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## Child Drowns in Lake Michigan at Macatawa Park

**Detroit Girl Lost in  
Shallow Water While  
At Play With Brother**

A vacation of a Detroit family ended in tragedy late Tuesday afternoon when a five-year-old girl was drowned in Lake Michigan, opposite the north walk, running west from Hotel Macatawa at Macatawa park.

Victim of the tragedy was Beverly Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Smith, 15670 Mack Ave., Detroit. The Smith family arrived at the "Bigenuf" cottage, owned by Mr. and Mrs. John Edler, at Jensen park, four days ago to spend two weeks. Mr. Smith is a traveling salesman and was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Late in the afternoon, Mrs. Smith packed a lunch basket and went to the beach with her two children, Beverly and Frederick, 7 years old. While Mrs. Smith remained on the beach, the two children went to play in the water.

Coroner Gilbert Vande Water reported the lake was rather choppy and the two children were jumping the waves. Mrs. Smith told the coroner that the last time she saw her daughter she was standing in water about waist deep.

She took her eyes off the two children and a short time later, Frederick rushed to his mother saying, "Sissie got caught behind a big wave."

Mrs. Smith rushed into the water in search of her daughter and found no trace of her. Returning to shore, she looked up and down the beach before running to the home of Casey Lampen to report her daughter missing.

Coast guardsmen were immediately notified and launched a search for the girl. Within 10 minutes after their arrival on the scene, the body was found in about three feet of water.

It was brought to shore and immediate artificial respiration started in an attempt to restore life. The drowning occurred between 5:15 and 5:30 p.m. and the body was recovered about 45 minutes later.

Three Holland police officers responded with the department's resuscitator and worked for more than 30 minutes without success. Sheriff's officers also assisted coast guardsmen in applying artificial respiration.

Coroner Vande Water returned a verdict of accidental drowning. The body was removed to Dykstra's funeral home and was sent to Detroit for burial.

The girl was born Oct. 13, 1936, in Detroit. Besides the parents and brother, she is survived by the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Cooper of Providence, R. I., and the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith of Detroit.

## Young Motorist Fined For Reckless Driving

Ronald Ver Herwyn, 18, 60 East 16th St., pleaded guilty to a charge of reckless driving on arraignment here before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith who assessed a \$25 fine and costs of \$4.15. He paid part of the \$29.15 and arranged to pay the balance later.

Ver Herwyn was arrested Saturday by local police who charged that he cut corners at speeds of 30 and 35 miles per hour and hit the curb once on College Ave. in an attempt to escape officers who pursued him after he sped through 14th St. and Central Ave.

George Vander Bie, 19, Holland, paid a fine and costs of \$29.15 upon his plea of guilty to a charge of improper passing.

Eugene Koster, 20, route 2, Grand Rapids, and Leon Wenzel, 17, route 4, Holland, have paid fines and costs of \$5 each to the court for speeding.

## Urges Early Purchases Of Car License Plates

Alex Van Zanten, manager of the local license bureau, today warned owners of automobiles with half-year plates that they have until Aug. 31 in which to purchase plates for the last half of 1942.

He urged early purchases to avoid a contemplated last-minute rush. In buying their plates, car owners must present their titles.

Beginning Thursday, the license bureau will be open throughout the noon hour until 5:30 p.m. daily, including Saturdays.

Purchasers of commercial plates need not bring in their weight bill providing they have their previous registration certificate, he said.

## Mexican Is Fined Here On Intoxication Charge

Raymond Martinez, a Mexican who gave Holland as his residence, paid a fine and costs of \$10 to Municipal Judge Raymond Smith Monday on a charge of intoxication. He was arrested Saturday night on River Ave. by local police.

## Oil Stove Causes Fire At Helms Residence

Holland firemen were called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Helms, route 1, Holland, about 8:15 a.m. Monday to extinguish a fire resulting from an oil stove.

Chemicals were used to extinguish the flames which had spread to the ceiling of the basement. Mrs. Helms reported she was using the stove to heat water for the family washing and the burners worked up, causing the fire.

Fire Chief Andrew Klomprens reported there was no damage by the fire but that smoke damaged the interior of the home.

## Protests Filed To Addition for Holland Hitch Co.

**Mayor Tells Council  
Company Won't Build  
New Unit Within City**

With 97 residents having signed two petitions, protesting to the issuance of a building permit to the Holland Hitch Co., 153 West 10th St., which would allow it to add to its present plant, Mayor Henry Geerlings advised common council Wednesday night that the company will "not build within the city."

Mayor Geerlings who is president of the firm did not elaborate on his statement, having made it after the protesting petition had been placed before council by City Clerk Oscar Peterson.

At council's meeting Aug. 5, the firm advised council of its intentions of enlarging its present plant by adding a two-story addition to the west of the building to provide additional floor space in order that the company could continue with its war production schedule.

Action was delayed at this meeting to permit residents of the neighborhood to voice their protests since Ald. Bernard Arendshorst reported that he had heard there were objections to the movement.

One of the petitions, bearing 76 signatures, contended that the district where the plant is located is zoned as residential and that the value of surrounding property has been impaired by the location and operation of the Holland Hitch Co. there. The petition also set out that enlargement of the plant and expansion of the industrial operations would constitute a further impairment of property values and that the damages would be irreparable.

The second petition bearing 21 signatures, charged that the noise from the plant makes living unpleasant and sleep almost impossible, that trucks at the loading docks add to the noise and constitute a traffic hazard, that the smudge from the oil burner which operates the year round soils residences and that the plant detracts from the value of properties.

## Two Enlist for Flight Training

Robert Frederick Longstreet, 21, and Nelson Earl Carter, 19, both of Holland, have enlisted in the U. S. naval reserve for flight training and are both at home awaiting their call to active duty. Longstreet is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Longstreet, route 3, Holland, and Carter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Carter, 67 West 19th St.

Longstreet passed his physical examination and mental test before the naval aviation cadet selection board in Detroit and was given the oath last July 2. Carter was administered the oath Aug. 15.

As naval aviation cadets, they will leave first for the University in Iowa city, Ia., where for three months they will be given intensive physical training and ground school work. They will then be transferred to a naval reserve aviation base for primary flight training before being sent south to Corpus Christi, Tex., or Pensacola, Fla., for advanced training.

Longstreet attended Hope college until 1940 and later was employed with Baker Furniture, Inc. Carter was graduated from Holland high school in 1941 and previous to his enlistment in the navy was employed as mail clerk with Hart & Cooley Manufacturing Co.

## DISMISS CHARGES

Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith reported today that traffic violation charges have been dismissed against Clifford Garlock, 21, 88 East Eighth St., and John Sloothaak, 24, route 4, Holland. Garlock was charged with failing to yield the right of way and Sloothaak was charged with failing to have his car under control following an automobile accident July 21 at 24th St. and Washington Ave.

## TOE CRUSHED

Raymond Warren, 14, son of Mrs. Marius Kooyers, 351 River Ave., was treated Monday afternoon in Holland hospital for a crushed left toe.

## Aged Woman of Muskegon Killed At M-40 Corner

**Niece Drives to Side  
Of Road, Hits Gravel  
As Other Auto Passes**

An aged Muskegon woman was killed and two other Muskegon residents were injured in an automobile accident which occurred on Jipping's curve on M-40, one-half mile east of the Pere Marquette railroad tracks, about 8 p.m. Friday.

The accident victim was Mrs. Hattie Jones, 86, wife of George B. Jones, 75 Miller Ave., Muskegon. She was dead upon arrival at Holland hospital, having suffered a severely crushed head.

Her husband was treated in Holland hospital for lacerations above the right eyebrow. Also treated was Mrs. Hattie B. Karr, 60, of 75 Miller Ave., who suffered contusions to the skin on both knees and nose. She also complained of pains to the left side of her neck.

Mrs. Jones head was caught between a rear door and the car body when it tipped over on its right side. She was released from the overturned car when about 10 men lifted it. An ambulance which had been summoned rushed her to the hospital.

The Ottawa county sheriff's department aided Deputy Sheriff Ben Sternberg of Allegan county and Justice Guy Teed, Allegan coroner, who returned a verdict of accidental death.

Mrs. Karr, driver of the car, said her car had just rounded the curve when another car approached from the opposite direction at a high rate of speed. She told investigators she pulled to the right as far as possible and about 75 feet beyond the curve the right front wheel struck loose gravel.

The car was thrown into a deep furrow along the north side of the road and after traveling a short distance overturned on its side. Mrs. Jones was riding in the front seat with Mrs. Karr but in some unknown manner was thrown over the back of the front seat into the rear.

Mr. Jones was riding in the rear seat alone. The three had spent Friday visiting friends in Allegan city and were en route home when the accident occurred. Mr. and Mrs. Jones were an uncle and aunt of Mrs. Karr. Mrs. Jones was a cripple and used a crutch.

## Illness Is Fatal To Gerrit Tuin

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 (Special)—Gerrit Tuin, 60, Spring Lake died in Municipal hospital Sunday where he was admitted Saturday for treatment.

Mr. Tuin, a retired contractor and builder, moved to Spring Lake seven years ago from Grand Rapids. He had been in failing health for several years.

He was born in The Netherlands Jan. 10, 1882, and was a contractor and builder in Grand Rapids for 35 years. He owned real estate in Spring Lake and for the past seven years, except for supervision of his holdings, was in retirement.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Jennie Tuin, a leader in PTA work in Spring Lake; two daughters, Jean and Loretta, both at home; four sons, Peter and Ben of Grand Rapids, Gerrit, Jr., and Jack, both at home; one step-daughter, Mrs. George Vander Meer of Grand Rapids.

## Local Soldier, Injured, Is Home on Furlough

Pvt. Harold Jerry Streur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Streur, 24 West 27th St., is spending about three weeks at the home of his parents. This furlough was granted to Pvt. Streur following an injury received while playing ball on the army grounds and which resulted in a broken ankle.

He had been in the Camp Crowder, Mo., hospital since July 23 and expects to return to the hospital for about a month when his furlough is completed.

## Douglas Soldier Hurt In Australia Accident

Saugatuck, Aug. 20 (Special)—Local relatives have received word that Capt. William Graham Tisdale of Douglas was injured in a recent motorcycle accident in Australia where he is stationed with the U. S. army.

Captain Tisdale, born and reared in Douglas, formerly was with the U. S. army. His mother, Mrs. Bessie Tisdale, lives in Grand Rapids.

## Jack Krum Becomes Guard at Kollen Park

Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff reported that Jack Krum, 20, 383 Central Ave., today became life guard at Kollen park for the remainder of the summer. He replaces Cornelius J. Dornbos who has accepted a guard position at Baker Furniture, Inc.

## Four Persons Receive Treatment at Hospital

Four persons have been treated in Holland hospital for injuries received in industrial accidents here.

William Bittner, 34 East Fifth St., suffered a fracture of the right ankle Wednesday forenoon when his foot was struck by a concrete form while he was at work at the Lake Shore Sugar Co. His foot was placed in a cast.

Doris Oldebekking, 20, route 1, Hamilton, received a laceration on the middle finger of her left hand early this morning while at work at the H. J. Heinz Co. plant.

Harvey Johnson, 17, route 4, Holland, had a piece of steel removed from his left eye, having suffered the injury while at work Wednesday night at the Holland Furnace Co. No. 5 plant on the North side.

Lawrence Lugten, 20, Hamilton, had a particle removed from his right eye Wednesday, having been inflicted while he was at work at the Western Machine Tool works plant.

## Name Draftees Who Leave Soon

**Thirty-Six Accepted  
For Induction to Go  
To Custer Next Week**

The local selective service board has announced the names of 36 draftees who have been accepted for induction into the army.

The selectees recently passed physical examinations at Kalamazoo and are now at home on furloughs. They are scheduled to leave Holland Wednesday, Aug. 26, to report at Fort Custer.

Approximately 40 registrants are scheduled to receive preliminary physical examinations tonight at the board's headquarters. The examiners will be Dr. O. Vander Velde and Dr. Chester Van Appledorn.

Those who will leave here Aug. 26 include:

Jack Robert Montgomery, 236 Columbia Ave. (leader), Frank D. Lokker, 30 East 12th St., Lambert Lubbers, 45 East 18th St., George Arthur Plakke, 221 West 11th St., Ollie Wierenga, 47 West 18th St., Simon Weynga, 193 East Sixth St., Alfred John Vander Waa, 140 East 12th St., Jimmie Haasjes, 130 East 13th St., Peter Louis Schipps, 312 East Sixth St., Raymond George Overkamp, 145 East 14th St., Lloyd Nelson Vedder, 92 West 10th St., Gerald L. Jaarda, 89 East 21st St.

Julius Prins, 307 West 21st St., Arnold Styf, 143 East 16th St., Lyle Allen Ringwood, 272 Fairbanks Ave., Julius Dykstra, 304 West 12th St., William Bill Sloothaak, 125 West 17th St., Stanley Kietlon, 10 West Eighth St., John Siedes Vander Ploeg, 172 Fairbanks Ave., Don Fredrick Olthoff, 111 East 20th St., Marvin Anthony Vander Vlies, 88 West 16th St., Henry Leonard Beltman, 430 Van Raalte Ave., Lue De Vries, Grand Rapids, Julius Marvin Ver Hoef, 140 West 18th St.

Leonard Belkama, 751 Michigan Ave., Clifford James Garlock, 144 Fairbanks Ave., Ellsworth Walter Kay, 165 East Sixth St., Owen John Kampen, 223 West 19th St., Albert John Casemier, 269 West 11th St., Egbert James Grant, 11 River Ave., Donald George De Witt, 112 West 10th St., Herman Arnoldink, 244 East Ninth St., Gerald Helder, 25 East 21st St., Jack Earl Essenburg, 236 West Ninth St., Anthony N. Westerhof, 53 East 18th St., Gardner William Joyce, Macatawa park, (transfer from board No. 1, Ellsworth, Me.)

## Miss Marilyn Van Dyke Accepts Government Job

Miss Marilyn Van Dyke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Van Dyke of route 4, Holland, plans to leave by train Thursday for Washington, D. C., where she has accepted a civil service position as senior typist, after passing a government examination here.

She will make her home at present with her aunts, the Misses Helene and Rosemary Aldrich, who have positions with the bureau of standards and the interstate commerce commission in Washington.

Miss Van Dyke was graduated from Holland high school in 1940 and attended Hope college for two years.

## Short Circuit Calls Out Local Firemen Today

A short circuit was believed responsible for the fire alarm which was sounded about 11:35 a.m. today.

The alarm was reported at both engine houses as box 111 on Graves place but the "mocking bird" sounded box 33 at 11th St. and Pine Ave.

However, Fire Chief Andrew Klomprens said that neither box had been pulled.

## No Action Taken To Silence Trains Passing Holland

**Council Is Satisfied  
By Explanation of  
Local Agent Miller**

After hearing an explanation from Frank Miller, local Pere Marquette railway agent, common council Wednesday night took no further action towards amending a present ordinance which now provides that all engines must give two short blasts of their whistles for each unguarded crossing while passing through the city.

At their Aug. 5 meeting, the aldermen reported having received complaints against train whistles and the matter was referred to the ordinance committee.

Appearing before council at the request of Ald. George Damsen, chairman of the ordinance committee, and City Attorney Clarence A. Lokker, Mr. Miller pointed out that a state law requires all steam railroads to give two long blasts, and two short blasts, which must continue until the crossing is reached, at all crossings. However, the state law does not require this where there are ordinances governing signals within a city, he said.

Mr. Miller contended the warning signals are instituted to protect lives and property, but said it is the railroad's plan to cooperate with the desires of the city through which it operates.

He felt council would be making a mistake if the ordinance were amended to prohibit the blowing of engine whistles. It was his opinion that the city would be held liable for any accidents should the ordinance be amended to prohibit the blowing of two short blasts at unguarded crossings within the city.

Mr. Miller estimated that it costs the railroad \$2 in steam for every engine to blow its whistle while passing through Holland. He said engineers do not unnecessarily blow engine whistles. Their regulations are outlined in the trainmen's working schedule.

He felt there might have been violations of the ordinance since the addition of new trains has made it necessary to obtain engineers from the Detroit division to operate trains on this line, hence they would be strangers to Holland and not acquainted with guarded and unguarded crossings. He requested that if persons detecting these violations will report the time of day and the direction of the train he can make a check as to who was the engineer and advise him of the crossings.

Damsen said he and Mr. Lokker had conferred with Mr. Miller and after hearing his explanation felt he should deliver it in person to council. He said the Pere Marquette had cooperated in carrying out the provisions of the present ordinance.

## Long Illness Is Fatal To Mrs. Levi Caauwe

Mrs. Allie Caauwe, 50, wife of Levi Caauwe, died at 10 a.m. Thursday in her home on route 4, on the Grand Haven road, following a lingering illness. She was born Dec. 13, 1891, in Holland, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Poppema.

She was a member of Ninth Street Christian Reformed church. Surviving are the husband; six daughters, Mrs. Melvin Groetler, Mrs. Willard Deur, Mrs. James Michelsen, Mrs. John Wiersma, Mrs. Russell Koetsier and Bernice; four grandchildren; the mother, Mrs. B. Poppema; three sisters, Mrs. John Borr, Mrs. Jacob Bosma and Mrs. Floyd Westvelt; and two brothers, Louis Poppema and Dick Poppema.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. from the home and at 2:30 p.m. from Ninth Street church with the Rev. George Gritter officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Friends may view the body Sunday afternoon and evening at the home where it will be taken late Saturday afternoon from the Dykstra funeral home.

## Will Honor Manuel P. Huysar at Party Tonight

Manuel P. Huysar, route 1, Holland, will be honored at a birthday party to be held tonight in his home. Mr. Huysar who has been carrying mail for the past six years has resigned to accept a teaching position at the West View school on route 6, Holland, south of Graafseph. Those who will attend tonight's party will include his mother, Mrs. Jennie Huysar, and his brothers, Eugene Huysar and wife, and Russell Huysar and family.

## THUMB LACERATED

Mrs. William Schierbeek, 10 West 17th St., was treated Monday in Holland hospital for a laceration on her right thumb, about one and one-half inches long.

## City to Vote on Abolition Of Police and Fire Board

### Manager of Title Firm Will Retire

**Hungerford to Quit  
Soon; Van Leuwen  
Will Succeed Him**

Effective Sept. 1, V. R. Hungerford, 621 Lawndale court, will retire as manager of the Ottawa County Abstract and Title Co., which is located in the city hall, it was announced today.

Mr. Hungerford will be succeeded by Bruce Van Leuwen, 13 East 13th St. Mr. Van Leuwen is now becoming acquainted with the operation of the business. Mr. Hungerford will be retained for a time after Sept. 1 in an advisory capacity.

Mr. Hungerford said he has no plans for the future. He assumed the position of manager in the fall of 1930. He came to Holland in 1921 and served as secretary and office manager for the former Bush and Lane Piano Co.

Prior to coming to Holland, Mr. Hungerford was in Port Huron where he was principal for four years of the Port Huron high school. In previous years he served in school work, for several years as Van Buren county school commissioner.

Mr. Van Leuwen has been engaged in the insurance business for a number of years and plans to continue this business.

Present officers of the company are Charles H. McBride, president; Otto Kramer, vice-president and treasurer; and Mr. Hungerford, secretary.

## Board Asks to Sell Generator

**Action Is Favored by  
Solons as Aid to War  
Effort in Shortage**

The board of public works received authority Wednesday night from common council to advertise for bids for the sale of the 2,500 kilowatt General Electric turbine generator, complete with condenser, auxiliaries and switchboard.

Bids for the sale of this equipment which is now stationed at the old Fifth St. power plant will be received and opened at the board's meeting Monday night, Aug. 31. Council gave the board authority to accept or reject any or all bids.

In its communication to council, the board points out that the war production board has requested this equipment be disposed of so it can be used in the war effort.

"The board wishes to advise your honorable body that if this equipment is disposed of, it still has the necessary equipment at the Fifth St. plant to take care of emergency standby service," the communication said.

Accompanying the board's communication was a letter from J. A. Krug, chief of power branch for the WPB, which reveals the turbine generator "situation has grown steadily worse."

"Although the production of turbine generator units has increased, the need for them has increased at a much greater rate," Krug's letter said.

Motion to grant council's approval to the proposal was made by Ald. Bruce Raymond and seconded by Ald. Gordon Streur.

## Vanderduin Organizing S.S. Convention Chorus

John Vanderduin was in Coopersville Wednesday evening to make arrangements for organizing a chorus for the next Ottawa county Sunday school convention to be held in Coopersville Oct. 7.

Already a response of more than 100 singers has been secured from Coopersville, Conklin, Allendale, Tallmadge, Eastmanville and Lamont from Reformed, Christian Reformed and Methodist churches.

## ARRIVES AT CAMP

Fort Logan, Col., Aug. 20—Leslie Darwin Thompson, route 3, Holland, Mich., arrived last Friday at the Fort Logan reception center.

## X-RAY INSTALLED

Zeeland, Aug. 20—President Herman Miller of the board of trustees of Huizinga hospital announced this week that the hospital had installed its new x-ray machine, for which public contributions were received about a year ago.

## FOET FILLS VACANCY

Zeeland, Aug. 20—At a special meeting of the board of education Tuesday evening, the board unanimously named Corey Foet, well known furniture manufacturer, to the fifth position on the board to fill the vacancy created last week by the resignation of A. Van Kooyers.

## Special Program Will Mark Naturalization

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 (Special)—Twenty-four persons are expected to receive final papers at a naturalization hearing to be held in Ottawa circuit court Friday morning before Judge Fred T. Miles.

Sidney Freed from the naturalization office in Detroit will be here to examine the petitions. A program has been arranged which will include the pledging of allegiance to the flag, singing of "America," a minute of silent prayer for boys in the service and administration of oath of allegiance, an address of welcome to the new citizens, presentation of American flags and certificates of naturalization.

## Stickers Issued For Car Checkup

**Police Plan to Inspect  
Holland Autos in Next  
Two Weeks for Labels**

Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff reported Monday that windshield stickers have been distributed to seven local garages which will place them on automobiles after they have been checked for defective brakes, horn, lights and mufflers.

The garages, Van Hoff said, will make a free check. If work needs to be done, they will place the sticker on the car after repairs have been made.

Police officers are expected to begin checking cars within the next two weeks and will conduct their own tests of cars which do not have stickers.

Garages where examinations may be obtained are Decker Chevrolet, Vrieling Motor Sales, Henry Ter Haar Motor Sales, Reliable Garage, Ottawa Motor Sales, Arie Ter Haar Auto Co. and the Studebaker garage.

Slips are available for other garages which desire to give this examination to automobiles. The inspector fills out the slip and the car owner takes it to police headquarters to get his windshield sticker which shows the car has successfully passed the examination.

## Man on Bicycle Struck by Auto

Joe Overway, 59, 280 West 16th St., suffered minor back injuries at 7:40 a.m. Tuesday when he was struck by an automobile while he was riding his bicycle at 16th St. and Washington Ave.

He was taken to Holland hospital for treatment and an x-ray examination after which he was released.

Driver of the car, according to local police, was Evelyn Slenk, route 1, Holland. Police were informed that she was driving east on 16th St., and turned south onto Washington Ave., striking the bicycle which also was being ridden in an easterly direction.

Abel Smeenge, 63, 65 East Ninth St., received a traffic violation ticket from Holland police Monday night for making an improper turn, interfering with traffic, after an accident at 9:50 p.m. on West Eighth St. in front of the police station.

Mr. Smeenge is reported to have attempted to make a U-turn, resulting in a collision with a car driven by Merle Nienhuis, 18, route 2, Holland, who was driving west on Eighth St. Henry Muisken, 78 West Eighth St., was listed as a witness.

A minor accident occurred Monday on West Eighth St. in front of the Center theater between cars driven by Eleanor Barman, route 2, Zeeland, and Virginia Allen, route 6, Holland.

## Human Rights Ignored In Japan, Pieters Says

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 (Special)—Dr. Albertus Pieters of Holland spoke to the Rotary club at its luncheon Monday noon. Dr. Pieters, who spent about 19 years in Japan as a missionary, spoke on Japan and its customs and the effect of its religion upon its people.

He emphasized that human rights are almost disregarded in Japan, the last remaining example of a pagan empire in the world.

## FARMER INJURED

Zeeland, Aug. 20—While working at the threshing outfit at the farm of Mrs. J. P. Looker, two miles northeast of Zeeland, Andrew Schut, a next-door neighbor suffered a fracture of a vertebra, and he was taken to Zeeland hospital where his injury was reduced, and where it is expected he will be required to remain six weeks in a cast.

## Ballot Ordered as JCC Asks Council Control Of Two Departments

Whether the board of police and fire commissioners, the subject of much controversy in municipal affairs in the past, will be continued is a question which Holland voters will be asked to decide at the fall election Tuesday, Nov. 3.

Abolishment of the police and fire board "in the interest of better city government" was proposed Wednesday night to common council by the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce which requested that the question be placed before the voters.



## Over 26 Hundred Dollars Listed on Building Permits

### Nineteen Applications For Repairs and New Work Filed in Week

Nineteen applications for building permits, totaling \$2,641, were filed last week at the office of City Clerk Oscar Peterson for approval of the building inspector, Henry Looman.

The amount is \$1,178 less than those of last week. Value of the permits for the week of July 24-31 was \$360. The list of applications follows:

Raymond Overway, 330 West 13th St., roof house and garage, screen in front porch, \$145; Vander Laan Roof Co., Hudsonville, contractor.

John De Feyter, 303 West 19th St., enclose porch with glass, \$150; Rhine Vander Meulen, contractor.

Henry Ter Haar, 190 West 20th St., remodel basement into recreation room, \$250; Reuben Nyemula, contractor.

R. Parkes, 195 West 11th St., replace stucco with cedar siding, \$300; Fred Bouwens, Zeeland, contractor.

Buss Machine works, 201 West Eighth St., excavate for additional boiler room space, \$200; Al De Weerd, contractor.

Bert Stool, 1461 Fairbanks Ave., roof house with asphalt roofing, \$75; Mr. Stool, contractor.

John Brive, 256 West 23rd St., one-story garage, 12 by 20 feet, frame construction and asphalt roofing, \$225; W. De Leeuw and Sons, contractors.

Central Avenue Christian Reformed church, remodel room in basement for school room, \$175; Herman Menken and others, contractors.

A. J. Vander Elst, 179 West 28th St., roof house with asphalt roofing, \$125; E. S. Holbein and Sons, contractors.

Joy N. Hungerink, 20 East 17th St., roof part of home with asphalt roofing, \$75; Mr. Hungerink, contractor.

Albert Kleis, Jr., 295 East 13th St., two-story garage, 20 by 24 feet, frame construction and asphalt roofing, \$200; Mr. Kleis, contractor.

E. H. Post, 88 West 23rd St., roof part of house with asphalt roofing, \$35; Gerrit Hoving, contractor.

Dick Vliem, 50 West 22nd St., roof house with asphalt roofing, \$127; Gerrit Hoving, contractor.

Mrs. A. Clark, 689 Michigan Ave., roof part of home with asphalt roofing, \$143; Gerrit Hoving, contractor.

H. E. Ruuscher, 75 West 18th St., roof house with asphalt roofing, \$143; Gerrit Hoving, contractor.

Hyo Bos, 50 East 16th St., roof house with asphalt roofing, no amount given; Gerrit Hoving, contractor.

Dick De Waard, 182 East Fifth St., roof house with asphalt roofing, \$160; Frank Cherven, contractor.

John Ederie, 49 West Ninth St., build cupboards and repair back porch, \$100; Mr. Ederie, contractor.

## Jager Family Postpones Reunion for Duration

At the sixth annual reunion of the Jager family held in Zeeland park Tuesday the group decided to postpone the annual gathering for the duration of the war. In charge of the evening's sports was Harry Volkers and his committee.

A program with Miss Althea Brat in charge of the hymn sing was also enjoyed. John Brat gave an address on family relationship. A dialogue, "Enjoying the Telephone," was given by Mrs. James Hop and Miss Betty Koeman. Piano accompaniment and mouth organ selections were furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Mannes and John Henry Mannes.

Miss Harriet Jager gave a monologue, "Only a Second to Spare," and a quartet composed of Dolores Langejans, Lorraine Dykema, Hester Dykema and Myra Langejans sang. Gerald Mannes closed with prayer.

Officers elected include Harm M. Jager, president; John H. Wolters, vice-president; John H. Hulst, secretary; Steven Wolters, treasurer; Marvin Klingenberg, sports chairman; and Alfred Langejans, program chairman.

## Woman's Club Group Has Picnic at Lake

Twenty-four members of the hospital committee of the Woman's Literary club enjoyed a picnic lunch and social afternoon Thursday at the cottage of Mrs. C. M. Selby at Port Sheldon. Mesdames John Olet, John Vaupeil and Peter Notter formed the committee in charge of arrangements for the party. The group worked on surgical dressings for Holland hospital during the afternoon.

## Pays Fine in G.H. on Drunk Driving Count

Grand Haven, Aug. 13—Robert C. Lentz, 45, Muskegon, who was arrested and charged with driving while drunk by state police in Spring Lake township early Monday morning, was arraigned later in Justice George V. Hoffer's court and upon his plea of guilty paid a fine of \$75 and \$7.50 costs.

## Prospects Are Bright at Hope College Despite War

The prediction that the small denominational college is faced with depletion of students if not actual ruin due to war conditions, is not proving true at Hope college which Saturday concluded a successful nine weeks' summer session, the first in its history. In addition to the summer school, Hope has adopted an "accelerated program" which enables a student to complete the college course within three years instead of the standard four years.

Prospects for the fall are excellent, according to College President Wynand Wichers, and it is expected that enrollment will be approximately normal when the school terms opens Sept. 16.

A number of courses have been added to the curriculum to meet the student needs in preparation for the armed services of the country. The most important of these "war courses" is the Hope college CPT which is training ten young men for the army air forces in conjunction with the Northern Air service of Grand Rapids. These men will complete their course in September and an additional ten will undergo the training every two months.

Other courses which have been added are Spanish, war economics, navigation, meteorology, political theory, history of the Orient, Latin-American history and such technical courses as may aid in preparation of students for the air forces.

Like all accredited colleges, Hope is offering the army, navy and marine enlisted reserve programs.

The army enlisted reserve, unassigned, is made up of men who are physically able to pass the examinations. For freshmen and sophomores the college has a quota of approximately 60 men.

These will be given comprehensive examinations some time before the end of the second year of college and if successful at that time, will be allowed to continue for an additional two years to graduation when they will have a choice of which branch of the army they desire to become candidates for an officer's commission.

## Esther's Trip to England Exciting, but Uneventful

By Esther Van Wagoner Tutty London, Aug. 15 (Delayed). — Flying to England in wartime is hazardous, but my own trip was uneventful. I felt almost gyped after all the warnings of the dire things that might happen. Just the delays I had experienced in talking off was a danger sign.

I left the United States from a town I still can't mention via unnamed plane transportation at a time unknown even to me until the last moment.

This secrecy eliminated the usual fanfare given a person about to embark on a trip abroad. When you become a military secret your friends cannot be on hand to shed a farewell tear. Last minute telegrams are missing. And no orchids.

The steward seated me in a compartment with nine men. We were cautioned to fasten our safety belts. The doors closed, shutting out the sea and the blackness of the night. The black-out curtains were drawn tight. A shut-in feeling came with the first roar of the engines. The steward would choose that moment to demonstrate just how to put on the bright orange life preservers, of jacket design. They were off. Eight hours flying at least lay ahead of us before landing.

That meant a night on the plane. Because I was a woman I was pampered and given a bed, but the other passengers sat up all night. I didn't want to be up all night. I was too excited to go to bed. Besides if we were hit I didn't want to miss it. The steward looked so disappointed at the special provisions made for me that I did lie down and promptly popped off to sleep. In the morning when I faced my unshaven wrinkled companions I was ashamed of my bright-eyedness.

Breakfast was amazingly elaborate. Mushrooms, if you please! Out the square-cut windows we could see nothing but a downy bed of white clouds.

My fellow passengers didn't look important enough to rate the kind of priority it takes to get aboard one of these ships. (It was not a Pan-American clipper.) I soon discovered their importance. Several were British war officials. One was bringing back the answer to a critical steel situation. Another was the king's messenger. Turned out in unpressed tweeds, he revealed that he had been around the world five times in the last seven months delivering confidential missives. Later on the journey, our state department courier, who holds a similar trust, chatted with me while keeping an eye on the two big diplomatic pouches.

Several American high-ranking officers, in civilian clothes, were aboard. (They couldn't go through neutral Ireland in Uniform.) Others were on the embassy staff in Washington.

In fact, I was the only one without official rank. But was comforted when told I was the only woman war correspondent to leave the United States since we declared war.

The passenger I shall never forget was an old professor from Oxford, C. K. Webster, who loves and knows America. In fact, he taught international politics at Harvard for five years. During

mission. There are still a few openings in the junior and senior quota under this plan.

A number of men have been accepted for the army air force under the deferred enlistment plan and will be trained in Hope for induction into the air force upon graduation. Additional opportunities in this field are also available.

The marines have enlisted a number of Hope men who are being prepared for commissioned officers in that corps.

In the navy program the plans are known as V-1, V-5 and V-7. V-5 is naval aviation, V-7 is composed of candidates for deck and engineering officers and V-1 is the program through which freshmen and sophomore men may enter the other two classifications.

These programs will enable the army, marines and navy to have a continuous supply of officer material. Hope college is participating in the nation-wide program.

It is expected that women will take advantage of the many courses at the college which will enable them to meet the greatly increased demand for teachers, secretaries and other professional workers.

Out of the program of cooperation with the nation's armed forces has arisen great additional emphasis on physical education. Regular hours of hardening programs are required of all men who are in the deferred enlistment curriculum. While a schedule of inter-collegiate athletics is to be continued in the MIAA, Hope will stress intra-mural athletics and men and women will be asked to participate in a health-building program whether or not they happen to be in the army, navy or marine pre-induction courses.

Says Dr. Wichers, "The colleges are being used by the nation's armed forces in the war emergency, not as a haven for slackers, but as a place of training officer material and Hope has placed all of its facilities at the disposal of the nation for the duration."

## Man Is Injured In Auto Wreck

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Tomorrow I report for work which will take me out of London to the industrial and rural areas.

(Mrs. Tufty was invited by the British minister of information in July to visit England, lecture to war workers outside London and write newspaper and magazine articles. She will confine her observations to the ordinary people of England.)

## Mother of Jack Spangler Dies

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 (Special). — Mrs. Augusta Spangler, 78, died at the home of her son, Jack Spangler, 1024 Washington St. Monday at 10:55 p.m. after a three months' illness.

She was born in West Prussia, Germany, Jan. 26, 1864, and came to this vicinity from Milwaukee in 1894. Her husband, John Spangler, died 12 years ago. She was well known in Robinson township and Grand Haven.

Survivors are one daughter, Mrs. Mary Schropp of Rothbury; two sons, John of Grand Haven township and Jack, Ottawa county probation officer; one sister, Mrs. Tena Dassow of Milwaukee; two brothers, Herman Janke of Milwaukee and August Janke of Lowell, Wis.; 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

## Death Claims Mrs. Harbeck

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 (Special). — Mrs. Herman F. Harbeck, 61, died last Saturday at her home, 608 Lafayette St. Born in Sweden, Aug. 8, 1881, her maiden name was Alma Mary Johnson. She was the widow of the late Capt. H. F. Harbeck, who died about 10 years ago and whom she married Oct. 16, 1920 in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Harbeck had been in ill health for several years and critically so for the past week. She spent her girlhood in Muskegon and later went to Chicago where she entered nurses' training and graduated from the Streeter hospital there with the class of 1906. She was a member of the Presbyterian church and the Eastern Star, and was a past matron of Grand Haven chapter, No. 245.

After our first stop we were all mixed up about the time. We knew we would lose six hours. So when anyone asked the time, the smarties in calculating would quote Washington time; London time, and then guess about the time on the plane. Another short night and by breakfast time (whatever the hour was) we were over the green of Ireland.

Begorra, we liked this spot in Ireland. A picture book village still asleep. Trim stores and houses lined a winding street. With three of the American officers, I walked down the main avenue, gaily decorated for a carnival. At the village church, one officer dropped the 75 cents he had won at poker the night before. The good names of Shannon, McCarthy, and O'Malley topped the stores—and there really were two stores side by side, operated by Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Sheen. Breakfast was served by red-checked Irish girls. They were so pleasant we forgot the Battle Creek confections were limp and the coffee a bad carbon copy of an American brew by the same name.

An American clipper came in. As the passengers came ashore, I hoped I would happen to know one of them. And I did! The only woman, Ann Archibald, the vice-president of Pan American, who lives in Washington. She is the only woman in aviation to hold down such an executive job. Was she getting service... they had steak and a big "Mrs. Archie" cake that night!

Then came the last hop to England. It was daytime, but the black-out shades were pulled down when we crossed the Irish sea. So we could not see the fortifications along the English coast or perhaps the location of some warship far below.

With joy, we stepped on English soil. Also with some unspoken relief for a safe passage.

It took a bit of patience at the delay over the business with customs, passport, censor officials. While the luggage was assembled, we were served our luncheon.

Having fully expected to start acquiring a slim figure from starvation on rationed food supply in England, I was surprised at the amount of food served.

First a soup, then a right good stew and kidney pie, potatoes and cabbage, and a dessert of fruit.

A special coach was put on the London train to take care of the new arrivals. Naturally, the first thing "Prof. Webster" did was to order tea. He was sure that my welcome to his war-torn country should not be so luxurious, but

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## Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Marinus Van Ark and son, Myron, Mrs. Edward Brouwer and daughter, Lilith, and Miss Bernice Jacobs left Friday for Camp Crowder, Mo., where they will visit Mr. Van Ark's son, Pvt. Donald Van Ark, who is stationed there. They went by auto and will return in about a week.

There will be all day Red Cross sewing at Trinity church Wednesday and Thursday. A lot of sewing has to be done and everyone is urged to come out.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Faasen of 376 College Ave., have returned from Fort Peck, Mont., where they spent several weeks with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jerold Faasen and William Faasen.

Miss Alma Stegenga of Detroit spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Faasen.

Pvt. William Klompereus who enlisted with the amphibian engineers of the U. S. army was home on a 36-hour leave Sunday from Fort Custer. He was to leave today for Camp Edwards, Mass.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klompereus, 77 East 18th St.

Mrs. Ida Weed, Mrs. Ruth McWhorter, Mrs. John Woldring, Bert Ten Brink and Lois and Dorothy spent the week-end at Kentukinn, Camp lake, with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tubbs.

Miss Dora Rutgers of Kalamazoo and Miss Julia Prins of East Saugatuck spent a ten-day vacation visiting Pvt. Gerald Rutgers who is training in Camp Pickett, Va. The former is an aunt of Pvt. Rutgers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bramberg of the Park road had as their week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joern of La Grange, Ill.

A new address has been received for Pvt. Gerald Ramaker, who is now with Group D, Room 35, 921 Technical school squadron, A. A. F. R. T. C., Atlantic City, N. J. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forsten.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pippel of 666 Lincoln Ave. left this morning for Chicago where they will spend a few days visiting relatives.

Pvt. Kendall D. Lohman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Smidt of Hamilton, is now stationed at Walla Walla army air base, Washington.

He was graduated July 16 from the air corps technical school at Chanute field, Ill., as an air mechanic. He was sent to Salt Lake City, Utah, for 10 days before being transferred to Washington.

A son, Merle Le Roy, was born Saturday in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Beyer, 176 West 14th St.

Born Sunday in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lemmen, 122 East 20th St., a son, Eugene, Louis.

Arthur Keane, 35, Grand Rapids, was treated Sunday in Holland hospital for an injured nose. The hospital reported he suffered the injury at the beach.

Clarence Hennessy, 52, Grand Rapids, received treatment Sunday in Holland hospital for a bleeding nose, reported to have been incurred in an automobile accident.

## Sugar for Threshers Now Available Here

"An established non-profit organization, organized for civic, educational, charitable, benevolent or social welfare purposes, which has not been registered as an institutional user, desiring sugar for meals to be prepared and served by it to farm hands during threshing season" may now apply to their local ration boards for sugar.

It was announced by Clarence A. Doyle, state rationing executive, in a bulletin to the local ration board Saturday.

Local boards are authorized to issue sugar purchase certificates in such cases on the basis of one pound per estimated 60 meals to be served.

## Factory Employee Is Hurt While at Work

August Kampen, 40, 315 West 19th St., an employee of the W. E. Dunn Manufacturing Co., 413 West 24th St., suffered injuries to his right hand about 5 p.m. Friday while working at the plant.

## Yacht Club Navy Relief Party Proves Success

The largest crowd of the season turned out for the gala dinner dance in the Macatawa Bay Yacht club Saturday night. Proceeds from the party, a special event in the summer schedule, went to benefit Navy relief. The club house was gay with a profusion of red and white glads and burgees of the West Michigan Yachting association.

Highlight of the evening was the floorshow under the direction of Gerald Hanchett of Grand Rapids. O. W. Lowry, his costume, complete with straw hat and cane, was master of ceremonies. R. W. Bramburg assisting with his "laugh" and "clap" instructions.

First to appear before the footlights was Joan Gogolin of this city in a rollicking "Can Can" dance, followed by a series of skits presented by a group of Grand Rapids young people. Appearing in several dramatic scenes were Anita Schaffer, Robert Vachon and Gordon Wiechold. Rita Jane Rademaker gave a tap dance exhibition, and Cynthia Heister and Robert Lignell, attractive young singers, gave creditable performances.

As the latter appeared in a special feature, "Down by the Sea," Holland young women, clad in the chic garb of the modern bathing beauty, furnished an attractive background as chorus girls. In this number were Grace Hanchett, Donna Zwemer, Frances Lapp, Eleanor Duffy, Marian Geerts and Peggy Hadden.

Climaxing the entire show was the "Down by the Sea," number in which Mrs. E. H. Gold, in a bathing costume typical of Victorian days, appeared as soloist, supported by a chorus of similarly costumed "girls," including the Mesdames Kenneth Campbell, A. W. Tahaney, John Eaton, W. S. Merriam, George Copeland, Bennett Patterson and E. E. Chapman.

Mrs. W. P. Telling, chairman of social activities for the club, thanked her co-chairmen, Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Patterson, for the success of the affair. Many out-of-town guests attended the event.

## Elzinga-Jacobs Vows Are Spoken in Home

A lovely summer wedding was solemnized in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jacobs of 112 West 15th St. Thursday evening when their daughter, Anna, became the bride of James Elzinga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elzinga of Montello park. The Rev. Peter Jonker performed the double ring ceremony at 8 o'clock.

Preceding the ceremony John Vanden Bosch sang "O Promise Me." Joan Elzinga, sister of the groom, played the traditional Lohengrin wedding march.

An arch of pink and white and bouquets of vari-colored gladioli and mixed garden flowers formed an attractive setting for the service.

The bride wore a floor length gown of white tulle with full skirt, short puff sleeves and a sweetheart neckline. Her bouquet was of carnations, daisies, tiger lilies and snapdragons.

Attending the bride as bridesmaid was Miss Ardis Barense who was groomed in blue net over tulle fashioned similar to the bride's gown. Her bouquet, also

## Central Park Home Scene Of Nivison-Penna Vows

A quiet ceremony in the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George St. John of Central park Saturday united in marriage Miss Onalee Joyce Penna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Penna of route 2, and Lloyd Henry Nivison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nivison of 317 East 12th St., Holland. The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Vanderbeek.

The bride wore a street length dress of black rayon crepe with a white front panel. Her bridal corsage was of Johanna Hill roses in a deep shade and white swainsons tied with yellow satin ribbons.

Mrs. Paul B. Scholten, attending the bride, wore a red and white print.

Mr. Scholten assisted Mr. Nivison as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception for the immediate families was held in the grandparents' home. An interesting fact is that both the bride and her mother were born and married in the St. John home at Central park.

The bride was born in Holland and attended Holland public schools. She has been employed at the National Biscuit Co. The groom, also born in Holland, received his schooling here and is employed by the Chris-Craft Corp.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Nivison left on a wedding trip to Chicago and the Wisconsin dells.

## Woman's Club Is Ready To Serve Community

With its 1942-43 program geared to the needs of the day, the Woman's Literary club, which will open its forty-fifth season with a luncheon in the Warm Friend tavern Oct. 6, will provide its membership extensive opportunities for patriotic service.

Under the leadership of Mrs. George A. Pelgrim, president, the club serves a manifold purpose in the community. Personalized information on world situations, current literature, American ideals and attitudes, has been incorporated into the series of outstanding programs arranged under the direction of Mrs. John Dethmers, program chairman.

Drama, art and music also will be included in the programs which may be the means of "preserving balance in outlook, attitudes, conversation, home and church relations." It was pointed out by Mrs. Pelgrim, in her message to club members.

Chairmen of the various club committees and departments have been appointed and already are planning for the greatest possible service to the community.

Mrs. Ted Du Mez and Mrs. Kenneth De Pree are co-chairmen of the Public Affairs committee, which will keep in close touch with local civilian defense program. Mrs. Warren S. Merriam will head the Civic Health committee which has furnished several key workers and is co-operating in the city and county Red Cross program. Mrs. Jacob Lokker is chairman of the Hospital committee which will continue to maintain supplies for Holland hospital.

Parent education and special psychological study of children in war times will be taken up by the Child Study group under the chairmanship of Mrs. James E. Ward, and the Camp Fire committee, "guarding the morals and morale of youth," will be headed by Mrs. Albert Timmer, assisted by Mrs. Peter Van Donsela, Jr.

Other committee chairmen include:

## Two Women Are Hurt in Accident

### Treated in Hospital Following Mishap on Road at Saugatuck

Two Holland women were injured at 1:30 a.m. Saturday in an automobile accident which occurred on US-31, just south of the Kalamazoo river bridge between Saugatuck and Douglas.

The injured were Mrs. Violet Siegers, 31, 98 West 29th St., and Mrs. Orville Gentry, 28, 602 Reed Ave. Both women were treated in Holland hospital and Mrs. Gentry was released after being treated for multiple bruises.

Mrs. Siegers suffered an injury to her right hip but an x-ray examination revealed no fracture. She remained in the hospital overnight and was released this forenoon.

Driver of the car was Mrs. Gentry's husband. The two women were in the rear seat and Mr. Gentry and Mr. Siegers who were in the front seat were not injured.

It was reported the accident occurred when another car whose driver's name could not be learned struck the Gentry car from the rear. Gentry was en route to Holland.

## Death Claims Gordon Bosch

Gordon Jay Bosch, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bosch, 674 Washington Ave., died at 2:30 a.m. Tuesday in his home after an illness of two months with leukemia.

Survivors are the parents, two brothers, Bobby Jerome and Laverne Dale; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Bosch of Drenthe and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lemmen, route 2, Holland.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 1:30 p.m. at the home, private, and at 2 p.m. at the Bethel Reformed church with the Rev. Charles Stoppels officiating.

## Overisel

Employees of the Fillmore creamery and their families enjoyed a hamburger fry and roller skating last Thursday evening at the Zeeland Grange hall. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Nienhuis, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Nienhuis and children, Wayne and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nienhuis, Mr. and Mrs



## Steffens Again Crowned Local Softball Champs

Race Ends in Defeat Of Tailors; All-Stars Lose to Flint Team

Steffens Food market, the 1941 city champions, won the 1942 crown Friday night in Riverview park by defeating Dykema Tailors, 9-3, in a playoff game to decide the champion for the first half of the season.

Steffens had won first place in the second half of the league's scheduled games. Had Dykema's won the contest, the victory would have given this team first place for the first half of the season and a three-game city series would have been played to determine the city championship.

In the featured game of the evening, the Flint Colored Yellow Dogs scored a 9-3 victory over the City League All-Stars. The two softball games were witnessed by a large crowd of local sports fans.

The All-Stars gained a two-run lead in the first inning but a run in the third, three in the fourth and five in the fifth inning gave the visitors their victory.

In the first inning, Tony Westerhof was walked and went to second when Ed Hulst was walked. Heinie Buurman's sacrifice advanced both runners. Keith Conklin also was walked to fill the bases. Gil Van Wieren singled to right field to score Westerhof but Hulst was tagged out at home on the throwin. Conklin scored the second run on Claude Dykema's single to center field.

Wells scored for the visitors in the third inning after sending a single into center field. Runs were counted in the fourth inning by Grandberry, Pea and Bates. Bates sent a home run into center field in the fifth to score Hamilton and Grandberry ahead of him. Other runs were made by Cotton and Ross.

Charlie Van Wieren scored the All-Stars another run in the sixth inning when he was walked. He scored on a catcher's error.

Cotton and Grandberry, relieving the former in the sixth inning, pitched for the Yellow Dogs and allowed the All Stars five scattered hits.

Dutch Schuurman started on the mound, was relieved in the fourth by Ade Woldring. Charlie Bauman took over the pitching assignment in the fifth and was replaced by Ed Bos in the seventh.

Steffens Food Market displayed to Dykema's in the first inning they were after a win and the city championship by scoring five runs in the first inning.

Jim Crozier was walked, went to second when Skeeter Bouwman singled through the pitcher's box. Both runners advanced a base on a wild pitch. Tony Bouwman was walked to fill the bases. Fred Handberg doubled to center field to score Crozier and Bouwman and Handberg.

For Dykema's, Gil Bos scored a run in the first inning by doubling to center field. He went to third when Wes Vryhof grounded out and scored on Corky Weener's two bagger into left field.

Crozier scored his second run in the fifth inning when he was walked, went to third on a pitcher's error and scored on Heinie Buurman's single to center field.

Len Steffens reached first on a third baseman's error in the sixth inning and scored when Pres Bos sent a three-base hit into left field.

Dykema's added two more runs in their half of the sixth. Wes Vryhof singled to left field and went to second when Tony Westerhof was walked. He scored on Corky Weener's single and Westerhof tallied when Claude Dykema singled.

Steffens counted two more runs in the seventh inning when Buurman was walked, he reached third when Bouwman singled to center field. Bouwman advanced a base on a wild pitch and both runners scored on De Witt's single to center field.

Pres Bos held the losers to seven scattered hits, struck out three batters and walked one. Corky Weener was touched for nine hits, he struck out five batters and walked five.

**Admits Selling Meat Without License Here**

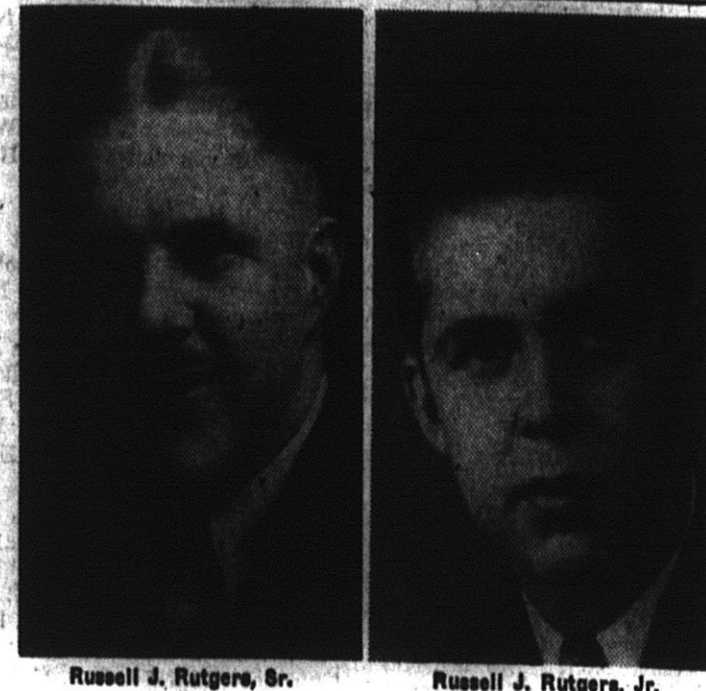
Ralph Brink, 57, of East Saugatuck, appeared before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith on Friday to plead guilty to a charge of selling meat without a butcher's license. He was assessed a \$10 fine and \$4.15 costs which he paid.

Brink had pleaded not guilty on a previous arraignment and date for his trial had been set for 9 a.m. today.

Alexander Mackay, 37, Holland, pleaded guilty to a charge of failing to have a peddler's license. He also paid a \$10 fine and \$4.15 costs. Police Officer Ernest Bear swore to the complaint.

## Father and Son in War

Russell Rutgers, Who Served in Other World Conflict, Joins VOC; Son in Marine Corps



Russell J. Rutgers, Sr.

Russell J. Rutgers, Jr.

With the acceptance of the father as a volunteer officers' candidate in the U.S. army, Russell J. Rutgers, Sr., and his son, Russell J. Rutgers, Jr., 21, 39 East 20th St., today became the first father-and-son combination in Holland to enlist in the nation's armed forces.

The senior Mr. Rutgers made application for a VOC rating and recently received notice of his acceptance. He has been ordered to report Monday, Aug. 24, at Fort Custer from where he will be sent to an army camp for training.

The junior Rutgers enlisted in the U.S. marine corps last April 21 and is now stationed at Camp Elliott, San Diego, Cal.

Mr. Rutgers is a well known local businessman, having operated a tailoring business here for the past 18 years. He reported today that the business will be operated under the management of Cecil Van Duren.

Mr. Rutgers, 42, had four months' service in the army during World War I and served four years in the national guard.

He was born in Holland Sept. 11, 1900, to the late Mr. and Mrs. John J. Rutgers. He was graduated from Holland high school in 1919, attended Hope college for one year and business college for one year.

As a VOC, Mr. Rutgers will receive 13 weeks' basic training and then attend school for three months after which he will be commissioned in the army.

Russell Rutgers, Jr., was born in Holland Jan. 10, 1921. He was graduated from Holland high school in 1940. With a private's rating, he has received medals for sharpshooting and bayoneting since joining the marines.

Mrs. Rutgers will continue to make her home in Holland. Miss Shirley Rutgers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rutgers, Sr., plans to enter Harper hospital at Detroit for a three-year course in nurses' training.

Miss Coral Bremer, sister of Mrs. Rutgers, is a first lieutenant and superintendent of nurses of Harper Hospital medical unit which recently was called up for duty in the army.

ed church, Muskegon. Dr. Harry J. Hager of Bethany Reformed church, Chicago, will speak at the City Mission Sunday at 2:45 p.m. on the subject "Bush Aglow." The evening service at 7:25 p.m. will be in charge of the young people's Fellowship club, a group from various churches.

The Rev. Raymond Schaap, who has been vacationing here, returned to his home in De Motte, Ind., last week where he performed a marriage. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Schaap of 52 East 18th St., accompanied him to Indiana, returning Friday night. Rev. Schaap will occupy the pulpit in Grace Reformed church, Grand Rapids, Sunday.

Mrs. Nicholas K. Brouwer of Drenthe underwent a major operation in Zeeland hospital Friday morning. She is reported "as well as can be expected."

Mrs. Frank Diepenhorst and David, Mrs. John Kroll and Hazel Anne, spent Thursday in Grand Rapids at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Stoepker and family.

Miss Peggy Glassing who has been camp counselor at Fort Sydney, Ontario, this summer are charged yesterday to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. G. A. Glassing and her aunt, Miss Hannah Parkyn, at 18 East 13th St.

John Cobane of Grosse Pointe park has been spending this week as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. F. F. Yonkman and family also of Grosse Pointe park in the George Albers' cottage at Idlewood beach.

Jane Menken of 479 Central Ave. submitted to a tonsillectomy in Holland hospital Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Brink and family have moved from 104 East 21st St. to their former home at 116 West 13th St.

The Misses Mary Jane Vaupell and Elizabeth Arendshorst left by train Wednesday for a trip to Yellowstone national park, Salt Lake City, Denver and other points of interest in the west.

The Rev. J. T. Holwerda of Midland park, N. J., will conduct the morning service at Central Avenue Christian Reformed church. The afternoon and evening services will be in charge of the Rev. L. Veltkamp, former pastor, who is now of Drenthe.

Orlo Park of Lake City, Mich., paid costs of \$1 to Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith on a charge of illegal parking.

**Otsego Couple Winners In Saugatuck Arts Ball**

Saugatuck, Aug. 20 (Special) —Mr. and Mrs. Leon Carruthers of Otsego were first prize winners in the annual arts costume ball at Saugatuck Friday night, gala event at the summer colony.

Mr. Carruthers wore the uniform of an Annapolis midshipman and Mrs. Carruthers was dressed as a southern belle of Civil War days.

Another outstanding prizewinner was Ed Towne, editor of the Otsego paper, who wore an authentic Pottawatomie Indian chief's costume. He has been adopted into the tribe. Second prize was won by two boys in scarecrow costumes wearing placards reading "Scare the Axis" and "Crow for America." A Raggedy Ann and Andy team and two boys dressed as skeletons also won prizes.

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## Dead Transient Identified Here

Man Killed on Trestle By Train Revealed to Be Pennsy Resident

The transient who was killed on last Thursday when struck by a Pere Marquette passenger train while he was sitting on a trestle over Black river near the Waverly roundhouse was identified here as Daniel Mulligan, 70, of Sharon, Pa.

William Gannon, 64, 120 1/2 Lyon St., Grand Rapids, made the identification at Dykstra's funeral home.

Gannon told Coroner Gilbert Vande Water and Deputy Sheriff Edward Brouwer that he had known Mulligan for the past two years. The last time he saw him was Sunday, July 26, at Northport where they had been picking cherries. At that time, Mulligan told of having a sister who resides in Sharon, Pa.

Gannon said he learned of the transient's death Thursday night in Muskegon and came here to see if he could make the identification. He expressed belief that Mulligan was en route to Fennville where he had worked the past several years on the Tom Smith farm, making apple crates.

Gannon told officials that Mulligan suffered a light stroke about a year ago in front of the Fennville hotel and that he was slightly deaf in his left ear.

Examination of Mulligan's body disclosed that the right side from the shoulder to the hip had been severely crushed. His neck also was broken and the right arm almost severed.

Throughout Thursday afternoon, officials made an extensive investigation to identify the transient's body. Deputy Sheriff Edward Brouwer visited the nearby hobo camp and found various transients who had seen but did not know Mulligan.

Various belongings were found in the pockets of his clothing but there were no identification papers. Eighteen cents which had been wrapped in a handkerchief also was found on the body.

One old hobo with gray whiskers who had been seen in Mulligan's company the past few days was taken off a Pere Marquette freight train at Muskegon but he said he knew the transient as "Joe" who lived near Muskegon. The aged transient had boarded the freight train which left here at 1 p.m. Thursday.

The impact threw Mulligan's body into the river from where it later was recovered by Charles Roberts, 198 East Ninth St., a railroad section worker.

## Olive Center

New seats and reading tables for the school have been received through the Kellogg program. The remodeling and other improvements will have to wait until materials are available.

Robert De Jongh of Lansing visited his father, Jake De Jongh, Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Brady left last week to join her husband who is stationed in Camp Bowie, Tex. Pvt. Brady was reported to have left Texas, but later information revealed that he will remain in Texas for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Duisterwinkle and Gordon of Grand Haven visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Redder Sunday afternoon.

A group of young men honored Claude Boers at a farewell party Wednesday evening at the town hall prior to his leaving for the army on Friday. Games were played, refreshments were served and Mr. Boers was presented with a gift.

Elaine and Lila Veldheer spent several days last week with their grandmother Mrs. Kate Veldheer, at her home in Crisp.

Mrs. Jack Nieboer accompanied Mrs. Charles Risselada, Mrs. Peter Kalkman and Mrs. Henrietta Rooks of Holland to Hamilton Friday afternoon where they were entertained at the home of Mrs. Andrew Lohman.

## Holland Youth Enlists For Navy Air Training

Detroit, Aug. 20 (Special) —Lloyd H. Gunther, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gunther, Sr., 37 East 21st St., Holland, has been enlisted for flight training in the U.S. navy reserve. A graduate of the Holland high school, Gunther was employed recently by the Western Machine Tool works.

He will be held on inactive duty until called to a class at the navy's pre-flight school at the State university of Iowa in Iowa City. Eventually, he will be transferred to Pensacola, Fla., or Corpus Christi, Tex., for advanced flight work.

## Girl of Grand Haven To Study to Be Nurse

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 (Special) —Miss Maryellen Poel, who has been employed in the office of the Ottawa county probate court for the past two years, left her employment Saturday and Sept. 9 will enter Calvin college, Grand Rapids, where she will study for one year after which she will enter Blodgett hospital in Grand Rapids for a two-year nurse's training course.

Miss Poel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Poel, 503 Fulton St.

Miss Doris Weiling of Grand Haven has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Poel's resignation.

## Dress-up Show Concludes Successful Summer at Lincoln School



One of the concluding events of the summer recreational season at Lincoln school playground recently was a dress-up show which attracted many children in costumes of their own devising. The affair closed a successful season at the school where Miss Hazel Haupt, Miss Merry Had-den and Russell Welch were play supervisors.

Shown at upper left are the Ooms children and Crystal Walters as the grandmother, C. B. Ooms and Junior Ooms. Two smaller Ooms' children are in the prize-winning foreground.

The upper right photo shows Marjorie and Paul Becker and Mary Hardy who formed a prize-winning trio.

The bride and groom at lower left are Shirley Nonhof in the wedding gown and Patricia Nonhof in the togs of the bridegroom. At lower right are Delphine Schaffer, left, Joan Van Houdt of Detroit, center, and Lee Ann Treado, right, Shirley Long is the tot in the front.

## Local Club Told Of Dutch Loyalty

Declaring that most people in The Netherlands before the German invasion thought "it can't happen here," Dr. B. H. Sajat, formerly a prominent physician and councilman in Amsterdam, speaking to the Holland Kiwanis club at the weekly meeting in the Mooring Friday night, told the grim story of life under Nazi domination and his dramatic escape to England and warned Americans of the ruthlessness of the conqueror and our seeming complacency.

Dr. Sajat, who has been on a lecture tour in the United States as a representative of the Dutch government in exile, was introduced by Willard Wichers, director of the Netherlands Pioneer and Historical foundation. In precise English and with an apt mixture of humor, Dr. Sajat told of the loyalty and sacrifice of the people and their hatred of the Nazis and their "protector" whom Hitler had put in control of the country. He expressed confidence in the spirit of his people and their ultimate freedom.

The club elected as delegates to the state convention to be held in Saginaw in the fall James Klomparsens, Art Alderink and Leo Ebel, with Lou Stemphy, Henry Streus and John Van Dam as alternates. Guests of the club were Lieut. D. C. Bloemendaal, former doctor of Zeeland, who spoke briefly on army life at Fort Custer; Peter Van Der Leek, Jerry Van Lente, William Streur and John Zwieringa, of Holland; and Leonard Murphy of Grand Rapids.

## Den Herders Feted Twice For 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin F. Den Herder of 265 West 21st St., who observed their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday were honored at a surprise party in their home Saturday night by a group of relatives and friends. They were presented with a table by the group.

Attending the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Klomparsens of Muskegon, Mr. and Mrs. B. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. H. Troost, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Boomgaars and Mr. and Mrs. B. Molenaar.

The Den Herders entertained a group of friends Thursday night with a chicken dinner at Boone's Kuntz Kitchen in honor of their anniversary. Following the dinner games were played in the recreation room of the Den Herder home and prizes were awarded. Decorations were bouquets of mixed garden flowers. The honored guests were presented with a lamp and a lunch was served.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Gary Prins, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stroop, Mr. and Mrs. Arie Buurman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oonk, Mr. and Mrs. Harminius Bouwman, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bouwman and Mr. and Mrs. Den Herder.

## September Bride Feted at Shower

A surprise shower was held Friday night in the home of Cornelia Bouman, 54 West 29th St., honoring Miss Harriett Stekete, who will become the bride of Kenneth Deur in September. Games were played, with prizes going to the Misses Bernette

## Olin Episode Is Recalled Here

The arrest of Oscar Raymond Olin, 56, at Galveston, Tex., as an escaped prisoner from Southern Michigan prison is recalled by Dave O'Connor, former local police officer, and Hans Dykhuis, former Ottawa county sheriff.

Olin escaped from the state prison in 1918 while serving a 20 to 40-year prison sentence on a statutory charge which involved a 14-year-old girl.

O'Connor recalled that he and Dykhuis, who was the sheriff at the time, arrested Olin and the girl about 9:30 p.m. at night aboard a lake boat at the former Graham and Morton docks, shortly before it was scheduled to sail for Chicago. At the time O'Connor had been a police officer only a short time and Henry Dykhuis, father of Hans Dykhuis, was chief of police.

O'Connor is now employed as a guard at the municipal power plant.

Dykhuis who served as sheriff in 1913-1914, recalls that Olin attempted to break jail at Grand Haven.

Dykhuis said the escape was attempted Jan. 9, 1914, 10 days after Olin's arrest. He and a prisoner named Lynch, who the former sheriff believes, was held for taking a can of paint from a hardware store in Grand Haven, improvised torches, using the jail cleaning fluid as fuel.

Rafters were burned away and two of the slate shingles on the jail roof removed when Dykhuis, on periodic jail inspection, found the men making blankets into a rope ladder. He discovered the burned jail roof immediately and the men gave no trouble.

The record shows Olin pleaded guilty to the attempted jail break Jan. 12 and was convicted of rape by a jury Jan. 23. Louis H. Osterhaus, now Grand Haven city attorney, was the county prosecutor and Charles E. Misner, another former city attorney, was defense counsel.

Judge Oren S. Cross, the predecessor of Judge Fred T. Miles, who now has a law practice in Holland, sentenced Olin to 20 to 40 years with recommendation of 20 years, the record, prepared by Jacob Glurum, county clerk at the time, shows. Glurum now lives in Grand Rapids.

## Girl's Leg Is Broken In Douglas Accident

Miss Betty Kouw, 16, of Saugatuck, suffered a fractured femur of the left leg in an accident involving two trucks on US-31 at Douglas at 1:15 p.m. Friday. She was then taken to Holland hospital in the Dykstra ambulance. She underwent an x-ray examination and was to have undergone an operation there today to have the broken bone wired.

Miss Kouw is reported to have been riding in a truck driven by George Baker. Involved in the accident was a truck belonging to Rooks Transfer Lines, Inc., and driven by Lorraine Smith of Holland.

**FINISHES COURSE**  
Chasute Field, Ill., Aug. 13 — Pvt. Arend Styl, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Styl, 43 West McKinley St., Zeeland, Mich., was graduated recently from the Chanute Field school of the army air forces technical training command.

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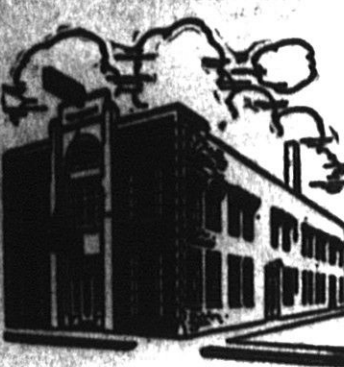
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## A SENSE OF PROPORTION

That Kent county farmer who is now serving a term of 90 days in jail because he stubbornly refused to put out a kerosene lamp during the test blackout is the perfect illustration of what it means to be without a sense of proportion. Not a few people accepted that blackout with a half-smiling grin, not taking it seriously. Whether they were all wrong in that does not matter much. The point is that the vast majority of American citizens took it seriously as a precautionary measure. When a single person here and there set up his individual judgment against the massed judgment of the population as a whole he made a display of such stupid individualism that about all that could be done with him was to put him in a place where there is no chance of individualism of any kind.

In itself individualism is splendid. The person who dares to think for himself, and who moreover dares to act on the conclusions he reaches in defiance of the crowd, is worthy of all honor. Many of the great movements of history have resulted from the thinking of such people. Events have proved over and over again, moreover, that the majority is by no means always right; in fact, the majority is about as likely to be wrong as right. There are plain things when it is the duty of an individual to oppose the majority—and to reconcile himself to suffering the consequences of his individualism.

But no man in his right senses starts a one-man revolution because he has to go without cuffs on his trousers or for any other trivial reason of that sort. What- ever he may or may not think about the necessity of such things, he simply complies. It is the only way in which we can possibly remain any kind of united nation.

The vast majority of people feel that such precautions as that of the test blackout are necessary for the security of the public. The Kent county farmer, and all others who disagree, belong in a place where they will be in no position to make their dissent effective. Not that they are an immediate danger to the public, perhaps not even because they may be a potential danger in the somewhat vague future. They deserve what they get because they are purely stupid. Any person as stubborn as that for such trivial reasons is so far on the way to mental stagnation that some sort of an institution appears destined to receive him. There are times when it is a crime for a citizen to make himself ridiculous. This should be remembered in the future if and when surprise blackouts are called.

## THE CHURCH INVITES YOU

Democracy is the product of belief and action. It is rather remarkable, therefore, that there should be many people in America who say that they believe in God, and religious liberty, and the indispensability of spiritual factors to the maintenance of democracy, who yet do little to exercise their right to worship God. They neither go to church, nor help to support it nor participate in its program. Their belief in freedom of worship is best known by their neglect of it, or by their refusal to worship at all. This is comparable to the refusal of people to go to school, who say that they believe in education. Why not accept the invitation and come to church next Sunday?

## Local Group Paying for Bicycle Safety Booklets

Mayor Henry Geerlings reported today that 1,000 safety booklets which are to be distributed to local bicycle riders are being printed with funds donated by local businessmen and manufacturers. He said the group contributed about \$250 to have these booklets printed. Distribution of the booklets was resumed Monday afternoon by the police and fire board to common council's public safety committee and the local safety council.

## Sunday School Lesson

August 23, 1942

Jacob's Vision of God—Genesis

28:10-22

By Henry Geerlings

The Bible is rich in character studies. I doubt if there is another family in the Bible whose members we know so intimately as we do the family of Isaac and Rebecca and their two sons. They stand before us as though they lived in our community. We see the same difference in families, the same contrast between children, the same dealings and ambitions and false standards and broken homes. What happened back yonder is happening today. Both history and biography are repeating themselves. We are not very different from those who helped to make history in its initial stages.

It is an evil day when a boy falls into the hands of a misguided mother. That is a hard word to write, when we remember how much the most of us owe to our mothers and yet it is true. All apologies aside it was necessary for Jacob to get away from home before a man could be made of him. A mother may be well-meaning, but that is not enough. She must know the truth, be loyal to it, and put deception and trickery out of her heart. A mother had better play with fire than indulge in lying and cheating before her children. Shady principles for parents will mean shadier principles for their children.

Leaving home brings a crisis into the lives of most young people. With some it is more critical than with others. It is unfortunate when a boy or girl must leave home because a shadow rests upon some member of the family. Neither Jacob or his mother ever thought that the gaining of a birthday through more than a questionable method would mean the break-up of the family. But sin has the habit of breaking us apart and driving us out from one another.

The hard places yield the largest blessings. Was it not so with Jacob? At home he had it easy. He was petted and he enjoyed every comfort. But he had no dreams there. He set out on a long journey, under a hot sun, with no comforts, but with deep heart-searchings. When far from home, with a stone for a pillow, with no companion, he dreamed, and the God about whom he had been taught many things appeared to him.

We dread the hard places, but they are the fruitful places. They yield large returns. They send the thoughts to Godward. They show us our need of that Friend who sticketh closer than a brother.

Sin unforgiven never leaves the soul at peace. It was probably 40 years before this that Jacob had wronged Esau. One would think that by that time all its scars would have been healed and the wrong forgotten. But if we may judge from the experience of Jacob we know that the memory of sin lingers long, and after decades we are like Jacob, "Greatly afraid." So long as wrong is not righted and forgiveness won, the conscience will trouble us. We may bury our sin out of sight, years may pass by, but the day will come when we will be required to face the old facts and failures. The evil we do follows us consistently as do our shadows. We may try to fling them from us and bury them out of sight, but they rise to haunt us.

The face of the future is greatly changed when we have carried all that frightens and burdens and disturbs us to God. Jacob had to meet Esau. He knew he would be forced to square an old account. He knew that his brother had a long memory. He had not forgotten that Esau long before had threatened to kill him, and that probably the same spirit of murder was still in his heart. The only thing that Jacob right now could do was to take the matter to the Lord in prayer. This he did in the utmost sincerity. Whether he was aware of it or not, that prayer had not only wrought a transformation in his life, but it had also brought about a change in the heart of Esau. Prayer does change things. When we meet God we are better able to meet our fellows.

Religion means change, and more change. The trouble with Jacob was, he wanted to represent God among men and at the same time live like a worldling. In his intercessory prayer our Lord let his disciples know that they were to be in the world but not of it. The world in which we find ourselves in our sphere of action and service, and the reason Christ has not taken us to be with Himself is because he wants us to represent Him before men.

## Group Enjoys Picnic At Ottawa Beach

A party was held at Ottawa beach Thursday night in the form of a picnic dinner. Horseshoe and other games were played.

Attending the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meusen, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Overway and Roger and Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Overway, Mr. and Mrs. John Kroll, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kroll and Hazel, Anne and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Diepenhorst and David, all of Holland; and Miss Scully of New York who is visiting with the Henry Overway family.

## Holland In 1912

Unless all signs fail there is going to be a large crowd of people present at the special council meeting that is to be held this evening, began a story in the Wednesday, Aug. 14, issue of the Holland Daily Sentinel published in 1912. The special meeting was called for the purpose of receiving and taking under consideration the petition relative to granting a referendum vote on the establishing in Holland of licensed saloons.

Andrew Judson Kolyn, son of Prof. Matthew Kolyn of this city, just graduated from the law department of the University of Michigan, obtaining the degree of "Juris Doctor," has associated himself in partnership with Attorney George A. Farr of Grand Haven.

Before the end of the present week the first steps will be taken toward beginning the construction of the new high school building the cost of which is to approach the hundred thousand dollar mark.

To counteract the petition that was recently presented to the common council asking that the baseball fence and grand stand be removed on the ground that they are a public nuisance, the lovers of baseball have gotten up another petition asking that the fence and grandstand be not removed. The petition is now complete and bears 282 names.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hop of Beaverdam have issued invitations to the approaching marriage of their daughter, Maggie, to Henry J. Beld which will take place at their home on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 23, at 2:30 o'clock.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. Van Zomeren of Cleveland, O., arrived in the city today. They expect to spend a month's vacation in this vicinity and are at present at Mrs. Van Zomeren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dahman, 46 East 13th St.

Miss Alva Miller who has been the guest of Miss Rope Bruuse for the past two weeks has returned to her home in Kalamazoo.

Miss Gertrude Van Lopik of Denver, Colo., is visiting in Zeeland with Mr. and Mrs. E. Van Lopik.

The fishing tug H. J. Dornbos of Grand Haven brought into that port one of the largest catches of chubs in years. The catch amounted to 3,525 pounds. Less than 30 minutes were required last night by the fishermen to discuss the business before the special meeting that was held to consider the so-called liquor question, according to a story in the Thursday, Aug. 15, issue. Alderman Mersen made a motion that the matter be postponed and voted on at the fall election. This motion was immediately supported by Ald. Brogger and it passed by a six to three vote.

The home of Dr. H. J. Poppen, M. D., corner of River Ave. and Sixteenth St., was the scene of a reunion of the Poppen family which consisted of the mother, Mrs. John Poppen, Sr., five brothers and two sisters.

A very pretty wedding took place last evening when Miss Madge Luscomb and La Verne Jones were united in marriage by the Rev. P. E. Whitman at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Luscomb, 376 Pine St.

Programs are out for the 33rd annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union of Ottawa county which is to be held in this city at Hope church, Aug. 22 and 23.

Frank Nelson was given a pleasant surprise by a number of friends Wednesday evening in his home on East Eighth St., the occasion being his 32nd birthday anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Looman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boersma, Misses Alice Gibbs, Alice Badgley, Martina Meller, Messrs. Willie Mattison, Leonard De Free, Allen Badgley and William Looman.

Misses Nellie De Spelder and Helene Huizinga and Peter Plum have returned from their seven weeks' visit to Minnesota, Iowa and Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Stafford and daughter, Marie, of Chicago are visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott at Jensen park.

Miss Maude Van Drezer entertained yesterday afternoon in honor of Misses Anna and Louise Warnshuis who will leave next

week for Kentucky. Miss Anna Warnshuis has taken a position there as kindergarten teacher and Miss Louise Warnshuis will teach in a high school.

One of the prettiest of the summer weddings took place last evening in Hope church when Miss Ann Susan Schuelke, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Paul F. Schuelke was married to the Rev. James Theodore Veneklaas of Stillwater, N. Y. A lengthy story of the wedding appeared in the Friday, Aug. 16, issue.

City Engineer Naberhuis has had his troubles the last few days in connection with the mixing of asphalt for the first stretch of pavement on West 12th St. Although all possible precautions had been taken and the city engineer got up at day break each morning in order to test all the processes through which the asphalt had to pass, somehow it would not work. The pavement was soft and would break easily and the work progressed very slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Cappon accompanied by the Misses Irene and Louise Bruuse will leave in the near future on an automobile trip to Cedar Rapids, Ia.

The following births were reported for Zeeland—To Mr. and Mrs. T. De Jonge, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. A. Raven Zwaai, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. J. De Goede, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Essenberg, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. A. Overweg, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. J. Jelsema a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. D. Meeuwse a boy.

While playing near her home on Pine St., little 12 year old Florence Beckford fell and broke her arm.

Charles Cooper, formerly of Holland and well known in this section of the county, has moved from Holland to Decatur, Ind., where he is in charge of the large sugar factory.

The annual picnic of the Holland Old Settlers' association of Grand Rapids was held yesterday at North park about 700 members attending. The Concordia band of Grand Rapids played.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. Smittler left Tuesday for Sioux Center, Ia., where they will spend their vacation during the balance of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Hees of Shreveport, La., visited friends and relatives in Zeeland.

Mrs. James Cook and daughter Ethel of Zeeland left Wednesday for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Chicago.

## Beaverdam

Norma Hungerink is a guest of relatives in Oberlin, O., for a few weeks.

The Rev. and Mrs. James Schut of Matlock, Ia., are visitors this week with the Rev. and Mrs. A. Tellingshuisen.

A ladies' quartet from Bethany Reformed church, Grand Rapids, rendered special music at the afternoon service of the Reformed church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sharpe and little daughter of Zeeland were guests Sunday at their parents' home Mr. and Mrs. H. Ohlman.

Ted De Jonge was inducted in the army at Kalamazoo Monday, he has a two-week furlough and will leave Aug. 25.

The Sunday school picnic of the Reformed church was held at Hughes grove near Hudsonville Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Galen, Jack and Karen of Holland were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowman.

Mrs. Will Barnes returned home Thursday evening from a four-week visit with relatives in Omaha, Neb.

Lesley Doorneweerd of Holland is spending a few days with Alfred Bowman.

## Children Enjoy Party At Ottawa Beach Oval

Mrs. C. J. Westrate entertained for her son, Jack, at a party at Ottawa beach Friday afternoon, the occasion being his fifth birthday anniversary. The group enjoyed swimming, a wiener roast, and later were served dessert at a table decorated with a birthday cake and favors. Mrs. Jack Shouba assisted Mrs. Westrate.

Guests were Herbert Pollock, James Pollock, Henry Mass, Robert Schoon, Philip and Timothy Beerthuis, Billy and Phyllis Vandenberg, Mary Ellen Schrottenboer, Betty Klomprens, Myron Bontekoe, Rose Marie and Terry Brink, and Keith Himebaugh of Washington, D. C.

## Local Men in the Armed Forces

G. Alvin Boeve, son of Sheriff and Mrs. William M. Boeve of Grand Haven, is now on active duty with the U. S. Marines "somewhere in the Pacific." Born in Holland, Jan. 2, 1921, he attended Holland public schools and high school. He enlisted in the marine corps in December, 1941 and left Jan. 9, 1942 for San Diego, Calif., where he received basic training. Prior to his enlistment he was employed as a machinist at the Keller Pneumatic Tool Co. in Grand Haven. He left the United States in March.

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A marriage license was secured today by Squire Fairbanks for Bert Riemersma and Miss Minnie Lamers.

The Rev. T. W. Mullenburg will be installed tonight at the First Reformed church at Grand Haven. The Rev. C. C. John of this city will assist in the ceremony.

The Rev. A. W. De Jonge of this city and Miss Kate Van Zanten of Grand Haven were married Tuesday evening at Grand Haven, the Rev. J. Van Houte of this city officiating.

The Rev. H. Kremers and family of Rushford, Minn., are visiting relatives and friends here for two or three weeks.

The Rev. James F. Zwemer of Orange City, Ia., has been called to the Seventh Reformed church at Grand Rapids. The Rev. T. W. Mullenburg was formerly pastor at that church.

Chief of the fire department, L. T. Kanters and members John C. Dyke, and Mr. Jansen attended the annual meeting of the state association of firemen at Manistee, Wednesday and Thursday.

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# Dutch Barrages In Three Innings Defeat G.R. Nine

Holland Pushes Seven Runs Across in One Frame for 12-2 Win

Scoring all of their runs in three innings, the Flying Dutchmen chalked up a 12-2 victory over Nick's Cafe of Grand Rapids Thursday night in Riverview park in a game called at the end of the eighth inning due to darkness.

The Dutchmen started their scoring spree in the third inning with four runs. Bob Vanden Berg scored the first run after singling to center field. Harry Brenner's double to left field scored Loran Wenzel and Lloyd Driscoll who had reached base on singles. Brenner then scored when Elmer Van Wieren singled to left field.

A single run was counted in the fourth inning when Harry De Neff singled to center field, stole second, reached third on a catcher's error and scored when Ken Vanden Berg tripled to center field.

The big inning came in the fifth when the winners sent seven runs across home plate. Driscoll was walked and reached third on Van Wieren's double to right field. Ken Rotman's single scored Driscoll and Van Wieren.

Jimmy Shevlin, playing first base in place of Teusink, was walked, went to second on Bob Vanden Berg's single. Harry De Neff was walked to fill the bases. Ken Vanden Berg's single scored Shevlin and advanced the other two runners. Loran Wenzel's single scored Bob Vanden Berg and sent De Neff to third base who then scored when the catcher erred. Driscoll, coming to bat for the second time in the same inning, singled to center field, scoring Ken Vanden Berg and Loran Wenzel.

A short stop's error in the sixth inning allowed Nick's to score two runs. Ball and Calandrino reached base on singles, advanced a base when Anderson flied out and scored on the resulting error.

Bob Vanden Berg started the game for the Dutchmen but was replaced in the seventh inning by Allen Piersma. Kenna started on the mound for the visitors but was knocked out of the box in the fifth inning.

	AB	R	H
Mulvey, ss	3	0	1
Ball, 2b	3	1	1
Calandrino, 3b	3	1	2
Anderson, 1b	2	0	0
Miller, cf	4	0	0
La Brenz, c	3	0	1
Moran, rf	4	0	0
Jaffas, lf	1	0	0
Mulvey, lf	3	0	0
Kenna, p	1	0	0
Larson, rf	2	0	0

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Holland (12)	29	2	5
De Neff, 2b	3	2	1
K. Vanden Berg, ss	4	1	3
Wenzel, c	4	2	2
Driscoll, rf	4	2	2
Brenner, 3b	4	1	1
Van Wieren, cf	4	1	3
Rotman, lf	4	0	1
Shevlin, 1b	3	1	0
B. Vanden Berg, p	3	2	2
Piersma, p	1	0	0

Nick's Cafe	000 002 00	— 2	5
Holland	004 170 0x	— 12	15

# Chicago Resident Drowns in Lake

Allegan, Aug. 20—While fishing alone on Swan lake in Cheshire township, Allegan county, seven miles southwest of Allegan, Joseph M. Connors, 25, of Chicago was drowned Sunday.

Connors was seen by other fishermen on the lake to stand up suddenly in his boat and fall overboard.

The body was recovered several hours later by Vernon Brindley, who was assisting Deputy Harry Grooters, who investigated the accident. Justice Volney Ferris acted as coroner.

The body was taken to the Wicket and Peck funeral home in Bloomingdale.

(The drowning in Allegan was one of five in Michigan over the week-end. Drownings were reported at Monroe, Lowell, Detroit and Flint. Traffic accidents were fatal to at least four persons in Michigan.)

# Native of Ottawa Dies At Son's Home in Ohio

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 (Special)—Mrs. Ellen Buswell, died Saturday in Akron, O., at the home of her son, Henry W. Buswell. She was the widow of the late Henry Buswell, pioneer lumberman and mill owner. The family was prominent in Grand Haven in the olden days and left here many years ago.

She was born in Nunica and her maiden name was Ellen Cavanaugh.

**HURT AT WORK**  
Lowell Michener, route 5, Holland, was treated early Sunday in Holland hospital for lacerations on his left arm and elbow. The hospital reported he had been hurt while at work at the Holland Furnace Co.

# Will Marry Former Holland Man



From Columbus, Ohio, comes the announcement by Professor and Mrs. H. G. Good of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Rachel Good, to Dr. Calvin A. VanderWerf, son of Mrs. A. VanderWerf of Holland. Since her graduation from the Ohio State University, Miss Good has been an executive secretary at the Municipal Y. W. C. A. of Columbus.

Dr. VanderWerf was graduated from Hope College in 1937 and holds a Ph. D. degree in chemistry from the Ohio State university.

After their marriage in Columbus on August 22, the couple will be at home in Lawrence, Kans., where Dr. VanderWerf is an assistant professor of chemistry at the University of Kansas.

# Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)  
Miss Phyllis Bittner is spending a few days in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Kampen, Sr., 81 West Ninth St., spent the week-end with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur J. Wormuth in North Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Kampen, Jr., and family, have moved from their home in Holland to Jackson where Mr. Van Kampen has accepted employment with the Goodyear Co.

The women of the First Methodist church will have an all day sewing meeting Wednesday. Those attending will bring their own sandwiches and coffee will be furnished.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Eagles will have a boat ride and wiener roast for members Wednesday evening. The boat will leave Kollen park at 6 p.m.

The Beechwood Boostettes will hold a wiener roast Wednesday evening at Ottawa beach on the channel side. Members are asked to meet at the school at 7 p.m.

Mrs. J. E. Telling has returned to her home on the Park road after visiting for a few days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Meeske in Gary, Ind.

Miss Martha Sherwood arrived home Monday from Grand Haven where she has spent some time with her brother, B. P. Sherwood and family.

Mrs. N. Dykhuizen and the Misses Geraldine and Adelaide Dykhuizen returned to their summer home on Lake Macatawa Monday night after spending a week in Chicago.

Donna Mae Vande Vusse is spending a week in Fennville with her cousin, Jane Hogmire.

# G.H. Physician Will Join Army

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 — Dr. Willard Rypkema, Grand Haven physician who has been commissioned a first lieutenant in the medical corps of the U.S. army, will leave Friday for Chicago to report for duty at the sixth service command.

He is the first local physician to be called into the army, although two Spring Lake doctors, Dr. Kenneth Wells and Dr. Fred DeYoung, left in July for assignments to duty, both commissioned first lieutenants.

Dr. Rypkema has been here for three years to establish his first private practice. He is a member of the Ottawa County Medical association, Kiwanis club and Chamber of Commerce and is a member of the staff of Municipal hospital.

He is married and has two children, the youngest a son about three weeks old.

He is a graduate of the medical school at the University of Michigan. He attended Junior college at Bay City and was graduated from Calvin college at Grand Rapids, where his home was before coming to this city.

Mrs. Rypkema and the children will remain here until such time as Dr. Rypkema may be established at some camp in the United States for any length of time.

Dr. Fred DeYoung, who was assigned to Selfridge field in July has been named as one of several lieutenants in the army medical corps for overseas duty and it is expected that he will be leaving any day.

Dr. John Kitchell of this city is taking over the practice of Doctors Wells and DeYoung.

# WMC Summer Grads to Complete Work Friday

Completing work for degrees and certificates with a class of 64 members at the end of the nine weeks' summer session of Western Michigan college, Kalamazoo, Friday will be Joan Margaret Borgards and John Henry Maat of Holland. Miss Borgards will receive a bachelor of arts degree and Maat will get a state elementary provisional certificate. No graduation exercises have been planned.

Other members of the class from this vicinity follow: Mary Carolyn Creason of Fennville, bachelor of science degree and state elementary provisional certificate; Fannie Janet Bultman of Hamilton, bachelor of arts degree; Estelle E. Sebright of Hopkins, state limited certificate; Irene Bouman of Martin, state limited certificate; and Beverly Jeanne Crippen of Plainwell, state limited certificate.

# Lt. Donald Scheerhorn Praises English Spirit

Mr. and Mrs. B. Scheerhorn of 451 College Ave. have received a letter from their son, Lt. Donald E. Scheerhorn in which he praises the bravery of the British. Lt. Scheerhorn, serving with a transport group of the army air corps, is thought to be stationed "somewhere in Great Britain" as he writes of the London raids.

Excerpts from the letter which was dated July 27 follow: "I'm well and happy and being treated royally here. I saw the London raids. They are terrible. In spite of this the people go right on as if nothing had happened. They all seem in high spirits and talk none of their hardships. They just say they 'can take anything the Jerries give them.' I hope the Americans will have the same spirit after three hard years of war."

# Howard Kronmeyer At Sioux Falls Camp

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 20 — Howard C. Kronmeyer, who enlisted in the U. S. army air forces last May 28 at Fort Custer, has arrived here for assignment with the 809th technical school quadron.

Mr. Kronmeyer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Kronmeyer of Hamilton. In civilian life, he was manager of the College Tailor shop in Holland, Mich. He attended Hope college for two years.

His post activities include playing on the baseball team.

It is possible to make both ends meet without being crooked.

# Former St. Louis Mayor Vacationing at Waukazoo

Among the visitors this week at Waukazoo inn is Victor Joseph Miller, former mayor of St. Louis, Mo., who plans to remain at least another two weeks at this resort hotel on Lake Macatawa.

Mr. Miller served two four-year terms as mayor of St. Louis, taking office in April, 1925, and serving until 1933. He claims to have been the youngest man ever elected mayor of that city.

In a reminiscing mood last Friday night, he told an interesting story of his experiences while he was mayor of St. Louis. He told his story to E. P. Stephan, former mayor of Holland and now secretary-manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Miller said he was instrumental in establishing the pension fund for St. Louis policemen. He also was the organizer of the famous "Mayor's Christmas party" for underprivileged children. The former mayor claims he is vitally interested in the welfare of underprivileged children and he went to great efforts to help them. He saw to it that they attended baseball games in St. Louis and were provided with other entertainment.

Mr. Miller lists among his acquaintances, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, and says that he (Miller) was one of the "Lone Eagle's" backers who provided the money that enabled Lindbergh to purchase the "Spirit of St. Louis" in which he made his famous flight from New York city to Paris, France, in 1927. He said all were repaid.

Apparently having made a study of international affairs, Mr. Miller feels the prevailing war will be brought to a quick conclusion and he listed several reasons upon which he based his opinion.

Mr. Miller was born in Joplin, Mo., Dec. 6, 1888, to Julius C. and Ida Jane Miller. He graduated from Joplin high school in 1906, student of University of Missouri in 1907 and 1908 and received his LL. B. from Washington university in 1911. He was admitted to the bar in 1911 and began his law practice at St. Louis. According to Who's Who in America (1933-33), Mr. Miller was Republican candidate for governor of Missouri in 1924.

He also has served as president of the St. Louis board of police commissioners.

He said St. Louis residents are proud of their parks, their libraries, municipal auditoriums and the municipal opera which is strictly local, in that the participants and musicians must be local residents, and that anything used in connection with the opera must be produced locally in St. Louis.

There is a plentiful supply of lamb now and it is an excellent summer meat, either hot or cold. Cold cuts are a good choice for an August meal and can be served with a hot vegetable or a potato dish. The best supply is still short so much is needed for the armed forces.

The best fruit and vegetable buys over the week-end will be eastern apples, avocados, limes, oranges, peaches, cabbage, celery, corn, greens, onions, peppers and potatoes.

Planned by Vivian Whaley, these menus offer suggestions for Sunday dinner:

<b>Low Cost Dinner</b>	<b>Very Special Dinner</b>
Baked Stuffed Frankfurters	Peach and Melon Ball Cocktail
Scalloped Noodles	Carrot Curis
Green Beans	Ripe Olives
Enriched Bread	Leg of Lamb with Mint Sauce
Gingerbread	Oven Browned Potatoes
Iced Tea or Iced Coffee	Green Peas
<b>Medium Cost Dinner</b>	Lettuce and Cucumber Salad
Lamb Pie with Biscuit Top	Enriched Bread
Baked Eggplant and Tomatoes	Chocolate Floating Island
Fresh Fruit Salad	Iced Coffee
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Cheese and Crackers	
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# Boy Hurt When Struck by Auto

A five-year-old boy was struck and a motorist received a traffic summons in a series of automobile accidents which occurred in Holland over the week-end.

William Funckes, 5 River Ave., suffered an injured right ankle and a bump on his head when he was struck Saturday about 8:50 p.m. on River Ave., 300 feet north of Madison place, by a car driven north by Frederick Jay Bakker, 22, route 2, Holland.

The boy received treatment at the office of a local physician. Local police said the boy came from behind a parked car in crossing from the east to the west side of River Ave. Lawrence Geiger, route 1, Holland, was listed as a witness.

William Mosher, Benton Harbor, received a traffic ticket for failing to have his car under control following an accident Sunday on River Ave. Police said Mosher's car crashed into the rear of an automobile driven by John Weber of Evanston, Ill.

A motorcycle ridden by Robert B. Myrick, 353 College Ave., reportedly crashed into a boulevard light pole on the northeast corner of 12th St. and River Ave. Sunday. Myrick reported to police he swerved the motorcycle to avoid hitting a truck.

Automobiles driven by Harold J. Elders, route 1, Holland, and Dr. Paul Osborne, route 4, Holland, were involved in an accident Saturday at 12:15 p.m. at Eighth St. and College Ave.

An accident occurred Saturday at 14th St. and Maple Ave. between cars driven by Dick Holboom, 122 East 21st St., and John Van Zoeren.

Bill Ten Trinkl, 333 West 31st St., reported his car was involved in a minor accident with a vehicle driven by Jacob Rosema of Chicago.

Former North Blendon Pastor Navy Chaplain

Dr. Leonard DeMoer, former pastor of North Blendon Reformed church, has accepted a position as chaplain in the navy and will be stationed at Harvard university. For the last year he has been director of religious education at Huron college, Huron, S. D. He is a graduate of Western Theological seminary and Princeton university.

# Hits Wife With Bottle, Negro at G.H. Is Fined

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 (Special)—Eugene Wolfe, 44, 1321 Franklin St., colored, was arraigned on a charge of assault and battery before Justice George V. Hoffer Saturday afternoon and upon his plea of guilty was assessed a fine of \$25 and costs of \$5.80.

Wolfe, who was arrested by city police about 4 a.m. Saturday is alleged to have inflicted bodily injuries with a bottle upon his wife during a quarrel.

Mrs. Wolfe was taken to Municipal hospital for treatment for scalp wounds.

# Give War calls the green light!

The weight of war on the telephone lines grows heavier day by day. We can't build enough new lines to carry the added load because materials are even more urgently needed for planes, tanks and ships.

So it's up to all of us to help clear the voice highways for vital military and war production calls.

Before you make any Long Distance call, stop and ask yourself:

1. Is it necessary?

2. Will it interfere with war calls?

And please keep all your calls — local or Long Distance — as brief as you can. Remember — WAR CALLS MUST GO THROUGH!

MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

# TAXPAYERS ATTENTION!

## 1935 and Prior Unpaid Taxes

It is important for you to know the provisions of the Ten Year Installment Plan (P.A. No. 28 of 1937) which provides for the grouping of 1932 and prior taxes under one total, and the grouping of 1933, 1934 and 1935 taxes under one total, and these totals to be divided into ten equal installments.

### Eighth Installment of 1932 and Prior Taxes Now Due

Collection fee of 2% added to installment if paid BEFORE Sept. 1, 1942. Additional penalties if paid on or after Sept. 1, 1942.

### Sixth Installment of 1933-1934-1935 Taxes Now Due

Collection fee of 2% added to installment if paid BEFORE Sept. 1, 1942. Additional penalties if paid on or after Sept. 1, 1942.

### Balance of Installments of 1935 and Prior Taxes

May be paid at any time before matured date (Sept. 1st of each year) with a collection fee of 2%. Any installment not paid by Sept. 1st of the year it is due, is considered delinquent and there will be additional interest of 1/4 of 1% per month. Special assessments carry interest at the rate of 1/2 of 1% per month since date of return on 1933, 1934 and 1935 and since Sept. 1, 1935 on 1932 and prior taxes.

### Entire Unpaid Taxes of 1935 and Prior Years

Will be offered for Sale in May of 1943 if eight installments of 1932 and prior years and six installments of 1933-1934-1935 years have not been paid. Unpaid 1940 and prior tax will also be offered for sale in May of 1943.

## IMPORTANT!

In order to pay the next installment, take one-tenth of your original tax and add 2% for collection fee.

**FRED DEN HERDER,**  
OTTAWA COUNTY TREASURER

(Published in Accordance with Act No. 28 of Public Acts of 1937.)

## But It's True

**DeWitt Komen,**  
OF CHICAGO, FALLS, MASS.  
IS THE 14th CONSECUTIVE  
OLDEST SON IN HIS  
FAMILY TO BEAR THE  
SAME FIRST NAME!

**RATS -**  
CAUSE \$200,000,000  
WORTH OF DAMAGE  
IN THE U.S. ANNUALLY

**THE HOUSE MADE OF A  
HOLLOWED-OUT METEOR!**  
HOME FOR THE LAST 15 YEARS  
OF GEORGE FRANKLIN AND  
HIS CHILDREN -  
RED HAT, COLORADO.

**THE BIBLE THAT WEIGHS  
1044 POUNDS AND IS  
EIGHT FEET HIGH -**  
MADE BY LOUIS WYNNAI  
AND HIS DAUGHTER THERESA  
OF LOS ANGELES



## Annual Financial Standing of Holland Is Shown in Tabulated Compilation

# Holland's Annual Settlement 1941-42

CITY OF HOLLAND, MICHIGAN

Annual Settlement 1941-42

Covers Period March 15, 1941 to March 16, 1942

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

GENERAL CITY OPERATING FUNDS	
Balance—March 15, 1941	\$100,320.82
Receipts during period	434,446.14
Disbursements during period	\$472,817.06
Balance—March 16, 1942	61,959.91
	\$534,676.96
GENERAL CITY SINKING FUNDS	
Balance—March 15, 1941	\$ 14,519.83
Receipts during period	32,376.34
Disbursements during period	\$ 32,320.75
Balance—March 16, 1942	14,575.42
	\$ 46,896.17
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUNDS	
Overdraft, March 15, 1941	\$ 9,128.34
Receipts during period	\$ 11,639.09
Disbursements during period	\$ 9,569.65
Overdraft, March 16, 1942	7,068.90
	\$ 18,697.99
TRUST FUNDS	
Balance, March 15, 1941	\$ 119,732.28
Receipts during period	381,791.29
Disbursements during period	\$ 772,721.25
Balance, March 16, 1942	228,808.43
	\$1,001,534.67
DETAIL OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF GENERAL CITY OPERATING FUNDS GENERAL FUND	
Balance, March 15, 1941	\$ 44,371.45
Receipts during period	65,322.30
Disbursements during period	\$ 87,944.21
Balance, March 16, 1942	22,256.54
	\$110,194.76
DETAIL OF GENERAL FUND Receipts	
Current taxes collected	\$ 10,555.92
B. P. W. taxes collected	17,442.10
Delinquent real and personal taxes collected	17,928.16
Intangible tax—refund from state	5,111.40
B. P. W.—Tax obligation	2,419.18
Liquor commission—Refund on beer licenses	2,448.15
Municipal court—Court costs	2,817.25
Building permit fees	1,190.50
Riverview Park receipts	514.03
Rents—City property	2,415.01
License fees—General	384.00
Soft Drinks, Restaurants, etc.	428.00
Pool, billiard and bowling	147.00
Gasoline pumps	248.00
Peddlers, etc.	697.00
Poundmaster—Dogs redeemed	29.00
Tulip Time Committee—Watchmen's services	148.96
Sale of material	145.31
Transfer from Special Assessment— water main collections	198.94
Fee and interest on reassessed taxes	391.63
Miscellaneous receipts	95.57
	\$ 65,322.30
Disbursements	
Common Council	
Salaries—Mayor and Aldermen	\$ 700.00
Printing council proceedings, etc.	585.09
Michigan Municipal League dues	145.00
Travel expense	144.29
	\$ 1,594.38
City Clerk	
Salary—Clerk	\$ 2,784.49
Salary—Asst. Clerk	1,530.00
Salary—Bookkeeper	1,323.05
Office Supplies	388.29
Telephones	61.13
Miscellaneous	34.00
	\$ 6,181.96
City Treasurer	
Salary—City Treasurer (B.P.W. \$900)	\$ 1,400.00
Clerical	477.12
Insurance	64.10
Office Supplies	115.64
Telephones	26.00
Miscellaneous	16.16
	\$ 2,109.92
City Attorney	
Salary—City Attorney	\$ 1,372.10
Travel expenses	35.00
	\$ 1,407.10
City Assessor	
Salary—Assessor	\$ 2,686.54
Clerical help	590.05
Board of Review	156.00
Office supplies, etc.	74.29
Envelopes and postage, mailing tax bills	153.20
Travel expense	18.00
Telephone	51.24
	\$ 3,726.34
ELECTION EXPENSE	
Salaries—election boards (2 elections)	\$ 425.20
Salaries—janitor service	25.00
Printing and advertising	116.00
New voting booths	97.11
Miscellaneous	28.85
	\$ 702.56
CITY HALL	
Salaries—Janitors	\$ 2,456.40
Fuel	1,481.83
Light and water	452.05
Insurance	107.25
Decorating	68.65
Revamp electric wiring system	825.00
Janitor supplies, etc.	429.91
Miscellaneous	64.24
	\$ 5,997.56

Mrs. Peter Dornbos expense	\$ 380.15
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moss expense	334.91
Mrs. Minnie Jones expense	425.35
	\$ 1,140.41
MUNICIPAL COURT	
Salary—Judge	\$ 2,410.14
Salary—Clerk	614.00
Bond for 6 year term	187.80
Office supplies	364.50
Telephone	32.50
	\$ 4,604.75
RECREATION	
Playground completion appropriation	\$ 1,900.00
Riverview Park expense	2,467.20
Slating pond expense	614.76
Tennis courts expense	54.52
Kollen park expense	54.35
Miscellaneous	54.83
	\$ 5,090.86
MISCELLANEOUS	
Chamber of Commerce—Advertising	\$ 2,400.00
American Legion band—Music	2,300.00
B.P.W.—Street Lighting—Overhead lamps	2,062.00
B.P.W.—Street Lighting—Ornamental	2,061.14
B.P.W.—Making gas tests	342.00
B.P.W.—Water main assessments	905.25
B.P.W.—New fire alarm	1,189.25
B.P.W.—Repair and paint wooden shoe signs	173.80
B.P.W.—Expense of checking radio interference	49.85
B.P.W.—Christmas Lighting	92.03
Merchants' association—Christmas Lighting	300.00
Armour & Co.—Purchase of Tannery property	19,787.76
City Treasurer—	
Special assessments cancelled by state law	865.06
Annual audit	300.00
Expense—Entertain Princess Juliana	80.00
Maintenance of city property	464.81
Expense of drinking fountains	62.58
Prepare briefs, travel, etc., new channel extension	751.93
Dues—Great Lakes Harbor association	50.00
Memorial Day expenses	57.00
Civilian defense expense	237.61
Miscellaneous Tulip Time expense	161.56
Salary—Building Inspector	534.05
Salary and expense—Foundmaster	1,128.00
Maintenance of clinic and museum buildings	1,232.43
Miscellaneous expense	281.50
Transfer to new cemetery development	7,370.84
Transfer of delinquent taxes collected	7,161.03
	\$ 56,112.20
GAS AND WEIGHT TAX FUND	
Balance, March 15, 1941	None
Receipts during period	\$ 42,067.14
Disbursements during period	\$ 44,491.97
Overdraft—March 16, 1942	11,424.83
	\$ 54,491.97
GAS AND WEIGHT TAX FUND Detail Account	
Balance—March 15, 1941	None
Transfer from Street Fund	\$ 10,787.46
Board of county road commissioners	21,244.68
Refund on empty cement sack returned	622.60
Received from property owners on culvert construction	410.40
	\$ 43,065.14
Disbursements	
General labor	\$ 14,155.27
Pipe, gravel, cement, etc.	10,572.47
Purchase of new truck	2,300.00
Purchase of road planer	619.00
Purchase of pump and motor	461.55
Purchase of Voss property	9,041.30
Driving piles—Pine Ave. storm sewer	7,104.00
Supplies and repair	2,473.23
Truck rental	3,052.16
Gas and oil	199.02
Trunk Line Maintenance— First 2 quarters of 1941	2,854.33
Miscellaneous	23.26
	\$ 54,491.97
STREET FUND	
Balance—March 15, 1941	\$ 32,332.30
Receipts during period	55,128.22
Disbursements during period	\$ 50,979.43
Balance—March 16, 1942	36,990.30
	\$ 87,951.62
Detail Account	
Current taxes collected	\$ 30,075.03
Delinquent taxes collected	1,239.51
B.P.W.—Tax obligation	7,043.00
State Highway—trunk line maintenance	9,499.50
Gasoline refunds	892.26
Sale of Gas and Oil	1,263.26
Sale of other material	502.77
Truck rental from gas and weight tax fund	8,111.99
Pavement repairs	776.83
Sidewalk licenses	55.00
Miscellaneous	521.22
	\$ 55,128.22
Disbursements	
Salary—City Engineer	\$ 2,300.00
General labor	21,688.50
Trucks	6,571.64
Supplies and repair	5,592.48
Pipe, cement, gravel, etc.	1,508.97
Telephone	61.14
Gas and motor oil	2,708.43
Light and water	64.60
Heat	348.50
Road oil	2,460.81
Transfer to Gas and Weight Tax Fund	10,787.46
New coupe	442.25
New boiler for heating warehouse	1,068.44
New sidewalk snow plow	1,048.53
Insurance on automobiles	162.41
Sidewalk construction	153.44
Compensation insurance	100.00
Miscellaneous	242.25
	\$ 50,979.43
WELFARE FUND	
Balance—March 15, 1941	\$ 1,560.24
Receipts during period	15,377.65
Disbursements during period	\$ 10,005.54
Balance—March 16, 1942	6,932.35
	\$ 16,932.35
Detail Account	
Current taxes collected	\$ 11,332.24
Delinquent taxes collected	442.26
B.P.W.—Tax obligation	2,662.00
Balance of impounded funds	688.06
Dirk Van Oort estate—Refund on hospital bill	155.00
	\$ 15,377.65
Disbursements	
Salary—Director (1-3 total salary)	\$ 422.00
Salary—Investigator	960.15
Salary—Janitor services	392.00
County Treasurer—City's share of relief	6,997.34
County Treasurer—Infirmary expense	1,510.43
Burial	29.00
Miscellaneous	22.15
	\$ 10,005.54

HOSPITAL FUND	
Balance—March 15, 1941	\$ 2,000.00
Receipts during period	77,106.30
Disbursements during period	\$ 77,251.73
Balance—March 16, 1942	7,854.57
	\$ 85,174.87
Detail Account	
Current taxes collected	\$ 2,962.00
Delinquent taxes collected	180.50
B.P.W.—Tax obligation	900.00
Payments on Land Contract	90.00
Receipts from patients	72,023.23
	\$ 77,106.30
Disbursements	
Superintendent and nurses	\$ 28,274.08
Laboratory technician	2,000.00
Other help	10,770.93
Fuel	2,072.00
X-Ray expenses	2,005.72
Floor insulation	400.00
Venetian blinds	621.54
Extractor for laundry	410.00
Labor on grounds	420.34
Insurance premiums	240.00
Drugs and surgical supplies	3,994.05
Other supplies and repairs	5,872.08
Provisions	9,781.50
Dry goods	320.55
Electricity and water	1,672.30
Gas	197.75
Telephones	718.21
Office supplies and furniture	637.36
Specimen exams	520.08
Miscellaneous	547.16
	\$ 77,251.73
POLICE DEPARTMENT	
Balance—March 15, 1941	\$ 1,172.98
Receipts during period	36,676.14
Disbursements during period	\$ 38,156.27
Overdraft—March 16, 1942	307.15
	\$ 38,156.27
Detail Account	
Current taxes collected	\$ 25,982.36
Delinquent taxes collected	659.72
B.P.W.—Tax obligation	6,063.00
Refunds on operators and chauffeurs licenses	1,169.50
Officers' fees	529.05
Trunk line maintenance	171.36
Gasoline refunds	20.03
Miscellaneous sales	45.04
B.P.W.—Special police at power plant	1,908.98
	\$ 36,676.14
Disbursements	
Salaries—Chief of Police	\$ 2,288.00
Patrolmen	20,602.00
Extra and special police	2,596.96
School traffic officers	2,171.00
Guard at Kollen Park	279.45
Tulip Time traffic officers	645.29
Special police at power plant	1,808.98
License clerk	1,067.45
Office clerical	78.75
Sanitary services	845.50
Swi-car and motorcycle	761.48
New automobile	283.00
Signs	674.69
Compensation insurance	100.00
Refunds to county sheriff	130.40
Street painting	190.06
Gas and oil	994.40
Motor equipment maintenance	652.19
Light and water	545.54
Telephone and telegraph expense	197.63
P.M. crossing lights	54.91
Traffic signal expense	375.51
Target practice	442.57
New resuscitator	310.50
Special police badges	84.00
Revolvers	78.35
Office and other supplies	896.65
Miscellaneous	467.82
	\$ 38,156.27
FIRE DEPARTMENT	
Balance—March 15, 1941	\$ 6,932.46
Receipts during period	50,267.41
Disbursements during period	\$ 57,756.73
Overdraft—March 16, 1942	560.80
	\$ 57,756.73
Detail Account	
Current taxes collected	\$ 37,304.98
Delinquent taxes collected	1,302.23
B.P.W.—Tax obligation	8,712.00
Collected for outside fires	2,400.00
Sale of old fire truck	625.00
Gasoline refunds	12.17
	\$ 50,267.41
Disbursements	
Salaries—Chief	\$ 1,000.00
Salaries—Full time drivers (6)	11,244.50
Salaries—Volunteers (25)	7,000.43
Firemen's Benefit Ass'n—outside fires	1,275.00
Compensation insurance	1,000.00
New pumper	9,945.50
Hose	1,225.00
Addition and Improvements to Engine House No. 1	2,403.27
Overhead doors Engine House No. 1	500.00
Architects fees	177.77
Lay new sewer at Engine House No. 1	154.30
Painting old fire truck	125.00
Transfer to fire truck replacements fund	1,200.00
Hydrant service	12,404.16
Fuel	576.54
Light and Water	91.00
Telephone service	100.00
Gas and Oil	102.77
Laundry—supplies and repairs	815.57
Miscellaneous	197.47
	\$ 57,756.73
FIRE TRUCK REPLACEMENT FUND	
Transfer from Fire Dept. Fund	\$ 1,000.00
Disbursements	none
Balance—March 16, 1942	\$ 1,000.00
	\$ 1,000.00
PARK DEPARTMENT	
Balance—March 15, 1941	\$ 2,000.00
Receipts during period	27,247.50
Disbursements during period	\$ 25,244.34
Balance—March 16, 1942	4,003.16
	\$ 30,153.50
Detail Account	
Current taxes collected	\$ 20,552.57

Delinquent taxes collected		781.59
B.P.W.—Tax obligation		4,889.00
Holland Hospital—care of ground		420.34
Riverview Park—care of ground		124.00
Received from property owners for care of trees		219.00
Miscellaneous receipts		59.84
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		\$27,247.50
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Disbursements		
Salary—Superintendent	\$ 2,239.51	
Salary—Labor, regular	14,967.98	
Salary—Labor Tulp Lanes, etc.	1,594.00	
Purchase of tulip bulbs	2,357.16	
Repairs to windmill	145.00	
Improve triangles on State Street	300.11	
Insurance on buildings and equipment	59.79	
Compensation insurance	100.00	
Hose	124.00	
Lumber	260.28	
Re-roof warehouse	109.75	
Paint	82.30	
Cement and gravel	82.32	
Spray oil	66.00	
Ladders	40.04	
Light and power	323.63	
Water	634.90	
Fuel	525.36	
Seeds and shrubs	174.65	
Fertilizer	151.40	
Gas and oil	224.83	
Garage rent	26.00	
Auto maintenance	217.47	
Supplies and repairs	728.80	
Miscellaneous	10.22	\$ 25,944.34
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CEMETERY		
Overdraft—March 15, 1941	\$ 1,641.23	
Receipts during period		\$ 17,059.90
Disbursements during period	23,627.02	
Overdraft—March 16, 1942		3,208.60
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	\$ 25,268.40	\$ 25,268.40
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Detail Account		
Receipts		
Current taxes collected		\$ 6,370.58
Delinquent taxes collected		143.27
B.P.W.—Tax obligation		1,492.00
Interest on investments		716.04
Sale of burial lots		2,608.50
Annual upkeep		2,061.50
Interments		2,062.50
Cement work		826.28
Miscellaneous receipts		117.43
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		\$17,059.90
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Disbursements		
Salary—Superintendent	\$ 1,895.00	
Salary—Clerical	62.50	
Salary—Labor	11,640.40	
New truck	1,340.00	
Power mowers (2)	267.05	
Electric trimmer	217.50	
Casket truck	100.22	
Hose	269.82	
Snow plow for new truck	157.24	
Weed killer	155.97	
Seed	70.40	
New sprinklers	90.00	
Audit of books	150.00	
Insurance	70.92	
Cost of filling urns	62.50	
Drapes for chapel	65.00	
Uniform allowance	24.00	
Cement and gravel	27.58	
Auto maintenance	94.61	
Transfer to perpetual care fund	125.00	
Materials for new warehouse	3,322.63	
Light, power and water	1,511.56	
Fuel	169.70	
Telephone	54.78	
Gas and oil	142.65	
Supplies and maintenance of equipment	1,224.36	
Office supplies	190.22	
Miscellaneous	126.16	\$ 23,627.02
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HEALTH DEPARTMENT		
Balance—March 15, 1941		\$ 678.26
Receipts during period		4,128.15
Disbursements during period	\$ 3,531.31	
Balance—March 16, 1942	1,265.20	
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	\$ 4,816.51	\$ 4,816.51
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Detail Account		
Receipts		
Current taxes collected		\$ 2,961.60
Delinquent taxes collected		103.05
B.P.W.—Tax obligation		700.00
Milk licenses		216.00
Meat licenses		127.50
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		\$ 4,128.15
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Disbursements		
Salaries—Health officer	\$ 999.96	
City inspector (1,500.00 total salary)	1,050.45	
Nurse	1,054.21	
Gas and oil	69.22	
New car	268.43	
Auto insurance and maintenance	19.76	
License plates	19.40	
Miscellaneous	8.25	
Telephone	41.63	\$ 3,531.31
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LIBRARY FUND		
Balance—March 15, 1941		\$ 6,362.57
Receipts during period		10,295.44
Disbursements during period	\$ 7,912.12	
Balance—March 16, 1942	8,745.88	
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	\$ 16,648.01	\$ 16,648.01
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Detail Account		
Receipts		
Current taxes collected		\$ 4,977.91
Delinquent taxes collected		215.70
B.P.W.—Tax obligation		1,000.00
Municipal Judge—Ordinance fines		4,366.00
Peoples Bank—Dividend on impounded funds		10.38
Library fines and fees		500.00
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		\$ 10,295.44
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Disbursements		
Salaries—(4) library employees	\$ 4,915.65	
New books	1,414.91	
Subscriptions	240.95	
Rebinding	121.48	
Light	162.71	
Rent	500.00	
Insurance on contents	51.00	
Supplies	471.23	
Miscellaneous	24.20	\$ 7,912.12
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COMPENSATION INSURANCE		
Balance—March 15, 1941		\$ 2,901.21
Receipts from various city departments		1,900.00
Receipts from Trunk Line maintenance		62.14
Disbursements for compensation paid	579.00	
Disbursements for medical care	100.00	



# Holland's Annual Settlement

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Disbursement for hospital 3.00  
Balance—March 16, 1942 4,194.95

NEW CEMETERY DEVELOPMENT  
Overdraft—March 15, 1941 5,282.45  
Transfer from General Fund 7,370.84

Disbursements  
Trees and shrubbery 289.85  
Pipe, etc. 164.63  
Meter pit 141.20  
Lumber, cement, etc. 68.10  
Miscellaneous 6.30

Overdraft—March 16, 1942 792.08

Balance—March 16, 1942 8,062.92

B.P.W. TAX ACCOUNT FOR MAIN SEWERS AND FIRE ALARM FUNDS

Balance—March 15, 1941 None  
Receipts during period 24,055.81  
Disbursements during period 25,055.81  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 1,000.00

Balance—March 16, 1942 25,055.81

(Overpayment of \$1,000.00 to Fire Alarm Fund to be deducted from 1942 Tax payment)

DETAIL OF GENERAL CITY SINKING FUND INTEREST AND SINKING FUND

Balance—March 15, 1941 11,981.35  
Current taxes collected 4,314.97  
Bonds paid 4,000.00  
Interest paid 430.00  
Miscellaneous 10.75  
Balance—March 16, 1942 11,815.57

Balance—March 16, 1942 16,246.32

SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM

Balance—March 15, 1941 292.06  
Current taxes collected 14,074.55  
Delinquent taxes collected 447.93  
Bonds paid 12,000.00  
Interest paid 2,450.00  
Balance—March 16, 1942 364.54

Balance—March 16, 1942 14,814.54

ORNAMENTAL STREET LIGHTING

Balance—March 15, 1941 775.06  
Balance—March 16, 1942 775.06

Balance—March 16, 1942 775.06

MAIN SEWER BONDS SINKING

Balance—March 15, 1941 565.45  
Current taxes collected 2,370.44  
Delinquent taxes collected 60.57  
Bonds paid 2,000.00  
Interest paid 440.00  
Balance—March 16, 1942 556.66

Balance—March 16, 1942 2,996.66

NORTH RIVER AVE IMPROVEMENT BONDS

Balance—March 15, 1941 227.43  
Current taxes collected 2,981.60  
Delinquent taxes collected 44.97  
Bonds paid 3,000.00  
Interest paid 67.50  
Balance—March 16, 1942 186.50

Balance—March 16, 1942 3,254.00

GENERAL STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS

Balance—March 15, 1941 478.68  
Current taxes collected 4,963.13  
Delinquent taxes collected 133.32  
Bonds paid 5,000.00  
Interest paid 100.00  
Balance—March 16, 1942 474.13

Balance—March 16, 1942 5,541.13

CEMETERY BONDS NO. 1

Balance—March 15, 1941 249.60  
Current taxes collected 2,870.46  
Delinquent taxes collected 115.40  
Bonds paid 2,000.00  
Interest paid 832.50  
Balance—March 16, 1942 402.96

Balance—March 16, 1942 3,235.46

DETAIL OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUNDS SEWER AND WATER CONNECTIONS

Balance—March 15, 1941 210.40  
Balance—March 16, 1942 210.40

Balance—March 16, 1942 210.40

VAN RAALTE AVE. PAVING

Balance—March 15, 1941 362.43  
Current taxes collected 1,590.06  
Delinquent taxes collected 364.26  
Taxes paid in advance 538.63  
Bonds paid 1,485.00  
Interest paid 356.40  
Balance—March 16, 1942 1,325.02

Balance—March 16, 1942 3,166.42

WEST 20TH STREET NO. 4 PAVING

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 3,047.22  
Current taxes collected 490.01  
Delinquent taxes collected 46.85  
Taxes paid in advance 103.42  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 2,404.94

Balance—March 16, 1942 3,047.22

WEST 21ST STREET NO. 1 PAVING

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 546.03  
Current taxes collected 210.96  
Delinquent taxes collected 23.98  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 311.09

Balance—March 16, 1942 546.03

WEST 16TH STREET IMPROVEMENT

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 14.65  
Current taxes collected 2.94  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 5.71

Balance—March 16, 1942 14.65

32ND STREET IMPROVEMENT

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 1,336.27  
Current taxes collected 484.11  
Delinquent taxes collected 55.27  
Taxes paid in advance 8.20  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 768.41

Balance—March 16, 1942 1,336.27

WEST 21ST STREET NO. 3 PAVING

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 3,461.45  
Current taxes collected 488.57  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 2,972.88

Balance—March 16, 1942 3,461.45

EAST 5TH STREET PAVING

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 2.00  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 2.00

Balance—March 16, 1942 2.00

6TH STREET PAVING  
Overdraft—March 15, 1941 5.00  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 5.00

Balance—March 16, 1942 5.00

SANITARY SEWERS

WEST 32ND STREET NO. 3 SEWER

Balance—March 15, 1941 644.61  
Delinquent taxes collected 46.45  
Balance—March 16, 1942 691.06

Balance—March 16, 1942 691.06

FAIRBANKS AVE. SEWER

Balance—March 15, 1941 403.96  
Delinquent taxes collected 40.35  
Balance—March 16, 1942 444.01

Balance—March 16, 1942 444.01

EAST 12TH STREET SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 195.38  
Current taxes collected 127.50  
Delinquent taxes collected 22.50  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 45.38

Balance—March 16, 1942 195.38

NORTH RIVER AVE. NO. 2 SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 209.00  
Current taxes collected 104.00  
Delinquent taxes collected 56.00  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 269.00

Balance—March 16, 1942 269.00

WEST 7TH STREET NO. 7 SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 20.00  
Current taxes collected 24.00  
Balance—March 16, 1942 4.00

Balance—March 16, 1942 24.00

ELMDALE COURT AND 36TH STREET SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 273.33  
Current taxes collected 235.20  
Delinquent taxes collected 8.40  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 29.73

Balance—March 16, 1942 273.33

WEST 21ST STREET NO. 4 SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 68.54  
Current taxes collected 63.04  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 5.50

Balance—March 16, 1942 68.54

EAST 7TH STREET SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 87.20  
Current taxes collected 40.00  
Balance—March 16, 1942 2.30

Balance—March 16, 1942 40.00

DYKEMA COURT SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 37.88  
Current taxes collected 38.90  
Balance—March 16, 1942 1.02

Balance—March 16, 1942 38.90

LINCOLN AVE.—16TH AND 17TH STREET SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 438.19  
Current taxes collected 192.00  
Delinquent taxes collected 32.00  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 214.19

Balance—March 16, 1942 438.19

WEST 22ND STREET NO. 4 SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 272.82  
Current taxes collected 128.00  
Delinquent taxes collected 28.00  
Taxes paid in advance 14.00  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 104.82

Balance—March 16, 1942 272.82

LINCOLN AVE. AND 30TH STREET SEWER

Overdraft—March 15, 1941 167.15  
Current taxes collected 84.00  
Overdraft—March 16, 1942 83.15

Balance—March 16, 1942 167.15

STATEMENT OF CURRENT TAX COLLECTIONS CITY TAXES

Amount levied for operating expense \$157,469.50  
Amount levied for debt service 32,536.50  
Amount levied for excess of roll 88.96

Total city taxes levied \$190,088.96

Total city taxes collected \$185,191.48

Amount returned delinquent 3/1/42 4,897.48

Total \$190,088.96

SCHOOL TAXES

Amount levied for operating expense \$128,907.95  
Amount levied for debt service 43,000.00  
Amount levied for excess of roll 90.80

Total school taxes levied \$171,998.75

Total school taxes collected \$167,447.79

Amount returned delinquent 3/1/42 4,550.97

Total \$171,998.75

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT TAXES

Amount levied for paving \$3,507.02  
Amount levied for sewers 3,160.56  
Amount levied for C.S.C. 796.43  
Amount levied for paving repairs 2.30  
Amount levied for water mains 1,174.44  
Amount levied for light, power and water 1,716.90

Total Specials levied \$10,358.66

Collected on paving assessments 3,283.65

Collected on sewer assessments 2,351.54

Collected on C.S.C. assessments 717.29

Collected on paving repairs 2.30

Collected on water main assessments 502.57

Collected on delinquent light, power and water bills 465.06

Total Specials collected \$7,823.32

Total special returned delinquent 3/1/42 \$2,035.34

Amount levied \$10,358.66

Amount collected \$8,788.02

Amount delinquent 3/1/42 \$1,570.64

Amount returned 3/1/42 \$49,095.00

Amount assessed \$49,095.00

Amount of real property assessment \$10,099,540.00

Amount of personal property assessment 1,884,375.00

Total assessed valuation \$11,983,915.00

TAX RATE PER M OF ASSESSED VALUATION

City \$15.41 School \$14.41 County \$4.12 Total \$33.94

The foregoing Annual Settlement sets forth a true and correct statement of receipts and disbursements of the City of Holland for the fiscal year ending March 16, 1942 in accordance with the provisions of Section 26 Title XXVIII of the City Charter.

Dated at Holland, Mich., June 26, 1942

OSCAR PETERSON, City Clerk

HENRY GEERLINGS, Mayor

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CITY OF HOLLAND

GENERAL CITY SINKING FUND

STATEMENT OF GENERAL CITY OBLIGATION BONDS OUTSTANDING (BY ISSUES)

MARCH 16, 1942

Name of Issue	Date of Issue	Interest Rate	Balance Outstanding March 15, 1941	Retired	Balance Outstanding March 16, 1942
General Street Improvement	April, 1931	4.00%	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	None
North River Avenue Improvement	December, 1931	4.50	2,000.00	2,000.00	None
Refunding Bonds of 1933 Series "A"	August, 1933	5.00	4,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Refunding Bonds of 1933 Series "B"	August, 1933	4.50	5,000.00	2,000.00	3,000.00
Sewage Disposal System	May, 1935	5.00	55,000.00	13,000.00	42,000.00
General Sewer Cemetery, No. 1	April, 1931	4.00	12,000.00	2,000.00	10,000.00
	December, 1931	4.50	22,000.00	2,000.00	20,000.00
Totals			\$106,000.00	\$ 28,000.00	\$ 78,000.00

CITY OF HOLLAND

GENERAL CITY SINKING FUND

STATEMENT OF GENERAL CITY OBLIGATION BONDS OUTSTANDING (BY MATURITIES)

MARCH 16, 1942

Date of Maturity	Refunding Bonds of '33 Series "A"	Refunding Bonds of '33 Series "B"	Sewage Disposal	General Sewer	Cemetery Bonds No. 1	Totals
1942-43	\$12,000.00		\$12,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$16,000.00
1943-44	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	12,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	32,000.00
1944-45			12,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	26,000.00
1945-46			7,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	11,000.00
1946-47				2,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00
1947-48				2,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00
1948-49				2,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00
1949-50				2,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00
1950-51				2,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00
1951-52				2,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00
Totals	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$43,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$78,000.00

CITY OF HOLLAND

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUNDS

STATEMENT OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS OUTSTANDING (BY ISSUES)

MARCH 16, 1942

Name of Issue	Date of Issue	Interest Rate	Balance Outstanding March 15, 1941	Retired	Balance Outstanding March 16, 1942
Van Raalte Avenue Paving District	November, 1937	4.00%	\$8,910.00	\$1,485.00	\$7,425.00
Totals			\$8,910.00	\$1,485.00	\$7,425.00

CITY OF HOLLAND

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUNDS

STATEMENT OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS OUTSTANDING (BY MATURITIES)

MARCH 16, 1942

Name of Issue	Year of Maturity	1942-1943	1943-1944	1944-1945	1945-1946	1946-1947	Totals
Van Raalte Avenue Paving District		\$1,485.00	\$1,485.00	\$1,485.00	\$1,485.00	\$1,485.00	\$7,425.00
Totals		\$1,485.00	\$1,485.00	\$1,485.00	\$1,485.00	\$1,485.00	\$7,425.00

## Miss Eleanor Bedell Is Wed in Home Ceremony

In a lovely summer wedding

performed by the Rev. William Van't Hof before a background

of palms, ferns, vari-colored gladioli and two seven-branch candelabra Tuesday evening in the home

of the bride's parents, Miss Eleanor Ruth Bedell, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Ernest L. Bedell of 221 West 16th St., became the bride

of Clarence Raymond Hopkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B.

Hopkins, 671 Michigan Ave. The double ring service was read at 8

p.m.

The bridal party, assembled to the strains of the bridal chorus from Lohengrin.

The bride, entering on the arm of her father who gave her in marriage, wore a gown with full skirt of white mousseline de soie and linen-lace bodice fashioned with short puff sleeves and sweet-heart neckline. Her shoulder-length veil was caught by a lace-trimmed tiara. Her only jewelry was a chain and dainty chain, belonging to her mother. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and gardenias.

Miss Hope Hiemenga, as maid of honor, was gown in dusty rose ribbed taffeta fashioned with three-quarter length sleeves, sweetheart neck and full skirt. She carried a bouquet of white-rosed gladioli tied with a wine bow and ribbon streamers extending to the floor.

Miss Shirley Bedell attended her sister as bridesmaid. Her gown was of dark blue ribbed taffeta and she carried a bouquet of vari-colored gladioli tied with a rose bow and long streamers. The gowns of both attendants were cut in old fashioned lines, princess style. They wore matching corsages in their hair.

Preston Hopkins assisted his brother as best man.



## Dutchmen Break Tie in Eighth to Win Over Millers

Score Is Knotted in Fourth When Locals Collect Four Runs

A single run in the eighth inning broke a tie score and enabled the Flying Dutchmen to score a 6-5 victory over the Grand Haven Millers Monday night in River-view park. The game was called at the end of the eighth inning due to darkness.

Jim Shevlin, first man to bat in the eighth, singled through short stop. Bob Vanden Berg served as runner for Shevlin and advanced to second on Cecil Serier's sacrifice. Vanden Berg scored when Harry De Neff sent a single into center field.

Grand Haven gained a two-run lead in the first inning when Dobson was walked and sent to second on Graybiel's single. The bases were loaded when Leach singled. Westerhof's single scored Dobson and Graybiel.

The Dutchmen came back in their half of the first to count a run by Ken Vanden Berg who

singled and went to third on Driscoll's single. An error by the catcher enabled Vanden Berg to score.

The Millers pushed three runs across home plate in the third inning when Leach, Fisher and Carr scored. Three errors by the Dutchmen aided the Millers in their scoring.

However, the locals came back in the fourth inning to score four runs to knot the score. Elmer Van Wieren doubled to center field. An error by the first baseman enabled Shevlin to reach first and sent Van Wieren to third base.

Van Wieren scored after Serier had flied out. Lefty Van Wieren doubled and sent Shevlin to third base. Harry De Neff was walked but was caught out on a throw from first baseman to shortstop but Loran Wenzel reached first on the play and Lefty Van Wieren went to third. Wenzel stole second base and Van Wieren and Wenzel scored on Ken Vanden Berg's two base hit into left field.

Lefty Van Wieren pitched for the Dutchmen, allowing Grand Haven eight hits. He struck out five batters and allowed five bases on balls. Harz started on the mound for the Millers but was replaced in the fourth by Zietlow.

Millers (5)	AB	R	E	H
Dobson, cf	3	1	0	
Graybiel, c	4	1	2	
Workman, 1b	4	0	1	
Leach, ss	4	1	1	
Westerhof, 3b	4	0	1	
Fisher, 2b	3	1	0	
Bolthouse, rf	4	0	1	
Carr, lf	4	1	2	
Harz, p	2	0	0	
Zietlow, p	2	0	0	

Holland (6)	AB	R	E	H
De Neff, 2b	4	0	1	
Wenzel, c	4	1	2	
Vanden Berg, ss	4	1	2	
Driscoll, rf	4	0	2	
Brenner, 3b	4	0	0	
Van Wieren, cf	4	1	1	
Shevlin, 1b	4	1	1	
Vanden Berg, p	0	1	0	
Serier, lf	3	0	1	
Van Wieren, p	3	1	1	
Van Huis (*)	1	0	0	

(\*)—batted for Van Wieren in eighth.

Millers ... 203 000 00—5 8 4  
Holland ... 100 400 01—6 11 5

**FINGER INJURED**  
Ted Dykema, 28, 287 Columbia Ave., was treated in Holland hospital at 2:45 a.m. Friday for a puncture wound of the index finger of his right hand. The hospital reported he was injured while at work at the Holland Furnace Co. No. 5 on the North side.

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## School Project Checks Issued

Checks for rural school improvements in Ottawa county under the Kellogg foundation program were issued at meetings in Zeeland and Grand Haven Monday night.

Ten school districts of North Ottawa were represented at the Grand Haven meeting and the seven townships in South Ottawa were represented at the Zeeland session.

The Kellogg foundation has given \$63,325 for school projects and the amounts will be allocated to the different townships to pay for the equipment which has, in most cases, arrived and will be installed before the school year starts.

The checks, totaling \$63,325 and ranging from \$75 to \$1,200, were issued by D. H. Vande Bunte, county school commissioner, and S. P. Nelson, county superintendent. Mr. Vande Bunte said he expected work in the schools will start soon.

The Zeeland meeting was held at 7 p.m. and the Grand Haven meeting at 9 p.m.

## Not Violators in City's Blackout

The word "violation" was misused in last Thursday's News, concerning Wednesday night's blackout test since all those firms whose lights were reported on were not "violators."

In the case of the Holland State bank, the bank vault light was not a direct violation since this was permitted by regulations issued by Capt. Donald S. Leonard, state commander for the civilian defense corps. However, the persons reporting this light burning felt it was too bright outside to escape detection from the air had an emergency existed.

The blackout regulations provided that all lights and illuminations outside or visible from the outside of any building either through doors, windows, skylights or otherwise were to have been extinguished and kept out during the blackout. Lights inside any building could be kept on or turned on only when shielded through the shades, blinds, curtains, paper, blankets, screens, cardboard or otherwise, so that no light was visible from the outside. Captain Leonard permitted small telephone lights and lights over safes to burn during the blackout.

**AT CAMP POLK**  
Camp Polk, La., Aug. 20 — Second Lieut. Charles Waldo, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Waldo, 279 Wall St., Zeeland, has arrived at Camp Polk for duty with the 11th armored division.

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## Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Charles Peel, 18, third class petty officer in the U.S. navy, is now stationed in Louisiana on coastal patrol duty. He enlisted in the navy June 1, 1942 and received his basic training at Great Lakes Naval Training station, Great Lakes, Ill. He was born in Grand Haven Aug. 23, 1923 and attended Saugatuck high school. He made his home with his sister, Mrs. James Thompson of 603 Highland Ave., Holland, at the time of his enlistment. Previously he had lived in Saugatuck. He was employed by the Lowe Woodcraft Co.



**M. Julian Hop Arrives Here to Visit Parents**  
M. Julian Hop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hop, 321 Central Ave., arrived Sunday night on a furlough to visit his parents and other relatives.  
With the U. S. army air forces, he has been stationed at Los Angeles, Cal., received training in repairing and installation of airplane instruments. He will go to Minneapolis, Minn., where he will be stationed at the municipal airport to carry on this work and receive advanced training.  
Hop, a former guard at Western Machine Tool works, is a brother of Harvey Hop, U. S. navy air force, and Willis G. Hop, chief of plant guards at the Western Machine plant.

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## Nurses Aides Start Training

Mrs. Robert Wilson Is Instructor for Course in Holland Hospital

Holland's first group of Red Cross nurses aides began their first classes of an intensive 80-hour training course in Holland hospital Monday under the direction of Mrs. Robert Wilson, 70 West 12th St., who will serve as instructor.

All lecture and demonstration work will be carried on at Holland hospital, the class meeting for two hours a day the first 31 weeks and three hours a day for the remainder of the seven-week course. The first 35 hours consist of concentrated lecture, demonstration and practice and the last 45 require the aide to work in the hospital under the supervision of the teacher.

Classes will be split up later to allow some class members duty in the morning, afternoon and early evening at the local hospital, Mrs. Wilson said. During the last phase of the training aides will wear the regulation Red Cross nurses aide uniform, the light blue pinafore and white blouse for hospital work. Nurses aides relieve graduate nurses of routine duties but do not administer medicines or drugs.

Duties of nurses aide corps members include bed making, taking temperatures, moving patients and types of work not requiring the skill of regularly trained nurses.

Upon completion of the course each corps member receives a Red Cross certificate, her cap and pin. Members are not allowed to wear the cap until they have successfully completed course requirements and passed an examination. It is necessary for members to be present at each training session as the course is too intensive to permit catching up on missed classes.

After graduation each corps member agrees to give 150 hours of voluntary hospital service annually, a provision which will insure them retaining the abilities they acquire during the training period. There is no compensation for this service which is pledged for the duration of the war.

Mrs. Wilson, the former Maxine Kooker, is well qualified for the instructorship having had experience in private and general nursing following her graduation from the West Suburban hospital, Oak Park, Ill. She has worked on the staff of the Children's

hospital in Chicago and in the physiotherapy department of the West Suburban hospital.

Twelve Holland women and two from Zeeland make up the first class which includes the Mesdames Joe Zoet, C. C. Wood, A. Bock, L. W. Schoon, George Pelgrim, Joe Roerick, Ernest Post, A. Van Lopik, John Van Dyke, W. Vande Water and the Mesdames Agnes Coburn and Anna Berentschot of Holland and Mrs. R. A. De Witt and Mrs. Janet Christensen of Zeeland.

Mrs. John K. Winter is chairman of the local Red Cross nurses aide corps committee.

## Cousins Honored at Farewell Gathering

The home of Ralph Brower of Oakland, was the scene of a farewell party Friday evening when his son, George, and Harold Brower, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Brower were honored. The cousins are leaving August 19 to train as flying cadets in the army air corps after enlisting recently.

The evening was spent socially and in singing hymns. A two-course lunch was served to 52 guests. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brower, Gladys, Lewis, Marvin, Florence, Hazel, Marjorie, Donald and Arlene Brower, Mrs. Albert Van Der Kolk and daughter, Giletta.

Gladys and Russell Brower, Mrs. Harvey Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brower, Goldie, Howard and Verne Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Brower, Gordon, Clarence, Donald, Roger and Alma Gene Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Brower, Gillis, Alvin, Glenn, Justin, Keith, Norwin and Melvin Brower.

Those attending from Grand Rapids were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fleser, Gertrude, Wilma, Joyce Fleser, Mr. and Mrs. John Boersma, Harvey Brower, who was inducted in the army a week ago was unable to attend.

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## Fire Chief of G.H. Serves 25 Years

Grand Haven, Aug. 20 (Special) — Fire Chief Henry J. Hoebeke observed on Monday the 25th anniversary of his service with the Grand Haven fire department, of which he has been chief since 1917.

Chief Hoebeke joined the department as a volunteer fireman during the closing days of the horse-drawn era for fire fighting equipment here in 1917 when the late Anthony Pippel was chief. The department obtained its first piece of motorized equipment in 1919, a hose, chemical and ladder truck. Chief Hoebeke became assistant driver, which was a full time job, in 1921 and was promoted to driver a year later.

About the time Chief Hoebeke became driver the need for pumping equipment was recognized and by 1925 the department had the equipment it now has, a 1,000-gallon pumper and a chemical and hose truck. About that time the two reconstructed a hearse, donated by the late Edward C. Smith, into Grand Haven's first ambulance.

Chief Pippel died in 1933 and Chief Hoebeke then became assistant chief under Edward Boongaard. It was about that time that Chief Hoebeke suffered his only injury as a fire fighter, by

straining his shoulder ligaments in a fall while fighting a fire in the Corey building next to Hotel Ferry.

Chief Hoebeke, upon taking charge of the fire department in 1937, began regular building inspections, and elimination of fire hazards. He estimates that he has made 1,500 such inspections in the five years and about 30 major fire hazards, many of them old buildings, have been eliminated.

Fire loss in the past four years has been low, except for 1940 when Carl's garage burned. That year it was \$71,214. In 1938 it was \$5,263, in 1939, \$5,275; and in 1941, \$10,592.

## Bethel Church Class Has Picnic at Kollen Park

The Adult Bible class of Bethel church held its annual picnic Wednesday Aug. 12, at Kollen park in the form of a planned potluck supper which was arranged by the Mesdames M. Tuttle, J. Van Alsbury and L. Kole. After the supper games were played under the direction of Mrs. H. Naberhuls and Mrs. A. De Maat. Prizes were won by Mrs. H. Jurries, Mrs. A. De Maat, Mrs. G. Kemme, Mrs. G. J. Veldman, A. De Maat and Mrs. C. Stoppele. The Rev. C. A. Stoppele is the teacher of the class.

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