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BUSINESS SITES ARE PURCHASED BY CHAS. SLIGH

**Super-Market to Be Built
on Property at Ninth
and River**

**Peters Block on Eighth
Street Obtained in
Other Deal**

Change in ownership of two major pieces of property which involves construction of a super-market building in the downtown business section was announced Wednesday.

The old Roost property, located on the southwest corner of Ninth St. and River Ave., has been sold to Charles Sligh, Jr., and his wife, Mrs. Charlotte Sligh.

The other property transaction includes the sale of the Peters Block, located on the southeast corner of Eighth St. and Central Ave. to Mr. Sligh.

The Roost property was brought from the Michigan Trust Co., Grand Rapids, and the Peters block from A. Peters, with Henry Oosting, local realtor, negotiating both transactions.

Mr. Sligh announced that the building which has been occupied by Bishop and Raffenaud Tire and Vulcanizing shop as well as the Roost homestead, located on Ninth St., west of River Ave., will be razed and a new commercial building will be erected on the property. The homestead is occupied by Dr. W. H. Snyder.

The property includes 102 feet on River Ave. and 115 feet on Ninth St. That part of the property, located just south of the Raffenaud business place has been used for sometime by the Decker Chevrolet as display space for second hand automobiles.

The general contract for construction of the new building has been awarded to Ruben Nyhuis, local contractor, and construction work will start within the next two weeks. It will be completed in time for occupancy by Feb. 1, Mr. Sligh said.

The building will be 44 by 105 feet and will face River Ave. It will be built on the south side of the property and the corner property will be utilized as free parking space for patrons of the new store.

The building will be one story high and of brick and steel construction.

Mr. Sligh said he has signed a long-term lease with the Kroger Grocery and Baking Co. which plans to install a super-market in the new building.

The property formerly was owned by the late John Roost, a prominent legislator and former mayor of Holland. He was a well known Holland citizen. Peter and Gerrit De Vries, brothers, maintained a general store in the building on the corner property many years ago.

The Peters block includes a three-story building and the property includes 54.9 feet on Eighth St. and 94 feet on Central Ave.

The first floor is occupied by the Woolworth store. On the second floor are the offices of Dr. C. L. Loew and Dr. C. F. Sulkers, dentists, Mr. Peters, the Voorhees Drilling Co., the old age assistance bureau and the Royal Neighbors clubrooms. The Holland Business college is located on the third floor.

Mr. Sligh said no immediate improvements will be made to the building and that it is expected present occupants will remain in the building.

The Peters block is one of the landmarks of Holland. The original building was of frame construction and was occupied by a saloon and cigar store. Shortly after the organization of the former First State bank which was located for a time on Eighth St., east of Central Ave., the bank and H. Boone obtained possession of the property and constructed the present building there. It maintained headquarters on that corner for almost 20 years before moving across the street to the present location of the Holland State bank.

Holland post office was located just east of the First State bank in the same building until it moved into the new federal building at 10th St. and River Ave.

The late G. J. Diekema maintained an office on this building for many years as did the late Isaac Marsilje, father of Thomas Marsilje.

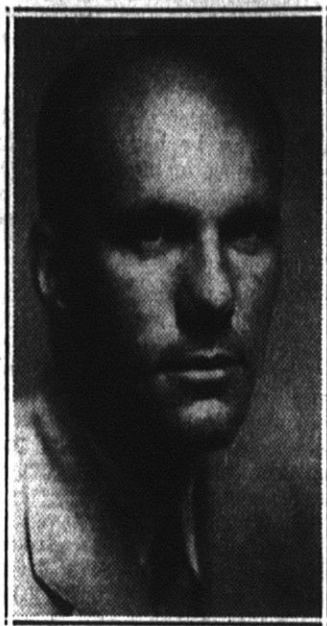
In announcing purchase of the two pieces of property, Mr. Sligh said, "I am showing faith in Holland as an up and coming town by making these purchases as investments."

Club Will Start Fishing Operations Next Week

With arrival of a new net to be used in carp fishing in Lake Macatawa, the Holland Fish and Game club plans to use the net some time next week in Pine Creek bay. The net is 1,900 feet long and 22 feet deep. The club also recently purchased a scow to be used in the fishing operations.

Board Also Would Move City Treasurer's Office

Buys Property



Charles R. Sligh, Jr.

BARN IS RAZED AT FENNVILLE

**Horses, Calves and Bull
Die in Flames; Other
Buildings Periled**

Fennville, Oct. 19 (Special)—Fire, discovered about 1 a.m. today, of unknown origin, completely destroyed a large barn on the farm of J. B. Balch, five miles south of Fennville. Mr. Balch is a former mayor of Kalamazoo and well known in this community.

He is the owner of several farms and this particular farm was known as "South Swamp." Included in the loss were a team of horses, two calves and one bull, a large load of cabbage which was awaiting shipment and a considerable amount of hay and feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Berthwick occupy the farm. Mr. Berthwick discovered the fire. He was up at 11 a.m. Wednesday and found everything in order. When he awakened, the fire had spread almost to the home but it was saved from damage.

Aided by strong winds, the flames also spread to other nearby buildings but with the assistance of volunteer firefighters the field fires were brought under control.

LOCAL YOUTH INJURED

Merle Eilers, 20, 40 West 18th St., was reported by local police to have suffered a cut in his forehead Saturday about 5:30 p.m., when he struck a windshield while riding in an automobile driven by Robert Carley, 20, 327 River Ave. Carley reported he was going south on River Ave. between Ninth and 10th Sts., and stopped suddenly to avoid hitting a car in front of his car.

Council Asked to Consider Relocation of Office in Downtown Area

Tentative plans to establish headquarters of the board of public works in the former Holland City State bank building at Eighth St. and River Ave. and a recommendation that common council consider the removal of the city treasurer's office from the city hall into the new headquarters were submitted to council Wednesday night.

Without discussing the matter, Mayor Henry Geerlings referred the matter to the board of public works and civil improvements committees for consideration.

At its meeting July 19, council accepted a report of the civic improvements committee that the board be allowed to remain in the city hall building for a period "up to one year." It was the committee's idea that the space now used by the works board could be utilized by the Holland public library which is in need of additional space.

Then on Aug. 2, council approved the works board's action in obtaining an option for purchase of the bank building at an option price of \$30,000 from the Holland City Depositors' Corp.

Accompanying the board's letter Wednesday night, was a set of plans which outlined how the board of public works would utilize the ground floor of the bank building. Under the board's plans, the city treasurer's office would be located along the north wall of the building. A meeting place for the works board is provided in the office now used by Cornelius Vander Meulen, attorney. Other parts of the works department as well as offices for the public works superintendent and assistant superintendent would be located elsewhere on the ground floor.

The board's reasons for removal of the city treasurer's office from the city hall were that "our office and the treasurer's office are closely allied every day due to his collection of our funds and that it would be an advantage to older citizens in paying their bills, as well as taxes, on a ground floor level."

The communication set out that the suggested location is advisable in the opinion of the board because it is readily adaptable to requirements of the board for office purposes. It also contains the necessary vault and storage space which is of "prime" importance to the safe keeping of records.

Frances Diepenhorst Will Build Home Here

Frances Diepenhorst filed application with City Clerk Oscar Peterson Monday to build a new home at 62 West 21st St., at an estimated cost of \$2,800. The home will be one story, frame construction and asphalt roofing.

COUNTY BOARD CONCLUDES ITS OCTOBER MEET

**Anticipated Expenses to
Be Three Thousand
Over Last Year**

**Eight Thousand Included
for Operation of New
Relief Plan**

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special)—The Ottawa county board of supervisors which adjourned its October session at noon today, adopted the 1940 budget at its forenoon session.

The budget calls for an expenditure of \$211,842.

The new budget is \$3,329.10 higher than the 1939 budget which totaled \$208,512.90. Two years ago the budget totaled \$204,826.26.

Members of the finance and budget committee which submitted the budget to the supervisors Wednesday forenoon informed the board that it is based on a county valuation of \$41,637,295. An allocation of the maximum of five mills, established by the county allocation commission for the county operating expenses, will net \$208,186.47, the committee reported. The difference of \$3,655.53 is expected to be obtained from other funds.

Regarding county officers' salaries, the board decided that the salary as fixed for the sheriff shall include the use of his personal cars within the county and he shall be allowed five cents per mile for the use of his car on official business outside the county. He shall be allowed to retain the per diem and mileage paid by the state for conveying prisoners.

All county officers shall be allowed five cents per mile for the use of their personal car on official business.

Among the major appropriations is one for \$8,000 for the new county social welfare board and a like amount for afflicted and crippled children.

The \$8,000 appropriation for the welfare board will be used to defray the county administrative costs of the new welfare act which becomes effective Nov. 1. This amount will be used to pay the salaries of the commission members, the county director and other administrative costs. It does not include expenses of quota units within the county.

Under the old E.R.A., the state provided \$15,231.78 during the past fiscal year as administrative costs for handling general relief, aid to dependent children, aid to the blind and relief service charges, amounting to \$115,655.13. Of this sum, the local units contributed 40 per cent or \$24,965.67 for general relief; the state 60 per cent or \$37,448.50, plus \$29,755.77 for the aid to dependent children and aid to the blind (Continued on next page)

Get Pheasant Limit Close to Home



Five Holland hunters stayed close to home for their limit in birds as the pheasant season opened here. Joe Bush, 17 West 9th St.; Louis Wierda, 13 West 9th St.; Arthur Alverson, 26 West Third St.; Joseph Bert Alverson, 28 West First St.; and Wilber Martin, 317 Howard Ave., (left to right) each got two birds the first morning. They shot the pheasants between the present powerhouse at Riverview park and River Ave. The dog is a Beagle.

REPORTS SHOW GOOD HUNTING

**Two Arrested in Ottawa
as Small Game Season
Is Opened**

Perfect weather conditions prevailed over the week-end for the opening of the 1939 small game season and lured numerous hunters to the fields Sunday and today.

Forrest Lavoy, Ottawa county conservation officer, said most of the hunting Sunday was confined to the north and east parts of Ottawa county with little hunting in the vicinity of Holland and Zeeland. His duties Sunday consisted of patrolling Ottawa county.

He said he had received no reports of any injuries to hunters. Numerous hunters bagged their quota of birds while others shot only one, he stated. He arrested two for violations of game laws. Cornie Page, 24, of Grand Rapids, former Hope college football player and graduate of Hope, Tuesday pleaded guilty to a charge of failing to display his number on his back while hunting for game.

Arraigned before Justice Nicholas Hoffman, Jr., he was fined \$11 and costs of \$6.85 but Justice Hoffman suspended the fine and Page arranged to pay the court costs. Page was arrested Sunday by Conservation Officer Forrest Lavoy.

Obed C. Hall, 37, of Grand Rapids, was arraigned on a similar charge Tuesday afternoon and received the same court judgment. He paid his court costs of \$6.85.

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special)—Seven persons, four charged with violating the state conservation laws, pleaded guilty on their arraignments Wednesday before Justice Howard W. Erwin at Coopersville.

Carl Berg, 21, of Marne paid a fine of \$10 and costs of \$6.85 on a charge of hunting without a license. Roy C. Lower, 38, of Fruitport, paid \$10 and costs of \$6.85 for having three pheasants in his possession.

Ernest Putnam, 17, of Coopersville, paid costs of \$6.85 for hunting without a license. W. T. McNeill, 56, of Conklin, paid a fine of \$30 and costs of \$6.85 for shooting a hen pheasant.

They were arrested by Conservation Officer Forrest Lavoy. Jerome Luther, 26, of Coopersville, paid a fine of \$3 and costs of \$3.35 on a disorderly charge. He was arrested at the Farmers Union hall at Nunica Saturday night.

Edgar MacMillen, 48, of Coopersville, paid \$2 fine and \$1 court costs for having no license plates on his truck. Joseph Tienstra, 67, of Chicago, paid \$5 and costs of \$1 for failure to give right of way on M-50 at Allendale. All arraigned Wednesday.

PICKET BOAT GIVEN AID BY STATION HERE

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special)—Disabled by motor trouble 12 miles southwest of Holland Tuesday, a coast guard picket boat in command of Boatswain's Mate Arthur Adrian, attracted attention of the Holland crew with flares and was towed to port. The Holland boat was to tow the craft to Grand Haven Wednesday, where it will be overhauled at the division machine shop. The picket boat was in Grand Haven two days ago, en route from Sault Ste. Marie to Chicago. It differs from picket boats attached to stations at Grand Haven in that it is a cabin type capable of 30 miles an hour.

Death Takes Daughter Born to Missionaries

A cablegram received here by the Rev. and Mrs. Gerrit Tyse from their son-in-law and daughter, the Rev. and Mrs. J. C. McGilvray of Erode, South India, contained the brief message of the death of their infant daughter, whose birth was learned Tuesday by cablegram. No details were included in the cablegram. Mrs. McGilvray is the former Dr. Eva Tyse.

LAST OF LOCAL PERSONS SAFE

**Three of Holland Arrive
on Liner That Trailed
Iroquois**

Believed to be the last of Holland's European travelers to return safely to this country, Miss Nella Meyer and Mrs. Peter N. Prins, sisters, and Miss Ruth Blekkink, all of Holland, reached New York on the liner Washington last Thursday afternoon.

Word of their arrival was received from New York by Mrs. Albert H. Meyer, 42 West 12th St., mother of Miss Meyer and Mrs. Prins.

The Washington, on the trip to New York, followed directly behind the liner Iroquois which was protected by a convoy as a result of German warnings that the Iroquois was to be torpedoed "under circumstances similar to the sinking of the Athenia," Mrs. Meyer learned.

Passage on the Washington was reported as "good." The Iroquois encountered a three-day storm.

Mrs. Prins, Miss Meyer and Miss Blekkink left New York the middle of August, before war was declared. Mrs. Prins and Miss Meyer planned a lightning trip to France and England as companions of Miss Blekkink, who was to have an exchange teaching post in Dover, England.

When war was declared, Miss Blekkink's exchange post was canceled, and the three women spent the intervening time seeking passage home. Miss Meyer and Mrs. Prins were to have had passage on the Normandie, but it was not allowed to leave France.

Mrs. Prins, 82 West 12th St., will resume her duties as instructor in French at Hope college; Miss Blekkink, 303 College Ave., will resume her teaching at Ypsilanti; and Miss Meyer, 4 West 12th St., may resume graduate studies at Columbia university in New York city this week.

Upon arriving in Europe, the three visited Paris, and were there when war was declared.

ARREST CLERK IN THEFT HERE

Archie Maynard, 30, of Lansing, former clerk in a local store, was held in the local jail today pending his arraignment before Justice John Gallen on a charge of larceny.

Arrested in Lansing by Lansing police, Maynard was brought to Holland Wednesday by Police Chief Ira A. Antles and Officer Ernest Bear.

He is charged with having stolen from a store over a period of two weeks. His arraignment is being delayed, pending a check by store officials to determine the amount of merchandise stolen.

OTTAWA RELIEF UNIT SELECTED FOR NEW SETUP

**Two of Grand Haven and
One of Zeeland Named
in Dual Plan**

**Van Volkenburgh Favored
as Director; Salary
of \$1,800 Set**

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special)—The Ottawa county board of supervisors Tuesday afternoon adopted the dual system of relief, appointed two members to the new welfare commission and recommended to the state the appointment of a third member under provisions of the new state welfare law which becomes effective Nov. 1.

Although Holland city's relief burden has been virtually one third of that of the county's entire load, Holland will have no representative on the new relief commission.

Grand Haven will have two representatives and Zeeland will have one.

James S. Van Volkenburgh of Zeeland, accountant of the county emergency relief administration office in Holland, was chosen a member with a recommendation to the commission that he be named director.

The welfare director's salary will be \$1,800 a year, it was decided.

Under the state law, the three-member commission may either name one of its own group or select a fourth person to serve as director.

James Van Weesem of Grand Haven, former alderman and retired businessman, was appointed a commission member.

Gerrit Zaagman of Grand Haven, present superintendent of the poor, was appointed for recommendation to the state as the state representative on the commission. Under the welfare law, the state welfare commission names one of the three county commissioners, usually following the recommendations of county supervisors. He must be a county resident.

Van Volkenburgh's term is for three years; Van Weesem's term is for two years and Zaagman's term is for one year.

A contest arose in recommendation of the commissioner to be named by the state. Peter Van Ark, Holland city assessor, nominated Zaagman, Mayor Henry Geerlings of Holland nominated Simon Kleyn of Holland, a superintendent of the poor. John Hassold, Chester township supervisor, nominated John Lubben of Coopersville, a superintendent of the poor.

With Dick Smallegan, James-town supervisor, and Clarence Lokker, Holland city attorney, as tellers, Zaagman was named on the first ballot with 17 votes. Kleyn received 7 and Lubben received 3 votes.

Appointment of Van Volkenburgh and Van Weesem was by suspension of rules and declaration of unanimous votes.

Charles S. Lowing, board chairman, appointed Peter H. Van Ark, Holland city assessor, who has been associated with the State Association of Supervisors for several years; Mayor Richard L. Cock, of Grand Haven, a member of the county E. R. A. commission which goes out of existence Oct. 31, and Maynard Mohr, Zeeland township supervisor, chairman of the hospitalization committee which is now going to be taken over by this new commission, as members of the welfare advisory committee.

The new relief commission will be paid \$5 per meeting, plus mileage in attending from 12 to 20 meetings a year.

Only one dissenting vote was cast when the board adopted the dual system, 27 to 1. George Heneveld, Park township supervisor, cast the dissenting ballot.

In the past year, Holland's relief costs totaled \$8,062.84 for 1,323 cases; Grand Haven's cost totaled \$3,584.47 for 641 cases; and Zeeland's cost totaled \$1,205.99 for 190 cases.

The county's relief cost was \$24,965.67 for care of 4,299 cases. (All financial figures represent 40 per cent of the entire relief expenditures in the past fiscal year. Sixty per cent was paid by the state.)

Under the dual system, one set of employees will be engaged under an administrator in administering the social security program and another group, under direction of a county administrator, in supervising direct relief. Those handling the social security program will be civil service employees, functioning under state and federal regulation while those in charge of the direct relief program will be hired by the new county welfare board without recourse to the merit system.

The law, however, provides an alternative plan, an "integrated" system which would combine the two programs, place all employees under civil service and function under one civil service administrator.

TRAINING FOR CO. D BOOSTED

**Federal Instructions Call
for Seven Days in Field
by End of Year**

Upon instructions from the war department in Washington, D. C., Holland's unit of the Michigan National guard, Company D, plans to carry out seven days of additional field training prior to Jan. 31, 1940, Sgt. Henry Rowan announced today.

The place where the field training will be held has been left up to the corps area commander. The instructions provide that the training may be held on seven consecutive days or may be divided up to be held over week-ends.

Major Henry A. Geerds went to Lansing today to attend a conference of regimental commanders at which final arrangements will be made for the field training program.

The local national guard unit also has received instructions for increased armory training to be completed prior to Jan. 31. This provides for two drills per week and not more than eight in any one month. The previous order of limiting drills for four each month has been rescinded. The local unit will begin holding two drills per week next week but the nights when they will be held will be determined by the guardsmen.

Rowan has received information that a recruiting party from the regular army, consisting of one officer and 20 enlisted men will visit Holland from Oct. 26 to 28 to obtain regular army recruits. The recruiting party will stay at the local armory and maintain an office there to interview recruits. In the two weeks that the national guard unit has sought recruits for the local company, 11 new members have been obtained, bringing the company's enlistment to 71. Five more recruits are needed to complete the company's quota.

Rowan has been advised that new equipment for 76 men has been shipped.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. VAN LOO

Mrs. Minnie Van Loo, 62, 182 West 17th St., died at 2:30 a.m. today at her home following a two years' illness.

She is survived by the husband, Cornelius Van Loo; one daughter, Mrs. James Schippers; and one son, Wilson Van Loo; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Helen Van Loo all of Holland; 11 grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. John Verbeeke of Zeeland and Mrs. John De Vries of Borculo; three brothers, Martin and John Korstanje, both of Zeeland, and George Korstanje of Detroit.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at the home, private and at 2 p.m. from the Langland funeral home, with the Rev. D. Zwier officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home cemetery. Friends may view the body at the home Friday from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Mrs. Van Loo was born April 20, 1877, in The Netherlands to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Korstanje. She was a member of Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church.

Homemaking Classes to Start for Allegan Soon

Allegan, Oct. 19 — Classes in homemaking and child growth and development conducted by Mrs. Herbert S. Mallory, of the University of Michigan extension department, will begin here Nov. 14. Classes will be held in Griswold Memorial building Nov. 14, 21, 28, Dec. 5, 12, and Jan. 9, 16 and 23.

ZEELAND BANK STARTS PAYOFF OF MORE FUNDS

Sixty-Six Thousand Free, Making Eighty Per Cent in Total Return

Institution Now Back in Former Building That Fire Damaged

Zeeland, Oct. 19 (Special) — Release of the fifth 10 per cent dividend to holders of certificates of participation today celebrated the removal of the Zeeland State Bank from temporary headquarters to its former building, redecorated after fire damaged it last February.

Notices announced the fifth dividend today, which will be paid at the office of the trustees for the segregated assets of the bank, a district organization from the bank itself. The amount to be released was listed at \$66,000, making a total of 80 per cent of funds returned to depositors, whose assets were frozen at the time of the bank holiday.

Zeeland bank authorities have been conducting business in temporary headquarters for almost a year, and returned this week to old headquarters at the corner of Elm and Main Sts.

The bank is the largest in Ottawa county since the State Commercial and Savings bank were merged with it in July.

Second story offices of the entirely redecorated building will be occupied by Dr. Henry Kuit, Dr. C. E. Boone and Gerrit Yntema.

SOLONS ACT TO SELL PROPERTY

In response to a communication from the Holland Motor Express, common council Wednesday night took initial action to sell to the highest bidder property which the city owns on the east side of Central Ave. between Fourth and Fifth Sts.

John Cooper, president of the motor freight firm, informed council that because of continued growth of his company it has become necessary to seek additional property. He offered to buy the property in question for \$450. It would extend for a distance of 225 feet, east of Central Ave.

He wrote that the property would be used to store trucks and that a garage would be erected subsequently to house the company's equipment. Mr. Cooper's place of business is located on the opposite side of the street near the property which he proposes to buy.

Upon motion of Ald. Ben Stefens, seconded by Ald. Martin Oudemool, council voted to sell the property to the highest bidder and City Clerk Oscar Peterson was instructed to advertise for bids which will be received Wednesday, Nov. 15.

Overisel News

The Women's Missionary society of the Reformed church met Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Pyle had charge of the meeting and gave an interesting talk.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Bartell of Minnesota are visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Henry Klumper submitted to an emergency appendectomy Saturday evening. Her condition is favorable.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Nienhuis Monday evening, Oct. 16, a baby girl. Her name is Judith Ann.

The Women's Missionary union of the Christian Reformed church met last Friday at the First Christian Reformed church in Zeeland.

Twenty-seven ladies from the local church attended the meeting. The Girls League of the Reformed church held their meeting last Friday evening. Sylvia Kleinhekel had charge of the meeting. The topic was, "Changing the Indian Picture." The topic was further commented on by Viola Folkert, Lois Kronmeyer, Ruth Popen and Lois Koopman. Miss Kleinhekel also played a piano solo.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Wolterink of Forest Grove called on relatives here Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Piasman and daughter, Glenda Mae, of Holland were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Albers.

Marius Mulder of Holland spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nell Voorhorst.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schaap left Monday morning for Florida where they plan to spend the winter months in their southern home.

Dr. and Mrs. Zachary Veldhuis of Detroit are visiting relatives for a few weeks.

Garrett Vande Riet of Calvin seminary of Grand Rapids was in charge of the Sunday evening service in the Christian Reformed church in Allendale.

The Rev. and Mrs. G. J. Vande Riet attended the ministers conference last Monday in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Keesstra of Allendale. Mr. Keesstra is the pastor of the Christian Reformed church of that place.

A gentleman farmer's chance planting of date palms on the edge of the Mojave desert has developed into a thriving date industry near Indio, Cal.

NEW COMMANDER IS EXPECTED FOR BOAT

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special) —Lieut. Commr. John P. Murray, new commander on the coast guard cutter Escanaba, is expected within a day or two and will probably take command on the ship about Nov. 1. Instead of Jan. 1, as originally planned. The ship, however, is to sail Monday on its third neutrality patrol assignment. In command of Lieut. O. C. B. Wev, according to present orders. Lieut. Wev has been temporarily in command since the departure of Lieut. Commr. R. J. Mauerman July 1st. Murray has been an executive on the Cutter Spencer at Cordova, Alaska. Mrs. Murray and their three children arrived in Grand Haven several days ago and have taken a home in Spring Lake on Savidge Street.

Orders have been received for Lieut. T. F. Knoll, junior grade, to report to Chicago district headquarters for temporary duty. The Chicago office is understood to be short of commissioned officers.

Noordeloos News

Mr. Zwiers, Sr., living north of here, sustained a broken leg when a heifer which he was letting out of the barn slipped and fell on him.

Norma Weener who had her tonsils removed last Saturday is recovering nicely.

The Zylstra family of Grand Rapids will present a sacred program in the local church Sunday evening, Oct. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Laarmann and family called on their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Lemmen recently.

Miss Helene Bosch is being employed as a domestic in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Diepenhorst of Grand Haven called on their parents Sunday.

The Young People's Bible class had their first meeting Wednesday evening.

The Rev. S. Fopma has nearly completed with his home visitations.

There were a great number of hunters here Monday morning but only a few bagged their pheasants.

The Misses Nelnie Morren and Beatrice Overway have joined the Girls Society of the local church which meets every two weeks.

Woman Hurt as Auto Overturns in Crash

Mrs. Nellie Cramer, 42, 89 West Eighth St., was reported to have suffered injuries to her head and legs in an automobile accident Tuesday night at 14th St. and Harrison Ave.

Mrs. Cramer's car was involved in a crash with another vehicle, driven by Byron Paschal, 46, route 1, Holland. Mrs. Cramer was driving north on Harrison Ave. and Mr. Paschal was proceeding west on 14th St.

The force of the impact caused the Cramer car to overturn onto its top. Police said tire marks skidded 48 feet.

Zutphen News

The Ladies Mission union met in First Christian Reformed church in Zeeland a week ago Friday. Those who attended from here were Mesdames Allie Pohler, Marie W. Ensing, Rena Peuler, Jennie Ringewold, Minnie Johnsons, Effie Bosch, Jennie Van Spyker, Sadie Dalman, Jennie Van Ess, Grace Ensing, Henrietta Timmer, Maggie Ver Hage, Winnie Heyboer, Trudra Heyboer, Jennie Rooy, Anne Hoffmann, Allie Loeks, Maggie Veltema, Georgiann Albrecht, Josie De Vree, Susie Brinks and Mrs. Klamer.

Mrs. Henry Elders is caring for Mrs. Emerlander and baby of Hudsonville.

Miss Lula Artz was honored at a shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Jalving at Waukazoo.

Alvin Ensing was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Troost on Sunday.

The Saturday catechism classes are instructed by a student of the Calvin seminary and the Monday evening class by the Rev. Dyk-hoek of Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ensing of Forest Grove and Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Kooy of Jamestown were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Albrecht.

Report No Change in Mr. Boven's Condition

Holland hospital reported this afternoon that there is no change in the condition of Peter H. Boven, about 65, president of Boven Dry Goods, Inc., 378 Central Ave., who suffered a stroke of paralysis, affecting his right side, Tuesday night.

He remains in an unconscious condition, the hospital said. Mr. Boven was found at his store early Wednesday morning by local police who went to the store at the request of Mrs. Boven when he failed to return to his home, 46 East 16th St., after going there to do some work.

TO IMPROVE CHURCH — Grand Haven, Oct. 19 —At an approximate cost of \$10,000 an addition to provide space for a choir room, consistory chamber, kitchen and boiler room on the basement floor is planned for First Reformed church here. Construction will start immediately and the addition will be ready for use Jan. 1.

Some species of wrasse fish lie flat on their sides at night, and sleep.

LOCALS REMAIN IN MIAA BATTLE WITH ALMA TIE

Brilliant Rally Saves Hope Eleven From Defeat in Final Period

There are no end of surprises in football, and Hope's 1939 gridiron machine proved it Friday night.

Trailing, 14-0, in the last eight minutes of play at Alma, Hope unleashed a brilliant and dazzling rally that ended just short of the final gun with the score, 14-14.

In spite of a deserving and precision-like Alma football machine, an enthusiastic Scot homecoming crowd, and Friday the 13th, Hope's comeback revealed several heroes and rearranged a more intriguing MIAA championship picture.

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THREE CHOSEN IN DRIVE TEST

School Children Named Who Look Like Trio on Posters

A living duplicate of the 1939 Community chest campaign poster was constructed at Holland high school auditorium Wednesday afternoon as judges named three Holland school children winners in a contest to find the three most like the children illustrated on the poster.

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Judges were Olga De Lin, Mrs. Charles Sligh and Charles Laitach.

The contest was conducted under the direction of the women's committee of the Community chest drive, headed by Mrs. Jay Den Herder and Mrs. Charles K. Van Duren.

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The social at the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Friday evening was well attended. President J. C. Post prefaced his remarks by giving some figures as to the attendance. From May 1, 1893, to May 1, 1894, 10,399 made use of the reading rooms, where the best daily and weekly papers and first class magazines are always found upon the table, an article in the May 25 issue of the Ottawa County Times published in 1894 by M. G. Mantling stated. The gospel meetings on Sunday afternoon have been visited by 4,480 and at the socials during the winter 685 attended. The program consisted of a solo by Mrs. G. J. Diekema, instrumental selections by William Olive, remarks by Vice President G. J. Diekema and a duet by Mrs. Prof. J. H. Gillespie and Miss Sarah G. Alcott.

A wrestling match was held at the opera house last Saturday night between Billy Murphy of Chicago, and William Whistler who has recently come here. It was a 30 minute contest, Whistler was to throw Murphy twice, winner to take a purse of \$50 and door receipts. Murphy weighed 122 pounds and Whistler 135 pounds. At the end of 14 minutes Murphy got Whistler foul and at the end of 21 minutes Whistler threw Murphy which was the only throw scored by Whistler in the time and the match was decided in favor of Murphy.

Among the locals were: Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dalman on Sunday a girl.

The Knights of the Maccabees will give our citizens a great opportunity to visit Milwaukee. On Thursday, June 7, they will run an excursion on the Steamer City of Holland to Milwaukee and return for the small sum of \$2, berth included. The steamer will leave Holland at 7 p.m. after arrival of trains from Grand Rapids and Allegan. Returning, will leave Milwaukee on evening of June 8 giving the entire day in the Cream City.

At a state convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union held at Ann Arbor this week the president, Mrs. Mary Lathrop, stated that there were 9,009 active members in the state. She believes that the prohibition sentiment is growing and that women should be allowed to vote.

Parties were here this week conferring with the Hope college authorities for the putting in of electric light fixtures in the Graves' library and chapel building. The cost will probably be from \$400 to \$500.

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In the Scientific America of last week we notice among the recently patented inventions the following: "Cheese-Forming machine—Henry R. Van Eyck, Zeeland, Mich. To work soft cheese into proper form, and cut it into cakes according to a predetermined weight, is the design of this machine, in which the invention consists principally of a conveying and agitating screw operating in a casing having a contracted outlet discharging into a conveyor belt, propelled by the cheese discharged from the outlet, the speed of the belt being governed by the weight of the cheese on it." The invention is an important one to cheese manufacturers.

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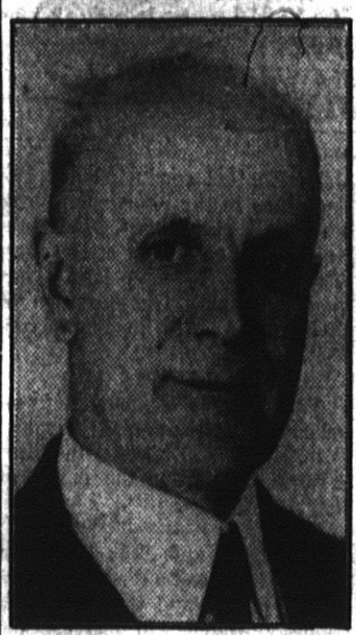
Series of Lectures to Be Sponsored by Seminary

Dr. Dawber Will Speak in City in Observance of Minister Week

Dr. Mark A. Dawber of New York city, executive secretary of the Home Missions council interdenominational, will give a series of five lectures under sponsorship of Western Theological seminary Nov. 7-10 in the seminary's first ministers' week.

The lectures, on topics related to domestic missions, is sponsored under the legacy of the late Mary Bussing of New York city, who established a fund of \$20,000 for the John S. Bussing lectureship, with the stipulation that the income from the fund be used to provide an annual series of lectures relating to domestic missions.

The lecture series includes meetings at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 7, Thursday, Nov. 9, and Friday, Nov. 10 in Seminary chapel and at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 8.



Dr. Mark A. Dawber

Subject of the five lectures is "Toward a Christian America."

Dr. Dawber was born and was educated in England. He studied piano and organ at the London college of music and planned to become a musician. He became interested in social movements, he entered Ruskin college, Oxford university, where he took social and theological courses.

In the United States he studied at Boston University School of Theology, Drew Theological seminary in Madison, N. J., and Garrett Biblical institute in Evanston, Ill.

His specialty has been in the rural church field. He began his ministry in 1916 with an appointment to an open country circuit of the Methodist Episcopal church in Wyoming. He was called to the professorship of rural leadership at the Boston School of Theology.

In 1926, he became superintendent of the department of town and country work on the board of home missions and church extension in the Methodist Episcopal church.

In 1937, he took over duties as executive secretary of the Home Missions council.

The full council fire will be held Friday, Nov. 17. When any girl has completed her count book or Camp Fire diary, she may come to the office for court of awards.

There will be classes in clay modeling, conducted by Mrs. C. C. Wood, Thursday, Oct. 26 and Friday, Oct. 27, 9:30 a.m. at the Camp Fire rooms. Any interested Camp Fire girl may attend these classes. Clay will be furnished and articles made will be decorated by the girls.

The Odaka group, Virginia park, is sponsoring a roller skating party on Saturday, Oct. 21, 4 to 6 p.m. in the Virginia park community house. Tickets may be procured at the Camp Fire office.

At the meeting Wednesday the Aowakia group discussed plans for their Halloween party.

Wetomachick group met at the home of Betty Vande Wege. The girls worked on their count books and ranks. The meeting next week will be held at the home of Evelyn Cook.

The new Longfellow school group elected for president, Jean Gogolin; vice-president, Betty Kulper; secretary, Betty Nash; scribe, Bonny Trimpe. Miss Lucille Kardux visited the group and taught Camp Fire songs. Plans were discussed for a Halloween party.

Waussick group met at the home of Ann Decker. The girls met their new guardian, Mrs. Vernon Ten Cate. Plans for future activities were discussed. Plans were made to attend the roller skating party Saturday afternoon.

Longfellow Bluebirds met at the home of Constance Boersma, 13 attending the meeting. Christmas cards were distributed to the girls who are entering the Camp Fire sale.

The Odaka Camp Fire group of Harrington school has had two meetings and elected officers as follows: president, Donna Meuwissen; vice president, Betty Helmink; secretary, Harriet Ten Brink; treasurer, Joan Paschal; scribe, Phyllis Bittner. The group is planning a hike for the 20th and will cook their supper outdoors. They also will have a roller skating party at the Virginia Park roller rink Saturday, Oct. 21.

The Wapikwa Camp Fire group met on Tuesday at the usual hour. Plans were made for a skating party to be held at Virginia Park next Saturday afternoon. The different committees for the Halloween party met and made plans for the party to be held the following Saturday. Dorothy Van Zueren served refreshments in honor of her birthday.

The girls of Huda Konja had two meetings since beginning a new year of Camp Fire. In an election last week officers were chosen as follows: Lillian Van Bemelen, president; Shirley Knoll, vice president; Jane Van Nul, secretary; Miss Antes (camp fire guardian) treasurer; Shirley Range, reporter. They had a fudge sale at the PTA of Beechwood school which was held Oct. 13 and it was very successful. The girls have decided to go on a bicycle hike. Leona Hiddings and Shirley Knoll are on the committee to get things organized. At the last meeting they learned to do a few other old folk dances in the auditorium.

CLERK REPORTS CASH SURPLUS

In a report to common council Wednesday night, City Clerk Oscar Peterson revealed that the available surplus for general city funds as of Oct. 14 amounted to \$124,185.09.

This surplus does not include \$60,000 which is due from the board of public works but which has not been called in for distribution to the various funds to carry them until a new budget is drawn next year.

He reported that the present balances in the various funds total \$195,047.71 and the overdrafts or indebtedness to other funds total \$70,862.62.

Balances in the city's trust funds total \$659,685.23 and are divided as follows: Board of Public Works, \$206,049.50; Pilgrim Home Cemetery trust, \$27,636.58; Holland hospital trust, \$8,000; county treasurer county tax, \$4,373; board of education, \$2,935.33; board of public works light plant construction, \$415,059.45.

Balances in the general city funds follow: General, \$77,393.94; street, \$19,387.88; hospital, \$12,387.88; police, \$12,861.64; police, \$5,172.97; park, \$479.73; library, \$4,717.16; compensation insurance, \$3,110.26; fire, \$2,018.24; delinquent tax, \$11,013.44; interest and sinking, \$38,408.25; 1938 light, power and water bills, \$484.20; contingent fund, \$20,000.

General city fund overdrafts follow: Welfare, \$13,134.03; health, \$1,972.19; cemetery, \$702.80; new cemetery development, \$9,973.34; special assessment, \$9,701.35; WPA park and cemetery project, \$12,552.38; Board of public works tax fund, \$20,160.93; public building, \$2,665.60.

GRAND HAVEN MAN DIES IN HOSPITAL

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special) — John Holman, 83, 939 Franklin St., Grand Haven, died at Municipal hospital early Tuesday where he had been confined for the past 10 days.

He was born in The Netherlands, Nov. 4, 1855, and lived in Grand Haven for the past 60 years. Mr. Holman, a former celery farmer, retired 14 years ago. He was a member of First Christian Reformed church.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

OTTAWA COUNTY
Henry Junior Tenckinck, 23, and Mildred N. Brower, 21, both of Holland; Joseph Kiebach, 23, West Olive, and Eleanor Bishop, 23, Grand Haven; Thomas J. Henley, 28, and Frances L. Clark, 25, both of Spring Lake.

Willmar Masselink, 25, Holland, and Harriet Dyke, 22, route 1, Jenison; Merton J. Wabeke, 24, route 3, Zeeland, and Frieda M. Cooke, 19, route 2, Byron Center.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 19 — A marriage license has been issued in Chicago to Norman H. Petersen, 41, of Holland, and Muriel Jacobson, 29, of Chicago.

Drinkwater Aroused by Lack of Council Reports

Ald. James A. Drinkwater believes that other committees of common council besides his own should show evidence of activity.

After Mayor Henry Geerlings had called on 14 committee chairmen and received answers of "no reports" from all except Ald. Henry Ketel, chairman of the claims committee, and Drinkwater, chairman of the public building and grounds committee, the alderman asked whether any of the other committees "are doing any work" and declared that some kind of a report should be presented by them.

Two Are Fined at G.H. Under New Traffic Law

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special) — Robert Tupes, 17, Muskegon paid a fine of \$12 and costs of \$1, under the new traffic law, upon his arraignment before Justice George V. Hoffer Monday afternoon on a charge of failure to have his car under control.

The alleged offense occurred Friday, Oct. 13, when Tupes ran into the rear of another car driven by George Clover, route 1, Spring Lake, which was attempting to make a left hand turn on US-31 in Spring Lake township.

Jack Farrar, 17, Spring Lake, paid a fine of \$3 and costs of \$1 before Justice Matthew C. Locke Saturday afternoon on the charge of failure to have his car under control Oct. 7.

Lutheran Church Plans Missionary Festival

A missionary festival is being planned in Zion Lutheran church Sunday. At the 10:30 a.m. service the Rev. A. O. Meyer of St. Paul's church, Grand Haven, will be the speaker. He was formerly a professor at Lutheran college in South America. The choir will sing special missionary anthems.

At the 7:30 p.m. service, pictures will be shown which were taken by Miss Amelia Doctor, a Lutheran deaconess in India.

Smart streamlining of automobiles and black and white auto tires for "dressing up" cars, are said to be the result of women's style consciousness and partiality for formal dress.

Personals

(From Tuesday's Sentinel)
Gerrit Masselink of Oakland returned Sunday after spending a few weeks in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dekker have moved from 246 West 11th St. to their home on route 2.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Hoff of route 4 a daughter on Oct. 14.

Mrs. Georgia Smith, Miss Elizabeth Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wagner of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Wagner. Mrs. Smith's birthday anniversary was celebrated at a dinner Sunday at which Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thake also were present.

Members of the American Legion auxiliary are requested to make reservations early for the 6:30 p.m. dinner to be held Saturday, Oct. 21, in the Woman's Literary club preceding the annual president's and secretary's tour and school of instruction for the fifth district. Reservations should be made not later than Thursday night with Mrs. Nick Hoffman or Mrs. John Kobes.

Dr. John Pieper plans to attend an eye clinic sponsored by the Detroit Research institution in Detroit Wednesday.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. Vander Werf, 112 West 10th St., went to Kalamazoo Sunday where the Rev. Vander Werf delivered three sermons during the day.

Mrs. Henry Holkeboer of Macatawa park left today to visit her sister, Mrs. J. G. Herweyer, route 2, McBain.

The Zylstra family, consisting of a mother and six of her children, will present a musical program in the North St. Christian Reformed church of Zeeland, October 19 at 7:45 p.m. Arrangements for the program are being made by the Golden Hour society.

The first regular meeting of the Men's club of Grace Episcopal church will be held Thursday, Oct. 19, in the parish house. An interesting program has been arranged. All men of the parish are urged to be present.

A Halloween party will be held in the Grace church guild hall Friday at 8 p.m. All members and their friends are invited. Bridge and dancing will be the entertainment.

The Beechwood Get-Together club will have a pot-luck supper Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at the school.

Miss Marie Bazaan of route 2 entertained at a birthday party Saturday afternoon in honor of her nephew, Bobby Coleman, who marked his eighth birthday anniversary. There were 15 neighborhood playmates present.

A large group from Holland plans to attend the Royal Neighbors convention to be held in Grand Rapids Oct. 24. A chartered bus will leave the local bus station at 9 a.m. to accommodate local members.

Mr. and Mrs. Sander Lankheet of Northshore drive, announce the birth of a daughter, Sharon Ruth, Monday morning.

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Dr. A. J. Brower left Saturday night for Ripon, Calif., called there by the sudden illness of his sister, Mrs. J. W. Nykamp.

C. Lamberts, Jr., spent the week-end in South Bend, Ind., visiting friends.

The Misses Gertrude Spruietsma, Dena Muller, Clara McClellan and Antonette Van Koevever spent the week-end of Oct. 7 at Bear lake at the Daisy Turner cottage.

Miss Julia Van Genderen of Three Oaks, who attended a meeting of the state Christian Endeavor board in Grand Haven over the week-end, was in Holland Sunday afternoon and assisted Miss Esther Harris in conducting a missionary conference for society missionary chairmen.

She spent the night as a guest of Misses Frances and Cornelia Van Voort and left this morning for her home.

Mrs. John Vanderbeek, wife of the pastor of Sixth Reformed church, left Holland at noon today for Chicago where at 6:20 p.m. she will board the streamline train "City of Portland" for the west coast. She has been called to Oak Harbor, Wash., due to the poor health of her mother, Mrs. Alice Loers, and will remain there perhaps a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Hill and family visited relatives in Muskegon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll William Norlin have moved from the Waverly road to Reed Ave., route 2.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sulley left Saturday for Jonesboro, Ark., for a week's visit. He is section foreman on the Pere Marquette Waverly yard No. 2.

Lester and Raymond Van Bek and Gilbert and Gerald Van Bek who motored here from Westfield, N. D., about a month ago are now employed by the Lakeshore Sugar Co.

The Rev. and Mrs. Herman Maassen of North Holland will return to their home the latter part of this week from an extended trip to the west coast. Rev. Maassen had been invited to conduct services for two Sundays in a church in San Francisco, Calif. They have been gone about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Miller of Rochester, N. Y., have returned to their home after visiting for the past week at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Miller, 144 East Ninth St.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Butler and son, Billy, spent the week-end in Arenac county where they attended a celebration of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Butler. A family dinner was held at the farm home at Saganing Sunday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rosema, 109 Fairbanks Ave. announce the birth of a son, Saturday.

Dr. H. P. Harris will leave late today by airplane for Philadelphia where he will attend

meetings of the American College of Surgeons. He will be in his office again Saturday afternoon.

The warm weather has caused the oleander tree in the yard at 297 West 22nd St. to bloom for a second time this year. It has two clusters of flowers and is full of buds.

The Rev. D. H. Walters, pastor of Central Avenue Christian Reformed church, will give a lecture Thursday evening in Franklin Street Christian Reformed church in Grand Rapids on the subject, "Reddiging the Wells of Our Fathers."

H. Pott and Mr. and Mrs. J. Tupper of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. C. Schuring of Breedsville motored to Bensenville, Ill., where they attended the wedding of the latter's nephew, William Rowoldt, Jr.

H. Pott of 106 East 17th St. is celebrating his 84th birthday anniversary today.

(From Wednesday's Sentinel)
Moving pictures of African missions, including scenes of work being done for lepers, will be given a public showing in Ninth Street Christian Reformed church at 7:45 p.m. tonight.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Nichols returned Tuesday night from a two weeks' trip through the east and south. Among the places they visited were Washington, D. C., and Virginia.

Gerald Lee is the name of a son born Friday, Oct. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rosema, 109 Fairbanks Ave.

October birthdays will be celebrated at a regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of Eagles Friday at 8 p.m.

Miss Jennie Mulder, Miss Bertha Huizenga, Miss Jessie Brandt and Miss Jeanette Mulder of Holland were recent guests at the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago.

The annual sunshine meeting of the Ladies Aid society of Fourth Reformed church will be held Thursday at 2:30 p.m.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening in Bethel church will begin at 8 p.m. The pastor will speak on "Kept from Evil." The choir will meet at 6:45 p.m.

All women in Montello park are invited to attend the "Get Acquainted Tea" which will be given at the school Friday at 3:15 p.m. The teachers also will be present.

The XL class of Third Reformed church will have a pot-luck supper at the home of Mrs. Walter Morris, 336 Maple Ave., Friday at 6:30 p.m. Members are to bring table service and a dish for the table.

The Fillmore Home Extension group met at the home of Mrs. H. Kortering with 11 members present and four visitors. The lesson for the day was "Meal Planning" presented by the leaders. A discussion followed and many suggestions were made. Refreshments were served.

On Thursday at 7:30 p.m. the midweek service of Immanuel church in the Armory will feature the showing of motion pictures taken in Africa by Peter Renkema, an official of the Moody Memorial church and retired business man of Chicago. His topic will be "What My Eyes Have Seen in My Travels in Africa."

All of the stations of the Sudan Interior Mission, under which two of the missionaries of Immanuel church are laboring, were visited by Mr. Renkema, including the Katsina Leper Settlement where his daughter is a missionary nurse.

(From Today's Sentinel)
Mrs. Alice Van Vulpes is recuperating at the home of her son, Walter, 34 East 17th St., having returned there Wednesday night from Holland hospital.

Wallace French, who has been in the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Butler, returned to his home in New York city today.

Len Knoll, Harm Knoll and Stephen Oudemolen spent Wednesday afternoon visiting friends in Graafschap. They also visited in East Saugatuck and Gibson.

Miss Marguerite Tallmadge Bergen, 29 East 14th St., is now in Chicago where she expects to be employed. Miss Bergen is living at the Harriet Hammond McCormick Memorial residence of the Young Women's Christian association.

The pastor will lead the regular prayer service at Fourth Reformed church tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Teachers meeting will be at 8:30 o'clock.

The Girls' League for Service of Fourth church will meet at the home of Miss Lena Plakke, 221 West 11th St., Friday evening.

The USWV auxiliary will meet Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the city hall at which time inspection will be featured. A special invitation has been extended to the comrades to attend the meeting. Refreshments will be served.

A special meeting of the board of directors of the Holland Chamber of Commerce has been called for 4:30 p.m. Friday in the Warm Friend tavern, Secretary-Manager E. P. Stephan said today.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hyma and two daughters, Mary and Esther,

route 3, Holland, plan to leave Saturday for Spring Brook, Wis., where Mr. Hyma will transact business. They expect to return here within a week.

The Welcome Corner class of First Methodist church will have a Halloween party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Harris, 400 Van Raalte Ave., Friday evening promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

The first fall meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of Fourth Reformed church will be held Friday at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Jacob Prins of Grand Rapids will be the speaker.

GRANDSON OF LOCAL RESIDENTS DROWNS

Muskegon, Oct. 19 — Clarence Wesley Nichols, Jr., 18-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wesley Nichols, route 2, Twin Lake, was drowned shortly after noon Monday in an accident at his home.

The mother discovered her son head first in a water-filled bucket. He had been absent only a short time after having assisted Mrs. Nichols in hanging up clothes by handing her the clothespins.

The child apparently had become wedged in the pail into which water from the kitchen sink drained. Efforts to revive him failed.

Survivors are the parents; two brothers, Floyd and Dale; one sister, Ardis, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Reseguis of Holland.

The city directory lists the Reseguis as residents on the north side of West 21st St., the first house west of Homestead Ave.

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THE MEANS AND THE END

One of the most cynically im-
moral statements made of a great
nation was that enunciated the
other day by Hitler in his re-
ichstag speech. It was all the more
astonishing because, though the
speech was officially a statement to
the German legislature, Hitler
was aware, as was the whole
world, that in reality he was
speaking to the whole world.

Commenting on what had been
done in Austria, Czechoslovakia,
and Poland, he remarked that it
was not important to note how a
thing had been done, only to see
how successful the results were.
In other words, he subscribed
without a blush to the doctrine
that has long been outlawed as a
principle of personal morality that
"the end justifies the means." By
adopting that principle any indi-
vidual or nation may commit the
most barbarous wrongs. It is for
instance easy for a multi-million-
aire who has legally stolen his
millions from the public to justify
the theft by showing that he can
do more with those millions than
the money could do if he had left
it in small amounts in the hands
of the people. He can, and often
does, build hospitals, endow uni-
versities, and support worthy
causes of all kinds. But the world
has agreed, in theory at least, that
there is no cause so worthy that it
justifies unjust ways of gaining
the millions.

The world has agreed to that
in theory, not in practice. Uni-
versities and hospitals and even
churches more often than not are
perfectly willing to accept what
they themselves consider tainted
money. Whenever an institution
refuses some of it, the fact is a
nine-days' wonder.

As for the application of the
principle in an international sense,
Hitler finds himself in exceeding-
ly good company in making his
cynically immoral statement. Go-
ing no further back than the end
of the World War, England and
France achieved their ends by
promising Germany peace would
be established in accordance with
Wilson's "fourteen points." When
they had won what they wanted,
they straightway repudiated that
promise. In the treaty itself they
made Germany promise it would
scrap its ships and disband its
army, promising to disarm them-
selves. When they had Germany
where they wanted her, they re-
fused to honor their own promises.
Although they did not say so open-
ly, as Hitler did the other day,
their acts showed that they sub-
scribed to the doctrine that the
end justifies the means.

The immorality of nations is
not a new thing in the world. The
frankly cynical admission of the
fact was the only thing that made
Hitler's statement astonishing.

THE CHURCH INVITES YOU
The Redemptive Power of the
Sabbath

George Washington said: "No
man could be a sincere patriot
who was indifferent to the na-
tion's spiritual foundations. Wood-
row Wilson said, "Civilization
cannot survive materially, unless
it is redeemed spiritually." Gro-
ver Cleveland died with a Bible
in his hands. William McKinley
demonstrated the depth of his faith
by his exalted confidence in his
hour of death; his plea for mercy
upon his assassin will always
stand in the Republic's memory
beyond that of his two favorite
hymns, "Lead Kindly Light" and
"Nearer My God to Thee."

The glory of Christianity is its
redemptive power. Lose the Sab-
bath, then the church, then the
redemptive power of Christian-
ity. Why not accept the invitation
and go to church next Sunday?

CITY'S FIRST SNOW
OF SEASON ARRIVES

Early morning risers here Sat-
urday were greeted by first
snow of the season. The snowfall
was light and disappeared quick-
ly.

Rain fell intermittently throu-
out Friday and turned to half Fri-
day night when the temperature
dropped.

Sunday School
Lesson

Oct. 22, 1939

The Citizens of the Kingdom

Matthew 5: 1-16

By Henry Geerlings

We are citizens of the United
States. Laws have been made and
passed telling us how we should
live. There are certain things we
should not do, and certain things
we should do. One who takes his
citizenship seriously wants to be
acquainted with what is required
of him, and to strive to fit his life
into it. We believe that it fares
well with the man who knows the
laws of his country and keeps
them.

We are members of the king-
dom of heaven also. In it there
are rules governing the lives of its
members. They are nowhere else
so briefly and so comprehensively
stated as in the sermon on the
Mount. Here we have a summary
of the laws and principles by
which we are to live as citizens of
the kingdom of heaven.

Jesus had been calling atten-
tion to his kingdom. He had been
seeking to arouse interest in it. He
had succeeded in doing that. It is
not hard to imagine multitudes of
people talking about Jesus and
his kingdom. If they were anything
like the people of today we can be
sure that they would ask one an-
other with a considerable degree
of curiosity: "Have you heard
this prophet preach? Did you no-
tice that he had so much to say
about a kingdom—the kingdom of
heaven he called it? Do you know
what he means by it? Did you
hear him say what kind of people
are to be in it and what the ad-
vantages are to those who enter
it?" We believe that just such
questions as these would come
naturally to the surface and would
be asked by these curious and in-
terested people.

Now Jesus knew human nature
quite well enough to know the
state of mind of the people whose
interest he had awakened. So
when he gets opportunity he takes
occasion to speak about his king-
dom and its fundamental laws or
principles. To call them laws may
mislead. The word law in our day
has become often to have a re-
stricted and unpleasant meaning.
So that when we think of law we
think of restraint and something
that we may not do. We jump to
the conclusion that somebody has
or else somebody has made a
new law and they want to take
our liberty away and put us in
normal or spiritual bondage. So it
is better to call these wonderful
declarations of Jesus living and
abiding principles which go to con-
stitute the fundamentals of his
kingdom. They enlarge and enrich
and stimulate life. They do not
restrict and rob it of its rightful
expressions.

Building one's life according to
the principles of this kingdom
brings one into a state of blessed-
ness. We might get the idea more
quickly if we should say that they
who live these principles are for-
tunate. They are on the way to
true happiness. It is a fact we all
know that we are seeking happi-
ness. It is a universal quest. There
is a variety of opinions how to se-
cure happiness. Men are travelling
many roads to it, but very few ar-
rive. Jesus points out his way to
happiness, to a fortunate condi-
tion of being. Men have the possi-
bilities all within themselves. Je-
sus' idea of a fortunate state of
mind is quite different from the
world's way of thinking. It does
not consist in the abundance of
the things which men possess.
Happiness depends more upon
what a man is than upon what he
has. Things may and do have a
necessary place in one's life, but
they do not have the chief and
fundamental place. Man lives on
the inside largely and not on the
outside, if he is finding true hap-
piness.

Happiness is not necessarily
pleasantness and agreeableness of
circumstances. It is not freedom
from the testing and trying expe-
riences of life. It may be satisfac-
tion and the joy that come from
a sense of victory over circum-
stances. It may be the uprising
of a great emotion out of a con-
sciousness of a life well spent. It
may be the consciousness of a
consciousness of a spiritual en-
richment and the ability to see
things as they are. It may be a
contentment that brings a great
peace at the end of the day that
has been marked with an un-
selfish service of one's fellows.

It may be a good many things
the nature and the rewarding
power of which we cannot know
until we try them out in our own
souls. But if we are going to be
happy we must follow the way of
life if the Master. Of course we
have not forgotten that his way of
life brought him finally to the
cross, but even so, for the joy
that was set before him he en-
dured it.

Suit Is Filed for Estate
on Strength of Letters

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 — A suit
filed in Ottawa county circuit
court by Andrew J. Bell claims the
estate of the late Augustus C.
Cramer of Conklin, Wright town-
ship.

Bell claims that Mr. Cramer,
who died July 24, 1938, without
leaving a will, intended he should
receive the estate appraised at
\$3,265.22 and cites two letters re-
ceived from Mr. Cramer in May
and June that year as proof. In
response to one, he came from
West Virginia and cared for Mr.
Cramer from June 22, 1938 until
Mr. Cramer's death. Heirs at law
are four nieces and a nephew, all
living out of the state except Mrs.
Grace McCready of Grand Rapids.

THE BIRTH OF CHARLES WHITING

The birth of Charles Whiting in 1946 constitutes one of the most remarkable cases in medical annals. His mother was walking in a field when she collapsed, gave birth to the boy. She died a few minutes afterward, and 14 hours later people found the baby being nursed by a cow. The cow was lying on its side—although it had never been in the habit of lying down.

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LOCAL HARBOR
TONNAGE GAINSCurrent Season Marked
by Big Increase Over
Last Year

In answer to a questionnaire re-
ceived from the River and Harbor
Improvement association of Cleve-
land, O., E. P. Stephan, secre-
tary-manager of the Holland
Chamber of Commerce, has ad-
vised the organization that the
tonnage for the local harbor for
the present year is approximately
101,662 tons, a considerable in-
crease over past years.

Tonnage figures for past years,
Mr. Stephan reports, is as follows:
60,875 in 1938, 55,400 in 1937 and
33,338 in 1936.

Value of the documented yachts
in Holland harbor is estimated on
the questionnaire at \$1,250,000.
Motor boats total approximately
115, at least six other power boats
40 sail boats, 150 outboard motor
boats and eight commercial boats.

Three concerns are listed as be-
ing engaged in boat building and
repairs — the Campbell Boat
Works of Virginia park, Jesiek
Bros. of Macatawa park and the
Chris-Craft Boat Co. whose plant
is now under construction on the
North side.

Besides fishing by commercial
boats, the commerce by fishing in-
dustry totals approximately 100
tons a year as represented by the
carp removed from Lake Macatawa
by the Holland Fish and Game club.

Total motor replacements, re-
pairs and overhaul totaled to \$40-
000, the report said. The number
of boats visiting the local har-
bor during the current season was
estimated at 200.

Harrington PTA Elects
Officers at Meeting

Election of officers was featured
at the first meeting of the Har-
rington PTA Friday evening and
Mrs. J. Kuyper was elected pres-
ident; Miss Florence Ten Have,
vice president; Mrs. Lester Cook,
secretary, and John H. Teusink,
treasurer.

The program consisted of se-
lections by the Wooden Shoe Four
composed of Arthur Greengood,
Fred Plomp, and Herbert and Sim-
on Wynga, accompanied by Sim-
on Meuwissen, and an accordion
duet by Gladys Bos and Maxine
Veurink.

Mayor Henry Geerlings of Hol-
land gave the address of the eve-
ning on "Finding Happiness in
Work." Refreshments were served
by Mrs. Frank Milewski, Mrs.
William Baker and Mrs. Harry
Maatman.

Philathea Class Has
Costume Party

A great variety of costumes ap-
peared Wednesday, Oct. 16 when
55 members of the Philathea class
of the First Methodist church par-
ticipated in a costume party. Din-
ner was served at 6:30 p.m. under
the general direction of Mrs. Hel-
en Damsen.

Impressive devotions were given
by Miss Martha Bird who chose
as her subject "Light" closing
with a candle service in which all
held lighted candles and joined in
singing "The Light of the World
is Jesus."

The business meeting was con-
ducted by the president, Miss
Verda Hawkins who also distrib-
uted the year's program books. The
entertainment was typically Hal-
loween. A tour was conducted
through all the rooms of the
church, goblins, witches, etc., be-
ing much in evidence.

Marian Working, Mae Whitmer
and Shirley Walker had charge
of the entertainment. They award-
ed prizes to Martha Bird and Es-
ther Wenzel for originality in cut-
ting out faces and to Dorothy
Houtman for the most clever cos-
tume. The meetings closed with
musical games with Miss Vera
Johnson and Mrs. Stuart Ludlow
providing accompaniments.

Officers for the year are Verda
Hawkins, president; Mildred Dam-
son, first vice president; Elina
Stocker, secretary, and Marjorie
Matchinsky, treasurer.

SUNDAY DINNER
SuggestionsBy CORA ANTHONY
Director of A&P Kitchen

IT pays to be a bit adventurous when
shopping these days particularly in
the fruit and vegetable line. With peas,
beans, corn and tomatoes less plentiful
and more expensive why not try Hub-
bard squash, Swiss chard, eggplant,
green and yellow summer type squash,
celery knobs, romaine, escarole and
chicory for a change? Of course there is
still spinach, and cauliflower, broccoli
and Brussels sprouts are in season. The
rarer fruits are usually to be found in
markets in the foreign section but ap-
ples, grapes, pears, bananas, oranges
and new crop grapefruit are generally
available.

All meats are reasonable and poultry
is low and very plentiful Eggs are low
for the season.

Low Cost Dinner
Round Steak, Mashed Potatoes,
Buttered Broccoli,
Bread and Butter,
Rice Custard with Jelly and Meringue
Toss or Coffee Milk

Moderate Cost Dinner
Roast Pork with Apples and Onions,
Baked Squash, Cauliflower,
Bread and Butter,
Celery, Grapes, Apples
Toss or Coffee Milk

Very Special Dinner
Grasshopper
Fricassee of Chicken and Mushrooms
with Yeast Dumplings
Mashed Sweet Potatoes Swiss-Chard
Pickled Beets
Avocado Salad
Bread and Butter
Chocolate Ice Cream, Crisp Wafers
Coffee

State Chairman Speaks
to Holland DAR Group

Miss Harriet Simmons of Mar-
shall, State D. A. R. chairman of
approved schools, was a guest of
Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton chap-
ter, D. A. R. at their meeting
last Thursday in the home
of Miss Lida Rogers on West 14th
St. Miss Simmons told of the work
being done in the 16 schools which
are wholly or partly supported by
the national society. Daughters
of the American Revolution, and
displayed some of the handwork
put out by the girls and boys in
the arts and crafts departments.

The Tamassee D. A. R. school
at Tamassee, S. C., and the Kate
Duncan Smith school at Grant,
Ala., are fully supported by the
society, Miss Simmons said. Other
schools in the approved list are
located in Kentucky, Georgia, Vir-
ginia, North Carolina, Tennessee,
Florida, Wisconsin, Ohio and Mas-
sachusetts. Pupils from these
schools may transfer to the best
colleges and universities in the
country, she said.

Devotions were conducted by
the chaplain, Mrs. E. V. Hart-
man, and news from Washington
was set forth in the National His-
torical magazine, official publica-
tion of the D. A. R., was present-
ed by Mrs. J. D. French.

A social hour was in charge of
Mrs. E. V. Hartman, Mrs. R. F.
Keeler and Mrs. Allan B. Ayers.
Next meeting of the society will
be a jewel tea on Nov. 9 at the
home of Mrs. William C. Vanden-
berg, when each member will
bring an heirloom in the form of
jewelry, and tell the history of the
piece. Miss Laura Boyd and Mrs.
Malcolm House will be in charge
of the program.

Bomers-Raterink Vows
Spoken in G.R. Church

Palms, ferns, baskets of chry-
santhemums and white candelabra
formed the setting in Burton
Heights Christian Reformed
church Wednesday, Oct. 11 for the
wedding of Miss Geraldine Ruth
Raterink, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. William Raterink of Brown
St., Grand Rapids, and Donald
Bomers, son of Mrs. Dewey Bomers
of East 18th St., Holland. The
Rev. Edward J. Masselink read
the service at 8 o'clock.

Miss Ann Vander Heide played
the wedding music and accom-
panied Garrett Raterink who sang
"At Dawning" and "Because."
Barbara Vorburg attended the
bride as maid of honor.

Ruth Bomers was bridesmaid.
The flower girls, Alice Joyce
Hayne and Janice Kay Everts,
wore long dresses of white taffeta
and carried baskets filled with
pink and white roses.

Gerald Bomers assisted his
brother as best man. William Ver-
burg and Marinus Gillisser were
ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Ver-
burg completed the wedding party
as master and mistress of cere-
monies.

A reception was held following
the ceremony in the home of the
bride's parents. Assisting about
the rooms were Mrs. Vesta Heyne,
Mrs. Richard Dornbos, Ruth Ten-
nis, Virginia Wickert, Connie
Dekker and Annetta Dekker.

For traveling, Mrs. Bomers
wore a blue wool dress with black
accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Bomers
will make their home at 700
Washington Blvd., Holland, after
Nov. 1.

Birthday Party Is Held
in Vander Ploeg Home

A birthday party honoring Hel-
bert L. Vander Ploeg was held
Wednesday evening, Oct. 11, at
his home at 294 West 24th St.
The occasion also marked Mr. and
Mrs. Vander Ploeg's second wedding
anniversary. A pleasant evening
was spent and a three-course lunch
was served. Gifts were presented.

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Public Demonstration of Fire Equipment Is Held

Display New Aerial Truck for First Time; Many in Attendance

A large crowd of Holland persons took advantage of the public demonstration of firefighting equipment here on last Thursday afternoon at Eighth St. and Pine Ave. to learn what protection the city offers them against damage by fire.

The demonstration was arranged by the Holland fire department, the police and fire board and the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce as part of the observance of fire prevention week in Holland. Although about 20 minutes late in getting under way, the demonstration continued for approximately an hour.

The event marked the first public appearance of the fire department's new 65-foot aerial ladder truck which was recently added to the firefighting equipment. With a strong west wind blowing, firemen had to change their tactics and shoot the water from the fire hoses in an eastward direction. Wind-blown water was said to have sprinkled some of the spectators.

Holland police assisted by directing traffic. F. J. Walz, chief of the Saugatuck fire department, and Capt. H. W. Newnam witnessed the demonstration as Fire Chief Cornelius Blom, Jr., directed the proceedings.

The first part of the demonstration consisted of laying 10 lines of hose, five from one pumper truck at Seventh St. and Pine Ave. and the other truck at Eighth St. and Pine Ave. Water was discharged at a rate of 2,000 gallons per minute from the 10 hoses.

Then the new aerial ladder truck was put into action. From a nozzle atop the ladder with the hose running up the ladder, water was discharged at a rate of 500 gallons per minute. A fireman on the ground directed the direction of the flow and control of the nozzle with the aid of ropes. The pumper truck at Seventh and Pine Ave. boosted the pressure.

At the same time, three hoses were merged into one and with the assistance of the other pumper discharged water from a nozzle located on the rear of the truck at a rate of 1,000 gallons per minute. Water from this nozzle and from the one atop the aerial ladder being in operation at the same time.

Firemen also exhibited their "deluge set" which was prepared by merging three hoses into one through a "siamese" joint and discharging it through one hose and the nozzle at a rate of 1,000 gallons per minute. A pumper truck being used to boost the pressure.

The "fog" nozzle also was displayed. This nozzle can be adjusted to cast a fine spray. Fire Chief Blom explained that this nozzle doesn't require much water but "can extinguish a lot of fire."

With this part of the program finished, firemen moved their aerial truck to the front of the Home Furniture Co. store where they demonstrated how they use the ladder themselves in reaching roofs of burning buildings. Carrying a booster pump hose with which the truck is equipped to fight small roof fires, firemen climbed to the top of the furniture store.

TWO FINED FOR SPREE IN CAMP

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special)—John Reed, and his wife, Mildred, 22, of Spring Lake, each paid on Oct. 12 a fine of \$10 and costs of \$4.25, besides damage amounting to \$7 to a house trailer in which they were living in the Spring Lake Tourist camp. They appeared before Justice George V. Hoffer of Grand Haven on charges of being drunk and disorderly.

GROUP TO ATTEND STATE CONVENTION

Several Holland persons are planning to go to Flint Nov. 1, 2 and 3 to attend the first annual joint convention of the Michigan Council of Churches and Christian Education and the Michigan Council of Church Women.

Among those who will attend are George Schulling, Mrs. Edith Walvoord and the Rev. John R. Mulder. Mr. Schulling is a member of the board of directors of the Michigan Council of Churches and will attend a board meeting Wednesday, Nov. 1, at 10 a.m. in Court Street Methodist church.

Rev. Mulder will participate in an area conference to be held at 3:15 that same day, the subject of the conference being "Personal Faith and Experience."

Mrs. Walvoord will serve as chairman of the children's workers at a dinner at 6:30 p.m. that night.

Dr. Paul Harrison of Arabia will be principal speaker at a mass meeting that night at 8 p.m. at the church. His subject will be "The Supreme Challenge of the Present Crisis."

ARREST YOUNG MAN FOR DRUNK DRIVING

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special)—Otto Emmenegger, 24, Grand Haven, demanded examination which was set for Thursday, Oct. 19, at 2 p.m., upon arraignment before Justice George V. Hoffer Oct. 14 on a charge of drunk driving, second offense.

Emmenegger was involved in an accident here Friday night. About two years ago, he paid fine and costs of \$58.30 and served five days in the county jail on a drunk driving charge.

He failed to furnish \$500 bond and was ordered held in jail.

Rev. Ottipoby Is Banquet Speaker

The Rev. James C. Ottipoby of Winnebago, Neb., head of the Indian mission located there sponsored by the Women's Board of Domestic Missions of the Reformed Church in America, was the main speaker at a dinner meeting in Sixth Reformed church Friday night arranged for the young people. About 35 were present.

Rev. Ottipoby, a full blooded Comanche Indian who was an outstanding athlete during his college days at Hope, spoke of the time a few years ago when he assisted in the work of the Intermediate society at Sixth church working with a group of children who now form the nucleus of the Young People's society.

Mrs. Lorraine Strong, president of the society, presided and announced the program. Paul Scholten led community singing with Miss Johanna Faber at the piano. Two accordion solos were given by Miss Ethel Brandt and two vocal selections were sung by Miss Vivian Dalman, accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Vanderbeek. C. De Waard, chairman of the educational committee of the church, and the Rev. John Vanderbeek, pastor, also spoke. The program closed with the C. E. benediction.

A large C. E. emblem with red and white lights was at the front of the room. Red candles were on the table. The dinner was served by a group of women headed by Mrs. Louis Dalman.

HOPE'S SOPH PULL TEAM HUMBLING IN ANNUAL RIVER TUG

Hope's green frosh humbled sophomores in a chilly manner Friday afternoon as freshmen of the college won the annual pull across Black river in just 30 minutes. Teams pulled in their holes 15 minutes, and then stood up until the sophs took their "dip."

By virtue of their victory, freshmen no longer are required to "pot" to upper classmen. Had the sophomores won, frosh would have had to "pot" to them as well as upper classmen.

It rained during most of the pull, and spectators who braved the elements were almost as wet as the sophomores who were pulled through the river.

Following their victory, the second freshman victory in two years, the frosh carried their rope through the streets of Holland and left it in front of Voorhees hall, women's dormitory. Everett Klein, Holland Christian high graduate, was the frosh pull captain.

Don Dykstra is the frosh class president, and Kenneth Vanden Berg leads the sophomores.

Don Cordes coached the sophomores on the south bank of the river, and Anthony Pennings coached the freshmen on the north bank. Judges besides Edwin Lundberg, president of the council, and Al Shipshart, chairman of the inter-class committee, were Earl Purchase, Al Vanden Berg, Bud June and Doug MacDonald.

Donna Eby of the freshmen, and Janet Shuptrine of the sophomores, headed coed committees to feed chocolate and oranges to the teams during the pull.

Dr. Kayper Addresses Bethel Girls' League

The Girls' League for Service of Bethel church held a meeting Oct. 11, with Miss Emma Kuyper, president, presiding. Devotions were in charge of Miss Minnie Swierenga, and special music consisted of vocal solos by Miss Beatrice Geerlings, accompanied by Miss Edna Dalman. A letter from Miss Leona Vanden Linden, missionary to China, was read. The speaker of the evening was Dr. Lester Kuyper of Western Theological seminary.

About 30 attended the meeting. Hostesses were Miss Alyda Schuitman and Mrs. C. A. Stoppe.

Entertains 11 Guests on 11th Birthday Oct. 11

Miss Arlene Poll entertained 11 of her friends on her 11th birthday anniversary on Wednesday evening, Oct. 11. Games were enjoyed and prizes were awarded to Shirley Ter We, Lillian Van Tak, Elaine O'Connor, Gladys Borgman and Hazel Kroil. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. Ben Poll and daughter, Dorothy. Arlene was presented with many fine gifts.

Others present were Alta Van Heuvelen, Bernice Boyce, Ruth Ter Horst, Arlene Van Nul, Donna Krag and Anna Laarman.

A sharp tongue and a dull mind are usually found in the same head.

CONTRACT TO DETROIT FIRM

Upon recommendation of the board of public works, common council, at a special meeting Friday at 5:15 p.m., awarded a contract to Johnson-Larsen and Co. of Detroit for the furnishing of power house piping and auxiliary equipment for the city's new power plant.

The company's bid was \$123,800 which was the lowest among the 13 bids submitted to council at an adjourned meeting Wednesday night.

Total amount of money remaining to be spent for the plant project is \$131,228, which includes \$7,428 for engineers' fees. Amount available is \$137,789.40, including \$62,005.23 as a government grant and \$75,784.17 as the applicant's fund. This leaves \$6,561.40 available for contingencies.

FENNVILLE AUTO IS STRUCK BY FREIGHT

Fennville, Oct. 19 (Special)—A south bound freight at 8 p.m. Friday struck a car in which Miss Evelyn Bloom, 18, and her brother, Robert, 16, Fennville, were riding.

It was Friday the 13th, but on-lookers could not decide whether the ill-starred day was responsible, or whether the omen had backed off, and the pair was lucky to have escaped serious injury.

Miss Bloom, the driver, was treated in Douglas hospital for forehead lacerations and a crossed bone in one wrist. Both brother and sister were treated for shock and then released.

It was said that Miss Bloom followed another car across the tracks, and that the train narrowly missed hitting the first car as well.

Miss Bloom was traveling east, on her way to her home about three and a half miles south of Fennville. There is no watchman at the train crossing after 7 p.m. The impact knocked the steps to the train cab from the locomotive. The front of the auto was demolished.

Forensic Activities Are Began at Hope

Forensic activities for Hope college got under way Thursday Oct. 12, as Pi Kappa Delta met at the Roxatawnee home in Waukazoo with Miss Virginia Ellison, the president, as the hostess.

Prof. William Schrier, new speech instructor, spoke on the three P's, plans, policies and procedures. He is especially anxious to promote audience debates and he spoke on several debate trips he is planning.

Miss Ellison read a tribute to the late Dr. Roland Shackson, former forensics head who died in July. This tribute was the one read by F. B. McKay of Central State Teachers college given before the Michigan Intercollegiate speech league in East Lansing recently.

Plans were made for a forensic rally to be held Oct. 19 at which time opportunity will be given for the students to sign up for oratory, debate and extempore speaking. The local extempore speaking contest will be held here Nov. 7 and the topics for the men are "National Political Issues and the 1940 Election" and "Civil Service." Topics for the women are "The Democracy Issue in America" and "General Education on the College Level."

Relatives Entertained in Central Park Home

Mrs. William H. Helmink entertained a group of relatives with a dinner at her home in Central park last Thursday. This is an annual get-together held at the fall season.

Those present were Mrs. A. Gebben, Mrs. E. Gebben, Mrs. H. Tanis, Mrs. E. Schuitman, Mrs. Edward Cook and Mrs. Barney Cook all of Fremont; Mrs. J. Tanis of Muskegon; Mrs. L. Vredveld of Grand Rapids; Mrs. A. Prins, Mrs. N. Prins, Mrs. E. Klaasen, David Klaasen, Mrs. Herman C. Cook, Mrs. William H. Helmink, Robert Henry Helmink, Mrs. Henry W. Helmink, Mrs. Warren Fischer and Mrs. Henry Lugers, all of Holland and Central Park.

Opening Meeting Held by Froebel PTA Group

A good attendance marked the first fall meeting of the Froebel school PTA Tuesday, Oct. 10. Due to a vacancy caused by resignation of William Brooks, who has moved from the locality, Dick Brandt was elected president of the organization.

An interesting program consisted of the showing of movies of The Netherlands by Inez Von Ins; music by pupils of the fifth and sixth grades and several selections on the marimba by Edgar Holkeboer. Refreshments were served by mothers of the sixth grade children.

RAY KRONMEYER AT J.C.C. BOARD MEET

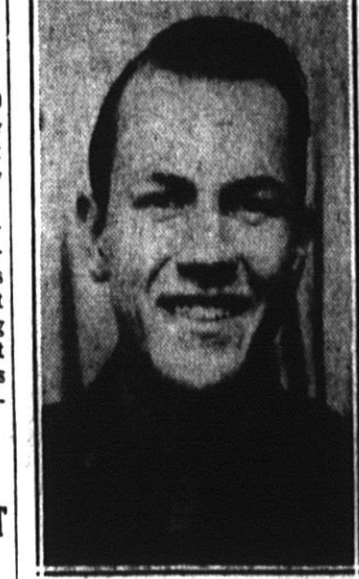
Raymond J. Kronmeyer, president of the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce, went to Chicago to attend a meeting of the national board of directors as vice-chairman of the state extension committee in charge of new organization activities.

Other Michigan representatives are State President Einar Larson of Lansing, F. Schermerhorn of Kalamazoo, national chairman of International relations committee,

LOCAL BOY WILL BE NAVAL FLYING CADET

Harvey Hop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hop of 321 Central Ave., started elimination training at Floyd Bennett airport, New York city, Oct. 16 preparatory to entering the Naval flying school as a cadet, according to word received here.

Hop was accepted as a flying



Harvey Hop

cadet recently, and must take the preliminary training course before enrolling in training at Pensacola, Fla. for a nine months course. Following graduation he will be required to serve with the fleet three years.

Requirements are two years of college, a knowledge of mathematics, perfect physical condition, and the candidate must be single between the ages of 20 and 28.

Young Hop has been working in New York city for the past year. He was with a publishing firm, and then worked as an investigator for a department store and then for an insurance company.

He was graduated from Holland high school in 1935, and attended Hope college two years. He was a delegate from Holland to the International Boy Scout jamboree in The Netherlands in 1937. If he passes his naval training successfully, Hop will go into commercial aviation.

Engaged Couple Feted at Surprise Shower

A surprise shower honoring Miss Lulu Artz and Alvin Ringervohl of Hudsonville was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit J. van der Wouk, Wednesday evening, Oct. 11.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. Klinehekse of Hamilton, Miss Katherine De Vree and Clifford Rynbrandt of Hudsonville, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Slenk, Miss Florence Vork and Harold Arens of Holland.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Klinehekse, Miss Vork and Miss De Vree. A gift was presented to the honored couple from the group. Miss Artz and Mr. Ringervohl plan to be married next month.

Bethel Sunday School Has Annual Meeting

The annual business meeting of the Bethel church Sunday school was held Friday in the church parlors with Benjamin Lemmen, superintendent, presiding. G. Veldman led the opening devotions. The annual reports of the secretary and treasurer were reported by Mrs. K. Kalkman and John Wiggers.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Superintendent: Benjamin Lemmen; assistant superintendent: Herman Moot; secretary: William Walters; treasurer: John Wiggers; assistant secretary and treasurer: Albert De Maat and Mr. George Swierenga, primary superintendent, Ben Kole; cradle roll superintendent, Mrs. G. Eilander, and Mrs. G. Bax, ass.

Rev. C. A. Stoppeles closed the meeting with prayer. Refreshments were served by a committee of Mrs. George Eilander and Mrs. G. Bax.

Dr. and Mrs. Boot Address Society

Dr. and Mrs. Harry P. Boot of Amoy, China, were the guest speakers at an open meeting of the Ladies Missionary society of Central Park church Wednesday Oct. 11. The president, Mrs. John Steunberg, presided and the devotions were conducted by Miss Mildred Schuett.

The Van Lente Septet sang, "Go Ye into All the World" by Trowbridge and Edward Louwse of Grand Rapids played a piano solo. "To a Wild Rose" by MacDowell. Mrs. Henry Vanden Berg and Mrs. Dick Vander Meer gave the secretary's and treasurer's reports and the members responded to roll call with a verse of Scripture about harvest.

A social hour was enjoyed after the program and refreshments were served by Mrs. Elmer Teusink, Mrs. Richard Bouwman, Miss Grace Teusink, Mrs. John Pippel, and Mrs. John L. Van Huls.

Sam Althuis Turns in High Trapshoot Score

Sam Althuis, with a score of 23, turned in the highest score at the final trapshoot of the season which was held Friday afternoon at Conservation park, east of Holland, under auspices of the Holland Fish and Game club.

Other high scores follow: Gerrit Huizenga, 22; Henry Sandy, 22; William Wolring, 22; Jacob Lievens, 20; J. Bos, 19; G. Blankenstein, 19; Gerald Kramer, 19; J. Geerlings, 17; and J. Wyngarden, 17.

PAIR IS PLACED ON PROBATION

Simon Pauwe, Bernard Van Til Are Sentenced By Miles

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special)—Simon Pauwe, 24, 239 West 12th St., Holland, was placed on probation by Judge Fred T. Miles in Ottawa circuit court Saturday for two years on a charge of larceny from a store.

He was ordered to pay court costs of \$24 at the rate of \$1 per month and required to leave liquor alone during his probation.

Pauwe is alleged to have stolen a diamond ring, valued at \$55, on Feb. 17, 1939, from the store of James Heerspink in Holland.

Bernard Van Til, 22, 12 North River Ave., Holland, was placed on probation for three years and will pay costs of \$36 at the rate of \$1 per month besides probation fees. The conditions of his probation are that he leave liquor alone, stay out of poolrooms, and pay a certain amount of money each week to his mother after he finds a job.

Van Til was sentenced to serve 28 days in the county jail Nov. 26, 1938, for stealing gasoline and again on May 29, 1939, was sentenced to serve 90 days on the same charge.

The offense on which he was placed on probation Oct. 14 was committed March 20, 1939, before he was sentenced to serve the jail term, although officers did not know about it until after he had been sentenced for stealing the gasoline.

In other court action, divorces were granted to Mrs. Lucille Beyer of Grand Haven from her husband Marvin Beyer of Holland, and her maiden name, Lucille Parker was restored; Mrs. Eva J. Stevens of Holland township from her husband, Allen James Stevens; and Mrs. Marian Elgersma from her husband, Frank Elgersma, and she was awarded the custody of two children.

An order was entered with the clerk of the court in the case of Lela McIntosh vs. Gerrit Kienstra, stating, "the court is of the opinion that a verdict should have been directed for the defendant of no cause for action." The case was tried in the Ottawa circuit court Sept. 22, 1939, at which time the jury disagreed. Mrs. McIntosh, a former beauty operator of Holland, asks \$30,000 damages for injuries received April 1, 1938, while riding in a car driven by Kienstra.

Miss Mildred Brower Honored at Shower

Members of the office force of the De Pree Co. surprised Miss Mildred Brower at a bridal shower given by Miss Evelyn Avery at the home of Miss Marion Olthoff, 111 East 20th St., Thursday, Oct. 12. One of the features of the evening was a mock wedding. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Rita Marcotte, Mildred Brower, Mary Matichinsky and John Lokker. Many useful gifts were presented.

Those attending the shower were Mrs. Gerta Nesbitt, Mary Matichinsky, Dena Emmick, Mildred Rummel, Ella Drinkwater, Mary Howell, Gretchen Dailey, Verne De Feyter, Nelva Bos, Mae Roseboom, Amanda Roseboom, Marian Postma, Marian Avery, Mrs. Rita Marcotte, Marion Olthoff, Oscar Alberta, Glenn Nyhuis, John Lokker, the guest of honor and the hostess, Miss Lilian Klein was unable to attend.

Entertain Jolly Ten Club and Husbands

Attorney and Mrs. Nelson Miles and Prof. and Mrs. Albert Timmer entertained members of the Jolly Ten club and their husbands at a dinner party Wednesday Oct. 11, in the Miles cottage at Eureka beach. Dinner was served at small tables decorated with fall flowers.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Houting, Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Mulder, Dr. and Mrs. Neil De Jongh, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Karsten, Mr. and Mrs. A. Weller, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boot and Mr. and Mrs. George Schulling. Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Terker were unable to attend.

Pays Fine for Refusal to Give Up Claimed Check

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special)—It cost William Schroeder, 36, Grand Haven, \$5 fine and \$3.75 costs Saturday for refusal to turn over a garnisheed check which was handed him for endorsement by Justice George V. Hoffer. Schroeder walked out of the justice office Friday night with the check in his pocket, refusing to pay the amount of the garnisheed.

Justice Hoffer signed a complaint before Justice Frederick J. Workman of Spring Lake, charging Schroeder with simple larceny. Schroeder pleaded guilty Saturday.

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Mrs. B. Habing, Mrs. Howard Reasing, Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. Helen Labadie and Mrs. A. Harris spent Thursday with Mrs. Charles Reynolds in Fremont.

Robert J. Aman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Aman of 446 West 22nd St., who entered Blodgett hospital 15½ months ago suffering from osteomyelitis returned to his home here a few weeks ago. Although suffering from chronic osteomyelitis, he is able to get around in a wheel chair.

Miss Stella Day, stewardess for a national airline, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dabrowski, 35 River Ave., for a few days.

At a joint meeting of the YM-CA and YWCA of Hope college Tuesday evening, William Miller read scripture and Blaise Leval led in prayer. Marjorie Brower sang a solo, accompanied by Alvin Schutmaat. Miss Minnie Schulman of Grand Rapids, a Christian Jewess, spoke on Jewish customs on feast days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hoover of West 17th St. have returned home from a visit of several days in Bowling Green, O., Chicago, and Lakeport, Ind.

About 30 pupils of Miss Gertrude Zonnebelt's room in Lincoln school have a clearer idea of the work connected with putting out a newspaper following a visit in The Sentinel office last Thursday afternoon. The crowd of interested youngsters was taken on a tour of the composing room and saw the big press in operation. They also were shown the typesetting machine on which The Sentinel receives news from all over the world through the United Press.

Indian Pastor Addresses Large Group of Women

A large gathering of women from Trinity, Fourth, Central park, Sixth and Bethel Reformed churches met on Thursday, Oct. 12, in the Bethel church parlors for an informal tea. Mrs. Herman Cook, president of Bethel church Ladies Aid, presided and Mrs. Henry Naberhus led the devotions. Mrs. John Kobes of Fourth Reformed church gave an appropriate reading. Mrs. Arthur Vanderbeek, of Sixth church, accompanied by Mrs. S. Plagenhoef, sang two selections.

The speaker for the occasion was the Rev. James Ottipoby of Winnebago, Neb., who told convincingly and in an interesting manner of the work being done among the Indians by the Reformed church. He is traveling at present in the interest of that work, contracting as many of the churches as possible in order that the parishioners may be more aware of the needs and opportunities for service in that field.

Mrs. C. A. Stoppeles led in the closing prayer. The group gathered for a social hour. Mrs. H. Cook acted as hostess and presided at the tea table.

Extension Group Meets in Beechwood Home

The Beechwood Home Economic Extension group met Thursday, Oct. 12, at the home of Mrs. E. Arnold with 15 members in attendance. The project for the year will be "home furnishings."

Mrs. Austin Bocks was named chairman, Mrs. E. Arnold and Mrs. Harry Watrous, project leaders, and Mrs. H. J. Knutson, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. A. Blink gave a brief report of the county home economics meeting held at Talmadge grange hall Oct. 3 in which she included some of the interesting points from Miss Eastman's talk on fashion trends.

Shower Compliments Miss Grace Brown

A shower was given at the home of Mrs. L. Poppema Wednesday Oct. 11, honoring Miss Grace Brown who will be an October bride. A sailboat motif was carried out in the decorations, program and refreshments. The bride-to-be was presented with many gifts.

Those present included Mrs. J. Tibbets, Mrs. A. Godfrey, Mrs. G. Green, Mrs. E. Pershing, Mrs. M. De Witt, Mrs. S. Shaffer, Mrs. B. Van Oosterhout, Mrs. I. Haight, Mrs. J. Dore, Mrs. J. Mokma, Mrs. J. Glass, Mrs. R. Scheibach, Mrs. P. Rose, Mrs. G. Wolthof, Mrs. D. Nordhoff, Mrs. J. Wolff, Mrs. M. Severance, Mrs. F. Jonston, Mrs. Louis Poppema, Miss Cecil Green, Mrs. Ann Van Ingen, Miss Berdena Israels, Miss Lorraine Dore, Miss Irene Borgman, Miss Jeanette Haasjes, Miss Angelina Poppema, and Miss Brown.

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Liquor Problems Subject of Talk by Prosecutor

Nunica Man Fined for Use of Ohio Auto Tags

Grand Haven, Oct. 19 (Special)—Judson Playford Washam, 19, Nunica, paid a fine of \$5 and costs of \$3.35 in the justice court of George F. Hoffer Friday afternoon upon his plea of guilty to the charge of having improper license plates and no operator's license. Washam, who moved to Nunica from Ohio July 1 and who had not obtained Michigan license plates, was arrested by state police.

MAN IS DEAD OF INFECTION

Arthur Wiggers, Holland Township, Ill for Only Few Days

Arthur Wiggers, 64, died Thursday at 4:3

RETAIN COUNTY AAA OFFICIALS AT CONVENTION

Ottawa Delegates Set Up Organization at Meet in Grand Haven

Committeemen of Various Units Rename Taylor as Chairman

Grand Haven, Oct. 19.—The Ottawa agricultural conservation committee for 1940 was elected Saturday at a convention in Grand Haven by delegates from all townships in the county. Glenn E. Taylor of Coopersville was re-elected chairman and Claude L. McNitt of Conklin and D. H. S. Rymer of Spring Lake were re-elected members. Thomas C. Wilson of Hudsonville and Harry A. Sutter of Marne were chosen alternates. The 1940 term of office began immediately upon election of the members.

Miss Pauline M. Page of Spring Lake was reappointed secretary-treasurer by the committee. Delegates taking part in the county convention were chosen at community elections Friday. At these elections, community AAA committees were chosen. The following community committeemen were elected:

Allendale township: Chairman, Eugene J. Ten Brink; vice-chairman, J. Albert Hinken; third member, Henry Dyke; alternates, J. J. Atkins and Henry Potger. Blenden township: Chairman, Peter Dye; vice-chairman, Herman H. Vrugink; third member, Andrew Hoffman; alternates, John Kort and Roy Westvelt.

Chester township: Chairman, Lawrence S. Merrick; vice-chairman, Rudolf C. Wiltenburg; third member, Guy H. Barrett; alternates, Nicholas T. Vanderlaan and Ed Schaefer.

Crockery and Spring Lake townships: Chairman, D. H. S. Rymer; vice-chairman, Lewis M. Easterly; third member, Richard Gordon; alternates, Dewey Chittenden and Frank Butler.

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Grand Haven and Robinson townships: Chairman, William A. Kueken; vice-chairman, Cort C. Pellon; third member, Robert C. Schell; alternates, Bernard Berghorst and Daniel Bekins.

Holland and Park townships: Chairman, Harold G. Kratt; vice-chairman, Clarence Raak; third member, Frank Wagenveld; alternates, Bernie De Vries and Andrew Hentschel.

Jamestown township: Chairman, Martin Holleman; vice-chairman, Abe De Kleine; third member, Dick H. De Kleine; alternates, Ernest Selvig and Steve Roelofs.

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Polkton township: Chairman, Glenn E. Taylor; vice-chairman, Ellis P. Peck; third member, John W. Laug; alternates, Maurice W. Fitzpatrick and Archie G. Walcott.

Tellmidge township: Chairman, Harry A. Sutter; vice-chairman, Roelf Bronkema; third member, Henry H. Harmsen; alternates, Everett Gavin and Fred S. Ellis.

Wright township: Chairman, Lyman F. Brown; vice-chairman, Horace H. Walcott; third member, Anthony E. Zahm; alternates, John Peck and Andrew Allen.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF H.O.H. IS HELD HERE

Alex Van Zanten Friday night was re-elected treasurer of the H. O. H. Benefit society at the annual meeting in the Royal Neighborhood hall. He was the only officer whose term expired this year.

John H. Van Huis was elected trustee to succeed Andrew Klompere who resigned after serving nearly 30 years on the executive board.

The meeting was well attended despite inclement weather. The annual report of the treasurer showed that nearly \$2,000 were paid in sick benefits and \$500 in death claims.

Mr. Van Zanten reported the society is in good financial condition. The executive committee voted to hold a banquet late in the winter for members and their wives.

LONG ILLNESS PROVES FATAL

Mrs. Gertrude Dykstra, 63, wife of Nicholas Dykstra, route 5, Holland, south Lincoln Ave., died on Monday at her home following a lingering illness of heart trouble.

She was born June 18, 1876, in Park township to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Witteveen. Mrs. Dykstra, who was married in Holland July 28, 1898, spent almost 47 years in this community. She was a member of Trinity Reformed church.

Surviving are the husband; four daughters, Mrs. Edward Miskotten of Hamilton, Miss Winifred Dykstra, at home, Miss Marie Dykstra of Grand Rapids and Mrs. G. W. Mulder of Kalamazoo; four grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Bertha Vander Haar, Mrs. George Steffens and Mrs. Leonard De Waard, all of Holland; and one brother, Jacob Witteveen of Holland. One son, Morris, died Sept. 1, 1935.

Funeral services were held Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Veurink Honor Grandchildren

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Veurink entertained their grandchildren at a turkey dinner last Thursday in a cottage at Tennessee beach. The group included the grandchildren and their parents. There are 26 grandchildren.

Tables were beautifully decorated with fall flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Veurink were presented with a bouquet of roses from the grandchildren.

Shower Compliments November Bride

A shower was given in the home of Mrs. Dan Dekker, 292 West 13th St., Friday night. The affair complimented Miss Geneva Hesse of Muskegon, whose marriage to James A. Brouwer of Holland will take place in November. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. Dick Brouwer, Mrs. William Brouwer and Mrs. Clarence Brouwer.

The evening was spent in playing buncos, with prizes going to Mrs. Louis Tenchink and Mrs. James Welsco. A two-course lunch was served.

Guests included besides Mrs. Tenchink and Mrs. Welsco, Mrs. Henry Kuipers and the Misses Marian Nevenzel, Helene Derks, Marie Bazaan, Alice Vredevel, Martha Volkema, Norma Hostlin, and Evelyn Vander Lune.

Boy Scouts of Holland Witness Football Game

Several Boy Scouts from Holland troops went to South Bend, Ind., Saturday to witness the football game between Notre Dame and Southern Methodist university. The delegations were from troop No. 6, First Reformed church; troop No. 8, St. Francis de Sales Catholic church and troop No. 12, Trinity Reformed church.

Shipment of Gasoline Brought Here by Boat

The Motorship Mercury, a lake freighter used in transporting gasoline, arrived in Holland harbor Sunday at 2:55 a.m. with a shipment of gasoline for the local marine base of the Globe Oil and Refining Co. in Montello park. Her cargo included 925,000 gallons of gasoline. After unloading operations had been completed at 5:40 p.m., the boat departed on its return trip to Lamont.

Victim of Might



TAX PAYMENTS IN CITY LARGER

Delinquent Levy Rolls Are Given Assessor for Reassessment

City Treasurer Henry J. Beckfort has reported that the collection of summer taxes, up to Oct. 10, totaled \$318.18 per cent of the tax rolls.

He said collections amounted to \$322,538.08 while the levy was \$346,114.54. This year's collections are an increase of .74 of 1 per cent above last year.

Collections last year amounted to \$310,082.63 and the tax levy was \$335,407.78, he said.

He reported that the delinquent tax rolls have been sent to the city assessor for reassessment on the fall taxes which fall due in December.

Jameson Congregation Honors Its Pastor

A large crowd gathered in Jamestown Reformed church Friday evening for a social honoring the Rev. P. A. De Jong in appreciation of his recent announcement declining a call extended to him.

A program was presented opening with piano and organ duets by Pauline Hall and Mrs. H. Bowman. The song service was in charge of Burton Hall. J. H. Tigelaar was chairman for the evening.

The presidents of the various organizations were called upon to make a few remarks. Mrs. J. Van Rhee responded for the Women's Mission and Aid society. The Christian Endeavor society was represented by Thurston Rynbrandt. Miss Cynthia Lammers spoke for the Girls' League for Service. A double mixed quartet of young people sang two selections. John Wynga made fitting remarks on behalf of the Sunday school.

The Young Women's Mission and Aid society was represented by Mrs. Alyn Rynbrandt. A ladies' quartet sang an appropriate number. The Rev. B. W. Lammers spoke in an interesting manner for the congregation. J. H. Tigelaar represented the consistory. Rev. De Jong responded. The pastor and his family were presented with a substantial purse as a token of appreciation for which Rev. De Jong expressed his thanks. Refreshments were served in the basement.

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School Chum Party Held in Eby Home

A school chum party was held Friday at the home of Mrs. Frank Eby on West 12th St. A pot-luck dinner was served by the committee. Mrs. George Zonnebelt, Mrs. Jake consisting of Mrs. Ben Speet, Garvelink and Mrs. Henry Sprick. A new committee was chosen for the coming year.

Games were played and prizes were awarded. It was decided to meet next year at the home of Mrs. Ben Speet. An enjoyable time was spent.

Those present included Mrs. Ben Speet, Mrs. George De Haan, Mrs. Frank Eby, Mrs. Peter Roossien, Mrs. Albert Lugers, Mrs. Gerrit Alderink, Mrs. John Lambers, Mrs. Cornelius Zeedyk, Mrs. George Zonnebelt, Mrs. Jacob Garvelink, Mrs. Albert Kuypers, Mrs. Henry Vander Bie, Mrs. Henry Sprick and Mrs. Will Strabbing.

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The complaint was sworn to by Chester Slater who claims that on Oct. 11, he loaned his car to Graham who failed to return it, although the car was in Grand Haven Saturday afternoon when Graham was arrested by state police.

Examination has been set for Monday, Oct. 23, at 2 p.m. Graham is being held in the jail here in default of \$500 bond.

The American Sunbathing association claims a membership of a million.

Southeast Holland

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moll and son, John, and Mr. and Mrs. William O. Snyder, all of Battle Creek, visited the Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Schortinghuis recently.

Mrs. H. W. Mulder of route 5 has been confined to bed because of a heart attack. Audley Boeve, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boeve is suffering of intestinal poisoning. Both patients have been doing comparatively well.

The Rev. J. F. Schortinghuis addressed the Young Peoples society of the Ebenezer Reformed church Sunday evening, Oct. 8, with Miss Esther Vanden Belt presiding. The pastor pointed out that many are deceived by the dramatics of successful evangelists. Their success lies not so much in persuading the unconverted as in arousing the converted to win others.

The Adult Bible class of the Ebenezer Reformed church met for its annual business and social hour at the Ebenezer manse, with Mrs. J. F. Schortinghuis assisted by the Mesdames H. H. De Witt and W. J. Vanden Belt, as hostesses.

The various parts of the program were cleverly based on the words of Jesus. "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind (Matt. 22:37) and with all thy strength (Mark 12:30)."

Rev. Schortinghuis, the teacher of the class, conducted the devotions and led in the singing of hymns. Esther Pauline Schortinghuis played a piano solo, "An Evening Prayer," and Mrs. H. Korterling sang "God's Tomorrow," with Mrs. Sage Verhoven at the piano.

During the business hour H. Korterling presided. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: John Schaap, president; Augustine De Witt, vice-president; Mrs. H. H. De Witt, secretary; and Mrs. Ed Van Slooten, treasurer.

As an introduction to the social hour Rev. Schortinghuis read a Yankee-Dutch poem "Buttermilk Pop." After which the friends hour was spent in visiting and Chinese checkers. A dainty lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. J. F. Schortinghuis, and her assistants.

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Philadelphia, Oct. 19.—Dr. George Crile of Cleveland, chairman of the board of regents of the American College of Surgeons, has announced that the Holland (Mich.) hospital is included on the 1939 list of 2,720 approved hospitals in the United States, Canada and a few other countries.

The announcement was made at the opening of the 22nd annual hospital standardization conference which opened here today in conjunction with the clinical congress of the college.

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DEATH CLAIMS INVALID YOUTH

Irving James Brouwer, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Brouwer, 472 Michigan Ave., died Sunday at 12:02 a.m. at his home. He had been an invalid and in failing health for several years.

He was born March 11, 1920, in Holland.

Surviving are the parents; one brother, Ralph Brouwer of Holland; and the maternal grandfather, John Vander Woude of Holland.

Funeral services were held Tuesday.

DEATH CLAIMS FENNVILLE MAN

Fennville, Oct. 19 (Special).—John H. Crane, 81, died Monday in Douglas hospital where he had been a patient since early spring after an illness with lung infection.

His daughter, Mrs. Ethel Cole, a trained nurse, had been at his bedside since that time. He was a prominent fruit grower of this vicinity where he owned three large fruit farms.

Mr. Crane was one of the first members of the Michigan Horticultural society and when his health permitted he took an active part in social and church activities.

He was formerly a director of the Fennville bank, the Fennville Hardware Co. and the Fruit exchange. He was a member of the Methodist church for over 50 years, Damascus Lodge, No. 215, F. and A. M., and Eastern Star.

He married Hattie Blaislee in 1881. Besides the widow, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Cole of Chicago and Mrs. Rena Pearson of San Pedro, Cal.; three sons, U. S. Crane, Blaislee, both of Fennville and Bernath of Grand Rapids; 13 grandchildren.

TO FETE DIRECTORS AT TURKEY DINNER

Members of the board of directors of the Ottawa County Building and Loan association today were looking forward to a turkey dinner which will be served them Wednesday, Nov. 1, at the home of Secretary-Manager Ernest V. Hartman, 242 West 10th St.

Mr. Hartman had promised the turkey dinner to the directors when the association reached its \$200,000 mark. At a meeting of the board, Mr. Hartman reported that the association's assets on Sept. 30 totaled \$208,488.57. This is an increase from \$85,500 in the past three years, he said.

He also reported that during September, the association's loan business amounted to \$18,500. The board approved four new loans totaling \$9,300.

John Galien, a member of the board, is somewhat skeptical as to where the turkey will come from as he reported one of his turkeys is missing after hearing of the invitation to the turkey dinner. However, Mr. Hartman has assured Mr. Galien that the turkey which he will serve will not be his missing bird.

Directors of the association are L. J. Vanderburg, Charles Van Zyl, Jacob Zuidema, Mr. Hartman, Vernon Ten Cate, Herman Damsen, Clarence Fairbanks, Mr. Galien, Clarence Becker, I. H. Marisje, John Post and Abel Postma.

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30c HILL'S CASCARA QUININE 17c
50c MIDOL TABLETS 32c
\$1.50 PINKHAM'S COMPOUND 81c
35c HILL'S NOSE DROPS 24c
MODERN ELEC. HOT PLATE 98c
60c CALIFORNIA SYRUP FIGS 36c

FOUNTAIN SPECIALS

HAMBURGER with olives, pickles and chips 10¢

"3. DECKER" Chicken Salad Sandwich with olives and chips 15¢

FORMER LOCAL WOMAN PASSES

Fall Fatal to Mrs. Bruke, Widow of One-Time Alma President

Ypsilanti, Mich., Oct. 19.—Mrs. A. F. Bruke, 91-year-old widow of a one time member of Alma college, died Monday of injuries suffered in a fall 10 days ago.

Mrs. Bruke was born in Fredonia, O., but spent her childhood in Hudson, Mich., and was graduated from Adrian college. As wife of Dr. A. F. Bruke, a well-known Presbyterian minister, she lived in Saginaw, Alma, Charlotte, and Holland before moving here in 1917. Dr. Bruke was president of Alma college for 25 years.

Funeral services were held here Wednesday afternoon. (Dr. Bruke was pastor of Hope Reformed church in Holland from 1913 to 1916.)

REPORT SHOWS YEAR ACTIVITY

The Salvation army here aided 1,089 persons during the fiscal year, ending Sept. 1. It was reported Friday afternoon at a meeting of the army's advisory board in the Salvation army citadel.

Aid was extended to 233 families and 313 transients. Relief included 2,580 garments and shoes, 149 grocery orders, 13 fuel orders, medical aid to four persons, 57 articles of furniture, 105 Christmas baskets, 1,004 Christmas dinners and 1,062 hours of visitation and investigation in which 3,684 calls were made.

Sixty infant sets, 250 pairs of mittens, 200 helmets and 15 coats were made at 46 sewing classes.

The transients were given 357 garments and shoes, 74 meals, lodging for 48 and transportation for 10.

In character building work, 122 were converted, 6,161 attended 214 young people's meetings, 10,767 attended 366 senior meetings, 126 open air meetings were held, 989 attended 104 music classes.

Seven girls were entered in homes and hospitals. Board members at the meeting were Mayor Henry Geerlings, Mrs. George Kollen, Mrs. Louise Landwehr, Mrs. Roy Champion, Mrs. William Olive, Cornelius Vander Meulen, Major Clara Edwards and Envoys Genevieve Shafar.

Relief rooms and sewing projects at the citadel were inspected.

ILLNESS FATAL TO SAUGATUCK WOMAN

Saugatuck, Oct. 19 (Special).—Mrs. Josephine L. Clapp, 64, wife of Ralph W. Clapp, died about 2 p.m. Saturday at her home in Saugatuck. She had been ill for the past three years with heart trouble. She was born Oct. 27, 1874, in Saugatuck, the daughter of Amos H. and Lydia Wells Gardner. She lived in Saugatuck until the age of seven, when the family moved to Chicago. She was married in Chicago Jan. 3, 1894. They returned to Saugatuck about 35 years ago, where Mr. Clapp was postmaster for 13 years.

Mrs. Clapp was a past matron of Saugatuck chapter, Eastern Star, a past president of American Legion auxiliary, until No. 137, an active member of All Saints Episcopal church and of the Saugatuck Women's club. She was also actively interested in the Allegan county Women's Republican club and for several years chairman of the Saugatuck township.

Surviving are the husband and one son, Charles G. Clapp of Los Angeles, Calif., and two grandchildren, Marjorie and Ralph Clapp, also of Los Angeles.

Funeral services were held Tuesday.

Thirty-four per cent of the total number of employees in Soviet Russia are women. There are now about 8,500,000 women workers in Russia.

Attitude Toward War Is Discussed by Third C.E.

Robert Vander Hart led a meeting of the Young People's Christian Endeavor society of Third Reformed church Sunday evening following the church service on the subject "The Christian Endeavors Attitude Toward the European Situation," which is the topic assigned by the Holland union for study in November.

The discussion deviated slightly from the given topic and centered about the attitudes that Christians have toward war in general. The three alternatives that Mr. Vander Hart introduced were:

1. That if war came, Christians must fight because the state as a sacred institution demands it and, according to God, we must obey the state laws.

2. That Christians should fight if the cause is righteous—such as invasion, necessary intervention, protection, etc.

3. That Christians should not fight, whatever the circumstances, because war is not justified under the ethics of Jesus.

The Rev. William Van't Hof, pastor of the church

Declares Religion in U.S. Is Needed to Halt 'Isms'

Dr. Voelker Tells Rotary It Is Only Way to Nip Red, Nazi Inroad

Dr. Paul F. Voelker, president of the Grand Rapids College of Applied Science and former president of Battle Creek college offered religion as a cure for Nazism and Communism in the United States when he spoke to members of the Holland Rotary club at their meeting in the Warm Friend tavern last Thursday noon.

He emphasized the danger of the "isms" to democracy in the United States and championed the application of the religion of Christ as a foe of "ism" forces.

Dr. Voelker was introduced by Dr. Edward D. Dimment, of the faculty and former president of Hope college. The program was in charge of Duncan Weaver.

Dr. Voelker opened his address by quoting an editorial printed in a Japanese paper during the period when Japan purchased materials for their war with China from the United States. He cited it as an attitude toward American democracy.

"We Japanese have no fear of any change in America's foreign policy, for Americans have no morality, but only pious phrases. What Americans have means so much more to them than what they are that they will continue to sell to Japan whatever Japan has the money to pay for, regardless of what Japan does with it after she gets it," he quoted.

Under such conditions, it was pointed out, there is a danger of nazism and communism in the United States.

He said that to combat communism, nazism would be accepted in this country unless an alternative was used to combat them both. "Communism has seeped, in to our educational systems, especially in our higher institutions," he said. "The only thing, (religion), that will combat it is nazism."

He pointed out that the aim and ideal of nazism, and especially communism, is equality.

"You can't have equality, and you never will have equality," he declared, "because the Lord didn't provide for equality."

He pointed out that Russia seeks to produce equality, by lowering the levels of all. Similarly levels have gone down in Germany, he stated.

"We Americans want only equality before the law and at the ballot box," he said, "and then what we need to save our democracy from totalitarianism is brotherhood, and the religion of Jesus Christ."

FETE INQUIRIES ARE RECEIVED

The nation wide interest in Holland's Tulip festival is again evident from the inquiries received at the local tulip time office. Within the past week a printed folder was received from Robert Thomas Newcomb of Candler, N. C., in which he lists Holland's Tulip time as included in his illustrated lecture, "Symphony of the Seasons." Mr. Newcomb's itinerary includes Battle Creek.

Requests for information were received during the past week from Miss Adelaide Blanton of New Albany, Ind., who writes for boys and girls magazines; Mrs. Richeson of Watseka, Ill. who is covering Tulip Time in a paper for her woman's club; Miss Evelyn Davis, who is explaining the festival in a speech at Michigan State college, East Lansing.

There is also a request from Miss Merrill L. Ashley who represents Kappa Tau Epsilon at Indianapolis. This organization has already chartered a bus to attend the festival and is now seeking sleeping and eating accommodations.

Permit Is Approved to Construct New Building

Ruben Nyenhuis, local contractor, filed application for a building permit Wednesday afternoon with City Clerk Oscar Peterson to erect a commercial building at 224 River Ave. at a cost of \$12,000.

The building will be 44 by 105 feet, one story high, asphalt roofing, brick and tile construction.

Announcement was made here Wednesday that the property upon which the building will be located has been sold to Charles R. Sligh, Jr., and his wife, Mrs. Charlotte Sligh. The Kroger Grocery and Baking Co. plans to install a super-market in the new building.

Allegan Junior Group Plans Halloween Party

Allegan, Oct. 19 — The Allegan Junior chamber of commerce has plans for a parade through the business section culminating in a gala Halloween party at the fairground for 300 children and their parents Oct. 31. Prizes will be given for best costumes, and games and refreshments will be enjoyed at the fairground.

Jack Barrick, chairman of the entertainment committee, is in charge with Raymond Blanz, Walter Pierce, Walter Kyes and the sports committee of Floyd Henry Harlow McGeeth and Clark Muma, assisting.

The highest aim of all authority is to confer liberty.—Channing.

Three Hope Graduates to Get Medical Degrees

Three graduates of Hope college will receive medical degrees at the University of Michigan this year. It was announced here by Dr. Wynand Wichers, president of Hope college.

James DeWeerd, Ivan Roggen and Gerald Rottschaeffer, all former Hope students, will get degrees, according to a letter from Rottschaeffer to Dr. Wichers.

De Weerd, whose wedding to Miss Marjane Brouillett at Hope Memorial chapel was an event of last summer, will be graduated from the university medical school as second in a class of 124.

Jenison News

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Fouch of Allegan and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stratton of Otsego spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Hardy.

Lee Hardy and Miss Sophia De Young of Grand Rapids spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford E. Pitts of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. George Howell Thursday morning.

The Decipal church on Bauer road held a homecoming at their church Sunday. A very large attendance, a nice program and good speakers were the feature attractions.

Mrs. Wicks of Stanton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed De Wendt this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Baareman spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. O. R. De Wendt.

Mrs. Harry Lenters and Mrs. C. Van Farow of Bauer spent Thursday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Lester Kremer and Mrs. Mary Koelck visited Mrs. W. Smallegan of Forest Grove last Thursday.

Gerald De Wendt motored to Kalamazoo Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Howell of Jenison, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sadler of Grandville, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sadler of Grand Rapids left Sunday for Big Star lake near Baldwin, Mich., for a few days outing.

O. R. De Wendt was pleasantly surprised by his children and friends to help him celebrate his 70th birthday.

RULING WILL NOT CLOSE LAKE HERE

Forrest Lavoy, Ottawa county conservation officer, received information Sunday night from Harold Treat, district conservation supervisor, that Lake Macatawa will not be closed to fishing between March 31 and June 25 as was first thought when the state conservation commission took action last week to withdraw pike lake designations from the lake.

Officer Lavoy said Lake Macatawa has been placed in a special classification with nine other lakes in western Michigan and will be open throughout the year for the taking of northern pike, perch, walleyes, muskellunge, rock bass, white bass, calico bass, smelt, bullheads, carp, suckers and other non-game fish.

Action of the commission in changing the 10 lakes, directly connected with Lake Michigan, from pike to non-pike water, was said to be a routine formality to comply with changes in the fish laws made at the last session of the legislature. The general fish bill passed by the last legislature opened these 10 lakes to year-around fishing for all species on which there is an open season.

Heretofore, the 10 lakes, listed as pike water, had been closed to all fishing from March 1 to April 30. Because of the popularity of late-season ice fishing on several of the lakes, the conservation department made no attempt to enforce the ban against March and April angling.

The open season on bass in the 10 lakes, including Lake Macatawa, remains unchanged, as does that on bluegills and sunfish. Bass will be protected from the end of December to June 25, bluegills and sunfish from March 31 to June 25.

The general fish laws now close pike lakes in the lower peninsula to all fishing from March 1 to May 15. Other lakes, except the 10 along the Lake Michigan coast, are closed to anglers from March 31 to June 25, as heretofore.

Taking of bluegills and sunfish through the ice between 6 p.m. and 6 a.m. now is prohibited.

Hamilton Home Is Scene of Party

A surprise party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schaap in Hamilton recently, honoring the couple on their 25th wedding anniversary and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Poll who had marked their silver wedding anniversary a short time before. A short program was presented, games were played and a two-course lunch was served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Roelofs and Florence, Mr. and Mrs. George Rigerink and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Poll and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schaap and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rigerink and Norman Udell, Harry Poll and family and Anne Poll, all of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Poll and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Poll and Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Poll and Lou Jeanne, all of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brecker and Joyce Ann of Fennville.

MERCHANTS IN MEETING HERE

Division of C. of C. Elects Officers and Takes Up Other Business

The retail merchants' division of the Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday night at Chamber of Commerce headquarters with President Andrew Du Mez presiding.

In election of officers, Milo DeVries was named vice-president and Henry Wilson was named secretary. Mr. Du Mez was appointed president of the division by the Chamber of Commerce directors in naming the roster of this division last week.

The matter of flags for decorative and commercial purposes was referred to a committee to be appointed later by Mr. Du Mez. The matter of Christmas lighting and decorations also was referred to another committee which will be selected later.

The group adopted a motion, extending a vote of thanks to The Holland Evening Sentinel for its cooperation in running a series of Trade-at-Home cartoons without expense. Secretary Wilson was instructed to forward the vote of thanks to The Sentinel management.

The committee which visited the Benton Harbor fruit exchange recently submitted a report and Mr. Du Mez was instructed to name a committee of three to make a further investigation.

The sanction committee of the Chamber of Commerce was unanimously approved and merchants were requested to give their support to curb solicitations. It was pointed out that if merchants and manufacturers will insist that solicitors have Chamber of Commerce approval, it will be helpful to the sanction committee.

Hope Aid Society Has Luncheon

Eighty members of the Hope church Women's Aid society of Hope church attended a fall luncheon in the church parlors yesterday afternoon. Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. E. J. Yeomans and her division. Mrs. F. H. Ault's group conducted a baked goods sale.

Mrs. W. L. Wishmeier, president, was in charge of the business meeting. Plans for a bazaar and cafeteria supper to be held the last of November, were discussed. Inspection of the new kitchen was invited, and routine business was carried out.

Guidance Group Has Charge of Exercises

Chapel exercises at Holland high school this morning were in charge of Miss Clara Reverts' group with Arlene Voorhorst as chairman and Ruth Ann Poppen as chaplain.

Phyllis Pelgrim and Kathryn Hartman, accompanied by Cleone Topp, sang two popular duets, "Over the Rainbow" and "To You." Cleone Topp and Myra Kleis played as a piano duet "Lustspiel" by Keler-Bela.

Junior Pruis, Delbert Vander Haar and Murray Snow gave talks on the magazine campaign which is being sponsored by the senior class.

Henry Sprick Home Scene of Shower

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. Henry Sprick, 210 West 16th St., Tuesday evening honoring Miss Helen Maatman. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Len Kammeraad and Miss Hermina Bouwman after which a two-course lunch was served by Mrs. L. Kammeraad. Mrs. Raymond Sprick, Mrs. H. Maatman and Mrs. H. Sprick.

Those present included Mrs. Ralph Bouwman, Mrs. Nick Van Dyke, Mrs. Clarence Kemme, Miss Hermina Bouwman, Mrs. Benjamin Hulst, Mrs. Jerry Hulst, Mrs. Raymond Sprick, Mrs. Henry Boss, Mrs. Henry Vander Veen, Mrs. Albert Bouwman, Mrs. John Bouwman, Mrs. Gerry Vander Berg, Mrs. Ralph Vander Veen, Mrs. H. Maatman, Mrs. L. Kammeraad and Mrs. H. Sprick.

Figures Indicate County 4-H Clubs High in State

Grand Haven, Oct. 19—Figures submitted to County Agent L. R. Arnold by the 4-H club department, Michigan State college, show Ottawa county as ranking high in winter club work for 1938-39. Ottawa is one of 16 counties in the southwestern section.

Total finishers in handicraft projects last winter was 3,568 or an average of 223 to each county. Ottawa county clubs finished 402 projects. Allegan had 418, and Kent had 417.

Average number of clubs enrolled was 31, and Ottawa had 41. Average enrollment in each club was eight, Ottawa enrolled 103 members. Average number of members who finished projects in the district was 90 per cent; and 94.8 per cent of Ottawa members finished work.

TRUCK CATCHES FIRE

Allegan, Oct. 19 — Furniture loaded on a truck here was ruined, and the truck was slightly damaged when the truck caught fire on Main St. at 7 p.m. Monday. The fire, believed to have been caused by a defective muffler, was extinguished by the fire department. The truck was owned by Glenn Overton, who was moving the furniture from his cottage at Miner Lake to Dowagiac.

Trowbridge Man Dies After One-Day Illness

Allegan, Oct. 19 — Services for Roger Z. Raber, 47, prominent Trowbridge township farmer who died Wednesday after a one-day illness, will be held Friday in Allegan. He was born in Shelbyville and had been a lifelong resident of the county. At one time he operated a large fox farm at Minkler lake. He leaves the widow, Mable; four children, Leslie, Lewis, William and Merle; all of Allegan county; his mother, Mrs. William Raber, and a sister, Mrs. Hazel Bentley, both of Trowbridge.

Interior Decorating Class Draws Many

A large and enthusiastic audience was present at a meeting of the interior decorating guild of the Holland Arts and Crafts guild held in the studio in The Sentinel building Wednesday night. Herbert Ten Have gave a talk on 18th century furniture and directed an open discussion following his address. Things to be considered at the next meeting, Nov. 1, will be draperies, accessories and wall treatment that will harmonize with 18th century furniture. Early American will be the next period to be studied.

After the discussion of furniture which will occupy a few meetings, the next things to be discussed will be such things as floor coverings, furnishings, carpet, oriental rugs and China. The group will take a trip through a local furniture company soon. A poster demonstration also is being planned.

A talk on wood finishing by a well known authority will be given at a future meeting. Another meeting will be devoted to rebuilding, and refinishing old furniture and actual demonstrations are being planned. Members will be given an opportunity to present their own problems in this line.

Shortly after the first of the year a local architect will discuss all phases of home plans, exterior, interior and possibilities of remodeling.

If enough interest be evinced in the building project, the group will branch out in this subject and secure speakers dealing with real estate, finance and the like.

Lakewood Sunday School Will Have Hymn Sing

The Lakewood Sunday school will conduct hymn singing Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the school under the direction of C. J. De Koster, superintendent of the Maple Avenue Christian Reformed Sunday school. The Van Den Bosch sisters will provide special accordion music.

In other Sunday school activities, the Adult class is still leading in the attendance contest with the primary class following with only four less. The class winning the contest will be given a gift and the scholar bringing the largest number of visitors will be given a Bible.

Plans for a Christmas program are being made. Arrangements are in charge of Mrs. Rooks and Mrs. Roy Harper. The Sunday school started a year ago with an attendance of 18 and has now grown to 46 with four classes, adult, primary, boys, and girls. Mrs. Roy Harper is the primary teacher; George Deur, adult; Mrs. Elmer Niennhuis, girls; Mrs. Niennhuis, boys. H. J. Boone is superintendent.

Bethel Class Holds Business Meeting

The Adult Bible class of Bethel Reformed church met for its annual business meeting Wednesday night in the church parlors. John De Groot, president of the class, presided and led the devotions. The three Wiegink boys gave instrumental numbers. The Rev. C. A. Stoppels, teacher of the class, gave a talk.

During the business session, the following officers were elected: Henry Jurries, president; Henry Sprick, vice president; Mrs. Ed Lam, secretary; Mrs. William Van Alsburg, treasurer, and Mrs. D. Van Bruggen, assistant secretary and treasurer.

Following the business, refreshments were served by Mrs. M. Hoedema and Mrs. John Wolters.

ALDERMAN STARTS SEARCH FOR CHAIRS

Ald. James A. Drinkwater, chairman of common council's committee on public buildings, raised the question at Wednesday night's council meeting as to what has become of the chairs that belong to the city hall.

He reported that the fall weather makes it undesirable for the older citizens to sit in Centennial park and that they have moved into the city hall, under previous arrangements, but that there are no chairs for them. Drinkwater contended that if any of the chairs have been borrowed they should be returned.

He said there are about three dozen chairs in The Netherlands museum, "but I don't know who gave them permission to remove them from the city hall building." He claimed that about 50 out of 100 chairs were repaired about a year ago.

In response to a question from Mayor Henry Geerlings as to how many persons used the city hall, Drinkwater said there were as many as 50 old men. He contended that when the police headquarters were moved from the city hall that sufficient chairs were taken to outfit the court room in its new location.

Mayor Geerlings requested Drinkwater's committee to look into the matter.

Many Attend Concert in Hope Memorial Chapel

A large and enthusiastic audience heard Virgilio Lazzari, Metropolitan and Chicago opera company basso and Miss Olga Trevi-san, soprano, in a program of operatic and concert selections in Hope Memorial chapel Wednesday night. The concert was the first in the Choral Union series.

Assisting the artists was Charles Larvey, a familiar figure on concert platforms here, whose performance as accompanist is always a distinctive part of the program.

The announced program chosen by the singers was attractive, in that it included several well known selections, many of which afforded display of both the vocal and histrionic ability of the performers. In his final group, presented in costume, Mr. Lazzari quite brought down the house with his characterization of Don Basilio from "The Barber of Seville," by Rossini. He was recalled again and again to the platform, where he responded with several encores.

Miss Trevi-san, who made her second appearance in Holland, was especially pleasing in her group of selections which included two operatic numbers. She sang Mussetta's Valse Song from "La Boheme" with distinction. "One Fine Day" from "Madame Butterfly" was substituted for the first number in the group.

Both artists were gracious with encores.

Prof. Clarence Kleis, Choral Union president, announced the next number on the course, which will be the annual rendition of the "Messiah," Dec. 19. Solo artists who have been secured include Miss Thelma Von Eisenhauer, soprano; Miss Beatrice Brody, contralto; Eugene Dressler, tenor; and Hardin Van Deursen, bass. Patrons of the course will have reserved seats for the performance.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Noor, 35 Cherry St., was the scene of an impressive wedding Wednesday, Oct. 18, when their daughter, Lynn Noor, became the bride of Wallace Lubbers, son of G. J. Lubbers of East Saugatuck.

The Rev. S. P. Miersma performed the single ring ceremony before a lattice wedding arch which was decorated with sprays of orange blossoms. Baskets of cut flowers and foliage surrounded the arch.

The bridal party entered as Miss Ethel TenBrink, a niece of the bride, played Mendelssohn's wedding march. She also accompanied the soloist who sang "I Love You Truly," by Bond, preceding the ceremony.

Miss Noor wore a gown of white satin, fashioned on princess lines with a sweetheart neckline. The full skirt ended in a long train. Her fingertip veil of tulle bordered with Chantilly lace, was attached to a wreath of tiny white blossoms and leaves of seed pearls. Kilarney roses and snapdragons tied with a maline bow comprised her bouquet, and her only jewelry was a single strand of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom.

Mrs. G. Koops, a sister of the bridesmaid, wore a blue satin formal with full skirt and sweetheart neckline. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and chrysanthemums. G. Koops served as best man.

Immediately after the ceremony a three-course dinner was served by friends of the bride, Misses Anna Landman, Roselle Klostern, Effie Beelen, Alberta Alderink and Mrs. F. Bouwman. The latter was caterer.

Table decorations were pink and white cellophane heart and candles forming the centerpiece. The bride's table was in all white with a many tiered wedding cake topped by a miniature bride and groom. J. Ten Brink acted as master of ceremonies.

Post-dinner music consisted of instrumental trio numbers by Donald, Henry and Elmer Folkema, accordion solos by Florence Tien and trumpet solos by Louise Ten Brink.

Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Lubbers left on a short wedding trip. For traveling Mrs. Lubbers wore a black suit with black and white accessories.

Women's History Club Will Fete County Clubs

Allegan, Oct. 19 — With the Women's History club as hostess organization, the Allegan County Federation of Women's clubs will meet in the Griswold auditorium here Tuesday, Oct. 31.

Dr. Victor W. Thrall of Parchment church, Kalamazoo, will present a book review and the district president, Mrs. M. L. Fear of plainwell, will speak. Several state federation officers are expected to attend.

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Schutmaat family the past weekend.

Miss Grada Tanis who recently completed a nurse's training course at Rapid City, South Dakota, is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tanis.

The Women's Church League and Kings Daughters Missionary groups of First Reformed church enjoyed a cooperative supper in the church parlors last Tuesday evening, followed by a program in charge of the latter group. Florence Bolks presided and conducted devotions. Guest speaker for the evening was Mrs. Harry Boot, recently returned missionary from China, who spoke most interestingly. Mildred Lubbers and Joyce Lohman favored with a vocal duet, with piano accompaniment by Viola Lohman. More than 50 were present at this meeting.

The Rev. and Mrs. I. Scherpenisse visited in Kalamazoo the latter, part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dangremont announce the birth of a son at the Holland hospital.

The Rev. George Meninga of Western Theological seminary conducted the services in the American Reformed church last Sunday.

The Woman's Study club met in the home of Mrs. H. Van't Kerkhoff last Wednesday evening, with Mrs. Charles White presiding. The program subject, "The Origin and Uses of Bells" was discussed by Mrs. H. D. Strabbing and Miss Josephine Bolks. A short story "Why the Chimes Rang" was read by Mrs. Joe Hagelskamp and Mrs. Van't Kerkhoff favored the group with a piano solo, "The Bells of St. Mary's."

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Timmerman of Holland were Hamilton visitors last Sunday.

The Christian Endeavor groups of the American Reformed church elected new officers recently, the Senior-Intermediate group choosing Eleanor Miskotten as president; Wayne Schutmaat, vice-president; Eileen Slotman, secretary; and Maynard Reimink, treasurer. This meeting was held in the church parlors, the boys taking entire charge of the program and refreshments. Marvin Kaper was chosen as sponsor replacing Mrs. I. Scherpenisse, who served in this capacity for three years.

The Junior group met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Marvin Kaper, choosing as their officers, Donald Hieffje as president, Mary Ann Slotman as vice-president, Lucille Schutmaat as secretary and treasurer.

The Hamilton Community Welfare association is making plans for a fellowship supper to be held within a couple of weeks. Definite plans for the time and date have not been completed.

Miss Gladys Bultman had charge of the Christian Endeavor service of First Reformed church last Sunday evening. She discussed the subject, "What shall we do when trouble comes?" Donald Lohman, Harriet Haverdink and Viola Lohman played a number of piano-accompaniment selections.

SALEM TOWNSHIP WOMAN SUCCUMBS

Burnips, Oct. 19 (Special) — Mrs. Martha Chapel, 58, was found dead in her home in Salem township Tuesday at about 8 p.m. by her son, Everett, who made his home with her. Death was due to a heart attack and it was thought that Mrs. Chapel died some time in the afternoon. She had been in ill health for some time. The son is the only immediate survivor.

The body was taken to the Klinefester funeral home where services will be held Friday at 2:30 p.m. Burial will be in Burnips cemetery.

Allegan Woman Dies in Hospital at Monroe

Allegan, Oct. 19—Funeral services for Mrs. Leona D. Perry, 44, of Monterey township, who died Tuesday at a hospital in Monroe, was to be held Thursday 2 p.m. from Gordon's funeral residence with burial in Poplar Hill cemetery.

Spiritual life can not be enclosed and encased.—E. Stanley Jones.

FLAMES RAZE SMALL HOUSE

Two Automobiles in City Are Damaged by Fire on Week-End

Firemen responded to three alarms Saturday and Sunday, one fire causing destruction of a small home and two other blazes caused damage to automobiles.

The first alarm was sounded about 3 p.m. Saturday when a small home of W. Martin, located on 24th St., just south of Montello park, was discovered on fire. A crew of firemen responded but the home was practically demolished when firemen arrived on the scene.

It was reported that the occupant was moving from the two-room home and the fire broke out while he was absent with a load of furniture. Cause of the fire was not learned and the occupant told Fire Chief Cornelius Blom, Jr., that he did not know how it could have started since there was no fire in the store.

At 1:30 a.m. Sunday, firemen were called to 25th St. and Michigan Ave. when a car, reported to be the property of a salesman of Grand Rapids caught fire, causing damage to the front seat. The owner reported that the muffler blew out and set the car afire under the front seat. Chemicals were used to extinguish the flames.

The car of Richard Borr, 264 West 14th St., suffered minor damages Sunday afternoon 10 a.m. when it caught fire from a short in the electrical wiring. It was parked in front of the home at the time.

Forest Grove News

On Thursday afternoon, Oct. 12, the Women's Missionary society entertained the Light Bearers society and the Girls League for Service and all the women and girls of the church. The Rev. J. W. Wolterink had charge of devotions. A vocal duet was sung by Mrs. Harry Bos. A play entitled "Open Windows" was given by a group of women, including Mrs. Henry Vande Bunte, Mrs. Dick De Kleine, Mrs. John Van Dam, Mrs. B. Dornbos, Mrs. Luke Roberts, Mrs. Abe De Kleine, Mrs. Henry D. Vande Bunte, Mrs. John Mast and Mrs. Richard Brummel.

The local choir is sponsoring a program to be given Nov. 17. Recently the choir organized and elected the following: president, Gerald Bos; vice-president, Mrs. Edward Van Dam; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Harvey Vande Bunte; and choir director, Mrs. Hiram Yntema.

The Conservation club has again organized. Officers are president, Lewis Vande Bunte; vice-president, Edward Renkema; and secretary-treasurer, John De Witt. Several young men have been appointed to bring material and tickets to the members and to see that the regulations are enforced.

Oil drilling work has been started on the farm belonging to Miss Maggie Strick a half mile south of Forest Grove.