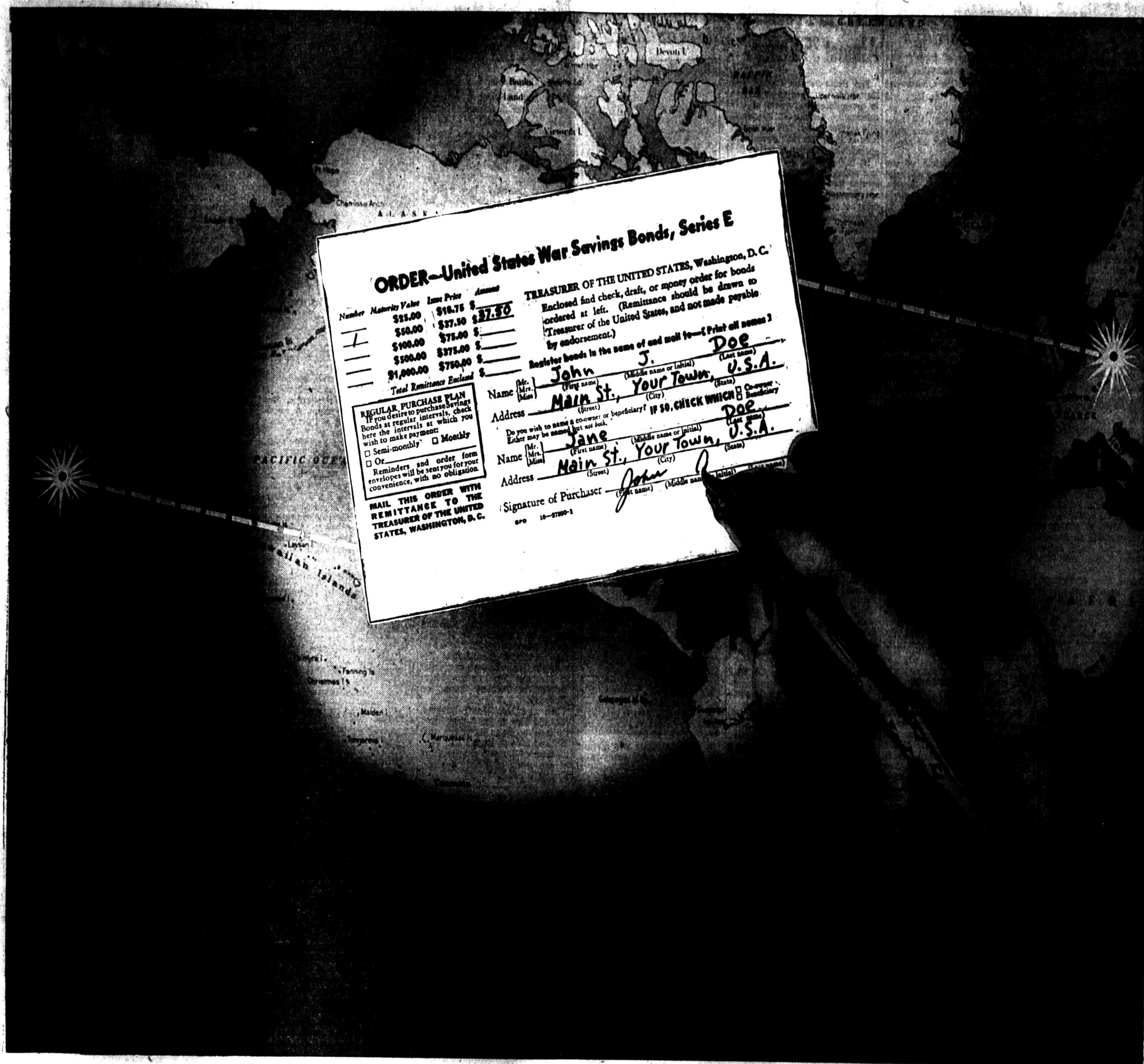
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Forty of Holland Register for C.E. State Convention

Dr. Daniel Poling to Be Keynote Speaker Thursday in Kazoo

Approximately 40 Holland persons have registered for the 55th annual Michigan Christian Endeavor convention which will be held in Kalamazoo Thursday through Sunday, according to Registrar Delbert Vander Haar who recently was elected president for the Holland union. According to Vander Haar, between 20 and 25 of this number plan to attend the annual event full time and most of the others will attend part of the time.

General theme of the convention this year will be "The Victorious Life" and Dr. Daniel A. Poling, president of the World's Christian Endeavor union and pastor of Baptist Temple in Philadelphia, Pa., will give the keynote message Thursday night. He will cite the current world confusion and what Christian Endeavorers can do about it.

Other convention leaders will include Mrs. Edith Walvoord of Holland who will lead the junior conferences, Dr. Willis L. Gelston of Highland Park, Rev. Joshua Hogenboom of Nardin Park, Detroit; Rev. Paul G. Wassenich of Detroit; Mrs. Allan E. Schaff of Detroit; Rev. Wendell C. Bassett of Blissfield; Rev. Peter Musters of Grand Rapids and Rev. J. F. Hatton of Detroit.

Miss Mildred Borr of Holland, state junior superintendent, is completing plans for a special junior convention in Kalamazoo Saturday at which time Mrs. Walvoord will serve as speaker. Miss Cornelia Van Voorst of Holland will take charge of several public relations conferences. The latter also is serving as chairman of the nominating committee this year for state officers.

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Reception Given For Flowerdays

A large group of friends was attracted to the reception Monday night in the First Methodist church in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Flowerday. The affair was in the form of a farewell and a silver wedding anniversary celebration for the honored guests.

The social auditorium of the church was decorated with large bouquets of summer flowers. Members of Mrs. Flowerday's Sunday school class, dressed in formal, presided at the punch bowl. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Neil Van Leeuwen, Rev. and Mrs. Flowerday, Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Kendrick and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sandahl.

Rev. and Mrs. Flowerday were presented with roses by two children of the beginners' department of the Sunday school. Sheridan Schafer and Penelope Boone. Sally Damson presented Rosemary Flowerday with a photograph album.

During the program Mrs. George Damson spoke for the women of the church and Neil Van Leeuwen spoke in behalf of the men. The adult choir under the direction of Mrs. Beulah Dunwoody sang. Other music during the evening consisted of xylophone and accordion numbers by Ruth and Edith Lindsay, and an instrumental trio, piano, violin and cello by Eleanor Reed, Margaret Hartman and Glendora Loew.

Judge Fred T. Miles gave a short farewell speech and presented a book to the honored couple containing 25 silver dollars and depicting the history of their seven years in Holland in poetry and illustration. Miss Ella Drinkwater composed the poetry and Mrs. Damson made the illustrations. Rev. Flowerday responded.

Special guests at the affair were Rev. and Mrs. M. de Velder and Rev. and Mrs. P. E. Hinkamp. Mrs. Ernest Hartman served as general chairman.

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The Prins Service station, 160 East Eighth St., has given service to the automobile owners of this community for almost 35 years. The station, which had its beginning in 1908, was first owned and operated by Herman Prins.

In 1930 a super service station was added to give more complete service for the auto owner. Texaco products were obtained and today a complete line of Texaco products are available. At the present time the station is managed by Bud and Don Prins.

An internal motor cleaner machine is also available at the Prins station. This machine flushes crank cases and cleans rings and cylinder walls of sludge. For a smoother running motor, this cleaner machine should be used at least twice a year, preferably in the spring and fall when changing to heavier and lighter oils.

The Prins service also includes tires, spark plugs, batteries, mufflers, and other automotive accessories.

In the many years the Prins station has been operating and serving the public it has acquired many friends and has given continuous satisfactory service to a great many automobile owners.

Central Park

(From Monday's Sentinel)
Howard Van Lente left Friday for Benton Harbor, where he spent a few days before leaving for his home in Ventura, Calif. He lived at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Van Lente, for three months during which he finished his year at high school. Mr. and Mrs. Van Lente had as their guests Saturday and Mrs. Darford Sisson and children, Joyce, Ronald and Gary, of St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney De Witt of Grand Rapids are at their cottage "Shallow Beach" for the summer.

Miss Ruth Lindberg of Philadelphia, Pa., visited a few days with her sister, Mrs. Frank Lindholm. Other guests of the Lindholm's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. Lindberg of Chicago.

Mrs. Bertha Kronmeyer of Holland spent the week-end with Mrs. Reka Broekstra at "Breezy Point."

Miss Dorothy Vermeer of Chicago visited at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Vermeer for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Van Lente and daughter, Mary Louise, of Muskegon are spending a few days at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Lente.

Walter Milewski, second class seaman, who is stationed at Great Lakes Naval academy, was at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Milewski of Virginia park, for the week-end.

An Intermediate Christian Endeavor society has been organized at Central Park church under the supervision of Mrs. H. J. Vermeer assisted by the Misses Dorothy Sandy and Marian Nevenzel. In the election Joyce Nevenzel was elected president; Lila Mae Teusink, vice president; Dick Nieuwma, Jr., secretary and Elmer Don Teusink, treasurer. The following committees were chosen: missionary, Angeline Achterhof, Joyce Van Lente and Joyce Bouwman; music, Iris Bowman, Dorothy Ten Brink and Mary Milewski; Carol Helmink, Judy Kronmeyer, Jack Schurman and Edwin Sandy were appointed as ushers, and Jean Madderom and Betty Sandy as co-chairmen of the membership committee.

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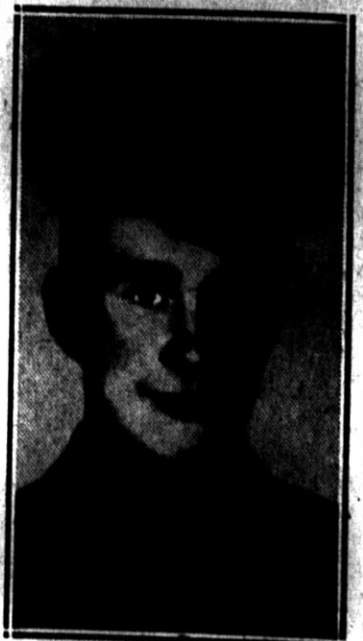
Of interest to local residents is the marriage ceremony of Miss Marjorie Faye Moody, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Harold W. Moody of Jackson and Dr. Howard James Schaubel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Schaubel of Grand Rapids which took place Saturday afternoon in Klise Memorial chapel, Grand Rapids. The ceremony was performed by the brides father in the presence of 75 guests. Decorations included two large baskets of mixed spring flowers.

Both Dr. and Mrs. Schaubel are graduates of Hope college and Mrs. Schaubel was Hope's second campus queen.

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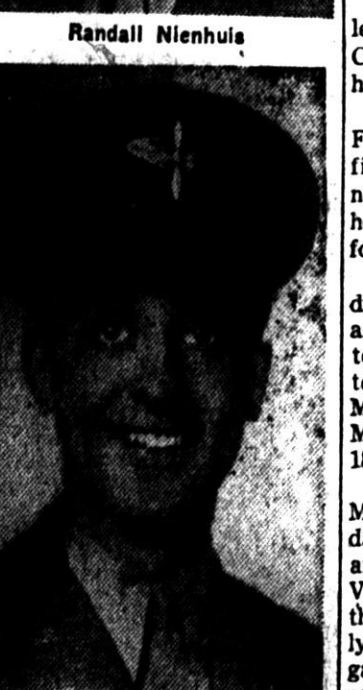
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Pfc. Edmund J. Dabrowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dabrowski, 35 River Ave., was inducted into the army on Feb. 27, 1943 at Fort Custer. In March he was transferred to the air corps at Camp Kearns, Utah, for his basic training. At present he is at Springfield, Mo., attending technicians school. He was born in Holland on Oct. 26, 1924. Prior to his induction he was a member of the C.A.P.



Richard H. Miner was recently promoted to machinists mate, second class at Great Lakes Naval Training station. He enlisted in the navy on Nov. 16, 1942 and after completing his boot training entered service school at Great Lakes. He is a graduate of Holland High school and attended Western Michigan college before enlisting. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miner of Kenosha, Wis., Dec. 4, 1922.



Aviation Cadets Randall and Wyba Nienhuis are sons of Mr. and Mrs. George Nienhuis, 37 East 18th St. Randall enlisted in August, 1942, and is an army air corps pilot. He was born in Holland June 21, 1922 and was graduated from Holland High school in 1940. He enlisted at Grand Rapids where he was employed at Crampton Mfg. Co. He was stationed at San Antonio, Tex., and is now at Cimarron Field, Oklahoma City, taking flight training.

Wyba was born in Holland on March 13, 1919 and was graduated from Holland High school in 1936. He enlisted in Greenville in July, 1942. He is at San Antonio, Tex., as an air corps navigator.

Mary Jane Has Varied Service

The Mary Jane restaurant, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Sanger, has set aside every Thursday night as family night. Besides this special feature, counter service, tables, booths and short order service are offered. Also featured are victory foods on government lists including poultry. This restaurant also has special rates for children.

When Mr. and Mrs. Sanger took over the operation of the Mary Jane in 1935, it was located at 186 River Ave. The restaurant was named for Mrs. Sanger's mother, the late Mrs. S. A. Leath, who had been in the restaurant business for many years.

The Mary Jane has been located at 196 River Ave., since November, 1940, when it moved into a completely remodeled building.

Beaverdam

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)
In the absence of Rev. and Mrs. Tellinghuizen who are on vacation, Chester Postma conducted the services at the Reformed church Sunday. The Rev. G. Douwstra of Hull, Ia., will occupy the pulpit for both services and serve communion on Sunday, June 27.

Mrs. Alfred Gemmen left Wednesday for Lake Charles, La., where her husband is in training. Harris Veldman is in Detour with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Veldman.

Mr. and Mrs. Malloy Huser and children attended a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Coy Thursday evening honoring Mrs. Coy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman and other relatives in Holland and Jamestown received word of the accidental drowning of 11-year-old Roger Takken, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vliem Takken of Terrace, Minn., on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Lubbers, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lubbers and children of East Saugatuck, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Kuyers and Bonnie Lou of Borculo were visitors at the home of Harry Bowman Friday evening.

Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Veldhof of Hamilton announce the birth of a son Monday in Holland hospital.

Paul Thorp, 11, 175 East 15th St., was treated in Holland hospital at 5:20 p.m. Monday for a laceration of the right foot caused when he stepped on a piece of glass while swimming. He was released after treatment.

John Ter Beek and Bert J. Gebben are in Chicago attending the Chicago furniture market. They will return Thursday.

Mrs. Dick Overway, 22 East 20th St., is in University hospital, Ann Arbor, for observation. She was taken there last week Monday and her address is Ward 6, West.

Mrs. Ary De Geus and daughter, Arlene Dolores, spent a few days in Grand Rapids visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Liebroer and other relatives of that city. Mrs. De Geus returned to her home in Kalamazoo after a two-week stay with her mother, Mrs. Mary Kromendyke in Zeeland.

Mrs. Roderick French plans to leave within the next week for California where she will join her husband who is in training.

Pvt. Henry William Kruthoff of Fort Eustis, Va., is spending a five-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kruthoff, 118 East 13th St. He is a former Sentinel carrier.

Mrs. Jud Esenburg and children, Patricia Jean, Jerry Hugh and Jay Douglas, have returned to their home in Angola, Ind., after spending a week at the home of Mrs. Esenburg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Westerhof of 53 East 18th St.

According to a letter received by Mrs. Jake Knoll of route 1 from her daughters, Mrs. Robert Streicher and Mrs. Robert Reno at Bay View Terrace, San Diego, Calif., the latter were surprised recently to have visitors from Michigan. Their guests included their aunt, Mrs. Mannes Knoll and Miss Ruth Rutgers of Graafschap and Pvt. Gratus Knoll who is stationed in Arizona.

Pfc. and Mrs. Lambert Lubbers of Fort Sam Houston, Tex., arrived in Holland Monday night to spend a 10-day furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lubbers, 45 East 18th St. Pfc. Lubbers, who entered service Aug. 26, 1942, is in the signal corps and was recently transferred to Texas from Camp Crowder, Mo.

Mrs. J. C. Rhea, in charge of women's activities in the OCD, today urged block leaders to turn in Waac questionnaires to the local office before Thursday.

Lieut. Gladys Durrand of the Waac will be in Holland that day and the local committee desires

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Commander Mike Michelsen of the Coast guard reserve, Chief Training Officer Warren S. Merriam and Verne Hohl, Phil Van Hartesveldt and Frank M. Lievense, crew leaders, plan to attend a division meeting in Benton Harbor tonight. The reserve held a regular meeting Monday night in Washington school.

Pvt. John E. Van Den Brand of Fort Eustis, Va., arrived here Monday noon to spend a seven-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John VanDen Brand, route 2. Pfc. Gerrit Hoffmeyer is spending a 10-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hoffmeyer, route 1. He is stationed at Nashville, Tenn.

Chief of Police Jacob Van Hoff is attending an FBI meeting in Grand Rapids today.

Pvt. John Kvorka Leaves For Camp After Furlough

Pvt. John Kvorka, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kvorka, Sr., route 1, has returned to Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., after spending a 10-day furlough with friends and relatives.

A party was held in his honor Monday, June 14, at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Conklin. A social evening was spent and a gift was presented from the group.

Refreshments were served to the following: Dick Timmer, Ted Dykstra, Bill Van Wieren, John Griep, Ben Mast, Lyell Wagnveldt, Seymour Krol and the honored guest, Mrs. Ted Dykstra and Terry, Mrs. Lyell Wagnveldt and Delores, and Miss Irene Dwyer were also present. Others invited were Eph De Weerd, John Dye, Rich Boltman and Mike Windemuller.

Former Local Resident Passes in Grand Haven

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— Mrs. Anna Shashagway, 74, 127 Fulton St., died at her home at 5:30 a.m. today after a six months' illness. She has been seriously ill for the past weeks. She was born in Saugatuck Dec. 12, 1868, and had lived in Grand Haven for the past 32 years, coming from Holland.

Juliann Ruth Slagh Is Engaged to Zeeland Man

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Slagh, route 2, Holland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Juliann Ruth, to Andrew Vanden Bosch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vanden Bosch, 50 N. Centennial St., Zeeland. No wedding arrangements have been made. Mr. Vanden Bosch will leave Thursday for army service.

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Dutch Fliers Stop At Local Airport

A large Lockheed training ship with five Dutch fliers arrived in Holland Saturday at 4 p.m. on a cross-country trip. The ship is property of the Netherlands government and operates out of the Netherlands army air base at Jackson, Miss.

Jake Lievense, manager of the local airport, received a telegram at 2:35 p.m., saying the plane would arrive at 5 p.m. The plane arrived right on the dot which is part of the training.

The fliers who are well advanced in their training wore khaki uniforms. One lieutenant, one adjutant and three sergeants were included in the group. E. P. Stephenson, Andrew Klomparsen and Prof. Bruce Raymond called at the airport to greet the fliers.

After dinner in the Warm Friend tavern, the group left at 8 p.m. for their next stopoff. They were traveling under sealed orders. Although they spoke the American language well, the fliers had a definite Dutch accent.

Tidd Family Reunion Held in Grand Rapids

The annual Tidd family reunion was held Sunday at Garfield park, Grand Rapids. Baseball and sports were enjoyed by the men and boys and pot-luck dinner and supper were served by the women of the group. Carl M. Tidd, Sr., was presented with a gold watch as a Father's day gift from his sons and daughters.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Tidd, Sr., and granddaughter, Gloria, of Indianapolis, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Tidd, Jr., and sons, Mark and Carl M. III, Mrs. Mike Sermas and Helen and Michael, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Brunson and children, Laura, Dorothy, Joyce, Jack, David, Mary and Betty, Mrs. Bert Zeet and Mrs. Herman Steketee all of Holland; Mr. and Mrs. Paul McGuire and family, Paul, Jr., Thomas, James, Kathleen, Sharon, Donna and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. James Van Dort and daughters, Dorothy, Marjorie and Helen of Grand Rapids. During the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. George Moose of Grand Rapids joined the

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group. Three members of the family group are in military service. They are Chester Brunson, James S. Tidd and Charles L. Tidd.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Heater Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Heater, route 4, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday with a family party. Mr. and Mrs. Heater were married in Wabash, Ind., June 21, 1893 and came to Michigan 32 years ago. For the past 29 years they have lived on route 4.

They have four daughters, Mrs. John Beye, Grand Rapids, Mrs. Wallace Hulbert, Grand Rapids, Mrs. Archie Smith, Cedar Springs, and Mrs. Paul Toohey, Midland; one son, Pfc. Herschel Heater in the medical corps in Fort Jackson, S. C.; 20 grandchildren including 'Corp. Arthur Smith of Cedar Springs, also in the medical corps; and seven great grandchildren.

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Opening of Recreational Program Set for Monday

Summer recreation programs at the various school playgrounds will get under way next Monday at 9 a.m. according to Leon Moody, city recreational director for the program.

The program is being especially planned to interest children of grade school age. Pre-school children will be welcome if an older child accompanies them.

Handwork, games, music, short stories and short plays will be included in the program. Competition will be offered for girls and boys in games and sports. Special feature days will be scheduled to include such popular events as doll and pet shows and dress-up days.

The program will run for six weeks, sessions being from 9 to 12 a.m. daily except Saturday and Sunday. A complete corps of experienced leaders has been secured to administer the program and care for the children.

For the boys who enjoy playing baseball a league for Junior high boys will be organized to play mornings at 19th St. diamonds. Boys who wish to have a team should notify Mr. Moody at once.

For men employed in factories the softball diamonds will be kept in condition for games and scheduled to factory groups who wish to use them morning, afternoon or evening. This is to accommodate the various shifts of workers. A notice of the plan has been mailed to each factory group calling attention to this program.

It is anticipated that most of the older boys and girls will be busy in various phases of the war program, but playground supervisors will organize activities for them if there is a need. There will be four centers for the morning program for children at Longfellow, Van Raalte, Lincoln and Washington school grounds.

Mr. Moody emphasized that this is a free program furnished by the city to help the children find training and supervision during the vacation period.

Mrs. A. Westerhof Feted At Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. Anthony Westerhof, the former Grace Essenburg, was feted at a miscellaneous shower Friday at the home of Mrs. John Westerhof, 53 East 18th St. Hostesses were Mrs. Gerrit Veenboer, Mrs. Bud Westerhof, Mrs. Berlin Bosman and Mrs. Jud Essenburg. Games were played and prizes and duplicate prizes won by Mrs. Ben Batema, Mrs. John Batema and Mrs. John De Kraker. A two-course lunch was served.

Those invited were the Mesdames John Batema, Harold Smith, George Dalman, Howard Dalman, Andrew Dalman, Laverne Dalman, Eva Tripp, John Tripp, Clarence Dokter, Jennie De Haan, Gary Batema, Ben Batema, Bert Westerhof, John De Kraker, Stuart Schaffner, John Ter Vree, Fred Ter Vree, George Wiersma, Jacob Rypma, Jack Erickson, Egbert Essenburg, and the Mesdames Dorothy Batema, Thelma Batema, Eleanor Dalman, Wilmina Tripp, Lois Essenburg, Leona Westerhof and Winifred Westerhof.

Out-of-town guests included the Mesdames Gil Wierenga, Sr., Burnett Wierenga, Gil Wierenga, Jr., Nelson Wierenga, Kenneth Wierenga, James Woodard, William Russ, Wesley Landers, all of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. James Batema of Toledo, O.

Pfc. and Mrs. Westerhof left Monday for Virginia after spending a 10-day furlough in Holland.

Miss Genevieve Damveld To Wed Andrew Klinge

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Damveld of Jensen park announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Genevieve Damveld, to Andrew Klinge, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Klinge of 198 East 24th St.

No invitations have been issued for the wedding which will be performed Saturday by the Rev. Fr. J. M. Westdorp of St. Francis de Sales church, but all relatives and friends of the young couple are invited to an open house which will be held Saturday evening in the home of the bride's parents.

Both Miss Damveld and Mr. Klinge are graduates of Holland high school. Mr. Klinge served with the navy until he was given an honorable discharge due to the recurrence of an old injury. He was a classmate of Miss Damveld's brother who is in the army with a signal radio intelligence unit.

Birthday Party Is Given For Henry J. Woltjer

Apprentice Seaman Henry J. Woltjer, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Brink, 471 Central Ave., was guest of honor at a party Tuesday night at Ottawa Beach, the occasion being his birthday. Attending the affair were Mr. and Mrs. J. Boschker and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brander of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rubbing, Miss Ann Brink, and Mr. and Mrs. George Brink and Mr. and Mrs. Woltjer. Mr. Woltjer is home on a nine-day leave from Great Lakes naval training station following completion of his boot training June 16.

Anniversaries Are Celebrated At Party

Mr. and Mrs. John De Jonge of Vriesland entertained their children and grandchildren in their home Sunday afternoon and evening in celebration of their 23rd wedding anniversary and also the birthday anniversary of Mr. De Jonge which was on June 15.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gerard De Jonge, John and James of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth De Jonge of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. Harold De Jonge and David of Jamestown, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Diepenhorst, Delbert and Janice of Grand Haven, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beekman and Gale of Holland, and Mr. and Mrs. Gil Van Noord, Larry and Mary of Vriesland.

Wedding Anniversary Is Occasion for Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cook of Lugers Road celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary Saturday evening with a family dinner given by their daughter, Viola, at the Hospitality house in Fennville. Following the dinner, the group enjoyed a social time at the Cook home where the honored guests were presented with a gift.

Attending the affair were Miss Viola Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brink.

July Bride-Elect Is Feted at Luncheon

Miss Beth Michmershuizen, a July bride-elect, was guest of honor at a luncheon given by Miss Eleanor Smith and Miss Isla Meppelink Tuesday noon in the Smith home, 114 West 22nd St. She was presented with a gift by the group.

Those present included Albert Teusink, Florence Oert, Agatha Kooyers, Lydia Gebben, Maxine Michmershuizen, the guest of honor and the hostesses.

Entertains on Son's Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. Jack Loyer entertained in her home Wednesday, June 16, celebrating the fifth birthday anniversary of her son, Jack. Games were played with prizes awarded. Guests present were Carl Essenburg, Ronald Jacobs, Mary Jane Slighter, Paul Vander Leek, Dickie Wingard, Kenneth and Roger Meyers, Edgar Westbroek, Marilyn and Duane Bonetokoe, Billy and Wanda Bos, Bob Diepenhorst, Larry Fuller and Scott Van Den Berg.

Margaret De Boer Is Honored at Shower

Miss Margaret De Boer, a bride-elect, was honored at a shower given Wednesday, June 16, in the home of Mrs. Neil De Jongh, 304 Central Ave., with Mrs. De Jongh and Mrs. J. Harmsen as co-hostesses.

Games were played and prize-winners were Mrs. Anthony Van Harn and Miss Nella De Jongh. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

The guest list included the Mesdames Anthony Van Harn, Richard Plaggenmeyer, Ted Bort, Clarence DeDee, F. A. Berghorst, Albert Butler, R. Veenstra, Florence Bithelise, Harold De Jongh, Rudolph Frundt, Henry De Jongh, Henry Boersma, Kenneth Harmsen, Edwin De Jongh, Alle Zuidema, Gordon Butler, C. E. McEwan, Adrian DeKruif, Margaret Lindberg, Don Zwemer, Henry Vander Schel and George Harmsen and the Mesdames Geneva Van Heuvelen, Marie Schaap, Cobia Bos, Frederica De Jong, Martha Huizer, Nella De Jongh and Gertrude and Ruth Zuidema.

Garden Wedding Takes Place in Fennville

In a beautiful ceremony performed Saturday afternoon in the spacious garden of the M. C. Hutchinson home in Fennville, Miss Edith Jane Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ellis of Altadena, Cal., and Corp. Robert Leland Hutchinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, were united in marriage. The Rev. C. W. Carr of Fennville Methodist church performed the single ring ceremony. Wedding music was played by Miss Kathryn Burch.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white marquisette gown fashioned with fitted bodice, full hooped skirt with lace inserts and long full sleeves. Her fingertip veil of tulle fell from a heart shaped halo of lace. She carried a shower bouquet of mixed flowers.

Miss Nancy Ellis, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, wore a gown of yellow marquisette. Her headress was a frilled bonnet effect of stiff yellow net. Her bouquet was of gladioli. Lieut. J. Edward Hutchinson assisted his brother as best man.

After a wedding trip the couple will be at home in Rockford, Ill. For traveling the bride chose a suit of black bangaline with a frilled white blouse and white accessories.

Lieut. N. Wiersema Weds Miss Mary Jane Van Hoef

Lieut. and Mrs. Nathaniel Wiersema are living at 1416 North Seventh St., Boise, Ida., following their marriage Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Masters in Boise. The Rev. J. Elders performed the ceremony and Lieut. and Mrs. Wiersema attended the couple.

Mrs. Wiersema is the former Mary Jane Van Hoef, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Van Hoef of Grand Haven and Lieut. Wiersema is a son of Mr. and Mrs. David Wiersema, 148 Central Ave., Holland. He is a graduate of Holland High and was employed at Hart and Cooley before being inducted into the army on June 4, 1941.

Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Corp. William M. Koe, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Koe of Central park, enlisted June 28, 1942. He reported for duty at Fort Custer and was sent to Sheppard Field, Tex., where he received his basic training. From there he was sent to Buckley Field, Colo., where he attended the aircraft armored school. He then was sent to the fourth air force replacement depot at Hammer Field, Fresno, Calif., and later was transferred to Glendale, Calif. At present he is stationed at Murco army air base, Murco, Calif. He was born in Goshorn, Ind., Sept. 3, 1921. He attended Lakeview school and is a graduate of Holland High school. Before enlisting in the army he was employed in a defense plant in Detroit.

Betrothed



Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stilwell and Roswell were dinner guests at the home of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Iran Stilwell in Grand Rapids on Sunday.

Mrs. Marvin Palmbois is back from Ann Arbor and is now at Sunshine sanitarium in Grand Rapids.

Willis Van Oss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Oss is spending a few weeks of vacation with his parents. He is attending the naval military academy at Annapolis, Md.

Miss Jeannella De Kleine was the leader at the C.E. meeting Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Vandebunte of Forest Grove were dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hollis Sunday.

Several relatives from the west came to attend the funeral of their brother and uncle, Gerrit Holleman, held at the Reformed church Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Baker attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marinus Rynbrandt in Burnips last Tuesday evening in honor of the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Rynbrandt.

Miss Hadden is attending Hope college where she is a member of the Sorosis society.

At a buffet supper in Columbia cottage at Macatawa park Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Mayo A. Hadden, Sr., of 276 Pine Ave., announced the engagement of their daughter, Merry Patricia, to Ray A. Van Ommen of Zeeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Van Ommen.

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Pot-Luck Supper Honors Pfc. and Mrs. Lubbers

Pfc. and Mrs. Lambert Lubbers of Fort Sam Houston, Tex., were guests of honor at a potluck supper held Wednesday night on the lawn of the Edward Boeve home in North Holland. Pfc. and Mrs. Lubbers were presented with a gift from the group.

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Fillmore

At the recent school meeting Jerrold Folkert was voted in as treasurer of the school board to succeed Benjamin Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Diepenhorst and daughter of Graafschap were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nyhof Sunday night.

Man Is Almost Drowned at G.H.

Grand Haven, June 24 (Special)—Walter Topolski, 24, 546 Pine St., Grand Rapids, nearly drowned at the state park about 2:30 p.m. Sunday. Topolski, who is considered to be a good swimmer, was enjoying the water when suddenly he called for help. His friends thought he was joking and made no effort to assist him. Finally his cries were heard by a Grand Haven boy, who brought him most of the way in, and the beach guards, assisted in bringing him in the rest of the way. When he was laid on the beach he was unconscious and his body had already become blue.

Jamestown

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) Mrs. Rufus Van Noord and daughter, Sally, and her friend, Katherine Vander Kooij, spent a few days with Mrs. A. Brower in Holland.

The sacrament of holy communion will be celebrated at both local churches Sunday.

M. Petroelje is confined to his bed with complications following an attack of the flu.

Friends here were notified of the death of Dr. D. B. Lanting of Grand Rapids, who was a physician here for many years.

The officers of the mission syndicate committee met at the home of J. H. Tigelaar Friday evening to arrange for the annual Mission Fest to be held Aug. 4 at the Zeeland city park.

The Literary club enjoyed a pot-luck dinner at Spring grove Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stilwell and Roswell were dinner guests at the home of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Iran Stilwell in Grand Rapids on Sunday.

Mrs. Marvin Palmbois is back from Ann Arbor and is now at Sunshine sanitarium in Grand Rapids.

Willis Van Oss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Oss is spending a few weeks of vacation with his parents. He is attending the naval military academy at Annapolis, Md.

Miss Jeannella De Kleine was the leader at the C.E. meeting Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Vandebunte of Forest Grove were dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hollis Sunday.

Several relatives from the west came to attend the funeral of their brother and uncle, Gerrit Holleman, held at the Reformed church Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Baker attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marinus Rynbrandt in Burnips last Tuesday evening in honor of the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Rynbrandt.

Miss Hadden is attending Hope college where she is a member of the Sorosis society.

East Holland

Sunday, June 27, Mr. Wildschut from Calvin seminary will conduct the services in the morning and afternoon and in the evening Mr. Scholten will be in charge.

Dr. Lester Kuypers of Western Theological seminary will conduct the services at Ebenezer Sunday.

Milton Maatman was taken to Holland hospital Monday morning following a severe heart attack.

Mrs. H. De Haan visited with her daughter, Mrs. Ben Boeve of Holland, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vander Beek of Muskegon, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Vander Beek of Detroit visited with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. Vander Beek, on Father's day. Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller were also week-end visitors at Ebenezer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. De Witt, on a 10-day furlough.

Peter Ver Burg of Chicago was a week-end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Van Leeuwen.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Korterling and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boeve and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Dykhouse visited his sister and brother-in-law in Fremont Tuesday.

CONFINED TO JAIL

Merlin Valleau, 34, of 144 West 10th St., was confined to the local jail today after being picked up by officers in Kollen park Wednesday night on a charge of molesting young girls between the ages of six and eight.

Naber-Pomp Marriage Is Solemnized in Overisel

The Overisel Reformed church was the scene of an impressive wedding ceremony Tuesday at 8 p.m. when Miss Norma Pomp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pomp of Overisel, became the bride of Sgt. Andrew Naber formerly of Grand Rapids, son of John J. Naber of Holland, route 6, Dr. H. W. Pyle performed the double ring service.

Mrs. Walter N. Mack was matron of honor. Miss Loraine Pomp was bridesmaid. Walter N. Mack assisted the groom as best man and Simon Steketee and Pfc. Lambert Lubbers served as ushers.

A reception was held in the church parlors for 150 guests in the Mesdames Eleanor and Marian Albers, Lois and Ruth Krone-meyer, Arlyne Voorhorst, Angeline Immink, Ruth Poppen and

Beatrice Hoekje serving as waitresses. Mr. and Mrs. John Voorhorst were master and mistress of ceremonies. Gift room attendants were the Mesdames Dorothy and Mary Ann Naber.

The bride is a graduate of Holland High school, 1941, and has been employed as bookkeeper of the Overisel Feed and Lumber Co. The groom was born in Ripon, Calif., and was graduated from Zeeland High school in 1938. He was formerly with the Michigan Bell Telephone Co., Grand Rapids and is now a sergeant in the signal corps at Camp Polk, La.

Krol-Ver Schure Vows Exchanged in Church

Palms, large baskets of white peonies and lighted candelabra, arranged about the altar in the Maple Avenue Christian Reformed Parish house formed an attractive setting Wednesday, June 16, at 8 o'clock for the marriage of Miss Alma Ruth Ver Schure, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ver Schure of 474 Pine Ave., and Seymour J. Krol, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Krol of Hudsonville. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. D. Zwier.

Miss Lois Theresa Tinhot was bridesmaid.

Harold Krol attended his brother as best man. Ushers were Donald Talsma and Clyde Veltma. Sylvia Stielstra and Harold Witteveen were in charge of the gift room.

The bride was born in Holland and attended Holland Christian schools. The groom was born in Hudsonville and attended the Hudsonville high school. Both Mr. and Mrs. Krol are employed by the H. J. Heinz Co.

Personals

(From Today's Sentinel) Miss Betty Wagner, receptionist in the United States Employment service office here, has returned to Holland after spending a two weeks' vacation in Fitchburg, Mass. She reports the east is a great deal more war-minded than the middle west.

Bob Grabofski and Jerry Hamstra of Holland were accepted by the marine corps following examinations in Detroit this week and are now awaiting call to service in San Diego, Calif., within three weeks. Grabofski, 17, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Grabofski, 210 East 16th St. The two Holland boys were included in a group of 16 from this area, all of whom but one were accepted.

Mrs. Harvey De Bruine and children, Paul and Doris Anne of Elmhurst, Ill., and Lieut. M. E. Slagh of Sioux Falls, S. D., were guests this past week at the home of Mrs. Bert Slagh on College Ave., Lieut. Slagh, who is stationed with the medical corps at the army air field at Sioux Falls, has just completed a three-month course in anesthesiology under the instruction of Dr. Ralph M. Waters, well-known authority, at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaudie Vanden Berg have received word that their son, Lieut. Robert Vanden Berg has been transferred from Fort Benning, Ga., to Camp Roberts, Calif.

Miss Annis Gillette has left for Sheppard Field, Tex., to visit Pfc. Lester Timmer.

Holland hospital today reported the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Schurman, 16 West 26th St., Wednesday.

John Anderson, brother of Mrs. Kenneth De Pree of this city, was graduated and received his commission as second lieutenant last Saturday from the advanced army bombardier school of the west coast air force training center at Albuquerque, N.M., according to word received here. Lieut. Anderson attended Hope college for three years and was a member of Knickerbocker fraternity.

The Jurks reunion held annually each year will be discontinued for the duration.

The Witteveen family reunion will not be held this year due to war conditions.

Mrs. Clarence O'Conner and infant son, James Henry, have returned to their home, 331 1/2 Lincoln Ave.

(From Saturday's Sentinel) The 11th annual school reunion of the Laketon school, district No. 1, will be held on the school grounds Wednesday afternoon and evening during which programs will be presented. A basket supper will follow a sports program.

Charles Vander Zwaag, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Vander Zwaag of Oakland, underwent a major operation in Holland hospital Friday morning.

Pfc. Stanley J. Hulst, stationed at Thermal air base, Los Angeles, Calif., has returned after spending a 14-day furlough with friends and relatives. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hulst of Oakland, and Mrs. Edna Holmeyer accompanied him to Chicago on his return trip.

Pvt. Robert P. Mulder of Hamilton, who was recently inducted into the army, has been assigned for training to the medical replacement training center at Camp Robinson, Ark.

Sgt. William H. Ward of the 25th Ordinance regiment, Camp Santa Anita, Arcadia, Calif., is visiting here with his wife and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stephan, 102 West 27th St. Sgt. Ward has a two weeks' furlough after which he will return to California and from there to parts unknown.

James Stallkamp, Park road, has had as his guest for a few days, Edwin Wilson Anslar of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lake of 179 East Eighth St. received word Friday from their son, Sgt. Herbert Lake, stating that he has arrived safely in England.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Renick, route 1, announce the birth of a seven and one half pound daughter in Holland hospital this morning.

Mrs. John Bale of East Ninth St., has received word that her husband, stationed in North Africa, has been promoted from private first class to corporal.

Raymond Velkamp, 8, 12 South

River Ave., injured his right knee in a minor accident Friday when he was struck by a car driven by Mrs. Andy Menken, route 6, while crossing the street on his tricycle. R. C. Fansler, construction foreman on the new road being built there, praised the driver for being on the alert.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greengood of Holland and Miss Lena Brummel of Zeeland are attending the annual convention of Michigan postal supervisors at Three Rivers. Mr. Greengood is assistant postmaster at the Holland post office and Miss Brummel is assistant postmaster at Zeeland.

Engaged

Mrs. G. B. Dalman of 539 College Ave., announces the engagement of her daughter, Eleanor June, to George Vanderhill, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Vanderhill of 223 West 20th St.

News of the engagement was revealed to a group of Miss Dalman's friends at an attractive supper party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Dalman, 610 State St., Tuesday evening.

Attending the affair were the Mesdames Paul Vanderhill, Gleon Bonnette, Ford A. Berghorst, Gordon Butler, Robert Rose, L. C. Dalman and G. B. Dalman and the Mesdames Marian Klaassen, Hazel Meusem, Mildred Vander Bie, Gladys Volkers, Mae Jean Timmer, Bernice Jacobs, Norma Rutgers, Beth Marcus, Frances Dombos and Barbara Heneveld.

Both Miss Dalman and Mr. Vanderhill are graduates of Hope college of the class of 1942. The former is a teacher in the Harrison school at Virginia park and Mr. Vanderhill is a student at Calvin seminary in Grand Rapids.

Olive Center

Carolyn Smeijers and Marion Jacobse left last week for a trip to California. They accompanied several friends and are making the trip by motor.

Jacob De Jongh was pleasantly surprised last Thursday evening when his children and grandchildren came to celebrate his birthday anniversary. Refreshments were served and Mr. De Jongh was presented with a gift.

Janet, Knoll of East Holland spent the week-end with her cousin, Martha Reider.

Oliver Banks, drove to Grand Rapids Friday where he spent the day with his sister, Mrs. Olive Briggs.

Justin Poll who has just returned to his station in Alaska, has been promoted to private, first class.

Pvt. Willis Timmer has been transferred from Camp Robinson, Ark., to Fort Ord, Calif.

Charles Russelada, Ruth and Carl Russelada of Holland visited the Henry Redder family Sunday evening.

The sanitary sewer connection rate is the same as the rate recently presented and approved by the Common Council on May 3, 1943. This provides a charge of \$20.00 per year for residences payable quarterly.

For Commercial and Industrial users, the charge is \$5.00 per year for each connection plus a charge of 53c per quarter for each employee.

Approved.

Clerk reported that pursuant to instructions, notice has been given for the receiving of bids on the paving of 24th Street and presented affidavits of publications of such bid notices. Clerk further reported that this was the time and place for receiving and opening such bids. The following contractors submitted bids that were opened and publicly read:—viz.

Michigan Colprovia Co., J. W. Hoback, John W. Hertel, P. Vander Veen and Sons.

On motion of Alderman Damson, seconded by Schepers,

The several bids were referred to the Street Committee together with the City Engineer for tabulation. After a brief recess, the committee reported the amounts of the bids as follows:

Michigan Colprovia Co.—Bid on asphalt top only, 14,492 square yards of 3" sheet asphalt top at 1.28 \$18,549.76

J. W. Hoback—Total amount of bid on 6" concrete base and asphalt top \$62,676.40

On 8" concrete pavement \$1,807.40

John W. Hertel—6" concrete base and asphalt top \$68,090.91

8" concrete pavement \$35,337.93

P. Vander Veen and Sons—8" concrete pavement only \$32,624.06

It was moved by Alderman Mool, seconded by Klomprens,

That the contract be awarded to Mr. J. W. Hoback as per his bid price of \$51,807.40 for an 8"

COMMON COUNCIL

Holland Mich., June 16, 1943

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

Present: Mayor Geerlings, Aldermen Van Hartesveldt

THE HIGHEST AWARD THE NATION CAN BESTOW ON ITS PRODUCTION SOLDIERS



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TO THE EMPLOYEES OF WESTERN MACHINE TOOL WORKS

for your unstinted efforts in enabling us to meet the extraordinarily heavy production schedules imposed by the urgencies of war. In doing so you have earned from the Army and Navy their highest production award, with the citation for "accomplishing more

than once seemed reasonable or possible." We know that you are thrilled with the great honor conferred upon you, and that you shall wear the coveted "E" pin with a true appreciation of its significance. It is a fitting recognition of the fine manner in which

you have placed your skills in trust to the fighting men of the United Nations who are relying upon the superior weapons fashioned by the machines of your handiwork. Our sincere thanks and congratulations to each and every one of you!

TO THE ARMY AND NAVY OFFICIALS WHO HAVE HONORED US

for the distinguished recognition you have accorded the men and women of Western Machine Tool Works, and for the dignity you have given our Army-Navy Production Award ceremonies through your presence. To Col. Krech, U.S.A., and Lt. Com. Ocker, U.S.N., our particular thanks for your words

of praise and encouragement. All of you are busy men of high responsibility, and we realize that only an occasion of importance to the Army and Navy could warrant your official participation — the awareness of which fact makes us all the more cognizant of our duties toward the armed services

in their supreme bid for Victory. In honoring us you have nourished our united determination to apply ourselves with even greater zeal to our appointed tasks. Our thanks and hearty appreciation to each and every one of you!

TO THE CITY AND PEOPLE OF HOLLAND

for the fine interest you have taken in our Army-Navy Production Award, and for the generous congratulations that have been extended us. To the City, our special thanks for granting us the privilege of holding the Award ceremonies in Kollen Park — probably the finest of all settings in the entire country

for such an occasion. Our concept of the distinction which the Army and Navy have accorded the men and women of Western Machine Tool Works is that it is something for the entire community to share in, and is but additional evidence of Holland's being an invigorating community in which to achieve the

worthy and exceptional. And so, as you see the "E" burgee flying from Western's mast, let it be to you a symbol of the active patriotism that pervades the city of Holland — and a reminder to invest still more of your abilities and means in the great cause for which we are all working.

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