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## Council Considers Development of New Parking Area

City Council has taken under advisement a report of City Manager H. C. McClintock on developing parking lots on Ninth St. between River and Central Aves. The property in question involves three parcels owned by Clifford Hopkins, Mayme Den Bleyker and Mrs. Henry Bonzelar.

McClintock said Hopkins was willing to sell provided he can find another property to meet his requirements but that no agreement has been reached. No reply has been received to letters. McClintock pointed out that it is probable that the appraised value of the three properties would exceed the amount available in the 1953-54 budget for the purchase of off-street parking purposes. He submitted the following points for consideration:

1. Determine whether a project of this magnitude should be undertaken, considering the funds now available for off-street parking acquisition and improvement.
2. Determine whether the project should be established as a definite approved program and developed in several steps.
3. Determine whether the property should be acquired by condemnation proceedings if a reasonable negotiated sale price cannot be developed within a stipulated period of time.

In other business, Council approved the appointment of Mrs. Henry Steffens to the Library Board to succeed Mrs. Bastian Kruthoff who resigned before leaving for Scotland to spend a year or more. The term ends June 30, 1955.

City Clerk Clarence Grevenog read a communication from the Dutch Novelty Shop quoting an offer for 43 acres of city-owned property lying immediately east of the new US-31 between 16th and 24th St. Council voted 6 to 2 to advertise for bids for the property with the privilege of rejecting all and bids.

Mayor Harry Harrington requested a study of a traffic light at Pine and Eighth St. for use during factory traffic. It was referred to the police department.

A petition requesting the removal of two old unoccupied and uninhabitable houses on the northwest corner of 13th St. and River Ave. was referred to the city manager, building inspector and fire chief for investigation and report.

Council approved a building permit for Peter Kalkman to move a frame dwelling from 251 West 20th St. to 394 West 20th St., said moving to be done by a licensed mover.

Council approved an application from Herbert A. Tanis to operate Mary Jane Restaurant at 196 River Ave.

The city manager was instructed to attend a meeting Oct. 6 of the drainage board regarding Maplewood drain in Fillmore township and Holland township.

Approval was given an agreement between Council and the Board of Education allowing latter organization to use the city registration records in school elections.

Council approved the recommendation of the Planning Commission denying a request from Henry Oosting to rezone the southwest corner of 19th St. and Michigan Ave. from residential to commercial on the basis that the request is not in line with any theory of zoning.

A public hearing was set Oct. 21 in the question of vacating the east 44 feet of an alley lying between 18th and 19th Sts. running east from Columbia Ave. as requested by Holland Furnace Co.

Council approved a recommendation of the Planning Commission referring a request from Jacob and Sena Klompars to rezone the northeast corner of Cleveland Ave. and 17th St. to the Board of Appeals because at the present time the commission does not wish to change the zoning. The Klomparses want to install a neon sign and develop parking space.

A petition to pave Columbia Ave. from 24th to State Sts. was referred to the city manager who later in the evening recommended that Council authorize the construction of the necessary storm sewer and re-refer the matter back to him. The same processing was ordered for a paving petition for 29th St. from Michigan to Washington Aves.

The city auditor was granted permission to issue a check for \$34,422.25 against the debt retirement fund covering Municipal Recreation building bonds. He also was granted permission to draw \$1,508.75 against the special assessment bond fund to cover payment of interest on paving bonds.

Mayor Harrington presided at the meeting which lasted exactly one hour. All councilmen were present. Councilman Anthony Nienhuis gave the invocation.

## Zion Lutheran Group Holds Mission Meeting

September meeting of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League was held Wednesday at Zion Lutheran Church, Mrs. M. Hoover presided in the absence of the president. Mrs. F. Hoogerhyde chose "Mary and Martha" for her devotional topic.

## Community Chest Chairman Lists Goal for Zeeland

ZEELAND (Special) — Drive Chairman Alvin H. Johnson Tuesday said the 1953 Zeeland Community Chest goal was \$8,900, a \$300 jump over last year's total.

Johnson, who was appointed drive chairman at a meeting of the Chest board last week, has been a member of the board of directors for the past four years and treasurer for three years.

According to Johnson, the drive will be held for two weeks from Oct. 12 through 23. He said the soliciting would be done in five divisions.

Heading the five divisions are: Mrs. William Karsten, professional; Peter Wolhuis and Carl Frens, retail; Mrs. Daniel Boone, outside corporations; Bruce De Pree and Wallace Schilstra, industrial; Miss Rose Moll, Kenneth De Jonge and Mrs. Dwight Wynyard, house-to-house.

Johnson said that nine agencies would receive funds from the 1953 drive, with \$275 going for administrative expenses.

Unchanged from the 1952 drive are: Zeeland Hospital, \$2,500; American Cancer Society, \$725; Salvation Army, \$400; Boy Scouts, \$600.

Receiving increases in appropriations are: Youth Recreation Center, \$1,700, \$300 more than last year; Girl Scouts, \$500, \$100 more than last year; Cub Scouts, \$100, \$25 more than last year.

Taking a cut is the United Health and Welfare, which will receive \$2,000 as compared with \$2,400 last year. Johnson said the board had also set aside \$100 for an Emergency Fund.

Officers of the Board are: Henry Brinks, president and secretary; Adrian Wiersma, first vice president; Donald Koelman, second vice president and Miss Moll, treasurer.

Johnson said that a meeting will be held later this week to determine the percentage breakdown in soliciting the five divisions.

## PTA Groups Hear Data at Meetings

PTA members received enthusiastically the information concerning the proposed school bond issue at special meetings Tuesday evening. Members of Washington, Lincoln and Van Raalte schools heard representatives of the Citizens' School Committee and Board of Education outline the school needs and the solution which can be achieved.

Steady population increases since 1940 are currently being felt in local school enrollments as they have been felt in communities over the nation. The large number of youngsters born immediately after World War II are now being enrolled in kindergarten and first grade, and this increased enrollment trend is sure to continue for many years.

At Washington School, a panel composed of Mrs. Clarence Wagner, Mrs. D. Van Raalte, Frank Working and Donald Oosterbaan, Citizens' Committee members, discussed the new school building program. Their presentation was followed by comments by Vernon Ten Cate and Wendell Miles, members of the Board of Education. The panel, with the support of Supt. Walter W. Scott, answered questions raised by PTA members. Mr. Scott re-emphasized that there would be no increase in the tax rate.

At Van Raalte School, co-chairmen Hans Suzenaar and Lee Kleis explained the proposal and answered questions in an informal question period. Austin Buchanan and Mr. Scott and several board members also aided in the explanation of the issue. Van Raalte PTA members were treated to a preview of the new addition to Van Raalte School which will be started this fall. It was stated that this addition will be built from funds available from the 1949 bond issue. The delay of this addition came from the countless hours and months of planning which finally resulted in present expansion plans. Plans are almost ready for bids by contractors and the school administration hopes to have the contract let by mid-October.

At Lincoln School, Citizens' Committee members Dan Vander Wert and George Lumsden explained the Oct. 14 ballot proposals. The entire school expansion program was outlined and maps and pictures were shown to the group. Lincoln School parents readily endorsed the new plans when the needs were clearly given and the financial plan was explained.

## New Booklets Out

Holland city's new booklet for 1953-54 has come off the presses. The booklet is a directory of city officials and boards, plus some information on polling places, ward boundaries and Ottawa county personnel. It contains pictures of City Council, city officials and a sketch of the Municipal Recreation building now under construction. Copies are available at the city clerk's office.



THE HOPE COLLEGE chapel basement was the scene of bustling activity the last two days as an estimated 800 students registered for the coming year. New students were a bit confused as they filled out endless forms and waited in lines to sign up for various classes.

Sometimes hours of needed classes clashed, setting up a need for schedule changes. Trio of Holland students check their hours and find out college class hours aren't so bad after all. Center left to right are Ed Raak, Ann Appledorn and Jim Buys. (Sentinel photo)

## Seven Firms Join SSP in Holland; Total Now Is 55

Seven local business firms have been added to the long list of local firms affiliated with the Single Solicitation Plan, A. G. Sall, SSP president, announced Tuesday. This brings to 55 the number of Holland firms co-operating in the plan whereby periodic payroll deductions are made to cover charities. This eliminates all charitable solicitation in the firms in question.

The new firms are the J. C. Penney Co., Robert De Nooyer Co., R. E. Barber, Inc., Peoples State Bank, First National Bank, Taylor's of Holland, and Henry Ter Haar Motor Sales.

The SSP stages its annual campaign a week or two in advance of the Community Chest drive which is scheduled Oct. 19 to 24. Advance plans for the SSP drive were made at a meeting a few days ago attended by Sall, W. A. Butler, Mayo A. Hadden, secretary-treasurer of the SSP, and Riemer Van Til, Community Chest campaign director.

Any local firm having six or more employees interested in joining the SSP or in obtaining information on the plan is asked to get in touch with Sall.

## 100 Mothers, Teachers Attend Beechwood Tea

Approximately 100 mothers and teachers attended a tea given by the Mothers Club Wednesday at Beechwood School.

Mrs. Paul Brower conducted the business meeting and Mrs. Dextra Visser arranged the program which included acrobatic solos by Judy Van Til of the eighth grade and introduction of new teachers and explanation of the program for the school year by Lloyd Van Raalte, superintendent principal.

Mr. Van Raalte disclosed that there are 428 children in the school making it the largest school in this area. Of this number about 350 are taking hot lunches at the school.

Work on the new school for the first three grades is progressing but it cannot be used until the 1954 school year. Despite crowded conditions, instruction will be continued in piano, stringed and wood instruments and vocal, but this year there will be no woodshop.

The social hour was in charge of Mrs. Darwin Van Oosterhout and Mrs. Russell Van Til with Mrs. Howard Dyke and Mrs. Lloyd Van Raalte pouring.

Teachers at Beechwood school include Mrs. Doris Abbott, Lincoln Avery, Mrs. Orma Den Bleyker, Miss Cornelia Glerum, Mrs. Joyce Homberg, Mrs. Catherine Johnson (piano), Mrs. Margaret Kraay, Miss Betty Lindberg, (vocal and stringed instruments), John Maat, Miss Ruby Nyenhuis (band), Daniel Paul, Vernon Reidsma, Mrs. Cema Roe, Mrs. Katherine Timmer, Mrs. Joan Van Doornik, Mrs. Catherine Van Dyke, Mrs. Irene Yonker and Lloyd Van Raalte, superintending principal.

## Car Crashes Into Tree After Losing Wheel

Two persons were injured in a freak accident Tuesday afternoon when the left front wheel of a car came off and threw the vehicle into a tree.

The mishap occurred at 5:45 p.m. Tuesday three miles north of Holland on 136th Ave. The driver, Henry J. Kammen, 62, Spring Lake, was heading south on 136th Ave. when the front wheel tire blew came off. He received injuries to his right knee. A passenger, Mrs. Jane Kammen, 62, received a possible fractured left leg.

The two were taken by ambulance to Hackley hospital in Muskegon. Chief County Deputy Clayton Forry estimated damage to the '52 model car at about \$600.

Spanish American Veterans Auxiliary will meet Friday at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Van Lente, 29 East 14th St.

## Albany Minister Speaks At Hope Convocation

"Happiness is the by-product of something you have done well. It's more than security, since security does not necessarily mean happiness." Hope College students were told at the 89th annual convocation in Hope Memorial Chapel this morning.

The speaker was Dr. Frederick Zimmerman, pastor of First Reformed Church of Albany, N. Y., and president of General Synod of the Reformed Church in America.

His subject was "Choose Ye This Day Whom Ye Will Serve."

Warning against indecision, Dr. Zimmerman told the students to decide during the college year on what they want to do.

"Loyalty is the word most needed in your vocabulary today. We reach our goals with a trained mind and a consecrated heart," he said.

Dr. Irwin J. Lubbers, college president, presided at the convocation and Mrs. W. Curtis Snow was organist. A soprano solo by Mrs. Marion de Velder of Holland was particularly well received.

## Local WAF Officer Gets Discharge

Miss Dorothy Mulder has arrived home after being stationed for a year as a first lieutenant with the WAF at the 20th Air Force Headquarters on Okinawa. She received her discharge from the WAF on Sept. 10. Miss Mulder is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter W. Mulder of route 5, Holland.

A 1947 graduate of Michigan State College in home economics, Miss Mulder served as Sanilac County home demonstration agent with the Michigan Cooperative Extension Service from 1948 until August of 1951, when she joined the WAF.

She is planning to return to Michigan State College for graduate work this fall.

Miss Mulder received her WAF training in Texas, was stationed in Washington, D. C., and then at Okinawa. She has visited Hawaii, Thailand, Hong Kong, Formosa and Japan. While on leave in Tokyo, she attended a tea for Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt given in the gardens of the emperor's palace.

## Local DAR Directors Will Meet Friday

The board of directors of the Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Friday at 1:30 p.m. in the home of the regent, Mrs. Harold Niles, 54 Graves place.

Members are invited to a regional meeting in Allegan Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. in the Allegan Presbyterian Church. There will be a luncheon at noon, and state officers and chairmen will be present to map plans for the year's work. Local members are asked to make reservations with Mrs. O. S. Cross.

The region covers eight chapters in Western Michigan. The Hannah McIntosh Cadys chapter of Allegan will be hostess.

## Parents Meeting Set

Holland High Athletic Director Joe Moran announced today that Dale Shearer and Ned Stuitts, football coaches, would meet with the varsity parents in the high school auditorium tonight at 7:30. Motion pictures of last spring's athletic activities will be shown and new football rules will be explained.

## Commission Will Consider Funds For Holland Park

Trailer parking facilities at Holland State Park will be considerably enlarged before the opening of the 1954 season if a proposed fund transfer of \$20,000 is approved by the Michigan Conservation Commission at its meeting Sept. 21-22 at Haven Hill.

Arthur C. Elmer, head of the department's parks and recreation division, announced today he will ask the commission to transfer the fund from an appropriation made last year for work at Interlochen state park. He said the Interlochen work will cost that much less than had been anticipated.

Elmer said the money would be used to construct a 3,100 foot parking strip, 70 feet wide. Tentative plans propose using asphalt black top rather than the more expensive concrete.

In Lansing today assistant planning engineer of the department, Leland "Casey" Jones said use of blacktop "would be experimental, although we are convinced it will prove satisfactory."

Need for additional facilities has been a long discussed matter to the department as well as Western Michigan residents, some of whom have waited up to four days with trailers for parking space.

Jones said plans for expansion have been considered for several years, although attendance during the last five years has made some program absolutely necessary. "We're working on it," he said.

He explained increased use of parks and recreation facilities has been general throughout the state with more than 60,000 camping permits issued this past season.

Holland State Park has operated at capacity crowds every week of the season. Over 1,000,000 persons took advantage of facilities from opening day in May until Labor Day.

Park Manager Clare Broad said today present trailer capacity is 86, but he has not been officially informed of the construction plans.

Lines of up to 30 trailers are a common sight waiting along the Ottawa Beach entrance road. Most owners arrived hours before the 5 a.m. opening hour.

Future plans at the park, according to Jones, will be aimed at relieving congestion on the beach by removing trailers and campers further back from the water.

## Tea in Fennville Will Honor Senator's Wife

FENNVILLE (Special) — Mrs. Homer Ferguson, wife of U.S. Senator Ferguson, will be guest of honor at an Allegan County Republican Women's Club tea on Friday afternoon. The tea will be held at the home of Mrs. H. B. Crane of Fennville at 2:30 p.m.

Preceding the tea, Mrs. Ferguson will be luncheon guest of the county club officers, Mrs. Leo Gould of Plainwell, president; Mrs. Robert Hutchinson of Fennville, vice president; Mrs. Howard Strand of Allegan, secretary, and Mrs. Harry Hutchings of Ganges, treasurer.

The Fennville Republican Women's Club will be hostesses for the meeting. All interested women are invited to attend.

## Charles Edward Kohloff Dies in Grand Haven

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Charles Edward Kohloff, 50, of 220 Madison St., died in Municipal Hospital at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday. He had been ill for three years and seriously so the last six months. He was born July 15, 1903 in Grand Haven, where he lived all his life, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kohloff. He served in the U. S. Navy from 1920-23, and was a member of the Merchant Marines from 1942-45.

Besides the father, he is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Wilhelmina Seifert and Miss Elsie Kohloff, Grand Haven, and Mrs. H. J. Kammeraad of Spring Lake.

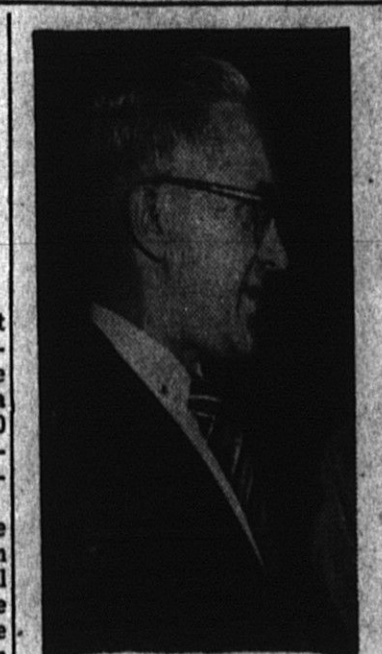
Funeral services will be held Friday at 3 p.m. from Van Zantwick funeral chapel. Burial will be at Lake Forest Cemetery.

## Bids Will Be Received On Court House Boiler

ALLEGAN (Special) — Bids will be opened at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 24 on a new boiler and heating system repairs for the Allegan county court house, according to Esther Hettinger, county clerk.

The county building committee was authorized by the Board of Supervisors Monday to replace the present 30-year-old boiler and to determine whether the new boiler would be placed in the present room or in a room built outside the court house.

Mrs. Jack Wager and son, Johnny, and Mrs. Herman Slager and son, Craig, arrived Wednesday from Glendale, Calif., and are staying at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Koop, 286 West 18th St. Mrs. Wager and son will return to California after spending two weeks vacation here. Mrs. Slager and son will make their home with the Koops. Her husband is with the General William Mitchell Transport between the U. S. and Japan.



## Holland Merchant Dies Unexpectedly

Theodore E. DuMez, 52, of 250 College Ave., died unexpectedly of a cerebral hemorrhage Wednesday night in Holland Hospital where he had been taken two hours earlier.

He was associated with the Du Mez Brothers Department store for more than 30 years and at the time of his death was vice president of the company. He was born in Holland, was graduated from Holland High School and attended Hope College for a time. Throughout his life he was always interested in Boy Scout work and filled several positions in the program. He was a member of Third Reformed Church and served on the consistory.

Surviving are the wife, the former Annita Zuidewind; two sons, Pfc. John R. DuMez with the U. S. Army at El Paso, Tex., and Theodore A. Du Mez at home, a Holland high student; his mother, Mrs. John DuMez of Holland; a brother, Andrew C. of Holland, and a sister, Mrs. Adrian C. Van den Bosch of Zeeland.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. from Third Reformed Church with the Rev. C. H. Walvoord officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. The body will be taken to the home where friends may call Friday from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. The Du Mez Brothers store will be closed at noon Saturday.

## Gum-Packin' Posse Searches Train

A heavily armed posse of 10 local law enforcement officers Wednesday night were pressed into search for a murder suspect who was later captured in Muskegon.

The men, including officers from Holland, Zeeland, and the Ottawa County Sheriff's department, searched a 70-car freight train in the Waverly yards.

The Holland police department was alerted to be on the look-out for a 47-year-old man, who had stabbed a man to death and inflicted knife wounds on a woman during an argument in Muskegon.

The killer, a former Chicago resident, was thought to have left the Muskegon area and hopped a freight train heading for Chicago via Holland. Officers stopped the freight train just outside the Waverly yards and shunted it onto a siding.

The men had barely finished their car-by-car search of the train when, a call was received by Holland police that the killer had been captured.

The confessed killer was identified as Timothy Moses, a 47-year-old farm worker. He is accused of killing Ponciano Candillo, 53, and wounding Candillo's wife, Florence, 47, but her condition was not considered serious.

The Candillos and Moses resided together in a trailer on a farm, 12 miles east of Muskegon. Moses, arrested by Roosevelt Park Police Chief Eugene Brothers near a school house after the stabbing, said Candillo kicked him, precipitating the stabbing.

## Retailers Meeting Slated in Allegan

ALLEGAN (Special) — First meeting of the Allegan Retailers' round table will be held Tuesday, Oct. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the new West Ward school, according to George Nanna, chairman of the retail division of the Allegan Improvement Association.

The group will meet monthly for eight months with Howard Sommer, of Central Michigan College, as discussion leader. The program is sponsored jointly by local merchants, the Michigan Retailers' association, the Michigan Department of Vocational Education and Western Michigan College's extension department.

Topics will be selected by the merchants themselves at the first meeting.

## Meets at Central Avenue

A meeting of the Christian Reformed Unit of the Holland Hospital Auxiliary was held last Thursday in Central Avenue Church with 65 members present.

## Three Sizeable Applications Boost Building Permits

Three sizeable applications for construction in the city accounted for more than a quarter of a million dollars in building permits issued last week by Building Inspector Joseph Shasagany and City Clerk Clarence Grevenog.

In all, the 15 applications allowed carried a total of \$372,695.

Largest permit was issued to Ottawa Realty Co. which is prepared to erect an addition to its present structure and remodel part of the existing building at 28 East 17th St. at a cost of \$150,000. The new addition measures 28 by 54 feet and will be of frame, brick and cement construction. Owen Ames-Kimball Co. is the contractor.

H. J. Heinz Co. was granted a permit to erect a new frame building to their plant at 431 West 16th St., 131 by 200 feet at a cost of \$123,000. Muskegon Construction Co. is the contractor.

Holland Christian Schools, 20th and State St., received a permit to erect a brick addition to the present Christian high building, 64 by 77 feet, at a cost of \$80,000. A. Branderhorst is contractor.

Other applications follow: Mrs. Elsie Baker, 17 East 13th St., enclose rear porch (Home for Aged), \$100; self contractor. Harvin Essenburg, 205 East 15th St., erect new garage, change kitchen cupboards, \$100 for remodeling; \$700 for garage; self, contractor.

Bohn Aluminum, 344 West 24th St., cut duct in cement floor and cement over top and sides, \$800; Albert R. De Weerd and Son, contractor.

William Oonk, 40 West 22nd St., re-roof and remodel front porch, \$700; Ed Oonk, contractor.

Howard Lang, 182 East Eighth St., cover walls with sheet rock and lower ceilings and new trim, \$2,000; Essenburg Building and Lumber Co., contractor.

Lokker-Rutgers Clothing Co., repair trawson of store front, \$500; Jacob Postma, contractor.

Bohn Aluminum Co., 365 West 24th St., remove curtain wall, \$695; Elzinga and Volkers, contractor.

Edward Ribbens, 236 West 19th St., construct new front porch and steps, \$150; Vander Ble Bros., contractors.

Herbert Kammeraad, 275 East Ninth St., convert rear of house into a garage, \$100; self contractor.

Anthony Van Harn, 246 West 18th St., erect new garage, 14 by 20 feet, \$600; Harold Langejans, contractor.

P. H. Frans, 110 East Eighth St., construct rear stairway for second floor apartment, \$250; Buck Nuismer, contractor.

Clarence Nyhoff, 40 East 28th St., erect new house, breezeway and garage, 48 by 31 feet, brick construction, \$12,000, and garage, 22 by 24 feet, \$1,000; self contractor.

## Wolters Heads Bowling Group

The Holland Bowling Association named Rich Wolters president and Bert Selles secretary-treasurer at its election of new officers at a recent meeting.

The first, second, third, and fourth vice presidents respectively are Charles Cooper, Lewis Terpstra, C. R. Trueblood, and Lloyd Stegenga.

The directors are Clare Walker, John Bagladi, Earl Kennedy, and Don Slighter.

The association this year covers 14 leagues with 130 individual teams and 750 individuals.

There will be a meeting of all league secretaries Monday, Sept. 21, at 7 p.m.

## Three Cars Collide On East Eighth St.

A three car accident on East Eighth St., between College and Columbia Aves., at 10:22 p.m. Monday, resulted in \$650 damages to the vehicles involved.

The cars were driven by Dwayne Teusink, 17, route 1; Glen Bonnette, 37, of 200 West 12th St.; and Marcia Ter Haar, 16, of 1954 Paw Paw Dr. All were heading west on Eighth St.

Police said Teusink failed to stop, colliding with Bonnette's car which hit the Ter Haar car. Damage to the Teusink '49 model car was estimated at \$300, at \$300 to the '53 model Bonnette car and at \$50 to the '50 model Ter Haar car, police said.

Teusink was issued a ticket for failing to keep an assured clear distance ahead by Holland officers.

## Violator in Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Cyrene Winchell, 28, Chester Township, appeared before Judge Raymond L. Smith Tuesday noon for violation of his probation and upon payment of \$136 was released. He was brought to Grand Haven from Flint by state police last Friday, on a warrant issued about a year ago. He was placed on probation Feb. 11, 1949, for two years on a charge of larceny from a building. His probation was later continued until September of 1952.

## Many Pay Fines In Justice Court During Past Week

Sam Goldstein of Detroit paid fine and costs of \$54.30 in Justice Court last week on a charge of allowing insanitary conditions at his concession at the Hudsonville Community Fair. The arrest was made by a state inspector.

Other fines follow:

Pedro Flores Avila, route 1, Zeeland, assault and battery, \$41.80; Kenneth H. Otten, route 3, Hudsonville, swimming in posted area, state park, \$5; William B. Reid, Jr., Kalamazoo, clear distance ahead, Butternut Dr., Holland township, \$12; Albert Meyer, 608 Lawdale Court, speeding 55 in 35-mile zone, South Shore Dr., Park township, \$17.

Melvin C. Sullivan, Grand Rapids, clear distance ahead, M-21 in Holland township, \$17; M. Bogema, Muskegon, expired chauffeur's license and speeding, \$4.50; Harris G. Pieper, Holland, parking on traveled part of highway, Ottawa Beach Rd., Park township, \$7.

Ralph Sharpshorn, route 2, Zeeland, failure to report property damage accident, Port Sheldon Rd., Blenden township, \$13.90; Samuel W. Nickerson, Grand Rapids, excessive noise of muffler, Tunnel Park, Park township, \$8.90; Robert Strickland, Grandville, speeding 60 miles in 40-mile zone, M-21 in Zeeland township, \$17; Charles Windisch, route 4, no operator's license, Old US-31, Holland township, \$8.90.

Merle Overway, 209 East 13th St., speeding 50 miles in 40-mile zone, M-21 at Hudsonville, \$7; Samuel W. Rice, Ravenna, excessive speed under conditions, on US-31 in Holland township, \$12; Paul Lokker, Grand Rapids, reckless driving, Douglas Ave., Holland township, \$34.90; John Toliver, Grand Rapids, driving without due caution, M-21 in Holland township, \$19.30.

Joe De Kraker, 82 East 24th St., failure to signal left turn, M-21 in Zeeland township, \$12; Raymond A. Brower, route 4, speeding 60 miles in a 35-mile zone, Ottawa Beach Rd., \$22; Gerlof E. Holwerda, route 3, Zeeland, reckless driving, M-21 at 104th Ave., Holland township, \$27; Pat R. Nordhof, 257 West 11th St., speeding 60 miles in 35-mile zone, Ottawa Beach Rd., \$22.

## Football to Take Sports Throne

King Football takes over the national sports throne this week and the Holland area will be no exception.

Four home games are scheduled this week-end as Holland High, Hope College, Zeeland and Fennville entertained their first opponents of the 1953 season.

Three of the contests are slated for Friday night while Hope will wait until Saturday evening to inaugurate the new gridiron year.

Coach Dale Shearer will send his Holland High charges against Grand Rapids Creston at Riverview Park to highlight local action.

Zeeland's Chix, under the leadership of Jarold Groeters, will lead Grandville, a member of the strong Grand Valley league, at the Zeeland Athletic Field.

Coach Bob McElreth will start his career at Fennville when the Blackhawk host Hopkins.

Michigan Normal from Ypsilanti will act as Hope's opponent at Riverview as the Dutchmen venture outside the MIAA for their first contest.

## Mrs. Anna Kronmeyer Succumbs at Age 63

SAUGATUCK (Special) — Mrs. Anna Kronmeyer, 63, wife of Arthur Kronmeyer, died at her home at Goshen Park, East Saugatuck, route 1, Friday, 4 o'clock following a short illness. She formerly lived in Holland at 379 Central Ave. She moved from the city in 1945.

Born May 5, 1890 in Grand Rapids, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Westmaas. She was a member of the First Congregational Church at Saugatuck, the Woman's Club and various organizations of the church.

Surviving are the husband; two daughters, Major Sylvia Kronmeyer of Camp Jaffee, Mo., Mrs. Kenneth Pelgrim of Sherman Oaks, Calif.; one son, Arthur, Jr., of Lamont, Mich. and six grandchildren.

## Hawaiian Visitor Present At Erutha Rebekah Meet

The first fall meeting of Erutha Rebekah Lodge was held Friday evening. Donald Cranmer was a visitor from Olive Branch Rebekah Lodge of Hawaii.

A report was given of camp meetings attended by more than 35 members and families at the Big Star Lake Odd Fellow and Rebekah Camp Aug. 29 and 30. Plans were made for next summer's camp.

Members received an invitation to attend the visitation of the president of the Assembly, Mrs. Genevieve Bally in Molina on Tuesday or in Saugatuck on Wednesday, Sept. 23.

The next meeting will be held Sept. 25. This will be a committee meeting. The September chestnut served lunch and movies were shown of the Big Star Lake Camp and of Hawaii by Mr. Cranmer.



Pat Prosser, 17, went back to St. Louis with some real fish stories for his pals. Prosser, the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Louis La Borge, summer residents of Jensen Park, caught the northern pike in Jensen Bay Wednesday morning. The pike weighed 13½ pounds and measured 39 inches. He also caught three other pike that weighed 9½, 10 and 11 pounds. Pat is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Prosser of St. Louis, who spend their summers at the former LaBorge cottage on Scotch St. Jensen Park. (Penn-Sas photo)



Marvin Ten Brink of Virginia Park kneels beside the pike he caught recently at Jensen Park. The one on the right is 43 inches, the biggest so far reported, and the other is 39 inches. Together they weigh 25 pounds. Ten Brink used a dare-devil with home made buck tails, and was casting, rather than trolling, at the time. The big northern pike have moved into the Big Bayou area and the catch has been large. Forty boats were out Wednesday afternoon. Ten Brink caught one fish from the shore and the other from a nearby boat. Another "got away," talking the tackle with him. (Sentinel photo)

## Woman Suffers Bruises In Automobile Accident

ZEELAND (Special) — Mrs. Grace Lampen, 45, of route 5, Holland, received bruises on her head at 11:30 a.m. Saturday when she lost control of her car on the State St. hill just south of Zeeland.

Traveling south, Mrs. Lampen attempted to pass and lost control on the slippery pavement, according to Deputy Lawrence Veldheer. The car skidded past the crossroad and into a farmer's yard on the left side of the road, hitting a parked car and turning over on its side.

Damage to Mrs. Lampen's 1951 sedan was estimated at \$400, while damage to the parked auto, owned by Theodore Wierda of route 3, Holland, was estimated at \$50. Mrs. Lampen was treated by Dr. Russell Nykamp and released.

leaved. Veldheer said she would be issued a ticket for driving without due caution.

## Mrs. Reka Walters Dies After Lingerin Illness

ZEELAND (Special) — Mrs. Reka Walters, 88, of Borculo or route 1, Zeeland, died at the home of her son, Herman, Sunday afternoon after a lingering illness. She was the widow of the late Derk Walters, who died 15 years ago. She was born in the Netherlands and came to this country at the age of three months.

Surviving are three sons, Edward of Zeeland, Frank and Herman of Borculo; two daughters, Mrs. Gerrit Blaaukamp of Zeeland, Mrs. Andrew Wierda of New Groningen; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Anna DeGroot of Borculo; 29 grandchildren and 32 great grandchildren.

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## Zeeland

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Alvin H. Johnson has been appointed general chairman of the annual Community Chest fund drive to be held in October. He is assistant cashier at Zeeland State Bank and has served on the board of directors of the Chest for four years and has been treasurer the past three years. Henry Brinks is secretary-manager of the organization. Definite plans for the coming drive will be formulated in the near future and the final goal will be determined.

Miss Marcia Kraal, a 1953 graduate of Zeeland High, is a member of the Dutch-Treat Show, which presented a program at assembly of the local school last year. Marcia will tour with them the next three months playing for various high school assembly programs. They will tour Minnesota, Iowa, North and South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

A group of women met at the Fellowship Hall of the Second Reformed Church on Monday evening for the first fall meeting of the Mubesharao Society. Mrs. James Watt, president, was in charge and Mrs. Arthur Engelsma conducted the devotional service on the topic "Faith." Miss Anne De Free provided special music singing "I Love to Tell the Story." Her mother, Mrs. Stanley De Free, was piano accompanist.

Mrs. Carl Neumann read interesting extracts from letters of her sister, Miss Carol Van Zoeren, who left for Japan, a year ago, as a short term missionary. She is a teacher at Ferris Academy, a school for Japanese girls. The letters told about her work and interestingly explained the food used, customs and beauty spots in Japan.

The main feature of the program was a play presented by nine women of the Jamestown Reformed Church. The theme of the play was "crosses" and those participating portrayed the need of taking up the cross and gladly and willingly doing the will of Jesus in the Christian service. Fine music interspersed the presentation.

The group decided to aid in securing a truck for Chun, the Korean missionary, who returned to his native land, a few years ago, to find his family. A social time followed the program with refreshments served by hostesses Mrs. J. Janssen and Miss Cathryn Janssen.

The first issue of the Peeper, the bi-monthly publication of Zeeland High School was distributed on Wednesday, the beginning school day. The following is the staff this year: Eunice De Jonge, editor; Carolyn Alsterda, Chris Baerman and Tom Bloemenda, first page; Connie Miller, Darlene Berghorst, Myra Deur and Marilyn Glass, second page; Dorene Romeyn and Joan Kraal, third page; Alvin Meyers, Floyd Ratink, Sally Boone and John Bruursema, fourth page. Miss C. Ver Hage, of the high school faculty, is sponsor.

The following staff has been selected for the "Stepping Stone" the annual publication by members of Zeeland High School: Connie Miller and Bob Vanden Berg, co-editors; Leone Nykamp, business manager; Donna Hardenberg, assistant manager; Ila Hunderman, Vera Brower, lay-out; Lee Vanden Bosch, Chris Baerman, photography; Ron Wetherbee, George Schipper, sports; Joan Kraal, Donna Vander Laan, art; Joyce Hoeve, organizations; Marcia Compagner, Donna Winkels, typists. Gerald H. Smeenge, the new art teacher will be sponsor. Individual pictures of students from the seventh to the 12th grades will be featured. To make this possible, the staff plans to have the yearbook lithographed.

The following members of the 1953 graduating class of Zeeland High School are planning to attend schools of higher learning: Randy Baar, Shirley Dams, Don De Vries, Marlene Huxhold, Wendell Kollen, Dave Kuysers, Phil Staal, Erma Van Dyke and Judy Whittitt to Hope College; Shirley Bos, Del Komejan, Russ Roan and Linda Ver Plank have enrolled at Michigan State College; Ed Elzinga and Judy Ver Plank plan to go to Central Michigan. Mary Nyenhuis has enrolled at Calvin College, Don Rynbrandt at Owens Bible School, Phyllis Mathieson will go to Grand Rapids Baptist Bible Institute, Junior Raterink plans to go to McLachlan Business Institute. These 19 members represent 24 per cent of the class.

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## DeJonge, Kapenga Cleared by Judge

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. — Federal Judge Raymond W. Starr has dismissed indictments against two Holland men accused of "kiting" checks totaling \$3,500,000. They are Alvin Kapenga, 38, and Myron De Jonge, 45, who were indicted June 11 by a federal grand jury on conspiracy charges.

Judge Starr dismissed the indictments on motion of Assistant District Attorney Joseph F. Deeb Thursday afternoon.

Deeb said Kapenga and De Jonge were erroneously charged in the indictments with violation of a section of a criminal code which restricts prosecution to individuals employed by banks or other financial institutions.

Deeb said, however, the facts would be presented to the next grand jury which will determine whether prosecution will continue under other statutes.

Deeb told The Sentinel here Friday that he consented to dismissal after advice and consultation with the Department of Justice in Washington, D. C.

He earlier filed a statement to Judge Starr to the effect that the defendants' motions to dismiss should be granted.

Kapenga lives at route 2, Holland, and De Jonge lives at Virginia Park.

## Ganges

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allen of Niles spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Allen. They returned to their home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Pratt of Chicago spent Labor Day weekend in the home of his mother, Mrs. L. C. Davis.

Miss Beth Chalko of South Haven spent Saturday with Miss Margaret Schmidgall.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McGee entertained at an open house for friends and relatives, the occasion being in honor of the 80th birthday of Mrs. Mc Gee's father, "Date" Mc Kellips.

Ronald Miles and Donald Nye accompanied their vocational agriculture teacher, Lester Bolliwhan, to Detroit Friday and Saturday. They helped set up the F.F.A. display for the Fennville chapter for the Michigan State Fair being held there this week.

Mrs. Rudolph Schmidgall and son Rolf spent last week here at their farm home. They were joined here for week-end by Mr. Schmidgall, son Tasso, daughter Margaret, her fiancé, Siegfried Michnick, and Peter Johnsen of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Westfield and family recently enjoyed a vacation trip to Niagara Falls.

George Hindsburg of Chicago spent a few days last week in the home of his mother, Mrs. Abner Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce have returned to their home in Cambridge, Mass., having spent a few weeks at their farm home.

Guests last week in the home of Mrs. Anna Richards were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks of Towanda, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Bolander of Fortville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes and daughter Rosemary of Lansing were recent guests of Mrs. Byrnes' mother, Mrs. Rose Hayes.

Rolf Schmidgall left this week for Alton, Ill., where he will begin his senior year at Western Military Academy there.

Other Ganges students who will leave soon for college are: Donald Hillman, who will attend the University of Michigan; Tasso Schmidgall, who will enter the school of engineering at Ann Arbor. Tasso has been studying at Principia the past two years. Larry Symons will begin his senior year at Western Michigan College at Kalamazoo as will Norma Crane; Wilma Forrey will begin her second year at Adrian; Miss Bernice Reed and Miss Dorothy Stokes will attend Michigan Evangelistic Institute at University Park, Iowa.

## Mrs. Sarah Hulst Dies At Zeeland Hospital

Mrs. Sarah Hulst, 70, wife of Henry J. Hulst of Oakland, (route 1, Hamilton) died Saturday at Zeeland Hospital where she had been ill two weeks after a heart attack.

Mrs. Hulst, the former Sarah Van Der Leest, was born in the Netherlands and came to this country at the age of seven.

Surviving are the husband, one daughter, Mrs. Earl Hoeve, Oakland; three sons, Julius of Holland, Ray and Marvin of Oakland; six grandchildren, four great grandchildren; six sisters, Mrs. Bert Hoozeboom, Mrs. Ben Bilkert, Mrs. Edna Hacklander, Mrs. Egbert Miedema, and Mrs. Herman Van Shuyters, all of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Ann Compagner of Saranac.

Hospital Notes

(From Friday's Sentinel)

Admitted to Holland Hospital Thursday was Mary Jean Hornstra, 610 Harrington.

Discharged Thursday were Mrs. Don Burrows, 113 South Division; Abel A. Baker, 144 East Ninth St.; John Berentschot, 236 West 17th St.; Mrs. William Mokma, 363 Lincoln Ave.; Mrs. Vern Lokers and baby, 741 Plainfield, Zeeland; Mrs. Edward Meyer and baby, 578 West 21st St.; Mrs. Norman Taylor and baby, 43 West 18th St.; Mrs. Ernest Somers, 843 Butternut Dr.

Hospital births include a son, Ronald Jay, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Preston Vander Slik, route 2; a daughter born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Tardiff, 818 North Shore Dr.

## Al Kraai Hurls, Homers To Give VFW City Crown



Ho! the champions, here's the VFW softball team that won the city softball league championship playoffs by beating Main Auto, 2-0, in the finale of the three out of five series Saturday night. A handful of fans braved windy and rainy weather to watch the contest. Al Kraai, young VFW hurler, homered in the last of the seventh to write a storybook finish to the series. Front row, left to right, are: Larry Tibbet, Doug Harman, Al Kraai, Rog Schut, Al Glupker, Bill Franka. Second row, left to right: George Cook, manager, John Wolters, Vern Vande Water, Bob Schut, Don Van Duren, Walt Wlodarczyk, Jay Hoffman. (Penn-Sas photo)

## Young Zeelander Breaks Up Game In Seventh Inning

The Holland city softball crown rested on a new head this week.

Veterans of Foreign Wars made its first appearance as city champion Saturday night by eking out a close 2-0 victory over defending champion Main Auto in the last of a five-game series to decide the champ.

Strangely enough, the finale was devoid of the violence, both physical or vocal, that had marked the first six games. Perhaps the cool and soggy weather conditions toned down the highly-exercised tempers of both clubs.

Saturday's contest was a test of youth, in that person of VFW's strong young hurler Al Kraai, and age, represented by the veteran and cagy Main Auto hurler Jason Ebels.

Youth had its day. Not only did Kraai hurl the winning decision on a brilliant one-hit performance, but he also provided a Frank Merriwell finish to the series by driving in the only run of the contest on a long home run with two out in the last of the seventh frame.

## Holland Christian Schools Show Hike In Enrollments

### High School Loses Pupils to Hudsonville, But Grades Way Up

Enrollment figures released at Holland Christian schools today show an increase of 28 pupils over last year, Supt. Bert P. Bos reported. The grand total registered in the entire system was 1717 compared to 1689 last year.

Bos said the figure was somewhat remarkable since the high school alone lost 58 students to the new Unity Christian High School which opened in Hudsonville this week. Consequently the high school enrollment is down from last year, while the grades more than made up for the high school deficit.

In less than 10 years' time the total number of students in the system has more than doubled the superintendent reported. In 1944, 854 students were enrolled in the local Christian schools, compared with the 1,718 figure of this year. The biggest jump is in the grades which had only 419 enrolled in 1944 compared to 974 at present.

Breaking down the enrollment by grades, the kindergarten has six sections totaling 161 students to set a new record. There are five first grade sections with a total of 175; four second grade sections, totaling 135; three third grade sections totaling 108; three and a half fourth grade sections with 129; three and a half fifth grade sections with 135; four sixth grade sections with 131, making the 974 total.

In the junior high, 110 are enrolled in the seventh grade and 105 in the eighth to make a total of 215.

The Central Ave. grade school totals 359 students, the South Side, 319, the West Side, 286 and the Fifteenth Street Junior High building, 215.

The high school enrollment dropped from 572 last year to 528 this year, due in the main to the transfer of Hudsonville and area students to the new Unity high school. There are 151 enrolled in the ninth grade, 128 in the 10th, 130 in the 11th and 119 in the 12th grade.

Badly overcrowded conditions in the high school were relieved this year by the use of the new building across 20th St. All but two rooms are completed and are in use. In addition, ground was broken Friday for an eight room addition to the new building, which will relieve the situation still further.

## Retail Merchants Re-Elect Taylor

Percy Taylor has been re-elected president of the Retail Merchants Division of the Holland Chamber of Commerce, according to an election conducted via mail.

Taylor defeated Melvin Kail and Elmer R. Burwitz for the post. Jack Plewes defeated Lou Hartwell and Kenneth Zuverink for the vice presidency.

James Borr, Andrew DuMez, Gertrude Seery and George Goselar were selected as members of an advisory board. Other candidates were Gertrude Bos, Edward Vos, Fred Meppelink, Jr., and Russell Rutgers.

The September meeting of the merchants division will be held Monday at 9:45 a.m. in the Chamber office. Special events for the year will be discussed with emphasis on 1953 Christmas Season features.

### Quits Sheriff's Office

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — William Wiebenga of Grand Haven, who has been a deputy sheriff for 3½ years, has tendered his resignation to join the Grand Haven city police force where he was formerly employed for nearly two years in 1947 and 1948. His resignation is Sept. 19. He will join the police force Oct. 1 after taking a vacation. As operator license examiner, Wiebenga also spent each Wednesday in Coopersville issuing licenses.

### Engagement Told



Miss Arlene Welling

The engagement of Miss Arlene Welling to Marvin Vanden Bosch is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Welling of 323 West 20th St. Mr. Vanden Bosch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Vanden Bosch of route 2, Hamilton.

## Miss Mosher Wed in Pennsylvania



Mr. and Mrs. R. William Kinkade

Of interest to Holland friends is announcement of the marriage of Miss Marilyn Mosher of Holland, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Mosher, and R. William Kinkade, son of Mrs. Amy Kinkade of Williamsport, Pa., and T. H. Kinkade of Watertown, Pa.

They were married Aug. 22 in Central Baptist Church of Williamsport with the Rev. John D. Clark, grandfather of the groom, and the Rev. G. Blair Hemans officiating at the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Harrison Metzger was organist and Miss June Taylor of Oakland, Calif., was soloist.

Escorted to the altar by her brother, John Mosher, the bride wore a gown of rose point lace over slipper satin, with boat neckline, short sleeves and double tulle skirt over satin, with rose point lace appliques and chapel length train. She wore an applied veil of illusion, held by a lace cap, and matching mits. She carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations, roses and baby's breath.

Miss Pauline Mosher of Holland, the bride's sister, was maid

of honor and Miss Doris Jean Morgan, Hamilton, Ohio, and Miss Martha Denehey, Upper Darby, Pa., were bridesmaids. They wore identical gowns of royal purple, orchid and lilac, respectively, with matching halo headresses. They carried contrasting bouquets.

The groom chose his brother, Thomas H. Kinkade, Jr., as best man. Ushers were William Boyer and Carlton Winters, both of Williamsport.

After a reception at the groom's home, the couple left on a wedding trip to Niagara Falls and the Smoky Mountains.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Kinkade are employed by Bob Jones University in Greenville, S. C., of which they are graduates. He is a graduate assistant working on a B. D. degree and is teaching Spanish at the Bob Jones Academy. After the groom's graduation, the couple plan to do missionary work under the Oriental Belt Mission among the Chinese people.

The bride attended Holland public schools. Her family lived here for many years and her father was former owner of the City Kitchen.

## In The Good Old Days

(Following is the 20th in the series of weekly articles taken from news of the Ottawa County Times published more than 50 years ago.)

One of the most successful school years will close next week with the twenty-third annual commencement exercises, began a story in the June 6 issue of the Ottawa County Times published in 1902.

Parties were in town this week to look over the field for establishing a cement brick plant. Chemists have analyzed different kinds of sand in this vicinity and proper quality has been found to make a superior cement or asphalt brick. The brick has the appearance of Waverly stone and can be put on the market at about \$3 per thousand.

The Woman's Literary Club held its annual meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Kremers, East 12th St. The officers elected were Mrs. George E. Kollen, president; Mrs. C. A. Stevenson, vice president; Mrs. W. J. Garrod, recording secretary; Mrs. J. C. Post, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. M. McLean, treasurer. Directors are Mrs. R. N. De Merell, Mrs. G. J. Van Duren, Mrs. C. J. Dregman and Mrs. M. E. King.

Wednesday evening Albert Diekema and Miss Nella Pfanstiel were married at the home of Mrs. C. Pfanstiel.

A tanners' union was organized here Wednesday with 86 charter members. The officers are Olef Hansen, president; Cornelius Kerkhof, vice president; W. F. Norlin, recording secretary; H. L. Wisner, financial secretary; Herman Damsen, treasurer; Robert Lester, guide, and G. Anderson, guard.

A special township election of Holland township will be held June 10, 1902, to vote on a proposition to raise \$2,000 to build a concrete arch near the Veneklasen's brick yard.

Several carloads of pipe for the extension of the water works have arrived and Contractor John Fik will begin work on laying the pipe soon.

The Rev. Jacob Poppen of Benheim, Allegan county, left with his family a few days ago for Wontendyke, N. J., where he has accepted a call.

The Rev. H. K. Boer, formerly of Hamilton, has accepted a call to the Reformed Church at Otley, Iowa.

A most delightful time was enjoyed by the Century Club members last Friday night when they went to Grand Rapids and were entertained at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Hummer.

The Rev. P. Braak, a graduate of the Western Theological Seminary, will be married next Wednesday evening to Miss Nellie Vander Velde at Grand Rapids. He has a charge at Westfield, N. D.

The Rev. Henry Sluyter and Miss Bertha Veneklasen will be married at Zeeland next Tuesday, June 10. The groom is a graduate of Hope College and was a student at the Western Theological Seminary and at the New Brunswick, N. J., Seminary.

The H. J. Heinz Pickle Co. expects to place a large steel sign in the shape of a cucumber, placed on the side of the large new addition which they are building. In the evenings the outlines of the sign will be illuminated by incandescent lights, plainly visible from the bay.

Albert Baker and Miss Bertha Hoekert of this city were married Monday evening at the home of Mrs. F. J. Le Roy of Hamilton.

John A. Van Zoeren has accepted the professorship of modern language and physics in Central College, Pella, Ia. Mr. Van Zoeren will graduate from Hope College this Monday.

Red sections of traffic lights in Barranquilla, Colombia, generally are illuminated with a short advertising plug. Because no one stops at the green light, that segment bears no ads.

First wrestling show of the season will be staged at the Armory the night of Sept. 23. It will feature Larry Chene, the Flying Frenchman who has been a top TV favorite from Chicago in recent weeks, against the Canadian Madman, Johnny Gates.

In the second match, Stan Hoek, a young giant from Canada, will square off against Frank Hurley, currently the top ranked Australian heavyweight.

A tag match will follow between the winners and the losers. The sponsoring VFW says that Farmer Nick has promised to bring this and many more top attractions to Holland, including the ever-popular midgits.

### Harold Swartz Resigns Position at Cemetery

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Harold Swartz, who has been sexton at Lake Forest cemetery for the past six years, has resigned, effective Oct. 1. Swartz has not announced his plans for the future. During the time he has been superintendent, the cemetery has been enlarged and many improvements made, including the construction of a new entrance east of the main entrance on Lake Ave.

Richard Lock, an assistant at the cemetery, has been recommended for the position, according to Howard Rose, chairman of the Cemetery Board.

Swartz and his family formerly resided in Holland. He is a brother of Mrs. Ed Hulst of Holland.

South Carolina was the first province of the new world to plant rice for sale.



Rev. Herman Vander Ploeg

## Retired Pastor Dies in West

The Rev. Herman Vander Ploeg, 91, Hope College and Western Theological Seminary graduate, died Sunday in San Jose, Calif., after a long illness. Rev. Vander Ploeg was born Nov. 19, 1862 in Zyldijk, Groningen, The Netherlands and came to Chicago in 1880 and later to Holland.

He was graduated from Hope College in 1892 and 1893 married Alberdena Vanden Berg, former charter member of First Reformed Church and one of the early settlers of Holland. In 1895 Rev. Vander Ploeg was graduated from Western Theological Seminary, one of the three oldest to graduate from the Seminary.

He was ordained as a minister of the Dutch Reformed Church in New Era in 1895, and served churches in Coopersville, East Overisel and North Blendon; Luctor and Prairie View, Kans., Sheboygan Falls, Wis., and Edgerton, Minn. As a classical missionary he organized churches in Denver, Colo., Litchville, N. D. and Hope Church, Detroit. In 1930 he retired and moved to San Jose, Calif., to make his home with his daughter, Jeanette, who is associate professor of librarianship at San Jose State College.

Rev. Vander Ploeg is survived by the daughter and a son, Harold A. Vanderploeg of Holland and a grandson, Harold Vanderploeg, Jr. Mrs. Vanderploeg has been in California with her father-in-law and will return to Holland with Miss Vander Ploeg and the body for funeral services.

### Two Waive Examination On Non-Support Charges

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — William Paul Lawson, 37, of Adrian, waived examination when arraigned before Justice Frederick J. Workman of Spring Lake Saturday morning on a charge of non-support and furnished \$500 for his appearance in Circuit Court Sept. 19. Lawson is specifically charged with non-support of his wife, Hilda C., from Sept. 1, 1952 to July 9, 1953.

Lawrence Kenyon, 37, formerly of route 1, Marne, and more recently of Fenton, also waived examination on a non-support charge Saturday morning, when arraigned before Justice Truman A. Husted of Grand Haven. Kenyon is unable to furnish \$250 bond and will remain in the county jail until next Saturday morning when he will be arraigned in Circuit Court. Kenyon is alleged to have failed to support his wife, Wilma, and their ten-year-old child specifically from Feb. 1 to Aug. 27 of this year. On Aug. 6, 1951 Kenyon was placed on probation for a year on a similar offense, after pleading guilty on that date, and on July 16, 1952, his probation was extended for another year.

Both of the above were returned to Grand Haven from Flint Friday by State Police troopers Wilson Agar and Dawn Wilson.

## Lemmen-Nyhof Ceremony Read

OVERISEL (Special) — The marriage of Miss Genevieve Ruth Nyhof and Lloyd Justin Lemmen was solemnized Thursday evening in Overisel Christian Reformed Church parlor. The double ring rites were read by the Rev. Elsworth Ten Clay in the presence of about 100 guests.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Nyhof of route 5, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Lemmen of route 2.

Wedding attendants were Miss Isla Lemmen, and Miss Verna Lemmen, sisters of the groom, maid of honor and bridesmaid, respectively; Mary Ann Nyhof, sister of the bride, junior bridesmaid, Carla Kool, niece of the bride, flower girl; Gelmer Nyhof, brother of the bride, best man; Ronald Lemmen, brother of the groom, and Clayton Bosch, cousin of the groom, ushers.

"Because," and "The Lord's Prayer" were sung by Miss Eleanor Schievink, accompanied by Miss Elaine Michmerhuizen, who also played traditional wedding music.

The wedding party assembled before an arrangement of ferns, candelabra and bouquets of white gladioli.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a gown of white satin with a long train, trimmed with lace insertions. Her finger-ring veil, trimmed with matching lace, was held in place by a seed pearl tiara. She carried a white Bible with a red rose corsage and streamers.

The maid of honor's gown was fashioned of yellow taffeta with a net yoke and overskirt. The bridesmaid and junior bridesmaid wore identical gowns of orchid and mile green taffeta. A white taffeta gown fashioned like the bridesmaid's was worn by the flower girl. They all wore matching net headbands and carried contrasting colonial bouquets. The flower girl strewn rose petals from a white basket in the path of the bride.

A reception was held in the church basement with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dyke as master and mistress of ceremonies and Charlotte and Winnifred Nyhof, twin sisters of the bride, in charge of the gift room. Serving were the Misses Lila Veldheer, Arloa Bosch, Lorraine Boeve, Marion, Hazel and Hermine Nyhof and Florence Tien, all cousins of the couple.

Mothers of both the bride and the groom wore black dresses with black accessories and red rose corsages.

A program included a solo by Miss Schievink; piano duet by Misses Marion and Hazel Nyhof and numbers by the Men's quartet of North Street Christian Reformed Church of Zeeland, composed of Louis Mannes, Harvey and Simon Huizenga and Dick Timmer, accompanied by Mrs. Mannes.

Among those unable to attend were the bride's brother, A/C Henry M. Nyhof, in the Air Force in Labrador, and Pfc. Kenneth L. Lemmen, brother of the groom, serving in the Army in Korea.

The bride has been employed by the Hamilton Farm Bureau and the groom is employed at H. J. Heinz Co.

A navy blue nylon suit with white accessories and a red rose corsage was worn by the bride on their northern wedding trip. After Sept. 21 they will be at home at route 1, Hamilton.

## Police Probe Two Burglaries

South Haven state police troopers and Holland police were investigating a possible tie-up between a break-in at the Fennville Hardware store and one at the Reliable Cycle Shop.

Both stores were reported to have been entered Monday night and quantities of guns and ammunition taken. In Fennville, an undisclosed amount of ammunition, fishing tackle, knives, and other equipment was stolen. Only a few guns were taken.

On the same night more than \$1,700 worth of guns and ammunition were stolen from the Reliable Cycle Shop. State police said entrance at the Fennville store was made through a rear window.

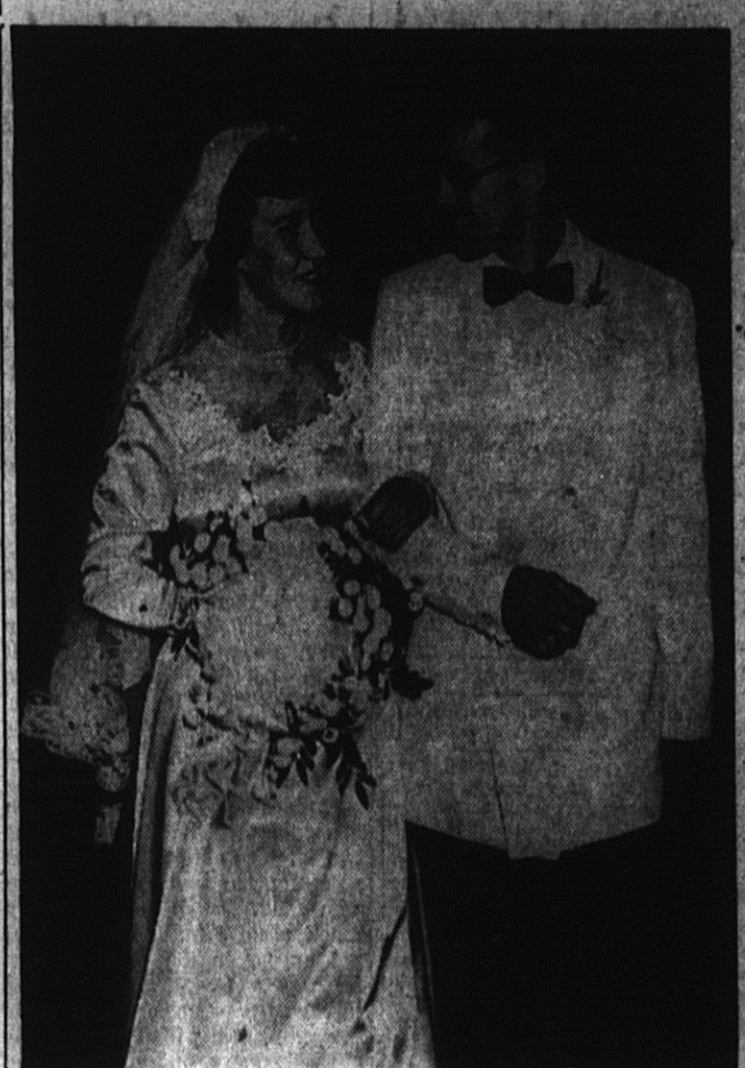
Local police said they were continuing their investigation and are checking all possible leads. Anyone having any information is asked to contact the Holland police department. A \$50 reward posted by the Reliable Cycle shop still stands.

### Claus Vink Succumbs At Spring Lake Home

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Claus Vink, 83, died Friday afternoon at his home, 209 North Jackson St., Spring Lake, after a seven-week illness. Mr. Vink was injured when struck by a car at the corner of Savidge St. and Jackson St. on July 25.

He was born in Spring Lake Aug. 8, 1870, and on Dec. 18, 1900, married Jennie Werkman, who died Nov. 21, 1946. He had been a mason contractor until his retirement.

Surviving are seven daughters, Mrs. Roy Wilkison, Mrs. Edwin Gustafson, Mrs. Earl Bishop and Mrs. Carl Briegel of Spring Lake, Mrs. Dick Gringhuis and Mrs. Frank Simantz of Grand Haven and Mrs. Thomas Brown of Cadillac; two sons, Herman and Chester of Spring Lake; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Olthoff, Spring Lake, and Mrs. Johanna Williams of Muskegon; two brothers, John and Walter of Spring Lake; 21 grandchildren, and four great grandchildren.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wayne Kamphuis (Bulford photo)

## Beatrice J. Vander Vlies Wed to Robert Kamphuis

Miss Beatrice Jean VanderVlies daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bastian Vander Vlies of 88 West 16th St., and Robert Wayne Kamphuis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kamphuis, 76 West 20th St., exchanged marriage vows Saturday afternoon in an early fall wedding in Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church.

Officiating at the 4 p.m. rites was the Rev. William Haverkamp. Miss Allene Huizenga was organist. He sang "O Promise Me," "The Lord's Prayer" and "Benediction."

The wedding party assembled before a lovely setting of palms and ferns accented with baskets of white gladioli. Included were Mrs. Joseph M. Salvatore, the bride's sister, as matron of honor; Mrs. Marvin Vander Vlies, sister-in-law of the bride, Miss Barbara Kamphuis, sister of the groom, and Miss Helen Van Vels, bridesmaid; Myron Van Ark, who attended the groom as best man, and Gerard H. Teigenhof, Robert Albers and Marvin Vander Vlies, ushers. Little Judith Ann Brower, niece of the bride, was flower girl, and Bruce M. Vander Vlies, her nephew, was ring bearer.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a white satin princess-style gown featuring long sleeves tapered at the wrists, a nylon net yoke bordered with rhinestones and a cathedral train. Her illusion veil, edged with chantilly lace, was secured by a satin headpiece. She carried a white bouquet, featuring three large chrysanthemums surrounded by pompons, chrysanthemums and white streamers.

Bridal attendants wore identical gowns in autumn shades. The gowns were styled with velvet strapless bodices, taffeta skirts with nylon tulle overskirts. They wore matching nylon tulle stoles, matching mits and headpieces.

The newlyweds are honeymooning in northern Michigan and Canada. For going away, the bride changed to a brown fur-trimmed dress, beige accessories and an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Kamphuis, a graduate of Holland Christian High School, has been employed as assistant to the librarian at Holland City Library. Mr. Kamphuis, now a second-year dental student at the University of Michigan, was graduated from Holland High and Hope College. He is a member of Psi Omega national dental fraternity. The couple will live at 1426 Brooklyn, Ann Arbor, upon return from their wedding trip Sept. 22. On Thursday evening the groom's parents entertained the bridal party.

### Kids Study While School Is Built

ALLEGAN (Special) — If students were graded on their ability to concentrate, the pupils in the new Seventh-day Adventist elementary school near Allegan would all be entitled to A's.

Work on their new building is still in progress and huge earth moving equipment—at work on the M-40 relocation—roars past their doors continuously — yet their teacher, Miss Pansy Middaugh, reports that her charges have already settled down to their studies with amazing zeal.

The children wend their way through the scaffolding used by workers to install the acoustical ceiling as if all schools were made that way. And Miss Middaugh says they have already become accustomed to the roar of the heavy equipment outside.

The school located two miles southwest of Allegan on the new M-40 relocation, is the result of many years of planning and saving by the local Adventist church. Many of the members have played an actual part in its construction. Volunteers under the direction of Elder H. H. Crandell, pastor, have worked alongside professional builders.

The 22 by 44 foot building is constructed of cinder block and meets all state requirements for the health, safety and welfare of its students. It will have a perimeter heating system and is lighted by large windows and fluorescent fixtures.

### Grand Haven Officer Will Retire on Oct. 1

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Emil Klumpel, 64-year-old Grand Haven police officer, since March 12, 1917, is retiring as of Oct. 1. Klumpel will work at the desk for another week before taking a two-week vacation preceding his retirement.

He started under Chief Del Fortney, when there were only two officers besides the chief on the force, in comparison with a 12-man force along with the chief today.

Besides his police duties, which included testing platform scales and gasoline pumps, he has served the city for 32 years as dairy inspector. He is willing to continue this service, which requires less than three days a month, if the city desires. He said he inspects six dairy plants and about 80 producing farms which are included in the Coopersville, Allendale, Bauer and Blendon areas. He said these farms are 100 per cent electrically equipped with water heaters and wash vats for washing their equipment and storing them on racks.

Mr. and Mrs. Klumpel live at 413 Jackson St., and have one son, Herman, employed at the Oldberg Manufacturing Co.

### Engaged

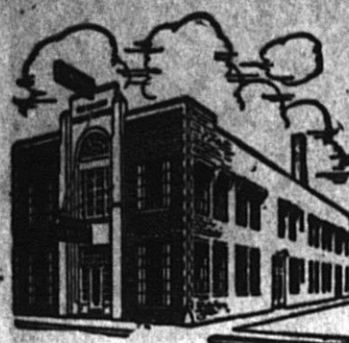


Miss Joyce Boerman

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boerman of 257 West 24th St. announce the engagement of their daughter, Joyce, to William Dykstra, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Dykstra of 152 West 31st St.

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### SNAP JUDGMENTS ON FOREIGNERS

The other day one of our local girls, Joan Andreesen, contributed an article to the Sentinel describing her experiences in England. Among the many interesting observations was the statement that "contrary to much hearsay, the people are very friendly, with a most wonderful sense of humor." The discovery of that fact is worth anyone's taking a trip to a foreign land. The world is full of stereotype judgments about the people of other countries. We charge the British with "haughtiness"; they charge us with being "loud" and "boorish." Both judgments are true of some Englishmen and of some Americans; both are untrue of the masses of the people.

There are many stereotype judgments about other nations. The Dutch are supposed to be phlegmatic, the French mercurial and flighty, the Germans lacking in playfulness, the Italians given to outbursts of passion. All these things are true of some of the people in all those countries, but they are untrue of the general run.

The first thing that is likely to strike the observant traveler to foreign countries is the fact that, under surface differences, the same people are found almost everywhere. Most of them are inclined to be friendly to visitors; the occasional native who conforms to the mistaken stereotype is almost certainly an exception. The trouble rests much more frequently with the visitor. If he goes to England in the conviction that the British are standoffish, or to France in the belief Frenchmen are emotionally unstable, he is likely to find what he is looking for. Example of his imaginary nationals may be met with in any country.

But if he goes a-traveling in the conviction that the masses of the people in other lands are very much like the masses of the people at home, he is not likely to mistake the exceptions for the rule. If he goes traveling with an open mind, an uncurbed imagination, and a reasonable freedom from chauvinism, he is likely to gain some of the understanding of other peoples that is presumably one of the chief reasons why he leaves home at all and puts up with all the inconveniences.

If all the people of all lands could get the opportunity to learn to know the people of all other lands as they actually are, the chances are that most of the tensions would fade out which now bedevil the world. Basically this is a friendly world; ignorance and prejudice and lack of imagination are turning it into an international nightmare.

## 13 Will Leave For Induction

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Thirteen young men from Ottawa county will leave Grand Haven Armory Wednesday, Sept. 23, for induction into the armed forces in Detroit.

Seven of the 13 hail from Holland. They are Frederick Van Wieren III, route 4; Preston J. Kool, 62 Gordon; Roy E. Morris, 74 East 15th Street; Dale H. Aitken, 131 West 18th St.; Willard L. Penna, 552 East End Ave.; William S. Rhoda, 563 College Ave.; Paul L. Vanden Brink, 134 Vander Veen.

Others are Donald J. Timmer, Hudsonville; Robert J. Snek, Ferrysburg; James W. Swart, Ralph E. Smith and Peter G. Manning, Grand Haven; Jack A. Dunn, Spring Lake.

### Vannette Baby Dies At Holland Hospital

Daryl Vannette, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Vannette of 630 North Shore Dr., died Thursday afternoon several hours after birth at Holland Hospital.

Surviving besides the parents are a sister, Jacqueline, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vannette of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Brink of Graafschap.

## Sunday School Lesson

September 20, 1953  
Counsel for Christians  
Titus 2:7,8; 3:1-11  
by Henry Geerlings

This lesson constitutes a ringing call to Christians living, to the inflexible application of Christian truth to everyday life. The apostle Paul directed Titus, with meticulous care, concerning what he was to teach the disciples in Crete. In fact, he all but provided the young man with a blueprint for every phase of his teaching. Titus needed Paul's assistance in dealing with the problems that had arisen in Crete. There were heretics, and both Jews and Gentiles had been drawn away from the faith. It would not be easy for one so young as Titus to untangle the theological and ecclesiastical knots that had gotten into the thread of faith in Crete.

The epistle to Titus was written about the time that Paul wrote the two letters to Timothy. Titus was a companion and fellow worker with Paul. We do not know very much about him. His name does not appear in the book of Acts. He was a Greek and converted through the preaching of Paul. He was associated with Paul on some of his journeys, and was deputized by him to go on certain missions in relation to the oversight of the early churches. He was earnest, zealous and trustworthy. At this time he was in Crete.

The letter that the apostle wrote to him there is much the same as he wrote to Timothy. They deal with the order of the churches. The counsels that are given here though in brief form cover a wide field. They are informative, instructive and searching in their application. They are of present value to every Christian, both laymen and those in pastoral relationship.

Titus was exhorted to become a pattern for the Christians on three levels—works, doctrine and spirit. The expression sound speech implies that it is possible for a preacher or any other Christian to become eccentric even on the essentials of the gospel, out of balance, placing too much emphasis upon some minor item, and contending for it with a militant spirit. When we have that kind of pattern in the pulpit or in the pew, people who are of the contrary part will make capital of it. If the world can find in us inconsistent reasoning or a wrong or contentious spirit, or a silly emphasis on some point that we call ethics, some will be exultant in condemning us and discrediting the work of the church. They had them in Paul's day, but if the Christians followed an intelligent, clean pattern, and showed themselves always sane and consistent, these critics would become ashamed to antagonize them.

We need to pray for wisdom that we may place subjects of relative importance in their place, whether it be doctrine or practice, not overrating a weak point, and not using the soft pedal on a strong point. Every stand we take, however, should be in the spirit of Christ.

Once again the Holy Spirit sounds out the fact that salvation is by grace plus nothing. Clearly and distinctly the truth is related—salvation is not by the works of men's hands. It is the work of God through Christ in response to faith in the work of Calvary and the justifying effect of the resurrection. The new birth is set forth clearly as the work of God. Christians are born into the family of God. He never adopts children as do people.

And God's children have been born into His family, a birth which is spiritual and yet as real as one's physical birth. The believer becomes a Christian not by heritage from parents. He does not become a child of God by doing, but by believing. Neither is his new life the result of the efforts of others on his behalf. No minister can effect our reconciliation to God. No human instrument can effect our salvation. We may lead others to the Savior. We may tell them the way. We may preach the gospel. We may tell out the good news—but save them, reconcile them, personally grant pardon, or personally forgive—sinners. This is the work of God through grace.

### Gold Star Mother Dies At Coopersville Home

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Wetha Hastings, 90, died early Tuesday at her home on Mill St., in Coopersville after a long illness. She was born in Rockford, Ill. July 23, 1863 as Wetha Morris and was married there Dec. 14, 1890 to Bertley L. Hastings, who died Feb. 20, 1945. They had resided in Coopersville for the past 53 years, coming from Rockford. She was a Gold Star Mother. A son, Clyde, died during World War I on Nov. 8, 1918 in the Argonne Forest in France.

She is survived by two sons, Ray of Coopersville and Leon of Boise, Idaho; three grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and one great, great grandchild.

The body will repose at the Kammeraad Funeral Home until Wednesday morning when it will be taken to the family home to remain until Thursday noon, when it will be removed to the American Legion Hall in Coopersville.

Services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Legion Hall with the Rev. Horace Maycroft of Saugatuck officiating. Burial will be in Wright Township Cemetery.

The Smithsonian Institution founded and turned over to the United States government the nation's first weather bureau.



Rev. James Baar

## Local Minister Leaving Holland

The Rev. James Baar, pastor of Maplewood Reformed Church for almost seven years, announced to his congregation Sunday that he had accepted a call to First Reformed Church of Denver, Colo. He will preach his farewell sermon the evening of Oct. 4 which is World Wide Communion Day. Shortly after that, the family will leave for Denver.

Maplewood Church was founded almost 12 years ago, and when the Baars came here in 1946 the church had 68 families, compared with the 175 families at present. Four years ago an addition was built doubling the capacity. The church has just completed a modern new parsonage of colonial design in red brick.

The Sunday school has a membership of 425 and an average attendance of 300. There are 275 baptized members, an unusually large number for a church of this size.

The church started a 10-year missionary program last year and at present shares in the support of five missionaries. The plan calls for one or more shares each year. Current missionaries are Dr. John R. Kemper of Chiapas, Mexico, Suzanne Brinks of Japan, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Kleinjans of Tokyo, Marie Van Vuren of New Mexico, and the Rev. Herman Maassen, formerly of North Holland who is working with the new Dutch settlements in Ontario, Canada.

The church to which the Baars will go is about 30 years old and has about 165 families. It is located in the south section of Denver and already has mothered three more Reformed Churches. One of the newer Reformed Churches, the Montclair Church, has the Rev. Donald Lam of Holland as pastor. The Rev. Harmon Wierenga of Muskegon is about to take the pastorate of Mountain View Church and the third currently is vacant.

Rev. Baar during his seven years in Holland has held many positions. He was vice president of the Ministerial Association, served on the board of Camp Geneva and directed one of the conferences there this summer. He is chairman of the committee on evangelism of Holland classis, president of Temple Time, the radio program of the denomination, a director of the Optimist Club, and secretary of the Korean Relief committee.

The Baars have three children.

## Mrs. C. Buursma Dies Unexpectedly

Mrs. Ruth Estelle Buursma, 59, wife of Charles Buursma was found dead in bed at her home, 187 East 11th St., Tuesday at 5:15 p.m. by her husband. Shortly after noon lunch Mrs. Buursma received a telephone call from her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Van Voort from Spokane, Wash., after which she had gone to bed, complaining of feeling ill. It was believed she had been dead for about three hours.

Born Oct. 31, 1893 in West Olive, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry Estelle. She lived in Holland since 1907, was a member of Sixth Reformed Church, World War II Mothers, the Ladies Auxiliary of Eagles and the Gray Ladies.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from the Dykstra Funeral chapel with the Rev. Henry A. Mouw officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery. The body is at Dykstra Funeral chapel where friends may meet the family on Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Surviving besides the husband are two daughters, Mrs. Anna Bosch of Indianapolis and Mrs. Van Voort; three sons, Henry Charles of Grand Rapids; Norman of Holland and George of Allegan; 14 grandchildren, and one great-grandson.

### Farm Bureau Board Meets at Mohr Home

Ottawa County Farm Bureau Board met at the home of Mrs. Cornelius Mohr in Jenison last week Tuesday evening.

Following committee reports, date for the annual meeting was set for Oct. 21 at the Allendale Town Hall. Mrs. Russel Smalligan of Jamestown was named local manager this year. The bureau now has a total membership of 1,371.

Same Rymer was a delegate to the Goodwill conference held in Newaygo last Friday and Saturday.

Cotton grows on about one-twelfth of all United States farm land.

## Seminary to Build On Present Site, President Says

Sentiment in Churches Responsible for Change; Work Will Start Soon

The new proposed buildings for Western Theological Seminary will be constructed on the present site of the seminary, Dr. John R. Mulder, seminary president, announced at a seminary convocation here Friday in Third Reformed Church.

Decision to utilize the present site was made at a specially called meeting of the Board of Trustees Wednesday. New property had been purchased several months ago, but sentiment in the churches seemed so strong for the present site that the board unanimously decided to build on the familiar grounds.

Dr. Mulder explained that the financial program to underwrite the buildings has progressed far enough to assure success of the campaign, and construction will start as soon as possible. Buildings will face 12th St. as the buildings to be replaced presently do. The present dormitory will be retained and integrated architecturally into the whole design.

The whole building will be composed of various units, each one necessary to the program of the school. The chapel will seat about 225 persons, and the Commons room will be larger or smaller groups. A modern and adequate kitchen is planned to meet requirements of hospitality.

Library facilities will include large reading room, librarian's office and workshop, and stack room space for 75,000 volumes. There will be seven class rooms and seven offices for faculty members. An audio-visual room also is included. There will be adequate office space, a board room, and adequate provision for storage of files, precious books and documents.

Kingscott and Associates of Kalamazoo drew plans for the new development.

## Overisel

(From Wednesdays' Sentinel)  
Violet Kroeze was the leader in the Christian Endeavor society in the Reformed Church last week Tuesday evening. She had as her subject "The Kickoff."

Members of the Sunshine band of the Christian Reformed Church attended the fall inspirational meeting of the Holland-Zeeland Girls League Monday evening which was held in the Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church of Holland.

The Girls League of the Reformed Church met on Wednesday evening. Eunice Schipper was the program chairman and Marie Van Vuren of New Mexico was the guest speaker.

Change of address of a serviceman—Pvt. Roger D. Timmer US-55369284 Co. D. 25th A. E. B. 6th Arm. Div. 4th PNT Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Mae Kolkema sang "Why Do I Sing About Jesus" as a solo in the morning service in the Reformed Church last Sunday. In the evening Jan Van Peursem of Zeeland was the guest soloist. She sang "If I Gain the World and Have Not Jesus" and "I'm a Pilgrim and a Stranger." She was accompanied on the piano by her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Redder are the parents of a son Lloyd Jay born Sept. 10.

Funeral services were held in the Christian Reformed Church Monday afternoon for Mrs. Shirley (Oetman) Maliepaard.

All the children of the Reformed Church will meet Saturday morning for assignment to their classes and book distribution to begin another term of catechism. The pastor, the Rev. A. Tellinghuisen, and Mrs. Earl Gunneman will be teachers.

The Rev. A. Tellinghuisen and Stanley Wolters were appointed as delegates of the Reformed Church to attend the regular fall session of the Zeeland Classis this week.

There are 59 pupils enrolled at Sandy View school this year. 36 in the primary room with Miss Donna Hightower as the teacher and 23 in the grammar room with Mrs. Henrietta Kleinhels as the teacher. There are six beginners, Randall Sneller, Vaughn Folkert, Larry Gemmen, Earl Hulsman, Sheila Kaper and Ethel Nyhof.

## South Blendon

The Rev. Fred Ligteneberg and Elder Gerrit Elzinga attended the fall session of classis Zeeland which convened in the First Reformed Church in Zeeland Monday evening and Tuesday.

The special music at the Sunday evening service was two vocal duets by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brower of Forest Grove.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Poskey were Mr. and Mrs. Ward Stuart of Byron Center and Mr. and Mrs. N. Hanson of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vrugink and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lovins and family Saturday evening at their home south of Grandville.

Mrs. H. H. Vander Molen of North Blendon spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. C. Meuwesen and children.

Miss Jeanne La Huis was leader of the senior C. E. meeting Sunday afternoon. George Vrugink and Martin Vande Guchte spent the first of the week fishing in Canada.



Mrs. Hazel Shaw Hayes

## New Librarian Named for Local Public Library

The appointment of Mrs. Hazel Shaw Hayes of Clinton, Ind., as head librarian for the Holland Public Library was announced Monday by Mrs. O. S. Cross, chairman of the Library Board.

Mrs. Hayes will probably assume her duties here around Oct. 15. Miss Dora Schermer, librarian here for many years, will continue on the library staff, she informed the board several months ago that she would like to be relieved of the top responsibilities.

Mrs. Hayes was an elementary teacher for four years in Clinton, Ind., around World War I, and then with her husband operated business in groceries, and paint and wall paper as well as a tea room.

In 1946 she became head librarian at the Clinton Public Library engaging in all types of library work until 1952. In 1947 she obtained a class 5 certificate and from 1947 to 1952 studied for an A.B. degree at Indiana State Teachers' College at Terre Haute, Ind. This year she obtained a master's degree in library science at the University of Illinois at Urbana.

She and her husband will move to Holland soon. Mr. Hayes is engaged as a wholesale grocery salesman.

During the six years Mrs. Hayes was librarian at Clinton, the circulation was increased per year from 31,000 to 91,000 on the basis of 3,200 borrowers. She helped reorganize the entire library, outfitting a children's room in the basement, a Youth Center or High School age corner, a room for reference material, a rest room for the public and many other improvements. She arranged special exhibits and promoted Book Week and Library Week through the year.

Mrs. Hayes has been active in church and club work as well as other civic organizations and has given many talks on books as well as book reviews.

Members of the Library Board are Mrs. Cross, Dr. E. E. Fell, Mrs. Edward Donivan and Milton L. Hinga.

### Miss Van Oort Feted At Kitchen Shower

A surprise kitchen and grocery shower was held at the home of Vernon Van Oort last Wednesday honoring Miss Mary Van Oort who will become the bride of John Hamilton Sept. 25. Hostess for the event was Mrs. Vernon Van Oort, assisted by Mrs. Edward Hamilton, Mrs. Bernard Van Oort and the Misses Ruth and Margaret Wendt.

Gifts attached to streamers were arranged around an improvised wedding cake. Games were played with duplicate prizes awarded to the Mesdames Richard Van Oort, Herbert Van Oort and the Misses Margaret Wendt, Myra Vanden Brink, Shirley Oosterbaan and the guest of honor. A two-course lunch was served.

Invited were the Mesdames Herbert Van Oort, Bernard Van Oort, Henry Van Oort, Dale Van Oort, Sadie Van Oort, Gil Van Noord, Myron Van Oort, Richard Van Oort, Earl Van Oort, Charles Cooper, Fred Bell, Sr., Arnold Wendt, Jr., Arnold Wendt, Sr., Harry Wendt and the Misses Ruth Wendt, Margaret Wendt, Donna Bosman, Shirley Oosterbaan, Myra Vanden Brink, Ruthie Wendt and the guest of honor.

Miss Marjorie Jean Fockler of route 2, Holland, announced the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie Jean, to Sgt. Leslie Kloosterman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kloosterman of route 2, Zeeland.



Mr. and Mrs. William Fockler of route 2, Holland, announced the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie Jean, to Sgt. Leslie Kloosterman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kloosterman of route 2, Zeeland.

## Kiwanis Club Plans Sixth Series of Travel Films

A world-girdling series of travel and adventure travelogues is to be presented by the Kiwanis Club of Holland as its members make final plans to sponsor its sixth season.

Scheduled to open Oct. 7 in Hope Memorial Chapel, the series this season will feature colored film tours of central Europe, including Germany and Switzerland, a pilgrimage to Rome, Mount Vesuvius in action, Canada's Northlands, a trip along the Atlantic coast, Western United States with its beauty of Pike's Peak and Grand Canyon, and adventures of the animal kingdom.

Only one lecturer who has appeared in Holland before will return because of his tremendous popularity with local audiences. Julian Gromer, the series opener, is an old favorite on the course, and this season he will offer his latest film-tour, an exciting trip along the Atlantic coast. From New York City to Miami, the film is a succession of exciting scenes and events as they unfold on the screen.

The second number, on Nov. 4, will be one of the most interesting and colorful films ever presented on "Western Wonders." Ken Button's artistic photography will show scenes of Pike's Peak, Grand Canyon, the man-made wonder of Hoover Dam in historical contrast with the Apache Trail and the Indian Cliff Dwellings and other geological oddities.

On Nov. 25 Lem Rasmussen will show his film on Canada's Northlands, a 2,000-mile canoe trip from

## Grand Rapids Theater Ready for New Season

The Grand Rapids Civic Theater is currently staging its 28th annual membership campaign, seeking 3,700 members for a series of six plays the coming season.

Representing Civic Theater in Holland are Mrs. Edward Donivan, 71 West 15th St., and Cornelia Van Voort of 271 East 16th St. In Zeeland Mrs. Roger Prince of 231 Main St. is contact representative. The membership campaign closes Sept. 21.

All Civic Theater productions except arena projects are given in St. Cecilia Building, 24 Randolph, in Grand Rapids, for eight performances, opening on a Friday and running through the following Saturday with no performance on Sunday. Syd Spayde again is serving as director.

Fred A. Lumb, president of the theater group, has announced the following plays:  
Oct. 16-24—"Affairs of State," a sparkling, highly polished drawing room comedy by Louis Verneuil in which an ambitious young senator from Colorado is convinced by his friend and elder colleague that marriage is a political necessity. The marriage of convenience which follows pleases not only the elder statesman but his wife as well, but the bride-tied turns the triangle into a four-sided affair.

Dec. 4-12—"Mr. Roberts," adapted for the theater by Thomas Heggens and Joshua Logan, is the most popular and highly praised drama to come out of World War II. It tells the tale of the monotonous existence of officers and men aboard a supply ship during the war in the Pacific.

Jan. 22-30—"Bell, Book and Candle" featured Lilli Palmer and Rex Harrison in the leading roles on Broadway. In John Van Druten's fantasy, the heroine is a pretty but bona-fide witch living in an everyday brownstone apartment in New York City. She falls in love with a doctor, greatly affects her status in witchhood and her gay irresponsible fellow witches.

March 5-13—"Winterset" by Maxwell Anderson is considered by many critics to be one of the finest plays written by an American. It is a powerful drama laid in the cold environs of New York involving people thrown together by an act of violence and yet containing the sensitive and almost poetic treatment of a tragic love story.

April 23-May 1—"High Ground" by Charlotte Hastings is a melodrama concerning a group of people isolated by floods in a convent hospital including a girl condemned to death for murder. As time passes certain facts of the murder case become known but the members of the church refuse to interfere in civil procedures. The head of the hospital turns detective and unmasks the real murderer.

May 21-29—"Three Men on a Horse" is a comedy by John Cecil Holm and George Abbott in which the main character is a greeting card writer who is quite successful at "playing the horses" at least on paper. This hilarious farce is nothing more than a steady succession of smiles, chuckles and hearty laughs.

## Olive Center

(From Wednesdays' Sentinel)  
The local school held its opening day at the Town Hall last Tuesday, where classes are being held while the new building is being completed. There are 33 pupils, three of whom are beginners: Florence Kuite, Roger Smeysers and Junior Ives. Miss Helen Hamstra is the teacher and Mrs. Jennie Vander Zwaag is the janitor.

Seven children of the district are attending parochial schools; Connie Bruhn is a pupil at St. Patrick's Catholic school in Grand Haven and Larry and Sharon Nienhuis, Bernie and Glenn Vanden Zwaag and Lenore and Calvin Veneberg are attending South Olive Christian school.

Mrs. Jennie Vander Zwaag returned to her home Monday from Grand Haven where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Katherine Eelman since Friday. While there she accompanied her sister and Mrs. Jennie Justema on a trip through northern Michigan.

Mrs. Richard Diemer left Friday morning for Lawton, Okla., to be with her husband, Pfc. Diemer, who is stationed at Fort Sill near Lawton.

## Otsego Churches And City Will Get Sums From Will

ALLEGAN (Special)—Four Otsego churches and the city itself were named beneficiaries in the will of an Otsego Township farmer who died Sept. 8.

Wright Hadden, who died at the age of 81, left houses and lots in the city of Otsego to the Seventh-day Adventist, Congregational and Methodist churches of Otsego. The Baptist church was bequeathed a house and two lots in Plainwell.

The will, which was admitted for probate Tuesday, directed that Hadden's 99 acre farm and the remainder of his personal property be sold and the proceeds turned over to the city of Otsego "for improvements to Memorial Park," the city owned athletic field.

The bequest to the city was made, according to the will, primarily for the benefit of the boys and girls of Otsego and vicinity.

The will pointed out that it was made "with full knowledge that provisions for relatives had been omitted. This was intentional but done with kindness regards and no ill will, in the firm belief that these bequests will do more to advance the good of the community than if they were made to individuals."

An unusual clause in the will provided that "any effort to contest the will shall revoke the right of the contestant to receive anything from the estate if the will shall be set aside."

Chester A. Ray, an Allegan attorney, was named as executor of the estate. The will was made out Sept. 2, 1950, three years prior to Hadden's death.

Ray said that Hadden's wife had preceded him in death and that the couple had no children. Several nieces and nephews survive, however. Although he had never been an active member of any of the churches named in his will, Hadden reportedly explained at the time of its writing that "they always need money."

Total value of the estate was estimated at between \$30,000 and \$40,000.

## Locals to Hear USJCC President

Several members of the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce will attend a major Michigan Jaycee meeting Friday night at Hart. Dain Domich, president of the U.S. Jaycees, will be featured speaker.

Les Deridder, Art Schwartz, Charles Van Zyn and Ray Helder, local Jaycees planning to attend, will present a pair of traditional "Jolland" wooden shoes to the national president.

Domich is coming from California to make a quick trip through Michigan and, for his talk at the Hart American Legion club house. More than 100 Jaycees are expected from Grand Haven, Holland, Muskegon, Traverse City, White Lake, Holton, Ludington and Manistee. The speaker is a former president of the California state Jaycee national group.

Other after-dinner speakers will be Herb Auer, state president, and other state leaders. The group will consider projects in the fields of traffic safety and education. Tom Foster, Hart president, is in charge.

### Native of Allegan Dies At Home in Grand Haven

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Lucy Apps, 72, died at her home, 527 Lafayette St., Tuesday afternoon. She had been ill for several years and critically so the last week. She was born in Allegan as Lucy Ireland Sept. 20, 1880, and had lived in Grand Haven most of her life as well as in Spring Lake township and Muskegon. She had been a member of the Salvation Army for more than 50 years and was active in its work while her health permitted. Her husband, John L. Apps, died in 1938.

She is survived by a son, William Scott, route 1, Spring Lake; two stepdaughters, Mrs. James Somonte of Spring Lake and Mrs. John Hancock of Detroit; a brother, Madison Ireland of Spring Lake and two sisters, Mrs. Anna Simmons of Muskegon and Mrs. Ma. Lockard of Nunica; 11 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. The body was taken to Van Zantwick funeral home where it will remain until Friday morning when it will be taken to Salvation Army Hall for services at 1:30 p.m. Major Lenore will officiate and burial will be at Spring Lake Cemetery.

### Allegan Enrollments Show 79 More Pupils

ALLEGAN (Special)—Final enrollment figures for Allegan city schools show an increase of 79 over last year, according to Arthur A. Kaechle, superintendent.

Enrollment totaled 1,523 with 822 in the elementary schools, 185 in junior high and 516 in senior high.

"First graders constituted the largest single group in the elementary schools with 141 enrolled. Attendance at the various grade schools was as follows: Dawson, 22; West Ward, 219; South Ward, 168; North Ward, 215.

## Board Ready for Special School Election Oct. 14

### Seven New Teachers Approved by Trustees At Regular Session

The Board of Education at its monthly meeting Monday night passed several routine resolutions regarding the special school election to be held in the six polling places in the city of Holland Oct. 14 to vote \$900,000 in bonds for elementary school improvements.

On recommendation of City Attorney James E. Townsend, the resolutions covered such phases of the program as appointment of election inspectors in each of the six wards, the use of voting machines, election procedures and such technicalities that are necessary in a bonding program.

Supt. Walter W. Scott announced that an eight-page brochure promoting the election will be available for distribution Sept. 22. Its title is "You Can't Argue With the Stork." Local PTA's also are meeting this week to explain the issue. Election details are being worked out by City Atty. Townsend, Mrs. Kenneth De Pree, secretary of the board, and Clarence Greengood, city clerk.

Trustees also were instructed to reserve Thursday, Oct. 8, as the date for opening bids for the new addition to Van Raalte school.

The board also approved recommendations of the teachers' committee to hire seven new teachers, all of whom already are on the job.

Miss Mary Hickman of Mishawaka, Ind., now retired and living on route 4, will serve as acting principal at Washington School. Miss Hickman who has had 36 years of teaching experience received her training at Indiana University. She has been spending her summers in Holland for 17 years.

Mrs. Harriet Schurman Emmons of Holland, a graduate of Hope College with nine years of teaching experience, will teach sixth grade at Longfellow School.

Mrs. Mildred Van Lente of Holland who taught several years before moving to Holland will teach English and social science in Junior High School on a half-time basis. She has done considerable substitute teaching the last 10 years. She is a graduate of Michigan State College.

Mrs. Mildred Damson of Holland, a graduate of Hope College, will teach history in Junior High School on a half-time basis. She has been substituting the past 10 years.

Mrs. Elizabeth Poppema of Holland will substitute as a history teacher in Junior High School until a permanent teacher can be hired. She is a graduate of Hope College and has had 12 years' experience.

Mrs. Vera Buckel of Kalkaska, a graduate of Central Michigan College, will teach home economics.

miles in Junior High School. She has had 23 years of experience. Mrs. Virginia Borgman of Holland will return as girls' physical education teacher until such time as a permanent teacher can be obtained. She is a graduate of Michigan State Normal College and taught in the local system several years.

The board also approved the appointment of Mrs. Ava Bond as part-time consultant in elementary teacher education in co-operation with Hope College. This is the work formerly done by the late Carolyn Hawes in placing Hope College student teachers with appropriate elementary teachers in public schools.

Supt. Scott also informed the board that Vernon Kraai had requested a release of contract to take advantage of a business opportunity. The board approved Scott's recommendation that the release be granted when a suitable replacement is obtained.

A communication from Dr. John R. Mulder, president of Western Theological Seminary, calling attention to the change in plans in the seminary's proposed building program abandoning the site purchased from the Board of Education, was referred to the buildings and grounds committee.

Attention was called to a safety meeting of the schools committee and city officials Monday at 4 p.m. in the city manager's office.

Claims for August totaled \$167,595.36 which included \$43,299.42 for teachers' salaries and \$17,194.22 from the building and site fund.

The buildings and grounds committee reported the purchase of five houses at the Van Raalte school site. These were owned by Richard Borr, Chris Otten, Vera George, Raymond Sprick and Floyd Klein. The committee reported that took pointing at Washington school is about two-thirds completed, that a new roof has been added to the girls' gymnasium at Junior High and that all rooms at Junior High have been painted.

All trustees were present at the meeting which lasted an hour and 45 minutes. President Sadie Grace Winter presided and Trustee E. V. Hartman gave the invocation.

### Forest Grove

On Monday evening, Sept. 14, all consistory members and wives are invited to attend the Zeeland Classis in First Reformed Church, Zeeland. Dr. Jacob Prins will be the speaker.

A mixed quartet composed of Miss Arlene Sprick, Carol Kline-steker, Roger Brower, and Dale Ver Meer furnished special music at the evening church service.

The September Golden Chain Union meeting will be held in the local church on Thursday evening.

Nelson Brouwer is still confined to St. Mary's Hospital following a heart attack at his home. Mrs. Brower is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Lorraine Johnson, in Grandville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shoemaker are caring for their granddaughter, Karen Shoemaker, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Dennis Shoemaker of Flint, while Mrs. Shoemaker and infant son are in the hospital in Flint.

The Senior CE was conducted by Loren Renkema on Sunday afternoon.

The Junior CE leader was Linda Ver Meer. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Van Dam and friends of New Era spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Van Dam.

Although Greenland is one-fourth the size of the United States, its population is a mere 23,000, predominantly of mixed Eskimo and Scandinavian descent.



Dr. J. Harvey Kleinhessel, who has been teaching chemistry at Hope College for 25 years, accepts a gold wrist watch from David O. De Pree, class of 1940, of Royal Oak on behalf of 53 Hope College graduates who attended a dinner honoring Dr. Kleinhessel in Chicago.

## Alumni Honor College Chemistry Professor

Fifty-three Hope College graduates chemists from 13 states, all of them members of the American Chemical Society, honored Dr. J. Harvey Kleinhessel, class of '22, professor of chemistry at Hope College, at a special dinner meeting in Chicago earlier this week. The meeting was in connection with the annual meeting of the American Chemical Society.

Dr. Kleinhessel was presented with a purse and a gold wrist watch with an appropriate inscription relating to his 25 years of service as a science instructor on Hope's campus.

Bernard H. Shoemaker, class of '26, member of the research division of Standard Oil Company of Indiana and vice president of the Hope College Alumni Science chapter, presided at the dinner. John R. Dalenberg, '20, president of the Chicago Hope College Club, welcomed the group. Present from Holland were Dr. Irwin J. Lubbers, president of Hope College; Dr. Gerrit Van Zyl, head of the Hope chemistry department; and Clyde H. Geerlings, director of alumni and public relations at the college.

Presenting the gift was David O. De Pree, '40 of Royal Oak, Mich., who related his experiences as a student under Dr. Kleinhessel emphasizing the inspiration students received in his classes. Speaking in the same vein were John E. De Vries, '41 of China Lake, Calif., and Adrian Kammeraad, '33, of Milwaukee, Wis. The group honoring Dr. Kleinhessel at the party included: Malcolm F. Dull, '26, University of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Martin E. Cupery, DuPont Co., Wilmington, Del.; C. W. Pettinga, 42, Eli Lilly Co., Indianapolis; Roger E. Koeppe, '44, University of Tennessee, Memphis; Robert H. Donia, '39, Upjohn Co., Kalamazoo; Robert Verburg, '41, General Analtic & Film Corp., Grasselli, N.J.; Earl S. Huyser, '51, University of Chicago; Harold R. Blysm, '51, Merton W. Long, Sr., Merton W. Long, Jr., all of Dow Chemical Co., Midland, Mich.; Carl Schaftenaar, '44, Sumner Chemical Co., Zeeland; Mr. and Mrs. William Bonema, '27, Oak Park, Ill.; C. J. Shoemaker, '38, Franklin Park, Ill.; Elmer Hartgerink, '39, Zeeland; Martin Mellema, '48, Holland; Leland K. Beach, '35, Westfield, N.J.; Richard E. Van Strien, '42, Griffith, Ind.; James E. Slager, '42, Holland; Iman Schurman, '27, Elmhurst, Ill.; Clarence Bremer, '29, Rutherford, N.J.; Merle D. Rigerink, '33, Basking Ridge, N.J.; Harry Rigerink, '25, Drexel Hill, Pa.; Paul E. Holkeboer, '51, Lafayette, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. E. Reinold Fett, '51, Urbana, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin J. Den Herder, '41, Chicago; Richard L. Hoebeke, '49, Oak Park, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. James Grooters, '49, Oak Park, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. Purchase, '40, Waynesboro, Va.; Henry Hotzler, '49, Marinette, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wolbert, '49, Bellwood, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Gradus Shoemaker, '49, Louisville, Ky.; Karl Klom-

### Beaverdam

Harris Oppenhuizen arrived at the home of his mother, Mrs. John Oppenhuizen, from his army camp with his discharge papers.

Local serviceman's address: Pvt. Marwin Huyser US 55405576, Co. "A" 76th tank Bn. 11th Airborne Division, Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris De Jonge returned Tuesday from a visit to their son, Pvt. James De Jonge, who is stationed at Camp Chafee, Ark.

Mrs. John Zwagerman, who has been staying in the Lamont Convalescent Home in Lowell has been moved to Pine Rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bauder left for Excelsior Springs, Mo. They will take treatments at the McCleary Clinic and Hospital.

The Senior C. E. will meet this week Wednesday but will meet in Forest Grove Reformed Church Thursday evening with the Golden Chain meeting. The program will be furnished by the Immanuel Veterans Choir of Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ponstein from Hudsonville with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Tubergen spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Chris De Jonge in Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Slager from Holland were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman.

Mrs. Don Vanden Berg from Muskegon spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Farow and brother Harvey last week.

Mrs. Bob Formosa and brother Harvey Van Farow sang two duets at the evening service of the Reformed Church last Sunday. Mrs. Martin Tubergen spent Friday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Nettie Berghorst, and Mrs. Delbert Berghorst in Pearlina. Alfred Bowman, Art Visser and Jim Slager left Monday morning for Cedarville in the Upper Peninsula for a few days of fishing.

### Local Serviceman Named 'Soldier of the Month'



Pvt. Kenneth D. Lambers, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lambers of 810 West 26th St., recently was chosen "Soldier of the Month" in Heilborne, Germany.

During July, three soldiers were chosen from a battalion of 1,000 men to compete for the honor. The three appeared before a board of officers, who questioned them about current events, chain of command, progress of war, etc. Pvt. Lambers was selected from the three and was given a three-day pass plus a cash award.

Pvt. Lambers now is attending personnel school in Lengries, Bavaria, and will return to Heilborne after completion of the course. Before entering the service in March, 1952, he was employed at the Holland Furnace Co. office.

New Guinea's greater bird of paradise, noted for its multi-colored plumes, is a cousin to the crow.

## Rasmus Bond Set at \$12,000

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Joseph P. Rasmus, 41, no address listed, stood mute when he was arraigned before Justice Frederick J. Workman of Spring Lake Monday afternoon on a charge of negligent homicide. The court ordered a waiver of examination and bond was set at \$12,000 for Rasmus' appearance in Circuit Court Oct. 12. Bond was not furnished.

Rasmus was charged as the result of a fatal accident early Sunday morning on M-21 in Zeeland in which Mrs. Angeline Crews, 41, Grand Rapids, was instantly killed. Coroner Gilbert Vande Water said Mrs. Crews died of a crushed chest.

Rasmus insists he was not the driver of the car. He said an unidentified person whom he picked up in Muskegon Heights after a wedding reception in Ott's Hall near West Olive, was the driver. Rasmus and Mrs. Crews had attended a wedding reception for the latter's sister, Ruth Ann Melcher.

Complaint against Rasmus was signed by Deputy Clayton W. Forry who conducted the investigation along with Deputy Arthur Lampen and Police Chief James Flint of Zeeland.

### Hope Graduate Wins Bronze Star

A Hope College graduate from Brooklyn, N. Y. has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for Valor for saving the Army \$1,750,000 in tanks.

Pfc. Kenneth Erickson, who was graduated from Hope in June, 1952, is serving as a mechanic in Korea with the Heavy Tank Company, 15th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Division. Shortly before the armistice was signed, Erickson and two other men pulled out under enemy sniper fire, seven mud-bomb tanks, worth \$250,000 each. The soldiers drove their retriever, a converted M-4 medium tank, was surrounded by the enemy on three sides.

Erickson said the mud was over the wheels and knee high. They drove the retriever close to the tanks, hooked the winch cables by crawling underneath the tanks to avoid snipers' shots, and then towed the tanks back to hard ground. It took an hour and a half to complete one such operation.

Pfc. Erickson was drafted into the Army Aug. 4, 1952, and left Seattle Jan. 15, 1953, for the Far East. While attending college here, he was employed at the Warm Friend Tavern.

### One Person Injured In Two-Car Accident

One person received minor injuries Thursday night in a two-car accident on Eighth St. near Columbia Ave.

Barbara Bensing, 19, of 37 South Wall St., Zeeland, was treated at Holland Hospital for bruises and released. Involved were cars driven by Randall Barr, 18, of 372 Woodward Ave., Zeeland, and Peter J. Sloothaak, 17, of 156 Fairbanks Ave.

Both cars were heading east on Eighth St. when they collided in a bumper-to-bumper collision. Damage to the Barr '47 model car was estimated at \$200 and at \$50 to the '50 model Sloothaak car, police said.

Barr was ticketed by Holland police for failing to keep an assured clear distance ahead.

### Hope Freshmen, New Students Entertained

Three hundred freshmen and new students of Hope College were entertained at a welcoming dinner Monday at 6 p.m. in the Juliana Room in Durfee Hall. Dr. Edward Brand, professor of English in charge of orientation, presided. Mrs. Irwin J. Lubbers spoke briefly, representing Dr. Lubbers, who was out of town.

Other welcomes were made by Miss Emma Reeves, dean of women; Milton L. Hinga, dean of men; Dr. John Hollenbach, dean at the college, and John Busman, president of Student Council.

At 8 p.m. a get-acquainted party for all new students was held in Carnegie gym under the sponsorship of the Student Council.

A program of games was provided by Alumnæ and Public Relations Director Clyde Geerlings.

### Trial Set Sept. 24

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The trial of Louis H. Jones, 32, Grand Haven, on a drunk driving charge, has been set for Sept. 24 at 2 p.m. Jones was arrested by city police June 20 following an accident at the corner of 5th and Jackson Sts., with a car driven by 16-year-old Ila Mae Tripp of route 2, Spring Lake. Jones has furnished bond of \$200. His trial was originally set for July 1. The case, which is brought under the City Ordinance, will be tried by City Attorney Jacob Ponstein.

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### U of M Awards Degrees To Ottawa Residents

Several Ottawa county residents have completed work for graduate degrees during summer sessions at University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. The University is sending diplomas to 915 summer graduates who completed work for their degrees late in August.

Holland graduates include Jack V. Barendse, 98 West 16th St., master of arts; Sidney Dylstra, 364 West 20th St., master of arts; William C. Filkins, 679 Wisteria, bachelor of science in engineering; Harvey M. Laman, 19 East 15th St., master of arts; Wilbur H. Stolz, 151 West 14th St., master of arts; Donald J. Van Ark, 570 Maple Dr., master of arts.

Others from the county are Mary Ellen Pas, 10935 Chicago Dr., Zeeland, master of arts; Roslyn Erna Meinel, route 1, Nunica, master of arts, and Alan C. Murray and Norma Marguerite Murray, 67 Madison, Coopersville, master of arts.

### Zeeland

Isaac Rottenberg, student at Western Seminary, Holland, conducted services at the Second Reformed Church. Next Sunday, Dr. Elton Eenigenburg professor at Western Seminary, will be in charge of services in the local church.

Word was received from the Rev. H. N. Englund, pastor of the Second Reformed Church, that the family has arrived in England after a safe and smooth ocean journey on Wednesday, Sept. 9.

The Senior Christian Endeavor Society of First Reformed Church will resume regular weekly meetings next Sunday at 6:15 p.m.

The Girls' League for Service of the First Reformed Church held its first meeting of the season on Monday evening in the form of a potluck supper at the Church House. Drinks and rolls were provided. Those attending were girls of the church, 13 years of age and over.

The mid-week prayer service will be held at the First Reformed Church for its first meeting of the season on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

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Both Rummier and Gaul are employed at Keller's Tool Works currently on strike. Gaul worked the day in question, and the incident occurred at 5:20 p.m.

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### Funeral Services Set Wednesday for Victim; Born in Grand Haven

ZEELAND—Funeral services were held Wednesday for Mrs. Angeline Crews, 41, of 60 Home St., S. E., Grand Rapids, who was killed instantly at 3:15 a.m. Sunday when the car in which she was a passenger struck a telephone pole on M-21 just inside of the eastern city limits of Zeeland.

The driver, 41-year-old Joseph Rasmus, who gave his residence as Fort Wayne, Ind., was held in County Jail in Grand Haven for questioning. The couple reportedly were attending the wedding reception for Mrs. Crews' sister, Ruth, who was married to Jack Buckner in Ottawa Township hall near West Olive Saturday. Rasmus and Mrs. Crews had left the reception at 2 a.m.

Sheriff's officers said the driver swerved to the left to get around a well lighted barricade, but hit the corner, losing control of the car which struck the telephone pole and then turned over. Mrs. Crews was dead on arrival at Huizinga Memorial Hospital and Coroner Gilbert Vande Water said death was due to a crushed chest. Rasmus was treated in the hospital for a bad laceration on the forehead and on top of the head.

Rasmus told officers a man by the name of Diedrich was driving the car, but officers discounted the story, particularly in view of the fact that one deputy had seen Rasmus crawl out of the car and attempt a get-away. Rasmus stumbled in a ditch and was picked up by officers there. Rasmus said he had picked up Diedrich in a bar in Grand Rapids and had taken him to Muskegon. After the reception he said he again picked up Diedrich in Muskegon and was en route home to Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Crews was born in Grand Haven Nov. 30, 1911, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Melcher. She attended Bignell School and lived in Grand Rapids for the last 24 years. On Sept. 25, 1951, she was married to Nicholas Crews from whom she reportedly was estranged.

Surviving are the husband, her mother; five sisters, Mrs. Henry Stille, Mrs. Russell Burghorn, Mrs. Stuart Vander Wall and Mrs. Buckner, all of Grand Haven, and three brothers, William and George of Grand Haven and Charles with the U. S. Army at Fort Knox, Ky.

Officers conducting the investigation were Deputies Clayton W. Forry of Holland and Art Lampen of Zeeland.

## Auxiliary Police Study First Aid

The Holland Police Auxiliary Tuesday night began the first phase of an 18-week course in Red Cross instruction.

The group, numbering approximately 20 men, plans to meet once a week until the course is completed. Also discussed were various traffic problems in the city. Special emphasis was given to a discussion of increased vehicular and pedestrian traffic because of the opening of schools.

Each of the men were issued special police badges that identify them as members of the auxiliary. The badges are similar to those carried by regular Holland officers, except the word special is engraved on the top.

The men, operating under the direct supervision of Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff, have arranged a schedule that will make certain men available at all hours in cases of emergency. The group, in all cases, serves without pay.

### Break-ins Reported At Four Cottages

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Officers of the sheriff's department are investigating the breaking and entering of four cottages on the lake shore road just south of the pumping station. The break-ins occurred during the last several days.

First report of the events came from Mrs. Andrew Van Yseldyke of Grand Rapids. Her family, she said, left the cottage on Tuesday and upon their return Thursday night they discovered a front window was broken.

All four cottage owners are from Grand Rapids. Of the four, only one reported anything missing. An outdoor motor, water skis, a rod and reel were taken from the Herman Cook cottage.

Other owners are Henry McNaughton and Lawrence Merritt.

### Thieves Get \$45 Cash In Recent Burglary

A break-in at the Jacob Wittingen home at 278 East 18th St. that netted thieves more than \$45 in cash sometime Saturday night, was under investigation by Ottawa County deputies Monday.

Police said entrance was gained by forcing a bedroom window. Closets and bureau drawers in most of the rooms were ransacked. Missing was a silver dollar, 10 rolls of pennies, a \$20 bill, two \$5 bills and several dollars in change.

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## Couple to Mark 50th Anniversary



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They are members of Sixth Reformed Church where Mr. Hartgerink served as an elder for many years. The Hartgerinks have three children, Mrs. Nick Kragt, Donald and Kenneth Hartgerink, all of Holland, and eight grandchildren.

Deputy Henry Bouwman said the accident occurred when 81-year-old Herman Tien of 229 West 17th St., attempted a left turn and drove into the path of an oncoming car driven by George R. Crawford of Saugatuck.

Another accident occurred Saturday on US-31 at the Castle Park road involving cars driven by Herman Breuker, route 6, and David L. Schrotenboer, 17, of East 32nd St. Schrotenboer received a ticket for failure to have his car under control.

The tractor of a semi belonging to Indiana Wholesale Food of Gary, Ind., burned out Friday morning on US-31 a half mile north of Saugatuck. The Saugatuck fire department put out the blaze. Damage was estimated at \$700. The driver, Kenny Blank, separated the trailer from the tractor. The fire started in the engine and spread to the cab.

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For her wedding the bride chose a white nylon net gown with lace bodice. The front panel of the full skirt, also lace, extended around the hemline of the waltz-length skirt. Her nylon net veil was held in place by a pearl studded tiara. She carried a white Bible with a deep purple orchid. A four strand string of pearls completed her ensemble.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sain of Flint. Mrs. Sain wore a light blue nylon net gown with a corsage of pink carnations.

The couple left for a northern Michigan wedding trip after which they plan to live in Flint.

The bride recently was complimented at two showers given by the Misses Marilyn Hutchins and Kay Fleming in the latter's home and by Miss Julia Thorp in the home of the bride's parents.

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Misses Lucille Dreyer, Elaine De Weerd, Lillian and Alice Tamminga entertained Friday evening at a bridal shower honoring Miss Dorothy Vanden Brink, bride-elect of Gene Gort of Zeeland. The party was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Boes, 1660 Washington, Holland.

Games were played and duplicate prizes were awarded to Misses Sylvia Stielstra and Beatrice Vanden Brink. The hostesses served refreshments.

Invited were the Mesdames Hilla Timmer, John Brower, Ralph Dalman and Misses Carolyn and Mary Meurer, Beatrice and Esther Oosterbaan, Beatrice Vanden Brink, Alice Jipping, Marilyn Witteveen, Arlene Van Beek, Anna and Annette De Weerd, Jean and Henrietta Leuben, Lavinia Van Dyke, Carol Reimink and Dorothy Johnson.

### Graveside Rites Held For Borgman Infant

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Monday for Louann Borgman, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Borgman, 247 West 21st St. The Rev. William C. Warner officiated at the rites at Pilgrim Home Cemetery.

The baby was born Wednesday at Holland Hospital and died Saturday.

Surviving besides the parents are a brother, Lewis A. Borgman, Jr. and the Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Borgman and Mr. and Mrs. Miles H. Baskett.

## Graduate Nurse



Miss Marlene Joyce Lokers

In ceremonies Friday evening in Grand Rapids, Miss Marlene Joyce Lokers of Zeeland was graduated from Butterworth Hospital School of Nursing. The class was graduated in St. Mark's Cathedral.

Miss Lokers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lokers of 610 East Lincoln, Zeeland. She is a graduate of Zeeland High School.

Admitted Saturday were Mrs. Mary Davis, 281 Columbia Ave.; Mrs. Jerrold Lubbers, 1 West 17th St.; Margaret Vander Berg, 491 Lincoln Ave.; Gerry Norman, Douglas; William Beckman, 663 Central; Mrs. Henry Brower and baby, 347 West 35th St.; Mrs. Walter Kunen, 678 Pine Ave.; Mrs. Ivan Wheaton, 314 West 21st St.

Admitted Sunday were Mrs. Ella Ten Brink, route 4; Mrs. James Hoeksema, 161 East 26th St.; Edwin Bos, 83 West 20th St.

Discharged Saturday were Mrs. Kenneth Casemier and baby, 13 West 26th St.; Mrs. Martin Van Beek, 176 West 19th St.; Mark Genzink, 828 West 24th St.; Mrs. Bob Mulder and baby, 130 East 15th St.; Mrs. Howard Buscher, route 6; Mrs. Lewis Borgman, 247 West 21st St.; Gerrit Kamper, 234 East Ninth St.

Hospital births include a son, Steven Allen, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brieve, 105 East 31st St.; a daughter, Jean Rae, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Prins, route 2, Hamilton; a daughter, Helen Jean, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Zylstra

## Quarterback York Sprains Ankle, Out for 2 Weeks

Hope College Coach Al Vanderbush was optimistic Tuesday despite the loss of his regular quarterback Don York, who will be out at least two weeks with a sprained ankle.

Vanderbush, aided by some turf-softening rain over the weekend and the addition of more manpower to his small ranks, was able to send his charges through a full-scale scrimmage Monday afternoon.

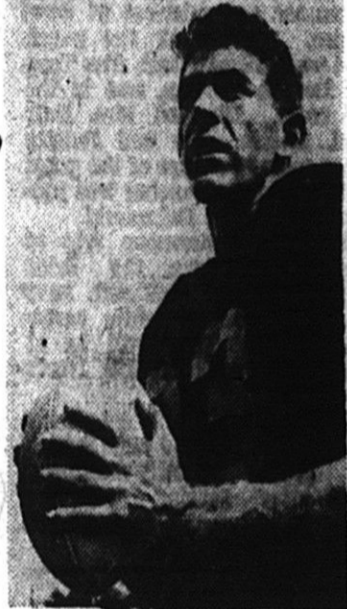
York's injury came in Saturday's practice—only a week before the opening game—and left the signal-calling position up in the air. Two players, Harry Voss and Bob Hoeksema, are fighting for the position.

Vanderbush had to admit that the offense was far ahead of the defense in Monday's drills. "But we haven't given defense much attention," he countered.

He was especially pleased with the ground attack with halfbacks John Adams and Frank Talarico and fullback Dave Kemper all ripping off good-sized gains.

On the dark side, however, Vanderbush is still short of capable backs, especially in the reserve ranks. Before Monday, he didn't have enough players for a scrimmage, a factor which may hurt when the Dutchmen host Michigan Normal Saturday night at Riverview Park.

Defensive weaknesses, always a problem during the early part of the season when coaches are trying to round their offenses into shape, are much in evidence in Hope's drills. But Vanderbush plans to start stressing defense with tonight's practice.



Don York

... signals from bench ... Most of Hope's players will go both ways, according to Vanderbush. The next few drills will tell the story, however, because weak links will be replaced on defense.

Right now, Hope's starting backfield is pretty well set, with Adams and Talarico at the half, Kemper at the fullback slot, and quarterback a battle between Voss and Hoeksema.

In the line, two positions haven't been decided as yet, and they probably won't be determined until defensive prowess is shown. At right end, Ken Van Wieren is competing with John Brannock, while Don Van Hoven and John Hollander are fighting for the left tackle spot.

At left end will be Jim Van Hoeven, while Don Vander Toll and Herm Nienhuis seem to have guard positions pretty well under control. Bob Prins is slated for center, while Bill Heydorn will probably start at right tackle.

Vanderbush said Ed Gering is another boy who is going to be tough to keep out of the lineup. He plans to use him as No. 1 guard replacement.

Hope's 1953 squad will have to be in top form to give its first opponent, Michigan Normal, a good battle. Carrying one of the highest ratings in years, the Hurons are favored along with Central Michigan to reap Interstate Football Conference honors this fall.

Michigan Normal had its best record in 10 seasons last year, finishing with an overall mark of 5-3-1 and third in the conference standings.

Coach Fred Trosko has his troubles, but also boasts 18 lettermen returning. Ends will be a problem, but Nick Manyich is a top-flight flanker to fill one of the slots.

## Tuesday Service League Makes 1,000 Dressings

Members of the Tuesday Service League of the Holland Hospital Auxiliary made 1,000 surgical dressings for the hospital after lunch Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A.W. Tahaney, South Shore Dr.

Plans were made for a white elephant sale at the next meeting of the league at the home of Mrs. E. David Boyd, West 12th St.

There were nine present for the luncheon and meeting.

## Peter Q. Huyser Dies In Caro at Age of 72

ZEELAND (Special)—Peter Q. Huyser, 72, died Monday at Caro State Hospital, Caro, Mich. A former resident of this vicinity, he has been in Caro for many years.

Surviving are a brother, Quirinus, of Detroit and several cousins in the Zeeland-Holland area.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from the Baron Funeral Home with burial in Zeeland cemetery. Friends and relatives may call at the funeral home on Thursday afternoon and evening.



**PUT DOWN THAT TELEPHONE**—the eye doctor won't be needed. No, you're not seeing double. It's just six sets of twins at the East Holland School, located south of Zeeland on Ottagon St. (32nd St.) just off State St. Teachers at the school, which has an enrollment of 44 pupils, are Mrs. Henry Kuiper and Mrs. Jack Taylor who stand in background. Three sets of the twins are

identical, creating a mite of confusion in the classroom at times. In the center foreground are Jeanne and Joyce Boeve, 5, and standing clockwise are Ruth Ann and Robert Essink, 6, Marilyn and Marlene Boeve, 12, Jerry and Larry Brower, 10, Larry and Gary Boeve, 8, and Marlene and Myrna Mulder, 9. (Sentinel photo)

## Six Pair Keep Teachers Guessing at East Holland

Six pair may not get you to first base in the neighborhood card game, but it creates quite a stir out at the East Holland school.

But the two teachers at the school, which shows an enrollment of only 44 pupils, are learning to cope with the problem of handling six sets of twins which comprise more than 25 per cent of the school's students.

Mrs. Henry Kuiper, of 410 Maple Ave., teaches kindergarten through third grade while Mrs. Jack Taylor, of 131 Dartmouth Rd., handles grades four through eight. Both are starting their second year at the East Holland school, which is located south of Zeeland on Ottagon St. (32nd St.), just off State St.

Each teacher has three sets of twins in her classroom. Mrs. Kuiper instructs Jeanne and Joyce Boeve, 5, the only two pupils in this year's kindergarten, class, Ruth Ann and Robert Essink, 6, first grade, and Larry and Gary Boeve, 8, third grade.

Mrs. Taylor teaches Marlene and Myrna Mulder, 9, fourth

grade, Jerry and Larry Brower, 10, fifth grade and Marilyn and Marlene Boeve, 12, seventh grade.

Adding to the duplicity is the fact that three sets of the twins are identical and each teacher has a set in her classroom for the first time.

Mrs. Taylor is learning to distinguish between the Mulder girls, who just entered her section as fourth graders. Mrs. Kuiper is in the same boat—she must memorize the features of the five-year-old Boeve girls for the first time.

The other identical twins are the Brower boys, who are now in the fifth grade. Mrs. Taylor said she had an extremely difficult time telling them apart last year.

To add to the confusion, three sets of the twins from two families are named Boeve. Marilyn, Marlene, Larry and Gary are the only children in one family while Jeanne and Joyce come from another family.

Latest reports, however, indicated that the two teachers were getting along fine and learning to know their "look-alike" pupils.

## Band Boosters Near Fund Goal

Announcement that the Holland Band and Orchestra Boosters Club is within \$500 of its goal for new band uniforms highlighted a membership meeting of the organization Tuesday evening at Junior High School.

It was announced the Boosters have already earned \$4,500 in their campaign to raise money for the soon-to-be-delivered uniforms. They have only \$500 to go and the Board of Education is supplying the remaining \$2,000 to meet the uniform bill.

Plans are already underway to raise the remaining sum. The 66 charter members attending the meeting considered two projects—the first, an auction, scheduled Sept. 30, with John Emmick in charge. Members of this committee are Mrs. Loren Wenzel, Mrs. Alvin Cook, Bill Meengs, Mrs. Alfred Zeidler, George Hemwall, Mrs. Egbert Gerritsen, Jr., Mrs. Gerrit Overway, Mrs. Sam Beverwyk, Mrs. Lester Kuiper, Mrs. Paul Rathke and John Brink, Jr.

Each member of the group will be asked to donate articles for sale. These are to be delivered to the band room on Saturday, Sept. 26. Merchants also will be solicited for items. During the auction, the group will serve free coffee and cookies.

The next project will be a concert series, for which season tickets will be sold by students. A series of five concerts is planned in the Holland High School Auditorium.

If each student sells his allotted four season tickets, the sale would net \$2,400.

During the meeting, the group was organized according to a recently completed constitution, patterned after those of other music clubs. This was accepted by the club, which also planned to meet monthly on the second Wednesday, October through June. Each member will pay a membership fee of 25 cents.

Mrs. George Hemwall was named chairman of the membership and telephoning committee. Assisting her in obtaining new members and collecting dues will be the Mesdames Margaret Kaepernik, Willis De Cook, Bert Koene, Albert Schultens, Gerrit Strabbing, Chuck Vander Ven, James Hoeksema, John Brink, Jr., Clayton Riker, Harold Volkers, Vern Rudolph, Lester Kuiper, Paul Rathke, Arthur Hills and Loren Wenzel.

## Car Hits Truck

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—A dump truck and a '49 model car were considerably damaged at 8:35 p.m. Tuesday when the car driven by Laddy Buckner, 21, route 1, Grand Haven, ran into the rear of the truck owned and driven by Art De Heer, 25, route 1, Grand Haven. The accident occurred on Airport Road in Grand Haven township. Herman Rosema, 21, Grand Haven, a passenger in Buckner's car, was treated in Municipal Hospital for head injuries. Buckner was charged with excessive speed.



Second Lt. Edward L. (Ted) Sticks, right, Holland prisoner of war repatriated by the Communists in Operation Big Switch at Freedom Village, is interviewed in Korea by M/Sgt. James L. Carpenter, of Denver, Colo., a U.S. radio interviewer. Lt. Sticks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melville Sticks of Central Park, have received word that Ted arrived in San Francisco

Wednesday, probably about noon, aboard the General Block. He plans to telephone them immediately upon arrival and will fly home as soon as possible. Ted was on F-50 Shooting Star jet pilot with the 5th Fighter Bomber Wing in Korea when captured by the Reds on Jan. 17, 1953, after his plane went down in flames. (U.S. Air Force photo)

## Veteran Tailback Selected in Vote By Team Members

ZEELAND (Special)—Veteran Tailback John Vanden Bosch has been named captain of the 1953 Zeeland High School football team. It was announced today by Coach Jarrod Groeters.

Vanden Bosch, a senior and the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Vanden Bosch, of 58 West Washington St., Zeeland, sparked the Chix' offensive attack in an undefeated season in 1952 and is expected to carry much of the burden this year. He was elected by a vote of team members.

Meanwhile, the Zeeland coach has been working overtime to get his squad ready for the home opener against Grandville Friday night. Defensive work started this week and Groeters said that Tuesday's drills indicated that the defense was running into form.

"Things look a little better—especially the line," said Groeters in commenting on practice so far this week. Another factor that brightened the situation was the return of Jack Faber, defensive back, to nearly top form.

Faber, who has been bothered by sore foot tendons, has been practicing in tennis shoes but seems to be ready for action. Groeters said he would use Faber at safety and take Quarterback Eugene De Jonge out of the defensive lineup.

Burton Moeke, another defensive halfback, will miss the first game because of a painful shoulder injury, according to Groeters. The Zeeland mentor said Moeke would dress, but doubts if he'll see any action.

Groeters plans another full-scale practice today including some more late-squad scrimmaging. Thursday, only light drills will be held to taper off for the Grandville contest. Game uniforms will be fitted at that time.

Zeeland's probable starting lineup was also named by Groeters. Ron Wetherbee, another senior with a lot of experience, will start at right half, while John Broersma will start at fullback. De Jonge is slated to call the signals to round out the backfield.

Two highly-contested positions, the end slots, have been won by Ron Knoper on the right flank and Art Klamt, a sophomore, on the left side. At right tackle will be Gerald Pyle, while Jim Wyngarden will start at left tackle.

Frank Boonstra will play right guard and Paul Schipper will take the left guard slot. Gary Ter Haar is slated to start at center.

Eight members of Groeters' starting lineup are seniors, giving him an experienced crew. Only exceptions are Klamt and jumpers De Jonge and Boonstra. Zeeland reserves, however, are rather thin and Groeters realizes that this factor may be his greatest problem.

The Zeeland mentor said that most of his starting lineup will have to go both ways. He named his No. 1 defensive replacements as John Zwijghuisen, John Staal, Bob Vollink and Harry Brouwer. Grandville, a member of the powerful Grand Valley league, is



JOHN VANDEN BOSCH

... leads Chix gridiron squad ... coached by Rex Roseman, who has a rebuilding problem. But the Bulldogs, traditional opening rivals of the Chix, are expected to field a formidable team.

Groeters also announced a change in the starting time of Zeeland football games. He said they would start at 8 p.m. instead of last year's 7:30.

## Model Railroad Club To Plan Winter Program

A program of model railroad for the coming months will be set at a meeting called for Tuesday, Sept. 22, at 5:15 p.m. by club president Arthur Sas. The meeting will be held at his studio just east of Holland Theater.

Proposed projects include the modeling of railroad and rail-side scenes in West Michigan which would be incorporated into a large club layout which is planned for the future.

Other activities will include "fan" trips, movies, operation of test tracks and building of equipment. Everyone in the area is invited.

## New Deputy Hired

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Albert Hilbrand, World War II veteran who has been Hudsonville village police officer for the last two years, has been hired by Sheriff Gerald Vanderbeek to succeed Deputy Sheriff William Wiebenga, who resigned, effective Sept. 19 to join the city police department. Hilbrand submitted his resignation to the village council to take effect Sept. 25 and will assume his new duties Sept. 28. He formerly was a police officer at Sparta. He will move to Grand Haven.

## Miss Kaepernik, Robert Kole Wed



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Kole

Wedding vows were spoken Friday evening in First Methodist Church chapel by Miss Jean Barbara Kaepernik and Robert Lee Kole. The Rev. John O. Hagans performed the double ring rites at 8 p.m. before a setting of palms, candelabra and bouquets of gladioli.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Kaepernik of 172 East 16th St., and the groom is a son of Mrs. Jeanette Kole, 736 Aster Ave.

Miss Coralee Kaepernik attended her sister as maid of honor and also was soloist for the rites. She sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer," accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Keane, organist, who also played the wedding marches.

Martin Kole, brother of the groom, was best man. Bernard and William Kole, also brothers of the groom, served as ushers.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, James Parker, wore a gown of white bridal satin and chantly lace featuring a lace yoke, scal-

loped satin bodice with wrist-length pointed sleeves and a full ballerina-length skirt. She wore a fingertip veil, attached to a heart-shaped headpiece of chantly lace. She carried a white Bible with an orchid corsage.

The maid of honor wore a light blue taffeta and lace gown with lace yoke, scalloped bodice and ballerina skirt. She wore matching mits of lace and carried a colonial bouquet.

Sixty guests attended the reception in Byrnes Parlor of the church. Miss Connie Tuusama and Miss Norma Nynas assisted about the brides.

For their southern wedding trip, the bride wore a navy blue fall dress with red accessories and an orchid corsage. They will be at home after Sept. 20 at 3034 Michigan NE, Grand Rapids.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of Holland High School. The bride has been employed at J. C. Penney Co. The groom is attending Davenport Institute and also is employed as an accountant.

## Urges Farmers To Plant Wheat After Sept. 19

Richard Machiele, County Agricultural Agent, encourages farmers to plant their wheat after the fly-free date which in the Ottawa County area is Sept. 19.

Extension entomologist, Ray James, says the only satisfactory control of the Hessian fly is by planting wheat in the fall after most of the danger from this insect is past. The pest normally does not lay eggs after late summer or early fall in years of average weather. Preventing egg laying in the fall by planting wheat after the fly-free date not only eliminates damage in the fall, but also reduces the number of flies overwintering for the spring generation.

Dr. James reports that Hessian fly is on the population increase. That means more damage has been done to wheat than normal.

Wheat plants infested with Hessian fly may turn dark bluish-green and the plants finally die back from the leaf tips. The injury comes entirely from the larvae, or maggots, of this insect which feed beneath the leaf sheath and the stem, usually next to the ground.

The larvae have a shiny appearance—white or greenish-white in color, legless, headless and about three-sixteenths of an inch long. The Hessian fly overwinters in the flaxseed stage. The maggots, which pupate in the spring eventually become the flies that lay the eggs for the spring generation.

## Fined by Justice

David Schrotenboer, 17, of 182 East 32nd St., was fined \$13.10 by Lakeland Township Justice Henry Van Oss Tuesday for failure to have his car under control. Schrotenboer was involved in an accident Saturday in which his car sideswiped an auto driven by Herman Breuker, of route 6.

## Hamlin-Forsten Rites Performed in Home

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forsten, 416 West 21st St., announce the marriage of their daughter, Betty, to Bill Hamlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hamlin, 1738 Summit St., on Aug. 12 at the Forsten home.

The Rev. Fred Vande Weide, uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony. Attendants were Mrs. Wilma Seagans, matron of honor, and Jerry Seagans, best man.

The bride wore a white linen suit and her attendant, a suit of pink linen.

A reception for the immediate families was held after the ceremony at the bride's home.

The couple is now at home at 569 1/2 Hillcrest Dr., Central Park. The groom is employed at Schurman's Service Station.

## Benjamin Wierda, 56 Succumbs at Hospital

Benjamin Wierda, 56, of 318 West 14th St., died unexpectedly of a heart attack Tuesday night shortly after admittance to Holland Hospital. Mr. Wierda, a brakeman for the C and O railroad, became ill in Chicago Tuesday afternoon and was brought home by train. He was taken to the hospital at 10:30 p.m.

Surviving are the wife, Bessie, two sisters, Mrs. Jacob Vanden Bosch and Mrs. Abram C. Overkamp, both of Holland; four brothers, Folkert of Zeeland, Henry and John of Holland and Martin of Sioux Center, Iowa.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Bethel Reformed Church. Relatives are asked to meet in the church basement at 2:15. The Rev. C. G. Reynen will officiate and burial will be at Pilgrim Home Cemetery. Friends may call at the Langeland Funeral Home Thursday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9.

Camp Kilmer, N. J., is named after the famous poet, Joyce Kilmer, a native of nearby New Brunswick and a member of New York City's "Old Seventh" Regiment. The poet-soldier was killed in action during World War I.

## WANT-ADS

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## Holland Christian Trustees Get Data About Enrollment

Supt. Bert P. Bos presented a preliminary enrollment report and outlined problems confronting the schools at the monthly meeting of the board of trustees of the Holland Christian schools Tuesday night.

In his report, the superintendent listed the enrollment to date in the various grades, which showed a surprising increase in the last few years. He also showed that increased grade school enrollment has again presented various housing problems.

He said at present, the grade schools are again using the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed Church catechism room, two basement rooms, two all-purpose rooms and one lunch room in the various elementary schools as classrooms. However, he reported that when the new additions are completed, the situation should be relieved. At present two construction programs are under way, an addition to the South Side grade school and an eight room addition to the recently completed "B" unit of the high school.

The board also confirmed the appointment of Harold Volkema of Holland as a teacher in the junior high school. He is a graduate of Calvin College with a major in history.

A final report on the recent school rally held at the Christian Reformed conference grounds was also made by the superintendent.



PFC. GENE SCHROTENBOER

... Trophies galore ...

## Pfc. Schrotenboer Gets Braves Offer

ZEELAND (Special)—Pfc. Gene Schrotenboer, stationed in Yokohama, Japan with the Signal Depot, has been offered a baseball contract with the Milwaukee Braves after his military service is completed two months from now.

Word was received by Gene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schrotenboer, of route 2, Zeeland. The announcement came in a Yokohama newspaper clipping where Gene was named "Athlete of the Week."

A graduate of Holland Christian High School, Schrotenboer has starred in baseball, basketball and golf while in service. Shortstop on his unit baseball team, the 23-year-old Schrotenboer led the squad as top batter.

Also high scorer in basketball, Gene paced his team to the Camp Yokohama Basketball Championship. He received trophies for his performance in basketball, baseball and indoor baseball.

Schrotenboer played baseball for the Holland Flying Dutchmen before entering the Army in 1951.



Over-worked facilities like those shown above may be relieved if a \$20,000 fund transfer to Holland State Park is approved by the Michigan Conservation Department. The transfer, being requested by Arthur C. Elmer, head of the department's parks and recreation division, would make possible construction of a \$100

foot blacktop strip parking. Present facilities have been loaded for several years, and the construction was described by Elmer as "a partial solution to the ever growing problem of providing additional space for both campers and picnickers in this extensively used state park."

