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## Weather Quite Calm Last Month, Observer Notes

**Average Temperature  
Was 42 While Rainfall  
Reached 1.88 Inches**

November was a rather calm month with temperatures slightly above normal and precipitation somewhat below normal, according to weather Observer Charles Steketee of Hope College.

Average temperature was 42 degrees or 1.9 degrees above normal. Precipitation amounted to 1.88 inches or .88 inch below normal. Snowfall amounted to 4.1 inches, compared with 9.8 inches in October.

The maximum was 68, compared with 73 in 1953, 66 in 1952, 61 in 1951 and 77 in 1950. Minimum was 25, compared with 20 in 1953, 22 in 1952, 15 in 1951 and -13 in 1950. Average maximum was 49.7, compared with 52 in 1953, 49.9 in 1952, 39.3 in 1951 and 44 in 1950. Average minimum was 34.2, compared with 36.9 in 1953, 35.6 in 1952, 26.4 in 1951 and 30.3 in 1950.

Average temperature was 42, compared with 44.4 in 1953, 42.8 in 1952, 32.9 in 1951 and 37.2 in 1950. Precipitation totaled 1.88 inches, compared with 1.47 in 1953, 3.56 in 1952, 3.98 in 1951 and 3.29 in 1950. Precipitation fell on 13 days in November, compared with 11 days in 1953, 11 days in 1952, 17 days in 1951 and 14 days in 1950.

Snowfall totaled 4.1 inches, compared with 7.1 inches in 1953, 3.6 inches in 1952, 21.6 inches in 1951 and 20.6 inches in 1950. Greatest depth on the ground was a trace last month compared with two inches in 1953, two inches in 1952, seven inches in 1951 and six inches in 1950.

Greatest amount to fall in 24-hour period was 1.4 inches this year, compared with 2.7 inches in 1953, 2.5 inches in 1952, 5.7 inches in 1951 and 5 inches in 1950.

## Two Parked Cars Hit in Zeeland

ZEELAND (Special)—Two accidents involving parked cars occurred in Zeeland Wednesday evening. The first, at 8:30 p.m., was at the corner of Central and Church Sts., when a car driven by Bobby Kellar, 20, route 3, Zeeland, struck a parked car belonging to R. A. Van Dyke, 29 Wall St. Damage to Kellar's 54 model and Van Dyke's 52 model car was estimated at \$300 each. Kellar was ticketed for failure to have his car under control.

At 11 p.m., a '53 model car driven by Howard G. Hulst, 17, route 6, Holland, crashed into another parked car, injuring a passenger, Alvin Buscher, 17, also of route 6, Holland. The other car, a 50 model parked in front of 435 East Main, belonged to Harold Mokma, route 4, Holland. Buscher received head and knee bruises. Damage to the two cars was estimated at \$600. Hulst was ticketed for failure to stop in an assured clear distance, causing a personal injury accident. Zeeland Police investigated both accidents.

## B League Finishes Second Night Play

Second round games were played Wednesday night in the Holland Recreation B Basketball League. Two contests are played at a time on the Civic Center cross courts.

In the night's opener's Seven Up took the measure of the Hard Rocks, 49-37. Jack Borr scored more than half his team's points with 28 markers. Bruce Ming followed with 19. Don Miller led the Rocks with 14. Baker's Market defeated Overkamp's Washer Parts, 44-32. Norm Japinga led the winners with 14 points while H. Langejans had 12 for the losers.

Stam's Mobilgas trounced Steketee-Van Huis, 64-28. Big guns for the Gassers were Ebeens with 24 and Westerlund with 19. Bud Israels had seven for the Printers. Dutch Novelty registered a decisive win over Kopper Kettle, 52-23. Ben Bouman led the Novelty scorers with 13 while John Kruid had six for the Kettles.

The closest game of the night was recorded between Ter Haar Clothing and H.E. Morse. The Clothiers won out 38-35. Erwin Ter Haar and Norm Scheerhoorn each had nine for the winners while C. Wagner paced Morse with 10. Wooden Shoe smashed the All-Americans 62-27 in the other final game. Warren Buitendorp had 14 for the winners and Jason De Vries had a similar total for the All-Americans.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Weisner, Lugers Rd., left Wednesday for Los Angeles, Calif. On Dec. 18 they will take a plane to Honolulu, Hawaii, where they plan an extended stay with their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Joyce. Dr. Joyce is an endocrinologist with the Honolulu board of public health.

## Canada Goose Kill Up Sharply at Swan Creek

LANSING — An average of one hunter in every ten bagged a Canada goose in the Swan Creek-Fennville area this year.

Conservation department workers issued 22,000 daily permits to hunters and a total of 2,243 birds were killed during the recently-ended season. Last year, 18,000 permits were issued and 751 birds were bagged.

## Film Depicting Youth Haven Will Be Shown Dec. 2

**Local Youth for Christ  
Sponsors Showing  
At Civic Center**

A new film, entitled "Big Brother", featuring those who live at Youth Haven, home for homeless boys near Muskegon, will be shown Thursday, Dec. 2, at the Civic Center.

Sponsored by Youth For Christ, the film is a successor to "That Kid Buck", another Youth Haven film that has been shown in more than 10,000 churches in the United States, England and Australia.

Youth Haven, located on Wolf Lake 11 miles east of Muskegon, has existed as a year-around home since 1951. The idea for such a home for boys came to Morry Carlson, former dance band leader who turned from his profession to lead singing and to play his saxophone in church.

"Uncle Morry", as he is called by his boys, first organized recreation clubs all over the city of Muskegon. Businessmen gave funds for gymnasium rentals and refreshments. Devotions and an appeal to go to church each Sunday concluded every meeting.

The idea for a camp for homeless and underprivileged boys came to Carlson in 1946.

Twenty-two acres of timbered land on Wolf Lake was donated by Mrs. Rosetta Hilton. Three years ago the camp, which had formerly housed 70 boys at a time for two week sessions, became a year-around home for 20 boys.

Now, a new dormitory with facilities for 20 more boys has been completed and Carlson plans 100 dormitories for the future. Free—will contributions, occasional bequests and aid from the Big Brothers Club, a businessmen's organization headed by Robert DeBruyn of Zeeland, keep Youth Haven operating. Twelve buildings have been completed and work is done by a single full-time carpenter with the help of the 11 staff members and the boys themselves.

Most of the boys at Youth Haven are sent by probate or juvenile courts as the home is sanctioned by the state as a place of reference. Other boys are sent by their ministers or others who notice the need for such a home in a boy.

Not all of the boys are from Michigan. Some have come from as far away as Florida, and on the waiting list of 59, there are many from other states.

Carlson is attempting to make the boys that come to him feel that they are able to amount to something. Many of those who have already left the camp have done so, both in church work and in their lives as citizens.

"Big Brother" will be shown in the Civic Center auditorium at 7:30 p.m. on Dec. 2. All seats will be free.

## Winter Program Set at Zeeland

Preparations have been completed for the winter program of the Zeeland Christian School Band and Choirs which will take place Friday at 8 p.m. at Zeeland High School auditorium.

Under direction of Henry Hoekema, band numbers will include "Normal" with drum cadence and entry of drum major and majorettes; a march, "The Booster," with demonstration of twirling routine by the majorettes; "Safety" and "Forward," two class C required overtures; "Cardinal Overture" and "Winter Festival," and "Deep River Rhapsody" and "Orion Overture."

Numbers by the Girls Glee Club will be "Little David Play on Your Harp" and "Alouette." "The Heavens Are Declaring," "Open the Gates of the Temple," and "Leave It There."

The Boys Glee Club will sing "Were You There?" "Goin' Home," and "Ain't Gonna Study War No More." Two novelties will be "Pop Goes the Weasel," and "Jack in the Beanstalk," with Marcia Seinen as narrator and special effects by the drum section.

Two sketches in a modern manner will include "Sunset Soliloquy" and "Great Gate of Kiev," from "Pictures at an Exhibition." A women's trio will sing "Drifting" and "Take Time to Be Holy" and Mr. Hoekema will give a tribute to the band mothers.

The public is invited. A free-will offering will be taken.



CITY CLERK CLARENCE GREVENGOED (left) administers the oath of office to Holland's new city manager H. H. (Herb) Holt as Mayor Harry Harrington looks on at center. The brief ceremony was conducted at the beginning of the regular meeting of City Council Wednesday night.

## 1955 Tulip Time Programs Will Be Distributed Soon

**New Directors Meet  
To Discuss Plans;  
Suggestions Solicited**

Tulip Time programs should be ready for printing in a few weeks, the new board of directors of Holland Tulip Time Festival, Inc., was informed at its first meeting Tuesday afternoon in Civic Center. President J. J. Riemersma presided.

Plans call for an inexpensive preliminary program of six to eight pages utilizing engravings of previous years. The printing report was made by a committee consisting of C. Neal Steketee, Vice President Dick Smallenburg, W. A. Butler and Earl F. Price, Tulip Time manager. The board went on record in extending many thanks to Holland Furnace Co. for past Tulip Time favors.

Manager Price reported that Phil Osterhouse is planning another Dutch Fantasies show with some changes in scheduling.

Further discussion was held on changing the parade route west on Eighth St. to Kollen Park with the possibility of erecting bleachers on city property near Civic Center. Riemersma said he had received only one complaint on the change.

John H. Van Dyke reported improvements at Little Netherlands and said concrete walks had been laid since the area was not large enough for blacktop equipment.

Dr. John Hollenbach said Hope College is working on a program in Civic Center for either Wednesday or Thursday of Tulip Time. The SPEBSQSA Parade of Quartets is scheduled for Friday night. Civic Center will be held open for Saturday night for insurance against rain at an open air show at River-view Park.

Any person having ideas for Tulip Time entertainment is asked to forward them to Manager Price. Attending Tuesday's meeting were Riemersma, C. Neal Steketee, Gertrude Steketee, John Van Dyke, Raymond Holwerda, Robert Kuyk, John Hollenbach, Dick Smallenburg, W.A. Butler, Earl Price and William H. Vande Water. Laverne Rudolph and A. J. Peters were absent.

## Chippewa Scouts Will Attend Meet

About 350 Boy Scouts and Explorers will attend the annual "Green Bar" Conference Saturday at Godwin High School in Grand Rapids.

Patrol leaders, senior patrol leaders, assistant patrol leaders, scribes and quartermasters from Holland troops will join other Scouts from all 11 districts of the Grand Valley Council.

Sessions will begin at 9:30. Topics include Den Chief Training, Patrol Leadership, Hiking Techniques, Camping Skills, Junior Leaders Council Meetings, Patrol Meetings, Games, and Campfire programs.

Phillip Reno of Wayland, council training chairman, has announced that special sessions will be held for Den Chiefs and for Explorers. Miner Meindersma of Zeeland will serve as instructor for the group session on camping skills.

## Elks Donate Blood Bank

SOUTH HAVEN — Elks Lodge 1509 of South Haven, has purchased a new \$670 blood bank for the hospital in memory of Rickey Shanley, who died several years ago of polio.

## Holland's New Manager Takes Oath of Office

H. H. (Herb) Holt was sworn in as Holland's new city manager at brief ceremonies Wednesday night at a regular meeting of City Council. The oath was administered by City Clerk Clarence Grevengoed as the first order of business.

After the ceremony, Mayor Harry Harrington thanked the screening committee consisting of Rein Vischer, Raymond Holwerda and John Beltman for their time and efforts the last two months in interviewing applicants, pointing out that it was a big responsibility for a committee to make a recommendation. He also commended City Engineer Jacob Zuidema for his work as acting city manager.

"History has shown that Holland has always had good government. It is not perfect but good, and it has made Holland a good place to live in. We challenge you, Mr. Holt, to make it an even better place through increased efficiency and continued progress."

"You are about to give us and the city of Holland some of the best years of your life. I refer to the Holland Sentinel's editorial Tuesday night which said the new city manager should be met by the people of Holland in a spirit of sympathetic expectation. Together, we hope we will accomplish great things."

The new 32-year-old city manager said he greatly appreciated the fine reception he has been receiving from the citizens of Holland. He said it would take some time before he would know Holland operations well enough to speak on any detail, but for the present he outlined three broad principles to be used as guideposts.

"First, I am convinced that the real goal of a council-manager form of government is to bring more efficiency and economy in operations. That must be our long range goal, but it is never ending process. No matter how good a thing is, there is always a possibility that it can be made better and it is a constant challenge to our imagination and intelligence."

"Second, a city manager has a duty over and above the technical aspects of carrying out policy. He must explain, interpret and if necessary defend policies adopted by council. The city manager's door will always be open to any citizen at any time, and I certainly will make myself available to any group of citizens who want to meet with the manager."

"Third, the principal duty of a city manager is to carry out the policies adopted by council and I pledge this to the best of my ability. I also promise not to use any administrative device that may weaken council policy, and I shall expect like cooperation from city employees."

Holt succeeds H. C. McClintock who left Holland last fall for a new city manager post in Webster Groves, Mo., after 34 years in Holland.

## Volleyball Today

ZEELAND (Special)—Any area residents interested in playing volleyball at Zeeland High School gym should contact James Harburg in Zeeland. Phone 61-2256. The first session will be held today from 5:15 to 7 p.m.

## School Needs Cited

KALAMAZOO — At an informal meeting of the Board of Education and the executive board of the Kalamazoo Citizens' Committee on Public Schools Monday night it was brought out that Kalamazoo public schools may have to turn away tuition students in about four more years unless added classroom facilities are provided.

## Three Cars Crash On Slippery M-21

A '53 model car was a total loss and another '53 along with a '54 model were considerably damaged in a complicated three-car collision on M-21 at 8:30 Wednesday three miles east of Zeeland near 72nd Ave.

However, none of the seven persons in the three cars was seriously hurt. They did suffer bumps and bruises.

The weird chain of events started when a car driven by George Bernhart of 534 Fountain St., Grand Rapids, was headed west on M-21. His car went out of control on the slick road and struck some guard rails on the opposite side of the road.

It then bounced off the guard rails and rammed head-on into a car driven by Harlan C. Bouman of 654 Hazelbank, Holland, headed east on M-21. Bouman saw the Bernhart car swerving and was on the north side of the highway when the crash occurred.

Then the Bouman car bounced off the road and into some guard rails. The impact threw it back on the road and it rammed into the front end of a car headed west driven by Lee William Shumaker of route 2, Brookton, Ind.

The Bouman car then veered off the Shumaker car and crashed head-on into a telephone pole. Needless to say, the Bouman car was a total wreck. Damage to the '54 model Shumaker car was estimated at \$700 and at \$750 to the '53 model Bernhart car.

Shumaker was returning from a deer hunting expedition and had four passengers in the car. Bernhart is employed by the State Highway Department and Bouman is a salesman.

Sheriffs' officers investigated and said they "almost went off the slippery highway" en route to the scene.

## DeBruyn Seed Case Dismissed at Hearing

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A case, brought against Donald D. DeBruyn of Zeeland upon complaint of the Department of Agriculture, was dismissed upon motion of Randall M. Dekker, attorney for the respondent, by Associate Judge Jacob Ponstein in Municipal Court Wednesday afternoon.

The complaint against DeBruyn, which allegedly occurred Aug. 12, 1954, alleged that the DeBruyn Seed and Produce Co., had sold a quantity of mammoth clover seed to the Fennville Milling Co., which contained too much noxious weed seed per pound. The defense pointed out there was no evidence to prove that the mammoth clover seed, which had been sold, was in any way connected with the DeBruyn Seed and Produce Co.

The case, a misdemeanor, was tried before the court without a jury.

## County Tax Bills Due

County tax bills totaling \$140,194.5 were mailed out Dec. 1. The taxes are payable today through Jan. 20 without penalty. Rate this year is \$5.90 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation, a hike of 32 cents over the 1953 rate of \$5.58.

Raymond J. Lokers, Zeeland High School principal, and Raymond Brummel, left Wednesday to attend a two-day Michigan principals meeting in Detroit. The conference will be held in the Detroit Hotel.

## Zeeland Awards Contract for New 38-Bed Hospital

**Pledges of Support  
Bolster Directors;  
Funds Still Needed**

ZEELAND (Special)—Post and Kleinjans have been awarded a \$222,492.91 contract to erect a new Thomas G. Huizinga Memorial Hospital after recommendation of the building committee.

The proposed building a modern structure designed by W. B. Mac Whirter and Associates of Grand Rapids, is scheduled for completion Nov. 1, 1955. It will face Taft St. and occupy a new plot in the city.

The bid covers cost of the building only, not equipment.

Last week it was reported that the building project would be postponed, but many pledges of support have been received in the meantime from Zeeland and surrounding area. Thus directors decided to go ahead since Post and Kleinjans voluntarily reduced their bid by approximately \$4,000.

There is now a total of \$150,000 in the building fund in cash and pledges. Considerable amounts of cash and pledges have come in the past week. An organization is being set up to promote raising another \$40,000. Arrangements have also been completed for loans to further finance the project. The sale of the present hospital property would also help relieve the financial burden.

The front of the new structure will be 256 feet long. The south wing will be 62 feet deep and the north wing 107 feet deep. There will be 16 beds in maternity and 22 beds in general nursing for a total of 38 beds. The present unit has 18 beds.

Members of the building committee are co-chairman Alvin Johnson and C. Karsten, Peter Staal, G. J. Kemme, R. De Bruyn, Clarence Vanden Bosch, Henry Van Gelderen, Andrew Schermer, Peter Brill and M. Mohr.

The committee plans ground breaking ceremonies Friday morning Dec. 3, at 10 a.m. There will be brief remarks by J. C. De Pree and Jack Boonstra. De Pree has served as secretary and Boonstra as treasurer on the board since the beginning of the hospital 26 years ago.

President A. C. Vanden Bosch will turn over the first shovel of dirt. Mayor R. DeBruyn and G. J. Kemme, both members of the board will also make a few remarks.

The building committee will provide a hospital for the citizens of the community at a cost of \$7,800 per bed, while many hospitals in other communities in Michigan are built at a cost of approximately \$22,000 per bed.

## Boy Scouts Plan First Aid-O-Ree

Top Patrol First Aid teams representing all troops of the Chippewa Boy Scout District will go into action on Monday evening, Dec. 6, at the annual Scout First Aid-O-Ree.

Howard Helder and Otto Dressel, co-chairmen of the scout meet, have announced that the event will be held at North Shore Community Club on Ottawa Beach Rd. Contests will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Throughout the month of November, all troops in the Holland area have been sharpening First Aid skills in preparation for competition at the district meet. Each troop has conducted its own First Aid meet in order to qualify patrols for participation in the First Aid-O-Ree.

Patrols entering the meet will provide one judge. All judges will meet with the directors at 6:45 p.m. for final briefing before the contest begins. Each Patrol will be required to solve four problem situations involving First Aid skills and will be scored on each problem. Patrols qualifying as class "A" teams will be invited to participate in the Council First Aid meet in Grand Rapids on Jan. 27.

Scout officials have stated that the First-Aid-O-Ree is being conducted in order to encourage Scouts to become more proficient in First Aid skills, preparing them for emergency service. Parents and friends are invited to attend as observers.

## Franksters Sentenced

CORUNNA — Louis E. Zsigo, 20, route 1, Lennon, and Lester R. Brooks, 18, route 18, Corunna, were sentenced to two years probation Monday, including 60 days in the county jail, for putting a rock and log on the Grand Trunk Western Railway tracks in Venice and Vernon Townships May 2. They also must pay the railroad \$50 for trouble caused and \$100 costs each.

## Marriage Licenses

OTAWA COUNTY — Gradus Scholten, 26, route 1, Holland, and Esther De Weerd, 21, route 2, Hudsonville; Eldon Crawford, 20, Muskegon, and Edna Schippers, 18, Grand Haven. The magnetic poles change their positions.

## Junior High Girl Finds Wallet Containing \$38

A wallet containing \$38 in cash was turned over to police Tuesday by a Junior High School girl before the owner had even reported it missing.

Police said Mary Ann Van Hattma walked into the station shortly before noon holding a wallet. Mary Ann explained she found it a few minutes earlier.

Officers checked identification in the wallet and called Mrs. Gertrude Bos. Mrs. Bos was just returning from lunch and had not noticed her wallet was missing from her purse.

## Goals Announced For Polio Drive In Ottawa County

**Inter-Club Council Will  
Operate Campaign for  
\$22,500 in Local Area**

Sixty-two polio campaign leaders of Ottawa County gathered at Allendale Township Hall Wednesday night for an enthusiastic pre-campaign meeting in preparation for the 1955 drive next January in which Ottawa County expects to raise \$53,250 to fight polio. While leaders have set the quota at this figure, they hope to rival the \$62,744.33 collected in last January's drive.

Wilbur C. Cobb of Holland, county polio chairman, said the county campaign will be in charge of two co-chairmen, Willis Welling of Holland and Merlin Terrill of Grand Haven. Welling will operate the campaign in southern Ottawa which has a goal of \$31,500. Terrill will take charge of the north half which has a quota of \$21,750.

The Inter-Club Council of Holland with Irvin De Weerd as representative, will conduct the drive in Holland city and Holland and Park Townships. The quota is \$22,500. In Zeeland, the Kiwanis Club will take charge of the drive to raise \$3,100. In Jamestown, the volunteer fire department with Julius Zagers as chairman will attempt to raise \$750. The Lions Club under Gibb Hall will conduct the Georgetown campaign. Claude Timmer heads the drive in Blenden for \$750 and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nieboer will direct the drive in Olive for \$500. Mrs. Lawrence Timmer is chairman in Port Sheldon with a goal of \$400.

Grand Haven Jaycees will conduct the drive in the tri-cities (Grand Haven, Spring Lake and Ferrysburg) for \$14,500. Lee Brown of Nunica will conduct the campaign in Crookery Township for \$1,000. Mr. and Mrs. Pancheta are chairman for the drive in Robinson for \$500. Coopersville Rotary Club will conduct the Polkton drive for \$2,250. Allendale Township with a quota of \$750 is headed by Mrs. Helen Lemmen. Bernice Smith heads the Chester drive for \$750. Mr. Fritz is Wright Township chairman with a quota of \$1,000. Dorothy and Eva Bronkema are chairman in Tallmadge Township with a quota of \$1,000.

The kickoff message was given by Paul D. Bagwell, state polio chairman, who traced the history of the National Foundation, with particular emphasis on the shift to the offensive last year with the decision to make the Salk vaccine available to youngsters in an attempt to find a cure or preventative after years of research.

Treasurer Charles K. Bugielski reported 32 new polio cases in Ottawa County so far this year, but with previous cases still under treatment, there are 380 cases "on the book" in Ottawa County, including 14 cases in Mary Free Bed Guild. Of polio gifts collected during 1954, about \$25,000 was kept in the county, but an additional \$30,750 was advanced from the National Foundation for patient care for Ottawa's polio victims. Another estimated \$3,000 will be necessary in order to keep the county program solvent by Jan. 1.

Of interest to local persons is the fact that 80 percent of Ottawa's victims had bulbar polio, a drastic form of the affliction, yet one which has a better percentage of recovery than most paralytic cases. Of the 32 county patients (one case unclassified) there are 20 males and 11 females, with an average age of 30.8 years. The youngest victim is six months and the oldest 40 years.

There are eight cases so far this year in Holland, nine in Grand Haven, two in Hudsonville, four in Coopersville, three in Tallmadge, two in Conklin, two in Zeeland and one in Borealis.

## No. 1 Christmas Tree

RUDYARD — A 67-foot balsam fir, donated by Michigan State College, was put on two railroad flat cars here yesterday and sent to the nation's capital where it will be dedicated Dec. 17 by President Eisenhower as the nation's 1954 Christmas tree.

Pvt. Kenneth D. Kragt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Kragt of Holland, has completed the medical training center's eight week course of advanced training at Brooke Army Medical Center, according to the public information office. Pvt. Kragt entered the Army last July.

## Willis De Cook New Councilman For Third Ward

**State Equalization  
Program Explained  
By Assessor Koop**

Willis De Cook, local restaurant operator, was elected councilman representing the third ward at a regular meeting of City Council Wednesday night. He was one of three candidates nominated and was elected by a 5 to 2 vote. Other nominees were George Schreuer and Preston Luidens. De Cook will serve until the next city election in April, 1955. He succeeds Rein Vischer who moved from the ward.

City Assessor William Koop, on request of Mayor Harry Harrington, briefly explained the new state equalization program which he said really is not new at all. He said such equalization legislation was passed in 1944 but was not "pushed." He said, Holland's assessed valuation currently is about \$23,000,000 and the valuation as equalized by the county is \$31,000,000 or 31 per cent more. The state equalized figure which is about 33 1/3 per cent over the county equalized figure will bring Holland's equalized valuation to \$41,000,000 or \$42,000,000. It is on this latter figure that schools will be able to levy, Koop said. In short, the state figure for Holland city will be about 175 per cent of the assessed valuation.

Council referred to the Civic Center advisory committee a request from the Optimist Club for consideration in reduction of rentals of Civic Center for a two day state optimist convention to be held in Holland the week after Tulip Time in 1955. H. Frans appeared on behalf of the club. From 500 to 700 outsiders are expected for the convention.

Councilman Robert Vlascher reported that his special committee had taken no action in purchasing a popcorn machine for Civic Center and suggested a study be made by a special committee covering the concession situation with a view whether it should be operated by Civic Center management or leased to another operator.

Council accepted an offer of Don Derks to remove the house on city-owned property at 47 West 12th St., level the premises and cover with four inches of gravel in return for the house. There were about five other bids. The engineering department estimated Derks' proposal would be valued at about \$250, which was higher than other bids submitted.

A complaint on conditions of the hospital parking lot was referred to the hospital board.

City Clerk Clarence Grevengoed presented a letter from Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce extending an invitation to attend the dedication ceremonies of the Nativity Scene in Centennial Park at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 10.

The clerk presented a copy of a letter from the U.S. Corps of Engineers sent to the Board of Public Works regarding the Department of the Army permit under Nov. 22 to construct a 42-inch intake pipeline extending into Lake Michigan. The clerk said the letter has been acknowledged by the superintendent of utilities.

Council adopted a resolution on behalf of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis endorsing the March of Dimes campaign during January and granting permission to operate plank on Eighth St. on the weekends of Jan. 14 and 21, permitting the sale of plastic crutches. Mothers March, and turning over dimes from parking meters to the fund campaign.

A petition for a street light on 20th St. between Pine and Michigan Aves. was referred to the city manager with power to act. A license to sell soft drinks was approved for Jack and Earl's station at 316 River Ave.

A petition bearing 78 signatures requesting that Council appoint George Schreuer as councilman to fill the vacancy previously filled by Rein Vischer also was submitted. It was turned over for consideration under special order of the day.

John Van Eerden reported that the special committee on swimming pool for Holland is thinking in terms of utilizing facilities at Civic Center. He said such plans would have to be approved by the State Board of Health.

## Holland Falters In Third Period For 56-42 Defeat

A bad third quarter spoiled Holland High's chances of overtaking a highly-touted Grand Rapids Ottawa Hills five, and in so doing ruined the locals Civic Center debut Tuesday night. The Indians, sporting a veteran team, won the contest 56-42.

In the fateful eight minutes following the halftime intermission, the Dutch took 15 pecks at the hoop. One layup shot, made by Ron Van Dyke with 1:30 remaining, was the only counter in the quarter. Meanwhile, the Indians were ringing up 18 markers behind the shooting of Craig Schopf and Phil Latta.

Almost even in the first half, the Dutch fell victim to Ottawa Hills spurts in both quarters. The first quarter spurt came in the last minute. With Holland leading, 12-11, Schopf and Latta made six point in the last 60 seconds to boost the Indians out in front 17-12.

The Dutch outscored the Indians 14-12 in the second quarter. Three times in the period, including twice in the last three minutes, Holland was within one point of the winners. A field goal and two foul shots by Latta with 1:51 of the second period left gave Ottawa the three-point halftime advantage, 29-26.

As the roof fell in for Holland in the third quarter, the Indians jumped to a 14 point lead midway in the period. They pushed this lead to 19 points, biggest margin of the game, at the close of the third canto. The score at the whistle, was 47-28.

Van Dyke hit on a hook shot to open the fourth period. Holland proceeded to outscore the Ottawa reserves 14-9 in the final period.

Holland made 16 baskets out of 60 floor attempts for 25 percent average. The Indians averaged 33.9. The Dutch made four out of 13 shots in the first period, six out of 17 in the fourth.

Schopf led his teammates with 19 points followed by Latta with 16. Bill Japinga, a junior, playing his first varsity game led Holland with eight points. Bob Saunders and Henry Visscher, both seniors, followed with 6 apiece.

A crowd estimated at 1,800 witnessed the contest. Holland is scheduled to play seven more home contests in the new sports arena. About 300 of the fans were here from Ottawa Hills. Several rooters held large placards that when held up spelled out "Yea, Ottawa Hills, Fight."

Holland (42)		FG	FT	PF	TP
Van Dyke, f	3	1	3	7	
Overbeek, f	1	0	0	2	
Gouloze, c	0	2	3	2	
Saunders, c	2	2	3	6	
Japinga, g	3	2	4	8	
Visscher, f	3	0	2	6	
Boersma, g	2	0	2	4	
Shaffer, c	1	0	1	2	
Kleinhekel, f	0	2	0	2	
Vander Poel, f	1	1	0	3	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>42</b>	
Ottawa Hills (56)		FG	FT	PF	TP
Schopf, f	6	7	2	19	
Latta, f	7	2	1	16	
Brown, c	1	6	2	8	
Letz, g	2	2	1	6	
Davis, g	0	0	1	0	
Coddington, g	0	2	1	2	
Crane, c	1	0	0	2	
Johnson, g	1	1	1	3	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>56</b>	

### Mrs. Jacob Van Kampen Dies of Heart Ailment

Mrs. Grace Van Kampen, wife of Jacob Van Kampen, 221 Lakewood Blvd., died unexpectedly at 10:15 p.m. Tuesday while she and her husband were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ver Beek, 1864 104th Ave. Death was caused by a heart condition. She was 69 years old.

Mrs. Van Kampen was born June 8, 1885, in Park Township to the late Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Bredeweg. She was a member of Central Avenue Christian Reformed Church.

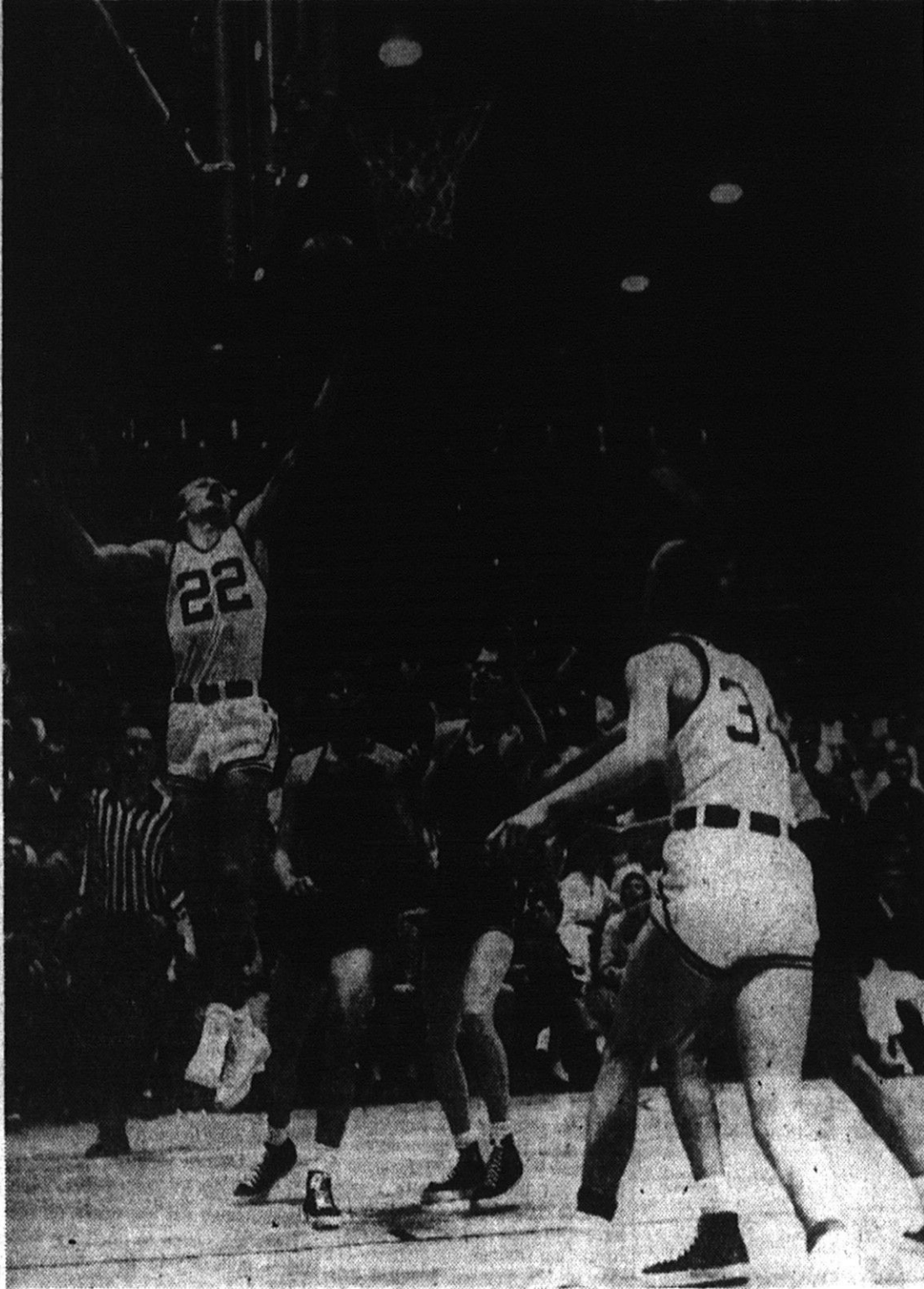
Surviving are the husband; two daughters, Mrs. Fred Garvelink and Mrs. Albert Doolittle, both of Holland; three sons, Elbert of Grandville, Gerrit and Joe of Holland; 16 grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. John Terpstra of Holland, and two brothers, Henry Bredeweg of route 5 and John Bredeweg of Holland.

Funeral rites will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at Dykstra Funeral Chapel, the Rev. William Haverkamp officiating. Burial will be at Restlawn Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral chapel this evening from 7 to 9 and Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

### Geert Van Netten, 69, Of Zeeland Succumbs

ZEELAND (Special)—Geert Van Netten, 69, of 132 Park St., Zeeland, died at Holland Hospital Tuesday evening following a three weeks illness. Born in the Netherlands, he came to this country at the age of 22. For more than 40 years he worked as a blacksmith at the Wickers Lumber Co., later being employed at the Zeeland Truck and Trailer Co. He was a member of First Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving besides the wife, Grace, are three sons, Frank of Jamestown, Raymond of Holland and Earl at home; three grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. John Nivholt of Grand Rapids and the others in the Netherlands.



CONCLUDING A FAST BREAK — Henry Visscher, (22), Holland forward, goes up for a possible two points. Visscher had taken a pass from a teammate and the leap culminated a drive toward the basket. Ready for a possible rebound are Craig Schopf, (9), and Jack Lett, (8), Ottawa forward and guard respectively. Holland's Sherry Shaffer, (34), is at right, should the ball go over the basket. Ottawa Hills won the game, 56-42 Tuesday night at the Civic Center. It was the season's opener for Holland High and the second game for the Indians.

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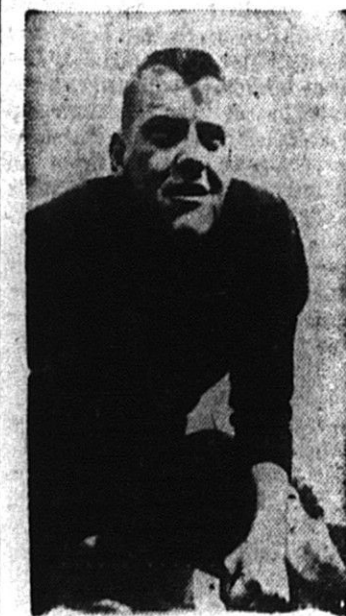
(Sentinel photo)



Right Half John Adams



Fullback Dave Kuyers



Right Guard Bill Heydorn



Left Tackle Don Van Hoven

## Hope Places Four Men On All-MIAA Grid Team

Hope College placed four men on the All-MIAA football team announced Monday by De Gay Ernest, MIAA commissioner. Named to the team were senior guard Bill Heydorn, Hope's most valuable player, Don Van Hoven, junior tackle, John Adams, junior halfback and Dave Kuyers, sophomore fullback. Heydorn and Adams were also named on last year's team.

Champion Hillsdale placed five men on the 12-man first team. Adrian won two places and Olivet one berth. The 12 men were selected because of a three-way tie for two backfield posts.

Representing Hillsdale on the team were Donald Tallman, senior end; Warren Temple, sophomore tackle; Ron Dalrymple, senior guard; Roger Davis, junior center; and Marvin Frankel, senior halfback. Adrian's first team choices were Clyde Bradley, sophomore end and Brian Graff, freshmen fullback. Olivet placed Edward Bryant, senior halfback.

Albion paced the 13-man second team with five selections. Alma placed three, Kalamazoo, two and Olivet, Adrian and Hillsdale one each. Hope failed to place a man on the second team.

Second team members include: Ends—James Reutter, Albion senior; Addison Brink, Albion junior and Andrew Kincanon, Hillsdale sophomore; tackles—Tom Gilman, Kalamazoo senior and Lavern Spotts, Adrian sophomore; guards—Robert Kouts, Albion senior and James Hahn, Alma senior; centers—Jack Carleton, Alma senior and John Taylor, Albion senior.

Backs—Herbert Lipschitz, Kalamazoo senior; Roland Wahl, Olivet sophomore; Danny Stolz,

A new plastic "glass" for protecting wood and metals against the weather can be sprayed on and will dry in 30 minutes.

### Beaverdam

Special music for the Sunday evening service in the Reformed Church was supplied by the church quartet who sang "Saved by Grace" and "Wondering Child Come Home."

Serviceman's address: Pvt. James De Young US 55403771, 633 Quartermaster S.B.C. Co. Fort Hood, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Tubergen and Mrs. Harry Bowman attended the funeral service of Mrs. George De Haan last Wednesday afternoon in the Maple Avenue Christian Reformed church.

The fall meeting of the Hope College Women's League, Zeeland Chapter will be held this evening at 8 p.m. in the Second Reformed church of Zeeland. The Thanksgiving offering in the Reformed church amounted to \$635.11.

The deacons and their wives of the Reformed church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hasselvoort.

At the congregational meeting of the Christian Reformed Church G. Arens and W. Gaanzvoort were chosen for elders and C. Brower as deacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin and children of Holland spent Thanksgiving Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Zoet, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Zoet and children were visitors there Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowman and Laurie Ann spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Vliem and children in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Posma and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huizenga were Thanksgiving Day guests with Mr. and Mrs. Ben De Jonge in Grand Haven.

Reuben Bohl returned last Wednesday from his deer hunting trip and was well rewarded with a 140 pound buck.

### Elks Memorial Day Services Planned

Sunday is Elks Memorial Day, a day set aside by all Elks Lodges to pay respect to the memories of deceased members.

Kenneth Dykstra, leading knight of Holland Lodge No. 1315, is chairman of the event this year. The memorial address will be given by the Rev. John O. Hagans, pastor of First Methodist Church, Holland.

Vocalist will be Mrs. Joyce Wadsworth, with the traditional Elks rite being conducted by Exalted Ruler, Stephen Wiersema, Lecturing Knight, Herman De Vries, Loyal Knight, Robert Hall, Esquire John Wadsworth and Dykstra.

All Elks and their friends are invited. The services are open to the public. The event will take place at 3 p.m. in the lodge room of the local Elks.

### Mrs. Henry Karsten Honored on Birthday

Mrs. Henry Karsten of North Holland was honored at a birthday party Saturday given by her daughter, Mrs. Ellsworth Barber.

A two-course lunch was served by her daughter and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Junior Karsten. The guest of honor received many plants, flowers and gifts.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Albert Timmer, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Timmer and Pamela, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Karsten, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Van Langevelde, Miss Barbara Lamb, Mrs. Howard Barnes, Miss Beverly Crispell, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Barber, Kenneth Karsten, Henry Karsten and the guest of honor.

## Ottawa Farm News

Richard Machiele  
County Agricultural Agent

I notice many dairymen in the county are clipping dairy cows. This is a good practice and should be done by all dairymen producing fluid milk. First of all, it takes less time to keep the cow clean and it will reduce sediment in the milk. It also lowers the bacterial count when the hair is clipped from the flank, legs and udder. There is also evidence where udders are clipped and washed that the bacterial count is reduced considerably in comparison with those that are not. Repeat as often as necessary to keep the hair short on the udder, flanks and belly.

A good hog feeder is saving money these days by adding hay to the winter ration. When you do not have good pasture a plentiful amount of green leafy legume hay will save many dollars in the expensive feeds. The best way to add hay is mix it in the ration. However, good leafy hay fed in a rack in the hog pen will do the trick too.

Defective chimneys, careless handling of combustible materials and mis-use of petroleum products have caused a large share of farm fires each year. Complete inspection of chimneys and stove pipes should be made. Combustible materials should be protected and all members of the family instructed in the safe use of petroleum products.

If you want to dry up a cow to give her a rest, just stop milking her. It's better than drying up the cow gradually by milking once a day for a week or two. If the cow is still producing more than 20 pounds of milk at the time you want to give her a rest, milk her out completely. Then cut down her grain ration. That's some advice added by Michigan State Dairymen. A quick drying up method helps give the cow some added rest. And a cow that has had a six to eight week dry period would produce more milk than an animal that didn't have that much rest.

If the cow you want to dry up has mastitis, Michigan State College veterinarians advise treat her with an antibiotic and stop milking her. And they also suggest keeping a close watch on the cow's udder when she freshens to be sure it's not deformed. If the udder is deformed, they advise, call your veterinarian to get his recommendation for treatment.

A good set of farm records is almost like having an extra hired man around the farm these days. They'll really work for the farmer that keeps them next month when he comes to filling out his income tax return and his state business receipts tax return. This is especially true this year since there are six new income tax regulations which the farmer with adequate records can take advantage of.

The record book will be back on the job again a year from January when it is time for farmers to file their first social security tax return. And the extra "hired hand" will be on the job all year around for the most important job of all—helping the farmer study his farm business and discover improvements which will make him more money.

There are a number of good farm record books available to farmers but one that has brought the most favorable comment from farmers is the Michigan State College farm income tax record book. Farmers who have kept it report that it's unusually easy to keep and that it really fills the bill at tax time. These farm record books can be purchased for 20 cents by writing the Extension Office, Court House Grand Haven.

Coopersville State Bank of which Gus Appelt is manager is offering this Michigan State College farm income tax account book free to its patrons this year.

First Reformed Church Holds Annual Elections

ZEELAND (Special) — Elections were held Monday evening at the annual meeting of Sunday School officers and teachers of First Reformed Church.

Officers named in the election were: superintendent, William H. Staai; assistant superintendent, Hugh De Pree; secretary, Agnes Walters; treasurer, Matthew Looker, and assistant secretary-treasurer, H. Redder. Librarians named were Raleigh Telgenhof, Clyde Butties, Alfred Van Duine and Clarence Yntema.

Speaker for the evening was Dr. Elton Enigenburg, professor of church history at Western Theological Seminary in Holland. His subject was "Ye Are My Witnesses." Shirley Walters played a piano solo and Paul Wolterink, a clarinet solo.

A supper was served the group by the Ladies Aid. About 65 people were present.

Grand Haven Church Plans New Parsonage

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — First Reformed Church at its annual congregational meeting Monday night authorized the purchase of two lots at Howard and Third Sts. for \$3,800 for a site for a new parsonage which will cost an estimated \$22,000.

Plans call for tearing down the present parsonage next to the church and utilizing the space for parking purposes. Plans call for a brick veneer structure with basement and three bed rooms. The location is 3 1/2 blocks from the church.

Dick Boon, Nelson Fisher and Harold Swartz were elected elders and Harold Bothouse, Howard Rose and Marvin Vander Wall deacons.

## City Firemen Will Pick Up Dystrophy Gifts on Monday

City firemen — 33 strong—will canvass Holland city Monday starting at 6:30 p.m. to collect gifts in a Fire Fighters March for Muscular Dystrophy.

Convenient envelopes bearing the picture of four-year-old Bonnie Bazan of Grand Rapids and Holland were to be distributed to all local homes by today.

Fire sirens will signal the start of the pickup at 6:30 p.m., according to Clifford Hammond, local chairman, who has worked out details with Fire Chief Andrew Klomparsens. Persons who plan to contribute are asked to put on their porch lights.

Several local residents already have called local fire stations offering contributions. These contributions also will be picked up Monday night.

Holland firemen, who will cover the city only, are among hundreds of thousands of firemen throughout America who volunteered their services for the Muscular Dystrophy program which was founded five years ago. Last year mail carriers made the pickup.

Muscular dystrophy campaigns in most other cities were carried on during the Thanksgiving Day weekend, but supplies did not arrive in Holland on time.

Funds collected in the nationwide campaign will be used for aiding the 200,000 victims of the dread malady and to finance research to war on the insidious disease that cripples and kills American children and adults.

"Medical science is still very much in the dark about the cause and cure of muscular dystrophy," the chairman said. "Our contributions to this appeal will help broaden research and speed the day of victory over this killer. Every dollar we give will help to save a child's life."

## Adrian Has Eight Basketball Vets

With eight lettermen on the squad, including the MIAA's top scorer last season Henry Hughes, the Adrian College Bulldogs will invade the Civic Center Saturday night to play Hope College. The game will be the opening MIAA contest for both teams.

Hughes, 6'5" forward, led the MIAA with 320 points last season, just 19 short of the overall record set by Hannu Glasser of Kalamazoo in 1952. Hughes, a sophomore, was named to the All-MIAA first team and was selected "most valuable player" by his teammates. In 22 games, he scored 450 points, for a new school record.

Adrian finished fifth in the MIAA last season with a 6-8 mark. Overall, the Bulldogs had a 6-16 record. Hope defeated Adrian twice last season, 67-61 and 99-89.

Another top returnee is Joe Davis, 6'3" sophomore. He placed ninth in the MIAA scoring race during the past season. Other lettermen back are Joe Stephens, 6'3", George Evans, Jim Keller, Jim Swolish, 5'10", Jack Birchfield, 6'3" and Burge Smith, 5'10".

To this list, the Bulldogs have added several promising freshmen. Pacing the group are two 6'5" players, Ray Newton and Herbert Carmichael, who list high school and military hall respectively.

Others include Larry Stephens, 5'8", Leon Harper, 6'3", Danny Murphy, 5'7", Don Mohr, 6'4", Charles Schroeder, 6", Bob Fisher, 5'9", Fred Hobart, 6", Brian Gaffa, 6'1", Rodney Cox, 6'5", Les Heller, 5'8", Fred Henry 6" and Bill Grant.

Coached by Joe Fortunato and John Hirshey, the Bulldogs will play 22 games this season. Adrian is slated to open tonight against Aquinas at Adrian.

### Girls State Delegate Speaks to Junior League

Miss Jane Klaasen, delegate to Wolverine Girls State last summer described her experiences to members of Junior Welfare League at a regular meeting Tuesday evening at the Woman's Literary Club.

Miss Klaasen, who was sponsored by Junior League, told of the government, recreational and political phases of the Girls State experience and expressed thanks to members for their support.

She was introduced by Mrs. William Venhuizen, league president, who conducted a brief business session. Mrs. James Brooks reported on the group's recent Country Fair and Mrs. Vernon Boersma told plans for a children's Christmas party. Members also appropriated \$50 for Christmas baskets.

Coffee was served after the meeting. Next Tuesday will be league's final meeting of the year. All members are urged to attend to pick up their candy orders. Annual officers treat is scheduled.

### Chub Fishing Suit Dismissed in Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — An order dissolving the chub fishing suit of 19 Western Michigan commercial fishermen against the state conservation director was filed in Circuit Court Tuesday.

The action also dissolves a temporary injunction issued by Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith last Oct. 29.

Commercial fishermen had sought the injunction in view of a change in Wisconsin laws which allowed commercial fishermen there to fish for chubs during November.



MAKES 5,500 MILE TRIP — Harold Ramsey covered that many miles in a 27-hour flying trip recently for the Lith-I-Bar Company. Ramsey flew to Bogota, Colombia, South America on a business trip where the company has sold several concrete block machines. Before his return Ramsey was presented with a pair of gold cuff links he is holding and a relief map of Colombia, (left) one of two in existence. The links were made from a pair of coins made by the Chibchas in the 17th century. The coins were originally part of a large circular piece into which impressions were pressed. After cutting, each coin was filled so it had a uniform weight. The coins were recently found when an ancient church was demolished. Alberto Kling, a Colombia jeweler, made the links, and with his associates, Schaeffer, Green, and Ruiz, presented them to Ramsey. (Sentinel photo)

## Woman's Club Program Features Film-Lecture

The beauties of nature which can be "found in our own back yards" were shown to members of the Woman's Literary Club Tuesday afternoon when Edward Morris Brigham, Jr., presented a film-lecture, "Along Nature Trails in Michigan."

Brigham, who is director of the Kingman Museum of Natural History at Battle Creek, emphasized that Michigan residents need go no farther than their own state to find a naturalist's paradise.

The speaker's colored movies were fine studies of Michigan birds, flowers and natural resources. Among the highlights were close-ups of baby horned owls, lowered from their nests for the pictures; intimate pictures of birds and their young at the Baker Sanctuary; a large rattlesnake, the only poisonous snake in Michigan, and some rare pictures of a beautiful male spruce grouse performing his courtship dance. It is believed these are the only pictures ever filmed of this bird's dance.

Colorful insects, wild flowers, butterflies and other wildlife fill the nature story, which ends in a blaze of autumn color.

Mrs. Bruce van Leuwen, president, introduced the speaker and told of the Philanthropy Committee's gift contributions to the county home at Eastmanville.

Next week's meeting, the last of the year, will feature Mrs. Herman Hoek of Grand Rapids in "Christmas in Story and Song."

### Ganges

The Ganges Community Grange and the Juvenile Grange met Friday evening at the Grange Hall. Installation of newly-elected officers was held with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beldon as installing officers. The Pearl Grange members were invited as guests. A co-operative lunch and social time followed the meeting.

The Unity Club will meet this evening, for the annual dinner and fair at the home of Mrs. Ed Simons. Dinner will be served from 12 noon on.

The meeting of the Ganges Garden Group scheduled for Friday, Nov. 26, was postponed.

The Lake Shore Farm Bureau Discussion Group met Friday evening, Nov. 26, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hutchins.

The Jill Club will meet this evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Ann Adkin. Mrs. Florine Gooding is program chairman and it will be the annual Christmas party. Mrs. Marian Enfield is etiquette chairman.

The Lake Shore Teachers club held its November meeting recently at the Darling School with Mrs. Flora Galbreath as hostess.

Corporal Stevens of the Paw Paw State Police gave a talk and showed a movie. The December meeting will be held at the Union School with Mrs. Jane Nally as hostess on Dec. 13.

Dr. and Mrs. Everett Collins of Cleveland were Thanksgiving guests in the home of his father, Ward Collins, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson and family were also guests.

The meeting of the First Ridge Extension group has been postponed until Dec. 8 and will be held at the home of Mrs. Ann Adkin.

Misses Margaret Jo Collins and Betty Giles; James and Jerry Nye attended the Michigan Baptist Youth Fellowship Convention held Friday and Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Lansing.

### Jamestown

The Rev. N. Van Heukelom of Hamilton was guest minister at the Reformed Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Ten Have and children spent Thanksgiving Day with relatives in Albion.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leenhout spent a few days in Canada visiting their relatives there.

## Zeeland Chix Win Basketball Opener

GRAND RAPIDS (Special) — Zeeland High School opened its 1954-55 basketball season Tuesday night upsetting Grand Rapids Lee, 37-28. The game was played in the spacious Lee gym.

Jumping to an eight point lead, the Chix were never headed. The score at the end of the first quarter was 8-2. Zeeland held a 19-11 halftime advantage.

Keeping up the margin, the Chix held a 27-20 third quarter lead increasing the margin by two points in the final period. In opening contest, both teams missed many outcourt shots. Zeeland scored only eight field goals in the game.

Carl Wissink, junior forward was high point man for Zeeland with 16 points. Dave Sundee, Lee center, topped the losers with 15 tallies.

In the preliminary game, the Zeeland seconds dumped the Lee reserves, 52-39. Max De Jonge led Zeeland with 13 followed by Dave Den Ouden with 10 points. Zeeland plays at Coopersville Friday night in a Ken-New-Wa league game.

### Miscellaneous Shower Fetes Elaine Haverdink

Mrs. Howard Lanning of Drenthe entertained at a miscellaneous shower Friday evening in honor of Miss Elaine Haverdink, bride-elect of Orrin Paddling.

The evening was spent playing games and duplicate prizes were awarded. Gifts were presented to the bride-elect. The hostess served refreshments.

The guest list included the bride's mother, Mrs. Gerrit Haverdink, Mesdames Clyde Miner, Howard Miner, Jack Teat, Harry Gelders, C. F. De Jonge, Jerry De Jonge, Glenn De Jonge, Philo Riemersma, Gerald Krans, John Paddling, Floyd Paddling, Chester Fox, Peter Vander Ploeg, Paul Vander Ploeg, Jack Bergsma, Jack Nevins, Betty Fox, Anna Krans, Henrietta Wittelet and the Misses Iola Paddling, Geraldine and Jennie Krans.

### Beer-to-Minor Court Results in \$100 Fine

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Eleanor Bruner, 27, of 108 Water St., Grand Haven, paid \$100 fine and \$5.30 costs in Municipal Court Monday afternoon on a charge of furnishing beer to a minor. The alleged offense occurred in the city Nov. 25 and involved a 17 year old. The arrest was by city police.

The Huizenga families, numbering nearly 100 enjoyed their Thanks giving dinner at the local hall.

Several of the Zagers relatives gathered at the A. Zagers home for their Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. L. Z

## Kennedy Given Probation in Land Fraud Case

### John Mulder Also Gets Probation on Charge Of Negligent Homicide

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Ronald V. Kennedy, 43, Grand Rapids, ousted land buyer for the Michigan State Highway Department, who was found guilty by a Circuit Court jury Oct. 29 of a charge of conspiracy to defraud the state of Michigan of \$600, was placed on probation for two years today, plus fine and costs of \$500.

Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith in disposing of the matter said he did not believe Kennedy was a "moving partner" but rather a "willing partner" who went along without raising his voice in protest. Further conditions of the probation are that he pay \$5 a month oversight fees, cannot leave the state without permission of the court, and must leave intoxicants alone.

Kennedy had been with the highway department since 1935. His salary at the time of his dismissal was \$417 a month. His employer, G. Palmer Seeley, currently serving a 2½ to 5-year term at Southern Michigan Prison on sentence imposed by Muskegon Circuit Court, was brought to Grand Haven under a writ of habeas corpus to testify at Kennedy's trial last month.

Kennedy was charged with defrauding the state of \$600 in land deals made with Louis and Joseph De Kraker for right-of-way purposes near Hudsonville.

John Mulder, 17, of 71 West 20th St., Holland, who pleaded guilty Nov. 4 to a charge of negligent homicide, was placed on probation for two years and ordered to pay \$100 costs within 30 days. The charge resulted from a fatal accident on US-31 at Beeline road last Oct. 8 in which a classmate, Warren Nykamp, 17, was fatally injured. Terms of the probation include \$5 a month oversight fees, operator's license surrendered and all driving privileges suspended.

In disposing of the case, Judge Smith said the family of the deceased had been most insistent that Mulder be given every leniency possible.

Warren Straight, 26, Sparta, stood mute and a plea of not guilty was entered by the court on an indecent exposure charge. Bond was continued and trial will be held during the January term. Straight was arrested by state police Sept. 22. The alleged offense involved three school girls, 11, 12 and 13 years old.

## Lions Club Hears Avery D. Baker

Avery D. Baker, head of the Children's Division of Probate Court, spoke to Lions Club members at a luncheon Tuesday noon at the Warm Friend Tavern.

Harvey De Vries of the program committee introduced Baker, who outlined the Juvenile Court program, telling of the problems in Ottawa county and steps taken to aid the children and protect their welfare.

He indicated the decided rise in delinquency since 1950 and cited specific problems ranging from damaging cottages to stealing cars. Many of these things, he said, are motivated by unhappy conditions at home. He also mentioned comic books as instigators of ideas. He said there are 10,000 persons who have been taken from society and placed in institutions. Cost per year for the care of each is \$2,000.

Charles Verborg of the Blind Committee reported some response in the present drive to aid the blind. He urged the Lions to inform the public of projects such as furnishing leader dogs, providing glasses for children and others unable to pay for them, sending Christmas baskets and entertaining the blind and their escorts at Christmas. At present, Lions also provide luminous canes to blind people. They are all remembered on their birthdays. Local Lions are helping 32 persons from time to time.

Bernie Shashagay presided and Earl Ragains led devotions. Group singing was led by John Vinke-mulder and Al Drost provided entertainment.

## William Hammond, Jr., Of Grand Haven Dies

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — William Hammond, Jr., 57, route 2, Grand Haven, died late Sunday afternoon in Municipal Hospital following a heart ailment. He had been seriously ill for two weeks. He was born in Spring Lake July 24, 1897, and had lived in this area all his life. He was married in Grand Haven Oct. 19, 1918, to Esther Gerth.

He was a member of Charles A. Conklin post No. 28, American Legion, and the North Ottawa Rod and Gun club. He served in the Army during World War I. He had worked until Nov. 12 at Challenge Stamping and Porcelain Co. where he was employed for 25 years.

Surviving are the wife; two daughters, Olive at home and Mrs. Bernard Schultz of Grand Haven; three sons, Richard and Theodore at home, Francis of Grand Haven; three sisters, Mrs. John Borchers of Nunica, Mrs. Guy Slater of Whitehall and Mrs. Martin Karr of Muskegon; also three grandchildren.



**CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS READY** — Downtown Holland has been gaily attired with huge plastic Christmas decorations and green wreaths hung from each lamp post. Many of the intersections are crisscrossed with strands of multi-colored lights. Harmon Jones (left) and Otis Stepp prepare two of the Santa Claus decorations at the corner of Eighth St. and River Ave. The view will be one that Santa Claus himself will appreciate when he arrives in town this Friday night, Dec. 3. Jack Plewes, chairman of the Retail Merchants division of the Chamber of Commerce said the lights will be turned on the same night. (Sentinel photo)

## Vriesland

(From Friday's Sentinel)

The Rev. Theodore Byland preached on the following subjects on Sunday, Nov. 28, "Modern Man and Sin" and "The Name Above Every Name." The Beaverdam male quartet furnished the special music at the evening service.

The Junior C.E. met on Sunday in the church basement.

The local residents received an invitation to attend a sacred concert featuring the Hudsonville male chorus at Forest Grove Reformed church on Sunday at 9 p.m. The Forest Grove C.E. society sponsored the program.

Mother's Club met on Monday at 8 p.m. in the local school.

Young people's catechism class and Senior C.E. met Wednesday.

Thanksgiving service was held on Thursday, Nov. 25, at 9:30 a.m. The thank offering received will be distributed as follows: Reformed church world service relief 50 percent, church expansion 30 percent, Pine Rest 15 percent, Christian Foundation for Handicapped Children 5 percent.

Miss Jerene Timmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Timmer, and Donald J. Meeuwse, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Meeuwse of Zeeland were united in marriage by the Rev. Theodore Byland of Vriesland in the Reformed Church on Tuesday, Nov. 23 at 8 p.m. The public was invited to witness the ceremony.

The Resthaven Guild will meet in Maple Avenue Christian Reformed Church of Holland tonight at 7:30 p.m. All the women are invited.

All were cordially invited to see a three-act play entitled "The Silver Trumpet" in the auditorium of the First Reformed Church of Zeeland, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 8 p.m. A free-will offering was taken at each presentation.

The annual youth rally of all the young people of the churches of Western Michigan will be held in Seventh Reformed Church today. Registration will begin at 3 p.m. The afternoon program begins at 3:45 p.m. The evening program begins at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Garold Van Engen will be the speaker. The special offering taken will be for Mexico.

Sunday, Nov. 28, a special offering will be taken in the local church for missions and benevolence.

House visitation will take place at the following homes this week: Gerrit Boss, Ben Kroodama, Mrs. Jennie De Witt, Mrs. D. C. Ver Hage, and Harold Bazan. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schermer, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Schermer attended the funeral service of their uncle, Mr. Bert De Groot in Dundee on Tuesday, Nov. 16. Mr. De Groot was a former Vriesland resident, spending his childhood days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Boss and children of Portage were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boss.

Sunday guests at the Simon Broersma home were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jousma of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. William Van Houten of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin P. Wyngarden and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Van Zoeren of Holland.

Mrs. Henry Wabeke and Mrs. Merton Wabeke were Wednesday afternoon callers on Mrs. Jennie De Witt at the Elmer Boss home

in Zeeland.

Mr. John Van Regenmorter and Mrs. Martin D. Wyngarden motored to Kalamazoo on Tuesday where they were guests of Mrs. Kenneth Nyhuis and children. Mrs. Wyngarden spent a few days, her husband, Mr. M. D. Wyngarden got her on Thursday evening.

Several Senior C.E. members and their sponsors, Mrs. Al Hop and Mrs. Merton Wabeke attended the Golden Chain banquet at Allendale Town Hall last Thursday at 6:30 p.m. Mr. Ekdal Buys was the speaker, Don Brandt was song leader, and Vanden Berg brothers furnished the special music.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob T. De Witt and family were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Myard and children of Forest Grove.

The Sewing Guild met Thursday, Nov. 18 at 1:30 p.m. in the church basement with Mrs. Henry Wyngarden serving as hostess. Others present were the Mesdames Henry Wabeke, Carl Hoeve, Jacob T. De Witt, Carl Schermer, Henry Boss, Eugene Brower, Irving Hungerink, John De Jonge, Theodore Byland, Joe Brinks, Jacob Morren, Henry Kruidhof, Gerry Schermer, Will Vander Kolk and Peter De Witt.

Lunch was served by the hostess and Mrs. Carl Schermer. The next meeting will be held on Dec. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Zoeren of Zeeland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. J. Van Zoeren. Mr. and Mrs. Martin P. Wyngarden and family were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Streu, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Schipper of Holland.

## Ganges

(From Monday's Sentinel)

Mrs. Leona Warner of this place and Ralph Keeler of Overisel were united in marriage Monday, Nov. 22, at La Grange, Ind. They left immediately for Orlando, Fla., where they will spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherburn Stall have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lucille, to Donald Paul Crammer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Crammer of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Green were Thanksgiving Day hosts at a family dinner. Twenty-one members of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Starring were present for the occasion from Grand Rapids, Hopkins, Fennville and Glenn.

Dinner guests on Thanksgiving Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hoover were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Westveld and her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. George Glupkers of Holland. Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Madsen, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Madsen, Jr., and family of Chicago were entertained at dinner on Thanksgiving Day in the home of Misses Marian and Dorothy Stokes.

Mrs. Bernice Knox and Louis Knox were Thanksgiving Day guests of the latter's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Valkeir of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Phelps and sons, Michael and Eric, were Thanksgiving Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tenney of Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nye and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nye and family spent Thanksgiving in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flora of Kalamazoo. They were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. Merle Dresselhouse and two sons of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham and daughter Janet, were dinner guests at a family Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knowlton.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Allen spent Thanksgiving in Niles in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Miller were dinner guests in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller on Thanksgiving Day. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jacobson and sons of Olive Center and Mrs. Priscilla Wells.

Mrs. Orrin Ensfield, Sr. entertained at a family dinner on Thanksgiving Day. Guests were the families of her sons, Orrin and Edwin of this place and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ensfield of Plainwell; Miss Mary Ensfield and Miss Christine Findlay of Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nye and sons, Donald and Gerald, were dinner guests on Thanksgiving in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wyatt of Three Rivers.

Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Bronson and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott of Holland were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott of Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zovila were hosts at a family dinner on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zenke and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Zenke of Chicago were Thanksgiving Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hinkle, their grandparents. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jerroth of Grand Junction.

## Mrs. Henrietta Hop Weds William Bremer

Mr. and Mrs. William Bremer are at home at 124 West 19th St., following their marriage on Friday, Nov. 26, at the parsonage of Sixteenth Street Christian Reformed Church.

The Rev. J. Herbert Brink read the double ring ceremony. Attending the bride was her daughter, Mrs. Donald Knoll, and Marvin Bremer was attendant for his father.

A reception for the immediate family was held at Cumerford's Restaurant following the ceremony. The bride is the former Mrs. Henrietta Hop.

## Bos Family Gathers On Thanksgiving Day

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bos enjoyed a Thanksgiving Day supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Valkema and daughter, Cheryl Ann.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hertz and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Boes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hertz, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Loyer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bontekoe, Mr. and Mrs. Hyo Bos and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bos and family of Zeeland and Miss Ruth Bos and Jack Alders of Grand Rapids.

The occasion also marked the 30th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Hertz. They were presented a gift from the group.

## Driver Issued Ticket

James Miedema, 23, of 230 West Eighth St., was issued a ticket for failure to have his car under control after his car collided with a light pole on Eighth St. near Maple Ave. early Thursday morning. Damage to his '52 model car was estimated at \$200, police said.

## Fennville Youth Killed Instantly When Hit by Car

FENNVILLE (Special) — Max Hutchins, 7, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hutchins, route 3, Fennville, was instantly killed a few yards from his home Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. Max and his brother, Keith, 8, were returning home from a neighbor's James Gillan, where they had been watching television.

They were walking on old M-89, a blacktop road, when Max was struck by a car driven by John C. Gregersen, 66, also of route 3, Fennville, who was returning home from work at the Fennville Milling Co.

Gregersen told state police that a car with blinding lights obscured his vision of the boys. Gregersen was not held. State Police returned a verdict of "unavoidable accident."

It was raining at the time and the blacktop road and the children dressed in dark clothing all contributed to the accident.

In addition to the parents, Max is survived by four sisters and five brothers. They are Marilyn, James, Sally, Dale, JoAnn, Richard, David Keith and Connie, all at home, also his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hutchins and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bale, all of Fennville.

Max was a second grader at Pearl School.

## Luncheon, Shower Given For Miss Mary Van Raalte

Mrs. Peter Van Domelen, Jr., and her daughter, Miss Lucille Van Domelen, entertained at a luncheon and shower Friday afternoon at their home on South Shore Dr. Guest of honor was Miss Mary Van Raalte, who will be married to H. Stephen Covell, Jr., of Chicago, on Jan. 15 in Grace Episcopal Church.

Luncheon table decorations, in pink and white, featured arrangements of carnations, snapdragons and pompons with wedding bells. Tiny parasols decorated the place cards.

The guest list included Miss Molly Buttles, Miss Colombe Yeomans and the Mesdames Lewis Borgman, Jack Essenburg, James Klomparsen, Carl Van Raalte, Carl C. Van Raalte, J. H. Petter, Milton Hinga, Otto van der Velde, George Pelgrim, Peter N. Prins, John Vander Broek, Arthur Vischer, Kenneth Peirce, Phillips Brooks, J. Harvey Kleinhekel, Marvin Lindeman, C. J. McLean, Jay Den Herder, Ernest C. Brooks, Ed De Pree and Harmon Den Herder.

## Fathers Club Organized At Van Raalte School

A Van Raalte School Fathers Club was organized Friday evening at a meeting in the school's new gymnasium. Purpose of the club is to afford members an evening of sports activity each week and to provide for an evening of supervised activity for boys of the school.

Initial plans call for the fathers to meet each Thursday from 7 to 9:30 p.m. for volleyball and ping pong. The youngsters will meet each Tuesday except when PTA meetings are scheduled, for an evening of activities to be supervised by the fathers from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Officers of the newly formed club are James Crozier, president; Keith Conklin, vice president; Les Deridder, secretary-treasurer.

The first regular evening of activity is scheduled for Thursday evening, Dec. 2 at 7 p.m. in the school gym. Tennis shoes are required. All fathers of Van Raalte school pupils are urged to attend.

## Plans to Wed

Miss Sandra Lou Swaney and Mr. and Mrs. Russel Alger Swaney of Birmingham, summer residents of 1704 South Shore Dr., Holland, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Sandra Lou, to Courtney Alan Lecklider, son of Dr. and Mrs. Arlington F. Lecklider of Grosse Pointe.

Miss Swaney is a graduate of East Grand Rapids High School and attends Michigan State College where she is affiliated with Alpha Phi sorority. Mr. Lecklider is a senior at Michigan State College where he is a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity and Excalibur, senior men's honor society.

The couple are planning an evening wedding ceremony March 23 at Memorial Chapel on the campus at Michigan State College, East Lansing.

Calcium is the mineral element most likely to be lacking in the diet of most Americans.

## Engagement Told



Miss Sally Ann Copeland and Mr. and Mrs. George W. Copeland of 561 Lawndale Ct., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sally Ann, to Burke R. Field, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarke H. Field of Macatawa Park.

Miss Copeland was graduated from Holland High School and attends Northwestern University where she is affiliated with Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Mr. Field is a graduate of the Taft School in Watertown, Conn., and attended Lehigh University where he was affiliated with Psi Upsilon fraternity.

## Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Friday were Mrs. Goldie Wilcox, Coopersville; Mrs. Richard Badgero, 333 West 18th St.; Roland Swank, 237 West 11th St.; Earl Van Voorst, 286 East 14th St.; John and Marion Wheaton, 308 West 20th St.; Tom Scully, 59 West 17th St.; Vernon Poest, 103 Lawrence Ave.; Zealand; Harvin Zoerhoff, 611 Washington Ave.; Mrs. Ray Stam, 212 West 14th St.; Betty Ten Brook, route 1.

Discharged Friday were Robert Rossel, 344 Douglas Ave.; Mrs. Marvin Vanden Bosch and baby, 413 East 20th St.; Mrs. Elmer Zoet and baby, route 5; Mrs. Frank Piersma and baby, 281 Howard Ave.; Mrs. Howard Gooden and baby, 418 College Ave.; Mrs. Donald De Vries and baby, 270 Cambridge; Mrs. Raymond Ryzenka and baby, 111 East 40th St.; John F. Mulvoy, Warm Friend Tavern; Mrs. Henry Van Den Berg, 491 Lincoln Ave.; Earl Van Voorst, 286 East 14th St.; Marion and John Wheaton, 308 West 20th St.; Roland Swank, 237 West 11th St.

Admitted Saturday were Mrs. Henrietta Schrotenboer, 255 East Ninth St.; Mrs. Leonard Vriest, 306 Douglas; Calvin Brink, 205 East 15th St.

Discharged Saturday were Fred Stiles, 88 West 12th St.; Vernon Poest, 103 Lawrence St.; Zealand; Gerrit Van Otterloo, 419 Hazel Ave.; Mrs. Ray Coney and baby, 187 East 25th St.; Mrs. John Muskthel and baby, 579 Crescent Dr.; Mrs. Gerald De Fouw and baby, route 6; Mrs. Frank Piersma and baby, 281 Howard Ave.; Mrs. Kenneth Folkertsma, 621 East Lincoln, Zealand; Calvin Brink, 205 East 15th St.

Admitted Sunday were Mrs. John J. Batema, 319 West 18th St.; Mrs. James Lacey, 101 West 21st St.

Discharged Sunday were Michael Bagladi, 591 Elmdale Court; Mrs. Leonard Vriest, 306 Douglas Ave.; Mrs. Ruth Fischer, 807 South Shore Dr.; Mrs. Leona Norlin, 135 Walnut Ave.; Mrs. Gerben Walters, 266 West 23rd St.; Mrs. Edward Bruizeman, 508 West 22nd St.; Mrs. Homer Fry, route 4; Mrs. Dean King and baby, route 5; Mrs. Melvin Schaap and baby, route 3; Edwin R. Bos, 83 West 20th St.; Mary Grover, 473 West 20th St.; Frank Piesterer, route 1, Hamilton.

Hospital births include a daughter, Lori Ann, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sloothack, 279 West 30th St.; a son, Richard Lee, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rouwhorst, route 2; a daughter, Kathryn Luellen, born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. John La Barge, 264 Darthmouth.

## Katusic Funeral Rites Held in Chicago

Funeral services for Matthew Katusic, 58, who was fatally injured in a two-car crash Nov. 22 on old US-31 a mile south of Gibson store, were held from Klassen Funeral home in Chicago.

Conditions of the three young men in the other car were described as good Friday by Holland Hospital authorities. Injured were the driver, George A. Slater, route 4; Jerry Bronkhorst, 18, route 1; and Glenn Ter Meer, 16, Grand Rapids. Ter Meer received multiple fractures of both legs, Bronkhorst a fractured nose and right ankle, and Slater a fractured jaw, nose and right ankle. All were thrown from the car.

## Altar Guild Members Elect New Officers

Members of Altar Guild of Grace Episcopal Church elected officers at a meeting Friday evening at the church.

Mrs. Gerard Cook was named president for 1955, Mrs. Charles Woodall, secretary, and Mrs. Carl C. Van Raalte, treasurer. Mrs. Jo Antas is Women's Council representative.

Mrs. Lambert Van Dis, retiring president, conducted a business session in which final plans were made for serving the annual confirmation breakfast Sunday at 8:30 a.m. in the parish house.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Cook.

## Library Adventures

By Arnold Mulder

A new form of art has developed that has learned how to make time stand still. The classic example of the cessation of time for the duration of a battle associated with the exploits of Joshua of Old Testament fame would seem to be only an amateur performance. The new art thinks nothing of making time stand still for 20 years or 30 or perhaps 50, who knows?

The new art—that is, relatively new—is popularly known as the "soap opera." Some time ago before a Holland audience one Richard Morenus, whose home at present is in Fennville, described his experience with this new type of writing. "It's actually tricky writing," he confessed, "because the story can never end, or the show is over."

How horrible that must be for the scenario writer who keeps those "soap opera" sequences going from day to day, from month to month, even from decade to decade, the average "soap opera" addict can hardly begin to imagine.

Mr. Morenus finally got so fed up with the unreality of his job that to save his reason he was compelled to retire to the wilds of Canada for several years, where contact with raw reality ministered to his "mind diseased" and made it possible for him to forget the scores of millions of feminine addicts who have turned the "soap operas" into big business.

For in this type of writing the characters never grow a day older. In the familiar "boy meets girl" plot pattern, the two are always year after year on the edge of marching down the aisle to the altar. But obviously the scenario writer, if he does not wish to write himself out of a job, can never allow them actually to take the plunge.

## Anthony Kooker Plays Town Hall Debut Recital

Anthony Kooker, concert pianist who is a member of the Hope College music faculty, played a debut recital at Town Hall in New York City Friday evening. Almost 500 persons heard the concert, which received favorable comment in three New York newspapers, including the Times and Tribune, and two magazines.

A large audience of local friends and interested persons praised the young pianist earlier this month when he gave a "preview" of his Town Hall concert in Hope Memorial Chapel.

"The Times, in its review referred to Mr. Kooker's performance of his program as showing 'evidence of refined musical taste and interpretive insight, although these admirable qualities are somewhat hampered by the pianist's shortcomings as a technician.'"

The program included two first performances—"Sonata Brevis I" by Frederick Werle and four Preludes by John Lessor, the latter commissioned by Hope College for the performer. The Times critic, however, felt that neither composer, "unfortunately, had enough to say to hold listener interest." The critic added that both composers "write arid, diffuse music of the sort being turned out in copious quantities by today's composers."

The value of the works... as permanent additions to piano repertoire is doubtful."

Mr. Kooker, who has played many recitals for local audiences, makes a practice of including new works in most of his programs. A native of Hull, Iowa, he has studied at Northwestern University and Eastman School, continuing with Carl Friedberg in New York City and Georges Enesco in Paris. He was accompanist for Albert Spalding, famed violinist, from 1947 until the artist's retirement in 1950.

## Man Enters Guilty Plea To Unlawful Entry Count

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — John Belbot, 41, of 2370 Antwerp St., Grand Rapids, paid \$50 fine and \$5.50 costs in Municipal Court Wednesday afternoon on a charge of unlawful entry.

Belbot was arrested by officers of the sheriff's department Nov. 13 and originally charged with breaking and entering, in the night time, the home of Lloyd Knight in Georgetown Township.

Belbot, when arraigned previously, demanded examination on the latter charge, which was set for Dec. 13. Following further investigation, the charge was changed to unlawful entry, to which he pleaded guilty Wednesday afternoon.

## Hope JV Cagers Win

The Hope JV basketball team defeated Sears and Roebuck Co. of the Holland City League, 67-53, in the preliminary game to the Hope College-Central College game Saturday night at the Civic Center. The Hope five held a 35-23 halftime lead. Don Scheur and Willie Kaiser were high point men for Hope with 13 points each while Dale Hulst and Tim Beert-huis each had 16 for Sears.

## Driver Issued Ticket

Mrs. Elaine Gebben, 29, route 2, Zealand, was issued a ticket for failure to yield the right of way following an accident at 120th and Eighth Sts. Saturday afternoon. Damage to Mrs. Gebben's '50 model car was estimated at \$200 and to a '50 model car driven by Warren Maat, 30, route 3, at \$150, according to Ottawa County deputies.

Haakon has been the name of several kings of Norway.

There are characters whose dialog chatter millions of addicts listen to daily who have remained at the same age for 20 or 30 years. They were already grown young men and women when their first author introduced them. The original listeners have grown from the ages of 20 or 30 to 50 or 60. They have acquired daughters who have grown up with the characters, and perhaps even granddaughters have become listeners. But the characters have not grown older.

Meanwhile those characters have worn out a whole series of scenario writers like Richard Morenus. The authors of the dialog sequences keep it up as long as their human nature can stand it. Then, like Morenus, they retire to a desert region. Or perhaps some of them foam at the mouth and chew up the rug, in the manner of the late Herr Hitler.

There was something in an older day approaching this new type of writing. When today's old men were boys in the nineteenth century, there was, for instance, the Horatio Alger series. But even though it took that famous character some 40 volumes to grow older, he did actually grow up. Or at about the same time there were, for women, the Elsie Dinsmore books. Little Elsie finally became a grandmother, even though it took her creator some 50 volumes to get her there.

Moreover, in series of that nature the author finally wore out and, mercifully for his readers, died. And his characters died with him. Not so the authors of the "soap opera" sequences. When one of them begins to foam at the mouth another picks up the job where his predecessor drops it. Even out great-grandchildren will not see the end of some of the characters.

## Bishop McNeil Confirms Group at Grace Church

The Rt. Rev. Dudley Barry McNeil, D. D., bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western Michigan, administered the apostolic rite of confirmation at Grace Church Sunday to the following:

Mrs. Anita Hillman

## HOLLAND CITY NEWS

## Sunday School Lesson

December 5, 1954

A Prayer for Forgiveness

Psalm 130:1-6; 86:3-5, 11-13

By Henry Geertlings

This psalm belongs to a group known as songs of degrees. What the degrees were is not definitely known. Many have thought that the term refers to the ascent of worshippers from the lowlands to the heights where the temple crowned the mountain called Moriah in the city of Jerusalem. Others believe these songs were chanted by the temple choir ascending from the lowly court of Jewish women up the fifteen steps that led to the court of Israel.

This particular song pictures the ascent of a man from the depths of sin to the heights of forgiveness and redemption. It was perhaps used first by some individual who penned his own experience. But so completely did it reflect the attitude of many others who had suffered the same woes and had won final security that it was ultimately used as a national hymn. The date of the psalm and the name of the author are unknown.

This psalm might well express the feeling of the whole nation of Judah in the time of Babylonian captivity. Their temple and their holy city were destroyed. Their homeland was laid waste. They were given in bondage to a foreign land. They must have felt that they truly had been brought down to the depths of degradation and misery. But the psalm is equally appropriate as the cry of an individual brought into captivity and bondage of sin.

It is notable that the psalmist does not deny or excuse the sin that lies back of the misery. The degradation of the sinner is a plain case of reaping what has been sown. If repetition of thought was used by the Hebrews to denote emphasis, no one will question the earnestness of this prayer. The writer seems at first to wonder whether the Lord will even listen to his appeal. Certainly he is crying out of the depths.

There are in the Bible certain plain statements to the effect that God does not always hear. He refused to hearken to the prayer of Balaam. He spoke thus of the people of Judah. Isaiah urged men to call upon the Lord while He was near and to seek Him when He could be found, implying that there would be times when His ear would not be open to the petitions of sinners.

The phrase "mark iniquities" means to take notice of them with a critical eye, to treasure them in memory against the day of wrath. This God does not wish to do. Mercy characterizes all His dealings with humanity. When He gave the promise of a new covenant He said that He will forgive their iniquity and remember their sin no more.

Even David, after his great sin could sing, with a broken and contrite heart. The place from which this prayer is offered indicates the need of forgiveness. The psalmist cries out of the depths. Perhaps it is a figurative expression but it also knows that every sinner is down in the depths. He may not have sinned by committing the most revolting acts of sin, but because of the fact that he is a sinner he is far away from God.

We may even think of the depths of despair in which an unsaved individual sometimes finds himself when he has become convicted of the fact that he is a sinner. But no distance is too far and no depths are too great for the Lord to overcome. We encourage every sinner to call on the Lord for salvation. Forgiveness must be sought of the Lord because it is He against whom we have sinned. Many sins are also committed against our fellow men, but essentially every sin is an offense against God. Besides, the chief sin is that of unbelief which is not directed against any man but God only. So we need to come to God and ask Him to forgive us. We have the assurance that there is forgiveness with Him.

Conversion is one of the proofs that we have obtained forgiveness. There comes a realization that the wrath of God has been turned away from us, and we ourselves have been turned Godward. Conversion literally means a turning around, and when we know our sins to be forgiven we also know that we have been turned to God.

Perhaps the best evidence of forgiveness is the deliverance with which we have been delivered. Men cannot see into our hearts but they can see what a change has taken place in our lives. The things that bound us to the world and the sinful practices have been severed.

**Frank Harmsens Feted On 40th Anniversary**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harmsen, 177 East Fifth St., was the scene of a surprise party Tuesday evening. The occasion was the couple's wedding anniversary. A beautiful arrangement of fall mums, given to Mrs. Harmsen by her husband, decorated the home. Games were played and prizes won by Mary Payne, Alan Ver Schure and Mrs. Andrew Ver Schure.

The honored couple was presented a group gift from the following: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne and Mary, Miss Theima Harmsen, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Serier, Mr. and Mrs. Jay De Jongh and twin daughters, Linda and Lois, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ver Schure and Joyce and Alan, Peter Ver Schure, Miss Betty Ver Schure, Miss Mae Ver Schure, Miss Mary Van Huizen; also Mr. and Mrs. William Vining, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. William Vining, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Start, all of Grand Haven.

The Thanksgiving Day offering amounted to \$1,345.

Penguins are not found north of the equator in a wild state.

King Charles II once knighted a cut of beef (sirloin).

of their recent motor trip throughout the Eastern States. Mr. and Mrs. C. Belmont and family of Holland visited the Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Aalberts and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steffens of Grandville were recent Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Claus Zwijngaard.

Pfc. Donald Vander Laan came home from Camp Meade, Md., recently to spend a three weeks furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vander Laan.

Mrs. Barney Dykhouse and six months old daughter, Betty Mae were guests of honor at a surprise dinner and baby shower given by Mesdames Bill De Haan, Jerry De Haan and Ben Dykhouse at their home an afternoon recently. The time was spent visiting and Mrs. Dykhouse showed slides of Alaska. Lunch was served. Others present were Mesdames Henry Vander Brink and Jackie of Hudsonville; Lewis Berndt; John Vander Wal and Delores; Nelson Stegeman and children; Henry Vander Wal and Cornelius Meeuwse, Ellen and Darl.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grooters and A. J. Grooters spent a weekend recently in Gary, Ind. with Mr. and Mrs. H. Ver Stee.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Van Harn and Willard Lee to Zealand, Roger Poskey of Wyoming Park and Mr. and Mrs. John Poskey spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vrugink and children.

The Rev. and Mrs. Herman Masen of Chatham, Ontario, Canada were over night guests last week Wednesday at the parsonage with the Rev. and Mrs. Gradus Aalberts and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ritzema of Grand Rapids were recent Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Vrugink.

Arthur Petroelje stationed with the U.S. Coast Guard at Toledo, Ohio, returned there Monday morning after spending a three weeks leave here with Mrs. Petroelje.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Meeuwse and family had as their Thanksgiving Day guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mersman of Muskegon and Mr. and Mrs. H. Vander Molen of North Blendon.

Harold Steffens of Houghton, Mich. spent the Thanksgiving vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Steffens.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Roelofs and son of Beechwood, Holland were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kunz.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brink and family were entertained Thanksgiving Day at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Elzinga, Mr. and Mrs. Roy LaHuis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cheyne and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elzinga attended the funeral service for their brother and uncle, Casper LaHuis last Saturday afternoon at the Hildreth Funeral Home in Grandville. The Rev. G. A. Aalberts officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brink and family of Zealand and Dick Houtman of Grand Rapids had Thanksgiving Dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Wakebe and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wakebe and children were entertained Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wakebe and children at Hudsonville.

The Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Aalberts and girls and Mrs. Fannie Belmont were guests Thanksgiving Day of Mr. and Mrs. C. Belmont at Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Talsma and children from near Hudsonville were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vrugink and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Stegeman entertained the following guests at their home for Thanksgiving supper: Mrs. George Zuverink and Jackie of Zealand, Mrs. Clarence De Young of Camp Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Veltma and girls of North Blendon, Jacob Vrugink and Tommy of Jenison and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stegeman and children of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Vrugink had as their guests Thanksgiving Day for supper; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vrugink and children of North Blendon, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Redder and boys of Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Redder and children of Jenison, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vrugink and girls and George Sysma and girls.

Mrs. Christine Wakebe, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shoemaker and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Elzinga and girls spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Len DeWitt and family at Drenthe.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Vander Wal and Lester had Thanksgiving Day dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vander Wal and Carol.

Misses Janet and Ellen Van Allsburg of Grand Rapids visited their uncles, Gerrit and John De Cook Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Meyeraud of Hudsonville spent Sunday evening with the family of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Meyeraud.

Don Jacobusse speaks at a meeting of Lakeview School Teachers Association Tuesday evening at the school was Don Jacobusse, Holland's Community Ambassador last summer.

Jacobusse, illustrating with colored slides, described his experiences in Spain and on vacation "jaunts" to other countries.

During a brief business session conducted by Don Williams, president, a progress report was presented by the school forest committee.

A social hour followed.

## STATEMENT of VOTES

Statement of Votes cast in the county of Ottawa, State of Michigan, at the General Election held in said county on Tuesday, the 2nd day of November, 1954 for the following County Offices: Representative in the State Legislature, Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Two Circuit Court Commissioners, Drain Commissioner, two Coroners and a County Surveyor.

The whole number of votes given for the office of REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE LEGISLATURE, was thirty thousand nine hundred and forty-two, and they were given for the following named persons:

George Van Fursem received twenty thousand three hundred and one, 20,301  
Marguerite M. Cleveland received ten thousand six hundred and thirty-nine, 10,639  
TOTAL 30,940

The whole number of votes given for the office of PROSECUTING ATTORNEY was thirty thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, and they were given for the following named persons:

James W. Bussard received twenty thousand four hundred and seventy-nine, 20,479  
Gerald Vanderveck received ten thousand three hundred and sixty-nine, 10,369  
TOTAL 30,848

The whole number of votes given for the office of SHERIFF was thirty-one thousand one hundred and fifty-three, and they were given for the following named persons:

Gerald Vanderveck received twenty thousand five hundred and fifty-four, 20,554  
Frank Cherwell received ten thousand two hundred and one, 10,201  
TOTAL 30,755

The whole number of votes given for the office of COUNTY CLERK was thirty-one thousand and fifty-three, and they were given for the following named persons:

Anna Van Horsen received twenty thousand eight hundred and forty-two, 20,842  
Alice C. Powell received ten thousand two hundred and eleven, 10,211  
TOTAL 31,053

The whole number of votes given for the office of COUNTY TREASURER was thirty thousand nine hundred and ninety-one, and they were given for the following named persons:

Fred Den Herder received twenty thousand seven hundred and twelve, 20,712  
Stanley Dahnning received ten thousand two hundred and seventy-nine, 10,279  
TOTAL 30,991

The whole number of votes given for the office of REGISTER OF DEEDS was thirty thousand nine hundred and fifty-five, and they were given for the following named persons:

Robert J. Kammeraad received twenty thousand nine hundred and one, 20,901  
Andrew Scott, Jr. received ten thousand and fifty-five, 10,055  
TOTAL 30,956

The whole number of votes given for the office of CIRCUIT COURT COMMISSIONER was two hundred and seventy, and they were given for the following named persons: Total number of candidates was sixty, receiving a total of two hundred and seventy votes.

Fifty-four candidates received ninety-two or more votes, receiving a total of 267 votes.

Edward Kirby received seventy-three, 73  
Kirby received thirty-seven, 37  
Fred T. Miles received twenty-seven, 27  
Randall Dehmer received sixteen, 16  
Howard Pant received twelve, 12  
Jacob Penstein received twelve, 12  
TOTAL 270

The whole number of votes given for the office of DRAIN COMMISSIONER was thirty thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and they were given for the following named persons:

Joseph Kammeraad received twenty thousand nine hundred and sixty-six, 20,966  
Albert Van Der Wal received twenty thousand seven hundred and one, 20,701  
Gerald B. Dennison received ten thousand and nine, 10,009  
TOTAL 30,676

The whole number of votes given for the office of CORONERS was fifty-one thousand six hundred and seventy-five, and they were given for the following named persons:

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Albert Van Der Wal received twenty thousand seven hundred and one, 20,701  
Gerald B. Dennison received ten thousand and nine, 10,009  
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The whole number of votes given for the office of COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINER, as adopted by this County, was twenty-three thousand seven hundred and fifty-three, 23,753 of which number fourteen thousand two hundred and eighty-five, 14,285 votes were marked YES.

Four thousand four hundred and sixty-eight, 4,468 votes were marked NO.

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## Driver Given Probation in Negligence Case

Judge Admonishes Youth for Extensive List of Violations

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Charles Westra, 19, of 434 Lafayette, Grand Rapids, who was found guilty by Circuit Court jury Nov. 4 of negligent homicide, was placed on probation Friday afternoon for two years.

Conditions of the probation are that he pay \$100 costs, \$5 a month oversight fees and \$520, representing the balance due on a funeral bill and other expenses resulting from the death of Mrs. Phyllis Fish, an 18-year-old expectant mother, at the rate of \$10 a week.

The accident which claimed the life of Mrs. Fish occurred at 1 a.m. May 20 on US-50 in Tallmadge township where Westra's car went out of control on a curve and skidded for a tenth of a mile before crashing into two trees. The 1931 car was a total wreck. Others in the car besides Westra and Mrs. Fish were Angelo Palazzo and Wanda Barretta, 17, both of Grand Rapids.

Westra, who planned to be married today, told the court he is taking a job with the Pennsylvania Railroad. In pronouncing disposition, Judge Raymond L. Smith noted that "you have a long traffic record which finally culminated in the death of another person because of your negligence."

Judge Smith ruled that Westra's operator's license will be suspended for the period of his probation. Westra also must refrain from using intoxicants and must stay out of places where it is sold for consumption on the premises, and cannot leave the state without permission.

Esther Fish, husband of the victim, was a witness at the trial Nov. 4. He was stationed at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

An insurance policy carried by Westra took care of part of the expenses incurred in the fatal crash.

In another negligent homicide case, Gerald Bernard Lundeen, 17, of 612 Ave. Road, Muskegon, waived the reading of the information and stood mute. Trial will be held during the January term.

Lundeen was the driver of a car which crashed head-on with one driven by Albert Yonkers, 24, Grand Rapids, last Aug. 22 on M-50 about 2 1/2 miles west of Allendale, resulting in the deaths of Yonkers and Susan H. Little, 21, of Vicksburg, Lundeen, whose injuries at first appeared to be superficial, later collapsed and underwent emergency surgery for a ruptured spleen and punctured lung.

Orlo B. Walden, 21, Twin Lake, who pleaded guilty Nov. 3 to a charge of grand larceny previously standing mute, was placed on probation for two years. Conditions are that he pay \$5 costs, \$5 a month oversight fees and refrain from using intoxicants. On June 23, Walden allegedly took a 16 horsepower outboard motor belonging to 15-year-old Wesley Warner of Ferysburg.

## Marriage Licenses

Nelson Gebben, 23, route 1, Zeeland, and Bernadene Vander Wal, 20, route 1, Jenison.

Hag was a word common during the 16th and 17th centuries for a female demon or evil spirit and was applied to happies and fairies of classical mythology and also to witches.

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THE OTTAWA COUNTY RED CROSS chapter has a scappy new station wagon to run around in these days, courtesy of R. E. Barber, Inc. The station wagon is used mainly for Gray Lady trips to Fort Custer. In foreground Clarence Klacosa (center), chapter chairman, accepts the keys from R. E. Barber while William De Long, treasurer, looks on at left. In the background are Mrs. Katherine Van Duren, executive secretary, and three Gray Ladies. Mrs. Harvin Zoerhoff, Mrs. Floyd Keichum and Mrs. John Westbroek. Mrs. Keichum is Gray Lady chairman.

(Penna-Sas photo)

## Padnos Develops Parking Section

Another portion of the old city dump swamp area is being put to industrial use as the Louis Padnos Iron and Metal Co. reclaim another section adjacent to their location between North River and Pine Aves. The filling operation was started last summer shortly after the purchase of the land, and it will be developed as a parking area for trucks and trailers.

The purchase and development of this land is a step in a plan to maintain proper facilities to serve Holland area's increasing industrial scrap disposal needs.

"One of the chief problems," says Stuart Padnos, "of a new industry desiring to settle in an area like Holland is to economically and promptly dispose of the scrap materials that result from the production processes. So delicate is the profit and loss pattern that often these facilities may spell success or failure."

"Our value to them will be increased as this land is put to use," he said, "since it will allow more productive use of the main yard and an increasingly efficient operation. Already our new baling machine, seen at the west end of the yard, enables us to accept thin metal scrap that otherwise could not be marketed except at a loss to the manufacturer, considering freight and unloading and loading costs. Our new loading dock within the yard expedites this part of the process. In the plant itself we are constantly striving for a more efficient operation."

"Our landscaping program," explains Padnos, "will extend to the new area, with white posts set back some 20 feet to allow for a planting of grass and suitable shrubs. Thus we shall eventually present a wall of greenery to Pine Ave., backed by the clean-cut lines of the building housing the baler. And this is as important part of our program as any production improvements, as it should be."



On Thursday evening, Nov. 18, the "Falaki-Cantewaste" Camp Fire group held an outdoor council fire in the back yard at Karen the candles were lighted by Betsy Becker, health; Mary Alis Van Kampen, friendship; Calie Zuverin, peace and freedom. Each girl participated by placing a gift of food around the fire. These were to be presented to a needy family for Thanksgiving. The leader, Mrs. Clarence Becker, gave a short talk expressing her thanks for the opportunity of knowing these girls, for the help and cooperation their parents have given, and for the Camp Fire program itself. Its high ideals for better womanhood. Beads earned were given to the girls. More candles of thankfulness were extinguished by the following girls: Candy Barber, homes; Connie Speet, education; Karen Daniels, homes. "We Gather Together" was sung as well as the closing song, "Now the Camp Fire Faded." Following the Council fire Karen Daniels, the hostess, treated with marshmallows which the girls roasted in the fire. Mrs. R. E. Barber, as-

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sistant leader, also was present. The "Hi-wa-up!" Camp Fire group of Longfellow School met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Rene Willis. Ann Van Eenennaam presided. They drew a map of the trip they took the week before as an Outdoor Craft honor. They also played a game to learn their Camp Fire symbols. The "Tawasi" Camp Fire Girls of St. Francis School met Tuesday afternoon. After playing a game using their Indian names, they worked on their memory books. Jacquelyn Raffenaud served the treat.

The "Cheska-may" Camp Fire Girls of St. Francis de Sales school met with their leader, Mrs. Fabiano. They answered roll call in their Indian names. They finished rag dolls they had worked on the past meetings and made plans for the next meeting.

The "We-to-chick" Camp Fire group met at the home of Janet Conrad. They chose Indian names. The following officers were elected: President, Janet Conrad; vice president, Judy Phillips; treasurer, JoAnn Shashagay; secretary, Marthana Bosch. They discussed Christmas presents and were treated by Janet with lemonade and cookies. Carlene De Witt is their leader.

The "Cheska-may" Camp Fire group met at the home of Julie Bos. They discussed Christmas gifts they are going to make for their mothers. The following officers were elected: President, Cheryl Sawle; vice president, Sarah Scott; secretary and scribe, Julie Bos; treasurer, Gretchen Steffens. Carlene De Witt is also leader of this group.

The "Lshemping" Camp Fire group drew names for their Christmas party and they discussed the Camp Fire Newsletter. They also reserved their block for carolling.

The "Oki-ci-ya-pi" Camp Fire Girls met with their leader, Mrs. Joe Jonker. Linda Davis brought her birthday records. The girls worked on their memory books and discussed a Christmas party. Barbara Karsten treated.

The "Ha-lu-na-wee" Camp Fire group met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Andrew Dalman. The meeting was opened with the singing of the Camp Fire law led by the president, Jane Dalman. The girls started making Christmas gifts and Christmas enclosure tags. A treat was served by Joanne Breuker and Jackie Horn. Mrs. Young, Mrs. Diekema, Mrs. Barveld and Junia Dalman helped the girls.

The "Oki-yan-pi-kata" Camp Fire Girls met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Eggers. They worked on maps of the hike they took last week. Nancy Van Slooten treated.

The "Ne-to-pew" Camp Fire Girls met at Sandra Kolenbrander's home with their leader, Miss Mary McLean. The following girls were elected: President, Barbara Conrad; vice president, Sydney Sawle; secretary, Judy Jordan; treasurer, Peggy Bosman; cleanup, Joyce Working and scribe, Sandra Kolenbrander.

A new group was formed at Pine Creek. The girls chose a name for their group, "Luta-O-Ki-Hi," meaning able to accomplish. They elected officers and also decided to change officers every fifth meeting. The girls have discussed a beach party and hamburger try to earn their beads. A party was held at Ottawa beach; the girls hiked up the sand dunes and cooked out. A fudge sale was held. The girls made Thanksgiving favors for the Reasthew Home. Members of this group are Judy Ter Vree, Ruth Eding, Claudia Johnson, Barbara Rozeboom, Shirley Danneberg, Helen Eding, Lois Jean Van Eyk, Christine Smit, Lona Olsen, Donna Van Oort. Their leader is Mrs. Henry Smit.

The "Tanda" Camp Fire group and their leaders, Mrs. Schutt and Mrs. Hopkins of Van Raalte School went on a hike to Kollen Park to study nature lore. They took their lunches and played on the playground. The treat was given by Carol Goodyke.

The "Tekawitha" Camp Fire Girls of St. Francis de Sales School met with their leader, Mrs. William Miller. Mrs. Fabiano helped some of the girls finish their mossains and Mrs. Mil-

ler helped six girls make bath slippers out of wash cloths. The meeting was opened in prayer. Roll call was taken and answered in "cars."

The Pretty Blue Birds of Van Raalte School met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Russell Rutgers. Jr. They made Thanksgiving turkeys from pine cones and pipe cleaners. They sang Thanksgiving songs while they worked. The girls also brought money for the Nativity Scene Fund which they earned by helping at home. Judy Pauwe treated the group with candy cookies.

The "Perky Singing" Blue Birds met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Haynes. Three of the girls acted out a play for the group. Mrs. Haynes read a story and Janice Haynes treated.

The Fairy The Fairy Blue Birds of St. Francis de Sales school met with their leader, Mrs. Norman Gibson. They started to make ashtrays in the shape of leaves. They plan on finishing them at the next meeting. The group went on a hay ride to the Mulder Farm in Zeeland.

The Dancing Daisies of Longfellow school held their meeting at the home of their leader, Mrs. J. H. Van Dyke. They made Christmas gifts for their mothers and drew names for their Christmas party which is to be held next month.

The Merry Blue Birds of Maplewood School and their leaders, Mrs. Naber and Mrs. De Haan went on a penny hike. After the hike they played in the leaves and enjoyed a treat of cookies and gum.

The Busy Blue Birds met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Fred Kobes and worked on scrap books. They also went to a wiener roast at Camp Chippewa. Melva Dams and Beverly Hill treated the girls. Mrs. Robert Rose is their assistant leader.

The Waverly Early Birds visited the Holland Public Library to celebrate National Book Week. They have started practicing carols and are planning Christmas gifts for their mothers. Members are Ruth Prins, Sharon Dekker, Beverly Shumaker, Marlene Buchanan, Angie Rietveld, Janie Buchanan, Mary Ann Plaggemars and Sandra Slagh. Mrs. Austin Buchanan is their leader.

The Playful Pixie met at the home of their leader, Mrs. John Sprick. Two girls were absent. Plans were made for a Thanksgiving potluck, Christmas Tea with mothers as guests and for making Christmas gifts. The remainder of the time was spent in listening to records. Nancy Nicholson treated on pop and cookies.

The Ten Little Blue Birds of Longfellow school met with their leaders, Mrs. Taber and Mrs. Van Alsburg. Roll call was taken and Shirley Johnson treated with homemade cup cakes. The girls played games and made turkeys and colored them.

The Jolly Blue Birds made peanut birds out of paper and peanuts. They played games and sang songs. Judith Fisher and Mary Donnelly treated the group. The Indian Blue Birds helped Marilyn Swank and Susan Bosman celebrated their birthdays. The party was at Susan Bosman's home. Many games were played. All the prizes were Blue Bird gifts. Each girl was given a Blue Bird sewing kit as a favor. Ice cream, cake and lemonade were served.

## Building Permits Issued to Three

Three applications for building permits totaling \$710 were filed last week with Assistant City Engineer Laverne Serne who is serving as building inspector. Applications follow:

Howard Veneklasen, 110 East 11th St., extend bathroom four feet, \$160; Hessler, contractor. Peter Ver Schure, 55 East 21st St., rebuild garage, 14 by 20 feet, \$500; self, contractor. Henry Vander Hill, 265 West 11th St., reroof, \$150; George Mooi Roofing Co., contractor.

## Zeeland

Mrs. Jack Hoffman, the former Joan De Pree, recently received her discharge from the Air Force in Texas. Her husband, who was serving in the Army, received his discharge two weeks earlier. She was married while serving in the Air Force. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester De Pree and visited her parents recently.

The Bible Club of Zeeland High School was addressed by Rev. Jack Van Dyken on "Running the Race" at a recent meeting. Second Reformed Church Fellowship Hall was the scene of the annual Ladies Aid meeting Tuesday evening, Nov. 23.

Mrs. G. J. Van Hoven, president, conducted the business meeting which featured annual reports by committee chairmen and the treasurer, Mrs. Jack Boonstra. Mrs. Henry Geerlings was chosen president; Mrs. Donald Vorhorst, first vice president and Mrs. D. De Bruyn, second vice-president. Hold over officers are Mrs. Earl Ver Hage, secretary and Mrs. Jack Boonstra, treasurer. Present officers and committees will serve until January.

Announcement was made that the next meeting on Dec. 9 will be the annual Christmas meeting and will be in charge of Group 3. There will be exchange of gifts and a Christmas program.

A Thanksgiving program was presented by Group 2 with Mrs. Willard De Jonge in charge. Mrs. John Kleinhessel conducted devotions and read the first Thanksgiving proclamation by George Washington in 1789. The day was not nationally observed for about 200 years, after that although some states were requested by their governors to observe the day. Mrs. Jack Boonstra presented an article "Now Thank We All Our God." Marlene Hartgerink sang a solo "Thanks Be to God," accompanied by Connie Miller.

New members of the Z-club of Zeeland High School, who were initiated last week include: Glen Bolman, Tom Bos, Clark De Jonge, Ken De Jonge, Jim Kaat, Keith Nienhuis, Jack Sneller, Tony Taber, Mike Vanden Heuvel, Jack Van Eden, Jim Ver Plank, Carl Wissink, and John Wolterink.

Junior Chix Hi-Lite is the new newspaper published by the English classes of Junior High public schools. Hope de Jonge has been chosen editor. Assisting her are Linda De Bruyn, assistant editor; Duane Timmer, assistant editor; Tom Plewes, page 1; John Bloemendaal, page 2; Keith Post, page 3; and Dave Van Peursen, page 4. Miss Hager of the faculty is sponsor of the project.

The First Baptist Church of Zeeland is making preparations to celebrate its 50th anniversary during the week of December 5 to 12. The event will be observed with a week-long program of special services each evening.

The last meeting of the Zeeland Garden Club was held at the home of Mrs. Jacob Zuidewind. Mrs. Hein Derks served as co-hostess. Mrs. Bernard Veneklasen presented the lesson on "Christmas Corsages." The club acknowledged with thanks the planting of chrysanthemums at the Garden Club picnic spot, on M-21 by Mrs. John Molter and Mrs. Thomas Kraal.

Zeeland Literary Club will meet on Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. in Second Reformed Church. Members are asked to note change of place and time. Guests are welcome.

The program will feature a Christmas Musical. Mrs. Philip Haan, club member, will be reader. Roger Rietberg will preside at the organ. The Hope College Girls' Glee Club, directed by Anthony Kooiker, will furnish selections.

The change of place was requested because of excellent organ facilities and because a larger number of people can be accommodated in the church auditorium. The selections presented will be of a religious nature.

## Voice Contest Winners Named

Winners were named today in the Voice of Democracy contest, a nation-wide competition sponsored annually by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The two winners from Christian High School are Miriam Boven, a senior, and Bruce Keuning, a junior. Holland High winners are Keith Van Hoff, a sophomore, and Paul Scott, a senior.

The four winners will give talks at a Hope College function Dec. 1 under the auspices of the speech department, temporarily headed by Helen Harton. A winner will be selected and his or her speech will be taped for local presentation over radio station WHTC. They also will receive plaques from the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Although the contest has been carried on several years, this is the first year that Holland is participating.

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## Noted Graduate Of Hope College Dies Unexpectedly

Professor Arthur C. Cloetingh, head of the drama department of Penn State University for 34 years, died unexpectedly Friday afternoon at his home, 717 Foster Ave., State College, Pa. Death followed a heart attack.

Prof. Cloetingh was well-known in Holland. He was graduated in 1916 from Hope College, where he distinguished himself while a senior as pageant-master and director of the "Pageant of Hope," which celebrated the 50th anniversary of the founding of Hope College.

In 1923, he married the late Evelyn Keppel, daughter of Mrs. A. C. Keppel of Holland. Prof. Cloetingh established the department of dramatics at Penn State, which was one of the first colleges in the U.S. to have such a department. He has been a foremost authority on the theater in this country and was internationally recognized as an authority on Hendrik Ibsen. In 1951, he was appointed by the Rockefeller Foundation to visit Norway, Great Britain, Ireland, Holland, Belgium, France and Spain on a six-month study tour of the theater in Europe.

He has been president of several national drama societies and was a pioneer in developing the now famous theater-in-the-round. For several years he represented the state of Pennsylvania in UNESCO. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church and served for many years as an elder on the church board.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Arthur Keppel Cloetingh, who was graduated from Hope in 1950; a daughter, Mrs. William (Jean) Smith of Mount Prospect, Ill.; two grandchildren; two brothers and a sister in Muskegon and a brother in South Bend.

## Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Wednesday were Dr. Richard De Loof, 176 West 17th St.; Mary Grover, 473 West 20th St.

Discharged Wednesday were Mrs. Henry Holstege and baby, 137 West 21st St.; Mrs. John Van Til and baby, route 2; Mrs. Hazel Hayes, 53 West 11th St.; Edward Terpsma, route 3; Bruce Boerman, 257 West 24th St.; Jean Baker, route 4; Robert Harrington, 947 Columbia Ave.; Elwood Brush, 172 East Fourth St.; David Taylor, 94 East 14th St.; Daniel D. Raggl, route 1, West Olive.

Admitted Thursday were Mrs. George Zonnebelt, 359 Central Ave.; Mrs. Marvin Klomparsen, 99 West Ninth St.

Discharged Thursday were Mrs. Elmer Van Dyke, 377 Felch St.; Mrs. Donald Williams and baby, 599 Pleasant Ave.; Mrs. Cornelius De Koster, 182 Elwill Court; Mrs. Carl Bunce and baby, 172 West 21st St.; Julius Karsten, 574 Lakewood Blvd.; Gerrit Alderink, 60 East 12th St.

Hospital births include a daughter, Debra Ann, born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald De Fouw, route 6; a son, Randy Dean, born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Dean Oliver King, route 3; a daughter, Jody Joy, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Van Ry, 843 West 26th St.; a daughter, Sandra Kay, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Beelen, 136 East 19th St.; a son, Mark Allen, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kail, 271 West 19th St.; a daughter, Deborah Ann, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hekman, 129 East 22nd St.; a daughter, Linda Jean, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Paul De Gold, 450 West 21st St.; a daughter, Diane Beth, born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Schaap, route 3.

**Mrs. Mathilda Ford Succumbs at Hospital**  
Mrs. Mathilda Ford, 82, of 65 West Eighth St., died at 11:10 p.m. Saturday at Holland Hospital. Mrs. Ford, who was ill for three years, had been in the hospital for two weeks. She previously had stayed at convalescent homes. Born Sept. 30, 1872, in Holland, she was a daughter of the late Captain and Mrs. Bastian Van Ry. She was a member of First Reformed Church and the Ladies Adult Bible Class.

Surviving are a daughter, Florence, of Holland; a sister, Mrs. A. McGee of Chicago, and several nieces and nephews.



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Miss Cynthia Peirce

H. Marshall Peirce, Jr., of Castle Park, announces the engagement of his daughter, Cynthia, to John Fulenwider, son of Louis Fulenwider of Albany, N.Y. Miss Peirce is a senior at Northwestern University. Mr. Fulenwider is a graduate of Northwestern Technological Institute and is in business in Chicago. The wedding will take place in June.

## Children at Van Raalte School Give Program

The first assembly in the new gymnasium at Van Raalte School was held Wednesday afternoon. All children in the fourth grades taught by Mrs. Joy Sicaud and Miss Gertrude Zonnebelt participated. Miss Betty Watson, Spanish teacher, assisted.

The following program was given: Psalm 100 by Donna Ende; Flag Salute and America in Spanish by Mrs. Sicaud's room; poem, "Grateful," by Mary Rich; song, "Thanksgiving at Grandma's," by Mrs. Sicaud's room; poem, "Pilgrim Fathers," Michael Eady; choral reading, "They Found a Home," by Mrs. Sicaud's room; play, "Thanksgiving Dilemma," by Miss Zonnebelt's room; song, "Come Ye Thankful People, Come," entire assembly.

Several mothers of the fourth grade children also attended the program. Peter Morse announced the program.

The Gunpowder Plot is the name given to a conspiracy for blowing up King James I and the British parliament on Nov. 5, 1605.

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## Cynthia Schaap Wed to Dale Edgerle



Mr. and Mrs. Dale H. Edgerle

Before an arrangement of palms, ferns, candelabra and baskets of large white chrysanthemums, and pews marked with lighted candles, Miss Cynthia Joy Schaap of Holland became the bride of Dale H. Edgerle of Grand Rapids. The double ring wedding was performed by the Rev. Henry Van Dyke in Fourth Reformed Church Friday, Nov. 26, at 8 p.m.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Schaap of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. DeFoe Edgerle of Grand Rapids.

Escorted by her father, the bride wore a princess line gown of Florentine lace, fashioned with a curved yoke of self scalloped lace frosted with lace paillettes and accented by sequins and pearls. The long sleeves were tapered to the wrists and the full skirt, paneled at the side seams with lace scallops, swept into a circular train. A matching lace plateau cap, designed by the bride, was framed with tulle and studded with sequins and pearls, and held her fingertip veil of silk illusion. She carried a white Bible with a white orchid showered with feathered carnations. Her single strand of pearls was borrowed from her maternal grandmother.

Miss Sandra Schaap, who attended her sister as maid of honor, wore a gown of Riviera red iridescent taffeta, with a snap in fichu, draped bodice and full circular skirt with princess panel front and back bow interest. She carried a cascade bouquet of cavalier roses centered with a lighted candle. She wore a matching headband of taffeta.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Donald Edgerle, sister-in-law of the groom and Miss Bonnie Bliss, the bride's college roommate, both of Grand Rapids. Their gowns of gold and neptune green respectively, were like the honor attendants'. They carried cascade bouquets of yellow and bronze with lighted candles.

Little Susan Schaap, cousin of the bride, as flower girl and Sandy and Debby Edgerle, twin nieces of the groom, as ring bearers, were dressed in petal, pink and Nile green floor-length gowns of tulle over taffeta. They wore matching poke bonnets with ruching and sequin trim, tied with satin ribbons.

Serving his brother as best man was Donald Edgerle of Grand Rapids. Guests were seated by Jack Sears and Vern Hawes\* of Saginaw, fraternity brothers of the groom. Head usher was Vern Wolf of Mount Pleasant. Louis Schaap, cousin of the bride, acted as page.

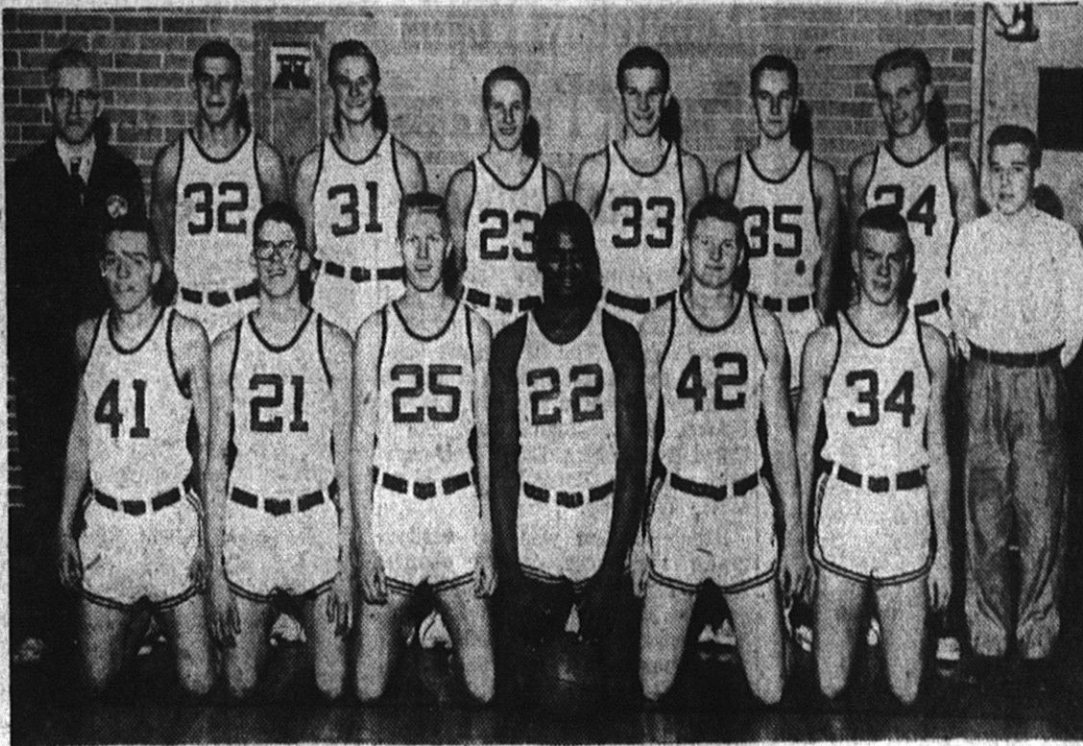
For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Schaap chose a cocktail length gown of aqua crystalline. She wore a jeweled hat with matching gloves and accessories and a pink corsage. Mrs. Edgerle was attired in a Grace Da Pozzo dress of gray blue silk faille. She wore a pink sequin hat, rhinestone accessories and an orchid corsage.

Traditional wedding music was provided by Miss Marie Meisma, organist, who also accompanied the soloist, Mrs. Kenneth Bauman. Before the bride walked down the aisle, she sang "Whither Thou Goest I Will Go."

After the ceremony, a buffet supper was served to 200 guests. Decorations for the reception featured a lighted ice punch bowl, with a giant yellow mum frozen into it. Miss Donna Ritchie served at the punch bowl and Misses Janice Hansen and Ruth Harris served at the buffet table. Mrs. Russell Looman of Grand Rapids and Mrs. J. E. Smith of Lamont, aunts of the couple, poured. Miss Myrna Bunn and Miss Ellen McDonald were in charge of the gift room. Miss Mary Sanger took charge of the gift book. Presiding as master and mistress of ceremonies were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Schaap, uncle and aunt of the bride.

During the reception, a four-hand piano selection was played by Misses Eva and Marie Meisma. The bride's sorority sisters sang Alpha Sigma Tau sweetheart song and the groom's fraternity brothers sang the Delta Sigma dream girl song.

For traveling, the bride chose a princess dress of delft blue jersey with satin and rhinestone trim, a matching satin hat and mouton fur jacket. She wore an orchid corsage and a jeweled watch, gift of the groom.



OPEN SEASON TUESDAY — Here is the 1954-55 Holland High School basketball team. The Dutch opened play Tuesday against Grand Rapids Ottawa Hills at the Civic Center. Kneeling, left to right, Tom Klomparens, Jim Vander Poel, Gerry Boeve, Carl Simpson.

Chuck Gouloose and Sherry Spalter, back row; Coach Fred Weiss, Ron Van Dyke, John Kleinhekel, Phil Boersma, Tom Overbeek, Bob Saunders, Bill Japenga, Carl Weiss, manager. Henry Vlascher, another team member, was absent when the picture was taken. (Sentinel photo)

## Alcor Society Presents Films

Alcor, women's honor society at Hope College, is again sponsoring a series of movies. The project, initiated last year to provide opportunity for more cultural advancement for students at a minimum cost, was so successful that the society agreed to repeat it.

The series this year will be shown in the Juliana room of Durfee Hall, so that more students and townspeople can be accommodated.

First film of the series, to be shown Friday at 3:30 and 8:30 p.m., is "Eroica," the story of Beethoven—what he was and what he stood for. Three principal aspects of his nature are emphasized—his passionate espousal of democracy and hatred of tyranny, his intense if idealistic craving for love and the deafness which isolated him from the world.

Much of his most famous music will be included.

The film was produced in Austria, with music by the Vienna Philharmonic and Vienna Symphonic Orchestras, assisted by the Choir of the Vienna State Opera and the Vienna Choir Boys.

Other movies selected for the year include "The Titan," "The Scarlet Pimpernel" and "Of Mice and Men" and "The Grand Concert." Interesting shorts will supplement the longer films.

## Missionary Society Has Christmas Party

About 100 members of the Women's Missionary Society of Third Reformed Church attended a Christmas party in the Fellowship Room Wednesday evening. Mrs. John Van Zomeren presided and Mrs. Christian Walvoord led devotions.

Lovely Christmas decorations were arranged by Mrs. Nelson Diekema and Mrs. Henry Ketel. Music features were selections by a trumpet trio, Jim Vande Vusse, Harold Wise and Andries Steketee, Jr., accompanied by Paul Lucas; vocal solos by Mrs. Jack Leenhouts, accompanied by Miss Barbara Lampen.

Speaker for the occasion was the Rev. Gerrit De Jonge, home on furlough from the Arabia mission field, who gave an illustrated talk about his work.

Refreshments were served at decorated tables by Mrs. Fred Bouwkes and Mrs. Clare Van Dyke.

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## Headon Collision Kills Two Drivers Near County Line

GRAND HAVEN (Special)—Two men were killed on US-16 about two miles east of Marne early Wednesday when their cars collided headon. They were Ottawa County's 21st and 22nd fatalities this year.

Dean Young, 32, Grand Rapids and Muskegon, was killed instantly. Horace McClure, 73, Marne, was dead upon arrival at St. Mary's Hospital in Grand Rapids. Seconds after the accident a car driven by Andrew Nauta, Marne, slammed into the wreckage. Nauta was not injured but his car was extensively damaged.

Ottawa County deputies said Young was going west and McClure east. Young was reported to be driving in the wrong lane of traffic when the accident occurred. Young received a skull fracture, neck fracture and internal injuries. McClure received multiple head injuries and fractures of both legs. McClure's body was removed to the Alt Funeral Home in Grand Rapids.

Sheriff's deputies and Coroner J. E. Kammeraad investigated.

## Mrs. Van Engen Speaks At Hope Church Meet

Mrs. Gerald Van Engen, missionary to Chiapas, Mexico, presented an interesting picture of life among the women at Chiapas, at a meeting of Hope Church Missionary Society Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors.

Mrs. James Weyer, second vice president, was in charge of the meeting. Devotions based on the Christmas theme were given by Miss Laura Boyd. Mrs. Marion de Velder sang "A Star Was His Candle."

Mrs. John Hollenbach and her committee served refreshments.

## Motorist Injured

Earl Zoerhof, 16, Hamilton, was treated for cuts and bruises at Holland Hospital early Monday morning after he apparently lost control of his car and struck a tree on M-40 near 38th St. Allegan Deputy Earl Tellman said Zoerhof was driving south on M-40 during a snowstorm when the accident occurred. Tellman estimated damage to Zoerhof's '54 model car at \$1,200.

## Hope Students Begin Annual Mission Drive

Hope college students began their annual mission drive here Tuesday for \$1,800 which will be used toward the purchase of an x-ray machine for the Worthington Memorial Health Center at Annville, Ky. According to incomplete returns, a total of \$1,570 had been pledged today with more to come.

The drive at Hope is being sponsored by the YMCA and YWCA. Student chairmen are Bob Bedingfield and Mary Jane Adams. Hope is joining the Board of Domestic Missions of the Reformed Church in the effort to obtain funds for the x-ray machine.

Dr. John B. Rypstra, M. D., of Annville, Ky., an alumnus of Hope college, was speaker at the meeting Tuesday.

## Officers, Committees Named at Fahocha Meet

Election of officers featured a meeting of the Fahocha Class of First Methodist Church Monday evening in the church. About 45 members were present.

Elected were Mrs. Dorothy Burke, president; Mrs. Corinnie Kolean, vice president; Mrs. Bernice Rasmussen, secretary, and Mrs. Luetta Lound, treasurer. Mrs. Athalie Clark, nominating chairman, had charge of the election.

Committees include courtesy, the Mesdames Joyce Conklin, Ruth Durfee, La Mae Kolean, Rose Gilman and Mildred Spaek; calling, the Mesdames Barbara Wheaton and Marjorie Van Huis; nursery chairman, Mrs. June Pedersen, and nursery assistant Miss Margaret Henderson; leper fund, Mrs. Fannie Pardue.

Membership, Mrs. Sylvia Kraal, chairman, the Mesdames Myrtle De Fouw, Avis Brandt and Virginia Orr; finance, Mrs. Viola Rowe, chairman, Mrs. Lound and Mrs. Martha Petroelje; nomination, Mrs. Donna De Vries, chairman, Mrs. De Lynn Moeller, and Mrs. Bea Shashagay; publicity chairman, Mrs. Lily Ann Simpson.

Mrs. Estelle De Vries is teacher of the class. Devotions were in charge of Mrs. Petroelje. Mrs. Rowe conducted the business meeting and Mrs. Becky Coburn was program chairman. Miss Norine Swanson of Holland Hospital spoke of her work as a nurse in the mountains of Kentucky.

The annual Christmas party will be held Dec. 15. Refreshments were served by the Mesdames Minnie Van Oosterhout, Marie Wilbur, Athalie Clark Tillie Slater and Helen Parker. Mrs. Julia Myrick and Mrs. Mary Ellen Donahue poured.

## Fifth Generation Hopeite Plays Role



When Hope College Palette and Cornelia Nettinga Neevel, were graduated from Hope in 1926 and 1927, respectively.

Jim also follows the family tradition by taking an active part in college affairs. He's a member of the Men's Glee Club, Chapel Choir, Palette and Masque, YMCA, Student Council and Arcadian Fraternity.

In "The Glass Menagerie," Jim plays the role of Jim O'Connor. He is pictured above (at left) with other members of the cast, including Tom Ten Hoeve of Ridgefield, N. J., who portrays Tom Wingfield; Dawn Phillips, of Grand Rapids, lower left, who plays Laura Wingfield, and Fran Rietveld of Chicago Heights, Ill., who portrays their mother, Amanda Wingfield.

The play will be given Friday, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday evenings in the Little Theatre in the college Science Building. Curtain time is 8 p.m. Miss Elva Van Haltsma directs the production.

## Navy Personnel Attend School In Holland Area

There's a new school in Holland these days, but it's just a temporary affair.

Some 60 Navy men and civilian civil service employees of the Navy attended classes at the Warm Friend Tavern Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

And from today through Monday they'll see the practical side of boat building at the Chris-Craft plant.

The course is for inspection of boats and landing craft and is under guidance of Lt. JG John Eklund of Chicago. Instructors are from the Navy Bureau of Ships in Washington.

All personnel participating are from shipbuilding section of the Navy which is responsible for all boat building contracts. Purpose of the schooling is to standardize "what good quality in boat building actually is."

Classroom subjects include such topics as wood technology, preservation, parking and packaging of boats, handling and storage of electronics, electronics interference reduction, shipping responsibility, specifications and contract documents, contractual documents, pre-trial and post-trial inspection, etc.

The men are from superintending of shipbuilding commands at Camden, N.J.; Seattle and Astoria, Wash.; Baltimore, Md.; San Diego, Long Beach and San Francisco, Calif.; Newport News, Va.; Bath, Me.; New Orleans and Pascagoula, La.; Quincy, Mass.; Jacksonville, Fla., Chicago and New York City.

From Holland the group will move to Grand Haven to study plastic boat building at Camfield Plastics, Inc. Next on the list is a visit to the Marinette Marine Corp., Marinette, Wis.

## Zion Ladies Society Elects New Officers

The December meeting of the Ladies Society was held Wednesday afternoon at Zion Lutheran Church. The Rev. E. Ruhligh read the Christmas story and led prayer. He also showed the film, "Holy Night."

The annual luncheon for all women of the church is scheduled for Jan. 5 and the Christmas party for the Sunday School will be held on Dec. 18 with Mrs. K. Conklin and Mrs. J. Gutknecht in charge.

Officers elected for the coming year were Mrs. P. Kromann, president; Mrs. William Poullas, vice president; Mrs. E. Benke, secretary; and Mrs. M. Hoover, treasurer.

Mrs. C. Smith and Mrs. J. Steininger were hostesses for the afternoon.

## Former Holland Woman Dies at California Home

Word was received here Tuesday of the death of Mrs. John Remelts of Englewood, Calif., former Holland resident. Mrs. Remelts, 54 year old, died unexpectedly Monday night at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Remelts moved to California in 1936. While in Holland they lived on 11th Sts. They were members of First Reformed Church. Mrs. Remelts before her marriage was Reka Klinge.

Surviving are the husband; two daughters, Mrs. Don (Lorraine) Wild of California and Lillian, at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Kuiper and sons, Jack and Billy, of Virginia Park, are vacationing for 10 days in Florida.

## Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Wednesday were Wilma Beukema, 216 West 11th St.; Ted Kastler, 105 West 10th St.; Mrs. Willis Walters, 2058 Lakeway; Patricia Hill, 165 Manley Ave.; Mrs. John Van Dyke, 30 East 22nd St.; Judson Fisher, Jr., New Richmond; Tommy Cotts, 208 West 13th St.

Discharged Wednesday were Mrs. Marvin Klomprens, 99 West Ninth St.; Mrs. Phillip Hekman and baby, 129 East 22nd St.; Mrs. Kenneth Beelen and baby, 136 East 19th St.; Mrs. Richard Badgero, 333 West 18th St.; Mrs. Cornelius Northuis, 175 West 10th St.; Mrs. Frank Pierma, 281 Howard Ave.; George Slater, Saugatuck; Mrs. Louise Weaver, route 2, Hamilton.

Hospital births include a son, Thomas John, born today to Mr. and Mrs. John Windisch, 428 West 22nd St.; a son born today to Mr. and Mrs. Jason Volkers, 86 East 33rd St.; a daughter, Nancy Lee, born today to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Beyer, 10 West 35th St.

## Holland, Zeeland Firms Win Awards

Two Holland area firms were among the 49 highway and bridge contractors of Michigan receiving awards for outstanding safety records during 1954, from Harold J. Taber of Grand Rapids, president of the Michigan Road Builders' Association.

The group opened its season-end meeting in Detroit Wednesday. Cited from Holland was Nell and Al Kalkman Construction Co., and West Shore Construction Co. of Zeeland.

The records established by the recipients of the safety plaques were a part of an association program to decrease accidents on construction work.

Professors Russell Kleis, Bernard I. Loft and Gordon Sheehy of Michigan State College, Roy W. Olsen of an insurance firm and Ammon Schreuer of Allegan, chairman of the association's accident prevention committee, formed a panel which discussed accident prevention before Taber's distribution of the awards.

## Play to Be Previewed On Radio Hope College

A preview of the Palette and Masque production, "The Glass Menagerie," which opens Friday in the Little Theatre on Hope College campus will be featured on radio Hope College tonight at 7:30 p.m. on WHTC. Dave Coster, a freshman of West Virginia, will be the announcer and Warren Buitendorp, a junior from New York state, is newscaster.

Music in the form of two piano selections will be provided by Jantina Holleman of the music faculty. Bob Johnson, a sophomore, will interview Basketball Coach John Visser and Team Captain Bob Hendrickson.

Participating in the sketch from Glass Menagerie will be James Neevel, Francis Rietveld, Dawn Phillips and Tom Ten Hoeve. Evelyn Berens, student manager, announced that the next program on Dec. 16 will concern Christmas music from Hope campus.

## Miss Stall Engaged To Donald Cranmer

Mr. and Mrs. Sherburn Stall of route 1, Pennville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lucille Elsie, to Donald Paul Cranmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Cranmer, 322 Pine Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Timmer and children, Ellen, David and Patty, 61 Vander Veen Ave., plan to leave Friday morning on a two-week vacation trip to Florida.

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## Holland Christian Debaters Active

Holland Christian High School debaters split in two decisions with Rockford High School, Monday afternoon, at the local school. The debates, sponsored by the Michigan High School Forensic Association, were the first of the season for the Christian teams.

The negative squads of both schools turned in the victories. In one debate, Christian's negative team of Rich Hertel and Larry Dykstra defeated the Rockford affirmative duo of June Woniak and Jane De Regnaudcourt. In the other decision, Christian's affirmative squad of Carl Van Appledorn and Derk Oostendorp lost to Rockford's negative, made up of Tom Gross and Don Bertholomew.

Question for debate this season is resolved: That the Federal government initiate a policy of free trade with countries friendly to the United States.

Hero Bratt, debate coach at Christian, was well pleased with the showing of his squad, particularly since most of the boys are underclassmen. The squads are picked from an active debate club at the school which has been studying the question on free trade since the middle of September. Marilyn Gordon is the Rockford debate coach.

Judges for the debates were Professors Lester De Koster and Melvin Berghuis, both of Calvin College.

Christian next entertains Otsego in two debates sometime before Dec. 15, Bratt said. Other opponents to be met in January are East Grand Rapids and Hastings.

## Man Changes Plea On Topsy Driving

Albert Coster, 46, of 284 Fairbanks Ave., who previously pleaded not guilty to a drunk driving charge, changed his plea to guilty in Municipal Court Monday and was sentenced to pay fine and costs of \$105.90 or serve 45 days in the county jail. The alleged offense occurred Oct. 31.

At regular traffic court Friday night, eight persons charged with various traffic offenses agreed to attend traffic school for four weeks. They are Ivan G. Cook, 63 West 28th St., speeding; Billy Pemberton, 18 East 12th St., speeding and no operator's license; Paul Reseque, route 1, speeding; David Roelofs, 142 West 14th St., red light; Alma Reus, 481 West 19th St., speeding; Howard Bouwman, 1712 Washington Ave., speeding; Arnold Robema, 61 South River Ave., improper turn; Wells Penna, 23 East 26th St., reckless driving.

Pleading not guilty were John F. De Jong, 261 West 15th St., failure to have car under control, and Howard Johnson, route 4, speeding 40 miles in 25-mile zone. De Jong's trial was set Dec. 3 at 1:30 p.m. and Johnson's trial Dec. 2 at 3 p.m.

Those paying fines in the last few days were Norman Dale Farr, Comstock Park, speeding, \$15; Wilbur B. Nelson, Chicago, speeding, \$10; Benjamin Zandstra, Chicago, speeding, \$15; John Sage, of 227 West 21st St., assured clear distance, \$15; Peter J. Tuleja, route 3, speeding, \$10; Edgar T. Mosher, of 34 East 18th St., driving into lane of oncoming traffic, \$12; Kathleen Atwood, of 358 Washington Ave., improper left turn, \$12; Glen W. Straatsma, of 99 East 37th St., speeding, \$7.

Paying \$1 parking fines were Joe Vander Poel, 49 West Ninth St.; Quido Stejskal, of 311 West 13th St.; Violet Dekker, route 4.

Three reappeared Friday night at traffic court after completing traffic school courses. They were Jerry Van Hekken, 17, of 162 West 35th St., red flasher, \$5, suspended; Eleanor Bareman, of 268 North River Ave., speeding, \$10 suspended; Marion N. Dalsen, 26, of 175 East Eighth St., speeding and improper passing, \$10 suspended.

## Third Church Members Elect Elders, Deacons

Third Reformed Church of Holland held its annual congregational meeting Monday in the Fellowship Hall. Primary purpose of the meeting was election of elders and deacons.

The following were elected as elders: Ben Dalman, Dr. Harry Frissel, Dr. William Moordyk, George Schutmaat and John Van Zerden. The congregation elected as deacons: Alvin Bos, Nelson Kars ten, Clarence Klaassen, Edward Van Eck and Theodore Van Oosterhout. John DuMez was chosen as a member of the Christian Education Council.

The meeting was conducted by the pastor, the Rev. C. H. Walvoord. Reports were given concerning the work of the minister during of the year's work were lights of the year's work were reviewed.

A resume of the financial situation of the church was given along with the prospects for the coming year. Minutes were read by the Clerk, Prof. J. J. Verbeek. Retiring members of the consistory were hosts for the social hour which followed.



ONE OF THE MOST PICTURESQUE scenes in Holland Wednesday was the snowy windmill in Windmill Park, proving that the city's most photographed scene can be just as photogenic in winter as during Tulip Time. This picture was taken about 9 a.m.

from River Ave. while a light snow was falling. Scenes like this were duplicated all over the city. Even downtown looked particularly festive with snow covering the evergreen festoons on boulevard light poles. (Sentinel photo)

## Organizations Collecting Toys for Needy Children

Members of the Moose Lodge and Women of the Moose will join members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and Auxiliary this Christmas season in refurbishing old toys for distribution to those in need at Christmas.

In former years the VFW collected and fixed up the toys at the post club rooms on West Seventh St.

However, at a meeting of representatives from both organizations Wednesday night, it was decided to make it a joint project and do the work at the Moose Hall on North River Ave.

Leaders of both groups followed with an appeal for old toys that can be fixed up or even new toys or other donations. They are anxious to get started on the project that in recent years has meant a lot of work.

"The sooner we get them the better," a spokesman said.

Persons who have toys to donate should call 66163 or 7633 and they will be picked up. Anyone may leave donations at either place at any time.

At the same time it was announced that the Moose, VFW, Eagles and Elks are joining forces to stage a Muscular Dystrophy Dance at the Moose Hall on Dec. 3. Further plans are pending. All proceeds will go to the Muscular Dystrophy Fund campaign.

## Teenage Rodeo Slated in 1935

The Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the second annual Teen-Age Rodeo in the Holland area in May of next year.

Announcement of this coming event is being made early so that teen-agers planning to enter the driving-skills contest may be reminded that one of the qualifications is that entrants have no moving traffic violations during the six months preceding the contest.

Drive carefully and safely at all times.

## Ottawa County Real Estate Transfers

George McCarthy et al to Frank E. Simon and w. Lot 10 Fairview Sub. Twp. Grand Haven.

Peter H. Van Ark to Ronald W. Kobes and w. Lot 21 and pt. 22 Blk E R. H. Post's Park Hill Add. Holland.

Bertha M. Mattison to Peter Smith Pt. Lot 4 Blk 67 City of Holland.

Raymond J. Helder and w. to Richard C. Hartigan and w. Lot 6 Wildwood Sub. City of Holland.

George E. Smith Jr. and w. to Walter L. DeVries and w. Pt. SW 1/4 SE 1/4 32-5-15 City of Holland.

Donald L. Gleason and w. to Jack L. Ellwell and w. Lot 107 and pt. 106 Evergreen Park Sub. Twp. Spring Lake.

Harry Ordway and w. to Frank J. Pyscynski and w. Lot 2 Klump's Sub City of Grand Haven.

A. J. Cook Lumber Co. to Junior Karsten and w. Lot 1 Blk 4 South Prospect Park Sub. Holland.

Goldie Meppelink to Donovan F. Reynolds and w. Pt. S 1/4 NE 1/4 SE 1/4 36-5-16 Twp. Park.

Henry Leeuw and w. to Russell Earl Leeuw and w. Pt. E 1/4 NE 1/4 13-5-16 Twp. Park.

Arend J. Visser and w. to Roy W. Droge and w. Lot 40 Steele's Sub. Twp. Georgetown.

Henry Leeuw and w. to Fred Johnson and w. Pt. E 1/4 NE 1/4 13-5-16 Twp. Park.

Thomas Westveld and w. to Marvin Peter Lieffers and w. Pt. 17-13 Twp. Tallmadge.

Carl T. Bowen and w. to Robert C. Bowen and w. Pt. Lot 3 Blk 1 Bryant's Add. Spring Lake.

Charles Hilditch to Thomas F. Johnston Pt. Lots 4,5,6,7,8,9 Blk 22 Village of Ferrysburg.

Raymond H. Reidsma and w. to Ted Telgenhof and w. Lots 68, 69 Chamber of Commerce Sub. City of Holland.

A. Edwin Rackes and w. to Harold G. DeVries and w. Pt. Lots 4, 5, Blk 41 City of Holland.

Scott-Lugers Lumber Co. to Gerrit Dykema and w. Lot 174 Howard B. Dunton's Sub. Twp. Holland.

John V. Hulst and w. to Frank H. Fleischer and w. Lot 40 and pt. 41 Sylvan Acres, Twp. Holland.

Laverne Meers to Ottawa Savings and Loan Assn. Lot 70 Riverhills Sub. No. 1 Twp. Holland.

Hannah Mae Borast to Ottawa Savings and Loan Assn.

Pt. Lot 63 Buwalda's Add. City of Zeeland.

William J. Wipperfurth and w. to William E. Chandler and w. Lot 88 Evergreen Park Sub. Twp. Spring Lake.

Elouise Gibbs to Forrest C. Salisbury and w. Lot 4 Blk 14 Munroe and Harris Add Grand Haven.

Joseph Fick and w. to Joseph F. Fick and w. Pt. NW 1/4 SW 1/4 7-15 Twp. Robinson.

Charles K. Bugielski and w. to Carl T. Bowen and w. Pt. Lots 1, 2 Blk 11 Bryant's Add. Spring Lake.

**Case Settled**

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A suit brought by Ralph Purchase against Fred Foster of Jensen which was heard without a jury before Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith Friday and was settled by stipulation upon payment of \$375 by Dec. 6. Purchase has sought judgment of \$413.28 for repairing a well.

## Little Maroons Win Game No. 2

Holland Christian's reserve squad notched its second win of the season Friday night on the Civic Center court as they stopped the Grand Rapids Christian second team, 53-47. The contest was hard fought with the Little Maroons taking the lead in the first minute and holding it throughout.

A fast break attack and a close pressing defense in the third quarter spelled the victory for the Dutch. After the Maroons led 9-7 at the end of the first period, and 25-16 at the intermission, the visiting Eagles narrowed the margin to just two points midway in the third period. Then came the press which netted the Dutch eight points in two minutes time. By the end of the third period, the locals were again leading 39-29. Foul shots kept the losers within striking distance in the final quarter, but they were not able to close the gap.

Oddly enough the locals shot only three foul shots all night, making one of them. Grand Rapids hit on 17 out of 31 tries. From the field the Dutch outscored the visitors, 26-15.

Again it was a ninth grader which led the Maroon attack. Jim Kool was high with 15 markers followed by Roger Mulder with 12, Dave Klaver with 10, Jim Meurer with eight, Gord Moww with six and Ned Joldersma with two. R. De Meister paced the Grand Rapids offense with 12 points.

## Dog Notes

by Peter Boggs

Color Blind?

I have always doubted the scientific theory that dogs are color-blind and that they see all the world as black-and-white-and-gray, like a photograph. I believe that dogs can tell one color from another as readily as you or I. Simple experiments of my own have led to this belief, though some people don't agree with me. And here is one more of many instances which seem to prove I am correct:

According to Mrs. R. F. Remont of Los Angeles, her dachshund, Mitzel, had a very keen sense of color. For instance, the dog would not willingly ride in any cab which was not yellow. She backed away in disgust from vehicles of any other hue and was especially repelled by the sight of a red cab. Mrs. Remont carried the tests still further. She gave Mitzel several toy balloons, most of them yellow. The dachshund played gayly with all of them. Then a red balloon was added to the collection. Mitzel backed away from it, as if terrified. Nothing would induce her to touch it or to go near it.

To me, that is pretty conclusive proof that all dogs do not see the world as if it were the hue of a photograph. Mitzel had a very clear knowledge of red and yellow.

**Your Dog-Pound Dog**

Every week some of you write to me saying you want a first-rate dog, but that you cannot afford to pay a stiff price for him. Among the various solutions to your problem is your local dog pound. There, for a small price, sometimes you may obtain a dog that will be your staunch comrade as long as he lives. Not always; but often, you can select such a dog among the pound's unhappy strays.

That does not mean that every dog in every pound is fit for you to buy. Some are incurable runaways. Some are sick. Some are stupid or bad tempered. You will have to use a certain amount of judgment in choosing him. Generally, common sense and patience will turn him into the kind of dog you want.

**The Question Box**

Question: I heard that most of the different dog breeds as we know them today were established in this country. Is that true?—H.B.

Answer: No, it is not true. Very few breeds of dogs originated in this country. Only two well-known ones, namely, the Chesapeake Bay Retriever and the Boston Terrier.

Question: We have a wire-haired fox terrier. He shivers constantly in Summer as well as Winter. What might cause this? He is very active and seems in good health.

S. L.

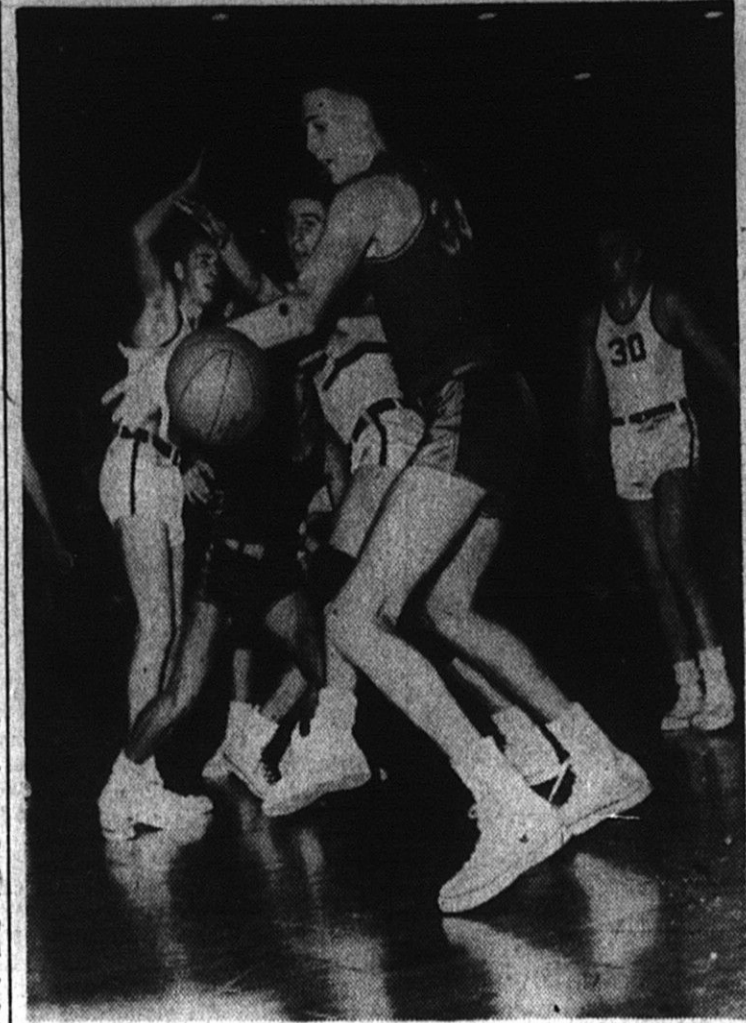
Answer: Physically there is probably nothing wrong with your dog. Undoubtedly he is high strung and nervous and this condition causes him to shiver with anxiety.

**Mr. and Mrs. Geerts Honored on Birthdays**

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Geerts of 251 Washington Ave. were surprised by their children and grandchildren at a party last Tuesday evening in honor of their birthday anniversaries, which both occur in November.

Gifts were presented to the honored couple and a two course lunch was served.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gerben Diekema, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Geerts, and children, Don, Gayle, Marcia, Harvin and Jerry Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lemm, and children, Roger, Bonnie and Sally, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Geerts and children, David and Judy.



**LOOSE BALL** — Two Holland Christian Maroons, Jan Buurma and Gary Vander Ark scrap for a ball with Paul Benes, (34, 6'9") Grand Rapids Christian center. Ready to pounce on a possible free ball is Bill Vryhof, (30). Action took place in Friday night's contest at the Civic Center, won by the Eagles, 52-47. The game attracted 2,500 and was the opening scholastic contest played in the local sports arena. (Sentinel photo)

## Lanky Star Paces Grand Rapids Five To 52-47 Victory

A scrappy, much improved Holland Christian quintet went down to its second defeat of the season Friday night on the Civic Center court when they bowed to Grand Rapids Christian, 52-47. A capacity crowd witnessed the contest, with several hundred more turned away, according to Athletic Director Raymond Holwerda.

It would be perhaps be more correct to say that the Maroons lost to lanky Paul Benes and four Grand Rapids teammates. He stands 6'9" and is practically impossible to stop once he lifts his long arms. He scored only 21 points but figures on almost every play, if not shooting then as a decoy. That's to say nothing of the rebounds he picks from both boards and the tips he scores after a teammate misses a foul shot.

Considering all, the Dutch did a fine job on the lanky pivotman. Realizing full well that it was next to impossible to stop a pass to him or keep from shooting, Coach Art Tuls instructed his boys to bother him constantly and grab the ball in a tieup, should he ever lower the ball to within reach. This worked well, particularly in the second half, to keep the damage done by the big boy at a minimum.

The Maroons must receive a great deal of credit for their spark and ability to keep the pressure on the Eagles. Holland used a fast attack and a pressing defense, which constantly kept the winners off balance. Although losing, the Dutch actually controlled the ball throughout the tilt, with Tuls rotating 9 men throughout the contest. With the game going into its final stages, the Dutch definitely had the Eagles, who were tiring fast, on the run.

However a fast game and a pressing type defense often results in more fouling, and that's what hurt the Dutch badly. The Dutch connected for 20 field goals to 15 for the winners, but Grand Rapids hit for 20 out of 36 foul attempts. Clever Guard John Vandenberg of the Eagles scored on 11 out of 15 tries. The Hollanders connected on but seven out of 20 from the lane.

Coach Wes Vryhof has a good ball handling club, which utilizes the height of the big Benes to the limit. Although they use mostly a set pattern, Vryhof has inserted the fast break into his offense whenever the opportunity presents itself.

Coach Art Tuls' club improved considerably over their showing Tuesday night, although they had trouble hitting the hoop, particularly in the first half. The reserves showed up well, with Gary Vander Ark, substitute center, turning in a fine game to lead his mates with 10 points.

The winners moved out to a quick 10-2 lead in the first quarter, but the Dutch kept pecking away to narrow the count to 12-7 as second quarter play started.

Grand Rapids connected on eight foul shots and just three baskets in the second quarter, while the Maroons were working hard for their four field goals. It was 26-15 at the intermission.

Holland's cause looked hopeless midway in the third stanza with Grand Rapids starting to use Benes as a decoy, shaking Ken Betten loose for several two pointers. With about three minutes left, the Eagles had a 38-18 margin. Three quick baskets by the Dutch in the closing minutes, cut the margin to 38-24 at the quarter's end.

Holland's reserve strength began to tell in the final period, as they slowly whittled the margin. With fresh men shuttling back and forth into the fray for the Dutch, while the Grand Rapids starting lineup remained virtually in tact, the locals came close to bridging the gap before time ran out. Christian's Paul Dykema, Dave Vander Hill and Bill Vryhof all left by the foul route in the fourth period.

Following Benes in the scoring came Van Den Berg with 13 markers. Jan Buurma followed Vander Ark with eight for the Dutch.

Christian entertains Kalamazoo Western State next Friday.

Box Scores:

Holland Christian (47)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Mulder, f	2	3	4	7
Dykema, f	1	0	5	2
Vander Hill, c	3	0	5	6
Buurma, g	4	0	2	8
Vryhof, f	2	1	5	5
Altena, c	1	0	1	2
Boer, g	0	2	2	2
Vander Ark, f	5	0	2	10
Bos, g	2	1	0	5
Totals	20	7	26	47

Grand Rapids Christian (52)

Grand Rapids Christian (57)		FG	FT	P	T
Betten, f		4	1	3	
De Vries, f		0	0	3	
Benes, c		9	3	1	
Rouman, g		0	2	3	
Vanden Berg, g		1	11	3	
Zandee, f		1	2	0	
De Vries V., f		1	0	0	
Hamstra, g		0	1	0	
Totals		16	20	13	

**Cub Scout Pack Meets At Harrington School**

Cub Scout Pack 3030 of Harrington School held its November meeting Monday evening at Harrington School. The opening ceremony was in charge of Mrs. Gordon Van Putten and Mrs. R. Kingshott's dens. Mrs. Conrad Zeedyk's den performed a trick.

Songs the boys learned on a recent supper hike were led by Dr. M. Eugene Osterhaven. Assistant Cubmaster Dick Rodgers presented button awards to the 28 Cub Scouts who completed the monthly project, making of barrel chairs. These chairs will be used at weekly den meetings.

Rodgers also pointed out various displays on early American history, prepared by each den. Among them were miniature covered wagons, war drums, Indian headaddresses, medicine dace sticks, wampun belts and a fort.

Wolf badges were awarded to Michael Zeedyk, Dennis Nicol, Layne Brandt, Dale Brandt and Charles Jacobs. David Van Putten received a silver arrow in the Bear rank. Philip Weyenberg received one gold and four silver arrows in the Wolf rank and Nicky Hardie, Teddy Heuvelhorst and Harold Tanis received Wolf badges with one gold and two silver arrows.

James Reno was given a Webelos badge and was presented a Boy Scout book from the pack. Mrs. Kenneth Kerbs' den was in charge of the closing ceremony led by James Reno.

**Psychiatric Exams Ordered for Deviate**

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith has signed an order for psychiatric examination of Russell Van Koevoering, 50-year-old former Grand Rapids attorney who was convicted by an Ottawa county Circuit Court jury of gross indecency Oct. 25.

Van Koevoering has been at liberty under \$1,000 bond since his conviction. The three psychiatrists named to examine him are Dr. Adolph F. Dasler of Muskegon, Dr. David B. Davis and Dr. Leonard Rosen Zweig of Grand Rapids.

On April 4, 1950, Van Koevoering pleaded guilty to a similar offense and was sentenced to serve six months to five years at Southern Michigan Prison. He served nearly two years.

**Mrs. Martha Bell, 79, Dies in Grand Haven**

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Mrs. Martha Bell, 79, of 1411 Washington St., died at Municipal Hospital Thursday morning. She was born in Salem, Mass., May 10, 1875 and came to Grand Haven in 1916 from Holland. Her maiden name was Martha Tucker. She was married in 1897 to Jacob Bell, a former employee of the Eagle Ottawa Leather Co., who died in 1923. She was an active member of St. John's Episcopal Church and St. Margaret's guild of the Church.

She is survived by a daughter, Miss Helen Bell, local high school teacher and a son, Elbert, local business man.

## Longfellow Pupils Present Programs For Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving plays and programs were given Tuesday and Wednesday by two grades in Longfellow School. The fifth grade concluded the program with a group of songs. Teachers are Mrs. Letitia Hower, Mrs. Joan Paul, Mrs. Caryl Ewart, Mrs. Linda Hoffman, Mrs. Grace Dorman and Mrs. Marie Woldring.

Bruce Gooden was the second grade announcer. In the chorus were Ronald Riksen, Diane De Jonge, Nancy Kolean, Richard Schaftenaar, Susan Schuchard, Vicki Boere, Julie Haworth, Phillip Ritterby, Susan McBride, Marilyn Poll, Jeffrey Lubbers, Judy Kamphuis, Michael Oosterbaan, Nancy Gebben, Connie Aalderink, Linda Cuperus, Judy Borr, Larry De Vries and Linda Speet.

In Psalm 100 were Alan Halleman, Christine Zuverink, Donna Riemersma, Chris Wrigley, David Blakely, Margo Hakken, Jeanne Ende, Jimmy Borlace, Sandra Wangen, Sally Koning, Maxine Nelson, Mary Jo Hains, Linda Johnson, Randy Johnson, Barbara Stoner, Mike Slagh, Betsy Aardma, Coert Vanderhill, Terry Westerhof, Judy Jongsma and David Billerbeck.

Sharon Welling and Patty Huff were narrators in the choral reading. Pilgrims were Brian Marcus, Jimmy Harthorn, Bradley Spahr, Charley Van Ark, Rex Svoboda, Roberta Hallan, James Klungie, Sharlene Prince, Dale Poppema and Paul Winter. Indians were Ruth Ann Van Dyke, Glenn Hulst, Paul Kammeraad and Esther Lampen and Dennis Ettmuller.

In the mystery playlet "Mystery Pie" the cast included Patti Jo Sprick, Sandra Vander Water, Richard Steggerda, Jeanne Dalman, Randy Hartgerink, Carol Southworth, Mary Pat Boersma and Nancy Wierda.

A play "Tim Makes a Friend" was presented by the fourth graders. In the cast were the letters of the alphabet from A to Z, Susan Wildschut, Larry Speet, Carolyn Ruhlig, Danny Dekker, Susan Eenjengenburg, David French, Roger Cook, Carol Hulst, Richard Brondyke, Janis Van Alsburg, David Coburn, Judy Essenburgh, Mary Dobben, Beverly Hoffman, Barbara McBride, Patty Bowman, Richard De Zeuw, Billy Van Dyke, Bob Kammeraad, Nancy De Ridder, Judy Essenburgh, Allan Vandenberg, Willard Nelson, Carl Walters, Diane Taber and Scott Wyman.

Tim was played by Billy Van Ark. Mother was Mary Dobben and Father was Carl Walters. Left guide word was Carol Hulst, Right guide word, David French, and Pic Spire, Diane Taber.

The first number in the fifth grade program was a piano solo by Albert Oosterhof. Carol Speet, Liz Meyer and Mary Jeanne Buys entertained with violin numbers and a clarinet duet was given by Diane Marcus and Ann Van Eenennaam.

Tom Speet, Louie Schaap and Albert Oosterhof composed the cornet trio.

**Lubbers Speaks To Exchangites**

Dr. Irwin J. Lubbers, Hope College president, was speaker at the Exchange Club luncheon Monday at the Warm Friend Tavern. He discussed the influence of increasing population on the American way of life, particularly as it affects the educational program.

He showed charts to indicate the increase. In Michigan, the birthrate has increased from 81,000 annually in 1915 to 175,000 for 1952.

From these increases, he said, college enrollment can be predicted fairly accurately. College people are further concerned by the increase, because a larger percentage of the population is attending college. Studies indicate that by 1970, about double the present number enrolled will be seeking admission to colleges and universities. Private colleges will not be able to care for such an increase, he said, and state institutions will be asked to care for a still greater share.

It is no longer possible to run a first rate college with present revenues, he said. Church colleges have gone to industry for contributions to make up the deficits. Since private colleges protect public interests, industrialists have come to the rescue, but how long this aid will continue is a question. Hope College figures for endowment, value of plant, size of faculty and student body and annual budget run about 25 percent higher than the national average, Dr. Lubbers said.

Exchangite John Van Dyke presided. He announced the annual football banquet will be held Dec. 7.

**Holland Boys Admit Cycle Shop Burglaries**

Two Holland boys, aged 12 and 8, were picked up by city police Wednesday and admitted breaking into Reliable Cycle Shop, 136 West 19th St., on three different occasions.

The last time was Nov. 10 when they took \$16 in cash. The other two times they took \$4 and \$6. Entrance was gained each time by smashing a basement window.

Police said the two would be turned over to Probate Court for action.



**HOLLAND CHRISTIAN CAGERS** — Here is the 1954-55 edition of the Holland Christian Maroons. Seated left to right, Gary Vander Ark, Paul Dykema, John Heyboer, Dave Vander Hill, Dave Alens and John Mulder. Standing, Coach Art Tuls, Harry Westebroek, Bill Vryhof, Jan Buurma, Calvin Dykema, Dave Bos and Warren Boer. Mulder and Buurma are co-captains. The Maroons opened home play here Nov. 28 against Grand Rapids Christian in the Civic Center. (Sentinel photo)

## Grandstanding...

Watson Spoelstra, usually more interested in turning in copy than making it, came up with a few choice statements at the Albion-Marshall high school football dinner the other night. As quoted in the Albion Evening Recorder,

Spoelstra, now associate sports editor of the Detroit News, said, "Old athletes were not supermen...Boys of today are vastly superior. Ty Cobb never faced military service, rich business alternatives, mixed schedules of afternoon and night ball, plus television pressure. Boys playing high school ball today are 100 percent better than when I was playing. (Spoelstra was an all-MIAA basketball player at Hope College 20 years ago.) They are rougher and smarter. Don't ever let 'em tell you there are no more frontiers. More opportunities are opening today than ever before."

In some informal chatter Spoelstra said, "The Detroit Lions operate with simple play, and not to much deception, but they execute them well. They are just a hard working crew that work together with few stars. In practice they spend fully half their time on defense."

"It won't be long until big league baseball is on the Pacific Coast...Duffy Daugherty (Michigan State football coach) will be successful before he's through for 'he's got the stuff.' ... Ron Kramer of Michigan the best Spoelstra has seen this fall, if not the best in 10 years. 'He's big, intense and fast with everything Bob Carey of Michigan State has and about a step faster."

Three Dowagiac players and three St. Joseph gridders were named to the Big Four conference team. Both these clubs played Holland this season. Dowagiac nominees were Julius Jones, guard, Lee Younger and Larry Jenkins, backs. The Bears placed Jim Alden, tackle, and Jack Sinn and Larry Dutenhaver, backs.

Muskegon Catholic Central's "Five-Year Plan" is running ahead of schedule from the looks of things. The freshmen football team went through a nine game schedule unbeaten and unscored on. The Catholic crew defeated the Holland row 27-0. Holland will meet Muskegon Catholic in football games in 1957 and 58.

Beloit College basketball coach, Dolph Stanley, has developed a quick drying orange-paint for putting on basketball rims. The paint can be applied shortly before game time and will be ready by the opening whistle. Beloit plays Hope College here this season, so the local unit won't see the glistening orange rims.

Possibly Stanley may reveal his formula when his Buccaneers visit here Dec. 29 and 30.

**'Modern Meals' Lesson Highlights Meeting**

A lesson on "Modern Meals" highlighted a meeting of the Federal Home Economics Group last Monday evening at Federal School. Mrs. A. Luurtsema and Mrs. L. Regnerus presented the lesson.

Mrs. Jack Nieboer, chairman, conducted a business meeting. Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. Drost and Mrs. R. Van Dyke.

The next meeting will be held Dec. 8 when a planned poultry supper at 6 p.m. will be followed by a Christmas party. Fifty-cent gifts will be exchanged.

**Anniversary Observed On Thanksgiving Day**

A joint celebration of the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kempfers and Thanksgiving Day, was held Thursday at the Kempfers home in Hamilton.

Gifts were presented to the guests of honor who had for their guests Mrs. Reka Westveld, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rutgers, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Rutgers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rutgers, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rutgers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rutgers and Sally, Mr. and Mrs. Gradus Knoll and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kempfers and children and Duane and Gary Kempfers.

**Five Pay Fines**

Five persons paid fines in Municipal Court on traffic charges the last few days. They were James Rabbers, Jr., 160 West 10th St., expired operator's license, \$2; Tom E. Lestrand, Glen Ellyn, Ill., speeding, \$10; Arlene Mulder, route 3, no operator's license on person, \$3; Mert Vande Linde, 100 East 15th St., parking, \$1; Ora Wagle, Indiana, Parking, \$1.

## Fennville

Dr. James Severens and son Gene of Omaha Neb. visited over the weekend with their mother and grandmother Mrs. Marie Severens.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chappell of Detroit are guests of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Chappell from Thursday until Sunday. Thanksgiving guests also were Mr. and Mrs. William Aldrich of Allegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson visited from Tuesday until Friday with their son, Donald and family at Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Rasmussen left Friday to visit a week with their son, Einer Rasmussen and family of Stronghurst, Ill. They were accompanied by their son, Alvin, wife and daughter, Sandra who will return home Sunday.