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Leaders Express Hearty 'Thanks' To All Volunteers

SSP Made Up Bulk Of \$66,050 Goal; Officers Named

Holland Community Chest went over the top today!

Although the drive took an extra month to reach the \$66,050 goal, Chest leaders were happy over the victory and expressed heartfelt gratitude to the more than 400 volunteer workers who aided in the drive for the largest goal in Holland's history.

Campaign Co.-Chairmen James Taylor and Kenneth Wheeler were extravagant in their praise for the many hours of hard work given unselfishly by civic-minded residents interested in providing funds for the many well organized charities which come under Community Chest and the Michigan United Fund. Their praise also extended to the thousands of donors who gave unselfishly.

The lion's share of the quota was provided by Holland's Single Solicitation Plan, Inc., a group of 55 local businesses and industries which collect a once-a-year asking from their employees, many of them on payroll deduction plans, and then match the total. SSP's contribution to Community Chest this year amounted to \$37,750. Jack Daniels is SSP president and Mayo A. Hadden is secretary.

Edwin Raphael, president of the Community Chest board of directors, added his thanks to that expressed by the campaign chairmen and spoke on behalf of the entire board.

This year's budget is divided as follows: Camp Fire Girls, \$9,465.60; Muskegon Area Guidance Clinic, \$4,100; Visiting Nurse Association, \$3,600; Council of Social Agencies, \$500; American Red Cross, \$19,834.40; Boy Scouts of America, \$9,000; Salvation Army, \$6,000; Michigan United Fund, \$10,717; Prestable Huis (Achievement House), \$1,900; administrative fees, \$773; total, \$66,050.

Division chairmen this year included Robert De Nooyer, non-SSP industrial; Warren Victor, business and professional; Mayor Robert Visscher, national; Edward Donivan, schools and colleges; Ray Riedsma and John Fonger, public employees; Mrs. William H. Venhuizen and Mrs. Warren Westrate, home solicitation.

Community Chest officers for the coming year are B. P. Donnelly, president; James Taylor, vice president; George Heeringa, secretary-treasurer; Ray Gemmen, executive secretary-treasurer. New board members are Kenneth Wheeler, Paul Danielson, Mrs. Walter W. Scott and Bruce Mikula. Other board members are Robert Wolbrink, Mrs. John Tiesinga, Rev. William C. Warner, Mayo Hadden and Mrs. Vernon Ten Cate.

Henry E. Schosso Dies At Spring Lake Home

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Henry E. Schosso, 80, of 107 East Savidge St., Spring Lake, died at his home Wednesday following a two-year illness. He was born in Grand Haven Oct. 15, 1876, and was a machinist at Duke Engine Co. until his retirement several years ago. He was one of its oldest employees. As a youth he worked at the Kibbourn Mills and also the Challenge Machinery Co. He was married July 25, 1907, to Mabel Lievesee who died in Grand Haven Oct. 16, 1954.

Surviving are three children, William of Spring Lake, Mrs. Kimling of Grand Haven and Mrs. Laura Bryant of Ann Arbor; and a sister, Mrs. Augusta Kolberg of Grand Haven and two grandsons. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by Kinkema Funeral Home.

Ter Horst Now in Good Condition at Hospital

Bernard Ter Horst, 31-year-old brakeman for the C and O railroad who was severely burned in the fiery crash of a train locomotive and gasoline transport Tuesday afternoon near Michigan City, Ind., arrived at Holland Hospital by ambulance Wednesday afternoon, and was reported to be in good condition today.

Ter Horst suffered severe second degree burns of both hands and second degree burns of the face. His physician said today that it is too early at this time to determine whether skin grafting would be done in the future.

Two railroad crewmen and the truck driver were killed in the crash Tuesday afternoon, and two more railroad employees were killed in an explosion 15 hours later as they were trying to remove the charred bodies. Seven train crewmen had been injured in the initial collision.

Merchants Will Meet

The Retail Merchants of the Holland Chamber of Commerce will meet Wednesday, Dec. 5, at 12 noon at the Dutch Mill Restaurant.

Hub! Did You Travel North to Find Deer?

It's a good idea to check your own backyard before going several hundred miles north to get a glimpse of a deer. Residents in the Montello Park area were surprised to learn that there were several deer roaming the neighborhood Tuesday evening.

Lindy Streur and Lyn Gordon were driving up Crescent Dr., when they saw two deer standing in the middle of the street. Deer tracks were found in many yards and along the lakeshore.

The animals were obviously in search of food because strips of bark had been torn off several trees.

DeBruyn Reports More Boys Taking Part in Scouting

Mayor Robert DeBruyn of Zeeland, chairman of the Chippewa District scout committee, reported to the committee that as of Nov. 1, the district has 572 Cub Scouts against 452 one year ago; 402 Boy Scouts, with 470 a year ago; 195 Explorer Scouts, to 156 a year ago. Total number of boys is 1,169 in 1956 as to 1,078 in 1955.

The adult leadership in 1956 totals 460 to 374 a year ago. The total registration is 1,639 in 1956 compared to 1,442 a year ago. There are a total of 43 units as to 41 a year ago.

Lester Douma, chairman of leadership training program reports 71 percent of the cub leaders have had training, the scouts have 90 percent trained leaders and the explorers have 50 percent trained leaders. The average of the three groups is 76 percent of trained leaders.

Chairman Larry Wade for the National Jamboree, reported that 24 applications have been received. Plans are being made for Jamboree scholarships.

Plans for the scout fair to be held in the early part of 1957 are being completed with George Heeringa as general chairman, Laverne Rudolph as director, Otto Dressel and George Lumsden assisting.

The Grand Valley Jamb-Ral will be held at Allegan Fair Grounds on May 24, 25 and 26 with Ab Martin and Bernard Shashaguy as chairmen.

Gene Vander Vusse of Holland was named chairman for Boy Scout Week in February. Larry Wade was named as chairman of Activities and Civic Service post for the district. Eugene Barendse was named as program chairman of the annual Christmas Party to be held at Zeeland City Hall on Dec. 11 for all Scouts and their wives and friends.

Fined \$100 and Costs For Drinking in Car

ZEELAND (Special) — Oscar Olson, 27, of 112 Ann St., Spring Lake, Monday was fined \$100 and \$12.80 costs by Justice J. Boes on charges of allowing minors to drink beer in a car which was in his control on the M-21 bypass last week.

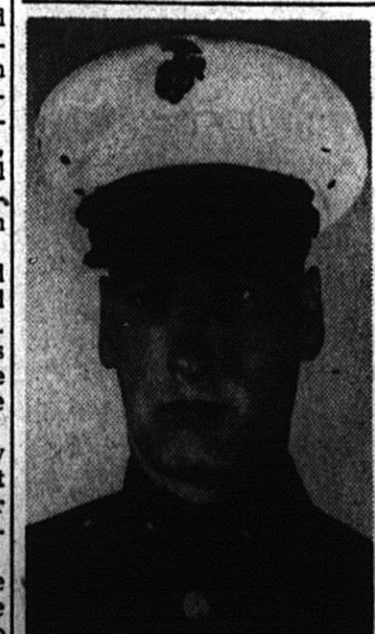
Olson was brought from the Grand Haven jail, where he was being held, to Zeeland. Two of the minors with Olson were fined Saturday and two juvenile girls were referred to Probate Court.

Funeral Services Held For East Casco Man

EAST CASCO (Special) — Funeral services were held Sunday at Calvin Funeral Home, South Haven, for Henry Schultz, 87, who died Thursday morning at his home here.

Surviving are the wife and one daughter, Mrs. Riley Overhiser; also three grandchildren and several great grandchildren, one brother and one sister.

Burial was in McDowell Cemetery, West Casco, where Masonic rites were held.



FFC. RONALD S. TORNOVISH is spending a 25-day leave with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tornovich, 2022 South Shore Dr. The Marine is stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif., where he will return on Dec. 13. Before coming home, Tornovich participated in the six-day AGLEX (air, ground, landing exercise) involving 15,000 Marines.



CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK — The theme, "It's Always Book Time," has been adopted in the Holland elementary schools this week during Book Week. Children are being encouraged to read historical books and try writing a historical ballad. Each of the five elementary libraries has received 100 new books boosting

the total to an estimated 12,000 books. Mrs. Mildred Alexander, librarian, meets with the children in each of the schools every two weeks. Mrs. Alexander (left) is shown at Lincoln School library reading to the second grade class of Mrs. Nancy Antrim. This week each child is being given a book mark. (Sentinel photo)

Trucks Carrying Load Must Stop

In the wake of the tragic tanker-train collision near Michigan City, Ind., Tuesday, Holland Police Chief Jacob Van Hoff today called attention of all truckers to the law that stipulates they must stop before crossing any railroad tracks.

Van Hoff pointed out that the law applies to all carriers of passengers for hire, school buses and carriers of explosives and heavy vehicles.

He promises a crackdown locally to enforce the regulation.

The law specifically says: "The driver of any motor vehicle carrying passengers for hire, or of any school bus carrying any school child, or of any vehicle carrying explosive substances or flammable liquids as a cargo or part of a cargo, or any motor vehicle weighing more than 10,000 pounds, including the load thereon, before crossing at grade 50 feet, but not less than 10 feet from the nearest rail of such railroad and while so stopped shall listen and look in both directions along such track for any approaching train, and for signals indicating the approach of a train, except hereinafter provided, and shall not proceed until he can do so safely."

"After stopping as required herein, and upon proceeding when it is safe to do so the driver of any vehicle shall cross only in such gear of the vehicle that there will be no necessity for changing gears while traversing such crossing and the driver shall not shift gears while crossing the track or tracks."

The law adds that it isn't necessary to stop at such a crossing when a police officer or traffic control signal directs traffic to go ahead.

Holland Woman Injured In Two-Car Collision

A Holland woman was injured Tuesday night when a car in which she was a passenger and a second vehicle collided in front of 784 South Shore Dr.

Dena Muller, 72, of 784 South Shore Dr. was taken to Holland Hospital with knee lacerations and possible chest injuries.

Ottawa County deputies said she was riding in a car operated by Fannie Van Dyke, 66, of 662 South Shore Dr. The car was hit by a car driven by Alton Van Faasen, 49, of 388 West 13th St., as the Van Dyke car turned into a driveway.

Deputies said damage to the Van Faasen '51 model car was estimated at \$150 while the '48 model Van Dyke car was a total loss. No tickets were issued pending further investigation.

Chamber Has Unique Tulip Time Request

The Holland Chamber of Commerce chalked up another "first" for Tulip Time reservations this morning.

Mrs. Benjamin Speet, who with her husband operates a motel south of Holland on US-31, telephoned the chamber and wanted to know the dates for the 1957 festival. When told it's May 15 through 18, she explained that a former client wanted to make a three-day reservation at the motel for a friend.

The gist of the matter is that the inquiring woman is giving the reservation to her friend as a Christmas present.

Truck Total Loss

Charles Van Belkum, 19, Grand Rapids, escaped uninjured Nov. 28 but his 1947 model pickup truck was a total loss after he lost control on M-21 a mile east of US-31 and rolled over. Ottawa County deputies investigated.

Airplane Crash Rumor Has Holland Buzzing

Events today once again proved that a rumor travels faster than any known object.

The story first reached The Sentinel office via a telephone call that an airplane had crashed in the Saugatuck area this morning.

Immediately the process of checking a story started. Holland police were contacted. They had heard nothing. Ottawa County deputies knew nothing.

A long distance call to the South Haven state police brought the same negative reply. Other calls to Saugatuck again resulted in no information.

A repeat call to South Haven was made. Officers there said they had received similar queries from other persons as well as district headquarters in Paw Paw.

A State Police car was dispatched to Saugatuck to investigate. A third call to South Haven still resulted in nothing except that the patrol car would remain in Saugatuck just in case.

The scene next shifted back to Holland where a check was made to find where the story started.

Apparently the story began with a milkman who told a telephone station operator who informed a garage mechanic who discussed it with an automobile dealer who then told The Sentinel about it.

Additional calls were made to various sources. Most had heard the same story but could add nothing to what was already known; "a plane had crashed near Saugatuck."

Finally after four hours of calls it was finally decided the story was only a rumor.

Fred Bakker Succumbs At Nunica Rest Home

Fred Bakker, 80, formerly of route 2, Holland, died early Wednesday at Little Village Rest Home in Nunica, where he had lived since 1952. He was employed as a carpenter before retiring. He was a member of Harlem Reformed Church where he had served as a consistory member.

Surviving are four sons, Albert, Jake and Nelson of Holland and Henry of Grand Haven; three daughters, Mrs. William Kole, Mrs. Chris Van Slooten and Mrs. John Brandens, all of Holland; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sena Bakker of Holland; two brothers, Herman and Joe Bakker, both of Holland; also 43 grandchildren and 60 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Harlem Reformed Church with the Rev. Francis Dykstra officiating. Relatives are asked to meet in the church basement at 1:45 p.m. Burial will be at North Holland cemetery.

The body is at Nibbelink-Notier Funeral Home where friends may call Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m., and Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Driver Given Summons

Allen Buurma, 17, of 292 West 18th St., Wednesday night was issued a ticket for failure to have his car under control after he struck a car operated by Harry Wieskamp, 52, of 96 East 21st St., on Ninth St. near College Ave. Police said damage to the vehicles was estimated at \$125.

Two Trucks Collide

A milk truck driven by John Bareman, 63, of Lakewood Blvd., received damage estimated at \$400 after it and a semi driven by William Ulley, Jr., 37, Coloma, collided on M-21 near 120th Ave. Wednesday. Ottawa County deputies said neither driver was injured.

\$52,000 Collected In 'Second-Mile'

With \$52,000 reported in pledges in the Holland Hospital "second mile" drive the one-third mark has been passed in the \$150,000 campaign. This amount represents 3-year pledges received to date by the memorial, special gifts and industrial committees.

The public drive will be launched on Monday, Dec. 3. All volunteer workers in the public campaign division are urged to attend the instruction meeting at 7 p.m. at Durfee Hall at Hope College.

By Saturday, Dec. 1, all workers should select the names of 10 people he or she wishes to solicit. This selection of prospects is made at the campaign office on the second floor of The Sentinel Building.

William Boer and Mrs. A. W. Tahaney, co-chairmen of the public drive division, said that more team captains and volunteer workers are needed and appealed to all public spirited citizens to volunteer to help in the drive. Those interested in doing so should phone 6-4233.

Former Holland Man Succumbs in Petoskey

Funeral services were held Wednesday in Petoskey for Isaac J. Schultz who died Monday morning at his home in Petoskey. He was 79 years old.

Surviving are the wife, Mary, a sister, Mrs. R. Van Oort, of Holland and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Schultz, a former resident of Holland, left for the north several years ago and worked in the lumber woods near Van and Pelliston. He and Mrs. Schultz lived on a farm at Brutus until his retirement after which they bought a home in Petoskey.

Holland Woman Suffers Fractured Right Knee

A Holland woman received a fractured right knee Wednesday when a car in which she was a passenger and another car collided at 22nd St. and Van Raalte Ave.

Mrs. Peter Van Iddekinge, 77, of 418 Homestead Ave., is in "good" condition today at Holland Hospital. She was riding in a car operated by Henrietta Van Hemert, 40, of 235 West 22nd St.

Police said the Van Hemert car was struck by one driven by William Hekman, 28, of 451 Central Ave., who was given a ticket for failure to stop at a stop street.

Police said Hekman's '50 model car was a total loss while damage to the Van Hemert '56 model station wagon was estimated at \$400.

Woman Issued Ticket

Jeanette Steggerda, 49, of 1351 Bayview Ave., Wednesday afternoon received a ticket for failure to yield the right of way after her car and one driven by Bob Holmen, 17, of 24 East 23rd St., collided at 20th and Pine Ave. Police said damage to the cars was estimated at \$550.

Seek Hit-Run Driver

Holland police today are seeking a hit-and-run motorist who struck a car driven by Marjorie Siver, 30, route 2, Zeeland, Wednesday night at Eighth St. and Garrison Ave., and then left the scene. Police said damage to the car was estimated at \$400.

Allegan County Hospital Patients Face Loss of Aid

City Finding Itself In Similar Plight On Fire Department

ALLEGAN (Special) — T. E. Hicks, director of the Allegan county Department of Social Welfare had the unpleasant task Monday morning of notifying some 70 patients in the county hospital that their state aid would cease as of Jan. 1.

Loss of state assistance came as a result of voters' refusal to approve an \$800,000 bond issue for construction of a new county hospital near Otsego, at the Nov. 6 election.

Hicks said he was required by law to notify individually the patients who would lose their state aid as a result of an order issued by Michigan Social Welfare Director W. J. Maxey, which followed on the heels of a letter from A. C. Renner, state fire marshal, notifying Maxey that his office had withdrawn approval of housing at the hospital.

State and federal aid funds are automatically withdrawn following condemnation by the state fire marshal.

Meanwhile, Allegan city was in a similar plight as a result of a negative vote on a \$60,000 bond issue for a new fire department building. City Manager P. H. Beauvais said he had been notified by Renner that the old city hall which now houses the fire department had been condemned.

Renner said it would be necessary for the city to move the steam boiler from its present location beneath the fire apparatus, repair the hose tower, install new, more strongly supported floors, replaster, remove the old bell tower and repair the roof. A contractor has estimated that the work would cost at least \$38,000.

The city has been ordered to move the fire apparatus until such repairs are made. One of the trucks, the Allegan township tank truck, already has been moved to the garage in the IOOF building. Temporary quarters for the remaining four trucks are being sought.

Beauvais said it had been estimated that a "bare necessity" building with poured concrete walls, large enough to house the equipment, would cost approximately \$34,000.

The social welfare department has not as yet been notified directly by the fire marshal, but when such notification comes, it is expected that it will call for immediate abandonment of the older, two-story section of the hospital and installation of a sprinkler system and water storage tower to serve the newer wing. If such improvements are made, Hicks said approximately 26 beds would be available for use.

This would leave 44 patients for whom beds must be sought, either in other county hospitals or in private nursing homes.

Hicks said loss of state aid for the patients would total approximately \$80,000 a year.

Possibility that the state's orders might be softened somewhat was a hope based on the fact that the entire Ottawa County hospital has been closed, part of Barry county's facilities shut down and Van Buren operating under the same restrictions issued to Allegan. This means that no facilities would be available in three adjoining counties.

Withdrawal of funds and condemnation of the hospital ended three years of warnings issued to the Allegan county board of supervisors to repair or replace the old hospital, located at the county farm four miles northwest of Allegan.

The issue was placed on the ballot twice. The first time voters were offered a \$1 million bond issue for a hospital to be built on the present site, the second time the site approved by the board was in Otsego. Observers believe that the site issue was the deciding factor in both elections and, last July, the board of supervisors was accused by the fire marshal's department of deliberately going against public demands on the site question as a round-about way of dodging construction of a new hospital.

Grand Rapids Teenager Injured in M-21 Crash

A Grand Rapids girl was injured Wednesday and the car in which she was riding was a total loss after it skidded on icy M-21 near Hudsonville and rolled over.

Vonde Hoeksma, 17, Grand Rapids, was taken to St. Mary's Hospital in Grand Rapids with multiple lacerations of her legs.

Ottawa County deputies said the car was driven by Linda Kaley, 17, Grand Rapids, who was not injured.

Two Cars Damaged

Two cars were damaged early Wednesday when both motorists headed for the same shoulder of the road and collided. Involved were cars driven by Henry Geurink, Sr., 71, route 1, Zeeland, and Lila Ryder, 49, Grand Haven. Ottawa County deputies estimated damage to the cars at \$350.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hartigan

of 687 Harrison Ave., have named their son Timothy Lee. The child was born Nov. 27 at Holland Hospital.



Herman Damson Dies at Home

Herman Damson, 86, drayman in Holland for many years, died Wednesday evening at his home, 187 West Ninth St., following an extended illness.

Damson was born in Grand Rapids. His family moved to Holland when he was one year old. He and Mrs. Damson, the former Jennie Bishop, celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary Oct. 24. He attended First Methodist Church and was a member of IOOF lodge No. 192, of which he served as treasurer 45 years.

Surviving besides the wife are two daughters, Mrs. Thomas (Marie) Simmons of Kalamazoo and Mrs. M. H. (Edith) Hamelink of Holland; three sons, George H. of Holland, Carl W. of Hastings and Edward of Holland; 12 grandchildren and two great grandchildren; a brother, F. George Damson of Beverly Hills, Calif.; five sisters, Mrs. John Dyke, Mrs. Eugene Ripley, Mrs. Burke Taylor, Mrs. Matilda Boone and Mrs. Louis Lawrence, all of Holland.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 3:30 p.m. at Nibbelink-Notier Funeral Chapel with the Rev. John O. Hagans officiating. Burial will be in Pilgrim Home Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral chapel Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Allegan May Call For Another Vote

ALLEGAN (Special) — Allegan county supervisors may call for a special election on the county hospital bond issue which was defeated at the Nov. 6 general election.

At least that will be a major item for discussion when the social welfare and finance committee of the board meet with the county Board of Social Welfare, Deputy Fire Marshal Walter Burns and Deputy State Welfare Director John Gambotto here Thursday.

Plans for the meeting were announced by T. W. Hicks, director of the county social welfare department, following a conference with Harry Hulmsa, chairman of the board of supervisors, and Dale Morris, finance committee chairman.

"Where do we go from here?" will actually be the main topic for discussion, according to Hicks, who said county officials were especially interested in what sort of concessions state officials would make as far as the recently announced condemnation of the present county hospital and the withdrawal of state aid funds for some 70 patients now housed there.

Jan. 1 is the effective date of the fund withdrawal and Hicks has estimated it would cost the county about \$80,000 a year to operate without these funds. In addition, quarters must be found for the 70 patients. Approval for 26 beds in the newest of three wings at the hospital would be granted following installation of a sprinkler system and water storage tower.

Bond issues of \$1 million and \$800,000 was defeated in the spring and fall elections. In the first poll the site specified was at the present hospital location. In the second a site near Otsego was offered. In both cases, observers believed voters objected to the sites, rather than the amount of the bond issue. Voters are believed to favor the city of Allegan as the most central site where municipal utilities and fire protection are available. Availability of Allegan Health Center facilities is another factor in favor of an Allegan city site, according to its backers.

The Waverly School Parent-Teachers Club will meet Friday at 8 p.m. in the school. The program will highlight a play "The Lord's Acre" given by a group of women from North Holland, and special music by Phyllis and Sharon Van Nul.

Must Have Test

All hospital auxiliary members who will be working in the coffee and gift shop when the new hospital wing opens are required to have a TB scratch test before they report for work. This test will be administered free of charge at the Ottawa County Health Department, 297 Central Ave., and Friday morning from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Auxiliary members are urged to get a test as soon as possible.

Dabs of Snow Keep City Crews Sanding Streets

Five or Six Inches At One Time Would Be Easier to Control

From the removal standpoint, Holland would be better off to have one good snowfall of five or six inches, according to City Engineer Laverne Serne.

Current weather, with an inch or two a day spread out over several days, makes it necessary for the street sanding crews to spend a lot of time applying abrasives.

Wednesday evening they were working from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. and started again at 3 a.m. and were getting to the back streets this morning.

Crews today were spreading a sand and salt mixture, while chloride was mixed with the salt last night. Serne said salt is effective only when the temperature is above 20 degrees.

With three trucks now spreading sand, and another spreader ordered, the streets department has already used the bulk of 280 tons of sand this winter.

A new experiment was tried during the Thanksgiving weekend when pure rock salt was put on streets at the beginning and during the storm. Twenty tons were applied then and another 20 tons have been purchased. Serne said the pure salt was first put on Friday evening and remained effective through Sunday afternoon.

The salt keeps snow from changing to ice and prevents ice already formed from adhering securely to the pavement. Thus, a plow can break it up easily. In addition, salt applied at intersections is carried farther down the block on automobile tires, and becomes effective there.

Price is one of the main reasons why so much sand is still being used. A ton of sand costs the city \$1.10 (when the city hauls it from Grand Rapids) while a ton of salt costs \$14.20. There was no provision for pure salt in the snow removal budget for this year, so probably no more will be purchased following this experiment, Serne said.

Two Bids Withdrawn From Appeals Schedule

Two of the three appeals scheduled to be heard at the Dec. 4 meeting of the Board of Appeals have been withdrawn, City Clerk Clarence Greengood said today.

The applications of Robert H. Leslie to build a house at 347 West 31st St., and William C. Vandenberg to use property for a Red Cross office have been withdrawn. The Leslie application was withdrawn because of a change in the plans for his house while the Vandenberg withdrawal was a temporary one due to personal reasons.

This leaves just one application to be heard, the appeal of Douglas Vander Hey, to convert a house to a two-family dwelling at 72 West 17th St.

Couple Gets Mission Assignment in Quebec

Hugh Van Order, presiding minister of the local congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses announced Nov. 28 that William and Olive Kasten, of 115 East 13th St., special representatives of the Watchtower, Bible and Track Society, have received a foreign missionary assignment in Three Rivers, Quebec, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Kasten have been associated with the Holland congregation for the past year. Mr. Kasten has served as assistant to Mr. Van Order and has been spending more than 100 hours a month in his house-to-house ministry talking with the people of Holland and vicinity.

Before coming to Holland Mr. Kasten spent four years as assistant to the presiding minister in the branch offices of the Watchtower Society in Wiesbaden, Germany.

The Kastens will leave for their assignment today and arrive in Three Rivers on Dec. 1.

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Committee Chairmen Named for Emblem Club Event



Articles Displayed by Ways and Means Committee

Members of the Ways and Means Committee of the Holland Elk's Emblem Club No. 211 are shown admiring the many items which will be on sale Friday at the Elk's Club Lodge rooms on Central Ave. beginning at 6:30 p.m. Proceeds will be given to the Prestatie Huis (Achievement House). The public is invited.

Shown (left to right) are Mrs. H. Childress, Mrs. R. Picard, Mrs. G. Botsis, Mrs. G. Michmerhuizen and Mrs. Gertrude Conklin.

Chairman of booths include Mrs. Flora Kouw, refreshments; Mrs. Ethel Picard, baked goods; Mrs. Eunice De Vries, candy; Mrs. Roberta Bouman, children's games; Mrs. Helen Childress, unusual gifts; Mrs. Florence Hall, white elephant; Mrs. Rhett Kroll, country store; Mrs. Thelma Michmerhuizen, for the person who has everything; and Mrs. Marie Botsis, publicity.

Hamilton

Thanksgiving Day services were well attended in the local churches. The Rev. Paul Veenstra was in charge at the Christian Reformed Church and guest minister at the Reformed Church was the Rev. Edward Vining of Dunningville, in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. Norman Van Heukelom, who has been in ill health the past few weeks and was taken to Holland Hospital recently for observation and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Robinson and children, Brian and Brenda of Detroit were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Lampen.

The Hamilton area deer hunters have returned from the north woods and have taken up their usual routine of work. Heavy snow was reported in the Upper Peninsula and many hunters returned without their game. Among the successful ones were George Reimink, Lloyd Brink, Gerrit Lugten, Floyd Redder and Marvin Klokert. A ten point buck was also brought back by Alvin Strabbing of Holland who was with a local party near the Gulliver area in the Upper Peninsula.

The Hamilton School pupils and their instructors enjoyed a long weekend vacation, resuming their activities on Monday morning. The Kooops families enjoyed a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Kooops on Thanksgiving Day. Included in the group were the parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Kooops, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Van Order and children, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kooops and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kooops and Vicki, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hulsmann and children, Miss Beverly Kooops and the Irwin Kooops family.

Guest ministers in the local Reformed Church last Sunday were Dr. Elton Eenigenberg and Dr. Eugene Oosterhaven, both faculty members of Western Theological Seminary. At the evening service guest singers were Wallace Folk and Alfred Lampen of Overisel and soloist at the morning service was Dr. H. W. Tempas.

The Senior High and Junior High Christian Endeavor services featured the topic, "TV — Is it Worth the Time?" Gary Kempfers was leader for the Senior group, with devotions in charge of Eleanor Reimink and the Junior group devotional leaders were Gloria Top and Delwin Redder with Betty Lugten serving as pianist. The Young People's C. E. was a conservation meeting with all members participating and Marilyn Hansen in charge of devotions.

Miss Judith Nykamp, student at Western Michigan College in Kalamazoo spent the Thanksgiving Day weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nykamp.

The Men's Brotherhood of the Reformed Church met in regular sessions last week Monday evening with the Men's Society of the local Christian Reformed Church as special guests. Guest speaker was Dr. Henry Bast of Western Theological Seminary.

The WHTC "Bread of Life" radio program Sunday noon originated in the local Christian Reformed Church with the Rev. Paul Veenstra in charge, assisted by musical selections, a vocal duet by Mrs. Edward Lampen and Mrs. Marie Zoerhoff and a solo by Miss Lampen.

Mrs. John Kaper returned last Friday from Houghton where she spent several days with her son's family. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kaper and Pamela, upon the arrival of a baby boy in the Kaper home. Mr. Kaper is a student at Houghton College.

Terry Kaper, student at Ferris Institute in Big Rapids spent the Thanksgiving vacation in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kaper and the family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray J. Mastman for Thanksgiving dinner.

Olive Center

A regular meeting of the Home Economic group and the annual Christmas party will be held next Tuesday evening, Dec. 4, at the home of Mrs. Bill Brady. The lesson is on "Understanding Your Child" and the roll call will be answered by naming a Christmas carol. Each member is reminded of the gift for her secret Pal. The meeting will begin at 7:45 p.m.

Mrs. Jennie Vander Zwaag is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kathryn Eelman in Grand Haven for a few days.

A family gathering was held at the Holland township hall honoring Mrs. Clara Bartels on her 83rd birthday anniversary. Gifts were presented and lunch was served. Mrs. Bartels has 91 descendants, most of whom were present.

Jim Slagh, Art Mann, Joel Hirdes, Louis Taylor and Herman Smeysers are among the few hunters who have returned from a hunting trip in the upper peninsula.

Thanksgiving Day was the scene of many family gatherings, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Veldheer entertained Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Winters from Howard City. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brady had as guests, Mrs. Brady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Kraai, also her brothers and sisters. The Cornie Vandenberg and Richard Diemer families attended the Bolman family dinner at the town hall. The Albert Timmer family entertained Mr. and Mrs. James Kieles of East Holland. Mrs. Sena Redder and John. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schamper, Miss Phyllis and Robert Kiekema of Grand Rapids and the Rev. and Mrs. Chester Schramper and children of Allendale were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nykamp in Holland. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vander Kooik were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Driezenza.

Altar Guild Members Elect New Officers

Members of Altar Guild of Grace Episcopal Church elected officers for 1957 at a regular meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Maurice Brower, Chippewa Beach.

Mrs. Brower was elected president; Mrs. Russell Sova, secretary; Mrs. Charles Woodall, treasurer, and Mrs. Carl C. Van Raalte, Women's Council representative.

The meeting was conducted by the retiring president, Mrs. Lewis Borgman. Other retiring officers are Mrs. Jo. Antas, secretary and council representative, and Mrs. John N. Garvelink, treasurer.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Antas, hostess for the evening.

Miscellaneous Shower Honors Recent Bride

Mrs. Ben Bergman, Jr., the former Delores Kampen, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Ed Kampen. Hostesses were Mrs. Peter Dryer, Jr., and Mrs. Ed Kampen.

Gifts were arranged near the fireplace. On the mantle was a miniature bride. Duplicate prizes were won by Miss Gertrude De Roo, Mrs. Elmer Boerman, De Lorenzo Meengs and Mrs. Albert Kampen. A two course lunch was served.

Guests were the Mesdames Albert Kampen, Elmer Boerman, Ralph Woldring, Russell Woldring, Ben Bergman, Sr., Fred Van Wieren, Lorenzo Meengs, Ben Schout and the Misses Grace De Roo, Gertrude De Roo, Hilda Bergman, Beula Kampen and the guest of honor.

The son born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schrottenboer of route 1, at Allendale Hospital on Nov. 28, has been named Thomas Allan.

Ottawa County Farm News

Richard Machiele
County Agricultural Agent
Patrons of the Grand Haven State Bank will be interested in knowing that this bank has complimentary copies of the Michigan State University Farm Account Book for those who are interested in keeping farm accounts.

We have had a number of requests for farm building plans using the clear-span roof construction. We now have a new leaflet entitled "Clear-Span Roof Construction Circular No. 732 put out by Michigan State University which gives complete details on the construction of the pole type building without any center poles. The roof is a ring bolt truss which is almost 100 per cent sag proof. These buildings are designed to be used for farm machinery, storage, poultry houses, and dairy barns. Copies of these plans are free by writing our office in Grand Haven complete details and construction of the barn and truss are given in this folder.

We have word from the South Haven Experiment Station that they will again sell a limited number of unrooted cuttings of the Earliblue and Bluegray varieties. The Earliblue has been promising at the South Haven Experiment Station. Matures nearly as early as Weymouth. Bush is vigorous and productive. Berries are large, deep blue, firm, and have excellent flavor. The picking scar is good and the berries hang to the bushes when ripe remarkably well. Like all early blueberries varieties, it blossoms early. Resistance to frost is not fully known. At this date it is the best early variety on trial at South Haven.

The Bluegray was released a year ago. The bushes have been vigorous and productive. Berries are large, medium blue, firm, and of good flavor. Picking scar is not as good as desired.

If interested in some of these unrooted cuttings write Stanley Johnston, South Haven Experiment Station and place your order before March 15, 1957 to be eligible.

We have received a new folder regarding a commercial vegetable growers short course to be held this winter. This is an eight-week course running from January through February. The course will deal with the following subjects: Vegetable production, Vegetable handling and storage, Diseases of vegetable crops, Marketing, Soil fertility, Farm Law, Farm Machinery, Potato production, Beekeeping, Farm Insects.

Any young person interested in attending this could take advantage of the Ottawa County Bankers Association offer for a scholarship. These scholarships are handled through our office. However the course is not limited to young people. Any vegetable grower who would like to attend this course or at least a high school education will be eligible.

Veterans can qualify through the Veterans program and application should be made through the Veterans Administration or to the Short Course office at Michigan State University.

The 86th annual meeting of the Michigan Horticultural Society will be held at Grand Rapids, Dec. 4, 5, and 6 at the Civic Auditorium. We have a few extra copies of the program in case you would like to have one. Just drop us a line. This program deals not only with tree fruits but also small fruits such as strawberries, raspberries and grapes.

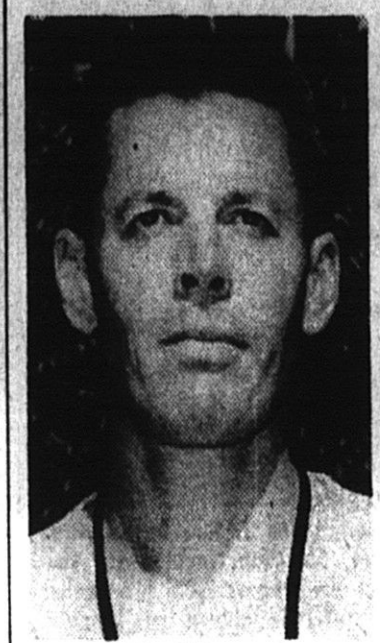
We have had a number of requests for information on the new Soil Bank plan and also on Social Security as it affects farmers. Arrangements are being made in cooperation with our local ASC office to hold a county-wide meeting the afternoon of Dec. 5 at Allendale Town Hall. Members of the local committee will be there to explain their part of the program. Richard Wheeler from Michigan State University will also be there to discuss these topics with you.

Brewer Coaches Hope JV Cagers; Drill for Opener

Coach Gordon Brewer, in his first year as coach of the Hope College junior varsity basketball team, has shaved his team and is beginning to push home the points most important in the Hope fast-break style of play.

"We're preparing these boys for the varsity and regard this team as a stepping stone. Coach (Russ) De Vette and I are confident many of these boys will be playing varsity ball some day."

The JV team is made up predominantly of freshman and at the present, Brewer has only one sophomore, Keith Emmerson, on the



Gord Brewer

... offers stepping stone team. Emmerson, who was one of the leading scorers last season is expected to be a mainstay.

Former Holland and Zeeland players have rated notice from Brewer and should see action in the opener against R. E. Barber of the Holland City League Dec. 8 in Civic Center at 6:15 p.m. as a preliminary to the Hope-Olivet game.

John Kleinheksel, center on the Dutch five a year ago, and Jan Robert, a reserve, are counted on along with Lloyd Tinholt, prep team manager. An injury prevented Tinholt from competing in high school.

Jim Kaat, Carl Wissink and Darryl Wiersma, all Zeeland first stringers also are high on the list. Wissink has been showing up well the last few days while Kaat had an early edge.

Ivan Vander Kolk, a 6'3" ex-Grandville prepster, has been working around the boards along with Don Van't Hof, who formerly played for Brewer at Kelloggville.

Two Amsterdam, N. Y. lads Dave Clark and Dave White are other prospects. Forrest White, residing in Zeeland, Al Kober of Herkimer, N. Y., Dave Biery of Northville and Jack Hoogendoorn of Kalamazoo are other hopefuls. Hoogendoorn was one of the standouts on the Kalamazoo Christian team a year ago.

Del Siedentop, an excellent shot from Downers Grove, Ill., is recovering from an appendectomy and has just reported for practice.

Couples Club Features Potluck Supper, Games

The newly-organized Couples Club of Grace Church held its opening social event Wednesday evening with a potluck supper and games program in the parish hall. About 40 persons attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Waters were in charge of games featuring some well-known "ice-breakers." A song fest was included in the program with a novelty act, the Very Rev. William C. Warner at the piano. Attractive Christmas decorations on the tables were arranged by Mrs. Edward Broolin and Mrs. Gerard Cook.

Chairmen for the event were Mr. and Mrs. William J. Sisk, club presidents; Mr. and Mrs. Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Faber and Dr. and Mrs. Albert Centolella.

Another potluck supper is scheduled for January.

Corporate Communion Service to Be Sunday

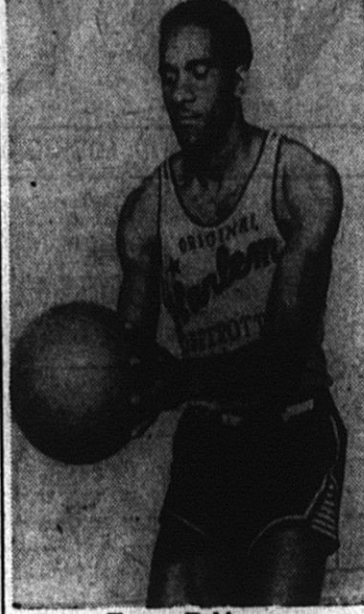
The men and boys of Grace Episcopal Church will receive Holy Communion at the 7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Sunday at Grace Church when the local parish, along with the more than 8,000 congregations of the Episcopal Church in this country, observes the annual Advent corporate communion for men and boys. The Very Rev. William C. Warner, rector, will be the celebrant, assisted by the acolytes of St. Vincent's Guild.

Following the Eucharist a communion breakfast will be served the men and boys in the parish hall. Paul Van Raalte is in charge of the breakfast.

Irwin DeWeerd, parish key man, is chairman of the annual event, and has announced that immediately after the breakfast the motion picture "Song of the Pacific" will be shown. This film, in sound and color, portrays the work of the Episcopal Church in the Hawaiian Islands and elsewhere in the Pacific area. The film will be shown again after the 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. services.

Skids Into Guard Rail

Carroll Leestma, 16, route 2, Zeeland, Wednesday night escaped uninjured when he lost control of his car on M-21 three miles east of Zeeland and struck a guard rail. Ottawa County deputies said Leestma told them his car hit a patch of ice. Damage to the '52 model car was estimated at \$200, deputies said.



Ermer Robinson

... 'the old pro'

Ermer Robinson Coaches Trotters

"The Old Pro" of the Harlem Globetrotters basketball team will be here against the professional Philadelphia Spahs in Civic Center Saturday night at 8 p.m., as a star and assistant coach to Abe Saperstein.

He's Ermer Robinson, the quiet and modest forward whose actions on the court long have spoken for him. A great all-around player and one of the best shots basketball has ever known, Robby is making his eleventh season with the Trotters one of his finest. He's already established as an all-time, all-star Globetrotter forward. Robinson will be coaching the unit here.

The one-hand push shot artist started his career as a standout prep in his home town of San Diego, Calif., and then gained national recognition with Fort Warren's basketball team while in the service during World War II. Among his feats at that time was the setting of a National AAU tournament scoring record at Denver.

After military service, Ermer joined the Globetrotters. The 6'2" 190-pounder is best when the pressure is on. That's where the "Old Pro" label, tagged on him by his teammates, comes in.

Never-to-be-forgotten is his one-hand shot from mid court in the last seconds of play that won the Globetrotters' first game of the famed series with the Minneapolis Lakers.

Holiday Arrangements Displayed at Meeting

Beautiful Christmas table arrangements were displayed by Mrs. Thaddeus Taft at the meeting of Willard G. Leenhouts post, American Legion Auxiliary Monday night in the Legion club house. Mrs. Taft emphasized that we in Michigan are fortunate in having so much natural beauty surrounding us and should look around our homes for artistic decorations instead of buying them.

He arranged four different tables to suit varying tastes. The modern table, which Mrs. Taft said was for the "younger set" featured a pink jeweled tree and reindeer on a black cloth. The traditional informal table was highlighted with large pine cones and evergreen boughs on a red and green cloth. A green and gold color scheme featured the 1956 table with gold ornaments on a green cloth. The "lean year" table was centered with a hugh popcorn cake surrounded with water-color painted dollies.

Other decorations by Mrs. Taft included a madonna arranged with greens, a pine cone wreath and for a door decoration of gourds painted white with greens and ribbons.

Mrs. Taft told Auxiliary members Christmas is an all-year project. Mrs. Alden Stoner, president, presided at the business meeting. The Auxiliary again voted to contribute to all local established community drives. It was decided to donate \$50 to the Veterans Facility for Christmas gifts and to send gifts to all local hospitalized veterans.

The next meeting will be a Christmas potluck on Dec. 17 at 6:30 p.m. Members desiring transportation should call Mrs. Henry Brower.

Borculo

Mr. and Mrs. F. Westveld announce the birth of a son on Nov. 21.

Mrs. Marion De Boer has returned home from the Zeeland Hospital.

Nursery attendant next Sunday will be Duetta Laurisema.

Afternoon services will be held in the local church beginning next Sunday, until further notice.

Because of family visiting this week there will be no other meetings.

The Rev. G. Van Gronigen's sermons on Sunday were entitled "Murder" and "The Preparation for the Coming of Christ." Opportunity will be given next Sunday morning for infant baptism.

The Holland-Zeeland Deacons Conference will hold its fall meeting on Thursday, Dec. 6, in Second Church of Allendale.

The ninth grade of the Allendale Christian school attended the football game at Lansing on Saturday, going by bus. The group included several from this vicinity.

The Children's Choir sang special numbers on Sunday. A short hymn also was held before the Sunday evening service.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Essenburg of Zeeland are building a new home north of the village.

The Young Peoples Society of Berean Church, 19th St. and Maple Ave., will sponsor a singspiration Sunday at 8:45 p.m.

Leader Discloses Reasons Behind Hospital Drive

Reasons for giving to the \$150,000 Holland Hospital campaign justify support of all public spirited citizens and corporations, John H. Van Dyke said today, speaking for the campaign executive committee.

The reasons for giving to the drive as outlined by Van Dyke are:

1. By getting all the necessary funds the hospital will be increased to 129 beds and 36 bassinets. In addition, many important service facilities will be added.

2. Additional funds are needed because the cost of construction and equipment increased substantially between the time the initial funds were committed and the letting of the contracts. It was not possible to determine the actual cost so that contracts could be let until most of the funds had been assured through the bond issue, township contributions and the federal grant.

3. By raising \$150,000 through this "second mile" appeal assurance can be given that the hospital expansion program will be completed as it should be and that a fund will be set up for the purchase of equipment in future years. This will mean that by a successful drive people will not be called upon for several years to give to the hospital again.

4. As everyone in this area is a potential user of the hospital everyone in the entire area will have the opportunity to make a three year pledge proportionate to his or her ability.

Ottawa Station

The Ottawa School Mothers Club will meet Monday evening, Dec. 3 at 8 p.m. Christmas party plans will be discussed. The club recently purchased a book-case for the school.

Rodney L. Kruijthoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Kruijthoff, and Miss Lucille Ruth Zalsma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Major Zalsma, were united in marriage Nov. 17, in Robinson Gospel Tabernacle.

It was recently discovered that little Gloria Snider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Snider, had Polio in 1955 and now is, wearing a shoe brace to help correct the afflicted area.

The annual congregational meeting will be held Dec. 3. Retiring members are, Elders, C. Bartels, J. Vander Kooik, and L. Taylor; Deacons, R. Boersma and A. Haasvoort. Those nominated as elders were J. Bartels, D. Bekius, N. Boersma, J. Essenberg, F. Meriman and J. Morren; Deacons, R. Muesen, M. Nagelkirk, G. Ten Brink, and B. Vander Kooik.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday. Leader will be Esther Bartels with special music by Jennie Bekius. Hostesses will be Mrs. J. Bekhus and Mrs. Jennie Kuipers.

The annual West Olive Ladies Club program will be held at the West Olive School this year on Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. Gifts of all kinds will be on display. Lunch will be served. Later in the evening an auction will be held and the quilt winner will be announced.

Rev. Poel Accepts Call To New Fruitport Church

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — The Rev. Abel Poel, who has served at the Rehoboth Indian Mission Field at Rehoboth, N. M., for 12 years, has accepted a call to become pastor of the New Christian Reformed Church at Fruitport. Rev. Poel, who is 48 years old and has four children, all of school age or older, is a native son of Second Christian Reformed Church of Grand Haven, which sponsors the Fruitport church.

Rev. Poel was a former pastor at Parchment, near Kalamazoo, for nine years and has been in the ministry for 21 years. His mother Mrs. Melle Poel, resides in Grand Haven. He expects to preach his farewell service in Rehoboth Jan. 20 and leave there at the end of the first semester.

The Rev. William VanderHoven of Wyoming Park, Grand Rapids, who has been extended a call by Second Christian Reformed Church of Grand Rapids, has asked for a week's additional time in which to make his decision on the call which was extended Oct. 30.

The church has been without a pastor since July 31, when Rev. E. J. Tanis retired from active ministry. Rev. Tanis is now spending about six or seven weeks in Florida, and will do some preaching in the churches in the area of Bradenton and St. Petersburg.

Mystery of Silver Bowl Has Officers Puzzled

A large sterling silver bowl found in Centennial Park Tuesday was believed to have been stolen and then abandoned but officers are not sure where the theft occurred.

Holland detectives and Ottawa County deputies checked the Macatawa Bay Yacht Club and while it appeared the building had been entered it was not immediately determined if anything was missing.

The bowl, valued in excess of \$100, is awarded annually to the winner of the sailing race between Holland and South Haven by the latter club. The race was not run the last two years.

Officers are checking with yacht club officials and with South Haven in an attempt to clear up the mystery.

Hope's Kuyers and Gantos Named to All-MIAA Team

Dave Kuyers, senior fullback and captain and Dick Gantos, junior guard, if Hope College's football team were named to the 14-player All-MIAA football team announced Wednesday by League Judge Advocate De Gay Ernst.

Kuyers, Hope's most valuable player and winner of the league rushing title, regained a spot on the team after missing last year. He made it in 1954. But for Gantos, a rugged defensive player and top man in opening holes in the center for Kuyers' line plunges, it was his first selection.

Hope failed to place anyone on the second team but center Earl De Witt, a senior, and junior captain-elect halfback Mert Vanderlind and junior end Paul Wiegink, received honorable mention.

Champion Hillsdale College placed four men, runnerup Kalamazoo grabbed three spots and the other five schools placed at least one man on the team.

Named on the first team for the third time in four years were senior back Nate Clark and senior end Andy Kincannon, both of Hillsdale.

Other repeaters from the 1955 all-league team are junior tackle Phil Perry of Kalamazoo, guard senior Dave Trippett of Hillsdale, soph quarterback Bob Urschaltz of Kalamazoo and soph fullback Jim Hurd of Albion.

Only freshman named to this year's team was halfback Bob McNally of Olivet, a rookie from Battle Creek Lakeview. Other first time top team choices are ends senior Vic Landeryou of Kalamazoo and junior Leon Harper of Adrian, senior tackle Warren Spragg of Hillsdale, senior guard Phil Kalsas of Albion and center sophomore Eric Sundek of Alma.

Urschaltz and Kincannon were unanimous choices of all opponents while Trippett and Perry had five out of six possible votes apiece.

Ties resulted in the voting for guard between Gantos and Kalsas and at end between Harper and Landeryou. Hurd and Clark tied in the backfield.

Second team members included: ends — Lee Jones, senior, Hillsdale, and Lin Reed, junior, Albion; tackles — Ed St. Clair, Hillsdale junior and Jim Harmon, junior, Albion; guards — John Sweet, senior, Kalamazoo, and Ron Cookayne, junior, Hillsdale and center, Ken Mosier, senior, Kalamazoo.

Backs — Bill Allinder, senior, Hillsdale; Bob Hill, Walt Poe, sophomore, Hillsdale and Frank Lawrence, senior, Alma.

Listed for honorable mention were Dave Driscoll, Hillsdale center; Fritz Lewis, Albion guard; Clint Griffin, Hillsdale tackle; Sale Luke, Alma tackle; Chuck Morrison, Alma end and Tom Taylor, Albion end.

Sweet slipped from the first to second team this year while Harper and Landeryou moved up from the '55 second team to share a first team end spot this year. Reed and Lawrence advanced from last year's honorable mention list to this year's second team.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Tuesday were George Lumsden, 83 West 21st St.; Bernard Meiste, route 5; Henry Bazaan, 2nd St.; Adrian Donze, 631 East Eighth St.; Fred Rozeboom, 298 West 12th St.; Mrs. Peter Ver Houwe, 187 West 28th St.; Mrs. Elsie Lavoy, route 3, Allegan; Mrs. Samuel Sumpter, route 6; Mary De Leeuw, 79 West 32nd St.; Nadine Ross, 5871 Eighth Ave.; Grandville; Judith Kleiman, 778 West 32nd St.; Beverly Barnes, route 6; Roger D. Lemmen, 192 East 25th St.; John S. Percival III, 2488 Lakeshore Ave.; William M. Valkema, 184 West 17th St.

Discharged Tuesday were Mrs. Julia Adams, 122 East Eighth St.; Mrs. John Veenhoven and baby, route 5; Mary De Leeuw, 79 West 32nd St.; Kenneth Vander Ford, New Richmond; Beverly Barnes, route 6; Roger D. Lemmen, 192 East 25th St.; Mrs. Willis Borr and baby, 15 West 16th St.; Mrs. Warren Bosman, 631 Lakeshore Blvd.; Mrs. Marvin L. Hoffmeyer and baby, 576 Lake Dr.; Mrs. William P. Brink and baby, 27 East 32nd St.; Barry Kleeves, route 4; Beverly Garvelink, 267 West 19th St.; Adrian Donze, 631 East Eighth St.; Diane Lynn Moore, 298 East 13th St.; Joyce Overbeek, route 6.

Archery Scores

Marv Wabeke and Gene Hiddinga, a couple of perennial competitors for top honors, paced the weekly Holland Archery Club shoot Nov. 21 at Holland High gym.

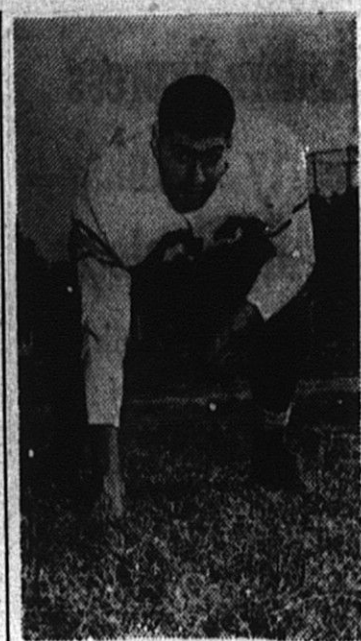
Wabeke and Hiddinga each fired 764 scores to nose out another runner John Lam, who came home with a 762.

Other firing in the 700's included: Bill Brown, 752; Paul Barkel, 748; Glenn Brower, 746; Bob Schoon, 730; Jake Ten Cate, 726 and Charley Myers, 718.

Other scores were: Ed Jousma, 682; Glad Jousma, 689; Dick Taylor, 684; Lee York, 680; Kaye Hoogerhyde, 680; Webb Dalmann, 672; Jerry Kline, 672; Chuck Klungbe, 649; Don Timmer, 646; Don Brower, 639; Reka Brown, 616; Phyllis York, 610 and Bud Van Tak, 587.

Frank Van Duren, 571; Burt Call, 550; Don Hoving, 564; Mel Jousma, 552; Sylvia Timmer, 530; D. Glen De Waard, 50; Catherine Call, 87 1/2 S. De Jonge, 485 and Joyce Barkel, 475.

Cliff Mc Crane of Muskegon shot an 800 out of a possible 810 and Steve Murar also of Muskegon fired a 762.



Dick Gantos ... first time



Dave Kuyers ... back after year's absence

Several Appear In Local Court

Several persons were arraigned in Municipal Court the last few days.

Zefirino Medellin, 40, of 285 Lakewood Blvd., was arraigned Monday on a drunk driving charge and was sentenced to serve five days and pay fine and costs of \$64.70. If fine and costs are not paid, he must serve an additional 30 days.



NO CHRISTMAS RUSH YET — but this is how the work room of the Holland post office looks on a regular day. Come Christmas, every available nook and cranny is stuffed full of letters and parcels and employees work elbow to elbow. Moral of this story is to mail your greetings and parcels early, and to write legibly and have the full addresses. Shown in foreground is Boyd Vander Ploeg and at rear John Stephenson. Both are city carriers.

(Penna-Sas photo)

Board Working Toward Plan for New High School

Final Decision Due At Dec. 6 Meeting; Await Study Report

The Board of Education met for more than three hours Monday night in an attempt to resolve the situation leading to a solution of crowded conditions and a new high school building.

Meeting with the board for a part of the time was Mayor Robert Visser and Willard C. Wichers, chairman of the Holland Planning Commission.

The school board as yet has adopted no definite recommendations but is working on a co-operative plan with City Council, Planning Commission and the Board of Public Works. Final decision will be brought to a large degree on facts brought out by the Area School Study in which some 40 persons of the Holland area spent eight or nine months in studying school problems.

Crux of the problem is how to provide proper facilities (to wit, a new high school) for the rapidly increasing student body on the secondary level. It is generally conceded that Holland city with its limited boundaries cannot be expected to bond itself for 3 or 4 million dollars when some 56 percent of the high school student body comes from outside the city.

From Monday's discussion, it appears that because of insurmountable tax and assessment complications in nearby townships, the trend is toward consideration of some city annexation as well as annexation to the school district. No boundary lines have been recommended as yet, but the trend points to the populated areas adjacent to the city of Holland.

Considerably more study will be done before the Board of Education makes its recommendation at a joint meeting Dec. 6 of the Planning Commission, City Council, Board of Public Works and the Board of Education.

Spring Lake Country Club Has \$1,000 Fire Damage

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Fire, believed caused by a defective floor plug which ignited draperies, caused an estimated \$1,000 damage at the Spring Lake Country Club Monday night.

The fire was spotted at 9:10 p. m. by John Ruiter who was driving in from Fruitport. He called firemen from the John Hutschman home nearby and the Spring Lake fire department remained on the scene for an hour.

The fire occurred in the large ballroom where large triple windows had been installed just last week. Defective wiring in the floor plug apparently ignited the draperies which also spread to the valances and boxed beams in the ceiling. The Town and Country room just below the ball room was slightly damaged by water.

The club is closed all day Monday and there was no one on the premises.

Nigeria, a British colony, is almost three times the size of the British Isles.

Grandstanding...

By Randy Vande Water

Tom Maentz, who plucked off some of football's greatest thrills with the same ease and motion used when he went up for a forward pass, wound up a brilliant three-year career Saturday with only one football thrill slipping from his grasp.

That big thrill was playing in the Rose Bowl, a feat which escaped the Michigan football team each year Maentz was a member. Besides being the dream of every kid in America to play in the Rose Bowl, Maentz had a particular reason to want to get into the Pasadena turf.

For it was in 1934 that Maentz's uncle, Bob Maentz, who now lives in California was a left halfback on the powerful Stanford University Rose Bowl eleven.

And "Uncle Bob" was even fortunate enough to play in the 1935 game, too.

But Stanford lost both games. The '34 game, featuring the old K-F-79 play invented by Lou Little

the Wolves finished tied for second place in the Big Ten.

Last year, Michigan had to be content with third as Michigan State took the trip and Ohio State and Illinois succeeded in beating the Wolverines.

This year the Spartans and Minnesota sidetracked the Michigan express and Iowa is headed West. Salvaged for Maentz, who was given his team's highest honor by being chosen captain, was aiding received this season and helping to knock Ohio State out of a conference tie, the first time the Michigan team had beaten the Buckeyes in three years.

Maentz, in leaping to his football heights, had several never-to-be-forgotten thrills sprinkled through the three years.

There was a chilly day in Minneapolis a year ago, when the Holland end sneaked between two Gopher defenders to snag one-handed a nine-yard pass to tie the score. Michigan won the game on a placement. His performance brought him lineman-of-the-week honors.

And against Iowa he grabbed two passes to break the game wide open and bring his name to a vast TV audience.

His selection as captain plus the All-Big Ten and All-American honors climaxed the season. He was chosen on the conference Big Ten team and on the United Press All-American second team last year.

This season he directed the team from his right end post and heard rival coaches acclaim him each week. Already one All-American (NEA) has named Maentz to its third team.

Francis Powers, chief scout and publicity director for the East-West Shrine game in San Francisco is another who has been praising Maentz's prowess. Powers picked Maentz on his 1956 pre-season All-American team and calls him the best all-around end.

Powers' praise was followed by an invitation from the East-West committee and Maentz accepted Monday. So the Holland end will be on the West Coast, Jan. 1, after all, doing his part for the famed Shrine slogan of "strong legs run so that weak legs may walk."

Engaged



Miss Elaine Grace De Weerd, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond De Weerd of Holland announce the engagement of their daughter, Elaine Grace, of Denver, Colo., to Herman G. Mannes, son of George Mannes and the late Jenny Mannes of Denver.

Miss De Weerd is a graduate of the Pine Rest School of Nursing in Grand Rapids.

Workers Pushing Hospital Drive

The \$150,000 Holland Hospital drive is the final effort to get sufficient funds to complete the building and equipping of the hospital, John F. Donnelly, speaking for the campaign executive committee, said today.

During this week a special effort will be made by the special gifts, memorial, and industry gifts committees to reach their respective quotas. The final phase of the drive will start Monday, Dec. 3 with the public campaign.

Donnelly said that the campaign brochure gives all of the facts about the need for funds and a brochure will be sent to anyone phoning 6-4233 or calling at the campaign office in the Sentinel Building.

"We hope," he added, "everyone realizes just how important it is to get the needed funds. Unless this campaign is successful it will be necessary to cut down on some of the remodeling. This would result in fewer beds than planned. This must be avoided, for more beds are urgently needed. We of the campaign executive committee feel confident that all public spirited citizens will realize the seriousness of the situation and through "second mile" pledges will make it possible to have an adequate hospital of which everyone will be proud."

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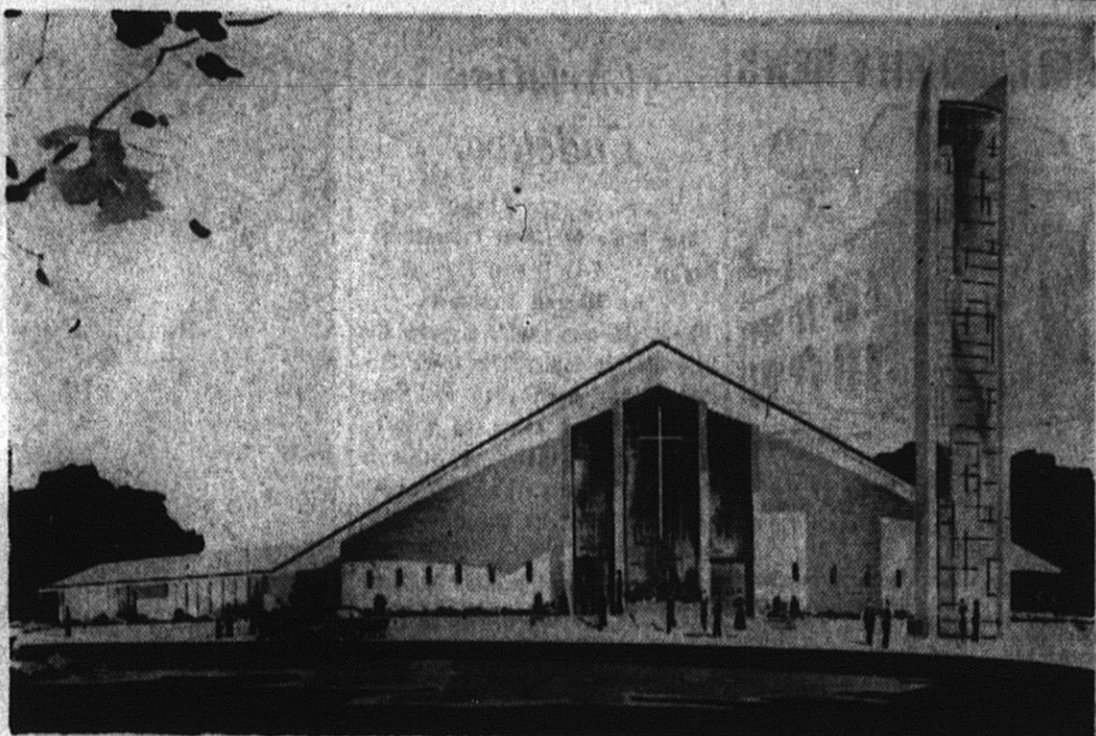
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The edifice will be of contemporary design with brick, stone, and block construction, and includes a parking area to the west and north of the structure. A unique feature of the design is the triangular layout of the main auditorium, which provides a closer seating arrangement in relation to the chancel, and also a large narthex for gathering before and after services. This design should lend itself to better acoustics and heating.

The basement will be used as the educational unit of the church, providing Sunday School and study rooms, a kitchen, a large Fellowship room with a platform, and space for heating and air-conditioning equipment.

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Marriage Licenses

Ottawa County

Ronald Vern Covell, 19, Holland, and Gwen Rae Etterbeek, 21, route 3, Holland; Larry B. Graham, 20, Grand Haven, and Carol Harvey, 19, route 1, Grand Haven; Douglas J. Rose, 19, and Beverly J. Jones, 18, both of route 2, Nunda; Frank Charles Kurburski, 22, and Marian Chapman, 23, both of Grand Haven; Jack Shuler, 30, and Ruth Quillian, 24, both of Holland; Beale R. Eastling, 20, and Marilyn Brosselt, 17, both of route 1, Grand Haven; Carlson William Bogan, 20, Miamisburg, Ohio, and Adrianna May Wagenmaker, 18, Ferrysburg.

Mail Your Christmas Gifts and Cards Early

Post office patrons making Christmas mailings may take advantage of two privileges not available to them in previous years.

Letters may be enclosed in parcels if the fact is noted on the outside of the package and three cents extra is included in postage paid. The exact wording should be "first class mail enclosed" which may be placed above the address.

Sealed parcels need no longer carry the notation that they may be opened for postal inspection. Of course, no writing may be enclosed unless noted as outlined above.

Postmaster Harry Kramer also urged the use of the first class postage on greeting cards to assure prompt handling and return if undeliverable. People are urged to add their return address and list the full and correct street and number of the intended recipient.

The postmaster said that about half of the force handling Christmas mail would be inexperienced personnel and no directory service

is permitted on ordinary letter mail.

The Holland post office was fortunate again this year that Western Theological Seminary will close for its holiday vacation in time to help process and deliver the Christmas mail. About 35 extra men will be needed and most of them will be seminary students.

Above all, citizens are urged to shop early and mail early to facilitate the processing of Christmas mail which is expected to be the largest mailing in history.

"There are still some people who retain the mistaken idea that a gift or card arriving on Christmas eve has a special significance, but it is the thought behind the gift or card, not the time of arrival which is the important consideration," the postmaster said.

"By following the simple suggestions of mailing early, wrapping carefully and addressing plainly, patrons will be assured of the safe and timely arrival of their Christmas mail," Postmaster Kramer added.

Five-Day-Old Boy Dies In Blodgett Hospital

ZEELAND (Special) — Richard Dale Bartels, five-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Bartels of route 2, West Olive died Thursday afternoon in Blodgett Memorial Hospital in Grand Rapids.

Surviving besides the parents are eight brothers and sisters, Chester, Betty, Judy, Joyce, Mary, Russell, John and Terry, all at home; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Kooi of Zeeland and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartels of Olive Center; a great-grandmother, Mrs. Clara Bartels of Olive Center.

Zeeland Student Injured When Struck by Car

ZEELAND (Special) — Police said that Dennis B. Huxhold, 17, of 24 Taft St., would be issued a summons for driving without due caution and becoming involved in a personal injury accident after his car struck a 16-year-old Zeeland high school student Monday.

Donald Ter Haar, route 2, Zeeland, was taken to Zeeland Hospital with head injuries and released.

Police said Huxhold told them some youngsters were throwing snowballs and he "swerved toward them to get them off the road," hitting Ter Haar. The accident occurred as Huxhold was driving west on Cherry St. between Church and Centennial Sts.



OBJECT IDENTIFIED — This mysterious block of wood with four metal sticks inside has been identified as a Navy Mark VI flare by two Zeeland manufacturers who have made the boxes in which the flares are carried. C. W. and R. C. Bennett of the Bennett Lumber and Manufacturing Co. in Zeeland, read about the object found by some children at Ottawa Beach Monday. From machine markings on the wood, the Bennetts deduced the box had been made by their company within the past year. Holding it here is Walter Sears, commander of the Holland Coast Guard.

Water Issue Not Reconsidered at Special Meeting

City Council held one of the shortest meetings on record Monday night. It was a special meeting called by three Councilmen to reconsider action taken last Wednesday on selling water to customers outside the city, but the whole thing was stymied when a vote on a technicality on parliamentary procedure failed to carry by the necessary two-thirds majority. Consequently, the meeting adjourned some seven minutes after Mayor Robert Visser called for order.

The legal implications were explained by City Attorney James E. Townsend who clarified charter regulations allowing matters to be reconsidered at the next regular meeting or at an adjourned meeting. Since Monday's gathering was a special meeting, he ruled that in order to reconsider the subject that Council must vote to suspend the rule. The vote carried 5 to 4, but it lacked the necessary two-thirds majority to make reconsideration of the water issue possible.

Although this type of action was unusual for Holland's Council, City Manager Herb Holt pointed out today that such procedure is often common, particularly on state legislative fronts where "motions to reconsider" are often made.

But although there appears to be a division in City Council on water policies, there also appeared to be a strong possibility that the subject might come up for reconsideration at the next regular meeting Dec. 5.

The special meeting was called by Councilmen Laverne Rudolph, John Beltman and Stanley Curtis, after Council voted last Wednesday night to grant city water privileges to Holland Metal Craft Co. just east of the city on the extension of 26th St., but tabled requests to provide water to the new Van Raalte elementary school now being built on Holland Heights and to the Chris-Craft Corp.

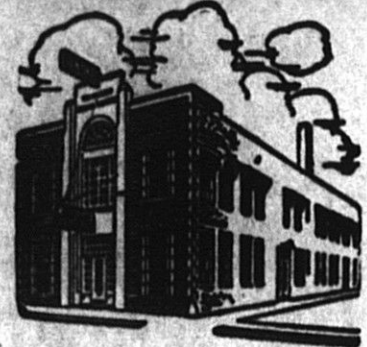
Councilman Robert J. Kouw asked most of the questions on the legal technicalities. Voting yes on the technicality which would have allowed reconsideration were Councilmen Curtis, Rudolph, Beltman, John Van Eerden and Mayor Visser. Voting no were Raymond Holwerda, Bernice Bishop, John K. Vander Broek and Kouw.

Mrs. De Vries Speaks At Fellowship Meeting

Epsilon Fellowship of First Methodist Church gathered for a buffet supper Tuesday evening in the social room of the church. In charge of arrangements were Mr. and Mrs. Don Kulte and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klomprens. Tables were decorated with cornucopias, spilling forth fruits of the season and small china turkeys.

Mrs. Estelle De Vries, guest speaker, led a discussion on the book "When the Lamp Flickers" by Lesley W

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OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

In an editorial note to a "Public
Opinion" article we said re-
cently: "Meetings of the Board of
Education are open to the public."
That brief statement deserves
amplification.

Without going into the specific
issues at this time that have be-
come a bone of contention locally,
it is worth emphasizing that the
Board of Education, like the Com-
mon Council and any other elec-
tive body, is the servant of the
people. If you don't like what such
a body is doing you have direct
access to its deliberations and a
direct voice in protesting against
them.

A newspaper undertakes to re-
port those deliberations impar-
tially and honestly. The Sentinel has
always fought for completely open
meetings of all such bodies, on the
principle that the people have a
full right to know what is going
on.

The people, however, are under
no obligation to depend on such
reports; they can come them-
selves, or send representatives
who can check on what is going
on. And if they do not like what
they hear they can take part in
the discussion. That's the demo-
cratic American way of doing
things.

Generally speaking, however,
few people take advantage of this
privilege, a privilege for which
people in other countries are bleed-
ing and dying at this very mo-
ment. The public is not sufficient-
ly interested to take a personal
hand in translating their ideas of
public education into action.

For the most part, they are not
even very much interested in
electing the type of School Board
members they favor. The number
of voters who go to the polls in
the annual school election is no-
toriously small. In spite of that,
Holland has over the years had
School Board members of high
caliber, but only because of the
good judgment of a few voters,
not because the people as a whole
expressed their wishes.

If the people of Holland as a
people wish to shift the emphasis
in the high school from sports to
scholastic interests, all they need
to do is say so. If they are in
favor of the reverse and want
greater emphasis on sports, again
all they need to do is say so. The
meetings of the Board of Educa-
tion are open to the public. And
during the annual elections every
qualified citizen has a right to
vote. Remember there are plenty
of jobs for everyone. Most all of
the public offices on the local level
are paid more or less on an hon-
orary basis. Remember these facts
when the next election time
arrives. There is plenty of work.
It is not possible to handle all the
details at the meetings. Many com-
mittee meetings must be held in
between. In order to get the large
amount of paper work and reports
ready.

\$100 Given to Prestatie Huis by Local Auxiliary

A gift of \$100 was presented to
the Prestatie Huis Tuesday after-
noon from the Interfraternal Aux-
iliary, which donated the amount
to buy tables and chairs for the
school.

The Interfraternal group in-
cludes auxiliaries from the Eagles,
Emblem Club, VFW and Women
of the Moose. The gift was pre-
sented by Mrs. Gladys Gordon,
a member of the auxiliary com-
mittee, to Mrs. Paul Jones, of
Prestatie Huis board and Miss
Mary Rhoades, teacher at the
school.

Other business considered at the
Interfraternal Auxiliary commit-
tee meeting held Monday night in
the lounge at the Elks Club, in-
cluded plans for a formal in-
formal Sweetheart Dance to be
held Feb. 15 in the Tulip Room of
the Warm Friend Tavern, pro-
ceeds from which also will be used
for equipment for Prestatie Huis.

Mrs. Jeannette Raffenaud was
named chairman of the decorating
committee. Mrs. Florence Hall,
music. Mrs. Gordon, tickets, and
Mrs. Blanche Solomon, Mrs. Ruth
Dry, Mrs. Dorothy Dangier, post-
ers and advertising.

It was announced that the com-
mittee will meet Jan. 7, 1937, to
make decorations for the dance.

The Teton mountain range, in
Wyoming, has 11 peaks of major
rank.

Christian Endeavor

December 2, 1936

The Bible Is Great Literature
Psalm 19: 7-11 Psalm 119: 105-112

By Darrell Franken

Few, if any, will dispute the
title of this topic. The mere fact
that it has been read and kept
for this many centuries will be
proof enough that The Bible is
Great Literature. Father "time"
certainly gives us the answer to
this truth.

In as much as the Bible Is Great
Literature we ought to look into
it and see for ourselves. There
are several types of literature in
it. For example: history, law,
poetry, drama, romance, mystery,
biography, and travel.

To make it possible for every-
one to actually see these passages
of scripture, arrange for bibles
to be used by every member of
your group. As you present the
topic have everyone turn to the
passage you are discussing.

Types of Literature

HISTORY: Read Jeremiah 1:1-3
and Matthew 1:1-17 while the
group follows in their bibles. Cer-
tainly, here is history. In these
two passages, times, places, and
people are mentioned, giving the
bible a historical authenticity.

LAW: Read Exodus 20 as a sam-
ple of Old Testament law. Then
read Matthew 5:33-37 as a sam-
ple of the New Testament law. Though
this may not be specifically de-
scribed as literature, it certainly is
a form of writing. Legal terminol-
ogy seeks to define the extent and
limits of a rule. So does the com-
mand of God. It is all inclusive
and binding. Punishment is met-
ed out on those who disobey.

POETRY: Read Psalm 1 or 23.
These passages may not sound like
poetry to us because they do not
have rhyme or metre. Translation
has erased these. However, the
beautiful description in each
indicates that they are poetic ex-
pressions.

DRAMA: Read Esther 6: 1-11
as a sample of dramatic action
taking place. Here, Mordecai is
about to be hanged. The king can't
sleep. He calls for a book to be
read to him. Mordecai's good deed
is recalled. Then, instead of being
hanged he is honored by the king.
This is a dramatic story of a his-
torical incident.

ROMANCE: Read Ruth 2:5-7,
14-16, 4:13. It will show you a
story of romance in biblical times.
It is a story of love and devotion.
If you were to read the entire
book you would see how God was
glorified in this series of events.

BIOGRAPHY: Read Mark 1:4-6.
It tells of the personal appearance
of John the Baptist. Continuing
verses tell what he did. The Bible
is full of references to great per-
sonalities like him. It tells many
of the life stories from Adam to
Paul. They are examples for us to
follow.

TRAVEL: Read Exodus 14: 37-
38 and 50:61. This, in brief, is
a statement about the mass exit of
the Israelites from Egypt. The re-
maining chapters of Exodus tell
more about that journey. Jesus
traveled too, and many New Testa-
ment passages tell of those jour-
neys.

But the Bible is more than Great
Literature. It contains the plan of
salvation. It shows the power of
God at work in human life.

Zutphen

Thanksgiving service was held
Thursday morning. The collection
taken amounted to \$1.98.

The children of Mr. and Mrs.
Haley Albrecht, Sally Beth and
Carol Sue, underwent tonsilec-
tomies at Blodgett Hospital, Grand
Rapids.

Ushers for this month's church
services are Harvey Meyer, Clif-
ford Van Spyker, Sherwin Venema
and Roger Vander Kolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Corneal Patmos
had as their dinner guests on
Thanksgiving Day the families of
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bredeleg,
Mr. and Mrs. Jack De Zeeuw and
Mr. and Mrs. De Zeeuw of Grand
Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Garveling
and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Merritt
announce the birth of sons, Mr.
and Mrs. Melvin Scholten and Mr.
and Mrs. Carl Aukeman announce
the births of daughters.

The families of Mr. and Mrs.
George Ensing, Mr. and Mrs. Ver-
non Ensing, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin
Ensing had their Thanksgiving din-
ner at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Elmer Vrugink and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Scholten of
Hudsonville were visitors at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin
Scholten and Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit
Idema on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Vernon Ensing is now able
to walk a little after an auto ac-
cident last spring. Judy Ensing who
has been in a cast and brace for
three years is now able to walk
without it.

Mr. and Mrs. Owin Aukeman are
building a new home in Hudson-
ville.

Jemima Ensing spent a few days
at the home of her parents. She
returned on Monday to Taylor Uni-
versity.

Mrs. Ronald Smith will leave
this week for Alaska where her
husband is in the Army. Mrs.
Smith is the former Marilyn De
Vries.

Infant baptism was adminis-
tered to the daughters of Mr. and
Mrs. Nick Cook and Mr. and Mrs.
Eli Kalman on Sunday.

No part of the United States is
entirely free from electrical storms
although they are comparatively
rare on the Pacific coast.

Luxemburg, only 55 miles long
and 34 miles wide, is among the
world's leading countries in the
production of iron pig iron and
steel.



William Roy, Jocelyn Fryling and Robert Marshall Take Part in Play

Stage Crew Announced For Hope College Play

Zeeland

The Priscilla and Aquila Society of
Second Reformed Church will
hold its annual banquet and busi-
ness meeting in Fellowship Hall
today at 6:30 p.m. Election of of-
ficers and other important busi-
ness is on the agenda.

The annual congregational meet-
ing of Second Reformed Church
will be held Monday evening, Dec.
10, at 7:30 p.m. at which time
elders and deacons will be elected
and the annual reports presented.

At the morning worship service
in Second Reformed Church, the
Rev. Harold Englund had for his
sermon topic, "The Golden Chain
of Witness" and the choir sang
the anthems "Now Thank We All
Our God," Mueller and "The Hea-
vens are Declaring," Beethoven.

At the evening service his sermon
was, "Appointment on the Mount
of Glory" and the choir sang,
"Thanks Be To Thee."

On Thursday evening at 7:30
p.m. the regular midweek service
of Bible study and prayer and
praise will be held. The topic for
study will be Paul's interesting
correspondence with the church at
Corinth.

Thomas Rowbotham Dies in Grand Haven

GRAND HAVEN (Special) —
Thomas Rowbotham, 62, of 16828
Hayes St., (route 2, Grand Haven),
died unexpectedly in Municipal
Hospital Tuesday night where he
went Sunday with a virus condi-
tion.

He was born in Canada, Aug. 30,
1894, and moved to this area five
years ago from Montrose, Mich.
He married Viola Drouillard in
1932. Mr. Rowbotham was present
Noble Grand of Grand Haven F.O.E.
and past Noble Grand of the same
lodge in Montrose. He was past
captain of the Cantons of Muskegon,
member of Rebekah Lodge in
Grand Haven, of Holland encamp-
ment 709 F.O.E., and also the Eagles
of Muskegon. He had been employ-
ed at Morton Manufacturing Co., in
Muskegon Heights and was pre-
viously employed at Fisher Body
Co., in Flint for 22 years.

Besides the wife, he is survived
by two daughters, Mrs. Wayne
Eastridge of West Spring Lake and
Mrs. Joseph Maggiora of El
Monte, Calif.; two sons, Richard
of New Lothrop, Mich., and Ed-
ward of Grand Haven Township;
one sister, Mrs. Pearl Keller of
Mount Clemens; and nine grand-
children.

Surviving are two sons, Adolph
of Grand Rapids and Matthew of
Pearline; one daughter, Miss
Caroline Siekman of Pearline; also
one grandson; a brother-in-law,
Adolph Siekman of Zeeland and a
sister-in-law Mrs. Mamie Horton
of Bradenton Beach, Fla.

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The stage crew for the melo-
drama "Because Their Hearts
Were Pure", to be presented in the
Little Theatre on the Hope Col-
lege Campus, by Palette and
Masque Thursday Friday and Sat-
urday have been announced by
Dal De Witt, director. Curtain time
is 8:30 p.m.

Because the play is a melodra-
ma with a setting in the 1890's,
special scenery is being built, and
music will be provided in high-
dramatic moments from Offstage
and pre - curtain entertainment
will be presented. Peter de Moya,
senior from North Swanzy, N. H.
has designed the scenery.

Head of the stage crew, accord-
ing to De Witt, is Robert Vander
Aarde, junior from Orange City,
Iowa. Members of his crew are:
John Hood, sophomore from Indi-
anapolis, Ind.; Steven Koller,
freshman, Flushing, N. Y.; Stan
Harrington, junior from Holland,
who is master painter of the set-
ting; Gerrit Hook, senior, South
Holland, Ill.; Aileen McGoldrick,
junior, Fennville; Virginia Van-
derburgh, junior, Sayville, N. Y.;

Mary Hunter, junior, Jersey City,
N. J.; Janice Blunt, junior, Dunel-
en, N. J.; Lorraine Helleaga,
freshman, Three Oaks; Mary K
Diehuis, junior, South Haven;
John Soeter, senior, New Brun-
swick, N. J.; Marianne Hageman,
junior, Millstone, N. J.

Zoe Gideon, a junior from Kala-
mazoo, is working as head of the
properties crew. Working with her
are Anna Geitner, junior, Little
Falls, N. J.; Connie Tuism, fresh-
man, Holland; and Marlene Hart-
gerink, junior, Zeeland.

Working on the lighting are Dav-
id Rikkers, freshman from West
Unity, Ohio; Ronald Bjorklund,
freshman Peekskill, N. Y.

The make-up crew is staffed by
Greta Weeks, freshman, Grand
Rapids; Jan Van Peersem sopho-
more, Zeeland; Carolyn Scholten,
sophomore, Steen, Minn.; Walter
Johnson, freshman, Grand Rapids
and Carol Ten Haken, sophomore,
Hingham, Wis.

Costume crew includes Marianne
Hageman, junior, Millstone, N. J.
as head; Ann Geitner and Aileen
McGoldrick.

Pianist for offstage music will
be Wayne Dixon, sophomore,
Muskegon. Members of the barber-
shop quartet for precurtain enter-
tainment will be James Evers,
freshman, Chicago; Ronald Sikke-
ma, freshman, Morrison, Ill.; Phil-
ip Hook, freshman, Morrison, Ill.,
and Gregory Bryson, freshman,
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Dave Kuyers Wins Loop Rushing Title

Dave Kuyers of Hope College
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er in the MIAA today when offi-
cial conference statistics were re-
leased. Mert Vanderlind, captain
of the 1937 Dutch gridders, wound
up third in rushing and halfback
Pete Watt finished behind Hills-
dale's Nate Clark for the individ-
ual scoring championship.

Kuyers picked up 508 yards in
78 carries, nudging Clark from the
top spot in that category. The
Hillsdale star gained 447 yards in
63 tries, while Vanderlind finished
with 428 yards on 64 totes.

Clark paced the MIAA with 12
touchdowns — 72 points, with Watt
a distant second with six touch-
downs and five conversions for 41
points. Vanderlind also scored six
times for 36 points to tie for third
place with Bob Uchaltz of Kala-
mazoo. Jerry Hendrickson and
Ron Wetherbee of Hope came in
seventh and 10th with 25 and 24
points respectively.

As a team Hope topped the
league in total rushing. The Dutch
ground out 1,692 yards to cham-
pion Hillsdale's 1,620.

Something of an oddity was re-
vealed in the Hope passing statis-
tics. Daring Jack Faber, who
quarterbacked behind Del Grissen,
completed only six of 18 passes
for 249 yards and seventh place,
but four of the times he hit his
man, the receiver wound up in
the end zone. Grissen completed
15 of his 36 tosses for 221 yards
and ninth place and only three
were good for touchdowns.

Beaverdam

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Huyser an-
nounce the birth of a son Wednes-
day Nov. 21, in Holland Hospital.

The Thanksgiving offering in the
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Adult baptism was administered
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Sunday School Lesson

Sunday, December 2
Let Not Your Hearts Be Troubled
John 14:1-14

by C. F. Dame

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tian Education, National Council of
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There are many troubled, anx-
ious people in our world. Our les-
son is good for all kinds of people
but it is especially good for people
with fears and concerns about the
future. Faith in Christ is a precious
treasure.

I. Faith in Jesus Christ is most
important—far more so than most
people realize. The words of our
lesson text were spoken by Jesus
to his apostles on the night before
his crucifixion, in the upper room,
when Jesus was instituting the
Holy Supper. The Lord had told
his apostles about his near depart-
ure. The apostles were troubled
by this news and they wondered as
to where he was going. The
apostles were concerned about the
future. The only one in the group
who was calm and untroubled was
Jesus who knew that on the fol-
lowing day he would be crucified.

Jesus told his apostles not to be
troubled—they believed in God and
they should also believe in him.
It is worth noting that in this les-
son Jesus calls attention to him-
self. He uses the pronoun "I" and
"me" several times. The word
"Father" and the word "believe"
also deserve our notice. A reading
of the text shows that Jesus made
great claims for himself. He told
his disciples to have faith in him.
The kind of faith that they had in
God they should have in him.
Both God and Jesus are trustwor-
thy.

Zeeland Preparing Christmas Season With Decorations, Airplane, 'Messiah'

ZEELAND (Special) — Christmas season preparations in Zeeland range from an airplane to Handel's "Messiah."

Street lights and decorations are scheduled to be put up this week and merchants are working on plans for their window displays. For three blocks along Main St., colored lights and wreaths will be put up along with two new swinging lighted bells that will be making their first appearance. The bells are about four feet high and are illuminated from the inside, according to Dick Yerkey, in charge of decorations.

The Chamber of Commerce is hoping to have an airplane fly over the city Saturday, dropping coupons redeemable for discounts at various stores. Charles Kuysers, chairman of the retail affairs division of the Chamber, said plans for the coupon-dropping have not yet been completed, but, if everything works out, several thousand coupons will be distributed.

Also, most of the downtown stores will give discounts of five per cent on most items Tuesday evening between 6 and 9 p.m. Special store hours have been announced, including 11 evenings in addition to regular Saturday nights between now and Christmas. Stores will be open until 9 p.m. on Nov. 27 and 29, Dec. 4, 6, 11, 13, 14, 18, 19, 20 and 21 as well as the Saturdays. Shopping hours have also been extended for two Wednesdays, Dec. 12 and Dec. 19. Stores generally close at noon Wednesdays, but on the 12th, they will stay open until 5:30 p.m. and on the 19th until 9 p.m.

On Dec. 5 the "Messiah" will be presented in the First Christian Reformed Church. A chorus of 105 voices and four soloists will sing the work in the church auditorium, which seats more than 1,000 persons and is the largest auditorium in the city. The 1936 rendition will be the 17th annual performance in Zeeland.

For the ninth year, the oratorio will be directed by Albert P. Smith of Grand Rapids, director of music at Grand Rapids Junior College.

Mrs. Paul Van Dort of Zeeland will also be back for her ninth year as the soprano soloist. An accomplished singer, she has studied at the American Conservatory of Music and at Hope College.

The alto solo will be done by Mrs. Norma Kalawart Solle of Grand Rapids. This will be her third appearance in Zeeland after a year's absence.

Singing the tenor role will be Ralph Nielson, a faculty member of the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago. As an oratorio soloist, he has made more than 200 appearances in 20 states and Canada. This will be his second appearance in Zeeland.

Back by popular request of Zeeland residents is Raymond McAfee of Chicago, who has sung the bass

solo in the "Messiah" almost 40 times throughout the Middle West. Oratorio and concert work are his career.

The chorus has been rehearsing for weeks on Sunday afternoons and will be ready to join the soloists for the presentation at 8 p.m. on the fifth.

Junior High Students Gather for Program

A Thanksgiving program in charge of Willard Fast and Mrs. Georgia Condon was presented before the student body of E. E. Fell Junior High School Wednesday morning in the gymnasium.

Opening with the song, "Now Thank We All Our God," sung by the Ninth grade Girls' Glee Club, a series of portrayals of the "Spirit of Thanksgiving" was presented. The first known as the "Family" was in charge of Mrs. Ed Damson.

Taking part were Ted Kemper, Donna Reus, Marianne Steel, James Zeedyk and Virginia Allan, reader. The second was "Our Country" in charge of Mrs. Condon with David Mulder, Sharon Tyink, Courtney Nieboer and Sheryl Brewer, the reader, taking part. Miss Dorothy Bradish conducted the third episode, "Harvest," with Paul Bast, Douglas Boven and John Dalman.

The "Church" was the theme of the fourth portrayal in charge of Miss Marion Shackson. Her group included Brian Dykstra, Larry McCallum, Judy Swieringa and Jean Holmen. The final portrayal, "Opportunity," was presented by James Mokma, Roger Jacobs, Steven Kolean, Vicki Ziel and reader Gail Van Raalte, under the direction of Miss Shirley Ind.

The program closed with the Junior high band, under the direction of Raymond Roth, playing "Come Ye Thankful People, Come."

Beechwood Mission Circle Has Meeting

Beechwood Friendship Mission Circle met in the social room of Beechwood Reformed Church Tuesday evening.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Alvin Schilling and Miss Shirley De Vries played two accordion solos. Several members of the group took part in a Thanksgiving program.

Mrs. Lawrence Prins was elected as the new vice president and Mrs. Glenn Van Rhee was elected treasurer. Other officers of the society are president, Mrs. Elton Van Pernis; secretary, Mrs. Paul Plaggenmeyer; secretary, Mrs. Henry Laarmen.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Morris Buhner. Hostesses for the evening were the Mesdames Cliff Plakke, Alvin Van Dyke, LaVerne Johnson, Willis Overbeck, Henry Overbeck and Gordon Tencknick.

The December meeting will be held Dec. 10 in Cumerford's with Mrs. Bastian Kruitoh as speaker.

Team Bowling Tourney Gets Underway Saturday

An elimination tournament, open to men's and women's bowling teams in Holland and Zeeland, will get underway Saturday afternoon at the Holland Bowling Lanes.

Teams entered in the affair, which features a handicap of 75 per cent, will draw for alleys and winners in each pair of alleys will return the following week. Losers will be eliminated. Teams will have their choice of times and may bowl at 1, 3:15 or 5:30 p.m., but all must bowl on the first day.

Winners, who will be determined by total pins for the three games, will receive trophies and cash prizes. Entry blanks will be available at the Holland Bowling Lanes or Zeeland Recreation through Nov. 28.

TWO PLACES TO ENJOY GOOD FOOD at home and

Van Raalte's RESTAURANT

FOUR HOSTS: PAUL AND EDNA VAN RAALTE ACROSS FROM POSTOFFICE ZEELAND CLOSED SUNDAYS

Several Appear In Circuit Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Several persons appeared in Circuit Court Monday, some for arraignment and some for disposition.

Henry Smit, 50, of 3382 Butternut Dr., pleaded guilty to a charge of gross indecency, and sentence was deferred until Dec. 14 at 10 a.m. Bond of \$5,000 was not furnished.

Smit was arrested by state police Nov. 9 for an offense which occurred on or about July 1, 1934. Robert A. Wierenga, 20, route 2, Spring Lake, who appealed a Justice Court conviction on a speeding charge, filed a motion for a new trial, but Judge Raymond L. Smith took no action immediately.

Oliver E. Avery, 28, route 2, Spring Lake, pleaded guilty to a charge of issuing a check without sufficient funds, and will return Dec. 7. Bond of \$500 was not furnished. The alleged offense involved a \$79 check drawn on a Greenville bank. He currently is on probation for two years for removing mortgaged goods from the state.

Donald Leslie Doddington, 45, Chicago, pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny from a dwelling and will return for disposition Dec. 7. He allegedly took a \$235 accordion from the home of a relative which he sold to a truck driver for \$15.

Mrs. Virginia Martin, 30, Detroit, formerly of Grand Haven, was brought into court because she had not conformed with probation terms and had not paid \$5 a week restitution in a case in which she allegedly took \$1,870 from Joe Mistretta last July. Her probation was revoked and she was sentenced to serve 18 months to four years in the Detroit House of Correction at Plymouth, with minimum recommended.

Earl Haveman, 25, of 427 East Eighth St., Holland, who pleaded guilty last Feb. 1 to gross indecency, appeared in court today and after testimony by a Grand Rapids psychiatrist, the court found him not to be a criminal sexual psychopathic person, and dismissed the petition of the prosecuting attorney to have him declared such. Haveman was 16 years with the understanding that he conform in every respect to a program laid out by a psychiatrist of his own choosing, which he has promised to do. He also must pay \$5 a month oversight fees.

Cub Program Follows Puerto Rican Theme

In the atmosphere of Puerto Rico, theme of the month, the Cub Scouts of Harrison School, Pack 3030, held their monthly pack meeting Tuesday evening in the school gym.

Opening ceremony was in charge of Den 1. The Cubs of Den 3 did a Rumba and Den 4 followed with a skit about Pirates and Buccaneers. Den 5 sang an amusing song, titled, "I Found a Peanut." Den 2 was in charge of games and in closing Den 6 sang "Goodnight Cub Scouts."

Presenting the awards was Cub Master James White, assisted by Norman Den Uyl.

Ten new Cubs received their Bob Cat Pins in an impressive candle ceremony. "The Arrow of Light." Those receiving pins were Dennis Meinel, Greg White, Alan Russell, Bill Wolters, Dale Rietink, Kelly Fogarty, Roger Dirkse, Gerry Pitcher, Robert Slink and Calvin Wiersma.

Other awards were given to Michael Maass, one silver arrow under Bear and to Calvin Oosterhaven, two silver arrows under Bear.

Den Mothers are Mrs. Marvin Westerhof, Mrs. John Russell, Mrs. Earl Bouwens, Mrs. Ray Stam, Mrs. H. Dirkse and Mrs. Ralph Maass.

45 Members of Waverly 4-H Club Meet at School

About 45 members and friends of the Waverly 4-H Club held a meeting Tuesday evening in the school. Roger Shumaker was in charge of the business meeting.

Members received certificates and premium awards from the Hudsonville Fair board for articles which were displayed at the annual fair last summer. Awards were presented by Ed Zuidema, handicraft leader, Mrs. Zuidema, cooking leader, Mrs. Dennis Steinfork, leader of sewing and flowers, and Warren Fought, wildlife leader.

After the business meeting games were played with prizes going to Dennis Van Rhee, Nancy Plaggenmeyer, Larry Essenburg and Sandra Kratt.

A potluck lunch was served. In charge of arrangements were Mrs. Zuidema, Mrs. Steinfork, Margaret Fought and Betty Prins.

Default Judgment

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — A default judgment of \$1,844.12 plus costs of \$29.05 was awarded in Circuit Court Monday to James De Good, surviving partner, and William P. De Long, administrator of the estate of Harry Plaggenmeyer, deceased, against Robert Vander Hoening. The amount represents the balance due for work done at the Howard Johnson restaurant near Holland during 1935. The complaining firm formerly was known as the West Shore Construction Co.

'Forbidden Tibet' Film Shown Here

Approximately 1,500 persons gathered at Holland Civic Center Thanksgiving evening to view the exciting trip of Lowell Thomas and his son, Lowell Thomas, Jr., into "Forbidden Tibet." The film is entitled "Out of This World."

The Thomases were the seventh and eighth Americans ever to enter this forbidden land, the last sealed kingdom on earth. This fabulous journey which was filmed in technicolor by Lowell Thomas himself took the viewers over the treacherous Himalaya Mountains by foot and donkey, up many thousands of feet to the silent sealed kingdom known as the "Roof of the World" where strange Buddhist religious traditions were practiced.

The Thomases were the first Americans ever to enter Lhasa, the Holy City of Tibet, where the Dalai Lama, the religious and temporal ruler of the Buddhists reigned.

The film also showed many hardships which they encountered on the journey as they traveled on foot.

The film was sponsored by the League of Reformed Young Women's Societies and Young Calvinist League of the Holland-Zeeland area.

Lutheran Missionary League Has Meeting

A regular meeting of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League was held Wednesday evening in Zion Lutheran Church. Miss Owillia Armbruster gave devotions and led in prayer. She also led the topic study from the Mission Quarterly.

A Christmas check was sent to the league's adopted missionary in New Guinea and donations were sent to the Children's Friend Society and the Bethesda Home. Collections may still be brought in for shut-ins and the aged. Mrs. E. Ruhligh and Mrs. E. Frundt will be in charge of Christmas baskets.

Two new officers were elected for the coming year. Mrs. R. Richardson, president, and Mrs. H. Wendt, secretary. The treasurer, Mrs. Elmer Meyerling, and the vice president, Mrs. J. Kvorka, remain in office for another year. A vote of thanks was given to the outgoing officers. Miss Armbruster and Mrs. J. Gutknecht. Lunch was served by Mrs. Frundt and Miss Myra Frundt.

Economics Club Has Lesson on Calories

The Virginia Park Home Economics Club had a low calorie supper at the home of Mrs. Murray Chambers Monday evening. The supper included hot dishes and salads in keeping with the lesson on low calories given by Mrs. Frank Camp and Mrs. Chambers leaders. Reports were given of a meeting held recently in Allendale which featured a lesson on centerpieces for the various months of the year.

Plans were made for a Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. Camp on route 1, on Dec. 10.

Jehovah Witnesses Meet at Grand Haven

Associated ministers with the local congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses returned home Sunday after a three-day training program at Grand Haven high school gymnasium.

Hugh Van Order, presiding minister, headed the delegation. Theme of the weekend seminar was "Happy People Serving the Happy God."

A total of 1,220 delegates gathered Saturday evening to view the first showing in this area of the new color film "Happiness of the New World Society." The film showed each of the 12 conventions of Jehovah's Witnesses held in 1935 throughout the world with a total attendance of 396,000. More than 12,000 underwent water baptism symbolizing their dedication as ministers of Jehovah. At baptismal services Saturday afternoon, 27 individuals were immersed as new ministers of Jehovah.

Key speaker of the training program was D. E. Stull who spoke Sunday to 1,165 people on the subject "What Will Armageddon Mean for You?"

Shower Compliments Miss Thelma Terpsma

A shower honoring Miss Thelma Terpsma was held last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Winstrom. Hostesses were Mrs. Winstrom and Miss Dorothy Winstrom of Zeeland and Mrs. Oscar Winstrom. Games were played and duplicate prizes awarded.

The guest list included the Mesdames Robert Beukema, Leonard Dick, Eldon Dick, Gerrit Wierda, James Heider, John Vande Water, Richard Winstrom, Duane Winstrom, Albert Winstrom, Jack Van Hoff, Peter Elzinga, Peter Vanden Oliver, Orville Gentry, Wilbur Manglitz, John Terpsma and Miss Wilma Terpsma.

License Approved

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Circuit Judge Raymond L. Smith Monday approved an operator's license for Theophila A. Hyzy, 19, route 2, West Olive, who is employed at a local bank. Miss Hyzy was first denied a license by the Secretary of State's department last Dec. 14, because she was believed to have epilepsy. The appeal board denied her request twice on Jan. 11 and Sept. 12.

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The Golden Blue Birds of Maplewood School met with their leaders, Mrs. Walter Pelon and Mrs. Lee Rubingh. The meeting opened with the Blue Birds Wish and the singing of songs. Frances Veldhof treated us to dixie cups. We started singing a nurse's uniform for our eight-inch dolls. Reported by Karen Pelon, scribe.

The 3rd grade Blue Birds of Lincoln School met Monday at their leader's house, Mrs. Wenzel. They chose as their group name, "Bibbidi Bobbidi." Election of officers was also held with the following results: President, Myrie Wenzel; secretary and treasurer, Fonda Vande Water; scribe, Sandra Bruischaat. We also repeated the Blue Bird Wish together. Patty De Jong brought the treat. Reported by scribe, Sandra.

The Chummy Blue Birds of St. Francis de Sales School met with their leaders, Mrs. Hudzik and Mrs. Chester Kowalski and Miss Barbara Duffy. Joan Hudzik opened the meeting with a prayer. Marilyn Munro read the minutes and members answered the roll call with names of places they would like to visit. We said our Blue Bird Wish and sang the Blue Bird Song. We made turkey center pieces for our mothers out of pine cones and pipe cleaners. Joan Donnelly treated. Reported by Marilyn Munro.

The Smiling Blue Birds of Lakewood School met at the home of their leader Mrs. John Percival on Nov. 19. We finished our invitations to the Blue Bird Fly-Up and made turkeys for Thanksgiving. Reported by Sandra Pelon.

The 6th meeting of the Papoose Blue Birds of the 4th grade of Lakewood School was held at Patty Hoving's home on Nov. 19. We held our business meeting and then we made turkeys out of apples. First we took patterns for the head, wings, and tails, then we colored them with stripes and scotch taped them to apples. We used tooth picks for legs. Lunch was served by Sharon De Feyter. We decided to sell candy to make money. Reported by scribe, Mary Jane Groenevelt.

On Nov. 4 the Happy Blue Birds of Longfellow School met at Mrs. Zuverink's. They had a short business meeting presided by Roberta Hallan. Betsy Aardams and Christy Zuverink also gave their reports. Susan Mc Bride treated.

On Nov. 12, the Happy Blue Birds of Longfellow School met at Mrs. Boersma's house. Mrs. Boersma explained the candy sale. The girls made Christmas gifts for their brothers. Charlene Prince treated for her birthday.

On Nov. 19, the Happy Blue Birds of Longfellow School met at Mrs. Zuverink's. The girls worked on navy felt hats and trimmed them with pink and blue flowers and green leaves. Mrs. Boersma told the girls about Christmas plans for gifts and parties. Reported by Nancy Kolean.

The Pixie Blue Birds met in the Beechwood School Library, Nov. 19. The president, Sandra Brand conducted the meeting. We pledged Allegiance to the flag, and Linda Welton, the secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting and called the roll. We braided a necklace for our yarn dolls. Mrs. Van Oosterhout treated to brownies. Reported by scribe, Judy Ann Van Oosterhout.

The Happy Blue Birds of Pine Creek School went to Mulder's Convalescent Home Monday afternoon. The girls sang several songs for them and brought a gift of apples. Reported by scribe, Sharon Caauwe.

The Seven Pixies of Federal School met at Mrs. G. Tubergens' home on Nov. 19. We made a turkey from pine cones. Martha Jacobs treated. Reported by Mary Lou Woldring.

The Maplewood Camp Fire Girls met at the home of Mrs. William De Haan. We played games for fun. We also went to Mrs. Andy Naber's to get our candy to sell. We had taffy apples for our refreshments. Reported by scribe, Claudia Reek.

The Tamikata Camp Fire group met at Van Tongeren's home. President, Shirley Johnson called the meeting to order. The secretary called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting. We kept busy mending clothes which we plan to give to a needy family. We decided to present a style show for our beads for business craft. Our mothers are invited. Sharon Van Tongeren served the group cup cakes and milk for our treat. Reported by Kristi Venhuizen, Secretary.

The Chesckamay Camp Fire group of Van Raalte School met at the home of Mrs. Horning under the leadership of Mrs. Paauwe. Vice President Louise Hoedema called the meeting to order and then we said the Lord's Prayer. We discussed the Fly-Up that was to be held that night and the candy sale. We sang some Camp Fire songs and closed the meeting with the Camp Fire Closing song. On Nov. 15 we went to the Camp Fire office and Mrs. Steketee showed us how to make symbols and symbols. She showed slides and we were all interested. Reported by scribe, Barbara Horning.

Duettes Club Hears Rev. Van Heukelom

The Duettes Club of First Reformed Church held their regular monthly meeting Monday evening. Mrs. Douglas Lemmen read scripture and Herb Colton, Jr., offered prayer. The Rev. Raymond Van Heukelom led the group in a discussion on "God Incarnate." A business meeting followed with the president in charge.

Plans were made for a Christmas potluck to be held Dec. 17 in the church. Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Laman, Mr. and Mrs. Lemmen and Mr. and Mrs. Colton.

Diane Kammeraad Has Party on Birthday

Diane Kammeraad was honored at a party Monday afternoon in celebration of her sixth birthday anniversary. The party was given by her mother, Mrs. John Kammeraad, at their home on route 4.

Group singing was followed by games for which prizes went to Randy Borgman, Ryan Hamlin, Sandra Meengs and Janet De Ridder. Lunch was served from a table centered with a decorated birthday cake.

Others present were Jack Meengs, Diane and Sharon Gunn, Nancy and Jane Raak and Craig Borgman.

Rites Held in California For Former Holland Man

Funeral services were held Monday in Whittier, Calif., for Frank W. Lindholm, 13560 Mulberry Dr., former Holland resident, who died Friday. The Lindholm family resided in Holland from 1934 to 1946 and were members of Central Park Reformed Church.

Survivors include the wife, Dorothy A. of Whittier; one son, Donal C. Lindholm of Glendale, Calif., and one brother, Dr. H. O. Lindholm of Caro, Mich.

Epilepsy League Solicits Support

Local boosters are joining similar groups throughout the nation these days in pointing up the plight of persons afflicted with epilepsy. They explain that epilepsy is one of the most hopeful of all the neurological disorders from the standpoint of modern medical know-how.

Yet they say "present-day civilization might just as well be back in the dark ages—from the standpoint of society's attitude toward people who have epilepsy."

Holland area residents can help the National Epilepsy League and local sponsors bring medical and social benefits to the nation's million and one-half patients by buying a "Little Christmas Town" Advent calendar for \$1.

They will be available through Dec. 1 at Bert Slagh and Son Gift Shop at 56 East Eighth St.

Carolyn Plummer Weds Donald Le Roy Stepha

GANGES (Special) — Miss Carolyn Jean Plummer of Ganges and Donald Le Roy Stepha of Holland were married Friday afternoon, Nov. 16, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Bertha Plummer. The Rev. William Pixley of the Ganges Baptist Church performed the ceremony at 5 p.m. in the presence of the immediate family.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Stepha of Holland.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Charles Plummer as matron of honor and Mr. Stepha was attended by Aaron Plummer.

The bride was attired in a teal rhinestone trim and carried a colonial bouquet of yellow and white flowers. The matron of honor wore a suit of gray faille.

A reception was held following the ceremony. The young couple are at home in Douglas following a short wedding trip. Mrs. Stepha is a graduate of the 1936 class of Fennville High School and has been employed in Holland. Mr. Stepha is employed at the Hart and Cooley Mfg. Co. in Holland.

In the Great Smoky Mountains where it forms the food for the National Park, in Tennessee and North Carolina, there are 600 miles of bridge and hiking trails.

2 Area Scouts Going to Europe

Two Chippewa District Explorer Scouts will attend the 50th Anniversary of Scouting celebration at Sutton Park, Warwickshire, England on Aug. 1 and 2, 1937. Fred VandeVusse of Post 2006, First Reformed Church, and Gary Hietfle of Troop 21 and Post 2021, Zeeland Second Reformed Church will join a delegation of four other Explorers from the Grand Valley Council on the international expedition.

At the "Jubilee Jamboree" in England the two local youths will camp with 35,000 Scouts from 60 nations. They will go with a special group to the Fourth National Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa., and then will embark with 1,650 Scouts and leaders on a chartered ship from New York City to England.

After the encampment at Warwickshire the group will leave on a good will tour of France, Switzerland and Italy finally leave Le Havre, France on Aug. 26 and arriving in America Sept. 4. National Scouting officials have stressed the importance of this trip to improve international understanding and good will between the United States and the other free countries represented at the Jubilee Jamboree.

Fennville Resident Dies at Rest Home

FENNVILLE (Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. Ethel Lewis, 74, who died Saturday at Brower Rest Home, Plainwell were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Chappell Funeral Home. Burial was in Fennville cemetery.

Mrs. Lewis had been a patient at the Rest Home six years. Surviving are a son, Ransom Ford of New Richmond, a stepson, Charles Lewis of Fairbanks, Alaska, and one grandson.



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Ganges
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wightman were in East Lansing Sunday, Nov. 11 where they attended the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Brody. The event was held at Kellogg Center. Mr. Brody is a former executive secretary of the Michigan State Farm Bureau. Instead of gifts, the guests gave money to establish a Rural Scholarship fund at Michigan State University at East Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stremmel attended a twenty-fifth wedding anniversary Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Haverkamp in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Hilbert Hillman entertained a group of twelve ladies at a home Friday evening, Nov. 16. Luncheon was enjoyed followed by an evening of Bunco. Prizes were won by Mrs. Hassel Thomas, Mrs. Robert Stillson, Mrs. Harold Stillson, and Miss Loretta Stillson.

Mrs. Nettie Lynch entertained

group of friends and neighbors Saturday afternoon, Nov. 17, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Ida Helseth. Those present besides the honored guest, were Mrs. Zeida Trowbridge, Mrs. Myrtle Mc Guigan, Mrs. Chas. Green, Mrs. Wm. Broadway; and Mrs. Paula Frandsen and Mrs. Martin. Bunco was enjoyed and prizes were won by Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Frandsen. Birthday cake cream and coffee were served. Ganges friends are sorry to learn that Mrs. Helen Kitchen has returned to the hospital after having been for some time at home of her daughter. She won much enjoy having cards from friends here. Her address is Iowa Ave., Joliet, Ill.

The new Thursday evening ers Club met Thursday evening at the school house with a good number present. Mrs. Clyde Kellips, new president, presided. The program was given by the pupils. Several accordion duos were played by Misses Donna Kellips and Delores Zawida. C. Babbitt recited "November." "Gobbler" was recited by Stephen Johnson; "Thanksgiving" by Fannie Mc Kellips and Walter Johnson. "The Landing of the pilgrims" was given by Donna Kellips. Cake, coffee and punch were served by the president and the secretary, Mrs. Harold Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Phelps entertained a group of friends and neighbors at a 500 party at the home Tuesday evening. Pumpkin pie, ice cream and coffee were served at the conclusion of a pleasant evening.

The annual Men's Night of the Ganges Home Club was held

The social room of the Garfield Methodist Church Wednesday evening, Nov. 14.

The enjoyable evening was planned by Mrs. Alva Hoover, hostess, and Mrs. Irving Wolbrink, program chairman. About 30 were present and enjoyed a bountiful Co-operative dinner. The tables were beautifully decorated with baskets of fall flowers and cornucopias of fruit, individual cornucopias of candy and nuts were placed on each place.

Ami Miller gave responses to the men after the welcome by the president, Mrs. Roy Nye. Following the brief business session, the meeting was turned over to the program chairman, Mrs. Wolbrink. Mrs. Edwin Ensfield led the community singing by accompanying the piano by Rev. H. C. Alexander.

"I've Got a Secret" was enjoyed with Orrin Ensfield as Master of Ceremonies.

ceremonies. The panel intended to be William Van Hartesvoort, Mrs. Walter Wightman, Rev. A. J. Anderson and Mrs. Waldo Phelps. The Baptist Mission Circle, which pleasantly entertained Thursday afternoon in the home of Gladys Gooding with Miss W. Gooding assisting, the devotion were led by the president, Mrs. Graydon Chapman. The program on legislation affecting the American Indians was given by Mrs. Charles Green and a general discussion followed. Prayer was read by Mrs. William Pittman. Following the business session a dainty lunch of open faced sandwiches, cookies and tea was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright of Rockford were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reimink.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nye, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nye and son K.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. of Inkster spent several days week in the home of the late parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sisson. The Walkers left on Tuesday for White Cloud to deer. A family dinner was held their honor Tuesday evening the home of Mr. and Mrs. De Rumsay.

Among those hunters who their deer in this vicinity will going north were Dick Sisson, Decker, and Freeman Clark.

Sunday dinner guests in home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry were Mrs. Augusta Jensen, Douglas and Mr. Clarence Dahl and son Donnie of Sault.

Three Vehicles Damaged In Accident on M-21

Three cars were damaged Tuesday afternoon in a collision on the M-21 bypass at 112th and Ottawa County deputies Lawrence Towse, 54, of 50 27th St., pulled out in front of station wagon driven by J. Bigelow, 46, Grand Rapids, was hit.

The impact knocked the car into a dump truck, operated by John Casauwe Jr., 45, route 4, was waiting to cross the highway. Deputies said the dump truck and Bigelow's car were extensively damaged while Towse's car was a total loss.

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Many Arraigned On Varied Counts In Wood's Court

Several persons appeared before Justice C. C. Wood the last three weeks on varying charges.

Ronald Karston, Grand Rapids, paid fine and costs of \$39.30 on charges of illegal possession of beer. The alleged offense occurred on M-21 and Paw Paw and the arrest was by sheriff's officers.

David R. Stillwell, Grand Rapids, appeared on two counts, paying \$29.30 on a reckless driving charge and \$9.30 on a no operator's license charge.

Gerrit Koning, of 353 North State, Zeeland, paid \$29.30 on charges of manufacturing and selling soft drinks without a license in Zeeland township.

Jerome Deters, of 10830 Adams, Holland, paid \$29.30 on charges of selling cars in Holland township without a license.

Sylvan E. Dittmer, of 206 East 29th St., paid fine and costs of \$59.30 on charges of speeding 35 in a 55-mile zone. He was arrested by sheriff's officers on M-21 in Holland township.

Others appearing were Lester Stegenga, route 3, stop sign at railway crossing in Holland township, \$7.30; Donald R. Gray, Missouri, speeding 75 in 65, US-31 in Holland township, \$10; Marvin P. Vanden Belt, route 6, right of way, US-31 bypass in Holland township, \$14.30; Frank Terpsma, route 2, leaving scene of property damage accident, \$14.30; Walter E. Bolles, 316 West 28th St., defective equipment, old US-31 in Holland township, \$4.30.

Julius Klomp, route 2, Zeeland, red light, Lakewood and old US-31, \$9.30; Tom C. Seters, of 1746 West 32nd St., driving wrong way on divided highway, US-31 in Grand Haven township, \$9.30; Glenn E. Mulder, of 209 Maple, Zeeland, red light, M-21 and US-31, \$9.30; Donald Roy Hoyt, Pullman, stop sign, Lakewood and railroad crossing, \$7.30.

Chlo Martinez, of 375 North Division, improper left turn, US-31 and M-21, \$9.30; Thomas R. Wall, Grand Rapids, improper left turn, US-31 and M-21, \$9.30; J. J. Dogger, of 504 Crescent Dr., speeding 50 in 40-mile zone, Georgetown township, \$9.30; Joan Carlson, of 138 West 22nd St., speeding 75 in 65, M-21 in Zeeland township, \$14.30; Howard Arthur Smith, South Bend, speeding 27 in 65, M-21 in Holland township, \$10.

Dorothy Nyland, of 168 South Division, speeding 40 in 30, \$9.30; and no operator's license, \$9.30; Phillip John Webb, of 209 College, red light, Lakewood and US-31, \$9.30; Eileen Prins, of 3193 Bee-line Rd., stop sign, US-31 and Riley St., \$7.30; Yolanda B. Lopez, of 336 Maple Ave., speeding 70 in 55, M-21 in Holland and township, \$19.30; Lawrence R. Hyma, of 1598 South Shore, no good muffler, old US-31 in Holland township, \$7.30.

Janice Miller, Ann Arbor, speeding 75 in 65, Holland township, \$14.30; Benjamin Vanden Bos, Jr., of 1699 South Shore Dr., speeding 55 in 35, South Shore Dr., \$19.30; Harris Banger, route 4, speeding 45 in 35, Lakewood Blvd., \$9.30; Michael J. McGaven, Grand Rapids, speeding 65 in 50, M-21, \$14.30; Darwin Overway, of 200 Scotts, expired operator's license, M-21 in Georgetown township, \$9.30.

Melvin J. Ten Broeke, route 1, excessive speed, 12th and Van Buren, \$14.30; Leverage Bounman, route 2, speeding 60 in 40, M-21 in Holland township, \$19.30; George E. Christianson, LaPorte, Ind., red light, US-31 and M-21, \$11.30; Francis A. Erdman, Berwyn, Ill., red light, M-21 and US-31, \$11.30; Thurman Rybrandt, of 262 West Ninth St., stop sign, Lakewood Blvd., \$7.30, and expired operator's license, \$9.30.

Only Four Ask Building Permits

Only four persons applied last week for building permits in city Building Inspector William Layman's office in the City Hall. They included:

Douglas Vander Hel, 72 West 17th St.; convert home to two-family dwelling; self and Bernard Nyhoff, contractors; cost, \$500.

James C. Crozier, 575 Crescent Dr.; add room to house, self, contractor; cost, \$2,000.

Western Union, 21 East Eighth St.; remodel for rest room; Harold Langejans, contractor; cost, \$500.

Leonard Swartz, 34 East 28th St.; erect garage, 16 by 22 feet; self, contractor; cost, \$800.

Ground Observer Corps Plans Public Meeting

A public meeting of the Ground Observer Corps, at which awards will be presented, motion pictures shown and demonstrations given, has been scheduled for Monday, Dec. 10 at 7:30 p.m. in Hope Church parish hall, chairman Dale Fris announced today.

A motion picture of what the GOC does and how and why it is important to national safety will be presented by the U. S. Air Force. The operation of the new listening device recently installed at the GOC post on 29th St. and Washington Ave. will be demonstrated.

Wings and bars will be given to observers who have spent the most hours at the post. The Holland Evening Sentinel and radio station WHCT will be presented special awards for "outstanding service."

Largest cathedral in the world is St. Peter's in Rome.



The Tanwakata Camp Fire girls of Jefferson School held their meeting at the home of Judy Baker on Nov. 5. We did some work for the Lions Club and worked toward one of our requirements. Reported by Scribe Kay Borlace.

The 7th and 8th grade Camp Fire Girls of Montello Park School met at the home of Mrs. Stillwell Thursday evening, Nov. 8. Officers were elected as follows: Susie Severson, president; Beverly Deur, vice president; Louann Brower, secretary; Lucille Kiekentveld, treasurer; Janet Baker, scribe. Reported by Nancy Kruid, Scribe.

The 5th grade Camp Fire Girls from Longfellow School met Monday, Nov. 5 at the Camp Fire office to learn about symbols. Mrs. Steketee showed films and talked about difference of symbolism. We enjoyed it very much. Reported by Kathleen Burke, Scribe.

The Okidako Camp Fire group of Lakewood School met at the home of Mrs. Tellies Knowles. Patty Rooks called the meeting to order. We sang four songs we learned in Camp Fire, then we worked on our memory books and helped our new members. Barbara Hughes and Mary Washington get started on theirs. We discussed what we were going to wear for a bead in home craft. Mrs. Jim Hayward, our assistant leader was also present.

On Nov. 2, the Owais Camp Fire girls went on a hay ride. The girls each took a guest and they also invited the other six grade group to go with them. They left the home of Helen Rose and went to Keewauw stables. On the hayride they had a sandwich social. At the stable they were served cup cakes and hot chocolate for a treat. Their leader, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Rose, and Wanda Knoll chaperoned the girls. Reported by scribe, Nancy Ver Hulst.

On Nov. 12, the Owais Camp Fire girls had rehearsal for their play. They decided to have two rehearsals at the home of Helen Rose. The play will be held at the Public Library Friday night and Saturday morning. It will also be given at the Van Raalte Fly-Up. Reported by Scribe, Nancy Ver Hulst.

The Snahnah Camp Fire Girls of Pine Creek met November 5 at the school. A short business meeting was held. Our leaders took us to visit the new radio station WJBL. We were allowed to speak on the air. On November 12, we worked on place mats for our annual business meeting. Ruth Ann Simonsen is sick and was not able to attend. Reported by Scribe, Mary Ellen Atwood.

The Maplewood Camp Fire Girls made out our honors. We also sang songs. We talked about all of the things we could do to earn honors. We talked about how to take care of a grease fire. Reported by Scribe Claudia Reek.

On October 30 the Atayamukke-munk Camp Fire girls had their Halloween Party. It was in the basement of Beechwood School No. 1. The decorating committee had decorations put up. The refreshment committee served cupcakes and kool-aid after which we enjoyed playing games. The prize for the best costume was won by Bonnie Timmer. Reported by Scribe Susan Longstreet.

On November 6 the Atayamukke-munk Camp Fire Girls held their meeting in Beechwood School No. 1. Our leaders Mrs. A. Kibby told us that we made a profit of \$90.00 selling Christmas cards. We talked about making Christmas decorations for Rest Haven. If we do this it will fill a requirement for the Trail Seekers rank. Reported by Scribe, Susan Longstreet.

On Oct. 29 the Tanwakata Camp Fire group of Federal School had their Halloween party at the home of Mrs. Dreyer and we invited the Blue Birds. We bobbed for apples and had a real good time and a good lunch. Reported by Scribe, Jane Ter Haar.

The Cheskamay Camp Fire group of Van Raalte School met at the home of Mrs. Horning under the leadership of Mrs. Pauwe. We opened the meeting with the Lord's Prayer. Phyllis Harringsma called the meeting to order by leading in repeating the Trail Seekers Desire. We made Thanksgiving favors for the hospital. Mary Lou McKay treated. On Friday, November 2, we went to the Dutch Boy Bakery. Reported by Barbara Horning.

Members of the Aowakiya Camp Fire group of Washington School met at the home of Mary Slag. We worked on our memory books, sang songs, and told what our Camp Fire names mean. All members were present. Reported by Mary Slag.

The Aowakiya Camp Fire group of Pine Creek held its sixth meeting Monday, Nov. 12. There are nine members in our group. At the first meeting officers were elected as follows: Carla Dannenberg, president; Sandra Six, vice president; Donna Van Ort, secretary; and Nancy Vanden Berg, treasurer. Mrs. Abe Vanden Berg is our leader with Mrs. George Kinderman assistant. On Oct. 17 and 18 we had an overnight hike. We cooked our supper and breakfast outdoors and slept under the stars in our sleeping bags. We had a hayride with the parents of one of our group, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Six. At a recent supper supported by our Pine Creek neighbors' Club we assisted with the tray service and washed dishes. We are planning to sell Christmas candy and make Christmas favors for the hospital. Reported by Scribe, Mary Streur.

On Nov. 12, the fifth grade Camp Fire girls of Longfellow School met at Mrs. Klompers' home. We had our business meeting, then made favors for the hospital. On Nov. 15, the Waukazoo Camp Fire girls made lists of activities they would like to pursue during the year. Tentative plans were made for a Christmas party. Mrs. Bertsch recorded the honors earned thus far in the year so that honor beads may be awarded at the next meeting which is a ceremonial on Nov. 29. A game designed to teach the girls' Indian names was played and a treat was given by Mrs. Leggett.

The Wetomachick Camp Fire group met at the home of Lynne Hume. We had three new members, Eva Young, Sharon Diekema, and Sandra Juries. Our leader Mrs. Smallenburg gave us our boxes of candy. Lynn and Mrs. Hume treated us to pop and cookies.

The Cikiyapi Camp Fire group of Longfellow School met at the home of their leader Mrs. Nicholson. They started working on Thanksgiving favors for the hospital. Dues were collected. Reported by Scribe, Paula Sprick.

The Wetomachick group of Montello Park School met Monday, Nov. 12 at the home of the leader Pat Daining. They started on their scrap books for Camp Fire. Lynn Lagers brought the treat. Reported by Scribe, Rosemary Riksen.

The Okihai Camp Fire girls of St. Francis de Sales School met Monday, Nov. 12. Mrs. Donnelly treated the girls to paddle pops. President Susanne Fetters called the meeting to order and the treasurer Mary Donnelly gave the report followed by roll call. The leaders helped us to arrange our memory books. We closed our meeting by singing the Camp Fire law. Reported by Scribe, Suzanne Masuga.

On Nov. 12, the Oksu Camp Fire group of Montello Park School met at the home of their leader Mrs. Clare Walker. Mary Jane Meyer treated with a candy bar. They practiced for the 5th grade "Fly-Up". Reported by Virginia White, Scribe.

The Tomimwiha Camp Fire group held their meeting at Robert School Saturday at 2:00. We worked on our scrap books keeping them up to date. We planned a party for the Mothers of the girls and also worked on our sewing. Mrs. Alma Timmer took part in our meeting. We closed our meeting by singing songs.

Dog Notes

By Peter Boggs
Dogs and Sweaters

It was just about a year ago this time that I wrote advising against swathing dogs in sweaters and blankets, etc., in winter except in cases of illness. Little did I think I would be taken sharply to task by so many dog owners who claimed that sweaters and blankets were an absolute necessity to short-haired dogs in cold weather.

Perhaps they are, but I don't believe it. If it were true, then I think Mother Nature would have endowed them with such coverings. If you keep your dog moving briskly when he is out of doors, and if you keep him away from the fire place or the radiator while he is in the house, I doubt if he will catch cold or be any worse for your failure to pile blankets or woolen sweaters on him. Dogs were running around in just their fur long before knitting or blanket-making was invented—and they were perfectly comfortable.

I have tested this theory with pointers and other short-haired dogs, and they have remained in splendidly rugged health throughout the icy months.

Ordinary sane treatment of your dog in winter is worth fifty times as much as all the sweatering and blanketting ever devised. Don't you agree with me?

If And When Your Dog Is Injured

If you have been trying to find a place to park your car recently you are well aware that year by year more and more automobiles are traveling our streets and highways. Each day our daily papers tell us about the number of people who have been injured or killed in auto accidents. Little is said of the countless dogs that are hit and injured by automobiles. I sincerely hope your dog is never run over by a speeding car, but if this misfortune should happen, here is a hint that is well worth remembering:

Be careful, extremely careful in moving the dog, for often one or more bones may be broken. If possible, secure a large box or basket and gently place the injured animal in it. Then when you take the injured dog to a veterinarian or carry him into your home, you will not be unduly disturbing the animal and subjecting him to further injury. If your pet is too large for a box or basket make a litter out of three or four large boards.

The above procedure necessitates moving the dog only once. After he is in the box or basket or on the boards you move the container rather than the injured dog. The chances of a broken bone cutting into a vital spot or further injury to the animal are thus greatly lessened.

Take care in approaching any injured dog, even your own, for the animal has been subjected to sudden pain and at first may not realize you are trying to help him. Speak soothingly and calmly to him. Once he knows you are trying to help him you will be surprised at his co-operation. Again, may I say I hope this never happens to your dog, but if it does, please remember all this.

The name "gopher" is a corruption of the French word "gaufre," a honeycomb, applied by the French settlers in America to burrowing animals which "honeycomb" the soil.

Ottawa County 4-H News

by Willis S. Boss, 4-H Club Agent

There were about 300 members, parents, and leaders present at the Allendale Town Hall last Friday when awards and pins and certificates were presented to members, and leaders for outstanding work.

Leaders who contributed many years of service were honored with pins and certificates according to the number of years in 4-H club work. Receiving the silver pin and certificate for five years of 4-H leadership were: Mrs. Florence Beuschel, Sparta; Mrs. Fred Borgman and Mrs. Jake Zuidema, Holland; Mrs. Margaret De Witt, Hudsonville; Mrs. Louis Hoeksma, Holland; Mrs. Elizabeth Hoek, West Olive; Mrs. Russell Lowing, Conklin; Mrs. Peter Mitchell, Marne; Mrs. LaDeane Sichterman of Coopersville; Sidney Venema, Hudsonville; William Smallegan, Henry Modderman of Marne; Harold Hassevoort, Zeeland; and John Brower, Zeeland. Leaders with 10 years of service received a gold pin and certificate: Wayne Lowing, Jensen; Ed Zuidema, Holland; Mrs. Agnes Veltema, Hudsonville. Leader with 15 years of service received a pearl pin and certificate: Mrs. Gayle Van Doorn. Those with 20 years of service received a diamond pin and certificate: Mrs. Fred Abel, Hudsonville; Mrs. Josephine Beuschel, Sparta; Ed Kelly, Conklin.

County pins for outstanding work in various projects were given to James Henning, Coopersville and Marva Geerlings, Holland for achievement; Mark Brower, Byron Center for agriculture; Marilyn Hoek, West Olive for canning; Karen Naber, Holland and Karen White, Coopersville and Norma Keppel, Zeeland for clothing; Glen Berens, Hudsonville, Carl Van Belkum, Hudsonville, Steve Bosworth of Jensen, James Henning, Coopersville for dairy; Gerald Geurink, Allendale, James Hoek, West Olive, Gordon Handlogten, Coopersville for electric; Ed Goeree, Coopersville, Jerry Eisen, Coopersville, Lester Sprague, Conklin for crops; Virginia Beuschel, Sparta, Barbara May, Sparta, Dorothy Kromer, Coopersville for food preparation; Judy Van Kampen and Marjorie Mc Nitt of Coopersville for frozen foods; Pat Denhof, Conklin, Judy Davis, Coopersville, Ed Kelly, Conklin, Sandra Kragt, Holland for garden; Tim Bottje, Grand Haven and Beverly Davis, Coopersville for leadership; Roger Timmerman, Nunica and Gerald Geurink, Allendale for meat animal; Alvin Visser, Allendale, Wayne Ter Haar, Zeeland, Fred Borgman, Holland, James Holtrop, Nunica for poultry; and Karen Naber, Holland and Steve Bosworth, Jensen for public speaking.

One hundred two 4-H members from Ottawa County will be attending the football game between Michigan State and Kansas State at Michigan State University this Saturday. These members will be from Pine Creek, Beroculo, Sand Creek, and Rosy Mound clubs.

Miss Karen Naber, Van Raalte Club, Holland; Miss Virginia Beuschel, Lisbon Club, Sparta; Miss Joan Vredevel, Bell Club, Hudsonville; Tim Bottje, Rosy Mound Club, Grand Haven; Wesley Wiggers, Drenthe Club, Zeeland; and Steve Bosworth, Jensen Club, Jensen will be the members representing Ottawa County on the annual Chicago trip. This trip is being sponsored by Russ's Drive-In, Holland; First National Bank, Holland; Zeeland State Bank, Zeeland; Farmers Co-op Elevator, Hudsonville; Ottawa County Farm Bureau, Allendale; Coopersville State Bank, Coopersville; and West Ottawa Soil Conservation District, Grand Haven, sponsoring two members and the Grand Rapids Growers, Inc., Grand Rapids, sponsoring two members.

The 4-H members will be accompanied by Robert Van Klompenburg, assistant county agricultural agent, and his wife. They will be visiting the 4-H Club Congress in action, the International Livestock Show, Federal Reserve Bank, Chicago Board of Trade, and many other places of interest. We wish to thank those sponsors and also congratulate these members on being selected for this trip.

Alvin Visser, 45 member from Allendale, will leave on Nov. 23 for Chicago and spend four days there in competition with the members of the other states at the National Poultry Judging Contest. Alvin was the first place winner in the state 4-H judging contest held in East Lansing last August.

Dairy Judge on the state team, Steve Bosworth, Jensen took his trip to Waterloo, Iowa in October. Karen Naber, Holland was the style revue winner in the state and represented Ottawa at the state fair in Detroit in September.

At this Thanksgiving time, we extend to all 4-H members, leaders, and parents, thanks for the great contribution they have given to the 4-H program. Certainly we living in America have much to be thankful for. Count your blessings and give thanks on Thanksgiving.

Burglars Loot Station On US-31 Bypass Again

For the fifth time in two years burglars entered the Wooden Shoe Texaco Gas Station Wednesday night by smashing a side window. The thieves attempted to open a soft drink machine to remove money but only succeeded in ruining the mechanism.

Ottawa County Deputies said the burglars took a .22 caliber automatic rifle, two pairs of work gloves, a leather jacket, and approximately \$38 in silver.

19 Persons Fined In Justice Court

Nineteen persons paid fines after appearing in Justice Hilmer C. Dickman's court for violation of traffic regulations. Violators include:

Gordon W. Clement, 18, Grand Rapids, failure to wear glasses as required, \$6.30; Charles J. Pate, 20, 25 North River Ave., Holland, careless driving, \$16.30; David Cornelius Bos, 19, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$9.30, and defective muffler, \$7.30; Howard Eugent Pigeon, 18, 95 Burke Ave., Holland, operating motor vehicle while license revoked, \$24.90, and reckless driving, \$29.90; Elmer Lanting, 17, route 2, Zeeland, defective brakes, \$12.30.

James R. Lanting, 27, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$9.30; Jennie Velthuis, 51, route 1, Zeeland, speeding, \$15.30; Martin Languis, 63, route 2, Zeeland, failure to wear glasses as required, \$6.30; Paul DeWys, 26, route 1, Zeeland, speeding, \$12.30; Warren H. Smith, 37, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$16.30; Raymond Harry Fischer, 31, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$16.30.

Earl L. Machiele, 40, North Elm St., Zeeland, excessive noise, \$6.30; Herman W. Faber, 61, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$9.30; Gertrude Voss, route 5, Holland, stop sign, \$5.30; Dennis Minnema, 49, 460 West 20th St., Holland, \$16.30; Goldie Kleinheksel, route 5, Holland, failure to stop within assured clear distance, \$14.30; Irma Miedema, Jensen, speeding, \$9.30; Robert Henry Maat, 23, 43 North Centennial St., Zeeland, stop sign, \$7.30; Nelia Elia Bonnama, 30, South Maple St., Zeeland, stop sign, \$6.30.

\$4,132 Is Raised In Mission Drive

The faculty and student body at Western Theological Seminary successfully completed their second annual "Operation Missions" drive on Nov. 20. The object of the drive was not only to raise money for a mission cause, but to kindle a spirit of greater service and giving toward the work of Jesus Christ.

The seminary family pledged to assist church extension projects in three of the fastest growing sections of the United States: Canoga Park, Calif., located in the fastest growing section of the nation; Sacramento, Calif., into which 1,350 new people are moving every month; and Seattle, Wash., where the Reformed Church will soon be serving 2,500 families.

To visualize the tremendous opportunities in these areas, "Visions of Vision," a series of colored slides synchronized with two recording tapes using a stereophonic sound system, was produced. The slides portray the work of six couples from the seminary who ministered in the California area this past summer.

Special programs and activities were scheduled. The day began with a student-faculty fellowship breakfast with the Rev. Henry Kik of Grand Rapids as the main speaker. At a later morning assembly "Visions of Vision" was presented. The entire seminary family gathered for a 6:30 pot luck supper climaxed by a message by the Rev. Wilbur Ringnalda of Fremont.

Approximately 100 members of the student body and faculty pledged and brought in \$4,132. This amount was \$1,132 in excess of the \$3,000 goal which had been set. The funds will be divided equally among the three west coast projects.

The Goyim Missionary Fellowship, sponsors of the drive, announced that about ten per cent of the students as yet have not pledged, and an increase in the amount given is anticipated.

Recreation Cagers Open With Routs, Close Games

Opening night in the Recreation B and C basketball leagues resulted in a few one-sided games and a few pretty tight contests.

In the B league, Dutch Novelty, paced by Gord Greengood's 22 points, outlasted Jack and Earl's Texaco, 49-46. Gord Hulst had 16 for the losers. Dick Vander Yacht, with 21 points, led Suburban Furniture to a 46-44 nipping of Teerman Hardware, whose high point man was Bob Balfout with 13.

In the third game, Ter Haar Clothing dumped Bob's Bootery, 39-30, with Ervin Boeve's 12 points and John Klaassen's eight best for the winners and losers, respectively. In the final B game, Stam's Mobilgas routed Zion Lutheran, 65-14. Gord Sluiter made 18 points for Stam's while Lyle Vander Meulen's half dozen was tops for the losers.

The three C league games saw Overkamp's Washer Parts down Fox's Jewelers, 53-39. Paul Dykstra and Eugene Vander Sluis each scored 18 for the victors and Dave Howe had 14 for Fox's. In a low-scoring tilt, Botsis Beverage defeated Kitchener Planning, 33-20. Bill Kurth's 10 and Ed Pigeon's seven points were high marks for the teams. Steffen's Market edged West End Market, 36-30. Steffen's Mick Mulder had 11 and Con Eckstrom of West End had nine points.

Child Rans Into Auto

Jan Hartgerink, 5, of 1294 Beech Dr. received head lacerations Wednesday afternoon when he ran into the side of a car driven by Mrs. Carl C. Van Raalte, 29, of 688 South Shore Dr., on South Shore Dr. near Black Bass Rd. Ottawa County deputies absolved Mrs. Van Raalte of blame.

Funeral Services Set For Retired Pastor

GRAND RAPIDS (Special) — Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Monday at Zaagman Funeral Chapel for the Rev. John Afman, 50, retired pastor of Faith Baptist Church, who died at his home here Friday morning.

Before coming to Faith Church, he assisted in organizing Good News Baptist Church. He formerly was pastor of Orionville Baptist Church near Flint and had been a missionary to Egypt.

Survivors include the wife, Jean; three daughters, Mrs. Peter Muir of Lisbon, Portugal and Miss Beverly Jean and Miss Barbara Joan at home; a son, John, Jr., at home; two brothers, Tyler of Wayland and Jelte of Hastings; three sisters, Mrs. William Veltin, Mrs. Ralph Van Tuinen and Mrs. John Vriezema of Grand Rapids and a granddaughter.

JCC Sponsors Voice Contest

Plans to conduct a community-wide Voice of Democracy contest were announced today by John Fonger, president of the Holland Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Voice of Democracy is a broadcast script writing and voicing competition which gives high school students an opportunity to think, write and speak of the democratic principles which have made America great. Contest entries are judged on the content, delivery and originality of five minute scripts on the subject, "I Speak For Democracy." All 10th, 11th and 12th grade students are eligible to enter the contest. School eliminations are now being conducted.

All three area high schools are participating. Faculty members have been appointed by the respective principals as VOD school chairmen and are as follows: Miss Ruby Calvert, Holland High; Marinus Pott, Holland Christian; Loren Gray, Zeeland High.

After school winners are selected, the community eliminations will be held at the Council Chambers in City Hall at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 1. The winner will then represent the community in state competition. It is expected that the eliminations will be aired on one or more local radio stations.

Avery D. Baker and Roy De Bolt are co-chairmen of the contest.

Zeeland Woman Dies In Community Hospital

ZEELAND (Special) — Mrs. Clarence (Viola Jean) Michmerhuizen, 35, of route 3, Zeeland, died in Zeeland Community Hospital Wednesday afternoon. She had been in the hospital for five days, following an illness of several months.

Surviving besides the husband are one daughter, Mary Louise; two sons, James and Dale, all at home; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rikse of Zeeland.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at North Street Christian Reformed Church with the Rev. J. Guichelaar officiating. Relatives are asked to meet in the church basement at 1:45. Burial will be in Zeeland Cemetery.

The body is at Yntema Funeral Home where friends and relatives may meet the family Friday evening from 7 to 9 p.m.

John Geenen Succumbs After Heart Attack

John Geenen, 59, of 618 Lincoln Ave., died unexpectedly early Thursday morning in Holland Hospital from a heart attack.

He came to this country in 1913 and moved to Sully, Iowa. In 1937 the family came to Holland. He was a member of the Fourteenth Street Christian Reformed Church and was employed at French Pastery as a baker.

Surviving are three sons, Adrian, Dick, and John Geenen of Holland; four daughters, Mrs. James (Sophie) Hamberg, Mrs. Don (Marie) DeVries, Mrs. Donald (Cornelia) Dokter, all of Holland and Miss Betty Geenen at home; eight grandchildren; one brother and two sisters; Dick, Miss Bertha Geenen and Mrs. Anna Rosendaal all of Sully, Iowa.

Albert Hossink Dies After Long Illness

Albert Hossink, 83, of 234 West 24th St., died early this morning at Pine Rest following an extended illness. He was born Sept. 12, 1873 in Germany and had lived in Holland for the past 29 years. He was a retired furniture worker and a member of Sixteenth Street Christian Reformed Church.

Surviving are the wife, Jennie (Grace) Heetderks; Mrs. William (Gertrude) Boes, and Mrs. George (Jean) Bouws, all of Holland; one son, Alfred Hossink of Holland; 12 grandchildren; eight great grandchildren; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. John (Alberta) Hossink of Grand Rapids and one sister, Mrs. Edward Bruizeman of Holland.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at Dykstra Funeral Chapel with the Rev. J. Herbert Brink officiating. Burial will be in Graafschap Cemetery. Friends and relatives may meet the family at the chapel Sunday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

A survey shows that more than 60 per cent of brides do not know how much their husbands earn.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Wednesday were John Cammenga, 508 Graafschap Rd.; Norman Van Heukelom, route 2, Hamilton; Barbara Van Liere, 168 West 18th St.; Mrs. Warren Bosman, 584 Lakewood Blvd.; Claudette Gayton, 182 East 17th St.; Diane Moore, 298 East 13th St.

Discharged Wednesday were: Cornelius Woodwyk, route 4; Mrs. George Kleis and baby, 357 Lakewood Blvd.; Mrs. Frank Swift and baby, 534 Cherry St.; Michael Troost, route 4; John Stephenson, 28 East 32nd St.; Arthur Keane, 631 Michigan Ave.; Allen Harris, 125 East 15th St.; Claudette Gayton, 182 East 17th St.; Michael Dean Elzinga, 601 West 24th St.; Bruce Haan, 6723 12th Ave., Jensen.

Admitted Thursday were Jennie Nyboer, 333 Fifth Ave.; Mrs. Fannie Arnoldink, route 1.

Discharged Thursday were Mrs. William Layman and baby, 147 West 14th St.; Barbara Van Liere, 168 West 18th St.; Mrs. Lloyd Bakker and baby, Holland; Mrs. Thomas Knowles and baby, 250 East 11th St.

Hospital births include a son, Joseph Martin, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ward, 804 West Seventh St.; a son born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Huyser, route 3, Hudsonville; a son, Adonay David, born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Centeno, 117 East Seventh St.



WINNING TOP PLACE for floats in the parade of religious floats Saturday night was this entry by Fourth Reformed Church showing shepherds in a manger scene. Second place was won by Harlem Reformed Church and third place by Bethel Church. The

parade of floats was headed by the brass section of the Christian High School band which played snappy fanfares at several points. It took about 15 minutes for the parade of 14 floats with band and color guard to pass in review. (Penna-Sas photo)

Police Report Three Mishaps

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Three accidents occurred in Grand Haven area Sunday, according to state police.

At 11:30 a.m. five persons were injured in a two-car crash on US-31 near Grand Haven after one car crossed the highway in front of the other. Drivers were Julius M. Prelesnik, 36, route 4, Grand Haven, and Raymond Stafford, 55, Kalamazoo. Prelesnik was charged with failure to yield the right of way.

The two drivers and three others were taken to Municipal Hospital for treatment of bruises and were released. They were Jerry Lee Prelesnik, 9, Vera Louise Stafford, 55, and Linda Stafford, 8. Both cars were considerably damaged.

At about the same time a half-mile away, a car driven by Louis Elzinga, 28, of 604 West 23rd St., Holland, rolled over on US-31. No one was injured. State police charged Elzinga with excessive speed.

At 12:40 a.m. Sunday, a car driven by Bob Van Klavern, 20, of 641 Howard Ave., Holland, rolled over on M-104 just east of US-31 in Spring Lake township. A passenger, Jerry Stegenga, 16, route 2, Holland, was treated in Municipal Hospital for minor bruises and released. Van Klavern's car, a 1953 model, was considerably damaged. Van Klavern was charged with reckless driving.

Two Persons Pay Fines In Eva Workman's Court

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Fred Berkenpas, 19, Byron Center, paid \$10 fine and \$7.80 costs in Justice Eva Workman's court Monday on a charge of having a loaded shotgun in his car. He was arrested by conservation officer Harold Bowditch, Nov. 24, in Robinson township.

James Paaton, 35, Muskegon, was arraigned before Justice Lawrence De Witt Saturday on two counts following his arrest by state police Nov. 23 in Crookier township. For driving a motor vehicle after his operator's license was revoked by the Secretary of State's department, he was sentenced to pay \$50 fine and \$4.90 costs and serve four days in jail. If fine and costs are not paid he must serve an additional 25 days. For operating a motor vehicle at a greater than basic speed law, he was sentenced to pay \$15 fine and \$4.90 costs or 10 days in jail.

Miss Esther De Weerd Honored at Farewell

Mrs. Gus De Vries entertained a group of friends at her home, 500 Michigan Ave., at a farewell Saturday afternoon honoring Miss Esther De Weerd, missionary to India.

Guests included the Misses De Weerd, Margaret Schurman and Retta Pas and the Mesdames C. Trapp, H. Tyse, Fred Van Lente, Jim Jonkman and J. Van Dornelen. A gift was presented to the guest of honor. Miss De Weerd plans to leave Holland Jan. 15 on her return to the mission field following a year's furlough.

Fined for Drinking

ZEELAND (Special) — Two Grand Haven youths, Jack James Sinke, 17, of 1000 Pennoyer Ave., and Carl Ebel, 17, of route 2, Brookster St., each paid fine and costs of \$25.00 when they were arraigned Saturday before Justice Egbert J. Boes on charges of drinking in an automobile on the M-21 bypass. Two 16-year-old girls who were in the car were referred to Probate Court. Zeeland police made the arrest Friday night.

Crowds Gather in Cold For Religious Parade

Shivering crowds lined the warmer portions of Eighth St. Saturday night for a parade of religious floats which ushered in Holland's second annual Community Christmas Festival, climaxed with a community program of story and song in Civic Center. Crowds took mostly to store doorways as brisk winds blew in 23-degree temperatures.

Winning first place in the floats was the entry of Fourth Reformed Church, a manger scene with worshipping shepherds on the theme, "And the Word Was Made Flesh."

Second place went to Harlem Reformed Church for its manger scene, and third place to Bethel Reformed Church for its wise men scene. Other church groups which provided the 11 other floats will receive community service certificates from the Holland Chamber of Commerce which sponsored the event together with the Holland Ministerial Association and retail merchants.

More than 1,500 attended the community program in Civic Center where the nativity scene which appears in Centennial Park each Christmas was on the stage. The program opened with a candlelight procession by the choirs of Holland High School and Christian High School.

Community carol singing was a highlight with the Rev. John Hains as song leader and John Swieringa at the electric organ. Particularly effective was the carol "Silent Night" in which Rev. Hains sang the German words "Stille Nacht" while the audience hummed.

The program also highlighted selections by the two choirs and a finale in which the massed choirs sang "Glory to God" from Handel's "The Messiah." Guest soloist was Mrs. Roger J. Rietberg who sang the beautiful aria, "And There Were Shepherds."

A Christmas meditation was given by Martin Keuning, Christian Reformed church layman who urged that Christmas have real religious significance this year.

There were considerably fewer people at the community program this year. Last year there was an overflow crowd.

Michigan Gas Declares Annual Year-End Dividend

THREE RIVERS — The Board of Directors of Michigan Gas and Electric Co. has declared a year-end dividend of \$1.50 per share, payable in shares of common stock at the rate of 3 per cent or 3 shares for every 100 shares held and 10 cents per share in cash.

Richard L. Rosenthal, board chairman, said the partial payment of the year-end dividend in common stock was a continuation of the annual combination cash and stock dividend policy established in 1952.

Distribution of the dividend will be on Dec. 31 to shareholders of record at Dec. 15.

Miss Alma Middlehoek's Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Middlehoek, route 3, Holland, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Alma Ruth, to Frank E. Newcomb of Detroit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Newcomb of Milwaukee.

Zeeland

At the Tuesday noon luncheon meeting of the Zeeland Rotary Club, the members saw a motion picture film record of the riot that occurred at Southern Michigan Prison at Jackson, a few years ago. The speaker and commentator was Sgt. Milton Swingle, commander of the Grand Haven post of the Michigan State Police and he was introduced by State Representative George Van Pusem. Rev. E. H. Tanis suggested that the club undertake to participate in an international project, "Share Your Home with a Foreign Student" and this was unanimously endorsed by the club. Foreign students at Hope College would be invited to the various Rotarians' homes on special occasions.

The children of John Shoemaker surprised him with a family dinner at Van Raalte's Restaurant last Friday evening, the occasion being his 75th birthday anniversary. Mr. Shoemaker operated the Shoemaker Shoe Store in Zeeland for many years before it was taken over several years ago by his son, Marvin. He still helps his son at the store daily. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Bulthuis and Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit De Weerd and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Shoemaker and Nelvia of Holland; Mrs. Ivan Timmer and daughters of Hudsonville; Mrs. Harold Timmer and children of Jensen and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Van Elsenga of Zeeland.

Mrs. Edward De Pree, will combine beauty, entertainment and education at the next meeting of the Zeeland Literary Club on Nov. 27 as she illustrates the "Art of Floral Arrangement."

A soprano solo will be rendered by Mrs. David Hondorp, and the hostesses for the meeting which will be held in the city hall auditorium at 3 p.m. are Mrs. M. Klooster and Mrs. C. Poest.

The next monthly baby clinic has been scheduled for next Tuesday, Nov. 27, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the city hall auditorium. A large group of relatives honored Miss Ardith Linn De Jonge at a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Mrs. Charles Riemersma of Wyndham Park. Games were played and a two course lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. L. Hendricks and her niece Mrs. Dale Cole, sister of the bride-to-be. Miss De Jonge received many gifts and guests were present from Zeeland, Holland and Grand Rapids.

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Ottawa School Official Lauds Tuberculosis Unit

Jennie M. Kaufman, Ottawa county superintendent of schools, today pointed up the role tuberculosis Christmas Seals play in education.

"Few people appreciate the value of buying Christmas Seals," Mrs. Kaufman said. "In addition to the many thousands of dollars used to find better ways of fighting tuberculosis, the Michigan Tuberculosis Association works year-around to help teach our children in Ottawa County good general health practices. For this every parent can be thankful."

The materials range from posters and pamphlets to the Children's Health Bulletin. The Bulletin is published monthly during the school year by the MTA and is written in three parts to adapt it to different reading levels. Each part is directed toward a specific age group. Every county receives copies of the Bulletin.

Vriesland

The Rev. Francis Dykstra of Harlem was guest preacher on Sunday, Nov. 18, in the local church. Mrs. Robert Myaard with Mrs. John Myaard, Jr., of Forest Grove as accompanist, furnished the special music at the evening service.

Mothers Club met last Monday evening in the local school. Prayer meeting was held last Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the church basement.

Young peoples' catechism was held last Wednesday at 7 p.m. followed by Senior C. E.

A special offering was taken at both services for missions and benevolence on Sunday, Nov. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Heyboer were united in marriage on Friday, Nov. 16. Mrs. Heyboer is the former Jean Hoekstra.

The Hope College Women's League will meet at the Ottawa Reformed church tonight at 8 p.m.

Another address: Capt. Kenneth Vander Kolk, 5709 Luce Ave., North Highlands, Cal.

The annual congregational meeting for the election of elders and deacons will be held on Dec. 3 at 8 p.m. The following have been nominated: for elder — Jacob Morren, Hubert Heyboer, Dick Kroodsmas, and Henry Roelofs; for deacon — John Wolfert, Elmer Bos, William Van Bronkhorst and Gerald Zuverink.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Beyer, Mrs. John Beyer and children were Thanksgiving guests at a dinner on Wednesday, Nov. 21, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beyer of Zeeland.

Thanksgiving guests at the Vander Kolk home were Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Vander Kolk and family of Grandville, Mr. and Mrs. John Brower and family of Drenthe.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beyer of Zeeland were afternoon guests of Mrs. John Beyer and children and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Beyer on Thanksgiving.

Scout Leaders Confab Scheduled for Dec. 1

Four-hundred leaders of the Grand Valley Boy Scout Council are expected to attend the "Bar Skin Conference" at Godwin High School, Sautrday, Dec. 1, beginning at 9 a.m. with registration and ending at 3:30 p.m. with a closing ceremony.

Training will be divided into three major parts — den chiefs, explorer leaders and boy leaders of scout troops such as patrol leaders, senior patrol leaders, assistant patrol leaders, scribes, etc. The training staff will include Dick Wilson of Holland, Wynn Schallert of Greenville, Dave Berg of Spring Lake, Tom Low of Greenville, Dale Miller of Cedar Springs, Wade Shook of Hastings and Dale Robert, Fred Schienneman, Eddie Staskiewicz, Joe Pilukas, John Kremer, Charles Prys, Dick Smith, Charles Foreman and Herman Brandmiller, all of Grand Rapids.

Two Cars Damaged

Two cars were damaged Thursday afternoon when a vehicle driven by Jean Kluge, 26, Chicago, skidded on US-31 near Van Buren Ave. and collided with a car driven by Betty Adele Hansen, 46, route 1. Ottawa County deputies said damage to the cars was estimated at \$550.

Driver Issued Ticket

Harry Boerman, 46, of 257 West 24th St., Friday was issued a ticket for failure to have his car under control as the result of an accident Nov. 17 at Washington Ave. and 28th St. Boerman was heading north on Washington Ave. and a cement truck was eastbound on 28th St. when the vehicles collided.

Hospital Auxiliary Adds Margaret Hummer Guild

Recognition of the Margaret P. Hummer Guild as part of the Holland Hospital Auxiliary has been announced today by the Central Board of the Hospital Auxiliary. The new guild has taken its name in recognition of the late Mrs. Hummer, who in her lifetime gave time, service and many donations to the hospital. Upon her death in 1935 she left a bequest to the hospital in the form of a trust fund. She was the only person to have done this since the establishment of the hospital in 1917.

She was born and raised in Holland, the daughter of Sarah and Aldred Plugger, early settlers in Holland. Mrs. Hummer's daughter, Mrs. Charles Kirchen, still resides in Holland.

Officers of the new guild elected for one-year terms at the last meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles R. Sligh III, are Mrs. Kenneth Van Wieren, president; Mrs. Jud Bradford, vice president; Mrs. Robert Hobeck, recording secretary; Mrs. Burke Field, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Dale Van Oosterhout, treasurer. Elected to the Central Board for a three-year term was Mrs. Sligh.

Other charter members of the guild include Mrs. Kenneth Atman, Mrs. Robert Schneider, Mrs. Kenneth Etterbeek, Mrs. Robert Sligh, Mrs. Kenneth Helder, Mrs. Roger Prins and Mrs. Robert De Nooyer.

Plans have been made for a Christmas tea to be held on Dec. 7 at the home of Mrs. Schneider where several new members will be welcomed to the guild. Projects for the hospital for the coming year will be discussed.

19 Persons Fined In Zeeland Court

Nineteen persons appeared before Justice Egbert J. Boes in Zeeland court recently and received fines for a variety of violations. Those appearing were:

John Boersen, route 2, Zeeland, overload on truck, \$24.30; Kenneth Jay Evink, 19, route 2, Zeeland, stop sign, \$10.30; James Knight, 21, Zeeland, speeding, \$12.30; Floyd Stuart, 20, 169 West 17th St., Holland, speeding, \$10.30; Gordon Kossen, 31, Holland, speeding, \$15.30; Harvey Jay Brower, 19, setting fire to dump, \$39.30; Charles J. Klynstra, 17, Hudsonville setting fire to dump, \$39.30; Richard Lee Vandert Saan, Byron Center setting fire to dump, \$39.30.

Earl Kalkman, 23, of 21½ Colonial St., Zeeland, speeding, \$15.30; Charles Stegenga, 58, route 2, Holland, speeding, \$3.30; Jerry Lee Baker, 18, route 1, Zeeland, careless driving two counts, \$45.60; Robert Sangerberg, 27, o' 637 Concord Dr., Holland, speeding, \$15.30; Berold Ricks, 21, of 180 Lakeshore Dr., Holland, speeding \$10.30.

Julius Glass 22, of 560 Lincoln Ave., Zeeland, excessive speed, \$15.30; John H. Prince, 31, Zeeland, speeding, \$10.30; Leon Earl Veldhuis, 532 East Main St., Zeeland, speeding, \$15.30; John Raak, route 2, Holland, speeding, \$10.30; Gradius Geurink, route 6, Holland, speeding, \$10.30; John Westenberg, 471 State St., Holland, speeding, \$14.30.

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Patricia Kole

Miss Patricia Kole was feted at a bridal shower Friday night given by Misses Ardith Naber and Joan Sieberlink. The event was held at the home of Mrs. Leroy Naber, 185½ Lakewood Blvd.

A yellow, green and white color scheme was used. Duplicate prizes were won by Misses Dolly Vandenberg, Mary Meurer, and Marilyn Rynbrandt. A two-course lunch was served by Mrs. John Sieberlink and Mrs. Naber.

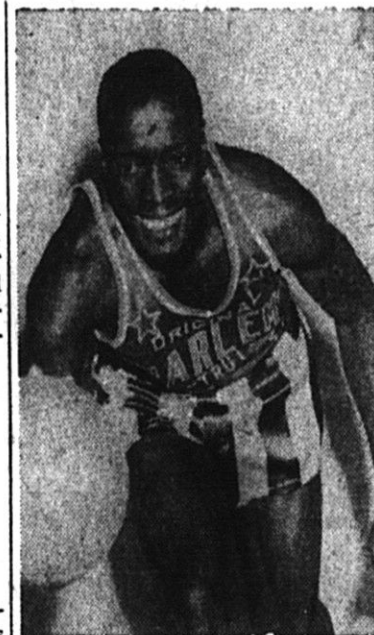
Guests were the Misses Dolly Vandenberg, Mary Meurer, Marilyn Rynbrandt, Wanda Essenburg, Juliane Brower, Dorothy Gray, Lois Schreuer, Betty Burns, Phyllis Kruitthof and Arlene Winger and Mrs. Marinus Kole, mother of the bride-elect.

Globetrotters Will Perform Antics Here Saturday

The Harlem Globetrotters, unrivaled champions of comic cagers and seven times winner of basketball's world series, will take on the oldest professional basketball team in the country, the Philadelphia Spas, in the Civic Center Saturday night.

The game will be the main portion of a two hour and 10 minute show sponsored by the Band and Orchestra Boosters Club. At half-time, six vaudeville acts will comprise a 45-minute intermission.

The unusual Globetrotters, who have won 5,395 games while losing only 303, are now in their 30th year. The most obvious oddity of the team is that they cover up their real basketball ability with zany passing, juggling and numer-



Robert Hall ... showboat

ous methods of delaying games and delighting fans. Yet, with all their clowning, they always seem to arch, kick or bump enough points through the hoop to outscore their opponents.

The Globetrotters aren't new to Holland, having played to a packed house in 1954. The spas are a farm team of the Philadelphia Warriors, defending champions of the National Basketball League.

The Spas originated as representatives of the South Philadelphia Hebrew Association, and derived their name from those initials. Now affiliated with the Warriors, they are a non-sectarian outfit. After a successful stint in the American Basketball League in the '30's and '40's, they became a traveling team, and have remained so ever since. Most of the squad is made up of players being seasoned for the Warriors.

For the Globetrotters, the bulk of the clowning — and playing — is expected to come from center Robert Hall, old pro forward Ermer Robinson and Jesse Coffey, who plays guard and center.

The halftime entertainment will consist of sleight-of-hand expert Al Baba, continental jugglers Lee Marx and Billie, trampolinist Dick Albershardt, Ala Ming, a tightrope artist and the Palermos, Argentine jugglers. Final halftime exhibition is slated to be a trapeze performance by Consuelo.

Spring Lake Man Pays Fine on Assault Count

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Herman Snyder, 35, route 2, Spring Lake, father of five children, paid \$10 fine and \$4.90 costs in Justice Eva Workman's court Saturday rather than serve four days in jail, after pleading guilty to an assault and battery charge upon his wife, Alberta. The alleged assault took place at the Snyder home about midnight Friday.

Floyd Stillson, 17, Grand Haven, paid \$10 fine and \$7.80 costs in the same court Saturday on a charge of hunting duck after the legal closing hour of 4:51 EST. Stillson was arrested Nov. 19 by conservation officer Harold Bowditch in Spring Lake township.



BOB DE WITT, General manager of De Witt's Hatcheries, Zeeland, accepts the first place trophy presented by Poultry Tribune, a national poultry farming magazine, for the winning entry in the 1956 Texas Random Sample Egg Laying Contest. De Witt's pen of 50 Babcock Bessie White Leghorns had the highest profit record with an average of \$3.98 a bird over feed costs.

Hospital Notes

Admitted to Holland Hospital Friday were Clarence Nies, 20 East 23rd St.; Mrs. John Dreuer, 463 Gordon St.; Mrs. Gertrude Poll, 882 Lincoln Ave.; Beverly Garvelink, 267 West 19th St.; Sharon Van Kampen, 643 Butternut Dr.; Billie and Laurie Van Wieren, 22 West 12th St.

Discharged Friday were Billie and Laurie Van Wieren, 22 West 12th St.; John M. Windisch, 428 West 22nd St.; Mrs. Hilbert Oudemolen, 341 West 20th St.; Jay Vander Vliet, 15 East 35th St.; Richard Roossien, 176 Reed Ave.; Mrs. Clifford Ward and baby, 80½ West Seventh St.; Mrs. Robert F. Wingate and baby, 1542 Lakewood Blvd.; Sharon Van Kampen, 643 Butternut Dr.

Admitted Saturday were David Schreuer, 144 East 13th St.; Carolyn Bloodworth, New Richmond; Brenda Berkompas, 449 Riley St.; Mrs. John Palmer, route 2; Duane Rotman, 244 South 120th Ave.; Mrs. Mattie Klompers, 108 East 20th St.

Discharged Saturday were Mrs. Darl Wyngarden, route 3, Zeeland; John Koster, route 1; Mrs. David R. Fetters and baby, 1210 Floral Ave.; Mrs. Clarence Zone and baby, 154 Glendale; Mrs. Kenneth Dykstra and baby, 523 Pinecrest Dr.; Mrs. Stanley Wlodarczyk and baby, 159 132nd St.; Mrs. Fannie Arnoldink, route 1; Mrs. Nellie Hoffmeyer, 473 West 19th St.; Judy Porter, 234 West 13th St.; Mrs. Charles W. Saylor, 359 Howard Ave.; Henry Ebel, route 1, West Olive; Carolyn Bloodworth, New Richmond.

Admitted Sunday were William Van Haisma, Alice St., Zeeland; Oral Gentry, route 1; Garry Dreyer, route 4; Dale Vischer, 824 Central Ave.; Mrs. Donald Brown, 115 East Ninth St.

Discharged Sunday were Mrs. Robert Gordon and baby, 182 East Seventh St.; Mrs. Milton Lower and baby, route 6; Mrs. Jesus Centeno and baby, 178 East Seventh St.; Mrs. Wesley Kiel and baby, 137½ East 14th St.; David Schreuer, 144 East 13th St.; William Van Vuren, 275 West 24th St.; Mrs. Faciendo Gonzales, 16 South River; Mrs. John Palmer, route 2.

Hospital births include a daughter, Denelda Lynn, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, 182 East 38th St.; a daughter, Crystal Marie, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roun, route 3; a daughter, Lee Ann, born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kolean, 611 West 23rd St.

A daughter, Carol Juanita, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boerman, route 2, Hamilton; a son, Matthew J., born Saturday to Mr.

and Mrs. Dale Van Dort, 681 Washington St.; a son, George Burke, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Burke Field, 389 West 20th St.

A daughter, Diane Mae, born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Borr, Jr., 15 West 16th St.; a son, Drew Lane, born today to Mr. and Mrs. John Deters, Jr., 352 James St.

Zeeland

Recent births at Zeeland Community Hospital include a daughter, Donna Beth, born to Mr. and Mrs. George Veldhouse, route 1, Byron Center; a son, Dirk Robert, born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pyle, 134 West Central; a son, Thomas Rosema, route 1, Allendale; a son, Harlan Ross, born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Poppema, Hudsonville.

A daughter, Wanda Lynn, born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Koelnga, Hudsonville; a daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meppelink, Zeeland; a son, Duane Martin, born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Timmer, Holland.

A daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kryger, route 1, Grandville; a daughter, Lila Jean, born to Mr. and Mrs. John Kloosterman, route 1, Zeeland; a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Merritt, route 3, Hudsonville.

Open House Planned At Vander Heide Home

Mr. and Mrs. William Vander Heide will celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary with open house for friends and relatives at their home, 3501 Butternut Dr., Friday from 7 to 10 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Vander Heide have one daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Wolters of Holland and three sons, Gerrit and Robert Vander Heide of Holland and Willis Vander Heide of Albuquerque, N. M. There are seven grandchildren.

Man Bound Over

GRAND HAVEN (Special) — Donald Leslie Doddington, 45, Chicago hotel address, waived examination in Municipal Court here Friday on a charge of larceny from a dwelling, and will appear in Circuit Court Monday morning. Bond of \$300 was not furnished. Doddington allegedly took a \$235 accordion last Oct. 25 from the home of a relative. When he was arrested by city police Thursday, he told them he had sold it to a truck driver for \$15. Doddington was released from Southern Michigan Prison last Aug. 11 after serving a three to four-year sentence on a similar offense.

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