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VALUATION FOR COUNTY RAISED AT C.H. SESSION

Equalization Report Puts Total \$932,756 Over Former Figure

Supervisors Okay Change in Preparation for Tax Rates

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—Providing for a total valuation, as equalized, of \$42,570,051, the report of the equalization committee was adopted here this forenoon by the Ottawa county board of supervisors.

This is an increase of \$932,756 over last year's figure of \$41,637,295. Two years ago, the valuation was \$41,702,581.

The total real estate assessment is placed at \$39,915,186, with \$3,082,069 having been deducted to provide \$36,833,117 in real estate assessments as equalized.

The personal property as equalized is given as \$5,736,934.

A comparison of the figures of total valuation as equalized this year and last year: Park township, \$2,408,478 this year, \$2,365,654 last year; Zeeland township, \$1,644,156 this year, \$1,622,763 last year; Holland city, \$1,422,310 this year, \$1,432,927 last year; Zeeland city, \$1,906,615 this year, \$1,925,876 last year; Grand Haven city, \$6,502,310 this year, \$6,124,941 last year.

Total valuations as equalized for the other townships of Ottawa county follow: Allendale, \$851,775; Blendon, \$926,829; Chester, \$1,168,703; Crocker, \$805,085; Georgetown, \$1,778,381; Grand Haven, \$657,827; Jamestown, \$1,426,177; Olive, \$759,590; Polkton, \$1,975,502; Port Sheldon, \$390,039; Robinson, \$446,447; Spring Lake, \$1,858,028; Tallmadge, \$1,205,767; Wright, \$1,483,333.

Acree, real estate as assessed, real estate as equalized, and totals for the southern half of Ottawa county follow:

Blendon—22,478 acres; \$872,970 real estate as assessed; \$867,885 real estate as equalized; \$58,944 personal property as equalized, \$926,829 total valuation as equalized.

Georgetown—22,522 acres; \$1,728,115 r.e. as assessed; \$1,643,006 r.e. as equalized; \$135,375 personal property equalized; \$1,778,381 total.

Holland—21,200 acres; \$2,699,005 r.e. assessed; \$2,590,484 r.e. equalized; \$562,205 personal property equalized; \$3,152,689 total.

Jamestown—23,223 acres; \$1,375,800 r.e. assessed; \$1,335,627 r.e. equalized; \$70,500 personal property equalized; \$1,426,177 total.

Olive—22,970 acres; \$761,820 r.e. assessed; \$717,265 r.e. equalized; \$42,325 personal property equalized; \$759,590 total.

Park—10,218 acres; \$2,618,825 r.e. assessed; \$2,358,328 r.e. equalized; \$50,150 personal property equalized; \$2,408,478 total.

Port Sheldon—12,840 acres; \$422,850 r.e. assessed; \$372,489 r.e. equalized; \$17,550 personal property equalized; \$390,039 total.

Zeeland—22,998 acres; \$1,534,690 r.e. assessed; \$1,464,876 r.e. equalized; \$179,280 personal property equalized; \$1,644,156 total.

Holland city—1,818 acres; \$90,712,091 r.e. assessed; \$90,707,960 r.e. equalized; \$1,714,350 personal property equalized; \$1,422,310 total.

Zeeland city—396 acres; \$1,538,535 r.e. assessed; \$1,491,560 r.e. equalized; \$415,055 personal property equalized; \$1,906,615 total.

Grand Haven city—2,581 acres; \$613,350 r.e. assessed; \$493,110 r.e. equalized; \$1,549,200 personal property equalized; \$6,502,310 total.

The equalization report tends to show the percentage of the tax which each unit, including the townships and cities, will pay to the county. In determining these figures, the supervisors study the total assessments and make determination of the total tax which will be allocated to each unit.

The committee's report shows that Holland city's percentage of the county tax is .268319, Grand Haven city's share is .152744 and Zeeland city's figure is .044788, percentage figures for the other taxing units follow:

Allendale, .020009; Blendon, .021772; Chester, .027453; Crocker, .014214; Georgetown, .041775; Grand Haven, .015453; Holland, .074059; Jamestown, .033502; Olive, .017843; Park, .058577; Polkton, .046406; Port Sheldon, .009162; Spring Lake, .043646; Tallmadge, .028324; Wright, .034845; Zeeland, .038622.

The June session of the board was conducted this morning after the board approved a plan to set aside \$5,000 for the purchase of additional property north and south of Tunnel park as an addition to the park. The board voted to hold its annual picnic at the Grand Haven CCC camp at a date to be determined later by a committee composed of Mayor Richard L. Cook of Grand Haven, chairman, and the Grand Haven supervisors.

As Couple Left Church Auditorium



Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kinkema are shown leaving the auditorium of Third Reformed church following their marriage Wednesday afternoon, June 19. Mrs. Kinkema is the former Lois La Rue Ketel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ketel. Mr. Kinkema is a son of Mrs. Henry Kinkema in Grand Rapids. They will make their home in Big Rapids after Sept. 1.

All-Day July 4 Celebration for Holland Is Arranged

Races and Fishing Contest Will Be Included on Program

An all-day program on Macatawa bay between Macatawa park and Ottawa beach will feature the Fourth of July celebration of the Holland Chamber of Commerce which will mark the opening of the 1940 tourist and resort season in Holland and vicinity.

The program is being arranged as a "welcome" to show the merchants' appreciation of the tourists' and resorters' selection of Holland for their vacations.

A committee composed of James D. Boter, Charles R. Sligh, A. W. Tahaney, Marvin Lindeman, Ray N. Smith, Hadden Hanchett, William Van Etta, John Van Tatenhove, C. C. Wood and W. J. Kuite, was appointed last week to arrange the program. A committee meeting was held Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce headquarters. Those present were Mr. Sligh, Mr. Tahaney, Peter Van Domelen, Jr., Mr. Kuite, Mr. Wood, E. P. Stephan, Mr. Lindeman and Mr. Boter.

The day's program will include water skiing, aquaplaning, power and speedboat races, parade of power boats, sailboat races in all classes and, possibly swimming races.

The committee also decided to award a prize for the largest fish caught before noon, July 4. All those competing in the contest will submit their entries to the committee before noon of that day.

A feature attraction will be a gigantic fireworks display at night from a barge in the lake. Mr. Van Tatenhove is chairman of the fireworks committee and his co-workers are Mr. Wood and Mr. Kuite.

At Monday's meeting Mr. Sligh was placed in charge of the water sports; Mr. Tahaney, in charge of the program for power boats; Mr. Lindeman, publicity chairman; and Mr. Van Etta, traffic control.

The committee also voted to extend an invitation to the U. S. coast guard cutter Escanaba to visit Holland July 4. Boats of nearby harbors will be invited to visit Holland for the celebration.

Other officers are Jack Barendse, first vice-commander, succeeding Dr. Bacheller; John Rozeboom, second vice-commander; succeeding Simon Meeuwse; Teunis Den Uyl, adjutant, reelected; Andrew Rutgers, finance officer, reelected; Harry Kramer, chaplain, reelected; Al Boyce, sergeant-at-arms, succeeding James Kalmann; and Louis Dalman, historian, reelected.

Dr. Bacheller, Alfred C. Joldersma, Albert E. Van Lente and Mr. Den Uyl were elected delegates to the state legion convention in Bay City. Alternates are Henry Poppen, Henry Cook, Louis Dalman and George Manting.

Mr. Joldersma was reelected to the trust board for a five-year term. The newly-elected officers will be installed later.

The meeting for July 10 will be held at the summer home of Ben H. Lievense on Lake Michigan. Cars will leave from the legion hall at 6:30 p.m. There will be only one meeting for July and one meeting for August on Aug. 14.

ILLNESS FATAL TO FERDINAND C. HEYN

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—Ferdinand C. Heyn, 78, died at 2:10 a.m. today at the home of his son, Albert Heyn, Robinson township clerk. He had been ill for two years. He came from Chicago to a farm in Robinson township 33 years ago. He was born in Germany Jan. 22, 1862.

Besides the son, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Edward Berndt of Stevensville; five grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. from the home of his son in Robinson township with the Rev. A. O. Mayer, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, Grand Haven, officiating. Burial will be in Robinson cemetery.

Marvin Looman Found Guilty of Traffic Charge

Marvin Looman was found guilty Tuesday on a charge of "cutting" the intersection at 17th St. and Van Raalte Ave.

After a trial before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith, he was assessed a fine and costs of \$10 which he paid. Looman pleaded not guilty on arraignment immediately prior to the trial.

Bernard Larman paid a fine and costs of \$3 Tuesday after pleading guilty to a charge of failing to stop for a stop street.

TULIP FESTIVAL SHOWS PROFIT

Thirty-Seven Hundred Is Realized in Operation of Attractions

The Tulip Time office announced today that \$3,761.42 was realized from the operation of the various official attractions and activities of the 1940 Tulip Time festival. From this must be subtracted almost \$600 which the committee has voted to pay to the playground commission for the use of Riverview park and its floodlights.

Chief among the paying attractions was Little Netherlands which showed a net balance of \$1,731.13. The Friday night and Saturday afternoon band reviews combined netted \$826.75. The Tulip Tales pageant, given three nights, showed a profit of \$317.32. The operation of buses netted \$172.11 and the sale of booklets brought in \$142.41.

Almost \$600 was reported spent in providing lodging for overnight guests, direction signs, public address system, parade expense, etc. Slightly over \$400 for postage and other office expense and a few cents over \$950 for printing and publicity.

The amazing extent to which Holland's Tulip Time is still conducted by unpaid civic effort is shown by the remarkably small item devoted to salaries. Only the manager and the office forces are paid for their work. The salary total for the entire period since September 1 was reported at only \$1,274.75.

Final reports for the operation of the full year will be made and audited Aug. 31.

REFUGEE DRIVE EXCEEDS GOAL

Thousand Dollar Check Is Received in Holland From Zeeland

Otto P. Kramer, treasurer of the Ottawa county Red Cross chapter, reports he has received a check for \$1,000 which represented contributions in Zeeland for the fund being raised to aid war refugees in Europe. Total contributions in the county for the Red Cross fund total \$5,080.65. The Zeeland contributions permitting the chapter to go beyond its goal of \$4,360.

Contributions to the war relief fund which is being raised in Ottawa county now total \$5,145.65, it was reported today by Otto P. Kramer, treasurer of the Ottawa county Red Cross chapter.

Local Delegates Plan to Attend Convention

Three delegates from the Holland Fraternal Order of Eagles, are planning to attend the four-day state convention to be held in Alpena starting Thursday. The delegates are worthy Secretary Brother Ora Green, worthy Treasurer Alvin Brandt and Past Worthy President William Wilson. They plan to be there for five days. A delegation of nine or ten are planning to attend the Saturday and Sunday meetings.

Winners of the five Bibles donated by James A. Brouwer were June Reidsma, 6-B, Washington; Donald Fortney, 6-A, Froebel; James Topp, 5-A, Lincoln; Elaine Essenburg, 6-B, Longfellow; Henrietta Veltman, 6-A, Van Raalte.

In the East Junior high school Bible contest, winners were Bob Beckfort and Eleanor Van Dahm, 7-B; and Corroll Post and Mary Jean Van Appledorn, 7-A. They each received a Bible donated by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beeuwkes. Honorable mention was given Peggy Prins, Bob Burton and Paul Fortney.

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Introducing: the Schowalter Twins



AWARDS ISSUED AT GRADUATION OF HHS SENIORS

Diplomas Given to Large Class at Exercises in Chapel

Youth Problem and Peace Issue Discussed by Honor Pupils

Two hundred and seventy-nine seniors, comprising the largest class ever to be graduated from Holland high, received their diplomas at commencement exercises in Hope Memorial chapel Thursday night, June 20.

Miss Myrtle Padgett gave the valedictory address on "Youth Looks at a Democracy" and Alice Mae Houtman delivered the salutatory, "Hope for the Future." Supt. of Schools E. E. Fell, presented the diplomas and Principal J. J. Riemersma announced the prizes. Senior Class President Howard Kammeraad presented the class memorials.

The three judge Fred T. Miles prizes of \$5, \$3 and \$2, presented to those students writing the best examination in commercial law went to Howard Kammeraad, first; Esther Mae Owen, second; and Marjorie Matteson, third.

Miss Myrtle Padgett received \$10 and Miss Houtman \$5 as the first two winners in the annual Mabel Anthony Memorial speech contest.

The two prizes of \$5 each awarded annually by the Holland chapter of the Sons of the Revolution to the boy and girl writing the best essays on a selected subject went to Mary M. Paschal and John Terkeurst.

Louis Bagladi, Luella Pyle, Carla Visscher and Leona Overbeek each received an equal share of the Henry Geerlings prize of \$15 for a good citizenship record in the ninth grade.

Evelyn Lampen, Martha Stroop and Ruth Ann Prins received the three prizes of \$5 each given by Henry S. Maentz for the students in the commercial department who have shown superior ambition, cooperation, loyalty and dependability.

The \$10 Edwin Barkel Memorial Band prize given by Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Barkel in memory of their son, Edwin, was divided between Bruce Mikula and John Kleis.

The Bausch and Lomb Science award, one senior who has shown superior scholarship and "an investigative spirit in the field of science" was won by Adam McClay.

Peter Schippa, junior, and Dell Koop, sophomore, won \$15 and \$5 respectively, of the Albert C. Koppel memorial prize. This prize was established by Miss Ruth Keppel in honor of her father for the students rendering the most beneficial service to the reforestation project. Ted Brandt and Junior Oosterbaan of the sophomore class received honorable mention.

Lois Mary Hinkamp and Ray Serier were designated as the ones to have their names engraved on the Nicodemus Bosch service trophy, which remains in the trophy case. This honor is for the two seniors who have rendered the most service to the school.

John Terkeurst won the \$10 given by the auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars for the best essay on "The Benefits of Democracy."

The American Legion auxiliary prize of \$5 for the person writing the best essay on "Why Increased National Defense Is the Best Insurance Against War" was given to James Mooi of the junior class.

Principal Riemersma also announced five scholarship winners. They are Miss Marjorie Steketee, Hope college organ scholarship; Myrtle Padgett, Hope college scholarship; Howard Kammeraad, University of Michigan alumni scholarship; Phyllis Pelgrim, Rockford college scholarship; and Harriet R. Drew, Western State Teachers college scholarship.

Recognition was given to Delbert Vander Haar for having won a gold loving cup for a prize winning chemistry essay in a contest sponsored by the Central State Teachers' college in Mt. Pleasant.

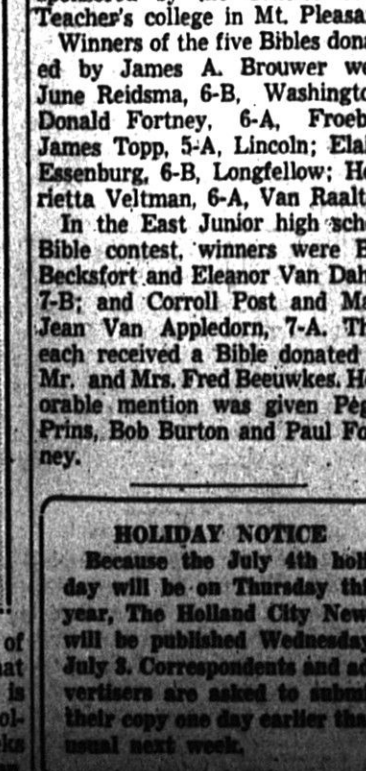
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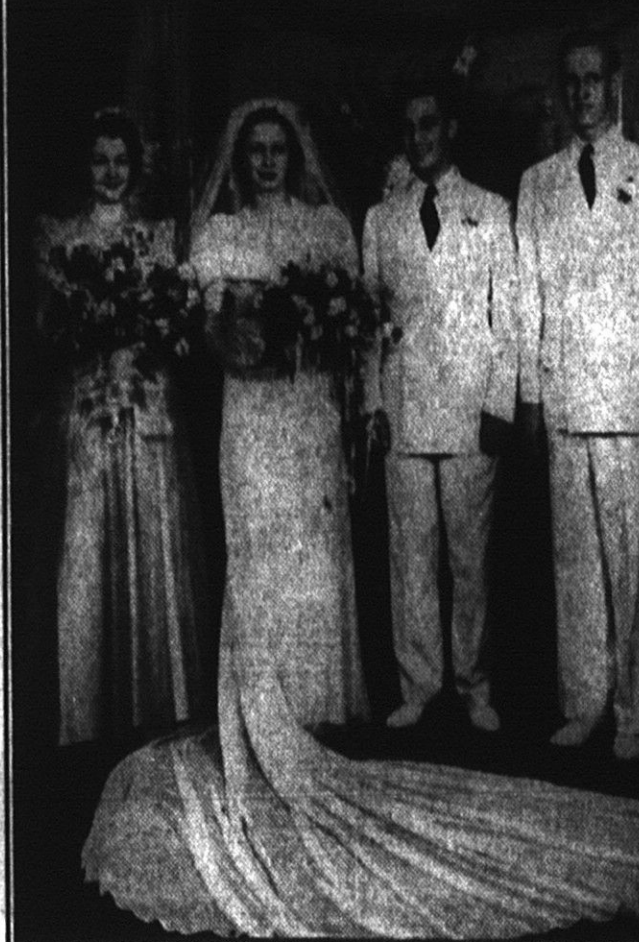
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Principals in Home Ceremony



Mr. and Mrs. Willard Westveer are shown with their attendants following their marriage Saturday afternoon in the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Eck, 88 East Ninth St. The bride is the former June Cook. Left to right, are Miss Esther Caudle of Grand Rapids, maid of honor, Mrs. Westveer, Mr. Westveer, and Harold Hartger of Grand Rapids, best man. Mr. and Mrs. Westveer are on an eastern wedding trip, and later will reside in Lansing. (Photo by Du Saar.)

County Crops and Roads Damaged by Heavy Rains

Over Inch of Precipitation Falls in City; Mercury Is Low

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—Carl T. Bowen, county road engineer reported that great damage resulted to county roads, due to washouts, particularly where new construction is in progress, as the result of Sunday's heavy rains.

He ordered road crews to barricade and light dangerous spots. Soil was washed away in great quantities where new fills are being put in. The rush and volume of water did much damage to gravel and dirt roads.

Mr. Bowen said it would be more than a week before all damage could be repaired.

Immediate loss to crops due to the heavy rains is confined to strawberries, grain and hay. The strawberries, at the height of their season, remained unpicked for three days and the present crop when picked, according to L. R. Arnold, agricultural agent, will be watery, soft and unfit for transportation to market.

Wheat, oats, alfalfa hay and clover which have enjoyed better than normal growth this year were beaten down by the rain and should warm weather result are in danger of mildew and other moisture induced damage. Should cool dry weather follow, much of the grain and hay, Mr. Arnold thought, would straighten up and damage would not be so great.

The alfalfa and clover crops are the best in years, he reported, adding that they might be cut green, used for silage, and saved in that manner but that this method of obtaining silage had never been customary in this section. Only early potatoes planted in low grounds might be damaged by the present rain.

Other potatoes are not advanced far enough for damage, he said. Celery crops are not thought to be effected as the fields are well ditched to drain off the water.

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TWO OF COUNTY KILLED AS AUTO, TRUCK COLLIDE

Leonard Knoll of Holland, West Olive Resident Lose Lives

Other Accident in Allegan County Is Fatal to Minister

Two Ottawa county residents, one of them a Holland citizen, were killed instantly shortly before midnight Sunday in a truck-auto crash on US-31, one mile south of Glenn in Allegan county, on a dangerous curve in foggy weather.

Victims of the accident were Leonard (Lane) Knoll, 61, 110 East 16th St., and E. R. Davenport, between 50 and 55 years old, of West Olive.

Two other persons who were occupying the same car were confined in South Haven hospital. They are George Tuttle, 38, of Baroda and Henry Fendt, 28, of West Olive. Their injuries were not regarded as serious although both were reported to have suffered back injuries.

The accident occurred when a car, driven by Knoll, crashed head-on into a truck, driven by Rolland O. Foster, 30, of Ludington. The truck was owned by the Northern Fruit Co. of Ludington.

Knoll was driving north on US-31 and the truck was southbound. State police of South Haven who investigated expressed belief that Knoll "lost" the road while rounding the curve because of the heavy fog and pulled in front of the approaching truck.

The car which Knoll was driving belonged to Fendt, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fendt, route 1, West Olive. Fendt's relatives said today he left home about 8 p.m. Sunday in his car but they did not know where he was from the time he left home until they heard about the accident.

Davenport and Tuttle had been engaged the past few days in picking berries around West Olive. They were reported to have left West Olive Sunday afternoon. Fendt's relatives visited him in the South Haven hospital today.

The bodies of Knoll and Davenport were removed to Calvin's mortuary in South Haven but later Knoll's body was brought to Holland.

Mr. Knoll is survived by three sons, Percy and Eugene of Holland, and Marvin of Grand Rapids; three daughters, Mrs. William Kammeraad and Mrs. Stephen Oudemolen of Holland and Mrs. Edward Taylor of Grand Rapids; two brothers, John Knoll of Holland and Ray Knoll of Muskegon; three sisters, Mrs. Peter Wierda, Mrs. John Essenberg and Mrs. John Bremer of Holland; and four grandchildren.

For the past five or six years, Mr. Knoll was employed at Kuite's market, 183 River Ave. Prior to that time he operated his own meat market on East Eighth St. at the site of the present Downtown I.G.A. store.

Wayland, June 27—The Rev. Victor Fockler, 28, pastor of Free Methodist church of Yale, was killed in an automobile accident Saturday afternoon at the intersection of two county roads, two miles northwest of Bradley.

Officers who investigated the accident said it resulted from loose gravel on the road. Suffering a fractured neck, Rev. Fockler died a few minutes after the accident.

The car with which Mr. Fockler was in collision was said to have been driven by Murven Noaker, Allegan county farmer.

Mr. Fockler's wife, infant daughter and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Frank Todd, suffered minor bruises, lacerations and shock, according to Dr. Bert Vander Kolk of Hopkins and Deputy Claude Gibson of Allegan.

OBJECT TO CHANGING SEVENTH ST. STATUS

Mayor Henry Geerlings revealed here that he had received a petition, signed by 47 persons, protesting the proposal to make Seventh St. a through street from River Ave. to Lincoln Ave.

The mayor said he would present the petition to the police and fire board at its meeting Monday afternoon. At the June 19 council meeting, petitions bearing 191 signatures, the majority of them from trucking firms, their employees and drivers, were presented as a request for the through street.

Council referred the petitions to the police and fire board.

Dutch Relief Chapter to Hold Meeting at Zeeland

Cornelius Vander Meulen, chairman of the South Ottawa and North Allegan chapter of the Queen Wilhelmina Fund, Inc., today said a meeting of the chapter will be held Friday at 8 p.m. in First Reformed church in Zeeland to complete organization work, appoint various committees and adopt a program of activities for the chapter among the various churches.

Elderly Man Is Hurt in Two-Car Collision

Henry Thalen, about 60, route 4, Holland, suffered injuries, the extent of which were not immediately determined, in an automobile accident which occurred at the intersection of Lakewood Blvd. and the Tennessee Beach road in front of the former Getz Lakewood farm about 1:30 p.m.

The Dykstra ambulance was summoned and Mr. Thalen was removed to his home. It was reported his automobile was in a collision with one driven by a De Baan.

KOLLEN PARK BEACH CLOSED TO BATHING

Closing of the beach at Kollen park to swimmers and the selection of a special police officer for the park were announced in Holland Wednesday.

Dr. William M. Tappan, city health officer, reported that several tests show Lake Macatawa waters are unsafe for swimming. He said the health department has erected signs and he warned all parents not to allow their children to swim in the lake.

Acting Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff announced the appointment of Kenneth Miller, Hope college student, as special police officer at the park. The playground commission met Tuesday and referred the matter to the police and fire board with a recommendation that Miller be employed as a special police officer. Van Hoff said of Fred Kammerbeek, chairman of the police and fire board, contacted other board members to gain their approval of Miller.

KIEFT OBJECTS TO DISCHARGE

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—William A. Kieft, recently discharged by Sheriff Frank Van Etta as dog warden and deputy sheriff, appeared before the Ottawa county board of supervisors at the opening session of the June meeting Monday afternoon to protest his dismissal. He charged that the sheriff "is obstructing justice and he is not a man qualified for that office." He declared the sheriff should resign.

Containing that he had been made the "goat" on two previous occasions, Kieft told the supervisors that enforcement of the dog quarantine "goes lovely for the first four or five months when the biggest part of the mess is cleaned up. When it gets to

DECREASE OF 49 SHOWN IN CITY'S SCHOOL CENSUS

Total Is Three Thousand, Eight Hundred and Twenty-Two

Holland's school census of 1940 as compared with 1939 shows a decrease of 49 school children between the ages of five and 19. It was announced here by Dr. E. E. Fell, superintendent of public schools.

Total number of school children in the city's six wards is 3,822 while in 1939 the school census totaled 3,871.

Dr. Fell explained that the school census not only is taken in Holland but also throughout the entire state of Michigan during the last 20 days of May. All children who became five years old after May 31, 1939, were added to the census, and all children who became 20 years of age after that date were dropped. Families who moved into the wards were added to the census and those who moved out were subtracted.

The school census by wards, the 1940 figures listed first and 1939 census second, follows: First ward, 696 and 728, a loss of 32; second ward, 217 and 214, a gain of three; third ward, 341 and 344, a loss of three; fourth ward, 578 and 596, a loss of 18; fifth ward, 1,074 and 1,086, a loss of 12; sixth ward, 916 and 903, a gain of 13.

Total number of losses was 65 while the gains amounted to only 16. The second and sixth wards were the only ones to show a gain in their school census.

Out of the 3,822 school children, 1,944 of them were boys and 1,878 were girls. A division of the children by age groups, together with the number of boys (shown first and girls (shown second) follows:

Five years old, 105 and 103; six years old, 104 and 89; seven years old, 98 and 100; eight years old, 132 and 120; nine years old, 130 and 124; 10 years old, 135 and 144; 11 years old, 149 and 113; 12 years old, 125 and 110; 13 years old, 132 and 124; 14 years old, 128 and 130; 15 years old, 158 and 139; 16 years old, 139 and 132; 17 years old, 146 and 152; 18 years old, 130 and 142; 19 years old, 133 and 156.

Dr. Fell also reported that the number of new students who became five years old totaled 209, that 171 moved in for a grand total of 380. The entries by wards with the five-year-old students listed first, those who moved in, shown second and the total, listed third, follows:

First ward, 32-45-77; second ward, 12-7-19; third ward, 16-28-44; fourth ward, 41-30-71; fifth ward, 57-33-90; sixth ward, 51-28-79.

Total number of withdrawals for the year was 429, including 260 who became 20 years of age and 169 who moved out. The withdrawals by wards, the first figures being those who became 20 years of age, the second figures those who moved out and the third figures, the total follows:

First ward, 52-42-94; second ward, 18-7-25; third ward, 26-23-49; fourth ward, 42-29-71; fifth ward, 75-44-119; sixth ward, 47-24-71.

The census enumerators for the city were Mrs. Cornelia Groenewoud, first ward; Mrs. Belle Van Hest, second ward; Mrs. Mabel Gould, third ward; Mrs. Fannie Raak, fourth ward; Mrs. Minnie Meengs and Mrs. Jennie Jonkman, fifth ward; Mrs. Mathilda Vanderhill and Mrs. Hazel Laman, sixth ward.

Bass River

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Buhrer and son, Garland, spent Sunday, June 16, with Mrs. William Flair and family in Grand Rapids.

Elwood McMillan attended the Young Peoples conference of the Wesleyan church at Hastings Tuesday, June 18.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fields of Grand Rapids spent Wednesday, June 19, with her son, Floyd Lowing and family of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Randall and two children of Lamont spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stedman.

Miss Alice Nibelink is spending the week with friends in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lowing spent Sunday evening, June 16, with his brother, Lynn Lowing and family near Marne.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Synder and son of Alpine called on relatives here Sunday June 16. Lee Snyder returned home with them for a week's visit.

YOUTH FINED IN G.H. FOR DRUNK DRIVING

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—John Stoutjesdyk, Jr., 22, Grand Rapids, was convicted by a justice court jury on last Thursday on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He paid a fine of \$50 and costs of \$23.80 assessed by Justice George V. Hoffer.

Stoutjesdyk was arrested by state police June 17 on US-16 near Coopersville after he had been involved in an accident.

Face value of the average life insurance policy sold in the U. S. in 1939 was \$1,854.

Arizona has a coal reserve estimated by the U. S. geological survey at 14 billion tons.

But It's True



Roosevelt's hands were abnormally strong. He had made a point of developing them throughout his life. Martense made his bet after it had been announced by the city parks department that there wasn't a loose snake in New York.

Personals

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Misses Phyllis Tiesenga and Ruth Eleanor Trueblood of Holland have returned from Oberlin college in Ohio where they were members of this year's graduating class.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale McDonald of Cincinnati, O., have returned home after visiting in Holland and vicinity.

Misses Blanche and Louise Lange of Cincinnati, O., have arrived to open their cottage for the summer at Waukazoo. Spencer R. McCulloch of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Junius B. Wood of Waukazoo. Mr. Wood recently returned from Ann Arbor where he attended a reunion of his University of Michigan graduating class of 1900. While in Ann Arbor he visited Watson Spoelstra, former Sentinel reporter.

Word has been received here that Abner Doble of Waukazoo who underwent a recent operation at Mayo's in Rochester, Minn., is doing nicely. Mrs. Doble accompanied her husband to Rochester last Sunday. Mr. Doble's daughter has returned to her home in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Thorogevsky of Marigold lodge, Waukazoo, entertained approximately 100 friends at their home Wednesday night in honor of Dick Gold, son of Mrs. Thorogevsky, whose marriage to Miss Beatrice Loomis of Grand Rapids will be an event of Saturday.

Mrs. A. Oppenher and daughter, Ruth, of Annville, Ky., who have been visiting for a few days at the home of Mrs. John Engelsman, have left for their home today with another daughter, Dickie Jo, who has been attending Hope college. Miss Emilia Moncada of New York city, also a Hope college student, accompanied them for a visit in Kentucky.

Mrs. Cacia Versteeg, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. John Engelsman for the past two months, left last Saturday for her home in Waukegan, Ill., going by way of Milwaukee. She took the boat from Muskegon.

Mrs. Lyle F. Shaw and sons, Junior and Jerry, of Muskegon Heights spent Wednesday and Thursday here visiting Mrs. Shaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John De Groot.

Leon Moody and Kenneth De Groot left Thursday morning for the National Hi-Y convention in Oberlin, Ohio. Mr. Moody is in charge of the Hi-Y in our local high school and Kenneth was appointed district delegate sometime ago. The convention is scheduled to adjourn Monday.

Jacob Ponstein of Grand Haven, who graduated from Hope college with the class of 1939, received his degree from the Detroit School of Law Tuesday evening. He must take the state examinations in Lansing sometime in September before being admitted to the bar.

The faculty of Holland high school gathered this morning in the school library for their last meeting of the year. The teachers presented a lamp to Ed Prins, school janitor, who will be married to Ella Risselada early in July.

Mrs. John Zylstra of route 1 who was taken ill June 2 is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. Paul Wojahn, president of the VFW auxiliary, and Watson Lundie, post commander, left this morning as delegates to the state convention in Benton Harbor.

Harold W. McIntyre, grandson of Mrs. A. H. Lordahl of this city, received his doctor's degree in dental surgery from the Chicago College of Dental Surgery at commencement exercises June 12. A total of 750 students received their degrees on the campus of the Loyola university, Mrs. Lordahl, Mrs. E. V. Belken, Miss Ina Lordahl and Miss Eleanor Steffens attended the exercises.

Twenty members of the Ladies Aid of Fourth Reformed church concluded the year's activities by going to the Kountry Kitchen for a dinner Thursday noon. Following

HOPE COLLEGE 1930 CLASS HAS REUNION

A reunion of the 1930 class of Hope college was held June 19 at the summer home of Dr. E. D. Dimment on Lake Macatawa. The affair was in the form of an informal supper, the group later attending commencement exercises in Hope Memorial chapel.

Those attending were Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Meengs, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Dykhuizen, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dephouse and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kruisenga of Muskegon, Dr. Sidney Heersma and Dr. Marvin Kuizenga of Kalamazoo, Miss Evelyn Steketee, Miss Joan Vander Werf, Miss Doris Brouwer, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Arendshorst, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard De Pree, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ten Cate and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Van Leuwen of Holland, Willard De Young of Kent City, Dr. Dimment and Mrs. N. Dykhuizen.

YOUNG GIRL IS HURT IN TWO-CAR CRASH

Jean Elaine Jipping, seven-year-old daughter of John G. Jipping, 39, route 1, Holland, was treated in Holland hospital on Friday for a cut on her face which she received in an automobile accident at 8:45 a.m. today at 24th St. and Washington Ave. She was riding in the automobile of her father, who was driving his car and trailer north on Washington Ave. The Jipping automobile was involved in a crash with a car driven west on 24th St. by George R. Coffin, 34, of Chicago. Holland police said Jipping lost control of his car after the trailer had been struck causing the car to swerve to the west side of the avenue and tear down a string of mail boxes.

Russell Lamer and Alvin Jipping were listed as witnesses.

Van Zanten Home Is Scene of Party

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Van Zanten, 35 West 18th St., entertained the Van Zanten relatives on Wednesday, June 19, in honor of Dr. Will Van Zanten and his son, Dr. Wesley Van Zanten of Sheboygan, Wis., who were here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter Steketee whose daughter, Harriet graduated.

Refreshments were served to thirty-five present including Mrs. Gerrit Lemmen, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Zanten, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tien, Mr. and Mrs. J. Steketee, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Steketee, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Steketee, Mr. and Mrs. John Brinkman, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Van Zanten, Miss Cora Van Zanten, Mrs. L. Damstra, Miss Iva Ashley of Muskegon, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Veuring, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bos and Mrs. Ray Schurman.

Hope Faculty Women Honor Mrs. Fenton

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TRY THE NEWS CLASSIFIED

MORE TAXES IN U.S. PREDICTED

Rotary Speaker Declares Americans Receptive to Levies

C. K. Clarke of Printice-Hall, Inc., Milwaukee, spoke to Rotary members at their noon luncheon in the Warm Friend tavern Thursday, June 20, on "How Income Tax Hits You and Your Business."

Clarke, a tax expert, said that never in his 19 years of work has he sensed such a receptive attitude of the American people to pay more taxes. He predicted that congress would not "stop" with the new defense tax bill.

Eight out of ten income tax payers overpay their taxes he said, because they do not pay attention to the tax laws and to the rights they have, and because they do not know how they can save taxes.

Some men, for example, he said, forget to take a deduction for casualty losses not protected by insurance. Others, he pointed out, are afraid of technicalities.

Mr. Clarke also explained the decision concerning tax evasion and tax avoidance the U. S. supreme court handed down after the Civil war. Doing something on the wrong side of the legal fence as far as taxes are concerned is tax evasion but if one follows the law and selects one method instead of another with the result that he avoids the tax, that is legal tax avoidance.

For example, he said, supposing a driver has a choice of taking a toll bridge or a non-toll bridge. If he takes the non-toll bridge in preference to the other one, he is avoiding the tax by legal methods. Should he take the toll bridge but refuse to pay the toll, he is evading taxation.

It is also important, he stated, to have capital and repair itemized to show the revenue agent why a certain allocation was made.

Cornie Kraght introduced the speaker.

Couple Celebrates on Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Woldring of East 32nd St. entertained a group of relatives Wednesday June 19, on the occasion of their 20th wedding anniversary. Many useful gifts were presented. A two-course lunch was served by Miss Gladys Woldring and Miss Della Vander Ploeg.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Woldring, Miss Cornelia Woldring, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Woldring, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Woldring of Grand Rapids, Cornelius Steketee, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. C. Neal Steketee, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Louis Steketee, Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Steketee of Grand Haven, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Steketee, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marcus, Miss Grace Steketee and Fred Japinga, Simon Steketee and Alma Naber, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hoeksma, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Woldring, Carl J. Woldring, Miss Gladys Woldring and Bill De Boer and Miss Della Vander Ploeg.

GETS JAIL TERM

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—Dewey Moll, 42, Grand Haven, was sentenced to serve five days in the county jail by Justice George V. Hoffer on June 20 afternoon upon his plea of guilty to the charge of assault and battery. Complaint was made by John Bauer.

DRIVER IS FINED

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—Herman Wilbert, 23, Grand Rapids, paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$3.55 upon his plea of guilty in the Justice Court of George V. Hoffer on last Thursday to a charge of driving recklessly early Sunday morning on U.S.-31 in Spring Lake township.

CHURCHES TO GET SYNOD AID

Grand Rapids, June 27—General synod of the Christian Reformed church approved here a \$50,000 fund to aid 95 needy churches during 1941. Three congregations will be given temporary aid in the amount of \$2,000 due to adverse farming conditions in the midwest.

Small congregations are granted aid not to exceed \$700 per year to assist in the support of the pastors. Payment is made according to a sliding scale, a congregation with 20 families or less is given the full allowance if necessary, and churches with 50 families or more are considered self-supporting unless they are deemed worthy of aid by special action of synod. The fund is disbursed under the direction of the home mission committee to which the following members are reelected: Revs. David D. Bonnama, pastor of Bates Street church, Harry Blystra of Graafschap and John Breuker of Muskegon.

A protest alleging previous synods to have been in error in the disposition of office-bearers, ministers, elders and deacons was received from the Protestant Reformed church and read on the floor of synod. The protest is an outgrowth of action taken by the 1926 synod when the body expelled the Rev. Herman Hoeksma of Grand Rapids for his failure to conform to the doctrine of the church pertaining to "common grace." The protest asks for a colloquy which synod felt is impossible since previous assemblies have upheld the action of the body in 1926.

The Rev. Henry J. Kuiper, pastor of Neland Avenue church and editor of the church weekly, the Banner, addressed the delegates in behalf of the Reformed Bible institute, a school for the training of lay-workers. Mr. Kuiper asked synod for support so that an additional full-time man may be employed. The institute is now maintained by voluntary contributions with Miss Johanna Timmer as the only full-time worker at present. Synod deferred action on this matter awaiting action of the committee.

Miss Louise Holtgeerts Is Honored at Shower

Miss Louise Holtgeerts was guest of honor at a bridal shower Wednesday, June 10 given by Mrs. J. H. Rutgers, Mrs. Joe Hofstee, Mrs. Jake Boerman and Mrs. Henry Holtgeerts at the Rutgers home on route 1. Miss Holtgeerts was presented with many gifts.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. John Breuker, and Miss Holtgeerts.

The invited guests included Mrs. Martin Den Bleyker, Mrs. George Breuker, Mrs. Fred Rutgers, Mrs. Henry Van Oss, Mrs. Gerrit Rutgers, Mrs. Peter Steketee, Mrs. John Breuker, Mrs. George Wiersma, Mrs. John W. Douma, Mrs. Peter Pott, Miss Lawrence Sierma, Mrs. Gerald Rutgers, Mrs. W. Dykens, Mrs. Walter Hoek, Mrs. Joe Hofstee, Mrs. Jake Boerman, Mrs. Henry Holtgeerts, Mrs. J. H. Rutgers, Miss Rosell Deters, Miss Josie Holtgeerts, Geneva Rutgers, Dorothy Rutgers, Mrs. Bert Holtgeerts, Miss Dena Speet, Mrs. Albert Wolbert, Mrs. Harry Pieper, Mrs. William Streur, Mrs. Albert Wolters, Mrs. Ben Wolters and Mrs. Steve Wolters.

Ladies Aid Society Has Birthday Party

More than 50 members of the Central Park Ladies Aid society and their guests gathered in the parlors of the church Thursday June 20, for a meeting in the form of a birthday party. Mrs. Fred S. Bertsch, the president, conducted the business session with Mrs. J. H. De Pree giving the secretary's report and Mrs. Russell Teusink reporting on the state of the treasury. Mrs. Henry Van Velden conducted the devotional reading and Mrs. Stanley Yntema led in the prayer.

Several novel and interesting games and contests were a part of the social hour and those receiving prizes were Mrs. George W. De Vries, Mrs. Henry Vanden Berg, Miss Grace Teusink and Mrs. A. Boerema of Detroit, the guest of Mrs. Richard Bouwman. Each one present contributed the amount of the years of their ages which totaled \$17.30.

Elaborate refreshments were served by a committee in charge of Mrs. H. Van Velden, assisted by Mrs. Peter Van Houw, Mrs. George E. Heneveld, Mrs. Henry W. Helmlink and Mrs. John Vander Werf. Mrs. Stanley Yntema was in charge of the program assisted by Mrs. Richard Bouwman. The next meeting will be held August 29th after the summer's recess.

Sister of Holland Man Dies in Grand Rapids

Grand Rapids, June 27.—Mrs. Gertrude Pitts, 40, of Grand Rapids, died in St. Mary's hospital June 20. Surviving are the husband, Edward Pitts; three brothers, William and George Vinning of Grand Rapids and Vernon Vinning of Holland; and two nieces and seven nephews.

Parking meters in 102 U. S. cities in 1939 yielded revenue of more than \$3,472,000. There are meters in use in 155 cities.

Imports into the U. S. of crude oil amounted to 7,188,000 barrels the first quarter of 1940, compared to 5,096,000 barrels in 1939.

Luidens Home Is Scene of Impressive Wedding

The marriage of Miss Marian E. Luidens, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John P. Luidens, and Marvin Shoemaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shoemaker of Zeeland, was solemnized in an impressive ceremony Thursday, June 20, in the Luidens home, 394 College Ave. The Rev. A. Luidens of Rochester, N. Y., an uncle of the bride, read the single ring service. The ring was the one the bride's father gave her mother when they were married several years ago. At that time Rev. Luidens served as best man.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Preston, wore white silk organdie with lace trim and carried a bridal bouquet of white roses, snapdragons, baby breath and larkspur. She wore flowers in her hair to match.

She was attended by Miss Alice Shoemaker of Zeeland, sister of the bridegroom, who wore blue marquisette, and carried a bouquet of pink snapdragons, larkspur and roses. Robert A. Luidens, another brother of the bride, was best man. John P. Luidens, also a brother, was master of ceremonies.

Vows were exchanged under a bower of peonies before the fireplace. A Luidens quartet sang "I Love You Truly" and "O Promise Me," accompanied by Miss Joy Luidens of Chicago. Mrs. John Bolhuis played the Lohengrin Wedding march.

A dinner party was held at the Kountry Kitchen for about 50 guests following the ceremony.

Among the out-of-town guests were the Rev. and Mrs. A. Luidens and Miss Anna Luidens of Rochester, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Z. Z. Luidens of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Luidens of Grand Rapids, Miss Joy Luidens of Chicago, Miss Ethel Luidens of New Brunswick, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. George Luidens of Sandusky, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. John Shoemaker and children, Clarence, Alice, Margaret and Mildred, Miss Kate Shoemaker, Nick Shoemaker, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Vanden Bosch and Esther, all of Zeeland, and Ivan Timmer of Hudsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Shoemaker of Toledo, Ohio, a brother and sister-in-law of the bridegroom, were involved in an auto accident en route between Plainwell and Otsego and could not be at the wedding. Mrs. Shoemaker's face was badly cut and Mr. Shoemaker was less seriously injured. Mrs. Shoemaker was taken to a hospital in Kalamazoo and will remain there for two weeks.

The bride couple left immediately after the dinner for a wedding trip to points north. For traveling the bride wore a blue outfit with a white coat. They will make their home at 394 College Ave. Mr. Shoemaker is connected with the U. S. department of labor and industry with offices in Lansing. Mrs. Shoemaker is employed with the Holland Furnace Co.

Four Plead Guilty to Traffic Charges Here

Four motorists were assessed fines and court costs after pleading guilty to traffic violations on their arraignments last Thursday afternoon before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith. They were Don Winter, 80 West 11th St., Bruce Van Leeuwen, 13 East 13th St., and Margaret Murphy, route 4, Holland, illegal parking, \$1 each; Stanley Brunsele, Pine Ave., failure to yield right of way, \$3.

Ice cream production in the 6,660 plants in the U. S. totaled more than 282 million gallons during 1938, a recent report reveals.

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CERTIFICATES GIVEN PUPILS

Coach Joe Moran, director of athletics in Holland elementary schools, awarded certificates on June 19 to boys and girls in Longfellow, Van Raalte, and Washington schools who have attained the necessary 350 points. Certificates were awarded as follows:

Washington: Sixth grade boys — Norman Fisher, Rudy Bilek, Raymond Haasjes, Max Frego, John Deising, John Essegager, Kenneth Mulder, Willis Postmus and Roger De Waard.

Sixth grade girls — Dolores Visschers, Nina Van Eyck, Betty Jane Gilcrest, Shirley Bedell, June Nash, Janice Parker and Donna Van De Vusse.

Five-A and six-B girls — Patsy Beyer, Elaine De Wit, Donna Elmbaas, June Riedsma, Kathryn Simpson and June Witteveen.

Five-A and six-B boys—Ronald Colton, Robert Allen, William Hinga and Bud Van De Wege.

Five-B and five-A girls — Jane Mary Visscher, Corrine Cornelissen, Joyce Hill, Betty Baldus and Ruth Prince.

Five-B and five-A boys — Roger Knoll, Howard French and Teddy De Graaf.

Longfellow: Five-A and five B girls — Eleanor Kolean, Isla Dozeman and Joanne Gogolin.

Five-A and six-B boys — Jerome Crowley, Bruce Ming, James Padgett, Paul Roberts, Jack Gogolin and James Schurman.

Six-A girls — Shirley Nienhuis, Anna Mae Smith, Lois Timmer, Janice Vander Borgh, Joyce Pierma and Elaine Brower.

Six-A boys — Lester Klaasen, Nelson Lucas, Chester Oonk, Morris Schepers, Jack Seidelman, Bob Sundin, Dale Van Dort and Dale Van Langevelde.

Four-A and five-B girls — Ruth Anderson, Elaine Pommering, Winifred Sloothaak, Donna Speet and Marilyn Stolp.

Four-A and five-B boys — Robert Anderson, Kenneth Bauman, Paul Douma, Lynn Post and Donald Van Hekken.

Van Raalte: Six-B and five-A boys — Merle Boes, Jack Brunzell, Kenneth Eterbeek, Jack Galien, Ted Karsten, Jack Van Dorp, Robert Bocks, Howard Meyer, Dale Timmer and Dale Mool.

Six-A boys — Robert Van Vuren and Edgar Valkema.

Six-A girls — Ardella Hopp, Jean Mack, Lois Mitchell, Lorraine Spruit, and Wilma Van Der Ble.

Fifth grade girls — Shirley Boerman, Betty Borr, Elaine Kole, Donna McCormick, and Beverly Visscher.

Five-A and six-B girls — Phyllis Boersma, Leona Gebben, Elaine Koop, Maxine Ver Hoef, Donna Boeve, Maxine McFall and Donna Siegers.

Fifth grade boys — Bill Bocks, Roger Visser, Richard Van Dyke and Marvin Verchure.

Jenison Park

Mrs. Richard Harriman and daughter, Donna, of Maine arrived here to spend the summer with her father, William Burt and family.

H. V. Jensen of Grand Rapids has purchased the former Bidler property which was destroyed by fire some years ago and expects to build in the near future.

George Damveld was among those who received his diploma at the high school graduation exercises last Thursday. He was listed on the senior honor roll.

Mrs. Lena Casper of Kentucky is the guest of Miss Ruby Hughes.

ADDED SUM FOR COUNTY RELIEF GETS APPROVAL

Ottawa Board Transfers Three Thousand From General Fund

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—Numerous items of business came before the Ottawa board of supervisors Tuesday as part of the June session.

In a letter addressed to Peter Van Ark, chairman of the special welfare committee, which was read to the board, the Ottawa county social welfare board said the equipment used in the ERA offices prior to Dec. 1, 1939, is state property and that the state department of social welfare had ordered that this equipment be turned over to the bureau of social aid as called for.

To replace this equipment, the welfare board recommended the purchase of four new typewriters at a cost of \$460.32 and five filing cabinets at a cost of \$277.199, and asked that it later be given authority to purchase three additional used typewriters and one or two adding machines, which would cost approximately \$225. The board authorized the purchase of four typewriters, four filing cabinets, three used typewriters and one or two used adding machines, at an approximate cost of \$950.

A resolution presented by Frank Hendrych against any extension of dog tax collection beyond March 1, 1941, the statute date, was adopted.

A communication signed by J. S. Van Volkenburgh, director of the Ottawa county department of social welfare, stated that the administrative expenses for the first six months' operations, Dec. 1, 1939, to June 1, 1940, were \$5,486.73, and that the estimate for the remaining seven months from June 1 to Dec. 31, 1940, will require \$6,300, or a total for the 13 months of \$11,786.73. He also called attention to the fact that the amount appropriated by the board last October, was \$8,000, which will leave approximately \$3,786.73 to be provided to complete the year.

The finance committee recommended that, as it had been informed that Van Volkenburgh had advised he had not quite so much help as before, the welfare unit, could possibly get along with \$5,513.27 for the remaining seven months, or a grant of \$11,000 for the entire year, \$3,000 in excess of the amount appropriated last October. Slaughter's motion that the county treasurer be instructed to transfer \$3,000 from the general fund to the welfare fund was carried.

The hospitalization committee presented each supervisor with a list of hospital cases which had not been refunded to the county by the patients, with the request that each supervisor check over each item and report whether the patient was or was not able to pay the amount due the county.

G.R. CRUISERS START ON TRIP

The fourth annual "Know Your Neighbor" cruise of the Grand Rapids Association of Commerce got off to a "rough" start Monday night as the S. S. North American sailed into Lake Michigan which had been whipped into a rough sea by strong westerly winds.

Approximately 150 businessmen, including three of Holland, were included in the cruise delegation. The group traveled from Grand Rapids to Holland in chartered buses.

At the eastern end of Eighth St., the men left their buses and paraded to the west end where they again boarded their buses and proceeded to the Montello park dock of the Georgian Bay line to board the North American.

The journey was rough and bumpy over M-21 from Grand Rapids to Holland and it was reported that the Association of Commerce gained more advocates for a new M-21.

Although scheduled to leave at 6 p.m., the North American did not pull away from her dock until about 6:30 p.m. Because of the strong westerly winds, the boat became caught in the mud near the dock but was soon freed. The boat also had considerable difficulty in heading into the wind to proceed down the channel.

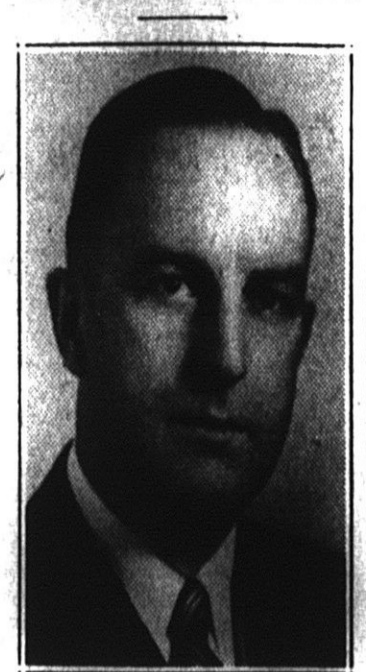
Even after the anchor had been dropped, considerable time elapsed before the boat was able to continue down the channel. A half hour later the boat sailed from Lake Macatawa into turbulent Lake Michigan.

Holland Group Attends John Verhoeks Funeral

Harry Kramer, Dave Damstra, Andrew Stokette and George Schulling, representing the Holland district of the executive committee of the Ottawa County Sunday School association, went to Grand Haven on Tuesday to attend funeral services for John W. Verhoeks, 78, who died Friday night at his home.

Mr. Verhoeks has been a member of the executive committee for the past 30 years. Other members of the executive committee also were expected to attend the funeral services.

HONORARY DEGREE IS CONFERRED ON OLERT



Dr. Frederick H. Oler

Alma college, a Presbyterian college in Michigan, conferred upon the Rev. Frederick H. Oler of Detroit, native of Holland, the honorary degree of doctor of divinity at annual commencement exercises June 15.

Dr. Oler is pastor of First Presbyterian church in downtown Detroit. He was born in Holland and was graduated from Holland high school. Hope college and Western Theological seminary. He was awarded his Th. M. degree from Louisville Presbyterian seminary in 1930 and took post graduate study at the University of Chicago and at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland.

Prior to his Detroit charge, Dr. Oler served First Presbyterian church in Paducah, Ky., and the Knox Presbyterian church, Hyde park, Cincinnati, O. Dr. Oler is a brother of John Oler of Holland, local merchant and member of the school board.

Attend Son's Wedding in Columbus, Ohio

Mr. and Mrs. John Breen, John Breen, Jr., and Miss Alyce Jean Smith returned home Monday night from Columbus, O., where they attended the wedding of the former's son, Glenn Breen and Miss Ruth Klaasen of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Breen left on a wedding trip to the Smokey mountains in Tennessee, and will be at home to their friends after July 5, at 118 E. Srambes Ave., Columbus.

Mr. Breen was graduated from Holland High school and Hope college, and took his masters degree at Purdue university. He is now a member of the faculty of Ohio State university. Mrs. Breen before her marriage was employed in the art department of the Rembrandt studios in Columbus.

Return From National Hi-Y Congress in Ohio

Kenneth De Groot and L. N. Moody have returned from attending the Third National Hi-Y Congress in Oberlin, Ohio. About 1,000 registered delegates were present from 45 states of the union, Canada, Central America and South America. There were various topics of interest discussed each day by prominent and outstanding men in religious and educational circles.

Definite stands were taken by the delegates on world issues, such as preserving peace, standing back of the principles of democracy, and upholding the rights of free speech.

Minister's Association Has Picnic at Tunnel

About 15 ministers and their families met at Tunnel Park Tuesday afternoon for a picnic supper. It was in the nature of a "pot-luck" affair with Mrs. C. M. Beert-huis, Mrs. Nicholas Gosselink and Mrs. C. M. Schoolland in charge. The men played baseball and all enjoyed the social fellowship.

The Rev. William G. Fowderday presided at the business session at which a formal report was given by the Tulip Time committee of the organization.

After earnest discussion a lengthy resolution commending the Tulip Time manager and those in charge of the civic celebration and asking for a diminution of Sunday activities was passed. This will be made public after it has been signed by all the ministers and their consistories and official boards and handed to the Tulip Time manager.

Party Celebrates Two Birthdays

Mrs. Charles Vander Meulen, 4, East 19th St., last Wednesday afternoon entertained at a double birthday party for her two oldest children, Walter and Iva, who celebrated their birthdays on the same day. They are 12 and 10 years old, respectively. The home was attractively decorated in summer flowers in pink and blue, and a two-course luncheon was served. The guests of honor received many gifts from their friends.

In games, prizes were won by Juella Mast, Margaret Looman, Donald Lokker and Peter Terp-sma. Others present were Ruth Schuetky, Patty Ann and Maxine Brieve, Jackie Ann Jacobs, Nancy Ann Vander Meulen, and Robert Scholten.

Ferryburg Man Weds Girl of Holland

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Borchers, route 6, Holland announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Dina Borchers, to Edward Brown, son of Mrs. Florence Brown of Ferryburg.

The wedding took place Friday night at Grand Haven.

VOTE CHANGE IN REGATTA DATES

Hollis Baker, O. W. Lowry and Henry Van Steenwyk, representing the Macatawa Bay Yacht club, attended a meeting of delegates of the West Michigan Yachting association Monday night in Spring Lake. Warren S. Merriam of Holland, not a delegate from the local club, also was present.

The West Michigan Yachting association is composed of the yachting clubs at White Lake, Spring Lake, Grand Rapids and Macatawa lake.

The delegates voted to change the dates for the annual Western Michigan regatta to be held this year with the Macatawa Bay Yacht club as host. Originally scheduled for Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 2, 3, and 4, the regatta will be held a week later, Aug. 9, 10 and 11.

This necessitated a shift in the dates for the annual Black Lake-White Lake race for 22's and Universal classes. This event was originally scheduled for Aug. 9, 10 and 11 but will now be held Aug. 2, 3 and 4. The change in dates was made because of the annual coast guard festival which will be held in Grand Haven Aug. 2, 3 and 4.

Wallace Hook of Grand Rapids was named chairman of the Western Michigan regatta which will be held here. His committee will be composed of the commodores of the various clubs forming the association.

SURVEYS CRASH AND THEN DRIVES AWAY

A hit-run driver was held responsible for an accident on 32nd St., east of Central Ave., about 10:55 p.m. Tuesday in which one of the two cars crashed into a ditch.

Driver of one of the automobiles was Allen Piersma, 17, 122 West 26th St. He reported to local police he was driving west on 32nd St. and that the second automobile cut in front of his car as it passed.

The car of the hit-and-run driver hit the front wheels of Piersma's car, causing him to lose control of it. Piersma said the other driver turned around at the intersection and drove past the scene of the accident, apparently to determine whether any one had been injured. Maynard Weigink, 367 Michigan Ave. was listed as a witness.

Legion Auxiliary Names Delegates to Convention

At a regular meeting of the American Legion auxiliary Monday night Mrs. Harry Kramer and Mrs. Jack Riemersma were appointed as first and second delegates and Mrs. Nicholas Hoffman, Jr., and Mrs. J. Kobes at first and second alternates to the 22nd annual state convention of the American Legion to be held August 17 to 20 in Bay City.

Mrs. Hoffman, president, presided at the business session. Reports were given by Mrs. H. Stanaway, rehabilitation chairman and Mrs. V. P. Foltz, Gold Star chairman.

Announcement was made that the Charles A. Conklin unit No. 28, Grand Haven will entertain auxiliaries of Zeeland, Coopersville and Holland at the American Legion club house tonight at 8 p.m.

The second division of which Mrs. B. Kammeraad and Mrs. H. Poppen are co-chairmen, will have a beach party Friday evening. Members will meet in the club rooms at 6:15 p.m.

A request for used furniture for a needy family was placed by Mrs. A. Dogger, child welfare chairman.

James Mool, Holland high school student who was named first place winner in the local National Defense essay contest sponsored by the unit, read his paper entitled "Why Our National Defense is the Best Insurance Against War." Mrs. P. Michaely, national defense chairman, announced that Leone Overbeek won the second prize in the contest.

Games were played and refreshments were served by Mrs. F. Meppelink, Mrs. William Hoek and Mrs. A. Vander Bie. There will be no auxiliary meetings during July and August.

Shower Compliments Girl of Beaverdam

Miss Winifred De Jonge was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given by Miss Janet De Boer at her home in Beaverdam Wednesday evening, June 19. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Miss Ethel Veldman and Mrs. M. Van Noord. A two-course lunch was served by the hostess assisted by her mother, Mrs. Frank De Boer.

Those attending were Mrs. L. Oihlman, Mrs. L. De Vries, Mrs. T. De Jonge, Mrs. G. Berens, Mrs. M. Van Noord, Mrs. O. Sampson and the Misses Carrie Stegehuis, Alma Bowman, Ethel Veldman, Irene Knapp, Tena De Jonge and Alverna Abel.

Lioness Club Is Organized Here

Wives of the members of the Holland-Lion's club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Edward Van Dyke and made plans to organize a Lioness club.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Joe Kramer, president; Mrs. William Nies, vice president; and Mrs. Duff Wade, secretary-treasurer. The first regular meeting will be held in August.

Following Chapel Ceremony



Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jeffery

Hope Memorial chapel was the scene of its first wedding this season Saturday afternoon when Miss Ruth Muilenburg of Mancelona, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Muilenburg of Holland, became the bride of Norman Jeffery of Bellaire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jeffery of Marquette. The couple is shown at the rear of the auditorium just following the ceremony.

Wedding Is Performed in Zeeland Church

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyer are established in their home in Zeeland and following their marriage in First Reformed church in Zeeland Wednesday evening, June 19, Mrs. Meyer is the former Nella Pyle, daughter of Mrs. Alice Pyle of Zeeland. The bridegroom is a son of Mrs. Mabel Meyer of Hudsonville.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Dr. John Van Peursem before a background of palm trees and baskets of roses and candles and lighted candelabra. Before the ceremony, Mrs. Lorenzo Meengs sang "I Love You Truly," and "Because," accompanied by Miss Annette Meyer, cousin of the bridegroom, who also played the wedding march.

Miss Harriet Pyle, sister of the bride, attended as maid of honor. Richard Meyer, brother of the bridegroom, assisted as best man and Harry Meyer and Harold Pikaart were ushers.

Mrs. Alice Pyle and Mrs. Mabel Meyer wore pink ensembles with white accessories and shoulder corsages of snapdragons and pink roses. After the ceremony 110 guests greeted the couple in the church parlors where a three-tiered wedding cake centered the bride's table. A two-course wedding repast was served by Miss Hattie Rookus, Mrs. Peter Madderom and Mrs. Christ Plasman, assisted by the following waitresses: Misses Henrietta Yntema, Jean Vander Wege, Elizabeth Wil-

son, Betty Plasman, Iris Postma, Leona Wagenaar and Lillian Verhoeven.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Palmbo, sister and brother-in-law of the groom, were master and mistress of ceremonies and Mrs. Carl Frens was in charge of the gift room.

In an informal program the Ludeman trio of Beaverdam played instrumental selections and also sang. Readings were given by Mrs. William Boersma, Albert Talsma and Hazel Ann Kroll. A dialogue by Mrs. Frank Diepenhorst, Mrs. Henry Kroll and Hazel Ann was followed by a brief talk by the Rev. Joe Eernisse, pastor of the Hudsonville Reformed church.

Included in the large delegation of Holland who will attend the state Christian Endeavor convention in Detroit the latter part of the week are the following who will leave Thursday morning: Wayne and Irving Lemmen, Beatrice Oosterbaan, Amy and Virginia Potter, Walter Groenewoud, Betty Van Tatenhove, Marvin Kragt, Norman and Louise Ter Beek, Cornelia Van Voorst, Esther Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Van Voorst, Donald De Waard and Vernon Kraai, Mrs. John Ter Beek will accompany one of the groups and will visit her sister in Windsor.

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FRANK WESTRA SUICIDE VICTIM

Despondent over the death of his mother last Feb. 27, Frank Westra, 25, 284 East 11th St., committed suicide Tuesday afternoon by inhaling gas from an open jet in the bathroom of the home.

His body was found lying on the floor about 2:30 p.m. by a married sister, Dr. John K. Winter, county coroner, expressed belief that Westra had been dead about two hours when his body was found.

A note, addressed to his father, was found in the home. Westra's sister had talked with him on the telephone about noon Tuesday during which time she invited him for dinner but he declined and asked his sister to visit him about 1:30 p.m.

Relatives said that following his mother's death, Westra suffered a nervous breakdown and had since been depressed. Dr. Winter said his verdict would be suicide due to despondency over his mother's death.

The young man was born in Holland Aug. 5, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Westra. He had been employed as a welder in the General Motors plant in Grand Rapids.

Survivors are the father, Samuel Westra, and three sisters, Mrs. Chris De Witt of Zeeland and Mrs. Stanley Huyser and Mrs. Abel Van Dyke of Holland.

Private funeral services for relatives and friends will be held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. from the Dykstra funeral home with the Rev. D. H. Walters, pastor of Central Avenue Christian Reformed church and moderator for Ninth Street Christian Reformed church, officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Personals

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) Allen Van Huis of 646 Washington Ave., one of the local boys attending the Wolverine Boys State at East Lansing, has been elected treasurer of Baldwin county, one of the mythical areas in the Boys' State program. All Holland boys are listed as having come from different cities, and Allen is from the mythical city of Pierce.

Henry Geertman, 146 Fairbanks Ave., filed application for a building permit with City Clerk Oscar Peterson Tuesday to build a basement under his home, \$200.

Athur Van Duren, 24 East 14th St., spent Monday in Chicago on business.

E. P. Stephan, secretary-manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce, left Tuesday night on a two-day business trip to Detroit and Algonac.

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Vows Exchanged in Rusk Church

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Velthouse of North Blendon are making their home on the Styf farm on Zeeland route 2 following their marriage Wednesday, June 12, in Rusk Christian Reformed church. Mrs. Velthouse was formerly Miss Anne Bowman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowman of Rusk. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben G. Velthouse of North Blendon.

Nuptial vows were exchanged before an altar banked with palms, white peonies, snapdragons, gladioli and button roses. The Rev. Nicholas Beute of the Rusk church read the impressive double ring service. The Rev. J. J. Stienenga of California, uncle of the bride, was to assist but was detained by the synod meetings.

Miss Josephine Bowman, sister of the bride was bridesmaid. Edward Klinge of Holland assisted his cousin as best man. John Dye and Joe Sall were ushers.

The wedding march was played by Miss Ethel Stienenga of California, cousin of the bride. She also played as Miss Kathryn Bowman, sister of the bride, sang "I Love You Truly."

Mrs. Fred Meyer, sister of the bridegroom, assisted Mrs. Henry Martine, sister of the bride, who was in charge of the gift room. Henry Dye and Minnie Velthouse were master and mistress of ceremonies.

A reception followed in the home of the bride's parents where a supper was served to 180 guests by Mrs. Al Luurtsema as caterers, and Misses Minnie Knoper, Grace Kuypers, Genzina Mast, Ella, Minnie and Wilmina Holstege, Hattie, Fanny Mae, Edith and Fanny Overway as waitresses.

Guests were present from Muskegon, Spring Lake, Graafschap, Holland, Zeeland, Borculo, Allendale, North Blendon, Rusk and California.

Third Church Teachers to Meet at Cottage

Teachers and officers of Third Reformed church Sunday school will have a quarterly meeting Friday evening at John Koolker's cottage at Maple beach on Lake Michigan. Miss Mary Geegh of Madanapalle, India, will be the speaker and Dr. William J. Van Kersen will lead the devotions.

Refreshments will be served by the officers with Mrs. Al Van Lente and Mrs. Ray Knooihuizen in charge. The meeting is called for 8 p.m. and the teachers and officers are urged to be there early to enjoy a social time on the beach preceding the meeting.

AT VERHOEKS FUNERAL

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—Henry Pelgrim of Holland was in Grand Haven Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral for John W. Verhoeks of Grand Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook are making their home in Benheim where Mr. Cook is employed.

TRY THE NEWS CLASSIFIED

COUPLE IS MARRIED IN BORCULO PARSONAGE

Miss Margaret Van Den Bosch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Van Den Bosch of Borculo, and Laverne Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Cook of Benheim, were united in marriage at the parsonage of the Borculo Christian Reformed church Friday evening.

The Rev. A. De Vries performed the ceremony at 7 p.m. The bride was attended by Miss Janet Cook, sister of the bridegroom. The bridegroom was attended by Conrad Van Den Bosch, brother of the bride.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for the immediate family.

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CONSIDER SWITZERLAND

With the entry of Italy into the war the little federated republic of Switzerland finds itself for the first time completely surrounded by belligerents. Consider the situation of that tiny country, an island of uneasy armed peace, in a raging ocean of war. To get an idea of what the Swiss are facing it is helpful to describe the situation in terms of the American continent.

Suppose a little patch of territory of that size and population were placed in the center of the United States; suppose on all sides the states bordering on this little area were fighting with all the savagery and hatred and blood and terror that modern weapons have made possible. How much chance would there be for such a country to maintain its neutrality and autonomy? Yet that's Switzerland's situation exactly.

Along its northern border stretches Germany; for an almost exactly equal distance along its southern and eastern border runs Italy; to the west lies France. Not an inch of border that is not bounded by desperately fighting peoples, and no outlet to any sea for the hemmed in population.

There is another element in the situation that people in America can hardly even appreciate. About a third of the population of Switzerland speaks German, about a third French, and about a third Italian. Enter Switzerland from the south and you hardly realize you are not in Italy; enter it from the west and you seem to be in a French province; enter it from the north and you appear to be in an atmosphere of German life.

Yet in spite of that the Swiss people are always Swiss first, and that without hyphens. Moreover, they have maintained this position for four centuries. Evidently they hope to maintain it in the present difficulties. They may succeed, but if they do it will be one of the geographical and political miracles of this century.

THE CHURCH INVITES YOU

Here are some of the things your absence from the church service does: It makes some question the reality of religion. It makes some think that you are a mere pretender. It looks as if you consider spiritual welfare a small affair. It weakens the effect of the church services. It makes it harder for the minister to preach. Your staying away may cause others to do the same. It makes it harder for you to meet the temptations of the week. It gives the evil forces more power. It encourages the sin of Sabbath desecration.

So why not accept the invitation and go to church next Sunday?

Sunday School Lesson

June 30, 1940

Jonah—The Outreach of God's Love

Jonah 3: 1-10; 4: 10, 11

By Henry Geerlings

The book of Jonah is in narrative form throughout, and so differs from the other prophetic books. Its story is in part familiar to most people, but its meaning is largely misunderstood. When the book is mentioned, people usually discuss the possibility of a fish swallowing a man, or a man surviving in a fish's stomach and overlook the marvelous teaching of the book. For this book is the means of the most sublime revelations of truth in the Old Testament.

Again we need to see something of the national background. The reforms instituted by Nehemiah and Ezra helped to rebuild the Jewish nation, but helped also to produce a very exclusive spirit. Surrounded by enemies as this small nation was, this exclusiveness was necessary if the integrity of the nation was to be preserved. Yet, in time, it led to a hard, narrow attitude towards other peoples which certain religious leaders had to try to overcome, notably the writer of this book.

During these centuries after the

exile, the Jews became the people whom we meet in the New Testament. They had learned to believe in one God. They were never idolaters after the Babylonian captivity. They had the rebuilt temple but they had also built synagogues throughout the land. There were many different conceptions of religion among the people and different attitudes towards other people. One very strong tendency was towards an intense nationalism. The state was supposedly theocratic, ruled by God. In spite of the teachings of the great prophets of the eighth and seventh centuries, B. C., the conception of God was such as to intensify this narrow nationalism.

The whole story of Jonah is needed to see the point of the lesson. The word of the Lord came to him. He was to preach to the people of Nineveh, the city of the Assyrians. He decided he would not obey. He did not like the thought of trying to bring the hated Assyrians to repentance. He went to Joppa on the coast of the Mediterranean, and sailed on a ship bound for Tarishus. A storm arose, and the captain and crew superstitiously imagined that the cause of the storm was the presence of some evil-doer on their ship. So they cast lots, and the lot fell on Jonah. He told his story, and the hearers realized he was fleeing from God. At his own suggestion he was thrown overboard. The storm subsided, and the sailors feared Jehovah and offered sacrifices. But God had other work for Jonah. This is the story of a great refusal to do the will of God, and a great refusal to do the will of God.

One outstanding truth of this book is that a man cannot run away from God and duty with any degree of comfort and success. God is bound to follow him. This is the experience of men who have thought most deeply about the matter. Jacob found that out when he made a hurried exit from home and mother and father and brother, out yonder toward Haran, in a seemingly desolate and comfortless spot, a spot whose loneliness could be felt, this runaway pilgrim rested his head for the night on a stone pillow and to his great surprise found God in that out-of-the-way place, a place that seemed to him to be the very house of God.

Another outstanding truth of this wonderful book is that God cares for all peoples. The Jews did not believe this. They imagined they had a monopoly upon the love and interest of God. They were his chosen people, but that did not mean that they were exclusively the people of God. Jonah was afflicted with an overdose of Jewish pride of race and with a pronounced lack of sympathy for other races. God wanted to cure him of his race prejudice and his national bigotry. God had a big task on hand when He undertook to rehabilitate Jonah. He was sure that he was going to circumvent the plans of Jehovah. He did not propose to go to Nineveh. The storm at sea and the tossing overboard of the undesirable passenger and the whole story are but the writer's way of saying that God intercepted a headstrong and runaway prophet.

PERSONALS

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Richard Scheerhorn of East 13th St., Holland high school student, is recovering from a fractured left arm and elbow sustained last Monday when diving at Ottawa beach.

The Rev. Russell Redeker of Primghar, Ia., graduate of Western Theological seminary and son-in-law of Mrs. John Engelsman of Holland, has declined both of his calls, the first from Middleburg, Orange City, Ia., and the second from East Lawn, Muskegon.

Ed Heneveld of Chicago and Bill De Groot of Evanston spent the week-end at their respective homes. They returned to their work early this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Molenaar visited at the home of their sister and brother-in-law and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. Klomparsen, in Muskegon Sunday.

A Men's Trio made up of Harold Mokma, Henry Kleinheksel and Lawrence Mokma furnished special music for the morning service in Fourth church Sunday. The Van Oss quartet sang in the evening.

Mrs. Paul Wajohn of 276 West 15th St., left for Grand Haven Sunday night to take care of her mother-in-law, Mrs. R. Wajohn, who is ill.

Miss Hazel Haugh, principal of Lincoln school and her mother, Mrs. Amanda Haupt, plan to spend the summer vacation taking a trailer trip into the Upper Peninsula.

Miss Mame Ewald, teacher in Junior High school, is attending summer school in Ypsilanti, where she is taking a course in modern literature and Shakespearean tragedy.

The Misses Dora Schermer, Jessie Brandams, Jeanette and Jennie Mulder, have returned from a two-weeks auto trip. Stops were made at Carlsbad caverns and Rehoboth, N. M.; Grand Canyon, Nion National park and Bryce Canyon, Arizona; Boulder Dam, Nevada; Salt Lake city, Utah; and Denver, Colo.

Miss Bernice Jacobs, a student at Ypsilanti State Teachers college, has returned to her home at 564 College Ave. for the summer vacation. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Jacobs motored to Ypsilanti to visit their daughter last week-end.

Miss Joyce Van Oss of 560 State St. left Thursday afternoon for La-Mars, Iowa, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Chester Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth R. Osborne and daughter, Lynn, expected to leave this noon for Canton, N. Y., where Mr. Osborne will

teach for the summer at St. Lawrence university. They plan to take up residence in New York city Sept. 15.

Special music at the morning service of Third Reformed church was furnished by Miss Martha Barkema of Baylor university, Waco, Texas. Miss Lois Knoohuizen and Miss Beatrice Geerlings sang at the evening service.

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Leetsma and son, Jan, of Fenton are guests of Mrs. R. P. Leetsma, East 12th St.

Prof. and Mrs. Albert Raap have returned to their home in Miami, Fla., after a brief stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Luidens, 307 College Ave. Mrs. William Mull of Grand Rapids, was also a guest in the Luidens home a few days.

Billy Votruba, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Votruba of Traverse City, has been selected as prince of the Traverse City Cherry festival July 17, 18 and 19. Billy is the grandson of Mrs. A. C. Keppel of 85 East 10th St.

Prof. Thomas E. Welmers left this noon for Le Mars, Ia., where he will spend three weeks in the interest of the Hope college science building project.

Miss Minnie K. Smith, principal of Holland Junior High school, reported today that three coats, three sweaters and a dress have been left at the school by various pupils, who are requested to call for their property on Monday.

Mrs. Paul Sawers of Mobile, Ala., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Takken of route 6.

R. E. Jilison, 129 East 19th St., filed application for a building permit Friday to remodel a garage of frame construction and asphalt roofing, \$100.

Mrs. Edgar Phello of Oakfield, N.Y., is spending two weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Beeuwkes, 83 West 18th St.

The Holland Hard of Hearing society held its annual picnic in the gymnasium of Washington school Thursday night. The picnic had been planned at Kollen park. A pot-luck supper was served. In the contests William Van Dragt won the pie eating event and Mrs. Jelsema the basketball tossing and Tennis Van Dyke, the Indian club contest.

Edwin Aalberts, teacher at Froebel school, is in a favorable condition following a major operation in Holland hospital this morning.

Mrs. J. W. Van Zanten arrived from New York city yesterday to be present at a family dinner to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Van Zoeren at their home on West Ninth St., tonight, honoring the latter's mother, Mrs. J. J. Van Zanten, who today is observing her 81st birthday. Mrs. J. W. Van Zanten will be a guest for a week at the home of Mrs. J. A. Vanderveen on the Park road.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Drenthe and Mary Jane Heizer of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Neckers and son, Douglas of Clymer, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Van Lente of Central Ave. Miss Beth Van Lente is planning to return to New York for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Neckers on Sunday.

Mrs. A. C. Keppel and Miss Ruth Keppel have returned from a trip to Wash., D. C. and State College, Penn. Keppel Cloetingh returned home with them and will spend the summer with his grandmother.

Mrs. W. A. Worthington of Annville, Ky., who spent the past week here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. C. Nettinga, has returned home. Paul Nettinga of Chicago spent several days the past week with his mother at the Nettinga home on West 11th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Brooks and family are occupying their cottage at Macatawa park for the summer.

Miss Marjory Brooks has completed her sophomore year at the University of Chicago, and has returned to Holland to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Maentz and two sons, moved yesterday to their cottage at Castle park for the summer months.

Mrs. W. C. Snow, Miss Laura A. Boyd and Miss Elizabeth Lighty left this morning for Drummond Island, where they will be guests for several days of Miss Metta Ross and Miss Jeanette Mulder, who left Holland Thursday to spend the summer at their place on the island.

Prof. and Mrs. William Schrier and daughter, Sally, plan to leave Holland tomorrow for Evanston, Ill., where Prof. Schrier will do graduate study at Northwestern university, continuing work on his doctorate. They will occupy the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Haan, who with their son, Edward, plan to spend the summer in Holland in the Schrier apartment, 78 East 12th St. Mrs. Haan is a sister of Mrs. J. C. Rhea of this city.

An automobile, driven by Miss Betty Jo Gresham, 78 West Ninth St., struck the automobile of Fred Konklin, parked on the west side of River Ave. between Ninth and 10th Sts., about 10:15 a.m. today. The Konklin car was slightly damaged.

Sternberg Family Holds Reunion at Tunnel
The annual reunion of the descendants of Bernardus Sternberg was held at Tunnel park June 19 with 54 present. It is planned to have the next reunion at Castle park in 1941.

Officers were reelected including Miss Jane Bottje of Grand Haven, president; Dr. John Sternberg of Holland, vice president; and Mrs. Ben J. Sternberg, secretary and treasurer.

In The Good Old Days

News items which were published in the January 17 issue of the Ottawa County Times edited by M. G. Manting in 1897 included: Ex-sheriff Keppel is now under-sheriff of the county.

Holland has nine lawyers, Grand Haven 11 and Coopersville 2. A marriage license was issued Monday to Albertus Van der Haar, supervisor of Holland township, and Bertha Witteveen of Holland town.

The petition of Sheriff Frank Van Ry to the board of supervisors that they restore the old rate of forty cents a day for boarding prisoners, was not granted.

Walter Drinkwater had a narrow escape while out hunting with some companions last Saturday. A gun in the hands of Will Stansbury was accidentally discharged and the charge was so close to Walter's head that it singed the hair in his neck.

The wheelmen of this city should get in readiness for an early start on that bicycle path to Macatawa Park or help finish up the gravel road. Bicycles will be more in use than ever next season. The Grand Rapids factories alone expect to turn out \$1,000,000 worth this year.

Everet Zwemer, son of John Zwemer of this city, and Miss Ida Van Weelden of Grand Haven were married yesterday.

The regular annual meeting of the Lyceum Opera House Co., was held Monday evening and the following officers were re-elected: President, Phil Bird, vice president, Simon Kley, secretary, Gerard Kanter, treasurer, Jacob Kuitte.

Correspondence included: Rusk—Harry Scott is here on a visit for a few weeks, he has been out west in Minnesota six years.

Mr. De Jong, our mail carrier, was hindered this week by the snowstorm Tuesday to make his heavy rain falls followed by the trip to Zeeland for the mail.

East Holland—Mr. and Mrs. H. Van de Linde returned from Fremont where they spent a few weeks with R. Van de Linde.

Married last Friday by Rev. J. Vander Meulen, Renie Van Putten, and Annie Reisinga of Fillmore.

Miss Jennie Geerlings of Holland was guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Geerlings last Tuesday.

Jamestown Literary society meets every Friday evening at the schoolhouse and is well attended and much interest manifested by all in their efforts to make a success of their undertakings.

A member of our citizens met at the school house last Monday evening and re-organized the Jamestown free silver club, electing Nicholas De Vries president and appointing a committee to draft a constitution and by laws to be reported at their meeting.

Drenthe—Presented to A. Sneller by Mrs. Sneller as a New Year's gift a little girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Riddering of Grand Rapids who have been calling on friends and relatives here returned last Friday.

Hattie Brower of Kalamazoo is visiting with friends and relatives here and in Oakland.

Noordeloos—Rev. J. Groen of Zeeland conducted the services in the Christian Reformed church, last Sunday, and ordained A. Rosbach as deacon in the place of J. Meyering who resigned.

Vriesland—The Misses Lena and Gertrude Yonker are visiting friends in Grand Haven.

Zeeland—Miss Lena De Krui is visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. S. Young at Coopersville. The collection at the Sunday school of the Reformed church for last year, for foreign and domestic mission amounted to \$498.

Another old war merchant is selling oil for 7c a gallon.

J. De Krui and William De Krui and their families filled a sleigh and pleasantly surprised their sister, Mrs. Dr. Van den Berg at New Holland Wednesday evening.

Holland Centre—Mr. and Mrs. J. Vanden Berg of Blenden visited with H. Ter Beek and family this week.

Vice president, Annie Brinkman; Secretary, Henry Sagers; Treasurer, Annie Dunnewind.

Postmaster-Manus Knoll has put his spare moments to good use, by inventing and perfecting a sawing machine.

A contract has been made with Mr. Watson manager of the Chase Telephone Co., and work will commence on the new telephone line next week. The local office will be at Rutgers and Tein's store.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Lahuis of Zeeland and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilterink of East Holland were here Wednesday calling on relatives and friends.

Overisel—A delegation from Graafschap is expected to look over our creamery in view of the intention of having one in operation there before long.

Other interesting locals which appeared in this issue were: Rev. A. H. Strabbing of Kalamazoo, formerly of this city has accepted a call to Marion, N. Y.

Theological student A. Van Arendonk has received a call from the Reformed church at Luctor, Kansas.

Rev. W. Stegeman of Armour, S. Dak., formerly a New Holland resident, has declined a call to Lafayette, Ind.

The tenth annual convention of the Ottawa Co., Sunday school association will be held at Coopersville Feb. 23 and 24.

George McConnell and family have moved to Grand Haven where he will be interested in the proposed Grand Haven basket factory.

Married on Tuesday, Jan. 12, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. W. H. Van Antwerp, D. D., Emilie Stevenson Goss to James Leo Kymer of the firm Lyon, Beecher and Kymer of Grand Rapids.

The installation of officers of the G.A.R., S. of W., and W.R.C. took place Wednesday evening at the hall in the First State Bank block. The officers were installed respectively by the installing officers Ben Van Raalte, John Kramer and Mrs. Kate Van Raalte.

The A. O. U. W. lodge installed the following officers Wednesday night: P. M. W., George Van Landegend; M. W., John Baldwin; F. Herman Damson; Recorder, Bert Barnard; Financier, C. L. Stillman; Receiver, Jacob Wise; O. William Miles; O. W., Charles Krause.

The first annual meeting of the State Farmers Institute for Ottawa County opened here Tuesday morning and closed Wednesday evening. The Ottawa County institute society was organized under the State laws Oct. 2, 1896, and has at present a membership of about one hundred.

Dinner Dance Opens Yacht Club Season
Approximately 110 members of the Macatawa Bay Yacht club and their guests attended the gala opening dinner dance in the club house Saturday night which opened the club's second season of activity. Bowls of peonies were used as decoration on the tables. Bob Walters and his orchestra furnished music for the dancing.

Included in the schedule for the summer are regular dinner dances, junior parties, family dinners, luncheon-bridge parties for women members, dances for high school and college groups, and the always popular Sunday night buffet suppers. A special fourth of July program also has been planned by the entertainment committee, which is composed of Mesdames O. W. Lowry, Phillips Brooks, James DePree and Lester Harrett.

Lincoln School Has Picnic at Tunnel
About 300 attended the annual picnic of Lincoln school at Tunnel park recently. Crackerjack, lollipops and balloons were given to the children.

Prizes were awarded to Dale Becker, Raymond Veldheer, Joyce Ver Beek, Mary Jane Arntz, Harvey Jalving, Bobby Groen, Joyce Talsma, Lola Haight, Sonny Overway, Jimmy Hildebrandt, Aletha Serna, Maureen Brower, Paul Johnson, Dale Newhouse, David Kempker, Ella Lamberts, Gertrude Lamberts, Jim Thorpe, Bobby Felkema, Roger Horn, Lorraine Rowell, Doris Haight, Laverne Serna, Leon Jacobs, Angeline Bosch, Geraldine Acterhof, Miss Peterson, Mrs. J. Hooker and Harold Kraai.

The committee in charge of arrangements was composed of John Mokma, Andrew Jalving, W. B. Haight and John Kiekintveld.

John Adams and John Quincy Adams, father and son, both presidents of the U. S., served as ambassadors of their country to Russia, Holland and Great Britain.

Hatching
A large number of chickens are hatching in the Holland area.

Holland Women Attend State VFW Convention
Nine members of the Holland Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary attended the state convention in Bentsen Harbor last Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Rain held up the Saturday parade which is held annually but the rest of the meetings were run off on schedule. The Holland auxiliary received two citations.

Local women who attended the affair included, Anna Wajohn, Myrtle Lundie, Marie Arnold, Marguerite Klomparsen, Nell Klomparsen, Margaret Van Kolken, Alice Jilison, Wilma Sas and Lillian Borchers.

Jeffery-Muilenburg Vows Spoken in Hope Chapel

At a simple but impressive service Saturday at 4 p.m., Miss Ruth Jean Muilenburg of Mancelona, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Muilenburg of Holland, became the bride of Norman Jeffery of Bellaire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jeffery of Marquette, at a ceremony in Hope Memorial chapel. The bride's father read the single ring service.

Vows were exchanged before a bank of palms and ferns. Preceding the service, Henry Veld of Rock Island, Ill., brother-in-law of the bride, played "Andante Cantabile," Tchaikowsky, on the chapel organ. He also played the traditional wedding marches, "Bridal Chorus" from the opera Lohengrin by Wagner and "Wedding March," Mendelssohn, as a recessional.

Preceding the bride as maid of honor was a close friend, Miss Borghild Strom of Frankfort. The Rev. John Muilenburg of New York city, brother of the bride, served as best man. Ushers were Charles Van Zanten of Shelby and Fred Olsen of Detroit.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents. The table was centered with a large tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom, and flanked by tall white tapers in silver candle sticks. Mrs. Fred Olsen of Detroit presided. Assisting in serving were Mrs. C. Van Dyke and Mrs. Peter Broekstra of Central Park.

Included in the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jeffery and children, Millicent and Clarice of Marquette, Mr. and Mrs. Mizer and daughter, Carol, and Mrs. Carleton Neeland of Mancelona, Miss Borghild Strom of Frankfort, Miss Claire Webster of Dearborn, Miss Gladys Hartzel of Cedar Rapids, Ia., Dr. and Mrs. William Winter of Holland, Miss Jean Rottschaefer of Trenton, Kenneth Vander Velde, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Veldhuis and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Olsen and son, Charles, of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Veld of Rock Island, Ill., Miss Helene Van Appledorn of Holland, Mrs. Paul Klein of Reed City, Mrs. Richard Bolt of Grand Haven and the Rev. John Muilenburg of New York city.

The bride was born in Kalamazoo. She was graduated from Harvey high school near Chicago and from Hope college. She has been teaching in Mancelona schools. The bridegroom is a graduate of Northern State Teachers college in Marquette. He taught school a few years and at present is agent for child welfare of Antrim county. In the fall he plans to attend Western Reserve university at Cleveland to study for his master's degree in social science.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery left Sunday evening for a wedding trip west during which they will visit the Grand Canyon. For traveling the bride wore a green and white print jersey with a white pique coat. After the trip, they will spend the remainder of the summer at their summer home at Torch lake near Mancelona and will go to Cleveland in the fall.

Teachers Leave Holland for Summer Vacations
The close of the school year sees many Holland teachers leaving to attend various summer schools or to enjoy their vacations at home.

Miss Clara Reverts, Miss Hannah Parkyn and Miss Linnea Nelson of the senior high school faculty will attend summer school at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor during the summer. Miss Beatrice Hagen will spend her vacation at her home in Muskegon.

A trip to Mexico City and the southwest is being planned by Miss Margaret Randels. She will also be at home in Alma, for part of the summer. Miss Hazel De Meyer and Miss Esther Veenhuis will leave for their homes in Kalamazoo and Miss Iva Davidson will go to Mason.

Miss Janet Mulder will go north to spend the summer at Drummond in Chippewa county. Miss Mabel Apel will be at home in Sandusky, Ohio.

Several of the junior high school teachers also plan to attend summer school. Miss Joan Vander Werf, Miss Doris Brower and Miss Tricie Moore will take courses at Northwestern university in Evanston, Ill. Miss Bernice Bishop will be at Madison, Wis., until August 1 and Miss Clara McClellan at Ypsilanti.

Miss Beatrice Denton will spend the summer at her home at Lawrence, Mrs. Louise Krum at Galesburg, Miss Mame Ewald at Benton Harbor, and Miss Minnie Nelson at Northport. Miss Emily Shoup will vacation in Nashville, Tenn., and Dallas C. Ruch will go to Plymouth, Ind.

Miss Minnie K. Smith will be at Kalamazoo, Mrs. Irene Ver Hulst at Marquette, and Richard Smith at Ann Arbor and Edwardburg, Mich. Miss Ruth Geerlings will go to New Haven, Conn.

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Two Arraigned Before Hoffer at Grand Haven

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—Raymond Beaton, 22, Grand Haven, pleaded guilty June 24 before Justice George V. Hoffer to a disorderly conduct charge, resulting from his arrest Saturday night by Grand Haven city police after it is alleged he threw a beer bottle into the street at Second and Washington Sts.

He paid a fine of \$8 and costs of \$5.70.

Frank Benis, 59, route 1, Grand Haven, arrested by state police June 9, for driving while intoxicated after having been involved in an accident on the river road, one mile east of US-31, demanded a jury trial when arraigned Saturday before Justice Hoffer.

His trial was set for Thursday, June 27, at 1:30 p.m. He was released under \$200 bond. Benis has been in the hospital since the accident.

Beaverdam Girl Feted at Bridal Showers
Miss Winifred De Jong of Beaverdam, a bride-elect, was honored at two bridal showers recently. On Wednesday, June 19, Miss Janet De Boer entertained for her at the De Boer home. The honored guest was placed under an umbrella where she unwrapped her many gifts. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Thys De Jong, Mrs. Frank De Boer and Miss Janet De Boer.

Invited guests included the Misses Alma Bowman, Carrie Steghuis, Almeta Abel, Ethel Veldman, Irene Knap, Vera Huizenga, Mrs. L. De Vries, Mrs. Gerrit Berens, Mrs. L. Ohlman, Mrs. J. Dyke, Mrs. M. Van Noord, all of Beaverdam, Mrs. B. Sharpe of Zeeland, Mrs. A. Schreur of Hudsonville, Mrs. H. Boersen of Oakland, Miss Tena De Jong, Mrs. O. Sampson, Mrs. W. Kok and Mrs. H. Berens of Grand Rapids.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. L. Ohlman, Mrs. M. Van Noord and Ethel Veldman.

Another shower complimenting Miss De Jong was held Friday evening given by Mrs. Nid Dykhuis at her home in East Holland. Many beautiful and useful gifts were presented. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. W. Naber and Mrs. John Boeve. A lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Eli Nykamp, Mrs. Gerrit Roon and Mrs. H. Korterling.

Census Shows Increase of 4,518 in Ottawa County

Figures on Population for Remainder of Local Area Given

Ottawa county's census for 1940 shows an increase of 4,518 persons over the 1930 census figures, it was revealed Friday with the receipt of the preliminary census figures from William J. Delaney, fifth district census supervisor in Grand Rapids.

Mr. Delaney reported the county's census at 59,376 as compared with 54,858 for 1930. Census figures for other county villages and townships which had not been previously reported, also were made public by Mr. Delaney.

Spring Lake's population was listed at 1,301 as compared with 1,271 for 1930, an increase of 30.

Coopersville showed an increase of 70, its 1940 population being 1,074, as compared with 1,004 for 1930.

Hudsonville disclosed a gain of 194 from 643 in 1930 to 837 in 1940.

With the 1940 figure listed first and 1930 figures shown second, the following census was reported by Mr. Delaney for various county townships:

Spring Lake township, 3,357 and 2,827, an increase of 530 (the 1940 census also includes Spring Lake village); Chester township—1,239 and 1,252, a decrease of 13; Allendale township—1,375 and 1,325, an increase of 50; Polkton township—2,645 and 2,511, an increase of 134 (the 1940 figure also includes Coopersville, Jamestown township—1,928 and 1,848, an increase of 80; Georgetown township—3,424 and 2,898, an increase of 526 (the 1940 figure includes Hudsonville; Crocker township—1,412 and 1,243, an increase of 169; Holland township—4,910 and 4,078, an increase of 832.

Wedding Solemnized in De Waard Home

Miss Geneva H. Strong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Leroy Strong of route 5, became the bride of Walter J. De Waard, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. De Waard of 261 East 13th St., in a ceremony Friday evening at the home of the bridegroom's parents. The Rev. J. Vanderbeek, pastor of Sixth Reformed church, read the double ring service.

The bridal party entered and assembled before an arrangement of pink and red peonies in the living room while Donald De Waard, brother of the bridegroom, played the Lohengrin Wedding march. Bouquets of roses and daisies were placed throughout the room.

Miss Alma Prins was bridesmaid. Gordon De Waard, cousin of the bridegroom, served as best man.

A reception followed the ceremony and a wedding lunch was served by Mrs. H. Dokter and Miss Lorraine Strong with Mrs. Louis B. Dalman in charge. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Strong, Emerson Strong, Miss Frieda Welsh, Mr. and Mrs. Neal De Waard, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur De Waard and daughter, Marilyn, Donald De Waard, Miss Alma Prins, Gordon De Waard and the Rev. and Mrs. J. Vanderbeek.

The bride was born in Goshen, Ind., and lived here the past 17 years. She was graduated from Holland high school and attended Holland Business college. She has been employed in the office of the Hart and Cooley Co. Mr. De Waard was born in Holland and was graduated from Holland high school. He is employed by the Hart and Cooley Co.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Detroit. For traveling the bride wore brown and white Florida print with white accessories. After July 12, they will make their home at 166 East 14th St.

Mrs. Alder Is Honor Guest at Luncheon

Mrs. R. F. Alder, 557 Central Ave., plans to leave Holland about July 1 with her sons, Howard and Le Roy, to join Mr. Alder in Philadelphia, Pa., where he is president of the Peacock laboratories of the Libbey-Owens Ford Co.

To compliment Mrs. Alder, Mrs. F. E. De Weese and Mrs. J. D. French entertained a group of Mrs. Alder's friends at a bridge-luncheon in the De Weese home on East 16th St., Friday afternoon. Guests were seated at small tables, where covers were laid for 24.

In bridge games, prizes were awarded to Mrs. L. W. Lamb, Mrs. Roy Heasley, and Mrs. Leslie Risto. Mrs. Alder was presented with a gift from the hostesses.

Shower Compliments Lois Jane Speet

Miss Lois Jane Speet who will become the bride of Howard Elfordink this month was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Tuesday, June 18, at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elmer Speet, 624 Michigan Ave. Assisting Mrs. Speet was Mrs. Richard Speet.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. A. Ward, Virginia Allen, Mrs. Richard Speet and Marie De Boer. A two-course lunch was served.

Those present included Mrs. A. Ward, Mrs. J. Myrick, Mrs. L. Knapp, Mrs. F. Mrok, Mrs. Richard Speet, Mrs. Albert Speet, Mrs. E. Zonnebelt, Marjorie Mattison, Alma Naber, Sylvia Carrier, Marie De Boer, Marie Ver Steeg, Glennie Hubbard, Florence Klinge, Berdena Israel, Virginia Allen, Hilda Anderson, Sylvia De Groot and Helen Hatley.

Vows Exchanged in Local Home

The marriage of Miss Florence Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook, 20 West 27th St., and Gary Datema, son of Jacob Datema of Hamilton, was solemnized at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening at the bride's home.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Kathleen Mills of Greenville sang "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Thomas A. Curtis of Edmore while Robert Cook, nephew of the bride, lit the candles. Mr. Curtis played Mendelssohn's wedding march and the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin as the bridal party entered.

The Rev. Henry Van Dyke of Fourth Reformed church performed the single ring ceremony. Vows were spoken before a background of daisies, ferns and candelabra.

Mrs. Harold Knoll, sister of the bride, attended as matron of honor.

Miss Margaret Datema, sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid. George Cook, brother of the bride, assisted as best man.

After the ceremony a reception was held for 50 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cook acted as master and mistress of ceremonies.

The bride is a graduate of Holland high school and Hope college and has been teaching mathematics and commercial work in the Edmore high school. Mr. Datema is employed by the Wolverine Trucking Co.

The couple left for a trip through the East. For traveling Mrs. Datema chose a black suit with white accessories and wore a corsage of gardenias. Mr. and Mrs. Datema will make their home at 319 West 17th St. after July 1.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Louise Hyde and sons, Jack and Gary Lee, Richard Tupper and Thomas A. Curtis, all of Edmore. Miss Kathleen Mills of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Datema of Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Datema and Marvin Zalama of Hamilton.

Balthuis-Vander Ploeg Wedding Performed

In a simple home wedding Miss Marian Vander Ploeg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Vander Ploeg, and Jerry Balthuis, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Balthuis, were united in marriage at 8 o'clock last Thursday at the home of the bride's parents with Dr. J. T. Hoogstra of Prospect Park church officiating.

Miss Ida Vander Ploeg was bridesmaid. Alfred Balthuis was best man.

The wedding procession was played by Miss Irene Van Appledorn, cousin of the bride, who also played several piano solos. "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly" were sung by Henry Ten Hoor. A. Balthuis of Grand Haven, uncle of the groom, and Miss Jeanette Vander Ploeg, sister of the bride, acted as master and mistress of ceremonies.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Vander Ploeg of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. J. Balthuis, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John A. Van Beukering, all of Grand Haven, and Mrs. Robert Peabody of Arlington, Calif.

After a short wedding trip the couple will live in Ann Arbor where Mr. Balthuis is taking a medical course.

Mrs. Balthuis was honored at a miscellaneous shower at her home last week. She was presented with many gifts. Games were played and prizes were awarded. A two-course lunch was served.

Those present were Mrs. K. Balthuis, Mrs. H. Kragt, Miss Gertrude Mouw, Mrs. Raymond Mouw, Mrs. Gerrit Mouw, Mrs. Gilbert Mouw, Mrs. J. Cecil Zylman, Miss Marian Mouw, Mrs. S. Vander Ploeg, Miss Jeanette, Ida, Reka and Genevieve Vander Ploeg.

Alberta Windemuller Honored at Shower

Alberta Windemuller was guest of honor at a kitchen shower last Thursday given by her mother, Mrs. Herman Windemuller, assisted by Mrs. J. Houting and Sena Miedema. The bride-to-be was presented with many beautiful and useful gifts.

A two-course lunch was served. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Charles Channon, Gladys Kleinjans and Gertrude Staal.

The list of the invited guests included Mrs. John Bouwkamp, Mrs. John Clossie, Mrs. Henry Windemuller, Mrs. Jack Kooienga, Mrs. Evert Windemuller, Mrs. Dick Kooienga, Mrs. Ed Kleinjans, Mrs. William Staal, Mrs. Eli Karsten, Mrs. George Kleinjans, Mrs. Alvin Stephenson, Mrs. Ivan Kleinjans, Mrs. John Kleinjans, Mrs. Jake Postma, Mrs. Arnold Van Doorn, Mrs. Bernard Tanis, Mrs. Herman Beukema.

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During the first six months of the present European war, U. S. exports to Germany decreased by 93.1 percent.

END OF PLANT WORK IS FETED

Power Plant Contractors and Guests Present at Dinner

Contractors associated with the construction of the new municipal power plant here staged an informal dinner party Friday night in the Warm Friend tavern to mark the completion of work on the project.

About 56 persons were present. Members of the board of public works, including Joseph H. Geerds, Andrew Klomprens, and Abel Smeenge, Public Works Supt. Abe Nauta, Assistant Supt. Charles Vos and Gerrit Appledorn, clerk of the board, were among guests.

Following the dinner, all present spoke briefly in which they expressed appreciation for cooperation among the contractors which enabled the plant to be completed within the scheduled time. Works board members and those of the staff also extended their appreciation to the contractors for their good work.

William Jaeger, resident engineer for Giffels and Valet, associate engineers, served as toastmaster. Other guests were Charles Hamilton and Earl Weeber, consulting engineers for the works board; Ray Giffels, Norman Lang and Tom Lovell of Giffels and Valet, associate engineers; M. C. Davis, P.W. resident engineer; and Roy B. MacDowell, former PWA engineer on the project.

SCOUT CAMP IS READY TO OPEN

Scout Executive M. P. Russell has reported that 144 Boy Scouts have made reservations for one week or more at Camp Ottawa, the summer camp of the Ottawa-Allegan Council of Boy Scouts, which is located east of Newaygo.

The first period begins June 29 and will continue through July 6. Scouts attending the first period from Holland are those of troop No. 9 of Hope Reformed church, Troop No. 7 of Third Reformed church and Troop No. 12 of Trinity Reformed church will attend camp from July 6 to 13. Troop No. 26 of the Holland American Legion and troop No. 10 of the Methodist church, have made reservations from July 13 to 20.

The camp staff left Friday for Camp Ottawa to get the camp in shape and make the necessary repairs and improvements. Members of this year's staff are David Oughten of Plainwell, camp director, Lloyd Brown of Coopersville and Bob Hannum of Grand Haven, assistant camp directors; Jack Poppo of Otsego, cook's assistant; William Ritter of Otsego, commissary officer; Charles Stryker of Marne, handicraft instructor and Laurence Bruggers of Coopersville, provisional scoutmaster.

David Cline of Spring Lake, member of the camping committee, together with Mr. Russell are engaged in laying out the site for the construction of the new cabin to be used by scoutmaster, the cabin having been donated by Mrs. C. Clay Benson of Allegan.

Parsonage Is Scene of Summer Wedding

Miss Mary Windisch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Windisch, and Herbert Stael, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stael, were quietly married at the parsonage of Sixth Reformed church on Saturday evening, June 15, at 8 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Gary De Jonge, cousins of Mr. Stael, attended the couple.

After the ceremony the two couples went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Last at 116 West 13th St., where a reception was held. Between 40 and 50 guests were present. The newlyweds were presented with gifts from those present. Later in the evening a two-course luncheon was served buffet style.

The table decoration consisted of a four tiered wedding cake. Those assisting Mrs. Last were Mrs. Theresa Windisch, Miss Josie Last, Mr. B. Stael and Mrs. J. Windisch.

Bouquets of peonies were placed throughout the home. Mr. Stael is employed at a local bike shop. Mr. and Mrs. Stael will make their home at 323 West 17th St.

Zeeland Bride-to-be Feted at Shower

Mrs. John Walters, 11 East 15th St., entertained with a China shower at her home on Thursday, June 13, in honor of Miss Johanna Raak of Zeeland who was to be a June bride. Games were played and prizes were awarded. A two-course lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Harry Buscher, Mrs. Bert Prins and Mrs. Henry Nienhuis. The honored guest was presented with a set of china.

Invited guests included Mesdames Grace Sleik, Jennie Heerspink, Effie Vork, Ella Tubergen, Alice Sleik, Jennie Sleik, Sena Garvelink, Jennie Loker, Tena Walters, Gertrude Walters, Josephine Bosch, Helen Walters, Anna Walters, Rena Walters, Laura Walters, Minnie Walters, Melva Buscher, Kate Walters, Jeannette Buscher, Theresa Prins, Eva Nienhuis, Marie Walters, Gertrude Juries, Jo Walters and Misses Johanna Sleik and Beatie Walters.

A cavalcade of 200 autos of Grand Rapids was met at the east city limits here and was given police escort by Officer Harris Nieuwsma to the boat.

BROTHER OF LOCAL MAN PASSES AWAY

Fred A. Langeland, 37, 219 Vine St., Kalamazoo, died suddenly of embolism Friday afternoon in his home in Kalamazoo following a major operation two weeks ago.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Della Langeland; four children, David, Warren, Donna and Robert at home; the mother, Mrs. Mary Langeland of Overisel; three brothers, James of Holland, Dennis of Grand Rapids and Marvin of Kalamazoo; and two sisters, Mrs. William Scholten and Mrs. Dorothy Langeland of Overisel.

Mr. Langeland conducted the Langeland funeral home in Zeeland for 11 years before moving to Kalamazoo two years ago.

Funeral services were held on Monday.

AWARDS GIVEN GRADE GROUPS

Coach Joseph Moran, director of athletics in Holland public elementary schools, awarded letters and certificates here last week to boys and girls in the fifth and sixth grade who have stood out in inter-scholastic competition.

Certificates are given those who have won 350 points in posture, health habits, scholarship, sportsmanship, etc., and in different athletic contests. These were awarded yesterday at Froebel and Lincoln.

Boys and girls who placed high in the all-city meet are being given letters.

The children are divided into A, B and C groups according to their height, weight, grade and age.

First place letter winners in the track meet, their class, and their school are as follows:

Boys — high jump, A. Jack Brunelle, Van Raalte; and Nelson Lucas, Longfellow; B. Bill Postmus, Washington; C. Donald Van Ingen, Van Raalte; and Jack Gogolin, Longfellow. Baseball throw, A. Alverne Woodwork, Lincoln; B. Kenneth Bouman, Longfellow; C. Fred Lindsay, Froebel.

Forty-yard dash, A. James Schurman, Longfellow; B. Kenneth Bouman, Longfellow; C. Roger Vander Meulen, Lincoln.

Girls — Hop, step, jump, A. Nina Van Eyck, Washington; B. Lisa Doezman, Longfellow; C. Corrine Cornelissen, Washington; Kickball kick, A. Nina Van Eyck, Washington; B. Donna Vande Vusse, Washington; C. Corrine Cornelissen, Washington. Post dash, A. Lorraine Spruit, Van Raalte; B. Margery Meyer, Froebel; C. Beverly Vischer, Van Raalte.

The following sixth-grade girls at Froebel school received certificate awards: Joyce Brandt, Wilma Bruursema, Phyllis Chispeel, Donna Dykstra, Joyce Post, Thelma Bouwman, Evelyn Gredeweg, Prudence Haskins, Beatrice Laman, Marjorie Meyer, and Leona Wiersema.

Six boys in the sixth grade at Froebel received certificates. They are Floyd Johnson, Earl Nienhuis, Ronald Fortney, Richard Gee, Kenneth Van Tatenhoven, and Gail Van Zyl.

Seven sixth-grade boys at Lincoln were honored. These included Paul Barkel, Henry Van Voort, Leon Jacobs, Alverne Woodwork, Jack Veldheer, Kenneth Brouwer, Robert Ver Beek.

Laurena Quist, Joan Van Huls, Edna Grabofski, and Geraldine Achterhof were Lincoln's girl winners in the sixth-grade.

Leroy Cobb, Earl Dalman, Robert Feikema, Leroy Sysma, James Topp, Roger Van Der Meulen, and Henry Wolbert led the fifth-grade boys at Lincoln.

Fifth-grade certificate holders in the boy's division at Froebel include Edward Pigeon, Victor Kleinhekel, Fred Lindsay, Marvin Keen, and Dale Van Eck.

Seven Froebel fifth-grade girls including Marquerite Williams, Marian Eastman, Joyce Palmer, Verna Van Zyl, Arlene Zoerhof, Barbara Barendse and Mary Stille were awarded certificates.

The fifth-grade girls at Froebel who totaled the required 350 points are Lucille De Koster, Gloria Dykhouse, and Joan Strabbing.

Almost 3,000 Present on Gospel Moonlight Cruise

Many Holland residents were awakened shortly after midnight June 20 when a part of the 2,900 persons who went on the Gospel Moonlight cruise toured the city in cars before returning to their homes. The blowing of horns was audible.

The crowd including some persons from Holland left for the cruise here at 9 p.m. and returned at 12:15 a.m. on the City of Grand Rapids. The cruise was sponsored by Grand Rapids religious groups. A program of talks, hymn singing and special music was held aboard the boat. The Rev. Bert Turner of Belfast, Ireland, spoke. The Hudsonville band also was present.

A cavalcade of 200 autos of Grand Rapids was met at the east city limits here and was given police escort by Officer Harris Nieuwsma to the boat.

When the U. S. purchased Alaska, the price represented about 2 cents an acre.

First pair of silk stockings was believed knit for Queen Elizabeth by one of her ladies-in-waiting.

Washington Cubs Enjoy Honor Meeting at Beach

The cub pack sponsored by the Washington school Parent-Teacher association participated in an outing at Ottawa beach Monday June 17, which was considered the most successful parents' night that has been held since the organization of the pack a year ago.

Edwin Alberts, cub master, was in charge of general arrangements with Bert Post, Albert Van Zoeren, Ted Du Mez, Marvin De Vries and A. C. Roos, assisting. About 125 parents and cubs were present. The evening's program included a pot-luck supper, games and an honor meeting.

The honor meeting was opened with a flag salute in charge of Alan Fisher, George Zuidema, Robert Beckfort and Jerold Rooks. Richard Aardama, assistant cubmaster, was in charge of an induction ceremony, when ten new members were welcomed into the pack.

The mothers were called upon to present pins to the following boys: Bob Cat rank — Donald Gilcrest, Allan Fraam, Willis Driesling, Merle Driesling, Walter Vander Meulen, Donald Siros, Stuart Vanden Brink, Jackie Vander Bie, and Bob Burrows.

Wolf rank — Jimmie Hackett, Alvin Charter, Robert Allen, Jimmie De Vries, Paul Van Zperen, Edwin Vander Wege, Billy Postmus, Joel Spykerman and Roy Stringholt.

Bear rank — James Wojahn, Bob Beckfort, Bill Hinga, Jerry Rooda, Alan Fisher, Billy Postmus, Bob Barr, Bob Kraai and George Zuidema.

Silver Arrow honor rank — Nelson Morris and Bob Post.

Committeemen Van Zoeren and Post made a few brief remarks about cubbing and the way Pack 6 is conducted, commending Mr. Alberts on the successful year and outlining plans for future progress.

Each den gave the den "yell" conducted by the den chiefs. Mr. Roos and Mrs. Bert Gilcrest were introduced as the new committeemen and den mother, respectively.

The cubmaster closed the meeting with the ringing of taps and the cub benediction.

Ensing Family Reunion Held in Hudsonville

The Ensing family reunion was held Wednesday night, June 12, in the gymnasium of Hudsonville high school. John Ensing opened with prayer, songs were sung by the group, accompanied by Tena Van Ess. A cornet solo by Arlene De Weerd, accompanied by Viola De Weerd, was followed by a reading by Mrs. William Ensing.

Orman Van Haltsma gave a trumpet solo, accompanied by Tena Van Ess after which Hawaiian guitar duets were given by Arlene and Eleanor De Weerd. A reading was given by Nelson Ensing.

Harm Ensing spoke briefly and during the business meeting he was re-elected as president. William B. Ensing was named secretary and Nelson Ensing treasurer. A program and refreshments committee was appointed.

Among the 102 relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. William Albrecht, Mr. and Mrs. John Ensing, Harm Ensing, Mrs. Paul Ensing and children, Bert Ensing and Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lankheet and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leste Volkens and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Huyser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Van Ess, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Albrecht and Harley, Mr. and Mrs. William Brinks and daughter, George Brinks, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ermer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ensing and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ter Haar, Mrs. Gertie Loker.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jansma and family, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Ensing and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Van Haltsma and family, Tena Van Ess, Marie Albrecht, Jeannette Van Ess, Edwin Albrecht, Viola De Weerd, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred De Weerd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Visser and family.

Birthday Party Honors Couple

A birthday party was held last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kuipers on route 3 in honor of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Schrotenboer whose birthday anniversaries are a week apart. A social time was spent and a two-course lunch was served. The couple was presented with a gift.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schrotenboer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kuipers and son, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Slenk and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bakker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Schipper and daughter.

Man Who Saved Negro From Lake Visits City

Harry Coopland, vice president of the Downs, Mohl Hotel Co. of St. Louis, which operates three hotels there, was an overnight guest Friday night of the Warm Friend tavern, while en route to the northern part of the state.

While in Holland, Mr. Coopland recalled that he saved a Negro's life in Lake Macatawa about 30 years ago. At the time he was serving as steward on one of the form-r Graham and Morton lake steamers.

Mr. Coopland is being accompanied on his trip by his wife and two daughters. He plans to revisit Holland next Saturday.

Consumption of synthetic rubber in the U. S. doubled in 1939 over 1938. It amounted to 1,779 tons compared to 892 tons of crude rubber consumed.

Miss Freers Is Feted at Shower in Grand Rapids

A kitchen shower was held last Thursday for Miss Betty Freers at the home of Isla Pool in Grand Rapids. The evening was spent in playing hearts. Miss Freers will become the bride of Orlo Barton.

Among the guests were Frances Hoover, Vera Kirchner, Vesta Speet, Hilda Anderson, Joan Dyke and Bobbie Wright, all of Holland.

DUTCH ASKED TO REGISTER

Grand Rapids, June 27 — Jacob Steketee, Netherlands consul, has issued a call for all male citizens of Holland of military age in his district to register in person or by letter at his office.

The request, issued by the Dutch government throughout the world, includes those residing in this country who were born in one of the years 1904 through 1920 and are liable for Dutch military service under the 1938 conscription act.

Those affected should state their Christian names and surnames, date and place of birth and data on any military service.

Steketee said the order would seek to indicate that the Netherlands government seeks to learn the whereabouts of all Dutch citizens of military age. The Dutch government still functions despite the German invasion and those who neglect to register would be technically classified as deserters, he explained.

HOLLAND MEN BEFORE COURT

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special) — William Schuitema, 42, route 3, Holland, was taken into Ottawa circuit court on Saturday for non-payment of alimony on petition by the friend of the court in Allegan county where the children now reside.

After divorce was granted in 1925 Schuitema ran away and did not return for 10 or 11 years. Judge Fred T. Miles has recommended that Schuitema petition the court for a hearing to determine how much he will be required to pay.

Judge Miles stated he would be disqualified to hear the petition as he had represented Mrs. Schuitema at the time of the divorce and Prosecutor Elbern Parsons also will be disqualified to appear as friend of the court as he had represented Schuitema. Another judge will hear the petition.

Schuitema was ordered June 22 to pay costs of \$8.85 within three days and, until the time the petition is heard, to pay \$5 per week for support of the children.

George Bosch, 20, route 4, Holland, was taken before Judge Miles for a violation of his probation. The court has asked Probation Officer Jack Spangler to investigate the case and until the investigation is completed, probably this week, Bosch will remain in the custody of the sheriff.

If satisfactory arrangements cannot be made in the case, Bosch will be sentenced next Saturday, Judge Miles said. Bosch is charged with having converted money to his own use which belonged to his brother-in-law, Albrecht Kloosterman.

A divorce decree was granted to George Howard from Mildred Howard, both resident of Polkton township near Coopersville. There are no children.

Willie Presley of Grand Haven was granted a divorce from her husband, Roy Presley, now residing in Tennessee. Her maiden name, Willie Boatman, was restored.

Kermit Finley of Grand Haven faced the court for non-payment of alimony. He is required to pay \$56, plus \$1.10 officers' fees by next Saturday or face sentence.

Miss Janet Dykema Is Honored at Shower

Miss Janet Dykema was guest at a bridal shower last Thursday given by Mrs. Richard Vander Yacht, Mrs. Clarence Veenstra and Mrs. Sybrand Dykema at Ottawa Beach. Miss Dykema was presented with many gifts.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Henry Moes and Miss Sadie De Weerd. After the games a wiener roast was enjoyed.

Invited guests included Mrs. Simon Dykema, Mrs. Clarence Veenstra, Mrs. William Weatherwax, Mrs. Joe Ter Horst, Mrs. Richard Vander Yacht, Mrs. Walter Van Bemmelen, Mrs. John Dykema, Mrs. Henry Moes, Mrs. Jake Bos, Mrs. Sybrand Dykema, Mrs. Dick Vander Yacht, Miss Angeline Bremer, Betty Webbort, Bernice Borgeson, Jeanne Webbort, Helen Walters, Mildred Brewer, Susan De Haan, Hermina Walters, Sadie De Waard, Hilda Bos, Marjorie De Weerd, Annette Bos and Genevieve Moes.

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Hope Dorian Alumnae Hold Annual Tea

The Dorian alumnae tea was held on Wednesday, June 19, from 4 to 6 at Anchor Inn. About 26 were present. The time was spent in reminiscing and election of officers took place with the following results: Mrs. Carl Zickler, president

DEFENSE ANGLE POINTED OUT IN EXCHANGE TALK

Vander Meulen Refers to Need of Harmony of Capital, Labor

The Holland Exchange club closed its season with a dinner meeting in the Warm Friend tavern Monday noon at which Attorney C. Vander Meulen addressed the club on "One Phase of Our Defense Problem."

The need of harmony between capital and labor is extremely essential for America today, he asserted, facing as it does the problem of national defense.

In developing his topic further, Vander Meulen presented the background of the three strong men in the labor field today and characterized them.

The American Federation of Labor, with its president William Green, he said, is the union of the Dead Hand. It was felt in 1934, he pointed out, that progress would be made toward the industrial or vertical union instead of the craft organization. But failure to reckon with the constant flow of immigrants to this country and the trend of diversification in labor made any such progress impossible, he stated.

The CIO, with John L. Lewis at its head, he continued, is the union of the Clenched Fist. The policy of this party has always been to strike first, then negotiate, he said and characterized Lewis as a keen analyst and a leader who possesses great ability.

The Collier's Union of which Sidney Hellman is president, the speaker characterized as the party with the Outstretched palm. Although this party agrees in principle with the party of John L. Lewis, the methods nevertheless differ, he said, adding that due to the splendid leadership of Mr. Hellman, many strikes have been ended speedily or avoided through the channels of arbitration.

John Van Huis, retiring president of the club, gave a few farewell remarks and Wynand Wichers, president of Hope college, gave the invocation.

Guests included Howard Dalman, principal of Hart high school, A. G. McGilvra and Harold McGilvra from Sioux City, Ia., and R. Browning of Chicago.

Gibson News

Arthur Wade, who has been in failing health for the past year has been removed to the county hospital for hospitalization. Mr. Wade does not have any relatives in the United States except a distant cousin in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Dine are building a small home on a corner of land obtained from Frank Resseguie, Sr.

Mrs. Marie Wagner Smith is building a house on a piece of land purchased from her father, Fred Wagner, which fronts on the north and south road running past Wagner's home. The house will be 20 feet by 28 feet and is being built by Mr. Thake.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pratt and two children of Iowa are spending a three weeks' vacation period at the home of Mrs. Pratt's mother, Mrs. Mabel T. Boyce.

Miss Josephine Boyce has completed her year's teaching and is home for vacation.

Mrs. Frederick Miles, Jr., has gone to Kalamazoo Normal to take six weeks' training course preparatory to teaching in the McClair school this fall. The two Miles boys have gone to Ionia to stay with their grandmother for the summer. Mr. Miles has gone to Holland until summer school is over. He is an attorney in Saugatuck.

Mrs. Ruth Meyer has gone to Charlevoix to stay until the middle of September. She runs a laundry there during the resort season.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Felts have come from Chicago to live in their cottage until the fall.

On Friday, June 14, E. N. Ebbeson was 70 years old. On Sunday, 50 friends and relatives gathered at his home to help celebrate the event. A number of speeches of felicitation was made and Mr. Ebbeson responded. A purse was presented and a pot-luck lunch was served. A partial list of those present includes Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Ebbeson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Limberg, Ed and Doris Limberg, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Froblom, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Limberg, all of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Erlund Sundin, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Sundin, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Yonkers, Mr. and Mrs. Healey, Mr. and Mrs. Al Kasbohm, Mr. and Mrs. Hemwall, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. John Froblom, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Lindholm, Mr. and Mrs. Wilner, Mr. Bauhahn, Miss E. L. Bauhahn and Mrs. Carrie McAllister.

Edward Limberg of Chicago sang several songs and the Gibson Melody trio composed of Mrs. Maude and Lillian Sundin and Mrs. Lindholm also furnished music.

On Wednesday and Thursday, June 19 and 20, an old-fashioned "shingling bee" was held at the Gibson church. It was completely restful with the exception of the bell which calls for an expert carpenter and a sling to reach the top. Twelve men worked on Wednesday and ten men on Thursday. The labor was all voluntary. Various men who could not work themselves at such a task, sent others in their places. Dinner was

served each day at the home of Miss Irene Bauhahn with contributions of food from other interested families. The Rev. Gerrit Viessers who supplies the pulpit worked side by side with the other neighborhood men until the work was done.

The Gibson school board backed by the district is sponsoring an old-time school reunion picnic to be held at the school house on the first Saturday in August according to present plans. The district board will furnish lemonade, coffee and ice cream. A regulation picnic meal is under consideration. A committee has been appointed to write to old graduates of the school whose names and addresses can be obtained from the old school records or elsewhere. This is a first venture of its kind here and it is hoped that a large crowd of old scholars and their families will attend the picnic.

GRADS OF HHS TO GO TO HOPE

Numerous Holland high school graduates plan to enter Hope college at the opening of the fall term. Some graduates have not completed their plans and there may be several changes.

Those who have signified their intentions of entering the local college include Jack Barendse, Carol Jean Bos, Doris Bos, Harold Brink, Genevieve Bussies, Gerard Cook, Maxine Den Herder, Jack De Valois, Jane Dinkeloot, Niles Hansen, Helen Mae Heasley, Louis Mary Hinkamp, Benjamin Hofmeyer, Paul Jekel, Fritz Jonkman, John Kammeraad.

Shirley Kardux, John Kleis, Charles Knooihuizen, Dorothy Kooiker, Ellen Jane Kooiker, Jack Krum, Elaine Lokker, Hermine Maassen, Adam McClay, Betty Morrell, Bruce Mikula, Evelyn Mulder, Dorothy Muller, Marvin J. Overway, Myrtle Padgett, Anna Laura Parsons, Carl Schaffner.

Paul Schroteboer, Donald Smeeghe, George Smith, Murray Snow, Keith Soderberg, Marjorie Steketee, Robert Stevenson, Vivian Tardiff, John Vander Broek, Delbert Vander Haar, Esther Van Dyke, Marilyn Van Dyke, Maxene Van Zyl, Marcella Ver Hoef, Dorothy Wichers, Arlene Wiggers, Betty Winslow, Robert Wolbrink and Jack Yeomans.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wittengen were visitors Tuesday at North Dorr with Mr. and Mrs. J. Ver Beek.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Klynstra called on Larry Elzinga at the Sun Shine hospital in Grand Rapids Friday.

Mrs. H. Bowman, and Alma, and Mrs. Art Slag of North Holland spent Friday in Jamestown with Mrs. Alice De Weerd, also calling on other relatives.

Mrs. J. Barnes, Mrs. J. Hirdes, Mrs. Ed. Veldman, Mrs. L. Ohlman, Mrs. Purlin Vereeke and Ethel Veldman attended a shower on Miss Marion Elzinga of Coopersville, Wednesday.

Mrs. C. Wittengen and daughters were guests on Thursday of Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage of Vriesland.

Lee De Vries, accompanied by his grandfather from Grand Rapids witnessed a ball game in Detroit Thursday.

Mrs. Otto Kerckstra submitted to an operation during the past week in Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids.

Peter Bol of Holland led the C.E. meeting Sunday. Louise De Kleine and Ruth Poppin of Drenthe sang two selections for special music.

School Party Held at Yeomans Home

Thirty pupils of the 5A and 6B grade of Washington school participated in a lawn party held last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Yeomans on West 10th St. Colombe Yeomans was hostess, and Miss Mildred Mulder, room teacher, was in charge of arrangements for the party.

A varied program of entertainment was carried out, with each child given an admittance ticket with a stunt to carry out, followed by a treasure hunt in which all took part. In the various activities, prizes were awarded, in badminton, to June Witteveen; croquet, to Kay Simpson; shuffle board, Donna Elenbaas, balloon contest, Jimmie Wojahn and Martha Foltz.

As a surprise for Miss Mulder, who was observing her birthday anniversary, the pupils presented her with a gift, and a birthday cake was a feature of the refreshments. Miss Mulder took moving pictures of the children.

Miss Mulder plans to leave soon with her parents for a vacation trip to Colorado and the coast.

Grand Rapids Man Weds Local Woman

Mrs. Marie De Boer of 249 Columbia Ave. and Bert Van Dam of Grand Rapids were united in marriage Saturday at 4 p.m. at the home of Mrs. De Boer. The Rev. John Vanderbeek, pastor of Sixth Reformed church, performed the ceremony.

Shipping destroyed since the beginning of the present European war is estimated to be in excess of 1,716,000 tons.

Wisconsin is the nation's leading cheese producer.

Van Eck Home Is Scene of Charming Wedding

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Eck, 88 East Ninth St., was the scene of a charming wedding Saturday afternoon, when their daughter, Miss June Cook, became the bride of Willard Westveer of Lansing, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Westveer, 188 West 11th St., this city. Dr. H. D. Terkeurst performed the double ring ceremony at 4 p.m. in the presence of 75 guests.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Martha Barkema of Waco, Texas, sang the appropriate selections, "O Day of Golden Promise," Hamblen, and "I Know a Lovely Garden," D'Hardelot, accompanied by Kenneth R. Osborne.

Miss Esther Caudle of Grand Rapids, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor.

Harold Hartger of Grand Rapids was best man.

Following the ceremony, an informal reception was held, with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steffens serving as master and mistress of ceremonies.

Serving the wedding repast were friends of the bride, including Miss Henriette Kuizenga, Miss Stella De Jonge, and Mrs. Dwight Wyngarden of Zeeland, Mrs. Austin Kronmeyer of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Gilbert Zook of Lansing, and Miss Barbara Lampen. Miss Geraldine Caudle of Grand Rapids was in charge of the gift room.

Later in the day the bride and groom left on a wedding trip east, which will take them through Canada and New England.

After August 1, the couple will be at home at 1615 South Genesee Drive, Lansing.

The bride was graduated from Zeeland High school and Hope college, and has taught in Wyoming Park for the past two years. Mr. Westveer was graduated from Holland High school and Hope college, and took graduate work at the University of Michigan. He is bacteriologist with the state health department.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mrs. Annie Cook of Miami, Fla., Mrs. T. De Pree of Miami, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Norris of Casnovia, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Caudle, Virgil Beld, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Smith and Miss Geraldine Caudle of Grand Rapids.

Numerous pre-nuptial affairs were given for the bride preceding her marriage. Mrs. Stephen Karsten and Mrs. George Schuller entertained with a crystal shower; Mrs. Abe Post of Zeeland gave a kitchen shower; Mr. and Mrs. Corey Poest of Zeeland, a china shower; Mrs. Lester Stegenga a personal shower; Misses Henriette Kuizenga and Stella De Jonge of Zeeland, a crystal shower; Mrs. Dwight Wyngarden of Zeeland, a miscellaneous shower; Mrs. Arend Bosman, Mrs. Ivan Bosman and Mrs. Nelson Bosman a miscellaneous shower at the home of the former; and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steffens, a buffet supper and bridge.

1939 HHS Seniors Have Party at Country Club

About 90 members of the 1939 high school class of Holland gathered for a party Friday night at the Holland Country club. In the afternoon games and sports were enjoyed and after dinner a program and dance were featured.

The party was chaperoned by Supt. E. E. Fell, Principal J. J. Riemer, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Donivan, Ervin D. Hanson, Miss Evelyn Steketee, Miss Hannah Parkyn, Miss Maibelle Geiger and Miss Lida Rogers.

Cecil Bacheller, president of the class; Pauline Loew, secretary; Selma Cherven and Bob Longstreet, vice presidents, and Vivian Edding and Clinton Harrison, treasurers, arranged the party. Games were in charge of Harvey Koop. Bob Bouwsma arranged the program.

Samuel Dickey Gold Marries Miss Loomis

Miss Beatrice Claire Loomis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Loomis of Grand Rapids, and Samuel Dickey Gold, of Miami Beach, Fla., son of Mrs. Michael Thorpevsky of Waukazoo, were married Saturday at 4:30 p.m. in the Fountain St. Baptist church in Grand Rapids. The Rev. Milton M. McGorrell officiating. Approximately 50 guests attended.

Wedding music was played by Emory L. Gallup.

Mrs. Egbert Gold of Waukazoo, was the bride's only attendant. Egbert Gold was his brother's best man. Ushers were George Loomis, Serrell Hillman and Albert Kemper.

A small reception at the home of the bride's parents followed the ceremony. The couple left on an eastern and Canadian wedding trip. After October 1, they will reside at Miami Beach.

Local 'Forty and Eight' Enjoys Informal Outing

Thirty members of the local Forty and Eight club of the American legion attended an outing Monday night which included a chicken dinner and informal program at "The Stafford," at Jenison park. Dr. William Westrate, Chef de Gare, presided and welcomed out-of-town guests, Homer Fisher of Grand Haven, "Dutch" Modders, Dave Van Ommen and Gerrit Rooks of Zeeland.

The Forty and Eight club, which represents the whole of Ottawa county, has donated more than \$200 to the American Red Cross. An organization within the American legion, it has no other aims, or purposes than to support and strengthen the Legion and its various projects.

Scholten Descendants Gather at Homestead

Many descendants of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Scholten enjoyed a picnic supper Friday evening at the farm home southwest of Graafschap which was the original homestead. A short impromptu program was presented.

Mrs. Henry Vander Laan of Grand Haven in a short talk paid tribute to the memory of the deceased Mr. and Mrs. Scholten. A few hymns and psalms were sung and a short, humorous Dutch poem was given by Mr. Henry Vander Laan.

It was planned to make the reunion an annual affair. Mr. John H. Scholten was elected president and Mr. Henry Vander Laan, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Scholten who own the farm at present were the host and hostess.

Sternberg Children Honored at Party

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. Ben J. Sternberg, assisted by Mrs. Lewis Johnson, entertained at a party for her children, Bernice Ann who is five years old June 19 and Jimmy who will be seven years old on July 11.

Those present were Carl Bussies, George and Wilbur Kleis, Dolores Hulst, Harriet and Hermina Ortmann, Richard and Catherine Brink, Ruth Elaine Glupker, Mildred and Theodore Van Dyke, Bobby De Fouw, Shirley Klein, Dale Overbeek, Harris Pieper, Johanna Ortmann and Wallace Nyland and their teacher, Miss Mildred Kooiker.

Others invited were Diann Tubergan, Wilma and Gertrude Johnson, Lewis Ulrick and Leon Klaasen.

Honor Is Bestowed Upon Central Park Couple

A special meeting of the Palestine Shrine No. 1, order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, held at the Masonic Temple Friday evening in Grand Rapids, was preceded by a pot-luck supper.

Preceding the ceremonial, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Stover of Central park, who are members of Oak Park Shrine of Oak Park, Ill., were made honorary members of the Palestine Shrine.

Mrs. Stover, her daughter, Grace Mc Cloud, from Oak Park and a member of Oak Park Shrine and Emily Beattie, Mary Streur, and Georgene Brown attended from Holland.

Mr. Stover who is ill at Holland hospital was unable to attend.

Dinner Party Is Held on 35th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Dalman, 539 College Ave., were honored Saturday evening by a dinner at the Country Kitchen, given by their children to celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary.

Later the group adjourned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rook, where a social time was spent.

Those besides the honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Dalman, and son, Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Rook, Robert C. and Louise Ruth Rook, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dalman of Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dalman of Muskegon, Miss Eleanor and George Dalman.

Musical Program Given at C.E. Meeting

A musical program was featured at the closing meeting of the Young people's and Senior-Intermediate societies of Sixth Reformed church Sunday night.

Selections were sung by a quartet composed of Hank and Andy Slager, John Swierenga and Richard Greengood, accompanied by Mrs. Sam Plagenhoef. Solos were sung by Bobbie Van Voorst, accompanied by Henry Slager and a duet was sung by the Rev. J. Vanderbeek and the Rev. T. Hibma. John Swierenga played a request cornet solo, "The Holy City," accompanied by Mr. Slager.

WILL STAND TRIAL FOR DRUNK DRIVING

Arraigned on Monday before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith on a charge of drunken driving, William Netling, 42, route 1, Holland, stood mute. The court entered a plea of not guilty, and set his trial for Monday, July 1, at 9 a.m. He was released under \$100 bond.

The charge resulted from an accident at 12:45 a.m. Sunday on Michigan Ave., 150 feet north of 27th St.

According to local police, a delivery truck driven by Netling crashed into the parked automobile of Robert Beukema, route 3, Holland. Netling was driving his truck northeast on Michigan Ave. He was treated in Holland hospital for an injury to the thumb on his right hand.

Reelected President of State Postal Supervisors

John Greengood, 78 West 15th St., assistant Holland postmaster, was reelected president of the state branch of the National Association of Postal Supervisors at the annual state convention held Friday and Saturday in Bay City.

He has been serving as state president the past year. Other reelected officers are Richard Kealy of Bay City, vice-president; and John L. Anderson of Manistee, secretary-treasurer. The 1941 convention will be held in Jackson.

PROMINENT G.H. MAN SUCCUMBS

Funeral Rites for John W. Verhoeks Arranged for Tuesday

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—John W. Verhoeks, 78, died at 9:45 p.m. Friday in his home here after an illness of six months.

Mr. Verhoeks, a retired businessman, was a leader in First Reformed church many years. He was born in Grand Haven, July 29, 1861, and resided here all of his life.

He worked in the Boyden mill as a boy. He later operated a grocery, was a farm implement dealer two years, was in the shoe business seven years and later conducted a life insurance agency.

He served more than 20 years on the First church consistory, both as elder and deacon and for 20 years as superintendent of the Sunday school, retiring about eight years ago. Until two years ago, he was school census enumerator.

He and Mrs. Verhoeks, the former Jennie Face, observed their golden wedding anniversary in 1932. They were married in Grand Haven Dec. 28, 1882.

Surviving, besides the widow, are two sons, Henry J. Verhoeks, trust officer of the Grand Haven State bank, and Dr. William T. Verhoeks of San Antonio, Tex.; one brother, James, and two sisters, Mrs. Cornelius Baker and Mrs. Abram Ruster of Grand Haven.

Winners Named in Bible Contest

Winners were announced here for the annual Bible memory contests in the public schools which were held June 14 under the supervision of Miss Hanna G. Hoejke. The winners of the James A. Brouwer annual award of a Bible for the student in each grade school most proficient in Bible knowledge this year are Ronald Fortney of Froebel school, June Reidsma of Washington school, James Topp of Lincoln school, Henrietta Veltman of Van Raalte school and Elaine Essenburg of Longfellow school.

Those receiving honorary mention are Laurena Quist of Lincoln, Joyce Post of Froebel, Myron Van Ark of Longfellow, Abilyne Van Rook of Van Raalte and Sally Brower of Washington.

Students entering the finals after the eliminations were Earl Dalman, Raymond Kleintveld and Carolyn Essenburg of Lincoln; Martha Foltz, Joyce Van Marvin Slag and Alan Fisher of Washington; Donna Boeve, Kenneth Etterbeek, Jack Van Dorpe and Barbara Ellander of Van Raalte; Janice Vander Borgh, Jack Oonk, Morris Schepers and Tom Malewitz of Longfellow; and Sally Ann Schner and Kenneth Van Tatenhove of Froebel.

Forty-two entrants were enrolled in the contest held in East Junior high school, in competition for the Bibles offered by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beuwekes for the best written examination on the Bible courses of the year. The winners are Carroll Post and Mary Jeanne Van Appledorn of the 7A grade, Eleanor Van Dahm and Bob Becksfort of the 7B grade. Others writing excellent papers were Peggy Prins, Bob Burton and Paul Fortney.

The prizes will be awarded at the high school commencement on Thursday evening in Hope Memorial chapel, by Superintendent E. E. Fell.

Van Raalte School Has Annual Picnic

Van Raalte school held its annual picnic at Kollen park June 14 afternoon and evening. An extensive sports program was conducted by Joe Moran, physical education supervisor. Kindergarten girls were given sand pails and the boys water balls. All youngsters were given crackerjack and paddle pops under the chairmanship of Mrs. George Ellander and her committee. Prizes were purchased and distributed by Mrs. Jack Marcus and her committee.

Separate contests were arranged for the girls and boys of each grade and two winners were awarded prizes in each contest. Contests and winners are as follows:

First grade—girls, running race, Dolores Cook and Nancy Barnard; boys, paper bag kicking, Franklin Bronson and Ronny Dozema.

Second grade—girls, tied leg jumping race, Nancy Sell and Angeline Visser; boys, ball pitching through tire, Dale Van Dorpe and Harris Langejans.

Third grade—girls, block potato race, Eleanor Vander Wall and Barbara Van Ingen; boys, skinning through rubber band, Paul Stoppels and Ronald Apple-dorn.

Fourth grade—girls, shoe scramble, Mary Wooden and Shirley Van Dyke; boys, shingle ball batting, Dale Kruthof and Clyde Kehrwecker.

Fifth grade—girls, Peppers rope skipping, Donna Sieger and Shirley Boerman; boys, medium ball distance, Harvard Meyer and Jay Ten Cate.

Sixth grade—girls, indoor ball distance throw, Caroline Warmelink and Barbara Ellander; boys, circle individual tug of war, Roger Vanden Bosch and Keith Hout-ing.

Butter manufacture in the U. S. requires 16 1/2 billion quarts of milk each year.

Riddle: WHY IS A WOMAN LIKE A NEWSPAPER?

An enterprising Florida paper offered a year's subscription for the best answer to this question: "Why is a woman like a newspaper?" Here are some answers: "Because they are thinner now than they used to be."

"Because they carry the news wherever they go."

But this one won the subscription: "Because every man should have one and not run after his neighbor's."

OLDEST COUNTY MAN SUCCUMBS

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—John A. Worsfold, 98, said to be the oldest man in Ottawa county, died in the home of his son, Charles Worsfold, 537 Lafayette St., early Monday. He had been ill since January of a severe cold.

He was born in London, England, Nov. 18, 1841, and came with his parents to Canada when two years old, settling in Eramse, Guelph, Ontario. As a youth, he learned the carpenter trade which he followed for some time and later conducted a retail furniture business.

He then went to Winnipeg where as a grain broker he made and lost several fortunes. Mr. Worsfold moved to Chicago and returned to his carpenter trade but lost all his tools in a piano factory fire.

He came to Grand Haven in 1910 and operated a collection agency and then sold honey for many years. He was well known among the resorters and on the Grand Haven streets with his familiar pails of honey.

He was a charter member of the Christian Science church and served as reader many years.

Survivors are two sons, Edward of Detroit, and Charles of Grand Haven; six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Drenthe News

A large number attended funeral services for Peter Spoor here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Heetderks of Ionia called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Heetderks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kruidhof attended the Johnson reunion at Spring Grove Saturday.

Mrs. Bert Ter Haar who underwent an appendectomy recently is able to be around again.

The Rev. Jacob Kamps, local church missionary from New Mexico, called on relatives and friends and attended the Christian Reformed synod in Grand Rapids.

The barn of Dick Van Rhee, 45 by 72, was raised last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kamps and family have moved into the house near the creamery. Mr. Kamps is local buttermaker.

Mrs. H. Dozeman was able to attend church services Sunday.

Dr. Will Vis and Clara Vis motored to Sioux Center, Ia., to visit their sister, Mrs. A. Arendsen who is very ill.

At the last meeting of the Senior Ladies Aid society, Mrs. Reka Kamps was presented with a sewing cabinet in appreciation of her work as leader.

Engagement Revealed at Supper-Dance in Castle

The engagement of Miss Jean Elizabeth McLean of this city to Julian Chester Smith, Jr., of Wilmette, Ill., was announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles James McLean of 191 West 12th St., at a supper dance at the Castle, Saturday evening. Mr. Smith is the son of Mrs. Julian Smith of Wilmette.

Miss McLean attended Milwaukee Downer seminary and Green-brier college, and Mr. Smith attended Deerfield academy and was graduated from Williams college in 1932. The couple plan to be married in January.

Approximately 125 guests, many of them classmates of Miss McLean, attended the dance, which concluded with a buffet supper in the Old Timers room of the Castle.

Among the out-of-town guests at the party were Mrs. Smith, Edward T. Tyerson and Berry Burlingame of Wilmette; Mrs. W. W. White, Miss Margaret White, Misses Ruth and Dorothy Herbst, David Everett, E. E. Gusting, David Burke and John Rhodes, all of Highland Park, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Croft and Joseph McCaughy of LaGrange, Ill.; James Robertson of Winnetka, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Julien H. Collins of Kenilworth, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. John M. Norcott, Columbus, O.; James J. Paterson, Crawfordsville, Ind.

Miss Joanne Irwin, Robert Evans, and James Czarniecki of Chicago; Miss Virginia Smith, Miss Elaine Dorr, of Milwaukee; Miss Sarah Davis of Wauwatosa, Wis.; Miss Mary Efinger West, Covington, Va.; Miss Jayne Plant, Hartsdale, N. Y.; Miss Rosier Hyde, Detroit; Miss Ann Leavitt, Brockton, Mass.; Miss Margaret Miller, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Miss Margaret Brown, Rhinelander, Wis.; Philip Frye, Glencoe, Ill.; Bruce Isherwood, West Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hower, Ann Arbor; Mr. and Mrs. William Chaille, and Henry Idema of Grand Rapids; Paul Meske of Muskegon; Miss Joan Robbins of Spring Lake; and Robert Wismeier of Adrian.

Preceding the party, Mr. and Mrs. Sears R. McLean of Castle park, entertained the out-of-town guests at a dinner in the Castle.

John Slag Gave Blood Transfusion to Butler

John R. Slag of the United States navy, who is training at the Philadelphia Naval hospital, was called upon to give a blood transfusion last week to Gen. Smedley Butler, who died Friday.

His brother, Edward, also in training there, was a donor last week for an army man. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. John Slag of West 10th St.

East Junior High School Ransacked by Looters

'Cisco Kid and Human Fly' Are Being Sought by Local Police

"The Cisco Kid and the Human Fly" were sought by Holland police following discovery this forenoon that the East Junior high school had been entered during the night and considerable damage had been done to school equipment.

The only clues were signs, printed with colored pencils, which were found about the building, and the footprints in the coal bin and other parts of the building. Entering the school building through the coal bin, the intruder or intruders ransacked the entire building. It could not be determined whether anything had been stolen. Drawers were removed from the desks of teachers in practically all the rooms. The drawers were then carried into a basement room in the center of the floor. Books of all kinds also were torn and damaged and dumped into the pile.

Then "The Cisco Kid and the Human Fly" opened about 20 one-half pint cans of paint of all colors and scattered the contents over the drawers and about the "down" room.

The apparent activities of the night visitors were told by the various signs. One sign which read "Look in Your Down Room" was found near the furnace in the basement.

Another sign which read "This Way" and included an arrow, was found on the door leading to the "down" room. A third sign, "Please Forgive Us," was found pinned to a board and left lying on a saw which had been splattered with the paint.

"Thanks for the Stuff" read another sign. In each instance, the phrase "The Cisco Kid and the Human Fly," had been attached to the signs.

The vandals also tore off the door of a dark room which is used for photographic work and threw sensitized paper over the room.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

William Woldering, Jr., 24, and Ada Chrispell, 17, of Holland; Chrispeer, 26, Holland, and Angelina Bremer, 19, Zeeland; Cornelius Schultema, 24, and Annetta Maring, 20, of Hudsonville; Edwin Allen Kammeraad, 25, route 4, Holland, and Cora Lamer, 29, Zeeland; Melgert Dyk, 28, route 1, Hudsonville, and Harriet Kapenga, 25, route 2, Holland.

John Poortenga, 26, and Mae Karsten, 23, of Hudsonville. Floyd E. Beltz, 26, Grand Haven, and Emma Marcella Robinson, 17, Grand Rapids.

Clyde Kimbler, 21, and Doris De Ridder, 23; Joseph Otting, 28, and Arnolda Derksen, 22, all of Holland; Albert Dykema, 24, route 2, Hudsonville; and Henrietta M. Stegeman, 25, Hudsonville; John H. Brunink, 22, route 2, Zeeland, and Hattie Vis, 19, Zeeland; Louis Huyter 24, and Fannie Mae Overweg, 21, both of Zeeland; Robert Sidney Selig, 21, and Cora Jean Foster, 18, both of route 2, Spring Lake.

Walters-Raak Wedding Performed in Home

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walters are established in their new home on West Main St., Zeeland, following their marriage Thursday evening, June 20, in the home of the bride's parents in Zeeland. The bride was formerly Miss Johanna Raak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Raak, 35 East McKinley Ave. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Walters of 11 East 15th St. The Rev. William Kok of Zeeland performed the single ring ceremony at 8 p.m. in the presence of 50 guests.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Esther Vander Bosch sang "O Promise Me," de Koven, and immediately after the rites she sang "Because," d'Hardelot, accompanied by Jay De Jongh, who also played the Lohengrin Wedding march as members of the bridal party took their places before an arch decorated with pink and white streamers and roses. The arch was banked with ferns and baskets of peonies.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of white net over satin with a lace bolero. A lace trimmed fingertip veil and a shower bouquet of white lilies, snapdragons and swainsons completed her costume.

Attending the bride was her cousin, Mrs. Seward Wabeke, who wore a floor-length gown of sheer pink. Her bouquet consisted of pink roses and snapdragons.

Seward Wabeke was best man. Serving as master and mistress of ceremonies was Mr. and Mrs. John Raak. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Walters had charge of the gift room.

After congratulations, a short program was given consisting of a trombone and piano duet by Miss Mae De Jongh and Jay De Jongh, a reading by Miss Wilma Ruth Van Dragt, Hawaiian guitar music by Ralph Arnoldink, piano solo by Mr. De Jongh and a dialogue. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Albert Diepenhorst, Mrs. Jennie Hall, Mrs. William Machiele, Mrs. Allie Rozema and Miss Mae De Jongh.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Brink and children are spending a week's vacation at a cottage near South Haven.

North Blendon Church Is Scene of Wedding

On Friday evening, June 21, the North Blendon Christian Reformed church was the scene of a wedding when Henry Dys, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dys of North Blendon, took as his bride Minnie Veldhouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Veldhouse, also of North Blendon. The altar was decked with palms and ferns and the Rev. George Gritter, pastor of the church, performed the double ring ceremony.

Miss Hazel Veldhouse, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Celia and Fanny Veldhouse, other sisters of the bride, served as bridesmaids.

John Dys attended his brother as best man. Miss Clara Dys, sister of the bridegroom, sang "I Love You Truly" with Mrs. Harold Klinge, friend of the bride, at the organ. Miss Dys wore a long gown of pink taffeta with a scalloped bolero. Mrs. Klinge wore pale green net over satin with velvet trim. The bridal party entered to the strains of the Lohengrin Wedding march played by Mrs. Klinge. After the ceremony Miss Dys sang "O Promise Me."

Willard and Simon Dys, brother of the bridegroom, served as the two ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Veldhouse were in charge of the gift room. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer, another brother and sister of the bride, completed the wedding party as master and mistress of ceremonies.

A lap supper was served in the church parlors to 140 guests with Mrs. Ed Kunst and Mrs. Herman Sall as caterers. Waitresses were Misses Gennina Matt, Mamie Klinge, Irene Havedink, Gertrude Driessenga, Evelyn Haveman and Verna Sall, friends of the bride.

Guests were present from Grand Rapids, Holland, Graafschap, Zeeland, Borelco, Rusk, Allendale, Beaverdam and North Blendon. Mr. and Mrs. Dys are living on the Haveman farm in North Blendon.

Overisel Couple Has Fortieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nienhuis celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Tuesday, June 25, at their home in Overisel. On the previous day, the brothers and sisters, of Mrs. Nienhuis honored the couple with a surprise, and as a token of respect presented them with a 100-piece dinner set.

Those present on this occasion were Mrs. Steve Bruinink, Mrs. Richard Smeege, Mrs. Henry Geerts, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Bie, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deur, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Beukema of Holland. Several could not be present.

On the appointed day the children and grandchildren gathered at the family home in honor of the event. A special feature of the occasion was the taking of the family picture in Zeeland. The children presented their parents with a living room rug.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. George Nienhuis and children, Arnold Jay and Herman Dale of Beaverdam; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nienhuis ad children, Alvin Dale, Roger Paul and Nelson Wayne of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nienhuis and daughter, Arloa Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nienhuis and son, Ronald Lee of Holland; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nienhuis of Overisel; Martin, Harry, Jeanette, John Jr., all at home, and Kenneth Hoeve of Oakland.

Couple is United in Drenthe Parsonage

The marriage of Miss Mable Doezman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doezman of Drenthe, and Jerome Kapenga, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Kapenga of East 16th St., Holland, was solemnized Tuesday evening in the parsonage of Drenthe Christian Reformed church. The Rev. L. Veltkamp performed the double ring ceremony at 7 p.m. in the presence of the immediate families.

For her marriage, the bride wore a white wedding dress with veil, and carried a mixed bridal bouquet. She was attended by her sister, Miss Gertrude Doezman, who wore a floor-length pink gown, and also carried a bouquet. Richard Kapenga attended his brother as best man.

Following the ceremony, a wedding supper was served the 22 guests at the Kountry Kitchen. Mr. and Mrs. Kapenga left on a wedding trip to Niagara Falls, and will be at home after July 1, at 121 West 17th St., Holland.

EX-TEACHER AT OVERISEL MEET

Post-Nuptial Shower Given June Bride

Mrs. James Essenburgh, who before her marriage June 1, was Miss Ada Chalmers, was honor guest at a post-nuptial shower given by Miss Louise Schipps Monday night in the Warm Friend tavern. Dinner was served at 8 p.m. in the Marine room of the hotel, after which the evening was spent in playing bridge. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. John Kolean, Jr. and Mrs. Norman Vander Schel. The bride received many attractive gifts.

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Martin Albers

similar position at Bondurant, Ia. for five years and at New Providence from 1924-1936. Since, he has served as county superintendent of schools of Hardin county, Iowa. He has 85 rural schools, six consolidated schools and six town and city schools under his supervision.

He also gives aid to the faculty of the Iowa State training school located at Eldora and has served as 4-H club leader in Polk county, holding important positions in educational circles and on state committees. At present he is serving on a national committee of school administrators. He was a member of the state board of examiners for 14 summers in Iowa. Schools under his supervision have ranked first in school exhibits at the state fair in Des Moines, and he was one of the 25 to be awarded a certificate of honor by the national tuberculosis association for the promotion of health for 25 years of volunteer service. He has completed 32 years of educational service.

Millard Albers, son of Mr. Albers, was graduated from Hope college this year, his father's 25th anniversary. Millard is admitted to the medical college of the Iowa State university at Iowa City.

Speakers at the afternoon reunion program included Norman Bond and Supt. Troy Clawson of Pellston. There also was special music. Following a program of sports and a ball game, the evening session opened with prayer by the Rev. H. W. Pyle. Mr. Clawson led singing, and other numbers included talks by Hazel Nyhuis and Marvin Folkert; music by Barkel trio; Dutch reading by Ray Busscher; dialogue, Earl Gunne-man and Amy Slotman; music by male quartet; address, Charles Veldhuis, and dialogue by Mrs. Bertha Nyenhuys and Mrs. Stella Fox.

Two oldest pupils present were J. H. Koopman and John Nyhuis, both 83. The former was a director of the school for many years, and the latter served on the school board at Overisel district No. 4 for a long period.

Committee for the next reunion in five years is composed of Mr. and Mrs. James Koopman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nyhuis, Mr. and Mrs. James Lubbers.

Miss Joan Vander Werf and Miss Doris Brower, teachers in Junior high school, left Saturday for Evanston, Ill., to take graduate work at Northwestern university during the summer session.

Miss Mildred Borr of East 17th St. left Friday for a visit with Miss Rose Bulley in Ecorse. She plans to attend the state Christian Endeavor convention in Detroit the latter part of this week.

Local Man, Onaway Girl Are Married in Church

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Mrs. Alder is Honor Guest at Luncheon

Mrs. Leslie Risto and Mrs. W. L. Wismeier were hostesses Wednesday afternoon at a bridge luncheon in Whitehouse Inn complimenting Mrs. R. F. Alder who is leaving Holland the last of the week to make her home in Philadelphia. Luncheon tables were attractively decorated with a profusion of roses and peonies. Covers were laid for 20 guests, each of whom received a favor.

In bridge games, high score prizes were awarded to Mrs. Jay Den Herder, and Mrs. George A. Pelgrim. Mrs. Chester Van Tongeren received a consolation prize. Mrs. Alder was presented with a gift from the hostesses.

Mrs. A. E. Fitzgerald of Kalamazoo was an out-of-town guest. Mr. Alder arrived in Holland Wednesday night, and will accompany his family to Philadelphia.

Hirdes-Van Liere Reunion Is Held

The 12th annual Hirdes and Van Liere reunion was held at Riverside Park on June 26. Twenty-eight families were present. Games were played and prizes were awarded to the winners, after which a social time was spent. Supper was served at 6 o'clock with the opening prayer by the president, A. Hirdes. Bible reading and closing prayer was given by John Knoll.

A short program was presented and a business meeting was held with the following officers elected: John Knoll, president; Walter Veurink, Sr., vice-president; Edward Jaarda, secretary; and William Baarman, treasurer.

Holland is Praised for Camp Fire Activities

Mrs. Lloyd Reed, director of Holland Camp Fire girls, and nine local guardians, including Mrs. John Kuipers and the Misses Marcella Potter, Irma Stoppels, Dorothy Curtis, Emily Kardux, Jean Swart, Morrell Webber, Evelyn Antes and Florence Dykema, have returned from a Camp Fire training course at Camp Wathana at Holly, the Detroit camp.

Holland was recognized at the meeting for having the best and most active organization among the smaller cities of the state, for its rapid growth and amount of real Camp Fire work being done here, and for its participation in civic activities and the type of program planned. Holland and Battle Creek had the largest attendance at the conference.

Miss Reka Vander Wal Feted at Shower

Miss Reka Vander Wal was honored at a surprise shower at her home June 19, by her sister, Miss Mary Vander Wal. Miss Vander Wal will be a July bride. Games were played and prizes were awarded. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The following guests were present: Mesdames Martin Boers, Gerrit Boers, Joe Boers, John Brinkman, Herman Brummel, Joe Nyhof, Gerrit Nyhof, Ed Lubbers, Bert Nienhuis, Ralph Voss, Albert Voss, Alfred Hossink, John Stuit, John Bronkhorst, Dora Lampen, J. Agteres, Harry Boerman, William Bulman, Justin Lampen, Henry Wolters, Marinus Mulder, Lawrence La Huys and Dick Ver Hage.

W. Mackay, 372 West 16th St., filed application for a building permit with City Clerk Oscar Peterson to build an addition to the basement of his home of cement blocks, \$325.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Heydens are making their home in Holland following their marriage Saturday morning in the St. Paul church of Onaway. Mrs. Heydens is the former Lillian Mero, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mero of Onaway. Mr. Heydens is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Desire Heydens of Holland.

Marriage vows were spoken at an impressive nuptial high mass in the church which was attractively decorated with bouquets of knowalls, spirea and red peonies. The Rev. Fr. Joseph Culligan performed the ceremony. The altar was softly lighted by tall cathedral candles. The wedding march was played by Mrs. William Wandrich of Cheboygan and "Ave Maria" was sung by Mrs. E. A. Christie of Cheboygan.

Miss Jeanette Mero was her sister's bridesmaid. Frank Schell of Onaway attended as best man.

At 1 o'clock a dinner and reception were held in the home of the bride's parents. Later the couple left for a wedding trip. Mrs. Heydens is a graduate of the Onaway high school and of the Presque Isle County Normal. Mr. Heydens was graduated from Holland high school and is employed by the Hart and Cooley Co.

Group Entertained After School Commencement

Miss Elaine Lundie of East 19th St. entertained a group of Holland high school seniors at her home last Thursday following commencement exercises. The time was spent in singing and playing old songs and telling experiences of senior days in high school.

Those present were the Misses Joan De Kraker, Mildred Grasmeyer, Ida Laarman, Louise Veele, Ida Venhuizen, Marie Ver Steeg, Geneva Poppema, Lorraine Mokka, Erma Peters, Wilma Nyhuis, Evelyn Lampen Lucille Kooyers, Bertha Van Wynen and Irene Lundie.

COMMON COUNCIL

Holland, Mich., June 19, 1940. The Common Council met in special session pursuant to call by the Mayor. The meeting was held in the Council Chambers at 7:15 p.m. in advance of the regular meeting.

Present: Mayor Geerlings, Alds. Kleis, Arendshorst, Drinkwater, Kalkman, Faasen, Steffens, Menken, Smith, Mool, and the Clerk. Devotions led by Mayor Geerlings.

The Mayor reported that the special meeting was called at the request of the Board of Public Works for the purpose of considering the adoption of a resolution to amend the contract created by the acceptance by the City of Holland, of the offer made by the United States Government dated Oct. 28, 1938, so as to provide for an additional grant of \$24,721.00 on the new power plant project.

Adopted all present voting aye. The Council then went into their regular meeting and assumed the regular order of business.

Minutes of last regular and special meetings read and approved. Petitions and Accounts Clerk presented applications for several building permits. Granted, subject to approval of City Engineer and Fire Chief.

Clerk presented applications for license to sell soft drinks, operate restaurants, etc. Granted.

Clerk presented application and bond of Sam Becker for license to operate a junk yard at 181 Columbia Ave.

Approved and license granted. Clerk presented application and bond to Herman Bontekoe for license to construct sidewalks, etc. Approved and license granted.

Clerk presented application from the Carley Amusement Co. for license, to operate the Colonial, Holland and Center theatres. Application contains the usual agreement that these theatres will not be operated on Sundays. Approved.

Clerk presented communication from Mrs. O. S. Cross thanking the Council for her reappointment as an associate member of the Library Board.

Accepted and filed. Clerk presented communication from Standard Grocer Co. protesting against the location of exposed coal piles of slack coal on property directly across the street from their warehouse where food is continually being handled and stored.

Referred to Street Committee. Clerk presented a statement from William Bronkhorst showing a loss of \$238.00 on the sale of two teams of horses.

Referred to Ways and Means Committee. Clerk presented petition from truck operators and drivers requesting that Seventh street from Lincoln Ave. to River Ave. be made a thru street with necessary traffic lights and stop signs. The petition is made in the interest of safety and to protect the public against unnecessary accidents.

Mayor ordered petition referred to Police and Fire Board. Reports of Standing Committees Committee on Ways & Means to whom was referred a recent communication from Fire Chief Blom in regard to the purchase of a new fire truck immediately, reported having considered this matter, but inasmuch as only \$5,000.00 was provided in the last budget, committee recommended that action on the purchase of this truck be deferred until a later date.

Adopted. Committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred the protest of Gerrit Schutten in regard to installing water mains in West 28th St. between River and Pine Aves. on an assessment basis, reported having met and considered this matter. They reported that since the Sewer Committee had met with the Board of Public Works a short time ago and approved of the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, that these mains be put in on an assessment basis, they felt that this former action should stand.

Adopted. Street Committee reported having considered for sometime the purchase of a tractor with mower attached for the purpose of cutting grass and long weeds along the walks and vacant places, and recommended the purchase of a Centaur tractor complete with starting equipment, lights, lifting mechanism, mower and cutter bar, and everything necessary to operate this machine at a price of \$1,040.25 net. This mower to be purchased from the Contractors Machinery Co. at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Adopted. Street Committee further reported having considered for a long time the installation of a storm sewer in the west part of the City to hook into the so-called Tannery creek at 13th St. and service properties adjacent to Maple Ave. This would require the building of a new storm sewer system which would drain into the large sewer in Pine Ave. Preliminary plans have been completed by the City Engineer and the Committee recommended that the City Engineer be instructed to finish these plans and make application to the W. P. A. requesting that they participate in this project.

Committee further recommended that the City's share of the expense of this project be paid from the Gas and Weight Tax monies which are now available. Committee further recommended that a small storm sewer be installed in College Ave. north of 6th St. and that the City Engineer be authorized to relay a small section of pipe which would also be included as a W. P. A. project.

Adopted. Claims and Accounts Committee reported having examined claims in the sum of \$9,018.52 and recommended payment thereof. Allowed.

Public Buildings Committee reported that the work of repairing the Museum building is now practically completed. Committee further reported having checked in to the necessary repairs and painting required on other City-owned residences in the vicinity of the City hall. Their estimates for carpenter work and painting are as follows:

The house at 286 River Avenue \$ 275.00
The house at 280 River Avenue 82.00
The house at 56 West 11th Street 125.00
Total \$ 482.00

Committee further reported that they are also recommending the trimming of shrubbery and cleaning up of rubbish around these houses where necessary.

Adopted and Committee given power to act in having this work done with the understanding that they are to receive bids on the painting of these houses.

Sewer Committee reported that they have recently had several inquiries in the regard to the construction of a sewer in the section in and around Columbia Ave. and 30th St. They reported that the owners of lots in this neighborhood are ready to build new homes if sewers are made available.

Committee further reported that mains are ready to be constructed in the vicinity of Central Ave. and 30th St. as soon as sewers are made available.

It was the Committee's recommendation that plans be drawn up for a sanitary sewer to be constructed in River Ave. from 28th to 30th Sts. and in 30th St. from River to Columbia Aves. in order to service this section of the street.

Committee further reported that it would not be necessary to install any additional water mains for the present inasmuch as water will be made available to serve the present needs.

Adopted. Sewer Committee further reported having received a request for a sewer in East 15th St. from Lincoln Ave. east from the creek a distance of approximately 600 feet. It was their recommendation that a sewer be constructed in this street also.

Adopted. Communications from Boards and City Officers

The claims approved by the Hospital Board in the sum of \$1,358.10; Library Board, \$246.32; Park and Cemetery Board, \$2,079.84; Police and Fire Board, \$3,081.12; Board of Public Works operating account, \$7,348.72, light plant constructor, account, \$1,106.60, were ordered certified to the Council for payment. (Said claims on file in Clerk's office for public inspection.)

Allowed. Board of Public Works reported collection of \$25,397.52; City Treasurer, \$6,427.32.

Accepted and filed. Clerk presented a communication from the Police and Fire Board relative to a new fire agreement contract to be drawn up between Holland township and the City of Holland.

The communication states that Holland Township desires to be relieved of the responsibility clause in their present contract and in lieu they are willing to enter into a new contract which briefly provides that they pay a flat amount of \$500.00 per year for a term of 5 years. This money to be set aside in a reserve fund to take care of any accidents which might

happen to the fire truck or men while answering outside calls.

The new agreement is to further provide that after 5 years, the township is to pay a flat sum of \$200.00 per year as maintenance. In addition to these stated amounts, the township is also to pay \$50.00 per run, the same as at present.

The purpose of these stated amounts is to set up a reserve fund of \$2,500.00 and if it becomes necessary to use any of this reserve money if accidents occur, the contract is to provide that the \$500.00 amount shall apply until such time as the fund again reaches the \$2,500.00.

City Attorney Lokker, and Attorney Dethmers, who was present on behalf of the Holland Township, both spoke in regard to this proposed new contract.

The City Attorney stated that he had attended a meeting of the Police and Fire Board about two weeks ago when this matter was discussed. However, at that time he did not understand that they were to pay a certain amount per run in addition to the flat amounts.

The City Attorney brought out the fact that 75% of the money received from outside fire runs goes to the firemen themselves instead of to the City of Holland, and he stated he understood that there was considerable objection on the part of the firemen if the City was to receive flat amounts from which they would not receive their share. However, afterwards he was informed that they have no objection to the new agreement if it provides for both flat amounts and th \$500.00 per run.

Attorney Dethmers stated that the only interest Holland township has in this matter is to get rid of the clause in the present contract which provides for the liability of the township in case of accident.

Both Mr. Dethmers and City Attorney Lokker were agreed that there was no liability on the part of either the City or township so long as the department was performing purely governmental functions. However, Mr. Dethmers stated that since the Risselada accident, the township was fearful of a similar happening in answering outside calls, and although they were assured there was no liability, still they preferred to have the liability clause eliminated rather than to have any litigation over it, and for this reason were willing to pay this added amount of \$500.00 per year over what they are now paying.

There was some discussion among the aldermen in regard to this matter, and on motion of Ald. Kleis, seconded by Arendshorst, the matter was referred to the Ways and Means Committee and City Attorney with the recommendation that they report at the next regular Council meeting.

Clerk presented communication from the Board of Public Works in which they recommend the adoption of a resolution to authorize the change orders which have been made and which they may be required to make on certain contracts in connection with the construction of the new power plant.

Adopted. Clerk presented communication from the Board of Public Works together with resolution certificates of completion and acceptance, and certificates of completion and acceptance which have been approved by the Board of Public Works in regard to contracts on the new power plant which have been completed and which have been accepted by both the Consulting Engineers and the Board of Public Works.

Approved and Mayor and Clerk instructed to sign these certificates.

Clerk reported that pursuant to instructions he has given notice of the proposed sale of a strip of property on 5th St. to Louis Padnos. Said strip of land being 150 feet along 5th St. and 100 feet north and south. Clerk further presented affidavit of publication of such notice.

Clerk further presented communication from the Standard Grocer Co. protesting against the junk business at this location and asking that the request of the owner be denied, and further, that the owner be required to vacate as soon as possible.

Clerk further presented petition signed by 7 property owners in the vicinity of Mr. Padnos' junk yard requesting that they be protected under the Zoning Ordinance and require Mr. Padnos to remove all junk piles and clean up the property so that it will not be so unsightly.

Mayor Geerlings called upon Mr. Padnos who was present, asking him if he had anything to say for the further information of the aldermen.

Mr. Padnos stated that there was not much he could say in view of the fact that most of the adjoining property owners were opposed to his proposed improvement. Mr. Padnos did state, however, that he was operating a legitimate business with no odor or dust, and if permitted to expand his business in accordance with his needs, that he would completely shut off his yard from view with a high wall or fence together with a roof along the street.

Ald. Menken stated that since Mr. Padnos has no legal right under our Zoning Ordinance to operate a junk yard in this location, and since the adjoining property owners are entering such a vigorous protest, that the Council members have not much choice in the matter.

On motion of Ald. Menken, seconded by Faasen, Action on the sale of the property was deferred and the entire matter referred back to the Civic Improvement Committee with the recommendation for a definite report at the next meeting.

Motions and Resolutions Ald. Kalkman recommended that a guard be placed at Kollen

WANT-ADS

LOANS — \$25 to \$300
No Endorsers — No Delay
Holland Loan Association
10 West 8th, 2nd floor

FOR SALE — Hay baler, good condition, rubber tires. Also large size John Deere tractor, rubber tires. Will sell separately. John Shaffer, Allegan, Route 5, first house north of Miner Lake store.

park, such guard to be a good swimmer, and in addition, he should also have available two life preservers and a boat which can be used in case of accident.

Mayor Geerlings stated that the Playground Commission was considering the appointment of such guard.

Referred to Playground Commission with recommendation that they act at once.

Ald. Arendshorst requested information on the action taken in regard to having water turned on at the cemetery.

Mayor Geerlings informed him that the water is now turned on.

BOARD STUDIES PLAN TO OBTAIN TAX SALE LAND

Arnold Presents Proposal to Use Acreage for Reforestation

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—L. R. Arnold, county agricultural agent, addressed the board of supervisors at the afternoon session Wednesday and advised that 1,700 acres of land, which had been reverted to the state at the delinquent tax sale beginning Feb. 13, 1940, could be acquired by the county for reforestation purposes.

Arnold was of the opinion that some of this land might be desired by school districts in the county for the purpose of establishing school forests. He stated that if the county desired to acquire the land an inspector would be in the county in about two weeks to go over the land to determine whether it was unsuitable for state purposes, in which event the county would receive title from the state.

In approving the plan, the board suggested that Arnold confer with supervisors as to whether any of the land is wanted by townships. It could be deeded to townships or, if unwanted, could be taken over by the county.

The land embraces acres in the following townships: Grand Haven, 40 acres; Spring Lake, 235 acres; Crocker, 207 acres; Robinson, 541 acres; Park, 139 acres; Port Sheldon, 153 acres, and Olive 420 acres, or a total of 1,735 acres. These lands could not be offered for resale at a later time by the county.

The above townships are those in which reforestation work has been going on and which have been included in the district for reforestation work in soil conservation. A provision is made that if the land is not used for public purposes in ten years it will revert back to the state.

The question arose on whether the county desired to spend the money during the coming ten years and then if this was discontinued to have it revert back to the state.

Supervisors adopted the recommendation of the public health committee that it be allowed to enter into negotiations with the board of trustees of the Muskegon county sanatorium with power to draw up a contract at \$3.25 per day or less. The committee also recommended that if the contract is continued at \$3.25 per day per patient, a clause is to be included in the contract that whenever desirable to all parties, certain patients may be transferred to the Howell sanatorium for further treatment since it is possible to get hospitalization there at \$2.50 per day per patient.

Grand Haven, June 27 (Special)—Clarence A. Lokker, Holland city attorney, presented a resolution on Wednesday to the board of supervisors, recommending that \$5,000 be offered for the acquisition of two parcels of land to be added to the present Tunnel park, located on Lake Michigan, west of Holland.

The matter had been brought before the supervisors on a previous occasion and referred to a special committee for investigation. Mr. Lokker is chairman of this special committee.

The strip of land is 733.4 feet in width, one parcel being 500 feet in width and the second parcel of three lots in Heneveld Supervisor's plat of Lakewood Homesites subdivision, being 203.4 feet in width. The land is located north and south of the present park.

Mr. Lokker said \$15,000 was once offered for a strip of land near the park but this was only 688 feet while the new description calls for an additional 35.4 feet. The property is owned by a Chicago trustee which purchased the former Lakewood farm of the late George F. Getz.

In recommending the purchase, the committee said that "the present park is inadequate in size to accommodate the various gatherings."

At the morning session, William Hutton asked for Red Cross donations. A box was passed among the supervisors and each contributed.

Dr. W. T. Bartlett of the Muskegon sanatorium requested a renewal of the county's contract for tuberculosis patients on a basis of \$3.25 per day, the request being supplemented with a talk by W. W. Richards also of Muskegon. The request was referred to the committee on public health which will report with a recommendation Thursday.

County Engineer Carl T. Bowen, Sanitary Engineer S. P. Nelson and Dr. Ralph Ten Have called attention to the housing situation in the county, citing especially "shack and basement" houses which are being constructed, causing a decrease in property value and an increase in unsanitary conditions.

Mayor Henry Geerlings of Holland inquired of Dr. Ten Have what could be done with the people who cannot afford better homes. He asked the doctor if he had a plan to relieve the situation to which Dr. Ten Have replied in the negative.

Lokker presented a motion that the matter of zoning and building restrictions throughout the township and county be referred to the health department and he suggested that it submit a concrete proposition which the board could pass upon. Lokker said he did not think it was a matter for the board to investigate. The motion was adopted.

Celebrate Golden Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Lubbers, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Lubbers, Sr., of Graafschap, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Saturday, are still living on the same farm where they came shortly after their marriage 50 years ago. The couple has four

First Church Scene of Impressive Ceremony

An impressive double ring ceremony, read in the First Reformed church Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, united in marriage Beatrice Anne Kline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Kline, 168 East 10th St., and Charles A. Steketee of Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Steketee, 84 West 14th St., this city. The Rev. Nicholas Gosselin officiated, using the Presbyterian form of service.

Vows were exchanged in a setting of palms, ferns, two seven-branch candelabra, and a profusion of flowers of pastel shades. Pastel rosettes marked the pews of the church.

Mrs. Raymond Ter Beek, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Lois Dykhuys and Dorothy Hawley, friends of the bride, as bridesmaids, and Leona Steketee, niece of the groom, as junior bridesmaid, wore gowns and veils of cloud blue, shell pink, and aqua, identical to that of the matron of honor.

Little Margaret Ann Ryzena of Kalamazoo, niece of the groom, attired in aqua and pink starched organza, fashioned with a full skirt of tiny ruffles, was flower girl.

Raymond Ter Beek served the groom as best man, and guests were seated by Calvin Vander Werf of Columbus, O., James Hinkamp and Lester Hopkins.

Preceding the ceremony a program of appropriate organ music was offered by Angeline Dornbos of Grand Rapids, a sorority friend of the bride. Another sorority friend, Bertha Vis of Sheldon, Ia., sang "I Love You Truly," with violin obligato played by Pauline Loew. The Lohengrin wedding march, combining the music of organ and violin, was used as the processional.

Approximately 75 guests, greeted the couple in the church parlors immediately following the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Dykhuys acted as master and mistress of ceremonies, with Mrs. Julius Dover of Saginaw assisting.

Waitresses who assisted the caterer, Mrs. Dena Luidens, were sorority friends of the bride, including Mildred Kirkwood of Grand Rapids, Doris Van Hoven of Zeeland, Nina Popma, Lucille Kerkhof, Donna Eby, and Norma Beekus, Virginia Dykhuys, assisted by Pauline Loew, was in charge of the gift room.

The bride is a graduate of the Hope college class of 1940 and a member of the Sibylline society. The groom was graduated from Hope college and took his master's degree at the University of Michigan. He was affiliated with the Fraternal society here and the Phi Delta Kappa at Ann Arbor. For the past two years he has taught mathematics in Howell.

The couple left early in the evening for a motor trip through the southern states. For traveling the bride chose a white sharkskin suit with a cinnamon brown and white accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of pink roses and sweet peas. Mr. and Mrs. Steketee will be at home in Howell after Sept. 1.

Hulsman Reunion Is Held in West Olive

The Hulsman reunion was held at the home of Mrs. George Smeyers in West Olive on Monday evening. A pot-luck dinner was served and program was carried out which closed with a hymn sing.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. John Schipper of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vander Brink, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hulsman, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Koetsier of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. James Neveland and family of Dunningville, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Novotny and children of Allegan, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kronmeyer, Lois and Ruth of Fillmore, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nyhuis, Juliet and Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Schipper, Jay Hulsman and Jewella, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kronmeyer, Lena Gladys, and Mrs. George Smeyers and Caroline, Herman, Salinda and Andrew Wolters.

There is one bicycle to every 4 automobiles, or one to every 17 persons in the U. S.

Reveal Engagement of Miss Verhulst

Announcement of the engagement of Miss Christine Verhulst of this city and John L. Brown of Maple Rapids was made at a party given by Miss Patricia Verhulst and Miss Dorothy Parker of Rutland, Vt., Tuesday evening at the Verhulst residence, 309 College Ave.

A series of appropriate games were conducted by Miss Parker, and prize winners were Miss Berdine Hop and Miss Renetta Shackson. Miss Lois Voorhorst and Miss Verhulst served a two-course luncheon following the entertainment. Unique table decorations, featuring nose-gay corsages bearing the announcement cards, were arranged by Miss Anne Partridge.

The following guests attended: the Misses Grace Keeler, Lucia Ayers, Renetta Shackson, Gertrude Meengs, Dorothy Parker, Lois Voorhorst, Berdine Hop, Lois Tyase, Esther Hinkamp, Dorothy Parker, Anne Partridge, Patricia Verhulst, Barbara Lampen and the Mesdames Richard Mouw, Clifford Marcus, and LaVerne Scheerhorn. Mrs. Irene Verhulst, mother of the guest of honor, was unable to be present as she is attending summer school at Marquette.

Miss Verhulst is a graduate of Hope college and has taught English in Maple Rapids High school for the past three years. Mr. Brown attended Michigan State college in East Lansing. The date of the wedding has not been set.

Shower Honors Chicago Girl

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Herman Deters recently in honor of Anna Van Dahm of Chicago, who will become the bride of Henry Deters in July. The guest of honor was presented with many beautiful gifts. Games were played and prizes awarded. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Henry Lubbers, Mrs. Harry Deters, Helene and Henrietta Deters.

Invited guests were Mrs. L. Stegink, Mrs. F. Hoek, Mrs. John H. Scholten, Mrs. H. Garvelink, Mrs. H. J. Bonzeelaar, Mrs. A. Bonzeelaar, Mrs. Herman Bonzeelaar, Mrs. Henry Bonzeelaar, Mrs. H. Kleinhessel, M. J. Schipper, Mrs. Henry Overbeek, the Misses Mable and Marguerite Stegink, Hilda and Estella Scholten, Wilma, Josephine and Hester Bonzeelaar, Julia Boeskoel, Etta Haverdink, Hazel and Loretta Bonzeelaar, Roselle and Thelma Deters, Cynthia and Eunice Schipper, Goldie Kleinhessel, Helena and Henrietta Deters, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Deters, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deters, and Beatrice Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lubbers, Herman Deters, Andrew, Clarence, Justin, Jerome, and Alvin Deters, Miss Van Dahm and Henry Deters.

Overisel News

Last week Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Jacob Kleinhessel entertained a group of friends, all of whom had spent their girlhood together in Overisel. Those present were Mrs. Ben Smith of Beaverdam, Mrs. Henry Etterbeek of Lafayette, Ind., Johanna and Elizabeth Hartgerink, Mrs. E. Hartgerink of Kalamazoo, Sena Arink of Muskegon, Mrs. Henry Scholten of Graafschap, Mrs. John J. Boeve and Mrs. John E. Naber of East Holland and Mrs. George Kraker of Fillmore. The afternoon was spent socially and a two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Kleinhessel and her daughter, Sylvia.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nienuis and sons of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nienuis and daughter and Mr. Ben Nienuis and son of Holland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nienuis Friday evening.

Mrs. Maurice Nienuis and Wayne and Judith, spent last Thursday with Mrs. Ben Voas in Zeeland.

The Veldhuis sisters entertained at dinner on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Albers and Mannes Albers of Iowa. Much sympathy is felt here for the widow and children and relatives of Mr. Fred Langeland who died in Kalamazoo last week. Both Mr. and Mrs. Langeland were brought up in this community and were highly respected. Relatives from here attended the funeral on Monday.

The C. E. this week was in charge of Jay Folkert. Norma Pomp played two piano accordion selections.

Frances De Roos spent a few weeks with Dr. and Mrs. Zachary Veldhuis in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Van Dellen and daughter, Judith, of Albion visited Mr. and Mrs. Nell Voorhorst Sunday evening. Mrs. Van Dellen is the former Ruth Vis of Grand Rapids.

Mildred Koolker, Juliet Koolker, and Marie Folkert left Monday morning to attend the summer session at Western State Teachers college, Kalamazoo.

Mae Lampen and Lois Voorhorst left Monday for Camp Oak Opening where they are employed for the summer. Miss Lampen is assistant cook and Miss Voorhorst will be one of the waitresses.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Vander Kooi have returned from their recent wedding trip to Northern Michigan and Wisconsin. En route they visited their brother, Gerrit Vander Riet, who is preaching for the summer in South Dakota. Mr. and Mrs. Vande Kooi will make their home in Grand Rapids.

Jake Kleinhessel and son, Lester, Justin Schipper and son, Earl and Charles Kraker and Harold Kleinhessel visited the large poultry farm of Creighton Bros. in Warsaw, Ind. Tuesday, June 18. The farm comprises 1,100 acres and houses 45,000 white leghorn hens. On their return they stopped in Battle Creek and at the Bird Sanctuary at Gull Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Dannenberg and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Voorhorst and family enjoyed a trip to the C. W. Post plant in Battle Creek and other places of interest on Tuesday.

Mrs. Neil Voorhorst was a guest at the home of Mrs. Julia Voorhorst in Holland on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ter Vree, Mr. and Mrs. John Kleinhessel, Mr. and Mrs. John Griep were entertained in the home of Bert Kleinhessel and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wolters on Tuesday evening.

Personals

(From Today's Sentinel)

Mrs. Martin Ten Brink of Central park has been confined to her bed for a few days on account of blood-poisoning in her foot. She seems to be making a good recovery.

Dr. G. D. Bos and family, 97 East 23rd St., left Wednesday morning on a trailer trip to Detroit, where they plan to visit relatives.

Jacob Vander Lune, Mrs. Hazel Love, and Gilbert Van Wynen and his daughters, Bertha and Mary Ruth, motored to Caledonia Sunday evening where Mr. Van Wynen conducted a hymn sing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brooks and family have moved to their cottage at Macatawa park to spend the summer. Mrs. Brooks' father, Walter C. Walsh, plans to spend the vacation with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Den Herder and family moved yesterday to their Tennessee beach cottage for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Minnie Aalberts of Orange City, Ia., is in Holland during the convalescence of her son, Edwin Aalberts, who is confined to Holland hospital following a major operation.

Allen B. Cook, graduate of Western Theological seminary this year who accepted a call to Indianapolis, Ind., will be ordained and installed July 9.

Louis Tubergen, 267 East 11th St., who underwent a major operation in Holland hospital was removed to his home today.

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Dewey T. Gresham of Bedford, Ind., who has been visiting the past 10 days with her daughter, Miss Betty Jo Gresham, and her sister, Mrs. Louis Wood, 78 West Ninth St., left today for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Koster of Holland announce the birth of a daughter Saturday in Holland hospital. Mrs. Koster was formerly Miss Faye A. Van Langevelde.

Mrs. Henry Wilson is confined to her home, 291 West 12th St., with a fractured knee suffered in a fall last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner, Miss Elizabeth Wagner and Mrs. Ray Smith of Gibson, spent the week-end with F. J. Wagner.

Mrs. Smith, youngest daughter of the latter, is having a new home constructed by J. E. Thake.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fairbanks of East 16th St., Mrs. Martha Pelgrim, 80 West 12th St., and the latter's son, Kenneth Pelgrim, are visiting their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fairbanks in Charleston, W. Va. They plan to return to Holland the last of the week.

Andrew Klopars and Sam Althuis, representing the Holland Fire department, went to Port Huron today to attend the 66th annual convention of the Michigan State Firemen's association which opened there Monday with talks by President John A. Keefe of Detroit, Mayor John F. Cassin and Jacob Hohmann, Jr., of Bay City, first vice-president. Approximately 600 Michigan firemen are attending the convention.

Sally Hofmeyer, Gladys Buscher, Hermia Buscher and Arlene Prins, all of route 6, are spending this week at Clear Lake camp. Ben Van Raalte, A. J. Westover, Charles H. McBride and Fred Sleggh attended funeral services

Monday morning in Benton Harbor for R. C. Easley, former owner and publisher of The Sentinel, who died last week at Indian River. The Rev. H. A. Blanning officiated. Burial was in Crystal Springs cemetery, Benton Harbor.

Mrs. R. S. Moore of Waukegon is in a favorable condition following a major operation Saturday in Holland hospital.

Mrs. C. F. Eigelsbach and children of Chicago are spending several weeks at their cottage at Macatawa park and also are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vande Wege of Holland.

Former Allendale Girl Is Married in G.R.

Miss Henriette Knoper, daughter of Mrs. Peter Knoper of Grand Rapids, formerly of Allendale, became the bride of John M. Kalsbeck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hessel De Jonge of Grand Rapids, in a service Friday evening in the Roosevelt Park Protestant Reformed church in Grand Rapids with the Rev. Marinus Schipper officiating.

John Van Koeveing, brother-in-law of the bride, sang and Helen Wiersma, pianist, and Betty J. Stadt, violinist, played the wedding music. The bride was dressed in a white chiffon gown with lace trim and a shoulder length veil. She carried white roses, sweet peas and snapdragons.

She was attended by Miss Jennie De Jonge, sister of the bridegroom, who was attired in blue and carried roses and snapdragons. Bernard Knoper, brother of the bride, served as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Kalsbeck are making their home at 45 Montebello St., S. E., Grand Rapids.

Allendale

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hubbel have as guests their daughter, Mrs. Earl Parish and family of Virginia.

Bert J. Horlings of Grand Rapids, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kraker and family.

While her father, the Rev. Medendorp attended synod recently, Miss Marguerite Medendorp of Racine, Wis., was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Horlings.

Casper Broene, accompanied by Henry Steenwyk, Henry Masselein and Marvin Bronkhorst made a trip to Canada, Niagara Falls and other points of interest. They returned home last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Koeveing attended the wedding of the latter's sister, Henriette Knoper, in Grand Rapids last Friday evening.

Student Ouwenga conducted the Sunday evening service at Christian Reformed church.

Last Thursday evening Miss Katherine Kraker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kraker, became the bride of Anthony Elve of Grand Rapids, in the presence of immediate relatives. The couple will reside in Grand Rapids.

The chapel of the Christian Reformed church was sold to John Van Huisen, Jr., and is being used. A new and more spacious building will be erected this summer.

The Curry School reunion last Saturday afternoon and evening on the school grounds was a success. Large numbers of old pupils and teachers were present to celebrate the event coming from Virginia, Kansas, Detroit, Holland, Grand Rapids and many other places. The program in the evening featured the "Old Family Album." Much of the time was spent in reminiscing about old times.

Jenison News

A breeder's meeting was held at Ben Dolman's farm. Many came from other states. Interesting talks were given on short horn cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Dodd Butler, of Arlington, Va., called on their aunt, Mrs. Grace Dowell, Friday.

Mrs. Bessie Greenend of Grand Rapids is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Cameron.

Mrs. John Moss of N. Jenison was a Grand Haven caller Friday.

Clifford E. Pitts of Grand Rapids spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Howell.

Mrs. D. Olson of Hudsonville died at her son's home in Grand Rapids, June 20. Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Reformed church in Hudsonville. Burial was in Georgetown cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. De Wendt and sons, Ben and Gerald, spent Monday in Coopersville.

Mrs. L. Marquand is ill at her home on Sand Hill road.

Mrs. Frank Burt of south Grand Rapids has purchased ten acres and buildings of Ben Kuit near Hudsonville. Mr. Kuit will build a home on the east side of the property.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Howell were Grand Rapids callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Marquand, Oakley Marquand and Mrs. Ida Marquand, of Leslie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Marquand and family on Sand Hill road.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zandstra of Sand Hill road entertained relatives at their home last week in honor of their daughter, Jeanne, who was graduated from Grandville high school. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Ensign, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Ensign and children, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ensign and daughter, Yvonne, Miss Dorothy Ensign, Mr. and Mrs. John Workman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tompkins and children, Mrs. Ray Sherman and son, Frederick, and Mr. and Mrs. James Zandstra.

North Holland

Mrs. P. J. Smith entertained a group of women from the Ladies Aid society at her home last Thursday afternoon. Plans were made for a beach party to be held in July. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

A large number attended the social sponsored by the Ladies Aid, which was held in the chapel Friday evening. A male quartette from Holland sang several selections, both sacred and secular. Mrs. C. Slagh gave two readings and Anna Lohman read a budget. The quartette closed the program with two more numbers.

Mrs. John Smith, who has been ill for a long time is now able to sit up a few hours each day.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Dykman of Grand Rapids were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Sas.

There will be a hymn sing in the Reformed church Sunday at 9 p.m. with Gilbert Van Wynen as song leader. This is being sponsored by the Christian Endeavor society.

Due to bad weather conditions, the annual church picnic which was scheduled last Monday has been postponed until July 22 in Zealand city park.

The C. E. society has discontinued meetings for the summer months.

Hamilton

Margaret Lampen, Wayne Schutmaat, Leonard Kreuger and Ruth Morganstern, students of the local school, are privileged to spend this week in East Lansing with about 50 other young folk from Allegan County at Michigan State college, as an award for outstanding 4-H club work during the past year. Two others from the group, Ira Van Der Kolk and Donald Koops were also in the group. They left by bus from Allegan Monday morning.

Two local Holland high school seniors were awarded special prizes at the senior class commencement last Thursday evening at Hope Memorial chapel. Evelyn Lampen received \$5 for outstanding work in the Commercial course and Paul Schrotenboer won a \$5 award for best work in the Bible course. Parents of the seven local graduates attended the commencement exercises.

The Rev. P. C. De Young of Chicago conducted services in the First Reformed church last Sunday. The Christian Endeavor service in the evening was in charge of William Drenten. Special music was furnished by Miss Sylvia Kleinhessel of Overisel.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Veen announce the birth of a daughter, last Saturday.

The Misses Anna and Jennie Karsten of Holland were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Strabbing last Thursday evening.

Local Holland high junior students during the past year, including Chester Dangremond, Donald Morganstern, Viola Maatman, Marcia Scholten and Blanche Rigerink, are spending the summer vacation in their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Johnson attended the Johnson family reunion at Spring Grove in Jamestown last Saturday.

Mrs. John Kaper is enjoying a week of recreation at a mother's camp at Pine Lake this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Strabbing attended the 75th commencement of Hope college last Wednesday evening at Hope Memorial chapel. Their daughter, Dorothy, was among the 94 graduates.

Miss Della Van Der Kolk, instructor in the Muskegon schools, and Miss Fannie Bultman, instructor in the Holland schools during the past year, left for Kalamazoo the early part of this week to attend the summer session of study at Western State Teachers college.

Seven Hamilton girls were chosen with a group of more than 150 from Allegan county to spend this week at the W. K. Kellogg Foundation camp at Clear Lake under supervision and guidance of trained counsellors. Local girls include Joyce Nyenhuis, Ruth Klokke, Vera Hulsman, Bernice Brink, Joan Van Der Ploeg, Ruth Voss and Lois Brink. One of the 22 counsellors is Miss Elinor Voorhorst of this place.

Many local anglers were at the lakes and rivers last Tuesday morning, the opening day for black bass, blue gill and sunfish fishing.

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To My Friends:

When first a candidate for this office, I asked to be elected in order that I might use my education and make a living for myself. I trust that my performance of the duties of the office has shown my appreciation and merited your confidence. I have given my best.

Now, the responsibilities and duties of the office take nearly all my time—and the fact that the tax-payers are paying me to tend to these duties—makes it rather difficult to visit with you as I did before.

If you feel I have served you well, and merited your support, your influence and vote in my behalf will be sincerely appreciated.

Irving J. Tucker
JUDGE OF PROBATE,
Allegan County

Marriage Performed in Local Methodist Church

HIT-RUN DRIVER IS FINED HERE

Eibert Van Kampen, 22, route 4, pleaded guilty to a charge of improperly passing another automobile upon his arraignment before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith Wednesday afternoon and was assessed a fine and costs of \$5 which he paid.

The charge resulted from an accident involving automobiles driven by Allen Piersma, 17, 122 West 26th St., and Van Kampen on 32nd St., west of Central Ave. Tuesday night. Van Kampen is alleged to have forced Piersma's car in the ditch and then returned past the scene with the lights of the car turned off.

Given a description of the car along with the first two numbers of the license plates, police located the car Wednesday when the owner drove past Eighth St. and River Ave.

Forest Grove

The Christian Endeavor meeting was led by the pastor, the Rev. J. Wolterink. A business meeting was held before the regular meeting. Several members of this society are planning to attend the C. E. convention which will meet at Detroit this year.

The last choir rehearsal for the summer met on Saturday evening. For the next three months special music at the church services will be furnished by the Junior choir and special numbers.

The teachers and officers quarterly meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Brower on Friday evening. James Slager of Holland will be the speaker for the evening.

Last Friday evening a group of people enjoyed a steak fry at Caledonia Park. Those comprising the party were Mr. and Mrs. William Smallegan, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mast, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mast, Mr. and Mrs. B. Kleinsteker, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cotts, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. De Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brower, Mr. and Mrs. H. Myaard, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hornstra and Mr. and Mrs. B. Bredwy.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smallegan and family motored to Lake Macatawa where they will spend a week at a cottage.

On Wednesday, June 26, the annual Sunday school picnic will be held in Jamestown Spring Grove. The Rev. Jacob Prins will be the speaker for the day.