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## OTTAWA GROUP RESCUED FROM WRECKED BOAT

Eight of Grand Haven and  
Spring Lake Gain Land  
at Charlevoix

Craft Is Crippled by High  
Seas, Hits Rocks While  
Seeking Shore

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special) —The Charlevoix coast guard station has reported the safety of eight Grand Haven and Spring Lake yachtsmen who were under treatment for exposure after their rescue by coast guard crew who took them from their wrecked auxiliary schooner Sea Girl where they spent the night in its cabin. The party left Friday from Grand Haven for a week's cruise that was to take them to Charlevoix, across the lake to Green Bay, south to Milwaukee and return. Almost upon their departure, a small craft warning was posted at the coast guard station and the Sea Girl, a 30-year-old craft, pounded through fresh seas, according to Warren Bolling, member of the crew who telephoned his father, Baltzer Bolling, Grand Haven and Spring Lake manufacturer.

The Sea Girl commenced taking water through strained seams Sunday and the crew, unable to work the pumps after a time, used buckets to bail out the boat while Skipper Charles Jacobson headed her for the nearest shore. This proved to be the Grand Traverse light port near Northport and the schooner piled up on the rocky bottom, one mile from the light. After spending the night aboard, Bolling and another member of the party whose name was not learned made the perilous trip ashore in the schooner's dinghy to notify those at the lighthouse of their plight.

The Charlevoix coast guard responded in their boat and by 10 a.m. today they had been removed to the station.

Those in the party besides Bolling and Jacobson, were A. J. Jacobson, Jr., Bill De Witt, David Jacobson, Bob Van Hoff, Ben Houser of St. Louis, Mo., and Jack Noonan of Detroit. They were youths.

The Sea Girl purchased two years ago by its present owner, James Van Zeylen, who did not make the trip, was 51½ feet long and had a 90-horsepower auxiliary. According to information Bolling gave his father, the yacht's bottom is badly gouged and may be a total loss. It was understood it was insured for the trip.

## YOUTH IS HELD ON INDECENCY CHARGE

Bernard George Raterink, 20, 9 West Ninth St., is being held in jail default of \$5,000 bond until his examination next Tuesday at 10 a.m. before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith on a charge of taking indecent liberties with a five-year-old girl.

Arraigned Wednesday in municipal court, Raterink demanded examination. The complaint against him was sworn to by the girl's mother.

He was arrested Tuesday by Parole Officer Clare Spears of Muskegon as Raterink is on parole from the state prison.

Records show that on Nov. 26, 1938, Raterink was sentenced to serve from three years to four years in prison on a charge of larceny, resulting from the theft of \$2 on Nov. 12 from a milk bottle used by the Holland Lions club to accept contributions for its blind fund.

He was arrested earlier in 1938 for taking indecent liberties with a four-year-old girl.

## ILLNESS IS FATAL TO HOLLAND CHILD

Gretchen Mae Hegsted, 14-month-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ralph B. Hegsted, 14 West 25th St., died early Thursday morning at the home, after a three months' illness. Surviving besides the parents are one brother, Ralph Henry Hegsted and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hekman, 1115 Cadillac drive, Grand Rapids.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. at the Zaagman Funeral chapel in Grand Rapids, the Rev. H. J. Kuiper and Dr. Jacob T. Hoogstra officiating. Interment will be at Woodlawn cemetery. The body will repose at the Hekman home from Friday morning until Saturday noon.

**MOTORISTS FINED**  
The following motorists have paid fines and costs to Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith for traffic violations: John J. Huyser, 140 South Park St., Zeeland, speeding, \$5; William Emerick, 19, route 5, Holland, falling to stop for stop street, \$3; Max Lowing, 21, Hudsonville, falling to yield right of way, \$3; Jake Klevit, route 2, Holland, no operator's license, \$3; Elsie L. Martin, route 4, East Saugatuck, illegal parking, \$1.

## High School Enrollment at Zeeland Totals 273

Zeeland, Sept. 11—Local public schools opened Monday with an enrollment of 273 in high school. All vacancies are filled except that of Coach Leon Kleis. Raymond Lokers was to have filled it but he could not obtain release from his former contract.

Two buses are running to the country. This is the first year that buses are being used to transport high school students.

## GIRL OF COUNTY WINS CLUB TRIP TO WASHINGTON

Others, Including Zeeland  
Group, Are Victors at  
State Fair

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 — Ottawa county's 4-H contestants at the Michigan state fair ranked high in the many contests. County Agent L. R. Arnold said this week.

Final results show Charlotte Baehre, 17-year-old Chester township girl, winning a trip to Washington, D. C., as victor in the booth contest.

A food preparation team will be sent to the 4-H congress in Chicago, one girl was selected for the Michigan team in clothing judging, one boy was placed on the state team in crops judging and one boy was selected as a member of the state poultry team. No report has been received on the results of the dairy contests.

Possibly the most outstanding honor was won by Miss Baehre, who placed her achievement booth exhibit at the state fair. This booth depicted her past eight years of 4-H work. She displayed a fine wool tailored suit, canned goods, a scrap book telling of events in which she had participated, pictures and other items. On the wall of the booth she displayed the framed Michigan State college scholarship she won last year.

Charlotte has had eight years in clothing and four years each in canning and food preparation. During the past two years she also has served as a leader. Her fine work has placed her on the honor roll every year she has been enrolled. She enters Michigan State college this fall, using her scholarship to help defray expenses.

The food preparation team which will be sent to Chicago comes from Zeeland. This team was trained by Miss Myrtle Ten Have, Elaine Meuwisen and Barbara Zeerp constituted the team. They demonstrated the making of Norwegian crown cookies. Elaine has had five and Barbara has had four years in 4-H work.

Hilda Bosker, Allendale, a fourth year work in clothing, was selected as a winner in clothing judging. She is one of a team of two which will be sent to Chicago. In the boys' division, Stanley Kurek, Sand Creek, judged well enough in poultry to be placed on the state team. In crops, Marvin Vanden Bosch Zeeland did equally well.

"The 4-H leaders throughout the county feel that our boys and girls did an excellent job at Detroit," Mr. Arnold said. "Receiving this Washington trip is regarded as a national honor, and to be selected as a state delegate to the national 4-H club congress is something all members strive for."

## Charter Members of Church at Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Klomparsen, 328 Washington Blvd., in company with Prof. William Gouloze and Mrs. Gouloze, attended the golden anniversary of the founding of Eighth Reformed church in Grand Rapids Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Klomparsen, and Mrs. John Rose of Grand Rapids are the only living charter members of this church which was founded 50 years ago. They also had the pleasure of listening to their son-in-law, the Rev. Gerrit Menning, pastor of Third Reformed church of Pella, Ia., give the main address, entitled "God's Masterpiece."

Rev. Menning served this same church eight years before going to Pella. Professor Gouloze was one of the speakers of yesterday's continued celebration of the golden anniversary. He also was pastor of this church before becoming professor at Western Theological seminary.

## Woman of Virginia Park Also Has Moon Flowers

Mrs. Cornelius Rosenberg, residing in Virginia park, has a large vine of white moon flowers similar to the variety owned by Mrs. Anna Slaght, 345 College Ave., and Mrs. Theodore Friege, 328 Washington Blvd.

Mrs. Rosenberg's vine has been blooming for the past two weeks and still is full of buds. Yesterday there were nine blooms. The moon flowers, which resemble morning glories although much larger, bloom only one night and are dead the next day.

## When Scout Leaders Conferred on Program for Ottawa-Allegan Area



## NAME TWELVE IN C.C. PRIMARY

General Election Is Set for  
Tuesday to Choose  
Six Directors

Results of the primary election to nominate 12 nominees for six directors' posts of the Holland Chamber of Commerce were announced yesterday.

The six returning directors were renominated for another two-year term. They are Clarence Jalving, president, Andrew Klomparsen, Frank M. Lievense, William J. Brouwer, Henry Wilson and William C. Vandenberg.

The other nominees are H. S. Covell, Charles R. Sligh, Jr., P. T. Cheff, C. C. Wood, Carl Harrington and Henry Oosting.

Ballots, bearing the names of the 12 nominees, are being mailed out today to all Chamber of Commerce members for the election to be held next Tuesday. Polls will close at 5 p.m. after which a tabulation of the ballots will be made by the organization's special election committee.

The six nominees receiving the highest number of votes will be declared elected to the board.

## MAYOR TO GO TO JOB MEET

Midwest Conference Will  
Be Held in Chicago  
on Friday

Mayor Henry Geerlings said today he plans to go to Chicago Friday to attend the midwest conference on unemployment caused by priorities.

Mayor's, labor leaders and manufacturers, city managers and other officials, together with U. S. senators and congressmen from 11 midwest states will attend the conference in Hotel Morrison, William H. Dress, mayor of Evansville, Ind., will be chairman of the meeting.

"Practically every city in the country is directly and seriously affected by priorities which deprive or delay delivery of materials to non-defense industries," Mayor Dress said. "This applies as well to smaller factories which have not been given a share in defense orders but could be converted to defense operations."

"According to Washington authorities at least 3,000,000 workers are threatened with unemployment owing to this situation, and no less an authority than William S. Knudsen, director general, OPM, has recently pointed out that it is of no value to national defense to have idle plants or employees. This serious and immediate problem especially confronts many smaller industrial cities in the midwest, and I know that some of them are taking steps to try to meet their local situation."

## Two-Months-Old Infant Succumbs in Zeeland

Zeeland, Sept. 11 (Special) — Joann Schreur, two-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Schreur residing two miles east of Zeeland, died in Zeeland hospital late Tuesday afternoon. Besides the parents, survivors include the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Nienhuis of Crisp and Mr. and Mrs. George Schreur of Overisel, and the great grandfather, Stephen Hiemstra of Crisp.

The funeral will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from the home, with the Rev. L. Veltkamp officiating and burial in East Drenthe cemetery.

## New Baltimore Plans Annual Dahlia Show

New Baltimore, Sept. 11 — The annual Michigan Dahlia show will be held here Sept. 13 and 14, the Chamber of Commerce, through its secretary, F. J. Smith, announced today. The show will be under sponsorship of the Michigan Dahlia society.

When H. F. Johnson, Jr., president of a Racine, Wis., wax company, and W. W. Shaver, deputy regional executive of Chicago, visited Holland recently to meet with area scout officials to discuss its scout program, the photographer caught the above picture following a dinner in the Warm Friend tavern. Those in the picture are (left to right): Standing, John Van Tatenhove and Albert Van Zoeren, both of Holland; Orville Soeren, Racine, Wis.; Samuel Curtis Johnson, Mr. Johnson's son; Jack Barrett, young Johnson's companion; Lee Lillie of Coopersville;

## Freedom Hinges on Faith and Religion, Club Is Told

Four Christian Concepts  
Pointed Out in Talk  
by Dr. Wichers

Dr. Wynand Wichers, president of Hope college, speaking on "Faith and Freedom" before members of the Exchange club in the first fall meeting of the season in the Warm Friend tavern Monday noon, stated that "if we are to maintain our freedom, then the elements of that freedom must come out of our faith and religion."

There are four elements that should come out of religion, he said. First, an appreciation for the sanctity of human life. Second must come the realization that men belong to a common family. He said he hoped that "war will do much to widen the influence of love and destroy fear."

Thirdly, he said, a better stewardship of material goods must be employed, because economic imperialism is still the bane of the world. There is still too much of a gulf between those who have and those who have not. Taking away a man's property does not necessarily make him free, the speaker explained.

In the fourth place, in matters concerning governmental control, no man has an inherent right to rule over another, he said. "We acknowledge God as absolute sovereign and God has entrusted powers to men and we as men delegate this authority to others. This power must not be abused. It must be the reasoned conviction of the citizenry, so that power in the last analysis belongs to the individual."

In conclusion Dr. Wichers advised that "if these four Christian concepts can be written into our thinking, then we can do much to keep alive the concept of freedom and we will have a more harmonious civilization in which to live."

Closing with a quotation, "Faith," he said, "is the first cousin to freedom, and freedom is the glory of all people."

Dr. John R. Mulder opened the meeting with prayer. Lester Wassenaar, new attorney in the city,

## Dickinson, With Proper Aides, Would Seek Office

Zeeland, Sept. 11 — Luren D. Dickinson, former governor of Michigan, "would gladly be a candidate" for the governorship again if he could be assured of a slate of officials "who will take moral questions into the state" and have the courage to face moral issues and "clean up the situation."

Dickinson, who spoke at a public meeting in First Reformed church here Tuesday night, said following the meeting that he has not made up his mind as to a possible re-entry into politics.

He told his audience that the people are eager for understanding and are showing a "willingness to unite for better."

## Two G.R. Men Bound Over to Circuit Court

Allegan, Sept. 11 — Charged with assault on complaints of two 19-year-old Grand Rapids girls, Bern Beaver and Russell Pennell, both of Grand Rapids, were bound over to Allegan circuit court Wednesday upon their appearance before Justice Guy Teed.

Bond was set for \$1,000 for each of the men but was not furnished. They will appear before Judge Fred T. Miles in a jury case before the October term of court. Previously the men had pleaded not guilty when arraigned in justice court.

Stephan Mead and Earl Mead, both of Grand Haven; L. J. Harris, Holland; Arthur Kachlae, John Beckers, Judge Irving Tucker, all of Allegan; Henry Winter and Scout Executive M. P. Russell, both of Holland; seated (moving clockwise from left to right), Jack Spangler, Jr., Grand Haven; Carl Lind and Baltzer Bolling, Jacob Braak, all of Spring Lake; Mr. Johnson; Dr. A. Leenhouts, Holland; Mr. Shaver; John De Wilde, Holland; David Cline, Spring Lake; Ed Boer, Grand Haven; Prof. Clarence Kleis, Holland and George Wright, Saugatuck.

## 50 OF OTTAWA MADE CITIZENS

Many of County Are  
of Netherlands; Three  
Change Names

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special) —Thirty-four persons became citizens of the United States at ceremonies held on Monday in Ottawa circuit court.

Sixteen others received their papers Monday afternoon. It was one of the largest classes ever to receive their citizenship papers.

Dr. Edwin Boldrey of the Grand Haven Methodist church spoke to the new citizens. Twenty-six of the group were natives of The Netherlands, two were from Italy and one each was from Germany, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Ireland, Poland and England.

Three of the group also had their names changed. The list of new citizens follows:

Cornelius Jack Donze, route 2, Kryn Dykstra, 128 West 15th St., Grietje Evink, 204 East 14th St., Julia Bliss, 31 East 26th St., John De Vries, 130 East 14th St., John Liddane, changed to John Layden, 333 Washington Blvd., Stanley Kalkman, 64 Madison place, Jantje Kolk Hoekstra, 134 Fairbanks Ave., Gerrit Willem Veneberg, route 2, Gezina Dykens, 172 East 13th St., and Gerrit Ten Brinks, 152 Central Ave., all of Holland.

Katie Wabeke, route 1, Klaas Jole Schaap, changed to Clarence Julius Schaap, 234 Michigan Ave., Anna Van Den Bosch, 155 South Church St., Gerben Romke Schaap, changed to Gerrit Romke Schaap, 234 Michigan Ave., Janet Damstra, 142 South State St., Ben Steenwyk, 18 North Centennial, Effie Vander Ploeg, 51 West Central Ave., Sebie Wiersma, 9 West Main St., Peter Tjepkema, route 2, all of Zeeland.

Emilie Schneider, Matthew George Kososodi, Michell Cuti and Antonino Fricano, all of Grand Haven; Cornelius Peter Besteman, Walter Van Der Veen, Jennie Morsink, Neeltje Dieleman, William Gramman, all of Hudsonville; John Ebel Bos, Margaret Modal and Daniel Burnside, all of Spring Lake; Sadie Wind of Georgetown township and Gert Holtrop of Nunica.

An additional 16 persons received their citizenship papers and 22 persons were repatriated in Ottawa circuit court Monday afternoon.

Those who were repatriated Monday afternoon had lost their citizenship through marriage but regained it by taking the oath of allegiance in court.

Monday afternoon's classes included 10 from The Netherlands, and one each from Canada, Czechoslovakia, Italy, Yugoslavia, England and Germany. The new citizens are:

Johanna Maria Pauline Weller, 172 East 16th, and Johanna Riphagen, 300 West 17th St., of Holland; Clasina Beverwyk, 241 Woodward St., Johanna Ten Harmel, 145 South Elm St., Fanny Haak, 271 Maple St., and Jean Graasmid, route 1, all of Zeeland.

Mathilda Belch, Anthony Vanden Brand, Dorothy May Roosen, Magdalena Bazany, Mariano Fricano and Klaas Cornelius Rink, all of Grand Haven; Ljuba Bakala, Jean Boersma and Henrietta Ribbens, all of West Olive; and Emily Short of Coopersville.

Those who regained their citizenship were:

Sena Israels, 77 River Ave., Minnie Gebben, 669 Columbia Ave., Ora Frances Miller, 176 East 10th St., Alice Van Dyke, 455 Central Ave., Henrietta Van Den Heuvel, 122 East 24th St., Cornelia Pott, 226 West 20th St., and Pearl Eva Miller, route 4, all of Holland.

Martha Zylstra, 16 East McKinley St., Jennie Hirdes, route 2, and Gertrude Klinge, route 1, all of Zeeland; Winifred Buwalda, Sophia Josephine Molenkamp, Frances Karwacki and Anna De Heer, all of Grand Haven; Minnie Rillema of Jensen; Sophia Clara Hragyil and Wilhelmina Van Dis of Spring Lake; Jessie House of Marne; Fanny Busman and Katherine Busman of Coopersville; Gertrude Vanden Berge of Nunica, and Bertha Meyer, West Olive.

This makes 11 men on duty at the station. The length of their stay is undetermined. They will be available for duty in case of emergency. As soon as this group leaves, another is expected to take its place.

## Heavy Cage at Cannery Breaks Worker's Toe

Fennville, Sept. 11 (Special) —Floyd Arnold, 58, superintendent of the shipping department of the Michigan Fruit Cannery, Inc., for 21 years, suffered a painful injury here when a cage used in transporting the canned fruit from the retorts slipped off the track and struck his left foot. The cage weighed several hundred pounds. The big toe on the left foot was broken. His foot and lower leg was placed in a cast.

## C. OF C. BACKS SEAWAY PLAN

Jonkman Urged by Local  
Organization to Vote  
for Project

For a second time, the board of directors of the Holland Chamber of Commerce unanimously approved the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Seaway project at its final meeting of the current fiscal year Tuesday night in the Warm Friend tavern.

Secretary-Manager E. P. Stephan was instructed to write Cong. Bartel Jonkman of Grand Rapids, fifth district representative, informing him of the board's sentiments and urging him to support the project.

The board was informed that Mr. Jonkman had previously made a statement in which he expressed a desire to hear from his constituents as to their attitude towards the proposed project.

As the meeting was the last of the fiscal year, the directors did not take up any new business, leaving that to the consideration of the next board.

Mr. Stephan submitted his annual report to the directors, covering activities of the Chamber of Commerce for the past year. It was accepted.

## NINE YEAR OLD CHILD IS DEAD

Hamilton, Sept. 11 (Special) —Elizabeth Wesselink, 9, died Wednesday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wesselink, after a short illness. Surviving besides the parents are a sister, Gertrude; a grandfather, Peter Wesselink, and a great grandmother, Mrs. Ben Wesselink. The latter two are of Diamond Springs.

Private services will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. from the home and public rites will be at 2 p.m. from the First Reformed church with the Rev. N. Rozboom officiating. The body will be removed from the Ten Brink funeral home Friday noon to the residence where friends may call. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery in Hamilton.

## HOLLAND GROUP AT LEAGUE CONVENTION

Several city officials of Holland went to Traverse City today to attend sessions of the Municipal league which began a three-day convention there Wednesday.

The local delegation included Ald. George Damson, Elmer Schepers, Bertal Slaght, Bruce Raymond and Bernard Arendshorst, City Attorney Clarence A. Lokker, City Clerk Oscar Peterson and Charles Vos, assistant public works superintendent.

Included among the meeting's scheduled speakers were Secretary of State Harry F. Kelly; Col. Harold D. Furlong, state defense council chief; and Mayor F. J. Conboy, Toronto, Ont.

Gov. Murray D. Van Wagoner is to speak at the league's annual banquet tonight.

## FINE YOUTH ON TWO SPEEDING CHARGES

Arraigned Wednesday afternoon before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith, John Grotenhuis, 19, route 5, Holland, pleaded guilty to two charges of speeding and was assessed a fine and costs of \$10 in each instance.

He paid the total of \$20. Grotenhuis was arrested first by Holland police for driving his car 50 miles per hour in a 25-mile per hour speed zone on State St. near 23rd St. Saturday night. Then the sheriff's department arrested him early Sunday morning for driving 50 miles per hour in a 30-mile per hour speed zone on East Eighth St., outside the city limits.

The following motorists have paid fines and costs for traffic violations: Kenneth Modders, 21, 275 East 13th St., speeding, \$5; John Schutt, Holland, failing to stop at scene of accident, \$5; Clarence D. Cook, 20, 16 West 16th St., speeding, \$4.

## TO ATTEND MEET

Simon Borr of Holland, chairman of the Ottawa county defense council, has said he plans to attend a regional conference which will be held Friday, Sept. 19, in Lansing. Purpose of the conference is to speed up organization of county councils.

## GIRL TESTIFIES SHE AIDED MAN SET BARN AFIRE

Housekeeper States She  
Drove Schreiber to  
Ottawa Farm

Conflicting Statements Are  
Heard in Case Before  
G.H. Court

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special) —Miss Myrtle Bills, 17, again on the witness stand this forenoon in the arson trial of Henry Schreiber, 49, of Grand Rapids, former West Olive farmer, testified that he said the barn "had a good start" when he returned to the car in which she had driven him from Grand Rapids.

Schreiber is charged with setting fire to the barn the night of last June 29 to collect insurance.

On the witness stand Wednesday, Miss Bills, who was employed as housekeeper for the Schreibers, said she had driven him to the barn when he arranged to "get rid of it."

On cross examination by Charles E. Milner, one of the defense attorneys, Miss Bills was subject to severe examination during which she denied and contradicted many statements and answers made at the preliminary examination held July 23. She also stated she had no knowledge of what Schreiber did while he was gone from the car for the 15 minutes testified to on direct examination Wednesday and that she didn't know the barn burned until Monday evening, when she found a note which had been left at the Schreiber home.

Other state witnesses were Peter Kelaba, Jr., Florence, Evelyn and Frank Kelaba, Magdalena Kelaba, wife of Frank, Gerrit Tntema and Edward Gould, agents for insurance companies by which he was insured, and Detective Sgt. Quentin Dean.

The state rested its case at 11:15 a.m. Harvey L. Scholten of the defense counsel made the opening statement to the jury.

Marion Miller, a filling station owner at Walker, was the first defense witness. He testified that Schreiber stopped at his place of business shortly before 8:30 p.m. on June 29 and left at 9 p.m. for Grand Rapids. This contradicted a statement made by Miss Bills in her testimony Wednesday.

Lawrence Lempp of Noordeloos who was with the Kelaba girls also testified, as did Mrs. Peter Kelaba, Sr., Stella Bodko, girl friend of Myrtle, said she and Myrtle and their boy friends went directly to the Bodko residence in Grand Rapids and did not return to the Schreiber home, also contradicting her testimony that they did return to this home.

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special) —Following failure during the morning to obtain a jury, the necessary 12 persons were selected at 2:15 p.m. Wednesday to hear the case of Henry Schreiber, 49, of Grand Rapids, the former West Olive farmer who is charged with burning his barn last June 29.

The jury is composed of Walter Allen and Fred Heerspink of Holland, Abel Holtrop and Henry K. Bolthouse of Ferrysburg, Miner Lawton of Spring Lake and Edward P. Kinkema, Harry Walters, Lawrence Breitsels, Mrs. Henrietta Kaatz, Mrs. C. O. Reed, Fred Palmer and John Roberts of Grand Haven. The first witness called for the prosecution was William Osner, surveyor for the Ottawa county road commission, who had drawn a map showing the location of the buildings on the farm and the roads leading to the Schreiber farm. The drawings were introduced in evidence.

Walter Bierman, who rents the house on the Schreiber farm, was the next witness. He told of having been out to the barn to feed his rabbits at 10:30 p.m. after which he returned to the house, retired and was awakened about 12:05 a.m. when his bedroom became "light as day." He found that the roof of the barn was aflame. He stated that the electric wiring in the barn was in good condition.

The next witness was Frank Voss, son-in-law of Schreiber, who had been engaged from 1936 to 1939 in the dairy business with Schreiber. He testified that he had hauled three small wagon loads of dry hay into the barn on the Saturday before the fire. He said there also was some straw in the barn. He also stated that he had a fire in a boiler in the dairy while it was operating the Sunday in question and that at 2 p.m. the fire was nearly out, although later he testified that he left the farm at 11 a.m. and returned at about 10 or 11 p.m.

He said he had not been in the barn and that there was no fire around the barn while he was there. He testified he first heard about the fire about 1 a.m. on June 30 through a telephone call and immediately left his home, which is about 7½ miles from the Schreiber farm. Mrs. Schreiber was at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Emil Klempel, at the time of the fire. Voss testified (See Arson Case — Next Page.)



## CALLAHAN WILL SPEAK AT MEET OF IOOF IN CITY

Other Events Arranged by Lodge of Holland for September

Holland city lodge, No. 192 of the International Order of Odd Fellows has arranged an extensive program for the remainder of September, it was announced today.

A number of applications for new members have been received and it is reported that prospects are good for a large increase in membership this fall.



Dr. Phillip A. Callahan

The initiation degree staff, under the direction of the staff captain, Russell S. Haight, is planning the first work on Thursday, Sept. 18. There will be staff practice in the initiation degree, Thursday, Sept. 11, and it is expected that a full team will be out.

Other activities of a major nature for the near future will be a party at the I. O. O. F. hall Sept. 19, sponsored by the Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and Holland encampment. On this occasion Dr. Phillip A. Callahan, former director of social welfare for Michigan, and the present grand master of the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge of Michigan, will be the principal speaker.

Dr. Callahan has spent a great deal of time during the summer at the Odd Fellow and Rebekah camp at Big Star lake near Baldwin. During this time he has taken nearly 1,000 feet of colored films and he will show these pictures.

Mrs. Dora Haight of Holland, warden of the Rebekah Assembly of Michigan, is the vice president of the board of control of this camp. A number of children from Holland and vicinity attended this camp during the past season. Among them were John Vander Wege, Joyce Vining, Barbara Knoll, Doris Haight, Peggy Beagle and Shirley Wolford.

This camp is composed of 20 acres of timbered land at Miller's point, Big Star lake, and has three-quarters of a mile of shore line. Charles Harris of Rockford is the president of the board of control and director of the camp. Mr. Harris will accompany Dr. Callahan on his visit here.

## Jamestown

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Palmboos and son of Grand Rapids were Sunday visitors to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Palmboos.

Dr. and Mrs. William Reus and family spent a few days last week in Chicago.

Jacob H. Tigelaar, R. Van Noord, Henry Visser and R. De Young spent Saturday at Northport trout fishing.

Rev. H. Dykhouse conducted services at a Kalamazoo church Sunday.

Rehearsal of the chorus for the Ottawa County Sunday School convention to be held here Oct. 1, was held at the Reformed church Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Datema of Grandville and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Sluiter of Jenison visited B. Mensinga Thursday evening.

Jeannella De Kleine, Marian Reus and Margaret Struik started Zeeland high school Monday.

Miss Lois Glerum of Zeeland who is teaching the primary room this year is making her home with the H. A. Bowman family.

Last Tuesday afternoon Misses Jennie and Nelly Vau, Lucy De Boer, Jennie Hofman and Mrs. R. Krius motored to Grand Rapids to the home of Mrs. Garrett Nagelkirk and spent an enjoyable time there. Mrs. Nagelkirk served a lunch.

Mrs. N. De Groot is spending a few days with her children, Mr. and Mrs. H. De Vries at Wyoming park.

Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Burtus Hall entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ritsma of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roelofs and Mr. Ed Nedeweld and Joyce. Mrs. Cornelius Nedeweld went to St. Mary's hospital Monday afternoon planning to undergo an operation for the removal of her left eye which was injured some time ago.

Plans are being made for the Ottawa County Sunday school convention which will be held here Oct. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Grit visited Gerrit Vande Bunt Sunday evening.

**GOODBYE FOREVER**  
New York, Sept. 11 — James Donellan, 34, waved goodbye so vigorously from his fourth-floor window to a departing friend early today that he lost his balance and fell. He was killed.

## G.H. Draft Board Gets Tentative October Quota

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special) — A warning call has been received by the local selective service board for 56 men for the October quota. No date for the departure has been given. It is expected some of the selectees for this quota will include those who registered in the second draft in July. Men who are 28 years or over as of July 1 are being reclassified into an inactive or deferred list.

## G.H. MOVES TO BACK SEAWAY

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 — A committee to weld community support for the St. Lawrence waterway project and to represent Grand Haven at a conference on the waterway in Grand Rapids Sept. 18, was appointed by Mayor James Van Wessem as the result of a meeting of representatives of various civic interests Monday in the city hall.

The committee is composed of Fred Keller, chamber of commerce president; A. F. Gieseking, Kiwanis president; F. E. Mason, Rotary president; Louie Anderson, president of the Central Labor Council; Capt. William Ver Duin of the harbor commission; A. W. McCall, newspaper editor, and the mayor.

The meeting Monday was addressed by Allen Dean, secretary of the Detroit committee appointed by Mayor Jeffries, to promote the St. Lawrence project. He outlined the project, told of the previous defeats it had suffered and predicted a stiff congressional battle this time with the result hinging on the sentiment various organizations in the areas affected, could bring to bear on their congressmen and senators.

Action by the community as a unit and by the individual groups representing manufacturers, civic clubs and labor organizations, was suggested by Mr. Dean. William L. Shriber, chairman of the Grand Haven harbor commission, presided over the meeting.

## Beaverdam

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Tubergen were Mrs. Dick Berghorst, Russell and Nelson of North Blenden, Mr. and Mrs. George Tubergen and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tubergen and children of Holland.

Sherbourne school opened on Monday morning. John Dysters-hof of Zeeland and Miss Ruth Frisbey of Stanton are the teachers. Miss Frisbey is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Tubergen.

The Rev. J. Oosterhof of Holland conducted services at the Reformed church Sunday. He was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harm De Boer. On Sunday, Sept. 14, Rev. H. Hasevoort of Prairieview, Kan., will be in charge of the services.

A congregational meeting will be held on Monday evening, Sept. 15. Deacons meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Tubergen on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman and Alfred and Mr. and Mrs. G. Kuylers of Borculo called on Arthur Bowman of Jamestown Sunday evening.

Thelma Fae, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Minard De Jonge, received the sacrament of baptism at the afternoon service Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poema and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hulzenaga visited friends in Decatur Friday.

## Drenthe

Infant baptism was administered to Joan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Schreur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wolcott have returned from a trip to Detroit where they spent a few days with their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Veenboer.

A school bus of Zeeland high school calls for local students who attend the Zeeland school.

The Vredelof family reunion was held in Community grove last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence De Vries and Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Boerman visited their mother and brother in Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jipping attended church service and were entertained in the home of Edward Van Der Poppen Sunday evening.

The Van Haisma family reunion was held in Gordon's park. Bert Ter Haar and R. E. Bredeweg attended an elevator's meeting in Lansing last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence Veltkamp of Dorra called on their parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. Vantkamp, last week.

Sam Staal, Sr., has rented the farm of Mrs. Ed Van Noord.

## Jenison

The Hudsonville fair which concluded last Saturday is regarded as a great success. The weather was favorable and a large attendance was present on all three days. It is estimated that 20,000 persons attended Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Guy Stratton of Otsego spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hardy of North Hudsonville road.

Mr. and Mrs. George Howell have returned to their home in Georgetown after spending ten weeks at Hughes park west of Hudsonville.

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## Trinity Church Is Scene of Impressive Wedding

Wearing a gown of ivory velvet and a long veil of silk net and Chantilly lace held in place with a lace cap, Miss Gertrude Catherine Visscher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rein Visscher of 220 West 16th St., became the bride of Paul Julian Vanderhill, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Vanderhill of 223 West 20th St., at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening in the auditorium of Trinity Reformed church.

Dr. H. D. Terkeurst, pastor of the church, read the single ring service in the presence of several hundred guests. Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Harold Beernink presented a recital of appropriate organ selections. Jack Bos as soloist sang "Sunshine of Your Smile," Ray, and "Still As the Night," Bohm. The traditional wedding marches by Wagner and Mendelssohn were played.

Bridal attendants were Dorothy Visscher, maid of honor; Kathryn Visscher, cousin of the bride, and Eleanor Dalman, senior bridesmaids; Alma Vanderhill, sister of bridegroom, and Betty Visscher, sister of bride, junior bridesmaids; George Vanderhill, brother of bridegroom, best man; and Robert Marcus, Julius Karsten, Adrian Slikkers and Don Scheerhorn, ushers.

Trellises intertwined with gladioli blooms, two evergreen trees and a profusion of gladioli formed the background for the nuptials. Bouquets of fall flowers appeared at the ends of the pews in the bride's aisle.

All attendants with the exception of the bride who was escorted by her father approached the altar singly, the bridesmaids and ushers using both center aisles. A symmetrical effect was obtained in the final assembly with each bridesmaid standing next to an usher.

The bride's dress was fashioned on simple fitted lines with a deep V neckline and long tight fitting sleeves. Her skirt which extended into a train was slightly gathered at the torso-length waistline. Her bouquet consisted of lilies.

Gowns of the bride's five attendants were similar, the printed taffeta dresses being fashioned with very full skirts and more taffeta fitted jackets in solid colors. The two junior bridesmaids had jackets of pink, the other bridesmaids of pale blue and the maid of honor of rose.

The younger bridesmaids wore pink flowers in their hair and the other three attendants, white flowers. All carried bouquets of asters and snapdragons, some tied with pink and some with white ribbon to correspond with the flowers in their coiffures.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marcus served as master and mistress of ceremonies. Mrs. Marcus wore a gown of blue moire with a double-velvet trim and a double-velvet jacket with lapel corsage. The bride's mother wore brown with red accessories while the bridegroom's mother wore navy. Both had shoulder corsages.

A reception for 150 guests was held in the church parlors where tables were decorated with bouquets of fall flowers and ivory tapers in crystal holders. A large tiered cake centered the bride's table. Waitresses were Jean Snow, Janet Snow, Kathryn Steketee, Erma Koetsier, Norma Venhuizen, Patty Eeft, Jean Van Tatenhove and Vivian Steketee.

Among those present from away were Mr. and Mrs. Noter Vandermeulen and Mr. and Mrs. George Howard of Lansing, Robert Marcus and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Schaas of Detroit.

Both the bride and the bridegroom were born in Holland and are graduates of Holland high school and Hope college. Mr. Vanderhill is employed by the Spring Air Co.

Following the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Vanderhill left on an eastern wedding trip. For traveling, the bride wore a brown wool suit with chapeau and beige accessories. They will make their home at 212 West 12th St.

## Local Teachers Hear Noted Professor

Dr. Douglas W. Sture, professor of philosophy at Harvard college, proved to be a magnetic speaker at the Holland Teachers' club banquet held Monday night at Anchor Inn. He gave an inspiring address on his reactions in a recent visit to Germany, Switzerland, Spain and Finland.

Dr. Sture emphasized that there are many fine Christian people both Catholic and Protestant in Germany and other countries who are being drawn closer together by their sacrifices for friends and Jewish sufferers. He told of the present misery in Spain today and prophesied that all Europe will suffer after the war as Spain is now doing.

The speaker appealed to the teachers to create in boys and girls a desire to do the right thing and urged the development of an inner conscience to nurture in the individual a real love for humanity.

Dr. Sture spoke at a public meeting in Cincinnati the following day and will soon be heard by the Sunday Evening club in Chicago.

## Dr. Pietsch to Resume Bible Classes Here

On Friday at 7:30 p.m. Dr. W. E. Pietsch of Grand Rapids will resume the Bible class at the City Mission. For two years Dr. Pietsch has been teaching a popular Bible class each Friday night and for the past ten weeks has been on a missionary tour through many states and Alaska where the Evangelical America association has several stations and opened others. Plans for fall and winter classes will be made at the meeting.

## CERTIFICATES ARE GIVEN BOY SCOUTS

Mrs. J. E. Holmes, executive secretary of the Ottawa county Red Cross chapter, reported today that 26 Boy scouts had received Red Cross chapter, has reported that junior life saving certificates at Camp Ottawa near Newaygo during the summer camping season.

L. A. Youngman of Enid, Okla., served as the water safety instructor. There were five classes in all beginning June 29 and ending Aug. 15. The list follows: Beginners — Kent Hopkins, 671 Michigan Ave., and David Karsten, 210 West 11th St., all of Holland.

Swimmers — Bill Zonnebelt, 42 East 21st St., Bill Ridenour, 549 State St., and Bob Brink, 116 East 23rd St., all of Holland.

Junior Lifesaving — Ernest Post, 78 East 23rd St., Don Lade-wig, 118 East 21st St., Jim Shrammek, 668 State St., Kenneth Well-er, 28 East 23rd St., Bob Post, 204 West 12th St., all of Holland; Roger Whitman, Coopersville, Don Van Hoven, 283 Maple St., and Charles Vaughan, 130 South Church St., both of Zeeland (all renewals); Peter Van Domelen, route 1, Alfred Kane, 331 West 20th St., both of Holland; Elias Vander Kooi, 214 Central St., Zeeland; Bob Pierce, Johnny Davis, James Fairfield, all of Allegan; John Huls, Henry Casmer, Jr., Ronald Poel and Bob Ver Muren, all of Grand Haven; Bob Larr, Hopkins, and Mac Wells, Plainwell.

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## ARSON CASE

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fied that he drove to Schreiber's home in Grand Rapids and, as Schreiber was not home, he left a note in the door notifying him of the fire.

Myrtle Bills, 17, of Hesperia, who was formerly employed in the Schreiber home to do housework, was the prosecution's principal witness. She followed Voss on the stand. She stated she had worked for the Schreibers on their farm at West Olive from September, 1940, until April, 1941, when they moved to Grand Rapids. She stated that on the morning of June 29 she got up about 9:30 a.m. and at 10:30 a.m. Schreiber drove her to her girl friend's house in Grand Rapids where the girls waited for their two boy friends and went to Saugatuck for a picnic. Returning to Grand Rapids about 7:30 p.m., she said she prepared supper for Schreiber and then she and Schreiber went to a show. She testified Schreiber said "we would go to the show and then go out to the barn and get rid of it."

She stated they left Grand Rapids after the show and went to the Schreiber farm and stopped opposite the barn. She said she drove the car. As a car passed, she said, she started the car, went to the next corner, turned around and went back to the barn, pulled off to the side of the road, turned the lights off and left the motor running. Schreiber got out and went to the barn, she said. She said Schreiber wore a light shirt and she could see him go into the barn and remain about 15 minutes.

When they returned to Grand Rapids, she testified, Schreiber told her to "keep my mouth shut."

Prior to the fire, she claimed, she demanded wages due her and Schreiber told her she would have to wait until he got the insurance money.

Another synod meeting of interest to local persons is that of the Episcopal province of the Midwest which will meet in Grace Episcopal church in Grand Rapids Oct. 7, 8 and 9. The province includes 13 dioceses in Michigan, Wisconsin, Indiana and Ohio. Besides the bishops there will be four clerical and four delegates from each diocese. Holland will have no official delegate at the synod although a group of young people plans to attend one of the meetings arranged for the youth.

On the same dates the women's auxiliary of the province will meet in Grand Rapids with headquarters in Grace church and business sessions in Central Church of Christ.

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## Coast Guard Has New District Commander

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special) — Capt. Thomas A. Shanley has assumed command of the Chicago district of the U. S. coast guard, coming from Boston where he was district commander for four years. He succeeds Capt. Gordon T. Finlay who assumed command of the Hawaii district sometime ago.

Cmdr. J. W. McLain has been acting commander of the Chicago district and will resume his duties as chief of staff.

Lieut. Carl U. Peterson from headquarters at Washington will become executive officer aboard the U. S. coast guard cutter Escanaba Sept. 16. He will succeed Lieut. E. E. Comstock who will attend the supply school at Harvard university.

## Butcher Is First to Get Out of Army Due to Age

Camp Callan, Calif., Sept. 11 — W. Houston Wolfe, 34, today was en route back to Al-tmore, Ala., to reclaim the butcher shop he rented out when the army drafted him three months ago.

He was the first soldier to be released from the army under new legislation permitting discharge of those more than 28 years old.

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A number of local Reformed church officials are planning to attend the Synodical Conference program to be held in First Reformed church of Roseland in Chicago on Sept. 22 and 23. All pastors, elders and deacons of Reformed churches in this area are invited.

Activities will begin on Sept. 22 at 7 p.m. with registration followed by an inspirational service during which Dr. Paul S. Rees, minister of the Covenant Tabernacle church of Minneapolis, Minn., bringing the message. He is known by several Reformed church ministers and laymen who have heard him at the Winona Bible conference.

The next day's activities will open at 9 a.m. with devotions in charge of Dr. Simon Blocker of Holland, president of General Synod, who will use for his topic, "The Holy Spirit." At 9:45 a.m. Dr. A. Pieters of Holland, retired professor of Western Theological seminary, will bring a message on "The Sure Word of Prophecy." The Rev. H. Hoff of Grand Rapids also will bring a message in the morning and the Rev. John Bovenkark of Muskegon will conduct a forum.

In the afternoon, Dr. John A. Dykstra of Grand Rapids, a former president of General Synod, will give a message on "The Victorious Church." Dr. Blocker will give a presentation of the denominational program and the Rev. William Van't Hof, pastor of Third Reformed church of Holland, will direct the forum. Dr. Rees will speak again at the inspirational meeting at night which will conclude the conference.

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## Local Couple Married in Grand Rapids Church

Raymond Lighthart, 171 Fairbanks Ave., announces the marriage of his daughter, Opal, to C. Adrian Bort, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Bort of Cedar Rapids, Ia. The marriage took place Tuesday at 11 a.m. in the East Congregational church of Grand Rapids. The Rev. Charles Warren Helsey performed the marriage ceremony.

Attendants were Miss Rosemary Lighthart and Donald Lighthart. Mr. and Mrs. Bort left immediately following the ceremony on a short wedding trip and will be home after Sept. 16 at 65 West 15th St.

## Birthday Party Is Held in Central Park Home

Mrs. Vernon Van Lente of Central park was surprised Monday evening by a group of friends and neighbors who entertained with a party on the occasion of her 32nd birthday anniversary. An informal social time was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Those present were Mrs. R. Bouwman, Mrs. R. Dickse, Mrs. W. Fisher, Mrs. H. Nickels, Mrs. R. Van Dyke, Mrs. J. Wiersma and Mrs. S. Antema.

## Engagement of Local Girl Is Announced

Mrs. Otto Zone of 124 East 17th St. announced the engagement of her daughter, Anna, to William Ruess of Grand Rapids at dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ossewaarde, 409 Columbia Ave. No date has been set for the wedding.

## AGED RESIDENT OF ALLEGAN IS BURIED

Allegan, September 11 — Mrs. Lucy Hampton, 99, life long resident of this section and widow of the Civil war veteran, George Hampton, died here Friday night, 33 days before her 100th anniversary.

She was the daughter of Christopher and Maria Fisher, pioneers of Calhoun county, where she was born.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Edna Knowlton, Allegan; two sons, Fred Hampton, Ganges, and Willis Hampton, Kalamazoo; a sister, Mrs. Dora Jeffers, and three generations of grandchildren.

## DEATH CLAIMS LOCAL WOMAN

Mrs. Grace Vos, 69, of 32 West 17th St., died at 10 p.m. Tuesday in her home after an illness of five weeks. Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. John Hulst of Holland, Mrs. William Van Hemert of Fremont, Mrs. Andrew Boes of Holland and Mrs. Leonard Dekker of Grand Rapids; a son, John of Grand Rapids, and 12 grandchildren.

Other surviving are the following brothers and sisters, Rev. Nicholas Ortmann of Harvey, Ill., John Ortmann of East Saugatuck, Herman Ortmann of Kalamazoo, Mrs. Charles Davis of Marion, Ind., Gerrit and Herman Ortmann of East Saugatuck, Mrs. Andrew Baker of Zeeland, Mrs. Edward Condon of East Saugatuck, Mrs. George Baas of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Benjamin Poll of Holland.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 1:30 p.m. from the home, private, and at 2 p.m. from Ninth Street Christian Reformed church. The Rev. George Gritter will officiate. Burial will be in East Saugatuck cemetery. The body will be taken from the Langeland funeral home tonight to the residence where friends may view it Thursday from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m.

## STEPHAN TO ATTEND STATE CONVENTION

S. P. Stephan, secretary-manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce, will spend Friday and Saturday in Grand Haven attending the annual two-day convention of the Michigan Commercial Secretaries association. It is expected about 70 secretaries of the various Chambers of Commerce over the state will be there.

Fred Keller, president of the Grand Haven chamber of commerce, will give the welcoming address. He went to Grand Rapids today to bring T. S. McEwan, manager of the procurement department, OPM, Chicago, who will fly from Chicago.

The ladies will be entertained at events arranged by the following committee: Mrs. Fred Keller, Mrs. William Stribley, Mrs. B. P. Sherwood, Jr., Mrs. Hubert Burnsides, Mrs. F. E. Mason and Mrs. Glenn Olsen.

On Friday afternoon the ladies will be taken for a scenic drive to end at Oval Inn where a tea will be held. On Saturday morning they will enjoy a cruise on boats donated by Al Miller and Edward Bauman. They will attend the luncheon on Friday and Saturday with the men and will also be present at the banquet on Friday night at the Ferry hotel.

## Bentheim

The Christian Endeavor society met Sunday evening with Miss Fannie Bultman of Hamilton as leader.

The Allegan Christian Endeavor rally was held Monday evening at the local church with the Rev. C. A. Stoppels of Holland as speaker.

The Rev. A. Van Harn and Elder John Berens attended the classis meeting at the Hudsonville Reformed church on Tuesday.

The Saturday catechism classes will begin for the season this week. The monthly evening service will be held Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. James Berens and Mr. and Mrs. James Slager have returned from their trip to Chicago and other points of interest. The Woman's Missionary society meeting was held Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brouwer of Ionia spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Brouwer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Berens and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Berens of Fort Wayne, Ind., spent Sunday with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grotenhuis and Mr. and Mrs. John Helder of Holland visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cook on Friday evening.

## Freighter Arrives With Another Cement Cargo

The lake freighter Daniel McCool paid its second visit of the week to Holland harbor when she arrived here at 7 a.m. yesterday with a cargo of cement for the Medusa Portland Cement Co. silos on West Eighth St. The boat was here last Saturday with a cargo of cement from Manitowish, Wis. The shipment included about 4,200 barrels of cement.

**CRASH KILLS ONE**  
Ann Arbor, Sept. 11 — Howard C. Hill, 28, Chicago, was killed yesterday when his car skidded on US-12 near Saline, crashed into a car driven by Fred Chumley, 26, Houston, Tex., and then burst into flames.

## SEVEN VETS TO BOLSTER DUTCH GRIDIRON DRIVE

First Scrimmage Is Due This Week as Opener in G.R. Nears

Hope college's 1941 football team which plays its first game of the new season Friday night, Sept. 19, against Grand Rapids Junior college on Houseman field at Grand Rapids will include seven lettermen from last year's squad, Coach M. L. (Bud) Hinga reported today.

These veterans are Bill Tappan of Holland, center; Bill Hakken, Grand Rapids, guard; Harvey Koop, Holland, tackle; George Vander Hill, Holland, tackle; Marty Bekken, Holland, shifted from tackle to end; Don De Fouw, Grand Rapids, fullback; and Art Timmer, Grandville, halfback.

From the various candidates who have reported for pre-season practices, Jack Yeomans, Holland, guard, and Roy Davis, Grand Rapids, quarterback



## RECORD YEAR IN LOCAL BUILDING IS NOW ASSURED

**August Permits Near 87 Thousand; Sixty-Four Homes So Far**

Headed by 13 applications for permits to build new homes and a single \$20,000 foundry permit, building activities in Holland during August proved to be the second largest month for the current year, according to an unofficial tabulation of applications for building permits on file in the office of City Clerk Oscar Peterson.

Total amount of money to be expended in the 52 applications for permits reaches \$86,850. April has been the best month so far this year—with total building permits of \$151,877.75.

The past month's permits are \$16,990 in excess of those for August, 1940, which totaled \$69,860. They also are \$65,010 in excess of those for the same month of two years ago which amounted to \$21,840.

The large number of permits in August sent the total figure for the first eight months of 1941 ahead of the total figure for all 12 months of 1940. To date, the unofficial figure from Jan. 1 through Aug. 31 is \$494,918.15 while the amount for all 1940 was but \$450,208.

With four months of the current year, it becomes a question as to how much this year will exceed last year before this year ends. Already 1941 is running ahead of 1940 by \$4,710.15.

This year's eight-month total of \$494,918.15 is \$246,801.15 ahead of the 1940 total of \$248,117 and \$275,133.15 in excess of the 1939 mark of \$223,133.15.

Forty-five applications for building permits were filed in August, 1940, thus placing the past month's figure ahead by seven. The 13 applications for permits to build new homes is the largest for any single month this year. It brings the total number of new homes in Holland since Jan. 1, 1941, to 64.

Yet this year is trailing 1940 in the number of new homes by one. During August, 1940, 18 applications for new homes were filed, bringing that year's total to 65.

Value of the 13 new homes of the past month amounted to \$55,950. Ten of the applications also provided for the construction of garages at a total cost of \$1,545.

The month's largest single application for a permit was that of the Holland Furnace Co. to erect a foundry building at a total cost of \$20,000.

There were seven applications which provided for the construction of new garages at a cost of \$1,350 and two applications to remodel garages at a cost of \$195.

Eight applications called for interior remodeling of homes to cost \$2,050 and seven of them also provided for exterior repairs to homes at a cost of \$1,095.

Ten applications for permits were for the roofing of homes at a cost of \$1,565. Another provided for a new roof on a church to cost \$250.

There were two applications for new store fronts, costing \$2,600 and a single application to build an addition to a store at a cost of \$250.

## Personals

(From Saturday's Sentinel)

The Rev. and Mrs. Marion de Velder and children have returned from a vacation of two weeks in Iowa. They visited Rev. de Velder's parents in Orange City, and Mrs. de Velder's people in Sioux Center.

Norma Vander Broek and Jimmie Vander Broek of Grand Rapids are spending the week with Mrs. Henrietta Dykhuizen, 18 East 16th St. Mrs. Dykhuizen recently returned from a visit in Fremont and Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Mary S. Stelle and daughter, Miss Virginia Stelle, of New York city have been the guests of Mrs. M. Everett Dick of West 11th St.

Phil Harrington is spending the week-end in Detroit.

Mrs. Kathryn Yntema and daughter, Elizabeth, who have been visiting Mrs. Yntema's mother, Mrs. J. A. Vander Veen, left yesterday for their home in Winnetka, Ill. John Yntema returned to his home last week after visiting his grandmother here.

A son was born Thursday in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, 21 East 28th St.

Born Friday in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Justin Marlink, 354 West 17th St., a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. George De Haan of West 19th St., and Mr. and Mrs. Adrian De Groot of West 28th St., have returned from a week's vacation motor trip around Lake Michigan. They visited the Tahquamenon falls in the northern peninsula and other points of interest.

## Guardsman Klomprens Now Stationed at Norfolk

Robert Klomprens, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Klomprens, 320 West 19th St., who enlisted with the U. S. coast guards, is now stationed at Norfolk, Va., after completing a month's training at New Orleans. He goes to sea for 30 days on the coast guard cutter Bibb, sailing from Norfolk Sept. 16.

## Dutch Scholars End Sessions in Holland



## PASTOR KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

**Son of Local Couple Victim of Car Accident Near Butler, Ind.**

Funeral services were held Sunday in Morenci, Mich., for the Rev. John Vander Heuvel, 39, Methodist minister of Newburg, who was killed almost instantly at midnight Thursday when his automobile sideswiped a truck on highway 6, three miles west of Butler, Ind.

His wife, Gertrude, suffered lacerations and a fractured right leg. She was taken to Souder hospital in Auburn, Ind. The couple was returning from a vacation in the west at the time of the accident.

Those surviving are the widow; a son, John J. of Newburg; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vander Heuvel of Holland; a brother, Fred Vander Heuvel, Jr., of Holland; and four sisters, Mrs. C. Lay of Port Orchard, Wash., Mrs. H. Kleeves and Mrs. H. Dekker of Holland and Mrs. Ed Medendorp of Muskegon.

## Insurance Firm Sued by Holland Attorney

Attorney John R. Dethmers of Holland, as administrator of the estate of the late Ruth Collins of Holland, Monday filed a reply in federal district court, Grand Rapids, to the answer made previously by the New York Life Insurance Co. in a suit filed sometime ago.

The insurance company was named defendant in a suit for \$7,500, interests and costs. The sum is alleged due the estate of Miss Collins on an insurance policy.

The suit originally was filed in Ottawa circuit court at Grand Haven but the defendant company had it transferred to the federal court on the grounds that when a citizen of one state sues one of another state, it must be filed in federal court.

Mr. Dethmers has asked for a jury trial when the case comes up for hearing.

## SHIP RETURNS

The S. S. North American of the Georgian Bay line, having concluded her summer cruises on the Great Lakes, arrived in Holland harbor about 6 p.m. Monday and was moored to the company's dock at Montello park for the winter.

## Ann Poses for Harvest Picture



This photographic study shows 16-year-old Ann Paulus of Chicago in a pensive mood as she poses for a local photographer amid shocks of cut grain. The young "model" is a daughter of S. E. Paulus, manager of Waukegan.

The Society of Dutch Scholars in North America ended its three-day convention here Saturday. Among those attending the sessions are: First row, left to right—Dr. Marten Ten Hoor, dean of arts and languages, Tulane university; Prof. I. M. Kolthoff, chemistry, University of Minnesota; Prof. A. J. Barnouw, philology, Columbia university; Dr. A. H. Loudon, Netherlands minister; Dr. Wynand Wichers, Hope college president; Prof. J. Schilt, astronomy, Columbia university. Second row—Dr. H. E. Enthoven, New York; Dr. G. P. Kuyper, Yerkes observatory; Dr. B. Vlekke, Harvard university historian; Prof. G. Ten Hoor, University of Chicago; Prof. N. Mogendorff, natural science, University of Toledo; Prof. J. Luyten, astronomy, University of Minnesota; Prof. J. Van de Camp, astronomy, Swarthmore college. Back row—Dr. B. Landheer, Library of Congress; Dr. S. M. Zwemer, professor emeritus of Princeton university; Prof. S. A. Goudamit, physics, University of Michigan; Dr. Henry Rottschaefer, law, University of Minnesota; Prof. H. S. Van Klooster, Van Rensselaer Institute of Technology, Troy, N.Y., engineering.

## FAIR EXHIBITS ARE ARRANGED

Allegan, Sept. 11—Allegan county 4-H clubs will bring to a climax one of the most successful club years when they make their exhibits at the Allegan fair next week. Well over 1,200 individual exhibits of summer and winter members are expected to be on display in the 4-H club building with livestock housed in two large tents in the southwest corner of the fairgrounds.

A. D. Morley, county agricultural agent, superintendent of the 4-H club department, will be assisted by F. Earl Haas, district club agent, and Mary E. Bullis, home extension agent.

Livestock judging will take place Tuesday, Sept. 16. The chief livestock judge will be Harold Foster, county agricultural agent of Barry county.

Judges of the garden, crops, conservation, clothing, canning and food preparation projects will be P. G. Lundin, Miss Beatrice Boyle and Miss Lois Corbett, assistant state club leaders, who will be here on Wednesday, Sept. 17.

All 4-H club entries are to be accepted at the fairground Monday, Sept. 15 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m.

## Farmer, Residing Near Glenn, Is Badly Injured

Fennville, Sept. 11 (Special)—Fred Sayles, 74, farmer residing near Glenn, was badly injured yesterday while leading a cow to pasture. He was dragged and later bumped against a tree by the cow. He suffered a broken right arm, fractured wrist and dislocated shoulder. His condition was regarded as serious and he was taken to Allegan Health center.

To safeguard and preserve the American way of life—buy defense savings bonds and stamps.

## TO NAME TWO FOR ACADEMY

Grand Rapids, Sept. 11—Rep. Bartel J. Jonkman, of the fifth district, has announced here an examination to be held Saturday, Oct. 4, at 8:30 a.m., in the Post Office building in Grand Rapids, to enable him to fill two vacancies for 1942 at the United States Naval academy.

Young men who are interested in taking the examination are urged to write promptly to Rep. Bartel J. Jonkman, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., setting forth the date of their birth, the length of their residence in the fifth district and their scholastic standings. All candidates must have reached their 17th birthday on April 1, but must not have reached their 21st birthday on March 31 of the year of entrance.

## THREE ARRAIGNED IN JUSTICE COURT

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special)—Joe Straveler, 21, Grand Haven, paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$4.30 to Justice George V. Hoffer Saturday upon his plea of guilty to a charge of furnishing beer to a minor.

Charles Connor, 28, Grand Haven, pleaded guilty on Monday to a charge of drunk driving, filed against him Saturday night by local police. He was fined \$50 and costs of \$9.20 and sentenced to serve five days in the county jail or serve 60 days if the total is not paid.

John Pryzucha, 17, of Grand Haven, was taken to court on Monday by state police after failing to appear in response to a summons issued by the officers Aug. 23, in Spring Lake for failing to have a chauffeur's license. He paid \$10 fine and costs of \$3.35.

## MOON FLOWERS ARE NOW BLOOMING HERE

Two local amateur flower growers have been watching with interest the past few weeks the blooming of their white moon flowers which are regarded by one local nurseryman as somewhat of a rare flower.

These moon flowers, a member of the family as the morning glory, is much larger than a morning glory although the two have similar shapes. The flower is pure white and blooms only one night, dying the next day.

Several persons have seen the moon flower in bloom at the home of Mrs. Anna Slagh, 345 College Ave. Three moon flowers were in bloom one night recently at the home of Mrs. Theodore Fregel, 328 Washington Blvd.

Both flowers still have several blossoms which are expected to bloom later. The local nurseryman classed the white moon flower as a "Calceoliflorum" or "Ipomoea Bonz-nox."

## September's Rainfall Reaches 3.53 Inches

A total of 2.71 inches of rain has fallen in Holland since Sunday night, according to recorded figures at the Fifth St. station. For the 24 hours ending at 7 p.m. Tuesday, 1.09 inches fell while for a similar period ending Monday night 1.53 inches were recorded. Since 7 p.m. Tuesday until 11 a.m. Wednesday .09 inch fell.

An additional .82 inch rain last week brings September's total to 3.53 inches.

Predictions called for cooler weather and frosts in north and central portions of lower Michigan.

## SLIGHT DROP IN ENROLLMENT IN LOCAL SCHOOLS

**Over 35 Hundred Pupils Listed in Public and Christian Units**

Enrollment figures have been completed for public and Christian schools which opened in Holland on Sept. 3. More than 3,500 pupils are enrolled in the two school systems, showing a slight decrease from 1940.

The public school system has a total of 2,797 compared with the 1940 total of 2,831. Holland high school has an enrollment of 583 compared with 600 in 1940; junior high has 733 compared with 757 last year and East Junior high has 199 compared with 191 a year ago.

The five elementary schools has an enrollment of 1,282, only one less than last year's total. The present enrollment compared with 1940 figures includes: Washington—343 and 336; Van Raalte—258 and 272; Longfellow, 257 and 244; Lincoln, 217 and 219; Froebel 207 and 212.

Kindergarten enrollment includes 27 in Washington, 27 in Van Raalte, 28 in Longfellow, 32 in Lincoln and 12 in Froebel.

The Christian school system has an enrollment of 736 in the three schools, just one under last year's total. The elementary school has enrolled 367 pupils compared with 372 last year. Junior high school, grades seven and eight, has an enrollment of 119 compared with 113 last year and senior high school, grades nine through 12, has 250 pupils compared with 252 last year.

This year there are 26 pupils enrolled in the freshman class who are outside of Holland. The sophomore class has five new pupils and the junior class, four. Last June, the high school graduated a record class of 68.

**JUST A FALSE ALARM**  
Holland firemen were called to 15th St. and Maple Ave. Monday at 11:35 by a false alarm from Box 312. Local police reported they were informed a boy, between five and six years old, pulled the alarm box.

## COMMON COUNCIL

Holland, Mich., Sept. 3, 1941. The Common Council met in regular session and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Mayor Geerlings, Aids. Arendshorst, Kleis, Steffens, Ketel, Faasen, Slagh, Smith, Mooi, Damson, Schepers, Menken, Raymond, and the Clerk.

Devotions led by Mayor Geerlings.

Minutes read and approved.

**Petitions and Accounts**  
Clerk presented application and bond of Van Dyke and Volkers for license to contract sidewalks, etc.

Bond approved and license granted.

Clerk presented communication from W. W. Richards, president of Michigan Municipal League, giving official notice of the annual meeting to be held in Traverse City on Sept. 10, 11 and 12, 1941. In addition to the letter from Mr. Richards, other letters were received from the mayor and city clerk of Traverse City calling attention to many important matters of vital interest to municipalities that will be discussed at these meetings and urging as many city officials as can get away authorized to attend as representatives of the city.

Clerk presented communication from Netherlands Pioneer and Historical Foundation inviting the mayor and council and other city officials to participate in the program of the Society of Dutch Scholars in North America. The meeting is to be held in this city on Sept. 4, 5, and 6, 1941.

Accepted and filed.

Clerk presented application and bond of Ben H. Lievense for license to operate a bowling alley at 211 Central Ave.

Referred to license committee with power to act.

Clerk presented application of Ben H. Lievense for license to sell soft drinks at his bowling alley, 211 Central Ave.

Referred to license committee with power to act.

Clerk presented application for permit to construct a gasoline filling station on the southeast corner of Pine Ave. and 8th St.

Granted subject to approval of Appeal board and fire chief.

Clerk presented communication from the Draft board calling attention to the fact that rather than prolong the controversy over the use of the former G.A.R. room, they decided to vacate these quarters. The board on behalf of the boys who have gone to service and those other registrants who are subject to call, and also on behalf of the physicians, dentists and other persons connected with the Draft board, extend their thanks to the Council for the privilege of using the room during the past 10 months.

Accepted and filed.

**Reports of Standing Committees**  
Committee on Ways and Means report for information of the Council that they have received the report on the annual audit and that the auditors have found everything in good order. Committee further reported that pamphlets containing the annual settlement are now in the hands of the printer and copies will be available for each alderman in the near future.

Claims and Accounts committee reported claims in the amount of \$4,893.91 and recommended payment thereof.

Allowed.

Street committee reported having received bids on a heating plant for the city warehouse on 5th St. and recommended that the contract for installing this heating plant be given to Henry Kraker as per his bid price of \$1,095.84 which covers one Kewanee Steam Boiler with all the necessary fittings. This is an oil-burning plant and the price includes the installation with all automatic controls.

Adopted.

Ordinance committee to whom had been referred the complaint in regard to an electric sign that was installed by the Voss Bicycle Shop on West 19th St., reported for information of the Council that they have discussed this matter with Mr. Voss and he has agreed to contact the neighbors and is willing to do whatever he can to eliminate these complaints.

It was further reported that this business is being carried on in a Residential district as a non-conforming use and he has no right under the ordinance to expand to such an extent that it will become a nuisance to the neighbors. The committee suggested that the matter be referred to the aldermen of the 5th ward.

Ald. Damson of the 5th ward, however, reported that he too has had complaints from the neighbors and has talked with Mr. Voss about removing this sign which is objectionable to the neighbors.

Committee on Public Buildings and Property reported for information of the Council that a very complete survey has been made of the fire insurance that is being carried on city buildings. It was reported that the survey suggested that all of this insurance be placed under one head and also that 80 or 90% co-insurance be placed on these buildings.

It was the recommendation of the committee, however, that the city continue to insure with the several local insurance men, the same as at present and also that an amount of insurance be placed on each building which in their judgment is adequate rather than to carry co-insurance.

Committee further reported that many valuable suggestions were made in this report which, if followed, would lower our present insurance rates and recommended that these suggestions be carried out and the city clerk instructed to notify the various departments to make such corrections as were recommended.

Committee on Public Buildings also recommended that a lease be entered into between the city and Mrs. Clark and Hamelink on the city-owned house at the corner of 12th St. and River Ave. for a period of 2 years at a price of \$840.00, which is at the rate of \$35.00 per month and is to be paid in advance.

Adopted and mayor and clerk instructed to sign the lease on behalf of the city.

In this connection, the committee recommended that they be authorized to receive bids on doing a certain amount of decorating in the interior of this house.

Adopted.

**Communications from Boards and City Officers**  
The claims approved by the following boards were certified to the Council for payment:

Hospital board, \$4,155.75; Library board, \$303.47; Park and Cemetery board, \$1,941.38; Police and Fire board, \$2,359.65; and the Board of Public Works, \$14,908.05.

Allowed. (Said claims on file in clerk's office for public inspection.)

Board of Public Works reported the collection of \$30,133.97; City Treasurer; \$24,255.36 for miscellaneous items, and \$9,689.39 for tax collections.

Accepted.

Clerk reported bonds and interest coupons due in the amount of \$2,080.00.

Ordered paid.

Clerk presented report from City Inspector Wiersema giving a summary of his activities during August.

Accepted and filed.

Clerk reported that pursuant to instructions, notice has been given of the proposed vacating of the alley between 23rd and 24th Sts. running from Van Raalte Ave. west approximately 392 feet. Clerk further reported that this was the time for hearing objections, if any, to said proposed vacating. Clerk further reported that no objections have been filed in his office and presented affidavit of publication of said notice.

Alley ordered vacated—all present voting aye.

Board of Assessors submitted the several special assessment rolls

of the lots and lands comprising the special assessments for the various street improvement and sanitary sewer districts and also C. S. C. for the payment of principal and interest covering the installment payment due Feb. 1, 1942.

Confirmed, all present voting aye.

Pursuant to the provisions of sections 10, 11 and 12 of title 27 of the city charter, clerk reported the several amounts to be assessed against particular persons and properties with the next general tax roll as follows:

Compulsory sewer connections assessment roll No. 24.

Miscellaneous assessment roll for 1941.

Filed in clerk's office for public inspection and clerk instructed to give public notice to the several persons against whose properties said assessments are to be levied that the Council and Board of Assessors will meet on Wednesday, Oct. 1, 1941 to hear objections if any be presented to said special assessments.

**Motions and Resolutions**  
Ald. Raymond reported that upon the suggestions of the mayor and several of the aldermen he had made a trip to Milwaukee and contacted Col. Taylor and also Mr. Malia of the Great Lakes Harbors association to see what information could be obtained in regard to the city's application to have the U. S. government take over the maintenance of the new channel.

Mr. Raymond stated that he had lunch with Mr. Taylor and Mr. Malia but that Mr. Taylor would not commit himself in regard to the position taken by their department. Mr. Taylor did state, however, that the hearing on this matter would be held in Cincinnati on Nov. 30th and the city of Holland would receive a report on the result of this hearing about January 2, 1942.

Adopted.

Adopted.

Oscar Peterson, City Clerk.

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DRUNKEN BICYCLE RIDER

In another Michigan town a citizen  
has actually been arrested on the  
charge of riding a bicycle while  
under the influence of liquor. Had  
he been an automobile driver his  
case would have received a line or  
two in the newspapers—there are  
so many drunken drivers, and most  
of them get off with such light  
sentences, that they are no longer  
news. But an arrest of a drunken  
bicycle rider is almost a case of a  
man biting a dog—which is the  
classic journalistic definition of  
news.

While the story is of course  
good for a number of wisecracks,  
and while it is not necessary to  
become too solemn about it, there  
is no reason why it should not be  
taken seriously and not merely as  
the subject matter for jest. For a  
drunken bicycle rider could be the  
cause of accident and death in these  
days of closely calculated traffic  
laws. Even at best, when the bicycle  
rider is in full possession of all his  
normal faculties, the bicycle is enough  
of a hazard to the motorist, as every  
driver can tell you. The bicycle  
rider has of course as much right  
to use a highway as the motorist  
has. But a zigzagging bicycle rider,  
who thinks that the central  
traffic line is a wiggling snake,  
and who sees two telephone poles  
or two lamp posts when there is  
only one—and then sees them in  
the wrong place—such a person  
may become a hazard to the un-  
wary automobile driver that may  
mean death and maimed bodies.  
That he should not merely be a  
laughing matter but subject to  
serious arrest is entirely reason-  
able.

In the primitive days of the  
bicycle, back there in the nine-  
teenth century, society could af-  
ford to look upon a tipsy bicyclist  
as something of a joke. If he  
took a spill he merely bashed his  
own nose. At worst he might col-  
lide with the bike of a law-abiding  
citizen; or he might run  
into a pedestrian. But whatever  
happened, the damage could not  
be very great. Today people who  
keep sober, at least in public, can't  
afford to be so lenient. Even a  
pedestrian who uses the highway  
while under the influence of liquor  
ought to be subject to severe  
treatment than the drunk of the  
pre-auto day who needed the whole  
highway in his attempts to walk  
in a straight line.

It is not a question of morals  
at all but of public safety. In to-  
day's congested traffic and rapid  
transit no hazards must be toler-  
ated that can be eliminated. A  
drunken bicycle rider is definite-  
ly dangerous. The courts should  
give him the works in a mood of  
complete seriousness. Unfortunately  
the chances are that, like the  
average drunken auto driver, he  
will be coddled and excused, and  
thus continue to be a menace to  
the lives of law-abiding citizens.

THE CHURCH INVITES YOU  
Reverence is the highest quality  
of the human mind. It distinguishes  
man from the animals. They share  
with him some of the noblest  
affections; courage, sympathy,  
patience and love. But of all earth-  
ly beings, man alone is filled with  
awe in the presence of the starry  
heavens and in the contemplation  
of life, destiny and God. Reverence  
is the essence of supreme good.  
When it decays, character degener-  
ates, for it is the tonic quality  
of the soul.

The service of worship in the  
church calls for real reverence.  
Why not accept the invitation and  
go to church next Sunday?

Dr. Harms Is Elected  
Head of Medical Staff

At the first annual meeting of  
the Holland Medical staff held  
Friday in Holland hospital, Dr. H.  
P. Harms was elected president for  
the ensuing year.

Other officers are Dr. Harold  
De Vries, vice-president, rector,  
and Dr. Nelson Clark, secre-  
tary.

The retiring officers are Dr. O.  
Vander Velde, president; Dr. De  
Vries, vice-president; and Dr. John  
K. Winter, secretary.

Sunday School  
Lesson

September 14, 1941

The Eternal God, the Source  
of Help  
Revelation 7:9-17

By Henry Georlings

Robert Burns, the great Scot-  
tish poet in one of his letters re-  
fers to the tenth chapter of Re-  
velation as his favorite chapter of  
Scripture. Like many other sec-  
tions of this book, it has proved of  
the utmost value in comforting  
sorely distressed souls throughout  
the ages of Christian history. For  
two thousand years men and wo-  
men have turned to these passages  
for solace and comfort in their  
hour of trial.

One of the interesting struc-  
tural features of the Book of Re-  
velation is the use of numbers and  
especially the number seven. There  
are seven churches, seven seals,  
seven trumpets, seven mystic fig-  
ures, seven bowls, a sevenfold  
judgment, and a sevenfold triumph.  
The lesson which we study today  
is from chapter seven. Seven was  
the perfect number of the ancient  
Pythagoreans because it united the  
first trinity of figures with the  
first square. In the Jewish econ-  
omy it was especially sacred be-  
cause it represented the Sabbath  
of the Lord upon which He rested  
after the work of creation.

In the beginning of this chap-  
ter four angels of destruction stood  
on the border separating Rome  
from the rest of the world. These  
forces of destruction are restrain-  
ed temporarily "till we have seal-  
ed the servants of our God on their  
foreheads." The seal was upon the  
144,000 who were from the tribes  
of Israel.

In addition to this number there  
was also a great number which no  
man could number, and they were  
from all nations and countries and  
people and tongues and they stood  
before the throne and the Lamb  
clothed with white robes and  
palms in their hands. They were  
Gentiles, to be added to the 144-  
000.

The Lamb is Christ. He is fre-  
quently referred to as the Lamb of  
God. He is the sacrifice offered for  
the redemption of mankind. It was  
He who broke the seals, for He  
only was worthy, having shed his  
blood for the salvation of men.

Before the Lamb and the throne  
this multitude wore white robes,  
indicative of purity, also the fact  
that they were cleansed by the  
blood of the Lamb. The palms were  
a symbol of victory.

This was a happy throng and  
sang the song of salvation. The  
angels standing about, along with  
the elders and the four beasts, fell  
on their faces and worshipped God.  
There were twenty four elders.

The first beast was like a lion,  
the second like a calf, the third  
had a face of a man, and the  
fourth was like a flying eagle, and  
each beast had six wings and was  
full of eyes within.

The four beasts here mentioned  
are the same four living creatures  
of Ezekiel. These forms have a  
symbolical significance. They were  
angelic intelligences, which repre-  
sented the courage of the lion, the  
strength of the ox, the intellect of  
man, and the swiftness of the  
eagle.

The 24 elders were not grouped  
with the martyrs of the redeemed  
or the 144,000, nor with the multi-  
tude, but with the angels and the  
cherubim about the throne of God.  
They must have belonged to heav-  
enly intelligences, in the same  
class as the cherubim and angels.  
They were heavenly princes. There  
were 24 courses of priests engaged  
in the service of the temple and it  
is quite probable that these twenty  
four elders represent the 24  
courses of priests and were now  
serving in the presence of God.

Whence are these in white  
robes? And whence came they?  
Was asked by one of the elders.  
John could not answer, and the  
elder replied. This was a destruc-  
tive tribulation. Many were faith-  
ful in that tribulation. They were  
Christian, having accepted Christ  
in the fullest sense, and they are  
redeemed, and so today we come  
up out of tribulation, in spite of  
tribulation, and because of tribu-  
lation.

Paul in his vision when caught  
to the third heaven said he saw  
things which he could not tell  
the world, but ever after that he  
had declined the call extended by  
that church. This is the third de-  
clination they have received since  
the departure of the Rev. L. Van-  
der Meer who is now pastor in one  
of the Reformed churches in  
Grand Rapids.

In a hard fast game last night  
the local high school team defeat-  
ed the Hastings high school by a

score of 47 to 17.

At a special congregational meet-  
ing held at the Reformed church at  
Wriesland the following trio of  
pastors was named: The Rev. J.  
Hankamp of Hamilton; the Rev.  
J. Weyer of Grand Rapids and the  
Rev. G. J. Heikhus of Overisel.

Miss Anna Kragt left today for  
Grand Rapids where she will spend  
a week with her sister and friends.  
Believing that the annual day  
of prayer for crops in the spring  
season is just as important as the  
annual Thanksgiving day in No-  
vember the board of education of  
the public schools has concurred  
in a resolution to make that day  
a holiday and close all schools.

City Engineer Naberhuis has for  
several days been busy circulating  
a petition asking the property  
owners along Twelfth street as to  
how they stand on the proposition  
of paving the street next summer.  
began an article in the Monday,  
February 19 issue.

Today Austin Harrington repre-  
sented the Board of Trade, as its  
secretary, G. Van Schelven, John  
Weersing, representing the special  
committee of the Board of Trade,  
Chris Nibbelink, A. Van Putten,  
G. W. Kooyers and other inter-  
ested parties went to Grand Haven  
to attend the meeting of the Ot-  
tawa County Board of Supervisors  
that opened a session in the court  
house for the purpose of recon-  
sidering the good roads plan.

The Holland Merchants associa-  
tion is represented this afternoon  
at the meeting of the Board of  
Supervisors by C. J. Lokker,  
George Huijzen, J. Lokker and  
Gerard Cook.

Miss Laura Rainy of Saugatuck  
and John Van Dragt of Olive were  
united in marriage yesterday fore-  
noon by Justice Fred T. Miles.

Next Tuesday afternoon a  
Threshermen's Convention will be  
held in the G. A. R. hall over the  
postoffice. It is expected that  
from a hundred to 150 members of  
the organization from all over the  
state of Michigan will be present.

The College Y. M. C. A. cabinet  
is investigating the advisability of  
establishing Sunday school at Gel-  
derland.

Hessel Yntema delivered his con-  
test oration before the members  
of the Cosmopolitan society last  
night.

Jeannette Balgooyen and Susan  
Van Dort spent Sunday in Grand  
Rapids.

Ben Nash and Bernie Rosendahl  
spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.  
Art Sullivan and Jack Riemer-  
ma were in Grand Rapids yester-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harmsen and  
George and Aletta Harmsen will  
spend a few days with relatives in  
Hamilton.

HOLLAND  
IN 1912

"How to protect the pupils in the  
public schools against contagious  
diseases is a problem that must be  
looked into in Holland immedi-  
ately," said a prominent business man  
today, according to an article ap-  
pearing in the Friday, Feb. 16 issue  
of the Holland Daily Sentinel pub-  
lished in 1912. "From now until  
sometime in April is the period of  
danger and a little strenuous ac-  
tion at this time may save many  
little lives." The businessman  
then unfolded his plan. What he  
wants is the system followed in  
the public schools in Chicago,  
where a physician is present in  
each school building in the morn-  
ing when the pupils come to school  
and at noon when they again come  
to school. If a pupil has been ab-  
sent for a half a day the doctor  
finds out what the reason is. If it  
is found that there is a disease  
at home the school room is fum-  
igated and the other pupils are  
given protection against the dis-  
ease. This system could be install-  
ed in Holland from now till April  
at a cost of about \$400 or \$500.  
After that the danger period is  
past because the windows will be  
open and the children will get all  
the fresh air they need.

The Hope five added another  
scalp to its string of victories last  
night. The victims that time being  
the fast Evanston Reds. The game  
ended 34 to 18.

Next Thursday, Washington's  
birthday, all the public schools in  
the city will observe the anniver-  
sary of the birth of the Father of  
His Country. In all the schools in  
the city appropriate exercises will  
be held in the forenoon and the  
teachers are drilling the pupils for  
the event.

The fire boys of Engine House  
No. 1 last night enjoyed their an-  
nual banquet in their new parlors  
in their building.

The meeting of Concordia con-  
sisting of the pastors and their  
wives of the Classis of Zeeland of  
the Christian Reformed churches,  
met at the parsonage of the North  
Street Christian Reformed church  
in Zeeland. The Rev. J. H. Mokma  
of Overisel announced that he had  
declined the call of the church at  
Lucas, Mich., but that he had re-  
ceived a call from the church at  
Munster, Ind.

A very pretty wedding took  
place yesterday afternoon at the  
home of the bride's parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. J. Nykamp at East Hol-  
land, when their daughter Alice  
Naber was united in marriage to John  
Naber also of East Holland.

At the reception given in honor  
of Dr. Loudon, Minister of the  
Netherlands, at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. D. VanSytzama in Ze-  
land the other day a feature of  
the refreshments was "Arnhemse-  
che Meijjes" and the Dutch "Bit-  
ter Koekjes" which were presented  
by several of the society ladies  
of Zeeland.

The program committee of the  
Board of Trade banquet has nearly  
completed its labors and the mem-  
bers are highly pleased with the  
success that has crowned their  
efforts. The toastmaster of the  
evening will be Con De Pree. The  
first speaker of the evening will be  
the Hon. John W. Stone, Justice of  
the supreme court of Michigan and  
at one time the Ottawa-Allegan  
circuit. The next speaker will be  
Hon. G. J. Diekema. The third  
speaker will be the Hon. Philip T.  
Colgrove. He was at one time state  
senator. Gov. Osborn had promised  
to come and address the members  
of the board but because the spe-  
cial session of the legislature con-  
vened on the 26th he found it im-  
possible to come. Hon. Frank P.  
Sadler of Chicago will take his  
place. This article appeared in the  
Saturday, Friday, 17 issue.

At the special meeting of the  
common council held last night G.  
W. Kooyers was appointed to go  
to Grand Haven next Monday to  
attend the meeting of the Board  
of Supervisors in the place of G.  
J. Van Duren, who is prevented  
by illness from attending.

The consistory of the Reformed  
church at Beaverdam received a  
letter from student Isaac Van  
Westenburg of Holland that he  
has declined the call extended by  
that church. This is the third de-  
clination they have received since  
the departure of the Rev. L. Van-  
der Meer who is now pastor in one  
of the Reformed churches in  
Grand Rapids.

In a hard fast game last night  
the local high school team defeat-  
ed the Hastings high school by a

score of 47 to 17.

At a special congregational meet-  
ing held at the Reformed church at  
Wriesland the following trio of  
pastors was named: The Rev. J.  
Hankamp of Hamilton; the Rev.  
J. Weyer of Grand Rapids and the  
Rev. G. J. Heikhus of Overisel.

Miss Anna Kragt left today for  
Grand Rapids where she will spend  
a week with her sister and friends.  
Believing that the annual day  
of prayer for crops in the spring  
season is just as important as the  
annual Thanksgiving day in No-  
vember the board of education of  
the public schools has concurred  
in a resolution to make that day  
a holiday and close all schools.

City Engineer Naberhuis has for  
several days been busy circulating  
a petition asking the property  
owners along Twelfth street as to  
how they stand on the proposition  
of paving the street next summer.  
began an article in the Monday,  
February 19 issue.

Today Austin Harrington repre-  
sented the Board of Trade, as its  
secretary, G. Van Schelven, John  
Weersing, representing the special  
committee of the Board of Trade,  
Chris Nibbelink, A. Van Putten,  
G. W. Kooyers and other inter-  
ested parties went to Grand Haven  
to attend the meeting of the Ot-  
tawa County Board of Supervisors  
that opened a session in the court  
house for the purpose of recon-  
sidering the good roads plan.

The Holland Merchants associa-  
tion is represented this afternoon  
at the meeting of the Board of  
Supervisors by C. J. Lokker,  
George Huijzen, J. Lokker and  
Gerard Cook.

Miss Laura Rainy of Saugatuck  
and John Van Dragt of Olive were  
united in marriage yesterday fore-  
noon by Justice Fred T. Miles.

Next Tuesday afternoon a  
Threshermen's Convention will be  
held in the G. A. R. hall over the  
postoffice. It is expected that  
from a hundred to 150 members of  
the organization from all over the  
state of Michigan will be present.

The College Y. M. C. A. cabinet  
is investigating the advisability of  
establishing Sunday school at Gel-  
derland.

Hessel Yntema delivered his con-  
test oration before the members  
of the Cosmopolitan society last  
night.

Jeannette Balgooyen and Susan  
Van Dort spent Sunday in Grand  
Rapids.

Ben Nash and Bernie Rosendahl  
spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.  
Art Sullivan and Jack Riemer-  
ma were in Grand Rapids yester-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harmsen and  
George and Aletta Harmsen will  
spend a few days with relatives in  
Hamilton.

The Rev. Gerrit D. Van Peur-  
sem, a graduate of Hope college  
and Princeton seminary, has an-  
nounced his engagement to Miss  
J. E. Spaeth in Arabia, where they  
have been engaged as missionaries  
for the Reformed church since  
1910.

Friends of Dr. and Mrs. Edward  
J. Strick in this city have been  
appraised of their safe arrival in  
Amoy, China, where they will  
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phone solo and Eugene Van Dyke  
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During the business session it  
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program during the holiday season.  
It was also decided to begin a  
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## POST WAR TASK OF SCHOLARS IS CITED AT MEET

### Loudon Says Society Can Lead Rehabilitation of Thinking

About 20 members of Society of Dutch Scholars in America attended the opening session of their annual fall meeting on Friday in the basement of Hope Memorial chapel.

A number of visitors were present to hear the two papers which were delivered and the general discussions which followed.

A business session was also held which was presided over by Dr. Adriaan J. Barnouw, president of the society.

Dr. Alexander Loudon, Dutch minister to the United States, spoke Friday on "Why a Society of Dutch Scholars" in which he expressed his pleasure at being in Holland.

In these times of uncertainty, "Hope," the name of the college, is something that "we are all bearing in our hearts today." He pointed out that it was important, too, that Dutch thinking is rooted in Dutch traditions and that this thinking has brought to the world new ways of instruction and expression.

He stressed that, after the war, the youth in The Netherlands as well as other occupied countries will have to be "de-poisoned" and that all thinking and education will have to receive the same treatment. He said the society can be a nucleus and enthusiastic working group.

This country, he said, which believes in democracy can do other things besides sending bombs and planes, even though they are essential, to save democracy throughout the world. Through the cooperation of men of learning, tied back to the youth of other parts of the world, now in distress, he stated.

Dr. Loudon, in a talk after a general discussion on the two papers, stressed the point that while the Dutch in this country must be Americanized it is their work to preserve the language, literature and culture of the mother country. He especially stressed the fact that they should become informed on the work of The Netherlands museum in Holland and cooperate in the objectives of establishing in Holland a center where these things can be preserved and studied.

Dr. Wynand Wichers, president of Hope college, spoke on "A Dutch Settlement in the Midwest" in which he traced the background of the immigration to Holland and western Michigan as well as in other mid-western states. He also told how these people quickly became Americanized but at the same time maintained a definite appreciation for the mother country.

He also told of the development of education and the religious life of the people. In the discussion which followed he described what the Netherlands Pioneer and Historical foundation and the Netherlands museum were trying to do to establish Holland as the center of Dutch culture in America.

In a paper prepared for delivery on Friday on "Islam and the World War," Dr. Zwemer discussed the Arab world and the part it is playing in the world's affairs today.

He predicts that, if the Islamic world is united in sentiment "which is very doubtful," it is certainly not united for action.

"There is no confidence in any one leader and there is no great leader on the horizon. Jealousies rend the Arab world as they have for centuries. No dynasty is safe from family intrigue.

"The history of nearly all Moslem states has been one of succession by assassination," he said. "Times change but the elemental heartbeat of the Moslem is scarcely altered since the Prophet set out on his amazing career in the sixth century.

"Today the western Asiatic is not concerned to revive some extinct Oriental civilization, but he is eager to reproduce in the east that form of our western civilization and those elements of it which will further national pride and ambition. On these terms Moslems in the Near East will give increasing friendship to the west and even tolerate as a necessary evil mandates and advisors to escape the yoke of totalitarianism. Undoubtedly this is also true of the 77 million Moslems in India and the vast Moslem population of Malaysia and the Dutch East Indies."

He pointed out that there are 50 million Moslems who are subjects of Queen Wilhelmina. Dividing his paper into three parts, "The attitude of Islam toward war in general," "The areas and population involved in the present struggle" and "Islamic attitude and reaction," Dr. Zwemer quoted at length from various sources in stressing his various points.

### Library Reading Room to be Open on Sundays

Beginning Sunday, the reading room of the Holland Public library will be open from 2 to 5 p.m. in a schedule that will continue throughout the winter and spring. This convenience is made possible through the courtesy of the library board and the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. R. F. Keeler will be in charge of the room.

## Mayor Geerlings to Quit Bank Position on Dec. 31

### Plans to Shovel Snow in Celebrating End of 50 Years' Work

Almost 50 years of service—49 years and 11 months to be exact—as a commercial bookkeeper will end Dec. 31 for Mayor Henry Geerlings.

The mayor has revealed that he has submitted his resignation to Henry Maentz, president of the Holland State bank, to become effective at the end of this year.

As best the mayor can remember, he went to work in the former First State bank Feb. 2, 1892. At that time it was located in the corner building which is now occupied by Woolworth's Five and Ten Cent store on the southeast corner of Eighth St. and Central Ave.

Later the bank was moved into the present building on the northwest corner of the same intersection. When the merger was formed in September, 1936, between the Holland City State bank and the First State bank, Mayor Geerlings remained with the new banking institution which became known as the Holland State bank.

Throughout his more than 49 years as a bank employee, Mayor Geerlings has always been a bookkeeper.

"I never cared to have a window at the bank although I have tried it," he said. "As a bookkeeper, I found lots of work which kept me very busy."

The mayor has worked in the bank under four presidents—the late Isaac Cappon, G. J. Diekema, John Mathewson and Mr. Maentz in the order named.

As to his future plans following his retirement, Mayor Geerlings has none.

"What I intend to do on Jan. 2, my first day away from the bank as Jan. 1 will be a holiday, will be to shovel snow off the sidewalks if there is any snow. I haven't shoveled snow for several years and I want to see what it is like to keep my own sidewalks clean," Mayor Geerlings stated in boasting that he still enjoys good health.

"Working in a bank is the only job I ever had besides being a preacher," he added.

Mayor Geerlings was born Feb. 29, 1868, and for that reason has a birthday only once every four years. On his "17th" birthday Feb. 29, 1940, he was guest of honor at a testimonial dinner given him by the Holland State bank in the Warm Friend tavern.

At this dinner were his fellow employees as well as other invited guests. As a token of appreciation for his long service as a bank employee, a gold wrist watch was presented to the mayor by the bank.

He also received a check for \$72, one dollar for each year, from the Holland Hitch Co. of which he is president.

Although his banking duties have kept him busy, Mr. Geerlings has found time to serve as mayor, school trustee, library board president and supervisor and holds numerous other official and civic offices. As a result of his overlapping duties he has devoted nearly "300 years" to public service.

He was editor of a Reformed church paper 25 years and still writes on Christian Endeavor and Sunday school topics for The Sentinel.

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Ben Meinema was injured Labor Day when he was hit in the eye with a bat which accidentally slipped from one of the player's hands. He was taken to a hospital where some 40 stitches were taken. Mr. Meinema later returned to his home.

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Gordon Van Huizen who is employed in Pontiac spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Huizen, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smead spent the week-end holiday with relatives in Chicago.

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## ONE CHARGED AFTER MISHAP

### Auto Driven by Woman Is Involved in Collision With Truck

Three accidents in which no one was hurt were reported to Holland police Friday.

A truck-auto accident Friday at 10:30 a.m. at 17th St. and College involved a car driven by Mrs. Henrietta Gosselink, 38, 25 East 12th St., and truck driven by George L. Jasperse, 40, of Ada.

Mrs. Gosselink was driving north on College Ave. and the truck was west bound on 17th St. Police were informed that after she applied the brakes Mrs. Gosselink swerved to the left and the vehicle struck the truck's cab.

M. Frieber of Grand Rapids, riding on the truck which was owned by Consumers Power Co., was listed as a witness. The truck was carrying a load of poles.

Mrs. Gosselink was given a traffic violation summons for failing to yield the right-of-way.

Fred Schurman, Jr., reported to police that his car, which he had to stop suddenly on River Ave. near the Colonial theater, had been hit from the rear by a car driven by Clifford B. Hopkins, 671 Michigan Ave., Friday at 2 p.m.

John Paul, route 1, Hamilton, reported his car was in an accident Friday on Eighth St. near the West Michigan Furniture Co.

Four Holland youths, caught in the act of stealing cantaloupes, appeared before Municipal Judge Raymond L. Smith Friday afternoon for arraignment on charges of trespassing with intent to steal and each entered a plea of guilty and received a fine and costs of \$5.

They were Ed Nyland, 18, route 6, Holland; Russell Mulder, 17, and Robert Mulder, brothers, 650 Michigan Ave.; and Vernon Kruthof, 17, 131 West 28th St.

The complaint was sworn to by a deputy sheriff who charged the offense occurred last Aug. 22 on the farm of Louis Por, located on the 16th St. road, east of Holland. The officer said Por caught the quartet taking the cantaloupes from his garden. He is said to have fired a warning shot over their heads with a shot gun but that the youths fled.

They left their car behind and Por called sheriff's officers who identified the group through ownership of the car.

Christian High Classes Elect New Officers

Senior, junior and sophomore classes of Holland Christian high school had class elections Thursday, Sept. 4. The freshmen class decided to delay the election a time so that the students might become better acquainted.

The senior election resulted as follows: Howard Koop, president; Martin Sjaarda, vice president; Audrey Kalmink, secretary; and Dell Boersma, treasurer. Miss Margaret Gerritsen and John Tuls of the faculty will serve as sponsors.

The junior class elected Frank Pettinga as president; Paul Cook, vice president; Evelyn Pieper, secretary; and Gertrude Karsten, treasurer. Miss Bernice Bouwens and Raymond Holwerda of the faculty are class sponsors.

Sophomores named Glen Wyngarden president; Roger Zwemer, vice president; Marjorie Hopp, secretary; and Geraldine Kragt, treasurer. Faculty members Marvin Baas and Herbert Bultush will be sponsors.

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## ZEELAND WOMAN IS TAKEN IN HOSPITAL

Zeeland, Sept. 11 (Special) — Mrs. Elizabeth Hartgerink, 82, widow of the late John P. Hartgerink, died on Friday in Huizinga Memorial hospital here. She lived in the community all her life, residing on the Hartgerink farm northwest of Zeeland until a year ago when it was destroyed by fire. She was a charter member of Second Reformed church.

Surviving are six children: John A. Hartgerink of Fruita, Colo.; Bert H. Hartgerink of Manistee; Mrs. Martin Ver Plank of Zeeland; Mrs. Jozina Toftner of Muskegon Heights, and Mrs. Tom J. Venhuizen of Waverly; a sister, Mrs. Mary Hartgerink of Kalamazoo; and two brothers, Jacob and John Van Duine of Zeeland. Her husband died 19 years ago.

On Sunday, Aug. 31, the services at the Reformed church were conducted by Prof. Thomas Weimers of Holland. He was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Van Der Molen.

On Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 3, the Ladies Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. H. H. Van Der Molen. Chester Postma told about his work during the summer at Bernis, S.D. There were 14 present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Postma attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, Mr. Weemhof, in Grand Rapids on Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 2.

Mrs. William Berghorst spent Tuesday, Sept. 2, with Mrs. L. Mulder near Zeeland.

Miss Anne Cotts spent Tuesday Sept. 2, in Holland with her friend, Mrs. G. Piers.

Early Tuesday morning, Sept. 2, Francis Knoper, Henry Hoekman and Miss Thelma Kamps returned home from their western trip. They reported a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dalman and children from South Bend Indiana spent Sunday afternoon, Aug. 31 with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Dalman.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Rezelman and son, Alvin, of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. C. Meeuwse and baby were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Van Der Molen on Labor Day.

While attending the Sunday school picnic Thursday afternoon, Aug. 28, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Havendik were informed that the latter's mother, Mrs. J. E. Overweg, had died suddenly although she had been ill a long time. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon at Rusk.

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## ASSERTS DUTCH WILL NOT YIELD

"The Netherlands will never surrender nor make peace with Hitler," Dr. Alexander Loudon, Netherlands minister to the United States, told the Lotus club in Grand Rapids last Thursday night.

Describing The Netherlands as being in a state of "extremely active passivity," he said the Dutch had found ways of slowing production in factories and of getting information to the royal army force so that it may know which hospitals are being used for storage of munitions.

"We have made the Germans feel ignored and hated. When German officers went into cafes the Dutch left, so now the Nazis are enforcing a regulation which compels the people of Holland to remain 15 minutes following the entrance of an officer," he added.

"But the Hollanders take their alarm clocks, set them at 15 minutes and when the bell rings—out they go."

In silent tribute to the House of Orange, he said, the Dutch salute the orange traffic lights.



## LARGE INCOMES SCHEDULED FOR OTTAWA FARMS

### County Agent Says Crops and Price Prospects Are Improved

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 — L. R. Arnold, agricultural agent, believes that 1941 will show a rather large farm income. The extremely hot dry spell this summer did much damage but despite this the outlook is good. Better prices will have much to do in boosting the farm income.

At this time peach growers are harvesting a bumper crop. Prices are not as high as desired but the large volume of fruit will bring the total amount to a sizeable figure. Growers are enthusiastic over the Hale-Haven peach, a comparatively new variety. This variety likely will be planted in great numbers during next few years, he said. It is a fairly large well colored peach with fine quality, an excellent canning peach. After once canning this peach the housewife will demand this variety he stated.

Strawberry and raspberry growers did fairly well this year. The dry weather cut the yield in some instances but growers generally harvested a good crop.

The wheat yield gave varying results. The total yield was about normal. The price was held up through action of the ACP. Many growers are taking government loans, storing the grain. Oats were hurt considerably and the yield was not up to normal.

Prospects for a bumper crop of corn were bright a few weeks ago, but dry weather did much damage on many farms. On other farms the corn is in excellent condition and if weather conditions are favorable up to Sept. 15 a good yield will result despite the great damage done in some cases. Farmers are turning to hybrid strains. In those cases where farmers are not planting hybrid corn, Mr. Arnold urges them to visit farms on which hybrids are growing. A check will be this fall on Ohio, Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota hybrids.

One particularly fine stand of corn is found on the Scott Holmes farm, Nunica. Mr. Holmes is trying out an Illinois hybrid. N. J. Wilkinson nearby has an Ohio hybrid which has given good results. Other good hybrids are to be found in all parts of the county. A fine hay crop was harvested. Many farmers are now turning to use of fertilizer on grass lands. This is a practice which should be increased, Mr. Arnold said.

There is an apparent increase of livestock in the county. With a large supply of feed and with high meat prices this should result in adding thousands of dollars to the farm income.

Truck farmers did quite well. A good celery crop was harvested. Onions are about normal. The string bean crop was cut but these growers who did have a crop enjoyed high prices. Melons did well. Cucumbers, a very important cash crop, looked well but naturally the crop was hurt by excessive dry weather. However, those growers who had cucumbers on low ground did well.

Bean growers received a hard jolt. There was a great increase in acreage due to a pegged price and prospects for an increase of thousands of dollars were bright. The dry weather did irreparable damage and few fields show well podded beans. In many cases plants have no pods at all. After the recent rains many fields showed new blossoms but it is doubtful whether these blossoms will bring forth a yield even though the weather is favorable.

## Personals

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Earl Ragains of Owensboro, Ky., and her two sons, Tommy and Philip, are spending a week with her mother, Mrs. H. Deters, 188 West 13th St. Mrs. Ragains is the former Georgia Deters.

Robert Verburg, 105 East 14th St., left Friday to enter Amherst college, having won a scholarship there. He was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Martin Verburg, and his sister, Miss Jean Verburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kammeraad and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stokes spent the week-end in Detroit, visiting the airport and attending the Detroit-Cleveland baseball game.

Week-end guests of Mrs. George E. Kollen were her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kollen and children of Ann Arbor.

A son was born this morning at Holland hospital to Dr. and Mrs. Chester Van Appledorn, 219 West 19th St.

Born Sunday at Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Davis of Saugatuck, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose, 179 West 19th St., are announcing the birth of a son last Friday at Holland hospital.

Born Sunday at Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Van Langevelde, 25 East 10th St., a daughter.

The Rev. William G. Flowerday will attend the "Spiritual Retreat" to be held in Lake Odessa Tuesday and Wednesday when about 70 ministers of the Grand Rapids district will gather for this annual spiritual inventory. Rev. Flowerday will also attend the meeting of the Michigan Board of Missions in Grand Rapids on Thursday to which he was elected at the recent annual conference of the Methodist

church held in Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Huls, 119 West 13th St., announce the birth of a daughter, Betty Lou, at their home, Sept. 7.

Miss Arlene Groeters, who has been confined to Holland hospital since July 27 as result of an automobile accident, was removed to her home, 197 West 17th St., today.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burton have returned from a five day cruise aboard the S. S. South American.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Vande Water have returned from a week's trip to Washington, D. C., and other points of interest.

George Althuis, 1 West 19th St., left this morning to enroll in the University of Grand Rapids. He was graduated from Holland high school in June and plans to study forestry.

Mrs. K. Bulthuis and sons, Glenn and Donald, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bulthuis of Ann Arbor, left Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bulthuis of Norfolk, Va.

G. Vande Vusse furnished special music in Bethel Reformed church Sunday morning and the Imperial quartet of Holland sang in the evening.

Ada Pauwe is visiting in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lievesse and family, of Bowling Green, Ohio.

The Rev. and Mrs. Lambert Olgers and children have returned to their home at Sault Ste. Marie, Canada, after spending a month's vacation in Holland.

Born Sept. 4 to Mr. and Mrs. C. Venstra of route 6 a daughter, Shirley Mae.

An instrumental quartet consisting of Evelyn Steinfort, Isabelle Smeenge, Evelyn Vande Lune and Lucille Bruschart provided music at the Wesleyan Methodist church Sunday night.

(From Friday's Sentinel)

President Henry Schultze of Calvin college will preach at both services in Harderwyk church Sunday. Rev. Cornelius Witt will conduct services at Montello Park church in Christian high school.

Mrs. Albert Kaper of Overisel and Mrs. George Reimink and daughters, Shirley and Eleanor, of Hamilton were in Kalamazoo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Poll and Virginia of Kingsbury, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Van Den Brink and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harrington, residing just south of Holland, have returned from a trip to the Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada, and other eastern states.

The H. H. Boeve family attended the Daining reunion at the Albert Daining home on Brower lake on Labor day.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mannes and son, Bobby, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Boeve, in Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Brodyke and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brodyke and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brodyke in Ionia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harris of San Francisco, Calif., who have been spending a week in the homes of the former's brothers, A. F. Harris and the Vande Water families, left yesterday for Sigourney, Ia., to spend a week with Mrs. Harris' family before leaving for their home in California.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown and Gene Brown of Flint spent the week-end and Labor day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Nies, East 20th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brodyke of Flint, Mrs. Glen Eynewer of Coopersville and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boeve and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. Teerman and family were entertained in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Boeve, on Labor day.

Ila Harringtons of Montello park has returned to her home after spending about three weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harmon, in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Steggerda and son, George, have returned to their home in Lansing after visiting for a short time in the home of relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Helder and family of Lansing spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Boeve, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ten Cate and sons, Harold and Jay, have returned from a trip to the Badlands and Black Hills, visiting seven states. They also saw Rush Memorial, Needle's Eye and other points of interest.

Mrs. George Ziel of Virginia park visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mitchell, in Grand Haven Tuesday.

Miss Lois Nyboer left today for a few weeks' visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Jan Nyboer, and daughter, in Hartford, Conn.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. Vanderbeek of Sixth Reformed church left today for Urbana, Ill. Next Monday they will leave for Panama, Neb., where they will spend two weeks. Rev. Vanderbeek was granted an extra month's vacation by the church due to his health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Van Leeuwen have received word of the safe arrival home of their son-in-law and daughter, the Rev. and Mrs. William E. Gaston and son, David, of Schodack, N. Y., after spending a month with their parents here.

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## Brower-Avery Wedding Solemnized in Jones

In a setting of gladioli and ferns, Miss Evelyn Louise Avery of Holland became the bride of James G. Brower, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Brower of route 2, Saturday afternoon in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Avery, in Jones, Mich. The Rev. Olive Knapp, aunt of the bride, read the single ring service at 3 p.m.

The couple was attended by Miss June Rockwell of Jones as bridesmaid and by Lewis Prins of Detroit as best man. Peggy Stroop of Holland played the Lohengrin Wedding march as the bridal party assembled. Miss Trixie Moore sang "Because," d-Hardelot, and "God Sent You to Me."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of white organdie fashioned on princess lines with a sweetheart neckline, lace insertions and short puffed sleeves. She wore fingerless mitts and a fingertip veil held in place with a halo of gardenias. Her flowers were red and white roses.

Her attendant wore blue moire taffeta with a net skirt and carried yellow and white roses.

A reception for 50 guests was held in the dining room of the Poes Baptist church. Waitresses were Carry Stegheuis and Lillian Klein of Holland and Pauline Lampen and Eleanor Hardy of Jones. Others present from Holland were Mr. and Mrs. George Brower, Mr. and Mrs. John Weststrate and children, Marilyn and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tenchink, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Jonker, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Schurman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Datema, Miss Catherine Hoekema, Oscar Alberta and Mrs. Jennie Moore. Other guests attended from Three Rivers, Dowagiac, South Bend and Constantine.

Mrs. Avery, mother of the bride wore a navy blue and white with a similar corsage.

The bride was born in Jones and has been in Holland for the past five years. She attended Three Rivers high school and Holland Business Institute and has been employed in the office of the De Pre Co. of Holland. Mr. Brower was born in Holland, attended Holland high school and Holland Business Institute and is employed as bookkeeper at the Holland Motor Express office.

Mr. and Mrs. Brower will leave Wednesday on a southern wedding trip during which they will visit the bride's brother at Camp Walters, Tex. For traveling, the bride has selected a burgundy crepe dress with a jacket and blue and burgundy accessories. They will make their home at 19 East Eighth St. after Sept. 25.

Mrs. William Mokma Honored at Shower

Mrs. D. Kluitenberg entertained Friday evening at her home on route 4 with a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. William Mokma, formerly Betty Mae Brewer. The bride was presented with gifts. Refreshments were served.

Among the invited guests were Mrs. John Brewer, Sr., Mrs. John Brewer, Jr., Mrs. Bert Brewer, Mrs. Herm Brewer, Mrs. Cornelia Brewer, Mrs. William Brewer, Mrs. Mannas Brewer, Mrs. Peter De Young, Mrs. Cornelia Groeters, Mrs. William Bosma, Mrs. Harry Hopkins, Mrs. Ed Siegers, Mrs. Evert Bredeweg, Mrs. D. Kluitenberg, Mrs. William Timmer, Marie Bosma, Ruth Groeters, Norma Appledorn, Hazel Timmer, Donna and Betty Brewer, Mrs. J. Bosma, Mrs. H. Van Den Brink, Mildred Brewer and Lillian McCall.

Olive Center Group Has Hamburger Fry

A hamburger fry was held at Harlem beach Friday evening for persons who assisted in making the Olive Center float for the Fourth of July celebration in North Holland.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Veldeer and Crystal and Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. M. Vinke-mulder, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kuite, Mr. and Mrs. M. Barkel, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vanden Bosch, Albert Mulder, Harold Vander Zwaag, Anne Jane Slagh, Joye Poll, Justin Poll, Robert De Weerd, Gerald, Marvin and Joyce Vanden Bosch.

Past Noble Grands Meet in Burrows Home

The Past Noble Grands club of the Reutha Rebekah lodge met in the home of Mrs. Blanche Burrows Friday afternoon with 18 present. After the business meeting five hundred was played with prizes going to Mrs. Blanche Shaffer and Mrs. Cora Hoffman.

Refreshments were served in the beautifully decorated dining room with Mrs. Martha Vander Hill assisting the hostess. The October meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Cora Hoffman, Van Raalte Ave.

Couple Celebrates 25th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Laarman of 701 Highland Ave. celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary in their home Friday evening. The couple was presented with gifts and flowers. A two-course lunch was served.

Those present were Sheriff and Mrs. William Boeve and family of Grand Haven, Mr. and Mrs. John Fik and Mrs. Martin Woudwyk of Holland, Mrs. Albert Chadwick and daughters of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. C. Maddocks, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wydraaf, Mr. and Mrs. M. Laarman and family, Mrs.

John Stegenga and sons, James, Mr. and Mrs. John Sjoerdsma and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pan Dyk, Mr. and Mrs. John Koning, Mr. and Mrs. John Stygstra, Mr. and Mrs. John Nagelkerk of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Terpstra and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson of Muskegon, Mr. and Mrs. Moun of Grand Rapids, Miss Fannie Laarman, John J. Laarman of North Holland, Mr. and Mrs. John Laarman of Coopersville, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hesselink, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lemmen and family, Miss Jennie Eastman and the five Laarman children.

Delegation Returns From Waldenwoods

Holland's delegation to the Christian Endeavor Union Leaders' retreat at Waldenwoods returned Sunday night after two days of inspirational conferences and fellowship, included in the local group were Miss Inez Von Ins, Miss Mildred Berr, Miss Cornelia Van Voorst, Charles Stoppels, Donald Lam, Louis Van Dyk and Wayne Lemmen.

Miss Von Ins, state junior superintendent, and her assistant, Miss Berr, conducted two conferences for junior leaders and Miss Van Voorst conducted two conferences for union publicity superintendents. Mr. Stoppels conducted a single conference for church activities superintendents on Sunday.

Mr. Lam who attended the International Christian Endeavor convention in Atlantic City in July gave a short speech in a program of convention echoes following dinner Sunday. Miss Von Ins sang a solo at closing vespers Sunday night.

The Rev. W. H. Watson of Detroit was the retreat guest speaker and gave three messages. Plans were made for a recreational leaders conference to be held Nov. 1 in Grand Rapids. Methods on how to plan the year's program for the individual unions were cited in numerous assemblies and conferences.

Motion pictures taken at the Benton Harbor convention in June were shown.

The Young People's society of Third Reformed church held its first meeting Sunday night with Eunice Scholten conducting the devotion. The Rev. William Van't Hof led the Labor day topic on "Work and Its Meaning." John Kleis played two trombone selections, accompanied by his sister, Miss Myra Kleis.

Hudsonville Couple Is Married 25 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Meyaard of Hudsonville celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary recently by entertaining a number of relatives and friends.

Among those present were their children, brothers and sisters and nephews and nieces who included Harvey and Vernon Meyaard, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cotts and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waldo of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Popovich of Roseland, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zwiers and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ver Hage of Zutphen, Pvt. Charles Waldo of Ft. Knox, Ky., Mildred Popovich, Harold Popovich, Mildred Ver Hage, Beatrice Zwiers, Merritt Zwiers, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Zwiers of Zeeland, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Dannenburg and Marilyn of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Zwiers, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ver Hage, Mildred Ver Hage, Donald Ver Hage and Mr. and Mrs. Si Huienza of Zeeland.

AUTO OVERTURNS AS IT CROSSES BRIDGE

An automobile driven by William Barense, 37, route 6, Holland, and containing several cases of chickens in the rear, tipped over on its side Friday afternoon at 6:45 p.m. at 20th St. and Ottawa Ave. as it crossed a small bridge at the intersection. As he turned to the right side of the street, the car struck a soft shoulder and dropped down, causing the car to overturn. A wrecker was called to remove the car.

Rudolph Matson, 198 West 15th St., reported to police Friday that his automobile, while it was parked in front of the Henry Ter Haar Motor sales, 224 Central Ave., was struck by the car of Henry Thias, route 1, Holland, being driven by a woman.

Local Dogs Win Prizes at Kennel Show in G.R.

Holland entries in the Grand Rapids Kennel club show Saturday at Grand Rapids received some of the prizes in competition with more than 300 animals.

A cocker spaniel, owned by William Buis, route 4, Holland, won first in the winner's bitch solid color. Mr. Buis also handled a Labrador retriever for William Carter of Castle park, the only dog of this breed in the show.

Ralph Bowman, 285 East 13th St., entered a male and female Chow Chow in the American bred male and female classes. The male went as far as winner's dog and the female was best of the opposite sex.

At the annual field trials last week of the West Michigan Beagle club, Baker's Tob, a beagle owned by Ted Baker, 699 State St., won high dog in the 13-inch bitch class and was beaten out of first place by Wolvener. The field trials were held at Amon park, Grand Rapids.

Tuscaloosa was Alabama's capital for 20 years, from 1826 to 1846.

## Spring Lake Veterinary Dead After Heart Attack

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special) — Dr. Harry James Getman, 70, veterinary of Spring Lake, died unexpectedly in his home Friday of a heart attack. He was born in Tomah, Wis., April 26, 1871, and went to Spring Lake 15 years ago, where he established an office and home for animals, from Traverse City where he had practiced his profession for 20 years.

He is survived by the widow, Wilma; two daughters, Mrs. William Branstruter of Roanoke, Ind., and Mrs. William Roeder of Cross Plains, Ind.; a sister, two brothers, a half-brother and a grandson.

WEEK'S PERMIT LIST AT SEVEN

Seven applications for building permits, calling for an expenditure of \$9,272 were filed last week with City Clerk Oscar Peterson.

This is \$24,933 less than last week's figure of \$34,195. Value of the permits for the week of Aug. 16-23 was \$20,075.

Included in the applications was one for a new home bringing the year's total to 65. The list of applications follows:

Kroll and Diepenhorst, build home at 762 Central Ave., one story, 24 by 30 feet frame construction and asphalt roofing, \$3,000; John Kroll, contractor.

J. J. and Russell Boeve, build gasoline filling station at 100 West Eighth St., 48 by 60 feet, tile and cement construction with asphalt roofing, \$5,500.

Alfred Hossink, 22 East Ninth St., interior remodeling of home and change windows \$150; Mr. Hossink, contractor.

Protestant Reformed church, 19th St. and Maple Ave., roof parsonage with asphalt roofing, \$158; Holland Ready Roofing Co., contractor.

Mrs. I. Plagenhoef, 302 East 11th St., roof home with asphalt roofing, \$145; Holland Ready Roofing Co., contractors.

Lane Kamerling 240 East 11th St., asbestos siding on house, \$195; Holland Ready Roofing Co., contractors.

RAINS LACKING DURING AUGUST

Weather conditions in Holland for August were about the same as for the same month of past years, the monthly weather report of Bert Smith, local weather observer, revealed today.

The maximum temperature for the month was 92 which was registered on Aug. 4, 5, and 30 while in past years it was 94 on Aug. 13, 1940, 89 on Aug. 15, 1939, 92 on Aug. 3, 1938, and 91 on Aug. 29, 1937.

The minimum reading was 42 on Aug. 28 while in past years it was 44 on Aug. 21, 1940, 54 on Aug. 30, 1939, 49 on Aug. 25, 1938, and 51 on Aug. 22, 1937.

August's average maximum temperature was 81.2 and for past years was 79.5 in 1940, 81.9 in 1939, 83.1 in 1938 and 85.1 in 1937.

Average minimum temperature was 59.2 and for past years was 60.7 in 1940, 71.3 in 1939, 64 in 1938 and 63.3 in 1937.

The month's average temperature was 70.5, 70.1 in 1940, 71.6 in 1939, 73.6 in 1938 and 74.2 in 1937.

Absent this past month was the heavy rains which featured the August weather last year. Last month only 2.3 inches of rain fell while in August, 1940, the rainfall amounted to 11.27 inches. Rainfall in past years was 3.31 inches in 1939, 3.5 inches in 1938 and 5.08 inches in 1937.

In August the rain fell on six different days, 16 days in 1940, 10 days in 1939, nine days in 1938 and eight days in 1937.

During the past month there were 21 clear days, eight partly cloudy days and two cloudy days; 1940, 12 clear, 13 partly cloudy and six cloudy days; 1939, 23 clear, five partly cloudy and three cloudy days; 1938, 22 clear, four partly cloudy and five cloudy days; 1937, 22 clear, seven partly cloudy and two cloudy days.

The prevailing wind last month was from the southwest, the same for 1939, 1938 and 1937 but the prevailing wind for August, 1940, was from the northwest.

G.H. Youth Is in Hospital After Automobile Crash

Grand Haven, Sept. 6 (Special) — George Steininger, Jr., 19, son of the Rev. and Mrs. George Steininger, 208 Franklin St., Grand Haven, suffered lacerations and bruises about the face and the loss of several teeth when he lost control of the car he was driving and struck two trees near the junction of US-31 and M-50 shortly after 1 a.m. today.

He was taken to Municipal hospital where he is still confined. State police investigated the accident.

Wide Variety Is Offered in Programs for Club

A wealth of information about current topics, and a wide variety of entertainment in the fields of literature, drama and music will mark the season's programs of the Woman's Literary club as planned by Mrs. John R. Dethmers, vice-president and program chairman, and her committee.

With the annual fall luncheon arranged for Oct. 7 in the Warm Friend tavern, a busy schedule for club members will get under way under the direction of Mrs. George A. Pelgrim, new club president.

Speaker for the opening luncheon will be the charming Mrs. Carveth Wells, world traveler, explorer and author, who will discuss "The New Asia" in a lecture that is neither pro-Japanese nor anti-Japanese. Mrs. Wells will give an unbiased account of what is going on behind the scenes in Asia today.

Her material has been gathered from her own observations, from interviews with important officials and from conversations with sailors, missionaries and hundreds of everyday citizens from all walks of life.

The return of Mrs. Caroline Judkins Longyear, one of the most popular commentators on current affairs, is good news to club members. She will speak on "World Affairs" in the club house on Oct. 14, and again in March on "Affairs in Washington."

Mrs. W. G. Winter and Mrs. L. G. Stallkamp are arranging a membership tea for Oct. 21, when they hope to secure a harpist to present a musical program. On the following Tuesday Barbara W. Tinker of Ann Arbor will speak on "A Collector's Luck in China."

Miss Tinker held a fellowship in the West China Union university to carry on her research in Chinese textiles, and had many interesting experiences directly connected with the war.

Talented Amy Loomis of Grand Rapids, actress and reader, will appear on Nov. 4 in one of her costume recitals "The American Woman in the Drama," with scenes representative of various periods from 1792-1940.

Gladys M. Petch of New York city, whose color pictures of Norway fascinated club members last year, will return on Nov. 11 with her new lecture, "Stronger Than Armies." She has spent many months in Norway and is a prominent lecturer on platform and radio.

"American Odyssey" by Dr. Leonard A. Parr of Ann Arbor on Nov. 18, will depict the pageant of America as seen in its literature, drama and poetry. Dr. Parr will be remembered for his "Piccadilly Bookshop" program here three years ago.

Philip Cummings, a thoroughgoing analyst of world problems in their relationship to peoples, will be the distinguished speaker at an evening meeting to be held in Holland high school auditorium in cooperation with several other civic organizations of the city on Nov. 25. His interesting topic will be "The Outlook for Modern Youth."

A book review by Mrs. Edward Donovan on Dec. 2, and the return of Cleveland P. Grant with his color motion pictures of bird life on Dec. 9,







## DUTCH LOSE TO G.R. CLUB, 11 TO 9, DESPITE RALLY

### Locals Close Season With Dozen Victories, Seven Defeats and Tie

The Flying Dutchmen of Holland ended their 1941 season Saturday afternoon at Riverview park by losing a close game to Jess Elster's Colored Athletics of Grand Rapids, 11 to 9, despite a ninth inning rally which netted the locals three runs on three hits.

The loss gave the Dutchmen a season's record of 12 victories, seven defeats and one tie in 20 contests.

The visitors took an early lead Saturday by pushing across four runs in the first, two more in the third and five runs in the fifth inning.

The home town boys took the lead in the second inning on a five-run rally, then tied the score in the third inning at 6-all. The Dutchmen were not able to score again until the ninth. They were held hitless in the fourth, fifth, seventh and eighth innings but connected for two hits in the sixth and three hits in the third inning.

Van Wieren started as pitcher for the Dutchmen but was relieved in the third by Driscoll. The two pitchers allowed 11 hits, one of them being a home run by J. Scott, visiting second baseman, in the fourth inning with two men on base.

Van Wieren connected for a home run to right field in the second inning and De Neff, the next batter up, also poked out a homer to left field.

Jones, pitching for the visitors allowed nine hits. Both teams were charged with two errors.

In the first inning, Hawkins, third baseman, reached first on a single to left field, then scored on a single by Hazely, to center field. Hazely reached second on a single through first baseman by Miller and then the two runners scored on a two bagger by J. Scott to left field. Scott then scored on a single by Neuman, first baseman, to center field.

Ken Vanden Berg, local third baseman, second up in the second inning, reached first on single, then scored on a single by Ingraham to center field. Teusink fled out and Beckfort connected for a single, scoring Ingraham. Van

Wieren's home run to right field, scored Beckfort ahead of him. De Neff, the next batter up, also connected for a home run to left field. Runs were scored by J. Scott and T. Scott in the third inning while Hazely, Miller, the two Scotts and Neuman scored for the visitors in the fourth inning.

The Dutchmen's single run in the third inning was made on a home run by Ingraham, left fielder, to left field.

In the ninth inning, Brenner, shortstop, reached first on a single through third baseman. He advanced to second on a single to left field by Wenzel. Driscoll's fly ball to left field advanced Brenner to third base.

A double by VandenBerg scored Brenner and Wenzel. Vanden Berg then scored after Ingraham had fled out to center field.

A summary of the game follows:

Athletics (11)	AB	R	H	E
Hawkins, 3b	6	1	3	1
De Neff, ss	5	2	2	0
Miller, cf	6	2	2	1
J. Scott, 2b	6	3	4	0
T. Scott, c	4	2	3	0
Neuman, 1b	5	1	2	0
Piggie, rf	2	0	1	0
Hoffman, rf	1	0	0	0
Balder, rf	0	0	0	0
Love, lf	4	0	0	0
Jones, p	5	0	1	0

Dutchmen (9)	AB	R	H	E
De Neff, 2b	4	1	1	0
Brenner, ss	4	1	2	1
Wenzel, c	5	1	1	0
Driscoll, rf	5	0	0	0
Vanden Berg, 3b	5	2	2	0
Ingraham, lf	5	2	2	0
Teusink, 1b	5	0	2	0
Beckfort, cf	4	1	1	0
Van Wieren, p, rf	4	1	2	1

Totals ..... 44 11 18 2

### LITTLE DAMAGE IS CAUSED BY STORMS

Two wind and rain storms struck Holland and vicinity Monday, but apparently no serious damage resulted.

The first storm struck about 1:15 p.m. and was followed by another about 8:30 p.m.

For the 24 hours ending 7 p.m. Monday, the rainfall here amounted to 1.53 inches. Since that hour, it totaled .55 of an inch.

A few limbs were blown from trees Monday night, according to reports. The coast guard station reported no damage along the lake front.

A large plate glass, about 6 by 10 feet, was blown in by the wind Monday afternoon at the store, operated by the Castle Park hotel and located on the lake front.

**CRASHES REPORTED**  
Brainard Clarke of Grand Rapids reported to police Monday that he backed his car into another vehicle at Sixth St. and River Ave. Three cars, bearing Michigan, Kansas and Illinois license plates, were involved in a minor accident at 10th St. and River Ave. Monday night.

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## MANNES URGES EARLY ACTION

A warning was issued today by the Mannes Super service station, 581 State St., of which Glenn Mannes is owner and operator, that any motorist in need of tires should buy them now because of the shortage of rubber which will be definitely acute.

He also advised motorists about having cars serviced regularly, putting emphasis on the fact that they have real money invested in their cars and due to the shortage of materials they may have to drive them for the next few years.

The super station is equipped for such servicing so that motorists can get many miles of carefree driving. Mr. Mannes advised and invited local motorists to stop in soon for a complete check-up.

Along with the station's complete line of Texico products it carries shotgun shells and issues hunting and fishing licenses for sportsmen.

## HHS GRIDDERS DRILLING DAILY

In order that the players may be in "tip-top" condition for the opening contest Sept. 19 under the floodlights of Riverview park against Creston high school of Grand Rapids, Coach Malcolm Mackay has scheduled six practice workouts this week for the Holland high school varsity football team.

He sent his squad of 35 players through a strenuous workout Monday afternoon at the 23rd St. practice field. Additional practice sessions will be held each afternoon after school for the remainder of the week. No rest will be allowed the grid candidates on Saturday as he and Assistant Coach Carl Van Lente will hold another practice at 9:30 a.m.

Coach Mackay reported the squad is coming along "in good shape" with no one having suffered any pre-season injuries. A few, though, are complaining of soreness.

His chief problem is to line up two tackles and the job is "wide open" for the various candidates. Mackay also pointed out that all positions are "wide open" as he has made no decisions as to who will receive the starting assignments for the first game.

Within a few days, he plans to cut the squad to about 30 players for the season's opener. After that a further reduction will be made to bring the squad down to about 28 players for the remainder of the season.

Considerable time was spent at last week's workouts in blocking which also will be featured in this week's practices.

Ploegsma, the squad's main punter, and Wheaton, Rotman and Milewski, other punters, are receiving considerable attention from the coaches.

While Coaches Mackay and Van Lente supervise the workouts of the varsity squad, Coach Ed Damsen is working with the school's second team. Because of numerous replacements from last year's reserves to this year's varsity, Coach Damsen has numerous new candidates on this year's squad.

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## Local Horseman Hurt in Hart Track Mishap

W. M. Weaver of Waukazoo has been released from Hart hospital and has returned to his home to recover from head injuries which he suffered last Thursday during a harness race at the Oceana county fair.

He was injured when he was hurled from his sulky. Mr. Weaver has been training horses for the past three years at the Park township track. He is greatly improved from his hurts.

## DEATH CLAIMS OLIVE PIONEER

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special)—Levi J. Fellows, 78, died in his home, 908 Fulton St., about midnight, Friday after an illness of six weeks.

Mr. Fellows came to Grand Haven 10 years ago upon his retirement from farming in Olive township where the family was one of the earliest to settle in that vicinity. Mr. Fellows was born Dec. 16, 1862, on a farm and was reared there in Olive township. He was a great sportsman, spending much time hunting and fishing. He never missed hunting during the deer season for nearly half a century and invariably returned with his deer. He was a spiritualist.

Mr. Fellows' father, Joe M. Fellows, was one of the earliest settlers of the township and it is said that his wife gave the township the name of Olive. He was the first supervisor of the township. During the early years the Fellows family furnished the township with many of its officials. Edwin F. Fellows, brother of Levi, who died some years ago, was at one time county drain commissioner.

Mr. Fellows is survived by his widow, Nora, 82; and two daughters, Mrs. Bessie Glanville, of New York city, and Mrs. Lily Chapel of Detroit.

## DOCKS PRAISED BY VISITING BOATMAN

The municipal dock slips at Kollen park received considerable praise in an article which appears in the current issue of "Motor-boating."

Written by W. D. Todd, the article told of a trip from Detroit to Red Wing, Minn. from April 27 to May 15.

The 1,250-mile trip took them from Detroit, where Mr. Todd had purchased the boat, to Port Huron, Harbor Beach, Alpena, Mackinac Island, Charlevoix, Manistee, Holland, Chicago, down the Chicago river, the Chicago sanitary canal, the Des Plaines river, the Illinois-Mississippi canal to Davenport, Ia., and up the Mississippi river to Red Wing.

Of his visit to Holland, Mr. Todd wrote:

"That evening, in the harbor at Holland, we found a marvelously equipped dock with all modern conveniences such as electricity and water. The local taxicab operators even had station wagons especially for serving cruisers docked at the harbor. The McGraths, our Chicago friends, were on hand to welcome the 'sailors home from the sea.'"

"Holland, like the country the name of which it bears, is known for its tulips; the annual festival held there attracts nation-wide attention. The profusion of tulip blooms which the people were getting in readiness for the festival was a colorful sight."

"We pulled away from the dock at Kollen Park in Holland early the next morning and shortly after leaving the light at the harbor entrance, set our compass course for Chicago directly across the lake."

## Mrs. Dronkers Feted on 85th Birthday

A birthday supper was held Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowman, 87 West 20th St., in honor of their mother, Mrs. John Dronkers, who celebrated her 85th birthday anniversary. Among those present were her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren numbering 40. She was presented with a purse.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Slighter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Nyland, Mr. and Mrs. John Overway, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Spriggs Te Roller, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nyland, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kruid, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Garry Vanden Berg and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hoek, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Van Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ver Hage, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Slighter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Slighter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Essenburg and Noreen and Paul, Miss Alma Bowman, Miss Lois Te Roller, Miss Virginia Adams and Norman Nyland.

The most powerful of modern microscopes are able to magnify up to 100,000 times. They use electrons instead of the conventional optical lens.

## BANQUET HELD BY LOCAL J.C.C.

### State Officers Present at First Fall Meeting in Hotel Here

The Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce marked the opening of its 1941-42 fall and winter programs with a dinner meeting Monday night in the Warm Friend tavern with about 25 members in attendance.

The meeting was attended by two state officers, State President Walter Bass of Grand Rapids and District Vice-President Art Cahow of Muskegon.

President Bass addressed the group on the fundamental reasons for a Junior Chamber of Commerce. He pointed out that the training the young men receive in J.C.C. enables them to become the leaders in the years to come.

Mr. Cahow invited the Holland Jaycees to attend a meeting in Muskegon Oct. 27 when Walt Finke, national J.C.C. president, will be present as guest of honor of the Muskegon Junior Chamber of Commerce.

William Meengs explained the organization's program which seeks to secure the adoption of a bicycle ordinance by common council as a safety measure for Holland. He urged the Jaycees to call on members of the police and fire board which is now considering the ordinance and urge them to approve it.

E. P. Stephan, secretary-manager of the Holland Chamber of Commerce, spoke briefly, urging closer cooperation between the senior and junior organizations. He announced that the senior group is planning a big program for the coming year, the new community center being foremost and a bandshell to be another project.

A musical program was provided by Doug Gordon, soloist, Gordon Berkel, clarinet solo, and Bob Arendshorst, soloist, with Gerrard Hanchett furnishing the accompaniment for the three.

President Melvin Van Tatenhove who presided over the meeting announced the following committee appointments for the ensuing year:

**Americanism**—Bob Gordon, chairman, Jim Zwier and Steve Waskervitz.

**Sports**—Ben Timmer, and Wallace Dykhuus, co-chairmen, Leon Kleis, Herb Marsjke, Gary Jalving and Don Thomas.

**Christmas Activities**—Nelson Bosman and Hugh De Pree, co-chairmen, Ray Elferdink and Ralph Brouwer.

**Conservation**—James Boter, chairman, Phil Van Hartesveldt and Elmer Wiskink.

**Public Health**—Duff Wade, chairman, Harold Yonker and Leo Ebel.

**Safety**—George Copeland, chairman, and Charles Cooper.

**Youth Welfare**—Raymond L. Smith, chairman, and George Heeringa.

**Junior Achievement**—Harold Yonker, chairman, and Leroy Naber.

**National Defense**—Russell Klaasen, chairman, and Art Smith.

**Civil Identification**—Jack Levendowski and James Boter.

**Publicity**—Ralph Brouwer and Jim Zwier.

**Tulip Time**—Harold Klaasen, Bill Meengs, Peter Jonker and Russell Langeland.

**Halloween**—John Van Dyke and Frank Bolhuis, Jr., co-chairmen, Jim Zwier, Leroy Naber, Irving Lemmen, Gerrit De Leeuw, Russell Langeland and Nelson Bosman.

**Program**—Sept. 8, Bob Arendshorst and Bob Gordon; Nov. 10, Harold Yonker and Duff Wade; Jan. 12, Bill Meengs and Melvin Van Tatenhove; March, Herm Vander Leek and George Cope-

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## Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)  
Miss Toni Sikkil, 63 West 17th St., is recuperating in her home following a tonsillectomy last Saturday in Holland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Hadden, Sr., and son, T. S., Jr., of St. Louis Mo., left today for their home after visiting in Holland as guests of their mothers, Mrs. George Hadden, 300 West 11th St., and Mrs. John Jekel, 74 West Ninth St.

A son was born Monday in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bakker, route 1, West Olive. Born today in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Czerkies, route 5, Holland, a daughter.

A son was born Monday in Holland hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mulder, 264 East 11th St.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist church will have a regular meeting Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the church. Mrs. Clarabelle Wright will take charge of the program on "The Bible." Mrs. E. V. Hartman will lead devotions and Mrs. Harry Watrous and her committee will serve refreshments.

The Rev. and Mrs. William Ooms of Nova Scotia, Canada, have returned to their work after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Ooms' mother, Mrs. B. Olgers.

The Rev. and Mrs. Alexander Albert Pieters, missionaries for many years at Seoul, Korea, are spending a few days in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Albertus Pieters in this city.

Mr. Fish of Detroit and W. S. Lockwood of Allegan, oil promoters, have been leasing land on sections 3 and 10 in Fillmore township and on other farms nearby. Some machinery has been set up in the W. J. Vanden Belt farm and work in drilling is expected to begin next week.

Norman Overway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garry Overway of East 17th St., underwent a tonsillectomy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Lieverse, route 1, Holland, went to Muskegon this afternoon to attend funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Venters, cousin of Mrs. Lieverse.

John Arendshorst, Charles H. McBride and Frank M. Lieverse, local insurance agents, are planning to attend sessions of the annual convention of the Michigan Association of Insurance Agents to be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in Grand Rapids. A banquet will be served Thursday night with State Commissioner of Insurance Berry and Governor Van Wagner as speakers.

Mrs. Ralph Jones of Bay City is visiting relatives and friends in Holland.

## Cement Cargo Brought Here by Lake Freight

The lake freighter Daniel McCool, used in transporting bulk cement, arrived in Holland harbor about 6:30 p.m. Saturday with a cargo of 4,200 barrels of cement for the local silos of the Medusa Portland Cement Co.

She departed about 9:30 a.m. Sunday after unloading the cement. The trip to Holland harbor was the ninth of the current season for the Daniel McCool.

## PROWLER HUNTED

Local police reported having searched the alley at the rear of Bor's bootery about 10:15 p.m. Monday for a prowler.

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## Piers Being Repaired at Entrance to Harbor

A crew of workers from the U.S. army engineer's department went to work on Monday in repairing the north pier, opposite the coast guard station.

They arrived Sunday aboard the Cumberland which also had in tow two deck scows, Nos. 21 and 22, and the quartermaster's boat No. 2 upon which their meals will be served while working in the local harbor.

## WOMAN OF S.I. IS FOUND DEAD

Grand Haven, Sept. 11 (Special)—Mrs. Minerva Irene Schroeder, who would have celebrated her 86th birthday Tuesday, was found dead in bed at her home, Cole's park in Spring Lake township, at 9 a.m. Monday by her son, Burton Schroeder, well known contractor and builder of Spring Lake.

Mrs. Schroeder retired about 11:30 p.m. Sunday in apparently perfect health.

She was well known in this community as an ardent fisherman. Last week, she spent several days fishing in Spring lake. Until two years ago she had spent much of her time fishing in the winter.

She was born in Toronto, Canada, Sept. 9, 1855, and moved to Spring Lake township 20 years ago from Grand Rapids. She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star of Spring Lake.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Beulah Weiland of Grand Rapids; and two sons, Percival of Grand Rapids and Burton of Spring Lake.

## Surprise Farewell Party Held for Miss Brinkman

A surprise farewell party was held last Thursday evening in the Brinkman home in Virginia park honoring Miss Jean Brinkman who left this morning to enter Hackley School of Nursing in Muskegon. Gifts were presented and a two-course lunch was served.

Games were played in which the nursing profession formed the theme. Prizes were awarded to Misses Lois Martinus, Marjorie Steketee, Theresa Van Houw, Harriet Kleinhessel, Shirley Vander Werf, Blanche Riegerink and Dorothy Ladewig.

Other guests included Misses Viola Maatman, Carol Meppelink, Cleone