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Mrs. De Pree Is Two-Vote Victor Over Lindeman

De Koning and Mrs. Kollen Lead Contests For Three Positions

Jay L. De Koning, Mrs. Kenneth De Pree and Mrs. George E. Kollen were named to the board of education in Monday's election which attracted 1,312 votes, the most cast since 1931 when a depression salary cut issue was responsible for 1,700 ballots.

De Koning led with 699 votes and Mrs. Kollen, who was re-elected, was second with 632 votes.

Third place was finally determined at 1:15 a.m. when a fourth count gave Mrs. De Pree 511 and Marvin C. Lindeman 509 after the vote changed hands in previous counts.

The first count gave Lindeman 515 and Mrs. De Pree 510. A recount gave Lindeman 497 and Mrs. De Pree 503. A third count at 11:30 p.m. resulted in a tie at 510. The fourth count, under the careful scrutiny of all members of the election board, gave Mrs. De Pree the two-vote edge, 511 to 509.

Lindeman early today expressed himself as well satisfied with the results and said he would not ask for a further recount.

Prof. Clarence Kleis ran a close fifth with 494 votes. William H. Vande Water polled 376 votes, Henry Swieringa 336 votes and John Francis Donnelly 216 votes.

The new board will meet Wednesday at 7 p.m. in Holland High school to elect officers for the year. The new officers will mean at least two new officers to replace President Fred Beuwkes and Clerk Henry Geerlings who did not seek reelection this year. Mrs. Kollen is vice-president.

The heavy vote this year was a direct contrast to last year when 109 votes were cast to reelect three unopposed members.

Mrs. Kollen, 80 West 13th St., has served on the board for 28 years and is active in civic and church affairs. She is a member of the Woman's board of domestic missions of the Reformed church and member of the board of the Salvation army.

De Koning, 141 East 30th St., a cost accountant at Holland Furnace Co., was born in Chicago and came to Holland in 1910. He is a member of Third Reformed church and has served the consistory for 12 years. His daughter, 12, is about to enter East Junior high school.

Mrs. De Pree, 172 West 15th St., mother of three children, two of whom are in the elementary schools, came to Holland in 1922. She is a graduate of Hope college and taught school in Alma before her marriage. Prominent in church and club activities, she is a former president of the Woman's Literary club, and formerly served as head of the Washington PTA and the Holland PTA council.

One of the important decisions facing the new board will be the selection within a year of a new superintendent of schools for Holland. Supt. E. E. Fell announced recently that he would retire at the end of the school year.

Heart Ailment Is Fatal To Maxine Brieve, 15

Maxine Brieve, 15, died in her home at 13 East 19th St. at 10 a.m. Monday of a heart ailment. She had suffered a heart disease for some time and had been seriously ill for the past six weeks. She was also ill for some time about a year ago.

She was born May 15, 1929, and was a baptized member of Central Avenue Christian Reformed church. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brieve and had just completed the first half of the tenth grade in Christian High school.

Survivors include the parents; one sister, Patty at home; and two brothers, Pfc. Nelson of Denver and Frank of Holland.

Central Park Youngster Is Knocked Down by Car

Robert Paul Van Dyck, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Van Dyck of Central park, received minor bruises to his arm and foot when he was knocked down Tuesday evening about 100 feet west of the Central park store on Park road by a car driven by Robert Louis Hobeck, 14.

According to sheriff's officers who investigated, young Hobeck sounded his horn when he noticed the youngster standing along side the road. The boy then dashed across the road, officers said, and the car stopped at the instant it struck the boy. Van Dyck was taken to Holland hospital for a check-up and was released.

**Half-Year License Plates
Will Go on Sale July 15**

Alex Van Zanten, head of the Holland license bureau, announced today that the sale of half-year license plates will start July 15. Persons who purchase license plates before Aug. 10 are required to bring in the old plates which expire Aug. 31. The license bureau is located on the second floor of Hansen's drug store.

Check on Auto Stamps

Charles K. Van Duren, deputy collector of internal revenue, said today that federal inspectors have been checking Holland cars the past few days for federal use stamps and have ordered several violators to appear at Van Duren's office.

Postmaster Harry Kramer said the sale here had reached approximately 6,100, compared with 7,200 last year.

Van Duren said he expected that violators soon would be

to give the \$5 "offer-in-compromise" interpreted generally as a fine, in addition to the \$5 price of the federal stamp. Use stamps may still be purchased at the post office but the sale is expected to be closed soon and all purchases will have to be made through the Detroit revenue office.

Van Duren pointed out that the stamp must be displayed on the windshield and not in the glove compartment or in the operator's bilfold.

Mrs. G. E. Kollen Named President Of School Board

For the first time in the history of the Holland board of education, a woman was elected to head the trustees as president.

Mrs. George E. Kollen, who served as vice-president for four years and who was re-elected as trustee in Monday's election, is the new president succeeding Fred Beuwkes who served in that capacity for 13 years.

C. J. De Koster was named vice-president, succeeding Mrs. Kollen, and John Olt was elected secretary, succeeding Henry Geerlings who served in that position for 35 years. They were named at the board's organization meeting Wednesday night.

Beuwkes, member of the board for 30 years, and Geerlings, member for 48 years, did not seek reelection this year. Mrs. Kollen has served the board for 28 years.

The two new members elected in Monday's election, Jay L. De Koning and Mrs. Kenneth De Pree, also attended the meeting. Ernest V. Hartman served as temporary president and John Olt as temporary secretary for the election. There was no opposition in the election for the three officers and vote was by acclamation.

W. Vander Veere, Pioneer, Passes

William Vander Veere, 82, pioneer resident of Holland, died Wednesday night in his home, 23 East 14th St.

A life-long resident of the city, Mr. Vander Veere was born here in 1862 and for 50 years operated a meat market on East Eighth St. until he retired from active business life in 1933.

He was a boy of nine at the time of the disastrous Holland fire in 1871 and formerly recalled stories of that event and other early day experiences in the history of Holland.

Mr. Vander Veere had worked for various local firms as a youth before beginning his own business. On July 18, 1889, he married the late Anna Nibbelink in Holland. Mrs. Vander Veere died in 1938.

He was a member of Third Reformed church.

Surviving are three children, Mrs. William Bolks and Katherine, at home, and a son, William, of Holland; eight grandchildren and one brother, Al, of Holland.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. from the Nibbelink-Notter funeral chapel with the Rev. William Van't Hof officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery. The body will lie in state at the funeral chapel Friday afternoon and evening.

World War I Vet Dies in Ft. Custer

Oscar W. Johnson, 51, former Holland resident, died Friday afternoon at the Veterans hospital, Fort Custer, where he had been confined the last six years. He was a veteran of World War I and a sergeant with the G. G. Development, Italian brigade, 160th depot.

Enlisting June 24, 1918, he was a former second lieutenant of the local National Guard unit, serving as one of the company's first officers under Lt. Col. Henry Geerds, then the major here.

Mr. Johnson was born in Holland March 22, 1893, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson. He formerly was employed by Hart and Cooley.

Surviving are the widow, Jennie, and one son, Richard who resides at 212 East Seventh St.; three sisters, Mrs. Hine Vander Heuvel and Mrs. Frank Douma of Holland and Beatrice Johnson of Grand Rapids; three brothers, Adolph of Detroit and Fred and Vernon of Holland.

**Rites in Allegan Friday
For John Switzenberg**

Allegan, July 13 (Special)—Funeral services for John Switzenberg, 79, who died Tuesday night, will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from the Immanuel Lutheran church at Kellogg with burial in Oakland cemetery.

Surviving are two sons, Edgar of Ypsilanti and Arthur at home; three grandsons; two brothers, Frank and Fred, both of Allegan; and a sister, Mrs. Fred Plogstead of Hastings.

Brooks to Resign As Chairman of State Democrats

Michigan's primary balloting Tuesday will result in the resignation of Earnest C. Brooks, Holland, as state central chairman of the Democratic party, and may change the complexion of state Democratic party leadership, possibly affecting choice of a national committeeman at the national convention next week.

Brooks, who ran third in the Democratic race for gubernatorial nomination, said today that it "naturally follows" that the gubernatorial candidate shall have the privilege of selecting his own state chairman. He sent a congratulatory message Wednesday to the successful candidate, Edward J. Fry, Fremont, who won a 9,000-vote margin over his two foes, Brooks and William J. Cody, Detroit.

Fry, former state capital superintendent, ex-state racing commissioner and brother of Theodore I. Fry, member of the liquor control commission, piled up a surprising outstate strength that offset Cody's slight lead in the Wayne county area which includes Detroit.

There was no direct confirmation, but it was indicated that the three-way race for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination developed as a result of Edmund Shields' decision to retire as national committeeman. The Lansing man announced recently that he would quit the office he held for eight years.

William Donnelly of Detroit, Wayne county Democratic chairman, has been among those mentioned to succeed Shields. He also was said to have supported Brooks in the primary campaign. If this were the case and if Brooks had been nominated, Donnelly would have been in a favorable position for committee-man.

This would have meant the retirement of Clara Van Cuyen of Detroit as national committeewoman as both committeeman and committeewoman do not come from Detroit under party policies.

The resounding 44,000-vote victory which Auditor General Vernon J. Brown won over the incumbent Eugene C. Keyes, in the Republican lieutenant gubernatorial race also was hailed as another outstanding victory for Governor Kelly, who backed Brown.

**Pleads Guilty to
Drunk Driving**

Jacob Boes, 63, 94 East 23rd St., today arranged to pay fine and costs of \$79.15 on a drunk driving charge filed against him as the result of an accident at 11 p.m. Wednesday in which his car allegedly struck three others. His driver's license will be revoked and his name will be placed on Holland's liquor black list, police said.

Boes, traveling south on Columbia, made a wide right turn onto 22nd St. and hit a car driven by Jacob De Graaf, 306 East 11th St., near the intersection. The entire front of the Boes car and the left side of the De Graaf car were damaged.

The Boes car continued west on 22nd St. and hit the parked car of Edward Johnson, route 6, just east of the Prospect Ave. intersection on the south side of the street, then continued and hit the car of M. H. Baskett, 253 West 18th St., parked on the north side of the street just west of the Prospect intersection.

Arrange Funeral Rites For Sidney J. Jencks

Funeral services for Sidney J. Jencks, 62, vice-president of the Dutch Boy Products Co., who died early Tuesday morning in the Holland hospital, have been arranged for 1:30 p.m. Friday in the Dykstra funeral chapel. Rev. William C. Warner will officiate at the service in the absence from the city of Rev. Marion de Velder.

Pall bearers are William Slater, Randall Bosch, C. C. Wood, Peter Van Ark, Russell Vande Poel and C. A. Drew. The body will lie in state Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the chapel. Mr. Jencks was a member of the Sons of the Revolution, the Social Progress club and the Masonic lodge.

**Eight Eighteen Year Old
Youths Register in June**

Eight young men who became 18 years old during June have registered with the local selective service board. They include William Junior Timmer, 388 West 19th St.; Jay Clements Pelter, route 1; Richard Lee Hoebeke, 270 College Ave.; Robert Lee Victor, 182 West 11th St.; Oscar Richard Johnson, 212 East Seventh St.; Gordon E. Dalman, 41 Cherry St.; John Harrison Gillette, 39 East 16th St.; and Sergio Medina, general delivery.

FRAGMENTS WREST

Mrs. William Van Blois, 420 West 16th St., was treated in Holland hospital at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday for a fractured right wrist suffered when she fell at the Home Co.

Sheriff Is First in County History to Lead Third Time

Smith Tops Incumbent In Preliminary Test For Probate Judge

In a quiet primary election Tuesday in which about 4,700 votes were cast in Ottawa county, 200 more than in 1942, Sheriff William M. Boeve polled a 5 to 3 majority over Jack Spangler of Grand Haven for the Republican nomination and became the only candidate in the history of Ottawa county politics to be nominated for a third term as sheriff.

The unofficial vote in Ottawa's 30 precincts gave:

Boeve	2,518
Spangler	1,583
Majority	935

Boeve carried 28 of the county's precincts, Spangler winning only in Crookery and Robinson in his fourth bid for sheriff. Boeve will oppose Walter Lehman of Grand Haven, Democratic candidate, in the November election. Lehman was unopposed in the primary.

The non-partisan race for judge of probate gave Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith of Holland more than 600 votes over the incumbent, Cora Vande Water, who has held the position for three four-year terms. However, both names will appear on the November ballot since state law provides that the two persons polling the most votes be carried over.

Ottawa's vote was divided as follows:

Smith	2,468
Vande Water	2,026
Majority	442

Smith carried 17 precincts in the county while the incumbent carried 13. Smith's six-year term as municipal judge for Holland city does not expire until Dec. 31, 1947. Should he be elected probate judge, common council probably would appoint a successor to complete the unexpired term.

Clare T. Dyer Is Taken in Hospital

Clare T. Dyer, 40, died Monday at 7:45 p.m. in Holland hospital where he had been since Thursday. He suffered a leg injury several weeks ago and the resulting inflammation centered in his chest causing an asthmatic condition and weakened heart. He had been seriously ill for more than a week, and critically so since his removal to the hospital. He had been under an oxygen tent for most of the past four days.

Mr. Dyer came to Holland more than ten years ago from Kankakee, Ill., and was plant superintendent at the Spring Air Co. here. He was also a member of the First Methodist church and the Pointer and Settle club. Survivors include the wife, Mrs. Opal Dyer, and a son, Monte, at home.

The body was removed to the Nibbelink-Notter funeral home from where services were held Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. with Rev. George Moores officiating. Services were also held in Kankakee, Ill., Wednesday at 3:30 p.m., with burial in Memorial Park cemetery, Kankakee.

Fire Department Called Out Twice During Day

The OCD fire truck was called out twice Thursday, the first time at 9:30 a.m. to a fire in Pine Lodge resort district where a small wash room burned, and again at 10:45 a.m. to extinguish a fire in the front seat of the Frank Bertsch car parked in the Knipe parking lot at Seventh and Central.

The small wash room building containing a washing machine and stove was completely destroyed. The department was called more or less as a precautionary measure to protect cottages.

The department was called out false alarm at Northern Wood about 6:30 p.m. Wednesday to a Products, formerly known as Storm King Co., Sixth and Columbia.

Walter Follis of Martin Drowned

Allegan, July 13 (Special)—Walter Follis, 31, Martin, was drowned while swimming Tuesday at 8:30 p.m. in Lake Sixteen three miles northeast of Martin. The body was taken to the Nyberg funeral home in Allegan. Surviving are the widow and two children.

**Schedule Services for
Rev. Arien Muyskens**

Graveside services were held yesterday at 2 p.m. in Pilgrim Home cemetery for Rev. Arien J. Muyskens, 62, who died Friday in his home in Deposit, N. Y. He is a graduate of Western Theological seminary and has been in the ministry for the past 35 years. Rev. Peter Muyskens, a nephew of Grand Rapids, will officiate.

Survivors include the widow, Janet; three sisters, Miss Marie of Detroit, Mrs. Martha Fennema of Orange City, Ia., and Mrs. Kate Kolver of Grand Rapids; four brothers, Cornelius of Iowa, Peter of Albert Lea, Minn., Dr. William of Detroit and Rev. John of Jenken Town, Pa.

TO GO TO ILLINOIS

Stuart L. Ludlow, head of the instrumental music department of Holland elementary schools for the past eight years and director of the Christian High school band for several years, has resigned his positions here to accept an offer in the Lake Forest, Ill., schools, Supt. E. E. Fell announced at the monthly meeting of the board of education Wednesday night. The public school music program is being arranged so that the elementary work will be continued. He said class membership has dropped off somewhat due mainly to the scarcity of musical instruments.

Henry Pelgrim Dies Suddenly

Henry Pelgrim, 88, prominent Ottawa county pioneer resident who founded the Bay View Furniture Co., died unexpectedly Tuesday afternoon of a heart attack in his home, 197 West 12th St. He would have been 89 Sept. 18. Mr. Pelgrim was in apparent good health, and had cast his vote in the primary election earlier in the day. He suffered the attack on the porch of his home, death following immediately.

Born in Vriesland, Mr. Pelgrim was one of the few remaining men who were active in the community at the time of Dr. Van Raalte's leadership. He and his wife, the former Hannah Van Dyke, observed their 64th wedding anniversary June 1 of this year.

Mr. Pelgrim often recalled early incidents of the community's "horse and buggy" days and the local interest in the Civil war. He remembered the burning of Holland in 1871 and the aftermath of that catastrophe. It was also in that year that he worked for the old Chicago and Western Michigan Railroad Co., laying the roadbed for the first railroad connecting Holland with Grand Rapids.

After their marriage in North Holland, the Pelgrims took up residence in Olive township where for 12 years Mr. Pelgrim operated a cheese factory. In 1892 he was elected county treasurer, holding that office for the two terms permitted at that time. It was during his regime that the present county building was constructed at Grand Haven.

The Pelgrims moved to Holland in 1897, and have lived here continuously since that time. Among his many business connections, Mr. Pelgrim was probably best known for his taking over the old Holland Carriage and Bending Works and developing it into the present Bay View Furniture Co.

Always intensely interested in politics, Mr. Pelgrim cast his Republican vote for 17 candidates for president, beginning with Hayes, never missing an election. For more than 60 years he was a delegate at the Ottawa County Republican convention and in 1916 was the district's delegate to the national Republican convention.

Mr. Pelgrim was a member of Third Reformed church where he had been active in church and Sunday school work. Survivors include the widow; five children, Rev. J. Carleton Pelgrim of Coral Gables, Fla., who with his wife and daughter was expected in Holland today to spend the summer at Macatawa park, Miss Helene Pelgrim, Mrs. Simon Meeusen, George A. Pelgrim and Mrs. Marvin Lindeman, all of Holland; 11 grandchildren and a great grandchild. Private funeral services will be held on Friday at 3:15 p.m. from the home, followed by public rites at 3:30 p.m. in Third Reformed church. Rev. William Van't Hof will officiate and burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery. The body reposes at the Dykstra funeral home where it will lie in state Thursday afternoon and evening.

G.H. Army Officer Is Listed as Killed In Romanian Raid

Grand Haven, July 13 (Special)—First Lt. Francis Michael (Mike) Boyle, 26, son of Mrs. Ella Boyle, 817 Pennoyer Ave., and whose wife, the former Betty Brooks, now residing at Lansing, has been reported killed in action with the U.S. army air corps over Romania, his wife was informed Tuesday by the war department.

Lt. Boyle was reported missing May 5, 1944. He was born in Muskegon July 17, 1918, and was graduated from Grand Haven high school in 1937 after starring in football for two years. He entered the army in September, 1941, at Fort Warren, Wyo., and received training as a pilot on a bomber at Santa Ana, Visalia, and Chico, all in California, and was awarded his pilot's wings at LaJolla, Cal., May 20, 1942. He left for overseas duty Dec. 7, 1943, and was based in Brazil, Casablanca and Italy.

When reported missing, he was on his 30th mission. He was promoted to first lieutenant and was awarded the U.S. Air Medal with five oak leaf clusters in Italy April 9. His wife last heard from him through a letter written May 4.

Surviving are the widow, and mother; a brother, Leon, a veteran of World War II of Muskegon and a grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Boyle of Akron, Ohio. He was a member of St. Patrick's church where he was active.

Turn Down Proposal Of Two-County Normal

Allegan, July 13—A proposal to cooperate with Ottawa county in the operation of a county normal school which would be affiliated with Western Michigan College of Education has been turned down last week by the board of supervisors.

The proposal was advanced due to the belief that the county normal might be abandoned due to lack of students, but G. Ray Sturgis, county school commissioner, announced that nine students have applied and he expects others will file applications. Before a normal can be approved, at least 10 students must sign to attend.

Tells Allegan Sheriff He Murdered Grocer

Allegan, July 13—Saginaw police today searched their files for records of a murder which Conrad Walter, 42, Kalamazoo, says he committed there in 1928. Walter confessed to Allegan Sheriff Louis Johnson and Conservation Officer Harry Ploks when they took him to Jackson prison to begin a life term imposed on habitual criminal charges. Walter said he black-jacked a 65-year-old grocer to death during a holdup, but that he couldn't remember his victim's name.

Saginaw police could find no record of the "maybe" murder and veteran members of the department couldn't recall it.

TANKER BREAKS LOOSE

Grand Haven, July 13—The oil tanker Martha E. Allen broke from its moorings on Grand river during the high wind Tuesday night uncoupling a line from which gasoline was being pumped into tanks. Before the line was plugged, several hundred gallons spilled onto the water, creating a fire hazard.

VISITING IN G. H.

Grand Haven, July 13 (Special)—Albert Grady, Johnstown, Pa., is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Coster, 1238 Pennoyer Ave., for about 10 days. Mr. Grady is a former Holland resident.

Child Is Killed in Truck Accident in Own Farm Yard

Caroline Ortmann, 18-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Herman Ortmann, residing less than two miles southwest of the North Holland church, was killed almost instantly at 8:45 a.m. Tuesday in the Ortmann farm yard by a milk truck driven by Stanley Posma, 27, route 3, Zeeland.

According to sheriff's officers and Coroner Gilbert Vande Water, the child was with her mother and other children of the family in a combination garden-orchard in front of the house when the milk truck drove into the yard to the milk house at the rear of the farm yard. The mother sent two children to the milk house to get a can of milk to be loaded on the truck.

Unknown to the driver and family, the child followed the other children to the milk house and was standing before the front right fender of the truck and could not be seen when the truck was ready to leave. The truck had traveled perhaps a length when Albertha, 15, screamed after seeing that the wheel had passed over her sister's head.

A physician was called and ordered the child to Holland hospital where she was taken in a car driven by Vernim Veldheer, a neighbor, accompanied by the victim's brother, Gerald, and the truck driver.

The Ortmanns had moved to the farm a little over a year ago from East Saugatuck. Besides the parents, the child is survived by five sisters, Johanna, Albertha, Harriet and Hermine (eight-year-old twins), and Beverly, and two brothers, Gerald and Sherman.

Rural Carriers Elect Officers

Kenneth Gane of Grand Rapids was reelected president of the Michigan rural letter carriers' association in a concluding business session of the 42nd annual state conference in Warm Friend tavern Wednesday afternoon. Other state officers including William Van Hartesveldt, Jr. of Fennville, vice-president; A. C. Sarasin of Boyne City, secretary and Earl S. Schouten of Saginaw, treasurer, were also reelected. Only new man named was George Tremper of Pontiac as a member of the executive committee.

The ladies' auxiliary also reelected its present slate of officers with Mrs. Neta Tara of Otter Lake as president; Lottie Laug of Coopersville, first vice-president; Florence Turner of South Haven, second vice-president; Alice Crist of Deerfield, secretary and Fonda Beach of St. Clair, treasurer. Mrs. Jasper Rainey of Tustin was named a new member of the executive board.

Outstanding resolution at the men's session was that presented by the heavy route committee which stated, "that carriers serving under the Burch act or any carrier placed under the Burch act at any future time (commonly known as short heavy route carriers) shall be paid compensation on a 40 hour per week basis and any carrier working more than 40 hours per week will be paid overtime at the regular hourly rate or be granted compensatory time off."

Delegates to the men's national meeting to be held in Cincinnati, O., the latter part of August were Kenneth Gane, A. C. Sarasin, E. Schouten, Guy London, Otto Tara, George Tremper, William Van Hartesveldt, Jr., Ivan Crist, Ed Curtis, Charles Clissold, Harold Laug, and W. G. Armstrong.

Women named only three official auxiliary delegates to the national meeting, Mrs. Neta Tara, Mrs. Mae Curtis and Mrs. Alice Crist.

The site for next year's convention will be decided upon later by the executive committee.

G.H. Vet to Help 'Police' Democratic Convention

Grand Haven, July 13 (Special)—Ferdinand Moll of Grand Haven has been appointed one of the assistant sergeants-at-arms at the Democratic national convention in Chicago next week. Moll is a son of Edward F. Moll, 314 North Fifth St. He is a veteran of World War II and a partner in the Moll Shoe store.

Charles E. Mianer, president of the state association of Democratic county chairmen, is leaving Monday for Chicago as a delegate to the national convention. This is Mianer's fifth attendance at a national convention as a delegate.

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Jonkman Wins Over Masselink In Congress Bid

Grand Rapids, July 13 (Special)—Renomination of Cong. Bartel J. Jonkman as fifth district congressman on the Republican ticket was assured today as returns from 171 of the district's 173 precincts gave him 10,586 votes, 3,355 over 9,231 for Benjamin H. Masselink, his opponent. Ottawa and Kent counties comprise the district.

Earlier returns from Tuesday's primary gave Jonkman a closer margin.

He carried 20 of Ottawa's 30 precincts, including all Holland's six precincts, Zeeland city and four of Grand Haven's five precincts. He will oppose J. Neal Lamoreaux, unopposed Democratic candidate, in the November election.

Piling up a 3 to 1 margin in Ottawa and leading his opponent's own county by a small margin, Frank E. McKee, who had served one term, by a 2 to 1 majority. The vote in 76 out of 79 precincts in the district (Ottawa and Muskegon counties) was:

Vandenberg	4,188
McKee	2,138
Majority	2,050

Vand

Bernard Holstege Of Hudsonville Is Killed in Action

Pfc. Bernard Holstege, 27, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Holstege of Hudsonville, was killed in action June 9 somewhere on the Normandy beachhead in France, according to a telegram from the war department received by his parents Friday.

A paratrooper, Pfc. Holstege had been in the service nearly three years. No details were given in the wire, but the parents were informed a letter will follow.

Initial army training was taken by Pfc. Holstege in Camp Robinson, Little Rock, Ark., where he attained the rank of corporal with a medical detachment. Later he was transferred to Fort Benning, Ga., for training as a paratrooper, year and in England at least nine months. The last letter received by his parents was dated May 31.

In the Life magazine for May 15, Pfc. Holstege was pictured with a group of paratroopers being reviewed by Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Gen. Dwight "Ike" Eisenhower.

Surviving besides the parents are five brothers, Steven, Andrew, Gerrit and Benjamin, all at home, and Henry J. of Byron Center and five sisters, Mrs. J. Bosch of Zeeland, Mrs. A. Haveman of Hudsonville and Florence, Elizabeth and Maggie, Grace, at home.

Memorial services are scheduled for Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Protestant Reformed church, Hudsonville.

Ganges News

(From Saturday's Sentinel)
Word has been received here of the death of David J. Lewis, 68, a former resident of Ganges, in the Hartford hospital June 27. For a number of years the Lewis family has resided in Bangor. Mr. Lewis has been an invalid for a number of years. Surviving are the widow, a daughter, Mrs. Anna Carpenter of Elkhardt, Ind., a sister, Mrs. Kittle Vander Cook of Grand Rapids, and a sister in Washington.

Hamilton Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ami Miller, has been transferred from the Great Lakes Naval Station to Treasure Island, San Francisco, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hull and daughter, Vera, of Flint spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin and Mrs. F.L. Rhoads spent Sunday in Niles with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rhodes.

"The Young People from the Methodist Church who attended the district meeting at Crystal Springs this week are Margaret Ann Hoover, Lucile and Doris Wightman, Lyle Meldrum and Donna Jean and Richard Van Hartesvelt.

Word has been received here that Wayne Weed, son of Cephas Weed, is now stationed in the south Pacific.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Tuma, pastor of Ganges Parish church, are in receipt of a letter from their son, James Tuma, informing them that he is at Cherry Point, N.C. and that he has been promoted from second to first lieutenant.

Ganges Grange will be host to Allegan county Pomona Grange meeting at their hall here July 13, with pot luck supper to be served.

Corp. Robert Stillson arrived here last Saturday from Newfoundland to spend a 20-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stillson.

The first quarterly conference of Ganges Parish change convened in the Methodist church here Thursday night. Delegates were present from McDowell and Glenn churches. The District Superintendent, Rev. Raymond Spurlock of Kalamazoo, presided.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newcombe of Holland were visitors of Ganges friends Sunday.

Robert Hudson left Wednesday for Detroit to be inducted into the army.

Mrs. John Broe has returned from Douglas hospital where she has been receiving medical treatment. Her condition is much improved.

Mrs. Christine Thurber of Ann Arbor has been spending the week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Haile are visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. William Day of Willow Run visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark, for a week.

Mrs. Henry Carlson and her daughters, came Thursday from Chicago to spend their summer at the Carlson cottage in Ganges.

Mrs. L.E. Symons has returned home from Grand Rapids, where she submitted to a major operation at the Ferguson sanatorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Volke are entertaining relatives from Illinois this week.

Hudsonville Soldier

Missing in Italy

Hudsonville, July 8—Pvt. James (Bud) Hoeze, 21, has been missing in action in Italy since June 3. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoeze of route 2, learned Thursday in a war department message.

He entered service Dec. 8, 1942, and was assigned to Camp Claiborne, La., where he arrived in North Africa Dec. 1943. Before entering service he was employed at the Hudsonville mill.

He is like a nail; the harder you hit it, the deeper you drive it.



LEAVE FOR NAVY

Five young men left Holland recently for Detroit to be inducted into the navy. Left to right, they are Lloyd G. Miles, transfer of

Berrien Springs, Gradus Lawrence Shoemaker, transfer of Grand Haven, Chester Wayne Timmer, Robert James Draper and Ronald Wayne Kobes, Chris

Reidsma and John Jipping, representing the Holland Gideon camp, presented New Testaments and Capt. Herbert Jensen of the Salvation army gave boxes of cookies.

Preview Attracts Many; Exhibit Opens Monday

Between 150 and 175 persons attended a special membership preview of the exhibit "Dutch Artists in Holland and America" hung in the Netherlands museum Friday evening. The official opening will held Monday at 8 p.m.

Receiving were Dr. and Mrs. Wynand Wichers, and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Vander Meulen of the board of trustees of the museum, Willard C. Wichers, director of the museum, and Mrs. Wichers.

Hostesses were Mrs. J. J. Brower and Miss Marian Shackson of the art committee of the Holland chapter of the American Association of University Women, and Mrs. Cecil Van Duren, Mrs. F. E. De Weese and Mrs. Duncan Weaver of the museum committee of the Woman's Literary club.

Presiding at the punch bowl were Mr. and Mrs. Orlie A. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. John D. White. Both women are members of the AAUW. Flowers were arranged by Mrs. C. C. Wood and Mrs. L. G. Stallkamp.

Among the guests were Edward M. Brigham, Jr., director of Kingman Memorial museum, Battle Creek, and Mrs. Brigham, and representatives of the Scott's Art Club of South Haven, and the Art Colony in Saugatuck.

The 31 paintings valued at \$20,000 are hung on the first floor of the museum at 12th St. and Central Ave. and some appear on the second floor corridor. The collection is being loaned to leading art museums by the Netherlands government. The canvases are pre-war and are part of those shown by the Netherlands government at the New York and San Francisco world's fairs.

The exhibit will remain in Holland from July 10 to Aug. 5.

Angelyn Pelon Honored At Surprise Shower

Miss Angelyn Pelon, who will be an August bride, was honored at a surprise miscellaneous shower in the home of Misses Marian and Theresa Heerspink, 424 Pine Ave., Wednesday night, July 5.

Gifts were distributed throughout the house and hiding places were designated by hearts and streamers suspended from a gaily decorated sprinkling can.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. M. Albers, Mrs. P. Greengood, Miss Pelon and Miss S. Greengood. A two-course lunch was served.

Attending their affair were the Mesdames J. Greengood, C. Greengood, P. Greengood, J. Pelon, H. Heerspink, C. Heerspink, A. Baker, A. Berkompas, M. Albers, J. Schippers, J. Dekker, A. Heerspink, H. Kragt, C. Sterenberg and D. Greengood, Miss S. Greengood and the hostesses.

'Missing' Message Fails To Alarm Parents in G.H.

Grand Haven, July 13 (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. William Griffin, 513 North Fifth St., had little cause for alarm when they received a wire announcing that their son, 2nd Lt. John William Griffin, was missing in action since June 25 over Italy. They received a letter at the same time dated June 29 in which their son explained details of the mission in which the plane was late in returning to its base.

LT. Griffin wrote that the ship on the return trip was running low on gas and landed at another location where the crew spent some time in an evacuation hospital. The nose wheel tire of the ship had been hit by flak necessitating repairs. He said he has completed six missions.

LT. Griffin went overseas May 7.

G.H. 'Resort Express' Starts Its Schedule

Grand Haven, July 13—"The Resort Express" sponsored by the resort division of the Chamber of Commerce, a horse-carryall operating between Central park and the Highland park and state park resort area on Lake Michigan, has started a regular schedule of runs.

The rig leaves Hyland gardens in Highland park at 9 and 10:30 a.m., noon and 2:45, 4:15 and 6:15 p.m., and leaves Central park at 9:45 and 11:15 a.m. and 2, 3:30, 5 and 9 p.m.

Eight Local Men Get Commissions

Personals

(From Saturday's Sentinel)
Pfc. Don Leeuw, stationed at the army air base, Clovis, N. M., arrived in Holland Friday morning to spend a 20-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leeuw of 176 West 15th St.

Dr. William Gouloze of Western Theological seminary will be the speaker for the opening meeting of a series of eight outdoor prayer services to be held in John Ball park, Grand Rapids, Wednesday at 8 p.m. The Reformed classis of Grand Rapids is sponsoring the series.

Misses Janet and Theresa Veenhoven of route 2 have returned from a week's visit to New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ranger and daughter Betty have moved from their home, 631 Michigan Ave., to the former William J. Gohlke home on route 1 which they recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Diekema, route 6, announce the birth of a daughter Friday night in Holland hospital. Mr. Diekema is a fireman first class in the navy.

Alfred Openeer, agricultural manager of Anville Institute, Anville, Ky., has returned to his work after spending four weeks with his mother, Mrs. N. Dykhuis, 18 East 16th St., and his daughter, Mrs. Herman Nabers, 40 East 27th St. His wife and daughter will remain here for some time.

Mrs. Edward H. Haan and son, Edward, 5, of Evanston, Ill., arrived in Holland Friday night to spend several days with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Rhea. Mr. Haan has been here for several days due to the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Gil Haan.

Dale Vanden Brink, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Vanden Brink, of 70 East 17th St., left Friday morning for Detroit where he expects to undergo boot training at Great Lakes naval training station, Great Lakes, Ill.

"Only slightly improved" is the report today on the condition of Clara T. Dyer, Central park, who was taken to Holland hospital Thursday in a critical condition after acute inflammation from a leg injury centered in his chest and caused an asthmatic condition. As Mr. Dyer must be under an oxygen tent part of the time friends are requested not to send flowers.

Hazel Schamper, 15 West 17th St., Friday paid two fines in municipal court, one of \$5 on a charge of having no operator's license, and a second of \$5 on a charge of faulty brakes. Eloise A. Engel, 62, route 2 paid fine and costs of \$5 on a charge of failing to stop at the scene of an accident. The latter case dates back to March.

G. Wabeke Weds Miss Grasmeyer

Miss Mildred Grasmeyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Grasmeyer, 426 Maple Ave., became the bride of Gordon Wabeke, son of Mrs. Catherine Wabeke of Detroit, in a ceremony performed Friday at 8 p.m. in the Holland country club.

Vows were exchanged before the fireplace which was banked with palms, ferns and candelabra. Dr. H. D. Terkeurst performed the double ring ceremony. Wedding music was furnished by Mrs. Earl Vande Bosch, who sang "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer" and Miss Helene Van Kersen, who played the traditional wedding music.

For her wedding the bride chose a simple, street-length dress of white pique with which she wore white accessories. Her all-white bouquet was of roses, sweet peas and baby breath.

Mrs. Paul Wabeke, as matron of honor, wore blue rayon and carried a bouquet of mixed pink and white flowers. Paul Wabeke assisted as best man.

A reception for the family and friends followed the ceremony with music furnished by Miss Maxine Veurink, accordionist. Waitresses were the Misses Veurink and Denna Blek.

The couple left on a short wedding trip and will be at home in Detroit, where the groom is employed, after next week. For traveling the bride chose an aqua pique, suit and white accessories. Her corsage was of roses.

Mrs. Wabeke has lived in Holland for the past 11 years and was graduated from Holland High school. She has been employed at the office of the Holland Hitch Co. The groom is formerly of Holland and has lived in Detroit for the past several years.

Some people never smile; they merely grin. Boeve.

The happiness of your life depends upon the quality of your thoughts.

It is unwise to take imprudent risks; little boats should keep near the shore.

Junius Wood and wife are now at Waukazon.

Junius Wood, former foreign correspondent who has been in Washington for some time assisting in war activities, has returned with his wife to his home in Waukazon. Now employed by the United States Chamber of Commerce as a writer, he will return to Washington in a few days. His wife will remain here indefinitely.

Bombardier Missing Over France

Second Lt. Elmer De Young, 22, bombardier on a B-24 Liberator, has been reported missing in action over France since June 25, according to a wire received Friday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter De Young, 140 East Seventh St. The telegram which was sent by Adj. Gen. Ulio promised further details as soon as they are learned.

LT. De Young entered the service April 10, 1943, and left for overseas service last April serving first in Brazil and Africa before going to England in May.

He is a graduate of Holland High school and Holland Business college and was a bookkeeper at the De Pree Co. before entering the service. He received training at San Antonio, Ellington field, Laredo, Tex., and received his bombardier's wings and commission at graduation exercises at Midland, Tex., Nov. 13, 1943. He received advanced training at Salt Lake City, Utah, Tucson, Ariz., and Wendover field.



LT. Elmer De Young
His younger brother, Bob, is in the navy and at present is on New Caledonia near Australia.

Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

John Ritman and wf. to Nick Roelofs and wf. SW 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 8-6-13 twp. Georgetown.

Anna Groeneweld to Fred A. Hawthorne and wf. Pt. W 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 12-6-14 twp. Blendon.

Peter Knoper, Sr. and wf. to Alex Mulder and wf. SW 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 9-6-14 twp. Blendon.

Albertha Rothuis to Willemina A. Van Velden. Lot 23 blk. 2 Central park plat twp. Park.

Frank Lowden and wf. to Clarence Tripp and wf. Pt. E 1/4 lot 5 blk. 3 Monroe and Harris add. Grand Haven.

Ida Vierbuchen to Clarence Van Wieren and wf. Lot 394 lot 1st add. Waukazon twp. Park.

Myron H. Bearinger to Harold Mangleston et al. Pt. W 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 1-7-16 twp. Grand Haven.

Benjamin H. Williams et al. to Henry J. Faber and wf. N 1/4 S 1/4 lot 7 A. C. Van Raalte's add. No. 2 Holland.

F. C. Bolt, Trustee to Frank J. Karwowski and wf. Pt. lots 2 and 3 De Spelder's add. Grand Haven.

Jarrett N. Clark et al. to David Van Ommen et al. Pt. lots 11 and 12 blk. 3 orig. plat Zeeland.

Jennie Klein et al. to Egbert Laarzel and wf. Pt. S 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 9-5-15 twp. Holland.

Alvin J. Cook et al. to Elsie H. Hall et al. Pt. E 1/4 SW 1/4 lot 4 sec. 33-6-16 twp. Port Sheldon.

Arthur W. Zoet and wf. to Charles Muehler and wf. Lot 37 West Mich. Park Assn. Twp. Park.

John D. Peters and wf. to Kenneth A. Kling and wf. Pt. lot 2 sec. 29-8-16.

Walter B. Ewing et al. to Est. Mary J. Wilf dec'd. by adm. Pt. S 1/4 S 1/4 lot 1 sec. 5-7-16 twp. Grand Haven.

Oscar Winstrom and wf. to The Zeeland Hatchery, Lots 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104 De Jonge's 2nd add. Zeeland.

Martha Elzinga et al. to John Schipper et al. NE 1/4 SW 1/4 and N 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 28-6-14 twp. Blendon.

Agnes Barense to James Klynstra and wf. E 1/4 W 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 27 and S 1/4 W 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 27-6-14 twp. Blendon.

Samuel A. Mitchell and wf. to William R. Wilson and wf. Pt. lots 5 and 6 Lakeview add. Grand Haven.

Jacob Cook and wf. to William Herbst and wf. Lot 27 E. Highland Park subd. No. 1 Grand Haven.

Ethel W. Teunis to Mrs. Minnie Plakke, Lot 81 J. C. Duntion's add. Holland.

Leonard Arnold and wf. to Mrs. Minnie Plakke, Lot 82 J. C. Duntion's add. Holland.

Marinus C. Bazaan and wf. to Henry P. Kleis and wf. Pt. lot 9 blk. 39 Holland.

Henry J. G. Boerman et al. to Louis De Kraker et al. Pt. W 1/4 lot 14 blk. 1 orig. plat Zeeland.

David Van Ommen et al. to Henry G. J. Boerman et al. Pt. lots 11 and 12 blk. 3 orig. plat Zeeland.

Gerrit Schutter et al. to William Vande Venter et al. Pt. NW 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 23-6-13 twp. Georgetown.

Leonard Kardux to Chester Van Lopik and wf. Lot 22 Heneveld's suppr. plat No. 2 twp. Park.

William A. Kieft Sr. to Alfred C. Tuttle and wf. Pt. lot 24 East Gate add. Grand Haven.

Archie Brown and wf. to J. D. Borchers and wf. Pt. lot 3 blk. 3 Adels add. Nunica.

Peter Stykstra and wf. to Gerald G. Pierson and wf. Pt. SE 1/4 sec. 24-5-16 twp. Park.

Lambert Gebben and wf. to Mae Van Tongeren. Pt. lot 17 Alling's add. Zeeland.

John Othoff and wf. to Steve Oudemolen Jr. and wf. Lot 1 blk. A Cedar flat add. Holland.

Charles Vanden Schaaf Jr. and wf. to Gerald Pierson and wf. Pt. E 1/4 W 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 24-5-16 twp. Park.

Arnold De Feyter and wf. to Ernest R. De Feyter and wf. Lot 68 Lakeview add. Holland.

4 Pt. lots 5, 6 and 7 blk. B add. Holland.

Cornelius I. Bazaan and wf. to Joe E. Huff and wf. SW 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 5 and pt. SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and Pt. NW 1/4 SW 1/4 and Pt. NE 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 5-5-15.

Louis Schoen and wf. to Bruno Guske and wf. Pt. N 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 33-8-15 twp. Robinson.

Theodore Kuiper and wf. to Henry Ketel and wf. Pt. lot 7 blk. 17 SW add. Holland.

Charles Conrad and wf. to Fred Dirks and wf. Lot 6 B. L. Scott's Elmwood add. Holland.

Henry Ketel and wf. to Richard Bouws and wf. Lot 173 Post's 4th add. Holland.

Robert F. Jenkins and wf. to Grace M. Johnston. Lot 10 Oakwood Grove subd. twp. Spring Lake.

James Wayer and wf. to Henry W. Wilson. Lot 104 Chippewa resort twp. Park.

Hamilton Youth Is Drowned in River

Hamilton, July 8 (Special)—Jerald Ter Avest, 23, was drowned in Rabbit River near his home about 8:30 p.m. Friday. Deputy Sheriff Lee Dorman of the Allegan county sheriff's department and Coroner Bert Vander Kolk of Hopkins investigated.

Death was attributed to drowning, with epilepsy as the contributory cause.

Ter Avest, a good swimmer, was swimming in Rabbit river on the Jack Arndt farm with a companion, Wayne Arndt, 15.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ter Avest of Hamilton, route 1.

Survivors include the parents; two sisters, Mrs. Harvey Innink of Hamilton, route 1, and Mrs. Kenneth Doan of Detroit; and one brother, Louis, of Allegan, route 4.

Funeral services are scheduled for Tuesday afternoon, but no definite time had been set at 11 a.m. today. Services will be from Diamond Springs Wesleyan Methodist church, with Rev. William Gearheart officiating. Friends may call at the Ten Brink funeral home in Hamilton from Sunday afternoon until Monday evening.

G.H. Officer Now Home; To Be Discharged Soon

Grand Haven, July 13 (Special)—First Lt. Robert W. Krause arrived in his home in Grand Haven July 4 from Walter Reed General hospital, Washington, D. C., on a month's terminal leave and will be retired to inactive status Aug. 5. He left here Oct. 15, 1940, as a first sergeant with Co. F and served with the company at Camp Beauregard, La., Camp Livingston, La., and Fort Devens, Mass.

When the company left for San Francisco in 1942, Krause was transferred to Fort Benning, Ga. and attended officer's training school there and received his commission as a second lieutenant Aug. 11, 1942. While there, he had an accident and underwent an operation on his knee. He was promoted to first lieutenant Nov. 11, 1942. As a first lieutenant, he served at Camp Butler, N. C., Camp Croft, S. C., Fort Bratt, N. C., and Fort Meade, Md., and then went to Walter Reed hospital.

He enlisted in Co. F as a private in 1926.

Mrs. Jennie Nykamp Dies At Her Home in Zeeland

Zeeland, July 13 (Special)—Mrs. Jennie Nykamp, 68, wife of John W. Nykamp, died Friday night at her home, 347 East Lincoln St. She had been in poor health for some time.

Surviving are the husband, two daughters, Mrs. Harry Michmer, Hulzen of Overisel and Mrs. Nick Cook of Zeeland; three grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and one brother, Sam Hoekstra of Grand Rapids.

ENGAGED TO SOLDIER

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wolters of 33 West 22nd St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Jean, to Corp. Donald C. Ver Beek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ver Beek of 268 East Eighth St. No definite wedding plans have been made.

Corp. Ver Beek is now home on an 18-day furlough from Camp Haan, Cal., where he is serving with an anti-aircraft unit.

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Eleven Apply for Building Permits

Eleven applications for building permits totaling \$1,395 were filed last week with City Clerk Oscar Peterson, an increase of \$1,245 over the previous week's total which represented two applications.

The applications follow:
Ed Hossink, 361 West 17th St., reeroof house, \$84; self, contractor.

J. C. Drost, 168 East 11th St., enclosure outside rear stairway, \$100; self, contractor.

John De Weerd, 123 West 14th St., addition in rear of house to be used as rear exit, \$150; Dyke and Vanden Brink, contractors.

Nell Nyhoff, 276 East 11th St., reeroof house, \$150; Holland Ready Roof Co., contractors.

Albert Redder, 101 East 18th St., reeroof part of house, \$65; Holland Ready Roof Co., contractors.

William Selles, 212 West 14th St., reeroof store, \$110; Holland Ready Roof Co., contractors.

Marlene Kooyers, 322 Pine Ave., reeroof house, \$136; Holland Ready Roof Co., contractors.

Jeanette Wise, 101 East 25th St., repair side porch, \$100; Frank Cherven, contractor.

Mrs. Ida Plagenhoef, 302 East 11th St., tear down old barn and rebuild double garage, 18 by 20 feet, \$150; Fred Vanden Heuvel, contractor.

Herry Bos, 117 West 17th St., repair and modernize kitchen, new cupboards, \$150; self, contractor.

Benjamin Borgman, 175 West 14th St., asbestos sidings, \$200; Gerrit Hoving, contractor.

Holland Flotilla Is In C.G. Maneuver

Thirty-six ships and 165 men participated in the first annual maneuvers of the coast guard temporary reserve, division 6, at Saugatuck over the week-end.

Flotilla 3, Holland, was represented by its commander, Ensign Martin Michelsen, Junior Commandeer Warren S. Merriam, Boatswain's Mate Second Class Verne C.

Sgt. Van Slooten, Italian Prisoner, Returns to Duty



Sgt. Louis Van Slooten

The Fred Van Slooten family, route 4, was rejoicing today following official notification from the war department Thursday night that their son, Sgt. Louis Van Slooten, prisoner of war for 14 years, had returned to duty June 22.

The message which was sent in a telegram from Adj. Gen. Ulio in Washington added that the soldier would undoubtedly communicate with the family soon concerning his welfare and whereabouts.

Whether the local soldier, who was taken prisoner by the Italians Dec. 10, 1942, escaped, was exchanged or if his release was effected through some other way, was a matter of speculation for the family. Since the capitulation of southern Italy in September, 1943, the prisoner's status was never clarified.

Receipt of five letters here early last February dated in February, March and September of 1943, failed to give any additional information. The latest letter dated Aug. 9 bore the red imprint of a German rubber stamp with a swastika indicating that his internment was in some way connected with Germany. All letters contained much the same information—"treated well, don't worry, and hope and pray I'll be home soon."

During his internment, Van Slooten never revealed just where he was being held but the family determined from information offered by the Red Cross and other sources that he was being held about 90 miles northeast of Rome.

He was captured in the North African campaign in December, 1942. The Sicilian campaign raged through the latter part of July and Italy surrendered Sept. 8. The Nazis occupied Rome Dec. 10, 1943. The Allies recaptured the Italian capital shortly before the European invasion last month.

Mrs. E. De Pree Dies at Age of 49

Mrs. Edward De Pree, 49, route 1, died Thursday at Holland hospital after an illness of 10 weeks. Survivors include the husband; two daughters, Mrs. Fred Veitman of Holland and Shirley at home; one son, Vernon at home; the mother, Mrs. Albert Scholten of Holland; one brother, Henry Scholten; and three sisters, Mrs. John Koster, Mrs. James Tyink and Mrs. Henry Boeve, all of Holland.

Man of West Olive Is Taken by Death

Grand Haven, July 13 (Special)—Albert Jeske, 81, died in his home in West Olive Saturday noon after an illness of two weeks. He was born in Germany July 18, 1862, and came to West Olive 36 years ago from Iowa. His wife, Bertha, died last Feb. 26. He was a member of Immanuel Lutheran church of Agnew.

He is survived by a son, William at home; two daughters, Mrs. Amanda Coleson of Mears and Mrs. Ida Olman at home; two brothers, Herman of Chicago and William of Iron Mountain; a sister, Mrs. Louis Schrieber of Chicago; six grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

Father of Local Man Passes in New York

C. A. Hollier, father of William P. Hollier of 303 Washington Blvd., died Friday at his home in Skaneateles, N.Y., at the age of 89. Mr. Hollier, a retired engineer who formerly worked in Sturgis, had made his home in Skaneateles since his retirement in 1919. Funeral services were held there Saturday.

The body arrived in Holland Sunday night and burial was in Lakeview cemetery, Lakeview. Funeral services were conducted at Lakeview Tuesday afternoon with Dr. H. D. Terkurst officiating.

Besides the son, William, Mr. Hollier is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Bertha M. King of Monterey Park, Cal.

About one-half the retail stores in the U. S. are so small that they hire no employees.

Local Boys Go 900 Miles by Thumb

Gas rationing and crowded travel conditions presented no problem for Robert Burton, 16, and Jack Glupker, 17, who last week completed a 900-mile trip to Toronto, Ontario, Canada, "via thumb." Burton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burton, 104 East 20th St. and Glupker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Glupker, 45 East 21st St.

Leaving Monday at 7 a.m., they reached Detroit the first day; London, Ontario, the second and Toronto, the third, a total of 450 miles in three days. They estimated that they thumbed 27 rides for the entire trip but said "hitching" in Canada was more difficult than in the States. Their only walk was a four-mile stretch between two Canadian towns and they once had to wait five hours for a ride in Canada.

"People knew we were American," said Burton, "because we wore sport coats, rolled up our pants legs, and left our shirts flapping." Interested by the French-speaking peoples they met, the boys brought home as souvenirs a dollar bill, printed half in French and half in English and some 12-sided Canadian coins. They also learned that Canadian bills are printed in different colors to mark the different denominations.

The boys stayed in Toronto itself only one day but managed to view the large Royal Ontario museum, "Casa Loma," a castle built at a cost of more than four million dollars, Royal Toronto university, the provincial government, and to take a ferry trip to Toronto island. They also "felt" the water in Lake Ontario, but didn't take time for a swim.

Near Ypsilanti they rode with a woman who nearly "cracked up" with a German war prisoner escaping from a camp near there. She related the incident, which occurred just before she picked up the local youths, saying that three state troopers succeeded in catching the prisoner.

The hikers experienced no difficulty in the customs office, but said officials there asked them whether they were going to Canada to enlist. They saw many RAF flyers and other servicemen and were most surprised to find 17-year-olds accepted there for the air corps.

Enthusiastic about their venture, Burton and Glupker said they'd like to take another trip next summer, but had no destination in mind. Prices in Canada were much cheaper, too, they found. Their "round-trip" fare was \$35 each, including meals, room, incidental expenses and a pair of ration-free shoes they bought in Canada.

Personal

(From Tuesday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frenks, route 2, announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Lou, Monday in Holland hospital.

Pvt. William Zietlow of Fort Dix, Wash., and his family of Grand Rapids visited with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ellison, route 1, Sunday night.

Ralph Dokter, president of the AFL carpenters and joiners local, 2391, and Gerald Zoerhof of the AFL machinists local 1417, both of C. C. where they are attending a conference held before the shipbuilding commission in regard to a final contract settlement.

Miss Betty Ranger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Ranger, Park road, has left for Bay View where she will study in the vocal department of the college of music for the summer.

John E. Flanagan of Millis, Mass., spent last week in Holland where he visited his daughter, Mrs. Carroll Norlin, and his son, Edward Flanagan, who has been ill for 15 weeks with virus pneumonia. Mr. Flanagan formerly lived on West 11th St. Mrs. Norlin and daughter, Connie Lou, accompanied Mr. Flanagan back to Millis where they will visit with relatives.

A S. Melvin Tubergen is spending a 10-day leave at his home, 210 East 13th St., after completing his boat training in the navy at Great Lakes, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Working have received word that their son, Lockwood, who was inducted into the army at Fort Sheridan, Ill., June 13, has been assigned to wire communications at Camp Wolters, Tex. This is a specialist branch of the infantry and of the 339 that were sent there, 25 were assigned to specialist battalions.

Ensign Jack Krum of the USNR left Wednesday for the East coast after spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Louise Krum, 383 Central Ave. Ensign Krum was graduated June 27 from Midshipman school at Camp MacDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y.

Corp. Lyle Allan Ringewold left Sunday afternoon for Camp Polk, La., after spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ringewold, 272 Fairbanks Ave., and with relatives and friends here. Another son, Pfc. Glenn Ringewold, has arrived safely overseas according to word received by his wife, the former Miss Dolores Duron, 294 West 24th St.

Lt. (sg) Mayo A. Hadden, Jr., stationed at a navy air base at Atlantic City, N. J., spent Saturday and Sunday in Holland with his parents and also visited his cousin, Lt. Hadden Hanchett, in Percy Jones hospital, Battle Creek, Lt. Hadden, navy fighter pilot credited with shooting down eight Jap planes in the Pacific area, flew here from Atlantic City and landed at Grand Rapids airport where his parents picked him up.

Corp. Donald Zoerhof who is home on a 15-day furlough, plans to leave Thursday night for North Carolina. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Zoerhof, 4341 Washington Ave.

Lt. Col. Robert H. Moore of Beverly Hills, Chicago, who has been stationed in Hawaii for more than two years, spent a few hours here Thursday visiting his daughter, Lela Ann, at Camp Keewano. With Mrs. Moore, he left Friday for Camp Davis, Wilmington, N.C., to attend officers' school. He expects to return to his post in Hawaii in the late fall. While in Holland Col. and Mrs. Moore visited at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hopkins of Waukegan.

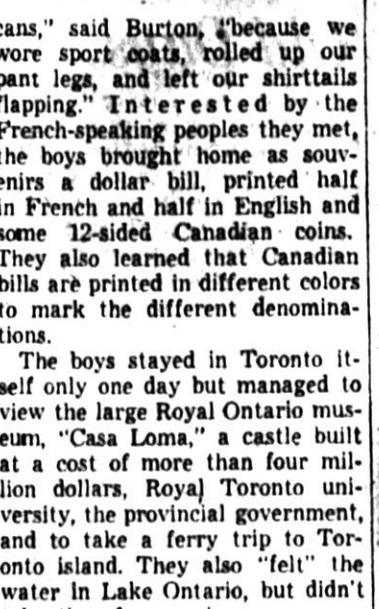
Mrs. Anne Mills, 186 West 12th St., who is in Holland hospital where she underwent a major operation last Wednesday, is now convalescing and may receive visitors.

Bill Lowry, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Lowry of route 4, who recently graduated from Cranbrook school at Bloomfield Hills, has reported to Western Michigan College of Education at Kalamazoo in the navy V-5 program.

Two soldiers riding a motorcycle or motorcycles failed to make a turn south of Holland late Monday afternoon and were treated in Holland hospital and sent on their way to Fort Custer. One suffered a bruise on his knee and the other on his side. They were with the convoy of Nazi prisoners that pass through Holland.

TWO PAY FINES Eddie Whetson, 30, Holland, paid fine and costs of \$5 in Municipal court Thursday on a charge of speeding 50 miles an hour on River Ave. June 28. Ben H. Lieve, 55, 215 Central Ave., paid fine and costs of \$5 on a charge of having no operator's license on his 100 pound car.

Production of beans in the U.S. in 1941 reached an all-time record up to that time of 18,226,000 bags of 100 pounds each.



GETS NAVIGATOR WINGS

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Meet in Kollen Park For Family Reunion

Descendants of the David A. Carow family met for a family reunion on July 2 at Kollen park. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. Lighthart and daughter and grandson, Mrs. Mary Hulsing and Donnie, Mrs. Margaret Carter, Mr. and Mrs. George Knoll and children, George Knoll, Jr., Geraldine, Irene and Marietta, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Carow, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Nash, Sr., Mrs. Arnold Wagner and children, Patricia and Dennis, Mrs. A. P. Jennings and granddaughter, Judy of Oakland, Cal., Mrs. Chelsie Rollysaw, Mrs. George H. Nash, Jr., Miss Carole E. Nash, Mrs. Francis D. (Bud) Nash and children, Bonnie Jean, Francis Kay and David Keith. George H. Nash, Jr., is somewhere in England and Francis Nash was in New Guinea when last heard from.

Clemons Heads Training Station

Grand Haven, July 13 (Special)—Lt. Comdr. Chester E. Skeen of the local U.S. coast guard training station, in a ceremony Sunday morning, was retired on a service limit. He turned over the command of the station to Lt. E. J. Clemons, executive officer under Skeen, and who for many years was commanding officer of the life boat station at Holland. Skeen replaced Lt. Ray P. Galivan on April 10 as commander of the training station, coming from Bay City. Skeen will retain his residence at 512 Lake Ave., Grand Haven.

Lt. J. Hanson, now on the staff of the training station, will succeed Clemons as executive officer. Skeen has been an officer in the navy, starting during the Spanish-American war as a cadet; he also served in World War I as an officer of a troop transport ship and two years ago was taken from the inactive list since the Spanish-American war he has been in the coast guard and navy off and on.

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McClair

(From Tuesday's Sentinel) Mrs. Helen Andres and two children from New York plan to return to their home there after a two weeks visit at the home of Mrs. George Loberhofer, sister of Mrs. Amos.

The small store at New Richmond has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Parrish, formerly of Chicago, who own a home in this community.

Rev. Frank Thatcher, Mrs. Elmer Nienhuis and Mrs. Koster taught in the daily vacation Bible school held in the McClair school the past two weeks. A public program was presented Friday night at the school. A total enrollment of 36 was reported with an average attendance of 22. Awards of New Testaments were given for attendance to a number of scholars.

Weather permitting, the Gibson mission circle plans an all day "huckleberry picking picnic" at Ely's lake Thursday. A basket lunch will be served.

The community has two recently married couples residing in its boundaries. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Huis live on the Van Huis homestead and Mr. and Mrs. John Paul live with the G. Jacobs family. Mrs. Van Huis is the former Doris Johnson and Mrs. Paul is the former Angeline Jacobs. Mr. Paul left for service last Wednesday.

Milton Ten Have is another local young man who left for military service Wednesday. He was entertained at various gatherings by his relatives before his departure. Milton had just been awarded a scholarship valued at \$95 for 4-H club work. The scholarship was issued by Michigan State college.

David and Isaac Anderson of Grand Rapids have been spending a few days at the R. Valieu farm. Mr. and Mrs. John Van Wieren attended the wedding of their nephew, Lt. Van Wieren, at the Country club last Friday.

Mrs. Richard Adell (nee Charles Peterson) and daughter who now live in Birmingham, Ala., are visiting relatives and spending the summer in this vicinity.

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Local Soldier Is Rocked by Robot

Sgt. Clifford Onthank was a block away from an exploding robot bomb in London recently, he revealed in a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Onthank, Virginia park.

Attached to a heavy bombing squadron in England and on a short leave with an aunt and uncle of his sister-in-law in Acton, a suburb of London, he said the robot sounded like a huge washing machine as it came overhead, dived into the next block and exploded with a crash that shook the neighborhood.

"We had thrown ourselves to the ground to escape the concussion," he said, "but the shock was terrific and seemed to rock everything around us."

On a previous visit to London, he was forced to spend part of his leave hunting shelter because of two air raids.

"We are putting in long hours now doing our bit to give Hitler what he needs and leaves hard to get, but if I get another I doubt if I will spend it in London," he said.

The British, he added, are carrying on calmly despite the robot attacks and are confident of an early victory.

FAVORS OUTING DAY Lansing, July 11 (UP) — Governor Kelly has endorsed a proposal to designate Sunday, July 16, as Father and Son Fishing and Outing day.

COMMON COUNCIL

Holland Michigan, July 5, 1944. The Common Council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Mayor Schepers, Aldermen Te Roller, Steffens, Bontelge, Slagh, De Pree, Mboi, Streuf, Damson, Slighter, Meengs, Dalman; City Attorney Ten Cate, City Engineer Zuidema, and the Clerk.

Devotions led by Mayor Schepers.

Minutes read and approved. Petitions and Accounts Clerk presented application of George Bocks, Jr. for license to operate an eating house at 700 Michigan Avenue.

Granted. Clerk presented communication from Michigan Municipal League thanking the Council for its continued support and calling attention to the activities of the League and the various services that they have available for use by those cities which wish to avail themselves of this privilege.

Accepted and filed. **Reports of Standing Committees** Claims and Accounts Committee reported having examined claims in the sum of \$13,009.98, and recommended payment thereof.

Allowed. Street Committee to whom was referred a petition for the paving of 25th Street between Lawndale Court and State Street, and also on Central Avenue between 24th and 25th Streets, reported recommending that the City Engineer be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for such paving and that they be presented to the Council at a later date. It is proposed that such paving be done as a post-war project.

Adopted. Sidewalk Committee to whom was referred a petition for sidewalk on the west side of Central Avenue between 25th and 28th Streets, reported that walks have already been constructed between 25th and 26th Streets, and recommended that the City Engineer be instructed to serve the usual notice on the owners of the property between 26th and 28th Streets for laying walks in this district.

Adopted. Committee on Public Buildings and Property reported that Engine House Number 2 is in need of roofing repairs and recommended that this matter be referred back to the Committee with power to act.

Adopted. Committee on Public Buildings further reported that they have discussed with Superintendent Smallenburg the matter of enlarging the Service Board Panel in Centennial Park and up to this time have only tentative ideas as to what should be done. Committee requested power to act in going ahead with enlarging this Board at a later date.

Adopted. Committee on Public Lighting reported for information of the Council that all of the 4 Wooden Shoe signs at the entrance to the City are now in service.

Reports of Special Committees Mr. Henry Geerlings, Secretary of Local Union 515 of City Employees appeared before the Council and reported that their Union is contemplating having another picnic this year. Mr. Geerlings explained that they had a picnic last year but many city employees who are not members of the Union did not feel as though they were welcome to attend because of the fact that they did not belong to the Union and suggested that this year they hold a picnic for all City employees and that the City contribute \$100.00 towards this expense which is to be matched with \$100.00 by the Union.

Mr. Geerlings stated it was their thought that by so doing all the City employees, whether they belong to the Union or not, would feel welcome to attend such picnic. Alderman Mool took the position that inasmuch as the City can not recognize a union that it would be out of order in contributing money toward such a picnic. Mr. Mool stated that whether they felt like contributing or not, under the law they would not be entitled to do so.

Aldermen Meengs, De Pree and others voiced the opinion that they would be in favor of contributing towards a picnic for city-wide employees but at the moment did not know just how they should proceed on this matter.

After some further discussion, it was moved by Alderman Te Roller, 2nd by Mool, that the request as presented by Mr. Geerlings be tabled.

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HE, TOO, HELPED TO BUILD HOLLAND

Modesty dictates that a news-
paper should say little about the
merits of its own personnel, but
the Sentinel and News would be
lacking in appreciation of the work
of a faithful servant if it did not
editorially say, "Hail and a last
farewell," to Fred Slag, whose
death on June 30 marked the end
of more than 40 years of active
service in the local newspaper
field. That length of that period
of work was more than matched
by the worker's integrity and
faithfulness. The Sentinel will
miss him, as will the local public.
Mr. Slag's local newspaper career
is one more illustration of
what a man of integrity who is
willing to work can accomplish.
Born on a farm, with few early
advantages in the way of educa-
tion, and with handicaps that
might have discouraged many, he
yet carved out for himself a place
in the industry of Holland that
was honorable and successful.

As a young boy Mr. Slag was at-
tacked by disease that compelled
him to spend many months, be-
tween his tenth and twelfth birth-
days, at the University hospital in
Ann Arbor. While he overcame
that specific disability, he was in-
capacitated by it for the farm
work to which he had naturally
been destined. Without any special
training in the newspaper field
or for business he became a Sen-
tinel employee as hardly more than
a boy, and he has been contin-
uously identified with the paper
ever since.

He began his work for the Sen-
tinel under the editorship of Mr.
and Mrs. Roland Easley. Later
when the paper became a stock
company, Mr. Slag almost inevit-
ably remained with it. Still later,
when the present management took
over, Mr. Slag remained on the
job. He had become a kind of
institution in the local news-
paper field.

It is significant that he won the
respect and the affection of every
one of those managements. And
he won and kept his respect
through faithfulness and integrity.
He never in all his life had any
pull or special privilege; he re-
spected no favors except those that
he richly earned. There was never
any grandstanding about his career,
but he deserves the respect
of his community more than some
whose obituary notices will make
more dramatic reading. He is a
lasting illustration of the reason-
ing American fact that in this
country it is possible for a person
without special privilege to live
a fruitful and honorable life along
the road of hard work and faith-
fulness and integrity.

Dress Up Day Is Held In Van Raalte School

Dress up day was observed in
Van Raalte summer school pro-
gram Friday. Prizes were awarded
to Phyllis Kruithof as Miss
Antarctica; Yvonne Dangremont as
Red Cross nurse; Barbara Wenzel
as Karen Damson and Sherry
Schaeffer in the character cos-
tume group; Delores Cook and
Carla Mae Kruithof in the old
lady group; Carol Ann Piers, Da-
vid Allens and Paul Beyer, old
man; Lana Ann Piers, David
Piers, Delores Cook, Mary Beth
Walters and Glenn Bauder in
family group; Lane Piers, Negro;
Mary Beth Walters, baby; Sheryl
Ann Vanden Bosch and Sonja Lee
Bouwman, funniest costumes;
Linda Gordon and Donna Sever-
ance, prettiest; Marlene Hout-
ing and Linda Hamelin, animal
group; and Jackie Van Ooster-
hout and Mary Lou Van Dyke,
national Mrs. Fred Brummer and
Mrs. Robert Gordon were judges.

Rev. G. Luebke Feted on Birthday Anniversary

Members and friends of the Zion
Lutheran church Ladies Aid so-
ciety entertained their pastor, Rev.
G. Luebke, Thursday night
in the basement of the church on
occasion of his birthday anni-
versary. Movies were shown and
a good time enjoyed by the group.
Guests were Rev. Duerksen,
pastor, Rev. and Mrs. W. Luebke,
pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roth and
Mrs. Lee Roth and Mrs. Lee Roth.

Sunday School Lesson

July 16, 1944
Successes and Failures of Israel
Judges 2:6-16

By Henry Geerlings
There is no nation nor has there
ever been, that does not have char-
acter against it sins both great and
small. Naturally we expect those
that have enjoyed divine blessings
of an exceptional nature to live
closer to their God and to set the
example of godly and upright liv-
ing.

The noble experiment that the
Israelites were making did not
particularly reflect credit on them.
They were chosen of God in prefer-
ence to all other nations to receive
the revelation it was his purpose
to make to mankind, and this fact
would indicate that they were
able by the grace he would provide
to treasure that revelation and to
pass it on to others as they had
opportunity.

However, there was no guaran-
tee that they could not at least
partially fail. There were times
when they rose to great heights,
and there were also times when
they fell to ignominious depths. But
such is the possibility with all peo-
ple. What makes the story of the
Israelites interesting to us is that
their successes and failures resemble
our own to a remarkable de-
gree. Dangers and opportunities
alike come to every man and na-
tion.

Only to a limited degree could it
be said that the people of Israel
had taken possession of the land.
It would be better to say that they
had begun to take possession of it.
The process was a long one. They
had gained a foothold and to the
degree in which they were faithful
to their God they brought the land
under control.

Joshua was now the leading hu-
man figure. He was the successor
of Moses, and while not his equal,
he achieved a degree of success
under God that will link his name
forever with the conquest and set-
tlement of the land. The land
was now divided among the He-
brew tribes and they began to
bring it under their control to
such a degree that the powerful
pagan nations around them soon
came to respect their strength.

There is a tribute paid to Jos-
hua that dare not escape our notice.
The qualities of his leadership did
not equal those of Moses, but it
is to be noted that while he lived he
was able to keep a rather fickle
people in a state of loyalty to their
God and after his death his influ-
ence was such as to prevent any
dangerous spiritual defection. That
is a high tribute. It is apparent
that he lived some twenty five
years after leading the people into
the land of promise, during which
time the spell of his influence had
shown qualities of definite perma-
nence. And after his death it
became evident that his example
and the power of his leadership
remained as a stimulus of a high
order.

The generation referred to in
this lesson includes the people who
witnessed the labors of Joshua in
taking over the responsibilities of
Moses and bring about the con-
quest of the Promised Land. Few
other leaders witnessed greater
works of the Lord than he when
there was effected the subjugation
of the country in which God's
kingdom was to be established and
his people were to find a home.

The succeeding generation was
at a disadvantage in not having
been with their own eyes some of
the greatest miracles ever to occur
in the life of this people. They
had not seen nor experienced his
wonderful deeds and the work he
wrought for Israel and for that
reason they did not have that intima-
te and personal knowledge
which must lie at the basis of all
loyalty in the field of religion.

This generation did not know
Jehovah. They did evil in the
sight of the Lord. They forgot
Jehovah and forgetting God in-
evitably leads to the actual doing
of evil. As soon as God goes out
of one's thoughts, evil begins to
crowd in. The human mind cannot
be a vacuum. If God is not there
it must be that Satan is there.

Seek Fifty Thousand In False Arrest Case

Detroit, July 11 (UP)—Attorney
for Richard Vincent, who
confessed to a crime he did not
commit, Monday filed a \$50,000
damage suit in federal court
against Sheriff Andrew Baird,
Baird's secretary, a bonding com-
pany and seven county detectives.
Detroit Attorney Hugh Ken-
neth Davidson said the suit
named the defendants on six
separate counts, charging false
imprisonment, malicious prosecu-
tion, assault and battery, negli-
gence, libel and slander, and
breach of the bond.

The 23-year-old gas station at-
tendant was cleared of the
charge of murdering 14-year-old
Joyce Raulston in the third week
of his trial when Robert Turner,
20-year-old war plant worker,
admitted the murder.

Gas Coupons Are Stolen From Station Near City

Sheriff's officers today were
continuing an investigation into
a breaking and entering case Sat-
urday at Ralph Bredeweg's ser-
vice station on US-31 at Douglas
Ave. The thief or thieves gained
admittance by knocking out a
small glass in the front door and
releasing the night lock. Six car-
tons of cigarettes and gas cou-
pons amounting to 1,100 gallons
are missing. Eleven cartons of
cigarettes remained in the sta-
tion, indicating that the thief
probably had been scared away.

It is better to be lied about than
to be the liar.

But It's True



Holland In 1913

For the first time in the history
of this city Holland is to have a
Labor Day celebration this year.
began a story in the Monday, Aug.
11, issue of the Holland Daily Sen-
tinel published in 1913. At a meet-
ing of the executive committee
Peter Smith elected chairman, H.
Van Ry secretary of the commit-
tee in charge of the arrangements.

The Rev. H.J. Veldman, pastor
of the First Reformed church of
this city who is this summer in
The Hague, The Netherlands, con-
ducting the American church ser-
vices there, is the author of an
article printed in this week's issue
of "The Christian Intelligencer."
In the opening paragraph Mr.
Veldman tells of the numerous fes-
tivals and celebration held in The
Hague in summer. Much of the
article is of interest to local read-
ers because of the fact that the
writer describes the part taken in
the Oplum Conference by Dr. G.J.
Kollen.

A very beautiful photograph of
President Woodrow Wilson has
been hung in the Holland post of-
fice along with pictures of Taft,
Roosevelt and McKinley. Post-
master Van Schelven is now ser-
ving under the third president, hav-
ing been appointed some 16 years
ago by McKinley.

John Robinson who has just
completed two years of study at
the West Point Military academy
is visiting his brother, Att. Thom-
as N. Robinson and other relatives
in this city on his vacation.

The Rev. and Mrs. George Kort-
eling and children, Arthur and
Ruth, who have been visiting re-
latives in Holland for two weeks,
will leave this evening for Chicago.
Later in the week they will leave
there for Creston, Ia., where Mr.
Korteling is pastor of a Presbyterian
church.

Richard Kamperman of Ft.
Wayne, Ind., is making a week's
visit at his home in this city.

Mrs. Ada and Gertrude Alwyn-
e of Muskegon are spending a few
days with B. Huizenga and family.

A rumor has been floating ar-
ound for a day or two that E.P.
Stephan who was elected last
Wednesday evening by the com-
munity council as one of the two new
members of the board of super-
visors provided for by the new
charter, would resign, according to
a story in the Tuesday, Aug. 12, is-
sue. Today Mr. Stephan handed in
his resignation to City Clerk
Overweg.

Holland is to lose one of its best
known pastors with the depart-
ure of the Rev. F.O. Granniss who
will leave Holland about the first
of September to become the pastor
of St. Paul's church, St. Joseph,
Mich.

The board of education has fol-
lowed the plan introduced by the
city some time ago and now on
the three banks of Holland will
pay interest on the school depos-
its. This was decided upon last
night at a meeting of the board of
education. The banks will pay two
and a half per cent on daily bal-
ances and the system will work the
same way as the city deposit
plans work.

According to the Monthly Bul-
letin of Statistics published today
there were during the month of
June 71 births in Ottawa county
and 36 deaths. In Allegan county
there were 76 births and 40 deaths.
In Holland the number of births
was 23 and of deaths 10; in Grand
Haven births 4 and deaths 4; in
Allegan city, births 10 and deaths 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hacker,
174 East Fifth st., announce the
marriage of their daughter, Lil-
lian, to Jacob Kammerage. The
marriage is to take place Sept. 11.

This evening at the home of the
bride the marriage will take place
of Miss Reka Dalkan and Jacob
Zeldema.

Mr. Raymond Hoek returned
yesterday from Chicago where he
made an extended visit with Mr.
and Mrs. S.M. Galaty.

Jack Hoek of Chicago is visiting
his parents in Holland.

The Misses Helen and Louise

Christian Endeavorers Plan Party August 21

Plans were made for a Chris-
tian Endeavor union beach party
to be held Aug. 21, by members of
the union executive board in their
meeting Thursday night at the
home of President Delbert Vander
Haar, route 3, Arrangements will
be in charge of Miss Mary Van-
de Wege and Roger Raak, newly-
elected co-recreational chairman.

Tentative plans were also made
for the fall officers retreat to be
held Sept. 9 and 10 in Walden-
woods and Miss Leona Overbeek
was appointed as registrar for
Holland. Reports were made on
the state convention held June 22
to 25 in Muskegon for which 63
persons from the local union were
registered and President Vander
Haar told of the five-day national
youth fellowship conference held
in Lakeside, O., to which he was
delegate.

Representatives from First,
Fourth, Trinity, Central Park and
Beechwood Reformed churches
were present at the meeting which
was the first of the year for the
new board.

At the chateau held in Win-
ants chapel Dr. Kittell speaks a-
gain this afternoon on the theme,
"The City Without a Wall," began
a story in the Wednesday, Aug. 13
issue. This morning Dr. Fitzwater
concluded his lectures on the
subject "Socialism and the Chris-
tian Religion," this afternoon.
The speakers for tomorrow will
be Prof. John W. Beardslee, Sr.,
on "A Study in the Book of John,"
The Rev. P.P. Cheff and the Rev.
Abraham J. Muste will speak in
the afternoon on "The Public
school and the Bible;" and "The
Modern World and the Christian
Religion," respectively.

A very pretty wedding took
place last evening at the home of
the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
George Dalman, East 13th st.,
when their daughter Reka M. was
united in marriage with Jacob
Zeldema. The ceremony was per-
formed by Dr. E.J. Blekkink and
the Rev. John Van Zomeren of
Cleveland, O., brother-in-law of
the bride in the presence of about
75 relatives and friends.

Peter Kuiken, one of Grand
Haven's best known Holland re-
sidents, will leave Grand Haven
Sunday evening for New York
City and Tuesday morning
will sail out of Hoboken on board
of a Holland-American liner for
the Netherlands where he may
decide to spend the rest of his
life. Mr. Kuiken came to Amer-
ica 32 years ago and has been back
to the old country once since. He
has two brothers in Amsterdam
and a sister in The Hague.

The Misses Therese, Sadie, Ger-
trude and Tillie Spoelstra of Grand
Rapids visited relatives in Holland
yesterday. The young women are
spending the week at the Weesh-
dwurree cottage at Ottawa
Beach.

Miss Sidella Cohan of Chicago
is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry
Padnos.

Mrs. P.A. Kleis has returned
from a four week's visit with her
daughter, Mrs. F. Priameau of
Jackson, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Poppo of
Downs, Kans., arrived in this city
today for a month's vacation.
They are stopping with Mr. and
Mrs. D.W. Jellema, 534 Central
ave.

Mrs. J. Lampen and Mrs. S. Ed-
derbeek of this city are visiting
with friends in Flint.

Fred Beekes returned today
from Rockford where he has been
visiting for the past few days.

In the long run one has to pay
the price of every worthwhile
achievement.

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In the Good Old Days

The estimates to be submitted
to congress for money needed for
the improvement of Michigan har-
bors for the next fiscal year, have
been made public, according to a
story in the Oct. 27 issue of the
Ottawa County Times published
in 1899 by M.G. Manting. Among
them Holland is mentioned as
needing \$110,000. Estimate for
Saugatuck was \$10,000 and Grand
Haven, \$42,000.

One of the fastest, cleanest and
best played football games ever
seen on local gridiron, was that
played last Saturday by the local
eleven against the St. Andrews
team of Grand Rapids, reinforced
by four of the best players of the
Arlington Athletic club. The final
score stood 6 to 0 in favor of Hol-
land.

The city of Holland now owns
three horses which are to be used
by the fire department. They ar-
rived from Kalamazoo Wednesday
morning and were taken to Strat-
ton's livery barn. The team of
sorrels will be stationed at Engine
House No. 1 and the other, a chest-
nut, will be placed in Engine
House No. 2. The three horses to-
gether cost the city \$387. As soon
as the equipment arrives, which
will be in a few days, the horses
will be placed in their stalls in the
Engine houses. The committee
appointed for securing the animals
consisted of aldermen Takken and
De Merrel and Andrew Steketee.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. Led-
boer, Monday night, a son.

Cards are out announcing the
marriage of Diana Ter Avest to
Albert Fenewer on Wednesday
afternoon, Nov. 1, at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. H. Bos at Overisel.

Frank Van Etta and Miss Rose
Metzger were married on Tuesday
evening at the home of the bride's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Met-
calf, north of the bay. The cere-
mony was performed by the Rev.
Adam Clarke.

The Woman's Literary club held
its weekly meeting on Tuesday af-
ternoon. The program included
the crusades and beneficial results,
Mrs. J.C. Post; How the Dutch
conquered the sea, Mrs. William
Brusse; The Flora of the fifteenth
century, Mrs. Garrod; the belfry
of Bruges, Mrs. Browning; a solo
by Mrs. Diekema.

A mortar box on the street at
the corner of River and Ninth
Sts. without a danger signal is ac-
countable for a broken wheel, a
sore back, a cut chin and severe
bruises, all belonging to P. C.
Klaaserc, assistant chemist at the
sugar factory. While riding along
River st. last Sunday night he un-
expectedly ran against the ob-
struction and was thrown violently
from his wheel, striking on his
back.

The economic club held its third
regular meeting on Monday even-
ing. About 40 members were pre-
sent. The paper by Prof. J.T.
Bergen on the subject: "The
Family as an Economic Factor in
Society," was a masterly produc-
tion, showing the dangerous ten-
dencies of the condition that exist
at present, when woman as a wage
earner competes with man. Dis-
cussion followed the paper.

An alarm of fire at 8:30 Sunday
night woke people out of their
Sunday dreams and called them to
East 14th st. where flames were
bursting from the roof of a house
occupied by the family of Peter
Bos, janitor of the Central school.

The fire department was soon on
hand and had the flames under
control in a short time, not how-
ever, until \$350 worth of damage
had been done to the house and
nearly all the furniture had been
destroyed by fire and water. The
property is owned by William Dal-
man of Grand Rapids.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. Rot-
schaefer on Sunday, a son.

Rev. and Mrs. Westenberg of Pe-
oria, Ia., are making a few weeks'
tour through Michigan, calling on
their friends in various places.

The gross receipts at Grand
Haven this year were \$7,318.

The Zeeland News and the Ze-
eland Record have consolidated and
henceforth only one paper will be
published in the village.

Mrs. Kate E. Vander Veen of
Grand Haven has brought the prop-
erty on north River st. formerly
occupied by the West Michigan
Steam Laundry for \$975.

Rev. Mr. Jonkman will be in-
stalled as pastor of the North
Street Christian Reformed church
at Zeeland on Sunday, Oct. 29, by
Prof. G. Boer of Grand Rapids and
Rev. D. Drucker of Drenthe.

Married Wednesday afternoon
at the home of the bride, Ward
Wood of Oceana county and Miss
Effie Burch of Ottawa Station.
Rev. Brownell officiated. The
couple left by train for their fu-
ture home in Oceana county where
the groom is engaged in the lum-
ber business.

Cards are out announcing the
marriage of John M. Knol of Hol-
land to Nellie Van Huis on Nov. 1.

North Blendon

Relatives of Pvt. Russell Dal-
man have received word that he
was transferred to a South Caro-
lina camp.

Pvt. Francis Driesinga has been
transferred to Sheppard Field,
Tex.

Pvt. Andrew Lamer is now a
patient at the Kellogg's annex at
Gull-lake having been transferred
from Percy Jones hospital, Battle
Creek.

Lt. Henry Hoekman of Pecos,
Tex., and Mrs. Hoekman of Hol-
land, Mrs. Gerrit Rezelman of
Litchville, N.D., accompanied Mr.
and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen to
Muskegon on Sunday where they
were super guests of the later's
children, Mr. and Mrs. C. Meeuw-
sen and Sharon Marie.

Mrs. Cramer of Grandville is
spending a few weeks with Rev.
and Mrs. Henry Zylstra.

Mrs. Cyprie Vanden Bosch of

Kansas is spending a few weeks
with relatives here while staying
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
William Berghout.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bakker
and children of Zeeland were
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold
Ter Haar.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Elise of South
Blendon called on Rev. and Mrs.
H. Zylstra on Sunday night.

Saturday night visitors at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Van-
der Molen were Mr. and Mrs.
Henry Pooley, Lois and Janet of
Grand Rapids.

Ben Groenhof of Zeeland visited
friends and relatives here on
Saturday.

Congregational meeting was
held at the Reformed church on
Monday evening for the purpose
of electing a deacon to fill the
vacancy of Russell Dalman who
has gone into the armed forces
with the result that Peter Moll
was elected.

Consistory meeting was held at
the Christian Reformed church
Monday night.

Members of the Ladies Mis-
sionary society and other women
of the Reformed church met at the
home of Mrs. Ben Kuyers on
Wednesday afternoon for their
regular monthly meeting and also
as a surprise on Mrs. Henry Zyl-
stra, who was presented with a
purse for little Bruce Allen.

On Sunday evening a Christian
Endeavor society was organized in
the Reformed church and the
following officers were elected:
President, Miss Lola Lamar; vice-
president, Miss Magdaline El-
kings; secretary, Edward Elkinga;
and treasurer, Miss Betty Zyl-
stra. Rev. H. Zylstra is pastor
counselor.

On June 29 Rev. Zylstra and
the Misses Lola Lamar and Ma-
gdaline Elkinga attended a youth's
meeting in the Second Reformed
church at Zeeland.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Mulder and
children from Holland called on
their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.
Dalman Sunday night.

Mrs. John Lamar and Lois Ann
and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lamar
spent last Friday at Kollen's park
Holland, where a number of re-
latives enjoyed an outing in honor
of Corp. Don Ver Beek.

Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen spent
Wednesday in Muskegon to assist
her daughter, Mrs. C. Meeuw-
sen, in giving a birthday party for
Sharon Marie.

Peter Knoper is ill.

Mrs. John Lamar and Lois Ann
accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit
Piers from Zeeland to the home
of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs.
Lew Klamer in Corwin district
where they enjoyed a family sup-
per on July 4.

The Stander brothers from
Grand Rapids called on the Huiz-
enga family Sunday night.

Personal

(From Monday's Sentinel)
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meiste and
Mrs. Henry Tubergen received
word by telegraph Sunday night
of the birth of a daughter to Mr.
and Mrs. Bernard Meiste of
Benicia, Cal. Mr. Meiste is an
army cook stationed at Benicia.

Mrs. Meiste is his former Evelyn
Tubergen of Holland.

Trinity Reformed church daily
vacation Bible school for children
of Trinity church and any other
interested youngsters of the com-
munity opened today. The course
will last two weeks.

Corp. Cornelius Caaue, son of
Mr. and Mrs. John Caaue, 110
West 29th St., is spending a 15-
day furlough in Holland. He is
stationed at Fort Sam Houston,
Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Frie returned
Sunday from Austin, Tex.,
where they visited for ten days
with their son, Lt. Dale Frie of
the army air corps.

Turret Gunner, Is Missing in Action Sgt. A. Ter Haar,

Sgt. Anthony Jay Ter Haar, 24, turret gunner and flight engineer on a B-17, has been missing in action over Germany since June 21, according to a wire received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arie Ter Haar, 68 East 22nd St., Thursday night.

The wire was sent by Adj. Gen. Ullo of the war department and promised further details as soon as they were learned.

Sgt. Ter Haar enlisted in the air corps on Oct. 7, 1942, and left for overseas in April, 1944. Before his enlistment he attended Holland High school and General Motors Institute at Flint. He received training at Perrin field, Tex., Sheppard field, Tex., where he attended technical air base school, Tyndall field, Fla., and Tuscon, Ariz.

THREE PAY FINES

Three persons paid fines in municipal court Monday on various traffic charges. Henry Van Gelderen, 54, Zeeland, paid costs of \$5 on a faulty brake charge; James W. Hiner, 67, route 5, paid fine and costs of \$5 on a similar charge, and Ray Den Uyl, 31, 377 Lincoln Ave., paid fine and costs of \$5 on a speeding charge.

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Mrs. C. J. Lokker Dies at Age of 81

Mrs. Chris J. Lokker, 81, died Friday at 6 p.m. in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Tappan, after an illness of two months. She was the former Miss Winnie C. Diekema and was born May 11, 1863. On June 17, 1886, she married Mr. Lokker, who was identified with the Holland Crystal Creamery. He died Dec. 27, 1929. She had been a life member of Third Reformed church.

Survivors include the daughter, Mrs. Tappan; two sons, William and Clarence A. Lokker; one sister, Mrs. Martha D. Kollen; and one brother, Albert Diekema, all of Holland; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Beaverdam

(From Tuesday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. Morris Huyser of Zeeland announce the birth of a daughter, Carol Sue, Thursday at Zeeland hospital. Mr. Huyser was formerly from this place and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Huyser. Corp. Ted De Vries and Mrs. De Vries arrived home Wednesday from his camp in Georgia. He returned on Friday. Mrs. De Vries is remaining here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Posma.

Pvt. Herman De Boer, who left recently for military service, is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla. Junior Zoet was to leave today for induction in the air corps. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Zoet.

Word has come to Mr. and Mrs. Thys De Jonge that their son, Pvt. Ted, is now serving as a chaplain in the army.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Formisna have been informed that their son, Donald, has been promoted to staff sergeant.

Mrs. Grace De Boer and children, Harvey and Florence of Zeeland, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bowman Sunday.

Mrs. Hazel Coy and Mrs. Elinor Winstrom of Zeeland presented special music at the afternoon service of the Reformed church. They sang "In the Garden" and "Home Sweet Home."

The Girls League for Service will meet Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Klynstra.

Army jeeps designed for desert duty have tire treads patterned after a camel's foot.

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This arrangement will continue for the duration, but as soon as the war is over and production is resumed the firm will again show new Buicks and Pontiacs.

Mr. Ter Haar acquired both the Buick and Pontiac franchises in 1931 and owns the large, modern building in which the agency is housed. The Ter Haar Auto Co. is also an OPA tire inspection station.

Fennville

(From Tuesday's Sentinel) Fennville school district held its annual meeting Monday evening with an attendance of 19. There was no contest and Ned H. Bale and Dr. A. F. Coxford were elected to succeed themselves. Following the district meeting the board met to elect their officers for the coming year.

The Lions club met Monday night in Hospitality house. They entertained their ladies at dinner. There were 20 present. Guest speaker was Earl Benton, district governor-elect of district 11-B of Muskegon. Mr. Benton also installed the new officers as follows: President, Dr. A. F. Coxford; first vice-president, J. E. Burch; second vice-president, C. E. Erlewein; third vice-president, G. C. DuVall; treasurer, Charles Little; Lion tamer, Rev. O. W. Carr; tail twister, Jacob DeGeus; assistant tail twister, A. H. Hogue; directors, Charles Ritchie and T. Van Dussen.

Having sold their store at New Richmond last week, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Beerbower moved Friday to their farm a mile south of there. The new owners are Mr. and Mrs. James Parrish of Chicago, but who have been coming to their farm on the New Richmond-Saugatuck road for several summers. They will also operate the post office until they or some one else is appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Beerbower who has held it for about 12 years. Mr. Beerbower in advancing years will retire from public life.

Silas Hatfield, 67, of a mile southeast of New Richmond died in a Kalamazoo hospital Saturday night where he was taken about two hours before his death, which followed a heart attack. Mr. Hatfield was born in Michigan and lived in his late home only since a year ago last April. He was never married. Funeral services were held in the Burch Funeral Home in Fennville, with burial in Manlius cemetery near New Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Burch returned last Friday from a week's visit with their daughter and family at Rives Junction, near Jackson. They were accompanied home by their little granddaughter, Janet Warner, for a two weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Marc Reid and

children of St. Joseph visited Mrs. Reid's mother, Mrs. George Leland Saturday night and Sunday.

Lt. Harold A. Hoover on his return to Bloomington for assignment to training for active sea duty, was sent to Miami, for eight weeks' training.

S. J. Beagle in a recent letter from his son, Howard, was informed that Howard has been promoted to second lieutenant. He wrote that he was in the invasion, but was fine.

A recent letter from EM 2/C Dale Martin to his mother, Mrs. Edith Martin, told her that he took part in the invasion and had seen plenty of action and heard so much noise that it had become a matter of course to him.

Mrs. Jennie Fouch, who has been visiting here the past week, expects to leave Wednesday and will spend the rest of her time in Michigan with friends in Allegan, Kalamazoo and Detroit.

She will leave Chicago on her return trip to San Diego July 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Slooten, route 4, received a letter Monday from their son, Sgt. Louis Van Slooten, Italian prisoner who returned to duty June 22, stating that he was "okay" and "where I am now the boys say I might be sent home."

The sergeant who was taken prisoner Dec. 10, 1942, added he wanted to forget all about prison life which he termed a nightmare. The V-mail communication listed an address in care of the New York postmaster, but Sgt. Van Slooten told the family not to write as he expected to move soon.

The family here received official notification from the government Thursday that Sgt. Van Slooten had returned to duty and on Friday received a cable from their son announcing the same news. No details of the release were given.

Monday's letter was the first received since February when five letters arrived, the latest dated in August prior to the capitulation of Italy.

Allegan, July 13—Conrad Walters, 42, Kalamazoo, awaiting transfer to Southern Michigan prison, Jackson, to serve a sentence of life imprisonment, escaped from his cell in Allegan county jail Friday afternoon but was apprehended in town a short time later by Sheriff Louis Johnson and his men.

The sheriff said he had locked Walters in his cell, but on his return found the prisoner had fled. He said Walters told him on recapture that he had made a key to assist his escape and used a sheet to let himself down to the ground.

Walters, who was found guilty in Allegan circuit court on a statutory charge, was given the life imprisonment sentence Thursday by Judge Fred T. Miles. He has five felonies on his record and is classed as a habitual criminal.

Two Cars in Accident On Port Sheldon Road

Cars driven by William J. Baker, 33, route 4, and Raymond J. Albrecht, 46, Elgin, Ill., were involved in an accident Thursday at 2 p.m. on the Port Sheldon beach about a mile north of Pine Creek.

Both cars were traveling north on the beach and when Baker attempted to pass Albrecht, the latter made a left turn onto a side road which he had been looking for. The right front fender of the Baker car and the left rear fender and tire of the Albrecht car were damaged. Sheriff's officers investigated.

CAR CATCHES FIRE

City firemen responded to an alarm at 17th St. and Van Raalte Ave. Saturday about 4 p.m. where a car was on fire, but the fire was out when the firemen arrived.

Consumers' Sells Pure Milk, Cream

Consumers' Dairy, 136 West 27th St., which is owned and operated by Benjamin Speet, has for its aims cleanliness, quality and service. Mr. Speet has been in the dairy business for more than 30 years and erected the present building, which is air-conditioned and equipped with modern machinery, about 14 years ago.

The firm maintains a bottling capacity of 300 gallons a day. It has modern pasteurizers, modern washing machinery and sterilizer and rotating filling and capping machine.

Besides furnishing Holland homes with pure, pasteurized rich milk and coffee cream, the dairy also specializes in a dairy orange, chocolate milk and buttermilk. A modern refrigeration system keeps their products at 38 degrees at all times.

In delivering milk in bulk to the plant a loading dock is located so that milk or cream is never touched by the human hand. All cans are thoroughly cleaned and sterilized and milk is pasteurized to 143 degrees.

Don De Waard Is German Prisoner

Mr. and Mrs. C. De Waard, 261 East 13th St., received a telegram at 8 p.m. Monday announcing that their son, 2nd Lt. Donald R. De Waard, B-24 Liberator pilot missing in action over Austria since May 29, is a prisoner of war of the German government.

The wire, which was sent by Adj. Gen. Ullo of the war department in Washington, stated the report came through the International Red Cross. The message said a letter of information would follow.

At 10 p.m. the De Waards received a telephone call from a lieutenant of Battle Creek who had been to visiting in Holland and who said he had been in Don's squadron in Italy and had just heard he was missing. The De Waards visited the officer and shared what they considered "good news."

Lt. De Waard, 22 entered training in the air corps Nov. 10, 1942 at Santa Ana, Calif. He received his pilot's wings and commission Oct. 1, 1943, at Douglas army air field in Arizona. He left for overseas Nov. 18, 1943 and spent a month at Casablanca, North Africa, before going to Italy Dec. 28.

Allegan Escaped Prisoner Caught

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Don De Waard Is German Prisoner

Mr. and Mrs. C. De Waard, 261 East 13th St., received a telegram at 8 p.m. Monday announcing that their son, 2nd Lt. Donald R. De Waard, B-24 Liberator pilot missing in action over Austria since May 29, is a prisoner of war of the German government.

The wire, which was sent by Adj. Gen. Ullo of the war department in Washington, stated the report came through the International Red Cross. The message said a letter of information would follow.

At 10 p.m. the De Waards received a telephone call from a lieutenant of Battle Creek who had been to visiting in Holland and who said he had been in Don's squadron in Italy and had just heard he was missing. The De Waards visited the officer and shared what they considered "good news."

Lt. De Waard, 22 entered training in the air corps Nov. 10, 1942 at Santa Ana, Calif. He received his pilot's wings and commission Oct. 1, 1943, at Douglas army air field in Arizona. He left for overseas Nov. 18, 1943 and spent a month at Casablanca, North Africa, before going to Italy Dec. 28.

Allegan Escaped Prisoner Caught

Allegan, July 13—Conrad Walters, 42, Kalamazoo, awaiting transfer to Southern Michigan prison, Jackson, to serve a sentence of life imprisonment, escaped from his cell in Allegan county jail Friday afternoon but was apprehended in town a short time later by Sheriff Louis Johnson and his men.

The sheriff said he had locked Walters in his cell, but on his return found the prisoner had fled. He said Walters told him on recapture that he had made a key to assist his escape and used a sheet to let himself down to the ground.

Walters, who was found guilty in Allegan circuit court on a statutory charge, was given the life imprisonment sentence Thursday by Judge Fred T. Miles. He has five felonies on his record and is classed as a habitual criminal.

Two Cars in Accident On Port Sheldon Road

Cars driven by William J. Baker, 33, route 4, and Raymond J. Albrecht, 46, Elgin, Ill., were involved in an accident Thursday at 2 p.m. on the Port Sheldon beach about a mile north of Pine Creek.

Both cars were traveling north on the beach and when Baker attempted to pass Albrecht, the latter made a left turn onto a side road which he had been looking for. The right front fender of the Baker car and the left rear fender and tire of the Albrecht car were damaged. Sheriff's officers investigated.

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Vets at \$72,000 Bond Show Ask Aid at Home

Pfc. Max Cox of Detroit and Pvt. Joe Randzo of Philadelphia, two personable young veterans of Percy Jones hospital, Battle Creek, gave a realistic touch to the gala war bond premiere in Holland theater Thursday night when they told of their battle experiences and urged the "folks at home" to get behind the boys at the front by doing the thing that will help most—"buy bonds."

Both wearing ribbons for the Purple Heart, the two wounded vets, both about 25, spoke after Bond Chairman Frank M. Lieve announced that the sale of bonds for the premiere of "Two Girls and a Sailor" had netted \$72,000. Mr. Lieve introduced the two soldiers and complimented Henry Carley, theater manager who has placed the theater at the disposal of the bond committee for four premieres, to the Junior Chamber of Commerce for promoting the current sale, to Henry Wilson, head of the merchants' division which assisted, and to the Holland civil air patrol which provided transportation for the veterans.

Pfc. Cox, with the field artillery, received a badly fractured right elbow Sept. 13, 1943, on the fourth day of operations at the Salerno beachhead in Italy, an injury which virtually rendered him arm useless. Since then he has become proficient in the use of his left arm and has been told by army physicians that he may be able to leave the hospital in three or four months, either for limited service or a disability discharge.

Cox who entered service in November, 1941, spent several months in England before going to North Africa where he went through the Tunisian campaign without a scratch. He landed on the first wave at the Salerno beachhead. When his gun crew was hit, 11 out of 28 men were killed, two of three guns were knocked out, eight men were hospitalized, a few got out and some were captured, he said. The crew located five miles from the water at the time and bore the brunt of a severe counter attack.

He spent quite some time in evacuation hospitals in Italy, later in North Africa. Since coming to Percy Jones hospital, he spent one furlough at his home in Detroit.

Pvt. Randzo of Philadelphia was sent overseas to the southwest Pacific after a few months of basic training in this country and as a gunner did his part in fighting the enemy with "pea shooters" nearly two years ago. After 21 months of active service, he was

hit in the leg with a 50 caliber machine gun bullet when his transport ship was attacked by Zeroes. Since then he has spent 20 months in hospitals.

In an impassioned plea for co-operation at home, Randzo leaned too heavily on his stout cane near the end of his talk and the cane broke in two. Lieve assisted him from the stage and said he would provide him with a new cane. Cox said he had learned that the two Holland banks had 41 million dollars in savings accounts, suggesting that a fraction of this

Value of merchandise exported from the U. S. in April exceeded \$1 billion for the 12th consecutive month. It was an increase of 22 per cent over a year ago.

Pvt. H. J. Brower, Invasion Casualty, Writes of Action

Hurt When Boat Blows Up, He is Treated in Hospital in England

Letters from Pvt. Harvey J. Brower to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harm Brower of 325 Central Ave., reveal that the local soldier, who was wounded in action, played a dramatic part in the invasion of France recently.

First of the V-mail messages, dated June 13, a week after the invasion, says, "I am back in England again. I was over in France for two days. That was long enough for me. Right now I am in the hospital. Yes, I got hurt a little, but not bad. Our boat was blown up when we hit shore. My hand and face were burned, that's about all."

Later letters reveal that the 18-year-old private broke some ribs and had to swim about 200 yards under fire when his ship was hit. "It was a day I'll never forget," he wrote.

The family here said Ensign George Slager, who was wounded in the arm on D-day, had written that he and Pvt. Brower had seen each other in an English hospital where both were recovering from wounds.

In a letter written by Pvt. Brower on June 14, he says, "This sure is the life in a hospital. They take good care of us here. But I'd like to be over there again with the rest of the boys. I had one of those German pistols, but I lost it. I'll get another one. Boy, that first wave was kind of hot. But we showed them what we could do."

Urging his parents not to worry, he also stated that he had not received any mail. "You wouldn't know me if you saw me," he wrote.

On June 16 he mentioned the fact that he had not received any pay since his last furlough, but added he couldn't spend it anyway and would save it for a "rainy day." He wrote, "Well, how is everything at home? It won't be long and it will be the Fourth of July. I guess I'll be some place where they really have some bangs. It won't be long and I'll be over there again."

He said he enjoyed his stay in the hospital where, "I used to get lots of sleep; that's all I do." He also said he had "all I want to eat and good coffee." Another excerpt from a letter dated June 18 says, "You might find my picture in the paper, because they took some of me. But you won't know that it's me."

"Boy, we had quite a time on the beach. We were all wet and it was so cold."

Pvt. Brower was inducted into the army Nov. 24, 1943 at Fort Sheridan, Ill., and took initial training at Camp Blanding, Fla. Following a 10-day furlough, he was transferred to Fort Meade, Md., and then sailed for England.

He has two brothers in the service, Corp. Clarence Brower in England, and Pfc. Henry Brower at West Point academy in New York.

Harlem

Martinius Nienhuis has been taken to his home after two weeks in a hospital. His condition is somewhat improved.

Corp. Ralph Blawkamp spent the week-end home with his wife and son, Ronald.

The annual school meeting was held in the school Monday night. Gerrit Kamphuis was reelected moderator. Other officers are Jake Bakker, director and Henry Wassink, treasurer. Business meeting followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Diekmann received word that their son is somewhere in France.

Overisel

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kolkema of Camp McCoy, Wis., are spending a 15-day furlough with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lemmen and children of New Mexico have returned and are at present staying with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. J. Vande Riet.

The C. E. society on Tuesday evening was in charge of Luella Pyle.

The prayer meeting of the Reformed church was held last Thursday night with Mrs. Ruth De Boos as leader.

Several women of this community were in Allegan Tuesday to help with Red Cross surgical dressings.

Allen J. Weenink, of the middle class in the Western Theological seminary, had charge of the morning and evening services of the Reformed church last Sunday.

Mrs. Nicholas Gosselink

Speaks to Mission Group

The Women's Missionary society of First Reformed church met Thursday afternoon in the church parlors. Devotions were led by Mrs. Nettie De Jong, former missionary to China. Music was furnished by Mrs. S. W. Bynga who sang "Let Us Have Peace." The speaker for the evening was Mrs. Nicholas Gosselink of Gray Hawk, Ky., who spoke on the topic "Educational Problems in Jackson County, Kentucky." Miss Jennie Van der Meulen closed the meeting with a prayer.

For the evening were Mrs. James Nyberg, G. J. D. and Mrs. W. Gosselink and J. D.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Of Ottawa County, State of Michigan

June Session, 1944

First Day's Session

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment on Monday, June 26, 1944 at 1:30 p. m. and was called to order by the Chairman Mr. Ter Avest.

Present at roll call: Messrs. Zylstra, Vollink, Hassold, Heckel, Lowing, Reenders, Helder, Smallegan, Stegenga, Nieuwma, Ter Avest, Garbrecht, Szopinski, Bottema, Slaughter, Martin, Mohr, Wilds, Rycenga, Rosbach, Misner, Van Ark, Van Tongeren, Gallien, Ten Cate, Frankena and Lanning.

Absent: None.

Mr. Ten Cate moved that Mr. Elmer J. Schepers Mayor elect of Holland City be seated as a member of this board and that he be given the same committee appointments as those held by his predecessor Mr. Geerlings which motion prevailed.

Communication from the Michigan State Association of Supervisors.

Lowell, Michigan June 22, 1944

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Ottawa County:

The figures enclosed show the amount of money that your county would receive each year from twelve million dollars state appropriation from current revenues, in accordance with the so-called Supervisors' Plan unanimously approved last January at our State Association's Annual Meeting. It was drafted after several months of study on state revenues and expenditures, the needs of counties, cities, and townships, police, fire protection, maintenance of streets and highways—both urban and rural, construction repair and maintenance of public buildings, hospitals, welfare, and any other lawful purpose for which public funds may be used, or to reduce the local tax rate. The factor used was \$12.25 per capita per year based on the 1940 census, one-half of which is for the county and the other half which is apportioned to the cities and townships.

We suggest that our proposal be approved and a committee be appointed with power to represent your Board at a state wide meeting of the Association to be called by the Directors to meet in Lansing when the Governor calls the legislature in special session to consider this subject. Your Board should also appoint a committee to attend the joint meeting of Welfare Commissioners and Supervisors at Port Huron August 8, 9, 10 where amendments designed to simplify and give the Supervisors more authority in welfare administration will be discussed.

M. MCPHERSON, Chairman, Board of Directors, OTTAWA COUNTY TOTAL \$126,297.35

Township	Population	Share
Ottawa County Share	\$9,660	\$68,638
Albion	1,377	\$1,571.89
Blondin	1,709	\$1,940.87
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Crookston	1,412	\$1,611.84
Georgetown	3,429	\$3,914.31
Grand Haven	1,829	\$2,092.71
Holland	1,829	\$2,092.71
Jamestown	1,928	\$2,200.87
Olive	1,304	\$1,488.54
Polkton	1,974	\$2,253.38
Spring Lake	2,685	\$3,060.76
Spring Lake	416	\$474.88
Robinson	1,041	\$1,188.33
Spring Lake	3,879	\$4,425.07
Tallmadge	1,728	\$1,957.97
Wright	1,663	\$1,886.95
Grand Haven City	1,879	\$2,144.93
Holland City	1,879	\$2,144.93
Holland City	14,616	\$16,640.00
Zeeland City	3,007	\$3,425.83

Mr. Van Ark moved that the communication be received and placed on file which motion prevailed.

Mr. Elliott, Four H Club Agent submitted his report verbally and requested an appropriation for traveling expenses from July 1st to December 31st, 1944.

Mr. Mohr moved that the report and request be referred to the Agricultural Committee for investigation and report which motion prevailed.

Mr. Van Tongeren moved that the Finance and Budget Committee consider the advisability of the purchase of additional war bonds for the county which motion prevailed.

Mr. Stegenga moved that the board adjourn to Tuesday, June 27, 1944 at 1:30 p. m. which motion prevailed.

JOHN H. TER AVEST, Chairman, WILLIAM WILDS, Clerk.

Second Day's Session

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment on Tuesday, June 27, 1944 at 1:30 p. m. and was called to order by the Chairman Mr. Ter Avest.

Present at roll call: Messrs. Zylstra, Vollink, Hassold, Heckel, Lowing, Reenders, Helder, Smallegan, Stegenga, Nieuwma, Ter Avest, Garbrecht, Szopinski, Bottema, Slaughter, Martin, Mohr, Wilds, Rycenga, Rosbach, Misner, Schepers, Van Ark, Van Tongeren, Gallien, Ten Cate, Frankena and Lanning.

Absent: None.

The Journal of the first day's session was read and approved.

Mr. Ten Cate moved that the Committee on Buildings and Grounds be given power to act to have an insurance appraisal made on the Court House, Jail and Garage which motion prevailed as shown by the following vote: Yeas: Messrs. Zylstra, Vollink, Hassold, Heckel, Lowing, Reenders, Helder, Smallegan, Stegenga, Nieuwma, Ter Avest, Garbrecht, Szopinski, Bottema, Slaughter, Martin, Mohr, Wilds, Rycenga, Rosbach, Misner, Schepers, Van Ark, Van Tongeren, Gallien, Ten Cate, Frankena and Lanning.

Nays: None.

Mr. Van Ark moved that the chairman appoint a committee of five to represent the county on Welfare matters this committee to be known as the Special Welfare Committee.

Mr. Ten Cate moved as a substitute motion that in case any member of the Social Welfare Committee finds that he is unable to attend special meetings that he be given the authority to appoint some other member of this board prevailed.

Report of the Agricultural Committee.

Grand Haven, Mich. June 27, 1944

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Ottawa County, Michigan:

Your committee on agriculture to whom was referred the request for an additional Club Agent to cover expenses from July 1st to January 1, 1945 to carry on 4-H work in Ottawa County.

New Holland, Mich. June 27, 1944

Recommendations of the committee on the sum of \$2,000.00 to be made available for mileage in connection with this work.

JOHN HASSOLD, CLARENCE REENDERS, CHARLES R. LOWING, ERVIN HECKEL, JUSTIN ZYLSTRA, Agricultural Committee.

Mr. Hassold moved the adoption of the report which motion prevailed as shown by the following vote: Yeas: Messrs. Zylstra, Vollink, Hassold, Heckel, Lowing, Reenders, Helder, Smallegan, Stegenga, Nieuwma, Ter Avest, Garbrecht, Szopinski, Bottema, Slaughter, Martin, Mohr, Wilds, Rycenga, Rosbach, Misner, Schepers, Van Ark, Van Tongeren, Gallien, Ten Cate, Frankena and Lanning.

Nays: None.

Resolution Re Park Township Air Port Maintenance Fund.

WHEREAS, Charles R. Slika, the agent of the Ottawa County much funds as are received and indicated as belonging to said fund, by said Treasurer to be deposited in the State of Michigan.

Mr. Slika moved that the board adjourn to Wednesday, June 28, 1944 at 1:30 p. m. which motion prevailed.

contribution of funds for the purpose of improving the Park Township Airport, and

WHEREAS, there are now on deposit with the County Clerk of Ottawa County, Michigan, certain funds which are the property of the State of Michigan, and

WHEREAS, it is deemed advisable that such funds should be received and disbursed by the Airport Committee through its agent Charles R. Slika.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved, that the County Clerk deposit with the Treasurer of Ottawa County such funds as are received and indicated as belonging to said fund, by said Treasurer to be deposited in the State of Michigan.

Mr. Slika moved that the board adjourn to Wednesday, June 28, 1944 at 1:30 p. m. which motion prevailed.

Mr. Heckel moved that the board adjourn to Wednesday, June 28, 1944 at 1:30 p. m. which motion prevailed.

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JOHN H. TER AVEST, Chairman, WILLIAM WILDS, Clerk.

Third Day's Session

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Present at roll call: Messrs. Zylstra, Vollink, Hassold, Heckel, Lowing, Reenders, Helder, Smallegan, Stegenga, Nieuwma, Ter Avest, Garbrecht, Szopinski, Bottema, Slaughter, Martin, Mohr, Wilds, Rycenga, Rosbach, Misner, Van Ark, Van Tongeren, Gallien, Ten Cate, Frankena and Lanning.

Absent: Mr. Schepers.

The Journal of the second day's session was read and approved.

Mr. Dick Vande Bunte, School Commissioner, addressed the board and submitted a plan for a County Normal School in conjunction with Allegan County.

Mr. Stegenga moved that the matter be referred to the Committee on Schools and Education which motion prevailed.

The Chairman named the following as a committee to attend the meeting to be held at Port Huron on August 8th, 9th and 10th.

Messrs. Wilds, Smallegan, Lowing, Slaughter and Van Ark.

Report of the Committee on Equalization.

At a meeting of the Kiwanis club Monday night, plans were made for a "soap box derby" Aug. 16 on the Columbia Ave. hill starting at 20th St. The event will be open to all boys between the ages of eight and 14 years.

All entries must be in by July 25 and may be filed at Meengs service station, Snyder's Shoe store, Warm Friend station and Van's drug store. Six prizes will be awarded, one group to the shortest amount of time and a second group for originality in designing the racing car.

Each entrant must build his own car. First prize of each group is a \$25 war bond, second prize \$10 in war stamps, and third prize \$5 in war stamps. Harry Beckman is general chairman.

In other business, John Van Dyke outlined plans for the Kiwanis picnic with the members of the Red Shield group of the Salvation Army July 19. The Red Shield group includes the boys and girls who play at the Salvation army center under sponsorship of the Kiwanis club. President Abe Vander Ploeg presided and Capt. Herbert Jensen conducted devotions. Bill Meengs led a spirited song session.

Respectfully submitted, PETER J. RYCEGA, Chairman, DICK NIEUWMA, JOHN H. TER AVEST, JOHN H. TER AVEST, Chairman, WILLIAM WILDS, Clerk.

Fourth Day's Session

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment on Thursday, June 29, 1944 at 1:30 p. m. and was called to order by the chairman Mr. Ter Avest.

Present at roll call: Messrs. Zylstra, Vollink, Hassold, Heckel, Lowing, Reenders, Helder, Smallegan, Stegenga, Nieuwma, Ter Avest, Garbrecht, Szopinski, Bottema, Slaughter, Martin, Mohr, Wilds, Rycenga, Rosbach, Misner, Schepers, Van Ark, Van Tongeren, Gallien, Ten Cate, Frankena and Lanning.

Absent: None.

The Journal of the Third day's session was read and approved.

Report of the Committee on Schools and Education.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Ottawa County, Michigan:

Your Committee on Schools and Education to whom was referred the matter of the proposed Normal School in conjunction with Allegan County, and

we recommend that Ottawa County cooperate with the Allegan County Board of Supervisors in the County Normal Program for the ensuing year.

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JOHN H. TER AVEST, Chairman, WILLIAM WILDS, Clerk.

Lester Bliss Is Wounded During French Fighting

Corp. Lester Bliss at present is in an English hospital convalescing from wounds received in his right arm and chest from shrapnel which he received in Normandy June 17, according to word received here. He has participated in 15 major battles in the North African and Sicilian campaigns and was with the initial landing force in France. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wanrooy, route 1.

Corp. Bliss enlisted in the infantry Jan. 27, 1942, and was stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla., Indiantown Gap, Pa., and Camp Wheeler, Ga., before going overseas two years ago. He was born in Holland May 30, 1921, and attended Holland high school.

Wearing a princess style gown of imported white nylon with heirloom lace trim complemented by an especially designed bridal bouquet of heirloom lace, white roses, gypsophila and swainsona, centered with a white orchid, Miss Dorothy Ann Kooiker, daughter of Mrs. G. H. Kooiker and the late Mr. Kooiker of 107 East 22nd St., became the bride of Lt. Gilbert Jay Van Wieren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Wieren of 37 East 22nd St., in a lovely summer ceremony performed in Holland Country club Thursday afternoon.

Dr. H. D. Terkeurst, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, read the single ring service at 2 p.m. before an arrangement of palms, ferns, candelabra and a large white bouquet of the mantel. Large bouquets of hydrangeas were arranged about the room and pastel flowers decorated the bride's table.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Marjorie Emery of Grand Haven played several piano selections and Miss Rose Winstrom of Zeeland sang "Because

Hamilton Youth Wounded During Saipan Conquest

Hamilton, July 13 (Special) — Pfc. Eldon Dale Maatman, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Maatman, was wounded in action June 14 on Saipan, according to word received by his parents Monday night. A letter written by him July 2 and received by his parents Monday said he had received two shrapnel wounds in the shoulder. He was returned to duty on June 21 but is now in a rest camp where he was sent after infection developed. Saipan is now in American hands.



Pfc. Maatman enlisted with the marines in January, 1943 and has been overseas for one year. He is with the famed second marine division and last was in action on Tarawa. He was in a rest camp at Hawaii following the Tarawa campaign and before Saipan.

He was born Aug. 5, 1924, and received training at San Diego and Camp Pendleton, Cal., before being sent overseas. He was employed at Precision Parts in Holland before his enlistment.

A brother, Seaman 2 C Elwyn J. Maatman, is in the navy and is stationed at San Pedro, Cal. He has been on duty at New Zealand and in New Hebrides islands.

Group Will Leave for Pre-Induction July 20

A group of Holland young men will leave July 20 for pre-induction examinations in Detroit. The group will gather at the selective service headquarters in the Temple building at 11 a.m. and will board a bus which also will be carrying a group of Grand Haven.

Limit Placed on Lawn Sprinkling

Effective yesterday, Holland residents must limit their sprinkling to the hours between 6 and 8 a.m. and 7 and 9 p.m., the board of public works decided Tuesday at a special meeting called as a result of critical water conditions.

The ruling will be enforced by a patrol system. Cooperation of residents in the interests of public safety is asked. It was pointed out that no restrictions will be necessary at Centennial and Kollen parks as these areas are supplied by water from Lake Macatawa.

Still in force, Board President Joe Goerds stated, is a rule requiring that sprinklers be turned off during fires in the city. Fire Chief Andrew Klompars, a board member, said 2,000 gallons were used every minute for 14 hours at the Brink book store fire recently.

Personals

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) Rev. William Colenbrander of Ada will conduct the prayer services and teacher's meeting at Beechwood Reformed church Thursday at 8 p.m.

Roger and Myra Beekman, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Beekman, underwent tonsillectomies in Holland hospital Tuesday and are now convalescing at their home, 263 West 18th St.

Rev. Norman Parish, missionary from Colombia, South America, will speak and show colored slides, in Immanuel church at 8 p.m. tonight. Maynard and Elmer Oppenhuizen, members of the Bible class quartet, will sing and lead the song service.

Mrs. John Paul and Mrs. Henry Drenten of Hamilton left this morning for Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to visit Pvt. John Paul and Pvt. Glenn Drenten who are stationed there with the U. S. army.

Seaman 1/C Kenneth Brouwer is spending a five day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Brouwer, 161 East 16th St., and his wife, 104 East 25th St. He has just returned from a trial run to Trinidad and will leave soon for the South Pacific.

Mrs. Clarence Dokter, Jr., has received word that her husband, Pvt. Clarence Dokter, has arrived in New Guinea. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dokter, Sr., 205 East Sixth St.

T/S Donald M. Wyngarden of Camp Huilen, Tex., arrived in Zeeland Monday night to spend a 16-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin D. Wyngarden.

Rev. and Mrs. James Wayer of Racine, Wis., are expected in Holland tonight and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young, 271 West 13th St. Rev. Wayer will preach in First Reformed church Sunday. This afternoon Mrs. Wayer was to address an anniversary service in Bethany Reformed church, Chicago.

Pvt. Robert Scheerhorn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scheerhorn of 451 College Ave., has returned to Aberdeen proving grounds, Md., after spending Sunday and Monday at his home here. He expects to be assigned to overseas duty soon.

Mrs. Howard Dorgelo, with her daughter, Norma Jean, have left for Rockford, Ill., where she plans to reside while her husband, Pvt. Dorgelo, is in training at Camp Grant in the U. S. army medical corps. The camp is four miles from Rockford.

Agle Glas, 65, route 2, Hamilton, is confined in Holland hospital with broken ribs suffered in a fall at 6 p.m. Monday in the factory of the Doughnut Corporation of America injuring the right side of his chest. He was taken to the hospital in an ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boetsma, 360 Lincoln Ave., announce the birth of a son in Holland hospital Tuesday.

Robert Lee Jipping, 7, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jipping, route 2, who was seriously injured when he ran into a taxicab Friday at 4 p.m. near Falmir's, suffering severe head injuries and other bruises, was slightly improved today in Holland hospital where he is confined.

Miss Gertrude Vander Shuis of 418 Maple Ave. underwent a major operation in Holland hospital Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atwood, 312 East 11th St., announce the birth of a son this morning in Holland hospital.

Marriage Licenses

Lewis Edwin Vice, 30, West Olive, and Nellie Francis Heister, 30, Holland; Jerry Por, 24, route 3, Holland, and Anne Goodyke, 25, route 1, Zeeland.

Louis Ryngaert, 27, and Betty Groenewald, 24, both of Grand Haven; Harry Hope Sawyer, 22, Spring Lake, and Dolores Marie Borchers, route 2, Spring Lake.

Gilbert Van Wieren, 25, and Dorothy Ann Kooliker, 21, both of Holland; Charles Grasman, 21, and Genevieve Vander Laan, 19, both of Hudsonville.

Abundant living depends upon abundant giving—Stanley Jones.

UNOFFICIAL VOTE OF OTTAWA COUNTY— Primary Election, July 11, 1944

REPUBLICANS

Lieutenant Governor
Eugene C. Keyes
Vernon J. Brown

Congressman
Bartel J. Jonkman
Benjamin H. Masselink

State Senator
Frank E. McKee
William C. Vandenberg

State Representative
Henry Cook
Henry Goerings

Sheriff
William M. Boeve
Jack Spangler

DEMOCRATS
Governor
Earnest C. Brooks
Edward J. Fry
William J. Cody

NON-PARTISAN
Judge of Probate
Cora Vande Water
Raymond L. Smith

HOLLAND (CITY)
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GD. HAVEN (City)
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Mrs. Tellman of Hamilton Passes

Hamilton, June 13 — Mrs. Edd Tellman, 53, Hamilton, died early a.m. yesterday in Holland hospital following an illness of nearly a year. She suffered a stroke Sunday morning, at which time she was taken to the hospital, and has been seriously ill since that time. She had been a member of First Reformed church her entire life and had been church organist for several years. She was also a member of the Ladies Aid society.

Survivors include: the husband, two sisters, Mrs. Ed Overbeck of Holland and Mrs. Martin Sterenberg of Hamilton; and five brothers, James, Andrew, Benjamin, Edwin and Harold, all of Hamilton.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. from the home and 2:30 p.m. from First Reformed church with Rev. Nicholas Rozeboom of Grand Rapids and Dr. William Pyle of Overisel officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Friends may view the body at the Ten Brink home Thursday afternoon and evening and Friday afternoon before it is removed to the residence late Friday.

Douglas

(From Friday's Sentinel) Mrs. George Tisdale of South Bend, Ind., is spending the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomson of Chicago have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lockhart.

Mrs. William Donley of Chicago is spending several weeks at her farm home.

Mrs. Ben Eddy and little daughter of Ann Arbor have come to spend the summer in the home of Mrs. Scott Eddy.

Harry Lutz of Chicago is spending a week's vacation at his farm. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Desires of Chicago have opened "Camp Grace" for the summer.

Mrs. P. Repp is visiting her sisters in Lansing for a few weeks. Mrs. Donald Scott of Flint is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Scott.

Dr. Sawyer and family of Oak Park, Ill., have opened their cottage in Shorewood for the summer.

Mrs. Hattie Charleston is here for a month's vacation from her work in the Allendale school for boys in Illinois.

Mrs. Morgan McCormick and son, Dick, of St. Louis, have opened their cottage at the lake shore.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schriber of Chicago are here to spend the summer in the home of Mrs. George Morgan at the lake shore.

Mrs. Webster Corlette and daughters, Barbara and Helen of Oak Park, Ill., are at their lake shore cottage.

Miss Adelyn Giesdahl, a student at Cornell university, has arrived to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Giesdahl in Shorewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Steinberg of Chicago are spending a few days vacation in the Schuham cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Eckdahl have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nye in their Ganges home.

Nunica Couple to Mark Golden Anniversary

Grand Haven, July 13 (Special) — Open house will be held Sunday, July 16, from 5 to 9 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Guild of Nunica in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Guild was formerly Miss Effie Keeler. The couple was married by Rev. Gustaf of the United Brethren church of which they were both members. They were married in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Courtland in Grand Rapids and lived with Mr. Guild's parents on East Terrace road which is now Breton road and Burton Ave. in Grand Rapids until 1899.

They then moved to Grand Rapids where they resided until March 1927, after which they moved to Nunica where they have since resided.

They have one daughter, Ora May Hames, and a granddaughter, Patti Hames of Detroit, who will be home to help them celebrate. All relatives and friends are invited to extend congratulations on that day.

Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Seaman 2/c Roger Donald Huyser was inducted into the Navy Jan. 14, 1944. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Huyser, route 2, Zeeland. He was born Oct. 30, 1919, in Beaverdam. He received his boot training at Camp Farragut, Ida. after which he was transferred to Shoemaker, Cal. He is now serving in the Pacific as crewman. Before his induction he was employed at Winters and Crampton, Grandville.

Resident of G.H. Township Dies

Grand Haven, July 13 (Special) — Harm Ringhuis, 72, Grand Haven township, died early yesterday in Municipal hospital where he was taken ten days ago. He was born in Holland Dec. 28, 1871, and came to Grand Haven at the age of 10 with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Ringhuis. He attended Grand Haven schools and for some time served as constable at Pottawatomie bayou.

Mr. Ringhuis was an outdoor enthusiast being fond of hunting and fishing. He never married. Surviving is a brother, Albert, with whom he made his home.

Jamestown

Seaman Julius Zagers returned to Grand Lakes Thursday after enjoying several days leave with his wife and son.

John Van Hoven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Van Hoven, who enlisted in the navy, is now stationed at Camp Farragut, Ida.

Seaman 1/C Russell Stilwell, who recently studied several weeks at Lafayette, Ind., is spending a short leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stilwell.

Seaman Ben Cupers of Grand Lakes is spending several days leave with his wife and parents in East Jamestown.

Lt. Lorraine Brower, R. N., was a guest of her friend, Miss Sarah Van Oss, the 4th of July.

Sgt. and Mrs. Gordon Van Rhee of Greensboro, N. C., are home on several days furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Van Rhee and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Van Noord.

Petty Officer William Venema, Jr., and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Venema, Sr., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alyn Rynbrandt Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stilwell of Grand Rapids were entertained at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stilwell Sunday.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Nick Van Klompenberg entertained with a birthday party at her home. Guests present were Mesdames Richard Van Klompenberg, Bert Van Klompenberg, Walter Van Klompenberg, Andy Van Klompenberg and Herman Van Klompenberg and Peter Cotts.

Misses Shirley Berens and Marilyn Lenters of Hudsonville, Misses Jeanella De Kleine and Arlene Bowman are enjoying a week of vacation in a trailer at Ottawa beach.

Mrs. J. H. Tigelaar of Grand Rapids visited with Mrs. Arden Huizenga and Mrs. Alyn Rynbrandt Tuesday evening.

Average population of the American family has been decreasing at the rate of two-tenths of a person each decade since 1890.

Rainfall Heavy Here in June

Warmer temperatures and a greater amount of rainfall marked the month's weather report in Holland for June, according to Chief Weather Observer Bert L. Smith.

A maximum of 94 degrees recorded on June 27 was one degree under the 95 recorded in 1941. The maximum was 92 in 1943, 94 in 1942 and 91 in 1940. Precipitation amounted to 4.77 inches, compared with 2.18 in 1943, 4.10 in 1942, 1.62 in 1941 and 3.45 in 1940.

The minimum temperature was 42 recorded in June 7, compared with 44 in 1943, 41 in 1942, 42 in 1941 and 41 in 1940. The average temperature was 70.6 compared with 70.4 in 1943, 68.8 in 1942, 69 in 1941 and 67.1 in 1940. The average maximum was 81.9 in June compared with 79.4 in 1943, 78.4 in 1942, 80.8 in 1941 and 76.7 in 1940. The average minimum was 59.3 in June, 61.5 in 1943, 59.2 in 1942, 57.1 in 1941 and 57.5 in 1940.

Precipitation fell on 12 days in June, eight days in 1943, 13 in 1942, 10 in 1941 and eight in 1940. There were nine clear days last month, 14 in 1943, 12 in 1942, 12 in 1941 and 16 in 1940. Partly cloudy days totaled 18 in 1944, 12 in 1943, 15 in 1942, 15 in 1941 and eight in 1940. There were three cloudy days in 1944, four in 1943, three in 1942, three in 1941 and six in 1940.

The prevailing wind was from the southwest in 1944, 1943, 1941 and 1940 and from the northwest in 1942.

North Holland

(From Wednesday's Sentinel) The Women's Missionary and Aid society met in the chapel Thursday night July 6. The president, Mrs. Folkert, presided and led in devotion. Mrs. Harry Schutt sang. The Bible lesson on "Rebecca" was presented by Mrs. B. Bosman. At the business session it was decided to have the annual picnic on the church lawn in August. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Albert Knoll and Mrs. Jack Nieboer.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Welling of Holland spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Knoll.

Pvt. Arthur Van Den Brand and wife are home on furlough from Florida. They expect to return again Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dams and family returned home Saturday after spending a two weeks' vacation at the Straits.

The annual church picnic will be held in Zeeland city park Friday night, July 14. A basket supper will be served at 6 p.m., followed by sports, baseball and a program.

Mrs. Dick Tinchink arrived here from California last week. Mary Lou is the name of the baby girl born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Fredericks in Holland hospital Monday.

The annual school election and business meeting was held in the local school Monday night. Peter Sierma, Fred Koetker and Ed Koops were re-elected to the board. The three teachers, Fred Knoper, Mrs. Cook and Janet Knoper will teach again next fall.

Miss Nancy Long Is Honored at Parties

Miss Nancy Long of Milwaukee, who is spending several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Reagan of 257 Van Raalte Ave., was guest of honor at a dinner party given Tuesday night by Mrs. Reagan. Later the group attended a movie.

Those invited were the Misses Joanne Andersen, Dolores Visschers, Carol Prigge, Sally Schrier, Merrill Sulkers, Audrey Reagan, Joyce Brummer, Lois Mitchell, Lois Schoon, Janice Parker and Barbara Lindeman.

Miss Long, who formerly lived in Holland, arrived here with her aunt and uncle on July 2. She has been entertained by several of her friends during the past week.

Miss Schoon entertained at a beach party, Miss Brummer at a luncheon and Miss Colombo Yeomans gave a dinner party. She will return to Milwaukee in about two weeks.

More than 1,200 million acres of U.S. land are unsuitable for agricultural purposes.

Johnson Wins Easily

Allegan, July 13 (Special) — Sheriff Louis Johnson Tuesday easily led his four opponents by a substantial majority for the Republican nomination for sheriff. In 27 out of 32 precincts, he polled 1,395 votes. His closest opponent was former Sheriff Fred W. Miller who polled 670 votes.

Others in the race were John W. Rozenburg, 250; Dean V. Ferris, 194, and Boyd Veenkamp, 82. Johnson will oppose R. Dirk Brower of Hopkins, the unopposed Democratic candidate, in the November election.

The Republican nomination for

prosecutor was a toss-up between Harry Pell who received 1,233 votes and Perle L. Fouch, 1,225, both former prosecutors, who seek to succeed Incumbent Irvin Andrews, now a naval officer. The contest was not expected to be determined until the canvass of votes. There is no Democratic nominee.

Incumbent Howard C. Strandt polled 1,103 votes for the Republican nomination as register of deeds, leading Lee J. Dornan who polled 779 votes and Elmer R. John, 503. Ralph Schelhas of Allegan is the unopposed Democratic nominee.

Dr. Terkeurst Speaks at Rural Carriers' Banquet

"What America Needs" was the subject of an address given by Dr. H. D. Terkeurst to members of the Michigan Rural Letter Carriers' association and auxiliary at a banquet Tuesday night in the Woman's Literary club.

"America needs statesmanship which, like that of the Old Testament prophets, has a deep insight into things and power to look ahead," he stated. "Isolationism should be extirpated from the minds of men, root and branch, for it is dangerous, and America must play a decisive part in the perpetuation of the world peace and stamp out aggression wherever it raises its ugly head."

Frank Elliot, state chaplain, pronounced the invocation and Harold Laug served as toastmaster. Roy Heath was humorist. Brief speeches were given by Holland Postmaster Harry Kramer, James O. Peet of Ithaca and F. C. Jarvis of Grand Rapids. Music was furnished by the Master's Men quartet of Fourth Reformed church.

Approximately 300 rural letter carriers and their wives are attending the convention, headquarters of which is in the Warm Friend tavern.

Sessions are being held in the tavern and in the Literary club Tuesday and today.

Hamilton

Rev. Richard Van Farow of Portage conducted the services at First Reformed church Sunday. The Christian Endeavor service was led by Herman Nyhof.

Andrew Lubbers is convalescing at Hackley hospital in Muskegon where he recently submitted to a major operation.

Wayne Schultmaat, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Schultmaat, who entered service recently, is at Great Lakes Naval station for his initial training.

The Women's Missionary society of First Reformed church met in regular session last Thursday afternoon in the church rooms, with Mrs. Henry Kempfers presiding. Devotions and the program arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Harry E. Brower and Mrs. John Brink, Sr. Assisting them in the discussions of the program topic, "The Crescent of the Dawn" about missionary work in Arabia were Mrs. George Boeriger, Mrs. C. Kaper and Josephine Bolks. Two vocal numbers were sung by Lorraine Bolks and Gladys Wedeven, with Miss Josephine Bolks accompanying at the piano. Hostesses were Mrs. John Tanis and Mrs. H. D. Strabbing.

Walter C. Monroe of Chicago has been visiting in the home of his father, W. C. Monroe, Sr., during the past week.

Funeral services for Jerold Ter Avest, who drowned Friday night, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Wesleyan Methodist church of Diamond Springs, with Rev. William C. Gearhart officiating. Surviving are the parents; two sisters, Mrs. Harvey Immink of Hamilton and Mrs. Kenneth Dolan of Detroit; and a brother, Louis Ter Avest of Allegan.

Mrs. George Schreur, who has suffered from an eye ailment for a couple of years, left Sunday for Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., for operation and treatment.

The Women's Church League of First Reformed church met last Wednesday night for the July meeting. Mrs. John Kaper presided and the Bible study was in charge of Miss Della Van Der

In Dispute Over Reconversion

Washington, July 11 (UP) — War Production Chief Donald Nelson and the nation's top military leaders are now embroiled in a bitter dispute over reconversion of industry with some possibility that the issue may have to go to President Roosevelt for a showdown.

The fight, involving Nelson's plans for an immediate start on limited reconversion, reached a new high over the week-end when the joint chiefs of staff, warned that the proposed relaxation of wartime restrictions could "prolong the war."

At the same time, however, chairmen of two strong congressional committees—Harry S. Truman, D., Mo., of the special senate war investigating group and James M. Murray, D., Mont., of the senate small business committee—strongly supported Nelson's plans. Truman was critical because they had not yet been put into effect.

The program originally was to have become effective July 1 but was delayed because of Nelson's recent attack of pneumonia, from which he still is convalescing.

Nelson's program envisaged a gradual reconversion of civilian manufacture by plants in which war work has definitely ceased and in areas where manpower is not needed for war production. He also planned removal of restrictions on the use of aluminum and magnesium to permit production of civilian goods that would not interfere with war work.

Miscellaneous Shower Is Given for Sunny Heil

Miss Sunny Heil, an August bride-elect, was complimented at a surprise miscellaneous shower Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. C. Holkeboer, 63 East 21st St. Games were played and prizes awarded to Mrs. G. Dykstra, Mrs. T. Kuiper and Mrs. Bert Selles. A two course lunch was served. The bride, wearing a pink and white crown and sitting on a princess pillow, received her gifts under a heart spangled pink and white umbrella.

Guests included the Mesdames John Kersen, John Brinks, Bert Selles, Chester Kuiper, John Wesselink, M. Knoll, Irwin De Vries, T. Kuiper, Austin, Gerald Appeldorn, Van Dort, John E. Muller, Gerrit Dykstra, Ren Muller, Howard Miller, P. Pelon and C. Muller and the Misses Dena Muller, Mary Karssen, Marjorie Bounan and Phyllis Holkeboer.

Announce Marriage of Miss Beckman, D. Visser

Mr. and Mrs. William Beckman, 60 West 18th St., announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie Helen Beckman, to Donald W. Visser, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Visser, 228 West 16th St., June 30 in Phoenix, Ariz. The couple will make their home in Phoenix, where Mr. Visser is employed as a chemist at the Goodyear Aircraft plant.

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Seek and ye shall find!

Let us seek added strength and fortitude for our men in our own sacrifice and devotion.

Let us focus every thought, every action, and every prayer on the boys fighting for us.

And, while each one bends to his task with ever-growing fervor and energy, let us adopt a common symbol as our faith in Victory.

Let that Symbol be War Bonds. Let us pour our money in a gigantic *flood* of goodwill toward our sons and brothers, as a spiritual shield for them.

This is the Invasion. The lives of our boys are at stake. Let them see that the Soul of America is with them.

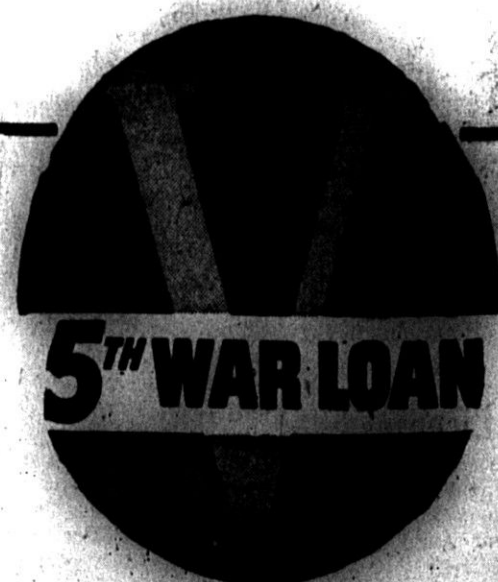
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