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## Death of Former Local Man, Found In River, Probed

### Wire That Binds Foot To Tree Root Is Puzzle To Coroner in Kent

Grand Rapids, Aug. 26 (Special)—Following an autopsy this morning on the body of Joseph Zwemer, 50, formerly of Holland, found Wednesday afternoon in Grand river near Comstock park, Coroner Simeon Leroy said he found nothing particular to indicate foul play, and said he would confer with sheriff's officers this afternoon before rendering a verdict.

One puzzling angle was a piece of wire which, bound around the ankle, held the man's foot to a tree root near the river bank. The foot, protruding from the water, led to the discovery of the body.

Members of the family in Holland were notified of the death Wednesday night and planned to come to Grand Rapids this afternoon. They expressed disbelief of the possibilities of suicide and were scheduled to confer with Kent county officials.

Zwemer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Zwemer, 27 West 16th St., reported to be employed as a janitor at the AAF weather school, was last seen Tuesday night, according to officers. His body was discovered Wednesday afternoon by three girls, Betty Matthews, 12, Stella Stakaitis, 15, and Vivian Tewksbury, 12, all of Grand Rapids, who were canoeing on Grand river.

The body was in shallow water and the girls rolled it to the bank and notified authorities.

The presence of the wire is difficult to explain, according to Coroner Leroy, who said this is one of the strangest cases in his 40 years of experience as coroner. Sheriff Hugh M. Blacklock and Deputy Sheriff Arnold Pigorsh believe the drowned man took this method of ending his life. The coroner said he could find no marks of violence on the body. He indicated the verdict might be "suicide by drowning," but that he probably would check with toxicologists first.

Sheriff's officers were aided in their search for identification by a badge with a picture of the drowned man worn on his belt. A sum of \$50 was found in one of his shoes. In his pockets were a pair of glasses, a pair of false teeth and some handkerchiefs.

Condition of the body indicated that it had been in the water about a day.

The body was removed to the Van Strien-Almon Funeral home and will be taken to the Lange-lan Funeral home in Holland tonight.

Zwemer was born in Holland and attended local schools. Since he never married, he moved around considerably but for the past few years resided in Grand Rapids. At the time of his death he was staying at Milner hotel while being employed in the AAF weather school.

Surviving are the parents, two sisters, Mrs. Clara Bartels of Muskegon Heights and Mrs. Janet De Jongh of Los Angeles, Calif., and three brothers, George of Chicago, Jacob of Holland and John of Frannie, Wyo.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from the Lange-lan Funeral home, with the Rev. D. H. Walters officiating. Burial will be in East Saugatuck cemetery.

Zwemer served four or five months during World War I. He was not sent overseas.

## Holland Person Is Fined On Speed Charge in G.H.

Grand Haven, Aug. 26—Warren Johnson, 141 East 39th St., Holland, appeared Tuesday before Justice Peter Ver Duin and pleaded guilty to a charge of driving 50 miles per hour. He paid a fine of \$16 and costs. The arrest was made by the sheriff's department.

Ervin, Tiemeyer, 17, Cincinnati, and Thomas Hancock, 17, Northville, who had been camping at the state park, were apprehended by city officers in the act of reversing street signs only a half block from police headquarters at 2 a.m. Tuesday. They were arraigned before Justice Ver Duin and paid fines of \$4.30 each.

## Saugatuck Woman Dies After Lingerin Illness

Saugatuck, Aug. 26 (Special)—Mrs. Mary Behrens died Monday at 5 p.m. in her home after a lingering illness. She had made her home in Saugatuck for the past 10 years. She lived in the home formerly owned by Henry Winter of Holland.

Surviving are the husband, Philip; three sisters, Mrs. Eugene C. Myers of Summit, N. J., Mrs. O. H. Barnett of Madison, N. Y., two brothers, H. A. Gaw of Bernardsville, N. Y., and F. W. Gaw of Pittsburgh, Pa.

## Miss Marcus Attends R.C. Meet in Lansing

Miss Beth Marcus who is employed in the local Red Cross office attended a meeting of executive secretaries and directors of home service of all the chapters in the southern half of the state Thursday in Lansing.

Capt. Donald S. Leonard, head of the Michigan office of civilian defense, was one of the speakers and clarified responsibilities of the Red Cross, the OCD and the bureau of social aid in case of an enemy attack.

## Quotas for New Bond Drive Set

### Over Million Listed For Holland in Third Campaign Schedule

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—B. P. Sherwood, Sr., Ottawa county war bond chairman, on Wednesday listed quotas for Holland, Zeeland and Grand Haven cities and the townships in Ottawa county for the third war bond drive which begins Sept. 9.

The quota for Holland city is \$1,395,000; for Zeeland city, \$210,000; and for Grand Haven, \$819,000. Holland's quota is broken down as follows: 7.8 bonds and C tax notes, \$875,000, and E, F and G bonds, \$520,000.

Township quotas include Zeeland, \$68,000; Holland, \$147,000; Polkton, \$154,000; Park, \$106,000; Jamestown, \$57,000; Olive, \$23,000; Grand Haven, \$23,000; Chester, \$51,000; Crocker, \$29,000; Robinson, \$19,000; Spring Lake, \$154,000; Tallmadge, \$53,000; Wright, \$59,000; Allendale, \$38,000; Port Sheldon, \$17,000; Blenden, \$38,000; Georgetown, \$76,000.

Frank M. Lievese, local bond sales chairman, explained that the quotas for the various cities and townships of the county were determined by the assessed valuation, real and personal. Holland's assessed valuation amounts to \$13,041,968 or 27 per cent of the county total. Grand Haven is assessed at \$7,624,540 or 15.8 per cent and Zeeland is assessed at \$2,029,581 or 4 per cent.

Plans for the new drive were explained by Sherwood at a meeting of county bankers Friday night in the Warm Friend tavern. Besides Sherwood and Lievese, the following bankers and bond officials were present: Russ Swaney, deputy director of the banking division, Grand Rapids war finance committee; H. Baron and Arie H. Van Dyke, Zeeland bankers; May or Nicholas Frankena, Zeeland; W. Van Eenennaam, Zeeland bond chairman; H. A. Kuizenga and Frank Scholten, Spring Lake; C. L. Van Frank, Coopersville chairman; F. C. Bolt, Grand Haven chairman; L. W. Walsh and A. E. Gale, Grand Haven bankers; Gerald R. Kramer, A. C. Joldersma, L. C. Dalman and C. L. Jalling, Holland bankers.

## Former Holland Resident Is Dead

Derk Arens 85, former Holland resident, died in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gerrit Mulder, in Crisp at 3 p.m. Wednesday after an illness caused by age infirmities.

Surviving are six daughters, Mrs. Ed Ter Haar of Drenthe, Mrs. Harry Nienhuis of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Henry Dams of Zeeland; four sons, John of Crisp, James of Kalamazoo, Richard and Dick, both of Grand Rapids; a twin sister, Mrs. Albert Terpstra of Moline; 23 grandchildren and 26 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 3 p.m. from the Lange-lan funeral home with the Rev. D. D. Bonema of Zeeland officiating. Burial will be in East Holland cemetery. Friends may view the body at the funeral home Friday from 3 to 5 p.m. to 7 to 9 p.m.

## Truck Driver Released; To Continue Investigation

Allegan, Aug. 26—Wallace Hyde, 51, trucker who was held overnight in the investigation of the death Monday morning of Donald Shier, 14, of Otsego, was released Tuesday on his own recognizance on order of Prosecuting Attorney Irving Andrews. His driver's license was withheld.

Meanwhile, the investigation will continue, according to sheriff's officers. Hyde who was questioned by Prosecutor Andrews Tuesday had reported to Sheriff Louis Johnson Monday that it was his truck which struck the boy in Otsego.

## Hudsonville Youth Is Missing in Action

Washington, August 26—The war department said Monday that Tech. Fifth Grade Gerrit Brouwer, Jr., son of Mrs. Gertrude Brouwer, route 3, Hudsonville, is one of three Michigan soldiers who are missing in action. Corp. Brouwer was stationed in the Southwest Pacific area.

## Additional Plans Are Set for Army Show in Holland

### Relations Officer in City to Arrange for Huge Demonstration

Lieut. S. N. Yeager of the public relations department, sixth service command, Chicago, was in Holland on Monday to confer with committee chairmen who are arranging the army salute to Holland agriculture, industry and labor which will take place next Monday at the Holland high school athletic field at 22nd St. and Pine Ave.

Lieut. Yeager said another officer will arrive here Friday to make further arrangements and will leave here Monday morning. The visiting task force which includes 800 service men and 150 pieces of army equipment will arrive Monday morning from Muskegon where it will be stationed Saturday and Sunday. From here it will go to Benton Harbor on Tuesday.

To many residents of this community, Monday's celebration will afford a first opportunity to inspect at close range a representative unit of the army that is fighting for them on battlefields all over the globe, according to Major General H. S. Aurnand, commanding general of the Sixth Service Command, with headquarters in Chicago.

Holland has been selected for this honor for two reasons, according to Gen. Aurnand. First, it is on the route previously selected over which a task force will move in a regular training movement, and second, because the production efforts of the citizenry in this section of Michigan warrant such action.

The visiting task force will include the 792nd military police battalion (zone of the interior); supplemental heavy armament units from the 20th armored division at Camp Campbell, Ky.; and a demonstration detachment made up of specialists, musicians, Wacs, air force representatives and other personnel from various Sixth Service Command units all over Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin.

Holland residents may see all phases of the salute program. The main body is expected to arrive at the city limits shortly before 11 a.m. Extended route order necessary on the movement through the countryside will be changed to a close formation from the city limits to the camp site at the athletic field.

Food for the entire force, more than 800 men, is prepared and cooked en route in kitchens carried on trucks. Arrangements have been made for those who visit the camp to see these kitchens and watch the soldiers being served.

Following the meal, the soldiers will set up exhibits of arms and equipment at Centennial park and detachments will be on hand all afternoon to demonstrate the items exhibited. Other soldiers will make up parties to visit the various production facilities in and about the city to learn how the Army in Overalls is fighting to assist the Army in Khaki in the winning of the war.

About 5 p.m. a parade, to be headed by an army band, will form and march from the park to the athletic field. At 6 p.m. immediately following the arrival of the last unit, a short band concert by the army band will precede a military rally during which tribute will be paid by the armed forces to the civilian production forces of Holland.

Following the rally, troops of the 792nd battalion supported by heavy artillery and tanks will demonstrate how they are trained for action against the enemy. Divided into two combat groups, the soldiers will engage in a thrilling sham battle. Military experts will be on hand to explain the action over a public address system operated by the signal corps.

Concluding the day's program will be one of the army's most solemn and beautiful ceremonies—a formal retreat parade. This ceremony, the army's "good night" to the national emblem, includes a formation of the entire battalion, trooping of the line by the band, "Retreat," "Sunset Gun," "The Star Spangled Banner," lowering of the flag, and a review of the troops.

## Two Pay Fines Here On Traffic Charges

Peter De Neff, 56, 96 West Seventh St., paid fine and costs of \$10 when arraigned before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith Tuesday on a charge of leaving the scene of an accident.

Ralph Meyers, Allendale, paid \$10 fine and costs Wednesday in Municipal court on a charge of having no Michigan Public Service commission permit to operate a truck.

## Two Drivers Pay Fines In Coopersville Court

Coopersville, Aug. 26—Frank Burns, 50, Grand Rapids, arrested by the sheriff's department following an accident in Chester township, Tuesday was fined \$50 with costs of \$14.50 or 30 days in the county jail, when he was arraigned before Justice Howard Erwin on a charge of driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquors.

Charles Hollenbeck, 19, Chicago, paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$11.50 after pleading guilty to a charge of reckless driving. Hollenbeck collided with a car driven by Floyd Dushane of Grand Rapids on M-50 and both cars were damaged.

## Rural Teachers Of Ottawa Will Meet on Sept. 7

### Supplies, Instructions To Be Issued at Annual Session at Grd. Haven

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Ottawa county's annual institute for teachers of the 116 rural schools in the county will be held Sept. 7 in the court room here.

County School Commissioner Dick H. Vande Bunte said 150 teachers are expected to attend. Supplies and instructions will be issued.

Grand Haven's public schools are preparing to open for the 1943-1944 terms with the biggest turnover of teachers in the past two decades, according to Supt. E. H. Babcock, who will begin his 21st year as head of the system. At least 12 new persons will be on the faculty at the high school, Central Junior high and grade school and at Ferry grade school. In addition, several men teachers probably will soon enter the armed forces, necessitating other changes. A normal turnover is five or six teachers.

Public, Christian and St. Patrick's Catholic school will open Sept. 7. Ferryburg school will open Sept. 7 along with 115 other rural schools. Spring Lake's ten-grade school opens Sept. 13.

North Ottawa schools anticipate a normal attendance, although some predict an increase as many war working families have migrated to this area, which is included in the Muskegon defense area. Glenn H. Olsen, principal of the high school for the past 19 years, reports a slight decrease is expected here, however, and it is probable one less teacher will be engaged.

Miss Laura Wuenecke, Ferry grade school principal for 15 years, resigned and Lloyd McLaughlin of Junior high will succeed her. Miss Marie Dvoraczek of Chicago will succeed McLaughlin in Junior high and Frank Lowry of Big Rapids will replace Edward Huttgen, who resigned this spring as industrial arts teacher at Central Junior high. Two veteran men teachers have left the high school: Lieut. O. Frank Sanders is in the Navy and Keith B. Odle, biology teacher and assistant football coach for many years has taken a position with a local manufacturing concern.

Gerrit Wiergerink, graduate of Hope college, will succeed Sanders and Richard Vander Kolk of Wayland will succeed Odle. Miss Natalie Podhajski has resigned from the high school commercial department and no one has been named to fill the vacancy. Ed. Graybill, head football coach and history teacher, and Steven Sluka, physical education teacher for boys, are due to be drafted and this will mean more changes.

The Rev. Father Daniel J. Hyland, superintendent of St. Patrick's school, reports Sister Teresa will be replaced by Sister Nelsko of Grand Rapids as principal. An attendance of about 165 is predicted.

Two new teachers have been engaged by the Christian school, the Rev. Andrew Petter, pastor of Protestant Reformed church of this city, and Miss Jeanette Petersen, of Grand Haven, former Muskegon teacher. There are five teachers in the Christian school, of which Martin Karsten is the head.

Spring Lake schools open a week later than most schools as the summer recess was made longer to allow students and teachers added time on outside jobs. Miss Jean Graham of Grand Haven and Miss Ruth Culbert of Muskegon will be the new teachers.

Harold Mouw will again be principal at the rural school at Ferryburg, and will have two new assistants, Mrs. Bernard Bolthouse of Ferryburg and Mrs. Bessie Matthews of Spring Lake township.

## Mrs. John Nevelzel Dies in Cutlerville

Hamilton, Aug. 26 (Special)—Mrs. John Nevelzel, 71, died early on Saturday in the Christian Psychopathic hospital in Cutlerville. She was born April 21, 1872 in Overisel to the late Mr. and Mrs. Gradus Japink.

Survivors are the husband; two sons, Marvin and George of Hamilton; three brothers, John and George Japink of Hamilton and Ben of Three Oaks; one sister, Mrs. Dick Brower of Borculo.

## Lieut. Wise Dies Of Injuries After Crash of Plane

### Body of Soldier With Escort Arrives Here Early This Morning

Following arrival here early this morning of the body of Lieut. John Harter Wise, 24, who was fatally injured and burned in a plane crash near Woodward, Kan., last Friday, plans were completed for funeral services which will be held Friday at 2 p.m. in First Methodist church with the Rev. George Mooers officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery.

Acting as official military escort, Lieut. Joseph C. Gibson of the Gordon City army air field in Kansas where Lieut. Wise also was stationed arrived with some members of the family and was engaged in making final preparations for military rites.

A group of soldiers of the army air forces technical school in Grand Rapids will serve as pall bearers. The Willard Leenhouts post of the American Legion will provide a firing squad and color guard. A post chaplain will assist Rev. Mooers at the cemetery.

There was no further official information regarding the plane crash, according to Lieut. Gibson.

The body arrived in a sealed casket and was taken to the Nibelink-Notter Funeral home where it will remain until the time of the funeral. The body will not be shown.

News of the crash was received in Holland Saturday morning in a phone call from his wife to Mrs. Marvin Verloof, sister of the victim. His mother, Mrs. Jeanette Wise, 101 East 25th St., and a brother, Harold, were at a cottage at Ionia and rushed to Holland. These two, together with Mrs. Verloof, Mrs. Tim Smith and Kenneth and Fred Wise, all brothers and sisters, left Holland at 4:30 p.m. for Kansas and arrived there Sunday at 11:30 p.m. Sunday, several hours after Lieut. Wise had died.

This is the third violent death in the Wise family. Sixteen years ago the father, Fred Wise, was electrocuted while working for the city as a lineman. A brother, Robert, was killed when struck by lightning while camping at Ottawa beach July 28, 1942.

Official details of the plane crash were not available, although in the phone call Saturday the victim's wife indicated that the plane crashed while landing, exploded and caught fire. Lieut. Wise suffered a skull fracture, fractures of the right arm and left leg and was badly burned. Another service man in the plane also was burned, but was reported living Sunday.

Lieut. Wise was born July 21, 1919, in Ionia and the family moved to Holland a few years later. He was a graduate of Holland high school and left with two national guard units in October of 1940 for Louisiana. He moved with the company to Fort Devens the following year and was ready to entrain for overseas when he was transferred to the air corps. He received his commission as a second lieutenant last April 22. He was a baptized member of Protestant Park Christian Reformed church and also attended First Methodist church.

Surviving are the widow, the mother, the two sisters and three brothers; a grandfather, William Harkema of Central park; a grandmother, Mrs. John Altman of Holland; two aunts, Mrs. Clara Elferink and Mrs. Henry Dorn, both of Holland; and two uncles, one of Grand Rapids and one of Manistee.

## Former Spring Lake Man Succumbs in G.R.

Grand Haven, Aug. 23 (Special)—George H. Wills, 69, died in his home, 1227 Dunham St., Grand Rapids, at 1 a.m. Sunday. He was born in Spring Lake Sept. 16, 1873, and had lived in Grand Rapids for the past 25 years. He was a member of the Guy V. Henry camp No. 3, Spanish American War Veterans, and had also served in World war I. He was a member of the Grand Haven Masonic lodge 139 F and A. M. and The Low 12 club.

He is survived by his widow, Myrtle; a daughter, Mrs. Mabel Day of Ann Arbor; a sister, Mrs. Gene Chittenden of Spring Lake, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held from the family home in Grand Rapids Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. with C. G. Swartz, chaplain of the Michigan Soldiers home in Grand Rapids conducting the service. Burial will be in Spring Lake cemetery.

## Henry Hop, 85, Is Taken By Death in Home Here

Henry Hop, 85, 243 East 11th St., died early on Monday at his home. Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Leonard Koetsier and Mrs. Richard Woodwyk of Holland, Mrs. Martin Reenders and Mrs. Albert Meuwens of Grand Haven; seven grandchildren; and two brothers, Bert and John Hop of Holland.

## Sgt. Kempker Home From War in Pacific; Took Part in Major Battle

Sgt. Julius Kempker, a veteran of a major battle in New Guinea that set the Japs back on their heels late in 1942 arrived home in Holland early Wednesday.

He was modestly reluctant to say much about his part in the battle which resulted in many casualties among Holland soldiers, all members of former Co. D. However, he explained that he worked with heavy machine guns. Although he escaped the Japanese bullets and explosives, Sgt. Kempker shortly after the battle was stricken with malaria, arthritis, yellow jaundice and "a few other ailments." He was hospitalized in Australia for about five months.

About six weeks ago he arrived in the United States for convalescence in Letterman hospital, San Francisco. He plans to be in Holland now for some time.

Holland looks mighty good to him, he said, after an absence of almost three years.

But it seemed like old times as his relatives and friends greeted him. One brother, Gerald, is employed at The Sentinel, and another brother, John, is a police officer.

The sergeant also has two brothers in service. Lieut. Russell Kempker stationed at Camp Fannin, Tex., and Aviation Cadet Anthony Kempker who is in training at Miami, Fla.

He was born in Holland and was graduated from Holland high

## Diamond Springs Soldier Is Killed

### Third Death Occurs In Boerman Family in Past Five Months

Hamilton, Aug. 26 (Special)—Nick Boerman of Diamond Springs, Hamilton, route 1, received word Thursday night that his son, Pvt. Chester Boerman, had been killed in action in the North Africa area July 12.

Pvt. Boerman left for overseas duty several months ago, after being in training in this country a short time. Since entering the service he had two short furloughs in March during the illness and death of his mother.

The father, a veteran of World war I, has sustained three losses in the past five months, that of his wife in March, his son on July 12 and his father, Klaas Boerman of Drenthe, Aug. 6.

Pvt. Boerman is survived by the father; two sisters, Burnette and Joyce; and his fiancée, Miss Beatrice Boyers, all of Diamond Springs.

## Agent Succumbs Local Insurance

Henry E. Russcher, 49, of 75 West 18th St., local insurance agent, died Sunday at 8:30 a.m. in Holland hospital after an illness of three weeks. Surviving are the widow, Dora; his mother, Mrs. Hattie Scholten of Holland; and a sister, Mrs. Arnold Sienk of Grand Rapids.

## Include Six of Holland on Circuit Court Jury List

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Six persons of Holland city are included in the jury list for the September term of circuit court. They include: Mabel Gould, Holland first ward; Lucille Donavan, second ward; Anton Seif, third ward; Lloyd F. Reed, fourth ward; and Dick Hamburg, sixth ward. Peter Vander Ploeg was drawn from Holland township and Thomas Kraai from Zeeland city.

Others in the list include Elsie Matussek, Grand Haven fifth ward; Russell Wolbrink, Allendale township; Bert Holstede, Blenden; William Link, Chester; Mrs. Richard Gordon, Crocker; Mrs. Joe Meyer, Georgetown; Ernest Sillman, Grand Haven; John Tigelaar, Jamestown; George De Vries, Park; Minnie Wolcott, Polkton; Henry Wassink, Port Sheldon; Mary Glick, Robinson; Sabie Nienhouse, Spring Lake township; Nicholas De Vries, Tallmadge; Dorothy Jones, Wright, and Adrian F. Brouwer, Zeeland township.

## Extinguish Two Minor Fires in Holland City

Slight damage resulted from a fire in the show window in the James A. Brouwer furniture store Thursday evening when a flood light tipped over on a small rug, igniting it, Robert Northuis, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Northuis, 17 West 16th St., noticed the fire at 7:30 p.m. and informed local police who in turn called William J. Brouwer. The fire was put out with an extinguisher.

A fire alarm was turned in to the department near noon on Friday for a grass fire at Sixth St. and Columbia Ave. The fire had gained little headway and Firemen Nelson Plagenhoef and John Patuhs were said to have stamped it out with their feet. Trucks returned to the station in a few minutes.

## Ben G. Poelakker Dies After Lingerin Illness

Ben G. Poelakker, 39, 327 West 18th St., died early Wednesday in his home after a long illness. Surviving are the widow, Helen; three children, Geraldine, Jane, Dennis Gilbert and Ben Thomas, all at home; the mother, Mrs. Winnie Poelakker of Holland; two sisters, Mrs. Adrian Westerhof of Holland and Mrs. Herman Bloem of Elyria, O.; a brother, John Poelakker of Minneapolis, Minn.



Sgt. Julius Kempker

school in 1938, the year he was chosen as all-conference guard in basketball. That same year he joined Co. D of the national guard and left with the group in October of 1940 for training in Louisiana. From there he was transferred to Fort Devens Mass., then to San Francisco and sailed for overseas in April, 1942, later going to New Guinea.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kempker, reside at 473 Central Ave.

## Troops Getting New Equipment

### Holland Company Will Have Army Uniforms; To Start Gun Practice

Capt. R. A. Wenzel of Co. H, Michigan State troops, reports that orders have been received for the local company to start practice with 45 calibre submachine guns, shotguns and 22 calibre rifles within the next two weeks at the Holland Rifle club range north of the city. Ammunition has been approved and is being shipped at once.

Brig. Gen. Thomas Colleday, commander of the Michigan state troops, announced Thursday that he has obtained permission from the war department to uniform the state in olive drab outfits. At present the troops wear light khaki summer dress. The new uniforms will resemble regular army garb except that the state troop insignia will be used instead of the army symbols. Troop vehicles, now blue, also will be painted olive drab.

A shipment of supplies including leggings and kitchen equipment was received in Holland recently. Another shipment of chemical warfare supplies has been shipped which includes hand grenades, tear gas capsules and a large assortment of other chemical supplies.

Capt. Wenzel said every man in the company will soon be subjected to gas chamber tests.

Lieut. Charles Schutt who received instruction at Camp Schoe-gue Valley, Ill., is now instructing the company in hand-to-hand fighting tactics.

The new equipment provided by the state is part of a \$235,000 program for improving the troops' equipment following the Detroit race riots. The new uniforms with the exception of overcoats are expected to be turned out by Oct. 1.

## Lieut. Lievese Home On Surprise Furlough

Lieut. Frank M. Lievese, Jr., arrived in Holland Wednesday night to spend a surprise 20-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Lievese, Park road. Lieut. Lievese has been stationed in Newfoundland with army engineers for the past 17 months. He was inducted into the army under selective service in January, 1941, after being graduated from Michigan State college in June, 1940. He received his commission in January, 1942, at Fort Belvoir, Va.

## Day-Old Son of Sunfield Couple Buried in Holland

Lynn Lordahl, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett V. Bekken of Sunfield, near Lake Odessa, which was born Aug. 21, died at Butterworth hospital Sunday. Funeral services were conducted at Pilgrim Home cemetery on Tuesday. Survivors include a brother, Dean, five years old, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bekken of Holland.

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## Delay Opening of Local Schools to Save Pickle Crop

### Public and Christian School Bells to Ring Sept. 15, Week Late

At a special meeting of the board of education Wednesday afternoon, decision was made to postpone the opening of Holland public schools from Wednesday, Sept. 8 to Wednesday, Sept. 15, it was announced today by Supt. E. E. Fell.

Dr. Walter De Kock, superintendent of Holland Christian schools, stated this morning that the opening of local Christian schools also will be delayed one week to Sept. 15. Dr. De Kock attended the meeting yesterday, and later referred the matter to his board.

The delay of one week, to permit young people of the city to help pick and preserve the large crop of pickles in the area, was approved after consideration of the urgent request of O. R. Hayes, H. J. Heinz Co. manager, and William H. Vande Water of the U.S. employment service, who met with the board.

At present there are about 250 young people from Holland picking in the fields and about 95, mostly high school students, working in the factory. Mr. Hayes stated, this help is considered essential in the saving of the pickle crop, he said.

Mr. Vande Water also explained that there is a large number of school children picking beans for the canning factories and also helping in the onion fields. It is estimated that about 600 young people and children are assisting in agricultural work in the area.

Supt. Fell, in making the announcement of the delayed opening high school date, emphasized that junior and senior high school students called for work on perishable crops the week beginning Sept. 13, may continue to work through the week, reporting for school on Monday, Sept. 20, and will not be considered absent, if they have enrolled for school before Sept. 15. Enrollment is necessary that schedules may be made out, he explained. The Heinz company will furnish a list of those working each day, so that a check on students may be made



## War May Force Hope to Suspend Football Season

### Basketball Also Is Big Question Mark With Ranks Riddled

According to Coach Milton L. "Bud" Hinga, prospects for football at Hope college this fall are thoroughly unpredictable and whether the Dutch, riddled by war calls, will have a grid team is almost anybody's guess.

It is very doubtful, he said, that from the handful of men students who will be attending Hope this year he can pick enough huskies to form any kind of a football team. Basketball is a different matter because fewer players are required, but that sport, too, is still a big question mark in the minds of the athletic board.

Besides the unfavorable outlook for a team of regulars from Hope, Hinga pointed out that the possibility of a large group of cadets at the local college presents still another angle. College officials have not yet received official word that the army training unit will be assigned to Hope, but should the plan go through, the army ruling forbidding men in khaki to participate in intercollegiate sports is a formidable obstacle.

Other western Michigan colleges face similar grid prospects. Hillsdale will have no football and Albion and Kalamazoo both have a number of army trainees, leaving Alma the only school in this area with a navy training unit on its campus. Colleges throughout the country, including Michigan State at East Lansing, have been forced to make readjustments and cancellations in tune with a wartime sports setup.

"However, Hinga indicated that if the army school comes to Holland, he may organize teams of cadets for intramural play.

Jack Schouten, long time coach and trainer at the college, indicated that during the first world war the ROTC unit on the campus inflicted similar restrictions as far as sports were concerned and athletic activity was severely curtailed. Thus, definite suspension of intercollegiate sports at Hope this year would mark the second time in the history of the school that war has disrupted the athletic program to a major extent.

Hope grid fans may somewhat soothe their injured feeling by saying "it might have been" when they look over the impending string of stars who would have returned to be lineup had the war not interfered. Dick Higgs, a sophomore who called signals during most of last season and was chosen Hope's most valuable player, is now training as a leatherneck; Don De Fout, all MIAA fullback a year ago, and Bud Karel, a great sophomore running back, are also in the service. Roy Davis also made a great showing for the Hingeman and would have been captain for the coming year.

Last season's basketball, featuring Hinga's "Blitz Kids," marched through one of the greatest seasons in Hope's history. Capt. "Ets" Kleinjans and Don Mulder, captain of the all-state team, are both in service doing nip-ups for the army. Uncle Sam George Dalman, "Rusty" De Vette and "Gabby" Van Dis supplemented the squad that "blitzed" the Dutch into their first undefeated MIAA season. All these men are now "serving elsewhere" which puts the damper on dreams of basketball this season.

The proposed army school may further hamper activities for coeds because of the possibility that the gym will be taken over for army use. It would mean little or no available room for practice or instruction.

However, Coach Schouten expressed the hope that if the army contingent on the campus doesn't handicap the sports facilities of the field and the gym, girls' sports for the 1943-44 season would be "stepped up" considerably. There are several of the fair sex on the campus who, according to past performances, may be featured in key positions in sports lineup. Eleanor Mulder, Janet Bogart and Jeanne Shiffer are but three of last year's outstanding performers who, when they return, may carry on the spirited tradition of the college.

## Two Injured in Freak Accident at Allegan

Allegan, Aug. 23 (Special)—Everett Feltenberger and his wife, Janet, of Hopkins, were injured Sunday morning in a freak accident here. Feltenberger lost control of their car as he was driving down Stanley hill on Cutler St. Hitting a tree, the car turned completely around and rammed the corner of a house owned by Mrs. Jessie Allen. The car caught fire, the flames later being brought under control by the fire department. The house was damaged.

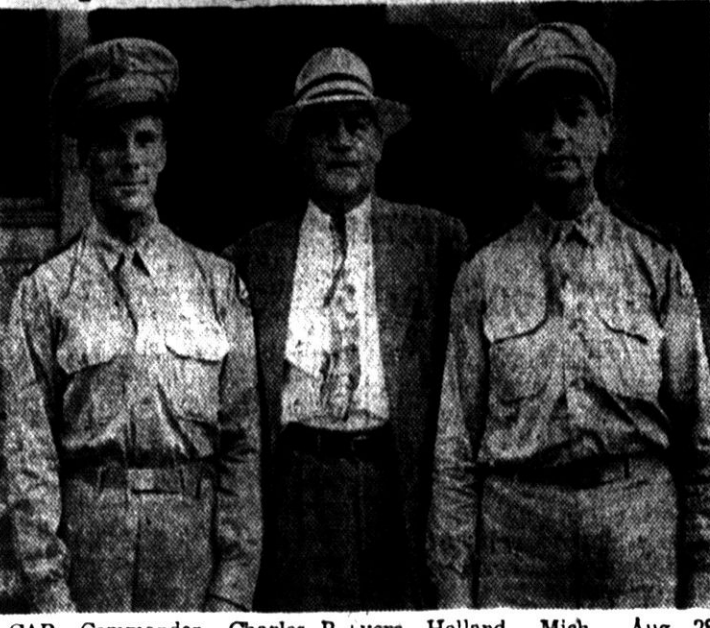
Mr. and Mrs. Feltenberger, severely injured, were taken to Allegan Health center where their condition was reported improved today. Howard Skinner of Hopkins, passenger in the Feltenberger car, was bruised but not hospitalized.

Another car, narrowly missing the fire truck and a woman bystander blew a tire at the scene of the accident, adding to the excitement.

We waste enough time every day to equip us with both health and culture.

It is not ease but effort, not facility but difficulty which makes a man.

## Help Arrange Dedication Program



CAP Commander Charles R. Sligh, Jay Den Herder and Lieut. Henry Ter Haar are among the members of the committee planning ceremonies for the dedication of the new hangar at Park township airport Saturday afternoon.

Den Herder is representing the OCD auxiliary police and Lieut. Ter Haar is taking charge of transportation. The latter also will direct the auxiliary police. Air raid wardens will be under Lieut. Dick Zwiep. Mrs. Andrew Klomparsen and her OCD committee will take charge of serving and preparing food at the airport. Phillips Brooks has donated a large trophy to be presented to the outstanding squadron participating in the maneuvers. The trophy, about two feet high, is topped by a four-motored plane model and on each corner of the base is a figure representing Victory holding aloft a laurel wreath.

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Thomas E. Lievense, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Lievense of Park road, has reported to the U.S. naval flight preparatory school on the campus of the College of Wooster, Wooster, Ohio, to begin his training. He will undergo a 12-week course covering ground training and basic instruction in physics, mathematics, communications, navigation, principles of flying, aircraft engines, aerology and recognition. In addition he will participate in a stiff physical hardening program. Upon graduation, he will be transferred to a pre-flight school for further training.

Russell J. Plockmeyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Plockmeyer, 62 West 18th St., was graduated Aug. 18 from the Engineer Officer Candidate school at Fort Belvoir, Va. He is now a second lieutenant in the corps of engineers, U.S. army. He was born April 27, 1920, and attended Holland Christian high school. He entered the army Jan. 8, 1943, at Fort Custer. Before entering the service he was employed as an engineer and general foreman by a Grand Rapids firm.

Aviation Cadet Randall W. Nienhuis, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Nienhuis of 37 East 18th St., is a member of the class 43-K at Strother field in Kansas. He arrived there recently from a primary flight training school in Oklahoma. Cadet Nienhuis will study formation and night flying in the faster, heavier Vultee Valiants for nine and a half weeks before being transferred to another field for the final stage of training.

Pvt. Earl A. Nivison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nivison, 253 East Tenth St., has arrived at the University of Cincinnati for army specialized training program basic engineering work. He will take a nine-month course including college algebra, physics, chemistry, mechanical drawing, historical background of American democracy, English, physical and economic geography, physical fitness and military training. Before being assigned to the university, Pvt. Nivison was stationed at Camp Hood, Tex.

Nelis Ray Bade, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Meinard Bade, 235 East 32nd St., has completed an intensive course in aviation ground work at the naval air technical training center at navy pier, Chicago, and has been advanced to the petty officer rating of aviation machinist's mate, third class. He now awaits assignment to active duty aboard an aircraft carrier or at some naval air base.

Corp. Jason J. Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Hoffman, route 1, Hamilton, has been graduated with distinction from the aircraft mechanics' school at Seymour Johnson field, N.C., in the army air forces training command. At the time he entered the army Sept. 8, 1942, Corp. Hoffman was employed by the Hayes Manufacturing Corp. in Grand Rapids.

Corp. Bruce O. Dick of Holland is attending the anti-aircraft artillery school at Camp Davis, N.C. Paul E. Hinkamp II, son of the Rev. and Mrs. P. E. Hinkamp, 64 West 14th St., has arrived at Gulfport field, Miss., large army air forces technical training command airplane mechanics school and basic training center. Here he will undergo a two months' intensive basic training course covering drill, military courtesy, customs and law and will be classified for eligibility to attend one of the technical training command specialist schools. In civilian life, Pvt. Hinkamp was a student at Hope college.

Sgt. Baxter C. McLean of Silver Bell ranch, Tucson, Ariz., son of Mr. and Mrs. Sears R. McLean of Castle Park, has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant at the Marana army air field at Tucson, Ariz.

James J. Hardy, son of Mrs. R. Hardy of route 4, has completed his course of studies as an aviation mechanic at Amarillo army air field.

Nearly All Rural Schools Supplied With Teachers

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This course is being held in the supervisor's room at the court house under the direction of Miss Jennie Kaufman, assisted by Albert Bradford and Mr. Vande Bunte.

Twenty-nine women and one man reported for the class this morning and out of this group all vacancies will be filled.

Learn 24 Hours Later That He Has Broken Neck

Marne, Aug. 24—The condition of Robert Hogle, 16-year-old Marne youth who for 24 hours didn't realize he had a broken neck, was described as favorable Monday by attendants in St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

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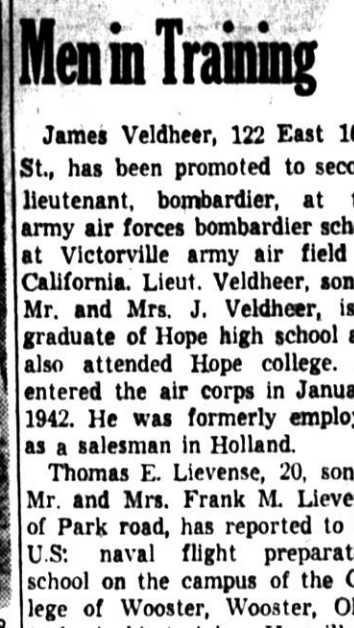
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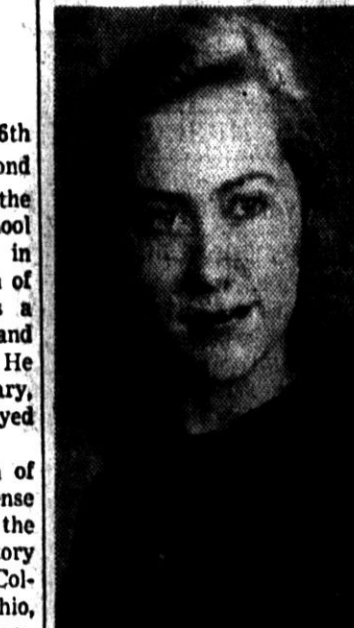
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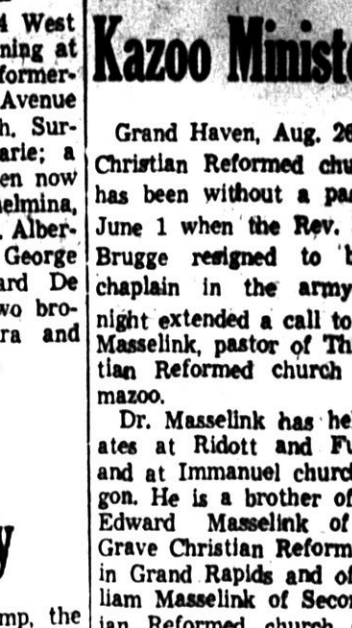
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Twelve tables of contract bridge were in play at the weekly bridge-luncheon at Macatawa Bay Yacht club Friday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. F. E. De Weese and Mrs. Roy Heasley. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. E. C. Brooks and Mrs. Marvin Lindeman.

Two more bridge-lunches are on the schedule at the club. Next Friday hostesses will be Mrs. Randall Bosch and Mrs. Otto Vander Velde. Mrs. William Weststrate and Mrs. Henry Geerds will be hostesses for the last luncheon of the season on Sept. 3.

The club, which has experienced a most successful season will wind up its activities on Labor day. A regular weekly dinner dance tonight, the special war fund benefit next Saturday, and the final dinner dance on Sept. 4, as well as numerous private parties are scheduled.

## Lighthouse Club Has Camp Fire Meeting

The Lighthouse Fellowship club met Friday at Ottawa Beach for a camp fire meeting. Miss Phyllis Holkeboer led in devotions, after which songs and choruses were sung. William E. Vanden Berg spoke on "Consecration," which was followed by a prayer service. Arrangements for the meeting were made by Miss Edna Rietsma and Miss Sadie Van Langevelde, with Miss Julia Smith presiding.

## Chicken Dinner Given For Calvin Nordhof

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnes entertained Thursday with a chicken dinner in honor of their nephew, Calvin Nordhof, who is leaving next week to join the army air forces.

Those present besides the host and hostess and the guest of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Nordhof, parents of Calvin, and Mrs. Myrtle Witt, sister of Mrs. Barnes.

## North Blendon

(From Friday's Sentinel)  
On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Grant of Grandville visited Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Dalman.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Knoper spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Holcher at Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen accompanied Mr. and Mrs. C. Mersman and Charles and Mrs. C. Meeuwse and Sharon Marie of Muskegon to Grand Rapids on Thursday evening where they called on Mr. and Mrs. L. Vander Molen.

The sacrament of baptism was administered to Betty Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Velt-house, and Gordon John, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Bruine at the Christian Reformed church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Potter of Maple Hill attended services at the Reformed church on Sunday. They also called on several friends here.

Mrs. Clarence Simonson of Harlem spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Berg-horst.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ter Haar and family spent Friday evening in Grand Rapids.

A large crowd attended the beach party at Port Sheldon last Thursday evening. The group included members of the choir of the Reformed church and their husbands, wives and friends.

Ren Muller, president of the Gideons of Holland, and daughter of Muskegon are spending a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen. They also called on other relatives and friends. On Monday evening they visited Mr. and Mrs. John H. Poskey and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vrugink at South Blendon. On Tuesday they were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Ham at Zeeland and on Wednesday they called on relatives and friends at Holland. They were supper guests of Mrs. Henry Hoekman.

Consistory meeting was held at the Reformed church on Monday evening. A number of young people appeared for confession of faith.

The Ladies Aid society held a regular meeting in the basement of the Christian Reformed church on Wednesday.

Mrs. Bert Holstege and daughters of Rusk called on Mrs. Joe Klingner on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Overweg and baby are making their home with their mother, Mrs. Kate Overweg, at Rusk for the present.

## Six Persons Pay Fines Here on Traffic Charges

Six persons paid fines and costs in Municipal court Thursday on charges of various traffic violations. They include:

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Adrian E. Glass, 18, route 1, Zeeland, \$5, speeding.

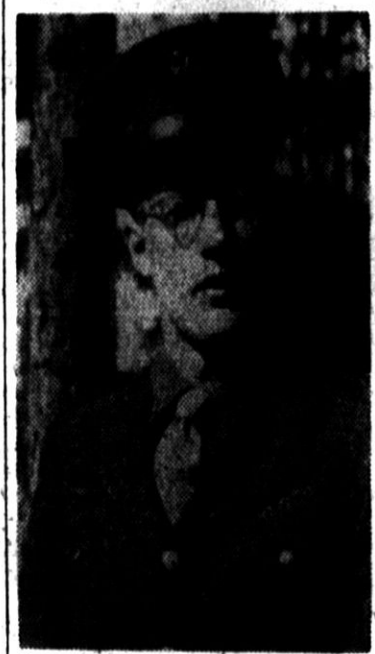
William H. Zeirip, 26, 303 West 13th St., \$5, failure to yield right of way.

Thomas Lencione, 20, Chicago, \$10, speeding.

Corle Vanden Bosch, 25, 82 East 20th St., \$5, speeding.

Charles V. Dulaney, Chicago, \$13.35, carrying freight without a permit.

## Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Corp. Willis Knoll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie De Vries of East Holland, was born in Olive Center and was inducted into the army at Camp Grant, Ill., Dec. 30, 1942. He was stationed with the air corps at Kessler Field, Miss., and at present is at Ypsilanti attending factory school at the Willow Run plant, near Detroit.



Corp. Cornelius De Koster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry De Koster of route 3, Zeeland, is a radio operator in the army signal corps stationed at Camp Crowder, Mo. He was inducted into the service Jan. 30, 1943. Prior to induction he was employed by Hart and Cooley Mfg. Co. Corp. De Koster was born in Holland March 31, 1924 and attended Holland high school.

## Forest Grove

(From Friday's Sentinel)  
Funeral services for Mrs. Jacob Koke of Holland were conducted in the local church on Monday afternoon. The Rev. C. Stoppels of Bethel Reformed church, Holland, had charge of the services.

The Rev. John Wolterink read scripture and offered prayer. Special music consisted of two vocal duets by Mrs. J. Wolterink and Miss Eleanor Brower accompanied by Mrs. John De Witt at the organ.

The women and young girls of the church met at the church for a church cleaning bee Aug. 13.

The Women's Missionary society met Aug. 12 at the home of Mrs. John Mast. Mrs. Andrew Timmer assisted with the serving of refreshments.

Pvt. Levi Vander Kolk and Pvt. Marvin Vander Kolk, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Kolk, are home on furlough from the army.

Harry Boone employed at the farm of Mrs. Peter Smallegan and son Russell had the misfortune of cutting his thumb in a corn sheller. It was severely injured. Several stitches were required by a physician.

Two bicyclists, Mildred Bouwman, 14, and Alvin Jacobs, 13, both of route 6, Holland, were bruised Friday about 10:30 p.m. when they were struck by an auto reportedly driven by a Mr. Newman of Saugatuck about 24 miles south on US-31.

Miss Bouwman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Bouwman, was taken to Holland hospital at 11 p.m. by her parents and was discharged after treatment for body, arm and leg bruises.

Young Jacobs, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs, was taken to the hospital at 10:45 p.m. by Keith Baker and treated for bruises to his head and right shoulder. He also was dismissed.

Jess Smith, 47, 95 East 15th St., was admitted to the hospital about 8:30 p.m. Friday following an accident at Holland Furnace plant No. 5 in which he crushed the index finger of his left hand in a welding machine. The finger was amputated at the first joint and Smith was released.

THE CHURCH INVITES YOU  
"Leave it to the ministers, and soon the church will die. Leave it to the women folk; the young will pass it by. The church is all that lifts us from the coarse and selfish mob, and the church that is to prosper needs the layman on the job."

Why not accept the invitation to go to church next Sunday?

Falsehoods not only disagree with truths, but usually quarrel among themselves.—Daniel Webster.

## Rev. Sietsema Buried in City

Coopersville, Aug. 26.—The Rev. John Sietsema, 76, retired Reformed church minister who came here from Holland four years ago, died Thursday night in his home after a lingering illness. He was born April 21, 1867, in Eastmanville. He was a graduate of Hope college and Western Theological seminary.

He served as a minister of the Reformed church from 1894 to 1935 when he retired. Rev. Sietsema was pastor of Eighth Reformed church, Grand Rapids, from 1904 until 1911. Other congregations he served were at Sheboygan, Wis., Oostburg, Wis., Chicago, Ill., Little Falls, N. J., and South Haven.

Surviving are the widow, Catherine; two sons, Jacob W. of Chicago and Albert M. of Little Falls; two sisters, Mrs. Kate Busman and Mrs. Jennie Busman of Coopersville; one brother, William Sietsema of Coopersville, and several grandchildren.

Burial was in Pilgrim Home cemetery, Holland.

## Personals

(From Saturday's Sentinel)  
Mr. and Mrs. Hume Dice and daughter of Evanston, Ill., are the guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Milton L. Hinga.

Dr. John R. Mulder, president of Western Theological seminary will be guest minister at Sunday services in Central Reformed church, Grand Rapids, tomorrow.

Prof. William Goolooze of the local seminary will speak at the season's final John Ball park prayer meeting in Grand Rapids Wednesday. The meetings are sponsored by the Reformed churches of Grand Rapids.

Capt. Theodore B. Bayles of Lovell General hospital, Ft. Devens, Mass., was the overnight guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Bosch, 196 West 10th St. Capt. Bayles planned to leave for the east today.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert V. Faasen, 376 College Ave., received an informal telephone call from their son, Aviation Cadet William Van Faasen, who is stationed at Santa Ana, Calif. Cadet Van Faasen in his call told his parents he was enjoying his flight training.

The annual Peters family reunion has been postponed for the duration.

The Rev. J. Wendel Davis, rector of Trinity Church, New Philadelphia, O., will be the guest preacher at the 11 a.m. service in Grace Episcopal church Sunday.

Rev. Davis is rector of the local parish from 1932 to 1937.

Miss Jo Wierenga, 47 West 18th St., underwent an operation Tuesday morning at Holland hospital.

Miss Margaret Buren and Mrs. W. Krahling of Sheldon, Ia., are spending several days as guests in the F. N. Jonkman home, 576 State St.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Swartz of Grand Haven are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hulst and family.

Sgt. H. R. Janssen of the Royal Netherlands Military air force arrived in Holland this morning to interview prospective enlistees from this vicinity in the Dutch air force. He conducted interviews in the Netherlands Information bureau office on the third floor of the city hall.

City Treasurer Henry Beckfort is claiming some kind of a record for his "super-dooper" sunflower plant in his back yard garden at 67 West 18th St. The plant which is 11 feet three inches tall contains about 100 blooms.

Holland High Classmates Enjoy Roast at Ottawa

About 30 girls, members of the 1933 graduating class of Holland high school, gathered for a wien-roast at Ottawa beach Thursday night. Mrs. Edward Stielstra was elected president and Mrs. George Stegenga, secretary. It was decided to make the get-together a semi-annual affair.

A feature of the party was a talk on experiences in the Wac by Lieut. Marian Mulder, Wac officer home on furlough from Lincoln, Neb.

Those present included Jean Houting Stegenga, Maybelle De Fow Zuber, Omel Palmer Hopkins, Luella Nykerk Van Lente, Eleanor Steffens, Elaine Wierda Van Regenmortel, Athalie Roest Clark, Agatha Kooyers, Albertha Tiesink, Alma Vanden Berge Buman, Maxine Koolker Wilson, Julia Speet Schaap, M. Marie Dalman Van Zerden, Irene Overbeek Timmer, Helen Seif, Edna R. Dalman, Mary Mooi Hilbink, Angela Van Til Koops, Harriet Van Doornik Lugten, Genevieve Sas Bosch, Lois Van Den Bergh Homkes, Dorothy Steketee Rezelman, Adella Vander Heuvel Bouwman, Lucille Schaap Dobben, Irene Kleis, Angelyn Van Lente Jalving, Renetta Shackson, Jean Pellegrom, Ella Thomson, Herpshelmer, Marian Mulder and Gertrude Van Oss Stielstra.

Police Are Looking for Window Peeper in City

Police investigated the area at 11th St. and Maple Ave. area Friday night following a report of a window peeper at 9:58 p.m. The offender was not apprehended.

Police also are on the look-out for a group of boys who have been ransacking cars in the Warm Friend tavern parking lot and at the Montgomery Ward parking lot. Bert Gebben and Ted Telgenhof of Holland and Lloyd Vander Kolk of Zeeland reported their cars were ransacked.

## Nevenzel, Held by Japs, Writes Home

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Nevenzel, route 1, Thursday noon received a letter from their son, Jay, who is a prisoner of the Japanese in Shanghai, China. There was no date on the letter or on the envelope, although, according to the information in the letter, it probably was written not long after Christmas. Nevenzel, a marine corporal, was on Wake Island when hostilities broke out there Dec. 7, 1941.

He wrote in part: "I am happy to be able to write again, this being the third time I have had an opportunity to write to the United States. I have now received nine letters from home. I also received your package mailed in June. It was just what I would have appreciated most under the circumstances. (This box contained mostly hard candy, peanuts and canned foods.)"

"American, Canadian and New Zealand Red Cross supplies from the United States reached Shanghai a few weeks ago. Every man received several individual food parcels containing an excellent variety of food, also coffee, tea, tobacco and soap. In the same shipment there were other food, medical supplies, etc. We are also allowed to receive regularly various kinds of supplies from the International Red Cross, other or-

ganizations, and Shanghai residents here. Thanks to them we enjoyed a Christmas dinner of turkey, dressing, gravy, sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, pie and cigars.

"The camp authorities granted a holiday and also for the new year holiday a four-day vacation from routine camp work so you can see we are living very well as prisoners of war."



Jay Nevenzel

## Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

John R. Dornbos and w.f. to Fred Zager and w.f. Pt. NW 1/4 sec. 23-6-13 twp. Georgetown.

Carlotta B. Ewing to Paul Frederick Oltman and w.f. Pt. NE 1/4 sec. 17-7-16 twp. Grand Haven.

Isaac F. Slesman and w.f. to Ray Peterson and w.f. Pt. W 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 25-7-13 twp. Tallmadge.

Thos. H. Marsile et al to Herbert C. Colton and w.f. Pt. lot 10 blk. 9 S. W. add. Holland.

John Rotman and w.f. to Jay L. Rotman and w.f. Pt. SE 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 23-7-14 twp. Allendale.

Peter F. Douma to Frank E. Douma and w.f. Lot 7 blk. 3 Prospect Park add. Holland.

Gerrit L. Dornbos and w.f. to Paul Behm and w.f. Lot 229 orig. plat Grand Haven.

Anna E. Carr to Oscar A. Burmeister and w.f. Lot 6 and 7 blk. 3 Sunnyside plat twp. Spring Lake.

Paul H. Behm and w.f. to Walter E. Malmstrom and w.f. Pt. lot 229 orig. plat Grand Haven.

Albert P. Schultz Jr. and w.f. to Clarence H. Schultz and w.f. Lot 13 Barnes' add. Grand Haven.

Cornelius Driscoll and w.f. to Donald Bruichart and w.f. Lot 25 and Pt. lot 24 blk. G. R. H. Post's Park Hill add. Holland.

Grace S. Beardsley to Robert H. Turner and w.f. Lot 7 plat of subd. lots 19, 20, 21 and 22 plat Longview twp. Spring Lake.

Frank Albert Johnson and w.f. to Russell Vickers and w.f. Pt. SE 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 4-8-16 twp. Spring Lake.

M. C. Frances Vander Veen to Fred Oldemulders and w.f. Pt. lot 15 blk. H west add. Holland.

Teunis de Frel to John L. Trickett Jr. and w.f. NE 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 21-8-13 twp. Wright.

Agnes E. Ducey to Otto Albert Fisk Lots 18 and 19 Buena Vista add. Spring Lake.

Bonna V. Cornell to Willard B. Bloemendal and w.f. Pt. lot 9 Yerkes add. Grand Haven Pt. NW 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 29-8-16.

Jennie M. Hand to Gerrit Van Zyl and w.f. Pt. lots 10 and 11 blk. 54 Holland.

Kate Deur et al to John Timmer et al. Pt. lot 12 A. C. Van Raalte's add. No. 2 Holland.

Est. Hiram C. Griener dec'd ex admr. to Charles M. Selby et al Lot 25 Port Sheldon Beach Assn.

John Haan to Benjamin Kraker et al NW 1/4 SW 1/4 sec. 33-5-14 twp. Zeeland.

Helen M. Register to Charles L. Dalvin and w.f. S 1/4 lot 146 subd. west Mich. Park twp. Park.

Mary De Kleine to Wm. B. Ensing and w.f. Lot 5 De Kleine's subd. twp. Jamestown.

Tietje Bosgraaf and w.f. to Ben Bosgraaf and w.f. Pt. N 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 31-6-13 twp. Georgetown.

Theodore E. Betlike and w.f. to Jacob Cook and w.f. W 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 24-7-16 twp. Grand Haven.

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Harry Plow to Mary C. Whiffard, Lot 6 Laug's assessor's plat No. 2 Coopersville.

Fred Vander Heuvel and w.f. to

twp. Port Sheldon.

Alvin Louis Bergsma and w.f. to Frank Van Slooten and w.f. E 1/2 W 1/2 SE 1/4 sec. 13-6-16 twp. Port Sheldon.

Alfred Kietzmann and w.f. to John Baron and w.f. Pt. lots 1 and 2 blk. 58 Holland.

John Van Kampen and w.f. to John W. Overbeck and w.f. S 1/4 NW 1/4 sec. 20-5-15 twp. Holland.

Ward S. Taylor and w.f. to Jacob Sienk and w.f. Lot 20 Dickema Homestead add. Holland.

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Justin Buscher and w.f. to Henry Buscher and w.f. Lots 71, 72 Lugers add. Holland.

Henry J. Van Dam and w.f. to Alfred Wiggers and w.f. Pt. E 1/2 W 1/2 NW 1/4 sec. 35-5-14 twp. Zeeland.

Anna V. Vos to Fred Teeken and w.f. Lot 251 Diekema Homestead add. Holland.

J. Price Hill and w.f. to Theodore Gantos and w.f. Pt. lot 44 Borek's subd. plat No. 2 twp. Grand Haven.

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Harold Dekker and w.f. to Sher-NWI sec. 18-5-15.

Henry P. Kleis and w.f. to Sherman Snyder and w.f. Lot 32 blk. 2 Prospect Park add. Holland.

Harry Gelders and w.f. to Leo Barker and w.f. Lot 12 Hawley's add. Berlin twp. Wright.

Michael Wenzel and w.f. to Leo Barker and w.f. Lot 13 Hawley's add. Marne twp. Wright.

Fred Sandy et al to Chester Raak and w.f. Pt. NE 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 20-5-15 twp. Holland.

Edson J. Dingle and w.f. to Robert Heileman. N 2-5 W 1/2 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 7-7-13 pt. NE 1/4 SE 1/4 sec. 7-7-13.

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The Christian Endeavor society of the Reformed church met Sunday night in the church at Tuesday night. Miss Marjorie Koopman led the meeting on the subject "Books Are Good Company."

The Sunday school of the Reformed church held a picnic at Tunnel park last Tuesday. Each family provided its own dinner. There were games and contests with prizes.

The congregational prayer service of the Reformed church was held on Thursday, Aug. 12. "The Godly and the Ungodly" was the theme. Jerrold Kleinheksel was the leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Nykerk of Drayton Plains are visiting relatives and friends here these days. They will move to Carson City in the near future where Mr. Nykerk has accepted a position in the public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Steketee and children of Grand Rapids called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Voorhorst Sunday afternoon. Their mother, who had been visiting at the Voorhorst home, returned with them in the evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Hoffman and children of Hudson, N. Y., are at present visiting their mother, Mrs. H. J. Hoffman, and other relatives.

Miss Cynthia Schipper is spending a few weeks in Stanton, N. J. visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. Nickols.

Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Hoffman and son, Bruce, of Sodas, N. Y., are enjoying a few weeks vacation visiting relatives and friends.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES  
Word has been received here by relatives of the death of George Weurding, a former resident of Holland, at his home in Waterloo, Ia., Thursday. He leaves a widow and three daughters.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE NEWS

Miss Margaret Ann Moody, not to be outdone by the men in her family, plans to enter nurses' training at Presbyterian hospital in Chicago this fall. She was graduated from Holland high



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## ASYLUM

The somewhat surprising re-  
action of Switzerland to the sug-  
gestion of President Roosevelt,  
Winston Churchill and Joseph  
Stalin that it deny asylum to dis-  
credited Axis leaders is not too  
hard to understand when all the  
circumstances are considered.  
Switzerland has let it be known,  
in the most diplomatic terms pos-  
sible, almost more by implication  
than by direct statement, that it  
will make no promises not to give  
asylum to such people as Musso-  
lini, Hitler, and others of that  
kind.

In doing that Switzerland prob-  
ably set the pattern for other  
neutrals. There are signs indicat-  
ing that the "requests" from the  
leaders of the Allied governments  
will be denied.

This does not at all mean that  
Switzerland feels kindly toward  
such international fugitives. The  
chances are that the Swiss are  
genuinely hostile toward Axis  
leaders. It also seems likely that  
the Swiss government would do  
much to keep those leaders out,  
if and when their own countries  
get too hot for them. But that  
is quite different from giving a  
blanket promise, before the event,  
to deny asylum to such people.

The question is tied up with  
the sovereignty of the country it-  
self. We ourselves would never  
consent to making such a promise  
to any government on earth,  
at least not so long as we were  
ready to defend our own sov-  
ereignty. Our answer would be, if  
such a request were made, that  
it is our business whom we wel-  
come and whom we bar. The  
mere fact that any foreign gov-  
ernment made a veiled threat  
(that is about what the "requests"  
of Roosevelt and Churchill and  
Stalin amounted to) would almost  
force us to take such a line.

And that is still more true  
of proud little countries like  
Switzerland. For four hundred  
years that country has asserted  
and maintained its own indepen-  
dence. If it allowed any foreign  
government, no matter how good  
that government's intentions  
might be, to dictate to it on its  
internal policy it could no longer  
pretend that it was independent.  
This little country may be forced  
into the position of giving asylum  
to people that it detests more  
than it would rattlesnakes.

If that should happen it would  
be a real tragedy for both Swit-  
zerland and members of the United  
Nations. For that would mean the  
invasion of Switzerland by the  
Allies to "arrest" the Axis crim-  
inals. Many innocent people would  
die in such a project. But such a  
thing is not beyond the bounds  
of possibility, or even of probability.

Mrs. Nellie Van Klaveren  
Succumbs at Age of 83

Mrs. Nellie Van Klaveren, 83, widow of Klaus Van Klaveren, died Thursday at 2 p.m. in her home, 43 East 27th St. She is survived by one son, Peter Van Klaveren of Holland; four daughters, Mrs. H. De Vogel of The Netherlands, Mrs. G. Lucas and Mrs. M. Poleman of Holland, and Mrs. A. Bruggeman of Grand Rapids; 12 grandchildren, one of whom is serving in the army in North Africa; 12 great-grandchildren; two sisters-in-law, Mrs. B. H. Weller and Mrs. P. A. Weller, both of Holland.

Land Sale to Be Held  
In Ottawa Next Week

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—A scavenger sale covering state lands in Ottawa county to be offered at public auction, will be held at the court house Tuesday, Aug. 31, starting at 9 a.m.

The state land office board re-  
serves the right to withhold from  
sale any descriptions and to ad-  
just without notice the minimum  
bid.

Any person desiring a list of  
land to be sold may purchase  
one for 10 cents from the county  
treasurer's office.

One who is impatient burns  
up useless energy and wastes  
strength to no effect.

The one who is dependable and  
reliable is the first one hired.

Sunday School  
Lesson

August 29, 1943  
Israel's Sin and Restoration—Ex-  
odus 32:7-10; 34:4-6, 27, 28  
By Henry Geerlinga

This is one of those stirring  
lessons that may be picked out of  
almost any part of the early  
books of the Bible. It is a record  
of the revelation of God, of the  
people's sin and God's forgiveness,  
and of further revelation. How  
fickle and inconsistent these peo-  
ple were! They complained when  
their lot was easy as well as  
when heavy burdens were laid on  
them. They were of the earth  
earthly. They lived closed to the  
ground in more ways than one.  
Their visions of higher things  
were imperfect. They were slow  
and unapt students. What won-  
derful leaders God gave them!

He added line to line and precept  
to precept. There seemed to be  
nothing they did not have except  
the will to do and the eagerness  
to learn. But who are we that  
go that far back to point the  
finger of scorn. We are too much  
like them to lift our heads and  
rebuke them.

It is little wonder the Bible  
has much to say on this subject.  
It rings the changes on the at-  
tribute of patience, the divine  
nature. But we do not necessarily  
need to go back to ancient his-  
tory, whether sacred or secular,  
to find the patience of God-stress-  
ed. Possibly the pity of it is  
that we go so far back to dis-  
cover this attribute that we are  
blind to its presence in our own  
day. None of us knows a civil  
ruler who would be so tolerant of  
our misdeeds. This attribute of  
God is the more apparent because  
we are so slow in the develop-  
ment of that quality among our-  
selves. There His patience stands.  
It is a fixed and permanent thing.  
It cannot be erased. It is inter-  
woven with the records of his-  
tory. It is only the blind or the  
willful who will not see it.

What Moses witnessed has never  
been new or unheard of. It is  
as common as the return of day  
and night. It is true of individuals  
and of groups. That is what  
makes the Bible so modern. It  
could not be truer or more ac-  
curate in the record of our sins  
if it had been written within the  
past five or ten years. How sad-  
ly we miss the point in the study  
of these lessons if we are not  
careful to give a modern ap-  
plication to what lawgivers and  
historians and poets and prophets  
and apostles have had to say  
about the wavering and inconsis-  
tent character of the people whom  
God had chosen. Let it be con-  
fessed that we have not moved  
far away from the standards they  
set, and that is true despite the  
greater knowledge of which our  
day may boast. All one need to  
do is to observe closely the story  
that is written by the average  
congregation.

There is no other book in the  
Bible that has as much to say  
about the law of God as the  
book of Exodus. In the 20th chap-  
ter we have among other laws  
the Ten Commandments. These  
commandments are basic to all  
other legislation. When we know  
them we easily move out into  
other forms of service. It is not  
inappropriate at this point to call  
attention to the fact that pastors  
are finding it almost impossible to  
get catechumens to memorize  
these commandments. It is not  
easy for these laws to be written  
on the heart until they are  
written on the mind. No other  
portion of the divine legislation  
can be more profitably memorized  
than these commandments.

What a pity it is that the day  
of fruitful memory work has  
passed! Those of us who lived in  
the day when memory work was  
a part of all education, stored  
these literary and Biblical treas-  
ures in our minds and hearts, and  
we have never regretted it. If  
there must be a choice between the  
two, it is better far to know what  
the commandments mean than  
to be able to recite them  
from memory, but to know them  
by heart as a wonderful aid to  
knowing what they mean. We  
cannot be too familiar with them.

Because sin is a fact, both  
stolid and stubborn, the way of  
restoration looms in importance.  
There are those who seem per-  
fectly contented to live as the  
bond-servants of sin. But there  
are others who are aware of the  
slavishness of it and are eager to  
be delivered from the bondage of  
it. To these the way of restora-  
tion is a theme of major conse-  
quence. Can we do anything  
about sin? Is there the possi-  
bility of release from it? The  
Bible answers that question. In-  
deed, it answers it many times  
and at many places. It leaves no  
doubt as to the availability of re-  
sources of strength that are quite  
able to cope with it. The way of  
restoration is more than a way. It  
is more than a "post along the  
way." It is a guide.

They Have Certificates  
But Can't Find Any Tires

The critical rubber situation was  
again emphasized in figures re-  
leased today by F. A. Starr, dis-  
trict OPA mileage rationing rep-  
resentative of Grand Rapids, who  
disclosed that 4,907 applications  
have been approved for grade I  
tires for which there are no grade  
I tires available.

Other approved but unfilled ap-  
plications now in the hands of 41  
rationing boards in 30 counties in  
western Michigan include: Grade  
III, 2,423; passenger car tubes,  
2,372; truck tires, 1,871; truck  
tubes, 685; farm tractor and im-  
plement tires, 195.

National quotas are established  
on a monthly basis by William  
Jeffers, rubber director, Western  
Michigan rationing boards are  
operating with an August quota  
of 29 per cent below the July  
figure.

Serving Under the  
Stars and Stripes

Corp. Melvin G. Timmer of 110  
East 18th St., enlisted in the army  
air corps Oct. 7, 1942. He received  
his basic training at an army  
air base at Perrin Field, Tex. He  
was transferred on Feb. 7, 1943  
to an advanced flying field at  
Pampa, Tex. At present he is sta-  
tioned at an army air base at  
Salem, Ore.



Pvt. Willis Timmer, son of Al-  
bert Timmer, route 2, was inducted  
into the army Nov. 5, 1942, at  
Fort Custer. He received his basic  
training at Camp Robinson, Ark.,  
and Camp Hale, Colo., and is now  
stationed in Fort Ord, Calif. He  
was born Feb. 5, 1919, in Crisp  
and attended the Olive Center school.  
Before entering the service Pvt.  
Timmer and his wife made their  
home near Crisp.

## Personals

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)  
Mrs. Katherine Poppen, daugh-  
ter of Mrs. Anna Poppen, 40 West  
16th St., has accepted a position  
at Central college, Pella, Ia. She  
and her son, Bob, left Otsego  
where they had been making their  
home Thursday for Pella. An older  
son, Jack Poppen, is stationed  
with the marines at Notre Dame  
university.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hyo Bos,  
162 East 39th St., a son Tuesday  
night in Holland hospital.

The American Legion auxiliary  
will hold election of officers at  
the meeting Sept. 13 in the club  
rooms.

Bud Baker of Saugatuck, who  
enlisted in the aviation corps in  
April, has passed all examinations  
for the air cadets. He has been  
classified and is training at San  
Antonio, Tex.

Warren L. Huyser and Simon  
Dykstra, Jr., were in Detroit Tues-  
day and attended the Tigers-Yan-  
kees game.

Herbert Coburn of Holland and  
his mother, Mrs. Della Coburn, are  
spending today in Decatur where  
they formerly resided.

Two runaway girls of Grand  
Rapids, aged 12 and 13, were picked  
up by local police at 2:30 a.m. today  
at Dunn's woods near 24th  
St. and were taken to the police  
station where their parents called  
for them this morning. The girls  
had said they were "tired of stay-  
ing at home."

## Central Park

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)

The Union chapel held its an-  
nual picnic Friday afternoon and  
evening at Kollen park. Contests  
were in charge of Mr. Stronks.  
Mrs. McClell, Marcia Don Her-  
der and Neva Boonstra. A picnic  
supper was enjoyed at 6:30 p.m.

Rev. John E. Kuizenga of Prince-  
ton, N. J., is entertaining the Rev.  
and Mrs. Adam J. Westmaas and  
son, Alvin, of Iowa.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Van Dyk  
and Miss Dora De Pree of Long  
Island, New York, are spending a  
month's vacation at their cottage.

Dr. and Mrs. George Gors and  
son, Howard, of Grand Rapids are  
staying for two weeks in the Ruth  
Mae cottage.

The Willing Workers aid society  
will meet Thursday afternoon.  
Mrs. Ralph Van Lente and Mrs.  
Gordon Van Putten will be the  
hostesses.

Moving pictures for the public  
will be shown in the Union chapel  
Friday evening.

Mrs. Frank Wessel and daugh-  
ter, Miss Lois Wessel, of Daven-  
port, Ia., are visiting Mr. and Mrs.  
Dick Miles.

## SEEK APPLICANTS

The U. S. civil service commis-  
sion is seeking applicants to serve  
as machine operators and lathe op-  
erators, paying from \$1 to \$122  
an hour at the Rock Island arsenal,  
Rock Island, Ill. Additional in-  
formation may be received from  
Dick Klein, local civil service rep-  
resentative.

Folks who never do any thing  
more than they are paid for,  
never get paid for any more than  
they do.

## But It's True

AMERICAN INDIANS  
PRACTICED BRAIN SURGERY  
2,000 YEARS AGO—AND  
WERE SUCCESSFUL—ACCORDING  
TO STUDIES MADE RECENTLY  
IN ALASKA AND KODIAK ISLAND



WNU Service

Holland  
In 1913

On March 3 Holland will have  
the opportunity to hear a speaker  
of national reputation and a  
former candidate for vice-presi-  
dent of the United States, accord-  
ing to a story in the Monday,  
Feb. 24, issue of the Holland  
Daily Sentinel published in 1913.  
News was received today that on  
that date Emil Siedel of Milwau-  
kee will be here to address the  
Socialists of this city.

Daniel A. Poling of Columbus,  
O., who is to speak in Winants  
chapel tomorrow evening on the  
liquor question is only 28 years  
old. In spite of that he has be-  
come a power in his line of work.  
He has been chosen national vice-  
president of the Intercollegiate  
Prohibition association. In 1912  
Mr. Poling made 638 public ad-  
dresses. He has traveled over  
200,000 miles in 40 states and five  
provinces in Canada. He has de-  
livered already 2,750 addresses  
before all kinds of audiences. In  
addition to being a national vice-  
president, he is general secretary  
of the Ohio C. E. union, a member  
of the managing board of young  
people's work, United Evangelical  
church, editor of two young  
people's papers and on the staff  
of the "American Advance." Last  
year he was candidate for gov-  
ernor of Ohio on the Prohibition  
ticket.

The Frank Boonstra Mercantile  
Co. of Zeeland, recently organ-  
ized, has elected the following  
officers: F. Boonstra, president;  
Jacob Boonstra, vice-president;  
D. F. Boonstra, secretary and  
treasurer. Dick and Jacob Boon-  
stra have associated themselves  
with their father as partners and  
assistants.

Herman Ten Cate and two  
children of Edgerton, Minn., are  
the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B.  
Huizenga.

After spending a month in Hol-  
land visiting relatives and friends  
Mr. and Mrs. John Baldwin will  
leave Thursday for British Colum-  
bia where they expect to locate.  
They live across the Rocky moun-  
tains in the fruit belt near the  
Shu Swap lakes on the main line  
of the C.P.R.R.

Miss Marguerite Leenhouts who  
is attending M.A.C. spent Sunday  
at her home in this city.

Mayo Hadden who is attending  
the U. of M. at Ann Arbor spent  
Sunday at his home in this city.

Cornelius Hoffman and family  
left Saturday night for their new  
home in Oklahoma City, Okla. Mr.  
Hoffman will follow the photo-  
graphy business.

An old-fashioned spelling match  
is to be pulled off next Saturday  
in the New Groningen school  
house. Two schools will be pitted  
against and struggle for suprem-

acy in spelling ability will be a  
battle royal. The New Groningen  
school will oppose 25 of its very  
best spellers against 25 of the  
best spellers of the Nordeloos  
school. John Etterbeek is prin-  
cipal of the New Groningen school  
and Chris Van Liere of the Nord-  
eloos school. This story appeared  
in the Tuesday, Feb. 25, issue.

The question of a permanent  
encampment site for the Michigan  
national guard near Holland will  
be the subject for Wednesday's  
noon meeting of the committee of  
100 of the Association of Comm-  
merce at the Hotel Pantland in  
Grand Rapids.

C. Muste, who will represent  
Hope college at the state oratorical  
contest at Adrian March 7,  
will speak on "The Democracy of  
Tomorrow."

Common council last night was  
in session just six minutes. It had  
been called for 7 o'clock but for  
various reasons the session was  
postponed until 7:35. Before the  
session opened the aldermen had  
had a little private gathering in  
a committee room. When the ses-  
sion opened the matter of the  
opening of Columbia Ave. came  
up. A. D. Van Drezer who gave  
the minority report on this  
question again stated his reasons  
why he was opposed to the  
straightening of that street. He  
said it would mean a total ex-  
pense of about \$3,000 and that  
he was not prepared to spend  
that sum of money on it. He  
said he did not believe Columbia  
Ave. would ever be a main  
thoroughfare.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Erin  
Smith, Central Ave., yesterday, a  
boy.

The children and grandchildren  
of Mrs. G. Schaftenaar Sr., gar-  
thered at her home last evening,  
West Eighth St., in commemora-  
tion of her 74th birthday anni-  
versary. Mrs. Schaftenaar was  
presented with flowers and a set  
of lace curtains.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Farma an-  
nounce the engagement of their  
daughter, Winnie Henrietta, to  
Albert Berkompas. The marriage  
is to take place the latter part  
of March.

Three birthday anniversaries in  
one family, representing three  
generations, all on the same day  
will be a unique event in the  
family of Nicholas Hofstee next  
Friday. Henry Farma, an old sol-  
dier, will be 79 years old on that  
day, his daughter, Mrs. Nicholas  
Hofstee will reach the age of 45  
and his grandson, Leslie Hofstee,  
will be three years old.

Today was the 33rd anniversary  
of the marriage of Dr. and Mrs.  
F. J. Scholten. The event was  
quietly remembered by the aged  
couple at their home, 139 East  
Ninth St. Dr. and Mrs. Scholten  
were married by the Rev. Mr.  
Van Pelt, at that time pastor  
of Hope church, and the Rev. A.

Mr. Vandenberg said the essence  
of the new law is to get all fathers  
in essential war work rather  
than in the active service. He said  
single men without dependents  
will continue to be taken first;  
single men with collateral de-  
pendents such as parents, next;  
married men without children,  
third, and as a last resort, married  
men with dependents. Children  
born after Pearl harbor are not  
recognized as dependents.

When boards must resort to the  
fourth alternative, the men will  
be called according to order num-  
ber, Mr. Vandenberg said.

Man Waives Examination  
In Car Case; Now in Jail

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Jesse Helsel, 49, of Grand Rapids, was arraigned late Thursday on a charge of unlawfully driving away an automobile without in-  
tent to steal, before Justice How-  
ard W. Irwin at Coopersville. He  
waived examination and was  
bound over to the September  
term of circuit court. Unable to  
furnish \$500 bond, he was con-  
fined to the county jail.

He is alleged to have taken a  
car on Aug. 11 belonging to  
George Edge of Marne, and to  
have driven from Marne to Grand  
Rapids, failing to return the car.  
He was picked up in Grand Rap-  
ids by the Ottawa county sheriff's  
department and brought to Grand  
Haven.

Glamor Out for  
Parade FloatsLocal Units in Army  
Day Parade Monday  
To Be Rolling Exhibits

There will be no "glamor" or  
"beauty" in the "floats" in Mon-  
day's parade in connection with  
the army's salute to Holland's  
agriculture, industry and labor,  
William H. Vande Water, parade  
chairman, said today. He explained  
that the "floats" would be  
in the form of rolling exhibits  
displaying military material as  
manufactured by local defense  
concerns.

Response has been good in  
parade cooperation, although the  
chairman indicated that he hoped  
some other industries would join.  
All workers are asked to parade  
in work clothes.

Arrangements are being made  
for demonstrations at three local  
farms during the afternoon, in  
which army jeeps will demon-  
strate practical farm work such  
as plowing. A group of farmers  
also will march in the parade.

Commander A. C. Joldersma of  
the OOD said that air raid war-  
dens, auxiliary policemen and  
other squads have been asked to  
march in the parade. The auxil-  
iary police also will act as guards  
at the 22nd St. field Monday  
night when the army puts on its  
show.

## Jamestown

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)  
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vande Vel-  
de of Alliance, O., and family cal-  
led on friends here recently also at-  
tending services at the Reform-  
ed church Sunday morning.

Joe Hofste, a farmer living one  
half mile north of the village on  
the Van Regenmorter farm, was  
severely burned on the side of his  
face and chest late Saturday after-  
noon. He was doing some repair  
work on a tractor. The radiator  
cap was blown off, the steam caus-  
ing third degree burns. At present  
he is being cared for by Mrs. Clara  
Baker at her home.

The house occupied by B. Meis-  
inger on the Lanting estate has  
been sold and moved last  
week to Muskegon.

Little Carol Hoeksema of Dor-  
is being cared for by her uncle and  
aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brum-  
mel while her mother, Mrs. R.  
Hoeksema, is convalescing from  
an operation at St. Mary's hospital  
in Grand Rapids.

Sgt. and Mrs. Harry Boersen are  
the parents of a baby boy born  
Wednesday, Aug. 18 at a hospital  
in Lebanon, Pa. Boersen is station-  
ed at Indian Town Gap, Pa.

Mrs. Harvey Redder and chil-  
dren were in Chicago a few days.  
Mrs. Lewis Van Rhee accompanied  
them here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alyn Rynbrandt  
and children visited their parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. W. Venema at their  
cottage at Tennessee beach Sun-  
day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Van Ark and  
Myron of Holland called on their  
mother, Mrs. G. Beek, Sunday  
evening.

Virginia Park Aviation  
Instructor Visits Mother

First Lieut. George Heneveld,  
instructor at the Smyrna air base,  
Nashville, Tenn., flew over Hol-  
land and Virginia park Tuesday  
at about 6 p.m., with eight ad-  
vanced flying students in a B-24  
army plane. The group was on a  
15-hour flight.

Lieut. Heneveld spent the night  
with his mother, Mrs. George  
Heneveld, at Virginia park, and  
the students stayed in Grand Rap-  
ids. They were to leave Grand  
Rapids at 10 a.m. today and plan-  
ned to fly over Holland again be-  
fore leaving for North Carolina  
and back to their base which they  
were to reach at 6:15 p.m. tonight.

Lieut. Heneveld, in speaking of  
the plane, stated that it takes  
about one half hour for it to warm  
up before taking off, and that it  
takes 200 gallons of gasoline per  
hour which he said, "shows why  
civilians are rationed."

One Fined, Other Jailed  
After Ottawa Crashes

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Charles Hollenbeck, 19, of Chi-  
cago, was arrested by the sheriff's  
department late Sunday night in  
Tallmadge township and charged  
with reckless driving after being  
involved in an accident on M-50  
with a car driven by Floyd Du-  
Shane of Grand Rapids. Hollen-  
beck pleaded guilty before Justice  
Howard W. Irwin of Coopersville  
Monday and paid a \$25 fine and  
\$12.40 costs. Damage to each car  
was estimated at \$100.

Frank Delbert Burns, 50, Grand  
Rapids, was arrested Saturday by  
the sheriff's department in Ches-  
ter township, after being involved  
in an accident. He was charged  
with driving while drunk. Upon ar-  
raignment before Justice Erwin  
Monday, Burns pleaded guilty and  
was sentenced to pay a \$50 fine  
and \$14.50 costs, or serve 30 days  
in the county jail. Unable to pay  
the fine and costs, Burns was com-  
mitted to jail.

## WILL AID DRIVE

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Members of the Sgt. Alvin Jon-  
ker post, V.F.W. auxiliary, voted  
Thursday night to participate  
fully in the third war bond drive  
which begins Sept. 7.

It is always right to do right;  
it is never right to do wrong.

Hope keeps the soul from dy-  
ing of despair.

SUNDAY DINNER  
Suggestions

AS THE meat situation shows no  
improvement over last week,  
with the exception of a little more  
Western poultry, it might be a wise  
idea to plan a main dish for Sun-  
day dinner, where the meat could  
be stretched with the addition of  
vegetables and potatoes.

Baked hash can be converted into  
a dish for the gods with proper sea-  
soning and the addition of several  
varieties of vegetables. Chicken pie  
with a crisp biscuit top will certainly  
result in requests for "seconds."

Home canners anxious to build up  
reserves on their pantry shelves  
should put tomatoes on the list this  
week as these are very plentiful  
and, therefore, quite low priced,  
according to the Food Service

of Home-makers. There are  
also excellent supplies of squash,  
as well as other summer vegetables  
such as beans, beets, corn, cucum-  
bers and potatoes. The most eco-  
nomically priced fruits are Eastern  
apples, watermelons, honeydews and  
limes.

The following menus offer sug-  
gestions for Sunday dinner:

- No. 1  
Baked Hash en Casserole with  
Vegetables  
Baked Potatoes  
Tomato Salad  
Cracked Wheat Bread  
Custard Pie  
Iced Coffee
- No. 2  
Pot Roast of Beef  
Oven Baked Potatoes  
Creamed Cabbage  
Mixed Vegetable Salad  
Whole Wheat Rolls  
Compote of Fresh Fruits  
Iced Tea or Coffee
- No. 3  
Chicken Pie with Biscuit Top  
Corn on the Cob  
Green Beans Southern Style  
Peach Ice Cream  
Hot Coffee

## Drenthe

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)  
Rev. and Mrs. Goodyk and  
daughter, Alma Janet, were din-  
ner guests Thursday of Mrs. E.  
L. Brower and Edna.

Mr. and Mrs. John De Weerd,  
Rev. and Mrs. Veltman and Mr.  
and Mrs. Gerald Berends attended  
a ball game at Detroit last week.



## Gideon Founder Speaks At Church Meeting Here

John H. Nicholson, the last living of the three founders of the International Gideon organization, who is spending a week in Holland, spoke at a joint meeting of the Holland and Grand Rapids Gideons at Third Reformed church Monday night.

Mr. Nicholson, 83, better known as "Daddy Nick," is scheduled to speak at the Immanuel church in the Woman's Literary club on Thursday at 8 p.m. He was also one of the speakers Sunday at the Gull Lake Bible conference which celebrated "Michigan Gideon Sunday."

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson have just returned from the International Gideon convention at Boston. They came to Holland from the Gideon headquarters at Chicago.

Mr. Nicholson, who addresses the Gideons as "his boys" has a membership of over 1,000 in Michigan of which Ren Muller of Holland is state president and D. J. De Pree of Zeeland is vice-president. The international organization has placed over 5,000,000 copies of New Testaments and Psalms in the hands of men and women in the U.S. armed

forces, besides placing over 2,000,000 Bibles in hotels, guest rooms and public school rooms. The Gideons at present have a back order of 450,000 copies of the army Testaments. Most of these requests are from chaplains.

Mr. Nicholson states "We believe getting the Bible into the hotels, hospitals and penal institutions, and public schools today will be one of the farthest possible steps toward national security tomorrow." "We will place between 8,000,000 and 10,000,000 Testaments into the hands of the armed forces before we complete our work," he added.

While in the city Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson are making their headquarters at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Low, 97 East 30th St.

## Stroke Is Fatal To G.H. Woman

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Mrs. Alice Hollestelle, 84, 430 Franklin St., died at 4:45 p.m. Thursday following a stroke Monday morning from which she never regained consciousness.

Mrs. Hollestelle, widow of Egbert H. Hollestelle, former well known grocer who conducted a business at the corner of Fifth and Franklin Sts., was born in Grand Haven Dec. 29, 1858, and died in the home where she had lived all her life. She was a former member of First Congregational church. Her husband died in 1927.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Richard Vyn, Edna at home and Gertrude, a teacher in the local schools; a son, Peter of Wahjamega, Mich.; a brother, John Van Westrienen of Pasadena, Calif., and a granddaughter.

## Firemen Extinguish Blaze in Truck Here

Flames which threatened a truck owned by Heidema Bros. were quickly put under control Monday at 8:30 p.m. when firemen responded to a call at 16th St. and College Ave.

Flames appeared near the gas tanks between the tractor and trailer, also under the cab and to some extent inside the cab after the driver, Alvin Batema of East 16th St., turned south at the intersection. He applied a hand extinguisher and the firemen used a booster line.

The driver told his employer the gas tank must have sprung a leak causing the fire. He continued on his trip to Chicago.

## Dairy Furnishes Quality Products

Cleanliness, quality and service are the aims of the Consumers' Dairy, 136 West 27th St., which is owned and operated by Benjamin Speet. Mr. Speet has been in the dairy business in Holland for the past 31 years, and erected the present building, which is air-conditioned and equipped with modern machinery, about 14 years ago.

Besides furnishing Holland homes with pure pasteurized rich cream and milk, the dairy also specializes in a dairy orange, chocolate milk and buttermilk. A modern refrigeration system keeps their products at 38 degrees at all times. The firm maintains a bottling capacity of 300 gallons a day. It has modern pasteurizers, modern washing machinery and sterilizer, modern rotating filling and capping machine.

In delivering milk in bulk to the plant, a loading dock is located so that milk or cream is never touched by the human hand. All cans are thoroughly cleaned and sterilized and milk is pasteurized to 143 degrees Fahrenheit. The Consumers dairy was the first in Holland to adopt the modern step-in drive trucks.

## Miss Harrison Wave Enlistee



(Penna-Sas photo)  
Miss Marian Harrison

Miss Marian "Vera" Harrison, 21, of 177 College Ave. departed on Tuesday for New York city where she will report at Hunter College, Aug. 26 for indoctrination training in the Waves. She will hold the rank of apprentice seaman during her training period.

Miss Harrison is the daughter of Lee Harrison of Ottawa beach. She was sworn in at Chicago July 31. Her brother, Pfc. Elmer Harrison, was recently home on furlough from Camp Rucker, Ala.

A Holland high school graduate of 1939, Miss Harrison is a member of Hope Reformed church and has been employed at the Fabur Bearing Co. She has been active in Rainbow work and served as worthy advisor for the local chapter of Rainbow girls.

## Henry Vanzee, Former Holland Resident, Dies

Henry Vanzee, for many years a Holland resident, living on the north side of Lake Macatawa, died Sunday in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Fisher, 834 Pipestone St., Benton Harbor.

"He is survived by the daughter, one son, Ernest of Leland; two grandchildren and one great grandchild.

The body reposes at the Creston funeral home, Grand Rapids, where services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday. Burial will be in Restlawn cemetery, Grand Rapids.

## Driver Is Charged in Fatal Truck Accident

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Albert Cyr, 56, Muskegon, was bound over to the September term of circuit court to appear Sept. 7, on a charge of involuntary manslaughter, after examination before Justice George V. Hoffer in the court house Thursday afternoon. Cyr furnished \$2,000 bond.

The charge against Cyr arose out of a fatal accident in Ferrysburg July 15, on old US-31, where a gravel truck driven by Cyr collided with a truck driven by Charles H. Wiegand, 28, Muskegon Heights, who was instantly killed. Wiegand's body was pinned in the cab of the truck and it was necessary to use a blow torch to remove the body.

Two witnesses were called to testify at the examination, August Zoratti, Muskegon Heights, who was driving a truck near the scene of the accident, and Trooper Leonard Bartelli of the state police, who was called to investigate the accident.

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## Evelyn Albers to Be USO Director



Miss Evelyn Albers

Miss Evelyn Albers, formerly of Holland, has accepted a position to become one of the woman assistant directors for the U.S.O. with the army and navy department, Y.M.C.A.

The responsibilities of the woman assistant director are many and varied. She assists in planning and carrying out programs, classes and other activities related to the United Service organizations. This involves close working contact with the army and navy being served with all community groups, clubs, churches and schools. It also includes enlisting, training and directing many volunteers and organizing numerous community committees.

Miss Albers has been doing similar work among service men and government workers in Washington, D.C. where she has served as educational director for the Mount Pleasant Congregational church in the capital city. She held a teaching position in Holland junior high school prior to beginning her work in religious education.

Miss Albers, who has been spending the past three weeks at the George D. Albers cottage at Idlewood beach, will leave Wednesday for Waukegan, Ill., where she will begin her field training. Following this she will take the course for U.S.O. directors at Columbia university, N.Y.

She is a graduate of Holland high school and Hope college and received her masters degree from Andover Newton.

## Saugatuck

(From Tuesday's Sentinel) The man who, suffering of amnesia, was picked up on the highway Aug. 2 by local officers, has been identified as Everett Hill of St. Louis, Mo. His wife has been notified and will come this week to get him at the Allegan county jail.

Raymond Schreckengust left for Phoenix, Ariz., Sunday and expected to spend a year there until his health improves. He made the trip by bus.

Donald Sessions and June Force attended the music festival at Soldiers field, Chicago, Saturday evening.

Lieut. Richard M. Brown has been transferred to Lawrenceville, Ill. Mrs. Brown expected to move there in September.

Mrs. Robert Fisher has returned to her home in Mt. Pleasant after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shreckengust.

An exhibit of paintings by Mrs. Cora Bliss Taylor is being shown this week at the River guild.

E. H. Ehrmann will show his motion pictures at the Woman's club Sunday evening, Sept. 5, to the Saugatuck Yacht club members and any others who are interested. This is an annual affair. Most of the pictures have been taken in and around Saugatuck.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Phillips and son Darrell returned to Chicago after spending two weeks visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Taylor.

## Fillmore Junior Farm Bureau Has Lawn Party

Approximately 40 persons attended the Fillmore Junior Farm bureau lawn party Tuesday, Aug. 24, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dykstra. The Rev. John Vander Beek pronounced the invocation, after which supper was served to guests seated at tables on the lawn.

Bill Bouwman presided at the program which followed the dinner. Miss Angelina Jacobs and Jim Zoerhof furnished special music and D. Nies showed movies of world news and also some of wild animal life. Rev. Vander Beek, the speaker for the evening, spoke of the objectives of the junior farm bureau, and congratulated the group on the fine work they were doing.

Announcement was made of the next meeting which will be held Aug. 31 with Ted and Fred Kleinhessel, Jarvis Zoet, Earnest, Ray and Edwin Ryzen and Lloyd Koops in charge of the meeting.

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## Mary Jane Now Has New Hours

The Mary Jane restaurant, 196 River Ave., is now open to the public from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and from 5 to 8 p.m., daily. Thomas J. Sanger, owner and operator of the restaurant, said recently.

One of the features of the service offered by the restaurant is regular family night every Thursday. Besides this special feature, counter service, tables, booths and short order service are offered. Also featured are Victory foods on government lists including poultry. Special rates are offered for children.

The Mary Jane has been owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Sanger since 1935. At that time the restaurant was located at 184 River Ave. In November of 1940 the restaurant was moved to its new location and the building completely remodeled and redecorated. Mr. Sanger came to Holland in 1933 from Minnesota where he operated a livestock farm west of Minneapolis and a meat market in Minneapolis. During this time he gained much knowledge of food valuable to him now as a restaurant owner.

## Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bowman of Big Rapids announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Joy, Aug. 17. Mrs. Bowman is the former Miss Carolyn Dalman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Dalman, 41 Cherry St.

Chaplain Sander J. Kleis left Monday night for Atlantic City, N. J., after spending a 15-day leave in Holland. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kleis, 144 East 14th St., and is serving in the U. S. navy.

Mrs. John Goodland has returned to her home in Racine, Wis., after spending a week visiting her sister, Mrs. L. M. Williams of East 13th St. Mrs. Goodland is the daughter-in-law of Gov. Goodland of Wisconsin.

Sgt. Jack L. Haan has returned to Pomona, Calif., after spending a 10-day furlough with his wife at her home, 45 East 19th St.

The Pine Creek Neighbor club will meet Thursday at 7:45 p.m. in the Pine Creek school.

Mrs. Lyle H. Miller of De Land, Fla., who has spent the summer in Bay View, arrived last night to visit her father, C. A. French, 66 West 11th St., before returning to her home in the south. Her husband, Brig. Gen. Miller of the U.S. Marines, is in the southwest Pacific area, and their son, Bradford, is a pre-med student at Stetson university.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walters, 137 East Sixth St., announce the birth of a seven and one-half pound son, Donald Jay, this morning in the home of Mrs. John Van Huis, 133 East 17th St.

The picnic for Local 515, city employees' union, scheduled for Wednesday, has been postponed until Saturday, Sept. 4, at 1:30 p.m. at Tunnel park. Members of common council were given a special invitation to attend at the meeting Wednesday night.

The local Boy scout council is arranging a scout float for the parade Monday in connection with the big army demonstration. Al Walters and Ben Heedericks are being assisted by other scoutmasters of the city. Scouts also will march.

The actual test of weights and measures in Holland is nearing completion under the direction of Det. Sgt. Ernest Bear, official scaler of weights and measures for the city.

Trooper Jay Dalman of the Michigan state police post attached to Battle Creek is spending a few days in Holland. He formerly was a member of the Holland police force.

A minor accident was reported to police Monday involving cars driven by Herman H. Cook, route 1, Holland, and the Rev. James M. Martin of The Bronx, N. Y., occurring in front of the police station. According to police record, Rev. Martin attempted a U-turn and collided with Cook.

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## Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



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## Pays Fine After Minor Accident

Florence Mulick Wascoe, 35, Grand Rapids, paid a fine and costs of \$3 on a charge of running a red light, as the result of an accident at 1:15 p.m. Monday at the intersection of Columbia Ave. and Eighth St. involving a car driven by herself and a pick-up truck driven by John Oonk, Jr., 35, 156 East 16th St.

The Wascoe car was traveling east on Eighth St. and the Oonk truck was traveling north on Columbia Ave. The truck was damaged on the left front.

Other fines paid in Municipal court Monday included the following:

Lloyd Driscoll, 27, route 4, fine and costs of \$5 on charge of having no operator's license.

Richard Marink, 22, route 6, who paid two fines one of \$5 on charges of speeding and another of \$3 for allegedly running a red flasher.

Henry Vanden Bosch, 28, route 6, fine of \$5 on a charge of faulty brakes.

Pvt. Michmerhuizen Weds Betty Schurman

In a simple ceremony performed Friday afternoon in a cottage at Kardux beach on Lake Michigan, Miss Betty Jean Schurman, daughter of James Schurman, 614 Lincoln Ave., became the bride of Pvt. Donald R. Michmerhuizen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Michmerhuizen of East 32nd St. The single ring ceremony was performed at 5 p.m. by Dr. Jacob Hoogstra of Prospect Park Christian Reformed church.

The bride was attractive in a two-piece aqua blue street length dress of light weight wool with British tan accessories. Her corsage was of pink and white roses and her only ornament was a three strand necklace of pearls.

Mrs. C. Pippel, only sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a two-piece dress of beige and brown and a corsage of roses. Russel Michmerhuizen assisted his brother as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception for 25 guests was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Michmerhuizen on route 5. The

couple later left on a short wedding trip.

The bride was born in Holland and attended Holland high school. She is now employed in the office of Baker Furniture Co. The groom also was born in Holland and attended Holland Christian high school. He was inducted into the army in April, 1943, and is now stationed at Ft. Jackson, S.C. Mrs. Michmerhuizen for the present will make her home with her father, Pvt. Michmerhuizen left this morning for South Carolina.

Mavor Asks Cooperation Of Industries on Army Day

Mayor Henry Geerlings today appealed to local defense industries to cooperate in providing a mobile float for Centennial park and to participate in the big parade which will take place Monday in connection with the big army show. Industries were requested to get in touch with William H. Vande Water, head of the parade committee.

Call 9051

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## Employee of P.M. Survives 11,000 Volts at Waverly

Burned Only Slightly When Metal Tape Hits High Tension Wires

J. W. Van Gemert, 27, 132 Carrier St., N. E., Grand Rapids, escaped death Saturday morning when 11,000 volts of electricity passed through his body at the Waverly yards, resulting, however, only in minor burns to his right hand and to the left foot.

Van Gemert, an employee of the Pere Marquette engineering department, and two other employees were attempting to determine the height of certain overhead wires and was holding the metallic tape which is used in making these tests. The tape apparently hit a bare spot in the overhead wires and the fact that the tape burned off at his hand releasing the charge, together with prompt first aid, is credited with saving his life.

Sheriff's officers who investigated said Van Gemert and T. H. Loftus and R. Darling, all of Grand Rapids, were making a survey at the Waverly yards in preparation for a new "Y" track. Overhead wires must have a certain clearance, and to determine this height, the engineering department uses a metallic tape for measurement.

In this particular case Van Gemert was holding the tape and one of the other men threw the stone which went over a higher wire than the one for which he aimed. Van Gemert was knocked down unconscious. Darling administered artificial respiration immediately and Loftus put in a call to Holland police for the rescuer. The call came in to the local police station at 9 a.m. and two officers responded. Van Gemert regained consciousness after oxygen was administered and was rushed to Holland hospital in the police car which is a combination cruiser and ambulance.

At the hospital, Van Gemert's burns were found to be minor and he was released after treatment and returned to Grand Rapids.

The tape which suspended from the live wire was guarded until Consumer's Power employees arrived from Zeeland to remove it. Following examination, it was found that the electrical charge entered Van Gemert's body through a finger on the right hand and came out through two toes on the left foot.

This method of determining the height of wires has been used by railway engineers for 28 years and this is the first mishap, officers were told. Workmen also explained that this method is used instead of climbing poles because wires naturally are at a lower height between poles.

## Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel)  
Pfc. Harold Vork left Saturday to return to Camp Howze, Tex., after spending a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vork, North Holland.

Willis Jay is the name of the son born Aug. 18 in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonselar, route 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lake, 179 East Eighth St., have received word that their son, Harold Lake, who left Holland Aug. 12 after enlisting in the coast guard, is now stationed at Manhattan Beach, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Pfc. Lloyd N. Vedder of Fort Benning, Ga., arrived home unexpectedly Saturday to spend a 12-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Vedder, 92 West 10th St. This is his first furlough since his induction in August, 1942.

Beverly Garvelink, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Garvelink, 324 West 12th St., was released from the Holland hospital Saturday where she had been confined for the past three weeks with a fractured arm.

Mrs. Ray Hertz, 180 East 11th St., underwent an operation in Holland hospital this morning. Pvt. William Hovenga, Jr., is stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill., in the combat engineer regiment, following his transfer from Camp McCoy, Wis. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hovenga, 241 West 21st St.

Shirley Ann Melton of Washington, D. C., is spending the summer vacation with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Burns, and their two daughters at 173 East 16th St. Shirley who is 10 years old made the trip alone by train from Washington.

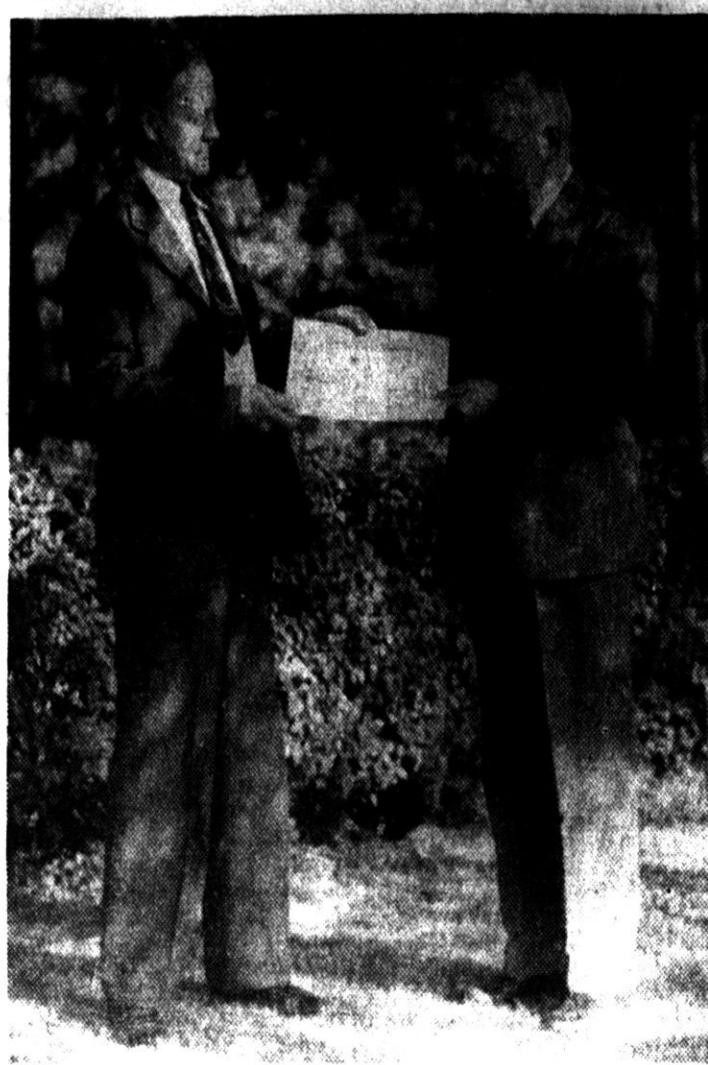
Mrs. Raymond Van Voorst, 253 East 14th St., underwent an emergency appendectomy Saturday night in Holland hospital. Her condition was described as favorable today.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Lamb on Park road were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ward of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Davidson of Lansing. Mr. Ward is state highway deputy commissioner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce G. Van Leuven, 13 East 13th St., announce the birth of a daughter, Nancy Saturday night in Holland hospital.

Mrs. Russell Anderson of East Lansing was a week-end guest

## Honored for Sale of War Bonds



Frank Lieve, left, chairman of the bond drive in Holland, is shown presenting a distinguished service certificate from the treasury department to Ernest V. Hartman, secretary-manager of the Ottawa County Building and Loan association. The award was made to the loan association in recognition of its cooperation in promoting the sale of bonds. The association also has been placed on the honor roll of members of the Federal Home Loan bank, with a showing of sales of \$285,000 in bonds on footings of the association's assets of \$537,267.27.

of Mrs. J. D. French and family on Park road.  
A daughter was born Sunday in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Timmer of West Olive, route 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Johnson, 26 West Seventh St., announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday in Holland hospital.

Mrs. Herman Walters, route 3, and Mrs. William Scoutema, Park road, accompanied Mrs. Nellie Cramer to Detroit Saturday where the latter will make her home. The former two women spent the week-end there.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Poll of Hamilton received word that their son, Bernard, who is crew chief at the MacDill Field air base, Fla., was promoted to staff sergeant on his arrival there last Tuesday, after a furlough spent with his parents.

Jennie Van Dyke, 36, route 2, Holland, was treated in Holland hospital for injuries when the third finger of her left hand was crushed in a grinding machine at Fafnir Bearing Co., Saturday. She was dismissed after treatment.

Joan Runstrom, 11, of Grand Rapids, was given anti-tetanus injection at 6:15 p.m. Sunday in Holland hospital after she cut her right foot while swimming at Ottawa beach.

Corp. Lloyd H. Nivison of Camp Butler, N.C., is spending a 12-day furlough with his wife, the former Miss Onalee Penna, at 317 East 12th St.

Pvt. Leonard Nicol of Avon Park, Fla., arrived in Holland Friday to spend a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nicol, route 5. Another son of the Nicols, Sgt. Roy Nicol of Camp Gordon, Ga., arrived home Sunday for a 15-day furlough.

Mrs. A. Vander Vliet and infant son, Howard Dale, are staying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Geerds, 12 East 18th St. They plan to be there for the next week.

Mrs. Viola Warren, 233 West Ninth St., underwent a major operation in Holland hospital Saturday morning. Her condition is as well as can be expected. She is a sister of Mrs. Frank Underwood.

William Prince, 321 Columbia Ave., has a hollyhock plant in

## To Recruit Women Marines Here



Sgt. Ruth M. Lange

Lieut. Nancy McKenna

Arrangements have been completed for conducting a campaign for recruiting local women and girls for the marine corps women's reserve to be held in Holland Aug. 30 and 31 from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at 6 East Eighth St. in the former Selles Jewelry store.

Lieut. Nancy McKenna and Sgt. Ruth Lange of the women's reserve will be here to interview candidates.

The local committee members are Mrs. Henry Geerds, chairman; Mrs. Chester Van Tongeren, Miss Helen Lawrence, Mrs. William Beebe, Mrs. H. J. Thomas, Jr., Mrs. E. P. Shooter, Jr., Mrs. Jack Riemersma, Mrs. A. E. Van Lente and Mrs. John Geerlings. Only enlisted personnel are ac-

## Expect CAP Wing Officers Saturday

Bleachers, Parking Space to Be Provided At Hangar Dedication

Civil air patrol officers of the Holland squadron who are arranging the program in connection with the public dedication of the new hangar at Park township airport Saturday at 2 p.m. said today that at least one Michigan wing officer will be on hand for the maneuver. Tentatively scheduled to come are Capt. Squire Commander Frederick H. Mpel-D. Eulrick, Major Ray Baker and Capt. Sam Buck.

Commander Frederick H. Mueller of the Western Michigan division will be in charge of the review and CAP activity. Lieut. G. J. Vinkemulder, operations officer of Commander Mueller's staff who has had about 20 years experience in flying, will announce over the public address system.

There will be bleachers and parking space for the public.

Charles Lowing, Ottawa county supervisor, and Clarence Lokker, local attorney, will participate in the ceremony.

## Zeeland Schools To Open Sept. 8

Despite wartime difficulty in securing teachers, Zeeland public schools have obtained a full and competent teaching staff which will be ready for the opening of the schools Sept. 8 at 8:30 a.m.

Gerrit Veenboer will be the high school principal and Raymond Brummel will be the new junior high school principal. New teachers in the elementary grades at Zeeland this year include Miss Sophia Vander Kamp, formerly of Federal school, Miss Kathryn Jansen of New Groningen and Mrs. Lena Veneklaas, who taught at Hamilton last year.

In junior and senior high school, Miss Winifred Rameau will teach Latin and English, Miss Phyllis Ver West will teach in the commercial department, Miss Jane McCarty will teach history and civics and Miss Anna Marie Schmidt will teach homemaking.

Children who will become five years of age on or before Jan. 1, 1944 will be admitted to the kindergarten. The age limit will be the same for both Christian and public schools.

Registration dates for all high school students will be as follows: seniors, Aug. 27; juniors and sophomores, Aug. 30 and 31 and freshmen, Sept. 2 and 3. Registration hours will be from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon, and from 1 to 5 p.m. For any who can not register during the day, the office will be open from 7 to 9 p.m. Aug. 27 and Sept. 1.

Parents are urged to come with freshmen when they enroll. All other students should be certain to register on the above mentioned dates.

## South Blendon

(From Friday's Sentinel)  
Rev. Trompen of Grand Rapids occupied the pulpit at the local church Sunday. Rev. H. Fikse is on his vacation.

A Red Cross sewing meeting was held Tuesday night in the church basement.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poskey were Mr. and Mrs. C. Meeuwse and Sharon of Muskegon, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen of North Blendon, Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Harn of Zeeland and Mr. and Mrs. M. Poskey and Roger of Wyoming Park.

John Zwagerman of Beaverdam spent Tuesday at the De Cook home.

Irene Vrugink was confined to her home last week because of illness.

Mrs. John Holthof of West Hudsonville spent Thursday, Aug. 12, with her mother, Mrs. G. D. Vrugink.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Vrugink of Beaverdam spent Tuesday evening at the home of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vrugink.

Gerrit De Cook of Grand Rapids is visiting his brothers and sister at their home here.

Miss Gertrude Groot and Miss Julia Holstege of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with the family of Mr. and Mrs. John Holstege.

## Harlem

(From Friday's Sentinel)  
Pfc. Gerrit J. Van Der Hulst of Baxter General hospital, Spokane, Washington is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Van Der Hulst.

A farewell party was given in honor of Miss Mildred Cole at the home of her parents. She is leaving for service in the near future. The following girls were present: Miss Marie Bazaan, Miss Hazel Kooyers, Miss Nelvie Kooyers, Miss Joan Sluiter, Miss Nelva Schutt, Miss Angeline Bangor, Miss Alice Prince, Miss Louise Bangor, Miss Ethel Cole, Miss Julianne Slagh, Miss Arlene Slagh. Games were played and a two-course lunch was served by her mother, Mrs. W. Cole. She was presented with a gift.

Contractor Ben Wassink and George Weirama have almost completed the new school room, one of the improvements under the Kellogg plan.

## Only Two Applications Are Filed for Permits

A sharp drop in applications for building permits was noted last week with the filing of only two applications amounting to \$175. This is \$9,224 under the previous week's total of \$9,399 which represented 20 permits. For the week ending Aug. 7 there were four permits representing \$700.

The two applications follow:  
L. D. Bouwman, 12 East Sixth St., asphalt shingles on part of house, \$60; self, contractor.  
Arthur Mills, 249 East 14th St., reroof main part of house, \$115. Frank Cherven, contractor.

## Benjamin Van Loo Of Zeeland Taken



Benjamin C. Van Loo

Zeeland, Aug. 26 (Special) — Benjamin C. Van Loo, 70, died on Saturday at his home, 42 East Central Ave., following a lingering illness. He was born in Grand Haven but spent most of his life in Zeeland. For many years he was manager of the Zeeland furniture factory. Interested in music, he served as organist in several churches over a period of 47 years. He was also active in political affairs.

Surviving are the widow, Rena; two daughters, Mrs. August Niemeyer of Holland, and Mrs. Robert B. Pennell of Philadelphia, Pa.; one son, William H. at home; three grandchildren; one brother, Jasper Uitermark of Muskegon; two sisters, Mrs. Louis Hieftje and Mrs. Jerry Bultuis of Grand Haven; three foster sisters, Mrs. Henry A. Van Dyke of Holland and Mrs. William Glerum and Mrs. Erwin Glerum of Zeeland.

## Borculo

(On Friday's Sentinel)  
On Sunday the Rev. Homan will conduct the morning and evening services at the local church and the Rev. Guikema will have charge of the afternoon services. Rev. A. De Vries and family are camping at Silver Lake.

Mrs. Ralph Steingena, who was operated on for gonorrhea, has returned home from Holland hospital and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gebben and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gebben and Patricia Lynn of Waukazo, and Virginia and Phyllis Haan of Grand Rapids enjoyed a wiener roast at Ottawa beach last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gradus Geurick were shocked to hear of the tragic accident of their grandchild, Elaine Geurick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Geurick of Allendale, who was hit and killed by a car while trying to cross the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Diepenhorst and Flora Mae, Mr. and Mrs. John De Roo and family of Zeeland enjoyed a wiener roast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bussies Friday evening.

## Serving Under the Stars and Stripes



Pfc. Gerrit Swierenga, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Swierenga, East Eighth St., was inducted into the army Dec. 1, 1942, at Kalamazoo. He reported to Fort Custer Dec. 12, 1942, and from there was sent to Camp Claiborne, La. where he is stationed with the anti-tank company. He won expert sharp shooter medals on the rifle and the anti-tank gun. He was born in Holland Dec. 25, 1919. His wife and daughter, Judith Kay, make their home at 120 East 19th St.

## Mrs. Mary Kent, 74, of Virginia Park Is Taken

Mrs. Mary Kent, 74, wife of Clyde Kent of Virginia park, died Saturday morning at her home following a long illness. Besides her husband, she is survived by a step-son, Edgar Kent of Grand Rapids; and two brothers, Robert and Cauncy Bassett of Dor.

## Olert-Haymans Wedding Solemnized in Detroit

The Rev. Frederick H. Olert, D.D., performed the double ring service at which his nephew, the Rev. John Olert, Jr., took Euphemia Livingstone Haymans of Berkley, as his bride at three o'clock, Saturday afternoon, in the Woodward Avenue Presbyterian Church of Detroit. Church decorations were white gladioli, calla lilies and cydonium ferns.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Haymans, 2023 Wiltshire Drive, Berkley, and the bridegroom, who is pastor of the Fourth Street Presbyterian Church of Owensboro, Ky., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Olert, 56 West 16th St., this city.

Miss Jean Haymans attended her sister as maid of honor, and Miss Joan Mc Grath of Berkley and the Richardson twins, the Misses Margaret and Janet of Pleasant Ridge, cousins of the bride, were bridesmaids.

The wedding brought together four men who were boyhood friends. They were Dr. Victor Notier of Rochester, Minn., best man; Dr. Donald Popen and Ensign Stanley Lievese, U.S.N., of Ann Arbor and Donald Lievese of Grand Rapids, all of whom served as ushers. John Bathgate of Detroit also assisted in seating the guests.

A candlelight satin wedding gown made with a lace trimmed basque waist and sweetheart neckline and a short train was worn by the bride. Her fingertip veil was secured to a seed pearl tiara and her bouquet was of baby calla lilies and gardenias.

Miss Jean wore a basque type frock of fuchsia marquisette and carried a bouquet of roses in the same shade interspersed with blue delphinium. The bridesmaids' dresses were of heaven blue and were styled like that of the maid of honor. Their bouquets were of the same flowers as the maid of honor's.

Sally Kay Olert, cousin of the bridegroom, small daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Olert, as flower girl wore a long pink taffeta colonial style dress and carried a colonial bouquet of sweetheart roses and forget-me-nots.

Mrs. Hayman chose a French blue gown and plum accessories for her daughter's marriage and the bridegroom's mother was in a gown of ashes of roses with black accessories. Both mothers wore orchids.

Following a reception at the Ingleside club, the Rev. and Mrs. Olert left for a short wedding trip after which they will leave for Owensboro, Ky., where they expect to be at home after Sept. 3. For travelling the bride wore a navy blue print dress and accessories with white orchids at her shoulder.

The bride received her A.B. degree from the College of Wooster, Ohio. Mr. Olert's A.B. degree was conferred by Hope college, and his B. D. by the Louisville Presbyterian seminary and he took his master's degree at Union Theological seminary, New York city.

A rehearsal dinner was held at the Woman's City club in Detroit on Friday evening.

Those attending the wedding from Holland besides the bridegroom's parents and sister Florence, were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Veltman, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Veltman, Miss Ella Olert, Miss Jane Alena Veltman, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Notier, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Ark, the Misses Emily and Lucille Kardux and Mrs. M. H. Pellegrom.

During the summer months when Mrs. Olert was spending a few weeks at her parents' cottage at Buchanan beach, Mrs. Peter

Notier and Mrs. M. H. Pellegrom entertained with a luncheon shower in her honor at the Pellegrom cottage. Mrs. Peter Veltman and Miss Ella Olert entertained in the former's home with an afternoon party complimenting Mrs. Olert.

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Olert plan to hold "open house" from 8 to 10 p.m. for their friends and relatives in honor of the bridal couple.

## Grand Haven Boy Feted On Eighth Birthday

Roy Overway of Grand Haven was entertained Friday at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Overway, 176 West 21st St., the occasion marking his eighth birthday anniversary. Games were played and refreshments served. Roy is the proud owner of seven war bonds.

Invited guests at the party were Mary Lou Van Dyke, John and Lois Ver Hulst, Bill Wooden, Norma, Sandra and Marleen Harbin, Wayne Overway, Mrs. Arnold Overway, Mrs. Ruth Overway and Mrs. Ed Kruid and daughter, Karen Lea of Holland; and Joyce Perrin of Grand Rapids.

## Miss Ann Schurman Feted at Shower

A shower was given for Miss Ann Schurman who is to be a bride of this month, Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Schurman, who was assisted as hostess by Mrs. Gerrit Schurman. The bride-to-be was presented with many beautiful gifts. Games were played and prizes awarded. A two-course luncheon was served.

Invited guests were the Misses Marjorie and Corinne Scholten, Hilda, Aleda and Jeanette Gensink, and the Mesdames John Diekema, John Lam, Herbert B. eelen, Julius Jacobs, Luther Van Huis, Clarence Volkers, Percy Peterson and Justin Saggars.

## G.R. Girl Engaged to Put. Robert Bouwsma

Mr. and Mrs. John Boerema of Grand Rapids announce the engagement to their daughter, Miss Rosemary Boerema, to Pvt. Robert Bouwsma, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Bouwsma, 357 Central Ave. Miss Boerema is attending Calvin college, and Pvt. Bouwsma, a graduate of Calvin, is serving overseas.

## Supper at Kollen park Honors Jay F. Bartels

A group of relatives gathered for a supper at Kollen park Monday, Aug. 16 in honor of Jay F. Bartels, who left Tuesday for service in the navy. A gift was presented to him by the group.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. Bartels, Alma and Roland Bartels, Jay F. Bartels, Mr. and Mrs. John Menken, Geraldine, Frieda, June and Beatrice Menken, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vork, Gertrude, Julius and Carol Vork, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Vork, Mr. and Mrs. George Vork, Lucille and Donald Vork, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greengood, Merle, Gordon and Eleanor Greengood, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walldyke, Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Dyke, Jr., Charles and Delwyn Van Dyke, Mrs. G. Alena and Gayle Alena and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Arens.

## TO LEAD GROUP

Charles J. McLean, Jr., will serve as leader for the group of nine young men scheduled to leave Holland Sept. 1 for Fort Custer. The group will gather at the local selective service headquarters at 9:45 a.m. and will leave from the bus station at 10:30 a.m. for Grand Rapids where they will board a Grand Trunk train for Fort Custer.

## Announce Tests Of Ottawa Cows

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special) —County Agricultural Agent L.R. Arnold has announced the records of tests on 14 Ottawa herds from December, 1941, to December, 1942. These records have passed through the extension office of Michigan State college and are officially recorded.

Six of the herds averaged over 400 pounds of butterfat per cow. Names and records are as follows: Gerrit J. But, Coopersville, Holstein herd, average per cow, 468 pounds butterfat; Gerrit J. But, mixed herd, per cow, 439 pounds butterfat; Eugene Brower, Zeeland, mixed herd, per cow, 427 pounds butterfat; Art Modderman and son, Lamont, mixed herd, per cow, 423 pounds butterfat; Gerald Poest, Zeeland, mixed herd, per cow, 408 pounds butterfat.

Average cow production for the 14 herds was 398 pounds butterfat. A few years ago dairymen regarded 300 pounds butterfat as a goal. Any cow with such production was outstanding. During very recent years the Ottawa testing conservation has been well above the 300 pound mark. One year ago it ran an average up to 370 pounds fat and the figure on finishers in the 1941-43 year shows 398 pounds, an outstanding record.

Herd testing in Michigan has passed out in many counties due to war conditions. It is impossible to secure trained testers in most cases. Every effort has been made to continue but the army and industry have too strong a pull, Mr. Arnold said. At present there is no test on the job in the county.

Herds under test serve as a source for breeding stock. Poor producers are weeded out and breeders in association work are careful in the selection of bulls.

## Miss Van Zanten Dies in Hospital

Miss Cora Van Zanten, 59, retired missionary, died Sunday afternoon in Holland hospital where she had been confined for the past eight weeks. She underwent an operation about six weeks ago.

Born in Graafschap, Miss Van Zanten went out from the Graafschap Christian Reformed church to the Rehoboth mission field in New Mexico where she served as girls' matron for 20 years. About seven years ago she was forced to resign because of an infected hip. After three months in a Rehoboth hospital, she returned to Holland where she has made her home with her brothers and sister. She loved her missionary work, and it was a disappointment when ill health forced her to give it up.

Surviving are her sister, Mrs. William Veurink of East Holland; and two brothers, Benjamin and Alex Van Zanten of Holland.

## CANCELS VISITS

It was announced today that Lawrence D. Smith, OPA rent attorney for Kent and Ottawa counties, will not be in Holland Aug. 24 or 31, and persons having questions about rent control or complaints of violation may mail them to the area rent office, 707 Keeler building, Grand Rapids. Anyone writing the office is requested to give the street address of the property involved and his own mailing address. It is not necessary to send stamps for reply. Smith will resume his weekly trips to Holland Sept. 7.

Correction does much, but encouragement does more. Encouragement after censure is a sun after a shower.—Gothie.

## Heavy Windstorm Losses This Year — 1943



This is a picture of the damage done to buildings on the Hanson Farm, 4 miles west and 2 miles south of Howell, Michigan, April 27, 1943—and as usual, this Company paid the loss—\$1,900.00.

Number of Claims Paid This Year — January 1st to July 30

8050

The Total Amount of These Claims

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## Officials Move to Halt Disposal of Sewage Into Bay

### Notices Will Be Sent Macatawa Cottagers Who Delay Correction

The Ottawa county health board and officials of Park township have gone on record as being unanimously in favor of taking legal action to stop the disposal of raw sewage and the drainage of septic tanks into Macatawa bay.

This action is the result of a thorough discussion at a meeting of the health board in Grand Haven attended by LeRue Miller, assistant engineer of the state health department; John H. Wyman, county sanitarian; Sherrill P. Nelson, Grand Haven city manager who was formerly county sanitarian; Louis H. Osterhout, Grand Haven city attorney and health board chairman; Dick Nieuwma, Park township supervisor; and Vernon D. Ten Cate, Holland city attorney.

The health board pointed out that the situation at Macatawa park has existed for years and has been discussed periodically, although direct action always was delayed because of promised correction. Many owners have cooperated and have altered their individual sewage disposal systems to comply with requests of the county health committee. However, there are some offenders who continue to dispose of sewage directly into the bay which creates a menace to health and which results in pollution of Lake Macatawa, Ten Cate said. Sewage disposal at other points along the lake were considered satisfactory.

Notice will be given to the offending property owners, according to the county health board, and if conditions are not corrected, the complaints will be referred to Prosecuting Attorney Howard W. Fant for possible prosecution.

Former Sanitarian Nelson said he had many meetings with Macatawa cottagers and has submitted numerous ways for correcting the condition. It was pointed out that the two government institutions, the U. S. coast guard station and Holland State park have taken proper precautions to remedy this situation.

Presence of raw sewage or septic-tank sewage in waters used for bathing and swimming imperils the health of swimmers. Ten Cate said. Polymyositis and typhoid are only two diseases caused by bacilli in polluted waters.

Although the city of Holland has no jurisdiction over Park township, water pollution in Lake Macatawa has been a subject for discussion on many occasions at health board meetings, and the city health board advocates action because of the use of the lake by Holland citizens and summer residents, he explained.

## East Holland

The Rev. and Mrs. Bernard VanderBeek of Dearfield, Ill., visited their parents, the Rev. and Mrs. J. VanderBeek.

The Rev. Ralph Heynen, former Niekerk pastor, will be guest preacher at their morning service Sunday. The Rev. Ed. Boeve of Kalamazoo will occupy the pulpit in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Boeve of Kalamazoo called on their parents and were dinner guests of their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Boeve, Jr., last Sunday. In the evening they visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bouman. They received word that Mrs. Nelson Boeve's sister, Mildred, had been in a bicycle accident and was taken to Holland hospital, and that her brother has his eye injured with a wiener fork which necessitated the removal of the eye Sunday morning at Holland hospital.

Master Dale De Witt is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. George Ruscher and family in Muskegon.

Miss Irma Hoeland and Miss Dorothea De Boer of Holland sang at the evening services at Ebenezer last Sunday.

One more oil well is being dug on the farm of Dozeman and Schaap. This is the third well on the Dozeman farm. The No. 2 well is better than the No. 1 well.

(From Saturday's Sentinel) Neb., formerly pastor of Vriesland church, had charge of both morning and evening services. Mrs. William Gaston of New Jersey sang at the morning service.

The Rev. J. VanderBeek preached in the Hope Reformed church of Detroit Sunday. He stayed with his son, Herman VanderBeek, over the week-end.

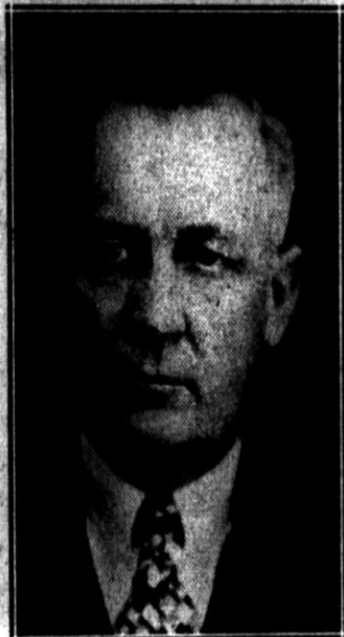
C. Oliver Buus, candidate for the ministry, has declined the call extended to him by the Niekerk Christian Reformed church to become pastor there.

The oil well on the farm of Nick Dykhuys is not a dry hole as was stated in our correspondence last week. The well is doing very well and the same rig is moving across the road in section 3 on the farm of Mrs. C. Dykhuys. The well of Dozeman and Schaap is also a good producer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Boeve visited with their children, Mr. and Mrs. John Brinkhuis at Marlin Sunday.

It is not a merit to tolerate, but rather a crime to be intolerant. — Shelley.

## Interned Missioners to Be Released



Dr. Henry A. Poppen



Rev. H. M. Veen-schoten

Mrs. Henry A. Poppen, 57 East 16th St., received word on Monday that her husband, Dr. Henry Poppen, who has been interned by the Japanese since Dec. 7, 1941, is one of a group of prisoners to be exchanged for Japanese prisoners sometime in October in Goa, a Portuguese port off the coast of India.

The Swedish steamship, Gripsholm, which will leave New York in September for Goa, will carry Rev. Poppen and his fellow-missionaries, the Rev. H. M. Veen-schoten, who is well-known in Holland, Miss Jeanette Veltman of Grand Rapids, and the Misses Katherine Green and Edna Beckman of New York city to America. They are expected to arrive here in December.

Dr. Poppen, at the time of the Pearl harbor attack, was interned in Kulangsu, Amoy, China, but has been in a concentration camp in Shanghai since June 17, 1943. He left for China from San Francisco, Calif., Oct. 7, 1941, after spending a year's furlough in Holland.

Before his internment and during the Japanese occupation of China he served on various relief committees. He was chairman of the international relief committee, a member of the Kulangsu municipal committee and was secretary of the Chinese Y. M. C. A. During the past several years he has also served as secretary of the American mission.

Mrs. Poppen and their children, Anna Ruth and A. Wolcott Poppen, are making their home in Holland. Another son, Kenneth J. Poppen, is a member of the naval reserve and is receiving his medical training at Wayne University, Detroit, following his graduation from Hope college in 1942.

## Couple Is Wed In Bride's Home

Miss Anna A. Schurman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Schurman, route 6, Holland, and Alvin J. Beintema, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Beintema, 125 East 16th St., were united in marriage Wednesday night in the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. Harry Blystra performed the double ring ceremony.

Selected wedding music was played preceding the ceremony by Mrs. Rena Elenbaas. Her daughter, Miss Donna Elenbaas, soloist, sang "I Love You Truly," also before the service. The wedding march from "Lohengrin" was played as the bride and groom took their places before the improvised altar of palms and large baskets of white gladioli.

The bride, who was unattended, wore a wedding gown of white satin fashioned with shirred fitted bodice trimmed with rosettes centered with seed pearls. The long sleeves ended in points at the wrists. Lace inserts were featured in the full skirt which terminated in a long train. Her shoulder length veil fell from a tiara of seed pearls. Her flowers were of white roses and snapdragons.

A reception was held for 30 guests with Miss Cornelia Boven and Miss Jeanette Genzink serving as waitresses.

The bride was born in this community and received her education in Holland High school. She had been employed at the H. L. Fredlin and Co. The groom also was born in Holland and is employed as a trucker. The couple are on a northern wedding trip and will be at home after Sept. 1 in their home on route 6. For traveling the bride wore a brown wool suit with matching accessories.

## Societies of Overisel Church Meet Jointly

Overisel, Aug. 26 (Special)—A joint meeting of the Women's Missionary society and the Girl's League for Service of the Reformed church was held last week with Mrs. H. W. Pyle in charge of the opening service. She also introduced Mrs. Simon Verburg, who presented the life of Miss Fanny Crosby. Mrs. Verburg was assisted by Miss Ruth Poppen who sang parts of several of Miss Crosby's hymns.

Devotionals were in charge of Miss Lois Koopman, who also gave a sketch of the playlet entitled "Next Door Neighbor," which was presented. The playlet depicted part of the Reformed church missionary work in Chiapas, New Mexico. Those taking part were Mrs. John Poppen, Lois Kronmeyer, Ruth Poppen and Lois Koopman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kohman attended memorial services of their brother, P. R. Beek, in the Jamestown Reformed church Sunday night.

Infant baptism was administered Sunday morning to Kenneth Jay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elders were informed of the death of Mrs. Charlotte Kole of Holland. Services were held Monday.

Rev. S. Werkema declined the call which he received from Two Wells mission.

Fred Ensing fell from a ladder while painting a barn. He was found unconscious and was taken to Zeeland hospital. After being given medical care he was returned to his home.

The annual Sunday school picnic was held last Tuesday night in Hughes park. Mr. Vande Water of the Grand Rapids City Mission showed pictures of his work. Special vocal selections were given by Mrs. Clarence Brink, Albert Heyboer and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Heyboer. Mrs. Marian Zwiers served as accompanist.

Thomas A. Edison held more than 1,100 patents on his inventions at the time of his death.

## Soldier in Sicily Writes to Father



Corp. Jean Simonson

Saugatuck, Aug. 26 (Special) A letter from his son, Corp. Jean Simonson, dated July 26 from Sicily has been received by Herman Simonson who resides here. Corp. Simonson, a graduate of Saugatuck high school and the University of Grand Rapids, is attached to the 43th signal corps of the army. He wrote in part:

"I received a letter from you yesterday, the first since I have been here. Things are going along fine for me. The Italian people are very friendly. The farmers are always giving us vegetables and fruit. The American cigarettes are the most sought after gift."

"There are quite a few nice looking horses. Italian prisoners by the hundreds stream laughing past on the road. I saw several German bombers shot down the first few days. Seldom see them any more. Our infantry has done some very fine fighting. The Germans are being pushed nearer and nearer an eventual last ditch stand. The weather is fine—no rain. In some places mosquitoes are bad but we have repellent and nets to keep them away."

## Hamilton

Bernard Poll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Poll, who was recently home on a furlough, was informed upon his return to MacDill Field, Tampa, Fla., that he had been promoted from private to staff sergeant. He has been in training for a little over a year.

Funeral services for Mrs. John Nevenzel, who died last Saturday morning, were held last Tuesday afternoon at the home and in First Reformed church, the Rev. N. Rozeboom officiating. Burial was in the Riverside cemetery.

John Brink, Mrs. N. Rozeboom, Mrs. H. D. Strabbing and Miss Florence Johnson attended Sunday school and a conference at Shelbyville last Sunday in interest of Sunday school work.

Pfc. Ernest Bartels arrived home on Monday evening from Camp Hale, Colo., for a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bartels. He has been in the service for several months and is scheduled to return to Camp Hale on Sept. 4.

Joyce Busscher spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Busscher, of Overisel this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Kibby received word last week from their son, Pvt. Paul Kibby, informing them he is stationed at Fort Riley, Kans. at the cavalry replacement training center.

Miss Della Van Der Kolk led the Christian Endeavor service of First Reformed church last Wednesday evening, discussing the subject, "Books are Good Company."

Corp. Julius Tripp, home on furlough from Camp Pendleton, Ore., was a guest of Miss Esther Bartels this week.

Local people attending the Brower family reunion last Wednesday afternoon and evening at Zeeland city park included Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Brower, Mr. and Mrs. George Kooker, Amy and Juliet, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kooker, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jipping and baby, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Strabbing, Mr. and Mrs. James Lohman, Mrs. Ben Lugten, Mrs. John Drenten, Johnny and Mary Lou, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kooker, Mr. and Mrs. George Schutmaat, Lucille and Hope. Nearly 85 were in attendance to enjoy a basket supper followed by a program and business session in charge of James Nykerk of Holland, chairman for this year. The group included the descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. Brower, pioneer settlers of Overisel, who came to this country from The Netherlands with the Van Raalte train in 1846-47.

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## Robbert-Hopkins Vows Spoken in Hope Church

The parlors of Hope Reformed church were the scene of a wedding Wednesday night when Miss Maxine Elizabeth Hopkins became the bride of Louis Edward Robbert. The single ring service was performed by the Rev. Marion de Velder before an improvised altar of palms, ferns and gladioli with seven branch candelabra. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hopkins, 671 Michigan Ave., and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robbert, 11 West 27th St.

Miss Frieda Grote, soloist, sang "Oh Promise Me," "I Love You Truly," and "Because" accompanied by Mrs. Charles Boonstra.

For her wedding the bride wore a white marquisette gown fashioned with fitted bodice, V neckline and three-quarter length sleeves. The dress featured a full skirt. Her fingertip veil was caught in a wreath of orange blossoms. White gladioli, chrysanthemums and snapdragons composed her arm bouquet.

Miss Muriel Hopkins, sister of the bride, wore a yellow net gown and carried yellow and orchid gladioli and pink chrysanthemums. John Robbert assisted his brother as best man.

A reception was held for 35 guests following the ceremony with the Misses Evelyn Nienhuis, Katherine Ter Horst, Jean Hoppe and Cornelia Klein and Mrs. Donald Dekker serving as waitresses.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbert were both born in Holland and were graduated from Holland Christian and Holland High schools respectively. Both are employed at Holland Precision Parts.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Chicago immediately following the reception. For traveling the bride wore a brown suit with matching accessories. They will be at home after Sept. 1, at 649 Michigan Ave.

## Personals

(From Today's Sentinel)

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Eudsen and son, David, are spending a few weeks with Dr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Kleinhekel at their home in Waukegon, Ill. Dr. Eudsen is pastor of the Elliott Congregational church of Newton, Mass.

Ransom Everett, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Everett of College Ave., is now stationed at Camp Fannin, Texas, with the field medical corps.

Jack French, son of Mrs. J. D. French of Park road, who enlisted last spring in the army air corps reserve and was sworn in at Grand Rapids on June 18, has received his call to service and will report at Camp Grant, Ill., Sept. 3. He will receive his basic training at Miami Beach, Fla.

Ensign Roderick Van Leuven who was commissioned last Friday in Chicago, is spending two weeks with his mother, Mrs. J. G. Van Leuven, before going to his new assignment in Maryland. They are occupying the Gogolin guest cottage at Buchanan beach with Mrs. Van Leuven's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Barber of Springfield, Ill.

Ensign Leeland P. Kooker, instructor in flying at the naval air station at Norman, Okla., and Mrs. Kooker are on an eight-day furlough in Holland. They are in a trailer at the lake and are visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Kooker, Mr. and Mrs. G. Kooker, Mrs. G. Huizenga and Mr. and Mrs. B. Du Mez. Ensign Kooker is a son of the Rev. and Mrs. Elizabeth Pieters of Washington, D. C., arrived in Holland Wednesday to spend two weeks with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Albertus Pieters, 44 East 15th St.

Lieut. Donald Poppema of Washington, D. C., is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Poppema, 321 West 14th St. Guito Fraggoso of Quebec, Canada, is also visiting the Poppema home, the guest of Lieut. Poppema.

A daughter was born in Holland hospital Tuesday night to Mr. and Mrs. George De Feyter, route 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grinwis, 19 Park St., Zeeland, announce the birth of a son Wednesday afternoon in Holland hospital.

Henry Ketel, E. P. Stephan, Herman Mooi and Dr. Bruce M. Raymond left early today for a tour through Allegan, Kalamazoo and Battle Creek to visit community centers in connection with Holland's post-war planning commission's decision to build an auditorium here following the war.

The canteen service at the airport Saturday afternoon will be in charge of the Red Cross instead of the OCD, it was pointed out today. Mrs. Andrew Klomprens is chairman of the Red Cross canteen committee which is cooperating with the CAP and OCD in planning for the hangar dedication.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dykstra, 129 East 15th St., announce the birth of a daughter Wednesday night in the Tibbe home. The baby weighed seven and one half pounds.

Mrs. Henry Beckfort and Miss Norma Beckfort left this morning for Madison, Wis., where they will spend the week-end with their son and brother, Howard Beckfort, an instructor in the radio air corps at Trussfield.

A. John Dalman, 30, 27 West 18th St., paid fine and costs of \$5 in Municipal court Wednesday on charges of having no operator's license.

The Rev. Henry Bast, professor of Bible at Hope college, will conduct the prayer service at Trinity church tonight.

In answer to a special call, the Holland selective service board will send a few selectees to Detroit Monday where they will be examined at the induction center.

The following day. This group will be considered for limited service. The trip will be made by bus.

Word has been received here of the birth Monday night of a son to Sgt. and Mrs. Harold H. Mulder of Clarksville, Tenn. Mrs. Mulder is the former Miss Saralyn Diekema.

(From Friday's Sentinel) Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kooyers of 548 College Ave. are observing their 40th wedding anniversary today.

Mrs. Clarence Samuelson and daughter, Mary Kate, of Traverse City, returned home Thursday after a visit with the former's mother and sister, Mrs. A. C. Keppel and Miss Ruth Keppel at their Tennessee beach cottage.

P. J. Osborne returned to his home in Virginia park Thursday from Holland hospital where he has been ill for the past nine weeks. He is convalescing satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lichty of Detroit are the guests for a few days of the former's sister, Miss Elizabeth Lichty, and Mrs. A. T. Godfrey at the latter's Tennessee beach cottage.

Lieut. Jack Menken, while en route from St. Louis, Mo., to Seattle, Wash., spent five days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Menken, 479 Central Ave.

Pvt. Wilbert D. Inderbitzen of Camp Forrest, Tenn., is spending several days with his father, Martin Inderbitzen, 79 East 10th St., and with relatives in Muskegon, Grand Rapids and Saugatuck. He plans to return to his camp tonight.

John Masselink, 230 West 18th St., reported to police Thursday that a Vyn truck had backed into his car parked in an alley at Washington square.

Miss Dorothy Van Zoeren, 85 West Ninth St., has returned to Holland after spending about six weeks with relatives in Sherbourne, N.Y.

Philip Webster Ceuley, fireman first class with the navy, is spending a few days with his parents in their summer home at Macatawa park before leaving for Connecticut for submarine training. The Ceuleys are from East Lansing.

A family party will be held at the Manuel P. Huyser home, route 1, Saturday night to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mr. Huyser who is 34 today. Mr. Huyser, a teacher in Otsego high school, delivered mail from the Holland post office for six years.

The local war price and rationing board today put in a plea for volunteers to assist in issuing "B" and "C" gasoline rationing books. Persons with free time are urged to report at the office at any time from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Arrest Eastmanville Man on Drunk Charge

Paul Koepke, 51, Eastmanville or route 1, Coopersville, entered a plea of guilty when arraigned before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith on Monday on a drunk charge and was sentenced to pay fine and costs of \$15 or serve ten days in the county jail.

Koepke was arrested by local police Saturday night on East Eighth St. and spent the week-end in the city jail. He was released shortly after 11 a.m. today after arranging his fine.

Conrad F. Knoll, 17, paid costs of \$4.15 when arraigned on a reckless driving charge Saturday in Municipal court. A fine of \$25 was suspended. He was charged with cutting in traffic on River Ave. at the rate of 35 miles an hour.

Hyo Bos, 27, route 5, paid fine and costs of \$3 Saturday on charges of making a wide corner.

Former Grand Haven Man Dies in Chicago

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Mrs. Mabel Mieras, 48, wife of Edward Mieras of Chicago, former Grand Haven resident, died in her home in Chicago Saturday night. She was born in Grand Haven April 15, 1895, and left here 30 years ago.

Her maiden name was Mabel Van Norman. Besides the husband, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Eleanor Zimmerman, and a son, Elmer, both of Chicago; a sister and three brothers, all of California.

The body is expected to arrive in Grand Haven at 9:43 p.m. tonight and services will be held from the Van Zantwijk funeral chapel Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. conducted by Dr. E. H. Boldrey of the Methodist church. Burial will be in Lake Forest cemetery.

Kalamazoo Pastor Is Called by G.H. Church

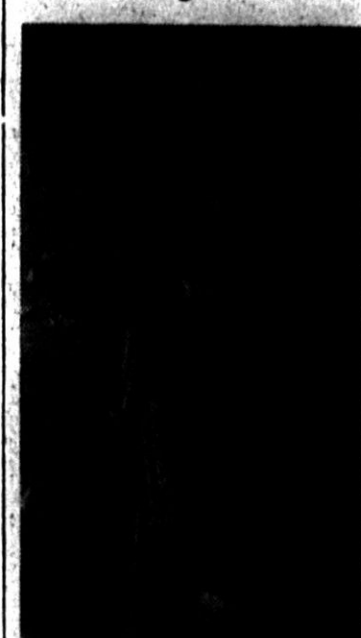
Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Dr. John Masselink, former pastor of Immanuel Christian Reformed church in Muskegon and present pastor of Third Christian Reformed church in Kalamazoo, was extended a call by First Christian Reformed church after an election at a congregational meeting Monday night. The Rev. E. J. Tanis of Second Christian Reformed church presided as counselor.

Dr. Masselink has held two pastorates in Illinois and is a brother of the Rev. Edward Masselink of the LaGrave church, Grand Rapids, and Dr. William Masselink of Second church in Englewood, suburb of Chicago.

The local church has been without a minister since June, when the Rev. John C. Verbrugge, pastor for two years, entered Harvard army chaplain's school.

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## Receives Gunner's Wings From Harlingen Air Field



Jack V. Barendse

Aviation Cadet Jack V. Barendse, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barendse, 98 West 16th St., is now in training at an advanced navigation school in Harlingen, Tex., following his graduation recently from the Harlingen army air field in Tex., where he completed a six-week aerial gunnery course.

Barendse, one of a large number of sergeant technicians and aviation cadets, received his silver gunner's wings along with his diploma. He also received a marksmanship medal there. He went to Harlingen field after completing pre-flight training at one of the Gulf coast training center schools. Both the aviation cadets and the gunner technicians learned to fire every kind of a gun while at Harlingen. They saw their bullets tear sleeve targets being towed high over the Gulf of Mexico and fired hundreds of rounds of ammunition into moving targets on the ground range. They also learned to tear down and assemble their deadly weapons while blindfolded and to identify all aircraft.

Barendse was born in Holland May 12, 1922, is a graduate of Holland high school and attended Hope college a year and a half. He volunteered with the army air corps as an aviation cadet and was inducted February 14, 1943. He was a member of the Holland high school tennis team and of the Knickerbocker society of Hope college.

Mrs. Dena Voorhorst Is Feted on 80th Birthday

Overisel, Aug. 26 (Special)—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Voorhorst was the scene of a party Monday night when the children of Mrs. Dena Voorhorst gathered to celebrate her 80th birthday anniversary. She was presented with a chair.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Voorhorst and family; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Voorhorst and family; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scholten and Albert of Graafschap; and Miss Clara Voorhorst of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Schipper of Middleville were also invited.

Beereboom Sisters Are Hostesses at House Party

Alice and Ann Beereboom were hostesses to a group of friends at a house party Wednesday and Thursday in a cottage at Kardux beach.

Those invited were Judy and Sibyl Ver Plank, Nancy Van Hartesvelt, Mary Stille, Patty Hoffman of Holland and Dorothy Hope Smith of Lansing.

A "fifth column" of 5,000,000 grasshoppers recently were found concentrated on 600 acres of grass brush land near Tule Lake, Cal., ready for a descent on the country.

Fillmore

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph De Young recently a son in Holland hospital.

A daughter, June Arla, was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Gills Van Der Kamp.

The Sunday school picnic of the Christian Reformed church is being held at Kollen park, Holland, today.

Training Cut Short as Coop Raid Nets Terms

Grand Haven, Aug. 26 (Special)—Three Grand Rapids Creston high school football players who came to the state park here to "toughen up" for the nearing grid season today were forced to confine their pre-season drills to the Ottawa county jail.

Arrested Monday night on a charge of stealing chickens from the Oscar Witt farm in Grand Haven township near Lake Michigan, Jack Morosky, 17, George Slocum, 18, and Charles Visner, 17, were sentenced to serve five days and pay fines of \$50 and costs of \$5.80. Each must serve 60 days if the fines and costs are not paid. Justice George V. Hoffer, before whom they were arraigned, ruled.

The tempting smell of fried chicken led sheriff's officers to the boys. Two chickens had been eaten, but a third was dug up from behind a trailer and used as evidence.

Three of a large group of athletes at the camp, the boys took the chickens while on a daily jaunt as part of their training, officers said. They apparently were not aware that police had been "gunning" for chicken thieves who recently have been giving farmers plenty of trouble.

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Sure, I'd be buying bonds anyway. I know the Government needs money to win the war. And, it's the least sacrifice a guy can make for the country that's been good to him.

But the clincher with me is my kid.

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