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Big Meeting In Centennial Park Sunday

MEL TROTTER AND PROF.
HAMMONTREE TO SPEAK
AND SING

Centennial Park will be a popular place Sunday, especially in front of the band stand, for Miss Nellie Churchford of City Rescue Mission has secured Mel Trotter, the Grand Rapids evangelist and a great speaker, and Professor Hammontree, noted singer of Chicago, who will open the meeting at 2 o'clock in the local park.

The Mission Band is to give a short sacred concert, after which the meeting will be in the hands of Mr. Trotter.

These men are not strangers in Holland, but have appeared on many occasions before, always helping along the local mission so ably taken care of by "Holland's Nellie." Mr. Hammontree, as a rule, goes with Mr. Trotter when he tours the United States in his evangelical work.

It goes without saying that the public is cordially welcome to this meeting Sunday afternoon. Incidentally, a silver collection is to be taken up, the proceeds are for the cause of the Holland City Mission and listeners should come prepared to help a cause so ardently fostered by a noble Holland woman.

Sea Scouts May Use Kollen Park

CITY SELLS PROPERTY ON
PINE AVENUE

Common Council went on record cooperating with the Park Board giving the Sea Scouts of Holland a site in Kollen Park where they can erect a commodious boat house to shelter their five large boats, and large enough to also contain a meeting room.

The council adopted the report on this matter brought in by the committee composed of Ben Stevens, William C. Vandenberg and Sears McLean, who favored the leasing of the site.

This is a popular move since the Sea Scouts are a Holland institution, are working for the public welfare, and their maneuvers will be an attraction to this park. The boat house will be located just east of what is known as Steep Point.

It is understood that Chester Beach and committee are raising funds for boat house purposes. The city of Holland Wednesday night sold to Alex Van Zanten a strip of land 24 feet wide that it owned on Pine Avenue between 8th and 7th Streets for \$500. The ground is of no use to the city and was very much needed by Associated Truck Lines for loading purposes. Mr. Van Zanten acted as their agent. Besides the purchasers have waived all paving assessments and tax levies that may come against the property.

The city is planning to pave Pine Avenue from 8th to 7th Street, east to River Avenue. The paving alone on this piece of property would have cost Holland \$1500. Now this expense must be borne by the new owners. It was indeed wise for the councilmen to dispose of this small dead piece of property.

George F. Gets, of Lakewood Farm, is reported ill at his home, and consequently the highway leading to the bathing beach has been closed for a few days to insure more quiet. Bathers will have to walk only a short distance farther to bathe at that spot. The illness of Mr. Gets is not a dangerous one. Dr. Nichols of Holland is attending him. It is said that Mr. Gets needs a complete rest for a few weeks.

POULTRY ADVERTISING THROUGH SIGNS

Through the co-operative effort of a number of Zeeland's progressive hatchery operators, a large bill board is being erected on M-21 east of that city. This bill board will proclaim to all travelers entering the city that they are entering the famous Ottawa County poultry district, and will impress upon them the fact so often overlooked right here in our own community, that this is the largest baby chick and hatchery district in the middle west. This effort is a most commendable action on the part of the hatcheries, which is evidence of the growing spirit of co-operation that is showing itself in our poultry industry.

Local Business Man Dies at Age of 73 Years

BASTIAAN STEKETEE WAS
MERCHANT OF THE OLD
SCHOOL

Holland was shocked Thursday morning to hear that Bastiaan Steketee, one of Holland's old and respected merchants, had passed away suddenly Wednesday evening after a brief illness. Mr. Steketee was born in Grand Rapids in 1855 and was 73 years of age. He was the youngest son of John Steketee, who came to America with the VanderLuyter party in 1847. Mr. Steketee's life was one of activity and service. He spent his boyhood days in Georgetown and took his place behind the counter in a general store conducted by his brothers Andrew and Paul, in this city when a lad of 14 years.

Fourteen years later he started in business with his brother, Peter, and five years later became sole proprietor of the business. First deliveries were made with a two-wheel push cart. The store was a frame one located where White's new buildings are now located just north of the Holland City State Bank.

Mr. Steketee had been connected with the city's mercantile interests for 56 years. For 40 years he conducted a grocery and dry goods store in what was known as the Post Block, now the Model Drug Store Block, retiring about three years ago. He had taken an active interest in civic, religious and educational affairs. He served his ward as alderman, was a member of the board of education for 22 years, member of the library board for 18 years and an officer in the church for about 45 years.

Mr. Steketee also was a veteran Sunday school teacher, serving in that capacity in First Reformed church for 53 years before he retired. In all these years he had been absent from his class less than a dozen Sundays. His former pupils are scattered all over the globe, including Japan, Arabia, China and other foreign fields, as well as in several states in this country. He attended a Sunday school class in Georgetown when a lad of 9 years and became a teacher at the age of 17.

Mr. Steketee was the last of seven brothers. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Ellen Hoffman of this city. Mrs. Steketee died last January. He is survived by five children, Rev. John B. Steketee, Kingston, N. Y.; Herman Steketee, Central Park; Jennie Steketee, horst of Holland; Jennie Steketee, Chicago; Mrs. L. Braam, Caldwell, N. J. Two children, Mrs. John Luidens and Edward Steketee, died within the past few years. Mr. and Mrs. Steketee celebrated their golden wedding anniversary about two years ago.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 from the home and at 2 o'clock in First Reformed church. Rev. Henry J. Veldman of Muskegon, a former pastor of the First Reformed church and Dr. E. J. Bakker of this city, will officiate. Interment will be in the Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Great Social Event of Year At Zeeland

MISS ISLA PRUIM AND GORDON VAN EENENNAAM ARE WED

NEARLY TWO HUNDRED
GUESTS ATTEND ZEE-
LAND WEDDINGS, AT
THE DE PREE HOME

The greatest social event of the year occurred at Zeeland this Thursday evening, when Miss Isla Pruijm, one of Zeeland's most popular young ladies was wed to Gordon Van Eenennaam of Muskegon. The marriage is the culmination of schoolhood days when the two were pals while attending Zeeland high school and later on, Hope College.

Miss Isla Pruijm is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evert Pruijm of Zeeland. Mr. Van Eenennaam is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Van Eenennaam, also of Zeeland.



Miss Isla Pruijm

The marriage was solemnized at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry De Pree of that city. Rev. W. J. Van Kersen of Holland officiating. To the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, Miss Pruijm was led to the altar by her father, where the groom awaited her. The impressive ring service was used. The wedding march was beautifully interpreted by Miss Evelyn De Pree of Zeeland, who presided at the piano, and Ruth Breytspraak of Chicago and Castle Park, on the violin. The latter is a nationally known artist of great ability.

The bride was beautifully gowned in a white tulle dress of period style which was lined with peach taffeta. She wore a Belgian Princess lace veil, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and anemones.

Miss Pruijm was attended by Miss Miss Charlotte De Pree of Zeeland, who wore a delfinaria blue chiffon gown, with ruffled skirt, bow in the back augmented by trailing streamers. She carried a corsage of saffron roses.

The groom, in conventional black, was attended by Mr. Kenneth De Pree of Zeeland, who acted as groomsmen.

The bridesmaids were Miss Daisy Corwin of South Haven and Margaret Anderson of Holland. The former was gowned in a tulle dress of yellow and maize and carried a corsage of yellow roses, while the latter wore a dress of pink and orchid combination and carried pink roses.

The flower girl and the ring bearer were Miss Phyllis Van Eenennaam, and Miss Eleanor De Pree, respectively. The juveniles were arrayed in a ruffled peach taffeta and flesh color tulle dresses.

The bride's mother was gowned in a new blue lace and chiffon dress and carried a bouquet of deep pink roses, while the mother of the groom was dressed in black, chiffon and lace, and carried a corsage of flesh color roses.

The masters and mistresses of ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Edward De Pree of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Van Eenennaam of Zeeland.

The home was beautifully decorated, transformed into a veritable fairy land. There was a bower of palms, potted plants, cut lilies and candelabra. The fireplace was banked with ferns, palms, and peach gladioli. The color scheme was shades of peach throughout, even to the bouquets of sweet peas and larkspur which were scattered throughout the beautiful home. Two tall baskets of snap dragons adorned the foot of the staircase.

News Items Taken From the Files of Holland City News Fifty, Twenty-five and Fifteen Years Ago Today

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

The First Reformed Church Sabbath School had a picnic on Black Lake Tuesday at "The Mouth" the happy children were taken by boat but just as they were landed a heavy rain squall came up from the west drenching everything. The church folks hustled for shelter and after a rain of half an hour the sky cleared again and all were happy.

Several people are wondering where our city marshal has been the past five days. Holland has been without a guardian of the law all that time. Upon inquiry we find that he was after a thief with a stolen horse and he succeeded in capturing both. The horse was stolen from the pasture of M. Van Tubbergen and the horse thief in question covered his tracks so well that the head of the law showed rare detective skill in trailing him man to Watervliet, a little town situated between South Haven and St. Joseph. The marshal was Mr. John Vaupell and the thief was Isaac.

We notice that the wooden sidewalks about town are being repaired in several places and there are several more places that need repair. Get it at you street commissioner.

A nice lot of carpet from 20 cents to 75 cents per yard, call at E. J. Harrington, the cheap cash store.

Here is where the News was wrong fifty years ago. "The new electric light just invented supplies large factories and parks with light at ten cents per lamp per night. Farewell gas companies!" Instead of decreasing the use of gas this commodity cannot be supplied fast enough. Then it was used for lighting only, today it enters into our industrial and domestic life at nearly every turn.

Go to D. B. K. Van Raalte for Boots and Shoes, rubbers, slippers etc. We make boots to order.

Capt. F. R. Brouwer will give special excursions on the steamer "Two-Light." A boat load will be taken to the mouth of Black Lake and back at \$5.00 the trip.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle, Pine street, a daughter.

Richard Overweg has sold a lot in South Central ave. to Charles Vander Schaaf.

Odds of 2 to 10 on McKinley the Holland horse who sold as favorite in the pools and money tight even at those odds. Because of this fact the Holland sports attending the Joliet races could not make a killing, although most of them made expense money and a little for luxuries. McKinley won in three straight heats, his best time being 2:10 1/4. Between the first and second heat Albert Boone the driver told H. Boone the owner that he would crowd McKinley to 2:08 if it were necessary. McKinley is booked for the entire grand circuit.

B. Bloemendaal, for years janitor at Hope College is on a trip to the Netherlands.

and the stairway was further decorated with smilax and baby breath. After the marriage ceremony, delicate refreshments were served to the 150 guests present, among them were many from abroad.

The happy couple left soon after the reception and are now on a motoring trip to Mackinac Island. Miss Isla Pruijm, is not only popular in Zeeland, but in Holland as well. Holland churchgoers have heard her wonderful voice on several occasions, she being a very talented young artist. Miss Pruijm is a graduate from the Zeeland high school and graduated with honors from Hope College and also Hope School of Music. For the past four years she has taught music and art in Zeeland High and attended to her studio work.

The groom is a graduate from the Zeeland high school, was a student at Hope College and graduated with honors from the University of Michigan law school at Ann Arbor, in 1925, and shortly afterward he was admitted to the bar. For the past three years he has been an attorney at Muskegon with offices in Union National Bank building on Western avenue.

Mr. Van Eenennaam is now a candidate for state senator for Ottawa and Muskegon counties on the Republican ticket, and has a large acquaintance, not only in Muskegon, but especially in Ottawa where he was born.

The fairgrounds is being put in fine shape for the fair and workmen are busy painting. The fence along the inside of the race track is receiving a new white coat, as have the buildings also. The interior of the art hall has been redecorated and the exterior painted in white as "Art Hall" in big black letters on it.

NEAL SANDY WILL REPRESENT COOK BROS. AS TRAVELING SALESMAN IN OTTAWA AND ALLEGAN COUNTIES.

A market place for farmers has been started in Holland. They can bring produce to the city and sell it at Ninth street and Central ave. beginning at 5 o'clock in the morning and until the load is disposed of, but to remain no later than 8 o'clock in the morning when peddling may begin. Police will see that teams are properly back to the sidewalk. The market was an outgrowth of a public meeting held in Grandview Hall attended by farmer and city folk alike. The meeting was in charge of Mayor C. J. De Roo who spoke on the subject "My interest in a Holland market." Hon. Isaac Marsille spoke on "The olden time market"; John C. Post, lawyer and farmer, "Why a City Market."

Wm. Robinson of South Haven who was a graduate from Holland High is in Lansing taking a teacher's examination for life certificate. Note: Mr. Robinson who is the brother of attorney Thomas N. Robinson was successful in this, however he did not follow this vocation but studied for the priesthood and for some years has been Rev. Father Wm. Robinson preaching and teaching in a religious way.

Hon. D. B. K. Van Raalte commander of the local G. A. R. post, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McBride, Holland and Dr. and Mrs. Bos of Fillmore left for San Francisco to take in the National Encampment. They will return in October.

The new directors of the Holland fair are A. B. Bosman, Eldred Diekema, John Meeuwisen, Eugene Fellows, Jas. D. Conkey, Al Hidding, J. H. Boone, J. A. Kooyers, H. Koolker, Dr. W. Vander Berg, G. J. Deur and Nicholas J. Whelan.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Miss Marie Collins of Chicago, a beautiful girl of 21, was found dead at the Saugatuck bathing beach. Two young men who were witnesses stated that the girl ventured out too far and the strong undertow took her. The Holland life savers were on the job shortly but could do nothing.

Postmaster G. Van Schelven has given President Woodrow Wilson an honored place in the local office. The picture of the chief executive is now in the postoffice gallery with Presidents McKinley, Taft and Roosevelt.

A marriage license has been issued to Wm. H. Atwood 27, teacher and Ida De Weerd, 25; both of Holland.

Bide Purchase, a local painter and an able band master of Holland died in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Johanna Hendrika Derks died at her home 95 West 10th st. Her husband is John Derks, local tailor.

Lee, Roy and Ernest Cummings, C. J. Kuite, Henry Kraker, Bob Bontekoe and H. Schabbel attended Eagles Picnic at Fox Paw Lake. Lee Cummings returned with a live pig he had won at the fest. While Bob Bontekoe brought back a dressed chicken. Bontekoe was the tallest and Cummings the shortest man present.

Aged Lady Lost In Berry Patch

IS OVERCOME BY THE HEAT;
FOUND AFTER DARKNESS
HAD FALLEN

An aged lady, Mrs. J. Doane of Douglas, despite her four score years has been making her daily jaunts in the vicinity of Douglas and Saugatuck, going to the blackberry patches with a pail on her arm, picking blackberries the same as when a girl.

A few days ago she failed to return, however, from the berrying trip, relatives became much alarmed and a searching party started out at 6:30 led by her son and a nephew. Diligently looking into the different patches where she was accustomed to go, the search failed. Then neighbors all about joined the posse. When darkness fell and with the aid of lanterns and flash lights the ground was all gone over again and when the searchers were about to give up in despair a movement was seen in the bushes and the old lady was noticed trying to sit up, leaning on her elbows, with her face rather a blank.

Owing to the intense heat she was overcome and suffered a light stroke. Traces in the loose sand showed indications as to how she had struggled and dragged herself for a distance of eighty rods, when her right side became paralyzed and through sheer exhaustion she fell back once more, semi-conscious. A son and daughter were called from Chicago and arrived in Saugatuck by automobile. The children naturally are grateful to the large number of neighbors and friends who stood so nobly by, in the several hours of search.

The old lady was immediately given medical care and is now in a much improved condition.

Olson Is Given Eighth Street Paving Job

THERE WILL ALSO BE FOUR
LIGHTS AT FOUR INTER-
SECTIONS

Board of Public Works Will Lay a
Larger Main Full Length
of Street

There is to be considerable activity on 8th Street for the next sixty days. There will be a new traffic light system, the street is to be paved and the Board of Public Works is to lay a much larger main before the street is put down. The bids were opened Wednesday evening by the street committee, and presented to the council, and it was unanimously decided that K. E. Olson, who has paved most of Holland's streets, will be awarded the contract. The Globe Construction Co., Kalamazoo, presented a bid for \$51,938.75 and Mr. Olson's bid was \$50,908.75.

The paving will be much heavier than that put down on the residence district because of the heavy travel on that street.

The contractor must also take up the brick, the rails and grade the street. The city will save the brick to be used, possibly, at some street ends in the factory district.

Preliminary work on the street is to begin immediately and the tearing up after Labor Day, when the resort season is over. It is expected that sixty days of hard work will complete the job.

The Board of Public Works will also lay larger water mains the full length of 8th Street at a cost of \$7,567.50. This is absolutely necessary and naturally must be done before the street is paved.

A highly necessary change is the traffic light system. The present system has been very unsatisfactory. Most of the time the motorist close up is unable to see the light and always delays traffic. Now four street intersections will contain two-way lights, four on each corner, placed on standards so the motorist cannot help but see them plainly.

In Muskegon and other places only two are used but the Police Board and Board of Public Works, who have been having this question under advisement for some time, have found that the most thorough and complete way is best even though it costs a little more.

There will be sixteen lights in all at the four intersections on 8th Street, namely River Avenue, Central Avenue, College Avenue and Columbia Avenue. Mr. Champion will see to it that conduits and wiring are laid the full length of 8th Street in order that Lincoln Avenue may also be taken in more easily should this be required. A complete job of wiring and lights will cost \$6,000.

COUNCIL NOTES

All aldermen present. Alderman Hyma opened the meeting with prayer owing to the unavoidable absence of one of the local pastors.

Peter J. Oosting and Albert Koortman were given licenses to lay concrete walks.

Auke Bosman and Jacob Molen-gaue were given licenses to operate junk wagons within the city limits.

Howard H. Lane and Gerrit Bate-mann of baseball fame have been given a bowling license to operate the alley of Chris Karose on West Eighth street, they having taken over the alley since the brother of the Green Mill proprietor left for California.

The common council Wednesday night accepted the 15th street paving job as well as the block just completed by Mr. Olson on East 26th street. The committee on streets giving their O. K.

Mr. Westing, chairman of the poor, reports \$289.24 as aid to the needy during the last two weeks. \$134 was regular aid and \$155.24 was temporary.

The city clerk has received a check for \$5,575 which was in payment of judgment and costs collected from bond holders who sponsored the 9th street pavement, which proved to be defective. The bond holders were not coming across, therefore City Attorney Chas. McBride started suit against the Willite Company and their bondsmen. The suit was to be heard in August term of circuit court at Grand Haven but the bondsmen paid rather than have the matter come to a trial. The settlement of this case will no doubt bring other bondsmen to book for the city is to begin suit, but it is doubtful now whether these suits will ever get to the court room, for settlement will no doubt be made to avoid added costs.

Contractor Olson was paid \$19,237.44 for the completion of 15th street, one block on 26th street and the resurfacing of East 18th street.

Bids must be in on September 5 for the paving of one block on East 22nd street between State and College avenue.

The election inspectors appointed for the primary election are as follows: First ward, Simon Kleyn; Second ward, Ray Drinkwater; Third ward, Ray Knoelhuizen; Fourth ward, William Lawrence; Fifth ward, Charles Dykstra; Sixth ward, Herman Steggerda.

Alderman McLean made a protest that the crossings being put in by the Pere Marquette Railway were too abrupt and unsatisfactory. The common council was thoroughly disgusted Thursday night, and ordered concrete crossings put in with a gradual grade, the city

HOLLAND TO ENTERTAIN MISSION FOLK

Plans have been completed for the fourth annual convention of city mission workers at Holland Aug. 29 and 30. A banquet will be held on the evening of Aug. 29 in the Woman's Literary clubhouse. Rev. D. D. Bonneau, pastor of Bates Street church, Grand Rapids, will be toastmaster.

The second day's sessions will be held in Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed church. The morning session will be opened with devotions by Rev. L. Van Laar, pastor of Prospect Park church, to be followed by a Bible hour with Prof. Henry Schultze of Calvin seminary as speaker. Speakers for the afternoon will include D. Mellema, Edith Vander Meulen, Rev. R. Spalink, pastor of East Leonard Street church, Grand Rapids, and John Vandewater, superintendent of Helping Hand Mission, Chicago. Addresses will be followed by discussions. Rev. L. S. Huizenga, missionary on furlough from China, connected with Yale university in bacteriology in the past year, will be the speaker at the evening session. Last year's convention was in Grand Rapids.

Big Liquor Raid Is Made At Saugatuck

ALLEGAN COUNTY JAIL FILLED WITH LIQUOR OFFENDERS WHO COULDN'T GIVE BAIL

It was a hot time in old Saugatuck Saturday when Sheriff Ben Lugten and his deputies of Allegan county made a wholesale arrest of alleged bootleggers and tipple house proprietors. The minions of the law did their work quietly on Saturday and Sunday and arrested six men, who were taken to the Allegan jail and arraigned before Justice Eldus E. Fish Monday. Some of the offenders are said to have been operating several cottages at the resorts and some owned cottages.

Leo Leindecker of Chicago and Saugatuck, charged with possession and sale, was arraigned on two charges. He waived examination and was bound over to circuit court under bonds of \$2,000 on possession and sale charges and \$1,000.00 on a charge of transportation. His car also was seized. He told Prosecutor Harry Pell and Justice Fish he had been engaged in liquor running for several years and had intended to quit when his supply had been sold.

Thomas Bevens, a one-legged World war veteran, after he had been bound over to circuit court under a \$1,500 bail, said he had put all his pension money and was savings into a cottage and still owed \$1,000 on the building. He denied he sold liquor but admitted having had some for his friends.

William Harrison, charged with keeping a place and selling, also was bound over. His bail was fixed at \$1,500. George Schaver of Saugatuck, charged with possession and sale, waived examination and was bound over under bail of \$1,500. William Black, Negro, charged with possession and sale, demanded an examination, which was set for Aug. 20. Forty quarts of beer were seized at his "Hawaiian Rest" place in Douglas. His bond also was placed at \$1,500.

Barney Drain, Negro, employed by Black, demanded an examination, which was held at once. A detective testified he bought a bottle of "colored mule" and two drinks from Barney Saturday. Barney asserted he never had seen the officer until after his arrest and denied the charges. He also was bound over under a \$1,500 bond.

None of the accused furnished bail Monday.

The Ottawa County Sunday School association has set Oct. 3 as the date for the next county convention in the Reformed church at Forest Grove. The association includes 90 schools. Prominent Sunday school workers will be speakers. George Schilling and Anthony A. Nieuhuis, both of Holland, are president and secretary of the association.

The shape, size and site for the new Hudsonville school building seems to be settled for good, as excavators with teams and scrapers are busy shaping the basement. It stands 35 feet west of the old building and will be connected with it by passages above ground. In this manner, it seems, all differences that existed in the past will be reconciled. The necessity of removing the giant beech tree, which has been a landmark for many decades, was sad to those whom it had afforded shade, including pupils and teachers for the past 25 years.

The Zeeland band, known as the Legion Band, will play at the Community Fair at Holland Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Mr. James Blok and family have moved to Grand Rapids where Mr. Blok has accepted a position.

city engineer to do the work and cost be assessed to railroad property, the work to be completed before the Holland Fair opens, when the crossings will be in much use.

Alderman Hyma protested that sewage from the north side tannery to Black Lake was causing offensive odors and City Attorney McBride was instructed to write to Lansing, taking the matter up with the health department.

Former Alderman Laeppe visited the council meeting Wednesday night, and was invited to sit at his old third ward desk. He stated, on leaving, that before he went east he wished to call on his old friends, among them the mayor and common council, to say goodbye. He and his family are to leave Holland September first.

Can Register In Every Ward Saturday

THIS IS LAST CHANCE TO RE-
REGISTER BEFORE PRIMARIES
AND ELECTION

Registration Booth is now Placed
at Your Very Door. Don't
Forget This Week Saturday

Don't forget that this week Saturday is the last chance for re-registration. For months voters men and women alike, were privileged to go to the city clerk's office in the city hall and re-register. Notices were posted up, the Holland newspapers and the state press were filled with reminders but even at that registration was slow, although not quite as bad here as elsewhere.

A large sign "Register Here" across River Avenue with a large hand pointing to the city hall door was an added reminder. But now the mayor and common council have gone still farther. They have called a general registration for Saturday of this week with a registration board at every polling place where you have been voting regularly and will take registrations and re-registrations. All voters who have not yet done so in Holland, men and women must re-register. Those who have moved from one ward to another since their re-registration must register in the ward in which they now live. A man or woman who has become 21 years of age since the last election and is not registered must register in the ward in which he or she lives.

Surely this is convenient enough, and unless illness prevents, a person who is eligible to vote, surely cannot be classed as a patriotic American citizen who does not avail himself of the God-given privilege of casting his ballot for good government.

For the convenience of the voter who must register or re-register the common council of the city of Holland will open the following polling places on Saturday of this week, between the hours of eight o'clock in the morning and 8 o'clock in the evening.

FIRST WARD—Second Story of Engine House No. 2, 106 East 8th St.

SECOND WARD—Second Story of Engine House No. 1, West 8th St.

THIRD WARD—City Clerk's Office, City Hall, Cor. River Ave. and 11th Street.

FOURTH WARD—Lawrence Drug Store, Cor. 13th and Maple Ave.

FIFTH WARD—Polling Place, Cor. Central Ave. and State St.

SIXTH WARD—Basement Floor Van Raalte Avenue School House, on Van Raalte Avenue between 19th and 20th Sts.

Mrs. Clifford Brightall, age 29, of 424 Van Raalte Ave. passed away Tuesday at the Holland Hospital. She leaves to mourn her death, her husband and two children, a daughter Ruth and an infant baby which was born at the Holland Hospital. Her mother, Mrs. P. Vandenberg of Zeeland, also survives.

The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 from the home and 2 o'clock from the Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church. Rev. D. Zwiers will be in charge. Interment will be in the Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Dr. and Mrs. Willets are driving to Ann Arbor Friday, returning with their daughter, Ellen, who has been studying there during the summer month. She already has her Master Degree, and is an instructor at Winter Gardens, Fla.

Justice J. N. Tubbs of Grand Haven performed a marriage service Tuesday evening uniting Miss Louise Liebig of West Olive and George Dutchkewski of Muskegon. They were attended by Peter H. Voss and Grace Kramer, both from Muskegon.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Neerkan of Zeeland will celebrate their fifth wedding anniversary on Tuesday, August 21st, with a family reunion during the afternoon, and will have open house to receive congratulations from neighbors and friends in the evening from 8 to 10 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Neerkan are former Holland residents. Mr. Neerkan being connected with the First State Bank.

Grand Haven Tribune—A local restaurant complained of cashing a check for \$10 recently for which there were no funds. Merchants are warned to beware of the casual check passer. Each summer several business men have been nipped.

The county convention of the W. C. T. U. was held Wednesday at Lamont. Several members from Holland, Grand Haven, Spring Lake and Ferrysburg attended the meeting. William M. Connolly, who has been slated to talk there, was detained in the city by business matters.

Mrs. Cornelius Marsma of Highland Park, Grand Haven, gave a shower, at her beautiful summer home, in honor of Miss Isla Pruijm, who was wed to Mr. Gordon Van Eenennaam of Muskegon last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buter of Holland entertained G. J. Buter, Mr. and Mrs. Hein Derks, Miss Minnie Buter, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Danhof and son, all of Zeeland, at a fish dinner at their cottage at White Fish Lake on Tuesday.

The Dekker family

Locals

Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Lanting, and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Rietman spent the week end in Chicago.

Grand Haven registrations are coming in slow. In all there are only 1951 registered, 781 women and 1170 men. Registration ends Saturday with the vote only half in Tuesday.

The name "Macatawa" is being spelled out in flowers in the garden encircled by the new loop in front of the hotel there. This name will be visible to any boatman on Macatawa Bay several miles from shore.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Danhof and Miss Bette of the register of deeds office were in Holland Thursday to attend the funeral of the late John J. Rutgers—Grand Haven Tribune.

Mr. Arthur Byerlein is bringing his 1951-mile-per-hour speedboat around the Great Lakes to Macatawa Bay. Mr. Byerlein resides in Detroit, but will spend the balance of the summer here.

Mr. John Ernster, Mrs. Luman Starken and Mrs. Ruth Morley were at the home of Mrs. Benj. Doornik, Georgetown, Friday to consider plans for their club exhibit to be displayed at the Holland Fair next week.

Rev. Henry Beets, mission secretary of the Christian Reformed church served the Central Park Holland congregation last Sunday. Mr. Beets is considered one of the most prominent divines in the Christian Reformed church.

The crops of both black and red raspberries have been so abundant this season in Michigan that cannot toward the end of the season be any more, but probably the surplus was marketable elsewhere at fair rates. The fruit was never finer.

John Smidderks, 80, life long resident of Zeeland vicinity, was buried Monday. Mr. Smidderks was one of the pioneer families in that section, spending his entire life as a farmer. He is survived by Miss Dena Smidderks and John Smidderks, Jr., of Zeeland and Gerrit Smidderks of Los Angeles, Cal.

E. A. Tansey, prominent golfer of Holland, who defeated Harry Allen at Muskegon, beat Charlie Gibson in the final, Sunday, 3 to 2. He put out Allen in the semi-finals, 4 to 3. Gus Novotny lost to H. W. Gardner, 1 up, in the second round. Curtis Woolfolk, cup winner here, took the consolation.

Allagan millers report they have purchased less wheat so far this season than a year ago and that the yield is slightly less than in 1927. Most fields in Allagan county are producing about twenty bushels per acre. The quality is excellent and most offerings are testing full weight.

Grand Haven, like Holland, is having trouble with motorists rushing to fires when the alarm is blown. Cars hug up ahead of the truck, slowing up speed. The chief of the fire department is ready to make arrests from now on. A few arrests in Holland have stopped the nuisance.

Macatawa has some old-time reporters in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. De Vries, who have been coming there for 28 seasons. Mr. and Mrs. McKroy have a record of almost 40 seasons, while the Cammings are perhaps the oldest residents there and stay practically nine months of each year.

The Grand Haven Spring Lake Country Club has reduced its club debt to \$13,000, according to a report brought in by Secretary James Oakes. \$11,600 being paid. The following directors were elected, A. E. Gale, Carl Bowen and J. W. Eaton, succeeding William H. Loutin, Paul A. Reichelt and the late Chauncey E. Blakeslee.

Repeated warnings have been given drivers of automobiles to exercise caution and avoid accidents, but the latest warning is given in a novel, yet emphatic way by a local bakery. The firm's truck bears large signs advertising its own products, but the two doors on the back are reserved for traffic warnings, which read: "Save the Kids. Please Drive Carefully."

Rev. Edward Tanis, pastor of VanRaalte Avenue Reformed church for three years, has received a call from Seventh Reformed church of Grand Rapids. Rev. Tanis will make a decision this month. He is a graduate of Hope college and Western Theological seminary and the local field is his first pastorate. Funds are being collected for construction of a new church to replace the mission church loaned by the board of domestic work.

Tony Janowski of Fennville is serving ninety days in the county jail for stealing a car. Janowski was arrested by Deputy William Bryan of Fennville with a roadster belonging to Victor Smith of Che-Clare. The car was taken while it was parked in front of the Fennville cannery factory. Janowski was arraigned before Justice Charles Orther of Fennville.

The annual picnic of supervisors and ex-supervisors, county officers and ex-county officers of Allagan County, and their families was held at the county park in Ganges township Wednesday. There were short addresses and then the big event of the afternoon, a baseball game between county officers and former county officers followed. Prosecuting Attorney Harry Pell was in his old position at first base and Probate Judge A. S. Butler acted as umpire.

The U. S. S. training ship Duquesne left Holland Harbor Friday with the conclusion of the two weeks training cruise of the Michigan naval reserve. Units from Hancock, Benton Harbor and Saginaw, comprising 170 men and 12 officers, were aboard the ship. Half that number left on her, many en-training here for home. This city was the center of attractions for many young "robs" and uniformed officers for a few days last week and the youngsters left considerable money for purchases in Holland.

Says the Grand Haven Tribune in its column of Twenty Years Ago: "Charles Boyden made a trip to Holland by auto. He went via Bass River and Zeeland. That way was many miles further but the direct road between here and Holland was almost impassable for autos. (Autoists traveling over the wonderful arterial highway which connects the two cities today could give this reminiscence a thought.)

Two hundred and fifty Colonial employees of Zeeland and friends enjoyed their annual picnic Friday at the Allegan County park. Bert Donaldson of Texas, who is to have charge of the decorating for homecoming week, arrived in Allegan Friday. The decorating will be carried out on an extensive scale. It is understood materials to be used in the scheme are valued at \$5,000.

William H. Long, Sr., 58, of Allegan died unexpectedly Sunday at the family home. He had been in poor health several years. Mr. Long, who has resided there for five years, was a real estate dealer and broker. Surviving are the widow and one son, William H. Long, Jr. Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at Benson's funeral home. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery.

A meeting of the Ottawa County Bankers association will be held in the Masonic hall at Coopersville Friday to consider ways and means for the furtherance of business. The two banks of that city will serve a 7 o'clock chicken dinner to their fellow workers, where toasts and fraternalism will prevail. P. B. Sherwood of Grand Haven is president and H. Barof of Zeeland is secretary of the county organization.

All vehicles coming into Allegan county from Kalamazoo county or beyond are stopped by guards who inquire if the occupants have with them any corn. The reason for this is that Kalamazoo and Barry counties are infested to some extent with the corn borer while it has not yet appeared in Allegan county. The guards are polite in discharge of their duty. They are not likely to find green corn within the next two weeks but some might come from farther away than neighboring counties.

Geo. Getz of Lakewood farm accompanied Gov. Al Smith of New York, nominee for president on the Democratic ticket, to the funeral of George Brennan. Note: Chicago Democratic leader, Mr. Getz and Mr. Smith are close friends, two years ago the New York governor was a guest at Lakewood over the week-end and attended church services at St. Francis Church during his short stay.

Emil Schmidt of Allegan was the successful bidder for the contract for the central heating plant and laundry building to be erected by the superintendents of the poor at the Allegan county farm. The building for the heating plant is to be 34 x 40 feet and the laundry part of the building is to be 24 feet square. The walls of the buildings are to be of vitrified tile construction, as well as the 60-foot chimney for the heating plant. Cost of the new improvement will be under \$5,000.

Four new schools will be opened in districts near Holland when the fall term opens in September. The schools were erected at a combined cost of about \$125,000. The Beechwood school, on the north shore of Black lake, was erected at a cost of about \$75,000. It is equipped with six rooms, which with two rooms in the old building will provide ample accommodations for several years. Three other schools were built at Virginia Park, East Holland and Fillmore. The first is a new building in new territory, while the last two replaced old buildings built many years ago.

Allagan County park is becoming more popular for picnickers and numerous church picnics are being held there every week. The park is easily accessible from US31, the road being marked all the way. This is one of the first county parks established on the lake front and has been kept up very well by the effort of the county board of supervisors. Each year new things are added to the equipment to make the campers life more comfortable and the park is being visited by thousands each season.

Gerald Dykstra, son of Mrs. Garret Dykstra of Allegan has completed a book called "A Belated Rebutter on Russia" and it will be off the press about August 10. After obtaining his A. B. degree from Michigan university he sailed for Russia in company with fifteen professors and students from various points of the United States. They endeavored to find the answers to the problems that had faced them in their studies on Russia. Everywhere in Russia he interviewed Russian students, political leaders, and peasants. Mr. Dykstra's book is a story of the trip and is dedicated to his mother.

Gordon Prins of Crisp prevented a tragedy at a picnic of the South Olive church last week at Port Sheldon when he rescued John Maat, former school teacher, from drowning in Lake Michigan. Unaware that Maat had gone down in water beyond his depth, Prins accidentally saw him as he swam over him. Prins brought Maat to the surface and got him to shore. Maat was unconscious and Prins, assisted by a volunteer crew of picnickers, worked over him for about an hour before he was resuscitated. Maat showed some ill effects of his experience for a few hours after he was rescued, but now has fully recovered.

Deputy Sheriff Rycenga and City Police Officer Bosman of Zeeland, believe they have cleared up a series of thefts in that section of the county when they arrested Henry Bowman, 17; Henry Kraai, 20; Emo Kraai, 17, and Jay Weenun, 21, of Borculo. Having these persons under suspicion for some time the local officers obtained evidence last Thursday and made the arrest after the lads are alleged to have broken into the Borculo garage and stolen several hundred dollars worth of accessories, tires and supplies. Justice Dethmers of Zeeland, bound the quartet over to circuit court to stand trial. The Zeeland deputy took the boys to Grand Haven late Thursday night.

Dick Knoll and family of Holland have been entertaining his mother, Mrs. K. Knoll, of Olive Center.

The Bethany Girls Sunday School class of the Third Christian Reformed church, Zeeland, enjoyed a hamburger roast at Idlewood Beach, near Holland, Monday evening.

John Berghorst of North Holland submitted to an operation at the Huizenga Memorial Hospital, Zeeland, Thursday morning.

Mrs. D. Van Bree, Mrs. Hein Derks, Martha Karsten, May Karsten, Mrs. Mary Bouwens and Mrs. Schaap, all of Zeeland, called on Mrs. Bert Veneklasen in Holland Monday.

The agricultural and horticultural display will be held in a new place under the grand stand this year at the fair. The old agricultural building will be used for the boys' and girls' clubs and for the Home Demonstration. A change has also been made in the educational building, some partitions have been removed and a few booths have been redecorated. A tent which will contain a complete display of farm implements and tools will be put up before the opening of the fair.

Funeral services of Dr. Peter Fisher of East Saugatuck were held Thursday afternoon, with Rev. Meengs of Detroit, former pastor of the late doctor and Rev. Roggen of Hamilton officiating. Dr. Fisher was a graduate of Valparaiso University and Detroit College of Medicine and has had 25 years of practice. He is survived by his wife, a daughter, two brothers and two sisters. Dr. C. J. Fisher of this city is a brother.

Rev. Harry Bultema of Muskegon will have charge of the services Sunday at the Berean Church on Maple Ave. and 19th St. The morning and afternoon services will be conducted in the Holland language and the evening service in English.

Rev. C. P. Dame will preach both morning and evening in Trinity Church. In the morning, he will preach on the subject, "God's Invisible Battalions" and in the evening on the subject, "Medicines Which Cure Not."

Rev. A. Cornell of the Grand Rapids City Mission will conduct the services Sunday in the First Orthodox Baptist Church on Pine Ave. and 19th St.

At a recent meeting of the Free Bed Guild of Grand Haven the announcement was made that the goal of raising \$1,000 was nearly accomplished, the officers lacking by \$69 before they go over the top in their ambitions and net a fine sum to carry on the charity work at Hat-ton Hospital at Grand Haven.

Only in November and December is the Atlantic warmer at Boston than is Lake Michigan here. From April to August, inclusive, water temperatures here are superior to those at the famous New Jersey watering place, Atlantic City. From May to September, inclusive, the Oval beats the waters of the Golden Gate at San Francisco. In only the Gulf of Mexico resorts does the water get warmer than it is here in summer and there it is too hot for comfort.

Former mayor and Mrs. E. P. Stephan entertained Rev. and Mrs. M. Filipe, of Los Angeles, California, at 6 o'clock dinner, Monday evening at the Warm Friend Tavern.

The fifth annual homecoming of the Saugatuck Methodist church will be held Sunday. Services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 4 p. m. Rev. J. C. DeVinney, former pastor at Saugatuck and Douglas, will preach. A basket picnic is to be held on Bennett's lawn at the close of the morning session.

Dr. and Mrs. R. Ten Have and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Andrews of Zeeland spent a week resorting at Tennessee Beach.

Misses Reka Bos and Kathryn Nienhuis spent Wednesday in Fremont.

The fourth general conference at Pine Lodge tonight, which will be the last for this season. On the program are the Rev. Melvin Grove Kyle, D. D., president of the Zenia Theological Seminary at St. Louis, Mo., and the Rev. Leander S. Keyser, D. D., professor of theology in the Hanna Seminary at Springfield, Ohio and also the Rev. John E. Kuizner, D. D., and the Rev. S. C. Nettinga, D. D., both of Western Theological Seminary of this city.

Lieut. Whelan Meets Death At Seattle

HEALTH AFFECTED AFTER SERVICE IN WORLD WAR

Mr. and Mrs. John Whelan, 101 West 14th street, were shocked Friday as were many friends in this city, when they heard of the sudden death of Senior Lieutenant John N. Whelan, officer on the battleship "Idaho," anchored in Seattle harbor.

Mr. Whelan had been in delicate health ever since the World War, and it was known only to relatives and intimate friends for the past three years that his health had become more and more impaired. For the past few months the worry of it began to affect his mind and during a fit of despondency he took his own life while on ship-board. It appears that an attack of disease affected the skin and spread to the head and brain causing temporary blindness and deafness. The frequent recurrence of these attacks brought despair to young Whelan, and no doubt temporary insanity. He often said that his malady must be incurable.

Mr. Whelan in his school boy days was one of the most popular students. He graduated from the Holland High School in 1914 and was one of the prime movers in bringing about student government in the local high school. Even in his school days he was an energetic worker and with his pal Richard Roest opened a haberdashery and tailor shop on River Avenue in this city, conducting it before and after school and on Saturdays, in order to carry on studies here and elsewhere.

After graduating from Holland High he was chosen by Congressmen Mapes as a candidate for Annapolis Naval Academy, passed the examination with high honors and graduated in 1917. His class graduated a year earlier at this military school, putting in considerable extra time in order to make the grade, on account of war conditions.

Simultaneously with his graduation the United States went into the war with Germany and her allies and Mr. Whelan served all through the war on American battleships in foreign waters, going all over the globe. After the war he served two years in Dalmatia and later for two and a half years in Honolulu. During the recent trouble in China he served for six months on the American transport Chaumont transferring troops. It is believed that here the oriental disease was contracted. He is survived by his wife and twin sons, John Nicholas and Robert, living in California; also by his parents in Holland and the following brothers and sisters: Margaret of Holland, Anna of Vallejo, Calif.; James of Menasha, Wis.; Declan of Eau Claire, Wis., and Raymond of San Francisco.

The body of Lieutenant Whelan will be returned to Holland for burial and left California Wednesday, and was sent off with full naval honors. The body is accompanied by Raymond Whelan, Lt. Whelan's widow and two sons and Miss Anna Whelan and will be met in Chicago by his two other brothers.

County Clerk, William Wilds has been at Camp Grayling with the Michigan National Guards. Captain Wilds has been a soldier for a good many years, being an officer of Company F at Grand Haven and held a commission in the air service during the world war. Miss Anna Van Hoerssen, able assistant, was in charge of the office and circuit court matters during Mr. Wilds' absence.

The fair grounds are in the best and cleanest condition they have been in for many years and visitors attending the fair will see a much improved grounds, says Secretary Vande Bunte, who has made every effort possible to make this the banner fair for Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schurman and daughters, Harriet and Margaret are motoring through Canada, Niagara Falls and New York state.

Mrs. Peter Boet and daughter Anna and brother Alfred Vander Veer left Thursday morning for Adrian, Mo., to visit their brother C. Vander Veer, who was seriously burned in an accident.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wherama are in Beulah, Michigan where they will camp for the next ten days.

George Woldring submitted to an appendicitis operation at the Holland Hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Peter Reselman who has spent the last three months visiting relatives and friends returned home Wednesday. A welcoming party was held for her Thursday, with Peter Bakker and family of Midland Park, N. J., and Rev. Albert Bakker of Wicher, Ill., as the out-of-town guests.

SPELLING BEE IN GRAND STAND AT FAIR

A spelling contest will be another feature of the Holland fair next week Thursday with G. G. Groenewoud of Holland and County School Commissioner, as conductor. It will take place at 10 o'clock A. M. promptly, in the grand stand and all seventh and eighth grade graduates are eligible.

The contestants must furnish their own pencils, and paper of good quality. Those in charge hope that at least 100 girls and boys will participate in the contest.

To the best speller as determined at that time a prize of four dollars will be given. To the following groups a first prize of one dollar: To the best speller from the rural schools of Ottawa County; to the best speller from rural schools of Allegan county; to the best speller from the village schools of Ottawa and Allegan County; to the best speller from the cities of the counties mentioned. It means a prize of seven dollars will be given the best speller.

All contestants are to meet at the Grand Stand at 10 o'clock sharp next Thursday morning.

Local Guards Pull Down \$500 Plumb

ARE SIGNALLY HONORED AT CAMP GRAYLING, WINNING OVER 5,000 TROOPS

Holland's Company D, 126th Michigan Infantry National Guards will come home the latter part of this week filled with pride for they have pulled down the Badger prize of \$500 cash. The Badger trophy was won in keen competition at Camp Grayling over 5,000 other troops.

The trophy is awarded to the company that stands highest in military efficiency and Captain Geerds and his staff have been having an eye on this honor for some time.

Youths with the finest physique and high mentality have been recruited into the company. The attendance was almost perfect and the members with one another to make Company D the crack lot of soldiers of the state. The result has been that the local company has made the best showing and on August 12, when all the other competing companies were eliminated even the Pontiac company which has a million dollar outfit, Company D was declared the winner.

The members gave everything careful attention in camp and did all that possibly could be done to make them the outstanding company. They paid special attention to military courtesy, snappiness of drill, general neatness of dress, uniformity of tentage, sanitary conditions, etc.

It is a signal honor and one that was coveted by every company in the division. It has focussed the attention of the entire state upon the City of Holland.

The officers of Company D who deserve special attention are captain Henry A. Geerds with John Bremer and Oscar Johnson as lieutenants.

Rev. John Van Porseum and family of Zeeland are enjoying their vacation at Tennessee Beach. Mr. Van Porseum was the first pastor of Trinity Reformed church of Holland.

Ivan Boech and Folkert Dykstra are taking a motor trip to Lorraine, Ohio, and back and write friends they encountered trouble on the way over.

Conradus De Keyser is in Chicago for a few days on business.

The Standard Oil Company wholesale department and c-o, which has been at the corner of Columbia Ave. and 7th street for several years, has leased the building and premises of the Pere Marquette on 8th street. The company is now enlarging its facilities on their own property. Additional storage tanks, a garage, warehouse, and loading platform are among the improvements which will be built by T. N. Jonkman, alderman of the 8th ward.

On Wednesday a report was received by Chief Van Ry that a group of men in a house between Central and River Ave. were creating a disturbance. Officers Dorndorf, Spruit and Van Hoff ordered to the scene found George Hoste, the owner, drunk and 19 vials of beer in sight, which he offered to the officers. The party had left. Hoste was arraigned Thursday morning before Chas. K. Van Duren circuit court commissioner and was charged with the possession of liquor. He was bound over to circuit court and taken to Grand Haven the same afternoon by Officer Van Hoff.

Leon Rhodes of Ganges and Miss Gertrude Duell of Fennville were married at the home of the bride's mother Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mabel Bauhahn returned to her work as stenographer at the People's State bank Thursday following her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Weller arrived in the Netherlands July 23, and report a most enjoyable voyage, and are enjoying their time to the fullest extent with many friends and relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. C. Muste and daughter Myre Jane of Brooklyn, N. Y., who are guests at the home of J. B. Mulder and family, returned to Grand Rapids Thursday. Rev. Muste is occupying the pulpit in the church formerly occupied by Dr. T. W. Davidson.

Prof. Edward Van Landegend, head of the department of Mathematics in a St. Louis High School and at present a guest of his mother, Mrs. John Van Landegend, returned to Muskegon Thursday to remain a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Van Zanen are on a trip to Rehoboth, N. M., Grand Canyon and Galup. They will visit Mr. Van Zanen's sister who is a missionary to the Indians in New Mexico.

Rev. and Mrs. Vuerst, J. Bhekink of Colver, N. Y., accompanied by Mrs. E. W. Staplekamp returned Monday from Kenosha, Wis., where they were the guests of Judson W. Staplekamp for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Popen of Holland and Mrs. C. V. D. Hevel and daughter, Barbara of Zeeland, visited friends and relatives in Detroit and Canada the past week end.

About 15 members of the Holland Lions club went to the "Rocks Dale" Inn Wednesday night where the Muskegon Lions gave a stag party and invited the local boys to attend.

Kenneth Woldring, Lester Woldring and John Fathus returned from the first of the week from a trip to the Straits.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Landry of Chicago were the guests of Mrs. Ella Ward this week enroute north.

Miss Jennie Grimes has left for a few weeks' vacation in Detroit and other places in eastern Michigan and will attend a family reunion while at Lesterton.

Daniel Ten Cate and son Vernon Ten Cate were in Grand Rapids Thursday, to transact business.

The Van Putten insurance office was again entered Wednesday and about \$75 and a few papers were stolen. Papers and insurance policies were scattered about and checks were left in the safe untouched. Officer Bontas took fingerprints left by the culprits. Investigation is being made to find the party who entered and knocked the combination of the safe open and left with his loot.

The large barn at the County Infirmary at Eastmanville burned to the ground Thursday and the loss estimated at between \$18,000 and \$20,000 is partially covered by insurance.

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